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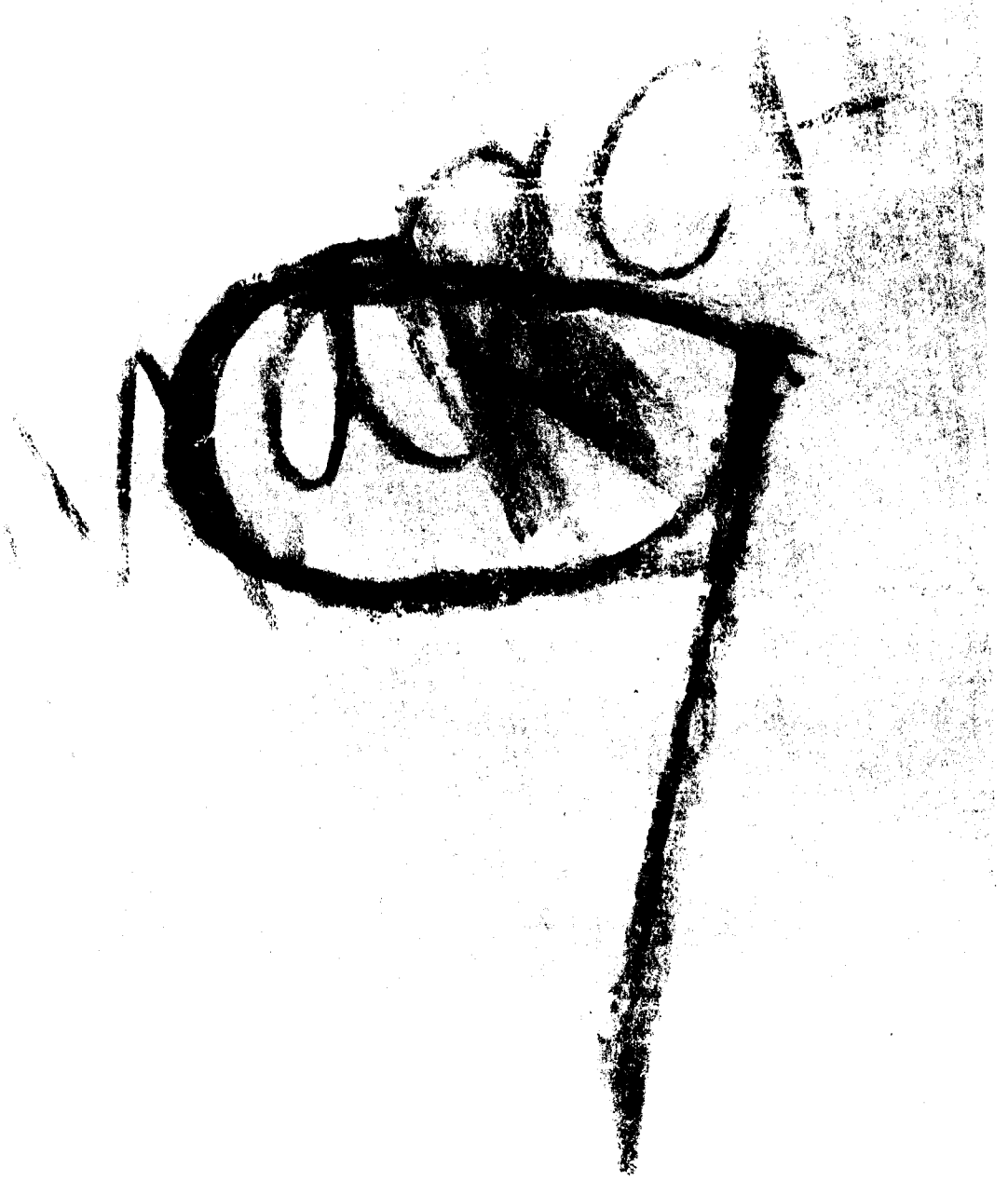

with effect from the dates specified against their respective names:—

NAMES.	Date of completion of the septennial period of service.	Date of passing the professional examination.	Date of promotion.
To be 1st Class Hospital Assistants.			
Shaikh Rohim Oodeen *b* ...	Apl. 6, 1871	Oct. 15, 1874	Oct. 15, 1874.
Shaikh Osman Gunnee *a* ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Shaikh Kurreem Buksh *b* ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Nowjesh Hossain Khan (Assamese) *a*.	Mar. 29, 1872	Ditto ...	Mar. 30, 1872.
Pyray Loll ...	Mar. 30, 1872	Ditto ...	Oct. 15, 1874.
Cherinjoo *d* ...	Aug. 13, 1872	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ameer Ally ...	Jan. 17, 1873	Apl. 15, 1874	Apl. 15, 1874.
Baboo Lall *a* ...	Jan. 26, 1874	Oct. 16, 1874	Jan. 27, 1874.
Sewpersaud *a* ...	Feb. 17, 1874	Oct. 15, 1874	Oct 15, 1874.
Shaikh Rahim Buksh ...	Mar. 13, 1874	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Meer Kurramut Hossein ...	Apl. 15, 1874	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Mahomed Hossain ...	May 15, 1874	Ditto ...	May 16, 1874.
Shaikh Peer Buksh ...	June 13, 1874	Ditto ...	June 14, 1874.
Shaikh Saudut Hossein *a* ...	June 24, 1874	Ditto ...	June 25, 1874.
To be 2nd Class Hospital Assistants.			
Usuff Khan ...	May 2, 1868	Oct. 21, 1874	Oct. 21, 1874.
Azeezur Rohman *b* ...	Mar. 9, 1872	Oct. 15, 1874	Oct. 15, 1874.
Sheik Hydiat Ally ...	Aug. 8, 1872	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Mohamed Galib ...	Sep. 30, 1872	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Kirpa Ram ...	Apl. 14, 1873	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Willayut Allii ...	Sept 30, 1873	Oct. 15, 1874	Oct. 1, 1873.
Chand Khan ...	Feb. 11, 1874	Ditto ...	Oct. 15, 1874.
Shaik Mahomed Hossain ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Daraj Alle ...	Apl. 14, 1874	Ditto ...	Oct 16, 1874.
Mohmed Aukber *b* ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Oct. 15, 1874.
Abdool Rahman ...	Apl. 16, 1874	Ditto ...	April 17, 1874.
Kundoo Lall *d* ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto
Siragooddeen *c* ...	June 24, 1874	Ditto ...	June 25, 1874
Mahomed Hossain *a* ...	Sept. 11, 1874	Ditto ...	Sept. 12, 1874.
Moknoddeen ...	Sept. 30, 1874	Ditto ...	Oct. 1, 1874.
Mohmed Shaffee ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Jeet Narain Sing *a* ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

Passed an examination in English, *vide* G. G. O. No. 968 of 1870.
Ditto ditto ditto No. 729 of 1871.
Ditto ditto ditto No. 1057 of 1872.
Ditto ditto ditto No. 876 of 1872.
Ditto ditto on the 12th October 1874.

No. 1223 *of* 1874.—The under-mentioned Officer is admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with rank from the date specified, subject to the condition of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant John Charles Frederick Gordon, of the 58th Foot, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 36th (The Bareilly) Regiment of Native Infantry,—23rd October 1873.

No. 1224 *of* 1874.—ERRATUM.—In G. G. O. No. 863 of 1874, for Invalid Store Lascar "Gan Deen" of the G. Battery, 11th Brigade, Royal Artillery, read Store Lascar *Sewdeen*.

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 1225 *of* 1874.—The services of Native Medical Pupil Munshi Ram, No. 743, attached to the Sudder Dispensary at Deyrah, who was admitted into the service by G. G. O. No. 1022 of 1874, are dispensed with.

No. 1226 *of* 1874.—The services of Surgeon D. Sinclair, M. B., of the Madras Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Home Department.

No. 1227 *of* 1874.—The under-mentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate:—

Surgeon Gilbert Proby Mackenzie, M. B., of the Medical Department,—for one year, under the Regulations of 1868 (Rule IX, Note I).

No. 1228 *of* 1874.—The under-mentioned Officer has been permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant Colonel Arthur Hill Millett, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Inspector General of Police, Hyderabad,—for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868, with effect from the 21st December 1874, the date of his departure from Bombay per *Gwalior*.

No. 1229 *of* 1874.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments and arrangements in the Military Account Department:—

Bengal.

Lieutenant Colonel T. B. Harrison, Examiner of Commissariat and Stud Accounts, Bengal, and Officiating Controller of Military Accounts, Bombay, to be Controller of Military Accounts, *vice* Colonel T. James, C. B., deceased.

Captain M. A. Rowlandson, Officiating Assistant, Pay Department, Madras, to officiate as Deputy Pay Master, North-Western Provinces' Circle.

Bombay.

Lieutenant Colonel A. W. Graham, Examiner, Pay Department, Officiating Examiner, Commissariat, Barrack, and Clothing Departments, Bombay, will take charge of the Office of Controller of Military Accounts, Bombay, in addition to his other duties, as a temporary arrangement and pending further orders.

Captain C. G. Cautley, Assistant, Pay Department, Bengal, Officiating Deputy Pay Master, Allahabad, to officiate as Examiner, Ordnance Department, Bombay, *vice* Captain S. G. D. Turner, who has proceeded to Europe on furlough, and during the period Major T. H. Turner may officiate as Examiner, Pay Department, or until further orders.

No. 1230 *of* 1874.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify that Officers proceeding on leave to Europe, the Colonies, or elsewhere, beyond the limits of their own Presidencies, whether under the Furlough Rules of 1796, 1854 or 1868, are permitted to draw their furlough pay through their Agents in India, on the latter furnishing a satisfactory guarantee for the refund of over-payments.

2. The guarantee must be attached to the application of the Officer for permission to draw his pay in India, which must be submitted through the Pay Master to the Controller of Military Accounts, who will grant the authority to the Agent to draw the pay monthly as it becomes due.

3. The guarantee must in every case be stamped to the extent prescribed in the annexed extract, as per margin, from Schedule I of the General Stamp Act XVIII of 1869, or in accordance with the provisions of the Stamp Act which may be in force at the time; the value of the stamp to be determined on the aggregate furlough pay of the Officer to be drawn during the period of his authorized absence.

When such sum does not exceed	Proper Stamp duty.		When such sum does not exceed	Proper Stamp duty.	
Rs.	Rs.	As.	Rs.	Rs.	As.
2,000	10	0	14,000	60	0
2,500	12	8	15,000	62	8
3,000	15	0	16,000	65	0
3,500	17	8	17,000	67	8
4,000	20	0	18,000	70	0
4,500	22	8	19,000	72	8
5,000	25	0	20,000	75	0
5,500	27	8	21,000	77	8
6,000	30	0	22,000	80	0
6,500	32	8	23,000	82	8
7,000	35	0	24,000	85	0
7,500	37	8	25,000	87	8
8,000	40	0	26,000	90	0
8,500	42	8	27,000	92	8
9,000	45	0	28,000	95	0
9,500	47	8	29,000	97	8
10,000	50	0	30,000	100	0
11,000	52	8	40,000	112	8
12,000	55	0	50,000	125	0
13,000	57	8			

4. The following form of guarantee, as prescribed in G. G. O. No. 90, dated 23rd January 1867, will be required from the Agents of Officers proceeding on leave under the Furlough Rules of 1796:—

We_____

Agents of_____

do hereby engage, in the event of our being permitted to draw the pay and allowances of our constituent during his authorized absence from the Presidency, to repay such part of the

amount as he may not be entitled to in case of death, as also such sums, with retrospective effect, as our constituent may become liable for by his bringing himself upon furlough pay from the date of quitting his own Presidency by any of the following acts:—

1*st*.—By overstaying the leave to sea for two years on medical certificate, or for six months on private affairs, which he may have obtained under the old Furlough Rules of 1796.

2*nd*.—By proceeding to England from the leave aforesaid under the old Furlough Rules of 1796, without having returned to his own Presidency.

5. On account of leave taken under the Furlough Rules of 1854 or 1868, the form of guarantee from the Agents of Officers will be as follows:—

We _____

Agents of _____

do hereby engage, in the event of our being permitted to draw the furlough pay of our constituent during his authorized absence from the Presidency, to repay to Government through its constituted Officer such part of the amount as he may not be entitled to, owing either to his death, or to vacation of appointment by abolition, resignation or any other way.

No. 1231 *of* 1874.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on urgent private affairs:—

Captain John Edwards Werge Howey, of the General List, Infantry,—for six months, under Rule XI of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 1232 *of* 1874.—The appointment of Mahomed Hussain as a Jemadar in the 2nd Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, on probation, in G. G. O. No. 989 of 1874, will be held to have effect from the 8th December 1874.

No. 1233 *of* 1874.—The following promotions are made in the under-mentioned corps of the Native Army:—

33rd (The Allahabad) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Jemadar Seetul, to be Subadar, *vice* Jowahir Singh, invalided.

Havildar Soorujbuksh Singh, to be Jemadar, *vice* Munbodh, invalided.

Havildar Ghirao, to be Jemadar, *vice* Kutwaroo, invalided.

Havildar Muhumad Hoosain Khan, to be Jemadar, *vice* Sultan, invalided.

Havildar Goolzar, to be Jemadar, *vice* Seetul, promoted.

The above promotions will have effect from the 1st May 1874.

The 31st December 1874.

No. 1234 *of* 1874.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

1st Infantry.

Lieutenant Colonel A. C. Lilly, 2nd in Command, 2nd Infantry, to be Commandant, *vice* Colonel H. Hoseason, retired.

2nd Infantry.

Major J. P. Pedler, 2nd in Command, 3rd Infantry, to officiate as Commandant during the absence on furlough to Europe of Lieutenant Colonel G. Adye, or until further orders.

Captain H. F. H. Sewell, Adjutant, 5th Infantry; to be 2nd in Command, *vice* Lieutenant Colonel A. C. Lilly.

5th Infantry.

Captain F. T. Goad, Adjutant, 3rd Infantry, and Officiating 2nd in Command, 1st Infantry, to be Officiating 2nd in Command, during the period Lieutenant Colonel T. T. Turton may officiate as Commandant, or until further orders.

Lieutenant A. C. LeQuesne, Wing Subaltern and Officiating Adjutant, 1st Infantry, to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain H. F. H. Sewell.

No 1235 *of* 1874.—It is hereby announced that on the recommendation of the Government of India, Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to confer a good service pension on the under-mentioned Officer, with effect from the 23rd August 1874, in room of Colonel R. S. Wilson, deceased:—

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant Colonel Alexander James Hadfield, of the Madras Invalid Establishment.

	Appointments.
Ensign, 8th February 1827.	Acting Deputy Assistant Quartermaster General, Centre Division, 14th March 1851.
Lieutenant, 17th November 1831.	Honorary Aide-de-Camp to the Viceroy and Governor General in India, 1st April 1842.
Captain, 7th July 1841.	
Brevet-Major, 8th July 1841.	
Brevet Lieut.-Colonel, 11th November 1851.	

War Services.

Brevet Lieutenant Colonel A. J. Hadfield served with the 37th Madras Native Infantry in the expedition from Kamptee to Sumbulpore against the refractory zemindars in that district in 1830. Accompanied the 37th Regiment to China in the first war in 1840; was present at the taking of Cheunpee, and at the storming of the forts of the Bocca Tigris in the Canton river; present in the action of the 25th May 1841 before Canton, and engaged in the affair of the 30th May, when a large body of Chinese endeavoured to relieve the city. On this occasion, during a tremendous thunderstorm, the company of the 37th Regiment, Madras Native Infantry, which he commanded, was cut off from the rest of the force and surrounded by several thousands of Chinese troops; but, notwithstanding the rain prevented the sepoys from discharging their muskets, yet they repulsed every attack made upon them until an hour or two after dusk, when they were extricated from their perilous position by a detachment of Royal Marines armed with percussion fire arms.

For this affair he was mentioned in despatches; received the brevet rank of Major and appointed Honorary Aide-de-Camp to the Viceroy (Lord Ellenborough). Likewise, every native officer, non-commissioned officer and private belonging to his company were admitted to the advantages of the Order of Merit, and when Parliament voted their thanks to the army and navy engaged in this war, special mention was made of his gallant conduct and of that of his company by the Duke of Wellington in the House of Lords, and by Lord Stanley in the House of Commons, (medal for China.)

No. 1236 *of* 1874.—The under-mentioned Native Medical Pupils of the Agra Medical School, who have passed their final examination, are promoted to the grade of Passed Medical Pupil, with effect from the 11th October 1874, and placed at the disposal of the Surgeon General, Indian Medical Service:—

Gokie Lall.

Roop Sing Rana.*

Mahomed Ruheem.

Abdoollah.

Naeemoollah.

Alleemooddeen.

* Passed the English qualification examination on the 7th July 1871.

No. 1237 *of* 1874.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant Colonel Henry Manley Wemyss, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, 39th (The Allygurh) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant Colonel Bendyshe Walton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Military Store-keeper, Calcutta,—for ten months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain John Alexander Temple, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Judge, Small Cause Court, Jubbulpore, Central Provinces, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 4th Class, Seoni District,—for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Isaac Peatt Westmorland, of the Royal Engineers, Controller, 2nd Class, 1st Grade, Public Works Accounts Department, Punjab,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 1238 *of* 1874.—Goolab Bee, widow of Ressaidar Mirza Unwur Ali Beg, of the 1st Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, is admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the first class order of merit on her late husband for three years, commencing from the 22nd June 1873.

The stipend will be disbursed at Chedderghaut, Hyderabad, Deccan.

No. 1239 *of* 1874.—Native Medical Pupil Nuzeeroodeen Khan, No. 730, of the Alipore Dispensary, admitted by G. G. O. No. 1022, dated 30th October 1874, is dismissed the service.

No. 1240 *of* 1874.—Captain G. C. Ross, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 3rd Squadron Officer, 16th Bengal Cavalry, granted furlough to Europe on private affairs for two years, under the Regulations of 1868, in G. G. O. No. 924 of the 24th September 1874, is permitted to spend a portion of it in India, commencing from the 23rd November 1874 to the date of his embarkation, and the remainder in Europe.

No. 1241 *of* 1874.—The services of Lieutenant A. P. Thornton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 25th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 1242 *of* 1874.—With reference to the notification issued by the Government of Bengal, dated the 22nd December 1874, the services of Surgeon G. Griffith, of the Medical Department, Officiating Medical Officer at Goalundo and Kooshtea, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 15th December 1874.

No. 1243 *of* 1874.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

4th Punjab Cavalry.

Lieutenant R. H. Forrest, Squadron Subaltern, 3rd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, to be 2nd Squadron Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant C. C. Egerton, appointed 2nd Squadron Subaltern, 3rd Punjab Cavalry.

No. 1244 *of* 1874.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 1094 of the 24th November 1874, the appointment of Lieutenant A. T. S. A. Rind to officiate as Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, will be held to have effect from the 29th March 1874, instead of the date previously notified.

No. 1245 *of* 1874.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Staff Corps having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant Colonel Angelo Edward Osborn, Bengal Staff Corps, 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel John Fendall, Bengal Staff Corps, 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel Robert Farquhar Webster, Bengal Staff Corps, 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel James George Roche Furlong, Madras Staff Corps, 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel Henry Spurgen Rammell, Madras Staff Corps, 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel James Thomas Norgate, Bengal Staff Corps, 30th December 1874.

No. 1246 *of* 1874.—The under-mentioned Officer of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed twenty years' service, is promoted to the rank of Major, from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Captain Newton Robert Burlton, 30th December 1874.

No. 1247 *of* 1874.—It is notified for general information and guidance that the spelling of the names of the following Cantonments and Military Stations in the Bengal Presidency and of the

Hyderabad Contingent, which has been approved, should be strictly adhered to in future:—

Allahabad Division.
1. Allahabad.
2. Cawnpore.
3. Dinapore.
4. Benares.
5. Segowlie.
6. Chunar.

Lahore Division.
7. Lahore.
8. Meean Meer.
9. Kangra.
10. Ferozepore.
11. Mooltan.
12. Amritsar.
13. Govindgarh.
14. Dharmsála.
15. Bhágsu.
16. Dalhousie.
17. Bakloh.
18. Bani Khet.

Meerut Division.
19. Meerut.
20. Fatehgarh.
21. Agra.
22. Muttra.
23. Dehra Dún.
24. Delhi.
25. Landour.
26. Roorkee.
27. Chakráta.

Oudh Division.
28. Lucknow.
29. Sitapur.
30. Fyzabad.
31. Gorakhpur.

Rawal Pindi Division.
32. Rawal Pindi.
33. Attock.
34. Murree.
35. Jhelum.
36. Sialkot.
37. Talagang.
38. Campbellpore.

Sirhind Division.
39. Umballa.
40. Jullundur.
41. Kasauli.
42. Phillour.
43. Ludhiána.
44. Subáthu.
45. Dagshai.
46. Jutogh.
47. Simla.

Eastern Frontier District.
48. Shillong.
49. Dacca.
50. Jalpáiguri.
51. Cachar.
52. Baxa.
53. Gauháti.
54. Dibrugarh.
55. Sadiya.
56. Golághát.
57. Tezpur.
58. Pubamukh.
59. Jaipur.
60. Jowai.
61. Sylhet.
62. Chargola.
63. Alinagar.
64. Monier Khál.
65. Noarband.
66. Cherra Poonjee.
67. Nowgong.
68. Manipur.
69. Gohpur.

Gwalior District.
70. Gwalior.
71. Morar.
72. Jhansi.
73. Lalitpur.
74. Sipri.

Pesháwar District.
75. Pesháwar.
76. Michni.
77. Nowshera.
78. Abazai.
79. Mackeson.
80. Shabkadar.
81. Cherat.

Presidency District.
82. Fort William.
83. Alipore.
84. Dum-Dum.
85. Barrackpore.
86. Berhampore.
87. Hazáribágh.
88. Doranda.
89. Bhágalpur.
90. Darjeeling.

Rohilcund District.
91. Bareilly.
92. Moradabad.
93. Almora.
94. Sháhjahánpur.
95. Naini Tal.
96. Pithorágarh.
97. Ránikhet.

Saugor District.
98. Jubbulpore.
99. Saugor.
100. Bánda.
101. Nagode.
102. Nowgong.
103. Pachmarhi.

Punjab Frontier Force.
104. Abbottabad.
105. Dera Ghází Khan.
106. Dera Ismail Khan.
107. Edwardesabad.
108. Kohát.
109. Mardán.
110. Rájanpur.

Hyderabad Contingent.
111. Aurangabad.
112. Bolarum.
113. Elichpur.
114. Hingoli.
115. Jálna.
116. Lingsugúr.
117. Mominabad.

No. 1248 *of* 1874.—The following extract from list No. 22, dated the 4th December 1874, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment, permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave, received from the India Office, is published for general information:—

Permitted to return.

Colonel R. W. Chambers.
Major B. Rogers.
Lieutenant P. F. M. Baddeley.
Surgeon Major G. A. Watson.
Lieutenant A. G. Yaldwyn.
Captain J. B. B. Dickson.
Lieutenant Colonel B. G. Vander Gucht.
Lieutenant S. D. Turnbull.

Granted extensions of leave.

Captain W. J. W. Muir,—one month, sick certificate.

Captain F. A. S. D'A. de St. Laurent,—two months, sick certificate.

No. 1249 *of* 1874.—Native Medical Pupil Adhar Chunder Chuckerbutty, No. 403, admitted by G. G. O. No. 819 of 1872, is dismissed the service, with effect from the date on which he was sentenced to imprisonment.

No. 1250 *of* 1874.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Colonel Alexander Fraser, C. B., of the Royal Engineers, Chief Engineer, 1st Class, Public Works Department, and Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, Allahabad,—for nine months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Surgeon Major Robert Wiseman Cunningham, M. D., of the Medical Department, in medical charge Meywar Bheel Corps,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

The 1st January 1875.

No. 1 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 656 of the 25th June 1874, and with the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify that:—

I. During the year 1875 ninety (90) officers of the Staff Corps, and Cavalry and Infantry of the Indian Army, will be permitted to retire from the service, receiving, in addition to the pension to which they may be entitled by length of service under existing regulations, not exceeding the full pay pension of a Colonel (£456-5-0 per annum), an annuity representing the estimated value of their prospective claim to the Colonel's allowance, or its capitalized value as they may prefer.

II. This offer is restricted to substantive Lieutenant Colonels who shall have completed 28 years' service, from the date of first commission, on or before the date from which

they apply to retire, who may either, 1st, have been appointed to one of the Staff Corps on or before the 12th September 1866, and can claim the Colonel's allowance under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, or 2ndly, may be entitled, under G. O. G. G. of the 12th September 1862, to the Colonel's allowance after 12 years' service in the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

III. The number allowed to retire under these conditions will be distributed as follows:—

For Bengal	...	40
„ Madras	...	30
„ Bombay	...	20
TOTAL	...	90

In the event of the whole of the retirements allotted to a particular Presidency not being taken up in that Presidency, those remaining will be distributed in such manner as may be determined by the Government of India.

IV. Applications to retire will be considered and disposed of successively according to priority of proposed dates of retirement until the number of retirements allotted to the service shall have been accomplished, when retirements under this order will cease for the year. In the event of its becoming necessary to select one from among two or three applicants for retirement on the same day, preference will be given according to seniority from the date of first commission.

V. Officers wishing to retire under the terms of this order must, whether in or out of India, submit their applications to the Office of the Adjutant-General of their respective Presidencies, naming prospective dates for their retirements, such date not to be earlier than the 1st April 1875.

VI. Officers whose applications are accepted, will be gazetted out from the dates named by themselves, but will continue to perform their duties and receive the pay and allowances of their positions until officially informed of their removal from the effective list, either by direct communication, or by publication of the Gazette at the station at which they may be serving.

VII. Officers retiring under this arrangement will forego both the good service pension, if they are in receipt thereof, and all claim to bonus compensation under the terms of the despatch of the 8th of August 1866,* No. 160.

*G. G. O. No. 808 of 26th September 1866.

VIII. Applicants to retire must state—

1st.—Their rank and service.

2nd.—Their age (supported by a certificate of birth, or in its absence, by a formal declaration).

3rd.—Whether they wish to receive commutation for their prospective allowances in the shape of an annuity, or to capitalize its value. Officers who desire to receive the capitalized value of the annuity must attach to their applications a certificate in the form given in Appendix A. In the case of officers retiring out of India, the health certificate required will be called for and furnished under instructions from the India Office in London.

4th.—Whether they desire to receive payment, wholly or in part, in India, or in England.

IX. The Table given in Appendix B shows the rates at which the expectation of the Colonel's allowance will be calculated in carrying this order into effect in the case of officers of various ages and service.

X. For the purpose of arriving at the amount payable in each case, whether as an annuity or in a single payment, officers' ages will be calculated from their birthday next succeeding the date from which they propose to retire, and the number of years they have to serve before becoming entitled to the Colonel's allowance will be calculated from the date of the proposed retirement. When the period to serve contains a fraction of a year, the fraction, if it be six months or under six months, will be excluded altogether; if it exceeds six months, it will be reckoned as a complete year.

XI. Payments of the *capitalized value* of the annuity made in India under this order will be at the rate of 1*s.* 10½*d.* for the rupee.

XII. Officers who elect to receive an annuity in preference to the capital sum, will not, after their retirements have appeared in the Gazette, be allowed to capitalize such annuity under the provisions of this order; and it is to be understood that no separate applications of individual officers to retire after the present retirements have been allotted will be entertained on the basis of this order.

XIII. Officers of the half-pay list of the Staff Corps will be permitted, if disposed to retire from the service, to avail themselves of this scheme of retirement provided they are eligible thereto by the fulfilment, previously to their transfer to the half-pay list, of all the conditions required. The time passed by an officer on the half-pay list of the Staff Corps will not count towards the 12 years in the grade of Lieutenant Colonel required to qualify for promotion to the Colonel's allowance.

XIV. No application from officers to cancel their retirement or to change the date of such retirement will be entertained after it has been announced in the official Gazette of the Presidency to which they belong.

APPENDIX A.

FORM OF MEDICAL CERTIFICATE IN THE CASE OF AN OFFICER IN INDIA APPLYING FOR THE CAPITALIZED VALUE OF THE ANNUITY.

I certify that I have examined Lieutenant Colonel————————of the————————and find him to be in a state of health which affords the prospect of an average duration of life.

Station and date. *Surgeon.*

N. B.—The certificate to be in the handwriting of, and signed in India by, the Medical Officer in charge of the Regiment; or if the officer who applies to capitalize his annuity is not serving with a Regiment, then by some other Civil or Military Medical Officer not under the rank of Surgeon-Major.

APPENDIX B.

TABLE FOR THE VALUATION OF PROSPECTIVE COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

Years to serve.	1. Values.	2. Ages	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.
	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.
12	2,310	42	176 10	2,231	43	172 13	2,160	44	169 9	2,095	45	166 17	2,037	46	164 16	1,984	47	163 6
11	2,508	43	194 5	2,425	44	190 5	2,351	45	187 4	2,285	46	184 16	2,226	47	183 5	2,174	48	182 6
10	2,726	44	213 17	2,640	45	210 4	2,564	46	207 8	2,496	47	205 10	2,439	48	204 11	2,390	49	204 9
9	2,967	45	236 6	2,879	46	232 18	2,801	47	230 12	2,735	48	229 8	2,682	49	229 8	2,640	50	230 9
8	3,236	46	261 15	3,145	47	258 19	3,069	48	257 8	3,008	49	257 5	2,962	50	258 11	2,930	51	261 6
7	3,536	47	291 1	3,416	48	289 1	3,375	49	288 14	3,321	50	289 19	3,288	51	293 4	3,244	52	295 8
6	3,874	48	324 18	3,790	49	324 4	3,727	50	325 7	3,687	51	328 16	3,640	52	331 9	3,583	53	333 5
5	4,260	49	364 8	4,185	50	365 7	4,137	51	368 19	4,081	52	371 13	4,012	53	373 18	3,949	54	375 3
4	4,704	50	410 14	4,646	51	414 6	4,580	52	417 1	4,508	53	419 6	4,431	54	421 19	4,353	55	421 14
3	5,222	51	465 14	5,143	52	468 6	5,058	53	470 10	4,969	54	472 1	4,876	55	473 4	4,775	56	473 11
2	5,781	52	526 8	5,680	53	528 7	5,576	54	529 14	5,467	55	530 12	5,358	56	531 7	5,243	57	531 7
1	6,385	53	593 18	6,261	54	594 17	6,135	55	595 8	6,008	56	595 17	5,883	57	596 5	5,750	58	595 18
0	7,038	54	668 12	6,890	55	668 12	6,742	56	668 12	6,597	57	668 12*	6,452	58	668 12	6,302	59	668 12
	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s	£		£ s.			
12	1,935	48	162 6	1,888	49	161 11	1,849	50	161 8	1,817	51	162 1	1,779	52	162 19			
11	2,128	49	182 0	2,085	50	182 1	2,052	51	183 0	2,012	52	183 4	1,965	53	182 15			
10	2,349	50	205 2	2,315	51	206 9	2,271	52	206 17	2,222	53	206 13	2,165	54	205 14			
9	2,608	51	232 12	2,562	52	233 7	2,509	53	233 7	2,449	54	232 13	2,383	55	231 5			
8	2,887	52	262 18	2,830	53	263 5	2,766	54	262 15	2,695	55	261 11	2,619	56	259 13			
7	3,189	53	296 12	3,120	54	296 8	3,043	55	295 7	2,962	56	293 14	2,875	57	291 7			
6	3,515	54	333 19	3,433	55	333 3	3,344	56	331 13	3,252	57	329 11	3,153	58	326 15			
5	3,868	55	375 7	3,773	56	374 2	3,672	57	372 3	3,566	58	369 11	3,456	59	366 13			
4	4,251	56	421 10	4,142	57	419 16	4,027	58	417 6	3,909	59	414 13	3,789	60	411 18			
3	4,667	57	472 19	4,542	58	471 15	4,414	59	468 5	4,285	60	465 17	4,157	61	464 2			
2	5,118	58	530 8	4,979	59	528 4	4,839	60	526 1	4,701	61	524 18	4,555	62	523 11			
1	5,610	59	595 3	5,458	60	593 9	5,309	61	592 0	5,152	62	592 2	4,986	63	591 4			
0	6,150	60	668 12	5,989	61	668 12	5,818	62	668 12	5,639	63	668 12	5,460	64	668 12			

DIRECTIONS FOR THE USE OF THE TABLE.

Find in the marginal column to the left of the Table the number of years the officer has to serve before becoming entitled to the Colonel's allowance, and then in the same line of the Table the officer's age—(in column 2.)

The figure in the same line to the right of his age (in column No. 3, "Annuities") shews the annuity, and the figure to the left of his age (under column No. 1, "Values") shews the capitalized value of the annuity offered to him under this order.

EXAMPLE.—Lieutenant Colonel A. applies to retire on the 1st April 1875. He will be 49 years of age on the 4th May 1875. He will become entitled to the Colonel's allowance on the 1st August 1880. For the purpose of making the calculation his age is 49, and the time he has to serve for the Colonel's allowance being five years and four months; the time he has to serve, for the purpose of the calculation under para. X of the order, is five years. The annuity offered to him is £364-8-0, and its capitalized value is £4,260.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 31st December 1874.

No. 678.—Colonel F. Alexander, S. C., Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, and Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Oudh in the Public Works Department, is transferred to Hyderabad as Superintending Engineer and Secretary to the Resident in the Public Works Department, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. O. Mayne, R. E., proceeding on furlough.

No. 679.—Lieutenant Colonel F. Brine, R. E., is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, and posted to the North-Western Provinces, Provincial Establishment.

No. 680.—Baboo Hurrish Chunder Roy, Overseer, 1st Grade, North-Western Provinces, is transferred to the Establishment under the Director of State Railways.

No. 681.—Major C. Mant, R. E., Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, whose services have been temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of India by the Government of Bombay, is placed under the orders of the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Public Works Department, for special duty, with the temporary rank of Executive Engineer, 1st Grade.

No. 682.—Mr. W. Henderson, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, is transferred from State Railways under the Director to Mysore.

TELEGRAPH.

The 31st December 1874.

No. 677.—Mr. C. T. Smyth, Assistant Superintendent, 2nd Grade, is permitted to resign his appointment, with effect from the 1st December 1874.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 28th December 1874.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY has been pleased to grant to Mirza Furreeddoon Kudr Huzubr Ali, Bahadoor, the privilege of the Private Entrée at Government House, Calcutta.

By Command,

WM. EARLE, *Colonel,*
Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 5th January 1875.

No. 3.—Mr. D. W. Marsden, of the Bengal Civil Service, has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of leave for six months on medical certificate.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 12.—Mr. F. G. Millett, of the Bengal Civil Service, has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of leave for six months on medical certificate.

No. 13.—The services of Mr. H. Buckle, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Grade, in British Burma, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

JUDICIAL.

The 6th January 1875.

No. 17.—In accordance with the provisions of Section 10, Act VI of 1871, the Governor General in Council is pleased to invest the under-mentioned officers with the powers of a munsif within the limits of the districts to which they are respectively attached:—

Babu Gunga Nath Surmah, Extra Assistant Commissioner in the District of Goalpara.

Babu Huro Kanto Sufmah, Extra Assistant Commissioner in the District of Kamrup.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 1.—The services of the Reverend W. Ayerst and of the Reverend J. Spear, Chaplains in Oudh, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 4.—The services of the Reverend T. Moore, a Chaplain in Oudh, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab.

No. 7.—The services of the Reverend C. R. Tollemache, Chaplain of Rangoon Town, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—STATISTICS.

Fort William, the 5th January 1875.

No. 2.—It is hereby notified for general information and guidance, that the spelling of the names of the more important places in the Punjab and its Dependencies has been fixed by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, and approved by the Government of India, as shewn in the list given below, and should be strictly adhered to in future.

A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

LIST SHEWING THE NATURAL DIVISIONS, NOTEWORTHY MOUNTAINS AND RIVERS, NATIVE STATES, AND THE PRINCIPAL TOWNS AND PLACES OF THE PUNJAB.

Names that have acquired fixed spelling.

Punjab.	Delhi.	Leiah.
Himalaya.	Gurgaon.	Jullundur.
Indus.	Hissar.	Mooltan.
Jhelum.	Sirsa.	Meean Meer.
Chenab.	Subáthu.	Umballa.
Beas.	Lahore.	Ferozepore.
Sutlej.	Moodkee.	Phillour.
Jumna (Jamuna).	Ferozshah.	Jutogh.
Leh.	Murree.	Nowshera (Cantonment).
Jummoo.	Attock.	

Natural Divisions of the Country.

Deraját.	Rachna Doáb.	Cis-Sutlej States.
Sindh Ságar Doáb.	Bári Doáb.	Delhi territory.
Chaj Doáb.	Jullundur Doáb.	

Mountains and Hills.

Nanga Parbat.	Shekh Budín.	Sufedkoh.
Pír Panjál.	Káfirkot.	Arvali Range.
Siwáliks.	Balút.	
Chicháli Range.	Sulemán Range.	

Rivers.

Ravi.	Baháwalpur.	Rámpur.
Jhelum.	Jínd.	Chini.
Kabul.	Sangrúr.	Hindúr (Nálagarh).
Swat.	Dádri.	Keonthal.
Kurram.	Nábha.	Loháru.
Márkanda.	Báwal.	Dujána.
Ghaggar.	Kánti.	Baghát.
Sursati (Saraswati).	Kapurthala.	Bághal.
Soán.	Phagwára.	Jubbal.
Nainsukh.	Máler Kotla.	Kumhársain.
Kashmir.	Farídkot.	Bhajji.
Srinagar.	Kot Kapúra.	Mailog.
Gilghit.	Chamba.	Balsan.
Gulmarg.	Suket.	Dhámi.
Ladakh.	Kalsia.	Kuthár.
Kishtwár.	Basi.	Kunhiár.
Púnch.	Chachrauli.	Mángal.
Bhimbar.	Pataudi.	Bíja.
Patiála.	Mandi.	Darkuti.
Rájpura.	Sirmúr (Náhan).	Taroch.
Bhadaur.	Kahlúr (Biláspur).	Sángri.
Nárnaul.	Bashahr.	Ratesh.

DELHI DIVISION.

Delhi District.

Sonepat.	Rai.	Pulbudhia.
Farídabad.	Majhaoli.	Mahldár Khan.
Ballabgarh.	Chaesa.	Makbarah Paik.
Najafgarh.	Basant.	Sanghola.
Alipur.	Tihár.	Dhoj.
Larsauli.	Indarpat.	Kimáshpur.
Mahrauli.	Fatahpur.	Múrtal.
Okhla.	Safdarjang.	Garhi Kalla.
Pahárganj.	Sarai Sítarám.	Páli.
Mundka.	Sikri.	Náthupur.
Badarpur.	Kishandás-ka-Talao.	Bar-kí-Chauki.

Gurgaon District.

Rewári.	Nagína.	Jánt.
Palwal.	Shahjahánpur.	Sikandarpur.
Farukhnagar.	Punahána.	Kúndal.
Firozpur.	Játusána.	Kirúri.
Sohna.	Tauru.	Dhánawás.
Hodal.	Khol.	Bighola.
Bádshahpur.	Khohri.	Nagli.
Nuh.	Dháruhera.	Ináyatpur.
Bahora.	Pirthala.	Goraora.
Guriáni.	Bichor.	Garhi Harsaru.
Hasanpur.	Jauri.	Bhúndsi.
Hattín.	Hárka.	Siláni.

Karnál District.

Karnál.	Púndri.	Uchána.
Pánipat.	Allupur.	Mírán Gháti.
Kaithal.	Sanbhálkha.	Pul Bádshahi.
Sewan.	Naisang.	Jhíl.
Kunjpura.	Asandh.	Barauli.
Arnauli.	Rájaund.	Sewa.
Sidhwál.	Gohela.	Karhans.
Batána.	Budhláda.	Kaliána.
Gharaunda.	Samána.	Machrauli.
Indri.	Tikhána.	
Naultha.	Shiámgarh.	

HISSAR DIVISION.

Hissar District.

Bhiwáni.	Barwála.	Raudha.
Hánsi.	Kairu.	Bámla.
Bálsamand.	Bhal.	Denaud.
Fatahabad.	Agroha.	Bhattu.
Sewáni.	Bás.	Ládwi.
Toshám.	Khot.	Kúri.
Tohána.	Bajína.	Mundáhal.
Rattia.	Sungarpur.	Basána.

Rohtak District.

Rohtak.	Bádli.	Bohar.
Jhajjar.	Baráhi.	Madána.
Beri.	Kharkhauda.	Dolhra.
Májra.	Sálháwás.	Dobaldhan.
Gohána.	Sámpla.	Láhli.
Mahm.	Sawánamál.	Kheri.
Bahádurgarh.	Lákhanmájra.	Khark.
Kalánaur.	Parnála.	Bhímwála.
Butána.	Cháh Sikandar.	Baháli.
Baroda.	Jákhauda.	Anwal.
Sánghi.	Mándauthi.	Basána.
Mundlána.	Gándhra.	
Sisána.	Kulháwar.	

Sirsa District.

Fázilka.	Malaut.	Sohuwála.
Ellenabad.	Chautála.	Lambi.
Ránia.	Narel.	Awadhán.
Rori.	Usmánkhera.	Darbi.
Dabwáli.	Jamál.	Jodhka.
Abohar.	Arniwála.	

UMBALLA DIVISION.

Umballa District.

Shahabad.
Jagádhri.
Sádhaura.
Rúpar.
Búriya.
Thánesar.
Manimájra.
Ládwa.
Pihewa.
Chappar.
Barára.
Kharar.
Kuráli.
Manauli.
Mulána.
Morinda.
Naraingarh.
Pípli.
Radaur.
Rori.
Shahzádpur.
Chandigarh.
Biláspur.
Chamkor.
Raepur.
Sanghaur.
Morni.
Patwi.
Ghaggar.
Dhúlkot.
Shahpur.
Jarbari.
Khoda.
Maheshpur.
Khánpur.
Mubárakpur.
Akbarpur.
Bukanheri.
Teora.
Dhantauri.
Garhikotaha.
Ghanauli.
Bunga.
Kandhaula.
Sohána.
Mánakmájra.
Chuni Machli Bhareli.
Pabhát.
Maloha.
Rámgarh.
Kharíndwa.
Kotla Nihang.
Thol.
Thangor.
Mustafabad.
Leda.
Diálgarh.
Purkháli.
Miánpur.
Sikandra.
Dhín.
Siálba.

Ludhiána District.

Ludhiána.
Raekot.
Jagraon.
Máchiwára.
Dehlon.
Khanna.
Rámgarh.
Sánahwál.
Samrála.
Talwandi.
Bhattián.
Dhindári.
Pawa.
Wazírawáli.
Doráha.
Theh Mandála.
Gaggar Májra.
Allaur.
Mejarwáli.
Badowál.
Panohar.
Dákha.
Morkarimán.
Mán.
Aligarh.
Ghálib.
Kohára.
Aliwál.
Rámpur.
Malaudh.
Ber.
Bágarián.
Ladhrán.
Bhari.

Simla District.

Simla.
Kasauli.
Kalka.
Dagshai.
Kotgarh.
Chota Simla.
Boileauganj.
Kakkarhatti.
Mahásu.
Kot Khái.
Sanáwar.

JULLUNDUR DIVISION.

Jullundur District.

Ráhon.
Kartárpur.
Nakodar.
Basti Shekh.
Núrmahal.
Bilga.
Jandiála.
Mahatpur.
Malsián.
Rurka Kalán.
Aláwalpur.
Ádampur.
Banga.
Nawashahr.
Shahkot.
Kutbiwál.
Goháwar.
Atári.
Maksudán.
Lidhrán.
Dokoha.

Hoshiárpur District.

Hoshiárpur.
Urmar.
Hariána.
Miáni.
Anandpur.
Garhshankar.
Tanda.
Dasúya.
Mukerián.
Una.
Garhdiwála.
Baláchor.
Hájipur.
Máhilpur.
Núrpur.
Mubárakpur.
Parwain.
Gagret.
Achintpurni.

Kángra District.

Kángra.
Núrpur.
Jawálamukhi.
Dharmsála.
Sultánpur.
Pálampur.
Bawárna.
Baijnáth.
Dera Gopipur.
Haripur.
Kotla.
Sujánpur Tíra.
Hamirpur.
Barsar.
Plách (in Kullu).
Sorarwán.
Ránitál.
Shahpur.
Bhágsu.
Triloknáth.
Manikarn.
Dankar (in Spiti).
Lingti (in Láhul).
Nádaun.
Síba.
Lambagraon.
Goler.
Kutlehr.
Láhul.
Kailáng.

AMRITSAR DIVISION.

Amritsar District.

Amritsar.
Jandiálah.
Majítha.
Rámdás.
Bundála.
Tarn Táran.
Ajnála.
Vairowál.
Chamyári.
Chabhál.
Dharmkot.
Kathunangal.
Lopoke.
Naushahra.
Rájasánsi.
Sarai Amánat Khan.
Sarháli.
Atári.
Wazír Bhullar.
Gharenda.
Cháhkanjri.
Káhngarh.
Kathánián.
Said Mahmúd.
Sultánwind.
Begewál.
Malián.
Govindgarh.
Mochal.
Fattowál.
Chápewáli.
Khasa.

Gurdáspur District.

Gurdáspur.
Batála.
Dínanagar.
Dera Nának.
Srígovindpur.
Kalánaur.
Sujánpur.
Dalhousie.
Pathánkot.
Mádhopur.
Bahrámpur.
Bakloh.
Chamál.
Doda.
Dorángla.
Fatahgarh.
Gharúta.
Kádián.
Káhnuwán.
Naina Kot.
Narot.
Rania.
Shahpur.
Shakargarh.
Vadála.
Sukhuchak.
Parmánand.
Shahgharib.
Dunera.
Mundikhel.
Bidhipur.
Naushahra.
Gillánwáli.
Sarna.
Jhanda.
Chákholáhri.
Moman.
Dhár.
Timmon.

Siálkot District.

Sialkot.
Pasrúr.
Zafarwál.
Kila Sobha Singh.
Chawinda.
Nárowál.
Daska.
Bajwát.
Dharmkot.
Jámki.
Kotli Lohárán.
Kalálwála.
Miáni.
Phillora.
Phukalián.
Raya.
Sambriál.
Satráh.
Kullowál.
Bhallowáli.
Chaprár.
Ghuínki.
Badiána.
Tatli.

LAHORE DIVISION.

Lahore District.

Kasúr.
Muzang.
Chunián.
Patti.
Khem Karn.
Ichra.
Shahdara.
Chúng.
Bhái Pheru.
Kána Kácha.
Kangampur.
Mángtánwála.
Munánwán.
Murídke.
Naulakha.
Sarai Mughal.
Sharakpur.
Valtoha.
Luliáni.
Ráewind.
Ganda Singhwála.
Khudián.
Nankána.
Harike.
Hanjarwál.
Halla.
Wán Rádharám.
Chánga Mánga.
Amarsidhu.
Ásal.
Bhallo.
Mán.
Gulábibágh.
Devipura.
Hándugujjar.
Dogra.
Diál.
Wágha.
Firoz.
Dargáhigil.
Kála Shahkáku.
Cháh Nau.
Nangal.
Khori.
Barki.
Jallo.
Bhaddarkáli.
Bágbánpura.
Rám Thamman.

Gujránwála District.

Gujránwála.
Wazirabad.
Rámnagar.
Eminabad.
Akálgarh.
Háfizabad.
Shekhupura.
Butála.
Baddoke.
Ghakkhár.
Kámonke.
Khángah Dográn.
Kila Didár Singh.
Pindi Bhatián.
Sohdra.
Shamír.
Vanike.
Sukheke.
Chuharkána.
Naushahra.
Nangal Dunna Singh.
Mánánwála.
Sáhdoke.
Manhes.
Kámoke.
Khoth.
Atáwa.
Dhillánwáli.
Kangniwála.
Lohiánwála.
Talwandi.
Siránwáli.
Aujla.
Kot Khizri.
Abruwála.
Jalálpur.
Chak Bhatti.
Jandiála Sher Khán.
Gondlánwála.
Kila Mihán Singh.
Dhaunkal.

Ferozepore District.

Dharmkot.
Muktsar.
Zíra.
Mamdot.
Bágha parána.
Ghal.
Moga.
Mohanka.
Nathána.
Makhu.
Kot Bhai.
Bagheki.
Mallánwála.
Nihál Singhwála.
Kulghari.
Lalla.
Dárapur.
Bughipura.
Dagru.
Killi.
Piárána.
Talwandi.
Jogewála.
Mahna.
Ghal khurd.

RÁWALPINDI DIVISION.

Ráwalpindi District.

Rawalpindi.
Pindigheb.
Hazro.
Hasan Abdál.
Chauntra.
Fatahjang.
Gujar Khan.
Játli.
Kahuta.
Kot Fatah Khan.
Kallar.
Makhad.
Mandra.
Saidan Baoli.
Tret.
Riwát.
Pind Sultáni.
Sangjáni.
Narái.
Bhárakau.
Dewal.
Kotli.
Karor.
Baghám.
Jand.
Hárún.
Missadáera.
Chihári.
Bantelián.
Khurtána.
Lawrencepur.
Campbellpur.
Soán.
Chúhar.
Chelojhangi.
Tarnaul.
Márgalla.
Sarai Kála.
Baoli Losar.
Wáh.
Chablát.
Fatahulla.
Haro.
Maira.
Saidan.
Baoli sufed.
Gondal.
Jabbar.
Síla.
Choi.
Chauki jadíd.
Lammi Dhan.
Kheora.
Háji Shah.
Láluban.

Jhelum District.

Pind Dádan Khán.
Chakwál.
Láwa.
Talagang.
Choya Saidan Shah.
Dína.
Dalwál.
Haranpur.
Jalálpur.
Khewra.
Kallar kahár.
Soháwa.
Domeli.
Tamman.
Dúman.
Ahmadabad.
Níla.
Ráthián.
Búra jangal.
Ratiál.
Chakoha.
Dhok Mochián.
Pind Matte Khan.
Shah Muhammad Wáli.
Rotás.
Katás.

Gujrát District.

Gujrát.
Jalálpur.
Kunjáh.
Dinga.
Kádirabad.
Kariánwála.
Kathála.
Kuthiála Shekhán.
Lála Músa.
Naurangabad.
Páhriánwáli.
Phália.
Khárián.
Kálra.
Dheru Gunna.
Khúni chak.
Panjan.
Jandánwála.
Banhi.
Pabbi.
Karyála.
Aurangabad.

Shahpur District.

Shahpur.
Bhera.
Sáhiwál.
Khusháb.
Miáni.
Mitha Tiwána.
Sakesar.
Kot Moman.
Naushahra.
Miána Gondal.
Bhágtánwála.
Chak Rámdás.
Jháwarián.
Kund.
Mithalak.
Núrpur.
Midh.
Dharema.
Laksín.

MOOLTAN DIVISION.

Mooltan District.

Shujabad.
Kahror.
Adamwáhan.
Kalluwála.
Lodhrán.
Luddan.
Mailsi.
Sarai Sidhu.
Talamba.
Jalálpur.
Mitru.
Sher Shah.
Gawen.
Shíhni.
Kuraishiwála.
Aliwála.
Basti Malúk.
Dunyapur.
Soru.
Nawábpur.
Pakhi Mián.
Mattitál.
Fázil Shah.
Adhi Bágh.
Lár.
Farídkot.
Makhdúm Rashíd.
Tibba.
Ránwán.
Makhdúmpur.
Panjkoha.
Kabírwála.
Pír mahal.
Narol.
Rájghát.
Tátipur.
Khánewál.
Kacha khúh.
Channu.
Kíkri.
Karmpur.

Jhang District.

Jhang
Chiniot.
Maghiána.
Kádirpur.
Shorkot.
Atháránhazári.
Bhawána.
Ghapni.
Khorariánwála.
Lálián.
Massan.
Garh Mahárája.
Samundri.
Ahmadpur.
Nalera.
Borála.
Baghri.
Roránwáli.
Khiwa.
Bukhári.
Shekhán.
Káim.
Chúnd.
Kot Isa Shah.
Toba Tek Singh.
Dichkot.
Kándiwál.
Shahkot.
Raokhanwála.
Lodhrawála.
Peruána.
Barána.

Montgomery District.

Montgomery.
Gugera.
Pákpattan.
Kamália.
Dipálpur.
Hujra.
Chíchawatni.
Fatahpur.
Haveli.
Sayadwála.
Tibbi.
Chochak.
Harappa.
Bucheke.
Báhlak.
Killiánwála.
Atári.
Kaure Shah.
Jamlera.
Shekh Fázil.
Dhaular.
Kabír.
Satghara.
Muháránwála.
Mírak.
Doburji.
Rajána.
Okára.
Shahámad.

Muzaffargarh District.

Muzaffargarh.
Parhár.
Kuraishi.
Alípur.
Daera Dínpanáh.
Jatoi.
Khangarh.
Khairpur.
Kot Adu.
Sítpur.
Rangpur.
Kínjar.
Sinánwán.
Rohilánwáli.
Shahr Sultán.
Mahmúd Kot.
Múnda.
Dháka.
Sámti.
Langar Sarai.
Phulan.

DERAJAT DIVISION.

Dera Ismail Khan District.

Dera Ismail Khan.
Kuláchi.
Takwára.
Karor.
Bhakkar.
Paniála.
Tánk.
Dera Fatah Khan.
Darában.
Pahárpur.
Chaudhwán.
Jalowáli.
Míran.
Mahbal.
Mankera.
Chunda.
Kot Zafar Khan.
Luni.
Vihoa.
Angra.
Jandánwála.
Haidarabad.
Chaubára.
Kot Sultán.
Kallúrkot.
Girni.
Baín darra.
Ama Khel.
Mullazai.
Kot Nasrán.
Kot Khirgi.
Tittor.
Dabra.
Jatta.
Mánjhi.
Murtaza.
Zarákni.
Shah Alam.
Kot Tagga.
Gurwáli.
Daulatwála.
Zám.

Dera Gházi Khan District.

Dera Gházi Khan.
Jámpur.
Choti.
Dájal.
Rojhán.
Rájanpur.
Mithankot.
Kot Chutta.
Sanghar.
Taunsa.
Harrand.
Fázilpur.
Yáru.
Bruce-abad.
Tibbi.
Mangrotha.
Drigri.
Sharwála.
Umarkot.

Dera Ghází Khan District,—continued.

Shahwáli.	Núrpur.	Toziáni.
Fatahpur.	Bátil.	Dilbar.
Lund.	Vidor.	Bandowála.
Sakhi Sarwar.	Ganehar.	Shekhwáli.
Vihowa.	Muhammadpur.	Asni.
Jhok Bodo.	Rúmka Thúl.	Lálgoshi.
Mahoi.	Sabzalkot.	

Bannu District.

Edwardes-abad.	Sarai Naurang.	Piplán.
Kálabágh.	Darra Pezu.	Haved.
Isa Khel.	Shekh Budín.	Shamúni Khatak.
Wánbhachrán.	Darra Tang.	Jáni Khel.
Bhangi Khel.	Dhak.	Kurram.
Nammal.	Bergi.	Adhammi.
Laki.	Jand.	Gumatti.
Múch.	Manjíwála.	Barán.
Miánwáli.	Gambíla.	Tochi.
Ghoríwála.	Ghazni Khel.	Burji.
Mírián.	Shahbáz Khel.	Khairu Khel.
Músa Khel.	Sherighásha.	Tajori.
Darra Bain.	Darakka.	Latammar.
Azím.	Kamarmasháni.	

PESHÁWAR DIVISION.

Pesháwar District.

Pesháwar.	Matanni.	Burj Kúnd.
Tangi.	Aimal Chabútra.	„ Páoka.
Chársadda.	Ispar Sang.	„ Mián Isa.
Nowshera.	Sarai Nazarbágh.	„ Shigi.
Mardán.	Shankargarh.	„ Garhi Bábu.
Hoti.	Jamrúd.	„ Regi.
Akora.	Burj Hari Singh.	„ Bára Khushk.
Badhber.	„ Ghora Shah.	„ Bára Tar.
Khairabad.	„ Garhi Sirdar.	„ Jangli.
Kátlang.	„ Bára.	„ Ladaur.
Nawákila.	„ Pabbi.	„ Shamshattu.
Rustam.	„ Dheri.	„ Nihangán.
Shabkadar.	„ Baoli.	Hashtnagar.
Sawábi.	„ Pír Piái.	Daudzai.
Táru.	„ Katti Khel.	Yusafzai.
Matta.	„ Wattar.	Khálsa Khattak.
Mathra.	„ Bangla.	Doaba.
Mián Khel.	„ Dangarzai.	Takhta Bai (in Yusafzai).
Khazána.	„ Saidu.	
Fort Bára.	„ Nihálpura.	

Hazára District.

Abbott-abad.	Ghází.	Chamba.
Haripur.	Turbela.	Hattár.
Mánsahra.	Kirpilián.	Swábi Maira.
Garhi Habíbulla.	Lora.	Dungagali.
Ughi (Agror).	Kohála.	Thandiáni.
Shinkiári.	Kháki.	Natiagali.
Bálakot (in Kághán).	Mángal.	Dhamtaur.
Shirwan.	Tawi.	Mirpur.
Nára.	Dalmohat.	Mángli.
Bakot.	Srikot.	Amb.
Khanpur.	Thapla.	

Kohát District.

Kohát.	Kachai.	Níla.
Hangu.	Gumbat.	Kotal.
Gandiaur.	Khushálgarh.	Fort Garnett.
Lukha talao.	Tatkai.	Muhammadzái.
Teri.	Gáru.	Gadda Khel.
Bahádur Khel.	Khuza Khel.	Láchi.
Shakar darra.	Ziárat Shekh Alahdád.	Bánda.
Maraí.	Shádipur.	

SURVEYS.

The 4th January 1875.

No. 6.—Mr. Richard Lydekker, B. A., who has been nominated, on probation, as a 3rd Grade Assistant on the Geological Survey of India, by the Secretary of State, joined his appointment on the morning of the 26th November 1874.

The 5th January 1875.

No. 9.—In supersession of the terms on which sick leave was granted in Notification No. 704, dated the 25th November 1874, to Mr. F. B. Girdlestone, Deputy Superintendent of the Topographical Survey, 3rd Grade, he is allowed, subject to the sanction of the Secretary of State, to take the leave under the rules in the Civil Leave Code applicable to the Uncovenanted Servants enumerated in Section 1 (*b*) of the Code.

MUNICIPALITIES.

The 7th January 1875.

No. 2.—In exercise of the power conferred by Act VIII of 1874, Section 2, the Governor General in Council is pleased to delegate to the Chief Commissioner of Assam, for the purpose of being exercised within the territories forming his Chief Commissionership, the powers lately vested in, or exercisable by, the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal, under Act III of 1864 B. C. (the District Municipal Improvement Act) as amended by Bengal Acts VII of 1867, II of 1868 and II of 1873.

EMIGRATION.

The 7th January 1875.

No. 4.—Under the provisions of Section 56 of Act VII of 1871 (The Indian Emigration Act) the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that Captain A. D. Taylor's edition of Horsburgh's India (Sailing) Directory, Part I, shall form part of the obligatory equipment of emigrant vessels sailing from the ports of Calcutta and Madras, and as such be added to the list of books specified in Schedule A of the rules relating to emigration from these ports published in the *Gazette of India* of the 22nd February 1873 and 14th November 1874, respectively.

A. O. HUME,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 8th January 1875.

No. 58*P*.—In recognition of the good services rendered to Government by Ressaldar Urbel Singh, of the 13th Bengal Lancers, the Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to confer upon him the tiltle of "Rai Bahadoor," as a personal distinction.

GENERAL.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 27*G*.—APPOINTMENT.—Surgeon H. D. S. Compigné to officiate in medical charge of the Erinpoora Irregular Force, with effect from the date of taking charge, *vice* Dr. Cunningham, on furlough.

No. 28*G*.—With reference to Notification No. 1754P of the 14th August last, Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to confirm the recognition by the Government of India of Mr. Richard Macallister as Deputy Consul General for the United States of America at Calcutta.

No. 30*G*.—APPOINTMENT.—Lieutenant A. P. Thornton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Wing Subaltern of the 25th (Punjab) Regiment Native Infantry, is appointed to officiate as Political Assistant of the 3rd Class and is posted to Rajpootana as Officiating Assistant to the Agent to the Governor General, *vice* Lieutenant Elliot.

No. 31*G*.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to invest Mr. Alexander Izat, Executive Engineer, with the powers of a Magistrate of the 3rd Class, as defined in Section 20 of the Code of Criminal Procedure [Act X of 1872]; the same to be exercised within the limits of the Holkar State Railway.

No. 32*G*.—With reference to Notification No. 2011G. of the 25th September 1874, Surgeon G. Waters, Civil Surgeon at Bushire, returned from privilege leave and resumed charge of his duties on the 18th November last.

No. 33*G*.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. H. Buckle, Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Grade, in British Burmah, to officiate as Superintendent of the Hill Tracts in Northern Arakan, *vice* Captain Hughes, on furlough.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Fort William, the 2nd January 1875.

No. 18.—The following Report and Resolution are published for general information:—

No. 160, dated 1st December, 1874.

From—H. A. MANGLES, Esq., Officiating Comptroller General,
To—The Secretary to the Government of India, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

I have the honor to submit the annual report on the working of the Money Order Department during the year ending 31st March 1874.

2. The appendices which have hitherto accompanied this report have not been submitted this year in accordance with the instructions conveyed in your No. 3600, dated 15th December 1873.

3. The total number of offices open during the year under report was 307, *viz.*:—

Lower Provinces of Bengal	59
North-Western Provinces	37
Oudh	12
Punjab	34
Central Provinces	20
British Burmah	13
Political and other Treasuries under Government of India	8
Bombay	36
Madras	69
Berar	11
Mysore	8
TOTAL	307

4. At the close of last year there were 300 offices open; seven more were added during the year under report, *viz.*:—

Tura	in Bengal.
Balaghat	in Central Provinces.
Mozuffergurh	in the Punjab.
Erode, Tindivanum, Badagara, and Juggiapettah	in Madras.

Of the above, Tura, Mozuffergurh, Badagara, and Juggiapettah are re-opened offices, the others are new.

5. Fourteen offices were closed, *viz.*:—

Deoghur and Rajmehal	in Bengal.
Borhanpore	in Central Provinces.
Malligaum	in Bombay.
Chiploon	
Dissa	
Mhow	
Nundgaum	
Rajahpore	
Vingorla, and	
Hooblee	
Arrungabad	in Berar.
Jaulnah	
Linsoogoor	

Two hundred and ninety-three offices therefore remained open at the close of the year.

6. The reduction is due to the small amount of business transacted and to the want of proper facilities at sub-treasuries.

7. The following is a summary of transactions during the year:—

	1872-73.	1873-74.
No. of Offices open during the year	366	307
No. of orders issued	2,69,435	2,45.879
Amount of ditto	1,29,21,632	1,07,20,239 11 4
No. of orders paid	2,68.268	2,45,685
Amount of ditto	1,29.37,545	1,07,65,722 4 10
Commission	1,46,462	1,23,151
Lapsed orders	8,784	10,304
Charges	87,719	66,769
Profits	67,612	66,825

8. The falling off is probably attributable to the greater use by the public of currency notes which are now more easily procurable than they used to be in all parts of India, and which are used, it is believed, to a considerable extent for remittance purposes by all classes of the population.

9. The following table shows the increase or decrease in the number of orders issued and paid, as compared with last year:—

		Issues.		Payments.	
		No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
			Rs.		Rs.
Lower Provinces, Bengal	Increase ...	...	...	...	...
	Decrease ...	10,960	6,04,827	13,897	8,54,178
North-Western Provinces	Increase ...	...	...	...	...
	Decrease ...	1,481	2,42,323	2,363	3,82,527
Oudh	Increase ...	...	...	4,759	89,150
	Decrease ...	1,747	1,53,545	...	...
Punjab	Increase ...	...	...	...	...
	Decrease ...	313	1,42,984	1,205	1,76,025
Central Provinces	Increase ...	...	...	...	...
	Decrease ...	1,776	2,27,839	433	38,120
British Burmah	Increase ...	401	19,806	99	...
	Decrease ...	...	...	..	2,289
Political and other Treasuries under Government of India	Increase ...	886	...	257	16,270
	Decrease ...	...	8,797	...	...
Bombay ...	Increase ...	...	...	...	...
	Decrease ...	2,430	2,91,286	4,364	4,00,402
Madras...	Increase ...	...	...	...	...
	Decrease ...	2,568	2,35,343	2,907	2,40,604
Berar	Increase ...	...	...	...	...
	Decrease ...	1,878	2,58,816	932	1,27,779
Mysore	Increase ...	...	...	...	...
	Decrease ...	1,690	55,436	1,597	55,318

10. The total numbers and values of orders issued and paid have already been shewn in para. 7; the following statements give the detailed results for a series of years:—

No. I.

Number of orders issued.

	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Lower Provinces, Bengal	65,328	57,117	50,219	39,259
North-Western Provinces	39,250	41,483	44,076	42,595
Oudh	12,956	13,994	13,390	11,643
Punjab	28,611	30,588	33,910	33.597
Central Provinces	16,315	18,212	17,880	16,104
British Burmah	8,715	9,140	10,798	11,199
Political and other Treasuries under Government of India	3,460	7,024	9,939	10,825
Bombay	24,832	25,938	29,350	26,920
Madras	27,196	27,621	30,086	27,518
Berar	6,180	10,409	19,683	17,805
Mysore	9,859	9,687	10,104	8,414
TOTAL ...	2,42,702	2,51,213	2,69,435	2,45,879

No. II.

Values of orders issued.

	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Lower Provinces, Bengal	38,46,506	30,35,893	24,98,031	18,93,203
North-Western Provinces	17,19,836	16.68,292	16,69,480	14,27,157
Oudh	6,51,770	6.51,025	5,69,533	4,15,988
Punjab	13,23,558	13,62,027	14,14,678	12,71,694
Central Provinces	9,22,346	9,84,206	8,85,398	6,57,558
British Burmah...	5,26,443	5,31,659	6,07,712	6,27,518
Political and other Treasuries under Government of India	1,63,015	3,15,738	4,28,490	4,19,694
Bombay	16,76,277	15,31,561	16,20,771	13,29,484
Madras	13,70,797	13,65,671	13,31,163	10,95,820
Berar	3,38,784	6,24,439	14,93,688	12,34,872
Mysore	5,16,592	4,43,604	4,02,688	3,47,251
TOTAL ...	1,30,55,924	1,25,14,115	1,29,21,632	1,07,20,239

No. III.

Commission realized.

a=1st Commission. *b*=2nd Commission.

		1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Lower Provinces, Bengal	*a*	41,786	33,413	27,742	21,158
	b	810	610	516	412
North-Western Provinces	*a*	19,632	19,285	19,503	17,086
	b	399	349	284	267
Oudh...	*a*	7,282	7,349	6,524	4,943
	b	124	148	122	88
Punjab	*a*	15,071	15,560	16,331	14,898
	b	241	256	261	201
Central Provinces	*a*	10,013	10,745	9,783	7,476
	b	192	126	130	96
British Burmah...	*a*	5,697	5,789	6,625	6,840
	b	48	59	62	46
Political and other Treasuries under Government of India	*a*	1,824	3,546	4,816	4,806
	b	32	56	88	84
Bombay	*a*	17,825	16,536	17,656	14,666
	b	307	318	290	218
Madras	*a*	15,151	15,134	15,025	12,573
	b	249	203	227	153
Berar	*a*	3,726	6,784	15,770	13,056
	b	69	35	80	107
Mysore	*a*	5,647	4,935	4,580	3,933
	b	79	51	47	44
TOTAL	*a*	1,43,656	1,39,076	1,44,355	1,21,435
	b	2,550	2,211	2,107	1,716

No. IV.

Numbers of orders paid.

	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Lower Provinces, Bengal	84,187	78,553	68,908	55,011
North-Western Provinces	46,778	51,627	56,012	53,649
Oudh	15,820	20,412	27,158	31,917
Punjab	22,187	23,991	25,327	24,122
Central Provinces	5,002	5,036	5,411	4,978
British Burmah...	2,222	2,471	2,729	2,828
Political and other Treasuries under Government of India	482	1,142	1,223	1,480
Bombay	22,696	23,986	30,404	26,040
Madras	32,263	32,885	38,940	36,033
Berar	1,530	2,662	3,252	2,320
Mysore	8,001	7,976	8,904	7,307
TOTAL ...	2,41,168	2,50,741	2,68,268	2,45,685

No. V.

Values of orders paid.

	1870-71.	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Lower Provinces, Bengal	47,00.124	41,19,340	33,88,078	25,33,900
North-Western Provinces	23,70,149	24,74,494	25,52,807	21,70.281
Oudh	7,43,397	8,78,288	10,25,466	11,14,616
Punjaub	12,63,042	13,11,607	12,94,210	11,18,185
Central Provinces	2,57.065	2,47,111	2,74,032	2,35,912
British Burmah	1,40,705	1,63,831	1,81,958	1,79,668
Political and other Treasuries under Government of India	33,164	84,816	74,177	90,448
Bombay	15,15,330	13,63,852	19,44,061	15,43,659
Madras	15,28,871	14,01,179	16,35,995	13,95,390
Berar	93,473	1,98,326	2,40,026	1,12,247
Mysore	3,52,297	3,14.643	3,26,735	2,71,416
TOTAL ...	1,29,97,617	1,25,57,487	1,29,37,545	1,07,65,722

11. The average amount of each Money Order issued in each province during the past three years is given below :—

	1871-72.	1872-73.	1873-74.
Lower Provinces, Bengal	53	49	44
North-Western Provinces	40	38	33
Oudh	46	42	35
Punjaub	44	41	37
Central Provinces	54	49	40
British Burmah	58	56	56
Political and other Treasuries under Government of India ...	45	43	39
Bombay	59	55	49
Madras	49	44	39
Berar	60	76	69
Mysore	46	40	41

12. The average is in one case more, in one case equal, and in all the others less than in the previous year, which shews that money orders are being less and less used for large remittances. The high average prevailing in Berar last year has somewhat fallen. Its existence is probably due to the almost total want of notes in the Province, which compels officials and others to use money orders for the remittance of their savings, &c., to places where Banks exist.

13. The amount of orders lapsed to Government during the year is detailed as follows :—

Lower Provinces, Bengal	1,674
North-Western Provinces...	1,904
Oudh	1,001
Punjaub	1,895
Central Provinces	966
British Burmah	564
Political and other Treasuries under Government of India	572
Bombay	1,165
Madras	284
Berar	211
Mysore	68
TOTAL ...	10,304

14. The statement given below shows the excess of receipts or payments in each province :—

	Excess of receipts over payments.	Excess of payments over receipts.
	Rs.	Rs.
Lower Provinces, Bengal	...	6,40,695
North-Western Provinces	...	7,43,124
Oudh	...	6,98,628
Punjab	1,53,509	...
Central Provinces	4,21.646	...
British Burmah	4,47,849	...
Political and other Treasuries under Government of India ...	3,29,246	...
Bombay	...	2,14,175
Madras	...	2,99,571
Berar	11,22,625	...
Mysore	75,835	...
TOTAL ...	25,50,710	25,96,193

15. The excess of payments over receipts in so many provinces is due to the falling off of the general business of the department in those provinces.

16. The following statement shows the annual progress of transactions since the institution of the Department, the annual charge on superior and inferior establishments being retrospectively added to column 10, as requested in Financial Resolution on last year's report :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
YEAR.	Number of Orders issued.	Amount.	Number of Orders paid.	Amount.	First and second commission on Orders issued.	Lapsed Orders.	Total Receipts, columns 6 & 7.	Charges.	Additional Charges at 25 & 12 per cent. on superior & inferior Establishment, respectively.	Total Charges.	Surplus or Profit.
		Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1862-63 (From Nov.)	12,187	7,43,969	11,110	6,91,465	7,995	...	7,995	3,232	687	3,919	4,076
1863-64	27,819	15,83,554	28,849	15,67,513	17,284	...	17,284	8,837	1,459	10,296	6,988
1864-65	37,187	21,21,088	36,738	21,15,275	23,207	3,080	26,287	9,574	1,397	10,971	15,316
1865-66	39,258	20,33,900	38,482	20,23,115	22,534	...	22,534	10,698	1,489	12,187	10,347
1866-67 (11 months.)	38,978	20,60,846	38,122	20,39,080	22,752	5,146	27,898	15,163	2,237	17,400	10,498
1867-68	1,20,107	68,16,294	1,16,835	66,30,466	76,056	4,203	80,259	63,467	9,016	72,483	7,776
1868-69	1,65,959	95,48,433	1,62,135	94,54,041	1,06,224	9,821	1;16,045	69,587	10,225	79,812	36,233
1869-70	2,10,781	1,16,63,338	2,08,352	1,15,91,497	1,30,286	7,956	1,38,242	68,708	8,640	77,348	60,894
1870-71	2,42,702	1,30,55,924	2,41,168	1,29,97,617	1,46,206	8,615	1,54,821	82,491	7,439	89,930	64,891
1871-72	2,51,213	1,25,14,115	2,50,741	1,25,57,487	1,41,321	7,813	1,49,134	82,954	8,163	91,117	58,017
1872-73	2,69,436	1,29,21,632	2,68,268	1,29,37,545	1,46,547	8,784	1,55,331	87,719	9,225	*96,944	58,387
1873-74	2,45,879	1,07,20,240	2,45,685	1,07,65,722	1,23,290	10,305	1,33,595	56,656	10,114	66,770	66,825
TOTAL...	16,61,505	8,57,83,333	16,46,485	8,53,70,823	9,63,702	65,723	10,29,425	5,59,086	70,091	6,29,177	4,00,248

* Inclusive of commission Rs. 22,880 paid to Agents.

17. The total cash receipts of the department, exclusive of Money Order receipts during the year, amounted to ... Rs. 133,595
Total cash payments ... „ 66,770

Difference or Profit ... Rs. 66,825

18. The following comparative statement shows the increase or decrease of charges in all presidencies and circles :—

	1872-73.	1873-74.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
BENGAL—(includes N.-W. Provinces, Oudh, Punjab, Central Provinces, British Burmah, and Government of India.)		
Assistant to Comptroller General's salary	9,519 10 10	11,211 0 3
Establishment	19,987 15 6	19,173 6 1
Service postage	3,700 0 0	2,400 0 0
Seals	130 10 0	106 2 0
Miscellaneous contingencies	1,879 15 6	895 0 9
Printing	5,862 4 6	3,968 11 3
Stationery	3,232 8 8	1,872 2 6
Loss written off under Government Orders	1,560 0 0	61 14 9
Service bearing postage	787 3 0	56 10 6
Second commission refunded	18 4 0	18 4 0
Commission paid to Agents	15,907 2 0	...
Lapsed Orders refunded	477 10 0	482 4 0
Additional charges at 25 and 12 per cent. on superior and inferior establishment respectively	6,672 12 2	7,319 8 11
TOTAL ...	69,736 0 2	47,565 1 0
BOMBAY—		
Establishment	4,441 7 0	5,025 6 4
Service labels	810 0 0	634 12 6
Seals	28 12 0	...
Printing	396 8 9	...
Stationery	47 7 0	30 2 6
Postal charges	1,155 10 9	...
Service bearing postage	...	60 1 0
Contingencies	425 14 10	472 4 2
Second commission refunded	11 2 0	...
Commission payable to Agents	2,129 1 10	27 10 7
Fixed allowance payable to Agents	113 0 0	...
Lapsed Orders refunded	346 8 0	67 11 0
Additional charges at 25 and 12 per cent. on superior and inferior establishment respectively	1,074 7 8	1,220 7 6
TOTAL ...	10,979 15 10	7,538 7 7

	1872-73.			1873-74.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
MADRAS—						
Establishment	3,990	3	2	4,008	0	0
Commission paid to Agents	2,143	14	6	...		
Contingencies, postal charges, and service labels ...	2,347	6	11	1,789	1	8
Seals	49	0	0	35	0	0
Additional charges at 25 and 12 per cent. on superior and inferior establishment respectively	960	1	9	957	3	8
TOTAL ...	9,490	10	4	6,789	5	4
BERAR—						
Establishment	1,370	1	7	1,395	14	5
Postage	143	12	6	61	0	0
Seals	55	0	0	...		
Service bearing postage	64	6	6	12	8	0
Petty contingencies	194	13	2	213	2	7
Lapsed Orders refunded	...			442	0	0
Commission paid to Agents	1,792	7	0	129	12	3
Second commission refunded	...			14	12	0
Half-share of net profits to Mysore State from 1867-68 to 1871-72	131	4	4	84	1	9
Additional charges at 25 and 12 per cent. on superior and inferior establishment respectively	331	9	7	338	0	10
TOTAL ...	4,083	6	8	2,691	3	10
MYSORE—						
Establishment	729	4	7	1,060	0	0
Seals	7	0	0	...		
Contingencies	256	15	11	44	10	0
Commission paid to Agents	722	11	6	...		
Contingencies of Agents	173	0	7	...		
Fixed allowance to Agents	72	0	0	...		
Service postage	...			86	15	0
Second commission refunded ...	...			0	2	0
Stationery	...			90	4	8
Service bearing postage	...			0	2	6
Pay of a clerk employed at the Bangalore Treasury ...	30	0	0	135	0	0
Amount due to Government of India for half the net profits accrued on Money Orders drawn by Mysore	476	10	8	489	15	8
Additional charges at 25 and 12 per cent. on superior and inferior establishment respectively	185	14	8	278	5	7
TOTAL ...	2,653	9	11	2,185	7	5
GRAND TOTAL ...	96,943	10	11	66,769	9	2

19. It will be seen that the charges of 1873-74 are less than those of 1872-73 by Rs 30,174. Against this saving, however, must be set the additional cost of extra clerks allowed to certain treasuries which amounted during the past year to Rs. 3,660.

20. The cash profits of the year are Rs. 8,438 in excess of last year, Rs. 58,387 net having been received in 1872-73, against Rs. 66,825 in 1873-74. The figures shewn for the year 1872-73 in last report were inclusive of Rs. 9,225 which should have been deducted on account of percentages for pension on superior and inferior establishments. The curtailment of departmental expenditure and the discontinuance of payment of commission to agents ought to have produced better results, but against this saving must be set the great decrease in receipts for commission, no less than Rs. 23,311 having been short credited on this account in 1873-74.

21. The losses written off during 1873-74 amounted to Rs. 62 only. Next year a heavier charge is anticipated, as several long pending cases have lately received the final orders of Government.

22. There has been but one case of embezzlement in the year under report, involving a loss to Government of Rs. 1,300 by means of skilfully forged orders presented at the Calcutta Office, the details of which were fully reported in my No. 152, dated 19th September last.

23. Endeavours are now being made to reconcile the difference between the balance of money orders outstanding as per departmental registers and the balance as per imperial books alluded to in para. 38 of last year's report. There is still an excess of Rs. 60,000 shewn by the Money Order Office returns, the figures being—

Total receipts as per money order journals from 1862-63	...	Rs. 8,57,83,333
Total payments as per money order journals from 1862-63	...	„ 8,53,70,823
Outstanding balance as per money order registers	...	4,12,510
Balance as per imperial books of 31st March 1874	...	3,52,078
Difference	...	Rs. 60,432

The details of the book balances are now being thoroughly examined by two clerks deputed from the Money Order and Central Accounts Offices. The result will be duly reported.

OBSERVATIONS.—The Money Order Offices in active operation decreased during the year from 300 to 293. The reduction is due to closure of offices where the business was insignificant, or where proper facilities could not conveniently be arranged.

The number of orders issued (245,879) fell below the number issued last year (269,435) by 23,556 (8·7 per cent.), and the amount of such orders, Rs. 1,07,20,240) fell below the amount of orders issued last year (Rs. 1,29,21,632) by Rs. 22,01,393 (17 per cent.)

The number of orders paid (245,685) was less than the number paid last year (268,268) by 22,583 (8½ per cent.), and their amount (Rs. 1,07,65,722) less than the amount paid last year (Rs. 1,29,37,545) by Rs. 2,17,21,823 (16·8 per cent.)

The revenue of the Department (Rs. 1,33,595) was less than the revenue last year (Rs. 1,55,331) by Rs 21,716 (14 per cent.) The expenditure, including percentage for pensions and furlough allowances and extra allowances to clerks (Rs. 70,430), was less than the like expenditure in 1872-73 (Rs. 96,944) by Rs. 26,514 (27 per cent.), and the net profits (Rs. 63,165) exceeded the net profits of the foregoing year (Rs. 58,337) by Rs. 4,828 (8¼ per cent).

The profits shown for the year 1872-73 in the 7th paragraph of the report (Rs. 67,612) differ from those entered in the table contained in the 16th paragraph and used in the foregoing comparison (Rs. 58,387) by Rs. 9,225 the amount of the percentage chargeable in 1872-73 for pensions and furlough allowances. Again, to the charges for 1873-74 entered in paragraphs 7 and 16 of the Comptroller General's report (Rs. 66,720) the sum of Rs. 3,660 has been added, being the amount paid to clerks in the interior for money order duties during the year. Both these discrepancies are explained in paragraphs 19 and 20 of the report, but it would have been better if they had been eliminated from the tabular comparisons which, as they stand, are vitiated.

The profit of the year is larger than it has been in any year excepting 1870-71, and the charges are less than they have been since 1866-67. This is owing to the discontinuance of the payment of commission to the agents in the interior. In other respects, however, the transactions of the Department show a considerable retrogression—the number and value of orders issued and paid being much less than during the years 1871-72 and 1872-73. This is attributed to the free general supply of currency notes to the public which was practicable while the cash balances were high. When currency notes are available for remittances, people prefer to use them rather than pay commission for money orders. In harmony with this explanation is the fact that the value of the transactions of the Department has decreased much more than their number—the average value of each order issued having decreased from Rs. 48 to Rs. 43½. This is so far satisfactory; the Money Order Department is designed to facilitate petty remittances, not to supersede mercantile methods of remitting large sums.

The decrease in the business of the Department and in the average value of each order appears to be general in all provinces. The average value in Berar (Rs. 69) continues much in excess of that in any other province. The explanation given (the comparative absence from Berar of currency notes) hardly seems sufficient to account for this; the transactions in the province are, however, unimportant.

The statement contained in paragraph 16 shows a net profit of Rs. 4,00,248 upon the entire operations of the Department since the year 1862-63. But, as remarked last year, nothing is debited to the Department for rent of Government buildings, interest on capital employed in the business, superintendence, and the movement of funds.

It would be difficult, perhaps impossible, to value these items in figures, and it has not been thought worth while hitherto to attempt it. But the real profit of the Department is probably very small, too little indeed to warrant the maintenance of the Department except for the convenience that it affords to the public.

It is satisfactory to learn that there has been only one instance of embezzlement this year.

The Governor General in Council is glad to know that the differences between the imperial books and those of the Department have been reduced to only Rs. 60,000. Efforts must not be relaxed until the remaining differences are thoroughly accounted for.

The 4th January 1875.

No. 20.—Mr. T. W. Biss, Officiating Deputy Comptroller General, is allowed furlough for two years with the usual subsidiary leave.

The 5th January 1875.

No. 135.—ERRATUM.—In the Notification of the Government of India, in this Department, No. 7120, dated the 9th ultimo, for "H. G. H. Keene," read *T. Krishna Murtti Iyengar.*

The 6th January 1875.

No. 152.—Mr. T. H. Biggs is appointed to be an Assistant to the Accountant General, Punjab.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 170.—The Governor General in Council has received information from the Secretary of State for India in Council that he has invited tenders for bills upon India, for seventy lakhs of rupees, to be opened at the Bank of England on Wednesday, the 20th instant.

It is the present intention of the Secretary of State in Council to invite tenders for the same amount (seventy lakhs of rupees) on the first and third Wednesdays of each succeeding calendar month.

But the Secretary of State in Council reserves to himself full liberty to make any change in the arrangement thus notified that he may consider expedient in the interests of the public service.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

The 6th January 1875.

No. 78.—With the sanction of Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, the Governor General in Council is pleased to rule that when a Civil Officer of Government on leave out of India is detained on duty, his allowances during the period of such detention shall not exceed two-thirds of his pay in India.

The 7th January 1875.

No. 145.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the substitution of the following form for form M. in the appendix to the Civil Leave Code :—

Obverse.

No.

Last Pay Certificate of
of the proceeding to
to join the appointment of to
officiate as on duty

He has drawn pay as
at the rate of Rs. per month and acting allowance as at the rate of Rs. per month, less the deductions shown below up to the . He made over charge of the office of on the noon of the of

No recoveries (*or* the recoveries noted on the reverse) are to be made from the pay of this Officer.

Deductions.

Rs. A. P.

Acctt. (or Depy. Acctt.) Genl.

Reverse.

Details of recoveries.

Nature of recovery

Amount Rs.

How to be recovered (in one sum or in what instalments)

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 7th January 1875.

No. 51.—Surgeon Major P. F. Bellew, Deputy Assay Master of the Bombay Mint, is allowed privilege leave for sixty-seven days.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 165.—Statement of the amount of Government Currency Notes in circulation, of the amount of Coin and Bullion Reserve, and Government Securities held by the Department of Issue of Paper Currency.

DATE.	Circles of Issue.	Currency Notes in Circulation.	Silver Coin Reserve.	Silver Bullion Reserve.	Gold Bullion Reserve.	Reserve in Government Securities.	Total Reserve.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	Calcutta	4,74,84,220	1,28,40,855	54,37,488	72,495	2,56,74,402	4,40,25,240
	Madras	93,40,465	38,17,089	3	...	56,28,463	94,45,555
	Bombay	3,21,89,220	1,11,12,922	44,74,689	...	1,58,85,209	3,14,72,820
	Allahabad	82,22,865	66,90,719	...	...	30,03,291	96,94,010
	Lahore	57,52,275	43,31,743	...	...	32,00,037	75,31,780
	Calicut	22,47,890	18,23,776	...	...	10,00,059	28,23,835
	Coconada	9,64,260	3,98,701	...	...	6,00,059	9,98,760
	Nagpore	11,05,245	4,43,183	...	...	7,47,902	11,91,085
	Kurrachee	19,27,925	16,65,899	...	...	8,00,106	24,66,005
	Akola	15,77,675	12,62,940	...	...	4,00,000	16,62,940
	TOTAL ...	11,08,12,030	4,38,87,827	99,12,180	72,495	5,69,39,528	11,08,12,030

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 7th January 1875.

No. 77.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following be inserted as Rule 4 under Section 41 of the Civil Pension Code :—

4. When an Officer is deputed out of India on duty, the whole period of his absence from India counts. When an Officer on leave out of India is detained on duty, the period of such detention counts.

The Governor General in Council also directs that the following be inserted as (*g*) under Section 2 of Supplement A to the Civil Pension Code, and as (7) under (*a*) in Section 7 of the Civil Leave Code, respectively :—

Period of absence from India in the case of an Officer deputed out of India on duty. Also, when an Officer on leave out of India is detained on duty, the period of such detention.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 86.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following rule be added as Section 7 A to the Civil Pension Code :—

7A. Two Officers may not count service for pension simultaneously in respect to one office.

Example.—An Officer appointed to an office substantively *pro-tempore* in place of an Officer deputed temporarily to fill a non-pensionable office, may not count his service in such appointment for pension, unless the deputed Officer vacates for the time his claim to pension in respect to his own office.

SEPARATE REVENUE—CUSTOMS.

The 4th January 1875.

No. 67.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. J. D. Maclean, Deputy Collector of Customs, Calcutta, to be Secretary to the Committee now sitting in Calcutta under the presidency of Mr. A. Money, C. B., for the revision of Customs Tariff.

SEPARATE REVENUE.—OPIUM.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 166.—Opium Revenue to date, compared with the Estimate for the year 1874-75 :—

PRESIDENCY.	LATEST MONTH.			TEN SALES OF BENGAL OPIUM AND NINE MONTHS' DUTY ON MALWA OPIUM.		
	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bengal ...	421,875	468,453	46,578	4,218,750	4,525,512	306,762
Bombay ...	246,577	304,920	58,343	1,789,332	2,192,640	403,308
TOTAL ...	668,452	773,373	104,921	6,008,082	6,718,152	710,070

SEPARATE REVENUE—POST OFFICE.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 47.—Mr. J. Macfarlan made over charge of the office of Post Master General of Bombay to Mr. A. M. Markham on the afternoon of the 7th ultimo.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 4th January 1875.

No. 2 *of* 1875.—With reference to the notification issued by the Government of Bengal, dated the 22nd December 1874, the services of Surgeon C. J. McKenna, of the Medical Department, late Officiating Resident Physician, Calcutta Medical College, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 18th October 1874.

No. 3 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Lieutenant Colonel William Bolton Girdlestone, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 16th (The Lucknow) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

Major William Cavendish Bentinck Ryan, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 41st (The Gwalior) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, embarking on or after the 24th January 1875.

The 5th January 1875.

No. 4 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the five right flank cells of the garrison prison at Aden shall be deemed and taken to be a military prison under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1004, dated the 18th October 1870.

No. 5 *of* 1875.—Serjeant James Peutland, to officiate as Sub-Conductor in the Army Commissariat Department, from the 12th December 1874, during the absence on leave of Sub-Conductor M. Kelly, or until further orders.

No. 6 *of* 1875.—The appointment of Ram Singh as a Jemadar in the 5th Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force, on probation, in G. G. O. No. 1055 of 1874, will be held to have effect from the 11th December 1874.

The 6th January 1875.

No. 7 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned out-pensioner having been permitted to reside and draw his stipend in the Bengal Presidency, payment of pension is to be made and charged accordingly :—

Private Henry Sorge, a pensioner from the 101st Foot,—rate of pension, 9*d.* (nine pence) per diem, paid up to the 30th September 1874. Date of expiration of pension, 14th June 1877.

No. 8 *of* 1875.—Bullock Driver Dabie, attached to E Battery, 19th Brigade, Royal Artillery, is transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment, with effect from the date he may have been struck off the strength of the Battery.

The stipend will be disbursed in the North-Western Provinces Circle of pension payment.

No. 9 *of* 1875.—Jemadar of Syces Shere Mahomed and Syce Abdoolla, lately attached to the 6th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, are transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 764 of 1871, with effect from the date they may have been struck off the strength of the corps.

The stipends will be disbursed in the Punjab Circle of pension payment.

No. 10 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their return from England :—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) W. Briggs, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—date of arrival at Bombay, 27th December 1874.

Major T. W. Rutherfurd, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, 33rd (The Allahabad) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 27th December 1874.

Major C. J. Hughes, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Garrison Quartermaster, Fort William,—date of arrival at Bombay, 30th December 1874.

Captain L. F. Jamieson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Doing Duty Officer, Stud Department,—date of arrival at Bombay, 27th December 1874 (date of departure on furlough, 1st February 1874.)

Captain T. R. Cowie, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, Oudh,—date of arrival at Fort William, 1st January 1875.

Lieutenant F. R. C. Voyle, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Adjutant, 29th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 30th December 1874.

No. 11 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned out-pensioner of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea having been permitted to reside and draw his stipend in India, payment of pension is to be made and charged accordingly :—

Sergeant Arthur Owen, late of the 65th Foot,—rate of pension per diem, 1*s.* and 11*d.* (one shilling and eleven pence) from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay or allowance. All chargeable to Imperial Revenue.

No. 12 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant Colonel John Francis Stafford, of the Bengal Staff Corps, is promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet from the 26th December 1874, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 31st January 1859, Clause 9, and the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, paragraph 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 13 *of* 1875.—ADDENDUM.—In G. G. O. No. 1067, dated the 13th November 1874, appointing Captain L. C. de L. Daniell, 1st Wing Subaltern, to officiate as 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, 4th Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, after the words "and Wing Officer," insert "*in addition to his other duties.*"

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 14 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

3rd Cavalry.

Lieutenant F. Mardall, Officiating 1st Wing Subaltern, 2nd Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, on probation, to be Squadron Subaltern on probation, *vice* Lieutenant R. H. Forrest, appointed 2nd Squadron Subaltern, 4th Punjab Cavalry.

No. 15 *of* 1875.—The following paragraph of a Military letter from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 211, dated the 29th October 1874, is published for general information :—

Para. 11.—Captain B. Lovett, Royal Engineers, C. S. I., has studied at the School of Military Engineering at Chatham, from the 1st April to the 30th September 1874, under the terms of G. O. No. 249 of 1873, and has obtained a certificate of proficiency.

The 7th January 1875.

No. 16 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer has reported his return from England :—

Brigadier General M. A. S. Biddulph, C. B., of the Royal Artillery, Commanding the Sialkot Brigade,—date of arrival at Bombay, 28th November 1874.

No. 17 *of* 1875.—Brigadier General M. A. S. Biddulph, C. B., of the Royal Artillery, Commanding the Sialkot Brigade, is allowed an extension of leave from the 25th to the 28th November 1874, the date on which he reported his return to India from the sick leave to Europe granted him by G. G. O. No. 588 of 1874.

No. 18 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the commissioned grades of the Army Commissariat Department :—

Permanent.

Colonel G. S. Macbean, Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to be Deputy Commissary General,—from 1st January 1875, in succession to Colonel R. D. Macpherson, Deputy Commissary General, retired.

Lieutenant Colonel G. R. Roberts, Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class (on furlough), to be Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—from 1st January 1875, in succession to Colonel R. D. Macpherson, Deputy Commissary General, retired.

Lieutenant Colonel A. McKenzie, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, and Officiating Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, to be Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class,—from 1st January 1875, in succession to Colonel R. D. Macpherson, Deputy Commissary General, retired.

Colonel H. Mills, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class (on furlough), to be Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—from 1st January 1875, in succession to Colonel R. D. Macpherson, Deputy Commissary General, retired.

Major N. R. Burlton, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class (on furlough), to be Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class,—from 1st January 1875, in succession to Colonel R. D. Macpherson, Deputy Commissary General, retired.

Captain W. R. Bunbury, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, and Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—from 1st January 1875, in succession to Colonel R. D. Macpherson, Deputy Commissary General, retired.

Captain C. E. Hallett, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, and Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class,—from 1st January 1875, in succession to Colonel R. D. Macpherson, Deputy Commissary General, retired.

Major R. S. Graves, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, and Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class,—from 1st January 1875, in succession to Colonel J. S. Dunbar, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, retired.

Lieutenant R. Patch, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class (on furlough), to be Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—from 1st January 1875, in succession to Colonel J. S. Dunbar, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, retired.

Lieutenant J. R. Burlton-Bennet, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, and Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class,—from 1st January 1875, in succession to Colonel J. S. Dunbar, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, retired.

Temporary.

Lieutenant Colonel J. Keer, Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, to officiate as Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—with effect from 1st January 1875, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant Colonel G. R. Roberts, Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, or until further orders.

Lieutenant Colonel C. S. Lane, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to officiate as Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class,—with effect from 1st January 1875, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant Colonel G. R. Roberts, Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, or until further orders.

Major R. S. Graves, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—with effect from 1st January 1875, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant Colonel G. R. Roberts, Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, or until further orders.

Captain A. R. Badcock, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class,—with effect from 1st January 1875, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant Colonel G. R. Roberts, Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, or until further orders.

Lieutenant L. W. Christopher, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, and Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, to officiate as Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—with effect from 1st January 1875, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant Colonel G. R. Roberts, Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, or until further orders.

No. 19 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on urgent private affairs :—

Captain George Logan, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 7th Regiment of Native Infantry,—for six months, under Rule XI of the Regulations of 1858.

This cancels G. G. O. No. 1012 of the 23rd October 1874.

No. 20 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned widows are admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the order of merit on their late husbands for three years, commencing from the date of casualty :—

Name.	Rank, name and corps of deceased.	Date of admission.	Class of order or merit.	Circle of payment.
Bunno ...	Jemadar of Gun Lascars Shaick Khodabux, of the 4th Company, 6th Battalion, Artillery.	6th February 1874.	3rd Class...	Presidency.
Haliman ...	Naick Jehangeer Khan, of the 4th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force.	28th December 1873.	3rd Class...	Punjab.

No. 21 *of* 1875.—ERRATUM.—In G. G. O. No. 524 of 1874, for Lascar "Kundhye" of the 27th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry, read Lascar *Kunhaie.*

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 22 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the under-mentioned corps of the Native Army :—

11th Bengal Lancers.

Havildar Hurdutt Singh, to be Ressaidar from the 7th December 1874, *vice* Ressaidar Mohamed Afzul Khan, "Khan Bahadoor," appointed Woordie Major.

29th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Havildar Ajmere Khan, to be Jemadar from the 1st May 1874, *vice* Khajan Singh, promoted in G. G. O. No. 690 of 1874.

The promotion of Narain Singh to the rank of Jemadar in the 29th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry, notified in G. G. O. No. 690 of 1874, will be held to have effect from the 13th December 1874, *vice* Nihal Singh, promoted by transfer to the rank of Subadar in the 36th (The Bareilly) Regiment of Native Infantry in G. G. O. No. 944 of 1874.

No. 23 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant Colonel John Ashburner, Bombay Staff Corps,—1st January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Henry Manning Eliott, Madras Staff Corps,—1st January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Abraham Charles Bunbury, Bengal Staff Corps,—1st January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Charles Langford Brown, Bengal Staff Corps,—1st January 1875.

No. 24 *of* 1875.—The following promotion by Brevet is made, from the date specified, under the operation of G. G. O. No. 632 of the 4th August 1864, paragraph 69, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

BREVET—*To be Colonel.*

Lieutenant Colonel William Fraser Stephens, Bengal Cavalry,—1st January 1875.

No. 25 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 20 years' service, are promoted to the rank of Major, from the date specified, under the provisions of

G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Captain Richard Fisher Angelo,—4th January 1875.

Captain Andrew Robert Loughnan,—4th January 1875.

No. 26 *of* 1875.—The following extracts from the *London Gazettes* of the 13th, 17th and 24th November 1874, pages 5345, 5408, 5409, 5606 and 5607, are published for general information:—

London Gazette of the 13*th November* 1874, *page* 5345.

WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL,
The 13*th November* 1874.

BREVET.

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Senior Apothecary John Tyrrell, Madras Medical Establishment, to have the local and honorary rank of Surgeon, on his retirement from the service. Dated 14th November 1874.

The under-mentioned Warrant Officer to have the honorary rank of Ensign:—

Deputy Assistant Commissary Richard Busher, Bengal Establishment. Dated 4th September 1874.

The under-mentioned promotion to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of Lieutenant General Robert St. John, Bombay Infantry, on the 9th October 1874:—

Major General Richard Shubrick, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant General. Dated 10th October 1874.

London Gazette of the 17*th November* 1874, *pages* 5408-9.

INDIA OFFICE,
The 13*th November* 1874.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps, and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments in India:—

BREVET.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant Colonel Horace Albert Browne, Bengal Infantry. Dated 29th June 1874.

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SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain George Frederick Marrie Phillips. Dated 15th July 1874.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Frederick Augustus Samuel D'Acosta de St. Laurent. Dated 8th July 1874.

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Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Captain John Baillie Ballantyne Dickson, Bengal Cavalry. Dated 31st December 1872.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Henry Edwin Hayter Collen, R. A. Dated 1st July 1863.

Lieutenant Francis Grant Maltby, 105th Regiment. Dated 18th May 1869.

Lieutenant Archibald Mungo Muir, 4th Hussars. Dated 28th October 1871.

Lieutenant Atwell Robert Porter, 1st Regiment. Dated 28th October 1871.

Lieutenant John Edmund Mein, 96th Regiment. Dated 28th October 1871.

INDIA OFFICE,
The 16*th November* 1874.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India:—

BREVET.

Captain John Macgregor Kerr to be Major, in succession to Major General Sir James Duncan Macpherson, K. C. B., Bengal Infantry, deceased. Dated 30th May 1874.

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant Colonel.

Major Frederick William Dunbar. Dated 1st August 1874.

To be Majors.

Captain Frederick John Keen. Dated 4th August 1874.

Captain William Wheler Hume. Dated 5th August 1874.

Captain (Brevet Major) William Henry Mackesy. Dated 11th August 1874.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Jacob Peter Deneys Vanrenen. Dated 8th August 1874.

London Gazette of the 24*th November* 1874, *pages* 5606-7.

WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL,
The 24*th November* 1874.

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The following promotions to take place in accordance with the provisions of the 27th clause of the Royal Warrant of 27th December 1870:—

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Major General Henry Joseph Pelly, Bombay Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant General. Dated 10th October 1874.

Major General James Macleod Bannatyne Fraser Tytler, C. B., Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant General. Dated 10th October 1874.

Major General Robert Romer Younghusband, C. B., Bombay Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant General. Dated 10th October 1874.

The under-mentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

To be Major Generals.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Charles Adlam, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Russell Eliott, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel John William Bristow, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Robert Unwin, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Frederic Smith, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Elphinstone Fraser, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henley Thomas Bartlett, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Skene Row, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Boileau Adolphus Poulton, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Stephen Fowle, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Alexander Mackay Mackenzie, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Delane, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry John Templer, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles William Miles, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Duncan Twysden, Bengal Infantry. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Arthur Loftus Steele, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles John Bradley, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Francis Mitchell Haultain, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Dacres Stanley, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Lumley Hodgson Huskisson Holland, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel James Orr, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Thomas Harkness, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Sidney Smith Mulcaster, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Arthur Sage, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Henry Lyte Kerr, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Horatio Edward Walpole, Madras Infantry. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Osbaldiston Lukin, Madras Infantry. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Paxton, Madras Infantry. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Pulley, Madras Infantry. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Alexander Cannan, Madras Infantry. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Samuel Thacker, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Ross Balfour Moore, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Burdon Hodgson, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Henry Reynolds, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel James Black, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Abercrombie Dick, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Walter Montriou, Bombay Infantry. Dated 25th November 1874.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant Colonel Clements Thomas Hallett, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel Frederick Procter Bailey, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel John Duval, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

To be Lieutenant Colonel.

Major James Stuart Tighe, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th November 1874.

To be Surgeons General.

Deputy Surgeon General Duncan McRae, Bengal Army. Dated 25th November 1874.

Deputy Surgeon General George Saunders, Bengal Army. Dated 25th November 1874.

No. 27 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Corps.	Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Cavalry	Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Thomas Rochfort Snow.	Colonel with Colonel's allowance.	6th Jan. 1875.	Agreeably to paragraph 13 of Secretary of State's despatch published in Government General Order No. 869 of 1862.
	Major (Brevet Lieutenant Colonel) Osborn Wilkinson.	Lieutenant Colonel.	6th Jan. 1875.	Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) T. R. Snow, promoted.
Cadre of the late 4th E.L.C.	Captain (Lieutenant Colonel in Staff Corps) T. B. Harrison.	Major ...		

No. 28 *of* 1875.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 21st December 1871, and in consequence of the death of Lieutenant General T. F. Flemyng, Bengal Staff Corps, on the 30th August 1874, the name of—

Major General R. Shubrick, Madras Infantry, is placed on the list of Lieutenant Generals; that of—

Colonel J. S. D. Tulloch, Bengal Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major Generals; and that of—

Major W. Blakeney, Bombay Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant Colonels, on the Indian Gradation List.

No. 29 *of* 1875.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 21st December 1871, and in consequence of the death of Lieutenant General R. St. John, Bombay Infantry, on the 9th October 1874, the name of—

Major General J. W. Bayley, Madras Staff Corps (deceased), is placed on the list of Lieutenant Generals; that of—

Colonel H. T. Vincent, Bombay Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major Generals; and that of—

Major A. A. Currie, Bengal Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant Colonels on the Indian Gradation List.

No. 30 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Rank, names and corps.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In succession to
Captain Thomas Harrison Tod Chalon, Madras Cavalry.	Major ...	31st August 1874.	Lieutenant General F. F. Flemyng, Bengal Staff Corps, deceased.
Captain Thomas Francis Cosby Rochfort, Bengal Cavalry.	Major ...	10th October 1874.	Lieutenant General R. St. John, Bombay Infantry, deceased.

No. 31 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Major Henry Fowler Newmarch, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, Balaghat District, Officiating 2nd Class, Central Provinces,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 32 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified:—

Surgeon G. Griffith, of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 1190 of 1874,—*Meinam*, 22nd December 1874, from Calcutta.

Captain T. T. Carter, of the Royal Engineers, G. G. O. No. 1077 of 1874,—*Geelong*, 4th January 1875, from Bombay.

No. 33 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

Corps of Guides.

Captain W. Battye, Wing Subaltern, to officiate as Commandant of Cavalry and Squadron Officer, during the period Captain G. Stewart may officiate as 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, and until the return from furlough to Europe of Captain R. B. P. P. Campbell, or until further orders.

Captain A. J. Nicholson, Quartermaster, to officiate as Adjutant, in addition to his other duties, during the absence on special duty of Captain C. E. Hunter, or until further orders.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 8th January 1875.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the under-mentioned Commissioned Officers, on the dates specified, were received in the Military Department from 19th December 1874 to 8th January 1875:—

Corps.	Rank and Names.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
Bengal Invalid Establishment.	Captain T. Hutton*	Dec. 19, 1874	Rajpore...	Testate.
Bengal Staff Corps	Colonel T. James, C. B.	„ 25, 1874	Nuddea.	

* Widow administering.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort William, the 7th January 1875.

No. 1 *of* 1875.—The following notice received from the Colonial Secretary at Colombo, is published for general information and guidance:—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Notice is hereby given of the existence of a coral reef and rock on the west coast of Ceylon, which are not marked on the Admiralty Chart. Particulars as follows:—

Reef.—About ¾ of a mile long running parallel with the shore, and ¼ mile broad, with soundings on it of 3½, 4, 4½, and 5½ fathoms, 8½ fathoms close in shore of it, and 9 fathoms close outside of it. The 3½ fathoms patch, which is on its southern end, bears from Kalutara Fort W. ¼ S. distant 2¼ miles.

Rock—lies 2¼ miles from Barberyn Island, with 3½ fathoms water on it, and 13 fathoms close to it. From it Barberyn Island bears E 22° S, and Beach hill E 34° N.

JAMES DONNAN,
Master Attendant.

MASTER ATTENDANT'S OFFICE,
Colombo, 9th November 1874.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 2 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following appointment in the Marine Department as a temporary arrangement, with effect from the 4th January 1875:—

Mr. R. B. Yates, Officiating Extra Assistant Master Attendant, and Agent for Transports, and Agent for Government Consignments, to officiate as 1st Assistant Master Attendant in addition to his other duties, during the absence on privilege leave of Captain F. Warden, or until further orders.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel*,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 2nd January 1875.

No. 1.—Mr. W. E. Meares is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, and posted to the North-Western Provinces, Provincial Establishment.

No. 2.—ERRATUM.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 666 of the 18th December 1874, for "from 10th September 1874" read "from 26th September 1874."

No. 3.—Mr. (late Sergeant) A. Brandon, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Punjab, having obtained his discharge from the Army on the 24th April 1874, is re-appointed to the Public Works Department as a Civilian in the same grade, with effect from that date.

No. 4.—Lalla Tulsi Ram, having passed the prescribed examination, is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Engineer Apprentice, and posted to the Punjab, Provincial Establishment.

No. 5.—J. W. S. Ricks, Accountant, 1st Grade, is transferred from Hyderabad to British Burmah.

The 4th January 1875.

No. 6.—ERRATUM.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 184, dated 31st March 1874, for "Corporal T. Fitzpatrick" read "Sergeant T. Fitzpatrick."

The 5th January 1875.

No. 7.—Mr. W. Becker, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, is confirmed in his appointment, with effect from the 24th September 1872.

The 6th January 1875.

No. 8.—Sergeant T. Fitzpatrick, Overseer, 1st Grade, is transferred from Bengal, to the Punjab Provincial Establishment.

No. 9.—Mr. T. W. Rossenrode, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, British Burmah (Rangoon and Irrawaddy Railway), is confirmed in his appointment.

The 7th January 1875.

No. 11.—Mr. G. F. Lamb, Engineer Apprentice, Military Works Branch, is promoted to the rank of Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, with effect from the 1st September 1874.

No. 12.—Nazimoodeen, Overseer, 2nd Grade, British Burmah, is dismissed from the Public Works Department.

No. 13.—The under-mentioned Upper Subordinates are transferred from Central India to British Burmah:—

Sergeant W. T. Tobin, Overseer, 1st Grade.
Luchmun Pershad, Overseer, 1st Grade.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 14.—Mr. T. Mullins is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Overseer of the 1st Grade, and posted to British Burmah.

No. 15.—Mr. W. N. Shilstone, Accountant, 3rd Grade, Accountant General's Office, Public Works Department, has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State leave for one month on medical certificate, in further extension of the leave granted him in Public Works Department Notification No. 566 of the 13th October 1874.

TELEGRAPH.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 16.—Under the provisions of Section 22 of Act VIII of 1860 (being an Act for regulating the establishment and management of Electric Telegraphs in India) the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council hereby declares that Sections 5, 6, and 9 to 22, inclusive (with the exception of the concluding sentence of the last named Section) of the said Act, shall be applicable to the Telegraphs worked by the Scinde, Punjab and Delhi Railway Company and to all persons using the same or employed in connection therewith.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort William, the 11th January 1875.

No. 1.—The following Statute is published for information:—

37 & 38 VIC., CHAP. 27.

An Act to regulate the Sentences imposed by Colonial Courts where jurisdiction to try is conferred by Imperial Acts.

[30TH JUNE 1874.]

Whereas by certain Acts of Parliament jurisdiction is conferred on Courts in Her Majesty's Colonies to try persons charged with certain crimes or offences, and doubts have arisen as to the proper sentences to be imposed upon conviction of such persons, and it is expedient to remove such doubts:

Be it enacted &c.:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited for all purposes as "The Courts (Colonial) Jurisdiction Act, 1874".

Definition of term "colony."

2. For the purposes of this Act,—

The term "colony" shall not include any places within the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man, or the Channel Islands, but shall include such territories as may for the time being be vested in Her Majesty by virtue of an Act of Parliament for the Government of India, and any plantation, territory, or settlement situate elsewhere within Her Majesty's dominions, and subject to the same local Government; and for the purposes of this Act, all plantations, territories, and settlements under a central legislature shall be deemed to be one colony under the same local Government.

At trials in any Colonial Courts by virtue of Imperial Acts, Courts empowered to pass sentences as if crimes had been committed in the colony.

3. When, by virtue of any Act of Parliament now or hereafter to be passed, a person is tried in a Court of any colony for any crime or offence committed upon the high seas or elsewhere out of the territorial limits of such colony and of the local jurisdiction of such Court, or if committed within such local jurisdiction made punishable by that Act, such person shall upon conviction be liable to such punishment as might have been inflicted upon him if the crime or offence had been committed within the limits of such colony and of the local jurisdiction of the Court, and to no other, anything in any Act to the contrary notwithstanding: Provided always, that if the crime or offence is a crime or offence not punishable by the law of the colony in which the trial takes place, the person shall on conviction be liable to such punishment (other than capital punishment) as shall seem to the Court most nearly to correspond to the punishment to which such person would have been liable in case such crime or offence had been tried in England.

No. 2.—The following extracts from Statute 37 & 38 Vic., Cap. 88, are published for information :—

An Act to amend the Law relating to the Registration of Births and Deaths in England, and to consolidate the Law respecting the Registration of Births and Deaths at Sea.

[7TH AUGUST 1874.]

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Acts relating to the registration of births and deaths in England, and to consolidate the law respecting the registration of births and deaths at sea :

Be it enacted &c. :—

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Registration of Births and Deaths at Sea.

Registration of births and deaths at sea.

37. The provisions of this Act, save as is herein expressly provided, shall not apply to the registration of births and deaths on board a vessel at sea, with respect to which the following provisions shall have effect :—

(1.) The captain or master of or other person having the command or charge of a British ship shall, as soon as may be after the occurrence of the birth of a child or the death of a person on board such ship, record in his log book or otherwise the fact of such birth or death, and the particulars required by the fourth schedule to this Act to be registered concerning such birth or death, or such of them as may be known to him, and shall (unless the ship is one of Her Majesty's ships,) upon the arrival of such ship at any port of the United Kingdom, or at such other time or place as the Board of Trade may from time to time with respect to any ship or class of ships direct, deliver or send, in such form and manner as the Board of Trade may from time to time direct, a return of the facts so recorded to the Registrar General of Shipping and Seamen.

(2.) Where a ship which is not a British ship carries passengers to or from any port of the United Kingdom as the port of destination or the port of departure of such ship, the provisions of this section shall apply to the captain or master of or other person having the command or charge of such ship, in like manner as if it were a British ship.

(3.) Where the said return is directed by the Board of Trade (whether the ship is British or foreign) to be delivered upon the arrival of the ship, or the discharge of the crew, or otherwise, at any port or place out of the United Kingdom, the Board of Trade may, if they think fit, direct that the return, instead of being delivered to the Registrar General of Shipping and Seamen, shall be delivered, and the same shall accordingly be delivered if such port or place is within Her Majesty's dominions, to the Shipping Master or Collector of Customs at such port or place, and if it is a foreign port or place, to the principal British Consular Officer at the said foreign port or place, and such Shipping Master, Collector, or Officer shall send the same, as soon as may be by post or otherwise, to the Registrar General of Shipping and Seamen.

(4.) Where it appears from any such return that the father of any child so born, or if the child is a bastard, the mother of such child, was a Scotch or Irish subject of Her Majesty, or that any person whose death is mentioned in such return was a Scotch or Irish subject of Her Majesty, the Registrar General of Shipping and Seamen shall from time to time send a certified copy of so much of the return as relates to such birth or death to the Registrar General of Births and Deaths in Scotland or Ireland, as the case may require.

(5). The Registrar General of Shipping and Seamen shall from time to time send to the Registrar General of Births and Deaths in England a certified copy of every other such return, or of that part of every such return which is not so sent to the Registrar General of Births and Deaths in Scotland or Ireland.

(6). A captain of or other person having charge of one of Her Majesty's ships shall, upon the arrival of any such ship in any port of the United Kingdom, or at such other time as the Commissioners of the Admiralty may from time to time direct, deliver or send, in such manner and form as the said Commissioners may from time to time direct, a return of the facts recorded in pursuance of this section to that Registrar General of Births and Deaths to whom a copy of such return would, if the ship were a merchant ship, be sent under the provisions of this section by the Registrar General of Shipping and Seamen.

(7). Every Registrar General of Births and Deaths to whom a copy of any return or a return is sent in pursuance of this section shall cause the same to be filed and preserved in or copied in a book to be kept by him for the purpose, and to be called a marine register book, and such book shall be deemed to be a certified copy of a register book within the meaning of the Acts relating to the registration of births and deaths in England, Scotland, and Ireland respectively.

(8). Every captain or master of or other person having charge of a ship who fails to comply with this section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds for each offence; and such penalty may be recovered in the same courts and places and in the like manner, and when recovered shall be applied in like manner, as a penalty under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854.

(9). This section shall extend to all places and persons within British jurisdiction.

(10). Terms in this section shall have the same meaning as in the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854.

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

Particulars to be registered by Captain of a Ship concerning a Birth at Sea.

Date of birth.
Name (if any) and sex of the child.
Name and surname, and rank, profession, or occupation of the father.
Name and surname, and maiden surname of mother.
Nationality and last place of abode of the father and mother.

Particulars to be registered by Captain of a Ship concerning a Death at Sea.

Date of death.
Name and surname.
Sex.
Age.
Rank, profession, or occupation.
Nationality and last place of abode.
Cause of death.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 14th January 1875.

No. 33.—The Hon'ble W. Ainslie, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, has obtained three days' subsidiary leave from the 22nd instant.

JUDICIAL.

The 15th January 1875.

No. 66.—Surgeon D. Sinclair, M. B., Officiating Superintendent of the Moulmein Central Jail, is confirmed in that appointment.

No. 68.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 10, Act VI of 1871, the Governor General in Council is pleased to invest Babu Gunga Govind Surma, Extra Assistant Commissioner, with the powers of a Moonsiff in the district of Darrang.

PORT BLAIR.

The 12th January 1875.

No. 19.—Mr. F. A. de Roepstorff, Extra Assistant Superintendent at Port Blair, has obtained two months' privilege leave, with effect from the 18th ultimo.

No. 20.—Surgeon J. Reid, Second Medical Officer at Port Blair, has obtained two months' privilege leave, with effect from the 18th ultimo.

PATENTS.

The 13th January 1875.

No. 4.—The under-mentioned Specifications of Inventions have been filed, under the provisions of Act XV of 1859, in the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. Copies have been sent to one of the Secretaries to each of the Governments of Bengal, Fort St. George, Bombay, and the North-Western Provinces. A copy of every Specification is open, at all reasonable hours, at the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department to public inspection upon payment of a fee of one Rupee. A certified copy of any Specification will be given to any person requiring the same on payment of the expense of copying :

No. 795.—Mr. John Imray, of No. 20, Southampton Buildings, Chancery Lane, London, for improvements in caloric engines.

No. 802.—Mr. Joseph Green Cooke, Locomotive Carriage and Wagon Superintendent, Oudh and Rohilcund Railway, Lucknow, for working a punkah by mechanical appliances in railway carriages, buildings, &c.

No. 805.—Mr. Charles Denton Abel, of No. 20, Southampton Buildings, Chancery Lane, in the county of Middlesex, for improvements in the means and apparatus for working brakes on railway trains by fluid pressure.

No. 807.—Mr. John Alexander Anderson, Merchant, No. 12, Clive Row, Calcutta, for accelerating the filling of the boxes of hydraulic or other presses.

No. 814.—Mr. Julius Pintsch, of Berlin, in Prussia, Mechanical Engineer, for improvements in lighting railway carriages with gas and in the apparatus employed therein.

No. 816.—Mr. C. R. Augier, of Calcutta, and now in Tirhoot, Assistant Engineer on works of the Durbunga Raj, for a revolving duplex Dredger.

No. 823.—Mr. Owen Tomlinson, formerly of Oldbury, near Birmingham, in England, and now in the service of the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Company, and residing at Parell, Bombay, for further improvements in the new and improved axle box and appliances appertaining thereto.

No. 825.—Mr. Thomas Russell Crampton, of No. 4, Victoria Street, in the city of Westminster, England, for improvements in the manufacture of iron and steel, and in the construction and lining of revolving furnaces and in apparatus connected therewith.

No. 826.—Mr. Thomas Symes Prideaux, of Blackheath, Kent, England, for improvements in apparatus for regulating the supply of air to furnaces.

No. 784.—Mr. D. Giovannoni, of Bombay, has filed a memorandum supplying a certain omission in the specification of his invention for the preparation of artificial marble and Lustro-a-stucco or seagliola.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATION.—SURVEYS.

Fort William, the 11th January 1875.

No. 22.—Dr. W. Waagen, Assistant, 3rd Grade, in the Geological Survey of India, returned from leave of absence on medical certificate and rejoined his appointment on the morning of the 1st instant.

Dr. Waagen is allowed one day's subsidiary leave.

A. O. HUME,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

PROCLAMATION.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,

BE IT KNOWN that *Whereas* an attempt has been made at Baroda to poison Colonel R. Phayre, C. B., the late British Resident at the Court of His Highness the Guikwar, and evidence has been adduced to the effect that His Highness Mulhar Rao Guikwar instigated the said attempt to administer poison to Colonel Phayre;

And Whereas to instigate such attempt would be a high crime against Her Majesty the Queen and a breach of the condition of loyalty to the Crown under which Mulhar Rao Guikwar is recognized as ruler of the Baroda State, and moreover such an attempt would be an act of hostility against the British Government, and it is necessary fully and publicly to enquire into the truth of the charge and to afford His Highness Mulhar Rao Guikwar every opportunity of freeing himself from the grave suspicion which attaches to him;

And Whereas in consequence thereof it is necessary to suspend Mulhar Rao Guikwar from the exercise of power and to make other arrangements for the administration of the Baroda State:

It is hereby notified that from this date the Viceroy and Governor General of India in Council temporarily assumes the administration of the Baroda State, and delegates all the powers necessary for the conduct of the administration to the Agent to the Governor General and Special Commissioner at Baroda. The administration will be conducted as far as possible in accordance with the usages, customs, and laws of the country.

All Sirdars, Inamdars, Zemindars, and inhabitants of the Baroda territories, and all officers and persons whatsoever in the civil and military service of the Baroda State, or liable to be called upon for such service, are hereby required to submit to the authority of and render obedience to the said Agent to the Governor General and Special Commissioner during such time as the State may be under the administration of the British Government.

In accordance with the gracious intimation made to the Princes and Chiefs of India that it is the desire of Her Majesty the Queen that their Governments should be perpetuated, and the Representation and Dignity of their Houses should be continued, a Native Administration will be re-established in such manner as may be determined upon after the conclusion of the enquiry and after consideration of the results which such enquiry may elicit.

By Order of the Viceroy and Governor General of India in Council,

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 13th January 1875.

No. 114 *C. P.*

ORDERED, that the foregoing Proclamation be published in the *Gazette of India*, and that a copy be furnished to all Departments of the Government of India; and to all Local Governments and Administrations, and Agents to the Governor General and Political Officers under the Government of India for communication to the Princes and Rulers of Native States with whom they respectively have to do.

F. HENVEY,
Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT;
POLITICAL.
The 13th January 1875.

NOTIFICATIONS.—JUDICIAL.

The 9th January 1875.

No. 5 J.—Under Section 3 of Act XI of 1872 (*The Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act*, 1872), the Governor General in Council hereby appoints the Officer for the time being in charge of the Salween District to exercise all the powers of a Political Agent under the above Act for the territories of Chiengmai, Lakon, and Lampoonchi belonging to Siam.

No. 6 J.—Whereas by virtue of authority duly acquired in that behalf by agreement with the Siamese Government, the Governor General in Council has, within the territories of Chiengmai, Lakon, and Lampoonchi belonging to Siam, jurisdiction to try and punish Native Indian subjects of Her Majesty (holding passports from the Chief Commissioner of British Burmah or from such Officer as the Chief Commissioner may appoint in that behalf) for offences committed by them within the territories aforesaid;

And whereas the Governor General in Council has, as aforesaid, jurisdiction to investigate and decide within the said territories civil suits between British subjects and between Siamese subjects as plaintiffs and British subjects (holding passports as aforesaid) as defendants;

And whereas it is expedient to delegate the said powers in manner hereinafter appearing: The Governor General in Council, in the exercise of the powers vested in him by Sections 4 and 5 of Act XI of 1872 (*The Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act*, 1872,) hereby notifies as follows:

The Officer for the time being in charge of the Salween District may, within the said territories of Chiengmai, Lakon, and Lampoonchi, exercise, for the trial and punishment of the persons aforesaid, the powers of a Deputy Commissioner under Section 36 of Act X of 1872 (*The Code of Criminal Procedure*).

Within the said territories, and subject to the rules regulating civil procedure for the time being in force in British India, so far as they may be applicable, such Officer may investigate and decide all civil suits between the parties aforesaid.

The Commissioner of the Tenasserim Division for the time being may exercise over the proceedings of such Officer, under the powers above delegated to him, the same powers of appeal, superintendence, and revision as he may exercise over the proceedings of the Officer for the time being in charge of the Salween District, and the Judicial Commissioner of British Burmah may exercise similar powers of appeal, superintendence, and revision over the proceedings of the Commissioner of the Tenasserim Division.

"The Notifications Nos. 68 C. P. and 69 C. P., dated 21st November 1872, are cancelled from 1st January 1875."

REVENUE.

The 14th January 1875.

No. 6 R.—The following Regulation is published for general information:—

Punjab Frontier Regulation, No. 12.

Whereas it is expedient to permit certain assignees of land revenue in the Trans-Indus districts of the Punjab to continue to collect the land revenue in kind instead of in cash:

And whereas a draft of the following Regulation, together with the reasons for proposing the same, has been proposed to the Governor General in Council by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab, and has been considered and approved by the Governor General in Council, such Regulation is now published for general information, as having the force of law under Statute 33 of Victoria, Chap. III, Section I.

1. This Regulation may be called the Punjab Frontier Jaghire Revenue Collection Regulation, 1874. It extends to the districts of Peshawur, Kohat, Bannu, Dera Ishmael Khan and Dera Ghazi Khan.

2. The said Lieutenant-Governor may by order permit any assignee of land revenue in any part of the abovenamed districts to collect the whole or any specified part of the land revenue assigned to him in kind instead of in cash from the proprietary cultivators in his jaghire estates, provided that such assignee of land revenue has heretofore been permitted to collect in kind the whole or such part as aforesaid of the said revenue.

3. The permission mentioned in the last section may be granted irrespective of the acquiescence of the said proprietary cultivators. But the share of the produce so to be collected by the jagirdar shall be specified by the order granting the permission and shall be the estimated equivalent of the cash assessment fixed on the principles of assessment of the land revenue prescribed for the time being in the districts abovenamed.

4. The said Lieutenant-Governor may at any time at his discretion cancel any permission granted under Section 2.

5. No Court shall take cognizance of any claim to set aside any order for the time being in force permitting an assignee of land revenue to collect revenue in kind, or specifying the share of the crop which he may collect as such assignee.

POLITICAL.

The 15th January 1875.

No. 131 P.—APPOINTMENT.—Surgeon John Robb in medical charge at Zanzibar, to officiate as Assistant Political Agent at Zanzibar, during the absence of Mr. F. Holmwood, on special duty, with effect from the date of taking charge.

GENERAL.

The 12th January 1875.

No. 72 G.—Surgeon Major D. Wright, Residency Surgeon at Katmandhoo, is appointed to officiate as Resident in Nepal, during the absence of Mr. C. E. R. Girdlestone on special duty, with effect from the 26th ultimo.

The 15th January 1875.

No. 100 G.—APPOINTMENTS.—Major J. A. Campbell, Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore (on furlough), to be a Commissioner in that Province, *vice* Colonel T. Clerk, retired.

Mr. H. W. Wellesley, Madras Civil Service, Officiating Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Major Campbell.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Fort William, the 9th January 1875.

No. 212.—Mr. H. A. Mangles is appointed to be a Director of the Bank of Bengal.

The 13th January 1875.

No. 319.—Mr. T. G. Trevor, Officiating Assistant Accountant General, Bombay, is allowed an extension for two months of the privilege leave granted to him on the 18th ultimo.

The 14th January 1875.

No. 350.—Mr. E. Gay made over charge of the office of Accountant General, Bengal, to Mr. H. A. Mangles, and resumed charge of the office of Deputy Comptroller General on the forenoon of the 11th instant.

SEPARATE REVENUE.—STAMPS.

The 15th January 1875.

No. 188.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is advised that an instrument of divorce is not a "release" within the meaning of the General Stamp Act XVIII of 1869,

His Excellency in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following Notification :—

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 16 of the said Act, the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel so much of the Notification No. 2201, dated 2nd April 1874, as declares that the proper stamp on an instrument of divorce is one rupee.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 11th January 1875.

No. 34 *of* 1875.—The services of the under-mentioned Native Medical Pupils, of the Agra Medical School, admitted by G. G. O. Nos. 1127 of 1872 and 1054 of 1873, are dispensed with :—

Munna Lall	...	470
Abdool Rahman Khan	...	496
Kirpa Ram (1st)	...	500
Ruliya Ram	...	502
Sree Chund	...	503
Mahomed Yar Khan	...	523
Shekh Imam Buksh...	...	524
Kasim Alee Khan	...	525
Nubbee Bukhsh	...	528
Muhesh Pershad	...	529
Wulee Mahomed	...	531
Syud Meerun	...	592

No. 35 *of* 1875.—That part of G. G. O. No. 1273 of 1873, appointing Captain A. W. Capel, doing duty Officer, Stud Department, to be a Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, on probation, is cancelled.

No. 36 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough, on private affairs :—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Montagu James Turnbull, of the Bengal Staff Corps, —for two years, under the Regulations of 1868.

No. 37 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon J. S. Gunn, M. B., of the Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the date on which he proceeded in charge of convicts to Port Blair per *Scotia*.

No. 38 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 830, dated the 20th August 1874, Captain W. B. Aislabie, 1st Wing Subaltern, 3rd Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, officiated as Wing Officer of the 3rd Sikh Infantry, *vice* Captain E. C. Codrington, who proceeded on furlough to Europe, with effect from the 23rd October 1873.

The 12th January 1875.

No. 39 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on urgent private affairs :—

Major Alexander Haldane Eckford, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Cantonment Magistrate and Judge, Court of Small Causes, Barrackpore,—for six months, under Rule XI, of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 40 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon A. J. Wall, M. B., of the Medical Department, Officiating in medical charge, 4th Regiment of Native Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 41 *of* 1875.—It is hereby notified that the designation of "Colour-Serjeant" in the Corps of Royal Engineers has been altered to "Company Serjeant-Major," as prescribed in paragraph 26 of Clause 2 of the Royal Warrant of the 2nd December 1872.

No. 42 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant George Stanton Provis is, at his own request, permitted to resign his appointment in the East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

No. 43 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer has been permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Surgeon Robert Reid, of the Medical Department,—for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 44 *of* 1875.—The following extract from list No. 23, dated the 18th December 1874, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, &c., received from the India Office, is published for general information :—

Permitted to return.

Lieutenant F. A. S. D'A. de St. Laurent.
Lieutenant Colonel J. C. P. Baillie.
Lieutenant Colonel E. J. Wild.
Major J. N. B. Hewett.
Lieutenant C. A. Mercer.
Captain A. E. Downing.
Captain S. E. Becher.
Lieutenant Colonel F. A. Dickins.
Captain R. B. P. P. Campbell.
Lieutenant Colonel B. W. D. Morton.
Lieutenant D. S. Cuninghame.
Surgeon L. E. Eades.
Colonel J. Emerson
Captain W. C. Anderson.
Lieutenant R. Patch.
Major R. W. Sartorius, V. C., C. M. G.
Captain J. D. Macpherson.
Colonel G. N. Cave.
Lieutenant Colonel E. Dandridge.

Granted extension of leave.

Captain A. Harden,—Six months, sick certificate.

Retirements.

Surgeon Major J. Fayrer, C. S. I., 1st December 1874.
Veterinary Surgeon J. W. Garrad, 22nd February 1875.
Conductor T. Lally, 8th December 1874.
Sub-Conductor J. Dwyer, 19th January 1875.

No. 45 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers having completed twelve years' service, including four years in the Staff Corps, are promoted to the rank of Captain from the date specified, under the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Bengal Staff Corps.

Lieutenant Thomas Francis Stillwell,—9th January 1875.
Lieutenant Alfred Gaselee,—9th January 1875.

No. 46 *of* 1875.—Supernumerary Surgeons Major William Edward Allen and Riners Mantell, M. B., of the Medical Department, are brought on the establishment of Surgeons Major, to fill existing vacancies.

No. 47 *of* 1875.—With reference to paragraph 2 of G. G. O. No. 75, dated the 25th January 1872, Captain A. Gaselee, of the Bengal Staff Corps (on furlough), promoted to the rank of Captain in G. G. O. No. 45 of 1875, is permitted to retain the appointment of Quartermaster of the 4th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, with effect from the 9th January 1875.

No. 48 *of* 1875.—The services of Captain F. H. Hood, of the Bengal Staff Corps, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 5th October 1874.

The 13th January 1875.

No. 49 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their return from England :—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) J. A. Steel, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade, Pratábgarh, Oude,—date of arrival at Bombay, 28th November 1874 (date of departure on furlough, 15th April 1872).

Lieutenant Colonel C. M. Longmore, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, 26th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 30th December 1874.

Major G. W. Holdsworth, of the late 3rd European Regiment,—date of arrival at Bombay, 30th December 1874.

Captain A. C. Padday, of the Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Department Public Works,—date of arrival at Bombay, 28th November 1874 (date of departure on furlough, 2nd December 1872).

Captain E. A. Pemberton, of the General List, Infantry, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class, Nimar, Central Provinces,—date of arrival at Bombay, 29th December 1874.

Captain A P. Broome, of the General List, Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 29th December 1874.

Captain J. B. B. Dickson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Adjutant, 18th Bengal Cavalry,—date of arrival at Bombay 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant J. Davidson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Squadron Subaltern, 3rd Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force,—date of arrival at Bombay, 8th November 1874 (date of departure on furlough, 1st June 1872).

No. 50 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Captain Edmund Pipon Ommanney, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 11th Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 51 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is allowed furlough to Europe (medical certificate) :—

Major Montague Charles Perreau, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Pay-Master,—for twelve months, under Rule XIV, Clause 1, of the Regulations of 1868.

The 14th January 1875.

No. 52 *of* 1875.—The services of the under-mentioned Native Medical Pupils of the Nagpur Medical School, admitted by G. G. O. No. 1054 of 1873, are dispensed with :—

		No.
Mahomed Abdool Baseeth Khan		548
Azeezul Hakeem	...	570
Khyrat Ally	...	571
Abdul Ghuffur Khan	...	574
Wazir Ally	...	577
Ezekiel Benjamin	...	579
Ballajie Vithoba	...	585
Kallian Singh	...	586
Russool Mahomed	...	587
Moostafa Hossein	...	594
Syud Moheeboollah Khan	...	595
Umaid Alli	...	601

No. 53 *of* 1875.—Native Medical Pupil Shekh Alleem Oollah, No. 530, of the Agra Medical School, admitted by G. G. O. No. 1054 of 1873, is permitted to resign the service.

No. 54 *of* 1875.—3rd Class Hospital Assistant Wahabul Shair, who has passed his professional examination, is advanced to the 2nd Grade, with effect from the 7th January 1872.

No. 55 *of* 1875.—The services of Native Medical Pupil Anwur Alli, No. 448, of the Calcutta Medical College, admitted by G. G. O. No. 819 of 1872, are dispensed with.

No. 56 *of* 1875.—With a view to the assimilation of equipment in British Infantry Regiments serving in India, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council has been pleased to authorise the publication of equipment tables for British Infantry, and to direct their adoption throughout the three Presidencies.

2. No alteration in the scale of equipment now laid down is to be made without the sanction of the Government of India, and all changes which may be made applicable to India will, from time to time, be published either in General Orders by the Government, or in those of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with the sanction of the Government.

3. Copies of the equipment tables will be distributed to Corps and Departments in the Bengal Presidency by the Inspector General of Ordnance, Bengal, under the orders of the Government of India, and to Corps and Departments in the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay under the orders of the Governments of those Presidencies.

4. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

The 15th January 1875.

No. 57 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) David Scott Dodgson, C. B., of Infantry,—for one year and 22 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, embarking on or after the 21st January 1875.

No. 58 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the under-mentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

42nd (Assam) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Jemadar Afsur Allie Khan, to be Subadar, *vice* Narain Dutt Misser, invalided.

Jemadar Jungbeer Singh, to be Subadar, *vice* Jotheea Goorung, invalided.

Havildar Babujan Khan, to be Jemadar, *vice* Afsur Allie Khan, promoted.

Havildar Deo-dutt Thappa, to be Jemadar, *vice* Jungbeer Singh, promoted.

The above promotions will have effect from the 1st June 1874.

No. 59 *of* 1875.—Captain James Carlisle Kertland, of the East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, is allowed leave of absence on private affairs for 12 months, to proceed to England, from the 14th February 1875.

No. 60 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned men attached to the D. Battery, 19th Brigade, Royal Artillery, having been declared unfit for further duty, are transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment, with effect from the date they may have been struck off the strength of the Battery:—

Rank.	Name.	In what rank pensioned.	Circle of payment.
Jemadar	Doorgeah	Jemadar	N. W. P.
Do.	Kirpal	Do.	Presidency.
Syce	Ellie	Syce	N. W. P.
Do.	Rooprearain ...	Do.	Presidency.
Jorawallah	Jooryie	Jorawallah ...	N. W. P.
Do.	Churkoot	Do.	Presidency.
Do.	Sahoy ...	Do.	N. W. P.
Do.	Jheeharrie	Do.	Do.
Do.	Davedeen	Do.	Do.

No. 61 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer, having completed twenty years' service, including six years in the Staff Corps, is promoted to the rank of Major from the date specified under the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Bengal Staff Corps.

Captain (Brevet Major) Charles Vanrenen Conway-Gordon,—12th January 1875.

No. 62 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon C. J. McKenna, of the Medical Department, late Officiating Resident Physician, Calcutta Medical College, were at the disposal of the Government of Bengal from the 1st to the 22nd November 1874.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 15th January 1875.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that report of the death of the under-mentioned Commissioned Officer, on the date specified, was received in the Military Department between the 9th and 15th January 1875:—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
Bengal Staff Corps	Major G. F. M. Phillips.	Jan. 4, 1875	Fyzabad.	

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 9th January 1875.

No. 17.—Mr. G. R. Duncan, Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, Central Provinces, is confirmed in his appointment.

No. 18.—Mr. J. C. Collins is appointed to the Public Works Department as a Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, and posted to Rajpootana.

No. 19.—Mr. H. W. Allen, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, who was temporarily transferred from Mysore to Bengal, for employment on famine relief work, is reposted to Mysore.

The 12th January 1875.

No. 20.—Mr. A. D. Reddie, Accountant, 4th Grade, British Burmah, is dismissed from the Public Works Department.

Mr. J. D'Cruze is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Accountant, 4th Grade, on probation, and posted to British Burmah.

No. 21.—Gunner L. McCarthy, Probationary Overseer, 1st Grade, Military Works Branch, is permanently appointed to the Public Works Department.

The 13th January 1875.

No. 22.—Mr. J. Hogan, Engineer Apprentice, Military Works Branch, is promoted to Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, with effect from 1st September 1874.

The 14th January 1875.

No. 25.—Captain L. Conway-Gordon, R. E., Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Controller of Public Works Accounts, Punjab, till further orders.

No. 26.—Mr. F. Barnes availed himself on 2nd August of the privilege leave granted to him in Notification No. 490, dated 20th August last, and returned to duty on 12th October, the remaining portion of his leave (twenty-one days) is therefore cancelled.

No. 27.—Mr. F. Barnes assumed charge of his duties as Deputy Controller in the office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, under Notification No. 440, dated 15th July 1874, on the forenoon of the 2nd November 1874.

No. 28.—Corporal J. F. Beard, R. E., is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Overseer, 1st Grade, and posted to the Establishments under the Director of State Railways.

TELEGRAPH.

The 13th January 1875.

No. 23.—Mr. L. Gabler, Superintendent, Persian Gulf Telegraph, having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 21st December 1874, the unexpired portion of the leave on medical certificate granted him in Public Works Department Notification No. 598, dated 10th November 1874, is cancelled.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 20th January 1875.

No. 3.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General, under the authority vested in him by 24 & 25 Vic., cap. 67, Section 10, is pleased to nominate the Hon'ble R. A. Dalyell, of the Madras Civil Service, to be an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor General for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 16th January 1875.

No. 42.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. W. H. Henderson to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service from the 21st March next.

The 22nd January 1875.

No. 57.—APPOINTMENTS.—Captain W. E. Forbes, Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Grade, Oudh, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of Gonda during the absence on furlough of Mr. Maconochie, or until further orders.

Mr. W. C. Benett, C. S., Superintendent of Encumbered Estates, to revert to his substantive appointment of Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, and to officiate as Settlement Officer of Gonda, *vice* Captain Forbes.

Mr. C. Chapman, Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, to be Superintendent of Encumbered Estates, Gonda, *vice* Mr. Benett.

No. 1.—Mr. A. Robinson, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a Degree of Honor in Arabic, has been presented with the authorized donation of Rs. 4,000.

No. 2.—Mr. J. White, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a Certificate of High Proficiency in Persian, has been presented with the authorized donation of Rs. 2,000.

No. 3.—Mr. H. M. Durand, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a Certificate of High Proficiency in Bengali, has been presented with the authorized donation of Rs. 1,000.

No. 7.—The under-mentioned Officers serving in the Central Provinces' Commission have passed the prescribed departmental examination:—

HIGHER STANDARD.

IN LAW AND REVENUE.

Mr. F. W. Fox, C. S., Assistant Commissioner.
Mr. F. C. Berry, B. A., C. S., Assistant Commissioner.

LOWER STANDARD.

IN LAW AND REVENUE.

Mr. L. C. Lawrie, C. S., Assistant Commissioner.

Mr. R. Obbard, C. S., Assistant Commissioner.

Mr. Vasudeva Ballal Kher, Extra Assistant Commissioner.

IN LAW ONLY.

Muntazimudin, Tehsildar.

JUDICIAL.

The 22nd January 1875.

No. 99.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 10, Act VI of 1871, the Governor General in Council is pleased to invest Baboo Juggut Chundra Dass, B. A., B. L., Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner in Assam, with the powers of a Moonsiff in the District of Darrang.

MEDICAL.

The 22nd January 1875.

No. 43.—The services of Apothecary J. N. White, of the Subordinate Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—LAND REVENUE AND SETTLEMENT.

Fort William, the 21st January 1875.

No. 84.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Act VIII of 1874, Section 2, and Act XII of 1874, Section 2, the Governor General in Council is pleased to delegate to the Chief Commissioner of Assam, for the purpose of being exercised within the territories forming his Chief Commissionership, the following powers lately vested in or exercisable by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal or the Board of Revenue for the Lower Provinces, namely, (1) the powers of the Local Government under Sections 26 and 49 of Act XI of 1859 (the Revenue Sale Law,) and (2) the powers of the Board of Revenue under Sections 3, 4, 19, 26 and 49 of the same Act.

METEOROLOGY.

The 22nd January 1875.

No. 9.—Mr. H. F. Blanford is appointed to be Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India, from the date of his return from furlough.

SURVEYS.

The 18th January 1875.

No. 44.—Mr. A. B. Wynne, Assistant on the Geological Survey of India, 2nd Grade, is allowed furlough for one year and nineteen days, under Section 10 (a) of the Civil Leave Code from the 16th of March next, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

A. O. HUME,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 22nd January 1875.

No. 211*P.*—With reference to Notification No. 1942 P., dated 4th September 1874, the recognition, by the Government of India, of Mr. W. H. Griffin as Acting Consular Agent of the United States of America at Akyab, has been confirmed by Her Majesty's Government.

No. 214 *P.*—The services of Mr. F. H. Souter, C. S. I., Commissioner of Police, Bombay, have been temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of India for employment on special duty connected with the affairs of Baroda.

GENERAL.

The 20th January 1875.

No. 133*G.*—APPOINTMENTS.—The following Brigade Orders, dated 17th December 1874, issued by the Officiating Commandant of the Central India Horse, are confirmed :—

1st Regiment, Central India Horse.

Captain J. Miller, 3rd Squadron Officer, to officiate as 2nd Squadron Officer.

Lieutenant R. J. H. Wyllie, 1st Squadron Subaltern, to officiate as 3rd Squadron Officer, in addition to his other duties.

These appointments to have effect from the 8th December 1874, the date on which Captain A. H. S. Neill, Adjutant, reported his return to the Regiment from special duty.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Fort William, the 21st January 1875.

No. 453.—Mr. C. E. Chapman received charge of the office of Accountant General, British Burmah, from Mr. E. Rule before noon on the 9th January, from which date Mr. Rule is allowed privilege leave for a month.

The 22nd January 1875.

No. 521.—Bills drawn upon India by the Secretary of State in the year 1874-75 to end of

January 1874, including bills drawn before 1st April 1874, but paid since that date or still outstanding—

	£	Rs.	Average rate.	Loss compared with outturn at an exchange of 2s. the rupee.
Estimated for the whole year ...	10,000,000	10,74,60,000	1-10·3339	74,60,000
Actual to date ..	9,241,910	9,96,52,000	1-10·25	72,32,900
Remains to make estimate good...	758,090	78,08,000	1-11·3	2,27,100

Estimated loss on bills for Rs. 9,96,52,000, at 1-10·3339,	Rs. 68,94,465		
Actual " " " " 1-10·25,	" 72,32,900		
Loss in excess of estimate	Rs. 3,38,435		

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

The 21st January 1875.

No. 523.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the substitution of the following for Rule 6 under Section 24 of the Civil Leave Code :—

An Officer may draw Presidency House-rent or Presidency Allowance on privilege leave, provided that no extra expense is thereby caused to the State.

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 22nd January 1875.

No. 522.—The following statement of the Silver received and coined in the Mints of Calcutta and Bombay in December 1874 is published for general information :—

	Calcutta.			Bombay.		
	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.
	Govt.	Merchants.		Govt.	Merchants.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
In December 1874 ...	...	66,00,960	7,70,483	...	10,13,513	1,37,229

SEPARATE REVENUE—OPIUM.

The 22nd January 1875.

No. 503.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 16 of the General Stamp Act XVIII of 1869, the Governor General in Council is pleased to remit the whole of the duties leviable on Bonds executed by the sureties of middlemen (lambardárs or khattadárs) taking advances for the cultivation of the poppy within the limits of the Benares and Patna Opium Agencies.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 16th January 1875.

No. 63 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment in the Military Account Department :—

Surgeon Major A. J. Cowie, in medical charge of the 37th (The Meerut) Regiment of Native Infantry, to officiate as Examiner of Medical Accounts, Bengal, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Surgeon Major J. Picthall, M. D., or until further orders.

No. 64 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Henry Francis Maxwell Boisragon, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 4th Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, embarking on or after the 20th January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Theodore Walter Ross Boisragon, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 30th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Major Edward Talbot Thackeray, V. C., of the Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, 4th Circle of Military Works, Umballa Division, Department Public Works,—for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 65 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

6th Infantry.

Lieutenant W. H. Salmon, 1st Wing Subaltern, 41st (The Gwalior) Regiment of Native Infantry, to be Wing Subaltern, *vice* Captain J. Jacob, resigned.

The 18th January 1875.

No. 66 *of* 1875.—Duffadars Hoossain Ally and Sobha Singh, of the 3rd Bengal Cavalry, having been declared unfit for further service, are transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment, on the pensions of their rank, with effect from the date they may be struck off the strength of the Corps.

The stipends will be disbursed in the Punjab Circle of pension payment.

No. 67 *of* 1875.—The services of 3rd Class Hospital Assistant Jhoonna Lall, attached to the 14th (The Ferozepore) Regiment of Native Infantry, who was admitted into the service by G. G. O. No. 510 of 1872, are dispensed with.

No. 68 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Non-Commissioned Officers and men of the 2nd Regiment of the Central India Horse, who have been pronounced by a special invaliding committee unfit for further duty, are transferred to the Pension Establishment, with effect from the date on which they ceased to be borne on the strength of their Corps :—

Rank.	Names.	Rank in which pensioned.	Circle of Payment.
Duffadar ...	Shumshood Deen Khan... ...	Duffadar ...	N. W. Provinces.
Ditto ...	Alla Singh	Ditto ...	Punjab.
Sowar ...	Shaik Nubbee Buksh	Sowar ...	N. W. Provinces.
Ditto ...	Baz Khan	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Durriao Singh	Ditto ..	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Dawn Sahai	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Ram Lall	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Chunda Singh	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Jeymul Singh	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Gujja Singh	Ditto ...	Punjab.
Ditto ...	Miringin Singh	Ditto ...	N. W. Provinces.
Ditto ...	Lochun Singh	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Ameer Khan	Ditto ...	Secundrabad.
Ditto ...	Meg Singh...	Ditto ...	Punjab.
Ditto ...	Khurruk Singh	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Bhugwan Singh	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Nihal Singh	Ditto ...	Ditto.

No. 69 *of* 1875.—ERRATUM.—In G. G. O. No. 898 of 1874, for "Rs. 40" per mensem, admitted as pension to Subadar Sooja, of the Mhairwarra Battalion, read *Rupees twenty* per mensem.

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 70 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Herbert Raban, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Inspector General of Police, Lower Provinces,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

The 19*th January* 1875.

No. 71 *of* 1875.—With the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify that from the 1st April 1875, the following rates of pay will be allowed to all Majors of Royal Artillery and Engineers serving in India, and that from the same date, the special command allowances of Rs. 250 and Rs. 100 per mensem now given to officers commanding Heavy and Garrison batteries will cease.

2. Majors of Horse and Foot Artillery, with their batteries, will draw Rs. 929-6-4 and Rs. 759-3-0 respectively per mensem. This, in assimilation with the rule in force out of India, will include a battery command allowance, which is fixed at Rs. 50 per mensem.

3. When absent from their batteries, except upon privilege leave, Majors of Artillery will cease to draw this command money, which will be drawn by the Officer actually in command of the battery.

4. These rates of pay will cover the command and charge of any armament to which the battery may be attached, whether of Horse, Field, Heavy, Mountain, or Siege Artillery, or the armament of a fort.

5. Majors with Field Heavy and Mountain batteries will draw horse allowance in addition as at present.

6. Majors of Royal Engineers, when not in receipt of any staff salary or command money, will draw Rs. 709-3 per mensem, (the same as Majors of Foot Artillery, less the command allowance) and when in receipt of a consolidated pay, with pay proper, will draw for the latter Rs. 182-10 per mensem, instead of Rs. 140 as at present.

7. Majors of Royal Artillery and Engineers in receipt of staff salaries, will draw Rs. 640-14 per mensem, as allowed to Majors of other branches who draw staff salaries.

No. 72 *of* 1875.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 71 of 19th January 1875, the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify that, with the approval of Her Majesty's Government, the following contract allowances hitherto drawn with Head Quarters of Brigades and all Batteries of Royal Artillery serving in India, Horse, Field, Garrison, Heavy and Mountain, British and Native, will cease from the 1st April 1875, from which date the supply and repairs of all articles of equipment hitherto provided for by these allowances will be effected in accordance with the practice in force in Her Majesty's Service in England and in the Colonies; *viz.*, allowances for repair of guns and wagons, carts, harness, saddlery, leather ammunition and store boxes, lascar pâls, medicines and stable requisites, gun contingent allowance, shoeing and linegear, grampots, cavessons, petty stores.

2. Materials for repairs will be issued by the Ordnance Department, the repairs being executed by the battery artificers without extra payment, and any sums expended for petty supplies locally procured, for fuel and other contingencies, will be charged in monthly contingent bills.

3. Detailed instructions for the future regulation of these services will be issued hereafter.

4. The following sums will be allowed monthly for stationery and repairs of arms :—

Garrison Batteries	Rs.	45
Field, Heavy and Mountain Batteries...	„	50
Batteries of Horse Artillery ...	„	55

5. An allowance of * per mensem will be given for shoeing each horse attached to batteries and head quarters of brigades. For mountain batteries, in which few of the mules are regularly shod, there will be no allowance, and the amount expended in shoeing will be recovered in contingent bills.

6. The repairs of tents with batteries, in which an allowance is now drawn for this purpose, will be effected in accordance with G. G. O. No. 1085 of 1873.

7. Country veterinary medicines will be supplied by the Commissariat Department half-yearly on indents countersigned by the inspecting veterinary surgeon.

8. An allowance of 1½ annas per maund for grinding gram, barley, or other grain, issued to horses and mules, will be given to cover all petty charges incurred in preparing the food.

9. Officers commanding native field and mountain batteries of the Punjab Frontier Force, the field batteries of the Hyderabad Contingent, the Scinde and Guzerat Mountain Trains, will receive a staff salary of 250 rupees a month in addition to staff corps pay of rank; Officers commanding the garrison battery of the Punjab Frontier Force, and the garrison battery at Aden will receive a staff salary of 150 rupees a month in addition to staff corps pay of rank. Officers commanding native batteries of any description will be required to vacate their appointments on promotion to the substantive rank of Major.

No. 73 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon J. Armstrong, of the Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce from the 24th instant.

* Will be notified hereafter.

No. 74 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate :—

Lieutenant William Edwin Llewellyn Morgan, of the Royal Engineers, doing duty officer, Sappers and Miners,—for one year, under the Regulations of 1868 (Rule IX, note I).

Surgeon John Lloyd, M. D., of the Medical Department,—for one year, under the Regulations of 1868 (Rule IX, note I).

No. 75 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Warrant Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate :—

Sub-Conductor Michael Kelly, of the Army Commissariat Department,—for 18 months, under the provisions of G. G. Os. Nos. 207 of 1869 and 888 of 1872.

No. 76 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon R. Moodie, M. B., of the Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge of his duties as Officiating Junior Civil Surgeon of Allahabad.

The 20*th January* 1875.

No. 77 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the formation of an army reserve of one thousand (1,000) horses, which for the present will be kept at the Saharunpore and Haupper Stud Depôts.

Horses invalided from corps and batteries under the provisions of paragraph 824B of the "Bengal Army Regulations," will be sent to the former depôt if quartered at and above Umballa, and to the latter when stationed below it, under such instructions as may be issued from time to time by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 78 *of* 1875.—Captain H. J. Barton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, is allowed leave of absence for one month, with effect from such date as he may avail himself of it, to visit Bombay preparatory to proceeding on furlough to Europe on private affairs under the Regulations of 1868.

No. 79 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Captain Howard James Barton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 80 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) W. Briggs, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, is allowed leave of absence for one month with effect from such date as he may avail himself of it, preparatory to obtaining furlough to Europe on urgent private affairs under the Regulations of 1868.

The 22*nd January* 1875.

No. 81 *of* 1875.—It having been determined that an establishment of seven European Officers for each Native Regiment of Cavalry and Infantry should as a rule be present in India, and that the places of certain absentees, though in India, should also be temporarily filled as if they were on furlough in Europe, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to

notify that qualified Officers may be appointed as probationers for the Indian Staff Corps temporarily to fill vacancies in Native Regiments, which may be caused by the absence of any of the permanent establishment including the 2nd Wing Subaltern, under the following circumstances, *viz.*:—

I.—On furlough on private affairs or medical certificate out of India (furlough without pay or under Rule XI of the furlough rules of 1868 excepted), unless when Officers are already away on furlough, and one is expected to rejoin within six months;

II.—Officiating in an appointment Civil or Military, when it is known that the Officer will not return to his regiment;—or

III.—Officiating *on probation* in a Civil or Departmental appointment; when the Officer's confirmation in the appointment merely depends on his passing the prescribed tests on completion of the regular period of probation.

2. But whenever the services of an unemployed Officer are available to fill the vacancy, no fresh appointment to the Staff Corps on probation can of course be made.

No. 82 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Out-pensioner of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, having been permitted to reside and draw his stipend in India, payment of pension is to be made and charged accordingly:—

Gunner George Baxter, late of the 19th Brigade, Royal Artillery,—rate of pension per diem, 9*d.* (nine pence) from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay or allowance.

No. 83 *of* 1875.—The following paragraphs of a Military Letter from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 246, dated 3rd December 1874, are published for general information:—

Para. 8.—With reference to paragraph 11 of my Military Despatch No. 211, dated 29th October 1874, I have to inform you that, while studying at Chatham for promotion under the terms of General Order No. 249 of 1873, Captain B. Lovett, Royal Engineers, was granted leave of absence for different periods, the particulars of which are given in the margin.

1st to 20th May 1874.
29th June to 9th July 1874.
15th July to 19th August 1874.

9. Captain Lovett has been informed that these periods of leave will not be considered as part of the term of study, and will not reckon as service for pension.

10. Captain W. H. Pierson, Royal Engineers, has been under instruction at the School of Military Engineering from the 27th April to the 27th October 1874, in accordance with General Order No. 249 of 1873.

No. 84 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate:—

Captain James Johnstone, of the late 68th Regiment Native Infantry, 3rd grade Assistant Commissioner, Assam,—for two years, under Rule XIV, Clause I of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 85 *of* 1875.—The leave of absence to visit Bombay preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe on medical certificate granted to Sub-Conductor M. Kelly, of the Army Commissariat Department, in G. G. O. No. 1123 of 1874, for one month, of which he availed himself on the 12th December 1874, is extended to the 25th February 1875.

No. 86 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) G. S. Macbean, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Commissary General, is allowed leave of absence for 30 days, from such date as he may avail himself of it, to visit the Presidency, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe on medical certificate under the Regulations of 1868.

No. 87 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Staff Corps having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant Colonel Edgar John Spilsbury, Bengal Staff Corps,—16th January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Gordon Moore Lane, Madras Staff Corps,—16th January 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Duncan Campbell Wallace, Madras Staff Corps,—16th January 1875.

No. 88 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 20 years' service, are promoted to the rank of Major, from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866; subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Captain Swinton John Browne,—20th January 1875.

Captain Otway Mayne Graham,—20th January 1875.

No. 89 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 12 years' service, is promoted to the rank of Captain, from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant Henry Mackenzie Macdonald Wood,—17th January 1875.

No. 90 *of* 1875.—With reference to the Notification issued by the Government of Bengal, dated the 21st January 1875, the services of Surgeon J. S. Gunn, of the Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 20th January 1875.

No. 91 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Warrant Officer is allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate:—

Sub-Conductor John Milburn, of the Ordnance Commissariat Department,—for 18 months, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 207 of 1869.

No. 92 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified:—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) A. H. Ternan, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 1007 of 1874,—*Lombardy*, 12th October 1874, from Bombay.

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) H. W. H. Coxe, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 1113 of 1874,—*Baroda*, 14th December 1874, from Bombay.

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) C. F. G. Lamb, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 1045 of 1874,—*Sultan*, 16th January 1875, from Calcutta.

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) W. M. Cafe, V. C., of Infantry, G. G. O. No. 1218 of 1874,—*Gwalior*, 21st December 1874, from Bombay.

Lieutenant Colonel H. A. W. Waterfield, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 850 of 1874, *Hindostan*, 16th November 1874, from Bombay.

Lieutenant Colonel G. Adye, of the Madras Staff Corps, Madras General Order No. 312 of 1874,—*India*, 1st December 1874, from Bombay.

Major H. A. Justice, of the Madras Staff Corps, Madras General Order No. 197 of 1874,—*Lombardy*, 12th October 1874, from Bombay.

Major M. Millett, of the late 43rd Regiment of Native Infantry, G. G. O. No. 911 of 1874, —*Travencore*, 9th November 1874, from Bombay.

Major R. G. Smyth, of the Royal Engineers, G. G. O. No. 1163 of 1874,—*Nizam*, 28th December 1874, from Bombay.

Captain W. L. Noverre, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 959 of 1874,—*Travencore*, 9th November 1874, from Bombay.

Captain R. B. Lockwood, of the General List Cavalry, G. G. O. No. 1147 of 1874,—*Cathay*, 23rd November 1874, from Bombay.

Captain A. H. Turner, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 1131 of 1874,—*Cathay*, 23rd November 1874, from Bombay.

Captain W. G. Hughes, of the Madras Staff Corps, Madras General Order No. 249 of 1874,—*Nizam*, 28th December 1874, from Bombay.

Captain R. P. Davis, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 1125 of 1874,—*Peshawur*, 18th December 1874, from Calcutta.

Captain G. C. Ross, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 1240 of 1874,—*Sultan*, 16th January 1875, from Calcutta.

Captain E. P. Ommanney, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 50 of 1875,—*Sultan*, 16th January 1875, from Calcutta.

Lieutenant R. L. Price, of the Bombay Staff Corps, Bombay General Order No. 608 of 1874,—*Eunerdale*, 10th December 1874, from Bombay.

Lieutenant H. A. Yorke, of the Royal Engineers, G. G. O. No. 1212 of 1874,—*Nizam*, 28th December 1874, from Bombay.

Surgeon G. P. Mackenzie, M. B., of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 1227 of 1874, —*Crocodile*, 18th December 1874, from Bombay.

No. 93 *of* 1875.—The following extract from the *London Gazette* of the 15th December 1874, page 6225, is published for general information:—

WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL,
15*th December* 1874.

Unattached.—Ensign B. D. Hayes, Unattached List, Bengal Army, to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th December 1874.

No. 94 *of* 1875.—The G. G. O. No. 14 of 1875 appointing Lieutenant F. Mardall, Officiating 1st Wing Subaltern, 2nd Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, to be Squadron Subaltern, 3rd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, is cancelled.

No. 95 *of* 1875.—Sergeant Louis Eucker, officiating as Sub-Conductor in the Army Commissariat Department, is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 20th January 1875, in succession to Sub-Conductor Joseph Dwyer, retired.

No. 96 *of* 1875.—Conductor Michael Carew, of the Army Commissariat Department, is allowed leave of absence for one month, with effect from such date as he may avail himself of it, to visit Bombay preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe on medical certificate.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel*,
Secy. to the Govt of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 22*nd January* 1875.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the under-mentioned Commissioned Officers and Hospital Apprentice on the dates specified, were received in the Military Department from 16th to 22nd January 1875:—

Corps.	Rank and Names.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
15th Hussars	Capt. J. M'Bryan	16th January 1875 ...	Meerut.	
Bengal Staff Corps	Lieut. Col. R. J. D. Ferris ...	Ditto ...	Dehra.	
Subordinate Medical Department ...	Hospital Apprentice R. DeCambra...	28th December 1874 ...	Hazaribagh.	

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates from 12*th December* 1874 *to* 22*nd January* 1875.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
					Rs. A. P.		
Richard Henry Curran (*a*).	Surgeon ...	Bengal Medical Establishment.	26th Sep. 1874	Intestate	2,235 4 11	...	22nd March 1875.

(*a*) Father, Thomas Curran—Ennistymon, County Clare, Ireland.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 22nd January 1875.

No. 3 *of* 1875.—Mr. W. J. Poyntz, 3rd Officer of the Transport Ship *Czarewitch*, on probation from the 1st July 1874, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from that date.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 16th January 1875.

No. 29.—The Government of the North-Western Provinces having intimated that it is no longer desired to have a Superintending Engineer in charge of the Provincial Light Railways, the following arrangements will take place:—

Mr. H. Prince, Officiating Superintending Engineer, is transferred with that rank to British Burmah, and posted as Engineer-in-Chief to the Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley Railway.

Captain W. Shepherd, R. E., Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, and Deputy Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways at Lucknow, is promoted to the 1st Grade, and transferred to the North-Western Provinces for employment as Engineer-in-Chief for Light Railways.

The 18th January 1875.

No. 30.—Baboo Balasoondrum Naiker, Overseer, 1st Grade, is transferred from Bengal Irrigation Branch to Mysore.

No. 31.—Mr. W. Fensom, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, is transferred from Bengal Irrigation Branch, to the Establishment under the Director of State Railways.

The 19th January 1875.

No. 32.—ERRATUM.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 627 of 27th November 1874, replacing the services of Surgeon J. North at the disposal of the Madras Government, for "with effect from 14th December 1874" read "with effect from 15th January 1875."

No. 33.—Lieutenant W. H. White, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is transferred from Bengal Provincial Establishments, to the Establishment under the Director of State Railways.

The 20th January 1875.

No. 34.—The services of P. Vadachellam, Probationary 4th Grade Accountant, British Burmah, are dispensed with, with effect from the 29th November 1874.

No. 35.—T. T. Durmalingum is appointed to the Public Works Department as a Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, and posted to British Burmah.

No. 36.—The furlough to Europe for one year on medical certificate, granted by the Bombay Government to Mr. H. W. Warden, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, attached to the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, with effect from the 21st December 1874, is confirmed.

The 21st January 1875.

No. 37.—Conductor W. Wilson, Supervisor, 1st Grade, is transferred from the Punjab Irrigation Branch, to Bengal Irrigation Branch.

No. 38.—ERRATUM.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 680, dated 31st December 1874, regarding Baboo Hurrish Chunder Roy, for "Overseer, 1st Grade," read "Supervisor, 2nd Grade."

The 22nd January 1875.

No. 40.—Captain W. Shepherd, R. E., Deputy Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways, Lucknow, resumed charge of his appointment on the afternoon of the 25th December 1874.

No. 41.—Mr. J. Kirby, temporary Supervisor, 1st Grade, His Highness the Nizam's State Railway, is confirmed in that grade, with effect from 16th November 1874.

TELEGRAPH.

The 21st January 1875.

No. 39.—Mr. J. R. Preece, Assistant Superintendent, Persian Telegraph, was granted subsidiary leave from the 11th to the 15th May 1874, both days inclusive, preparatory to his embarkation on the six months' leave on urgent private affairs granted him in Public Works Department Notification No. 289 of the 2nd May 1874.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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SUPPLEMENT No. 5.

PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 25th January 1875.

No. 69.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. E. C. Craster to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service from the 26th February 1875.

The 26th January 1875.

No. 74.—APPOINTMENTS.—Major W. J. Morris, District Superintendent of Police of the 2nd Class, in the Central Provinces, to be District Superintendent of the 1st Class, with effect from the 15th instant, *vice* Colonel G. G. Moxon, retired.

Captain S. S. Sutherland, District Superintendent of Police of the 3rd Class, to be District Superintendent of the 2nd Class, *vice* Major Morris.

Major T. E. Vander Gucht, District Superintendent of Police of the 4th Class, to be District Superintendent of the 3rd Class, *vice* Captain Sutherland.

Mr. M. P. Hankin, District Superintendent of Police of the 5th Class, to be District Superintendent of the 4th Class, *vice* Major Vander Gucht.

Mr. F. A. Naylor, Assistant District Superintendent of Police, to be District Superintendent of the 5th Class, *vice* Mr. Hankin.

Mr. G. S. Chatterton, Inspector of Railway Police, to be Assistant District Superintendent, *vice* Mr. Naylor.

The 28th January 1875.

No. 80.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. C. E. Lance to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service from the 17th March 1875.

No. 85.—The Hon'ble W. Ainslie, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, availed himself, on the afternoon of the 21st instant, of the subsidiary leave granted him in Notification No. 33, dated the 14th idem.

No. 86.—The Hon'ble F. A. B. Glover, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, having returned from the furlough granted him in Notification No. 72, dated the 13th March 1874, resumed his seat on the forenoon of the 22nd instant.

The 29th January 1875.

No. 90.—Babu Juggut Chunder Das, B. L., is appointed to officiate temporarily as an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 5th Grade in Assam, and is posted to the District of Darrang.

No. 92.—Mr. G. S. Park, of the Bengal Civil Service, has obtained from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India extension of leave for six months on medical certificate.

No. 93.—The services of the Honorable C. E. Bernard, of Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

No. 96.—The Governor General in Council has been pleased to grant Mr. L. P. D. Broughton, Administrator General of Bengal, leave of absence for the period of 12 months, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 97.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. F. Collis, Barrister-at-Law, to officiate as Administrator General

of Bengal, during the absence of Mr. Broughton, or until further orders.

JUDICIAL.

The 27th January 1875.

No. 122.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 64 A of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the transfer of the case of the Queen *versus* Ryan from the Court of the Sessions Judge of Saharánpur in the North-Western Provinces to the Court of the Commissioner of the Mooltan Division in the Punjab.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 26th January 1875.

No. 18.—The Reverend A. Ramsay, Chaplain of Agra, is appointed Chaplain of Lucknow Civil Station.

No. 20.—The Reverend W. Macarthy, Chaplain of Jhansie, is appointed to be Chaplain of Rangoon Town.

The 29th January 1875.

No. 25.—The Reverend W. D. Cowley, late Chaplain of Moradabad in the North-Western Provinces, is appointed to be Chaplain of Sitapur in Oudh.

No. 28.—The following List of Chaplains belonging to the Bengal Establishment absent on furlough or special leave on the 31st December last, is published for general information :—

Number.	Names.	Rank.	Date of commencement of furlough or special leave.	Date of expiry of furlough or special leave.	REMARKS.
		FURLOUGH.			
1	Reverend F. W. Robberds, B. A.	Senior Chaplain	Dec. 1, 1872	Nov. 30, 1874	Had not returned to duty on the 31st December.
2	„ H. W. Crofton, B. A....	Ditto ...	May 12, 1873	May 11, 1875	
3	„ W. D. Cowley, M. A. ...	Ditto ...	June 6, 1873	Jan. 5, 1875	
4	„ J. Richards, M. A. ...	Ditto ...	Nov. 17, 1873	Nov. 16, 1875	
5	„ W. Spencer, D. D. ...	Ditto ...	Mar. 29, 1874	Mar. 28, 1876	
6	„ J. F. A. Gavin, M.A. ...	Ditto ...	Apl. 19, 1874	April 18, 1876	
7	„ A. Eschelbach ...	Junior Chaplain	Apl. 1, 1873	Mar. 31, 1875	
8	„ P. J. Nicolas, M. A. ...	Ditto ...	June 1, 1873	Jan. 31, 1875	
9	„ H. J. Matthew, M. A.	Ditto ...	Feb. 27, 1874	Feb. 26, 1876	
10	„ G. T. Carruthers, M. A.	Ditto ...	Apl. 13, 1874	April 12, 1876	
11	„ W. J. Burdett, B. A....	Ditto ...	Dec. 1, 1874	Nov. 30, 1876	
12	„ F. R. Michell ..	Ditto ...	Not known ...	Not known.	
		SPECIAL LEAVE.			
13	„ J. Spear, M. A. ...	Junior Chaplain	Dec. 15, 1874	Jan. 14, 1875	Allowed subsidiary leave on return from furlough.

Total absent	13
Sanctioned number of Chaplains in the Bengal Presidency	90
Percentage of absentees	14·4

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—FORESTS.

Fort William, the 28th January 1875.

No. 107.—The following gentlemen appointed by Her Majesty's Secretary of State to the Forest Department of India, are posted to that Department as Assistant Conservators of Forests of the 3rd Grade, in the Provinces, and from the dates, mentioned opposite their names :—

Mr. H. Moore, „ E. D. M. Hooper, } Central Provinces, 8th December 1874.
Mr. J. W. Oliver, „ R. N. Anstruther, } Burma, 19th December 1874.

MUNICIPALITIES.

The 27th January 1875.

No. 11.—The Governor General in Council hereby authorizes the levy in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts of the cesses detailed below :—

I. A Bazar Cess—ranging from 3 annas to 3 pie per stall, on all vendors of goods at periodical markets in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts.

II.—A Town Fund—to be assessable on all persons dwelling or personally working for gain, or carrying on business, within the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, any part of whose income is derived from any source other than agriculture.

Provided that no person whose estimated income is less than two hundred rupees a year shall be assessed to the above tax; that no person shall be assessed to the said tax at a rate exceeding one per centum on his estimated income, and that no person shall be assessable to the said tax at a sum exceeding five hundred rupees per annum.

GENERAL.

The 29th January 1875.

No. 68.—Mr. A. O. Hume, C. B., Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, is allowed privilege leave of absence for two months, with effect from the 25th instant.

Mr. G. H. M. Batten, Commissioner of Inland Customs, is appointed to officiate as Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, during Mr. Hume's absence, or until further orders.

Mr. Batten assumed charge of the office of Secretary to the Government of India in the above Department on the forenoon of the 28th instant.

C. J. LYALL,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 26th January 1875.

No. 252*P*.—In recognition of the long and honorable services rendered to Government by Mr. Bholanath Sarabhoi, late Subordinate Judge of the First Class, First Grade, at Kaira, the Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to confer upon him the title of "Rao Bahadoor" as a personal distinction.

No. 264*P*.—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. Carl Albert Barckhausen as Consular Agent for Italy at Bassein.

GENERAL.

The 28th January 1875.

No. 212*G*.—Lieutenant E. A. Fraser, Officiating Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, and Officiating 2nd Assistant to the Resident in the Persian Gulf, passed with great credit, on the 28th December 1874, the examination prescribed for Officers employed in the Political Department.

The 29th January 1875.

No. 215*G*.—LEAVE.—Third Grade Assistant Surgeon Mohim Chunder Roy, Civil Surgeon of Beawur, is granted three months' privilege leave of absence from the 1st of February next, or subsequent date.

APPOINTMENT.—Assistant Surgeon Hurro Lal Dutt to officiate in medical charge of Beawur during the absence of Assistant Surgeon Mohim Chunder Roy.

No. 216*G*.—Mr. H. B. Knowlys, Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Class, in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, and Judge of the Small Cause Court at Akola, has passed the prescribed examination in Mahratta according to the higher standard.

No. 223*G*.—The services of Lieutenant J. N. S. Kirkwood, Officiating Adjutant of the Deolee Irregular Force, are placed at the disposal of the Military Department.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Fort William, the 29th January 1875.

No. 734.—*Cash Balances in the Government Treasuries in India on the last day of the month of December* 1874, *compared with those on the same date in* 1873 *and* 1872.

	1872.	1873.	1874.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Govt. of India ...	1,79,26,040	2,55,12,101	2,04,39,118
Bengal ... }	2,32,59,205	1,88,59,700	2,13,45,015
Assam ... }			23,38,152
British Burmah ...	25,66,142	28,23,394	35,03,576
N.-W. Provinces ...	2,61,80,542	2,55,92,053	2,16,15,375
Oudh ...	76,38,650	82,57,627	55,28,914
Punjab ...	1,25,83,416	1,17,91,786	1,43,64,523
Bombay ...	4,16,77,615	2,69,03,196	1,41,49,056
Central Provinces ...	76,63,454	72,29,688	35,14,334
Madras ...	2,73,02,350	2,33,83,803	1,97,51,037
TOTAL ...	16,67,97,414	15,03,53,348	12,65,49,100

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

The 29th January 1875.

No. 614.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the substitution in Rule 4, under Section 24 of the Civil Leave Code, of the words "Madras and Bombay Presidencies" for the words "Bombay Presidency."

SEPARATE REVENUE—POST OFFICE.

The 29th January 1875.

No. 726.—Mr. M. Percy made over charge of the Calcutta Post Office to Mr. Sullen on the afternoon of the 9th ultimo, and received charge of that office from Mr. Sullen on the afternoon of the 19th instant.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 23rd January 1875.

No. 97 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on urgent private affairs :—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) William Briggs, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—for six months, under Rule XI of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 98 *of* 1875.—With reference to paragraph 2 of G. G. O. No. 75, dated the 25th January 1872, Captain E. B. Bishop, of the Bengal Staff Corps, promoted to the rank of Captain in G. G. O. No. 1135 of 1874, is permitted to retain the appointment of 1st Squadron Subaltern of the 2nd Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force, with effect from the 2nd December 1874.

The 25th January 1875.

No. 99 *of* 1875.—Captain J. A. S. Colquhoun, of the Royal Artillery, Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class, in charge of the Arsenal at Peshawur, is allowed leave of absence for one month, with

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effect from the 10th February 1875, or from such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it, to visit Bombay preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe on medical certificate.

The 26th January 1875.

No. 100 *of* 1875.—The services of the undermentioned Native Medical pupils, of the Lahore medical school, admitted into the service by G. G. O. No. 916 of 1871, and No. 1054 of 1873, are dispensed with—

Walee Mahomed	...	No. 206
Hur Narain Sing	...	„ 218
Murad Bux	...	„ 188
Gobind Lal	...	„ 497

No. 101 *of* 1875.—Ressaidar Mahomed Azaz Khan, of the 3rd Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force, having been declared unfit for further duty, is transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment on the stipend of his rank, with effect from the date he may be struck off the strength of the Corps.

The stipend will be disbursed in the Punjab Circle of pension payment.

No. 102 *of* 1875.—The Family Pension admitted in G. G. O. No. 737 of 1872 to Ladhoo, daughter of the late Sepoy Het Ram, of the Bengal Sappers and Miners, will be discontinued from date of last disbursement.

No. 103 *of* 1875.—Boho Begum, widow of Ressaldar Fyzoolah Khan, 3rd Irregular Cavalry, is admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the third class order of merit on her late husband, for three years, commencing from the 17th November 1872.

The stipend will be disbursed in the North-Western Provinces Circle of pension payment.

No. 104 *of* 1875.—Native Medical Pupil Beharee Lall, No. 269, admitted by G. G. O. No. 916 of 1871, is dismissed the service.

The 27th January 1875.

No. 105 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 1332 of 1872 and No. 81, dated the 22nd January 1875, it is hereby notified that a Captain holding the appointment of Second Wing or Squadron Subaltern will no longer be required to vacate the appointment when proceeding on furlough.

No. 106 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Captain Charles Edward Harenc, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Squadron Subaltern, 4th Bengal Cavalry,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 107 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant Colonel Charles Henry Palliser, C. B., of the Bengal Staff Corps, is promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the 19th June 1874, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 31st January 1859, Clauses 9 and 10, and the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, paragraph 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 108 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Major Æneas Perkins, of the Royal Engineers, Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, 7th Circle of Military Works, Public Works Department,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 109 *of* 1875.—It is hereby notified that the period of duration, *viz.*, eight years for "Carbines, Royal Artillery and Cavalry," "Muskets, Rifle, with Bayonet," "Pistols, Cavalry, rifled," and "Rifles, short, with swords," laid down in G. O. No. 13 of 1873, applies only to the arms of non-interchangeable pattern; and that, in accordance with the rule in force out of India, it is considered unnecessary to assign any period of duration to arms of the interchangeable pattern, whether muzzle loaders or breech loaders, and of whatever description, as they are capable of being kept in a serviceable condition for a very considerable period by the substitution of new parts for such as show wear.

2. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

No. 110 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe:—

Major Horatio Nelson Noble, of the Bengal Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, 2nd Grade, Jhánsi district, North-Western Provinces,—for two years:—1 year 6 months and 23 days on private affairs under Rule IX, and the remaining period on medical certificate under the Regulations of 1868.

No. 111 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following transfers:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

1st Punjab Infantry.

Surgeon Major C. P. Costello, officiating in medical charge, 6th Punjab Infantry, to the officiating medical charge, *vice* Surgeon J. T. B. Bookey, transferred to the 6th Punjab Infantry.

6th Punjab Infantry.

Surgeon J. T. B. Bookey, officiating in medical charge, 1st Punjab Infantry, to the officiating medical charge, *vice* Surgeon Major C. P. Costello, transferred to the 1st Punjab Infantry.

The 28th January 1875.

No. 112 *of* 1875.—The services of 1st Class Apothecary J. Sleigh, of the Subordinate Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 113 *of* 1875.—The following regimental order issued to the 2nd Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, is confirmed:—

No. 853, *dated 26th December* 1874.—Directing Lieutenant C. F. Powell, 1st Wing Subaltern, 2nd Punjab Infantry, to officiate as Quartermaster during the period Lieutenant J. M. D. Lewes may officiate as Adjutant, or until further orders.

Re-appointing Lieutenant F. Mardall, who vacates his appointment as Officiating 1st Wing Subaltern, on the return to duty of Lieutenant Powell, to officiate as 1st Wing

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SUPPLEMENT No. 6.

PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 2nd February 1875.

No. 4.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General, under the authority vested in him by 24 & 25 Victoria, Cap. 67, Section 10, is pleased to nominate the Hon'ble Ashley Eden, C. S. I., Chief Commissioner of British Burma, to be an Additional Member of the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—MEDICAL.

Fort William, the 2nd February 1875.

No. 74.—The services of Assistant Surgeon Nundo Lall Sircar, a Supernumerary at the Presidency, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

The 5th February 1875.

No. 86.—The services of Assistant Surgeon Kissory Lall Banerjee, a Supernumerary at the Presidency, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

No. 88.—APPOINTMENT.—Surgeon A. Crombie, M. D., to be Assistant Civil Surgeon of Rangoon.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—FORESTS.

Fort William, the 3rd February 1875.

No. 123.—Mr. G. Stratford, Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests in British Burma, is allowed furlough to Europe for one year under Section 7, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave for one month from the 1st February 1875, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

SURVEYS.

The 4th February 1875.

No. 85.—The following promotions will take place in the Great Trigonometrical Survey of India with effect from the 4th ultimo, the date on which Captain T. T. Carter, R. E., Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Grade, availed himself of the two years' furlough granted to him in Military Department Notification No. 1077, dated 17th November 1874:—

Captain W. M. Campbell, R. E., Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade, to officiate in the 2nd grade.

Mr. W. H. Cole, M. A., Assistant Superintendent, 1st Grade, to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade.

Mr. J. McGill, Assistant Superintendent, 2nd Grade, to officiate in the 1st grade.

Lieutenant St. G. C. Gore, R. E., Assistant Superintendent, 3rd Grade, to officiate in the 2nd grade.

G. H. M. BATTEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 4th February 1875.

No. 379*P*.—With reference to Notification No. 1294P, dated 13th June 1874, Mr. H. Barckhausen, Consul for Norway and Sweden at Rangoon, has resumed charge of his office.

No. 380*P*.—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. Albert Barckhausen as Acting Vice-Consul for Norway and Sweden at Bassein during the absence of Mr. F. Dickmann.

The 5th February 1875.

No. 390*P*.—With reference to Notification No. 1008P., dated 6th May 1874, Cavalière A. G. Pilastri, Consul for Italy at Bombay, has resumed charge of his office.

No. 391*P*.—With reference to Notification No. 1293P, dated 13th June 1874, Mr. H. Barckhausen, Consul for the German Empire at Rangoon, has resumed charge of his office.

GENERAL.

The 5th February 1875.

No. 253*G*.—With reference to Notification No. 1094G, dated 21st May 1874, Mr. George de Jong Beyts, Her Majesty's Consul at Jeddah, assumed charge of his office on 12th December 1874.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Fort William, the 4th February 1875.

No. 845.—Privilege leave for three months, beginning on the 27th January 1875, is granted to Babu Syamacharan Dé, Officiating Assistant Comptroller General.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

The 5th February 1875.

No. 874.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to rule that an Assistant Conservator of Forests, appointed by the Secretary of State, is entitled for proceeding to the first station to which he may be posted on his arrival in India to travelling allowance at the rate at which such allowance would be admissible to him under the Notification of the Government of India in this Department, No. 1680, dated the 11th March 1874, were he on transfer from one appointment to another.

SEPARATE REVENUE.—OPIUM.

The 5th February 1875.

No. 875.—Opium Revenue to date, compared with the Estimate for the year 1874-75 :—

PRESIDENCY.	LATEST MONTH.			ELEVEN SALES OF BENGAL OPIUM AND TEN MONTHS' DUTY ON MALWA OPIUM.		
	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bengal ...	421,875	451,163	29,288	4,640,625	4,976,675	336,050
Bombay ...	217,948	232,143	14,195	2,007,280	2,424,783	417,503
TOTAL ...	639,823	683,306	43,483	6,647,905	7,401,458	753,553

SEPARATE REVENUE.—POST OFFICE.

The 4th February 1875.

No. 790.—Mr. J. Macfarlan received charge of the Office of Post Master General of Bombay from Mr. A. M. Markham before noon on the 12th January, from which date Mr. Markham's services are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

SEPARATE REVENUE.—STAMPS.

The 5th February 1875.

No. 855.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 35 of the Court Fees Act, 1870, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following remission :—

Whenever upon payment of the full fee chargeable under the said Act, a certificate of administration has been granted under Act XL of 1858, or Act XX of 1864, and a fresh certificate is for any reason subsequently granted in respect of the same estate, no fees shall be chargeable upon the fresh certificate so granted.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 1st February 1875.

No. 128 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments and arrangement in the Military Account Department :—

Bengal.

Colonel J. G. Touch, Examiner, Pay Department, Madras, to be Examiner of Commissariat and Stud Accounts, Bengal, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel T. B. Harrison, appointed Controller of Military Accounts, Bengal.

Madras.

Colonel W. C. Clarke, Madras Staff Corps, who was appointed to officiate as Pay Master, Presidency Circle, Madras, by Government General Order No. 348, dated 4th April 1874, is confirmed in the appointment, with effect from the 31st December 1874, *vice* Colonel A. R. Fraser, retired.

Colonel C. S. Elliot, in charge of Accounts Branch, Office of Controller of Military Accounts (on furlough), to be Examiner, Pay Department, *vice* Colonel Touch.

Major J. P. Martin, Deputy Pay Master and Officiating Pay Master, Punjab Circle, to officiate as Examiner, Pay Department, Madras, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Colonel C. S. Elliot, or until further orders.

Bengal.

Captain H. G. Saunders, Assistant, Pay Department, Officiating Deputy Pay Master, North-Western Provinces Circle, to officiate as Pay Master, Punjab Circle, as a temporary arrangement, or until further orders, *vice* Major Martin.

The 2nd February 1875.

No. 129 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) John Francis Stafford, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 19th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, embarking on or after the 1st March 1875.

No. 130 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

3rd Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel D. Shaw, of the Madras Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 33rd Regiment Madras Native Infantry, to officiate as 2nd-in-Command during the period Lieutenant-Colonel J. P. Pedler may officiate as Commandant of the 2nd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, or until further orders.

No. 131 *of* 1875.—Captain C. E. Shepherd, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Public Works Department, was granted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India furlough in England for six months on medical certificate, with effect from the 11th May 1874, the date on which he quitted India on the privilege leave granted to him in the Notification by the Public Works Department, Military Works Branch, No. 28, dated the 6th April 1874.

No. 132 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned officer has reported his return from England :—

Captain C. E. Shepherd, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Public Works Department,—date of arrival at Bombay, 13th November 1874.

The 3rd February 1875.

No. 133 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel), Octavius Hamilton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Presidency Paymaster,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) John Smith, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 28th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) John Robertson Pughe, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Inspector-General of Police, Bengal,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) George Scougall Macbean, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Commissary General,—for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

Major William Winson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 18th (the Alipore) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Frank Bird Morris, of the General List, Infantry, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class, Pachmarhi, officiating 2nd Class, Central Provinces,—for 22 months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 134 *of* 1875.—The following extract from list No. 1, dated the 8th January 1875, of Military Officers of the Bengal establishment, permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave, received from the India Office, is published for general information :—

Permitted to return.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. R. Roberts.
Captain D. Oliver.
Captain C. Case.
Lieutenant-Colonel C. Armstrong.
Colonel S. F. Graham.
Major the Hon'ble J. H. Fraser.
Captain T. B. M. Glascock.
Colonel H. M. Boddam.
Major H. Tyndall.
Lieutenant J. G. Kelly.
Captain R. J. Wimberley.
Colonel C. B. Basden.

Granted extensions of leave.

Captain W. J. W. Muir,—one month, sick certificate.

Captain R. C. Daubuz,—siz months, sick certificate.

Surgeon F. M. Mackenzie,—six months, sick certificate.

Captain J. Low,—four months, sick certificate.

No. 135 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon A. H. Williams, M. B., of the Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 136 *of* 1875.—Sergeant Thomas Radford will officiate as Sub-conductor in the Army Commissariat Department, from 14th January 1875, during the absence on leave of Sub-Conductor F. W. Muller, or until further orders.

No. 137 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified :—

Major M. C. Perreau, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 51 of 1875,—*Pekin*, 15th January 1875, from Calcutta.

Captain R. C. Hutchinson, of the Madras General List Infantry, Madras General Order No. 52 of 1875,—*Sumatra*, 11th January 1875, from Bombay.

No. 138 *of* 1875.—The following temporary promotions are made in the commissioned grades of the Army Commissariat Department:—

Colonel A. D. Dickens, C. B., Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to officiate as Deputy Commissary General.

Lieut.-Col. A. Mackenzie, Assistant Commissary, 2nd Class, to officiate as Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class.

Lieut.-Col. H. A. Taylor, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, and Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to officiate as Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class.

Captain J. B. Smith, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, and Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class.

Captain N. E. Parker, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class.

Lieut. G. L. Eliot, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, and Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, to officiate as Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class.

With effect from 20th January 1875, during the absence on furlough to Europe, on medical certificate, of Colonel G. S. Macbean, Deputy Commissary General, or until further orders.

No. 139 *of* 1875.—With reference to the notification issued by the Government of Bengal, dated the 29th January 1875, the services of Surgeon-Major J. Duncan, M. D., of the Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the date on which he was relieved of his officiating appointment as Principal Assistant to the Opium Agent of Benares.

The 5th February 1875.

No. 140 *of* 1875.—ERRATUM.—In G. G. O. No. 1064 of 1874 admitting Jemadar Mahout Myko Khan to pension, for "3rd Battery, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery," read, of No. 1 Battery, 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery.

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 141 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Charles Curtis Drury, of the Bengal Staff Corps,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain William Henry Beckett, of the General List, Infantry, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, 3rd Circle of Military Works, Meerut Division, Department Public Works,—for 15 months and 13 days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Charles Edward Macaulay, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class, Punjab, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan,—for 8 months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant George Fletcher Ottley Boughey, of the Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Department Public Works,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 142 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon R. A. K. Holmes, M. D., of the Medical Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces, with effect from the 12th December 1874.

No. 143 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Staff Corps having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the dates specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant Colonel Alexander Young Shortt, Bombay Staff Corps,—1st February 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel George Phillip Brudenell Sherard, Madras Staff Corps, 3rd February 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Henry Alexander Taylor, Bengal Staff Corps, 3rd February 1875.

No. 144 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 20 years' service, are promoted to the rank of Major, from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Captain Anthony Stewart, 4th February 1875.

Captain Percy William Powlett, 4th February 1875.

Captain Montague Poyntz Ricketts, 4th February 1875.

No. 145 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their return from England:—

Major D. Ward, of the Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Public Works Department,—date of arrival at Bombay, 16th January 1875.

Captain J. W. Ridgeway, of the General List, Infantry, Political Assistant, 1st Class,—date of arrival at Bombay, 7th January 1875.

Captain O. B. C. St. John, of the Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Public Works Department,—date of arrival at Bombay, 7th January 1875.

Captain C. J. O. FitzGerald, of the Madras Staff Corps, 2nd in Command, 3rd Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent,—date of arrival at Bombay, 27th December 1874.

Lieutenant P. F. M. Baddeley, of the Royal Artillery, Commandant, No. 1 Horse Light Field Battery, Hyderabad Contingent,—date of arrival at Bombay, 16th January 1875.

Lieutenant S. J. Dunlop, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Public Works Department,—date of arrival at Bombay, 15th January 1875.

Surgeon Major G. A. Watson, of the Medical Department, in medical charge, 19th Bengal Lancers,—date of arrival at Bombay, 7th January 1875.

Surgeon L. E. Eades, of the Medical Department, in medical charge, 17th (The Loyal Poorbeah) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 19th January 1875.

Surgeon Major J. J. Durant, of the Medical Department, Principal Assistant to the Opium Agent of Berar,—date of arrival at Fort William, 29th December 1874 (date of departure on furlough, 13th April 1874).

Captain J. D. Macpherson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Adjutant, 3rd Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force,—date of arrival at Bombay, 28th January 1875.

Captain F. A. S. D'A. de St. Laurent, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Quartermaster, 28th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Fort William, 26rd January 1875.

Surgeon Major J. Newton, of the Medical Department, Superintendent of Vaccination for the Punjab,—date of arrival at Bombay, 28th January 1875 (date of departure on furlough, 1st February 1873).

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 4th February 1875.

No. 4 *of* 1875.—Mr. H. Cox, 3rd Officer of the Steamer *Enterprize*, is promoted to the grade of 2nd Officer, *vice* Mr. P. F. Falle, transferred to the Sea Surveys.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 1st February 1875.

No. 50.—The grant by the Director, Persian Telegraph, to Dr. J. E. Baker, Medical Superintendent, of privilege leave from the 13th to the 31st October 1874, both days inclusive, is confirmed.

The 3rd February 1875.

No. 52.—Baboo Gunnesh Janardan Gokle, Overseer, 3rd Grade, is transferred from Central India to Port Blair.

The 4th February 1875.

No. 53.—Private C. Vyner, Probationary Overseer, 1st Grade, is transferred from Bengal Provincial Establishment to the North-Western Provinces' Irrigation Branch.

No. 54.—Mr. (late Sergeant) T. English, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Central Provinces, having obtained his discharge from the army on the 28th July 1874, is re-appointed to the Public Works Department as a civilian in the same grade, with effect from that date.

No. 55.—Mr. (late Sergeant) J. Cockburn, Supervisor, 1st Grade, Central Provinces, having obtained his discharge from the army on the 31st October 1874, is re-appointed to the Public Works Department as a civilian in the same grade, with effect from that date.

The 5th February 1875.

No. 57.—Baboo Doorga Dass Dutt, Overseer, 3rd Grade, North-Western Provinces, Provincial Establishment, is transferred to the Establishment under the Director of State Railways.

TELEGRAPH.

The 2nd February 1875.

No. 51.—Mr. J. R. Preece, Assistant Superintendent, Persian Telegraph, was granted subsidiary leave, from the 11th to the 16th November 1874, both days inclusive, to enable him to rejoin his appointment on return from the six months' leave on private affairs, granted him in Public Works Department Notification No. 289 of the 2nd May 1874.

The 5th February 1875.

No. 56.—Mr. W. C. Darling, an Assistant Superintendent of the 1st Grade, is appointed to officiate, until further orders, as a Superintendent of the 3rd Grade, with effect from the forenoon of the 14th January 1875, *vice* Mr. J. S. Harris, reduced.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 9th February 1875.

No. 123.—Sir George Couper, Bart., C. B., C. S., Chief Commissioner of Oudh, has obtained furlough to Europe for nine months, with the usual subsidiary leave, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 127.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. W. Blunt to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service, with effect from the 10th March 1875.

The 11*th February* 1875.

No. 134.—An extension of six months' leave on medical certificate has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to Mr. F. F. Handley, of the Bengal Civil Service.

The 12*th February* 1875.

No. 135.—APPOINTMENT.—Captain E. A. Pemberton, Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Class in the Central Provinces, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Class, with effect from the 2nd ultimo.

No. 137.—Mr. L. P. D. Broughton made over charge of the office of Administrator General of Bengal to Mr. F. S. Collis, Barrister-at-Law, on the afternoon of the 4th instant.

JUDICIAL.

The 12*th February* 1875.

No. 216.—Under the provisions of the Act of Parliament 24 and 25 Vic., Cap. 104, Section 7, the Governor General in Council has been pleased to appoint the Hon'ble A. G. Macpherson, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to officiate as the Chief Justice of the said Court during the absence, on special duty, of the Hon'ble Sir Richard Couch, Kt., or until further orders.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 12*th February* 1875.

No. 52.—The Reverend Albert William Rebsch, B. A., a Junior Chaplain on the Madras Ecclesiastical Establishment, has been transferred by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, to the Bengal Ecclesiastical Establishment.

PATENTS.

The 12*th February* 1875.

No. 80.—The under-mentioned specifications of inventions have been filed, under the provisions of

Act XV of 1859, in the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. Copies have been sent to one of the Secretaries to each of the Governments of Bengal, Fort St. George, Bombay, and the North-Western Provinces. A copy of every specification is open, at all reasonable hours, at the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department to public inspection upon payment of a fee of one rupee. A certified copy of any specification will be given to any person requiring the same on payment of the expense of copying:—

No. 809.—Mr. Edward Henry Leveaux, of Brook Green, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for improvements in the mode of, and apparatus for, driving carriages on tramways and railways and other roads.

No. 817.—Mr. Henry Beales Willington, of Kurkoorie and Deegubber Tea Gardens, Cachar, Tea Planter, for improvements in machines for rolling tea leaf.

No. 824.—Mr. Richard Olpherts, of Ardee, Ireland, for improvements in the preparation of indigo.

No. 830.—Mr. William Jackson, Dessoie Ironworks, Jorehaut, Assam, India, for breaking tea.

No. 835.—Captain George Jamieson Scott, Secretary of the India General Steam Navigation Company, Limited, and residing at No. 7, Garden Reach Road, in the suburbs of Calcutta, for high pressure double cylinder expansive non-condensing engine.

No. 836.—Mr. George Henry Roberts, of River Street, Devon's Road Bow, in the county of Middlesex, England, for improvements in moulds to be employed in the manufacture of screws of hard caoutchouc or other analogous materials for liquid meters.

No. 1 of 1875.—Mr. Daniel Kemp West and Mr. Walter West, both of Crown Place, Kentish Town Road, in the Parish of St. Pancras, London, Civil Engineers, for improvements in machinery for compressing cotton and other materials.

No. 4 of 1875.—Mr. Samuel Barclay Martin, of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, one of the United States of America, Engineer, for improvements in machinery for making ice, cooling liquids, refrigerating rooms, and for other like purposes.

No. 5 of 1875.—Mr. John Henry Banks, of 11, Lavender Road, Battersea, in the county of Surrey, England, for improvements in the production of printing surfaces and of engraved metal surfaces applicable for other purposes.

No. 8 of 1875.—Mr. James Laing, of Dundee, in the county of Forfar, North Britain, for a new and improved over-head sewing machine.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATION.—FORESTS.

Fort William, the 12th February 1875.

No. 147.—Mr. C. J. Ponsonby, Assistant Conservator of Forests of the 1st Grade in Oudh, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Conservator of Forests of the 3rd Grade, *vice* Mr. W. Jacob on leave, but will continue to be employed in Oudh.

Mr. E. Sparling, Assistant Conservator of Forests of the 1st Grade in the Punjab, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Conservator of Forests of the 3rd Grade, *vice* Mr. B. Browne on leave, and will continue to be employed in that Province.

These appointments will have effect from the 1st February 1875.

G. H. M. BATTEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—GENERAL.

Fort William, the 12th February 1875.

No. 304*G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. J. D. Gordon, C. S. I., Judicial Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg, to officiate as Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg during the absence, on special duty, of Colonel Sir R. J. Meade, K. C. S. I.

Mr. R. L. Mangles, V. C., B. C. S., Officiating Commissioner of the Chittagong Division, to officiate as Judicial Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg, *vice* Mr. Gordon.

No. 305*G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Captain A. R. T. McRae to officiate from 2nd October 1874 as Wing Subaltern, Meywar Bheel Corps, in addition to his duties as Adjutant, during the absence of Lieutenant C. E. Yate, or until further orders.

No. 306 *G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Captain P. W. Smith, Adjutant, to officiate as 2nd-in-Command, and Lieutenant J. N. S. Kirkwood to officiate as Adjutant of the Deolee Irregular Force from 31st December 1874, pending the arrival of Captain Greenfield.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

Fort William, the 12th February 1875.

No. 1004.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel Rule 6 under Section 18B of the Civil Leave Code.

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 12th February 1875.

No. 1006.—Statement of the amount of Government Currency Notes in circulation, of the amount of Coin and Bullion Reserve, and Government Securities held by the Department of Issue of Paper Currency.

DATE.	Circles of Issue.	Currency Notes in Circulation.	Silver Coin Reserve.	Silver Bullion Reserve.	Gold Bullion Reserve.	Reserve in Government Securities.	Total Reserve.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
31st January 1875 ...	Calcutta	5,15,76,610	1,27,24,705	74,43,488	72,495	2,56,74,402	4,59,15,090
Ditto	Madras	92,71,460	37,97,375	2	...	56,28,463	94,25,840
Ditto	Bombay	2,93,87,435	66,24,192	59,42,689	...	1,58,85,209	2,84,52,090
Ditto	Allahabad	80,88,010	85,89,344	...	...	30,03,291	1,15,92,635
Ditto	Lahore	59,90,555	47,84,993	...	...	32,00,037	79,85,030
Ditto	Calicut	21,93,960	10,37,691	...	...	10,00,059	20,37,750
Ditto	Coconada	11,06,180	5,12,431	...	...	6,00,059	11,12,490
Ditto	Nagpore	9,37,740	3,73,918	...	...	7,47,902	11,21,820
Ditto	Kurrachee	16,72,845	15,58,969	...	...	8,00,106	23,59,075
Ditto	Akola	7,44,530	5,67,595	...	...	4,00,000	9,67,505
	TOTAL ...	11,09,69,325	4,05,71,123	1,33,86,179	72,495	5,69,39,528	11,09,69,325

CALCUTTA;
COMMR. OF ISSUE OF PAPER CURRENCY,
The 5th February 1875.

E. F. HARRISON,
Head Commissioner.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 10th February 1875.

No. 146 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant-Colonel James Williamson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 26th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 147 *of* 1875.—Private Seetul, No. 808, of the 3rd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, having been declared unfit for further service by a Special Invaliding Committee, is transferred to the Pension Establishment, on a pension of Rs. 3-4-11 per mensem, with effect from the 1st February 1875, or from the date he may have been struck off the strength of the Corps.

The stipend will be disbursed at Lucknow.

No. 148 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Major Willoughby Henry Garton, of the Bengal Staff Corps,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Robert Vansittart Riddell, of the Royal Engineers, Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade, Topographical Survey of India,—for seventeen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Charles McNeile, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, Punjab,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Louis Henry Emile Tucker, of the General List, Infantry, District Superintendent of Police, 3rd Grade, Dera Ismail Khan, Punjab,—for eight months and four days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

The 12th February 1875.

No. 149 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their return from England:—

Major H. Tyndall, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 2nd Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—date of arrival at Bombay, 3rd February 1875.

Captain W. H. Unwin, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Wing Subaltern, 5th Goorkha Regiment (The Hazara Goorkha Battalion), Punjab Frontier Force,—date of arrival at Bombay, 3rd February 1875 (date of departure on furlough 16th December 1872).

Captain R. B. P. P. Campbell, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, Corps of Guides, Punjab Frontier Force,—date of arrival at Bombay, 3rd February 1875.

Captain S. E. Becher, of the General List, Infantry, Adjutant, 2nd Goorkha (The Sirmoor Rifle) Regiment,—date of arrival at Bombay, 3rd February 1875.

Lieutenant C. A. Mercer, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 4th Goorkha Regiment,—date of arrival at Bombay, 3rd February 1875.

No. 150 *of* 1875.—Under the authority of Her Majesty's Government, the names of the under-mentioned Officers are removed from the list of the Bengal Army, and these Officers will receive an allowance of £120 each per annum:—

Captain (Brevet Major) Ernest Lightfoot, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 44th (Sylhet) Regiment of Native (Light) Infantry.

Captain Charles Sangster DeFermoy Roche, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 3rd Squadron Officer, 14th Bengal Lancers.

Captain Harry Style Ruxton, of the late 56th Regiment of Native Infantry.

No. 151 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Surgeon Major Edward McKellar, M. D., of the Medical Department, in medical charge of the 1st Bengal Cavalry,—for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 152 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Warrant Officers have been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate:—

Conductor Thomas Heathcote, of the Ordnance Commissariat Department,—for two years, under paragraphs 7 and 8 of G. G. O. No. 171 of 1874, with effect from the 11th December 1874, the date of his departure from Bombay per *Jumna*.

Sub-Conductor Frederick Wilhelm Muller, of the Army Commissariat Department,—for twelve months, under paragraph 7 of G. G. O. No. 171 of 1874, with effect from the 25th January 1875, the date of his departure from Bombay per *Lombardy*.

No. 153 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 26 years' service, is promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Major James Graham,—7th February 1875.

No. 154 *of* 1875.—The following promotion is made in the Subordinate Medical Department:—

Passed Hospital Apprentice William Mason, to be Assistant Apothecary, with effect from the 28th September 1874, *vice* W. Niblett, deceased.

No. 155 *of* 1875.—Hereah, widow of Sirdar Chopia, No. 2 Horse Light Field Battery, is admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the 3rd Class Order of Merit on her late husband for three years, commencing from the 2nd November 1873.

The stipend will be disbursed in the North-Western Provinces Circle of pension payment.

No. 156 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the under-mentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

3rd Goorkha Regiment.

Jemadar Bijairam Powar to be Subadar, *vice* Luchman Thappa, invalided.

Color Havildar Mooteeram Rana, to be Jemadar, *vice* Bijairam Powar, promoted.

These promotions will have effect from the 7th January 1875.

No. 157 *of* 1875.—The following list of tools is to be substituted for that in Form No. 157 (Ordnance), under head Fixtures for shoeing-sheds, published with G. G. O. No. 303, dated 21st March 1872:—

ARTICLES.	Proportion allowed by Regulations.		Surplus to be kept up by Regiments.
Fixtures for shoeing-sheds.			
Anvils, 2½ cwt.	3	Per regiment of European Cavalry at stations where regular shoeing sheds have been authorized by Government.	None.
Bellows, smith, Europe, large	3		
Hammers, hand, from 2 to 3 lbs.	6		
„ sledge, medium, 7 lbs.	6		
Tongs, fire, large size, pairs	6		
„ shoe, turning	12		
Stamps, horse shoe	9		
Pritchels	18		
Pokers, 3 feet long	3		
Shovels	3		
Vices, medium, 70 lbs.	3		
Anvil, 2½ cwt.	1		
Bellows, smith, Europe, large	1		
Hammers, hand, from 2 to 3 lbs.	2	This scale applies to shoeing-sheds of Royal Artillery.	None.
„ sledge, medium, 7 lbs.	2		
Tongs, fire, large size, pairs	2		
„ shoe, turning	2		
Pritchels	4		
Poker, 3 feet long	1		
Shovel	1		
Vice, medium, 70 lbs.	1		

The proportion given for a British Cavalry Regiment is for three shoeing-sheds.

The scale for the Royal Artillery is per battery, and is in addition to its field forge. Space should be provided in each shed, so that the battery forge, when removed from the forge wagon, can be set up for use in the shed when required.

No. 158 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified:—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) H. Raban, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 70 of 1875,—*Mirzapore*, 29th January 1875, from Calcutta.

Surgeon Major J. Picthall, M. D., of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 1111 of 1874,—*Meinam*, 20th January 1875, from Calcutta.

Captain J. Johnstone, of the late 68th Regiment Native Infantry, G. G. O. No. 84 of 1875,—*Mirzapore*, 29th January 1875, from Calcutta.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 12th February 1875.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the under-mentioned Commissioned Officers, on the dates specified, were received in the Military Department from 30th January to 12th February 1875:—

Corps.	Rank and Names.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
H. M.'s 92nd Foot	Captain R. J. S. Carruthers ...	Jan. 28, 1875	Dera Ismail Khan.	
Subordinate Medical Department ...	Assistant Apothecary W. Niblett ...	Dec. 27, 1874	Benares.	

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates from 30th January to 12th February 1875.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
H. M.'s British Service.							
Richard George Segrave(*a*)	Surgeon ...	British Medical Service.	Nov. 17, 1874	No will found.	897 9 11	...	Apl. 12, 1875.
Indian Military Service.							
John O'Brien (*b*) ...	Assistant Apothecary.	Sub. Medical Department.	Oct. 31, 1874	Intestate	186 6 11	...	Ditto.

(*a*) Next-of-kin—Mother, Mrs. Segrave, 4, Camden Terrace, Crosshaven, County Cork; two brothers and a sister.
(*b*) Next-of-kin—Step-mother, Mrs. Ellen O'Brien, Chunar.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 6th February 1875.

No. 58.—The under-mentioned Officer and Subordinates are transferred from the British Burmah Provincial Establishment to the Rangoon and Irrawaddie State Railway, with effect from the dates specified:—

Mr. R. M. Henderson, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, with effect from the 15th December 1874.

Mr. R. J. Ives, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, with effect from the 25th August 1874.

Bombardier W. Robertson, Overseer, 1st Grade, with effect from the 1st January 1875.

The 9th February 1875.

No. 59.—Private J. Stewart, Her Majesty's 92nd Highlanders, is appointed to the Public Works Department as a probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, and posted to the Indus Valley State Railway, with effect from the 3rd November 1874.

The 12th February 1875.

No. 60.—The following exchange of appointments between the under-mentioned 3rd Grade Accountants is sanctioned:—

Mr. J. A. Ryan from the Military Works Branch to the North-Western Provinces, and Mr. H. Conlan from the North-Western Provinces to the Military Works Branch.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

PROCLAMATION.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,

BE IT KNOWN that *Whereas* an attempt has been made at Baroda to poison Colonel R. Phayre, C. B., the late British Resident at the Court of His Highness the Guikwar, and evidence has been adduced to the effect that His Highness Mulhar Rao Guikwar instigated the said attempt to administer poison to Colonel Phayre;

And Whereas to instigate such attempt would be a high crime against Her Majesty the Queen and a breach of the condition of loyalty to the Crown under which Mulhar Rao Guikwar is recognized as ruler of the Baroda State, and moreover such an attempt would be an act of hostility against the British Government, and it is necessary fully and publicly to enquire into the truth of the charge and to afford His Highness Mulhar Rao Guikwar every opportunity of freeing himself from the grave suspicion which attaches to him;

And Whereas in consequence thereof it is necessary to suspend Mulhar Rao Guikwar from the exercise of power and to make other arrangements for the administration of the Baroda State;

It is hereby notified that from this date the Viceroy and Governor General of India in Council temporarily assumes the administration of the Baroda State, and delegates all the powers necessary for the conduct of the administration to the Agent to the Governor General and Special Commissioner at Baroda. The administration will be conducted as far as possible in accordance with the usages, customs, and laws of the country.

All Sirdars, Inamdars, Zemindars, and inhabitants of the Baroda territories, and all officers and persons whatsoever in the civil and military service of the Baroda State, or liable to be called upon for such service, are hereby required to submit to the authority of and render obedience to the said Agent to the Governor General and Special Commissioner during such time as the State may be under the administration of the British Government.

In accordance with the gracious intimation made to the Princes and Chiefs of India that it is the desire of Her Majesty the Queen that their Governments should be perpetuated, and the Representation and Dignity of their Houses should be continued, a Native Administration will be re-established in such manner as may be determined upon after the conclusion of the enquiry and after consideration of the results which such enquiry may elicit.

By Order of the Viceroy and Governor General of India in Council,

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 13th January 1875.

ORDERED, that the foregoing Proclamation be published in the *Gazette of India*, and that a copy be furnished to all Departments of the Government of India; and to all Local Governments and Administrations, and Agents to the Governor General and Political Officers under the Government of India for communication to the Princes and Rulers of Native States with whom they respectively have to do.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 16th February 1875.

No. 148.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. A. Marriott, District Superintendent of Police of the 5th Class in the Central Provinces, to officiate as District Superintendent of Police of the 4th Class, with effect from the 11th September last, and until further orders.

No. 150.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. W. A. Banbury, Inspector of Police of the 1st Class in British Burma, to officiate as Assistant Superintendent of Police, with effect from the 14th August last, and until further orders.

The 19th February 1875.

No. 154.—Mr. T. J. Chichele Plowden, Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India, in the Home Department, has obtained one month's privilege leave of absence from the date on which he may avail himself of the same.

No. 157.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Captain S. S. Sutherland, Bengal Staff Corps, to resign his appointment as District Superintendent of Police in the Central Provinces.

No. 160.—Consequent upon the retirement from the service of Colonel E. A. Rowlatt, a Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, in the Assam Commission, the following promotions are made, with effect from the 15th December last:—

Mr. O. G. R. McWilliam, C. S., Deputy Commissioner, 4th Grade, to be Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Grade.

Captain J. Butler, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Grade, to be Deputy Commissioner, 4th Grade.

This cancels Notification No. 904, dated the 4th December last.

JUDICIAL.

The 18th February 1875.

No. 248.—The Hon'ble A. G. Macpherson, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, took his seat as Officiating Chief Justice of the Court on the afternoon of the 13th instant.

MEDICAL.

The 19th February 1875.

No. 103.—Third Grade Assistant Surgeon Krishna Doss Sen is dismissed from the service of Government, with effect from the date on which he was relieved of the charge of the Bettiah Dispensary.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 19th February 1875.

No. 58.—The Reverend Andrew Nathaniel Wadham Spens has been appointed by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to be a Junior Chaplain on the Bengal Ecclesiastical Establishment.

ARTHUR HOWELL,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—CUSTOMS AND SALT.

Fort William, the 18th February 1875.

No. 51.—Mr. W. S. Halsey, Magistrate and Collector of Hamirpur, is appointed to officiate as Commissioner of Inland Customs.

Mr. Halsey assumed charge of the office of Commissioner of Inland Customs on the afternoon of the 3rd instant.

SURVEYS.

The 16th February 1875.

No. 105.—The following promotions are made in the Great Trigonometrical Survey of India, with effect from the 28th ultimo, the date on which Lieutenant (local Captain) J. Hill, R. E., Assistant Superintendent, 1st Grade, availed himself of the furlough granted him in Military Department Notification No. 1125, dated the 2nd December 1874:—

Mr. W. G. Beverley, Assistant Superintendent, 2nd Grade, to officiate in the 1st Grade.

Lieutenant J. E. Gibbs, R. E., Assistant Superintendent, 3rd Grade, to officiate in the 2nd Grade.

The 19th February 1875.

No. 113.—In supersession of Notification No. 44, dated the 18th ultimo, Mr. A. B. Wynne, Assistant on the Geological Survey of India, 2nd Grade, is allowed furlough for one year one month and fourteen days from the 15th March, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. Wynne is also allowed thirty days' subsidiary leave.

G. H. M. BATTEN,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 15th February 1875.

No. 550 *P.*—The following instructions issued to the Commission appointed to investigate the charges against His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar of Baroda are published for general information:—

To

The Honourable Sir Richard Couch, Knight Bachelor, and Chief Justice of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal;

His Highness Mookhtar-ool-Moolk, Azeem-ool-Iktidar, Rufi-oos-Shan, Wala Shikoh, Mohtashim-i-Douran, Oomdut-ool-Oomrah, Maharaja Dheeraj, Alijah Maharaja Jeeajee Rao Sindiah Bahadoor, Sreenath, Munsoor-i-Zaman, Fidvee-i-Huzrut Malikah-i-Mooazuma, Rafi-ood-Durjeh-i-Inglistan, Maharaja of Gwalior, Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India;

His Highness Siramad-i-Rajaha-i-Hindoostan, Raj Rajender Sree Maharaja Dheeraj Sewaee Ram Sing Bahadoor, Maharaja of Jeypoor, Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India;

Colonel Sir Richard John Meade, Knight Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, and Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg;

Raja Sir Dinkur Rao, Knight Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India; and

Phillip Sandys Melville, Esquire, of the Bengal Civil Service, and a Commissioner in the Punjab.

WHEREAS an attempt has been made at Baroda to poison Colonel R. Phayre, C.B., the late British Resident at the Court of His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar; AND WHEREAS the following offences are imputed against the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar, that is to say:—

I.—That the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar did by his agents and in person hold secret communications for improper purposes with some of the servants employed by Colonel Phayre, the Resident at Baroda, or attached to the Residency;

II.—That the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar gave bribes to some of those servants, or caused such bribes to be given;

III.—That his purposes in holding such communications and giving such bribes were to use the said servants as spies upon Colonel Phayre, and thereby improperly to obtain information of secrets, and to cause injury to Colonel Phayre, or to remove him by means of poison;

IV.—That in fact an attempt to poison Colonel Phayre was made by persons instigated thereto by the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar;

AND WHEREAS the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council has temporarily assumed the administration of the Baroda State for the purpose of instituting a public enquiry into the truth of the said imputations, and of affording His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar an opportunity of freeing himself from the grave suspicion which attaches to him:

THEREFORE the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council appoints you the said Sir Richard Couch, you the said Maharaja of Gwalior, you the said Maharaja of Jeypoor, you the said Sir Richard John Meade, you the said Sir Dinkur Rao, and you the said Phillip Sandys Melville, Esquire, to be Commissioners for the purpose of enquiring into the truth of the said imputations and of reporting to the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council how far the same are true to the best of your judgment and belief. And the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council appoints you the said Sir Richard Couch to be the President of this Commission, with full power to appoint times and places of meeting, to adjourn meetings, to adjust and arrange the method of procedure, to settle the course which the enquiry shall take, to call for and to receive or reject evidence documentary or otherwise, to hear such persons as you shall think fit on behalf either of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council or of His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar, and generally to guide the whole course of the proceedings of this Commission as from time to time shall appear to you to be proper for the purpose thereof.

AND WHEREAS certain other matters of importance pending between the British Government and His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar were enquired into and reported upon by a Commission appointed by the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council by orders dated 23rd October 1873; AND WHEREAS the enquiry which you are appointed to make is not connected with such matters: For the better understanding of your functions, the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council hereby declares his desire that you shall not extend your enquiry to other matters than the offences imputed to His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar as aforesaid, and that you shall not permit any such other matters to be submitted to you for consideration or enquiry.

And the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council desires that, in the event of any of your number being prevented by sickness or other cause from taking his place as Commissioner, or from remaining as Commissioner till the conclusion of your enquiry, you the other Commissioners shall nevertheless conduct and complete your enquiry in the same way as if the number of Commissioners present or remaining were the whole number appointed hereby.

And the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council hereby appoints John Jardine, Esquire, of the Bombay Civil Service, to be your Secretary.

The 11th February 1875.

No. 506*P*.—The following Regulation is published for general information :—

THE ARAKAN HILLS CIVIL JUSTICE REGULATION, 1874.

Preamble.

WHEREAS by a resolution passed by the Secretary of State in Council on the fifth day of October 1871, the provisions of the thirty-third of Victoria, chapter three, section one, were declared applicable to the Hill District of Arakan;

and whereas the Chief Commissioner of British Burma has proposed to the Governor General in Council a draft of the following Regulation, together with the reasons for proposing the same;

and whereas the Governor General in Council has taken such draft and reasons into consideration, and has approved of such draft, and the same has received the Governor General's assent:

In pursuance of the direction contained in the said section, the said Regulation is now published in the *Gazette of India*, and will be published in the local Gazette, and will thereupon have the force of law.

Preliminary.

Short title. Local extent.

1. This Regulation may be called "The Arakan Hills Civil Justice Regulation, 1874," and it shall extend to the tract of country known as the Hill District of Arakan.

In this Regulation—

words importing the masculine gender include females: words in the singular include the plural and *vice versâ*:

"person" includes any company or association or body of individuals:

"month" means month reckoned according to the British calendar:

"British India" means the territories for the time being vested in Her Majesty by the Stat. 21 & 22 Vic., c. 106, other than the settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca; and

"section" means a section of this Regulation.

Of the Courts, their jurisdiction and the law to be administered by them.

Powers of the Courts.

2. The Civil Courts in the said District shall be of three grades (namely)—

The Courts of the Assistant Commissioners and Extra Assistant Commissioners,

the Court of the Deputy Commissioner, and

the Court of the Commissioner.

And the powers of such Courts, respectively, shall be as follows:—

(*a*). An Assistant or Extra Assistant Commissioner may try original cases whatever be the value or the amount of the subject-matter thereof.

(*b*). The Deputy Commissioner may, except as hereinafter provided, hear appeals from all decrees and orders of the Assistant Commissioner and Extra Assistant Commissioner.

He may also remove into his own Court any original case pending in the Court of one of these officers, and dispose of it himself, or transfer any such case from the Court of one of these officers to the Court of another.

(*c*). The Commissioner shall be the highest Court of appeal in all civil matters. He may, except as hereinafter provided, hear appeals from the decrees and orders of the Deputy Commissioner whether passed in original cases or on appeal.

He may also remove into his own Court any original case or appeal pending in any subordinate Court, and dispose of the same, or transfer any original case from any one subordinate Court to any other.

Effect of prior adjudication.

3. The Courts shall not try any suit in which the matter in issue has been heard and finally decided by a Court of competent jurisdiction in a former suit between the same parties, in the same rights, or between parties under whom they or any of them claim.

Effect of pending suit.

The Courts shall not try any suit in which the matter in issue is also in issue in another suit between the same parties, or between parties under whom they or any of them claim, pending in the same or any other Court whether superior or inferior in British India.

Law to be administered.

4. When in any civil proceeding it is necessary for any of the Courts mentioned in section two to decide any question regarding succession, inheritance, marriage or caste, or any religious usage or institution,

the Buddhist law in cases where the parties are Buddhists,

the Muhammadan law in cases where the parties are Muhammadans, and

the Hindú law in cases where the parties are Hindús,

shall form the rule of decision, except in so far as such law has, by legislative enactment, been altered or abolished, or is opposed to any custom having the force of law in the said tract.

In cases not provided for by the former part of this section or by any other law for the time being in force, the Court shall act according to justice, equity and good conscience.

Of Appearances, Applications and acts by Parties.

A party may be permitted to appoint an agent.

5. The Court may in its discretion, for any sufficient reason, permit any appearance, application or act required to be made or done by a party under this Regulation to be made or done by such party through a duly authorized agent. Such permission shall in all cases be granted to persons exempt from personal appearance under sections fifty-five and fifty-six.

If not so permitted, must appear in person.

6. Except with the permission of the Court granted under section five, every such appearance, application or act shall be made or done by the parties in person.

Permission to appoint agent may be withdrawn.

7. The Court may, if it thinks fit in any case in which it has permitted a party not being a person exempt from personal appearance under sections fifty-five and fifty-six to appear by agent, withdraw such permission at any stage of the proceedings, recording its reasons for so doing, and require such party to attend in person.

Consequences if not appearing in person when required.

8. Any party required to attend in person under section seven, and failing so to attend, shall be subject to all the provisions of sections twenty-six to thirty-one applicable to parties who do not appear.

Of the Institution of Suits.

Filing plaint or making complaint.

9. The plaintiff may commence his suit either by making to the Judge a verbal complaint which shall be reduced to writing by an officer of the Court, or by presenting a written plaint.

Examination of plaintiff.

10. On a complaint being made or a plaint presented, the Court shall register the suit and examine the plaintiff or his agent as to the merits of his case.

Summary dismissal of suit.

11. If upon such examination it appears that there is no substantial cause of action or that the claim is one which from its nature is not a proper subject of litigation in a civil Court, the Court may dismiss the suit.

Issue of summons.

12. If upon such examination it is found that the plaintiff sets forth a good cause of action, the Court shall issue a summons to the defendant to appear and answer at a certain place and on a certain day.

Of the Service of Summons on Defendants.

How service shall be made.

13. Service of the summons shall be made by delivering or tendering a copy thereof under the signature of the Judge and seal of the Court; and

When there are several defendants.

when there are more defendants than one, service of the summons shall be made on each defendant.

Service to be on defendant in person, when practicable.

14. Whenever it is practicable, the service shall be on the defendant in person.

When defendant cannot be found, service may be made on a male member of his family.

15. When the defendant cannot be found, it may be made on any adult male member of his family residing with him.

In all cases the person served is to be required to endorse the summons.

16. In all cases where the summons is served on the defendant personally, or on any person on his behalf, the person on whom the service is made, shall be required to sign an acknowledgment of service, to be endorsed on the original summons, or on a copy thereof under the seal of the Court.

But service is sufficient without.

If such person refuse to sign the acknowledgment, the service of the summons shall nevertheless be held sufficient, if it be otherwise proved to the satisfaction of the Court.

If the summons cannot be served, a copy shall be fixed to the door of the dwelling house.

17. When the defendant cannot be found, and there is no person on whom the service can be made, the service may be effected by fixing the copy of the summons on the outer door of the house in which the defendant is dwelling, if he is dwelling at any place within the district.

If served, time and manner of service to be endorsed on summons.

18. The person serving a summons shall, in all cases in which the summons has been served, endorse on the original summons, or on a copy thereof under the seal of the Court, the time when, and the manner in which, it was served.

When summons is returned unserved, Court to order substituted service, if satisfied that the defendant is avoiding service.

19. When a summons is returned to the Court without having been served, if the plaintiff satisfies the Court that there is reasonable ground for believing that the defendant is keeping out of the way for the purpose of avoiding the service of the summons, the Court shall order the summons to be served by fixing up a copy thereof upon some conspicuous place in the Court-house, and also upon the door of the house in which the defendant last resided, if it be known where he last resided; or that the summons shall be served in such other manner as the Court thinks proper. And the service so substituted by order of the Court shall be as effectual as if it had been made in the manner above specified.

When service is substituted, the time for appearance to be fixed.

20. Whenever service is substituted by order of the Court by virtue of the power contained in the last preceding section, the Court shall fix such time for the appearance of the defendant as the case may require.

How the summons is to be served when the defendant is resident beyond the limits of the district and has no agent to accept service.

21. If the defendant be resident beyond the limits of the District, and have no agent empowered to accept the service, the Court in which the suit is instituted shall transmit the summons, for service to any Court having jurisdiction at the place where the defendant resides, by which it can be most conveniently served.

How the summons is served when the defendant resides out of British India and has no agent to accept service.

22. If the defendant be resident out of British India and have no agent empowered to accept the service, the summons shall be addressed to the defendant at the place where he may reside, and forwarded to him by post or otherwise; and

In case of non-appearance of defendant, Court may direct suit to proceed subject to condition.

if, on the day fixed for the hearing of the suit, or on any day to which the hearing may be adjourned, the defendant does not appear, the plaintiff may apply to the Court, and the Court may direct that the plaintiff shall be at liberty to proceed with his suit in such manner and subject to such conditions as the Court thinks fit.

In suits for immoveable property, service may in certain cases be made on agent in charge of such property.

23. When the suit is for land or other immoveable property, and the summons for any reason cannot be served on the defendant in person, the summons may be served on any agent of the defendant in charge of such property.

Consequences of Non-appearance of Parties.

If neither party appear, suit to be dismissed with liberty to the plaintiff to bring a fresh suit.

24. If, on the day fixed for the defendant to appear and answer, or any other day subsequent thereto, to which the hearing of the suit may be adjourned, neither party appears when called upon by the Court, the suit shall be dismissed.

Or if sufficient excuse for non-appearance, a fresh summons may be issued.

Whenever a suit is dismissed under this section, the plaintiff may bring a fresh suit; or, if within the period of thirty days he satisfies the Court that there was a sufficient excuse for his non-appearance, the Court may issue a fresh summons upon the plaint already filed or complaint already recorded.

If plaintiff only appears, Court may proceed *ex parte* if due service of summons be proved.

25. If the plaintiff appears and the defendant does not appear and it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the summons was duly served, the Court shall proceed to hear the suit *ex parte*.

If defendant appears on day of adjourned hearing, and assign good cause for his previous non-appearance, he may be heard.

If the defendant appears on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the suit is adjourned, and assigns good cause for his previous non-appearance, he may, upon such terms as the Court may direct as to payment of costs or otherwise, be heard in answer to the suit in like manner as if he had appeared on the day fixed for his appearance.

If plaintiff only appears and due service of summons be not proved, Court may order issue of second summons.

26. If the plaintiff appears and the defendant does not appear, and it is not proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the summons was duly served in any of the modes of service hereinbefore provided, the Court may direct a second summons to the defendant to be issued in any of the said modes.

If plaintiff only appears and service of summons be proved, but the service was not in due time, Court may adjourn hearing and direct notice to be given to defendant.

27. If the plaintiff appears and it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the summons was served on the defendant, but not in sufficient time to enable him to appear and answer on the day fixed in the summons, the Court shall postpone the hearing of the suit to a future day to be fixed by the Court, and may direct notice of such day to be given to the defendant.

If defendant only appears Court to pass judgment by default against plaintiff, unless defendant admit the claim.

28. If the defendant appears and the plaintiff does not appear, the Court shall pass judgment against the plaintiff by default, unless the defendant admits the claim, in which case the Court shall pass judgment against the defendant upon such admission.

No fresh suit after such judgment.

When judgment is passed against a plaintiff by default, he shall be precluded from bringing a fresh suit in respect of the same cause of action.

Consequence of non-appearance of one or more of several plaintiffs.

29. If there are two or more plaintiffs, and one or more of them appear and the other or others of them do not appear, the Court may proceed with the suit at the instance of the plaintiff or plaintiffs who appear, in the same way as if all the plaintiffs had appeared, and pass such order as may be just and proper in the circumstances of the case;

Consequence of non-appearance of one or more of several defendants.

and if there are two or more defendants, and one or more of them appear and the other or others of them do not appear, the Court shall proceed with the suit to judgment, and shall at the time of passing judgment give such order, with respect to the defendant or defendants who have not appeared, as is just and proper in the circumstances of the case.

No appeal from judgments passed *ex parte* or by default.

30. No appeal shall lie from a judgment passed *ex parte* against a defendant who has not appeared, or from a judgment against a plaintiff by default for non-appearance.

When and how judgment *ex parte* against a defendant may be set aside.

But in all cases in which judgment is passed *ex parte* against a defendant, he may apply, within a reasonable time, not exceeding thirty days after any process for enforcing the judgment has been executed, to the Court by which the judgment was passed, for an order to set it aside; and if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the summons was not duly served, or that the defendant was prevented by any sufficient cause from appearing when the suit was called on for hearing, the Court shall pass an order to set aside the judgment, and shall appoint a day for proceeding with the suit.

When and how judgment by default against a plaintiff may be set aside.

In all cases of judgment against a plaintiff by default, he may apply, within thirty days from the date of the judgment, for an order to set it aside; and if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the plaintiff was prevented by any sufficient cause from appearing when the suit was called on for hearing, the Court shall pass an order to set aside the judgment by default and shall appoint a day for proceeding with the suit.

No judgment to be set aside without notice to opposite party.

But no judgment shall be set aside on any such application as aforesaid, unless notice thereof have been served on the opposite party.

Order for setting aside judgment shall be final.

In all cases in which the Court passes an order under this section for setting aside a judgment, the order shall be final;

An appeal from order of rejection.

but in all cases in which the Court rejects the application, an appeal shall lie from the order of rejection to the tribunal to which the final decision in the suit would be appealable:

Proviso.

provided that the appeal be preferred within the time allowed for an appeal from such final decision.

Of fixing Issues and of the Preparations for the Hearing.

Framing of issues.

31. If both parties or their agents are present on the day fixed for the defendant to appear and answer, or on any subsequent day to which the proceedings may be adjourned for this purpose, the Judge shall examine them with a view to ascertaining upon what questions of law and fact the parties are at issue, and having with his own hand made a note of such examination, shall frame and record the issues of law and fact on which the right decision of the case may depend.

Examination of parties as to the evidence to be adduced by them, &c.

Fixing time and place for hearing.

32. If the parties are at issue on any question of fact, the Court shall then further examine them or their agents as to the evidence they intend to adduce upon such question, and shall fix a time and place for the hearing of the suit,

Issue of summons to witnesses.

and upon such sums being deposited for the expenses of witnesses as the Court thinks reasonable, shall issue such summonses for the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents as the parties may desire.

Service of summons on witnesses.

33. Every summons to a witness shall be served as nearly as may be in the manner already hereinbefore provided for the service of summons on a defendant.

Witness neglecting to attend may be arrested.

34. If any witness on whom a summons has been so served neglects or refuses to appear at the time and place appointed, and offers no reasonable excuse for such neglect or refusal, the Court may issue a warrant to bring such witness before it to give his evidence.

Of the Hearing.

Evidence how to be taken.

35. On the day appointed for the hearing of the suit or on some other day to which the hearing may be adjourned, the evidence of the witnesses and of any parties to the suit appearing as witnesses shall be taken by the Judge orally, in open Court, and in presence of the parties.

To be interpreted.

Any evidence given in a language not understood by any party to a suit shall be interpreted to such party as the examination proceeds.

Parties may examine

Each party may examine the opposite party and all witnesses.

Evidence how to be recorded.

36. The substance of all evidence thus taken, shall be reduced to writing by the Judge as the examination proceeds with his own hand, in English in the Courts of the Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner and the Assistant Commissioners, and in Burmese in the Courts of the Extra Assistant Commissioners.

Court may of its own motion examine witness or require production of a document.

37. The Court may at any stage of the proceedings in a suit examine as a witness any person present in Court or call upon him to produce any document or other thing, or summon any person to give evidence or produce any document or other thing if it considers that the evidence of such person or the production of such document or thing is likely to aid it in the decision of the matters in dispute.

Of Commissions to take Evidence, make local Enquiries and examine Accounts.

Issue of Commissions.

38. If in any case—

(*a*) when witness is unable to attend,

the evidence of a witness is required who is resident at some place far distant from the place where the Court is held, or who is unable from sickness or infirmity to attend before the Court to be personally examined, or is exempted under section fifty-five or section fifty-six from personal appearance in Court, or,

(*b*) when local investigation is necessary.

a local investigation seems requisite for elucidating any matter in dispute, or,

(*c*) when accounts are to be examined.

an examination of any accounts becomes necessary,

the Court may, if it thinks fit, issue a commission to any person delegating to him such powers and containing such instructions as it thinks necessary for the examination of such witness, or the making of such local investigation or the examination of such accounts; and such commission and the return thereto, and the depositions of any witnesses who may have been examined under such commission, and any documents filed before the Commissioner shall form part of the record.

Of Judgment.

Delivery of judgment.

39. When the documentary evidence (if any) has been perused, the witnesses examined and the parties heard, the Court shall, either immediately or on some subsequent day of which due notice shall be given to the parties, deliver its judgment.

Judgment how to be written.

40. The judgment shall be written by the Judge with his own hand, in English in the Courts of the Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner, and the Assistant Commissioners, and in Burmese in the Courts of the Extra Assistant Commissioners, and it shall be dated and signed by the Judge at the time it is delivered.

When to be translated.

When the judgment is written in English, it shall be translated into Burmese, and the translation shall be signed by the Judge at the time of delivering judgment.

Judgment what to contain.

41. The judgment shall contain the decision of the Court upon each issue together with the grounds of such decision, and shall conclude with a decree, clearly stating the relief granted or other determination of the suit.

Decree.

Provided that when the decision upon any one or more issues is sufficient for the disposal of the suit, it shall be in the discretion of the Court to abstain from pronouncing any decision upon the remaining issues.

Costs to be specified in decree.

42. The decree shall specify the costs payable and the parties by whom they are to be paid.

No allowance for remuneration of agent.

In determining the amount of costs, no allowance shall be made for the remuneration of agents employed in the suit, and the costs of serving any process shall be calculated according to the actual rate of pay of the person employed to serve such process for the time during which he was occupied in serving it.

Costs of serving process how calculated.

Interest may be allowed,

43. When the suit is for a sum of money due to the plaintiff, the Court may in the decree order interest at such rate as it thinks fit to be paid on the principal sum adjudged from the date of suit to the date of decree, in addition to any interest adjudged on such principal sum for any

to date of decree,

period prior to the date of suit; with further interest on the aggregate sum so adjudged and on the costs of the suit, from the date of the decree to the date of payment.

and from date of decree to date of payment.

44. In all decrees for the payment of money, the Court may for any sufficient reason order that the amount shall be paid by instalments with or without interest.

Court may order payment by instalments.

45. When the suit is for moveable property, if the decree be for the delivery of such property, it shall further fix an amount of money to be paid as an alternative if delivery cannot be enforced.

Decree for delivery of moveable property to fix a sum payable as alternative.

46. Certified copies of the judgment, and, in cases where the judgment is required to be translated, of the translation thereof, shall be furnished to the parties on application and payment by them of the expenses of preparing such copies.

Copies of judgment to be furnished to parties.

Of special courses of Procedure to be followed in certain cases.

47. If the Court at any stage of the proceedings before judgment is satisfied upon such enquiry as it may consider necessary that the defendant, with intent to avoid or delay the plaintiff, or to obstruct or delay the execution of any judgment that may be passed against him, is about to leave the jurisdiction of the Court or to dispose of any property or remove any moveable property from the jurisdiction of the Court, it may issue its warrant for the apprehension of the defendant or the attachment of his property or both, and may, unless the defendant gives security for the satisfaction of any judgment that may be pronounced against him, detain him in custody and his property under attachment until judgment is pronounced.

Arrest and attachment before judgment when defendant seeks to evade proceedings.

48. If the Court at any stage of the proceedings before judgment is satisfied upon such enquiry as it may deem necessary that the defendant is about to leave British India, with intent to remain absent so long that the plaintiff will or may be thereby obstructed or delayed in the execution of any judgment that may be passed, it may call upon the defendant to furnish security for the satisfaction of any judgment that may be pronounced against him; and unless he furnishes such security may commit him to custody until judgment is pronounced.

Security may be required from defendant about to leave British India.

49. If the Court at any stage of the proceedings before judgment is satisfied upon such enquiry as it may deem necessary that any property which is in dispute in the suit is in danger of being wasted, damaged or alienated by any party to the suit, it may issue an injunction to such party commanding him to refrain from doing the particular act complained of, or give such orders for the purpose of staying and preventing him from wasting, damaging or alienating the property, or for the care and custody thereof, as it deems fit.

Injunction against waste, damage or alienation of property in dispute.

50. In any suit for restraining the defendant from the committal of any breach of contract or other injury, the Court may at any time after the commencement of the suit, whether before or after judgment, and on such terms as it deems fit, issue an injunction restraining the defendant from the repetition or continuance of the breach of contract or wrongful act complained of, or the committal of any similar breach of contract or injury; and in case of disobedience such injunction may be enforced by imprisoning the defendant in the civil jail until he obeys the injunction.

Injunction against breach of contract or committal of injury.

51. The Court may at any time vary or set aside any order made by it under any one of the four last preceding sections; and if it is satisfied that any such order has been applied for and procured by any party on grounds known to such party to be insufficient, it may award against such party in its decree such amount not exceeding two hundred rupees, as it may deem a reasonable compensation to the party aggrieved by such order.

Power to vary or set aside orders made under preceding sections, and to adjudge compensation to parties injured by such orders.

52. When a defendant is committed to custody under section forty-seven, forty-eight, or fifty, the plaintiff shall be required to advance money for the subsistence of such defendant as provided by section sixty-two in the case of a judgment-debtor committed to prison.

Subsistence money for defendant imprisoned.

53. If at any hearing of a suit it appears to the Court desirable that any person not already a party to such suit should be made a party thereto, it may direct that such person shall be made a plaintiff or defendant as the case may be.

Power to add parties.

In such case the Court shall issue a notice to such person in the manner provided for the service of a summons on a defendant.

54. All suits involving any of the questions mentioned in section three, shall be heard with the aid of assessors selected by the Court from the class to which the parties belong.

Certain suits to be tried with the aid of assessors.

Miscellaneous.

55. Women who according to the custom and manners of the class to which they belong ought not to be compelled to appear in public, shall be exempt from personal appearance in Court, whether as parties or witnesses.

Certain women exempted from appearing in person.

56. The Chief Commissioner may at his discretion exempt from personal appearance in Court, whether as a party or as a witness, any person whose rank appears to entitle him to such exemption, and may withdraw the privilege so accorded.

Chief Commissioner may grant exemption from appearing in person.

57. Summonses and all other process of the Court shall be issued without requiring any previous payment of fees, the cost of service or execution being recovered eventually from the party declared liable under section forty-two to pay the same by attachment and sale of his

Process to be issued without requiring prepayment of fees.

moveable property and imprisonment of his person as if a decree for the amount had been passed against him in favour of the Deputy Commissioner.

58. All documents other than entries in books admitted as evidence in a suit shall be filed with the record and shall not be returned to the parties without the express permission of the Court. A duly authenticated copy of any document so returned shall be filed with the record.

Documents admitted in evidence or copies thereof to be filed.

When any party desires to put in evidence an entry in a shop-book or other book he shall produce the book to the Court together with a copy of the entry on which he relies. The Court shall forthwith mark the entry for the purpose of identification, and having examined and compared the copy with it, shall file such copy with the record, and shall, unless it sees reason to impound it, return the book to the party producing the same.

59. Except as otherwise specially provided, the Courts in hearing appeals and executing decrees, and in all miscellaneous civil proceedings, may exercise all the powers conferred on them in respect of original suits, and shall follow the procedure prescribed for such suits in so far as the same may be found applicable.

In all civil proceedings the Courts may exercise the powers conferred in respect of original suits, and shall follow the procedure prescribed for such suits.

Of the Execution of Decrees.

60. The Court shall, upon the application of the decree-holder made verbally or in writing, execute its decrees in the following manner, that is to say—

Execution of decrees—

(*a*) a decree for any property in the possession of the judgment-debtor, by giving possession of such property to the decree-holder;

for property,

or when the property is moveable and possession of it cannot from any cause be given, levying in the manner next hereinafter provided the amount fixed as an alternative under section forty-five;

(*b*) a decree for partition, by dividing the property and giving the decree-holder possession of his portion;

for partition,

(*c*) a decree for money, by arrest and imprisonment of the judgment-debtor;

for money,

or by attaching his moveable property and selling it by auction, or by both;

(*d*) a decree for the performance of any act by the judgment-debtor, by arrest and imprisonment of the judgment-debtor or by attaching his moveable property and retaining it under attachment, or by both.

for the performance of an act by the judgment-debtor.

But except as hereinafter provided, no person shall be imprisoned in execution of a decree for money for a longer period than three months, or after he has satisfied the Court that he has done his best to discharge the debt, and that he has no property remaining against which execution can be had.

Limit to period of imprisonment.

61. If it appears in the course of the execution of any decree for money that the judgment-debtor had before the passing of such decree, or has since, concealed any property, or his interest therein, or fraudulently transferred or removed any property or committed any other act of bad faith with a view to obstructing or delaying execution, the imprisonment in execution of such decree may extend to *six months*, and the judgment-debtor shall not be released on the ground of his inability to satisfy the decree.

Imprisonment of judgment-debtor attempting to evade execution.

62. When a judgment-debtor is committed to prison the Court shall from time to time fix whatever monthly allowance it deems sufficient for his subsistence, not being less than one anna or more than four annas per day, and such allowance shall be paid by the decree-holder in advance on the first day of each month, beginning with the day on which the judgment-debtor is committed to prison.

If the plaintiff omit to pay the allowance, the judgment-debtor shall be released.

Subsistence money for judgment-debtor imprisoned to be paid by decree-holder.

63. The amount of subsistence allowance advanced by a decree-holder and all other costs of execution shall be added to the amount of the decree and recovered therewith.

Recovery of subsistence money and other costs of execution.

64. Whenever a person has become liable as security for the performance of a decree or of any part thereof, the decree may be executed against him to the extent to which he has rendered himself liable, in the same manner as a decree may be enforced against a defendant.

Decree against sureties.

65. When an application is made for the execution of an *ex-parte* decree, the Court may in its discretion, before ordering execution, require the applicant to give security for compensation for any injury that may be done in the course of such execution, or may issue a notice to the judgment-debtor to show cause why the decree should not be executed.

Execution of *ex-parte* decrees.

66. If a decree cannot be executed within the jurisdiction of the Court whose duty it is to execute the same, such Court may transmit to any other Court a copy of the decree together with a certificate that satisfaction of such decree has not been obtained by execution and a copy of any order for execution of such decree that may have been passed, and may request the Court to which such copies and certificate are transmitted to execute the decree as if it were a decree made by itself.

Execution of a decree out of the jurisdiction of the Court.

On receiving similar copies and a similar certificate and requisition from any Civil Court within any part of British India beyond the limits of the district, or established by the authority of the Governor General in Council in the territories of any foreign Prince or State, for the execution of a decree made by such Court, the Deputy Commissioner or any of the officers hereinbefore mentioned, to whom he may transfer the matter for disposal, may execute such decree as if it had been made by himself.

Execution of a decree of a Court beyond the limits of the district.

Of Appeals and Reviews.

Appeal how made.

67. Appeals shall be made in the form of a memorandum accompanied by a copy of the decision appealed against, and shall be presented within six weeks from the date of such decision. The period of six weeks shall be reckoned from and exclusive of the day on which the decision was pronounced and also exclusive of such time as may be requisite for obtaining a copy of such decision.

Within what period to be presented.

Where to be presented.

An appeal may be presented, either to the Appellate Court or to the Court from whose decision it is made for transmission to the Appellate Court.

The appellant to be heard.

68. The Appellate Court on receiving the memorandum of appeal shall fix a time and place for hearing the appellant, and shall notify the same to the appellant.

Appeal presented after expiry of period allowed to be dismissed.

69. If the appeal has been presented after the expiration of the period allowed by section sixty-seven, and the appellant is unable to show any sufficient cause for the delay, the Appellate Court shall dismiss the appeal.

When no grounds are shown, the appeal may be summarily dismissed.

70. If after hearing the appellant, and, if it deems it necessary to do so, referring to the proceedings of the lower Court, the Court is of opinion that there is no substantial ground of appeal, it shall dismiss the appeal.

Issue of summons to respondent.

Hearing of appeal.

Judgment.

71. If the appeal is not dismissed under either of the two last preceding sections, the Court shall summon the respondent to appear and answer on a certain day and at a certain place, and, after hearing both parties on the day so fixed or on some subsequent day to which the proceedings may be adjourned, shall pronounce its judgment.

Staying execution of decision under appeal.

72. The Appellate Court may, on an appeal being preferred and sufficient cause shown, issue an order to stay the execution of the decision under appeal; but before issuing any such order, it shall in all cases require security to be given for the due performance of the decree or order it may ultimately make.

Power to take additional evidence on appeal.

Power to remand the case.

73. The Appellate Court may in its discretion itself take additional evidence in any case or may remand the case to the Court whose decision is appealed against or to any other Court with a view to further enquiry being made or additional evidence taken by such Court.

Whenever a case is thus remanded, the order of remand shall be written by the Appellate Judge with his own hand, and shall contain a detailed statement of the grounds on which it is made and of the particular points in which further enquiry is directed or additional evidence required.

Execution of decrees and orders of Appellate Courts.

74. Every decree or order of an Appellate Court shall be transmitted to the Court of first instance, and shall be executed by such Court as if it were its own.

Commissioner's power of review.

75. The Commissioner may for any sufficient reason review any decree or order passed by himself and from which no appeal has been preferred to Her Majesty in Council.

When other Courts may review.

No Court below that of the Commissioner shall review any decree or order made by it except for the purpose of correcting a clerical error or other error, manifestly the result of an oversight, without previously obtaining the permission of the Court to which an appeal would lie from such decree or order.

Power to call up appeals pending before Commissioner.

76. The Judicial Commissioner of British Burma may call up any appeal pending in the Court of the Commissioner, and proceed to try the case as if it were an appeal instituted in his own Court.

The Judicial Commissioner shall send to the Court of the Commissioner a copy of his judgment in any case tried under this section, and the said Court shall dispose of the case in conformity with such judgment.

Of Pending Cases.

Pending cases how disposed of.

77. All cases pending in the Hill district of Arakan at the time of the passing of this Regulation shall be disposed of by such of the Courts hereinbefore mentioned as the Chief Commissioner may direct, and shall be dealt with as nearly as may be in accordance with the provisions of this Regulation.

But if in any such case it appears to the Court that the application of any provision herein contained would deprive any party of any right which, but for the passing of this Regulation would have belonged to him, the Court may proceed according to the law in force before the passing of this Regulation.

Of Rules of Practice.

Power to make rules of practice.

78. The Commissioner may from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Chief Commissioner of British Burma, make general Rules consistent with this Regulation for regulating the practice and proceedings of his own Court and the Civil Courts subordinate thereto.

No. 507*P.*—The following Regulation is published for general information :—

THE ARAKAN HILL DISTRICT LAWS REGULATION, 1874.

Preamble.

WHEREAS by a resolution passed by the Secretary of State in Council on the fifth day of October 1871, the provisions of the thirty-third of Victoria, chapter three, section one, were declared applicable to the Hill District of Arakan;

and whereas the Chief Commissioner of British Burma has proposed to the Governor General in Council a draft of the following Regulation, together with the reasons for proposing the same;

and whereas the Governor General in Council has taken such draft and reasons into consideration, and has approved of such draft, and the same has received the Governor General's assent:

In pursuance of the direction contained in the said section, the said Regulation is now published in the *Gazette of India*, and will be published in the local Gazette and will thereupon have the force of law.

Preliminary.

Short title.

1. This Regulation may be called "The Arakan Hill District Laws Regulation, 1874;"

Local extent.

And it shall extend to the tract of country known as the Hill District of Arakan.

Repeal of enactments.

2. Except as hereinafter provided, all Regulations of the Bengal Code and all Acts of the Governor General in Council, in so far as they apply to the said District, are repealed.

But not so as to revive any enactment repealed, or to affect anything done, or any offence committed, or any fine or penalty incurred, or any proceedings commenced before the passing of this Regulation.

Acts and Regulations in force.

Acts and Regulations in force.

3. The Acts and Regulations mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed shall be held to extend to the said District to the extent and subject to the modifications indicated respectively in the third and fourth columns of the same schedule.

Functions of High Court under Criminal Procedure Code, as regards European British subjects, to be discharged by Recorder of Rangoon.

4. The functions of the High Court under the Code of Criminal Procedure shall, in proceedings against European British subjects, be discharged by the Recorder of Rangoon subject to the provisions of the Burma Courts Act, 1872, as amended by Act No. I of 1873.

Functions of the High Court in other criminal cases to be discharged by Judicial Commissioner.

The functions of the High Court in other criminal cases shall be discharged by the Judicial Commissioner of British Burma.

The functions of the High Court in all civil and miscellaneous matters shall be discharged by the Commissioner.

Operation of Arms Act.

5. Act No. XXXI of 1860, except the fifty-second section thereof, and Act No. VI of 1866, amending the same, shall be in force throughout the said District; but no license to manufacture or deal in arms or ammunition shall be granted without the express sanction of the Chief Commissioner.

Spirituous liquors and intoxicating drugs.

Power to extend Excise Act.

6. The Chief Commissioner may from time to time, by a notification in the *British Burma Gazette*, extend to any portion of the said District all or any of the provisions of "The Excise Act, 1871," or of any other Act relating to the excise revenue for the time being in force in other parts of British Burma, which refer to spirits and spirituous or fermented liquors, and may cancel any such notification.

Penalty for cultivating, selling, and possessing opium and ganja.

7. Whoever cultivates or sells any ganja or opium or has in his possession any opium exceeding five tolahs in weight, or any quantity of ganja however small, shall be punished with a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or, in default of payment, with simple or rigorous imprisonment for a term not exceeding one month.

Search for ganja and opium.

Arrest of offender.

8. The Deputy Commissioner or any Assistant or Extra Assistant Commissioner may cause to be searched in his presence any person, house, boat or place for the discovery of opium or ganja; and if any opium exceeding five tolahs in weight or any ganja is found, may seize the same, and may arrest such person or the occupier of such house, boat or place.

Delegation of powers by Deputy Commissioner.

The Deputy Commissioner may in any particular case by a written order authorize any Government servant to exercise between sunrise and sunset the powers conferred by this section.

Exemption under opium license.

9. Nothing in either of the two last preceding sections shall apply to the sale or possession of opium under a license granted with the special sanction of the Chief Commissioner.

Assessment and Collection of Revenue.

Assessment of measured lands.

10. Measured land in the plains shall be assessed at rates varying from eight annas to one rupee an acre at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner subject to appeal to the Commissioner; but no assessment on such land once made shall be altered without the sanction of the Commissioner.

Rate on toungyas.

11. Every Toungya shall be taxed at the rate of one rupee for each family of the cultivators.

12. Tribute at the rate of one rupee per family shall be levied—

Levy of tribute.

(*a*) from all tribes and villages which have hitherto paid tribute;

(*b*) from all tribes and villages which have hitherto paid the capitation tax.

Abolition of capitation tax.

The capitation tax is hereby abolished.

13. The Chief Commissioner may from time to time, by notification in the *British Burma Gazette*, alter the rates of any of the taxes mentioned in the three last preceding sections.

Power to alter rates of taxation.

14. Nothing contained in any of the said sections shall authorise the imposition of any of the said taxes in any village or upon the members of any tribe which has hitherto been treated as exempt from all taxation.

Exemption of certain villages and tribes from taxation.

Miscellaneous.

15. Boatmen proceeding up the river Kuladan shall declare the contents of their boats at Myouktoung, to such official there as the Deputy Commissioner may from time to time, by a written order affixed to the jetty and walls of the Court-house at that station, direct.

Boatmen to declare contents of boats.

16. The official thus appointed may search any boat proceeding up the said river whenever he sees reasonable grounds for doing so, and may seize all spirit manufactured out of the District, opium, ganja, ammunition and arms not protected by a pass from the Deputy Commissioner which he may find therein.

Power to search and seize spirits, &c., unprotected by pass.

Any articles so seized may be confiscated by order of the Deputy Commissioner or of an Assistant or Extra Assistant Commissioner.

The order passed in every such case and the grounds thereof shall be recorded by the officer passing it.

17. The head boatman of every boat in which any of the articles mentioned in the last preceding section is carried without a pass shall be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or, in default of payment, to fifteen days' simple imprisonment.

Penalty for carrying prohibited articles.

18. The provisions of sections sixty-three to seventy, both inclusive, of the Indian Penal Code, and of section three hundred and seven of the Code of Criminal Procedure, shall apply to all fines imposed under this Regulation.

Recovery of fines.

THE SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

(SEE SECTION 3.)

I.—Acts.

No. and year.	Subject.	Extent of application.	Modifications.
IV of 1837	Power to hold land.	The whole Act.	
XXXII of 1839	Interest ...	The whole Act.	
XVIII of 1841	Export of Military Stores.	The whole Act, except section two.	In section one, *for* "the Territories of the East India Company," *read* "British India"; *omit* the words "or officers for each Presidency;" and *for* "the Governors of the respective Presidencies and the aforesaid Governments respectively," *read* "the Local Government." In section three, *for* "any of the Governments aforesaid," *read* "the Local Government."
XIX of 1841	Curators ...	The whole Act, except sections sixteen and twenty.	*For* "Judge of the Court of the District" and "Judge," *read* "Deputy Commissioner;" *for* "Sudder Dewany Adawlut," *read* "Judicial Commissioner;" and *for* "Collector," *read* "Deputy Commissioner."
V of 1843	Slavery ...	The whole Act.	
III of 1846	Boundary marks.	Sections one, five and six.	*For* "Territories subject to the Presidency of Bombay," *read* "Arakan Hill District." *For* "Governor in Council," *read* "Chief Commissioner."

I.—Acts—continued.

No. and year.	Subject.	Extent of application.	Modifications.
XVIII of 1850	Protection of Judicial Officers.	The whole Act.	
XIX of 1850	Apprentices ...	The whole Act.	
XXI of 1850	Non-forfeiture of rights by loss of caste.	The whole Act ...	*For* "territories subject to the Government of the East India Company" and "the said territories," *read* "British India;" and *for* "Courts of the East India Company," *read* "Courts of British India."
XXXIV of 1850	State Prisoners	The whole Act.	
XXXVII of 1850	Inquiries into behaviour of Public Servants.	Sections two to twenty-two (both inclusive) and section twenty-five.	*For* "Government" and "the Government," *read* "the Chief Commissioner." *For* "the East India Company," *read* "Government." *For* "perjury," *read* "giving false evidence in a judicial proceeding." In section eight, *for* "given to Civil and Criminal Courts by Act XXX, 1841," *read* "for the time being possessed by Civil and Criminal Courts."
VIII of 1851	Tolls on roads and bridges.	The whole Act.	
XXX of 1852	Naturalization of aliens.	Ditto.	
XXXIII of 1852	Enforcement of judgments.	Ditto.	
II of 1853	Burdens on land	Ditto.	
XIII of 1855	Compensation for death caused by actionable wrong.	Ditto.	
XXXIV of 1855	Enforcement of judgments of Charter Courts.	Ditto.	
XV of 1856	Remarriage of Hindu Widows.	Ditto.	
II of 1857	State offences...	Ditto.	
III of 1858	State Prisoners	Sections two and five.	
XXXV of 1858	Lunatics ...	The whole Act, except section one.	*For* "Supreme," *read* "High."
XXXVI of 1858	Lunatic Asylums.	The whole Act.	
XL of 1858	[illegible] ...	The whole Act, except section one.	

I.—*Acts*.—continued.

No. and year.	Subject.	Extent of application.	Modifications.
XV of 1859	Patents ...	The whole Act, except section thirty-seven.	In section eight, *for* "perjury," *read* "giving false evidence in a judicial proceeding."
VIII of 1860	Electric Telegraphs.	The whole Act, except section one.	
XXVII of 1860	Collection of debts on successions.	The whole Act, except section one.	
XLV of 1860	Penal Code ...	The whole Act.	
V of 1861	Police ...	The whole Act, except section eleven.	
IX of 1861	Minors ...	The whole Act.	
XXIII of 1863	Claims to waste-lands.	Ditto.	
III of 1864	Foreigners ...	Ditto.	
III of 1865	Carriers ...	The whole Act ...	In sections six and seven, *for* "Act XXII of 1863 (*to provide for taking land for works of public utility to be constructed by private persons or Companies, and for regulating the construction and use of works on land so taken*)," *read* "The Land Acquisition Act, 1870."
VII of 1865	Forests ...	The whole Act, except sections eighteen and nineteen, the last clause of section one, and the last eighteen words of section sixteen.	*For* "Local Government," *read* "Chief Commissioner."
X of 1865	Succession ...	The whole Act (except sections three hundred and twenty-nine, three hundred and thirty and the schedule), but not so as to affect Native Christians.	
XXI of 1865	Intestate succession to Parsees.	The whole Act.	
XIV of 1866	Post Office ...	The whole Act.	
XXI of 1866	Dissolution of marriages of Converts.	The whole Act, except so much of section seven as relates to a stamp.	
III of 1867	Public gambling.	The whole Act ...	In section seventeen, *for* "sixty-one" *read* "three hundred and seven."
XXXII of 1867	Chief Commissioner's powers.	The whole Act.	
I of 1868	General Clauses	The whole Act, except sections seven and eight.	

I.—*Acts*—continued.

No. and year.	Subject.	Extent of application.	Modifications.
II of 1869	Justices of the Peace.	The whole Act, except sections two, seven and eight.	
IV of 1869	Divorce ...	The whole Act, except so much of sections forty-seven and forty-nine as relates to Stamps.	
V of 1869	Native Articles of War.	The whole Act, except the first three clauses of Part I, para. (*c*)	
VII of 1869	Forest Rules...		
XV of 1869	Prisoners' Testimony.	The whole Act.	
VIII of 1870	Murder of female infants.	The whole Act.	
X of 1870	Land acquisition.	The whole Act, except the last eighteen words of section fifty-eight.	
XXIII of 1870	Coinage ...	The whole Act, except section two and the schedule.	
XXVI of 1870	Prisons ...	The whole Act.	
XXVII of 1870	Penal Code Amendment.	The whole Act.	
I of 1871	Cattle trespass	The whole Act.	
III of 1871	Paper Currency	The whole Act.	
V of 1871	Prisoners ...	The whole Act, except sections two to fifteen (both inclusive) and the schedule.	
IX of 1871	Limitation ...	The whole Act, except sections one and two and the first schedule.	
XXIII of 1871	Pensions ...	The whole Act, except sections one and two and the schedule.	
I of 1872	Evidence ...	The whole Act as amended by Act XVIII of 1872.	
IX of 1872	Contract ...	The whole Act.	
X of 1872	Code of Criminal Procedure.	The whole Act.	
XI of 1872	Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition.	The whole Act.	
XV of 1872	Christian Marriage.	The whole Act.	

I.—Acts—concluded.

No. and year.	Subject.	Extent of application.	Modifications.
XVIII of 1872	Evidence Act Amendment.	The whole Act, except section twelve.	
XIX of 1872	Definition of 'Coin.'	The whole Act.	
V of 1873	Government Savings Banks.	The whole Act.	
X of 1873	Oaths ...	The whole Act, except section two and the schedule.	
II of 1874	Administrator General's Act.	The whole Act.	
XI of 1874	Criminal Procedure.	The whole Act.	
III of 1874	Married Women's property.	The whole Act.	
IV of 1874	Foreign Recruiting.	The whole Act.	
VII of 1874	British Burma Municipal Act.	The whole Act.	
IX of 1874	European Vagrancy.	The whole Act.	

II.—Bengal Regulations.

No and year.	Subject.	Extent of application.	Modifications.
X of 1804	Punishment by Court-Martial.	The whole Regulation, except section one.	In section two, *for* "the British territories subject to the Government of the Presidency of Fort William," *read* "the Arakan Hill District," and in section four, *omit* "or before any special Court appointed for the trial of such offences under Regulation IV, 1799, and Regulation XV, 1803."
XI of 1812	Removal of Foreign Emigrants.	The whole Regulation, except the first section.	In the second section, *for* "Arracan or Emigrants from any other State, *read* "any Foreign State." In section five, *for* "Court of Circuit" and "Judge of Circuit," *read* "Deputy Commissioner," and *for* "Nizamut Adawlut," *read* "through the Commissioner to the Chief Commissioner."
III of 1818	State Prisoners	The whole Regulation.	

The 19th February 1875.

No. 626*P.*—Moulvie Zainooddeen Hossein, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Tirhoot, on retiring from the service of Government, is permitted to retain for life the honorary title of "Khan Bahadoor."

GENERAL.

The 18th February 1875.

No. 344*G.*—The services of Lieutenant Colonel A. J. Bruce, Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, Mysore, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department.

The 19th February 1875.

No. 345 *G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Captain J. W. Ridgeway, Political Assistant of the 1st Class, is posted to Rajpootana from the date on which he joined.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Fort William, the 18th February 1875.

No. 1153.—Mr. E. Rule, Deputy Accountant General, North-Western Provinces, is allowed an extension for a fortnight of the privilege leave granted to him on the 20th January.

The 19th February 1875.

No. 1155.—Bills drawn upon India by the Secretary of State in the year 1874-75 to end of January 1875, including bills drawn before 1st April 1874, but paid since that date or still outstanding—

	£	Rs.	Average rate.	Loss compared with outturn at an exchange of 2s. the rupee.
Estimated for the whole year ...	10,000,000	10,74,60,000	1-10·3339	74,60,000
Actual to date ..	10,527,435	11,36,52,000	1-10·24	83,77,650
More than estimate ...	527,435	61,92,000	...	9,17,650

Estimated loss on bills for Rs. 11,36,52,000, at 1-10·3339, Rs. 78,53,466
Actual " " " " 1-10·24, " 83,77,650
Loss in excess of estimate ... ... Rs. 5,24,184

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

The 18th February 1875.

No. 1157.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following to be added to Clause (*c*), Rule 1, under Section 16 (*b*) of Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code:—

"It is not necessary that the applicant for leave should appear in person before the Deputy Surgeon General, unless that officer call upon him so to appear. The Deputy Surgeon General should only call upon an applicant from a distant station to appear for very special reasons."

The 19th February 1875.

No. 1165.—Under instructions from the Most Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India in Council, the Governor General in Council directs that the example under Section 2, Clause (*b*) of Supplement E to the Civil Leave Code be cancelled, and that the following be added as Rule (*c*) under Section 5 of the said Supplement:—

NOTE.—The furlough of a Chaplain is strictly limited to a period of three years at one time, and cannot be extended even without allowances. But the Secretary of State for India reserves to himself the power of allowing a Chaplain to remain in Europe beyond three years, should special and exceptional circumstances require a modification of this rule.

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 19th February 1875.

No. 1187.—The following Statement of the Silver received and coined in the Mints of Calcutta and Bombay in January 1875 is published for general information:—

	Calcutta.			Bombay.		
	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.
	Govt.	Merchants.		Govt.	Merchants.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
In January 1875 ...	2,495	45,07,100	22,92,469	29	26,92,613	22,30,819

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 15th February 1875.

No. 159 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant Colonel Frederick William Graham, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Grade Deputy Commissioner, Darrang, Assam,—for twenty months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 160 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer has reported his return from England:—

Lieutenant Colonel A. F. Corbett, of the Bengal Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, North-Western Provinces,—date of arrival at Bombay, 15th December 1874, date of departure on furlough, 14th April 1873.

No. 161 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant Colonel A. F. Corbett, of the Bengal Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, North-Western Provinces, is allowed an extension of leave to the 15th December 1874, the date on which he reported his return to India from the furlough to Europe granted to him by G. G. O. No. 242 of 1873.

No. 162 *of* 1875.—Surgeon Major John Barton Harrison, M. D., of the Medical Department, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of £550 per annum with effect from the 31st March 1875.

No. 163 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) A. Macqueen, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class,

is allowed leave of absence for thirty days, from such date as he may avail himself of it, to visit Bombay preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe on medical certificate under the Regulations of 1868.

No. 164 *of* 1875.—First Class Apothecary J. G. Joachim, of the Hyderabad Contingent, having been declared by a Medical Committee to be unfit for further active service, is, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 550 of 1868, transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment on a pension of Rs. 100 per mensem, payable in India.

No. 165 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are, at their own request, permitted to resign their appointments in the East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps :—

Lieutenant James Stewart.
Ensign James Hope.
Ensign William Southern.
Ensign Harry Cutforthay Hoyle.
Ensign Charles James Keene.

No. 166 *of* 1875.—The following Act No. V of 1875, regarding the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers, is republished for general information :—

ACT No. V OF 1875.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(RECEIVED THE ASSENT OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL ON THE 9TH FEBRUARY 1875.)

An Act to remove doubts as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers.

Preamble.

Whereas doubts have arisen as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers who have been enrolled without having been attested, and it is expedient to remove such doubts; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Validation of enlistment of Native Soldiers.

1. Every person who has for the space of six months been in the receipt of military pay and been borne on the rolls of any Regiment, Corps, Depôt, Ordnance Establishment, or Department of Her Majesty's Indian Army (of which the last pay statement, if produced, shall be evidence), shall be deemed to have been duly enlisted, enrolled and attested, and shall not be entitled to claim his discharge on the ground of illegality or irregularity in his enlistment, enrolment or attestation, or on any other ground save such as may be recognized by the orders and customs of the service.

No. 167 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Native Medical Pupils of the Calcutta Medical College, admitted by G. G. O. No. 389 of 1871, 819 of 1872, and 1054 of 1873, are dismissed the service, with effect from the dates specified :—

Shaick Koorban Ali,—No. 160, from the 19th April 1874.
Luther,—No. 409, from the 25th April 1874.
Deen Mohamed,—No. 464, from the 29th January 1874.
Abdoollah Khan,—No. 563, from the 16th December 1874.
Meer Ahsan Alli,—No. 588, from the 16th November 1874.

No. 168 *of* 1875.—The services of Lieutenant the Hon'ble J. P. Napier, of the 10th Hussars, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

The 16th February 1875.

No. 169 *of* 1875.—Deputy Surgeon General Charles Richard Francis, M. B., of the Medical Department, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of £456 per annum, with the additional pension of £250, under the provisions of paragraph 37 of G. G. O. No. 1060, dated 23rd December 1864, with effect from the 16th March 1875.

No. 170 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

Corps of Guides.

Captain W. Battye, Wing Subaltern, on being relieved of his appointment of Officiating Commandant of Cavalry and Squadron Officer on return from furlough of Captain R. B. P. P. Campbell, to officiate as Adjutant, during the absence on special duty of Captain C. E. Hunter, or until further orders; Captain A. J. Nicholson reverting to his own duties as Quartermaster of the Corps.

No. 171 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the under-mentioned Corps of the Native Army :—

8th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Color Havildar Roostum Khan, to be Jemadar from the 18th December 1874, *vice* Jemadar Bunneh Khan, dismissed.

Havildar Girdharee Singh, to be Jemadar from the 20th May 1874, *vice* Jemadar Maheepal Singh, transferred to the 36th (The Bareilly) Regiment of Native Infantry.

23rd (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry (Pioneers).

Havildar Nehal Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Jemadar Shere Sing, invalided.

Havildar Dulele Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Jemadar Gukul Sing, invalided.

The above promotions will have effect from the 1st May 1874.

No. 172 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Captain John Magee Heywood, of the Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Arrah Division, Department Public Works,—for six months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 173 *of* 1875.—Major Pryce Corbet, of the East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, is allowed leave of absence for twelve months, to proceed to Europe on private affairs, from the 23rd March 1875.

No. 174 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned out-pensioner of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea having been permitted to reside and draw his stipend in India, payment of pension is to be made and charged accordingly :—

Corporal William Wilks, late of the 2nd Battalion, 1st Regiment of Foot,—rate of pension per diem, 1*s.* 3*d.* (one shilling and three pence), from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay or allowance. All chargeable to imperial revenue.

No. 175 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned non-commissioned officers and men of the 32nd Regiment Native Infantry, declared unfit for further service by a Special Invaliding Committee, are transferred to the Pension Establishment :—

Rank.	Names.	In what rank pensioned.	Circle of Payment.
Havildar ...	Heera Sing	Havildar ...	Punjab.
Ditto ...	Sooka Sing	Naick ...	Ditto.
Naick ...	Meah Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Thummon Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Meyt Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Sepoy ...	Goordit Sing	Sepoy ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Goordit Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Mehall Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Boota Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Futteh Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Kuppoor Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Ghaira Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Mehall Sing	Ditto ..	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Jodh Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Bhoop Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Lehna Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Veer Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Ummer Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Baghail Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Boora Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Mungal Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Jewa Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Lall Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Alla Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Bagh Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Jhunda Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Boota Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Jewund Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Sham Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Huzara Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Kishen Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Ram Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Dehan Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.

Rank.	Names.	In what rank pensioned.	Circle of Payment.
Sepoy ...	Mungul Sing	Sepoy ...	Punjab.
Ditto ...	Kazam Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Jewun Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Lall Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Delail Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Jaimul Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Soodh Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Mehall Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Run Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Meer Akbar Ali	Ditto ...	N.-W. Provinces.
Ditto ...	Sham Sing	Ditto ...	Punjab.
Ditto ...	Kazam Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Goordit Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Chunda Sing	Ditto ...	
Ditto ...	Prem Sing	Ditto ...	
Naick ...	Tabba Sing	Naick ...	
Sepoy ...	Ram Sing	Sepoy ...	Punjab.
Ditto ...	Alla Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Heera Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Ditto ...	Boor Sing	Ditto ...	Ditto.

No. 176 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their return from England:—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) H. M. Boddam, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade, Hazáribágh,—date of arrival at Fort William, 8th February 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) J. Emerson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Cantonment Magistrate and Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Dinapore,—date of arrival at Bombay, 10th February 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel G. R. Roberts, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—date of arrival at Bombay, 10th February 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel C. Armstrong, of the Bengal Staff Corps,—date of arrival at Bombay, 10th February 1875.

Major T. N. Baker, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 2nd Regiment of Native (Light) Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 29th December 1874.

Major J. N. B. Hewett, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Grade, Oudh,—date of arrival at Bombay, 19th January 1875 (date of departure on furlough, 1st February 1873).

Major the Hon'ble J. H. Fraser, of the Bengal Staff Corps,—date of arrival at Bombay, 10th February 1875.

Lieutenant A. C. G. Lydiard, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Quarter-master, 31st (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 19th December 1874 (date of departure on furlough, 1st April 1872).

Lieutenant R. Patch, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—date of arrival at Bombay, 10th February 1875.

No. 177 *of* 1875.—Major T. N. Baker, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 2nd Regiment of Native (Light) Infantry, is allowed an extension of leave to the 29th December 1874, the date on which he reported his return to India from the furlough to Europe granted to him by G. G. O. No. 1311 of 1872.

No. 178 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

4th Punjab Cavalry.

Captain R. P. Blake, 3rd Squadron Officer, to continue to officiate as 2nd Squadron Officer during the absence on leave of Captain T. O. Underwood, and in addition to officiate as 2nd-in-Command till the return to duty of Major J. Gillespie, or until further orders.

3rd Sikh Infantry.

Captain C. J. Griffiths, Wing Officer, to officiate as 2nd-in-Command and Wing Officer, *vice* Captain T. Higginson, permitted to rejoin his own Regiment, the 1st Punjab Infantry, and during the period Major G. N. Money may officiate as Commandant, or until further orders.

Captain W. B. Aislabie, 1st Wing Subaltern, to officiate as Wing Officer, *vice* Captain C. J. Griffiths.

4th Sikh Infantry.

Captain A. FitzHugh, 2nd-in-Command and Wing Officer, 4th Sikh Infantry, and Officiating Commandant, 2nd Punjab Infantry, to officiate as Commandant during the absence on furlough to Europe of Colonel H. F. M. Boisragon, or until further orders.

Captain L. C. deL. Daniell, 1st Wing Subaltern, to officiate as 2nd-in-Command and Wing Officer, *vice* Captain A. FitzHugh.

Captain A. Scott, Adjutant, to officiate as Wing Officer during the absence on furlough to Europe of Captain B. E. Gowan, or until further orders.

Captain V. Rivaz, Quartermaster, to officiate as Adjutant, *vice* Captain A. Scott.

Lieutenant C. Dempster, 2nd Wing Subaltern, to officiate as Quartermaster, *vice* Captain V. Rivaz.

2nd Punjab Infantry.

Captain F. E. Hastings, Quartermaster, 2nd Sikh Infantry, to officiate as Wing Officer during the absence on furlough to Europe of Captain A. H. Turner, or until further orders.

3rd Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant Colonel R. D'O. C. Bracken, 2nd-in-Command and Wing Officer, 2nd Sikh Infantry, to officiate as Commandant during the absence on furlough to Europe of Major P. C. Rynd, or until further orders.

No. 179 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant T. J. Bailey, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 3rd Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, is permitted, at his own request, to resign his appointment in the Punjab Frontier Force.

The 18th February 1875.

No. 180 *of* 1875.—ERRATUM.—In G. G. O. No. 22 of 1875:—

11th Bengal Lancers.

For "Havildar Hurdutt Singh," *read* "*Jemadar* Hurdutt Singh."

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 181 *of* 1875.—The following extract from list No. 2, dated the 22nd January 1875, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment, permitted to return to duty, and granted extensions of leave, &c., received from the India Office, is published for general information:—

Permitted to return.

Captain W. H. Unwin.
Captain C. N. Hodgson.
Major F. Allen.
Captain W. J. W. Muir.
Surgeon Major S. C. Courtney.
Captain G. W. Willock.
Lieutenant Colonel M. G. Clerk.
Lieutenant Colonel R. Chalmers.
Lieutenant Colonel C. C. Dandridge.
Captain T. H. Lewin.
Lieutenant F. C. Burton.
Captain R. E. S. Smith.
Colonel T. W. Mercer.
Major F. B. Foote.
Captain A. B. Clare.
Lieutenant G. M. Abbott.
Major G. A. Prendergast.
Captain W. Loch.
Major H. V. Mathias.
Captain M. P. Ricketts.

Granted Extensions of Leave.

Lieutenant Colonel T. Taylor, 6 months, sick certificate.

Lieutenant Colonel G. Hutchinson, C. S. I., 9 months, private affairs.

Surgeon Major T. E. B. Brown, 6 months, sick certificate.

Surgeon Major S. Delpratt, 6 months, sick certificate.

Colonel A. R. E. Hutchinson, 6 months, private affairs.

Major M. G. Smith, 6 months, sick certificate.

Conductor J. Key, 6 months, sick certificate.

Retirement.

Surgeon K. M. Downie, 14th February 1875.

No. 182 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant Edwin Weatherdon, of the East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, is allowed leave of absence for twelve months, to proceed to Europe on private affairs, from the 15th March 1875.

No. 183 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 22 of the 8th January 1875, the promotion of Narain Singh to the rank of Jemadar, notified in G. G. O. No. 690 of 1874, will be held to have effect from the 13th December 1873 instead of from the 13th December 1874, as previously notified.

The 19th February 1875.

No. 184 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant-Colonel Franklin Phillips Mignon, of the Bombay Staff Corps, is promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet from the 21st January 1875, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 31st January 1859, clause 10, and the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, paragraph 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 185 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following temporary appointments in the Military Account Department:—

Colonel A. E. Osborne, 2nd Examiner, Pay Department, to officiate as 1st Examiner, Pay Department, on the departure on furlough to Europe of Colonel O. Hamilton, and during the absence on furlough to Europe of Lieutenant Colonel H. P. Williams, or until further orders.

Captain C. F. Thomas, Officiating Deputy Paymaster, Presidency Circle, to officiate as 2nd Examiner, Pay Department, as a temporary arrangement, or until further orders, *vice* Colonel Osborne.

No. 186 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) John Robert McMullin, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 1st Regiment of Native Infantry,—for one year eleven months and twenty days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868, embarking on or after the 20th March 1875.

Major Swinton John Browne, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd in Command, and Wing Officer, 6th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 187 *of* 1875.—The services of Lieutenants H. W. Duperier and T. P. Cather, of the Royal Engineers (Imperial Establishment), are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 15*th February* 1875.

No. 61.—Mr. F. P. Quinlan assumed charge of his duties as Assistant Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Calcutta, on the forenoon of the 17th January 1875.

No. 62.—The transfer of Mr. (late Sub-Conductor) G. Stock, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, from British Burmah to Assam (Public Works Department Notification No. 531, dated 24th September 1874), is cancelled.

No. 63.—Mr. H. J. R. DeSalis, Assistant Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Calcutta, is posted to the Office of the Controller of Public Works Accounts, Bengal, during the absence of Mr. A. Wilson, Assistant Controller, or until further orders.

No. 64.—The following promotions are made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment under the Director of State Railways:—

From 10*th September* 1874.

Mr. H. Mann, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, Holkar State Railway, to Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade.

Mr. N. Hecquet, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, Rajpootana State Railway, to Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade.

Sergeant J. Robinson, Overseer, 1st Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, to Supervisor, 2nd Grade.

Sergeant P. Kearns, Overseer, 1st Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, to Supervisor, 2nd Grade.

From 11*th September* 1874.

Mr. J. N. Robinson, Supervisor, 1st Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, to Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade.

The 16*th February* 1875.

No. 66.—Lieutenant W. S. S. Bisset, R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, and Officiating Deputy Consulting Engineer to Government of India for Guaranteed Railways, Calcutta, is confirmed in the latter appointment, with effect from the date of transfer of Captain Shepherd to the North-Western Provinces Provincial Establishment.

The 17*th February* 1875.

No. 67.—The orders of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, dismissing Mr. R. A. Harman, Overseer, 1st Grade, Mysore, from the Public Works Department, are confirmed.

No. 68.—Mr. A. Colquhoun, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is transferred, as a temporary measure, from the British Burmah Provincial Establishment to the Rangoon and Irrawaddie Valley State Railway, with effect from the 9th September 1874.

No. 69.—Corporal C. Lewis, Probationary Overseer, 1st Grade, Military Works Branch, is confirmed in his appointment.

The 18*th February* 1875.

No. 71.—Mr. W. August, Accountant, 4th Grade, Assam, is dismissed from the Public Works Department from the date on which he absented himself from duty without leave.

No. 72.—Lieutenant W. J. LeBreton, B. S. C., Officiating Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Bombay, is appointed to officiate as Controller of Public Works Accounts at Bombay, until further orders.

Captain A. G Begbie, R. E., Deputy Controller of Public Works Accounts, Bengal, and Officiating Assistant Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Bengal, is appointed to officiate as Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts at Bombay, until further orders.

The 19*th February* 1875.

No. 73.—Captain I. P. Westmorland, R. E., and Captain L. Conway-Gordon, R. E., respectively made over and received charge of the office of Controller of Public Works Accounts, Punjab, on the afternoon of the 22nd January 1875.

No. 74.—ERRATUM.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 537 of 28th September 1874, confirming Mr. O'Donoghue in his appointment as 4th Grade Accountant, Hyderabad, for "4th April 1874," substitute "4th April 1873."

No. 75.—Public Works Department Notification No. 590 of the 31st October 1874, transferring Captain M. A. Alves, R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, from the Military Works Branch to Mysore, is cancelled.

TELEGRAPH.

The 15*th February* 1875.

No. 65.—Mr. J. C. Douglas, Assistant Superintendent, 1st Grade, is appointed to officiate as a Superintendent, 3rd Grade, with effect from the 30th January 1875, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. H. E. Thompson, Superintendent, 2nd Grade, or until further orders.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 15*th February* 1875.

No. 550 *P.*

The following instructions issued to the Commission appointed to investigate the charges against His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar of Baroda are published for general information:—

To

The Honourable Sir Richard Couch, Knight Bachelor, and Chief Justice of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal;

His Highness Mookhtar-ool-Moolk, Azeem-ool-Iktidar, Rufi-oos-Shan, Wala Shikoh, Mohtashim-i-Douran, Oomdut-ool-Oomrah, Maharaja Dheeraj, Alijah Maharaja Jeeajee Rao Sindiah Bahadoor, Sreenath, Munsoor-i-Zaman, Fidvee-i-Huzrut Malikah-i-Mooazuma, Rafi-ood-Durjeh-i-Inglistan, Maharaja of Gwalior, Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India;

His Highness Siramad-i-Rajaha-i-Hindoostan, Raj Rajender Sree Maharaja Dheeraj Sewaee Ram Sing Bahadoor, Maharaja of Jeypoor, Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India;

Colonel Sir Richard John Meade, Knight Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, and Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg;

Raja Sir Dinkur Rao, Knight Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India; and

Phillip Sandys Melville, Esquire, of the Bengal Civil Service, and a Commissioner in the Punjab.

WHEREAS an attempt has been made at Baroda to poison Colonel R. Phayre, C.B., the late British Resident at the Court of His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar; AND WHEREAS the following offences are imputed against the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar, that is to say:—

I.—That the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar did by his agents and in person hold secret communications for improper purposes with some of the servants employed by Colonel Phayre, the Resident at Baroda, or attached to the Residency;

II.—That the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar gave bribes to some of those servants, or caused such bribes to be given;

III.—That his purposes in holding such communications and giving such bribes were to use the said servants as spies upon Colonel Phayre, and thereby improperly to obtain information of secrets, and to cause injury to Colonel Phayre, or to remove him by means of poison;

IV.—That in fact an attempt to poison Colonel Phayre was made by persons instigated thereto by the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar;

AND WHEREAS the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council has temporarily assumed the administration of the Baroda State for the purpose of instituting a public enquiry into the truth of the said imputations, and of affording His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar an opportunity of freeing himself from the grave suspicion which attaches to him:

THEREFORE the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council appoints you the said Sir Richard Couch, you the said Maharaja of Gwalior, you the said Maharaja of Jeypoor, you the said Sir Richard John Meade, you the said Sir Dinkur Rao, and you the said Phillip Sandys Melville, Esquire, to be Commissioners for the purpose of enquiring into the truth of the said imputations and of reporting to the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council how far the same are true to the best of your judgment and belief. And the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council appoints you the said Sir Richard Couch to be the President of this Commission, with full power to appoint times and places of meeting, to adjourn meetings, to adjust and arrange the method of procedure, to settle the course which the enquiry shall take, to call for and to receive or reject evidence documentary or otherwise, to hear such persons as you shall think fit on behalf either of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council or of His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar, and generally to guide the whole course of the proceedings of this Commission as from time to time shall appear to you to be proper for the purpose thereof.

AND WHEREAS certain other matters of importance pending between the British Government and His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar were enquired into and reported upon by a Commission appointed by the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council by orders dated 23rd October 1873; AND WHEREAS the enquiry which you are appointed to make is not connected with such matters: For the better understanding of your functions, the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council hereby declares his desire that you shall not extend your enquiry to other matters than the offences imputed to His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar as aforesaid, and that you shall not permit any such other matters to be submitted to you for consideration or enquiry.

And the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council desires that, in the event of any of your number being prevented by sickness or other cause from taking his place as Commissioner, or from remaining as Commissioner till the conclusion of your enquiry, you the other Commissioners shall nevertheless conduct and complete your enquiry in the same way as if the number of Commissioners present or remaining were the whole number appointed hereby.

And the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council hereby appoints John Jardine, Esquire, of the Bombay Civil Service, to be your Secretary.

By Order of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—CUSTOMS AND SALT.

Fort William, the 22nd February 1875.

No. 57.—Mr. W. Synnott, Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Inland Customs, is granted three months' privilege leave from the 20th March next, or any later date on which he may avail himself of it.

SURVEYS.

The 24th February 1875.

No. 139.—Captain F. W. Major, Assistant Superintendent, 2nd Grade, Mysore Revenue Survey, is promoted to the 1st Grade, with effect from the 5th January 1875.

G. H. M. BATTEN,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

Fort William, the 22nd February 1875.

No. 305.—With the sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Chief Commissioner of Coorg is pleased to declare, under Section 3 of the Scheduled Districts Act, 1874, that the said Act is in force in the Chief Commissionership of Coorg.

No. 306.—With the sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Chief Commissioner of Coorg is pleased to extend, under Section 5 of the Scheduled Districts Act, 1874, to the Chief Commissionership of Coorg the Act of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council, No. I of 1873 (an Act to prevent the indiscriminate destruction of wild elephants).

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 23rd February 1875.

No. 169.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. J. Crawfurd, B.A., of the Bengal Civil Service, to officiate as Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department during the absence of Mr. T. J. Chichele Plowden, or until further orders.

No. 176.—Mr. C. F. Anderson, District Superintendent of Police in the Central Provinces, has obtained twenty months' leave on medical certificate, with effect from the 1st instant.

No. 178.—An extension of six months' leave on medical certificate has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to Mr. G. Graham, of the Bengal Civil Service.

The 25th February 1875.

No. 179.—The following List of Civil Servants on the Bengal Establishment, absent on furlough, special or subsidiary leave, on the 31st December 1874, is published for general information :—

No.	Names.	Substantive Appointment.	Date of commencement of Furlough or Leave.	Date of expiry of Furlough or Leave.
		GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.		
		FURLOUGH.		
1	HON'BLE F. A. B. GLOVER (a)	Judge of the High Court, Calcutta ...	April 15, 1874	April 14, 1875
2	A. M. MONTEATH ...	Director General of the Post Office of India ...	Mar. 10, 1873	Mar. 9, 1875
3	D. M. BARBOUR ...	Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Financial Department.	Oct. 19, 1874	Dec. 18, 1875
		SPECIAL LEAVE.		
4	F. C. DAUKES ...	Senior Attaché in the Foreign Department ...	Nov. 9, 1874	May 8, 1875
		LOWER PROVINCES.		
		FURLOUGH.		
1	S. WAUCHOPE ...	Judge of Dinagepore ...	Oct. 28, 1873	Oct. 27, 1875
2	A. HOPE ...	Judge of Chittagong ...	April 7, 1873	April 6, 1875
3	J. A. CRAWFORD ...	Collector of Customs, Calcutta ...	April 13, 1874	April 12, 1876
4	H. A. COCKERELL ...	Commissioner of Chittagong ...	June 12, 1874	Dec. 11, 1875
5	H. HANKEY ...	Magistrate and Collector, Moorshedabad ...	April 13, 1874	Oct. 12, 1875
6	F. M. HALLIDAY ...	Magistrate and Collector, Tirhoot ...	Mar. 1874	Oct. 1875
7	H. BELL ...	Supdt. and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs ...	Aug. 12, 1873	Aug. 11, 1875
8	F. G. MILLETT (b) ...	Out of employ ...	Mar. 14, 1873	Mar. 13, 1875
9	A. B. FALCON ...	Magistrate and Collector, Bogra ...	Feb. 13, 1874	Feb. 12, 1876
10	H. F. J. KEAN ...	Magistrate and Collector, Chumparun ...	Aug. 11, 1874	Aug. 10, 1876
11	G. S. PARK (b) ...	Magistrate and Collector, Bankoora ...	Jan. 31, 1874	Jan. 30, 1875
12	G. GRAHAM (b) ...	Out of employ ...	Sept. 11, 1872	Mar. 10, 1875
13	R. H. WILSON ...	1st Inspector of Registration Offices ...	Oct. 27, 1873	Oct. 26, 1875
14	A. MACKENZIE ...	Junior Secretary, Government of Bengal ...	May 20, 1874	Nov. 19, 1875
15	E. H. RUDDOCK ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	Nov. 1, 1874	Oct. 31, 1876
16	J. R. HALLETT ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	Aug. 11, 1874	Aug. 10, 1876
17	H. W. GORDON ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	May 6, 1874	Dec. 19, 1875
18	G. J. S. HODGKINSON ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	...	...
19	J. G. CHIRLES ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	May 20, 1874	Nov. 19, 1875
20	J. SCOBELL ARMSTRONG ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	...	...
21	R. M. WALLER ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	May 11, 1874	Jan. 10, 1876
22	J. WHITMORE ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	Feb. 2, 1873	May 1, 1875
23	H. G. COOKE ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	Oct. 26, 1872	April 25, 1875
24	D. W. MARSDEN ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack ...	Feb. 16, 1871	Feb. 15, 1875
25	F. F. HANDLEY (b) ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	April 13, 1874	April 12, 1875
26	J. MCCARTHY ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	April 24, 1874	April 23, 1875
		SPECIAL LEAVE.		
1	R. J. RICHARDSON ...	Judge, Tirhoot ...	July 17, 1874	Jan. 16, 1875
2	J. GEOGHEGAN (a) ...	Magistrate and Collector, Beerbhoom ...	Sep. 19, 1874	Mar. 18, 1875
		NOTE.—Total absent ... 28 Total of Civil Servants employed in the Lower Provinces ... 244 Percentage of absentees ... 11·4		
		NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES.		
		FURLOUGH.		
1	W. A. FORBES (b) ...	Commissioner of Revenue ...	April 14, 1873	Oct. 13, 1874
2	R. M. EDWARDS (c) ...	Commissioner of Jhansi ...	Dec. 1, 1873	Nov. 30, 1874
3	W. R. BENSON (d) ...	Magistrate and Collector ...	Nov. 17, 1873	Nov. 16, 1874
4	W. C. PLOWDEN ...	Magistrate and Collector ...	Nov. 17, 1873	Nov. 16, 1875
5	H. D. WILLOCK ...	Magistrate and Collector ...	Nov. 23, 1874	Nov. 10, 1876
6	D. C. HALKETT ...	Joint Magistrate, 1st Grade ...	May 11, 1874	Nov. 10, 1875
7	P. WIGRAM (e) ...	None ...	April 27, 1874	Oct. 26, 1874
8	A. COLVIN ...	Secretary, Board of Revenue, N.-W. Provinces ...	Jan. 12, 1874	Jan. 11, 1876
9	F. E. ELLIOT (f) ...	Joint Magistrate, 1st Grade ...	Oct. 1874	Oct. 1876
10	T. B. TRACY ...	Joint Magistrate, 1st Grade ...	Mar. 16, 1874	Mar. 15, 1875
11	G. E. WARD ...	Joint Magistrate, 2nd Grade ...	Mar. 13, 1874	Nov. 12, 1875
12	G. ADAMS ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	April 1, 1874	Oct. 31, 1875
13	A. C. TUPP ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	April 6, 1874	Dec. 5, 1875
14	W. E. NEALE ...	Assistant Settlement Officer, 1st Grade ...	April 27, 1874	Feb. 26, 1876
15	H. M. ROGERS ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	June 20, 1874	June 19, 1875
16	G. BUTT ...	Assistant Settlement Officer, 1st Grade ...	April 20, 1874	Oct. 19, 1875
17	G. E. LOW ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	Nov. 30, 1874	Sep. 29, 1876
18	W. T. MARTIN ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ...	Oct. 5, 1874	Oct. 4, 1875
		SPECIAL LEAVE. *Nil.*		
		NOTE.—Total absent ... 18 Total of Civil Servants employed in the N. W. Provinces ... 187 Percentage of absentees ... 9·6		

(a) Since returned.
(b) Granted 6 months' extension by the Secretary of State.
(c) Granted 24 days' extension by the Secretary of State.
(d) Granted 11 months' extension by the Secretary of State.
(e) Granted 3 months' extension by the Secretary of State.
(f) Date of departure not known.

No.	Names.	Substantive Appointment.	Date of commencement of Furlough or Leave.	Date of expiry of Furlough or Leave.
		PUNJAB.		
		FURLOUGH.		
1	J. S. CAMPBELL ...	Judge, Chief Court, Punjab ...	Jan. 19, 1874	Jan. 18, 1875
2	D. C. MACNABB ...	Commissioner and Superintendent ...	April 1874	April 1876
3	J. B. LYALL (a) ...	Settlement Commissioner ...	April 16, 1874	Dec. 29, 1874
4	LEPEL H. GRIFFIN ...	Under Secretary to Government, Punjab ...	April 7, 1873	April 6, 1875
5	B. H. BADEN-POWELL ...	Conservator of Forests, Punjab ...	May 1, 1874	April 30, 1876
6	G. M. OGILVIE ...	Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class ...	April 2, 1874	April 1, 1876
7	A. H. BENTON ...	Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class ...	May 1874	Aug. 1875
8	F. D'OLBERT BULLOCK ...	Judge, Small Cause Court, 1st Class ...	Mar. 1, 1874	Feb. 29, 1876
9	J. W. GARDINER ...	Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class ...	Mar. 30, 1874	Nov. 29, 1875
		SPECIAL LEAVE. *Nil.*		
		NOTE.—Total absent ... 9 Total of Civil Servants employed in the Punjab ... 84 Percentage of absentees ... 10·71		
		OUDH.		
		FURLOUGH.		
1	J. WOODBURN ...	Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Grade ...	Nov. 3, 1873	Nov. 2, 1875
		SPECIAL LEAVE. *Nil.*		
		NOTE.—Total absent ... 1 Total of Civil Servants employed in Oudh ... 26 Percentage of absentees ... 3·84		
		CENTRAL PROVINCES.		
		FURLOUGH.		
1	C. GRANT (b) ...	Commissioner, Jabalpur Division, furlough for 20 months.		
2	J. H. FISHER ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, North-Western Provinces, and Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, in the Central Provinces.	April 24, 1874	Dec. 23, 1875
3	J. W. TAWNEY ...	Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class ...	June 5, 1874	June 4, 1875
4	T. E. ELLISON ...	Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class ...	Mar. 31, 1873	Mar. 30, 1875
		SPECIAL LEAVE. *Nil.*		
		NOTE.—Total absent ... 4 Total of Civil Servants employed in the Central Provinces ... 27 Percentage of absentees ... 14·8		
		BRITISH BURMAH. *Nil.*		
		MYSORE AND COORG. *Nil.*		
		HYDERABAD *Nil.*		
		ASSAM. *Nil.*		
		NOTE.—Grand Total of absentees ... ... 64 Grand Total of Civil Servants employed on the Bengal Establishment ... ... 630 Percentage of absentees ... ... 10·15		

(a) Since returned. Granted subsidiary leave from 30th December 1874 to 29th January 1875.
(b) On subsidiary leave from March 9, 1874. Date of departure not reported.

No. 180.—APPOINTMENT.—Major M. Proctor, District Superintendent of Police, 4th Grade, in Oudh, to officiate as District Superintendent of the 3rd Grade, with effect from the 12th January last.

No. 182.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. J. Prince, District Superintendent of Police, 5th Grade, in Oudh, to officiate as District Superintendent of the 4th Grade, with effect from the 6th instant, during the absence on furlough of Mr. J. Burton, or until further orders.

The 26th February 1875.

No. 184.—Mr. J. Crawfurd, B. A., of the Bengal Civil Service, received charge of the office of Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department from Mr. T. J. Chichele Plowden on the afternoon of the 23rd instant.

No. 186.—APPOINTMENTS.—Baron John Bentinck and Mr. Lewis Gordon, Extra Assistant Commissioners of the 3rd Class, 2nd Grade, in the Punjab, to be Assistant Commissioners of the 4th Grade in British Burma.

No. 189.—The services of Colonel G. G. Moxon, District Superintendent of Police in the Central Provinces, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 1st instant.

No. 192.—The appointments made by Home Department Notification No. 74, dated the 26th ultimo, in the Central Provinces Police, will take effect from the 1st instant, instead of the 15th ultimo.

No. 194.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. B. Walton, District Superintendent of Police in the Central Provinces, are replaced at the dis-

posal of the Military Department, with effect from the 4th instant.

No. 197.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. T. R. Redfern, C. S., Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade in Oudh, to officiate as Assistant Settlement Officer for the Kheri District, with effect from the date of his taking over charge of the office.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 26th February 1875.

No. 62.—The services of the Revd. A. N. W. Spens, a Junior Chaplain on the Bengal Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 64.—The services of the Revd. Edgar Jacob, domestic Chaplain to the Lord Bishop of Calcutta, are temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 1st instant.

No. 66.—The Revd. W. H. Bray, whose services have been placed by the Government of Bengal at the disposal of the Home Department, is appointed to officiate temporarily as domestic Chaplain to the Lord Bishop of Calcutta, with effect from the 14th instant.

MEDICAL.

The 22nd February 1875.

No. 114.—The services of Assistant Surgeon Doorga Doss Sein are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces.

The 23rd February 1875.

No. 122.—APPOINTMENT.—Surgeon A. Crombie, M. D., to be Junior Civil Surgeon of Rangoon.

This cancels Notification No. 88, dated the 5th instant.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 22nd February 1875.

No. 672*P*.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. John Ogilvy Hay as Consul General for Denmark at Akyab.

No. 673*P*.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. R. F. Denso as Consul for the Netherlands at Kurrachee.

The 24th February 1875.

No. 709*P*.—In recognition of the meritorious services rendered to Govetnment by Mr. Eduljee Pestonjee, of the Commissariat Department at Mhow, the Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to confer upon him the title of "Khan Bahadoor," as a personal distinction.

The 25th February 1875.

No. 734*P*.—Mr. J. Jardine, of the Bombay Civil Service, Acting Registrar of the Bombay High Court, Appellate Side, is appointed to be Secretary to the Commission of Enquiry into the charges against His Highness Mulhar Rao Guikwar of Baroda, with effect from the 17th instant.

GENERAL.

The 22nd February 1875.

No. 359*G*.—LEAVE.—Captain F. Elton, 1st Assistant to the Political Agent at Zanzibar, had leave of absence on medical certificate from the 8th June to the 22nd October 1874, both dates inclusive.

No. 360*G*.—APPOINTMENT.—With reference to the above Notification, Mr. F. Holmwood, 2nd Assistant to the Political Agent at Zanzibar, acted as 1st Assistant to the Political Agent during Captain Elton's absence.

No. 363*G*.—APPOINTMENT.—Captain P. W. Smith, Adjutant of the Deoli Irregular Force, to be Station Staff Officer from 18th January 1875, *vice* Lieutenant J. N. S. Kirkwood.

No. 364*G*.—Captain W. J. W. Muir, Political Agent of the 3rd Class, is posted to Rajpootana to officiate as Political Agent of the Eastern States.

Captain A. W. Roberts, Political Assistant of the 1st Class and Officiating Political Agent of the 3rd Class, is posted to Central India as Officiating Cantonment Magistrate at Morar.

Captain H. M. B. Burlton, Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, and Officiating Supernumerary Political Agent of the 3rd Class and Officiating Cantonment Magistrate at Morar, reverts to his substantive appointment as Assistant Cantonment Magistrate at Morar and to the 3rd Class of Political Assistants.

Lieutenant H. O. Woodhouse, Officiating Assistant Cantonment Magistrate at Morar, reverts to his substantive appointment in the 9th Regiment, N. I.

The 26th February 1875.

No. 382*G*.—APPOINTMENT.—Lieutenant Colonel J. D. Hall, 2nd Squadron Officer of the 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse, to officiate as 2nd in Command of that Regiment *vice* Captain Bannerman, who reverts to his substantive appointment of 2nd Squadron Officer of the 1st Regiment, Central India Horse.

No. 384*G*.—Captain J. R. McK. Homfray, of the Bhopal Battalion, held charge of the Sehore Treasury in addition to his own duties from the 12th November 1874 to the 7th February 1875, both days inclusive, during the absence on duty of the Officiating Political Agent in Bhopal.

No. 385*G*.—APPOINTMENT.—Lieutenant the Hon'ble J. P. Napier, of Her Majesty's 10th Hussars, whose services were placed at the disposal of this Department on 15th current, to officiate on probation as 2nd Squadron Subaltern of the 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse, with effect from the above date.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.—LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

Fort William, the 26th February 1875.

No. 1348.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the insertion of the following note under rule 4 under Section 27 of the Civil Leave Code:—

"*This rule applies to Military Officers in Civil employ.*"

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 20th February 1875.

No. 188 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate under the Regulations of 1868, in anticipation of the furlough which will be granted to him by the Government of his own Presidency:—

Captain Thomas Ormsby Underwood, of the Madras Staff Corps, 2nd Squadron Officer, 4th Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force.

The 22nd February 1875.

No. 189 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Captain Thomas James Quin, of the General List, Infantry, Extra Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class, Jalaun, North-Western Provinces,—for eight months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

The 23rd February 1875.

No. 190 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant Colonel John Moore Graham, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Grade Deputy Commissioner, Darrang, Assam,—for twenty months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

This cancels G. G. O. No. 159 of the 15th February 1875.

No. 191 *of* 1875.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 1211, dated 23rd December 1874, and in modification of G. G. O. No. 96 of 29th January 1874, the following table of rates of pay admissible in India to Pay Master Sergeants and Orderly Room Sergeants of Her Majesty's British Forces, is published for information.

2. Orderly Room Sergeants of Field Brigades of Artillery, who may have been appointed to the service prior to the 16th February 1874, will continue to receive the rates of pay now in force.

RANK.	FOR A MONTH OF			
	28 days. Gross Pay.	29 days. Gross Pay.	30 days. Gross Pay.	31 days. Gross Pay.
Royal Horse Artillery.				
Regimental Orderly Room Sergeant	43 8 11	45 1 9	46 10 8	48 3 7
After 3 years' uninterrupted service in the rank...	51 0 4	52 13 6	54 10 8	56 7 10
After 5 years' uninterrupted service in the rank...	53 8 2	55 6 9	57 5 4	59 3 11
Field and Garrison Artillery.				
Regimental Orderly Room Sergeant	41 1 1	42 8 6	44 0 0	45 7 6
After 3 years' uninterrupted service in the rank...	48 8 6	50 4 3	52 0 0	53 11 9
After 5 years' uninterrupted service in the rank...	51 0 4	52 13 6	54 10 8	56 7 10
Cavalry.				
Pay Master Sergeant and Regimental Orderly Room Sergeant ...	33 9 7	34 12 10	36 0 0	37 3 2
After 3 years' uninterrupted service in the rank...	41 1 1	42 8 6	44 0 0	45 7 6
After 5 years' uninterrupted service in the rank...	43 8 11	45 1 9	46 10 8	48 3 7
Infantry.				
Pay Master Sergeant and Regimental Orderly Room Sergeant ...	28 9 11	29 10 4	30 10 8	31 11 0
After 3 years' uninterrupted service in the rank...	36 1 5	37 6 1	38 10 8	39 15 3
After 5 years' uninterrupted service in the rank...	38 9 3	39 15 3	41 5 4	42 11 5

NOTE.—The new rates will be subject to the prescribed grocery and hospital stoppages to prevent any possible misapprehension.

No. 192 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate:—

Surgeon Robert Moodie, M. B., of the Medical Department,—for two years, under the Regulations of 1868 (Rule IX, Note II).

No. 193 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have been permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Captain Richard Graham Birch, of the late 1st European Bengal Light Cavalry,—for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain (Brevet Major) Charles Ellison Bates, of the Bengal Staff Corps,—for one year, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 194 *of* 1875.—The following Hospital Assistants passed their English qualification examination according to the test laid down in G. G. O. No. 945 of the 7th October 1868, on the dates specified against their respective names:—

NAMES.	Date of Rank.	Date of passing the examination in English according to the new test.
2nd Class Hospital Assistants.		
Gunga Sehai ...	Oct. 1, 1863	Oct. 1, 1874.
Abdool Hakeem ...	April 15, 1865	Dec. 5, 1874.
3rd Class Hospital Assistant.		
Chunder Bhan ...	May 1, 1873	Nov. 1, 1874.

No. 195 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their return from England :—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) J. C. P. Baillie, of Infantry, District Superintendent of Police, Punjab,—date of arrival at Bombay, 18th February 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel E. J. Wild, of Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 18th February 1875.

Major M. M. Procter, of the Bengal Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, 4th Grade, Oudh,—date of arrival at Bombay, 29th December 1874. (Date of departure on furlough, 4th April 1872.)

Captain W. J. W. Muir, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Political Agent, 3rd Class, Rajpootana Agency,—date of arrival at Bombay, 18th February 1875.

No. 196 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified :—

Major R. D. Osborn, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 1089 of 1874,—*Tanjore*, 15th February 1875, from Bombay.

Captain J. E. W. Howey, of the General List Infantry, G. G. O. No. 1231 of 1874,—*Columbo*, 9th February 1875, from Calcutta.

Captain W. H. Beckett, of the General List Infantry, G. G. O. No. 141 of 1875,—*Asia*, 18th February 1875, from Bombay.

No. 197 *of* 1875.—The following native medical pupils passed their English qualification examination according to the test laid down in G. G. O. No. 945 of the 7th October 1868, on the dates specified against their respective names :—

General Number.	Names.	Date of passing the examination in English according to the new test.
826	Shaikh Mahomed Buksh ...	Nov. 4, 1874.
673	Chutter Singh	Dec. 10, 1874.
675	Nund Lal	Feb. 10, 1875.

No. 198 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Captain Andrew Harry Spencer Neill, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Adjutant, 1st Regiment, Central India Horse,—for twenty months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

The 24th February 1875.

No. 199 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Surgeon Lionel Dixon Spencer, M. D., of the Medical Department, in medical charge, Political Agency, Bhurtpore,—for nineteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 200 *of* 1875.—Surgeon Major John Bowmer Collison, of the Medical Department, is permitted to retire from the service on a pension of £220 per annum, with effect from the 5th April 1875.

No. 201 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Royal Engineers, who have been placed under orders for duty in the Bengal Presidency, reported their arrival on the dates specified :—

Lieutenant J. H. C. Harrison,—date of arrival at Bombay, 10th February 1875.

Lieutenants H. W. Smith and J. C. L. Campbell,—date of arrival at Bombay, 17th February 1875.

No. 202 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

1st Punjab Infantry.

Captain H. W. Pitcher, V. C., 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, to officiate as Commandant during the absence on furlough to Europe of Major F. J. Keen, or until further orders.

Captain A. Vallings, Adjutant, to officiate as 2nd in Command and Wing Officer *vice* Captain H. W. Pitcher, V. C.

Captain H. Howell, Quarter Master, to officiate as Wing Officer during the absence on furlough to Europe of Captain T. Higginson, or until further orders.

Captain H. F. Showers, 1st Wing Subaltern, to officiate as Quarter Master, in addition to his other duties, *vice* Captain H. Howell, or until further orders.

Lieutenant L. R. H. D. Campbell, 2nd Wing Subaltern, to continue to officiate as Adjutant, in addition to his other duties, *vice* Captain A. Vallings, or until further orders.

No. 203 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer has reported his return from England :—

Major B. Rogers, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Superintendent of Port Blair,—date of arrival at Bombay, 20th January 1875. (Date of departure on furlough, 8th May 1872).

No. 204 *of* 1875.—Major B. Rogers, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Superintendent of Port Blair, is allowed an extension of leave from the 8th to the 20th January 1875, the date on which he reported his return to India from the furlough to Europe granted to him by G. G. O. No. 498 of 1872.

No. 205 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

3rd Sikh Infantry.

Lieutenant C. H. M. Smith, of the 70th Foot, on probation, 3rd Sikh Infantry, to be 2nd Wing Subaltern, on probation, *vice* Lieutenant T. J. Bailey, resigned, and to officiate as 1st Wing Subaltern during the period Captain W. B. Aislabie may officiate as Wing Officer, or until further orders.

The 25th February 1875.

No. 206 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 72 of 19th January 1875, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify that the shoeing allowance referred to in para. 5 will be twelve annas per mensem for each horse, and that rupees five per mensem will be granted for fuel, &c., for carriage work. These allowances will be paid to the Farrier Sergeants of Batteries.

2. The following rules for the supply and repair of harness, saddlery, and line gear for batteries of Royal Horse and Field Artillery will take effect from the 1st April 1875.

3. The equipments of the Royal Artillery in India, and materials of all kinds for keeping them in serviceable condition, will be supplied at the expense of the State. Each battery of artillery will indent on the Arsenal on which it is dependent for the supplies necessary to complete its authorized proportion of Ordnance Stores and materials for repair.

4. Indents from batteries in the Bengal Presidency to complete equipment will be prepared in the form and on the dates laid down in G. O. No. 358 of 1870, and those for materials for repair in the form and on the dates given in this order, and from batteries in the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay in the forms and on the dates to be determined on by the Governments of those Presidencies.

5. In the Bengal Presidency all indents, other than emergent, will be forwarded for sanction to the Ordnance Office, Fort William, addressed to the Assistant to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, whence they will be sent for compliance to the Arsenal on which the battery is dependent.

6. The rules for emergent indents in Bengal are fully detailed in paras. 2834 to 2840, Revised Army Regulations.

7. Such stores as are authorized by this order to be obtained in the local market, will be purchased by officers commanding batteries, and contingent bills for the cost incurred, supported by the station price current of materials and labor, under the signature of the officer in charge of the principal sudder bazar, will be forwarded to the Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, for adjustment.

8. Officers commanding batteries will account, in the half-yearly returns submitted to the Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, for all stores thus obtained either on indent or by local purchase.

9. All stores in use, the property of officers commanding batteries, which have been obtained by them on payment from Arsenals or the local market, on their present contract allowances, will be taken over by Government at a valuation to be decided on by a Committee of Officers.

10. Special Committees will be convened on an early date at each station to report on the condition of the entire equipment of Royal Horse Artillery and Field Batteries. These Committees will be assembled in Bengal under the orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief and in Madras and Bombay by direction of the Governments of those Presidencies. All deficiencies of component parts are to be brought to notice, and any and every article of equipment not in serviceable condition, or that requires repair, should be carefully noted and reported on.

11. The periods during which the various articles of equipment have been in use will be taken into consideration, and the Committee will record their opinion whether they will last the full time of service, or not. In the latter case, the Committee will state the reasons, whether from use or otherwise, which, as far as can be ascertained, will lead to their earlier condemnation. Articles of line gear must be of a suitable description and in serviceable condition.

12. Materials for repair, and surplus stores of a suitable description which are in hand, the property of officers commanding batteries, will be carefully examined, weighed, counted or measured in the presence of the Committee. The value of the articles will be noted, and to enable the Committee to arrive at a just valuation, a certificate will be furnished signed by the officer commanding the battery, showing the actual cost incurred for all such materials obtained by him locally.

13. Stores supplied by the Ordnance Department will be rated by the Examiner, Ordnance Accounts—the actual payments made by officers being refunded for all stores thus obtained which are reported to be serviceable.

14. Bills supported by the proceedings of such Committees will be forwarded to the Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, for adjustment.

15. Materials for the repair of saddle-trees, and repair and preservation of harness and saddlery, will be issued in the following proportions :—

REPAIR OF SADDLE-TREES.

			Annual supply for repair of			
			8	12	20	50
			Saddle-trees.	Saddle-trees.	Saddle-trees.	Saddle-trees.
For Universal Saddle-trees.						
Arches, wood	Front	-	1	1	1	3
	Hind	-	1	1	1	3
Bars, wood, side	Near	-	1	1	1	3
	Off	-	1	1	1	3
Bars, iron, with rivet and roller	-	-	1	1	1	3
Glue, common	-	ozs.	2	3	5	12
Oil, linseed, raw	-	pints	$\frac{1}{32}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{16}$	$\frac{1}{8}$
Paper, glass	-	sheets	...	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	$1\frac{1}{2}$

REPAIR OF SADDLE-TREES—*continued.*

		Annual Supply for Repair of			
		8 Saddle-trees.	12 Saddle-trees.	20 Saddle-trees.	50 Saddle-trees.
For Universal Saddle-trees—*continued.*					
Plates, iron	Fan — Near	1	1	1	3
	Fan — Off	1	1	1	3
	Front	1	1	1	3
	Gullet	1	1	1	3
	Top and ring	1	1	1	3
Screws, iron, middling	1¾ inch	1	2	2	6
	1¼ "	1	2	2	6
	¾ "	1	2	2	6
Staples, iron	Cloak and plate	1	2	2	6
	Crupper	1	1	1	3
	Front	1	1	1	3
	Girth	1	2	2	6
	Holster or cloak	1	1	1	3
Tongues, wood		1	1	1	3
Wedges, wood		1	2	2	6
Wire, iron, for rivets No. 7, W. G.	ozs.	2	3	5	12

		Annual Supply for Repair of							
		8		12		20		50	
		Saddle-trees.		Saddle-trees.		Saddle-trees.		Saddle-trees.	
		Luggage.	Drivers.	Luggage.	Drivers.	Luggage.	Drivers.	Luggage.	Drivers.
For Luggage and Driving Saddle-trees.									
Arches, wood	Front	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Hind	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Bars, wood, side	Near	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Off	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Plates, iron	Crupper	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Front — Inside	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Front — Outside	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Gullet	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Top	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	3
	Top and hook	1	...	1	...	1	...	3	...
Rings	With bolts	1	...	2	...	2	...	6	...
	With staples	1	...	2	...	3	...	7	...
Screws, iron, middling.	1¾ inch	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
	1¼ "	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
	¾ "	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
Staples, iron	Crupper	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
	Flank	2	2	2	2	3	3	8	8
	Front	1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
	Girth	2	2	2	2	3	3	8	8
	Wallet — Inside	1	1	2	2	3	3	8	8
	Wallet — Outside	1	1	2	2	3	3	8	8
Tongues, wood		1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Troughs, iron, back band		1	...	1	...	1	...	2	...
Wedges, wood		1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
Wire, iron, for rivets No. 7 W. G.	oz.	2	2	3	3	5	5	12	12

Materials for the repair of saddle-trees for six months are carried in the store limber wagon.

MATERIALS FOR REPAIR AND PRESERVATION OF HARNESS AND SADDLERY.

		Annual Supply of Material for repair of					
		5	8	12	20	50	
		Sets of Saddlery.					
For Universal Saddlery.							
Basils	Black	¼	½	½	1	2	
	Brown Strained	½	½	¾	1¼	3	
Bits, Bridoon		1	1	1	2	3	
Bosses, brass	Bit	1	1	1	2	3	
	Breast-plate and crupper	1	1	1	2	3	
Buckles, iron, roller.	Barred — 1¼ inch	1	1	1	2	5	
	Barred — ⅞ "	2	2	3	5	12	
	Barred — 1 "	1	1	1	2	5	
	Single — 1¼ "	1	1	1	2	5	
	Stirrup leather, 1¼ inch	1	1	1	2	5	
Buckles, iron, tinned, inlet ¾ inch		1	1	1	1	3	For Numnahs.
Chains, curb		1	1	1	2	5	
Dubbing	lbs.	6	9	13½	23	56	
Hair, horse	"	1½	2¼	3½	6	14	
Hides, buffaloe	"	3	5	6	10	20	Pieces of new or part worn leather are issuable in lieu of hides, weight for weight.
Hides, cow	"	1	1	1	2	3	
Hooks, curb		1	1	1	2	5	
Ink for marking	pints	⅛	¼	¼	½	1	
Linen, brown, for lining	yds.	⅛	¼	¼	½	1	
Nails, iron tacks, Flemish black, No. 83,	lbs.	⅛	¼	⅜	½	1¼	
Numnah	Cuttings "	1	1¼	2	3	7	Both cuttings and felt not supplied.
	or Felt yds.	⅛	¼	⅜	½	1¼	
Rings, iron, 1¾ inch		1	1	1	1	2	
Saddle fittings	Burr's iron, galvanized	2	3	5	8	18	
	Flaps — pairs.	1	1	1	1	2	
	Girths, leather, O. P.	1	1	1	2	4	
	Rivets, Copper — Long	2	2	3	5	12	
	Rivets, Copper — Short	2	3	5	8	18	
	Screws for flaps, ⅝ inch	4	6	9	15	36	
	Seats	1	1	1	2	3	
	Tabs	1	1	1	2	3	
	Thongs, lacing	2	2	2	4	10	
Serge, milled, 40-inch — yds.		1	1¼	2	3	8	
Soap, soft		45	72	108	180	450	¾ lb. monthly per set of saddlery, or ½ lb. of hard soap.
Squares, head-collar, iron		1	1	1	2	5	
Studs, brass, wallets or head-stall		2	2	3	5	12	
Thread	Black — lbs.	1/16	⅛	⅛	¼	½	
	Flax "	¼	5/16	½	¾	2	
	Whited brown "	1/16	⅛	⅛	¼	½	
Twine, quilting	"	⅛	3/16	¼	½	1	
Wax	Bees "	1/16	1/16	1/16	⅛	¼	
	Black "	⅛	3/16	¼	½	1	
Web	Diaper, 2-inch yds.	¾	1	1½	2½	6	
	Straining, 3-inch "	½	½	¾	1¼	3	

		Double sets of Harness.					
Basils, brown, unstrained		5	8	12	20	48	
Bits, T, bridoon		1	1	2	3	6	
Bosses, brass bit		1	1	2	3	6	
Buckles, iron, roller	Barred — ¾ inch	1	1	2	3	7	
	Barred — ⅞ "	3	5	7	10	24	
	Barred — 1 "	2	2	2	4	10	
	Barred — 1¼ "	2	2	2	4	10	
	Barred — 1½ "	3	5	7	10	24	
	Barred — 2¼ " back and belly band	2	2	2	2	4	
	Single — ⅝ inch	2	2	2	4	10	
	Single — 1¼ "	2	2	3	5	12	
	Single — 2 "	1	2	2	3	7	
	Stirrup leather, 1¼ inch	1	1	2	3	7	

MATERIALS FOR REPAIR AND PRESERVATION OF HARNESS, &c.—*continued.*

		Annual Supply of Materials for Repair of					
		5	8	12	20	50	
		Double sets of Harness N. P.					
Buckles, iron, tinned, inlet ¾ inch		1	1	2	3	7	
Chains — Curb		2	2	2	4	9	
Chains — Trace, single — Lead		...	...	...	1	2	
Chains — Trace, single — Wheel		...	...	...	1	2	
Cord-whip	lbs.	¾	1	1½	2½	6	
Cordage, white, for traces, 3-inch	fathoms	1¾	2¾	4	6½	16	
Couples for traces		2	3	4	7	16	
Dubbing	lbs.	3	4½	6¾	11¼	28	
Fittings for Saddle-trees — Burrs, iron, galvanized		4	6	9	15	36	
Fittings for Saddle-trees — Cases, cloak		1	1	1	2	3	
Fittings for Saddle-trees — Flaps, pair — Drivers		1	1	1	1	2	
Fittings for Saddle-trees — Flaps, pair — Luggage		1	1	1	1	2	
Fittings for Saddle-trees — Rivets, Copper — Long		4	6	9	15	36	
Fittings for Saddle-trees — Rivets, Copper — Short		4	8	12	20	48	
Fittings for Saddle-trees — Screws for flaps, ⅝ inch		10	16	24	39	96	
Fittings for Saddle-trees — Seats, saddle — Drivers		1	1	1	1	3	
Fittings for Saddle-trees — Seats, saddle — Luggage		1	1	1	1	3	
Hair, horse	lbs.	3	4½	7	12	28	
Hides — Buffalo	No.	50	75	100	150	350	
Hides — Cow	No.	1	1½	2	2½	6	
Hides — „ white	„	1/16	1/16	⅛	¼	¾	
Hooks — Curb	„	2	2	2	4	10	
Hooks — Trace		...	...	1	2	4	
Ink for marking	pints	1/16	⅛	¼	½	1	
Nails, iron, tacks, Flemish black, No. 82	lbs.	¼	½	¾	1¼	2¾	
Numnah — Cuttings, or	„	2	2	4	6	14	Both cuttings and felt not supplied.
Numnah — Felt	yds.	¼	½	¾	1	2½	
Oil, sweet	gallons	1¾	2¾	4	6½	16	
Paint, prepared — Black, lamp	lbs.	1/16	⅛	¼	½	1	
Paint, prepared — Zinc, white	„	1/16	1/16	⅛	¼	½	
Pans, tin, for oil		1	1	1	2	4	
Rings, iron — 1 inch		1	1	2	3	7	
Rings, iron — 1¾ „		2	2	2	3	7	
Serge, milled, 40-inch	yds.	2	2½	4	6½	16	
Soap, soft	lbs.	90	144	216	360	900	¾ lb. monthly per single set of harness, or ½ lb. of hard soap.
Squares, head collar, iron		2	2	2	4	10	
Studs, brass, wallet or head collar		3	5	7	10	24	
Thread — Black, 3-cord	lbs.	⅛	¼	⅜	½	1	
Thread — Collar	„	⅜	9/16	¾	1¼	3	
Thread — Flax — Coarse	„	½	⅞	1¼	2⅛	5	
Thread — Flax — Fine	„	½	⅞	1¼	2⅛	5	
Thread — Whited brown	„	⅛	¼	⅜	½	1	
Twine, quilting	„	⅜	9/16	¾	1¼	3	
Wax — Bees	„	⅛	31/16	¼	7/16	1	
Wax — Black	„	½	1	¼	2	5	
Web — Diaper, 2-inch	yds.	1¼	2	3	5	12	
Web — Straining, 3-inch	„	¾	1	1½	2½	6	

16. Materials for the repair and preservation of harness and saddlery sufficient for six months' supply are to be carried in the store wagon.

17. In addition to the materials already detailed, the following will be kept as a reserve to be brought into use only should a sudden emergency arise. The officer commanding the battery will be held responsible that this reserve is always maintained, and that the articles are in good and serviceable condition.

18. With this view, stores should not be allowed to remain in reserve from year to year, as they would in course of time deteriorate; but on receipt of new articles, those longest in possession should be brought into use, and the new stores transferred to the reserve.

	Quantity. Field Battery.	Quantity. R. H. A. Battery.
Ghynee or cow hides specially prepared for lining collars	3	3
Buckles, iron, roller — Barred — ¾ inch	4	6
Buckles, iron, roller — Barred — ⅞ „	4	6
Buckles, iron, roller — Barred — 1 „	4	6
Buckles, iron, roller — Barred — 1¼ „	4	6
Buckles, iron, roller — Barred — 1½ „	4	6
Buckles, iron, roller — Barred — 2¼ „ back band	2	2
Buckles, iron, roller — Barred — 2½ „ belly band	2	2
Buckles, iron, roller — Single — ⅝ „	2	3
Buckles, iron, roller — Single — 1¼ „	4	6
Buckles, iron, roller — Single — 2 „	4	6
Chains, curb	3	4
Cord, whip — lbs.	½	¾
Hair, horse, or wool — „	2	3
Hides — Buffalo, heavy	½	½
Hides — Ditto, light	1½	1¾
Hooks, curb	3	4
Numnahs, old for repairs	2	3
Rings, iron — 1 inch	4	6
Rings, iron — 1¾ „	4	6
Rope, white, for traces, 3-inch — fathoms	3	3
Saddle fittings — Bars, iron, galvanized	6	9
Saddle fittings — Flaps — Pairs, Cavalry — pairs	...	1
Saddle fittings — Flaps — Luggage — „	1	1
Saddle fittings — Flaps — Driver — „	1	1
Saddle fittings — Girths, leather	1	2
Saddle fittings — Rivets, copper — Long	4	8
Saddle fittings — Rivets, copper — Short	6	12
Saddle fittings — Screws for flaps	12	24
Saddle fittings — Seats — Saddle	1	2
Saddle fittings — Seats — Luggage	1	1
Serge — yds.	6	9
Squares, iron, for head collar	2	3
Thread — Collar — lbs.	1	1
Thread — Hemp — „	3	4½
Thread — White — „	¼	½
Twine, quilting — „	½	½
Wax — Bees — lbs.	¼	½
Wax — Black — „	½	¾
Web, straining — yds.	2	3
Arches, wood — Cavalry — Front	1	2
Arches, wood — Cavalry — Hind	1	2
Arches, wood — Harness, driving — Front	1	1
Arches, wood — Harness, driving — Hind	1	1
Bars, Wood, Side — Cavalry — Near	1	2
Bars, Wood, Side — Cavalry — Off	1	2
Bars, Wood, Side — Harness, driving — Near	1	1
Bars, Wood, Side — Harness, driving — Off	1	1
Screws, iron, middling — 1¾ inch	6	12
Screws, iron, middling — 1¼ „	6	12
Screws, iron, middling — ¾ „	6	12

19. Indents for materials for repair of saddlery, harness and saddle-trees are to be submitted on 1st February, and 1st August, in the following form, in duplicate :—

INDENT FOR MATERIALS FOR THE REPAIR OF SADDLERY, HARNESS AND SADDLE-TREES REQUIRED BY THE

DATE _____

	Established proportion (six months' supply.)	In store, last return.	Since received.	TOTAL.	EXPENDED		Remaining in Store, 1st	Now indented for.
					For making new Articles.	For repairs.		

I certify that the whole of the articles shewn in the column as expended have been used in making repairs to harness and saddlery, the property of the public; and further, that all articles made from these materials have been duly brought on the returns of the battery.

Commanding.

20. These materials are issued solely for the repair of harness and saddlery, and not for the manufacture of new component portions.

21. Components can be obtained only on indents supported by proceedings of a Special Committee, which should state that repairs cannot be effected, and for what reasons.

22. Should the manufacture of any components be absolutely necessary, the work may be carried out, but a return of such articles made must accompany the half-yearly demand for materials, and the necessity for their manufacture be fully explained. In such cases the damaged articles will be sold by auction, or be returned into store, to the nearest arsenal, under instructions from the Ordnance Office.

23. All repairs to saddlery, harness and saddle-trees are to be carried out by the artificers attached to the battery.

24. The iron work of condemned harness and saddlery is invariably to be returned into store for utilization, as far as possible, in future manufacture, under instructions from the Inspector General of Ordnance.

25. The following stamps will be allowed for marking harness and saddlery :—

Stamps - { iron, for - { iron, $\frac{1}{8}$ inch. / wood or leather, $\frac{3}{16}$ inch. / copper inlaid $\frac{1}{2}$ inch.

26. The following are supplied of each of the above descriptions of stamp to every Royal Horse and Field Battery :—

Letter (according to distinguishing letter of the battery)	... ...	2
Royal Horse Artillery or Royal Artillery ...	... ...	2
Figures 0 to 8	sets	2

27. Leather work will be marked with $\frac{3}{16}''$ iron stamp, care being taken that the leather is not cut, but only bruised.

28. The iron work will be marked with $\frac{1}{8}''$ iron stamps, the Portsmouth bit in front of the foot, the bridoon bit on top of the mouth-piece, and the stirrup irons on the bottom.

29. The following is the list of materials for repair of carriages, wagons, carts, &c., issued with equipment, and such as are expended are to be replaced half-yearly by indent on the Ordnance Department :—

	BATTERIES.					REMARKS.
	RIFLED			S. B.		
	B. L.		M. L.			
	12-pr.	9-pr.	9-pr.	9-pr.	6-p.	
ORDNANCE.						
Bands, Axletree - - -	2	2	2	...	...	
Bolts, Carriage - - -	24	24	...	...	...	
Bolts with nuts. — Carriages and Wagons. — Wheel — Nave - - -	...	...	12	...	...	
Bolts with nuts. — Carriages and Wagons. — Wheel — Tire, with collars -	50	50	12	...	...	
Bolts with nuts. — Carriages and Wagons. — Round or Boss headed — $\frac{7}{8}''$ dr. $7\frac{3}{4}''$ long -	...	...	1	...	...	
Bolts with nuts. — Carriages and Wagons. — Do. $\frac{7}{8}''$ „ $10\frac{5}{8}''$ „ -	...	...	2	...	...	
Bolts with nuts. — Carriages and Wagons. — Hexagonal head — $\frac{3}{4}''$ „ $6\frac{3}{8}''$ „ -	...	...	2	...	...	
Bolts with nuts. — Carriages and Wagons. — Hexagonal head — $\frac{5}{8}''$ „ $1\frac{3}{4}''$ „ -	...	...	3	...	...	
Bolts with nuts. — Carriages and Wagons. — Hexagonal head — $\frac{1}{2}''$ „ $4\frac{5}{8}''$ „ -	...	...	3	...	...	
Bolts with nuts. — Carriages and Wagons. — Hexagonal head — $\frac{3}{8}''$ „ $3\frac{1}{2}''$ „ -	...	...	11	...	...	
Bolts with nuts. — Carriages and Wagons. — Flat Countersunk — $\frac{3}{8}''$ „ $4\frac{1}{2}''$ „ -	...	...	4	...	...	
Capsquares - - -	2	2	2	...	...	
Chains, Drag or Skid - -	2	2	2	2	2	
Drift Pin Steel - - -	2	2	...	2	2	
Eyes - { Perch plate ammunition wagon.	1	1	1	1	1	Including skid chain loop and 2 bolts.
Eyes - { Trail carriage - -	1	1	1	1	1	Including skid chain loop shoe, handspike with pin and chain.
Handles trail - - -	2	2	2	...	...	
Hooks limber with key and chain -	1	1	1	1	1	Including 3 bolts.
Irons handspike - - -	1	1	...	...	...	
Iron work spare for Carriage. — Angle for trail - $2'' \times 2'' \times \frac{3}{8}''$	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron work spare for Carriage. — Iron 3′ $8\frac{1}{2}''$ long (pieces) — Flat - $2'' \times \frac{1}{4}''$ -	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron work spare for Carriage. — Iron 3′ $8\frac{1}{2}''$ long (pieces) — Flat - $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times \frac{1}{8}''$ -	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron work spare for Carriage. — Iron 3′ $8\frac{1}{2}''$ long (pieces) — Flat - $1'' \times \frac{3}{8}''$ -	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron work spare for Carriage. — Iron 3′ $8\frac{1}{2}''$ long (pieces) — Plate - $\frac{1}{4}'' \times 6''$ wide	...	...	1	...	...	
Iron work spare for Carriage. — Iron 3′ $8\frac{1}{2}''$ long (pieces) — Round - $\frac{1}{8}''$ -	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron work spare for Carriage. — Iron 3′ $8\frac{1}{2}''$ long (pieces) — Round - $\frac{3}{4}''$ -	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron work spare for Carriage. — Iron 3′ $8\frac{1}{2}''$ long (pieces) — Round - $\frac{5}{8}''$ -	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron work spare for Carriage. — Iron 3′ $8\frac{1}{2}''$ long (pieces) — T for Futchells $3'' \times 2'' \times \frac{5}{16}''$ -	...	...	2	...	...	
Keys Capsquares with chains - -	4	4	6	...	...	
Lever traversing with pawl - -	...	...	1	...	...	
„ „ Screw - -	1	...	...	...	...	
Nut-headed Screws - - -	2	2	...	...	...	
Plates - { Jack - { Carriage -	2	2	...	...	...	
Plates - { Jack - { Wagon or Limber	2	2	...	...	...	
Plates - { Locking $7\frac{1}{2}'' \times 6'' \times \frac{1}{8}''$ -	2	2	...	...	...	
Rivets - { Flat Counter Sunk-head. $\frac{3}{8}''$ dr $2\frac{1}{2}''$ long	...	...	6	...	...	
Rivets - { Iron $1\frac{1}{4}''$ -	...	...	12	...	...	
Rivets - { Round or Boss-headed. $\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$ -	...	...	10	...	...	
Rivets - { Round or Boss-headed. $\frac{7}{16}'' \times 2''$ -	...	...	50	...	...	
Rivets - { Round or Boss-headed. $\frac{1}{4}'' \times 1''$ -	...	...	6	...	...	
Rivets - - - -	4	4	...	...	...	
Screws hexagonal head for limber screw -	...	...	1	...	...	
Skid hooks - - -	2	2	...	2	2	
Sponge iron or shoe - -	1	1	1	1	1	
Staples - { Lashing - -	42	42	12	20	20	
Staples - { Round crowned { Large $\frac{3}{8}''$ -	9	9	3	...	...	
Staples - { Round crowned { Small $\frac{1}{4}''$ -	12	12	6	..	...	
Staples - { With screws for Ammn. box. { Double -	...	...	2	...	...	
Staples - { With screws for Ammn. box. { Single -	...	...	8	...	...	
Staples - { With screws for Ammn. box. { Treble -	...	...	2	...	...	
Steel prepared pieces { Eyes Perch plate -	...	...	6	...	...	
Steel prepared pieces { Limber hooks -	...	...	6	...	...	
Trunnion Plates - - -	2	2	...	...	...	
Yoke hooks or bands, with plates and nuts	2	2	2	...	...	

	BATTERIES.					REMARKS.
	RIFLED			S. B.		
	B. L.		M. L.			
	12-pr.	9-pr.	9-pr.	9 pr.	6-pr.	
ORDNANCE —*continued.*						
Naves, metal, field, in 3 pieces - -	...	...	1	...	...	
Saddles, metal, carriage, travelling, Rifled B. L.	1	...	...	...	...	
Screws, iron, traversing, with nuts - -	1	...	...	...	...	
Screws, iron, elevating, carriage, field, with nuts	1	1	1	1	1	
Wheel, hand, for traversing screw - -	1	...	...	...	...	
MISCELLANEOUS.						
Glue - - - lbs	3	3	3	3	3	
Grease and tar mixed - - "	6	6	6	6	6	For each pair of wheels.
Iron, wrought: Bolt or round ⅝″ - "	28	28	...	...	...	
Iron, wrought: Flat - 1½″ × ½″ "	28	28	...	...	...	
Iron, wrought: Flat - 1″ × ½″ "	28	28	...	...	...	
Iron, wrought: Hoop 1¼″ 17 W. G. -	28	28	...	...	...	
Iron, wrought: Square - 1″ " -	56	56	...	...	...	
Iron, wrought: Square - ⅜″ " -	28	28	...	...	...	
Nails - Copper, wrought, tack No. 236 · ½″ lbs.	...	...	¼	...	...	
Nails - Iron: Brad, wrought " 123 · 1¼″ "	2	2	½	...	...	
Nails - Iron: Clasp, fine No. 35 1½″ "	...	...	2	...	...	
Nails - Iron: Clasp, fine " 36 2″ "	3	3	3	...	...	
Nails - Iron: " " " 37 2½″ "	3	3	...	...	...	
Nails - Iron: " strong " 41 2¼″ "	1½	1½	3	...	...	
Nails - Iron: " " " 44 3½″ "	3	3	...	..	...	
Nails - Iron: Clout, strong - 65 1⅛″ "	2	2	¼	..	...	
Nails - Iron: Clout, strong - 66 1½″ "	6	6	1½	...	...	
Nails - Iron: Clout, strong - 70 2½″ "	8	8	¼	...	...	
Nails - Iron: Clout, strong - 72 3¾″ "	8	8	...	...	...	
Nails - Iron: Tacks, clout, Saddler No. 87 ¾″ "	..	...	½	...	...	
Rivets, copper, 1½ inch - - -	...		24	...	...	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Fine - 1¼ Inch -	24	24	...	...	...	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Fine - 1 " -	50	50	...	...	...	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Middling 2 " -	...	...	14	...	...	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Middling 1¼ " -	66	66	14	66	66	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Middling 1 " -	24	24	18	...	..	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Middling ¾ " -	14	14	72	..	...	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Middling ⅝ " -	106	106	106	...	...	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong - 3½ " -	...	...	6	...	...	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong - 3 " -	12	12	12	...	...	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong - 2½ " -	12	12	...	...	...	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong - 2 " -	68	68	6	68	68	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong - 1½ " -	18	18	18	...	...	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong - 1 " -	...	...	72	...	...	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong - ¾ " -	66	66	144	66	66	
Screws, iron - Flat-head Nettle-folds. Round head, middling. 1¼ " -	74	74	24	...	...	
Screws, brass - for locks 1 inch -	1	1	...	...	...	
Screws, brass - for locks ¾ " -	4	4	...	...	...	
Screws, brass - 1½ Inch - - -	...	...	12	...	...	
Steel, Blister, flat 2″ × ½″ - lbs.	10	10	...	...	...	
Timber, half-wrought: Nave - -	1	1	...	1	1	
Timber, half-wrought: Felloes for wheels -	6	6	6	6	6	
Timber, half-wrought: Spokes for " -	12	12	12	12	12	

30. Indents for materials for repair of carriages, wagons, carts, &c., are to be submitted on 1st April of each year in the usual form.

31. Materials for petty repairs can be purchased locally, contingent bills, supported by a copy of the order authorizing the purchase, and a station price current, being submitted to the Examiner Ordnance Accounts for audit.

32. Plank, however, for extensive repair, such as that of ammunition boxes, framings, &c., is to be obtained when necessary by indent on the Ordnance Department, commanding officers being allowed a discretionary power to purchase material on the spot if urgently required, and when it cannot be obtained from the public stores in sufficient time.

33. When two or more batteries are stationed together the senior officer of artillery will cause their artificers to unite for the purpose of executing any heavy work that may be required, such as setting up wheels, repairing axles, limber hooks, &c.

34. The sums expended in repairs, extra labor, or other contingencies not already provided for, will be charged in monthly contingent bills, duly attested on honor, which, after being countersigned by the officer commanding the Artillery Division, will be forwarded for audit to the Examiner of Ordnance Accounts.

35. Articles of line gear and materials for their repair will be supplied by the Ordnance Department in the following proportions :—

NAMES OF ARTICLES.	PROPORTION.		REQUIRED PER						Period of duration of each article.	REMARKS.
			HORSE ARTILLERY BATTERY.			FIELD ARTILLERY BATTERY.				
	No.	Per	Total.	As percentage, spare.	Grand Total.	Total.	As percentage, spare.	Grand Total.		
Head stalls - -	1	Horse -	178	9	187	110	5	115	3 years.	
Bridles, watering -	1	Ditto -	178	9	187	110	5	115	Rein 1 year. Bit till worn out.	
Ropes. head with loop and hook (length 7′ exclusive of loop).	1	Ditto -	178	18	196	110	11	121	4 months.	
Ropes. heel (length 15′ exclusive of loop).	1	Ditto -	178	18	196	110	11	121	4 months.	
Loops, heel rope, of leather.	1	Ditto -	178	18	196	110	11	121	9 months.	
Rollers with pad (the latter made of leather).	1	Ditto -	178	9	187	110	5	115	2 years.	
Combs Curry, country-made.	1	Ditto -	178	9	187	110	5	115	5 years "tentative."	
Blankets - -	1	Ditto -	178	...	178	110	...	110	2 years -	Or 2 per horse according to climate, if deemed necessary by the Officer Commanding the brigade, district or division of the army. These will be in addition to the blankets now authorized for horses without stables, and for Waler remounts that have not been a year in the country.
Buckets, wooden, water, small.	6	Sub-Division H. A.	36	...	36	24	...	24	2 years.	
Buckets, wooden, water, small.	4	Sub-Division F. A.	...	...	...	...	...	...	To be supplied repaired and renewed locally.	
Brushes, country-made -	1	Ditto -	178	9	187	110	5	115	1 year.	
Bags, Nose: Canvas -	1	Ditto -	178	...	178	110	...	110	To be repaired or replaced as required.	
Bags, Nose: Leather -	1	Ditto -	178	...	178	110	...	110	3 years.	
Fringes, Eye - -	1	Ditto -	178	...	178	110	...	110	2 years "tentative."	
Dusters - -	2	Ditto -	356	...	356	220	...	220	6 months.	
Bags, gunny. for head stalls, head ropes, eye fringes, and watering bridles.	2	Sub-Division.	12	...	12	12	...	12	4 years.	
Bags, gunny. for heel ropes and loops.	2	Ditto -	12	...	12	12	...	12	4 years.	
Bags, gunny. for gram -	1	Ditto -	6	...	6	6	...	6	4 years.	
Bags, gunny. for leather nose bags	1	Ditto -	6	...	6	6	...	6	4 years.	
Bags, gunny. for pegs and mallets	1	Ditto -	6	.	6	6	...	6	4 years.	
Pegs wooden (babool) -	3	Horse -	534	...	534	330	...	330	To be repaired or renewed as required.	
Mallets for driving pegs -	4	Sub-Division.	24	...	24	24	...	24	Ditto.	
Ropes, picketing, of 2″ English tarred rope, each 25 yards long.	3	Ditto -	18	1	19	...	...	...	3 years.	
Ditto ditto ditto -	2	Ditto -	...	...	...	12	1	13	3 years.	

NAMES OF ARTICLES.	PROPORTION.		REQUIRED PER						Period of duration of each article.	REMARKS.
			HORSE ARTILLERY BATTERY.			FIELD ARTILLERY BATTERY.				
	No.	Per	Total.	As Percentage spare.	Grand Total.	Total.	As Percentage spare.	Grand Total.		
Posts, picketing, wooden, 2′ 6″, iron shod, of Home pattern.	6	Sub-Division.	36	1	37	...	...	...	To be repaired or renewed locally as required.	
Ditto ditto ditto -	4	Ditto -	...	...	...	24	1	25		
MATERIALS FOR REPAIR.										
Hides - -	As required, to be obtained locally.									
Thread - -										
Cloth, Canvas - Yards	8	Horse Artillery Battery.	8	...	8	...	...			
Ditto - ,,	6	Field do.	...	..	...	6	...	6		
Cloth, Gunny, double ,,	10*	Battery-	10	...	10	10	...	10	...	* Or equivalent to 30 superficial feet.

36. The repairs necessary to line gear are to be effected by officers commanding batteries such materials as may be absolutely needed being obtained locally, and their cost recovered by quarterly contingent bills* submitted to the Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, supported by the necessary vouchers.

* 1st April. | 1st October.
,, July. | ,, January.

37. Well ropes and water-bags will be provided locally by officers commanding batteries, and their cost recovered in contingent bills, repairs being effected under the rules which apply to articles of line gear.

38. Instructions for the supply of mountain battery equipments and of materials for their repair, will be notified hereafter; in the interim any actual expenditure necessarily incurred can be met by contingent bills.

39. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

No. 207 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Non-Commissioned Officer and men of the Nepal Escort having been declared unfit for further service, are transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment on the pensions noted opposite to their respective names, with effect from the date they were struck off the strength of the corps:—

Rank.	Names.	In what rank pensioned.	Amount of Pension.		
			Rs.	A.	P.
Naick	Pryag Singh	Naick	7	0	0
Sepoy	Ramjus Singh	Sepoy	4	0	0
Ditto	Ramsooburn Singh	Ditto	4	0	0
Ditto	Mygul Singh	Ditto	4	0	0
Ditto	Judu Nath Singh	Ditto	4	0	0
Ditto	Issur Singh	Ditto	4	0	0

No. 208 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the under-mentioned corps of the Native Army:—

18th Bengal Cavalry.

Ressaidar Sahib Zummah Khan, to be Ressaldar, *vice* Jehan Khan, "Sirdar Bahadoor," invalided.

Jemadar Futteh Khan, to be Ressaidar, *vice* Sahib Zummah Khan, promoted.

Duffadar Allayar Khan, to be Jemadar, *vice* Futteh Khan, promoted.

The above promotions will have effect from the 11th November 1874.

No. 209 *of* 1875.—Wuzeerun, widow of Jemadar Hossein Buccus, of the Bengal Sappers and Miners, is admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the third class order of merit on her late husband, for three years, commencing from the 29th May 1873.

The stipend will be disbursed in the North-Western Provinces Circle of pension payment.

No. 210 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment, subject to the Officer passing an examination in drill:—

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Lieutenant Alfred Allen Stokes, to be Captain, *vice* Captain Walter Bourne, resigned.

The 26th February 1875.

No. 211 *of* 1875.—The following extract from the *London Gazette* of the 22nd January 1875, pages 251 and 252, is published for general information:—

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WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL;
22nd January 1875.

Brevet.

* * *

Honorary Captain F. W. Dunn, Superintendent of Army Schools in Bengal, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Ensign and Assistant-Commissary John Blair, Bombay Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 11th September 1874.

The under-mentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

To be Major-Generals.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Edwin Alexander Rowlatt, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Mein Wilson, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Bazil Gibbons Bacon, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel David Briggs, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Anstruther Angus, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Sir Charles Walters D'Oyly, Bart., Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Henry Stubbs, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Elwyn, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Andrews, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Frederick Browne, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Prevost Babbage, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Holroyd, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Edward Holmes, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel James Dawson MacDonald, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Roderick Donald Macpherson, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Holled Wallace Henry Coxe, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Seymour Dunbar, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Innis Gibbs, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel James Young Gowan, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Irvine, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Murray, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Neil Edmondstone Boileau, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Hugh Lowman Pester, Bengal Infantry. Dated 23rd January 1875.

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Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Frederick Nepean Smith, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel John George Palmer, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Powell Stuart Smyth, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Herbert Cuming, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Graves, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Thomas Clerk, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Dillon Gustavus Pollard, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Alexander Robert Fraser, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Daniel, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Hoseason, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Sir Frederick John Goldsmid, C. B., K. C. S. I., Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles William Taylor, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Edward Augustus Saunders, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Rhodes Morgan, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Napper Pace, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Richard Baugh, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Samuel Jones, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Daniel Williams, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Ashburner, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Edmonstone Macleod, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel James John Combe, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Pirie, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Sir William Henry Rodes Green, C. B., K. C. S. I., Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel George McBain Barnes Farquharson, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Guillum Scott, Bombay Infantry. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Edward Hope Smith Bowdich, Bombay Infantry. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel Francis Edward Francis, Bombay Infantry. Dated 23rd January 1875.

To be Lieutenant Colonels.

Major Alfred Blunt, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

Major John Hobart Tyler, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 23rd January 1875.

To be Deputy Surgeon-General.

Surgeon-Major Joseph Fayrer, C. S. I., Bengal Army. Dated 23rd January 1875.

No. 212 *of* 1875.—With reference to the Notification issued by the Foreign Department, No. 344G, dated the 18th February 1875, the services of Lieutenant Colonel A. J. Bruce, of the Madras Staff Corps, late Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, Mysore, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George, with effect from the 18th February 1875.

No. 213 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment in the Medical Department :—

Surgeon Major J. Irving, M. D., of the Medical Department, Officiating Deputy Surgeon General, to be a Deputy Surgeon General with permanent rank from the 13th December 1874, *vice* Deputy Surgeon General H. B. Buckle, C. B., deceased.

No. 214 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer of the Bengal Staff Corps having completed twelve years' service in the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, is admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the date specified, under the operation of G. G. O. No. 808 of 1866, paragraph 61, clause 5 :—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) John Colpoys Haughton, C. S. I.,—15th February 1875.

No. 215 *of* 1875.—Short-service Sowar Lehna Singh, of the Deolee Irregular Force, is, as a special case, granted a pension of Rs. 1-12-0 per mensem.

No. 216 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Lieutenant Colonel Richard Barter, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 15th (The Loodianah) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for eighteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Surgeon Major Ferdinand Odevaine, of the Medical Department, in medical charge, 34th (The Futtehgurh) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Charles Bowen, of the Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Department Public Works,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Surgeon James Cleghorn, M. D., of the Medical Department, Joint Civil Surgeon and Superintendent, District Jail, Allahabad,—for twelve months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 217 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify that the following Royal Warrant issued as Clause 1, Army Circulars, dated 1st January 1875, is made applicable to India :—

Finance.

Royal Warrant—Relative Rank of Sub-Inspectors of Army Schools.

Victoria R.

Clause 1.—Whereas by the 112th Article of our Warrant of the 27th December 1870, we did prescribe the Relative Army Rank to be held by Officers of our Staff and Departments of our Army.

Our will and pleasure now is that the Relative Army Rank of a Sub-Inspector of Army Schools shall be that of Lieutenant, and we do hereby direct that this addition be made to the Article of our said Warrant above quoted.

Given at our Court at Windsor, this 5th day of December 1874, in the 38th year of our reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,

GATHORNE HARDY.

No. 218 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment in the Medical Department :—

Surgeon Major J. Browne, M. D., of the Medical Department, in medical charge, 41st (the Gwalior) Regiment of Native Infantry, to officiate as Secretary to the Surgeon General, Indian medical service, consequent on Surgeon Major E. McKellar, M. D., proceeding on furlough, and during the period Surgeon K. McLeod, M. D., may be employed under the orders of the Government of Bengal, or until further orders.

No. 219 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned passed Medical Pupils are promoted to the grade of 3rd Class Hospital Assistants, with effect from the dates specified against their respective names :—

NAMES.	Date of appointment to a permanent post.	Date of passing the examination in English according to the new test.	REMARKS.
Sobha Ram	6th May 1874.		
Ram Churn	25th June 1874 ...	18th August 1869.	
Syud Abdool Rohman	27th October 1874.		
Deen Mohomed	26th Nov. 1874.		
Abdool Kurreem	Ditto.		
Girdharee	Ditto.		
Nawab Shah	1st December 1874.		
Abdool Rohim	2nd " "		
Roop Sing Rana	5th " " ...	7th July 1871.	

No. 220 *of* 1875.—The services of Lieutenant J. F. Rivett-Carnac, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Wing Subaltern of the 23rd (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 221 *of* 1875.—The G. G. O. No. 84 of the 22nd January 1875, granting furlough to Europe on medical certificate to Captain J. Johnstone, of the late 68th Regiment Native Infantry, 3rd Grade Assistant Commissioner, Assam, is cancelled at his request.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 26th February 1875.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that report of the death of the under-mentioned Commissioned Officer, on the date specified, was received in the Military Department from 13th to 26th February 1875 :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.
Bengal Staff Corps ...	Lieutenant W. A. Holcombe ...	2nd February 1875 ...	Naga Hills.	

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates from 13th to 26th February 1875.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
John Goodeve Barlow (a)	Major ...	Bengal Infantay.	Dec. 16, 1874	Intestate	196 0 7	..	Apl. 26, 1875.

(a) Widow—Mrs. Georgiana Barlow; Children—Henry Goodeve Barlow; John Goodeve Barlow; Isabella Goodeve Barlow Margaret Goodeve Barlow.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 20th February 1875.

No. 76.—T. T. Durmalingum, Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, British Burma, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Public Works Department, with effect from the 28th January 1875.

No. 77.—Mr. R. K. Williams, Officiating Examiner, and Mr. R. G. Macdonald, Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, respectively, made over and assumed charge of the Office of Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Madras, on the forenoon of the 26th December 1874. Mr. Williams reverted to his substantive rank of Deputy Controller with effect from that date.

The 22nd February 1875.

No. 79.—Captain C. A. Sim, R. E., Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Military Works Branch, is granted subsidiary leave from the 14th to the 25th October 1874, both days inclusive.

No. 80.—Captain W. H. Beckett, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Military Works Branch, is granted thirty days' subsidiary leave, with effect from such date as he may avail himself of it, to enable him to proceed to Europe on the furlough granted to him.

No. 81.—Major. E. T. Thackeray, V. C., R. E., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Military Works Branch, is granted twenty-one days' subsidiary leave from the 8th February 1875, or such subsequent date as he may be able to avail himself of it, in connection with the furlough granted to him on the 16th January 1875.

No. 144 of 28th Feb. 1873.
„ 100 of 17th „ 1874.
„ 501 of 5th Sept. „

No. 83.—Mr. A. B. Sampson, B. A., Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Public Works Department, has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India leave for two months on medical certificate, in further extension of the leave granted him in Public Works Department Notifications noted on the margin.

The 23rd February 1875.

No. 84.—Luximon Vishun Mehendulay, Probationary Overseer, 3rd Grade, Central India, is confirmed in his appointment.

No. 85.—The services of Mr. A. C. Galbreath, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, on the establishment under the Director of State Railways, are dispensed with, with effect from the 21st December 1874.

No. 86.—Colonel P. P. L. O'Connell, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 1st Grade, Bengal, Officiating Chief Engineer, Punjab Irrigation Branch, is transferred to the North-Western Provinces, Irrigation Branch, but will continue to officiate as Chief Engineer and Secretary in the Punjab.

No. 87.—Mr. J. L. Parker, Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, Irrigation Branch, North-Western Provinces, on furlough, is transferred to Bengal in the Irrigation Branch.

The 24th February 1875.

No. 88.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 46 of the 24th January 1875, Colonel A. Cadell, R. E., made over charge of the office of Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Agent to the Governor General for Central India to Captain E. Swetenham on the forenoon of the 9th February 1875. Captain Swetenham officiated in the appointment until 13th February 1875, afternoon, when he was relieved by Lieutenant-Colonel Francis.

The 25th February 1875.

No. 89.—Mr. S. G. Wood, Accountant, 2nd Grade, attached to the office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, returned to duty on the 15th February 1875 from the six months' medical leave granted to him in Public Works Department Notification No. 663, dated the 15th December 1874.

Mr. Wood is granted subsidiary leave under Section 10, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code from the 10th to the 14th February 1875.

No. 91.—Corporal J. Crampton, Overseer, 1st Grade, is transferred from Rajpootana to the establishment under the Director of State Railways.

No. 92.—Sergeant J. Rogers, R. E., is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Overseer, 1st Grade, and posted to the establishment under the Director of State Railways.

No. 93.—ERRATUM.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 66, dated 16th February, confirming Lieutenant Bisset in the appointment of Deputy Consulting Engineer to Government of India for Guaranteed Railways, omit the word "Calcutta."

The 26th February 1875.

No. 94.—Mr. D'. A. W. Jopp, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Military Works Branch, availed himself on the 29th May 1873 of the subsidiary leave granted him in Public Works Department Notification No. 353 of the 19th May 1873.

No. 95.—R. Narrainsawmy Naidoo, temporary Overseer, 3rd Grade, Hyderabad, is confirmed in his appointment.

No. 96.—The under-mentioned officers are transferred from the establishment under the Director of State Railways to British Burmah, for employment on the Rangoon and Tonghoo Railway Survey:—

Mr. J. H. Cochrane, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade.

Mr. J. P. Doyle, Executive Enginer, 2nd Grade.

TELEGRAPH.

The 20th February 1875.

No. 78.—Under the provisions of Section 7 of Act VIII of 1860, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct, with effect from the 1st April 1875, the substitution of the following rules in place of Rules II, III, XVI and XXV of the Inland Telegraph Rules and Rates published in the *Gazette of India*, No. 51 of the 21st December 1872:—

Classification of offices.

Rule II as revised—Telegraph stations are divided into three classes: 1st, those performing permanent day and night duty; 2nd, those performing full day duty; 3rd, those performing limited day duty.

Office hours.

Stations of the 1st class are open day and night for the reception and transmission of messages.

Stations of the 2nd class are open from 7 A. M. till 9 P. M. (local time).

Stations of the 3rd class are open from 10 A. M. till 5 P. M., and on Sundays and the holidays enumerated in Rule III from 7 to 8 A. M. and from 4 to 6 P. M. (local time).

Hours of business on Sundays and holidays.

Rule III as revised.—All offices, except those of the 1st class, will be closed to the public between the hours of 8 A. M. and 4 P. M. (local time) on Sunday, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Good Friday and the Queen's Birthday.

Charges on service messages.

Rule XVI as revised.—Service messages from all public functionaries must be paid for in cash or in stamps prior to despatch; the rates are the same for service messages as those charged to private individuals.

(*This rule will be relaxed in cases of great emergency. Whenever a State message is tendered for despatch under this permission, the sender must certify to its urgency and to the necessity for its immediate despatch without prepayment, and must take the necessary steps to ascertain the charges on it, and pay them into the Telegraph Office within* 24 *hours.*)

Ceylon local rate.

Rule XXV as revised.—The local rate in Ceylon is one rupee for 20 words, inclusive of address, for any description of message between any two stations, with eight annas for every additional ten or fraction of ten words.

The 22nd February 1875.

No. 82.—ERRATUM.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 506 of the 2nd August 1874, granting subsidiary leave to Captain W. H. Pierson, R. E., Acting Director, Persian Telegraph, for "15 days" substitute "21 days."

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 5th March 1875.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY AND GOVERNOR GENERAL will leave Calcutta on Monday, the 15th March 1875.

HIS EXCELLENCY will first proceed to Delhi, where he will remain in Camp till the 29th.

HIS EXCELLENCY will afterwards visit Puttiala, and will arrive at Simla about the 2nd April 1875.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY AND GOVERNOR GENERAL will hold a Levée in Camp at Delhi on Wednesday, the 17th March 1875, at 5 P.M.

All Civil and Military Officers are invited to attend.

HIS EXCELLENCY will also be glad to receive other Gentlemen, who should submit their names previously to the Commissioner of Delhi.

All Officers and Gentlemen attending the Levée are requested to bring with them two cards with their names very legibly written upon them. One card will be given at the door of the tent, the other at the moment of presentation.

Gentlemen entitled to the private Entrée at Government House will assemble in the drawing-room tent.

Officers and Gentlemen wearing uniform will appear in full dress.

Gentlemen not wearing uniform will appear in evening dress.

The Levée will be closed by the presentation to HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY of the Native Officers of the Regiments at Delhi by their Commanding Officers according to seniority of Corps.

By Command,

WM. EARLE, *Colonel,*
Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 3rd March 1875.

No. 205.—APPOINTMENTS.—Munshi Mahammed Ismael, Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner in Oudh, to be an Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, *vice* Munshi Neaz Ahmed, transferred to the Kotah Government.

Munshi Kali Pergas, Tehsildar of the 2nd Grade, to officiate as an Extra Assistant Commissioner until further orders.

The 5th March 1875.

No. 214.—APPOINTMENT.—Captain H. J. Peet, Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Grade in Assam, to be Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 5th March 1875.

No. 76.—The services of the Reverend W. H. Bray, late Officiating Domestic Chaplain to the Lord Bishop of Calcutta, have been replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 3rd instant.

ARTHUR HOWELL,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—AGRICULTURE AND HORTICULTURE.—FAMINE.

Fort William, the 5th March 1875.

No. 99.—The services of Lieutenant Colonel J. Graham, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, Officiating as Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from this date.

CUSTOMS AND SALT.

The 4th March 1875.

No. 72.—Mr. G. A. Bradford, Officiating Collector of Customs, Delhi, is appointed to officiate as Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Inland Customs, from the date on which Mr. Synnott may avail himself of the three months' privilege leave granted to him in Notification No. 57, dated the 22nd ultimo.

SURVEYS.

The 3rd March 1875.

No. 152.—Mr. W. H. Cole, M. A., Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade, Great Trigonometrical Survey, is allowed, subject to the approval of the Secretary of State, furlough for one year, under Section 10*(a)* of the Civil Leave Code, from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

G. H. M. BATTEN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—JUDICIAL.

Fort William, the 4th March 1875.

No. 28 *J.*—In continuation of Notification No. 51 J, dated 31st March 1871, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the addition to paragraph 65 of the Municipal Regulations in force in Bangalore, after the words "Public Government Offices," of the words "and buildings set apart for the personal occupation of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore."

POLITICAL.

The 3rd March 1875.

No. 799 *P.*—The Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to confer the title of "Raja Bahadoor," as a personal distinction, upon Raj Coomar Seoraj Nundun Singh, of Seohur.

No. 801 *P.*—ERRATUM.—In the Appendix to Resolution No. 1740 P, dated 13th August 1874, publishing the names of Civil and Military Officers who had passed the "High Proficiency" and "Honor" tests in Arabic and Persian, the name of Captain C. E. Hunter should be omitted, that Officer having passed the "High Proficiency" Examination in Oordoo, and not in Persian, as stated therein.

GENERAL.

The 5th March 1875.

No. 448*G.*—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by Raja Chunder Nath Roy, Bahadoor, of Nattore, of his appointment of Attaché in the Foreign Department, with effect from 15th January 1875.

The Raja of Nattore was granted an extension of 3 months' leave of absence from 15th October 1874, under Section 9, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 450*G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Kazi Syud Ahmed to be an Attaché in the Foreign Department, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge, *vice* the Raja of Nattore.

C. U. AITCHISON,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Fort William, the 4th March 1875.

No. 1502.—*Cash Balances in the Government Treasuries in India on the last day of the month of January* 1875, *compared with those on the same date in* 1874 *and* 1873.

	1873.	1874.	1875.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Govt. of India ...	2,02,05,834	3,10,22,831	2,44,66,864
Bengal ...	2,63,97,091	1,99,04,940	2,38,61,922
Assam ...			26,18,846
British Burmah ...	20,28,920	23,38,260	30,74,204
N.-W. Provinces ..	2,83,71,281	2,49,13,572	2,30,15,253
Oudh ...	84,05,022	58,17,896	64,68,786
Punjab ...	1,24,96,717	1,20,15,630	1,43,76,284
Bombay ...	4,58,18,637	2,77,49,766	2,29,60,889
Central Provinces ...	95,33,679	74,89,818	50,20,585
Madras ...	2,98,89,452	2,46,77,160	2,30,41,214
TOTAL ...	18,31,46,633	15,59,29,873	14,89,04,847

The 5th March 1875.

No. 1517.—Furlough out of India for twelve months is granted, under Section 7 of Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, to Mr. H. Ronaldson, Assistant to the Accountant General, Bengal.

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 4th March 1875.

No. 1518.—Statement of the amount of Government Currency Notes in circulation, of the amount of Coin and Bullion Reserve, and Government Securities held by the Department of Issue of Paper Currency.

DATE.	Circles of Issue.	Currency Notes in Circulation.	Silver Coin Reserve.	Silver Bullion Reserve.	Gold Bullion Reserve.	Reserve in Government Securities.	Total Reserve.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
28th February 1875 ...	Calcutta	5,05,51,615	1,30,70,045	51,23,188	72,495	2,56,74,402	4,39,40,430
Ditto	Madras	95,94,730	31,11,334	3	...	56,28,463	87,39,800
Ditto	Bombay	3,04,31,665	70,19,587	54,44,689	...	1,58,85,209	2,83,49,485
Ditto	Allahabad	67,84,855	85,29,919	...	...	30,03,291	1,15,33,210
Ditto	Lahore	59,29,500	53,17,663	...	...	32,00,037	85,17,700
Ditto	Calicut	22,73,775	11,21,251	...	...	10,00,059	21,21,310
Ditto	Cocanada	14,65,520	8,77,286	...	...	6,00,059	14,77,345
Ditto	Nagpore	19,84,280	25,41,728	...	...	7,47,902	32,89,630
Ditto	Kurrachee	16,70,8 0	16,35,174	...	...	8,00,106	24,35,280
Ditto	Akola	5,80,300	4,62,850	...	...	4,00,000	8,62,850
	TOTAL ...	11,12,67,040	4,36,86,937	1,05,68,180	72,495	5,69,39,528	11,12,67,040

The 5th March 1875.

No. 1519.—The following Resolution is published for general information:—

Read a letter from the Head Commissioner of the Department of Issue, No. 582, dated 9th October 1874, being a report upon the operations of the Paper Currency Department for the year 1873-74.

The average circulation of the Government Paper Currency at the end of each month during the year 1873-74 was £11,145,191, being less by £1,718,846 (15·42 per cent.) than the average of 1872-73 and by £270,533 (2·43 per cent.) than the average of 1871-72, and being more by £1,602,522 (14·38 per cent.) than the average of 1870-71.

Average 1870-71	...	£ 9,813,222
„ 1871-72	...	„ 11,415,744
„ 1872-73	...	„ 12,864,037
„ 1873-74	...	„ 11,145,191

It was observed, in reviewing the operations of the year 1872-73, that the average for the years 1871-72 and 1872-73 was affected by the investment in securities of £2,700,000 of the reserve towards the close of the former of those years.

It is therefore with the year 1870-71, the year before the occurrence of this great disturbing cause, that the advance of the average up to 1873-74 should be measured.

It is, however, more useful and instructive to observe the variations in the minimum amount of the circulation in successive seasons, than yearly averages, and for this purpose to take the calendar rather than the financial year, the period, 31st March, when the financial year closes, occurring in the season January to April, when the circulation is at the lowest.

The lowest amount of the circulation in each of the past 5 years stated in lakhs of rupees has been as follows:—

	Lakhs.	In the month of
1870	... 856·9	... June.
1871	... 1007·3	... February.
1872	... 1071·8	... January.
1873	... 1085·6	... April.
1874	... 920·1	... March.

The above figures afford the means of gauging more accurately the effect on the circulation of the increase in the investment made in January 1872.

In that month, before the investment was made, the circulation amounted to 1071·8 lakhs; the effect of the investment was to raise the circulation to 1308·1 lakhs.

The circulation rose further, and in the month of June 1872 reached the extreme amount of 1350·8 lakhs.

It fell in the following season (April 1873) to a point but 14 lakhs above that at which it stood before the investment.

It may be observed that, between June 1870 and January 1872, before the investment was made, the circulation went up by more than two millions and fell in March 1874 to a point more than 1½ million below the amount at the time immediately before the investment was made.

These fluctuations must be referred to some cause other than the addition to the investment made in January 1872. The efficient cause is to be found in the variations in the amount of the general cash balances of the Government.

The lowest amount of the monthly cash balances in each of the past five years has been as follows:—

	Millions.	
1870	10·7	in October.
1871	15·2	in January.
1872	16·6	n October.
1873	14·1	„
1874	11·7	„

It would seem that a variation of three millions in the Treasury balances causes a corresponding variation of about one million in the paper currency circulation.

The fluctuations in the circulation and in the Treasury balances due to season may be observed to occur at different times of the year, the circulation being at its lowest in the early part, the cash balances of the Government being at their lowest in the latter part, of the year.

At the commencement of the year 1873-74 the amount of the circulation was 1113·5 lakhs, it rose to 1208·7 lakhs in the month of September, and stood at 925 lakhs at the close of the year.

The fall of 284 lakhs which occurred in the latter half of the year, so far as it was not due to the ordinary harvest demand for silver, is to be ascribed to the diminution of the cash balances in connection with the efforts of the Government to provide food and employment for the people of the northern and western districts of Bengal threatened with famine from the failure of their ordinary crops.

The largeness of the rice crop of British Burmah, coupled with the increase of price due to the scarcity in Bengal and to the rapidity with which the purchases of the Government at Rangoon were pushed on, necessitated the remittance from India to British Burmah of an unusual amount of specie: the amount of silver coin so remitted was 274 lakhs, namely, 146 on Government and 128 on private account.

The large amount of the Government expenditure in Calcutta and in different parts of Bengal in connection with these operations occasioned a large increase in the local value of money, and attracted silver from Bombay and Madras, which became the cheapest sources of supply. Owing to the peculiar character of the rise in the value of money which was due to a demand for internal consumption, to be met in the main from existing cash accumulations, the ordinary effect in causing a rise in sterling exchange and stimulating the importation of bullion was slow and indirect in operation.

Every effort was at the same time being made to concentrate in Bengal all available cash reserves of the Government, the same being required not only for the direct and indirect expenditure connected with the famine and to provide the means of meeting the possible wants of districts in which distress was anticipated, but also to pay for the unusually large crop of opium then maturing.

It thus occurred that, while in every province, except Burmah and Bengal, a large reduction occurred in the district cash balances, in Bengal they increased by 50 lakhs of rupees, and the note circulation of the Calcutta Circle was reduced by a less amount than that of any other, with the exception of the minor offices of Calicut and Coconada.

The fall in the circulation in the remaining offices between 30th September 1873 and 31st March 1874 was as follows:—

	Lakhs.
Calcutta	4·5
Madras	45·2
Bombay	124·1
Allahabad	32·2
Lahore	14·4
Nagpore	27·5
Kurrachee	6·8
Akola	25·7
	280·4

Although the circulation of the Calcutta Office was maintained throughout this period, the coin reserves of the Currency Department in Calcutta were heavily drawn upon, and were maintained at no higher amount than was necessary to give full security for the convertibility on demand of the notes in circulation.

This occurred in two ways—*first*, by the continuous issue of notes at Calcutta against payments made (principally in notes) to the office of issue at Bombay; *secondly*, by the issue of notes against silver bullion tendered to the Mint for coinage.

The amount of notes issued against bullion in Calcutta in this period of six months was Rs. 99,12,000; the increase in the amount of bullion held by the Currency Department in Calcutta between 30th September and 31st March was Rs. 44,12,000.

Owing to the very active exertions of the Mint Master in the execution of the coinage thus thrown upon him, the Head Commissioner was able throughout this season to accord to importers the accommodation of receiving for their bullion notes payable on demand so soon as the Mint could receive and assay the bullion, and the Government of India had no occasion to have recourse to the provisions of the laws relating to currency and coinage, which authorise the assignment to mint and bullion certificates of a term of currency sufficient to allow of the conversion of the bullion into coin.

The maintenance of the amount of the Calcutta circulation during this period of pressure was aided by the larger proportion of notes which it was found convenient to hold as part of the district cash balances in Lower Bengal.

This is illustrated by the following statement showing the proportion of Notes and Coin held by Government Treasuries on the 31st March 1874.

GOVERNMENT AND ADMINISTRATION.	Cash.	Notes.	Amount at disposal of Bank, details not known.
	Rs.		Rs.
Government of India	1,38,35,457	5,12,055	81,24,337
Lower Bengal ...	2,06,62,983	50,05,257	...
N. W. Provinces ...	1,41,39,618	17,27,485	...
Oudh ...	37,79,178	4,20,270	...
Punjab ...	98,11,928	6,71,840	...
Madras ...	1,98,55,079	29,33,925	36,64,423
Bombay ...	1,87,29,634	10,29,760	75,25,908
Central Provinces ...	38,62,216	3,00,815	...
British Burmah ...	48,80,629	2,50,625	...
TOTAL ...	10,95,56,722	1,28,52,032	1,93,14,668

That this was found convenient is accounted for—first, by the absolutely larger amount of these balances as already noticed; secondly, by the fact that the people of Bengal have been much more accustomed to the use of paper money than those of other parts of India; and thirdly, by the greater efforts of the Accountant General for Bengal to provide notes at District Treasuries for the use of the public.

The following statement shows the value of notes issued in each year from 1862 which were outstanding on the 31st December 1873, compared with the value on 31st December 1872: the values here given include the value of all notes issued by the issue department of each office, although not issued to the public, as well as notes received back from the public, but not yet cancelled:—

YEAR.	Value outstanding 31st December 1872.	Value outstanding 31st December 1873.
	Rs.	Rs.
1862	6,35,400	5,97,260
1863	2,45,120	2,22,790
1864	2,95,650	2,57,421
1865	4,06,300	3,44,770
1866	5,47,080	4,38,980
1867	9,15,430	6,76,090
1868	15,96,990	11,88,460
1869	42,55,070	19,13,980
1870	94,65,780	41,45,130
1871	2,36,33,980	68,51,070
1872	11,43,76,165	2,14,51,985
1873	...	12,34,28,805

The following sums have been paid to the public on indemnity bonds for value of wrongly joined and mutilated Notes and half and entire Notes

lost either by accident or in transit through the post:—

CIRCLE.	Wrongly joined, mutilated, and half notes.	Entire notes.
Calcutta ...	27,250	1,020
Madras ...	7,820	460
Bombay ...	15,810	...
Allahabad ...	4,960	420
Lahore ...	6,080	1,200
Calicut ...	1,655	...
Nagpore ...	1,720	...
Kurrachee ...	1,755	200
Akola ...	575	...

The only cases of forgery reported in the course of the year occurred at Bombay. In one instance a forged note for Rs. 1,000 was presented at the Currency Office for payment. In three other cases single forged notes, in two instances for Rs. 100 each and in one case for Rs. 50, were presented at the Currency Office for inspection.

The special attention of the Government of Bombay has been given to the comparative prevalence at Bombay of this form of crime.

The condition of the copper coin circulating in Calcutta having long been unsatisfactory, the Government of India offered in March last an allowance of ½ an anna in the rupee for obliterated pice brought to the Calcutta Currency Office or to the Mint in parcels of not less than Rs. 50 worth.

A large amount of worn coin has been withdrawn from circulation under this arrangement, but the matter belongs rather to the current year.

The agency of the Currency Department has been employed in facilitating the issue to the public of small silver and copper coin. The amount so issued in the course of the year has been as follows:—

	Rs.
Half-Rupees	3,88,329
Quarter-Rupees	5,23,742
One-eighth Rupees ...	3,29,395
Copper	14,626
TOTAL ...	12,56,092

The amount of coin paid away at the Calcutta Currency Office in the last six months of the year 1873-74, in excess of the amount tendered for notes, was Rs. 3,63,98,445.

	Rs.
This was met by coin received from the Currency Office at Allahabad ...	1,10,00,000
from Madras ...	21,00,000
from the Mint ...	55,00,000
TOTAL ...	1,86,00,000

the remainder being supplied from the coin reserve held at Calcutta at the beginning of this period.

The result of the year's administration of this department is satisfactory, as proving the adequacy of the arrangements for meeting its engagements while continuing, under circumstances of considerable pressure, to issue notes against bullion.

SEPARATE REVENUE.—STAMPS.

The 5th March 1875.

No. 1520.—In exercise of the powers respectively conferred by Section 26 and Section 35 of the Court Fees Act, 1870, and in supersession of Financial Notification No. 1756, dated 8th March 1872, and all other notifications on the subject, the Governor General in Council is pleased to issue the following directions:—

1. From and after the 1st of April 1875, the fees chargeable under the above-mentioned Act shall be denoted only by adhesive stamps bearing the words "Court Fees."

2. Should the amount of the fee in any case involve a fraction of an anna, such fraction shall be remitted.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 27th February 1875.

No. 222 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Surgeon Major James Alexander Caldwell Hutchinson, M.D., of the Medical Department, in medical charge, 18th (The Alipore) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

The 1st March 1875.

No. 223 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on urgent private affairs:—

Captain Charles Denroche Swete, of the Bengal Staff Corps,—for six months, under Rule XI of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 224 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) John Dawson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Department Public Works,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant Colonel Lestock Boileau Jones, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 3rd Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

The 2nd March 1875.

No. 225 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate:—

Lieutenant Colonel Alexander Thomas Armstrong, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd-in-Command and Squadron Officer, 10th Bengal Lancers,—for two years, under Rule XIV, Clause I, of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 226 *of* 1875.—Sepoy Jodh Sing, of the 32nd (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry (Pioneers), declared unfit for further service on account of injuries received in the execution of his duty, is granted an injury pension in the 3rd degree, *viz.*, Rs. 5-4-0 per mensem, with effect from the date he may be struck off the strength of the corps.

The stipend will be disbursed in the Punjab Circle of pension payment.

No. 227 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their return from England:—

Lieutenant S. D. Turnbull, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Adjutant, 15th Bengal (Cureton's Mooltanee) Cavalry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 19th January 1875 (date of departure on furlough, 22nd August 1872).

Lieutenant A. O. Green, of the Royal Engineers (Imperial Establishment), Secretary, Torpedo and Defence Committee, Calcutta,—date of arrival at Fort William, 28th January 1875 (date of departure on furlough, 28th July 1874).

No. 228 *of* 1875.—The following extract from List No. 3, dated the 5th February 1875, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment, permitted to return to duty, granted extension of leave, &c., received from the India Office, is published for general information:—

Permitted to return.

Captain W. L. Noverre.
Captain R. F. C. A. Tytler.
Lieutenant Colonel G. A. Craster.
Captain E. Newbery.
Colonel A. B. Johnson.
Captain B. Lovett, C. S. I.

Granted extensions of Leave.

Lieutenant Colonel C. F. Packe, 6 months, sick certificate.
Lieutenant Colonel T. G. Montgomerie,—6 months, sick certificate.
Captain W. G Murray,—6 months, sick certificate.
Captain H. Thompson,—1 month, private affairs.
Major J. W. O'Dowda,—6 months, private affairs.

Retirement.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) C. R. Blair,—22nd October 1874.

No. 229 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have been permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant Colonel George Gordon Cunliffe, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd-in-Command and Wing Officer, 29th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant James Butler, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Grade, Officiating 1st Grade, British Burmah,—for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 230 *of* 1875.—The following promotions and appointment are made in the under-mentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

7th Regiment of Native Infantry.

Jemadar Sewnath Opudia, to be Subadar from the 11th October 1874, *vice* Subadar Major Bhinick Sing, deceased.

Havildar Lulloo Doobey, to be Jemadar from the 1st May 1874, *vice* Babooah Sing, promoted.

Goordut Singh is appointed Jemadar on probation, *vice* Sewnath Opudia, promoted.

No. 231 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Colonel A. W. Macintire, C. B., of the Royal Artillery, to command the Hyderabad Subsidiary Force, temporarily, with the rank of Brigadier General, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Major General H. W. Blake, or until further orders.

No. 232 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant Colonel Augustus Kirkwood Comber, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Grade, Deputy Commissioner, Assam,—for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Major Charles Thomas Otway Mayne, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, Officiating 1st Class, Woon District, Hyderabad,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Lionel Smith, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Adjutant, 3rd Goorkha (The Kemaoon) Regiment,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Douglas Cowslade Hennessy, of the General List Infantry, Quartermaster, 10th Regiment of Native Infantry,—for twenty months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

The 3rd March 1875.

No. 233 *of* 1875.—With reference to the notification issued by the Home Department, No. 194, dated 26th February 1875, the services of Lieutenant Colonel C. S. B. Walton, of the Madras Staff Corps, late District Superintendent of Police, Central Provinces, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Fort St. George, with effect from the 4th February 1875.

No. 234 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant Colonel G. R. Roberts, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, on return from furlough to Europe, will officiate as Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, with effect from 18th February 1875, and until further orders; junior officers acting in higher grades, reverting to their proper places in the Department.

No. 235 *of* 1875.—The following Administrative Battalion Order issued to the Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, is confirmed:—

Dated the 12th January 1875.—Making the following appointment:

Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Mr. Vincent Richards, to be Honorary Surgeon.

No. 236 *of* 1875.—Rookminee, widow of Sepoy Munneeram Panday, of the late 31st (now the 2nd) Regiment of Native (Light) Infantry, is admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the third class order of merit on her late husband for three years, commencing from the 14th November 1874.

The stipend will be disbursed in the North-Western Provinces Circle of pension payment.

No. 237 *of* 1875.—Major Franklin Prestage, Commandant of the Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, is allowed leave of absence to proceed to Europe for eight months.

No. 238 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Captain James Brander, to officiate as Commandant during the absence on leave to Europe of Major F. Prestage, or until further orders.

No. 239 *of* 1875.—Quarter Master James Dods, of the Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps, is allowed leave of absence to proceed to Europe for ten months.

No. 240 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Colour Sergeant Henry William Hallett, to officiate as Quarter Master during the absence on leave to Europe of Quarter Master J. Dods, or until further orders.

No. 241 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant Colonel R. Davidson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, is allowed leave of absence for 30 days from the 10th March 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it, to visit Bombay preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe on medical certificate, under the Regulations of 1868.

No. 242 *of* 1875.—The following permanent and temporary promotions are made in the warrant grades of the Ordnance Commissariat Department from the dates specified:—

RANK AND NAMES.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Permanent.			
Sub-Conductor and Officiating Conductor Thomas Gregory.	Conductor ...	Dec. 8, 1874	*Vice* Conductor T. Lally, retired.
Sub-Conductor and Officiating Conductor James Graves.	Do. ...	Dec. 18, 1874	*Vice* Conductor A. Campbell, reduced to Sub-Conductor.
Magazine Sergeant and Officiating Sub-Conductor Robert Giltrap.	Sub-Conductor on probation.	Dec. 7, 1874	*Vice* Sub-Conductor R. G. Halliday, remanded to regimental duty.
Magazine Sergeant and Officiating Sub-Conductor Andrew Gallagher.	Do. ...	Dec. 8, 1874	*Vice* Sub-Conductor T. Gregory, promoted.
Temporary.			
Sub-Conductor James J. Rackstraw...	Offg. Conductor	Nov. 18, 1874	*Vice* Conductor G. Palmer, on furlough.
Sub-Conductor Thomas Hunt ...	Do. ...	Dec. 11, 1874	*Vice* Conductor T. Heathcoate, on furlough.
Sub-Conductor John Beatty ...	Do. ...	Dec. 14, 1874	*Vice* Conductor N. Thorburn, on furlough.
Sub-Conductor Alexander McDonald	Do. ...	Dec. 18, 1874	*Vice* Officiating Conductor J. Graves, promoted, and Conductor J. Rimmer, on furlough.
Magazine Sergeant Thomas Ratcliffe	Offg. Sub-Conductor.	Nov. 18, 1874	*Vice* Sub-Conductor J. J. Rackstraw, Officiating as Conductor.
Magazine Sergeant James Combe ...	Do. ...	Dec. 7, 1874	*Vice* Officiating Sub-Conductor R. Giltrap, promoted, and Sub-Conductor A. McDonald, acting as Conductor.
Magazine Sergeant George Preston...	Do. ...	Dec. 11, 1874	*Vice* Sub-Conductor T. Hunt, Officiating as Conductor.
Magazine Sergeant John Carson ...	Do. ...	Dec. 14, 1874	*Vice* Sub-Conductor J. Beatty Officiating as Conductor.

No. 243 *of* 1875.—Ruttoo, widow of Havildar Futtehdeen, 29th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry, is admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the 3rd class order of merit on her late husband for three years, commencing from the 28th December 1870.

The stipend will be disbursed in the Punjab Circle of pension payment.

This cancels that part of G. G. O. No. 678 of 1874 admitting Rutto to pension.

The 4th March 1875.

No. 244 *of* 1875.—With reference to the Notification issued by the Government of Bengal, dated the 1st March 1875, the services of Surgeon R. G. Mathew, late Civil Surgeon of Midnapore, were at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief from the 18th March to the 10th September 1874.

No. 245 *of* 1875.—The services of the under-mentioned medical officers, who have been employed on special duty since 1869, are placed at the disposal of the Home Department:—

Surgeon T. Lewis, M. B., of the British Medical Service.

Surgeon D. D. Cunningham, M. B., of the Indian Medical Service.

No. 246 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Captain Francis Henry Conolly, of the Bengal Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, 4th grade, Punjab,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 247 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify the following appointment:—

Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Major R. C. Sterndale, to officiate as Commandant during the absence on furlough to Europe of Lieutenant-Colonel B. Walton, or until further orders.

No. 248 *of* 1875.—The following despatch from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, which is in reply to an enquiry relating to Officers who held saleable Commissions on the 1st November 1871, is published for general information:—

MILITARY. No. 21. INDIA OFFICE; LONDON, 28*th January* 1875.

To His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

MY LORD,—In reply to your letter No. 225, dated 20th November 1874, I have, after communication with His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, to inform you that—

1.—An Officer exchanging to the Staff Corps after 1st November 1871, would, on retirement otherwise than upon a pension, be entitled to the full value (Regulation and over Regulation) of the Commission held by him on 1st November 1871.

2.—An Officer so exchanging and eventually retiring from the Staff Corps upon a pension, would be entitled to the over Regulation value of the Commission held on 1st November 1871, in the same manner as if he retired to full or half pay from the regiment from which he was transferred.

3.—An Officer transferred from a non-purchase regiment would receive the compensation for loss of bonus belonging to the position which he occupied on 1st November 1871.

I have, &c.,
SALISBURY.

No. 249 *of* 1875.—The following permanent and temporary promotions are made in the Warrant Grade of the Ordnance Commissariat Department:—

Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Permanent.			
Magazine Sergeant and Officiating Sub-Conductor John Hogan.	Sub-Conductor, on probation.	Feb. 25, 1875	*Vice* Sub-Conductor J. W. Watson, placed on the seconded list.
Temporary.			
Magazine Sergeant John Johnson.	Offg. Sub-Conductor.	Ditto ...	*Vice* Offg. Sub-Conductor Hogan, promoted.

No. 250 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their return from England:—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) G. N. Cave, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 24th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 25th February 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel F. A. Dickins, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd-in-Command and Wing Officer, 2nd Regiment of Native (Light) Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 25th February 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel E. Dandridge, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 40th (The Shahjehanpore) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th February 1875.

Major F. Allen, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd-in-Command and Wing Officer, 18th (The Alipore) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th February 1875.

Captain W. L. Noverre, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, Central Provinces,—date of arrival at Bombay, 18th February 1875.

Captain W. C. Anderson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Squadron Officer, 3rd Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force,—date of arrival at Bombay, 25th February 1875.

Lieutenant F. C. Burton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Squadron Subaltern, 1st Bengal Cavalry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th February 1875.

Lieutenant A. G. Yaldwyn, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Wing Subaltern, 6th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th February 1875 (date of departure on furlough, 29th March 1873).

No. 251 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the under-mentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

35th (The Mynpoorie) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Jemadar Ranjeh Khan to be Subadar from the 15th December 1874, *vice* Shaick Hossein Bux, "Bahadoor," invalided.

45th (Rattray's Sikhs) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Color Havildar Indur to be Jemadar from the 1st May 1874, *vice* Mohesa, transferred to the 10th Regiment of Native Infantry.

No. 252 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Army Commissariat Department.

Lieutenant H. V. Hunt, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Quartermaster 25th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry, to be a Sub-Assistant Commissary General of the 3rd class, on probation, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 253 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant Aubrey DeVere Alexander, of the 1st Battalion, 3rd Foot, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 18th (The Alipore) Regiment of Native Infantry,—6th December 1873.

The 5th March 1875.

No. 254 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Staff Corps having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet from the dates specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant Colonel Robert Renton, Madras Staff Corps, 27th February 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Edward Bannerman Ramsay, Madras Staff Corps, 27th February 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel John Richardson Auldjo, Bengal Staff Corps, 28th February 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel James Langford Pearse, Madras Staff Corps, 1st March 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Robert Davidson, Bengal Staff Corps, 1st March 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Goodson Adye, Madras Staff Corps, 1st March 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Henry Clyde Fletcher, Madras Staff Corps, 4th March 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Charles William Cox, Madras Staff Corps, 4th March 1875.

Lieutenant Colonel Henry Imlach Bett, Madras Staff Corps, 5th March 1875.

No. 255 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Bengal Staff Corps having completed 26 years' service, are promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Major Augustus Arthur Currie,—2nd March 1875.

Major Robert Stannus Graves,—2nd March 1875.

No. 256 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Bengal Staff Corps having completed 20 years' service, are promoted to the rank of Major from the dates specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Captain Alexander John Colvin Birch,—2nd March 1875.

Captain George Augustus Way,—5th March 1875.

Captain Osmond Barnes,—5th March 1875.

No. 257 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified:—

Lieutenant Colonel B. Walton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 1237 of 1874,—Australia, 1st March 1875, from Bombay.

Major H. F. Newmarch, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 31 of 1875,—Australia, 1st March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain (Brevet Major) C. E. Bates, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 193 of 1875,—Thibet, 1st February 1875, from Bombay.

No. 258 *of* 1875.—G. G. O. No. 221, dated the 26th February 1875, is cancelled.

The furlough to Europe on medical certificate for two years under Rule XIV, Clause I of the Regulations of 1868, granted to Captain J. Johnstone, of the late 68th Regiment Native Infantry, 3rd Grade Assistant Commissioner, Assam, in G. G. O. No. 84 of the 22nd January 1875, will therefore hold good.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

ESTATE NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 5th March 1875.

Martin Mackinnon Hill, Sub-Lieutenant, 1st Battalion 14th Regiment, died 14th December 1874 at Sitapur, Oudh, intestate. Rs. 1,208-14-1 deposited on the 1st March 1875. Next of kin—Father, Major-General George Mytton Hill, Montague House, Leyland Road, Lee, Kent.

All claims against the above estate must be submitted before the 5th May 1875.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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Fort William, the 2nd March 1875.

No. 97.—Mr. G. A. MacCutchan, Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, Central India, is confirmed in his appointment.

The 4th March 1875.

No. 99.—Baboo Sat Cowrie Mookerjee, Apprentice Accountant, Bengal, is appointed an Accountant, 4th Grade, on probation, and transferred to British Burmah.

No. 100.—Mr. G. W. K. Martin, Overseer, 1st Grade, is transferred from Central Provinces to Port Blair.

The 5th March 1875.

No. 101.—The appointment, by the Chief Commissioner of Assam, of Captain T. J. Willans, R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, to officiate as Superintending Engineer and Secretary to the Chief Commissioner in the Public Works Department, in addition to his own duties, during the absence of Major Trevor on privilege leave, is confirmed.

TELEGRAPH.

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No. 98.—Mr. R. S. Brough, Assistant Superintendent, 2nd Grade, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent, 3rd Grade, during the period he may be employed on special duty in British Burmah.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 9th March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. X OF 1875.

THE HIGH COURTS' CRIMINAL PROCEDURE ACT, 1875.

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An Act to regulate the Procedure of the High Courts in the exercise of their original criminal jurisdiction.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to the procedure of the High Courts in the exercise of their original criminal jurisdiction; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The High Courts' Criminal Procedure Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the first day of May 1875.

Repeal of enactments.

2. The enactments mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed are repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the said schedule, but not so as to revive any practice thereby abolished.

And all rules made under any of the said enactments shall be deemed to have been made under this Act, so far as they are consistent herewith.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"High Court."

"High Court" includes all High Courts established or to be established under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, Chapter 104, the Chief Court of the Panjáb, and such other Courts as the Governor-General in Council may, from time to time, declare to be invested with the powers of a High Court under this Act:

"Chief Justice."

"Chief Justice" includes also the Senior Judge of a Chief Court:

"Advocate General."

"Advocate General" includes also a Government Advocate:

"Clerk of the Crown."

"Clerk of the Crown" includes any officer specially appointed by the Chief Justice to discharge the functions given by this Act to the Clerk of the Crown; and

"Magistrate."

"Magistrate" includes also a Police Magistrate in the Towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay:

"European British Subject."

"European British Subject" means—

(*a*) all subjects of Her Majesty born, naturalized or domiciled in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland or in any of the European, American or Australian colonies or possessions of Her Majesty, or in the colonies of New Zealand, the Cape of Good Hope and Natal;

(*b*) the children and grandchildren of any such person by legitimate descent:

"Prosecutor."

"Prosecutor" includes every person conducting a prosecution on behalf of Her Majesty:

"Offence."

"Offence" denotes anything made punishable by any law for the time being in force; and

words which refer to acts done extend also to illegal omissions.

CHAPTER II.

Of Sessions.

Time of holding sittings.

4. For the exercise of its original criminal jurisdiction, every High Court shall hold sittings on such days and at such convenient intervals as the Chief Justice of such Court from time to time appoints.

Place of holding sittings.

5. The High Court shall hold its sittings at the place at which it now holds them, or at such other place (if any) as the Governor-General in Council in the case of the High Court at Fort William, and as the Local Government in the case of the other High Courts, may direct. But it may, from time to time,

in the case of the High Court at Fort William, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council,

in all other cases, with the consent of the Local Government,

hold sittings at such other places within the local limits of its appellate jurisdiction as the High Court appoints.

Notice of sittings.

Such officer as the Chief Justice directs shall give notice beforehand in the local official Gazette of all sittings intended to be held for the exercise of the original criminal jurisdiction of the High Court.

CHAPTER III.

Of Procedure on Commitments.

Cases tried by High Courts to be tried under this Act.

6. The provisions of this Act shall apply to all criminal cases triable by the High Court.

Consideration and amendment of charge.

7. When any person is committed for trial before a High Court, the Clerk of the Crown, or, if there be not a Clerk of the Crown, a Judge of the High Court, shall, on receipt of the charge, peruse and consider it, and may, if it appear necessary or expedient so to do, alter or redraw the same, having regard to the rules as to the form of charges contained in the Code of Criminal Procedure.

How Court may deal with charge.

8. If a prisoner is committed to the Court without any charge at all, the Clerk of the Crown, or, if there be not a Clerk of the Crown, a Judge of the High Court, may draw up a charge, having regard to the rules referred to in section seven. If a prisoner is committed upon a charge which the Court, upon reference to the proceedings before the committing Magistrate, considers improper, the Court may draw up a charge for any offence or offences which it considers to be proved by the evidence taken before the committing Magistrate.

Prisoner may apply for amendment.

9. Any accused person may apply to the Court for an amendment of the charge made against him; and in considering whether any error in a charge did in fact mislead the accused person, the Court shall take into account the fact that he did or did not make such an application.

Court may amend charge.

10. The Court may, upon the application of the accused person, or of the prosecutor, or upon its own motion, amend or alter any charge at any stage of the proceedings before the verdict of the jury is delivered. Such amendment shall be explained to the accused person.

When trial may proceed immediately after amendment.

11. If the amendment or alteration is such that proceeding immediately with the trial is not likely, in the opinion of the Court, to prejudice the accused person in his defence, it shall be at the discretion of the Court, after making such amendment or alteration, to proceed with the trial as if the amended charge had been the original charge.

When new trial may be directed or trial suspended.

12. If the amendment or alteration is such that proceeding immediately with the trial is likely, in the opinion of the Court, to prejudice the accused person in his defence, the Court may either direct a new trial, or suspend the trial for such period as may be necessary to

enable the accused person to make his defence to the amended or altered charge; and, after hearing his defence, the Court may, if it thinks fit, further adjourn the trial, to admit of the appearance of any witness whose evidence the Court may consider to be material to the case, or whom the accused person may wish to be summoned in his defence.

Charge to be recorded.

Copy of charge.

13. The charge, with such alterations (if any) as may have been made therein, shall be recorded in the High Court and a copy of such charge shall be given to the person gratis, if he demands it.

Copies of depositions.

The person charged shall also be entitled to a copy of his own examination before the committing Magistrate, and to copies of the examinations of witnesses upon whose depositions he has been committed, and of all documents read and made exhibits as part of such depositions by the committing Magistrate, if the person charged demands them a reasonable time before the case comes on for trial and pays for the same a reasonable sum not exceeding one anna for each folio of ninety words.

The Court may for any special reason remit any such payment.

Entry on unsustainable charge.

14. When any charge, or portion of a charge, recorded as aforesaid appears to a Judge of the High Court, at any time before the commencement of the trial of the person charged, to be clearly unsustainable, such Judge may make on the charge an entry to that effect.

Effect of entry.

Such entry shall have the effect of staying proceedings upon the charge or portion of the charge (as the case may be), but shall not operate as an acquittal of the person charged.

Prosecutor and accused person may recall witnesses.

15. In all cases of amendment or alteration of a charge during the trial, the prosecutor and accused person shall be allowed to recall and examine any witness who may have been examined.

Previous sanction to be obtained if offence in amended charge require it.

16. If the offence stated in the amended or altered charge be one for the prosecution of which previous sanction is necessary, the case shall not be proceeded with until such sanction is obtained; unless sanction has been already obtained for a prosecution on the same facts as those on which the amended or altered charge was founded.

Joinder of Charges.

Separate charges for distinct offences.

17. There must be a separate charge for every distinct offence of which any person is accused, and every such charge must be tried separately, except in the cases hereinafter excepted.

Illustration.

A is accused of a theft on one occasion, and of causing grievous hurt on another occasion. A must be separately charged and separately tried for the theft and the causing grievous hurt.

More offences than one of same kind may be charged within a year of each other.

18. When a person is accused of more offences than one of the same kind, committed within one year of each other, he may be charged and tried at the same time for any number of them not exceeding three.

Explanation.—Offences are said to be of the same kind under this section if they fall within the provisions of section twenty.

Trial of more than one offence.

19. I. If in one series of acts, so connected together as to form the same transaction, more offences than one are committed by the same person, he may be charged with and tried for every such offence at the same time.

One offence falling within two definitions.

II. If the acts alleged constitute an offence falling within two or more separate definitions of any law in force for the time being, by which offences are defined or punished, the person accused of them may be charged with each of the offences so committed; but he must not receive a more severe punishment than could be awarded for any of such offences.

Acts severally constituting more than one offence, but collectively coming within one definition.

III. If several acts, of which one or more than one would by itself constitute an offence, form, when combined, a different offence, the person accused of them may be charged with every offence, or any of the different offences, which he may have committed; but he must not receive for such offences, collectively, a punishment more severe than that which might have been awarded for any one of such offences.

Illustrations.

To paragraph I.

(*a*.) A rescues B, a person in lawful custody, and in so doing causes grievous hurt to C, a constable in whose custody B was. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 225 and 333, Indian Penal Code.

(*b*.) A has in his possession several counterfeit seals with the intention of committing several forgeries. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, the possession of each seal for a distinct forgery under section 473, Indian Penal Code.

(*c*.) A, with intent to cause injury to B, institutes proceedings against him, knowing there is no just or lawful ground for such proceedings. A also, in the course of the proceedings, falsely charges B with having committed an offence. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, two offences under section 211, Indian Penal Code.

(*d*.) A, with intent to injure B, brings a false charge against him of having committed an offence. On the trial, A gives false evidence against B. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 211 and 194 or 195, Indian Penal Code.

(*e*.) A, knowing that B, a female minor, has been kidnapped, wrongfully confines her and detains her as a slave. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 368 (read with 367) and 370, Indian Penal Code.

(*f*.) A, with six others, commits the offences of rioting, grievous hurt to B, and of assaulting C, a public servant engaged in suppressing the riot. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 147, 325 and 152, Indian Penal Code.

(*g.*) A criminally intimidates B, C and D at the same time. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, each of the three offences under section 506, Indian Penal Code.

(*h.*) A intentionally causes the death of three persons by upsetting a boat. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, three offences under section 302, Indian Penal Code.

To paragraph II.

(*i.*) A commits mischief by cutting down a tree in a Government forest. The tree overhangs the bank of a river and falls into the stream. A commits theft by having severed the tree and by floating it down the river to his village, where he sells it. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 426 and 379, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a more severe sentence than if it had convicted him under section 379 only.

(*j.*) A wrongfully strikes B with a cane. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 352 and 323 of the Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a more severe sentence than if it had convicted him under section 323 only.

(*k.*) A wrongfully kills a buffalo worth sixty rupees belonging to B, and then takes away the carcase in a manner amounting to theft. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 429 and 379, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a more severe sentence than if it had convicted him under section 429 only.

(*l.*) Several stolen sacks of corn are made over to A and B, who know they are stolen property. A and B thereupon assist each other to conceal the sacks at the bottom of a grain-pit. A and B may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 411 and 414, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries them may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted them under one of those sections only.

(*m.*) A uses a forged document in evidence, in order to convict B, a public servant, of an offence under section 167. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 471 (read with 466) and 196 of the Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under one of those sections only.

To paragraph III.

(*n.*) A commits house-breaking by day with intent to commit adultery, and commits, in the house so entered, adultery with B's wife. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 454 and 497, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under section 497 only.

(*o.*) A robs B, and, in doing so, voluntarily causes hurt to him. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 323, 392 and 394 of the Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under section 392 or 394 only.

(*p.*) A entices B, the wife of C, away, and then commits adultery with her. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 498 and 497, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under section 497 only.

Where it is doubtful what offence has been committed.

20. If a single act or series of acts is of such a nature that it is doubtful which of several offences the facts which can be proved will constitute, the accused person may be charged with having committed all or any of such offences; and any number of such charges may be tried at once, or he may be charged in the alternative with having committed some one of the said offences.

Illustration.

A is accused of an act which may amount to either theft, receiving stolen property, criminal breach of trust, or cheating. He may be charged separately with theft, criminal breach of trust, and cheating, or he may be charged with having committed either theft or criminal breach of trust, or cheating.

When a person is charged with one offence, he can be convicted of another.

21. If, in the case mentioned in section twenty, one charge only is brought against an accused person, and it appears in evidence that he committed a different offence, for which he might have been charged under the provisions of that section, he may be convicted of the offence which he is shown to have committed, although he was not charged with it.

Illustration.

A is charged with theft. It appears that he committed criminal breach of trust, or receiving stolen goods. He may be convicted of criminal breach of trust, or receiving stolen goods, though he was not charged with it.

When offence proved included in offence charged.

22. When a person is charged with an offence, and part of the charge is not proved, but the part which is proved amounts to a different offence, he may be convicted of the offence which he is proved to have committed, though he was not charged with it.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A is charged, under section 407, Indian Penal Code, with criminal breach of trust in respect of property entrusted to him as a carrier. It appears that he did commit criminal breach of trust under section 406 in respect of the property, but that it was not entrusted to him as a carrier. He may be convicted of criminal breach of trust under section 406.

(*b.*) A is charged with murder. He may be convicted of culpable homicide, or of causing death by negligence.

What persons may be charged jointly.

23. When more persons than one are accused of the same offence, or of different offences committed in the same transaction, or when one person is accused of committing any offence, and another of abetment of, or attempt to commit, such offence, they may be charged and tried together or separately, as the Court thinks proper, and the provisions hereinbefore contained shall apply to all such charges.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A and B are accused of the same murder. A and B may be charged and tried together for the murder.

(*b.*) A and B are accused of a robbery, in the course of which A commits a murder with which B has nothing to do. A and B may be tried together on a charge, charging both of them with the robbery, and A alone with the murder.

(*c.*) A and B are both charged with a theft, and B is charged with two other thefts committed by him in the course of the same transaction. A and B may be both tried together on a charge, charging both with the one theft, and B alone with the two other thefts.

Effect of errors.

24. No error, either in the way in which the offence is stated, or in the particulars required by the Code of Criminal Procedure to be stated, and no omission to state the offence, or to state those particulars, shall be regarded at any stage of the case as material, unless the person accused was in fact misled by such error or omission.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A is charged, under section 242 of the Indian Penal Code, with "having been in possession of counterfeit coin, having known at the time when he became possessed thereof that such coin was counterfeit;" the word "fraudulently" being omitted in the charge. Unless it appears that A was in fact misled by this omission, the error shall not be regarded as material.

(*b.*) A is charged with cheating B, and the manner in which he cheated B is not set out in the charge, or is set out incorrectly. A defends himself, calls witnesses, and gives his own account of the transaction. The Court may infer from this that the omission to set out the manner of the cheating is not material.

(*c.*) A is charged with cheating B, and the manner in which he cheated B is not set out in the charge. There were many transactions between A and B, and A had no means of knowing to which of them the charge referred, and offered no defence. The Court may infer from such facts that the omission to set out the manner of the cheating was, in this case, a material error.

(*d.*) A is charged with the murder of Khodá Baksh on the 21st January. In fact, the murdered person's name was Haidar Baksh, and the date of the murder was the 20th January. A was never charged with any murder but one, and had heard the inquiry before the Magistrate, which referred exclusively to the case of Haidar Baksh. The Court may infer from these facts that A was not misled, and that the error in the charge was immaterial.

(*e.*) A was charged with murdering Haidar Baksh on the 20th January, and Khodá Baksh (who tried to arrest him for that murder) on the 21st January. When charged for the murder of Haidar Baksh, he was tried for the murder of Khodá Baksh. The witnesses present in his defence were witnesses in the case of Haidar Baksh. The Court may infer from this that A was misled, and that the error was material.

When irregular commitments may be validated.

25. If any Magistrate, or other authority purporting to exercise powers conferred, but not being actually so empowered, commits an accused person to take his trial before a High Court, the Court may, after perusal of the proceedings, accept the commitment if it considers that the accused person has not been prejudiced, unless objection was made on behalf either of the accused person or of the prosecution to the jurisdiction of the committing Magistrate during the inquiry and before the order of commitment.

If such Court considers that the accused person was prejudiced, or if such objection as aforesaid was so made, it shall quash the commitment, and direct a fresh inquiry by a competent Magistrate.

Custody pending direction as to place of trial.

26. Pending the directions of the Court as to the place of trial, every person committed for trial shall (if not admitted to bail) be committed by the Magistrate for intermediate custody to the criminal jail in which he can be most conveniently confined.

Procedure thereafter.

If the trial be directed to be held at the ordinary place of sitting of the Court, the Magistrate shall bind over the person charged to appear and take his trial at such place of sitting, or shall commit him to the jail at such place.

If the Court direct that the person charged be tried elsewhere than at its ordinary place of sitting, the Magistrate shall bind him over to appear and take his trial at the place so directed, or shall, if necessary, cause him to be removed to the criminal jail at or nearest to the place at which he is directed to be tried.

Intermediate custody of European British subjects.

27. The Court may direct that all European British subjects committed or bailed for trial by it within certain specified districts or during certain specified periods of the year, shall be tried at the ordinary place of sitting of the Court,

or direct that they shall be tried at a particular place named, and may also order that they shall, if not bailed, be committed for intermediate custody to a particular jail, being one of the jails appointed by the Government for the reception of such prisoners.

CHAPTER IV.

Of the Commencement of the Trial.

Commencement of trial.

28. When the Court is ready to commence the trial, the accused person shall be brought before it, and the charge shall be read and explained to him, and he shall be asked whether he is guilty of the offence charged, or claims to be tried.

Plea of guilty.

29. If the accused person pleads guilty, the plea shall be recorded, and he may be convicted thereon.

Refusal to plead or claim to be tried.

30. If the accused person refuses to, or does not, plead, or if he claims to be tried, the Court shall proceed to choose jurors as hereinafter directed, and to try the case.

Right of accused to be defended.

31. Every person accused of an offence may of right be defended by any advocate of a High Court.

Any such person may, with the permission of the Court (but not otherwise), employ any person not being an advocate, attorney or pleader, to assist him in his defence.

CHAPTER V.

Of Juries.

(a) Of Juries generally.

Trials to be by jury.

32. All trials under this Act shall be by jury;

and, notwithstanding anything contained in section sixty-four of the Code of Criminal Procedure, in all criminal cases transferred to a High Court under that section or under the Letters Patent of any High Court established under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, Chapter 104, the trial may, if the High Court so direct, be by jury.

Number of jurors.

33. The jury shall consist of nine persons, who shall be chosen by lot from the persons summoned to act as jurors: provided that, in case of a deficiency

of such persons, the number required may, with the leave of the Court, be chosen from such other persons as may be present.

Successive trials by same jury.

34. Subject to the right of challenge hereinafter mentioned, the same jury may try as many accused persons successively as the Court thinks fit.

Majority of jurors for trial of European British subjects.

35. If before the first juror is called and accepted, any European British subject charged as aforesaid requires to be tried by a mixed jury, the majority of the jurors shall consist of Europeans or Americans, or both Europeans and Americans.

Trial of European British subject and Native jointly accused.

36. In any case in which a European British subject is accused jointly with a person not being a European British subject, and such European British subject is committed for trial before a High Court, the person so jointly accused shall (if the committing Magistrate thinks that he ought to be tried) also be committed for trial before such High Court, notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Such persons may be tried together, and the procedure on the trial shall be the same as it would have been had the European British subject been tried separately.

Provisions for European British subject requiring majority of Europeans in jury.

37. Provided that, if before the first juror is called and accepted the European British subject requires the majority of the jurors to consist of Europeans or Americans, or both Europeans and Americans, and the person not being a European British subject requires that he shall be tried separately by a jury of which at least five members shall be persons not being Europeans or Americans, the latter person shall be tried separately.

Native may claim separate trial.

(b) Of Juries in the Presidency Towns.

Trials before special jury.

38. Every person tried in Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, shall be tried before a special jury

(*a*) if charged with having committed an offence punishable with death, or

(*b*) if in any other case a Judge of the High Court so directs.

Jurors' book.

39. The jurors' book for the year current when this Act comes into force, shall be taken as containing a correct list of persons liable to serve as jurors under this Act;

and those persons whose names are entered in the said book as being liable to serve on special juries only shall be deemed to be persons privileged and liable to serve only as special jurors under this Act during the year for which the said list has been prepared.

Number of special jurors.

40. The names of not more than two hundred persons shall at any one time be entered in the Special Jurors' list.

Exemption of special jurors.

41. All persons whose names are entered in the special jurors' list shall be exempted from serving on any other than special juries, but so long only as their names are contained in such list.

Lists of common and special jurors.

42. The Clerk of the Crown shall, before the first day of April in each year, and subject to such rules as the High Court from time to time prescribes, prepare

(*a*) a list of all persons liable to serve as common jurors;

(*b*) a list of persons liable to serve as special jurors only.

Regard shall be had, in the preparation of the latter list, to the property, character and education of the persons whose names are entered therein.

No person shall be entitled to have his name entered in the special jurors' list, merely because he may have been entered in the special jurors' list for a previous year.

The Governor General in Council may exempt any salaried officer of Government from serving as a juror.

Discretion of officer preparing lists.

43. The Clerk of the Crown shall, subject to such rules as aforesaid, have full discretion to prepare the said lists as seems to him to be proper, and there shall be no appeal from, or review of, his decision.

Publication of lists.

44. Preparatory lists of persons liable to serve as common jurors and as special jurors, respectively, signed by the officer by whom the same have been prepared, shall be published once in the local official Gazette before the fifteenth day of April next after their preparation.

Revised lists of persons liable to serve as common jurors and special jurors, respectively, signed as aforesaid, shall be published once in the local official Gazette before the first day of May next after their preparation.

Copies of the said lists shall be affixed to some conspicuous part of the Court-house.

Number of jurors to be summoned.

45. Out of the persons named in the revised lists aforesaid, there shall be summoned for each sessions at least twenty-seven of those who are liable to serve on special juries, and fifty-four of those who are liable to serve on common juries.

No person shall be so summoned more than once in six months unless the number cannot be made up without him.

Supplementary summons.

If, during the continuance of any sessions, it appears that the number of persons so summoned is not sufficient, such number as may be necessary of other persons liable to serve as aforesaid shall be summoned for such sessions.

Failure of jurors to attend.

46. Any person summoned under section 45 who without lawful excuse fails to attend as required by the summons, or who having attended departs without having obtained the permission of the Judge, or fails to attend after an adjournment of the Court after being ordered to attend, shall be deemed guilty of a contempt and be liable by order of the Judge to such fine as he thinks fit, and, in default of payment of such fine, to imprisonment in the civil jail until the fine is paid.

Peremptory challenges.

47. Challenges without cause shown shall be allowed to the number of eight on behalf of the Crown and eight on behalf of the person or all the persons charged.

Challenges on cause.

The following and no others shall be good causes of challenge, whether on behalf of the Crown or by the person or persons charged:—

(*a*) Some personal objection, such as alienage, infancy, old age, or deficiency in the qualification required by any law or rule having the force of law for the time being in force:

(*b*) Some presumed or actual partiality in the juror:

(*c*) A previous conviction of the juror of a non-bailable offence under the Indian Penal Code, or of a similar offence under any other law in force in British India:

(*d*) Inability to understand English when spoken.

Trial of challenges.

48. The Judge before whom a person charged is about to be tried shall try any challenge, other than a challenge without cause shown; and if the Judge allow the challenge, the juror shall be set aside.

The decision of the Judge as to any challenge shall be final.

Powers of Presidency High Courts as to jurors.

49. Save as herein provided, the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay shall retain all their present powers respecting the summoning, empannelling, qualification, challenging, and service of jurors,

and shall have power to make such rules on these subjects (consistent with the provisions of this Act) as seem to them to be proper.

All rules relating to jurors now in force in the same High Courts shall (so far as they are consistent with this Act) remain in force until repealed or altered by new rules made under this section.

(c) Of Juries in the Mofussil.

Summoning jurors.

50. Whenever a High Court has given notice of its intention to hold sittings at any place (other than the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay) for the exercise of its original criminal jurisdiction, the Court of Session at such place shall, subject to any direction which may be given by the High Court, take and cause to be taken the measures prescribed by sections 407, 409, 410 and 411 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for the summoning of jurors.

Military jurors.

51. In addition to the persons so summoned as jurors, the said Court of Session shall, if it think needful, after communication with the Commanding Officer, cause to be summoned such number of Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers in the military service, resident within ten miles of its place of sitting, as the Court considers to be necessary to make up the juries required for the trial of European British subjects charged with offences before the High Court as aforesaid.

All Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers so summoned shall be liable to serve on such juries notwithstanding anything contained in the Code of Criminal Procedure; but no Commissioned or Non-Commissioned Officer shall be summoned whom his Commanding Officer desires to have excused on the ground of urgent military duty, or for any other special military reason.

Juries for trial of European British subjects.

52. The juries for the trial of European British subjects as aforesaid shall be formed in the manner required by the Code of Criminal Procedure and by this Act from the persons summoned in accordance with sections 50 and 51.

Names of jurors to be called.

53. As each juror is chosen, his name shall be called aloud, and, upon his appearance, the accused person shall be asked if he objects to be tried by such juror.

Objections to jurors.

Objection may then be made to such juror by the accused person, or by the prosecutor, and the grounds of objection shall be stated.

Grounds of objection.

54. Any objection made to a juror on any of the following grounds, if made out to the satisfaction of the Court, shall be allowed:—

(*a*) his holding any office in or under the Court or the local Court of Session;

(*b*) his executing any duties of Police or being entrusted with any Police functions;

(*c*) his having been convicted of any offence against the State, or of any fraudulent or other offence which, in the judgment of the Court, renders him unfit to serve on the jury;

(*d*) his having by habit or religious vows, relinquished all care of worldly affairs;

(*e*) his standing in the relation of husband, master, servant, landlord or tenant, to the person alleged to be injured or attempted to be injured by the offence charged, or to the person accused;

(*f*) his being in the employment of any of such persons;

(*g*) his being plaintiff or defendant in any civil suit against any of such persons;

(*h*) his having complained against, or having been accused by, any of such persons in any criminal prosecution;

(*i*) any circumstance which, in the judgment of the Court, is likely to cause prejudice against, or favour to, any of such persons, or which renders such person improper as a juror.

Decision of objection.

55. Any objection made to a juror shall be decided by the Court, and such decision shall be final.

Supply of place of juror against whom objection allowed.

56. If the objection be allowed, the place of such juror shall be supplied by any other juror attending in obedience to a summons; or, if there be no such other juror present, then by any other person present in the Court whose name is on the list of jurors, or whom the Court considers a proper person to serve on the jury, provided no objection to such other juror or person be made and allowed under section 54.

Juror to understand language in which evidence is given or interpreted.

57. The Judge shall not allow any person to serve on the jury, unless such person understands the language in which the evidence is given or interpreted.

(d) Of the Foreman.

Foreman of jury.

58. When the jury has been completed, they shall appoint one of their number to be foreman.

It shall be the duty of the foreman to preside in the debates of the jury, to deliver the verdict of the jury, and to ask any information from the Court that may be required by the jury or any of the jurors.

If a majority of the jury do not agree in the appointment of a foreman, he shall be appointed by the Court.

CHAPTER VI.

Of the Trial.

Examination of witnesses.

59. The prosecutor shall then open his case, and the witnesses shall be examined, cross-examined and re-examined according to the law for the time being relating to the examination of witnesses.

Examination of accused before Magistrate to be evidence.

60. The examination of the accused person before the committing Magistrate shall be given in evidence at the trial.

Examination of accused.

61. The Court may from time to time, at any stage of the trial, examine the accused person.

Accused not punishable for refusal to answer.

The accused person shall not be liable to any punishment for refusing to answer, or for answering falsely, questions asked under this section, but the Court shall draw such inference as seems just from such refusal or false answer.

No oath or affirmation shall be administered to the accused person.

Defence.

62. When the examination of the witnesses for the prosecution and the examination of the accused person are concluded, the accused person shall be asked whether he means to call witnesses. If he says that he does not, the prosecutor may sum up his case. The Court may then, if it thinks that there are no grounds for proceeding, direct the jury to return a verdict of acquittal.

If the Court considers that there are grounds for proceeding, it shall call on the accused person to state his grounds of defence and produce his witnesses.

The accused person, or his Counsel may then state the case for the defence, and may examine the witnesses, if any, produced for the defence, and at the conclusion of such examination may sum up his case.

Prosecutor's right of reply.

63. If any evidence is adduced on behalf of the accused person, the prosecutor shall be entitled to reply.

View by jury.

64. Whenever, in the opinion of the Court, it is proper and convenient that the jury should view the place in which the offence charged is said to have been committed, or any other place in which any other transaction material to the inquiry in the trial took place, an order shall be made to that effect, and the jury shall be conducted in a body, under the care of an officer of the Court, to such place, which shall be shown to them by a person appointed by the Court. Such officer shall not suffer any other person to speak to, or hold any communication with, any of the jury.

Locking-up jury.

65. The High Court may from time to time make rules as to keeping the jury together during a trial lasting for more than one day, and, subject to such rules, the presiding Judge may order whether and in what manner the jurors shall be kept together under the charge of an officer of the Court, or whether they shall be allowed to return to their respective homes.

Postponement of trial. Adjournment.

66. The Court may, in its discretion, postpone the hearing of the case; and may, from time to time, adjourn the trial, if it considers that such adjournment is proper and will promote the ends of justice.

Jury to attend at adjourned sitting.

67. If a trial is adjourned, the jury shall be required to attend at the adjourned sitting, and at every subsequent sitting, until the conclusion of the trial.

Power to prescribe mode in which evidence shall be taken down.

68. The Court may, if it think fit, from time to time, by general rule prescribe the manner in which evidence shall be taken down in cases coming before the Court in the exercise of its ordinary or its extraordinary original criminal jurisdiction, and the Judges of such Court shall take down the evidence or the substance thereof in accordance with the rule (if any) so prescribed.

Evidence of jurors.

69. If a juryman is personally acquainted with any relevant fact, it is his duty to inform the Judge that such is the case, whereupon he may be examined, cross-examined and re-examined, in the same manner as any other witness.

Interpreter.

70. When the services of an interpreter are required by the Court for the interpretation of any evidence or statement, he shall be bound to state the true interpretation of such evidence or statement.

CHAPTER VII.

Of Evidence.

Evidence of medical witness.

71. The examination of a Civil Surgeon or other medical witness, taken and duly attested by a Magistrate, may be given in evidence in any criminal trial, although the person examined is not called as a witness.

Court may summon medical witness.

The Court may summon such Civil Surgeon or other medical witness, if it sees sufficient cause for doing so.

Report of Chemical Examiner.

72. Any document purporting to be a report from the Chemical Examiner, or Assistant Chemical Examiner to Government, upon any matter or thing duly submitted to him for examination or analysis and report, in the course of any criminal trial, or in any preliminary inquiry relating thereto, may, if it bears his signature, be used as evidence in any criminal trial.

Genuineness of signature may be presumed.

The Court may presume that the signature of any such document is genuine, and that the person signing it held the office which he professed to hold at the time when he signed it.

Admission of accused.

73. If, after the commencement of the trial, the accused person admits before the Court the commission of an offence, the Court may convict him on his own admission, whether such offence is the same as the offence of which he is accused, or not.

Record of evidence in absence of accused.

74. If an accused person abscond, and after due pursuit cannot be arrested, the Court may, in his absence, examine the witnesses (if any) produced on behalf of the prosecution and record their depositions; and any such deposition may, on the arrest of such person, be put in on his trial for the offence with which he is charged if it is not practicable to procure the attendance of the deponent.

Evidence given at preliminary inquiry.

75. When a witness is produced, the evidence (if any) given by him before the committing Magistrate may, in the discretion of the presiding Judge, be treated as evidence in the case, if it was duly taken in the presence of the accused person.

Explanation.—This section shall not authorize the Court to refer to the record of the evidence given by a witness who is absent, except in the cases in which such evidence may be referred to under the Indian Evidence Act, 1872, or other law in force for the time being upon the subject of evidence.

Commissions.

When a commission may issue.

76. Whenever, at any time after the commitment, it appears that the attendance of a witness cannot be procured without an amount of delay, expense or inconvenience which, under the circumstances of the case, would be unreasonable, the Court may dispense with his personal attendance.

Mode of issuing commission.

The Court may direct a commission to the Magistrate of the District, or to a Magistrate of the first class, in whose jurisdiction such witness may be. The Magistrate to whom the commission is directed shall proceed to the place where such witness is, or shall summon such witness before himself. Such Magistrate shall take the evidence of such witness in the same manner, and shall have for this purpose, and may exercise, the same powers as in trials of warrant cases under the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Where witness is in a Native State.

When the witness is in the territories of any Native Prince or State in India in alliance with Her Majesty, the commission may be directed to any Justice of the Peace or other officer in the service of the Crown resident in such territories; and the provisions of the second clause of this section shall apply to such Justice of the Peace or officer.

Where witness is in a Presidency Town.

If the witness is within the local limits of the ordinary original criminal jurisdiction of any of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay, the commission may be directed to any Police Magistrate within such limits, and such Magistrate shall have the like power to compel the attendance and examination of witnesses as he possesses for that purpose in cases pending before him.

Prosecutor and accused may examine witness.

The prosecutor and the accused person may forward interrogatories, upon which the officer to whom the commission is directed shall examine the witness, or the prosecutor may appear personally before the officer to whom the commission is directed, or the prosecutor or accused person may so appear by authorized agent.

Return of commission.

After any commission issued under this section has been duly executed, it shall be returned, together with the deposition of the witness examined thereunder, to the Court out of which it issued; and the commission, the return thereto, and the deposition of such witness may be used as evidence in the case and shall form part of the record.

Tender of Pardon to obtain Evidence.

Court may direct tender of pardon.

77. The Court may, with the view of obtaining on the trial the evidence of any person or persons supposed to have been directly or indirectly concerned in, or privy to, any offence mentioned in column 7 of the fourth schedule annexed to the Code of Criminal Procedure as triable exclusively by the Court of Session, instruct the committing Magistrate to tender, or itself may, at any time before judgment, tender, a pardon to such person or persons, on condition of his or their making a full, true and fair disclosure of the whole of the circumstances, within his or their knowledge, relative to the crime committed and every other person concerned in the perpetration thereof.

Any person accepting a tender of pardon under this section shall be examined as a witness in the case, under the rules applicable to the examination of witnesses.

Such person, if not on bail, shall be detained in custody pending the termination of the trial.

Commitment of person to whom pardon has been tendered.

78. When a pardon has been tendered under section 77, if it appears to the Court that any person who has accepted such tender has not conformed to the conditions under which it was made, either by wilfully concealing anything essential, or by giving false evidence, the Court may commit, or direct the commitment of, such person, for trial for the offence in respect of which the pardon was so tendered, or for any other offence of which he may appear to have been guilty in connection with the same matter.

The statement made by a person under pardon, which pardon has been withdrawn under this section, may be put in evidence against him.

Of securing Attendance of Witnesses and Production of Documents.

Procedure for obtaining attendance of witnesses.

79. The following procedure shall be pursued in order to obtain the attendance of witnesses before the Court.

Power to summon material witness or examine person present.

80. The Court may, at any stage of any proceeding, inquiry or trial, summon any witness, or examine any person in attendance though not summoned as a witness, and it shall be its duty to do so if the evidence of such person appears essential to the just decision of the case.

When warrant of arrest may issue in first instance.

81. If the Court has reason to believe that any witness whose attendance is required will not attend to give evidence without being compelled to do so, it may, instead of issuing a summons, issue a warrant of arrest in the first instance.

Procedure when warrant cannot be served.

82. If such warrant cannot be executed, and the Court considers that the witness is absconding or concealing himself for the purpose of avoiding the service thereof, it may issue a proclamation, requiring his attendance to give evidence at a time and place to be named therein, to be affixed on some conspicuous part of his ordinary place of abode.

If the witness does not attend at the time and place named in such proclamation, the Court may order the attachment of any moveable property belonging to such witness, to such amount as seems reasonable, not being in excess of the amount of costs of attachment and of any fine to which he may be liable under the provisions of the next following section.

Such order shall authorize the attachment of any such moveable property within the jurisdiction of the Court by which the order was made; and if any such moveable property be without the jurisdiction of the said Court, such order when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situated shall authorize the attachment of the property last aforesaid.

Release of attached property of witness appearing and satisfying Court.

83. If the witness appears and satisfies the Court that he did not abscond or conceal himself for the purpose of avoiding the execution of the warrant, and that he had not notice of the proclamation in time to attend at the time and place named therein, the Court shall direct that the property attached be released from attachment, and shall make such order in regard to the costs of the attachment as the Court thinks fit.

Sale of property of witness not appearing or not satisfying Court.

If such witness does not appear, or, appearing, fails to satisfy the Court that he did not abscond or conceal himself for the purpose of avoiding the execution of the warrant, and that he had not such notice of the proclamation as aforesaid, the Court may order the property attached, or any part thereof, to be sold for the purpose of satisfying all costs incurred in consequence of such attachment, together with the amount of any fine which may be imposed upon such witness under the provisions of section 172 of the Indian Penal Code.

If the witness pays to such Court the costs and fine as aforesaid, his property shall be released from attachment.

Arrest of person disobeying summons.

84. If any person summoned to give evidence neglects or refuses to appear at the time and place appointed by the summons, and no reasonable excuse is offered for such neglect or refusal, the Court, upon proof of the summons having been duly served, may issue a warrant under its seal to bring such person before it to testify as aforesaid.

Right of accused as to examination of witness.

85. The accused person shall be allowed to examine as a witness any person in attendance.

Procedure for obtaining production of document required as evidence.

86. Whenever the Court considers that the production of any document is necessary or desirable for the purposes of any investigation or judicial proceeding, the Court may issue a summons to the person in whose possession or power such document is believed to be, requiring him to attend and produce such document at the time and place stated in the summons.

When warrant for search for documents may issue.

87. If there is reason to believe that the person to whom the summons is addressed will not produce the document as directed in the summons, the Court may issue a search-warrant for the document in the first instance.

Power to impound document produced.

88. The Court may, if it thinks fit, impound any document produced before it, or may, at the conclusion of the proceedings, order such document to be returned to the person who produced it.

Procedure in case of refusal to answer or produce documents.

89. If a witness refuses to answer any question which is put to him or to produce any document in his possession or power which the Court requires him to produce, and does not offer any just excuse for such refusal, he shall be deemed guilty of contempt of Court.

CHAPTER VIII.

Of the Charge to the Jury.

Charge to jury.

90. When the case for the defence and the prosecutor's reply, if any, are concluded, the Court shall proceed to charge the jury, summing up the evidence for the prosecution and defence, and laying down the law by which the jury are to be guided.

Duty of Judge.

91. It is the duty of the Judge to decide all questions of law, and especially all questions as to the relevancy of facts which it is proposed to prove, the admissibility of evidence, or the propriety of questions asked by parties or their agents, which may arise in the course of the trial; and, in his discretion, to prevent the production of inadmissible evidence, whether it is or is not objected to by the parties;

to decide upon the meaning and construction of all documents given in evidence at the trial;

to decide upon all matters of fact which it may be necessary to prove in order to enable evidence of particular matters to be given;

to decide whether any question which arises is for himself or for the jury; and upon this point his decision shall be final.

The Judge may, if he thinks proper, in the course of his summing up, express to the jury his opinion upon any question of fact, or upon any question of mixed law and fact, relevant to the proceeding.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) It is proposed to prove a statement made by a person not called as a witness, under circumstances which render evidence of his statement admissible.

It is for the Judge, and not for the jury, to decide whether the existence of those circumstances has been proved.

(*b.*) It is proposed to give secondary evidence of a document, the original of which is alleged to have been lost or destroyed.

It is the duty of the Judge to decide whether the original has been lost or destroyed.

CHAPTER IX.

Of the Verdict and the Discharge of the Jury.

Retirement to consider.

92. After the Judge has finished his charge, the jury may retire to consider their verdict.

Except with the leave of the Court, no person other than a juror shall speak to, or hold any communication with, any member of such jury.

Duty of jury.

93. It is the duty of the jury—

(*a*) to decide which view of the facts is true, and then to return the verdict which under such view ought, according to the direction of the Judge, to be returned;

(*b*) to determine the meaning of all technical terms and words used in an unusual sense, which it may be necessary to determine, whether such words occur in documents or not;

(*c*) to decide all questions which according to law are to be deemed questions of fact;

(*d*) to decide whether general, indefinite expressions do or do not apply to particular cases, unless such expressions refer to legal procedure, or unless their meaning is ascertained by law, in either of which cases it is the duty of the Judge to decide their meaning.

Illustrations.

(1.) A is tried for the murder of B.

It is the duty of the Judge to explain to the jury the distinction between murder and culpable homicide, and to tell them under what views of the facts A ought to be convicted of murder, or of culpable homicide, or to be acquitted.

It is the duty of the jury to decide which view of the facts is true, and to return a verdict in accordance with the direction of the Judge, whether that direction is right or wrong, and whether they do or do not agree with it.

(2.) The question is, whether a person entertained a reasonable belief on a particular point. Whether work was done with reasonable skill, or due diligence.

Each of these is a question for the jury.

Foreman to communicate verdict.

94. When the jury have considered their verdict, the foreman shall inform the Court what is their verdict, or what is the verdict of a majority.

Verdict to be given on each charge.
Judge may question jury.

95. The jury shall return a verdict on all the charges on which the accused is tried, and the Court may ask them such questions as are necessary to ascertain what their verdict is.

Procedure where jury differ.

96. If the jury are not unanimous, the Judge may require them to retire for further consideration. After such a period as the Judge considers reasonable, the jury may deliver their verdict, although they are not unanimous.

Verdict when to be delivered.

97. A verdict of guilty or not guilty, as the case may be, shall be delivered either when the jury are unanimous in their opinion, or when as many as six are of one opinion and the Judge agrees with them.

Discharge of jury in default of unanimity or majority of six with Judge's concurrence.

98. When the jury are satisfied that they will not be unanimous, but six of them are of one opinion, the foreman shall so inform the Judge.

If the Judge disagrees with the majority, he shall then discharge the jury.

If there are not so many as six who agree in opinion, the Judge shall, after the lapse of such time as he thinks reasonable, discharge the jury.

Discharge of jury in case of sickness of juror or prisoner.

99. The Judge may also discharge the jury whenever by reason of illness a juryman becomes incapable of attending through the trial or the prisoner becomes incapable of remaining at the bar.

Re-trial of prisoner after discharge of jury.

100. Whenever the jury is discharged, the prisoner shall be detained in custody or on bail (as the case may be) and shall be tried by another jury unless the Judge considers that he should not be re-tried, in which case the Judge shall make an entry to that effect on the charge, and such entry shall operate as an acquittal.

Power to reserve questions.

101. When any person has in a trial before a Judge of the High Court acting in the exercise of its original criminal jurisdiction, been convicted of an offence, the Judge, if he thinks fit, may reserve for the decision of a Court consisting of two or more Judges of the High Court any question of law which has arisen in the course of the trial of such person and the determination of which would affect the event of the trial.

Procedure when question reserved.

If the Judge reserves any such question, the person convicted shall, pending the decision thereon, be remanded to jail, or, if the Judge think fit, be admitted to bail,

and the High Court shall have power to review the case, or such part of it as may be necessary, and finally determine such question, and thereupon to alter the sentence passed by the Court of original jurisdiction, and to pass such judgment and sentence as to the High Court seem fit.

Withdrawal of remaining charges, on conviction on one of several charges.

102. When more charges than one are preferred against the same person, and when a conviction has been had on one or more of them, the prosecutor may, with the consent of the Court, withdraw, or the Court of its own accord may direct the withdrawal of, the remaining charge or charges. Such withdrawal shall have the effect of an acquittal on such charge or charges.

CHAPTER X.

OF THE SENTENCE.

Form and direction of warrant of commitment.

103. Every warrant for the commitment of a person to custody shall be in writing and signed and sealed by the Judge who issues it.

Provisions of Criminal Procedure Code, ss. 303, 304, 305, applied in Mofussil.

104. In the case of a High Court holding its sittings elsewhere than in the towns of Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, sections 303, 304 and 305, shall apply to the officers therein mentioned.

Levy of fine.

105. Whenever an offender is sentenced to pay a fine, the Court may issue a warrant for the levy of the amount by distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the offender, whether or not the offence be punishable with fine only, and whether or not the sentence direct that, in default of payment of the fine, the offender shall suffer imprisonment.

Such warrant may be executed within the jurisdiction of the Court, and it shall authorize the distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the offender without the jurisdiction of the said Court, when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situate.

Cases to which section applies.

This section shall not apply to cases in which any special procedure is laid down by any special or local law in force for the time being for the recovery of any fine, but shall apply to cases in which no such procedure is laid down, and to all fines not levied when this Act comes into force, but which might have been levied under this section if it had been in force when they were imposed.

Payment of fine in compensation.

106. Whenever the Court imposes a fine under any law in force for the time being, the Court may order the whole or any part of the fine to be paid in compensation,

(*a*) for expenses properly incurred in the prosecution;

(*b*) for the offence complained of, where such offence can, in the opinion of the Court, be compensated by money.

Such payment shall be made, as the Court thinks fit, to or for the benefit of the complainant, or the person injured, or both.

In any subsequent civil proceedings relating to the same matter, the Court shall take into account any sum which may have been awarded under this section.

Imprisonment in default of payment of fine.

107. In every case punishable under any law in force for the time being with imprisonment as well as fine, in which the offender is sentenced to a fine, whether with or without imprisonment, the High Court shall be guided by the provisions of sections 64, 65, 68, 69 and 70 of the Indian Penal Code in awarding the period of imprisonment in default of payment of the fine.

Execution of sentences of whipping.

108. Sentences of whipping shall be executed in manner provided by the Code of Criminal Procedure, sections 311, 312 and 313.

Sentence in cases of simultaneous conviction of several offences.

109. When a person is convicted, at one trial, of two or more offences punishable under the same or different sections of any law for the time being in force, the Court may sentence him, for the offences of which he has been convicted, to the several penalties prescribed by such enactment or enactments, which such Court is competent to inflict; such penalties, when consisting of imprisonment, or transportation, or penal servitude, to commence the one after the expiration of the other:

Maximum term of imprisonment.

Provided that in no case shall such person be sentenced to imprisonment for a longer period than fourteen years.

Currency of sentence on escaped convicts.

110. When sentence of death or whipping is passed on an escaped convict, the Court shall direct the new sentence to take effect without waiting for the expiration of the sentence from which he has escaped.

When any other sentence is passed on an escaped convict severer than the sentence from which he has escaped, the Court shall also direct the new sentence to take effect without waiting for the expiration of the sentence from which he escaped.

When the new sentence is not severer than the sentence from which he has escaped, the Court shall direct the new sentence to take effect after such convict has suffered imprisonment, or transportation, or penal servitude, as the case may be, for a further period equal to that which, at the time of his escape, remained unexpired of his former sentence.

When the former sentence on the escaped convict is or includes transportation or penal servitude for life and the Court does not sentence him to death, the new sentence shall direct that he be, as soon as practicable, sent back to the place from which he escaped.

EXPLANATION.—For the purpose of this section—

(*a*) a sentence of transportation or penal servitude shall be deemed severer than a sentence of imprisonment:

(*b*) a sentence of imprisonment with solitary confinement shall be deemed severer than a sentence of imprisonment without solitary confinement; and

(*c*) a sentence of rigorous imprisonment shall be deemed severer than a sentence of simple imprisonment with or without solitary confinement.

Sentence on offender already sentenced for another offence.

111. When sentence is passed on a person actually undergoing sentence of imprisonment or transportation, and the sentence is for imprisonment or transportation, the Court shall direct such imprisonment or transportation to commence at the expiration of the imprisonment or transportation to which he has been previously sentenced;

or, if he is undergoing a sentence of imprisonment, and the sentence on such subsequent conviction be for transportation or penal servitude, the Court may direct the sentence to commence immediately, or at the expiration of the imprisonment to which such person has been previously sentenced:

Proviso.

Provided that nothing in this section shall be held to excuse such person from any part of the punishment to which he is liable upon such former or subsequent conviction.

Confinement of youthful offenders in reformatories.

112. When any person under the age of sixteen years is sentenced to imprisonment for any offence, the Court may direct that such offender, instead of being imprisoned in the criminal jail, shall be confined in any reformatory established by the Local Government as a fit place for confinement, in which there are means of suitable discipline and of training in some branch of useful industry, or which is kept by a person willing to obey such rules as the Government prescribes with regard to the discipline and training of persons confined therein.

All persons confined under this section shall be subject to the rules so prescribed.

Sentence of death.

113. When any person is sentenced to death, the sentence shall direct that he be hanged by the neck till he is dead.

Postponement of capital sentence on pregnant woman.

114. If a woman sentenced to death be found to be pregnant, the High Court shall order the execution of the sentence to be postponed, and may commute the sentence.

Order for disposal of property regarding which offence committed.

115. When the trial is concluded, the Court may make such order as it thinks fit for the disposal of any property produced before it, regarding which any offence appears to have been committed.

Any order under this section may be in the form of a reference to a Magistrate, who shall in such case deal with the property as if it had been seized by the Police and the seizure duly reported to him.

EXPLANATION.—In this section the term 'property' includes not only such property as has been originally in the possession or under the control of any party, but also any property into or for which the same may have been converted or exchanged, and anything acquired by such conversion or exchange, whether immediately or otherwise.

Expenses of complainants and witnesses.

116. Subject to any rules that may be passed by the Local Government with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Court may order payment, on the part of Government, of the reasonable expenses of any complainant or witness attending for the purpose of any trial before such Court under this Act.

CHAPTER XI.

OF PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS OR ACQUITTALS.

Person once convicted or acquitted not to be tried for same offence.

117. A person who has once been tried for an offence and convicted or acquitted of such offence, shall, while such conviction or acquittal remains in force, not be liable to be tried again for the same offence, nor on the same facts for any other offence for which a different charge from the one made against him might have been made under section 20, or for which he might have been convicted under section 21.

A person convicted or acquitted of any offence may be afterwards tried for any offence for which a separate charge might have been made against him on the former trial under section 19, paragraph I.

A person convicted or acquitted of any offence in respect of any act causing consequences which, together with such act, constituted a different offence from that for which such person was acquitted or convicted, may be afterwards tried for such last-mentioned offence, if the consequences had not happened, or were not known to the Court to have happened, at the time when he was acquitted or convicted.

A person convicted or acquitted of any offence in respect of any facts may, notwithstanding such acquittal or conviction, be subsequently charged with and tried for any other offence which he may have committed in respect of the same facts, if the Court by which he was first tried was not competent to try the offence with which he is subsequently charged.

Illustrations.

(*a*.) A is tried upon a charge of theft as a servant and acquitted. He cannot afterwards be charged with the same theft as a servant, or, upon the same facts, with theft simply or with criminal breach of trust.

(*b*.) A is tried upon a charge of murder and acquitted. There is no charge of robbery; but it appears from the facts that A committed robbery at the time when the murder was committed; he may afterwards be charged with, and tried for, robbery.

(*c*.) A is tried for an assault and convicted. The person afterwards dies. A may be tried again for culpable homicide.

(*d*.) A is tried under section 270 of the Indian Penal Code for malignantly doing an act likely to spread the infection of a disease dangerous to life and is acquitted. The act so done afterwards causes a person permanently to lose his eyesight. A may be charged, under section 325, with voluntarily causing grievous hurt to that person.

(*e*.) A is charged before the Court of Session and convicted of the culpable homicide of B. A may not afterwards be tried for the murder of B on the same facts.

(*f*.) A is charged by a Magistrate of the first class with, and convicted by him of, voluntarily causing hurt to B. A may not afterwards be tried for voluntarily causing grievous hurt to B, on the same facts, unless the case comes within paragraph three.

(*g*.) A is charged by a Magistrate of the second class with, and convicted by him of, theft of property from the person of B. A may be subsequently charged with, and tried for, robbery on the same facts.

(*h*.) A, B and C are charged by a Magistrate of the first class with, and convicted by him of, robbing D. A, B and C may afterwards be charged with, and tried for, dacoity, on the same facts.

Previous conviction to be set out in charge.

118. If the accused person has been previously convicted of any offence, and if it is intended to prove such previous conviction for the purpose of affecting the punishment which is to be awarded, the fact of the previous conviction must be stated in the charge. If it is omitted, it may be added at any time before sentence is passed, but not afterwards.

Previous conviction or acquittal how proved.

119. A previous conviction or acquittal may be proved by an extract certified under the hand of the officer having the custody of the records of the Court in which such conviction or acquittal was had, to be a copy of the finding and sentence.

CHAPTER XII.

OF CRIMINAL LUNATICS.

Procedure in case of person committed being lunatic.

120. If any person committed for trial appears at his trial to the Court to be of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence, the Court shall, in the first instance, try the fact of such unsoundness of mind, and if satisfied of the fact, shall give a special judgment that the accused person is of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence; and thereupon the trial shall be postponed.

The trial of the fact of the unsoundness of mind of the accused person shall be deemed to be part of his trial before the Court.

Release of lunatic pending investigation or trial.

121. Whenever an accused person is found to be of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence, the Court, if the offence of which he is accused be bailable, may release him on sufficient security being given that he shall be properly taken care of, and shall be prevented from doing injury to himself or to any other person, and for his appearance when required.

Custody of lunatic.

If the offence be not bailable, or if the required bail be not given, the Court shall report the case to the Local Government, and the accused person shall be kept in safe custody in such place as the Local Government directs.

Resumption of trial.

122. Whenever a trial is postponed under section 120, the Court may at any time resume the trial, and require the accused person, if detained in custody, to be brought before the Court; or, if he has been released on security, may require his appearance.

The surety of such person shall be bound, at any time, to produce him to any officer whom the Court appoints to inspect him; and the certificate of such officer shall have the same effect as the certificate of an Inspector General of Prisons or the Visitors of Lunatic Asylums, granted under section 127.

Procedure on accused appearing before Court.

123. If, when the accused person appears or is again brought before the Court, it appears to such Court that he is in a fit state of mind to make his defence, he shall be put on his trial.

If it appears that the accused person is still of unsound mind, and incapable of making his defence, the Court shall again act according to the provisions of section 121.

Finding in case of acquittal on ground of being lunatic.

124. Whenever any person is acquitted upon the ground that, at the time at which he is charged with having committed an offence, he was, by reason of unsoundness of mind, incapable of knowing the nature of the act charged or that he was doing what was wrong or contrary to law, the finding shall state specially whether such person committed the act or not.

Person so acquitted to be kept in safe custody.

125. Whenever such finding states that the accused person committed the act charged, the Court before which the trial was held shall, if the act charged would, but for the incapacity found, have amounted to an offence, order him to be kept in safe custody, in such place and manner as the Court thinks fit, and shall report the case for the order of the Local Government.

The Local Government may order such person to be kept in safe custody in a Lunatic Asylum or other suitable place of safe custody.

Lunatic prisoners to be visited by Inspector General.

126. When any person is confined under the provisions of section 121 or 125, the Inspector General of Prisons, if such person is confined in a jail, or the Visitors of the Lunatic Asylums or any two of them, if he is confined in a Lunatic Asylum, may visit him in order to ascertain his state of mind; and he shall be visited once at least in every six months by such Inspector General or by two of such Visitors as aforesaid; and such Inspector General or Visitors shall make a special report to the Local Government as to the state of mind of such person.

Procedure where lunatic prisoner is reported capable of making his defence.

127. If such person is confined under section 121 and such Inspector General or Visitors as aforesaid shall certify that, in his or their opinion, such person is capable of making his defence, he shall be taken before the Court, at such time as it appoints, and the Court shall deal with him under the provisions of section 123; and the certificate of such Inspector General or Visitors as aforesaid shall be receivable as evidence.

Procedure where lunatic confined under section 125 is declared capable of being discharged.

128. If such person is confined under the provisions of section 125, and such Inspector General or Visitors as aforesaid shall certify that, in his or their judgment, he may be discharged without danger of his doing injury to himself or to any other person, the Local Government may thereupon either order him to be discharged, or to be detained in custody, or to be transferred to a public Lunatic Asylum, if he has not been already sent to such an Asylum; and may appoint a commission, consisting of a judicial officer and two medical officers, whereof the chief medical officer attached to the Lunatic Asylum shall be one.

The said commission shall make formal inquiry into the state of mind of such person taking such evidence as is necessary, and shall report to the Local Government, who may order his discharge or detention as to it may seem fit.

Delivery of lunatic to care of relative.

129. Whenever any relative or friend of any person detained under the provisions of section 125 is desirous that he shall be delivered over to his care and custody, the Local Government, upon the application of such relative or friend, and on his giving security to the satisfaction of such Government that the person detained shall be properly taken care of and shall be prevented from doing injury to himself or to any other person, may order that the person detained be delivered to such relative or friend.

Whenever such person is so delivered, it shall be upon condition that he shall be subject to be inspected by such officer, and at such times as the Local Government directs.

The provisions of sections 126 and 128 shall apply to persons detained under the provisions of this section; and the certificate of the inspecting officer appointed under this section shall be dealt with as a certificate of the Inspector General of Prisons or the Visitors of Lunatic Asylums, under the said sections.

Procedure where accused does not understand the proceedings.

130. If an accused person, though not insane, cannot be made to understand the proceedings, the Court may proceed with the trial; and if such trial results in a conviction, the Court shall pass thereon such order as it thinks fit.

CHAPTER XIII.

OF PROSECUTIONS IN CERTAIN CASES.

Prosecutions for offences against the State.

131. A complaint of an offence punishable under chapter VI of the Indian Penal Code, except section 127, or punishable under section 294 A of the said Code, shall not be entertained, unless the prosecution be instituted by order of, or under authority from, the Governor General in Council or the Local Government, or some officer empowered by the Governor General in Council to order or authorize such prosecution, or unless instituted by the Advocate General.

Prosecution of Judges and public servants.

132. A complaint of an offence of which any Judge or any public servant not removeable from his office without the sanction of the Government is accused as such Judge or public servant, shall not be entertained against him, except with the sanction or under the direction of the Government, or of some officer empowered by the Government, or of some Court or other authority to which he is subordinate, and whose power so to sanction or direct such prosecution the Government does not think fit to limit or reserve.

No such Judge or public servant shall be prosecuted for any act purporting to be done by him in the discharge of his duty, unless with the sanction of the Government.

Sanction when to be given.

The sanction must be given before the commencement of the proceedings.

In this section the expression 'Government' means either the Local Government or the Governor General in Council; and the expressions 'Judge' and 'public servant' have the meanings assigned to them respectively by the Indian Penal Code.

Prosecution for contempts of the lawful authority of public servants.

133. A complaint of any offence described in chapter X of the Indian Penal Code, not falling within section 175, 178, 179 or 180 of that Code, shall not be entertained by any High Court, except with the sanction or on the complaint of the public servant concerned, or of his official superior.

Nature of sanction necessary.

134. The sanction referred to in section 133 may be expressed in general terms, and need not name the accused person, and may be given at any time.

EXPLANATION.—In cases under this chapter, the report or application of the public servant shall be deemed sufficient complaint.

Procedure in cases mentioned in section 133.

135. When the Court is of opinion that there is sufficient ground for inquiring into any charge mentioned in section 133, it may, after making such preliminary inquiry as may be necessary, either commit the case itself, or may send the case for inquiry to any Magistrate having power to try or commit for trial the accused person for the offence charged.

Such Magistrate shall thereupon proceed according to law; and the Court may send the accused person in custody, or take sufficient bail for his appearance before such Magistrate; and may bind over any person to appear and give evidence on such trial or inquiry.

The Magistrate receiving the case may, if he is authorised to make transfers of cases, transfer the inquiry to some other competent Magistrate, instead of completing the inquiry himself.

CHAPTER XIV.

OF BAIL.

Power to direct admission to bail.

136. The Court may in any case direct that an accused person shall be admitted to bail, or that the bail required by a Magistrate be reduced.

Procedure to compel payment of penalty by accused.

137. Whenever, by reason of default of appearance of the person executing the personal recognizance, the Court is of opinion that proceedings should be had to compel payment of the penalty mentioned in the recognizance, it shall proceed to enforce the penalty, by issuing a warrant for the attachment and sale of the moveable property belonging to such person, which may be found within its jurisdiction.

Such warrant may be executed within such limits, and it shall authorize the distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the accused person without such limits, when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situate.

Procedure to compel payment of penalty by sureties.

138. Whenever, by reason of default of appearance by the person bailed, the Court is of opinion that proceedings should be had to compel payment of the penalty mentioned in the recognizance of the surety or sureties, it shall give notice to the surety or sureties to pay the same, or to show cause why it should not be paid.

If such penalty be not paid, and if no sufficient cause for its non-payment be shown, the Court shall proceed to recover the penalty from such surety or sureties, by issuing a warrant for the attachment and sale of any moveable property belonging to him or them which may be found within its jurisdiction.

Such warrant may be executed within such local limits; and it shall authorize the distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the surety or sureties without such limits, when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situate.

If such penalty be not paid and cannot be recovered by such attachment and sale, such surety or sureties shall be liable to confinement, by order of the Court, in the civil jail, during a period not exceeding six months:

Remission of part of penalty.

Provided that the Court may, at its discretion, remit any portion of the penalty mentioned in the recognizance of the party or witness, or of the surety or sureties, and enforce payment in part only:

The Court may direct any Magistrate to levy the amount due on a forfeited bail-bond executed in respect of attendance before such Court.

Court may direct Magistrate to levy sum forfeited.

139. When any person is required to give bail, the Court may permit him to deposit a sum of money or Government promissory notes to such amount as it may fix in lieu of such bail.

Deposit instead of bail.

CHAPTER XV.

Of Security for keeping the Peace.

140. Whenever a person accused of rioting, assault, or other breach of the peace, or with abetting the same, or with assembling armed men or taking other unlawful measures with the evident intention of committing the same, is convicted of such offence,

Personal recognizance to keep the peace in cases of conviction.

and the Court is of opinion that it is just and necessary to require such person to give a personal recognizance for keeping the peace,

the Court may, in addition to any other order passed in the case, direct that the person so convicted be required to execute a formal engagement, in a sum proportionate to his condition in life and the circumstances of the case, for keeping the peace during such period as it may appear proper to fix in each instance, not exceeding three years, with a provision that, if the same be not given, he shall be kept in simple imprisonment for any time not exceeding three years, unless within such period he executes such formal engagement as aforesaid.

If the accused person be sentenced to imprisonment, the period for which he may be required to execute a recognizance, and the imprisonment in default of executing such recognizance, shall commence on the expiration of his sentence.

141. Whenever it appears necessary to require security for keeping the peace, in addition to the personal recognizance of the party so convicted, the Court empowered to require a personal recognizance may require security in addition thereto, and may fix the amount of the security-bond to be executed by the surety or sureties; with a provision that, if the same be not given, the party required to find the security shall be kept in simple imprisonment for any time not exceeding three years.

Security to keep the peace.

142. Whenever a person is convicted of an offence attended with criminal force, and it appears to the Court that, by such criminal force, any person has been dispossessed of any immoveable property, the Court may cause such person to be restored to possession.

Power to restore possession of immoveable property.

No order made for this purpose shall prejudice any right over such immoveable property which any person may be able to show in a civil suit.

CHAPTER XVI.

Miscellaneous.

143. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect the Prisoners' Testimony Act, 1869, or the Prisoners Act, 1871.

Saving of Acts XV of 1869, and V of 1871.

144. The Advocate General may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council or the Local Government, exhibit to the local High Court, against persons subject to the jurisdiction of the said Court, informations for all purposes for which Her Majesty's Attorney-General may exhibit informations on behalf of the Crown in the Court of Queen's Bench or Exchequer.

Advocate General may exhibit informations.

Such proceedings may be taken upon every such information as may lawfully be taken in case of similar informations filed by Her Majesty's Attorney-General in England, so far as the circumstances of the case and the course and practice of proceeding in the said High Courts respectively will admit.

All fines, penalties, forfeitures, debts and sums of money recovered or levied under or by virtue of any such information shall belong to the Government of India.

145. Upon charges preferred by the Advocate-General or by any Magistrate or other officer specially empowered by the Government in this behalf, persons committed to custody or held to bail shall be deemed to have been brought before the High Court in due course of law, and (subject to the provisions herein contained as to the amendment and alteration of charges, and subject also to the provisions of section 24) shall be tried upon the charges so recorded.

Effect of charge preferred by Advocate General.

146. At any stage of any proceeding under this Act, before the return of the verdict, the Advocate General may, if he think fit, inform the Court on behalf of Her Majesty that he will not further prosecute the defendant upon the information or charge; and thereupon all proceedings on such information or charge against the defendant shall be stayed, and he shall be discharged of and from the same. But such discharge shall not amount to an acquittal.

Power to enter *nolle prosequi*.

147. Whenever it appears to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, Madras or Bombay that the direction hereinafter mentioned will promote the ends of justice, it may direct the transfer to itself of any particular case from any criminal court situate within the local limits of its ordinary original criminal jurisdiction, and the High Court shall have power to determine the case so transferred, and to quash or affirm any conviction or other proceeding which may have been had therein, but so that the same be not quashed for want of form, but on the merits only.

Power of Presidency High Court to transfer to itself cases from Police Magistrates.

148. Any of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay may, whenever it thinks fit, direct—

Power to issue directions of the nature of a *habeas corpus*.

(a) that a prisoner, legally committed and within the local limits of its ordinary original criminal jurisdiction, be brought up before it to be bailed;

(b) that a person within such limits be brought up before the Court to be dealt with according to law;

(c) that a person illegally or improperly detained in public or private custody within such limits be set at liberty:

(d) that a prisoner detained in any gaol situate within such limits be brought before the Court to be there examined as a witness in any matter pending or to be inquired into in such Court:

(e) that a prisoner detained as aforesaid be brought before a Court Martial or any Commissioners acting under the authority of any commission from the Governor-General in Council, for trial, or to be examined touching any matter depending before such Court Martial or Commissioners respectively:

(f) that a prisoner within such limits be removed from one custody to another for the purpose of trial:

(g) that the body of a defendant within such limits may be brought in on the Sheriff's return of *cepi corpus* to a writ of attachment;

and neither the High Court nor any Judge thereof shall hereafter issue any writ of *habeas corpus* for any of the above purposes.

Each of the said High Courts shall, as soon as conveniently may be, frame rules to regulate the procedure in cases under this section; and till such rules are framed, the practice of such Courts as to the obtaining, granting and serving of writs of *habeas corpus*, and as to the returns thereto, shall apply in such cases.

Nothing in this section applies to persons detained under Bengal Regulation III of 1818, Madras Regulation II of 1819, or Bombay Regulation XXV of 1827, or the Acts of the Governor-General in Council No. XXXIV of 1850 or No. III of 1858.

149. Affidavits and affirmations to be used before any High Court or any officer of such Court, may be sworn and affirmed before such Court or the Clerk of the Crown, or any Commissioner or other person appointed by such Court for that purpose, or any Judge or Commissioner for taking affidavits in any Court of Record in British India, or any Commissioner to administer oaths in Chancery in England or Ireland, or any Magistrate authorised to take affidavits or affirmations in Scotland.

Courts and persons before whom affidavits may be sworn.

150. Every High Court in the exercise of its original Criminal Jurisdiction shall be deemed an open and public Court, to which the public generally may have access, so far as the same can conveniently contain them.

Criminal Courts to be open.

But the presiding Judge may, if he thinks fit, order that, during the trial of any particular case, no person shall have access to, or be, or remain in, the room or building used by the Court, without the consent or permission of the Court.

151. In the case of offences which may lawfully be compounded, injured persons may compound the offence out of Court, or in Court with the permission of the Court.

Compounding offences.

Such withdrawal from the prosecution shall have the effect of an acquittal of the accused person.

152. Every Judge of a High Court shall, by virtue of his office, be a Justice of the Peace within and for the whole of British India.

Judges of High Courts to be Justices of the Peace *virtute officii*.

153. Cases pending, when this Act comes into force, in any High Court in the exercise of its original criminal jurisdiction shall be decided, as far as may be, according to the procedure provided in this Act.

Pending cases.

THE SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 2.)

Acts.

No. and year.	Subject or Title.	Extent of repeal.
XXXI of 1838.	Supreme Courts, Criminal Law.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXII of 1839.	An Act for enabling persons charged with offences to make their defence more effectually.	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1849	Criminal lunaties ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XVI of 1852.	An Act for further improving the administration of Criminal Justice in Her Majesty's Courts of Justice in the territories of the East India Company.	So much as has not been repealed.
XVIII of 1859.	An Act to amend the law relating to offences declared to be punishable on conviction before a Magistrate.	So much as has not been repealed.
XVIII of 1862.	An Act to repeal Act XVI of 1852 in those parts of British India in which the Indian Penal Code is in force, and to re-enact some of the provisions thereof with amendments, and further to improve the administration of Criminal Justice in Her Majesty's Supreme Courts of Judicature.	Sections 1 to 25 (both inclusive): sections 36 to 46 (both inclusive): and sections 54, 55 and 56.
XIII of 1865.	An Act to amend the procedure of Her Majesty's High Courts of Judicature in the exercise of their original jurisdiction, and to provide for the exercise of such jurisdiction at places other than the Presidency Towns.	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1866	An Act to amend the constitution of the Chief Court of Judicature in the Panjáb and its Dependencies.	Sections 21 to 41 (both inclusive), and section 20, except the first twenty-two words.

ACTS,—*concluded.*

No. and year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
XVI of 1866	An Act to relieve the Governor General of India in Council from the duty of signing the commissions mentioned in sections 22 and 44 of the High Courts Criminal Procedure Amendment Act, 1865.	The whole.
XXIV of 1866.	An Act to amend the procedure of the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William.	Sections 2 to 17 (both inclusive).
XIII of 1869.	An Act further to amend the procedure of the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces.	Sections 1 and 2, and so much of sections 3 and 4 as relates to criminal jurisdiction.
XXII of 1870.	An Act to confirm certain laws affecting European British subjects.	Section three.

STATUTES.

No. and year.	Title or abbreviated Title.	Extent of repeal.
13 Geo. III, c. 63.	An Act for establishing certain Regulations for the better management of the affairs of the East India Company, as well in India as in Europe.	Section 34. In section 38 the words "and the Chief Justice and other Judges of the said Supreme Court of Judicature."
33 Geo. III, c. 52.	*An Act whose title begins with the words* An Act for continuing, *and ends with the words* and Bombay.	Sections 153 and 154.
53 Geo. III, c. 155.	*An Act whose title begins with the words* An Act for continuing, *and ends with the words* Company's Charter.	Sections 100, 102, 103.
9 Geo. IV, c. 74.	An Act for improving the administration of Criminal Justice in the East Indies.	The whole Act except sections one, seven, eight, nine, twenty-five, twenty-six, and fifty-six.

WHITLEY STOKES,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[First Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 9th March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XI OF 1875.

An Act to amend the Law relating to Salt in the Presidency of Fort St. George.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to the price of salt sold under the orders of Government in the Presidency of Fort St. George; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Madras Salt Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the territories under the government of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Power to impose, for any local area, duty on salt manufactured or sold under orders of Government.

2. The Governor General in Council may from time to time, by notification published in the *Gazette of India*, impose, for any local area, a duty on salt manufactured or sold therein under the orders of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council, not exceeding one rupee and thirteen annas for every maund of three thousand two hundred tolas.

Power to impose, for any local area, additional sum to cover cost of salt.

3. Whenever any such notification is published, the enactments mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed in such local area, and the Local Government shall from time to time, by notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, fix as part of the price of every maund of salt so to be sold within such local area, or any part thereof, such additional sum or sums as it may deem sufficient to cover the cost of importation, purchase, manufacture, storage, transport, sale and wastage.

Power to alter additional sum.

4. The Local Government may vary such additional sum or sums for any description of salt, or for any part of such local area, with reference to all or any of the following considerations (namely):—

(*a*) the place in which the salt is sold;

(*b*) the quantity of the salt sold in any transaction;

(*c*) any other circumstances affecting its sale.

Price to be paid in each local area for salt sold.

5. The price to be paid to the Local Government in any part of any local area mentioned in any notification under section three or four shall, for every maund of salt sold in such area or part, be the total amount of the duty and additional sum for the time being so imposed and fixed for such salt as aforesaid.

The price payable in any local area for any description of salt at the date of the publication of any notification under section two, shall be taken to be the price payable under this section for such description of salt until an additional sum is fixed under section three for such area.

The Gazette of India,

EXTRAORDINARY.

Published by Authority.

CALCUTTA, FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 1875.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 9th March 1875 :—

WE, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill for consolidating and amending the Laws relating to the Procedure of the Courts of Civil Judicature in British India was referred, have the honour to report that we have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the appendix and received since April 1865, the date of the presentation of the last report.

1. This Bill has now been before the Council for nearly eleven years. Without having been formally introduced, it was published in 1864. It was introduced and referred to a Committee in the following November. An amended draft was published in April 1865, sent home to the Secretary of State in Council, and by him referred to the Indian Law Commissioners. They were of opinion that the project of consolidation should be deferred, and that it would be better to amend the Code by successive enactments as occasion might demand. The Secretary of State in Council, in his despatch of the 25th February 1867, expressed his concurrence in that opinion.

2. In consequence, the work was broken off. But since the correspondence above referred to, there have been more changes in the law, each tending to make some portion of the existing Code inapplicable to present circumstances. Besides the modifications effected by local Acts, the General Clauses Act of 1868, the Prisoners' Testimony Act of 1869, the General Stamp Act of the same year, the Court Fees' Act of 1870, the Limitation Act of 1871, the Evidence Act of 1872, the Criminal Procedure Code of 1872, the Oaths Act of 1873, have all had this effect to a greater or less extent. And every portion of the Code which becomes useless has, unless it is struck away, the effect of distracting, if not of misleading, those who resort to it.

3. Again, there has now been a much larger number of decisions, which show either some inconvenience in the rules of the Code, or some ambiguity of expression or absence of direction which has given rise to disputes that it is convenient to settle. To a certain extent these matters are settled by judicial decisions. But the decisions, however well they may interpret the language of the Code, do not always lay down the rule which is most beneficial to suitors. And even in the more frequent instances where the decision lays down the best rule, it is often convenient to embody it in the written law.

4. The Government of India has recently decided to make some amendments in the law relating to the execution of decrees. We have embodied the provisions necessary to give effect to this decision; and we have also endeavoured to render more efficient the provisions of the Code which relate to execution-debtors unable to pay their debts.

5. Still the great bulk of the Code remains intact, and so, except by re-arrangement, we propose to leave it. What we have done is to attempt a clearer and more methodical arrangement of the different parts and clauses of the Code than is now the case; to embody in it a number of judicial decisions, some incorporated in the substance of the enactments, some by way of explanation, and some by way of illustration; in one or two instances to lay down rules more generally convenient than those which have been decided to result from the present wording of the Code; to supply some forms of proceeding which may be useful to suitors; and to add a few provisions, some of which are borrowed from the Rules of the High Court of Calcutta, and others from the New York Civil Procedure Code.

6. In re-arranging the Code we have first followed the course of an ordinary suit from the moment that the plaintiff determines to sue, until he obtains execution of his decree. Incidental proceedings (as, for example, when either party dies), suits in particular cases, provisional remedies (such as interlocutory injunctions) and special proceedings are dealt with in subsequent and separate Parts. If an unsuccessful litigant wishes to present an appeal, or to have a judgment reviewed, he will find the law on these subjects in Parts dealing respectively with appeals and reviews. References to the High Courts are also separately dealt with, and the special Rules relating to the Courts established under 24 & 25 Vic., c. 104, are placed in a Part by themselves. The new Code is thus divided into ten Parts, relating respectively to—

I.—Suits in general.
II.—Incidental Proceedings.
III.—Suits in particular cases.
IV.—Provisional Remedies.
V.—Special Proceedings.
VI.—Appeals.
VII.—Review of Judgment.
VIII.—References to the High Court.
IX.—Special Rules relating to the Charter High Courts, and
X.—Certain miscellaneous matters.

7. The substantial changes and additions which we have made in and to the Draft of 1865 will be conveniently specified under the Part to which each belongs. But first we have to notice the preliminary sections.

PRELIMINARY.

Section 1.—The local extent of the Bill is declared to be the whole of British India, except the Scheduled Districts as defined in Act XIV of 1874.

Section 2, *Interpretation-clause.*—Here are omitted several definitions, some of which have been rendered unnecessary by the General Clauses Act, I of 1868, and others appear to us to be useless. On the other hand, we have inserted definitions of 'Pleader,' 'Foreign Court,' 'Foreign Judgment.' We have also defined 'cause of action' and 'material part of the cause of action,' in accordance with the judgment of Sir A. Bittleston in *DeSousa* v. *Coles*, 3 Mad. 384.

Section 3, *and Schedule I.*—We have omitted from the repealing schedule all the Regulations relating to Civil Procedure which, since 1865, have been repealed, and we have added several Acts relating to the same subject. It will be seen that Sections 15 and 192 of Act VIII of 1859 are for the present to be left untouched. The former section relates to declaratory suits: the latter to specific performance. Both subjects will properly be dealt with by a Bill relating to specific and preventive relief, and the sections in question will then be repealed.

Section 4.—This applies to the new Code the references in previous Acts to Act VIII of 1859 or 'the Code of Civil Procedure,' and saves the Oudh Civil Courts Act of 1871, the Panjáb Appeals Act of 1873, and the Burma Courts Act of 1875.

PART I.—OF SUITS IN GENERAL.

This Part is intended to deal with litigation in the simplest case, from the time that the plaintiff decides on suing and has to select his *forum* to the time when, having obtained a decree, he proceeds to execute it. It is divided into eighteen chapters relating to the following subjects:—

I.—The jurisdiction of the Courts and *res judicata*.
II.—The place of suing.
III.—Parties, their appearances, applications and acts.
IV.—The frame of the suit and the form of the plaint.
V.—The institution of suits.
VI.—Service of summons on the defendant.
VII.—The appearance of the parties and the consequence of non-appearance.
VIII.—Written statements.
IX.—The examination of the parties at the first hearing.
X.—The admission, inspection, production and impounding of documents.
XI.—The settlement of issues.
XII.—The disposal of the suit at the first hearing.
XIII.—Adjournments.
XIV.—Summoning witnesses.
XV.—Examination of parties and witnesses.
XVI.—Judgment and decree.
XVII.—Costs.
XVIII.—Execution of decrees.

CHAPTER I.—OF THE JURISDICTION OF THE COURTS AND *Res Judicata.*

Section 10.—This lays down the law as to *Lis Pendens*, and contains an explanation declaring that the pendency of a suit in a foreign Court does not preclude the Courts of British India from entertaining a suit founded on the same cause of action.

Section 13.—This deals with *res judicata*, and incidentally with foreign judgments. Like section 6 of the Bill of 1865, it is, to a large extent, founded on the definition in Livingston's Code of Evidence. We have thought it desirable to add a number of illustrations, likely, we hope, to facilitate the comprehension of this most difficult head of law. As *res judicata* is not a plea to the jurisdiction, but a plea in bar, the place of this section may be objected to. But the circumstance that the corresponding section (2) of Act VIII of 1859 stands in the forefront of the present Code, and the convenience of having so important a clause in a prominent position, seem to us in this instance to outweigh considerations of logical arrangement.

CHAPTER II.—OF THE PLACE OF SUING.

Section 15 specifies the suits whose forum is fixed with reference to the situation of the subject-matter. Such are suits relating to immoveable property and suits for moveables which have been distrained or attached. An exception is made in the case of suits to obtain relief respecting land where (as in the case of specific performance of a contract of sale) the relief sought can be obtained through the personal obedience of the defendant. Such suits may be brought either in the Court which has jurisdiction over the land or in the Court which has jurisdiction over the person of the defendant.

Section 16 (the latter part of section 10 of the Bill of 1865 and section 61) deals with the suits to be instituted where the defendant resides, or where the cause of action arose. The principal changes which we have made are these:—Where there are several defendants, only some of whom reside, &c., within the local limits of the Court's jurisdiction, we think that the suit should not be instituted in the Court unless either (*a*) the leave of the Court is given, or (*b*) the non-residents acquiesce.

We have framed two sections (17, 18) to provide for the case of a suit being instituted in a Court within whose jurisdiction only part of the cause of action arose, and where all the defendants do not reside. In such a case we think that any defendant should be allowed to move the Court to stay proceedings; and that if the Court thinks that justice is more likely to be done by the suit being instituted in another Court, it may stay proceedings either finally or till further orders. In such case of course the plaintiff should not pay a second Court-fee, and the interval between the institution of the suit and the date of staying proceedings should be excluded in computing the period of limitation applicable thereto. For this, section 19 provides.

Section 20.—This declares that suits for actionable wrongs may be brought either where the wrong is committed or where the defendant resides.

CHAPTER III.—OF PARTIES AND THEIR APPEARANCES, APPLICATIONS AND ACTS.

Sections 27—31 are new, and contain rules as to parties, their joinder, non-joinder, misjoinder, founded to some extent on the New York Code, sections 117, 118, 119, 120.

Section 34.—Here we have settled a moot point by declaring that a partner is not, as such, a 'recognized agent.'

Sections 40 *and* 41—Here we have authorised the Court (*a*) to make one of several plaintiffs a defendant; (*b*) to strike out of the plaint the name of a person improperly made a party; (*c*) to stay proceedings against such a person.

CHAPTER IV.—OF THE FRAME OF THE SUIT AND THE FORM OF THE PLAINT.

Section 42 declares that every plaint shall, as far as practicable, be so framed as to afford ground for a single decision upon the whole subject in dispute.

Sections 44 *and* 45 deal with the subject of multifariousness.

Section 49, as to the particulars to be contained in the plaint. Here we have added some Explanations to indicate that the plaint must shew (*a*) that where the plaintiff sues in a representative character, he has taken the steps necessary to enable him to sue; (*b*) that the defendant is, or claims to be, interested in the subject-matter, and that he is liable to be called on to answer the plaintiff's demand. We have also provided that in money-suits the plaint should, as far as practicable, state the amount sued for.

Section 52.—Here we have explained that a plaint cannot be altered so as to convert a suit of one character into a suit of another and inconsistent character.

Section 54.—We have provided for rejecting the plaint when it appears therefrom that the suit is barred by any positive rule of law.

Section 55 provides (in accordance with a Circular Order of the High Court, Fort William) a procedure (*a*) on rejecting, (*b*) on returning, a plaint.

Section 57 provides, in accordance with another Circular of the same High Court, for endorsing a memorandum of documents filed by the plaintiff along with the plaint.

Section 59 (=Act V of 1866, section 14,) deals with suits on lost negotiable instruments.

Section 67 (=section 79 of the Bill of 1865, section 43 of Act VIII,) provides that the summons to appear and answer shall order the defendant to produce 'documents containing evidence relating to the merits of the plaintiff's case,' and not 'documents of which the plaintiff demands inspection.'

CHAPTER VI.—SERVICE OF SUMMONS ON THE DEFENDANT.

Section 81.—In the Presidency Towns we have provided that the Courts to which Mofussil summonses are sent for service shall be the Courts of Small Causes.

CHAPTER VII.—OF THE APPEARANCE OF THE PARTIES AND CONSEQUENCE OF NON-APPEARANCE.

Our changes in this matter are merely verbal.

CHAPTER VIII.—OF WRITTEN STATEMENTS.

Section 103.—We have added words to shew that the Court shall deal with recorded statements as if given in evidence.

Section 105, as to set-off.—We have amended and illustrated this section, which represents section 121 of Act VIII of 1859. As now altered, it applies to any suit for the recovery of money; provides that in the claim of the defendant against the plaintiff, the parties must fill the same character as they fill in the plaintiff's suit, and declares that the sum claimed to be set-off must be ascertained and legally recoverable, and that the set-off must be claimed at the first hearing and not afterwards, except with the permission of the Court.

Section 106.—We have provided that a party wilfully disobeying the Court's requisition of a written statement, shall be liable to the penalties provided by section 176 of the Penal Code.

Section 108.—Here we have added a clause declaring that persons exempted from attendance in Court are not exempted thereby from subscribing and verifying written statements.

CHAPTER IX.—OF THE EXAMINATION OF THE PARTIES AT THE FIRST HEARING.

We have left this subject untouched.

CHAPTER X.—OF THE ADMISSION, INSPECTION, PRODUCTION, IMPOUNDING AND RETURN OF DOCUMENTS.

Section 113.—This provides that either party may exhibit to the other any document material to the suit, and request an admission in writing of its genuineness. The party refusing to give the admission is chargeable with the expense of proving its genuineness, unless the Court thinks there were good reasons for the refusal. A similar clause is contained in the Common Law Procedure Act, 15 & 16 Vic., cap. 76, sections 117, 118. Doubts have been expressed as to the policy of enacting such a clause in India, and we hope to receive the opinions of competent authorities on the matter.

Section 114 relates to inspection (which implies production) of documents. It represents sections 71 and 157 of the Bill of 1865; sections 40 & 107 of Act VIII. But it provides for obtaining inspection and copies of documents only when they contain evidence relating to the merits of the suit or the defence therein.

Section 115, as to sending for official records and papers.—We have provided, in accordance with a ruling by Phear, J., (1 Ind. Jur. N. S. 283) that applications under this section must be supported by an affidavit showing how the record or paper is material.

CHAPTER XI.—OF THE SETTLEMENT OF ISSUES.

Section 127.—We have here explained the term 'issues,' and provided that, when issues both of fact and of law arise in the same suit, and the case may be disposed of on the issues of law only, those issues may be tried first.

Section 128.—To the materials from which issues may be framed, we have added the contents of documents produced by either party.

Section 130.—We have here expressly empowered the Court, at any time before passing a decree, to strike out any issue appearing to be wrongly framed or introduced. This is in accordance with a ruling of the High Court at Fort William (3 Suth. W. R. 147, 150).

CHAPTER XII.—DISPOSAL OF THE SUIT AT THE FIRST HEARING.

Section 135.—We think that where the summons has been issued for the settlement of issues only, the judgment should not be pronounced unless all the parties are present and none of them object. The introduction of a clause to this effect is the only change that we have made in reference to this subject.

CHAPTER XIII.—OF ADJOURNMENTS.

Section 138.—We have here slightly enlarged the discretion of the Court as to costs occasioned by adjournments.

CHAPTER XIV.—OF SUMMONING WITNESSES.

Section 150.—We have here revived the provisions of the repealed Act XIX of 1853, section 28, as to fines on witnesses failing to appear.

Section 154.—We have added an explanation to shew that, before ordering the apprehension of a person summoned to give evidence as a witness, there must be reason to believe that he has no lawful excuse for failing to comply with the summons; and we have explained (section 155) that 'lawful excuse' is such an excuse as, under the Evidence Act, justifies a refusal to give the evidence.

CHAPTER XV.—OF THE EXAMINATION OF THE PARTIES AND WITNESSES.

Section 163.—We have provided that nothing in this section (which empowers the Court to pass a decree against a party who improperly refuses to attend to give evidence) shall enable the Court to decree a claim which, on the face of the record, is not warranted by law.

Section 165.—This expressly provides that the rules as to witnesses shall apply to a party summoned as a witness.

CHAPTER XVI.—OF JUDGMENT AND DECREE.

Section 186.—We have here declared that the decree shall agree with the judgment, and empowered the Court to amend the former, if found to be at variance with the latter.

Section 191, as to decrees in suits for land. We have here defined 'mesne profits' in accordance with a decision of Hobhouse, J., reported in 8 Suth. C. R. 104, and with a view to ensure the speedy execution of such decrees, we have precluded the Courts from giving mesne profits for more than one year from the date of the decree.

Section 193 deals with administration-suits, a subject wholly untouched by the Bill of 1865 or the present Code. The Court, before making its final decree, will order such accounts and enquiries to be taken and made and give such order and directions as it thinks fit. Forms of the preliminary order and the final decree will be found in Schedule IV.

Section 194 authorises the Court, in suits for dissolution of partnership, to make preliminary orders fixing a day for the dissolution, appointing a Receiver of the partnership-assets and directing accounts to be taken. This subject is also untouched by Act VIII of 1859 or the Bill of 1865. Forms of the preliminary order and the final decree will be found in Schedule IV.

CHAPTER XVII.—OF COSTS.

Section 198.—We have here provided that the want of jurisdiction to try the case is no bar to the exercise of the power to give costs.

Costs will as a rule follow the event. But when the Court otherwise directs, we think that it should state its reasons in writing.

We have been in doubt whether it is well to attempt here to lay down any rules about costs. There is no question that, in the vast majority of contested cases, costs should follow the event, but there are cases in which litigation is resorted to without cause, and the blame of it rests with the party who gets the decree. In such cases the winning party may fairly be left to bear his own costs, or even, where he is much to blame, to pay the costs of the loser. In most of these cases, however, the suit is immediately met by proper concessions on the part of the defendant, as, *e. g.*, by payment into Court, in which case we have tried to lay down some rule about costs. See below sections 367 and 368.

The practical question is, whether it is likely to be useful to the Courts if the Code contains something applicable to contested cases; and the point is one on which we should be glad of opinions from those who have had occasion to study it.

Section 201.—This provides that there shall be no appeal or re-hearing on a question of costs, except when it distinctly appears on the face of the proceedings, either that the costs are payable out of or chargeable on some property, or that the mode in which they have been given is inconsistent with some enactment.

CHAPTER XVIII.—EXECUTION OF DECREES.

On this portion of the Code more questions have been raised and more cases decided than on any other. Our amendments have accordingly been rather numerous. But, with two exceptions—the clauses in section 218, as to applications to execute decrees for the payment of money or delivery of property, and the sections (314-328) relating to insolvency—they will be found not to make any great change in substance. We proceed to specify these amendments, omitting mere changes in wording and arrangement.

Section 202.—We have here touched on the mode of executing decrees for the delivery of a share of the dwelling-house of an undivided Hindú family (2 Wym. Rep. 217).

Section 203.—Here we have embodied a ruling of the High Court, Fort William (1 Ind. Jur. N. S. 307), that in a suit for the restitution of conjugal rights a decree for the plaintiff shall be declaratory only, and shall be enforced in case of disobedience only by attachment.

Section 215.—We have here made it clear that property liable to attachment must be saleable, and, in accordance with decided cases, we have expressly exempted (*a*) necessary wearing apparel, (*b*) books of account, (*c*) mere rights to sue, (*d*) the right to perform the service of an idol, (*e*) stipends allowed to pensioners of Government, (*f*) salaries of servants of Government, (*g*) an expectancy of succession by survivorship, and (*h*) a right to future maintenance.

Section 218.—We have given the Court a discretionary power to refuse execution at the same time against the person and the property of the judgment-debtor. Sir Barnes Peacock (8 Suth. C. R., 282, 284) held that the Court had the power, but it is well to give it expressly.

We here propose to make the following important change in the law as to applications to execute decrees for the payment of money or the delivery of other property :—

Where an application to execute such a decree has been made and granted, no subsequent application to execute the same decree shall be granted unless the Court is satisfied that, on the former application, due diligence was used to procure complete execution; and no such subsequent application shall be made after the expiration of twelve years from any of the following dates :—

(*a*) the date of the decree sought to be enforced: or,

(*b*) where the decree directs payment or delivery by instalments, the date of the default in paying or delivering the instalment in respect of which the applicant seeks to enforce the decree: or

(*c*) where the decree is for money and the decree-holder and the judgment-debtor have entered into an agreement in writing that the amount decreed, with interest, shall be discharged by such instalments as, if duly paid, will discharge the said amount and interest at some time within thirty years from the date of the decree, the date of the default in paying the required instalment:

Provided that a decree-holder may apply for execution of his decree after the expiration of the term of twelve years where the judgment-debtor has by fraud or force prevented execution at some time within twelve years immediately before the date of the application.

Section 220.—Here, in accordance with another ruling of Sir B. Peacock's (9 Suth. W. R. 232), we have declared that when a decree against several persons has been transferred to one of them, he shall not be entitled to have it executed against the others. His remedy is a suit for contribution.

In *section* 221.—We have here provided that every transferree of a decree shall hold it subject to the equities (if any) which the judgment-debtor might have enforced against the transferor.

Section 222 deals with cross-decrees. We have provided for the *casus omissus* of the two sums decreed being equal, and we have added explanations in accordance with the rulings reported in 6 Suth. F. B. 72, and 7 Suth. 535. In section 223 we have dealt with the subject of cross-claims under the same decree.

Section 225 treats of applications for execution against the representatives of a deceased judgment-debtor. We have expressly provided that such representative shall be liable to the extent of the property of the deceased which has come to his hands and has not been duly disposed of.

In *section* 251, as to applications by a person, other than the defendant, who is dispossessed of property in execution of a decree, we have declared that, in hearing such applications, the Court shall confine itself to the grounds specified in the section, and that no such application shall be made by a person to whom the defendant has transferred the property after the institution of the suit in which the decree is made (6 Suth. 148).

Section 253.—To this section (as to attachment of property in execution of a decree for money) we have added an explanation showing that a decree for mesne profits or any other matter the amount of which in money is to be subsequently determined, is a 'decree for money' within the meaning of this section.

In *section* 254 we have removed a doubt as to the powers of a person executing a general attachment of moveables who has gained access to a house.

To *section* 258 we have added a clause shewing how a prohibitory order is to be notified where the debt to be attached is due by a public company to one of its servants.

In *section* 264 we have provided that private alienations of attached property during the continuance of the attachment shall be void as against all claims enforceable under the attachment, and not merely as against the party on whose application the attachment was made.

Section 268.—We have here provided that, when the Court grants a certificate authorizing the judgment-debtor to sell, mortgage or lease land attached, the year mentioned in section 233 (after which he may be called on to shew cause why the decree should not be executed) shall be computed from the date of the expiry of the certificate.

Section 270.—We have here specified with more particularity than is done by the Bill of 1865, section 391, the liabilities of managers of attached property.

Section 272.—Here we have given power to the Local Governments, with the sanction of the Government of India, to make special rules for any territory, imposing conditions in respect to the sale of land in execution of decrees for money.

Section 274.—We have added a clause prohibiting execution-sales on holidays or any other day on which the Court is closed (3 Suth. Misc. 24.)

Section 276.—It has been held that the Collector is a mere ministerial officer under the corresponding section of the present Code, and that he has no discretion as to postponing sales, fixing an upset price, or any other matter affecting the substance of the sale. And it is suggested that the Collector ought to have discretion in such matters, or even some larger

power to make arrangements for payment of the debt by some means short of an absolute sale of the land. The point is one on which we should be glad of opinions from those who have been led to study it. It will be remembered that, in section 272, we propose to give power to the Executive to make special rules on the subject of sales of land.

Section 277.—Connected with this section is a point of considerable difficulty. The corresponding section of the Code, namely, section 249, directs that nothing is to be sold but the right, title and interest of the defendant in the property described as put up for sale. It would seem that the seller could not, if he wished, sell anything more specific. And it has been decided with reference to section 258 of the Code that if the judgment-creditor makes a mistake and puts up for sale the property of an entire stranger, and the purchaser concludes the purchase under that mistake, he cannot, when ousted by the true owner, recover his purchase-money; but that the judgment-creditor who has sold him nothing is entitled to keep the money. The combination of these two rules seems calculated to introduce a speculative character into execution-sales, which must be very damaging to the property sold. We understand that in fact it is very common for land to be sold at an undervalue at such sales. To avoid this mischief we have proposed two alterations. In this section, 277 of the present draft, we say that the best practicable description shall be given of the property to be sold. And in section 293, corresponding with section 258 of the Code, we say that the purchaser may recover his purchase-money if the property put up for sale is that of a stranger and he is ousted from it. We shall be glad to know of those who are familiar with the subject whether the fact really is that property is apt to be sold at an undervalue in execution-sales, and if so, to what cause they impute it, what they think of the alterations now proposed, and whether any remedy has occurred to them by which more security can be given to purchasers with the view of obtaining better prices for land.

In *section* 283, as to the confirmation of an execution-sale, for 'absolute,' we have substituted 'absolutely binding on the vendor.'

Section 287.—Where the purchaser fails to make the requisite deposit or to pay the balance of the purchase-money, we have provided that the deficiency of price (if any) on the re-sale, and the expenses of such re-sale, shall be certified to the Court, and shall, at the instance of either the judgment-creditor or the judgment-debtor, be recoverable from the defaulter under the rules for the execution of money-decrees.

Section 288.—We have here provided (in accordance with the practice of the Court of Chancery) that the decree-holder shall not, except with the express permission of the Court, purchase the property sold in execution of his decree.

Sections 290, 291.—In case of irregular sales of moveables, we have provided that the person injured thereby may not only sue the person injuring him, but may also sue for the recovery of the specific property and for compensation in default of recovery. And in case of such sales of immoveable property, we have declared that the purchaser may apply to the Court to set aside the sale on the ground that the person whose interest in the property purported to be sold had no such interest (see 5 Bomb. O. C. J. 83).

Section 294.—We have re-drawn this section so as to make it clear that a certificate of sale of land is, for the purpose of the stamp-law, to be regarded as a conveyance.

Section 305.—We have here made some additions to the law as to payment out of assets in execution of a decree. We have declared that out of such assets—whether realised by sale or otherwise—the decree-holder on whose application the property was first attached is entitled to be first paid, provided that the attachment was in execution of a money-decree then capable of being completely executed (21 Suth. 66). We have expressly saved the rights of the Crown, and we have declared that if any of such assets be paid to a person not entitled to receive them, the rightful owner may compel a refund (9 Suth. 514). Where the judgment-debtor is declared an insolvent, the provisions as to priority contained in this and the following section will be overridden by the rules as to distribution prescribed by section 325.

Section 307.—When the Court finds, upon the application of the holder of a decree, that any other decree under which property has been attached was improperly obtained, we have, in addition to the powers given by section 432 of the Bill of 1865 (= section 272 of Act VIII), authorised the Court to stay the proceedings and refer the parties to a regular suit.

As to discharge from imprisonment under a decree, we have provided that a defendant once discharged shall not be re-arrested under that decree.

The most important alterations in this part of the Bill will be found in sections 314 to 328, corresponding with sections 433 to 436, and 444 to 450 of the Bill of 1865, and sections 273, 280, 281 of Act VIII and section 8 of Act XXIII of 1861. They provide an insolvent law for persons arrested or imprisoned in execution of money-decrees. The chief changes which we have made are these: (*a*) the Court (*i. e.*, the District Court or such other Court as the Local Government may invest with the powers of a District Court under these sections) may cause a copy of the would-be insolvent's application to be served, not merely on the decree-holder, but also on any other of his creditors; (*b*) the Court may also grant leave to any of the creditors to bring forward evidence to shew that the applicant is not entitled to be declared an insolvent; (*c*) the Court may declare the applicant an insolvent and appoint a Receiver in whom all the insolvent's property will vest (section 321); (*d*) the Receiver will then collect the assets, and on his certifying that the insolvent has done all in his power for that purpose,

the Court may discharge the latter. The Court will then frame a schedule of creditors and their respective debts (section 324). Creditors not mentioned in the schedule may apply to have their names inserted, and creditors mentioned therein may apply to have the schedule altered; and the Receiver will, under the direction of the Court, convert the assets, discharge any debts or fines due by the insolvent to the Crown, distribute the balance rateably among the scheduled creditors without any preference, and pay the surplus (if any) to the insolvent.

As to the effect of the discharge, we have made no substantial change, except that the insolvent will not be liable to be arrested or imprisoned on account of *any of the scheduled debts*, not merely (as provided by section 449 of the Bill of 1865) on account of the decree under which he was imprisoned and that his property shall be liable to attachment until the decrees against him held by the scheduled creditors either are fully satisfied or become by lapse of time incapable of being executed.

We have considered whether it would be desirable to extend the law so as to enable a person not arrested or imprisoned in execution of a decree to apply to be declared an insolvent. But, on the whole, we think that this change would be too great for the machinery at present available in many parts of India.

Section 331.—We have here provided for the execution of Mofussil decrees within the Presidency Towns.

PART II.—Of Incidental Proceedings.

The second Part of our draft deals with the incidental proceedings which take place (*a*) on the death, marriage or insolvency of parties to a suit; (*b*) on the withdrawal and adjustment of suits; (*c*) on payment into Court; (*d*) on requiring security for costs; (*e*) on setting aside decrees by default and *ex parte*, and (*f*) on the issue of commissions.

Chapter xix.—Of the Death, Marriage and Insolvency of Parties.

Section 358.—We have here inserted an explanation to shew that a certificate of heirship, or a certificate to collect debts, does not of itself constitute the holder the legal representative of the deceased.

Chapter xx.—Of the withdrawal and Adjustment of Suits.

Section 364.—We have limited the power of the Court to permit withdrawal with liberty to sue again, to cases when the suit must fail by reason of some formal defect; and we have declared that nothing in this section shall authorize the Court to permit one of several plaintiffs to withdraw without the consent of the others.

Chapter xxi.—Of Payment into Court.

Section 368.—We have here altered the Bill of 1865 in accordance with the following views:—If the plaintiff accept the amount paid-in only as satisfaction in part of his claim, he may prosecute his suit for the balance; but if the Court decides that the payment has been a full satisfaction, the plaintiff should pay the costs of the suit. If, however, the plaintiff accepts the amount as satisfaction in full, the Court should pass judgment accordingly; and in awarding costs it should consider which of the parties is most to blame for the litigation.

Chapter xxii.—Of requiring Security for Costs.

We have made no change in this chapter, which corresponds with sections 63 and 64 of the Bill of 1865, sections 34 and 35 of Act VIII of 1859.

Chapter xxiii.—Of setting aside Decrees by Default and ex parte.

This chapter corresponds with sections 172 to 175 of the Bill of 1865, section 119 of Act VIII of 1859. Here, too, we have made no change.

Chapter xxiv.—Of Commissions.

This chapter deals with (*a*) commissions to examine witnesses; (*b*) commissions for local investigations; (*c*) commissions to investigate accounts, and (*d*) general provisions applicable to all such commissions. Under (*a*) we have inserted a section (385) to provide for the case of the witness being in jail, and under (*d*) we have declared that the commissioner shall take down all questions and answers and make a note of the objections (if any) to the admissibility of evidence. We have made no other substantial change.

PART III.—Of Suits in particular cases.

Part III deals with suits in particular cases, and herein with (*a*) suits by paupers; (*b*) suits by or against Government or Government servants; (*c*) suits by or against Native or foreign rulers; (*d*) suits by or against corporations and companies; (*e*) suits by and against trustees, executors and administrators; (*f*) suits by or against minors and persons of unsound mind; (*g*) suits by infirm persons and women; (*h*) suits by or against military men; (*i*) suits by stakeholders, otherwise called interpleader-suits.

Chapter xxv.—Suits by Paupers.

The principal additions which we have here made are as follows:—We have provided that the Court shall hear any argument which the parties may desire to offer on the question

whether, on the face of the petition and the evidence, the petitioner is or is not disqualified from suing as a pauper. We have declared that the pauper shall not be exempt from paying (*a*) the expense of serving process, (*b*) the expenses of witnesses, (*c*) the duty and penalty payable on unstamped or insufficiently stamped instruments which he produces; and we think that, if he resides out of British India, he should not be exempt from giving security for costs. We have provided that if he succeeds he shall have such costs as the Court thinks fit, and that if he fails the Court may order him to pay costs to the defendant, and further, if the suit is frivolous or vexatious, punish him with a small fine and a month's imprisonment. Lastly, we have introduced a section (411) as to dispaupering, a subject ignored both by the Bill of 1865 and by Act VIII of 1859.

Chapter xxvi.—Suits by or against Government or Government Servants.

The only change that we have here made is in section 427 (= section 334 of the Bill of 1865). We think that, where the officer against whom execution of a decree against Government is applied for neglects to satisfy the decree, the Court, whether it be the High Court or subordinate thereto, should report directly to the Local Government; and we think that the period after which execution may issue on such unsatisfied decree should be computed from the date on which the report reaches Government.

Chapter xxvii.—Suits by or against Native and Foreign Rulers.

Chapter xxviii.—Suits by or against Corporations and Companies.

In neither of these chapters have we made any change calling for notice.

Chapter xxix.—Suits by or against Trustees, Executors and Administrators.

Section 431.—We have here somewhat modified the provisions as to executors, administrators and trustees, found in section 9 of the Bill of 1865. We have provided that, in all suits concerning property vested in a trustee, &c., he shall represent the beneficiaries, and that, unless the Court otherwise direct, they need not be made parties.

Where there are several executors or administrators, we have provided, in accordance with the practice of the Court of Chancery, that (except in the case of executors who have not proved as executors, and administrators who are beyond the local limits of the jurisdiction) they must all be made parties to a suit against one or more of them.

We have also provided that, unless the Court directs otherwise, the husband of a married administratrix or executrix shall not be a party to a suit by or against her.

Chapter xxx.—Suits by or against Minors and Persons of unsound Mind.

We have substituted this chapter (which is substantially taken from the rules of the High Court at Fort William, dated 10th June 1874) for the somewhat meagre section (40) of the Bill of 1865, relating to suits by or against infants. The persons of unsound mind to whom it applies (section 462) do not include those who have been found so by inquisition.

Chapter xxxi.—Suits by infirm Persons and Women.

We have made no change here.

Chapter xxxii.—Suits by and against Military Men.

The only addition here made is an explanation of the term 'commanding officer' used in section 464 (= section 37 of the Bill of 1865, section 19 of Act VIII of 1859). In this we have followed the Indian Articles of War, Act V of 1869.

Chapter xxxiii.—Interpleader.

This chapter is altogether new. It shews, section 469, when an interpleader suit may be instituted; section 470, what the plaint should state; section 471, when the thing claimed should be paid into Court; section 472, the procedure at the first hearing; section 473, when tenants or agents may compel their landlords or principals to interplead; section 474, how the plaintiff's costs may be secured, and lastly, section 475, the procedure where a defendant in an interpleader suit is actually suing the stakeholder in another suit. We trust that this chapter will prove an efficient substitute for Act VIII of 1841, which, accordingly, we propose to repeal.

PART IV.—Provisional Remedies.

By these we mean (*a*) arrest before judgment; (*b*) attachment before judgment; (*c*) temporary injunctions; (*d*) appointment of Receivers and Managers.

Chapter xxxiv.—Of Arrest before Judgment.

Chapter xxxv.—Of Attachment before Judgment.

We have left these provisions substantially untouched.

Chapter xxxvi.—Of Temporary Injunctions.

This chapter deals only with temporary, or, as they are sometimes called, provisional, injunctions. The subject of perpetual injunctions will more fitly be dealt with by a Bill relating to specific and preventive relief.

We have here inserted a section (495) to authorise the issue of temporary injunctions to restrain fraudulent removals of property pending a suit. We have provided (section 497) that, in all cases except those of great urgency, the Court shall, before granting an injunction, direct notice of the application for the same to be given to the opposite party. And we have declared (section 498) that an injunction directed to a corporation shall be binding on all its members and officers whose personal action it seeks to restrain.

CHAPTER XXXVII.—APPOINTMENT OF RECEIVERS AND MANAGERS.

To this chapter we have added a section providing that, when the subject-matter of a suit is capable of delivery, and any party admits that he holds it as a trustee for another party, or that it belongs to another party, the Court may order it to be deposited in Court, or delivered to the latter.

PART V.—SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS.

Part V treats of the following special proceedings, namely, (*a*) reference to arbitration; (*b*) proceedings on agreement of parties; (*c*) summary proceedings on negotiable instruments.

CHAPTER XXXVIII.—REFERENCE TO ARBITRATION.

The only substantial changes which we have made are in section 507, where we have provided that, when once a matter is referred, the Court shall not deal with it in the same suit unless the reference be fruitless, in which case the Court may supersede the arbitration and restore the suit to the file; in section 508, where we have struck out the reference to an uneven number of arbitrators, and in section 520, where we have declared that an award remitted for reconsideration becomes void on the arbitrators' refusal to reconsider it, and that no award shall be valid unless made within the period allowed by the Court. In section 527 we have provided that the Court to which the application therein mentioned must be made shall be the Court of the lowest grade having jurisdiction over the whole matter to which the award relates.

CHAPTER XXXIX.—OF PROCEEDINGS ON AGREEMENT OF PARTIES.

In section 531 we have provided that every such agreement shall be filed in the Court of the lowest grade having jurisdiction in the matter to which it relates. We have made no other change.

CHAPTER XL.—OF SUMMARY PROCEDURE ON NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS.

This corresponds with Act V of 1866, ss. 2—8. We have made only a few formal changes therein.

PART VI.—OF APPEALS.

Part VI treats of Appeals. We first declare (s. 541) that, except as provided by the Code or by some other law for the time being in force, no appeal shall lie, and we then deal (chapter XLII) with appeals from original decrees; (chapter XLIII) with appeals from appellate decrees; (chapter XLIV) with appeals from orders; (chapter XLV) with pauper appeals, and lastly (chapter XLVI) with appeals to the Queen in Council. It will have been observed that we have discarded the misleading terms 'regular appeals' and 'special appeals.'

CHAPTER XLI.—BAR OF APPEALS NOT EXPRESSLY PERMITTED.

We have already mentioned this chapter, which corresponds with section 622 of the Bill of 1865.

CHAPTER XLII.—OF APPEALS FROM ORIGINAL DECREES.

Section 547.—We think that the Court should not rest its decision on any ground not set forth by the appellant, unless the respondent has had sufficient opportunity of meeting the appellant's case on that ground.

Section 557.—We have here provided that the Appellate Court shall not stay execution of a decree which has been appealed against, unless irreparable injury may result to the appellant, if execution is not stayed, and unless the application is made without unreasonable delay. We have further empowered the Court, if it grant the application, to impose terms on the appellant.

Section 571.—Where an appeal is heard *ex parte* in the absence of the respondent, and judgment is given against him, we have here provided for his obtaining a re-hearing in case of his having been prevented by sufficient cause from attending when the appeal was called on.

When the respondent gives notice of any objection to the decree which he might have taken by way of appeal, we have restricted him to raising questions between himself and the appellant. He should not, we think, be allowed to raise questions between himself and any other respondent or defendant.

In the section (573) relating to remand by an Appellate Court, we have provided that the Court of first instance may be directed, not only to investigate the suit on the whole merits, but also to try a particular issue, or to take certain specified evidence. When a case is remanded for the purpose of taking certain specified evidence, we think that the Court to which the case is remanded should take no other evidence in the case.

Section 575.—We have here provided for the re-settlement by the Appellate Court of defective issues.

Section 578.—When the Appellate Court frames issues and refers them for trial to the Court of first instance, we think that it should also have power to prescribe the manner in which the additional evidence should be taken and the points to which it should be confined.

Section 587.—When the decree appealed against is reversed, we have declared (in accordance with Sir B. Peacock's ruling in 1 Beng. A. C. 50) that the judgment of the Appellate Court shall state the relief to which the appellant is entitled.

Section 589.—Where the appeal is heard by two Judges, who differ in opinion on a point of law, we think that they should confer together, and that the case should be re-argued upon that point before one or more of the other Judges, and determined according to the opinion of the majority of the Judges before whom the point is argued, including the Judges who first heard the appeal. We have altered to this effect the corresponding section (533) of the Bill of 1865 (=Act XXIII of 1861, section 23). Where the appeal is heard by more Judges than two, if their opinions are equally divided, we think (section 590) that the decree appealed from should be taken as affirmed, and that there should be no reference to the opinion of the senior Judge.

CHAPTER XLIII.—OF APPEALS FROM APPELLATE DECREES.

In view of the discussion which is pending on this subject, we have not thought it prudent to introduce any changes of principle here. But we wish to express our opinion that the effects of the present law are by no means satisfactory, because frivolous cases are thereby admitted to second appeal, important ones are excluded from it, and the High Courts are fettered by rigid rules in dealing with the cases which come up to them. We think it would be desirable to classify the suits which are admitted to second appeal rather by their importance than by the accident of their involving some question of law or practice. This would be in accordance with the proposals made in the pending Civil Appeals Bill for Bengal. The point is one on which we should be glad to receive opinions from the local authorities.

The only change which we have here made is the introduction of a clause (608) providing for the case of a change of the pleader who has signed the certificate that the grounds of appeal are reasonable.

CHAPTER XLIV.—OF APPEALS FROM ORDERS.

We have added to the list of appealable orders those made under section 17 for staying proceedings in a suit, orders made under section 111 or 112 where a party refuses to answer a question put by the Court or fails to appear, orders in insolvency-matters, orders as to paupers under section 409, and orders as to interpleader-suits.

CHAPTER XLV.—OF PAUPER APPEALS.

Here our changes have been merely formal.

CHAPTER XLVI.—OF APPEALS TO THE QUEEN IN COUNCIL.

This chapter reproduces the provisions of the recently passed Act VI of 1874, which the Bill proposes to repeal.

PART VII.—OF REVIEWS OF JUDGMENT.

Part VII deals with reviews of judgment. We think that the evidence on the discovery of which a review is obtainable should be, not only 'new,' but 'important' (7 Suth., 166); and strict proof should be given that such evidence was not within the applicant's knowledge (9 Beng. 187). We have made provisions to this effect in sections 644 and 648. We have declared (*a*) that a party who is not appealing may apply for a review notwithstanding the pendency of an appeal by some other party, (*b*) that a person who has preferred an appeal may abandon it and apply for a review, and (*c*) that, except on the discovery of such new evidence as aforesaid, application for a review of a judgment (other than that of a High Court) should be made to the Judge who delivered it.

PART VIII.—OF REFERENCE TO THE HIGH COURT.

No change requiring notice has been made in this part of the Bill.

PART IX.—SPECIAL RULES AS TO HIGH COURTS.

Part IX contains some special rules relating to the High Courts established under 24 & 25 Vic., cap. 104.

In section 664 we have introduced words to shew that such a Court may try suits in which *any* material part of the cause of action has arisen or *any* of the defendants dwells, &c., within the local limits of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction. We have also made it clear that the High Court has jurisdiction to entertain suits for land whether the land is situate wholly, or only in part, within the local limits. This is in accordance with the decision of the late Mr. Justice Norman in 3 Bengal O. C. 85, and with that of Mr. Justice Phear in 6 Bengal 686. The language of the charter of 1865, section 12, had given rise to some doubts on the subject.

In sections 682, 683 and 684 we have embodied the existing Rules of the High Courts at Fort William as to procedure in Admiralty, Testamentary and Intestate cases.

PART X.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Part X contains various miscellaneous provisions. In the sections (692—695) relating to exemption from personal appearances in Court, we have declared that *parda-nashins* shall not be exempted from arrest in execution of civil process, and that when any person exempted from personal appearance claims his privilege, and it is consequently necessary to examine him by commission, he must pay the costs of that commission.

Of the four schedules, the first specifies the enactments proposed for repeal; the second, the sections of the proposed Code which will be applicable (*a*) to Mofussil Courts of Small Causes, (*b*) to Revenue Courts; the third mentions certain Bombay enactments which it is desirable not to affect; the fourth contains 173 forms, (*a*) plaints for breach of contract, (*b*) plaints for damages upon wrongs, (*c*) plaints in suits for special relief, (*d*) forms of summonses, (*e*) forms of registers of suits, memoranda, decrees, orders, notices, warrants, and certificates. Some of these we have ourselves framed: others are taken (with some changes) from the Schedule to the County Court Orders in Equity, framed under the 28th & 29th Vic., c. 99, and from the volume of forms published by the Commissioners appointed to frame the revised New York Code; others from Act VIII of 1859, and the rest were framed by Mr. Broughton, late Recorder of Rangoon, and have stood the test of practice.

Having thus mentioned all the substantial additions which we have made to the Bill of 1865, we have now to specify the clauses of that Bill which we have struck out, with the reasons for each omission.

Clauses 11 *and* 12 provide that suits against Government (other than suits for land) shall be brought at the seat of Government. We think that such a provision would often cause great hardship to plaintiffs: and we have accordingly struck it out.

Eight clauses of the Bill of 1865, namely, 24 and 25, 133 and 134, 314, 315, 316 and 318, deal with the subject of specific performance of contracts. These relate to substantive law, and, if ultimately adopted, will come more fitly into the above-mentioned Bill relating to specific and preventive relief.

Clause 26.—This relates to declaratory suits, and is reserved for the same Bill.

Clause 61.—Procedure where there are several defendants, some of whom dwell without the jurisdiction. This is substantially provided for by sections 16, 17 and 18 of our draft, and it is unnecessary to make a separate provision.

Clause 65.—Procedure in a suit for immoveable property situate in different jurisdictions. This appears to be sufficiently provided for by sections 23, 24 and 25 of our draft (= sections 20, 21, 22 of the Bill of 1865).

Clause 120.—Procedure when defendant is about to leave India. This too seems to us fully provided for by our sections 476, 477, 478 (= sections 113, 114, 115 of the Bill of 1865).

Clause 146.—This relates to refunding half the stamp-duty on the plaint if the suit is compromised. The matter was considered and dealt with when the Court Fees Act, VII of 1870, was passed.

Clauses 193—196.—These also relate to stamp-duty, and the subject is sufficiently provided for by the Stamp Act, XVIII of 1869.

Clauses 243—254, and clause 594 relate to questions respecting religion or custom. We do not think it necessary or expedient to legislate specially regarding this matter. The Evidence Act, I of 1872, sections 18, 48 and 49, provides sufficiently for the solution of all such questions.

Clause 280 provides for the issue of a commission to examine witnesses who are neither within British India nor within an allied Native State. We think that this is sufficiently met by our section 382, which is equal to clause 279 of the Bill of 1865, and section 177 of Act VIII of 1859.

Clauses 281, 282, 283 provide for commissions to examine persons in jail. This is provided for by the Prisoners' Testimony Act, XV of 1869.

Clause 299 authorises the Court in certain cases to decide a suit on a sworn statement. Without giving any opinion on the policy of this provision, we would observe that the matter is sufficiently provided for by the Oaths Act, X of 1873, sections 8—12.

Clause 312 provides that a copy of every decree for the recovery of a portion of immoveable property with specified boundaries shall be sent to the District Registrar. The expediency of requiring the sending and registering of such copies was considered when the present Registration Act (VIII of 1871) was passed, and was decided against.

Clauses 468—482 relate to the summary enforcement of claims on registered bonds. The expediency of having any such provisions in the law was decided against by the legislature when the present Registration Act (VIII of 1871) was settled and passed, and nothing has since occurred to suggest that this decision should be reversed.

Clause 535 declares that if an appeal lies to a Court consisting of a single Judge, the appeal shall be heard and determined by such Judge. We have omitted this, as the matter is sufficiently provided for by our section 686 (= section 670 of the Bill of 1865).

Clause 536.—We have omitted the greater part of this clause as being provided for by the Limitation Act, IX of 1871.

Clause 597 prescribes the time within which special appeals shall be presented. We have omitted this clause also, as the matter is provided for by the Limitation Act.

Clause 608 relates to the stamp on a pauper's appeal and the time within which it must be presented. Both matters are already provided for—the one by the Stamp Act, the other by the Limitation Act.

Clause 624 limits the time within which applications for review must be made. This also is provided for by the Limitation Act.

Clause 636 relates to the extraordinary civil jurisdiction of the High Courts. It seems inexpedient to insert this in the Bill, for as to the High Courts established under 24 & 25 Vic., Cap. 104, the matter is provided for by the Letters Patent; and as to the other highest Civil Courts of Appeal (see Act I of 1868, section 1, clause 11), the matter is, or ought to be, provided for by the local Acts under which they are established.

Clauses 638 and 639 refer to the stamps to be used in the High Courts. The matter is provided for by the Stamp Act and the Court Fees Act.

Clauses 664—667 relate to contempt in Court. This matter is sufficiently dealt with by Act X of 1872, sections 435, 436 and 437, as regards all High Courts not established under 24 & 25 Vic., Cap. 104. For Courts established under that Statute no such provisions are needed.

Clause 680 is omitted, as the two Acts which it saves have been repealed.

We have thus described the changes which we have made in the Bill of 1865. We recommend that the Code, as now revised, should be published in the *Gazette*, and circulated to the Local Governments.

We have to request that gentlemen sending in suggestions will be kind enough to identify the draft Bill to which their suggestions relate by the Roman numeral printed on the outer sheet.

CALCUTTA;
The 8th March 1875.

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APPENDIX.

From Commissioner, Chhattisgarh Division, No. 3087, dated 3rd August 1864, and enclosures.
" Deputy Commissioner, Upper Godávari District, No. 1576, dated 8th August 1864, and enclosure.
" Cantonment Joint Magistrate, Jabalpur, No. 170, dated 9th August 1864.
" Deputy Commissioner, Ságar Division, No. 1599, dated 12th August 1864, and enclosures.
" Assistant Commissioner, in charge of current duties Ságar, No. 1600, dated 12th August 1864.
" Deputy Commissioner, Mandlá, No. 1390, dated 13th August 1864.
" Lieutenant T. Wakefield, Assistant Commissioner, No. 3364, dated 30th August 1864.
" Extra Assistant Commissioner, Mandlá, No. 3360, dated 30th August 1864.
" Commissioner, Jabalpur Division, No. 7285, dated 25th October 1864, and enclosures.
" Assistant Commissioner, Dumoh, No. 1858, dated 14th November 1864.
" Commissioner, Narbadda Division, No. 4027, dated 23rd November 1864, and enclosures.
" " Jabalpur Division, No. 8042, dated 16th December 1864, and enclosures.
" " Nágpur Division, No. 229, dated 10th January 1865, and enclosures.
" Deputy Commissioner, Wardah, No. 191, dated 25th January 1865.
" Under-Secretary to Government of Bombay, No. 211, dated 26th January 1865, and enclosures.
" Judge, Small Cause Court, Nágpur, No. 300, dated 30th January 1865, and enclosures
" Assistant Secretary to Government, Madras, Legislative Department, No. 47, dated 18th February 1865, and enclosures.
" Deputy Commissioner, Chanda, No. 219, dated 22nd February 1865, and enclosures.
Memorandum by Judicial Commissioner, Central Provinces. (no date).
From Officiating Junior Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, No. 120A, dated 17th May 1865, and enclosures.
" Vakíls' Association, Madras, dated 17th June 1865, and enclosure.
" Officiating Junior Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, No. 168A, dated 19th July 1865.
" Assistant Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, No. 3288—287, dated 17th August 1865, and enclosures.
" Acting Assistant Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, No. 341, dated 24th August 1865, and enclosures.
" " " " " " " No. 359, dated 8th September 1865, and enclosures.
" Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Oudh, No. 2930, dated 12th September 1865, and enclosures.
" Vakíls' Association of Western India, dated 19th September 1865.
" Assistant Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, No. 377, dated 2nd October 1865, and enclosures.
" Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Oudh, No. 3193, dated 6th October 1865, and enclosure.
" Officiating Junior Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, No. 213A, dated 27th October 1865, and enclosure.
" Under Secretary to Government of Bombay, No. 3981, dated 1st December 1865.
" Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association, dated 8th February 1866.
" Under Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces, No. 120A, dated 6th April 1866.
Office Memorandum from Home Department, No. 1578, dated 6th June 1866.

From Under Secretary to Government of Bombay, No. 1409, dated 28th April 1866.
Petition from Udeyrám Sahukár of Muzaffarnagar.
Endorsement Home Department, No. 3370, dated 3rd April 1867, forwarding Despatch from Secretary of State, No. 8, dated 25th February 1867, and enclosures.
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150. Warrant of arrest in execution.
151. Certificate of non-satisfaction of decree.
152. Notice to attaching creditor.
153. Commission to examine absent witnesses.
154. Commission for local enquiry, or for investigation of accounts.
155. Undertaking by next friend of minor to be responsible for defendants's costs.
156. Warrant of arrest before judgment.
157. Order for committal.
158. Attachment before judgment with order to call for security for fulfilment of decree.
159. Attachment before judgment on proof of failure to furnish security.
160. Attachment before judgment. Prohibitory order where property to be attached consists of moveable property, to which the defendant is entitled, subject to lien of other person to immediate possession.
161. Attachment before judgment. Prohibitory order where property consists of immoveable property.
162. Attachment before judgment. Prohibitory order where property consists of money in hands of other persons, or of debts not being negotiable instruments.
163. Attachment before judgment. Prohibitory order where property consists of shares in public Company, &c.
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167. Order of reference to arbitration by Court with consent.
168. Summons in summary suit on negotiable instrument.
169. Memorandum of appeal.
170. Register of appeals.
171. Notice to respondent of day fixed for hearing of appeal.
172. Decree on appeal.
173. Register of appeals from appellate decrees.
174. Notice to show cause why review should not be granted.
175. Notice of change of pleader.
176. Memorandum to be placed at foot of every summons, notice, decree, or order of Court, or any other process of Court.

A Bill to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to the Procedure of the Courts of Civil Judicature.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the laws relating to the procedure of the Courts of Civil Judicature; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as "The Code of Civil Procedure:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India except the Scheduled Districts as defined in Act No. XIV of 1874;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the day of 1876.

Interpretation-clause.

2. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Chapter."

"Chapter" means a chapter of this Code:

"District."

"District" means the local limits of the jurisdiction of a principal civil Court of original jurisdiction, and includes the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of a High Court:

"District Court."

"District Court" means the principal civil Court of original jurisdiction in a district:

"Subordinate Court."

"Subordinate Court" means any Court subordinate to a High Court:

"Pleader."

"Pleader" denotes every person entitled to appear and plead for another in Court and includes an Advocate and a Vakíl:

"Collector."

"Collector" denotes every officer performing the duties of a Collector of Land Revenue:

'The cause of action.' 'A material part of the cause of action.'

'The cause of action' means the whole of the circumstances which the plaintiff must allege in order to shew a right to sue, and 'a material part of the cause of action' means some one of those circumstances.

"Judgment."

"Judgment" denotes the statement given by the Judge as the grounds on which his order or decision is founded:

"Decree."

"Decree" means the order or decision by which a suit or appeal is determined so far as concerns the Court which passes the order or decision. An order on appeal, remanding a suit for re-trial, is not within this definition:

"Foreign Court." "Foreign judgment."

"Foreign Court" means a Court situate beyond the limits of British India and not established by the authority of the Governor General in Council, and "foreign judgment" means the judgment of a foreign Court.

"Jail."

"Jail" means the civil jail of the District, or any place appointed by the Local Government for the confinement of persons under civil process:

"Government."

And in any part of British India in which this Code operates, "Government" includes the Government of India as well as the Local Government.

Enactments repealed.

3. The enactments specified in the first schedule hereto annexed are hereby repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the same schedule, but not so as to render invalid any thing lawfully done in conformity with any of them.

References in previous Acts.

4. But when in any other Act, or in any Regulation or Notification passed or issued prior to the day of 187 , reference is made to Act VIII of 1859, Act XXIII of 1861, or the 'Code of Civil Procedure,' such reference shall, so far as may be practicable, be read as applying to this Code; and when any procedure is directed to be in accordance with the provisions of Act VIII of 1859, Act XXIII of 1861, or the 'Code of Civil Procedure,' such procedure shall be deemed to be directed to be in accordance with the provisions of this Code.

Saving of certain Acts affecting Oudh, the Panjáb and Burma.

And save as aforesaid nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect the following enactments, (namely)—

The Oudh Civil Courts Act, 1871:

The Panjáb Appeals Act, 1873:

The Burma Courts Act, 1875.

Sections extending to Mofussil Small Cause Courts.

5. The chapters and sections specified in the second schedule hereto annexed, extend (so far as they are applicable) to Courts of Small Causes constituted under Act No. XI of 1865. The other chapters and sections do not extend to such Courts.

Saving of jurisdiction and procedure—

6. Nothing in this Code alters or affects the jurisdiction or procedure—

(a) of Military Courts Request

(a) of Military Courts of Request:

(b) of single officers appointed to try small suits in Madras and Bombay;

(b) of a single officer duly authorized and appointed under the rules in force in the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay respectively, for the trial of small suits in Military

Bázárs at Cantonments and Stations occupied by the Troops of those Presidencies respectively; or

(c) of Village Munsifs and Village and District Pancháyats in Madras;

(c) of Village Munsifs or Village or District Pancháyats under the provisions of the Madras Code;

(d) of Military Pancháyats in Madras.

(d) of Pancháyats in regard to suits against Military persons, according to the rules in force in the Presidency of Madras.

Saving of certain special or local laws.

7. With respect to—

(a) the jurisdiction exercised by certain jágírdárs and other authorities invested with powers under the provisions of Bombay Regulation XIII. 1830 *(for vesting certain Jagheerdars, Surinjameedars, and Enamdars with the Power of deciding Suits within the Boundaries of their respective estates)*, and Act XV of 1840 *(for extending Regulations XV of* 1827, *and XIII of* 1830, *of the Bombay Code to the Agents of Foreign Sovereigns)* in the cases therein mentioned; and

(b) cases of the nature defined in the enactments specified in the third schedule hereto annexed,

the procedure in such cases and in the regular and special appeals to the civil Courts allowed therein, shall be according to the rules laid down in this Code, except where those rules are inconsistent with any specific provisions contained in the enactments mentioned or referred to in this section.

How far this Code applies to them.

Code not to apply to Presidency Small Cause Courts, till specially extended.

8. Save as hereinafter provided, this Code shall not extend to any suit or proceeding in any Court of Small Causes established in the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

But the Local Government may, by notification published in the official Gazette, extend to any such Court this Code or any part thereof, except so far as relates to appeals and reviews of judgment.

Division of Code.

9. This Act is divided into ten Parts as follows:—

The first Part: Suits in General.
The second Part: Incidental Proceedings.
The third Part: Suits in Particular Cases.
The fourth Part: Provisional Remedies.
The fifth Part: Special Proceedings.
The sixth Part: Appeals.
The seventh Part: Review of Judgment.
The eighth Part: References to the High Court.
The ninth Part: Special Rules relating to the High Court.
The tenth Part: Certain Miscellaneous Matters.

PART I.

OF SUITS IN GENERAL.

CHAPTER I.

OF THE JURISDICTION OF THE COURTS AND *Res Judicata*.

No person exempt from jurisdiction by reason of descent or place of birth.

10. No person shall, by reason of his descent or place of birth, be in any civil proceeding exempted from the jurisdiction of any of the Courts.

Courts to try all civil suits unless specially barred.

11. The Courts shall try all suits of a civil nature excepting suits of which their cognizance is barred by law.

Pending suits.

12. Except where a suit has been stayed under section 17, the Court shall not try any suit in which the matter in issue is also in issue in a previously instituted suit between the same parties, or between parties under whom they or any of them claim, pending in the same or any other Court, whether superior or inferior, in British India, or in any Court beyond the limits of British India established by the authority of the Governor General in Council.

Explanation.—The pendency of a suit in a foreign Court does not preclude the Courts in British India from trying a suit founded on the same cause of action.

Res judicata.

13. The Courts shall dismiss any suit in which the matter substantially in issue has been heard and finally decided by a Court of competent jurisdiction proceeding according to the forms of law, by a valid sentence, in a former suit between the same parties, or between parties under whom they or any of them claim, litigating under the same title and in the same quality.

Explanation I.—The matter above referred to must in the former suit have been alleged by one party and either denied or confessed, expressly or impliedly, by the other.

Explanation II.—Where a foreign judgment is relied on, the production of the judgment duly authenticated is presumptive evidence that the Court which made it had competent jurisdiction, unless the contrary appear on the record; but such presumption may be removed by shewing the want of jurisdiction by such evidence as is allowed by law:

No foreign judgment shall operate as a bar to a suit in British India—

(a) if it has not been given on the merits of the case:

(b) if it appears on the face of the proceedings to be founded on an incorrect view of international law or of any law in force in British India:

(c) if it is in the opinion of the Court before which it is produced contrary to natural justice:

(d) if it has been obtained by fraud:

(e) if it sustains a claim founded on a breach of any law in force in British India.

Explanation III.—A decision is final within the meaning of this section when it is such as the Court making it could not alter on the application of either party or reconsider of its own motion. A decision liable to appeal may be final within the meaning of this section until the appeal is made.

A decision is not final within the meaning of this section when it has been obtained by arrangement between the parties and the Court has not given a judicial opinion on the matter.

Illustrations.

The following decisions shall cause the dismissal of a subsequent suit:—

(a). In a suit brought by one of the inhabitants of a village for the purpose of determining a right of way claimed by such inhabitants, a decree is made against him. Such decree shall bar all the other persons claiming the same right under the same title, but not if they claim under a different title.

(b). A sues B for a flock of sheep and obtains a decree. This is a bar to a subsequent suit by B against A for the flock, although the individual animals composing it may not be the same at the time of both suits, for the character of the whole matter in dispute is the same.

(c). A sues B for a particular bighá of land. Decree is made in favour of B. A dies intestate and C obtains letters of administration to his estate. B dies testate leaving D his executor who proves his will. C cannot sue D under the same title for any part of the same land.

(d). A sues B for two separate pieces of land. Decree is made in favour of A, who sells the two pieces to C. B cannot afterwards sue C under the same title for either piece separately.

(e). A sues B for Rs. 1,000. The Court decides that this sum was never due to A. A then sues B for interest on the said sum. The decree in the former suit is a bar to this suit; for the subject of the second suit, though not identical with, is incident to, and involved in, the subject of the first.

(f). A sues B for a piece of land bordering on a river and obtains a decree. This decision is a bar to a subsequent suit by B against A for alluvial soil since added to the land, or for trees the growth of the land, or for rent or mesne profits in respect of its occupation, by virtue of the same title under which the land was claimed.

(g). In a suit by A against B respecting lights, the Court decides that the defendant has no right to raise his wall ten feet. This decision is a bar to a suit by B against A to enforce his alleged right to raise the wall twenty feet; for the thing demanded by the latter suit is so included in that which was decided in the former suit, that the decree in the latter suit must confirm or annul the decree in the former suit.

(h). A sues B on a written obligation for the payment of money. Decree is made in favour of B on the ground that the money claimed is not due. This is a bar to a subsequent suit by A against B for money claimed not on the written obligation but on the same transaction.

(i). A sues B and C jointly for having together wrongfully fouled the water of a stream running through A's land, and obtains a decree against them. This is a bar to a subsequent suit by A against B separately for the same wrong, even though the decree in the prior suit has remained unexecuted.

(j). B and C jointly divert the water of A's watercourse. A sues B for the diversion, and the suit is dismissed. This is a bar to a subsequent suit by A against C for the same wrong.

(k). A and B, by their joint promissory note, promise to pay C Rs. 1,000. C sues them for non-payment of this sum, and obtains a decree against them. This is a bar to a subsequent suit by C against A on the same note.

The following decisions shall not cause the dismissal of a subsequent suit:—

(l). An interlocutory order that a party shall account; for this decision is not final.

(m). A decree passed by a subordinate Court under section 655 contingent upon the opinion of the High Court upon a point referred; for this decision is not final.

(n). A decree of a Court of Small Causes under Act XI of 1865, for Rs. 1,001; for this decision has not been given by a Court of competent jurisdiction.

(o). A decree of a like Court for the balance of a partnership-account, such balance not having been struck by the parties or their agents; for such Courts have no jurisdiction to make such decrees.

(p). A decree of a Revenue Court in a suit for rent declaring the validity or invalidity of a bond: for such Courts have no jurisdiction to make such declarations.

(q). A decree in a suit in which it appears on the face of the record that summons has not been served on the defendant or his agent, when the defendant or his agent has not expressly or impliedly waived the necessity of such service.

(r). A decree that the defendant pay the damages which the plaintiff sustained; for here the decision is uncertain, and is not rendered certain by any part of the record.

(s). A decree that the plaintiff shall recover such compensation as Z shall determine; for here the decision is not final.

(t). A decree in a suit for three hogsheads of sugar that the defendant pay, at the rate of Rs. 150 per hogshead, the sum of Rs. 460; for here the sentence is invalid, evident error appearing on the decree itself.

(u). A decree declaring that the defendant shall go quit of a debt demanded by the plaintiff, and which the defendant had confessed to be due in his written statement in the same suit; for here the decision is invalid as being contrary to the judicial confession of a party.

(v). A decree given against one not a party to the suit, or against a minor not properly represented by a guardian.

(w). A sues B for one bighá of land. The Court decrees that A shall recover three bighás. The defendant then sues A for the two additional bighás. The former decree is no bar, because it was not in a matter alleged by one party and denied by the other in the suit in which it was made

(x). A's executor, B, sues C for property belonging to A's estate. It appears that C has no such property and a decree is thereupon made in his favour. Afterwards C gets possession of part of A's estate. The former decree is no bar to a subsequent suit by B against C.

(y). A sues B, C and D. Before the judgment, D's name is struck out of the proceedings. A decree afterwards given in the suit does not bind D, unless his name has been reinstated on the record and is thereon at the date of the judgment.

(z). A sues B and C. Before the judgment D's name is introduced as a party on the record by fraud and without his knowledge. A decree afterwards given in the suit does not bind D unless he has consented to becoming a party.

(aa). A obtains against B a decree declaring that A is the owner of certain land. This is no bar to a subsequent suit by B against A for a right of way over the same land.

(bb). A sues B to obtain a right to an easement for the passage of cattle. Decree is made in favour of B. This is no bar to a subsequent suit by A against B for a right of footway; for the easements are of different kinds.

(cc). A sues B for trespassing on his land. Decree is made in favour of B. This does not bar a subsequent suit by A against B claiming rent from him as tenant of such land.

(dd). A, as executor to B, sues C for certain land. Decree is made in favour of C. A may nevertheless in his own right sue C for the same land; for here the plaintiff in each suit does not prosecute in the same quality.

(ee). On the death of A, a Hindú, B takes possession of A's land, claiming to hold it as A's adopted son. A's widow, C, sues B for possession as widow. B pleads the adoption. The Court finds that B was not adopted, and decrees in favour of C. On C's death, A's collateral kindred take possession of the land. The former decree does not bar a suit by B against them for possession as A's adopted son, for the collateral kindred do not claim under C.

CHAPTER II.

OF THE PLACE OF SUING.

Court in which suit to be instituted.

14. Every suit shall be instituted in the Court of the lowest grade competent to try it, unless an option as to the selection of the Court is allowed by this Code or some other law.

Suits to be instituted where subject-matter situate.

15. Subject to the pecuniary or other limitations prescribed by any law, suits

(*a*) for the recovery of immovable property,

(*b*) for the partition of immovable property,

(*c*) for the foreclosure or redemption of a mortgage of immovable property,

(*d*) for the determination of any other right or interest to or in immovable property,

(*e*) for the recovery of movable property distrained or attached for any cause,

shall be instituted in the Court within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the property is situate.

Provided that suits to obtain relief respecting immovable property held by the defendant may, when the relief sought can be entirely obtained through his personal obedience, be instituted either in the Court within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the property is situate, or in the Court to whose jurisdiction he is personally subject.

Explanation.—In this section 'property' means property situate in British India.

Suits to be instituted where defendants reside or cause of action arose.

16. Subject to the limitations aforesaid, all other suits shall be instituted in a Court within the local limits of whose jurisdiction—

(*a*) all the defendants, at the time of the commencement of the suit, actually and voluntarily reside, or carry on business, or personally work for gain; or

(*b*) any of the defendants, at the time of the commencement of the suit, actually and voluntarily resides, or carries on business, or personally works for gain: provided that either the leave of the Court is given, or the defendants who do not reside or carry on business or personally work for gain as aforesaid acquiesce; or

(*c*) the cause of action arises; or

(*d*) a material part of the cause of action arises.

Explanation I.—Where a person has a permanent dwelling at one place and also a lodging at another place for a temporary purpose only, he shall be deemed to reside at both places in respect of any cause of action occurring at the place where he has such temporary lodging.

Explanation II.—A Corporation or Company shall be deemed to carry on business at its sole or principal office, or, in respect of any cause of action occurring at any place where it has also a subordinate office, at such place.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A is a tradesman in Calcutta. B carries on business in Delhi. B, by his agent in Calcutta, buys goods of A, and requests A to deliver them to the East Indian Railway Company. A delivers the goods accordingly in Calcutta. A may sue B for the price of the goods either in Calcutta, where the cause of action has occurred, or in Delhi, where B carries on business.

(*b.*) A resides at Simla, B at Calcutta, and C at Delhi. A, B and C being together at Benares, B and C make a joint promissory note payable on demand, and deliver it to A. A may sue B and C at Benares, where the cause of action occurred. He may also sue them at Calcutta, where B resides, or at Delhi, where C resides; but in each of these cases, if the non-resident defendant objects, the suit cannot be maintained without the leave of the Court.

(*c*) A draws, in Simla, a bill on B, who accepts the bill in Calcutta, and returns it by post to A. The bill does not mention any place of payment. It is presented to B in Calcutta, and he fails to pay. One material part of the cause of action has occurred at Simla and others at Calcutta. The suit may therefore be brought either in Simla or in Calcutta.

(*d.*) A signs a contract in Calcutta for the delivery of rice to B at Delhi, and delivers it accordingly. B does not pay the price, and A sues him for it. One material part of the cause of action has occurred in Calcutta and another in Delhi. The suit may therefore be brought either in Calcutta or in Delhi.

(*e.*) A lets a house in Howrah to B at a monthly rent payable in Howrah. A dies intestate. C obtains, in Calcutta, a grant of letters of administration to A's estate. B allows the rent to fall into arrear. One material part of the cause of action has occurred in Calcutta and another in Howrah, and C may therefore sue B for the arrears either in Calcutta or in Howrah.

Power to stay proceedings where the whole cause of action did not arise and all defendants do not reside within jurisdiction.

17. If a suit is instituted in a Court within the local limits of whose jurisdiction only part of the cause of action arose, and where all the defendants do not actually and voluntarily reside, or carry on business, or personally work for gain, any defendant may move the Court to stay proceedings, and if the Court is satisfied that justice is more likely to be done by the suit being instituted in some other Court, it may stay proceedings either finally or till further order, and make such order as it thinks fit as to the costs already incurred by the parties or any of them.

Illustration.

A and B in Calcutta enter into a written contract to carry on a partnership business in Delhi, and carry it on accordingly. B resides in Benares. A sues B in Calcutta for an account of partnership transactions. If the Court finds that justice is more likely to be done by the suit being instituted in Delhi, or in Benares, it may on B's motion stay the proceedings.

Motion when to be made.

18. Every such motion shall be made before the settlement of issues and at the earliest possible opportunity, and any defendant not so moving shall be deemed to have acquiesced in the institution of the suit.

Remission of Court-fee where suit instituted in another Court.

19. Where the Court, under section 17, stays proceedings, and the plaintiff institutes his suit in another Court, the plaint shall not be chargeable with any fee under the Court Fees Act: provided that the proper fee has been levied on the institution of the suit in the former Court.

The interval between the institution of the suit and the date of so staying proceedings therein shall be excluded in computing the period of limitation prescribed for such suit.

Forum in suits for compensation for wrongs.

20. In suits for compensation for wrong done to person or property, if the wrong was done within the local limits of the jurisdiction of one Court and the defendant resides within the local limits of the jurisdiction of another Court the plaintiff may at his option sue in either of the said Courts.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A, residing in Delhi, beats B in Calcutta. B may sue A either in Calcutta or in Delhi.

(*b*) A, residing in Delhi, publishes in Calcutta statements defamatory of B. B may sue A either in Calcutta or in Delhi.

(*c.*) A, travelling on the line of a Railway Company whose principal office is at Howrah, is upset and injured at Allahabad by negligence imputable to the Company. He may sue either at Howrah or at Allahabad

Transfer of suits.

21. The District Court may withdraw any suit instituted in any Court subordinate to such District Court, and try the suit itself, or may, after giving notice to the parties, transfer it for trial to any other such subordinate Court competent in respect of the amount or value of the subject-matter of the suit to try the same.

High Court may transfer suits and appeals.

22. The High Court may order that the cognizance of any suit or appeal instituted in any subordinate Court other than a Court of Small Causes, shall be transferred to any other subordinate Court, not being a Court of Small Causes, competent in respect of the amount or value of the subject-matter of the suit or appeal to try the same.

Suits for immovable property situate in single districts, but within jurisdictions of different Courts.

23. If the suit be for immovable property situate within the limits of a single district, but within the jurisdiction of different Courts, the suit may be brought in the Court within whose jurisdiction any portion of the property is situate; provided that, in respect of the value of the subject-matter of the suit, the entire claim be cognizable by such Court.

In such case the defendant may apply to the District Court to transfer the suit to another of the Courts having jurisdiction, and the District Court shall determine in which of the several Courts having jurisdiction the suit shall proceed.

Suits for immovable property situate in different districts.

24. If the immovable property be situate within the limits of different districts, the suit may be brought in any Court, otherwise competent to try it, within whose jurisdiction any portion of the property is situate.

In such case the defendant may apply to the High Court to transfer the suit to another of the Courts having jurisdiction. If the suit is brought in any Court subordinate to a District Court, the application shall be submitted through the District Court to which such Court is subordinate. The High Court may determine in which of the several Courts having jurisdiction the suit shall proceed.

Suits for immovable property situate in districts subject to different High Courts.

25. If the districts within the limits of which the immovable property is situate, are subject to different High Courts, the application shall be submitted to the High Court to which the district in which the suit is brought is subordinate;

and such High Court may, after hearing the objections, if any, of the defendant, determine whether or not the suit shall proceed in the Court in which it is instituted.

Suit for immovable property alleged to be within another local jurisdiction.

26. If in a suit for immovable property, the defendant object to the hearing of the suit on the ground that the property is not situate within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court, the Court may determine the point;

and if the Court find that the property is situate within such limits, it shall proceed to try the suit.

CHAPTER III.

OF PARTIES AND THEIR APPEARANCES, APPLICATIONS AND ACTS.

Who to be joined as plaintiffs.

27. All persons having an interest in the subject-matter of the suit and in obtaining the relief sought, may be joined as plaintiffs, except as otherwise provided in this Code.

But persons having distinct claims against another in respect of distinct matters cannot, if the defendant object, join to enforce such claims in one suit.

Distinct claims.

Illustration.

A and B are partners. C deals with the firm and becomes indebted to it. A sells a horse his private property to C. A and B cannot, if C objects, sue him in one suit for the debt due to the firm and also for the price of the horse.

Who to be defendant.

28. Any person may be made a defendant who has or claims an interest in the controversy adverse to the plaintiff, or who is a necessary party to the complete determination or settlement of the questions involved therein.

But persons against whom distinct claims are made in respect of distinct matters cannot if they or any of them object or objects be joined for the purpose of enforcing such claims in one suit.

Illustration.

A and B are partners, and become as such indebted to C in Rs. 5,000. A on his own account buys a horse for Rs. 1,000 from C, and fails to pay the price. C cannot, if A or B objects, sue in the same suit A and B for the Rs. 5,000 and A for the Rs. 1,000.

Parties to be joined.

29. Of the parties to the suit those who are united in interest must be joined as plaintiffs or defendants. But if the consent of any one who should have been joined as plaintiff cannot be obtained, he may be joined as a defendant, the reason thereof being stated in the plaint.

And when the question is one of common or general interest of so many persons that it is impracticable to bring them all before the Court, one or more may sue or defend on behalf of the whole, the reason thereof being stated in the plaint.

Parties to bills, hundís and notes.

30. Persons severally liable upon the same obligation or instrument, including the parties to bills of exchange, hundís and promissory notes, may, all or any of them, be included in the same suit at the option of the plaintiff.

Time for taking objections as to non-joinder or misjoinder of parties.

31. All objections for want of parties, or for joinder of parties who have no interest in the suit, or for misjoinder as co-plaintiffs or co-defendants, shall be taken at the earliest possible opportunity; and any such objection not taken before the settlement of issues shall be deemed to have been waived by the defendant.

Appearances, applications and acts may be in person, by recognized agent or by pleader.

32. Any appearance, application or act in or to any Court, made or done by a party to a suit in such Court, may, except when otherwise expressly provided by this Code, be made or done by the party in person or by his recognized agent, or by a pleader duly appointed to act on his behalf:

Provided that any such appearance shall be made by the party in person if the Court so direct.

Each of several plaintiffs or defendants may authorize any other to appear, &c., for him.

33. When there are more plaintiffs than one, any one or more of them may be authorized by any other of them to appear, plead and act for such other: and in like manner when there are more defendants than one, any one or more of them may be authorized by any other of them to appear, plead or act for such other.

Authority to be in writing signed and filed.

The authority shall be in writing, signed by the parties giving it, and shall be filed in Court.

Recognized agents.

34. The recognized agents of parties by whom such appearances, applications and acts may be made or done are—

Persons holding powers-of-attorney from parties out of jurisdiction.

1st—Persons holding general powers-of-attorney from parties not within the jurisdiction of the District Court within the limits of which the appearance, application or act is made or done, authorizing them to make and do such appearances, applications and acts on behalf of such parties.

Persons carrying on trade or business for parties out of jurisdiction.

2ndly—Persons carrying on trade or business for and in the names of parties not within the jurisdiction of the District Court within the limits of which the appearance, application or act is made or done, in matters connected with such trade or business only, where no other agent is expressly authorized to make and do such appearances, applications and acts.

Explanation.—A partner is not, as such, a recognized agent within the meaning of this clause.

Service of process on recognized agent.

35. Processes served on a recognized agent relative to a suit shall be as effectual for all purposes in relation to the suit as if the same had been given to or served on the party in person, unless the Court shall otherwise direct.

The provisions of this Code relative to the service of process on a party to a suit apply to the service of process on a recognized agent.

Appointment of pleader.

36. The appointment of a pleader to make or do any appearance, application or act as aforesaid shall be in writing under the hand of the client and shall be filed in Court.

When so filed, it shall be considered to be in full force until revoked by a writing signed by the client and filed in Court, or until the pleader dies, or the suit is determined.

Service of process on pleader.

37. Processes served on the pleader of any party or left at the office or ordinary residence of such pleader, relative to a suit, and whether the same be for the personal appearance of the party or not, shall be presumed to be duly communicated and made known to the party whom the pleader represents; and, unless the Court otherwise directs, shall be as effectual for all purposes in relation to the suit as if the same had been given to or served on the party in person.

Service of process on party who has not appointed a pleader.

38. In all cases in which a party to a suit has not appointed a pleader to act for him, all processes shall be served upon such party in the manner hereinafter provided for the service of a summons upon a defendant to appear and answer.

Agent to receive process.

39. Besides the recognized agents described in section 34, any person residing within the jurisdiction of the Court may be appointed an agent to accept service of processes.

His appointment to be in writing and to be filed in Court.

Such appointment shall be in writing signed by the principal, and the original appointment, or a copy thereof if the appointment be a general one, shall be filed in Court.

Court may direct that persons appearing to be interested shall be made parties.

40. If at any stage of a suit, it appear to the Court that any person who may be entitled to, or who may claim some share or interest in, the subject-matter of the suit, and who may be likely to be affected by the result, has not been made a party,

or that any one of several plaintiffs should be made a defendant,

the Court may, in its discretion, direct that such person shall be made a party or that such plaintiff shall be made a defendant, as the case may be.

In such case the Court shall issue a notice to such person in the manner hereinafter provided for the service of a summons on a defendant.

Power to remove parties.

41. If at any stage of the suit, it appear to the Court that any person has been improperly made a party, the Court may direct that his name shall be struck out from the plaint, or that the proceedings shall be stayed as against him.

CHAPTER IV.

Of the Frame of the Suit and the Form of the Plaint.

Suit how to be framed.

42. Every suit shall as far as practicable be so framed as to afford ground for a single decision upon the whole subject in dispute, and so to prevent further litigation concerning it.

Suit to include the whole claim.

43. Every suit shall include the whole of the claim arising out of the cause of action; but a plaintiff may relinquish any portion of his claim in order to bring the suit within the jurisdiction of any Court, and the fact of such relinquishment shall be entered on the record.

Relinquishment of part of claim.

If a plaintiff intentionally relinquish or omit to sue for any portion of his claim, a suit for the portion so relinquished or omitted shall not afterwards be entertained.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) Two partners, A and B, dispute regarding unsettled accounts of the partnership. A sues B for a particular item of the accounts. The suit must be dismissed, for it should have been for the whole of A's demand against B, so that there might be a general adjustment of the accounts.

(*b.*) A, as heir of Z, claims the ownership of lands in two districts, B and C. D claims the same lands also as heir of Z. A sues D in district B for the lands in that district only, omitting the rest of the lands. A's suit against D for the lands in district C cannot afterwards be entertained.

(*c.*) A sues D as in the last preceding illustration. A also claims other lands from D, alleging that D obtained a conveyance of them from A by fraud. A may make those lands the subject of a separate suit.

Joinder of several claims in the same suit.

44. Two or more claims, founded on distinct causes of action, by and against the same parties, and cognizable (as regards their nature) by the same Court, may at the option of the plaintiff be joined in the same suit; provided that, when claims are so joined, the jurisdiction of the Court to hear the suit shall depend on the amount or value of the aggregate subject-matters.

Multifariousness.

But different claims, founded on distinct causes of action, against different parties, cannot be joined in the same suit where each of those parties has a separate interest.

And claims made against a defendant in different characters, cannot be joined in the same suit.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A and B, by their three joint promissory notes, promise to pay to C on demand Rs. 1,000, Rs. 1,500 and Rs. 2,000. A and B fail to pay the same. C may sue A and B in the same suit for Rs. 4,500, being the aggregate amount of the three notes.

(*b.*) A, the guardian of B, a minor, sells a portion of the minor's property to C, another portion to D, and another to E. B attains majority and sues in the same suit C, D and E to set aside the sales to them respectively. Any of the defendants may object that the suit is wrongly framed.

(*c.*) A sues B, the executor of C, in the same suit for a debt due from C, and also for a debt due from B personally. The defendant may object that the suit is wrongly framed.

Objections on ground of multifariousness.

45. All objections under section 44 shall be taken at the earliest possible opportunity; and any objection not taken before the settlement of issues shall be deemed to have been waived by the defendant.

Power to order distinct claims to be tried separately.

46. If two or more claims founded on distinct causes of action be joined in one suit, and the Court is of opinion that they cannot conveniently be tried together, the Court may, at any stage of the suit, order such claims, or any of them, to be tried separately on the record as made up.

Claims for immovable property and for mesne profits.

47. A claim for immovable property, and a claim for the mesne profits of such property, may, at the option of the plaintiff, be deemed to be founded on distinct rights to sue, within the meaning of sections 44 and 46.

CHAPTER V.

Of the Institution of Suits.

Suits to be commenced by plaint.

48. Every regular suit shall be commenced by a plaint.

Particulars to be contained in plaint.

49. The plaint must be distinctly written in the language in use in proceedings before the Court, and must contain the following particulars:—

(1.) the name of the Court in which the suit is brought;

(2.) the name, description and place of abode of the plaintiff;

(3.) the name, description and place of abode of the defendant, so far as they can be ascertained;

(4.) a plain and concise statement of the facts constituting the cause of action, and where and when it accrued;

(5.) a demand of the relief which the plaintiff claims.

Explanation 1.—When the plaintiff sues in a representative character, the plaint should shew, not only that he has an actual existing interest in the subject-matter, but that he has taken the steps necessary to enable him to institute a suit concerning it.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A sues as B's executor. The plaint must state that A has proved B's will.

(*b.*) A sues as C's administrator. The plaint must state that A has taken out administration to C's estate.

(*c.*) A sues, as guardian of D, a Muhammadan minor. A is not D's guardian according to Muhammadan law and usage. The plaint must state that A has been specially appointed D's guardian.

Explanation 2.—The plaint must shew that the defendant is or claims to be interested in the subject-matter, and that he is liable to be called upon to answer the plaintiff's demand.

Illustration.

A dies leaving B his executor, C his legatee, and D a debtor to A's estate. C sues D to compel him to pay his debt in satisfaction of C's legacy. The plaint must shew that B has causelessly refused to sue D, or that B and D have colluded for the purpose of defrauding C, or other such circumstances rendering D liable to C.

Explanation 3.—If the cause of action arose beyond the period ordinarily allowed by any law for commencing the suit, the plaint must shew the ground upon which exemption from such law is claimed.

Explanation 4.—If the plaintiff seek the recovery of money, the plaint must state the precise amount, so far as the case admits.

Illustration.

A sues for mesne profits:

A sues for the amount which will be found due to him on taking unsettled accounts between him and B.

In each of these cases the plaint need only state approximately the amount sued for.

Plaint to be subscribed and verified.

50. The plaint shall be subscribed by the plaintiff and his pleader (if any), and shall be verified at the foot by the plaintiff in the manner following, or to the like effect :—

I (A. B.), the plaintiff named in the above plaint, do declare that what is stated therein is true to the best of my information and belief.

Subscription and verification in case of plaintiff's inability.

51. If the plaintiff, by reason of absence or for other good cause, be unable to subscribe and verify the plaint, the Court may, if it think fit, allow it to be subscribed and verified on his behalf by any person whom the Court considers personally acquainted with the facts of the case and otherwise competent to make the verification.

What, besides absence, is good cause, is for the consideration of the Court in each case.

Illustrations.

(a.) The fact that a plaintiff has been exempted from attendance in Court on account of his rank is not good cause why he should not subscribe and verify the plaint.

(b.) Severe illness may be good cause.

When the plaint may be rejected, returned for amendment, or amended.

52. The plaint may, at the discretion of the Court, and at any time before the decree is passed, be rejected, returned for amendment within a time to be fixed by the Court, or amended then and there, upon such terms as to the payment of costs occasioned by the amendment as the Court thinks fit,

(*a*) if it do not state correctly and without prolixity the several particulars hereinbefore required to be specified therein ;

(*b*) if it contain any particulars other than those so required ;

(*c*) if it be not subscribed and verified as hereinbefore required ; or

(*d*) if it do not disclose a cause of action.

Explanation.—A plaint cannot be altered so as to convert a suit of one character into a suit of another and inconsistent character.

When the plaint shall be returned to be presented to the proper Court.

53. The plaint, when presented, shall be returned to be presented to the proper Court in the following cases :—

(*a.*) If a suit has been instituted in a Court whose grade is lower or higher than that of the Court competent to try it, where such Court exists, or where no option as to the selection of the Court is allowed by law :

(*b.*) If, in a suit relating to immovable property, but not coming under the proviso to section 15, it appear that no part of such property is situate within the local limits of the Court's jurisdiction :

(*c.*) If, in any other case, it appear that the cause of action, or a material part thereof, did not occur, and that none of the defendants are dwelling or carrying on business, or personally working for gain, within such local limits.

When the plaint shall be rejected.

54. The plaint shall be rejected in the following cases :—

(*a.*) If the relief sought is undervalued, and the plaintiff, on being required by the Court to correct the valuation within a time to be fixed by the Court, fails to do so :

(*b.*) If the relief sought is properly valued, but the plaint is written upon paper insufficiently stamped, and the plaintiff, on being required by the Court to supply the requisite stamp-paper within a time to be fixed by the Court, fails to do so :

(*c.*) If, in the case mentioned in section 369, the plaintiff fail to furnish security for the payment of the costs that may be incurred by the defendant :

(*d.*) If the suit appear from the statement in the plaint to be barred by any positive rule of law.

Procedure on rejecting a plaint.

55. When a plaint is rejected, the Judge shall record with his own hand an order to that effect with the reason for such order, and the plaint, with the order and any deposition made by or on behalf of the plaintiff, shall be deposited in the record-room of the Court.

Procedure on returning a plaint.

When a plaint is returned for amendment, the date of its presentation and return, the name of the party presenting it, and a brief statement of the reason for returning it, shall be endorsed upon it before it is returned, and shall be signed and sealed by the Judge.

When rejection of plaint does not preclude presentation of fresh plaint.

56. The rejection of the plaint on any of the grounds hereinbefore mentioned shall not of its own force preclude the plaintiff from presenting a fresh plaint in respect of the same cause of action.

Procedure on admitting plaint.

57. If the Court consider the plaint admissible, it shall cause to be endorsed thereon a memorandum of the documents (if any) which the plaintiff has filed along with it, together with the names of the persons presenting them.

The Court shall also cause the particulars mentioned in section 49 to be entered in a book to be kept for the purpose, and called the Register of Civil suits. The entries shall be numbered in every year according to the order in which the plaint is presented.

Production of document on which plaintiff sues. Delivery of document or copy.

58. If a plaintiff sue upon a written document in his own possession or power, he shall produce it in Court when the plaint is presented, and shall at the same time deliver the document or a copy thereof to be filed with the plaint.

List of other documents.

If he rely on any other documents as evidence in support of his claim, he shall enter such documents in a list to be added at the foot of the plaint.

Suits on lost negotiable instruments.

59. In case of any suit founded upon a bill of exchange or other negotiable instrument, if it be proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the instrument is lost, and if an indemnity be given by the plaintiff, to the satisfaction of the Court, against the claims of any other person upon such instrument, the Court may make such decree as it would have made if the plaintiff had produced the instrument in Court when the plaint was presented, and had at the same time delivered a copy of the instrument to be filed with the plaint.

Production of shop-book.

60. If the document on which the plaintiff sues be an entry in a shop-book or other book, the plaintiff shall produce the book to the Court, together with a copy of the entry on which he relies.

Original entry to be marked and returned.

The Court shall forthwith mark the document for the purpose of identification ; and after examining and comparing the copy with the original, shall return the book to the plaintiff.

Inadmissibility of document not produced when plaint filed.

61. A document which ought to be produced in Court by the plaintiff when the plaint is presented, or to be entered at the foot of the plaint, and which is not produced or entered accordingly, shall not be received in evidence on his behalf at the hearing of the suit without the leave of the Court.

Explanation.—A document handed to a witness merely to refresh his memory is not received in evidence within the meaning of this section.

Issue of Summons.

Summons.

62. When the plaint has been registered, a summons shall be issued to the defendant to appear and answer the claim on a day to be therein specified

(*a*) in person, or

(*b*) by a pleader duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or

(*c*) by a pleader accompanied by some other person able to answer all such questions.

Every such summons shall be signed by the Judge or such officer as he appoints, and shall be sealed with the seal of the Court.

Court may order defendant or plaintiff to appear in person.

63. If the Court see reason to require the personal appearance of the defendant, the summons shall order him to appear in person in Court on the day therein specified.

If the Court see reason to require the personal appearance of the plaintiff on the same day, it may make an order for such appearance.

No party to be ordered to appear in person unless resident within 50 miles ; or within local jurisdiction of Court ; or unless there be railway communication.

64. No plaintiff or defendant shall be ordered to appear in person who at the time is *bonâ fide* residing at a distance of more than fifty miles from the place where the Court is held, unless he be resident within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court :

Provided that, if railway communication exists between the place where he resides and the place where the Court is held, or within a convenient distance from such places, the Court shall have a discretion as to making such order.

Summons to be either to settle issues, or for final disposal.

65. The Court shall determine, at the time of issuing the summons, whether it shall be for the settlement of issues only, or for the final disposal of the suit, and the summons shall contain a direction accordingly :

Provided that, in every suit cognizable by Courts of Small Causes, the summons shall be for the final disposal of the suit.

Fixing day for appearance of defendant.

66. The day for the appearance of the defendant shall be fixed by the Court with reference to the place of residence of the defendant and the time necessary for the service of the summons ; and the day shall be so fixed as to allow the defendant sufficient time to enable him to appear and answer on such day.

What shall be deemed 'sufficient time' must be determined with reference to the circumstances of the case.

Summons to order defendant to produce documents required by plaintiff or relied on by defendant.

67. The summons to appear and answer shall order the defendant to produce any document in his possession or power, containing evidence relating to the merits of the plaintiff's case, or upon which the defendant intends to rely in support of his case.

On issue of summons for final disposal, parties to be directed to produce their witnesses.

68. When the summons is for the final disposal of the suit, it shall direct the defendant to produce, on the day fixed for his appearance, the witnesses upon whose evidence he intends to rely in support of his case.

A similar direction shall be given to the plaintiff at the time of issuing the summons.

The summons may contain a demand of the costs incurred to the time of payment.

CHAPTER VI.

Service of Summons on the Defendant.

Delivery of summons for service.

69. The summons shall be delivered to the proper officer of the Court, to be served by him or one of his subordinates.

Mode of service.

70. Service of the summons shall be made by delivering or tendering a copy thereof signed by the Judge or by the Registrar or Clerk of the Court and sealed with the seal of the Court.

Service on several defendants.

71. When there are more defendants than one, service of the summons shall be made on each defendant :

Provided that, if the defendants are partners, and the suit relates to a partnership-transaction, service on one defendant for himself and for the other defendants shall be sufficient, unless the Court otherwise directs.

Service to be on defendant in person, when practicable, or on duly empowered agent.

72. Whenever it may be practicable, the service shall be on the defendant in person, unless he have an agent empowered to accept the service, in which case service on such agent shall be sufficient.

Service on agent by whom defendant carries on business.

73. In a suit relating to any business or work against a person who does not reside within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court from which the summons issues, service on any manager or agent, who, at the time of service, personally carries on such business or work for such person within such limits, shall be deemed good service.

Service on agent in charge, in suits for immovable property.

74. In a suit for immovable property, if the summons cannot be served on the defendant in person, and the defendant have no agent empowered to accept the service of the summons, it may be served on any agent of the defendant in charge of the property.

When service may be on male member of defendant's family.

75. If in any suit the defendant cannot be found and if he have no agent empowered to accept the service of the summons on his behalf, the service may be made on any adult male member of the family of the defendant who is residing with him.

Explanation.—A servant is not a member of the family within the meaning of this section.

Person served to endorse summons.

76. When the summons is served on the defendant personally, or on an agent or other person on his behalf, the serving officer shall require the signature of the person on whom the service is made to an acknowledgment of service to be endorsed on the original summons or on a copy thereof signed and sealed as aforesaid.

Procedure where he refuses.

If such person refuse to sign the acknowledgment, the serving officer may affix the copy of the summons on some conspicuous part of the house in which the defendant is dwelling but the service of the summons shall be held sufficient if it be proved to the satisfaction of the Court, notwithstanding that a copy of the summons shall not have been so affixed.

If summons cannot be served, copy to be fixed on dwelling-house.

77. If the defendant cannot be found and there is no agent empowered to accept the service of the summons on his behalf, nor any other person on whom the service can be made, the serving officer shall fix the copy of the summons on some conspicuous part of the house in which the defendant is dwelling, and the summons shall thereupon be deemed to have been served.

Explanation.—The manner of dwelling here intended is such as renders it probable that the fact of the fixing of the copy will come to the defendant's knowledge.

Summons when returned with endorsement of non-service.

78. If the summons cannot be otherwise served on the defendant, and the serving-officer cannot find any house in which the defendant is dwelling, the serving-officer shall return the summons to the Court from which it issued, with an endorsement thereon that he has been unable to serve it.

Endorsement of time and manner of service.

79. The serving officer shall, in all cases in which the summons has been served, endorse on the original summons, or on a copy thereof signed and sealed as aforesaid, the time when and the manner in which the summons was served, and such endorsement shall be evidence of the service of the summons.

When summons is returned unserved, Court to order substituted service if satisfied that defendant is avoiding service.

80. When a summons is returned without having been served, if the plaintiff satisfies the Court that there is reason to believe that the defendant is keeping out of the way for the purpose of avoiding the service, or if for any other reason the summons cannot be served, the Court shall order the summons to be served by affixing a copy thereof in some conspicuous place in the Court-house, and also upon some conspicuous part of the house in which the defendant last resided; or in such other manner as the Court thinks fit.

The service substituted by order of the Court, shall be as effectual as if it had been made in any of the modes hereinbefore mentioned.

Service of summons when defendant resides within jurisdiction of another Court and has no agent to accept service.

81. If the defendant resides within the jurisdiction of any Court other than the Court in which the suit is instituted, and has no agent empowered to accept the service of the summons, the Court in which the suit is instituted shall send the summons, either by an officer of the Court or by post, to any Court, not being a High Court, having jurisdiction at the place where the defendant resides, by which it can be most conveniently served, and shall fix such time for the appearance of the defendant as the case may require.

The Court to which the summons is sent shall, upon receipt thereof, deliver it to the proper officer of such Court, to be served in the manner hereinbefore directed.

Upon the return of the summons by the serving-officer, it shall be sent back to the Court from which it originally issued.

Explanation.—In the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, the Courts to which summonses shall be sent for service under this section are the Courts of Small Causes.

Service of summons on defendant in jail.

82. If the defendant be in jail under either civil or criminal process, the summons shall be delivered to the officer in charge of the jail in which the defendant is confined, and such officer shall cause the summons to be served upon the defendant.

The summons shall be returned to the officer from whom it was received, with a statement of the service endorsed thereon and signed by the officer in charge of the jail.

Procedure if jail be in a different district.

83. If the jail in which the defendant is confined is not in the district in which the suit is brought, the summons may be sent by post or otherwise to the officer in charge of such jail, and such officer shall cause the summons to be served upon the defendant, and shall return the summons to the Court from which it issued, with a statement of the service endorsed thereon, and signed as provided in section 82.

Service of summons when defendant resides out of British India and has no agent to accept service.

84. If the defendant resides out of British India, and has no agent empowered to accept the service, the summons shall be addressed to the defendant at the place where he is residing, and forwarded to him by post if there be a post to such place.

Service through a British Resident or Agent of Government.

85. If there be a British Resident or Agent of Government in or for the territory in which the defendant resides, the summons may be sent to such Resident or Agent, by post or otherwise, for the purpose of being served upon the defendant; and if the Resident or Agent return the summons with his endorsement that the summons has been served on the defendant, such endorsement shall be conclusive evidence of the service.

Substitution of letter for summons.

86. Nothing herein contained shall prevent the Court from substituting for the summons a letter signed by the Judge or Registrar or Clerk of the Court, and under the seal of the Court, when the person whose appearance is required is of a rank which entitles him to such mark of consideration.

The letter shall contain all the particulars required to be stated in the summons, and, subject to the provisions contained in section 87, shall be treated in all respects as a summons.

Mode of sending such letter.

87. When a letter or other communication is substituted for a summons, it may be sent by post or by a special messenger selected by the Court, or in any other manner which the Court thinks fit; unless the person whose appearance is required has an agent empowered to accept the service of the summons, in which case it shall be served on such agent.

CHAPTER VII.

OF THE APPEARANCE OF THE PARTIES AND CONSEQUENCE OF NON-APPEARANCE.

Parties to appear on day fixed in summons for defendant to appear and answer.

88. On the day fixed in the summons for the defendant to appear and answer, the parties shall be in attendance at the Court-house, and the suit shall then be heard, unless the hearing be adjourned to a future day fixed by the Court.

Dismissal of suit where summons not served in consequence of plaintiff's failure to deposit costs of issuing it.

89. If on the day fixed for the defendant to appear and answer, it be found that the summons has not been served upon him in consequence of the failure of the plaintiff to deposit, within the time allowed, the sum required to defray the cost of issuing such summons, the Court may order that the suit be dismissed:

Proviso.

Provided that no such order shall be passed, although the summons has not been served upon the defendant, if, on the day fixed for him to appear and answer, he has entered an appearance by a pleader or by a duly authorized agent, when he is allowed to appear by agent, or is in attendance in person.

If neither party appear, suit to be dismissed.

90. If on the day fixed for the defendant to appear and answer, or on any other subsequent day to which the hearing of the suit may be adjourned, neither party appears when called upon by the Court, the suit shall be dismissed.

In such case plaintiff may bring fresh suit; or Court may restore the suit to its file.

91. Whenever a suit is dismissed under either of the last two preceding sections, the plaintiff may bring a fresh suit; or if within the period of thirty days from the date of the order dismissing the suit he satisfies the Court that there was a sufficient excuse for his not making the deposit required within the time allowed or for his non-appearance, as the case may be, the Court may restore the suit to its file.

Procedure if plaintiff only appear.

92. If the plaintiff appears and the defendant does not appear, and the Court is satisfied that the summons was duly served, the Court may proceed *ex parte* either to dispose of the suit or to settle issues, according to the tenor of the summons.

If plaintiff only appear, and due service of summons be not proved, Court may order issue of second summons.

93. If the plaintiff appears and the defendant does not appear, and the Court is not satisfied that the summons was duly served in any of the modes of service hereinbefore provided, the Court may direct a second summons to the defendant to be issued in any of the said modes.

Procedure where plaintiff only appears, and it is proved that summons was served, but not in due time.

94. If the plaintiff appears and the defendant does not appear, and it is proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the summons was served on the defendant, but not in sufficient time to enable him to appear and answer on the day fixed in the summons, the Court shall postpone the hearing of the suit to a future day to be fixed by the Court, and may direct notice of such day to be given to the defendant.

Procedure where defendant appears on day of adjourned hearing, and assigns good cause for previous non-appearance.

95. If the defendant, on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the suit *ex parte* has been adjourned, appear and assign good cause for his previous non-appearance, he may, upon such terms as the Court may direct as to costs or otherwise, be heard in answer to the suit, in like manner as if he had appeared on the day fixed for his appearance.

Procedure where defendant only appears.

96. If the defendant appears and the plaintiff does not appear, the Court shall pass a decree against the plaintiff by default, unless the defendant admits the claim, in which case the Court shall pass a decree against the defendant upon such admission.

Procedure where defendant residing out of British India does not appear.

97. If on the day fixed for the hearing of a suit against a defendant residing out of British India, who has no agent empowered to accept service of summons, or on any day to which the hearing has been adjourned, the defendant does not appear, the plaintiff may apply to the Court, and the Court may direct that the plaintiff be at liberty to proceed with his suit in such manner and subject to such conditions as the Court thinks fit.

Decree against plaintiff by default bars fresh suit.

98. When a decree is passed against a plaintiff by default, he shall be precluded from bringing a fresh suit in respect of the same right to sue.

Procedure in case of non-attendance of one or more of several plaintiffs.

99. If there are more plaintiffs than one, and one or more of them shall appear in person or by a pleader or by a co-plaintiff duly authorized, and the other or others of them shall not appear in person nor by a pleader nor by a co-plaintiff duly authorized, the Court may proceed with the suit at the instance of the plaintiff or plaintiffs who may have appeared, in the same way as if all the plaintiffs had appeared, and pass such order as it thinks fit.

Procedure in case of non-attendance of one or more of several defendants.

100. If there be more defendants than one, and one or more of them appear in person or by a pleader or by a co-defendant duly authorized, and the others of them do not appear in person or by a pleader or by a co-defendant duly authorized, the Court shall proceed with the suit, and shall at the time of passing judgment make such order with respect to the defendant or defendants who have not appeared as it thinks fit.

Consequence of non-attendance, without sufficient cause shown, of party ordered to appear in person.

101. If a plaintiff or defendant who has been ordered to appear in person under the provisions of section 63 or section 430 does not appear in person, or show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of the Court for failing so to appear, he shall be subject to all the provisions of the foregoing sections applicable to plaintiffs and defendants, respectively, who do not appear.

Court to receive written declaration in support of cause shown for failure to appear.

102. In support of the cause shown by a plaintiff or defendant for failing to appear in person, the Court shall receive any declaration in writing on paper signed by such plaintiff or defendant and verified in manner hereinbefore provided for the verification of plaints.

CHAPTER VIII.

Of Written Statements.

Written statements.

103. The parties may, at the first hearing of the suit, tender written statements of their respective cases, and the Court shall record such statements and deal with them as if given in evidence.

Written statements chargeable with Court fees.

104. Written statements shall be chargeable with the fee prescribed by the Court Fees Act, 1870, for petitions to the Court.

Particulars of set-off to be given in written statement.

105. If in a suit for the recovery of money the defendant claims to set-off against the plaintiff's demand any ascertained sum of money legally recoverable by him from the plaintiff, and if in such claim of the defendant against the plaintiff both parties fill the same character as they fill in the plaintiff's suit, the defendant may, at the first hearing of the suit, but not afterwards unless permitted by the Court, tender a written statement containing the particulars of the debt sought to be set-off.

The Court shall thereupon enquire into the same,

and if it find that the case fulfils the requirements of the former part of this section,

the Court shall set-off the one debt against the other.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A bequeaths Rs. 2,000 to B, and appoints C his executor and residuary legatee. B dies and D takes out administration to B's effects. C pays Rs. 1,000 as surety for D. Then D sues C for the legacy. C cannot set-off the debt of Rs. 1,000 against the legacy, for neither C nor D fills the same character with respect to the legacy as they fill with respect to the payment of the Rs. 1,000.

(*b*) A dies intestate and in debt to B. C takes out administration to A's effects, and B buys part of the effects from C. In a suit for the purchase-money by C against B, the latter cannot set-off the debt against the price, for C fills two different characters, one as the vendor to B, in which he sues B, and the other as representative to A, in which B seeks the set-off.

(*c*) A sues B on a bill of exchange. B alleges that A has wrongfully neglected to insure B's goods and is liable to him in compensation which he claims to set-off. The amount not being ascertained cannot be set-off.

(*d*) A sues B on a bill of exchange for Rs. 500. B holds a judgment against A for Rs. 1,000. The two claims being both definite pecuniary demands may be set-off.

(*e*) A sues B for compensation on account of a trespass. B holds a promissory note for Rs 1,000 from A and claims to set-off that amount against any sum that A may recover in the suit. B may do so, for as soon as A recovers, both sums are definite pecuniary demands.

No written statement to be received after first hearing unless called for by Court.

106. Except as provided in the last preceding section, no written statement shall be received after the first hearing of the suit unless called for by the Court.

Court may at any time call for written statement.

The Court, in the exercise of its original jurisdiction, may at any time require a full and true written statement, or additional written statement, from any of the parties, and fix a time for presenting the same.

Procedure when party fails to present written statement called for by Court.

If any party from whom a written statement is so called for fail to present the same within the time fixed by the Court, the Court may pass a decree against him, or make such other order in relation to the suit as it thinks fit. And in case of wilful disobedience to the requisition of the Court, he shall also be liable to the penalties provided by section 176 of the Indian Penal Code.

Frame of written statements.

107. Written statements shall be as brief as the nature of the case will admit, and shall not be argumentative, nor by way of answer one to the other; but shall be confined as much as possible to a simple narrative of the facts which the party by whom or on whose behalf the written statement is made believes to be material to the case, and which he believes he will be able to prove.

Written statements to be subscribed and verified.

108. Written statements shall be subscribed and verified in the manner hereinbefore provided for subscribing and verifying plaints, and no written statement shall be received unless it be so subscribed and verified.

Persons exempted from attendance in Court are not exempted thereby from subscribing and verifying written statements.

Rejection of argumentative, prolix or irrelevant written statements.

109. If it appear to the Court that any written statement, whether called for by the Court or spontaneously tendered, is argumentative or prolix, or contains matter irrelevant to the suit, the Court may strike out any part of the statement, or, by an order to be endorsed thereon, reject the same, and return it to the party by whom it was made, imposing such terms as to costs or otherwise as the Court thinks fit.

It shall not be competent to such party to present another written statement, unless it be expressly called for or allowed by the Court.

CHAPTER IX.

Of the Examination of the Parties at the first Hearing.

Oral examination of party, or companion of himself or his pleader.

110. At the first hearing of the suit, or at any subsequent hearing, any party appearing in person or present in Court, or any person able to answer any material questions relating to the suit by whom he or his pleader is accompanied, may be examined orally by the Court.

Substance of examination to be written.

The substance of the examination shall be reduced to writing and shall form part of the record.

Consequence of refusal of party to answer material question.

111. If any party to a suit refuses, without lawful excuse, to answer any material question relating to the suit which the Court thinks fit to put to him, the Court may pass a decree against him, or make such order in relation to the suit as it thinks fit.

Consequence of refusal or inability of pleader to answer.

112. If the pleader of any party who appears by a pleader refuses or is unable to answer any material question relating to the suit which the Court is of opinion that the party whom he represents ought to answer, and is likely to be able to answer if interrogated in person, the Court may postpone the hearing of the suit to a future day, and direct that such party shall appear in person on such day.

If such party fails without lawful excuse to appear in person on the day so appointed, the Court may pass a decree against him, or make such order in relation to the suit as it thinks fit.

CHAPTER X.

Of the Admission, Inspection, Production, Impounding and Return of Documents.

Admission of documents.

113. Either party may exhibit to the other or to his pleader, at any time before the hearing, any document material to the suit, and request an admission in writing of its genuineness.

If the adverse party or his pleader fail to give the admission within four days after the request, and if the party exhibiting the document be afterwards put to expense in order to prove its genuineness and the same be finally proved or admitted at the hearing, such expense, to be ascertained at the hearing, shall be paid by the party refusing admission, unless the Court is satisfied that there were good reasons for the refusal.

Inspection of documents.

114. Subject to the other provisions of this Code and to the rules of the Indian Evidence Act, 1872, the Court before which a suit is pending may, in its discretion, and upon application in writing order any party to give to any other party within a specified time, an inspection and copy, or permission to take a copy, of any books, papers or other documents in his possession or under his control, containing evidence relating to the merits of the suit or the defence therein.

The application shall state—

(*a*) that the suit is pending,

(*b*) the nature of the suit,

(*c*) that the applicant has just grounds to maintain or defend the suit, as the case may be,

(*d*) his belief that the documents are in the possession or under the control of the party against whom the order is sought,

(*e*) the reason of the application,

(*f*) the existence, nature, identification and admissibility of the documents; and

(*g*) that the application has been made at the earliest opportunity, or (where this is not the case) that there was good cause (stating it) for the delay.

Every such application must be subscribed and verified in the manner hereinbefore provided for subscribing and verifying plaints.

Court may send for papers from its own records or from other public offices or Courts.

115. The Court may, of its own accord, and may, in its discretion, upon the application of any of the parties to a suit, send for, either from its own records or from any other Court or public office, the record of any other suit or case, or any other official paper, and inspect the same.

Every application made under this section must be supported by an affidavit shewing how the record or paper is material to the suit in which the application is made:

Except State papers.

Provided that the Court shall have no power to compel the production of any document relating to affairs of State, the production of which may, in the opinion of the officer in whose custody it is, be contrary to good policy.

Of the Production of Documents at the first Hearing.

Documentary evidence to be produced at first hearing.

116. The parties or their pleaders shall bring with them and have in readiness at the first hearing of the suit, to be produced when called on by the Court, all their documentary evidence of every description on which they intend to rely, and which has not already been filed in Court,

and all documents or other things specified in any order made by the Court under section 114 at any time before the hearing of the suit.

No documentary evidence of any kind, which the parties or any of them may desire to produce, shall be received at any subsequent stage of the proceedings unless good cause be shown to the satisfaction of the Court for the non-production

thereof at the first hearing. And the Judge receiving such evidence shall record the grounds of his doing so.

Documents to be received by Court.

117. The Court shall receive the documents produced by the parties.

Rejection of irrelevant or inadmissible documents.

The Court may at any stage of the suit reject any document which it considers irrelevant or otherwise inadmissible, recording the grounds of such rejection.

Admitted documents to be marked and filed.

118. When a document is admitted in evidence at any stage of the suit, it shall be endorsed with the number and title of the suit, the name of the person producing it, and the date on which it was produced, and shall be filed as part of the record:

Entries in shop-books.

Provided that, if the document be an entry in a shop-book or other book, the party on whose behalf such book is produced may furnish a copy of the entry, which may be endorsed as aforesaid, and shall be filed as part of the record, and the book shall be returned to the person producing it.

Rejected documents to be marked.

119. When a document is rejected by the Court, it shall be endorsed in the manner specified in the last preceding section with the addition of the word "rejected," and the endorsement shall be signed by the Judge.

and returned; unless detained by Court.

The document shall then be returned to the party who produced it, unless the Court thinks proper, on suspicion of the document having been fabricated, or for any other reason, to order that it be impounded.

Court may order any document to be impounded.

120. The Court may, if it see sufficient cause, direct any document produced before it in any suit to be impounded and kept in the custody of an officer of the Court, for such period and subject to such conditions as the Court thinks fit.

After lapse of time for appeal, document admitted in evidence may be returned.

121. In suits in which an appeal is allowed, when the time for preferring an appeal from the decree has elapsed, or, if an appeal has been preferred, then after the appeal has been disposed of, any person, whether a party to the suit or not, desirous of receiving back any document produced by him in the suit, shall ordinarily be entitled, on application to the Judge of the Court in which such document may be, to receive back the same.

If no appeal, document may be returned as soon as decree is made.

122. In suits in which an appeal is not allowed, the document may be returned, on application to the Court at any time after the suit has been disposed of.

Documents may for special reasons be returned before time limited.

123. A document may be returned before the time mentioned in section 121 or section 122, if the Judge of the Court in which the document may be thinks proper, for any special reason, to order its return.

Document not to be returned in certain cases.

124. No document shall be returned which, by force of the decree, has become void or useless, or which the Court has directed to be detained for purposes of public justice.

Certified copy to be kept.

125. When a document is returned during the pendency of the suit in which it has been produced, a certified copy, made at the expense of the applicant, and bearing the stamp prescribed by law for copies of documents, shall be substituted for the original in the record of the suit.

Receipt to be given for returned document.

126. On the return of a document which has been admitted in evidence, a receipt shall be given by the party receiving it, in a receipt-book to be kept for the purpose.

CHAPTER XI.

Of the Settlement of Issues.

Framing of issues.

127. Issues arise when a proposition of fact or law is affirmed by the one party and denied by the other.

They are of two kinds: (1) issues of fact, (2) issues of law.

At the first hearing of the suit, the Court shall enquire upon what propositions of fact or of law the parties are at variance, and shall thereupon proceed to frame and record the issues on which the right decision of the case appears to the Court to depend.

When issues both of law and of fact arise in the same suit, and the Court is of opinion that the case may be disposed of on the issues of law only, it may try those issues first.

Allegations from which issues may be framed.

128. The Court may frame the issues from any of the following materials:—

(a) allegations orally made by the parties, or by any persons present on their behalf, or by their pleaders;

(b) allegations made in the plaint or in the written statements (if any) tendered in the suit;

(c) the contents of documents produced by either party.

Court may examine witnesses or documents before framing issues.

129. If the Court be of opinion that the issues cannot be correctly framed without the examination of some person not before the Court, or without the inspection of some document not produced in the suit, it may adjourn the framing of the issues to a future day, to be fixed by the Court, and may compel the attendance of any person or the production of any document by the person in whose hands it may be, by summons or other process.

Amendment of issues.

Addition of issues.

130. The Court may at any time before passing a decree amend the issues or frame additional issues on such terms as it thinks fit, and all such amendments or additional issues as may be necessary for determining the real question or controversy between the parties shall be so made or framed.

The Court may also, at any time before passing a decree, strike out any issues that appear to it to be wrongly framed or introduced.

Of Issues by Agreement of Parties.

Questions of fact or law may by agreement be stated in the form of an issue.

131. When the parties to a suit are agreed as to the question of fact or of law to be decided between them, they may state the same in the form of an issue, and enter into an agreement in writing,

(a.) that upon the finding of the Court in the affirmative or the negative of such issue, a sum of money specified in the agreement, or to be ascertained by the Court, or in such manner as the Court may direct, shall be paid by one of the parties to the other of them, or

(b.) that upon such finding some property specified in the agreement and in dispute in the suit shall be delivered by one of the parties to the other of them, or as that other may direct, or

(c.) that upon such finding one or more of the parties shall do or abstain from doing some particular act, specified in the agreement, and relating to the matter in dispute.

Court if satisfied that the agreement was executed in good faith may give judgment.

132. If the Court be satisfied, after making such enquiry as it deems proper,

(a) that the agreement was duly executed by the parties,

(b) that they have a real interest in the decision of such question as aforesaid, and

(c) that the same is fit to be tried and decided,

it may proceed to record and try the issue, and deliver its finding or opinion thereon in the same manner as if the issue had been framed by the Court,

and may, upon the finding or decision on such issue, give judgment according to the terms of the agreement;

and upon the judgment so given, decree shall follow and may be executed in the same way as if the judgment had been pronounced in a contested suit.

CHAPTER XII.

Disposal of the Suit at the First Hearing.

If the parties are not at issue on any question of law or fact.

133. If at the first hearing of a suit it appear that the parties are not at issue on any question of law or of fact, the Court may at once give judgment.

If one of several defendants be not at issue with the plaintiff.

134. Where there are more defendants than one, and any one of the defendants is not at issue with the plaintiff on any question of law or fact, the Court may at once give judgment for or against such defendant, and the suit shall proceed only against the other defendants.

If the parties are at issue on some question of law or of fact.

135. When the parties are at issue on some question of law or of fact, and issues have been framed by the Court as hereinbefore provided, if the Court be satisfied that no further argument or evidence than such as the parties can at once supply is required upon any such of the issues as may be sufficient for the decision of the suit, and that no injustice will result from proceeding with the suit forthwith, the Court may proceed to determine such issue,

Court may determine issue and give judgment.

and if the finding thereon is sufficient for the decision, may pronounce judgment accordingly, whether the summons has been issued for the settlement of issues only or for the final disposal of the suit:

Provided that, where the summons has been issued for the settlement of issues only, the parties are present and none of them object.

Otherwise the Court shall postpone the further hearing of the suit, and shall fix a day for the production of such further evidence, or for such further argument as the case requires.

If either party fails to produce his evidence, Court may give judgment.

136. If the summons has been issued for the final disposal of the suit, and either party fails without sufficient cause to produce the evidence on which he relies, the Court may at once give judgment.

Procedure where Court cannot give judgment at first hearing.

137. After the issue of such summons, if the Court is unable to give judgment at the first hearing of the suit by reason of additional evidence being required, or for any other cause, the Court shall frame the issues requiring to be determined as provided in section 127.

CHAPTER XIII.

Of Adjournments.

Court may grant time, or adjourn hearing.

138. The Court may, if sufficient cause be shown, at any stage of the suit, grant time to the parties, or to any of them, and may from time to time adjourn the hearing of the suit.

Costs of adjournment.

In all such cases the Court shall fix a day for the further hearing of the suit, and may make such order as it thinks fit with respect to the costs occasioned by the adjournment:

Provided that, when the hearing of evidence has once begun, the hearing of the suit shall not be adjourned at the application of any of the parties or except from day to day when all the witnesses cannot be examined on the same day.

Procedure if parties fail to appear on day fixed.

139. If, on any day to which the hearing of the suit is adjourned, the parties or either of them fail to appear, the Court may proceed to dispose of the suit in one of the modes directed in that behalf by chapter VII, or make such other order as it thinks fit.

Court may proceed notwithstanding either party fails to produce proofs or witnesses.

140. If either party to a suit to whom time has been granted fails to produce his proofs, or to cause the attendance of his witnesses, or to perform any other act necessary to the further progress of the suit, for which time has been allowed, the Court may, notwithstanding such default, proceed to a decision of the suit on the record.

CHAPTER XIV.

Of Summoning Witnesses.

Summons to attend to give evidence or produce documents.

141. The parties may, after the issue of the summons to the defendant, if the summons be for the final disposal of the suit; or after the issues have been recorded, if the summons to the defendant be for the settlement of issues only, obtain, on application to the Court at some reasonable ime before the day fixed for such disposal o settlement, as the case may be, summonses t persons whose attendance is necessary or proper either to give evidence or to produce a document.

In any such summons the names of any number of persons may be inserted.

Expenses of witnesses to be paid into Court on applying for summons.

142. The person applying for a summons shall pay into Court such a sum of money as appears to the Court to be reasonable to defray the travelling and other expenses of the person summoned, in passing to and from the Court in which he is required to attend, and for one day's attendance.

Scale of expenses.

If the Court be a subordinate Court, regard shall be had, in fixing the scale of such expenses, to the rules (if any) laid down by the Court to which such Court is subordinate.

Tender of expenses to witness.

The sum so paid into Court shall be tendered to the person summoned, at the time of serving the summons if it can be served personally.

Procedure where insufficient sum paid in.

143. If it appear to the Court that the sum paid into Court on account of the travelling and other expenses of the person summoned in passing to and from the Court is not sufficient to cover such expenses, and for one day's attendance, the Court may direct such further sum to be paid to him as appears to be necessary on that account; and, in case of default in payment, may order such sum to be levied by attachment and sale of the goods of the person obtaining the summons; or the Court may discharge the person summoned without requiring him to give evidence.

Expenses if witness detained more than one day.

If it be necessary to detain the person summoned for a longer period than one day, the Court may from time to time order the party at whose instance he was summoned, to pay into Court such sum as is sufficient to defray the expenses of his detention for such further period, and in default of such deposit being made, may order such sum to be levied by attachment and sale of the goods of the party at whose instance he was summoned; or the Court may discharge the person summoned without requiring him to give evidence.

Time, place, and purpose of attendance to be specified in summons.

144. Every summons for the attendance of a person to give evidence or produce a document shall specify the time and place at which he is required to attend, and also whether his attendance is required for the purpose of giving evidence or to produce a document, or for both purposes; and any particular document which the person summoned is called on to produce, shall be described in the summons with convenient certainty.

Summons to produce a document.

145. Any person, whether a party to the suit or not, may be summoned to produce a document, without being summoned to give evidence; and any person summoned merely to produce a document shall be deemed to have complied with the summons, if he cause such document to be produced instead of attending personally to produce the same.

SERVICE OF SUMMONS ON PERSONS REQUIRED TO GIVE EVIDENCE OR PRODUCE DOCUMENTS.

Summons how served.

146. Every summons to a person to give evidence or produce a document shall be served as nearly as may be in manner hereinbefore prescribed for the service of summons on the defendant; and the rules for the guidance of officers serving summonses on the defendant shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to officers serving summonses under this section.

Time for serving summons.

147. The service shall in all cases be made a sufficient time before the time specified in the summons for the attendance of the person summoned, to allow him a reasonable time for preparation and for travelling to the place at which his attendance is required.

Attachment of property of absconding witness.

148. If the summons for the attendance of a person, either to give evidence or to produce a document, cannot be served in any of the ways hereinbefore specified, the Court, on being certified thereof by the return of the serving officer, and upon being satisfied that the evidence of such person or the production of such document is material, and that he is absconding or keeping out of the way for the purpose of avoiding the service of the summons, may cause a proclamation requiring his attendance to give evidence, or produce the document, at a time and place to be named therein, to be affixed on some conspicuous place of the house in which he is dwelling;

and if he does not attend at the time and place named in such proclamation, the Court may in its discretion, at the instance of the party on whose application the summons was issued, make an order for the attachment of the movable property of the person whose attendance is required, to such amount as the Court deems reasonable, not being in excess of the amount of the costs of attachment and of any fine to which he may be liable under the provisions of section 150.

If witness appears, attachment may be withdrawn.

149. If, on the attachment of his property, such person appears and satisfies the Court that he did not abscond or keep out of the way to avoid service of the summons, and that he had not notice of the proclamation in time to attend at the time and place named therein, the Court shall direct that the property be released from attachment, and shall make such order in regard to the costs of the attachment as it thinks fit.

Procedure if witness fails to appear.

150. If the person whose attendance is required does not appear, or appearing, fails to satisfy the Court that he did not abscond or keep out of the way to avoid service of the summons, and that he had not notice of the proclamation in time to attend at the time and place named therein, the Court may impose upon him such fine not exceeding the amount in dispute as the Court thinks fit, having regard to his condition in life and all the circumstances of the case, and may order the property attached, or any part thereof, to be sold for the purpose of satisfying all costs incurred in consequence of such attachment, together with the amount of the said fine if any.

If the person whose attendance is required pays into Court the costs and fine as aforesaid, the Court shall order the property to be released from attachment.

Of summoning and examining Strangers to the Suit.

Court may of its own accord summon as witnesses strangers to suit.

151. If the Court at any time thinks it necessary to examine any person other than a party to the suit, and not named as a witness by a party to the suit, the Court may, of its own accord, cause such person to be summoned as a witness to give evidence, or to produce any document in his possession, on a day to be appointed, and may examine him as a witness or require him to produce such document.

Payment of cost of summons.

152. Whenever any person not a party to the suit is summoned to give evidence or to produce any document in a suit otherwise than on the application of a party to the suit, the cost of summoning such person, including his travelling and other expenses, if not deposited by any party to the suit, shall (if the Court so directs) be paid by the Collector of the District, and shall be costs in the suit, and shall be paid out of any money recovered on account of costs in the suit, whether at the instance of the Government or of any of the parties to the suit, before any other costs in the suit are paid.

ATTENDANCE OF WITNESSES AND CONSEQUENCE OF NON-ATTENDANCE.

Persons summoned to give evidence must attend.

153. Whoever is summoned to appear and give evidence in a suit, must attend at the time and place named in the summons for that purpose.

Consequences of non-attendance by witness.

154. If any person on whom a summons to give evidence or produce a document has been served fails, without lawful excuse, to comply with the summons, the Court may order him to be apprehended and brought before the Court.

If he absconds or keeps out of the way, so that he cannot be apprehended and brought before the Court, his property may be attached and sold for the purpose of realizing such fine and costs as the Court may order him to pay, in the manner and subject to the rules provided in sections 148, 149 and 150, with respect to any person on whom the service of a summons cannot be effected.

Explanation.—Before ordering a person to be apprehended it should appear to the Court that there is reason to believe that he has no lawful excuse for his failure to comply with the summons; but it is not necessary for this purpose to institute a formal investigation and come to a determination on evidence adduced.

Consequences of refusal to give evidence or produce documents.

155. If any person attending or being present in Court refuses, without lawful excuse, to give evidence, or to produce any document in his custody or possession named in such summons as aforesaid, upon being required by the Court so to do, the Court may commit him to jail for such time as it thinks fit, unless, in the mean time, he consents to give his evidence or to produce the document.

If after the expiration of such time he persists in his refusal, the Court may proceed to deal with him according to the provisions of the Indian Penal Code or any other law for the punishment of persons refusing to give evidence.

Explanation.—"Lawful excuse" means, in this section, such an excuse as, under the Indian Evidence Act, 1872, justifies a refusal to give the evidence or produce the document required.

Any person present in Court may be called upon to give evidence though not summoned.

156. Any person present in Court, whether a party to the suit or not may be called upon by the Court to give evidence and to produce any document then and there in his actual possession or in his power, in the same manner and subject to the same rules as if he had been summoned to attend and give evidence or to produce such document.

Such person shall be liable to be dealt with by the Court in the same manner as a party or witness, as the case may be, would be liable, under any of the provisions hereinbefore contained, to be dealt with for any refusal to obey the order of the Court.

CHAPTER XV.

EXAMINATION OF PARTIES AND WITNESSES.

Party to suit appearing in person may be examined as witness.

157. When a party to a suit appears in person at any hearing of the suit, he may be examined as a witness, either on his own behalf or on behalf of any other party to the suit, in the same manner as if he were not a party.

Special application to enforce attendance of party as witness.

158. If a party to a suit require to enforce the attendance of any other party thereto as a witness at any stage of the suit, he shall make a special application to the Court for an order requiring such attendance, and if he shows to the satisfaction of the Court sufficient ground in support of such application, an order shall be made accordingly.

If he fails to show such ground the Court shall dismiss the application.

Court may first give notice, fixing a day to show cause why he should not attend.

159. The Court, before making such order, may cause notice to be given to the party whose attendance is required, fixing a day for him to show cause why he should not attend and give evidence; and may also from time to time, for sufficient reason, enlarge the time for such purpose.

Written declaration in support of cause shown.

160. In support of the cause shown, the Court shall receive any declaration in writing of the party, if signed by him and verified in the manner hereinbefore provided for the verification of plaints.

If no sufficient cause shown, order to issue.

161. If no sufficient cause be shown on the day fixed, or upon any subsequent day to which the Court may enlarge the time for that purpose, the Court shall issue its order requiring the party to attend and give evidence.

Such order may be served either on the party personally or on his pleader or recognised agent.

Court may of its own accord summon and examine any party as a witness.

162. If the Court thinks it necessary to examine any party to the suit, or to inspect any document in his possession or power, and if he is not

(*a*) unable from sickness or infirmity to attend before the Court to be personally examined, nor

(*b*) exempted by reason of rank or sex from personal appearance in Court,

the Court may, of its own accord, at any stage of the suit, cause him to be summoned to attend as a witness to give evidence or to produce such document if in his possession or power, on a day to be appointed in the summons, and may examine him as a witness, or cause him to be examined in such other manner as the Court directs.

If he resides at a place distant more than fifty miles from the place at which the Court is held, the Court shall not exercise the power conferred by this section, unless railway communication exists between such places, or within a convenient distance from such places, in which case the Court shall have a discretion as to exercising such power.

Consequences of party's non-attendance, refusal to give evidence or produce documents.

163. If any party to the suit is summoned to attend to give evidence or produce a document, and, without lawful excuse, fails to comply with such summons, or, attending or being present in Court, refuses, without lawful excuse, to give evidence or to produce any document in his custody or possession named in such summons as aforesaid, upon being required by the Court so to do, the Court may in its discretion either pass a decree against him, or make such other order in relation to the suit as the Court thinks fit,

Provided, in the case of a party summoned to attend and failing to do so, that the summons to attend has been duly served upon him:

Nothing in the former part of this section shall be deemed to enable the Court to decree a claim which on the face of the record is not warranted by law.

Illustration.

(*a.*) A sues for rent. The Court orders him to attend to give evidence. A without lawful excuse fails to attend pursuant to the order. The Court, if it find the evidence before it sufficient, should, notwithstanding A's failure, make a decree in his favour.

Witness not bound to attend if residing beyond a certain distance from Court.

164. No person shall be bound to attend in person to give evidence in a Court if he resides at a place distant more than fifty miles from the place at which the Court is held, unless the Court specially orders that he shall appear; nor in any case if he resides at a place distant more than one hundred miles from the place at which the Court is held:

Provided that, if Railway communication exists between the place at which he resides and the place where the Court is held, or within a convenient distance from such places, the Court shall have a discretion as to making such order.

Rules as to witnesses to apply to parties summoned.

165. Whenever a party to a suit is summoned as a witness, the rules as to witnesses contained in this Code shall apply to him so far as they are applicable.

Reasons to be recorded, of order for attendance of witness at distance exceeding 50 miles.

166. The Court, on making an order for the attendance of a witness residing at a distance exceeding fifty miles by the ordinary means of communication from the place where the Court is held, shall record the reasons for making such order.

Examination of Witnesses.

Witnesses to be examined at hearing in open Court.

167. On the day appointed for the hearing of the suit, or on any other day to which the hearing is adjourned, the evidence of the witnesses in attendance shall be taken orally in open Court in the presence and hearing and under the personal direction and superintendence of the Judge.

A witness may for sufficient cause be examined immediately.

168. If a witness be about to leave the jurisdiction of the Court, or if other sufficient cause be shown to the satisfaction of the Court why his examination should be taken immediately, the Court may, upon the application of either party or of the witness, at any time after the institution of the suit, take the examination of such witness forthwith, or on any day fixed for that purpose, of which due notice shall be given to the parties if the day be fixed in their absence.

The witness shall be examined, and his evidence shall be taken down in writing, in the manner hereinafter provided for the examination of witnesses; and the evidence so taken down may be read in evidence at any hearing of the suit.

How evidence shall be taken in appealable cases.

169. In cases in which an appeal is allowed, the evidence of each witness shall be taken down in writing, in the language in use in proceedings before the Court, by or in the presence and under the personal direction and superintendence of the Judge, not ordinarily in the form of question and answer, but in that of a narrative, and, when completed, shall be read over in the presence of the Judge and of the witness, and shall, if necessary, be corrected, and shall be signed by the Judge.

Local Government may direct evidence to be taken down by Judge with his own hand.

170. The Local Government may order that the evidence of witnesses in any District, or in any class of Courts in any District, shall be taken down by the Judge with his own hand.

Any such order may be cancelled.

When the Judge is prevented by any sufficient reason from taking down the evidence of any witness, he shall record the reason of his inability to do so, and shall cause the evidence to be taken down in writing from his dictation in open Court.

When witness may require his deposition to be interpreted.

171. If the evidence is taken down in a language different from that in which it was given, and the witness does not understand the language in which it is taken down, the evidence as taken down in writing shall be interpreted to him in the language in which it was given.

When evidence may be taken in English.

172. If in a Court in which English is not the language in use the parties to the suit who are present, and the pleaders of such as are absent, consent to have such evidence as is given in English taken down in that language, the Judge may take down the evidence in English with his own hand.

Any particular question and answer may be taken down.

173. It shall be in the discretion of the Court to take down or cause to be taken down, any particular question and answer if there appears any special reason for so doing, or if any party to the suit or his pleader so requires.

Questions objected to.

174. If any question put to a witness be objected to, the question, whether the Court allow or forbid it to be put, shall be taken down.

The answer shall also be taken down if the Court allow the question to be put; and the objection and the name of the party making it shall be noticed in taking down the evidence, together with the decision of the Court upon the objection.

Remarks on demeanour of witnesses.

175. The Court may record such remarks as it thinks material respecting the demeanour of any witness while under examination.

Memorandum when evidence is not taken down by Judge.

176. In cases in which the evidence is not taken down in writing by the Judge, he shall be bound, as the examination of each witness proceeds, to make a memorandum of the substance of what each witness deposes, and such memorandum shall be written and signed by the Judge with his own hand, and shall form part of the record.

Memorandum of evidence in unappealable cases.

177. In cases in which an appeal is not allowed, it shall not be necessary to take down the evidence of the witnesses in writing at length; but the Judge, as the examination of each witness proceeds, shall make a memorandum of the substance of what he deposes, and such memorandum shall be written and signed by the Judge with his own hand, and shall form part of the record.

Judge unable to make such memorandum to record reason of his inability.

178. If the Judge be prevented from making a memorandum as above required, he shall record the reason of his inability to do so; and in cases in which an appeal is not allowed, he shall cause such memorandum to be made in writing from his dictation in open Court and shall sign the same, and such memorandum shall form part of the record.

CHAPTER XVI.

Of Judgment and Decree.

Judgment when pronounced.

179. The Court, after inspecting the documentary evidence, and examining or hearing examined the witnesses of the parties, and hearing the parties in person or by their respective pleaders, shall pronounce judgment in open Court, either at once or on some future day, of which due notice shall be given to the parties or their pleaders.

Judgment to be written in Judge's mother-tongue.

180. The judgment shall be written in the Judge's mother-tongue:

Proviso.

Provided that, if such mother-tongue be not English, and the Judge be sufficiently conversant with English to be able to write a decision in that language, and prefer so to write it, the judgment may be written in English.

Translation of judgment.

181. Whenever the judgment is written in any language other than that in use in proceedings before the Court, the judgment shall be translated into the language in ordinary use in such proceedings, and the translation shall also be signed by the Judge:

Provided that, if the judgment be written in English, it shall not be necessary to make a translation of it in suits in which an appeal is not allowed, unless any of the parties require such translation.

Judgment to be dated and signed.

182. The judgment shall be dated and signed by the Judge in open Court at the time of pronouncing it.

Judgments of Small Cause Courts.

183. The judgments of the Courts of Small Causes need not contain more than the points for determination and the decision thereupon.

Judgments of other Courts.

The judgments of all other Courts shall, in addition to the points for determination and the decision thereon, contain the reasons for such decision.

Court to state its decision on each issue.

184. In suits in which issues have been framed, the Court shall state its finding or decision, with the reasons thereof, upon each separate issue, unless the finding upon any one or more of the issues be sufficient for the decision of the suit.

Exception.

Date of decree.

185. The decree shall bear date the day on which the judgment was pronounced, and shall be signed by the Judge and sealed with the seal of the Court.

Contents of decree.

186. The decree must agree with the judgment: it shall contain the number of the suit, the names and descriptions of the parties, and particulars of the claim, as stated in the register of the suit, and shall specify clearly the relief granted or other determination of the suit.

The decree shall also state the amount of costs incurred in the suit and by what parties and in what proportions they are to be paid.

Power to amend decree.

If the decree is found to be at variance with the judgment, the Court shall of its own motion or on the application of any of the parties, amend the decree so as to bring it into conformity with the judgment.

Decree for recovery of portion of immoveable property.

187. When the suit is for the recovery of immoveable property with specified boundaries, or of the possession of such property, if the decree be for the recovery of a portion only of such property, or of the possession of such portion, it shall specify the boundaries of the property affected by the decree.

Decree for delivery of moveable property.

188. When the suit is for moveable property, if the decree be for the delivery of such property, it shall also state the amount of money to be paid as an alternative if delivery cannot be had.

In suits for money, decree may order certain interest to be paid on principal sum adjudged.

189. When the suit is for a sum of money due to the plaintiff, the Court may, in the decree, order interest at such rate as the Court thinks proper to be paid on the principal

sum adjudged, from the date of the suit to the date of the decree, in addition to any interest adjudged on such principal sum for any period prior to the date of suit, with further interest on the aggregate sum so adjudged, and on the costs of the suit, from the date of the decree to the date of payment.

Payment by instalments.

190. In all decrees for the payment of money, the Court may for any sufficient reason order that the amount shall be paid by instalments with or without interest.

Court may order payment by instalments.

And on the application of the defendant at any time after decree, the Court may order that the amount of the decree be paid by instalments on such terms as to the payment of interest, the attachment of the property of the defendant, or the taking of security from him, or otherwise as it thinks fit.

In suits for land, Court may decree payment of mesne profits with interest.

191. When the suit is for land or other property paying rent, the Court may provide in the decree for the payment of mesne profits or rent in respect of such property from the date of the suit until the date of delivery of possession to the party in whose favour the decree is made, or until the expiration of one year from the date of the decree (whichever is soonest), with interest thereupon at such rate as the Court thinks fit.

Explanation.—'mesne profits' of property mean those profits which the person in wrongful possession of such property actually received, or might with ordinary diligence have received, therefrom.

Court may determine amount of mesne profits prior to passing decree, or may reserve enquiry.

192. When the suit is for land and for mesne profits which have accrued on the land during a period prior to the date of suit, and the amount of such profits is disputed, the Court may either determine the amount by the decree itself, or may pass a decree for the land and direct an enquiry into the amount of mesne profits, and dispose of the same on further orders.

Administration-suit.

193. When the object of the suit is to obtain an account of any property and to have the same duly administered under the decree of the Court, the Court, before making its final decree, shall order such accounts and enquiries to be taken and made, and give such other directions, as it thinks fit for carrying out such object.

Suit for dissolution of partnership.

194. When the object of the suit is to obtain the dissolution of a partnership, the Court, before making its final decree, may pass an order fixing the day on which the partnership shall stand dissolved and appointing a receiver of the partnership-estate and effects, and directing such accounts to be taken and other acts to be done as it thinks fit for carrying out such object.

If set-off be allowed.

195. If the defendant has set-off the amount of a debt against the claim of the plaintiff, the decree shall state what amount is due to the plaintiff and what amount (if any) is due to the defendant, and shall be for the recovery of any sum which appears to be due to either party.

Effect of decree.

The decree of the Court with respect to any sum awarded to the defendant shall have the same effect, and be subject to the same rules in respect of appeal or otherwise, as if such sum had been claimed by the defendant in a separate suit against the plaintiff.

Certified copies of decree and judgment to be furnished.

196. Certified copies of the judgment and decree, or of either of them, shall be furnished to the parties on application to the Court, and on the production of the necessary stamp-paper for making such copies where a stamp is required by law.

CHAPTER XVII.

Of Costs.

Costs of applications.

197. When disposing of any application under this Code the Court may give to either party the costs of such application, or may reserve the consideration of such costs for any future stage of the proceedings.

Judgment to direct by whom costs are to be paid.

The judgment shall direct by whom the costs of each party are to be paid, whether by himself or by any other party to the suit, and whether in whole or in what part or proportion.

Power of Court as to costs.

198. The Court shall have full power to give and apportion costs in any manner it thinks fit, and the fact that the Court has no jurisdiction to try the case is no bar to the exercise of such power:

Provided that the costs of every application or suit shall, unless the Court otherwise directs, follow the event. And if the Court otherwise directs, it shall state its reasons in writing.

Costs may be set off against sum admitted or found to be due.

199. The Court may direct that the costs payable to one party by another shall be set-off against a sum which is admitted or is found in the suit to be due from the former to the latter.

Interest on costs.

200. The Court may give interest on costs at any rate not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and may direct that costs, with or without interest, be paid out of or charged upon the subject-matter of the suit.

Costs may be paid out of or charged on subject-matter of suit.

Questions of costs when reheard or appealable.

201. There shall be no rehearing or appeal on a question solely relating to costs except where it distinctly appears on the face of the proceedings either

(a) that the costs are payable out of or chargeable on some property; or

(b) that the mode in which the costs have been given is inconsistent with some enactment for the time being in force.

Illustration.

A, an incumbrancer upon a certain estate, sues to compel the payment of his charge. The Court decrees him his principal and interest, but refuses his costs. A may appeal against this refusal, for every incumbrancer has a lien for his costs on the property charged.

CHAPTER XVIII.

Of the Execution of Decrees.

Decree for immovable property.

202. If the decree be for the delivery of any immovable property, possession thereof shall be delivered over to the party to whom it has been adjudged.

When the immovable property is a share of the dwelling-house of an undivided Hindú family, the decree shall be executed with due regard to the customs of the country, and so as to avoid unnecessary annoyance to the members of the family.

Decree for specific movable.

203. If the decree be for any specific movable, it shall be enforced by the seizure, if practicable, of the movable and by the delivery thereof to the party to whom it has been adjudged, or by the imprisonment of the party against whom the decree is made, or by attaching his property and keeping the same under attachment until the further order of the Court, or by both imprisonment and attachment, if necessary.

Provided that, in a suit for the recovery of a wife, or for restitution of conjugal rights, a decree for the plaintiff shall be declaratory and shall be enforced only by attachment in case of disobedience.

Enforcement, by attachment or imprisonment, of decree for specific performance.

204. When the party against whom a decree for the specific performance of a contract has been made has had an opportunity of obeying the decree and has wilfully failed to obey it, the decree may be enforced by his imprisonment, or by the attachment of his property, or by both.

The imprisonment and attachment may be continued until the party against whom the decree is made complies with the terms of it, or for such time as the Court may order:

Provided that no person shall be imprisoned under this section for a longer period than six months.

Order for payment of money as an alternative.

205. Payment of a sum of money ordered to be paid as the alternative to some other relief granted by the decree shall be enforced in manner hereinafter provided for the execution of a decree for money.

Decree for money.

206. If the decree be for money, it shall be enforced by the imprisonment of the party against whom the decree is made, or by the attachment and sale of his property, or by both.

Orders for payment.

207. Every order under this Code for the payment of money by way of compensation or otherwise shall be enforced in the same manner as a decree for money.

Enforcement of decree for money against a plaintiff.

208. If in any suit a decree for money is passed against a plaintiff, the decree may be enforced against him in the same manner as a decree may be enforced against a defendant.

Power to direct immediate execution of decree for money not exceeding Rs. 1,000.

209. When a decree is passed for a sum of money only, and the amount decreed does not exceed the sum of one thousand rupees, the Court may, when passing the decree, on the oral application of the party in whose favour the decree is made, order immediate execution thereof by the issue of a warrant directed either against the person of the judgment-debtor if he is within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court, or against his moveable property within the same limits.

Warrant against moveable property may be general or special.

210. If the warrant be directed against the moveable property of the judgment-debtor, it may be general against any of his moveable property wherever it may be found within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court, or special against any of his moveable property within the same limits which is indicated by the party in whose favour the decree is made.

Decree for execution of conveyances, or endorsement of negotiable instruments.

211. If the decree be for the execution of a conveyance, or for the endorsement of a negotiable instrument, and the party ordered to execute such conveyance or endorse such instrument neglects or refuses to comply with the order, the party in whose favour the decree is made may prepare the draft of a conveyance or endorsement in accordance with the terms of the decree, and deliver a copy of the draft to the party so ordered to execute or endorse, and tender another copy of the same to the Court for execution upon the proper stamp-paper if a stamp is required by law.

The Court shall thereupon execute such draft-conveyance or endorsement, or, if necessary, may alter the same so as to bring it into accordance with the terms of the decree, and execute the conveyance or endorsement so altered;

Provided that, if any party object to the draft so tendered as aforesaid, his objections shall, within eight days of such delivery, be stated in writing and argued before the Court, and the Court shall thereupon pass such order as it thinks fit, and execute, or alter and execute, the draft in accordance therewith.

Form and effect of execution of conveyance by Court.

212. The execution of a conveyance or the endorsement of a negotiable instrument by the Court under the last preceding section may be in the following form—"*C. D.*, Judge of the Court of (*or as the case may be*), for *A. B.*, in a suit by *E. F.* against *A. B.*—" or in such other form as the High Court may from time to time prescribe, and shall have the same effect as the execution of the conveyance or endorsement of the instrument by the party ordered to execute or endorse the same.

Decree against representative of deceased for money to be paid out of deceased's property.

213. If the decree be against a party as the legal representative of a deceased person, and the decree be for money to be paid out of the property of the deceased, it may be executed by the attachment and sale of any such property.

If no such property can be found and the defendant fails to satisfy the Court that he has duly applied such property of the deceased as is proved to have come into his possession, the decree may be executed against the defendant to the extent of the property not duly applied by him, in the same manner as if the decree had been against him personally.

Decree against surety.

214. Whenever a person has, before the passing of a decree, become liable as surety for the performance of the same or of any part thereof, the decree may be executed against him to the extent to which he has rendered himself liable, in the same manner as a decree may be executed against a defendant.

Property liable to attachment and sale in execution of decree.

215. The following property is liable to attachment and sale in execution of a decree, namely, lands, houses or other buildings, goods, money, bank-notes, cheques, bills of exchange, hundís, promissory notes, Government securities, bonds or other securities for money, debts, shares in the capital or joint-stock of any rail-

way, banking or other public Company or Corporation, and, except as hereinafter mentioned, all other saleable property, moveable or immovable, belonging to the defendant, and whether the same be held in the name of the defendant or by another person in trust for him or on his behalf:

Provided that the following particulars shall not be liable to such attachment or sale (namely)—

(*a*) necessary wearing apparel:
(*b*) books of account:
(*c*) mere rights to sue:
(*d*) the right to perform the service of an idol:
(*e*) stipends allowed to Military and Civil pensioners of Government:
(*f*) the salary of a servant of Government:
(*g*) an expectancy of succession by survivorship:
(*h*) a right to future maintenance.

Provided also, that nothing in this section shall give any Court of Small Causes power to attach and sell, in execution of a decree passed by such Court, any property which Courts of Small Causes are prohibited by law from attaching and selling in execution of their decrees.

Payment of monies under decree to be made into Court.

216. All monies payable under a decree shall be paid into the Court whose duty it is to execute the decree, unless such Court or the Court which passed the decree otherwise directs.

Adjustment of decree to be made through Court.

217. Except as provided in the last preceding section, no adjustment of a decree in part or in whole shall be recognized by the Court unless such adjustment be made through the Court, or be certified to the Court by the person in whose favour the decree was passed or to whom it may have been transferred.

Illustration.

A obtains a decree against B for Rs. 1,000, and causes an officer of Court to arrest B under a warrant. B pays the officer the Rs. 1,000. This is an adjustment made through the Court.

APPLICATION FOR EXECUTION.

Application for execution.

218. When the holder of a decree desires to enforce it, he shall apply to the Court which passed the decree, or to the Court whose duty it is, under this Code or any other law, to execute the decree, to execute the same.

The Court may in its discretion refuse execution at the same time against the person and property of the judgment-debtor.

Where an application to execute a decree for the payment of money or delivery of other property has been made under this section and granted, no subsequent application to execute the same decree shall be granted unless the Court is satisfied that on the former application due diligence was used to procure complete execution of the decree.

And no such subsequent application shall be made after the expiration of twelve years from any of the following dates (namely)—

(*a*) the date of the decree sought to be enforced, or,
(*b*) where the decree directs the payment of money or the delivery of property by instalments,—the date of the default in paying or delivering the instalment in respect of which the applicant seeks to enforce the decree, or
(*c*) where the decree is for money and the holder of the decree and the judgment-debtor have entered into an agreement in writing that the amount decreed, with such interest (if any) as may be therein mentioned, shall be discharged by such instalments as, if duly paid, will discharge the said amount and interest at some time within thirty years from the date of the decree, and such agreement has been filed in Court,—the date of the default in paying the instalment in respect of which the applicant seeks to enforce the decree.

Nothing in this section shall prevent any holder of a decree from applying for execution of the same after the expiration of the said term of twelve years, where the judgment-debtor has by fraud or force prevented the execution of the decree at some time within twelve years immediately before the date of the application.

Any one of several decree-holders may apply.

219. If a decree has been passed in favour of more persons than one, any one or more of such persons may apply for the execution of the whole decree for the benefit of them all, or, where any of them has died, for the benefit of the survivors and the representatives in interest of the deceased.

If the Court sees sufficient cause for allowing the decree to be executed on an application so made, it shall pass such order as it deems necessary for protecting the interests of the persons who have not joined in the application.

Application by transferee of decree.

220. If a decree be transferred by assignment or by operation of law from the party in whose favour it was passed to any other person, the transferree may apply for its execution to the Court which passed it; and if that Court thinks fit, the decree may be executed in the same manner and subject to the same conditions, as if the application were made by the party in whose favour the decree was passed.

Where a decree against several persons has been transferred to one of them, nothing in this section shall be deemed to authorize him to have it executed against the others.

Transferree to hold subject to equities enforceable against transferor.

221. Every transferree of a decree shall hold the same subject to the equities (if any) which the judgment-debtor might have enforced against the transferor.

Cross-decrees.

222. If cross-decrees between two parties for the payment of money be produced to the Court, execution shall be taken out only by the party who holds a decree for the larger sum, and for so much only as remains after deducting the smaller sum, and satisfaction for the smaller sum shall be entered on the decree for the larger sum as well as satisfaction on the decree for the smaller sum.

If the two sums be equal, satisfaction shall be entered upon both decrees.

Explanation I.—The decrees contemplated by this section are (*a*) decrees made by the same Court; (*b*) decrees sent to the same Court for execution, and (*c*) decrees of which one is made by the Court and the other is sent to the same Court for execution; but not (*d*) decrees of which one is made by one Court and the other by another Court, and not sent for execution to the former Court.

Explanation II.—This section applies where either party is an assignee of one of the decrees.

Explanation III.—This section does not apply unless—

(*e*) both decrees are capable of execution at the same time:

(*f*) the parties are the same; and

(*g*) the sums due under the decrees are definite.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A holds a decree against B for Rs. 1,000. B holds a decree against A for the payment of Rs. 1,000 in case A fails to deliver certain goods at a future day. B cannot treat his decree as a cross-decree under this section.

(*b*) A and B, co-plaintiffs, obtain a decree for Rs. 1,000 against C, and C obtains a decree for Rs. 1,000 against B. C cannot treat his decree as a cross decree under this section.

(*c*) A obtains a decree against B for Rs. 1,000. C, who is a trustee for B, obtains a decree against A for Rs. 1,000. B cannot treat C's decree as a cross-decree under this section.

Cross-claims under same decree.

223. When two parties are entitled under the same decree to recover from each other sums of different amounts, the party entitled to the smaller sum shall not take out execution against the other party; but satisfaction for the smaller sum shall be entered on the decree.

When the amounts are equal, satisfaction for each sum shall be entered on the decree.

Stay of execution pending suit between decree-holder and judgment-debtor.

224. If a suit be pending in any Court against the holder of a decree of such Court, on the part of the person against whom the decree was passed, the Court may (if it appear just and reasonable to do so) stay execution on the decree, either absolutely or on such terms as it thinks fit, until the pending suit has been decided.

If person against whom decree made die before execution, application may be made against his representative or estate.

225. If any person against whom a decree has been passed dies before the decree has been fully executed, application may be made for its execution against the legal representative or the estate of the deceased.

Such representative shall be liable to the extent of the property of the deceased which has come to his hands and has not been duly disposed of.

Notice of application to be given to representative.

226. Notice of an application under the last preceding section shall be given to the person named therein as the legal representative of the deceased, or as the person in charge of the estate; and if the Court, after hearing such representative or other person against the application, thinks proper to grant the same, the execution may be proceeded with against such representative or estate.

Execution of decree against representative.

227. If a decree be ordered to be executed against the legal representative of the party against whom the decree was made, it shall be executed in the manner provided in section 213 for the execution of a decree for money to be paid out of the property of a deceased person.

Contents of application for execution of decree.

228. The application for the execution of a decree shall be in writing, and shall contain in a tabular form the following particulars, namely,

(*a*) the number of the suit;
(*b*) the names of the parties;
(*c*) the date of the decree;
(*d*) whether any appeal has been preferred from the decree;
(*e*) whether any and what adjustment of the matter in dispute has been made between the parties subsequently to the decree;
(*f*) the amount of the debt or compensation, with the interest, if any, due upon the decree, or other relief granted thereby;
(*g*) the amount of costs, if any, awarded;
(*h*) the name of the person against whom the enforcement of the decree is sought, and
(*i*) the mode in which the assistance of the Court is required, whether by the delivery of property specifically decreed, by the arrest and imprisonment of the person named in the application, or by the attachment of his property, or otherwise as the nature of the relief sought may require.

Further particulars when application is for attachment of immovable property.

229. If the application be for the attachment of any immovable property belonging to the defendant, it shall contain at the foot a description of the property reasonably sufficient to identify it, and also a specification of the share or interest of the defendant therein to the best of the belief of the applicant and so far as he has been able to ascertain the same.

When application must be accompanied by extract from Collector's register.

230. If the property be land which, whether it pays revenue to Government or not, is registered in the Collector's office, the application for attachment shall be accompanied by an authenticated extract from the register of such office, specifying the persons registered as proprietors of, or as possessing any transferable interest in, the land or its revenue, and (where registered) the shares of the registered proprietors.

Application for attachment of movable property may be general, or may be accompanied with inventory of property to be attached.

231. An application for an attachment of the movable property of the defendant or any part thereof, may be accompanied with an inventory or list of the property to be attached, containing a reasonably accurate description of the same; or the decree-holder may apply for a general attachment of the movable property of the defendant wheresoever the same can be found, to the amount of the decree and costs.

Procedure on receiving application for execution of decree.

232. The Court, on receiving an application for the execution of a decree containing the particulars mentioned in section 228, or such of them as may be applicable to the case, shall enter in the register of the suit a note of the application and the date on which it was made.

Procedure if particulars do not correspond with decree.

If the particulars do not correspond with the decree, the Court shall not reject the application on the ground of informality; but

it shall either return the application for correction to the person making it, or shall, with his consent, cause the necessary correction to be made.

If the application be admitted, the Court shall order execution of the decree according to the nature of the application.

If application admitted, execution ordered.

MEASURES REQUIRED IN CERTAIN CASES PRELIMINARY TO THE ISSUE OF THE WARRANT.

233. In each of the following cases (namely)—

Notice to show cause why decree should not be executed.

(*a*) if more than one year has elapsed between the date of the decree and the application for its execution, or

(*b*) if the enforcement of the decree be applied for against the legal representative of a party to the suit in which the decree was made,

the Court shall issue a notice to the party against whom execution is applied for, requiring him to show cause, within a period to be fixed by the Court, why the decree should not be executed against him:

Proviso.

Provided that no such notice shall be necessary

(*c*) in consequence of more than one year having elapsed between the date of the decree and the application for execution, if the application be made within one year from the date of the last order passed on any previous application for execution: or

(*d*) in consequence of the application being against the legal representative of the party against whom the decree was made, if upon a previous application for execution against the same person, the Court has ordered execution to issue against him.

Explanation.—In this section the phrase "the Court" means the Court by which the decree was passed, unless when the decree has been sent to another Court for execution, in which case it means such other Court.

234. If the person to whom notice is issued under the last preceding section does not appear, or does not show cause to the satisfaction of the Court why the decree should not be executed, the Court shall order the decree to be executed.

Procedure after issue of notice.

If he offers any objection to the enforcement of the decree, the Court shall pass such order as it thinks fit.

235. If the application is for a general attachment of the movable property of the party liable under the decree, the Court may, before issuing an order for such attachment, require the applicant to give security to the satisfaction of the Court, in such sum as may be considered adequate, for any injury that may be occasioned by the attachment of property belonging to any person other than the party liable as aforesaid.

On application for general attachment of movable property, security may be required.

236. Before granting the order for a general attachment, or, at the instance of the holder of the decree, at any time before its complete execution, the Court may summon the person against whom the application is made and examine him as to the property liable to be seized in satisfaction of the decree.

Power to make enquiries as to the property to be attached.

237. The Court may, of its own motion or at the instance of any person interested in the enquiry, summon any other person whom it thinks necessary and examine him in respect to any property liable to be seized in satisfaction of the decree, and may require the person summoned to produce any document in his possession or power relating to such property.

Power to summon and examine other persons as to property liable to be seized.

238. Whenever a summons is issued for the attendance of a party to a suit, or of any other person, at any time after judgment, the rules applicable to summoning and examination of parties and witnesses after issue recorded shall apply to the party or witnesses so summoned.

Summoning and examination of parties and witnesses after judgment.

ISSUE OF THE WARRANT.

239. When the preliminary measures (if any, required by the foregoing provisions have been taken, the Court, unless it sees cause to the contrary, shall issue its warrant for the execution of the decree.

Warrant when to issue.

240. The warrant for the execution of the decree shall bear the date of the day on which it is issued, and shall be signed by the Judge or the Registrar or Clerk of the Court, and shall be sealed with the seal of the Court, and delivered to the proper officer to be executed.

Date, signature, seal and delivery.

241. If the warrant be for the arrest of the defendant, it shall direct the officer entrusted with the execution of the warrant to bring the defendant before the Court.

Warrant for arrest to direct defendant to be brought up.

242. A day shall be specified in the warrant on or as soon as possible after which it is to be returned.

Latest day for return of warrant to be specified.

243. The officer entrusted with the execution of the warrant shall endorse thereupon the day on, and the manner in, which it was executed; or if it was not executed, the reason why it was not executed, and shall return the warrant with such endorsement to the Court.

Endorsement on warrant.

OF THE EXECUTION OF DECREES FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY.

244. If the decree be for any immovable property in the occupancy of the defendant or some person on his behalf, or of some person claiming under a title created by the defendant subsequently to the institution of the suit in which the decree was passed, the Court shall order delivery to be made by putting the party to whom the property has been adjudged, or any person whom he appoints to receive delivery on his behalf, in possession of the property, and, if need be, by removing any person bound by the decree who refuses to vacate the property.

Delivery of immovable property in occupancy of defendant or of some person under him.

245. If the decree be for any immovable property in the occupancy of a tenant or other person entitled to occupy the same, the Court shall order delivery to be made by affixing a copy of the warrant in some conspicuous place on the property, and proclaiming to the occupant by beat

Delivery of immovable property when in occupancy of tenant.

of drum, or in such other mode as is customary, at some convenient place, the substance of the decree in regard to the property.

246. If the decree be for the partition of an estate or for the separate possession of a share of an undivided estate paying revenue to Government, the partition of the estate or the separation of the share shall be made according to the rules (if any) in force in the District for the partition of an estate paying revenue to Government.

Partition of estate or separation of share.

247. If in the execution of a decree for any immoveable property, the officer entrusted with the execution of the warrant is resisted or obstructed by any person, the person in whose favour the decree was made may complain to the Court at any time within one month from the time of such resistance or obstruction.

Procedure in case of obstruction to execution of decree.

The Court shall fix a day for investigating the complaint, and shall summon the party against whom the complaint is made to answer the same.

248. If the Court is satisfied that the obstruction or resistance was occasioned by the defendant or by some person at his instigation, on the ground that the property is not included in the decree or on any other ground, the Court shall enquire into the matter of the complaint and pass such order as it thinks fit.

Procedure in case of obstruction by defendant or at his instigation.

249. If the Court is satisfied that the resistance or obstruction complained of was without any just cause, and that the complainant is still resisted or obstructed in obtaining effectual possession of the property adjudged to him by the decree, by the defendant or some person at his instigation, the Court may, at the instance of the decree-holder, and without prejudice to any proceedings to which such defendant or other person may be liable under the Indian Penal Code or any other law for the punishment of such resistance or obstruction, commit the defendant or such other person to jail for a term not exceeding thirty days.

Procedure when obstruction continues.

250. If the resistance or obstruction to the execution of the decree has been occasioned by any person other than the defendant, claiming in good faith to be in possession of the property on his own account or on account of some person other than the defendant, the claim shall be numbered and registered as a suit between the decreeholder as plaintiff and the claimant as defendant;

Procedure in case of obstruction by claimant in good faith, other than defendant.

and the Court shall, without prejudice to any proceedings to which the claimant may be liable under the Indian Penal Code or any other law for the punishment of such resistance or obstruction, proceed to investigate the claim in the same manner and with the like power as if a suit for the property had been instituted by the decree-holder against the claimant under the provisions of chapter V,

and shall pass such order as it thinks fit for executing or staying execution of the decree.

251. If any person other than the defendant is dispossessed of any property in execution of a decree, and such person disputes the right of the holder of the decree to dispossess him of such property under the decree, on the ground that the property was *bonâ fide* in his possession on his own account or on account of some person other than the defendant, and that it was not included in the decree, or that, if it was included in the decree, he was not a party to the suit in which the decree was passed, he may apply to the Court.

Procedure in case of person dispossessed of property disputing right of decree-holder to be put into possession.

If, after examining the applicant, it appears to the Court that there is probable cause for making the application, the application shall be numbered and registered as a suit between the applicant as plaintiff and the holder of the decree as defendant, and the Court shall proceed to investigate the matter in dispute in the same manner and with the like power as if a suit for the property had been instituted by the applicant against the holder of the decree under the provisions of chapter V,

and shall pass such order as it thinks fit for executing or staying execution of the decree.

In hearing applications under this section the Court shall confine itself to the grounds of dispute above specified.

Nothing in this section applies to a person to whom the defendant has transferred the property after the institution of the suit in which the decree is made.

252. The order passed under either of sections 250 and 251 shall be in the nature of, and shall have the same force as, a decree in a suit, and shall be subject to the same conditions as to appeal or otherwise.

Orders passed under sections 250 and 251 to have force of decrees, and to be subject to appeal.

No fresh suit shall be entertained in any Court between the same parties or persons claiming under them, in respect of the same right to sue;

Provided that nothing in this or the last preceding section shall prevent any person, instead of applying to the Court as provided therein, from instituting a suit to establish his right to the property of which he considers himself to have been wrongfully dispossessed.

OF THE EXECUTION OF DECREES FOR MONEY BY ATTACHMENT OF PROPERTY.

(a) Attachment of moveable property.

253. If the decree be for money, and the amount of the decree is to be levied from the property of the person against whom the decree has been passed, the Court shall cause the property to be attached in the manner hereinafter provided.

Attachment of property in execution of decree for money.

Explanation.—A decree for mesne profits or any other matter, the amount of which, in money, is to be subsequently determined, is a decree for money within the meaning of this section.

254. If the property be movable property in the possession of the defendant, other than the property mentioned in section 257, the attachment shall be made by actual seizure, and the proper officer shall (except in the case of perishable articles, which he may sell at once,) keep the property in his own custody or in the custody of one of his subordinates, and shall be responsible for the due custody thereof.

Attachment of movable property in possession of defendant.

If the person executing a process directing a general attachment of movable property, has gained access to a house, he may remove the lock from the door of any room in which he has reasonable grounds for believing any such property to be

Attachment of movable property of defendant subject to lien.

255. If the property be movable property to which the defendant is entitled subject to the possession of some other person under a lien or some other right or title, the attachment shall be made by a written order prohibiting the person in possession from giving over the property to the defendant.

Illustrations.

(*a*). A, a shipowner, mortgages his ship and the mortgagee enters into possession. B obtains a decree for money against A. The interest of A in the ship may be attached under this section.

(*b*). A and B are partners. B alone is in actual possession of the partnership-property. C obtains a decree for money against A. The partnership-property may be attached under this section, but the attachment must be limited to A's share therein.

Prohibitory order in case of movable property not in defendant's possession.

256. In the case of movable property not in the possession of the defendant, a copy of the order shall be fixed up in some conspicuous part of the Court-house, and a copy of the order shall be delivered or sent registered by post to the person in possession of the property.

Attachment of debts and shares.

257. If the property be a debt, not secured by a negotiable instrument or be a share in any public Company or Corporation, the attachment shall be made by a written order prohibiting the creditor from receiving the debt and the debtor from making payment thereof to any person until the further order of the Court, or prohibiting the person in whose name the share may be standing from making any transfer of the share or receiving payment of any dividend thereon, and the proper officer of the Company or Corporation from permitting any such transfer or making any such payment, until such further order.

Notification of prohibitory order in case of debt.

258. If the property be a debt, a copy of the order shall be fixed up in some conspicuous part of the Court-house, and a copy of the order shall also be delivered or sent registered by post to the debtor, or to each debtor when there are more debtors than one:

Provided that, where the debt is due from a public company to one of its servants, the copy so sent registered shall be addressed to the agent or manager of the Company at its principal office in British India.

And in case of shares in any Company or Corporation.

259. If the property be a share in the capital or joint-stock of any public Company or Corporation, a copy of the order shall be fixed up in some conspicuous part of the Court-house, and a copy of the order shall also be delivered or sent registered by post to the proper officer of the Company or Corporation.

Attachment of negotiable instruments.

260. If the property be a negotiable instrument not in deposit in a Court, the attachment shall be made by actual seizure, and the instrument shall be brought into Court and held subject to the further orders of the Court.

Attachment, by notice, of money deposited in Court or with Government officer.

261. If the property be money or any security in deposit in any Court or in the hand of any officer of Government, which is or may become payable or deliverable to the defendant or on his behalf, the attachment shall be made by a notice to such Court or officer, requesting that the money or security and any interest or dividend becoming payable thereon may be held subject to the further orders of the Court from which the notice issues:

Proviso.

Provided that, if such money or security is in deposit in a Court, any question of title or priority arising between the decree-holder and any other person, not being the defendant, claiming to be interested in such money or security by virtue of any assignment, attachment or otherwise, shall be determined by the Court in which such money or security is in deposit.

(b) Attachment of Immoveable Property.

Attachment of immovable property.

262. If the property be immovable, the attachment shall be made by a written order prohibiting the defendant from alienating the property in any way, and all persons from receiving the same by purchase, gift or otherwise.

Prohibitory order in case of immovable property.

263. The order shall be read aloud at some place on or adjacent to such property, and a copy of the order shall be fixed up in a conspicuous part of the Court-house.

When the property is land or any interest in land, a copy of the order shall also be fixed up in the office of the Collector of the District in which the land is situate.

Private alienation of property after attachment to be void.

264. When an attachment has been made by actual seizure or by written order as aforesaid, and, in the case of an attachment by written order, when it has been duly intimated and made known in manner aforesaid, any private alienation of the property attached, whether by sale, gift, mortgage, or otherwise, and any payment of the debt or dividend or share to the defendant during the continuance of the attachment, shall be void as against all claims enforceable under the attachment.

Payment by a debtor who has been prohibited from making payment to his creditor.

265. When a debtor is prohibited, under section 257, from making payment of his debt to the party to whom the money is owing, he may pay the amount into Court, and such payment shall discharge him as effectually as payment to the party entitled to receive the same.

Court may direct money or currency-notes attached to be paid to party entitled.

266. If the property attached is money or currency-notes, the Court may, at any time during the continuance of the attachment, direct that such money or currency-notes, or a sufficient part thereof, be paid over to the party entitled under the decree to receive the same.

Or that immovable or movable property attached be sold, and proceeds be so paid.

267. The Court may direct that any immovable or movable property, not being money or currency-notes, which has been attached, or such portion thereof as may seem necessary for the satisfaction of the decree, shall be sold, and that the proceeds of such sale, or a sufficient portion thereof, shall be paid to the party entitled under the decree to receive the same.

Postponement of sale of land to enable defendant to raise amount of decree.

268. When the property attached is land, if the defendant can satisfy the Court that there is reasonable ground to believe that the amount of the decree may be raised by the mortgage of the land, or by letting it on lease, or by disposing by private sale of a portion of the land or of any other property belonging to the defendant, the Court may, on the application of the defendant, postpone the sale for such period as it thinks proper, to enable him to raise the amount.

In such case the Court shall grant a certificate to the defendant authorizing him within a period to be mentioned therein to sell or mortgage the land or to let it on lease.

Where such certificate has been granted and so long as it remains in force, the provisions of section 233 shall not apply, and the year mentioned in that section, clause *(a)*, shall be computed from the date of the expiry of the certificate.

Appointment of manager when property attached consists of debts or immovable property.

269. When the property attached consists of debts due to the defendant or of any immovable property, the Court may if it thinks fit, instead of ordering the sale of the property, appoint a Manager thereof, with power to sue for the debts, and to collect the rents or other receipts and profits of the property, and to execute such instruments in writing as may be necessary, and to pay and apply such rents, profits or receipts towards the payment of the amount of the decree and costs.

Instruments executed in his official capacity by a Manager appointed under this section shall be of the same force as if executed by the actual owner of the property.

Powers and duties of Manager.

270. When a Manager is appointed under the last preceding section, the Court may grant him as full powers for the management or the preservation and improvement of the property, and the collection of the rents and profits thereof, and the application and disposal of such rents and profits, as the owner himself possesses, or such of them as the Court thinks fit.

Every Manager so appointed shall—

(*a*) give such security, if any, as the Court thinks fit duly to account for what he shall receive in respect of the property;

(*b*) pass his accounts at such periods and in such form as the Court directs;

(*c*) pay the balance due from him thereon;

(*d*) be entitled to such allowance, if any, as the Court thinks fit for his care and pains in the execution of his duties;

(*e*) be responsible for any loss occasioned to the property by his wilful default or gross negligence.

When Court may authorize Collector to stay public sale of land.

271. When, in any District in which sales of land paying revenue to Government, or of land of which the revenue has been assigned or redeemed, in execution of decrees for money are ordinarily made by the Collector, the property attached consists of such land or of a share in such land, and the Collector represents to the Court that the public sale of the land or share is objectionable, and that satisfaction of the decree may be made within a reasonable period by a temporary alienation of the land or share, the Court may authorize the Collector to make provision for such satisfaction in the manner recommended by him, instead of proceeding to a sale of the land or share.

Whenever such authority is given, the Court may order that security be taken from the defendant for the amount of the decree.

Court may order security to be taken.

Local rules as to sales of land in execution of decrees for money.

272. The Local Government may from time time, with the sanction of the Governor General in Council, make special rules for any territory, imposing conditions in respect to the sale of land in execution of decrees for money; and if, when this Code comes into operation in any territory, any such rules are in force therein, the Local Government may continue such rules in force, or it may from time to time modify the same with the sanction of the Governor General in Council.

All rules so made or continued, and all modifications of such rules, shall be published in the local official Gazette or (where there is no such Gazette) in the *Gazette of India*, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

Order for withdrawal of attachment after satisfaction of decree.

273. If the amount decreed with costs and all charges and expenses resulting from the attachment of any property be paid into Court, or if satisfaction of the decree be otherwise made, an order shall be issued for the withdrawal of the attachment.

If the defendant so desire, and deposit in Court a sum sufficient to cover the expense, the order shall be proclaimed or intimated in the same manner as hereinbefore prescribed for the proclamation or intimation of the attachment, and such steps shall be taken as are necessary for staying further proceedings in execution of the decree.

Of Sales in Execution of Decrees.

Sales by whom to be conducted and how made.

274. Sales in execution of decrees shall be conducted by an officer of the Court or by any other person whom the Court may appoint, and, except as provided in the next following section, shall be made by public auction in manner hereinafter mentioned.

No such sale shall be made on a holiday or on any other day on which the Court is closed.

Rule as to negotiable securities and shares in public Companies.

275. If the property to be sold be a negotiable instrument or a share in any public Company or Corporation, the Court may, instead of directing the sale to be made by public auction, authorize the sale of such instrument or share through a broker at the market-rate of the day.

Sale, by Collector, of lands paying revenue to Government.

276. If the property to be sold is land paying revenue to Government, or land of which the revenue has been assigned or redeemed, and the Collector of the District in which the land is situate has not been prohibited by the Local Government from selling land in execution of decrees, the sale shall be conducted by such Collector on the requisition of the Court.

Proclamation of sales by public auction.

277. When any property, whether movable or immovable, is ordered to be sold by public auction in execution of a decree, a proclamation of the in-

tended sale shall be made in the current language of the district. Such proclamation shall specify

(a) the time and place of sale;
(b) the property to be sold;
(c) the revenue assessed upon the estate or part of the estate, when the property to be sold is an estate or a part of an estate paying revenue to Government;
(d) the amount for the recovery of which the sale is ordered; and
(e) any other particulars that the Court thinks necessary;

The proclamation shall also describe, as fairly and accurately as possible, everything which it is material for the purchaser to know in order to judge of the nature and value of the property.

Mode of making proclamation.

278. The proclamation shall be made on the spot where the property is attached by beat of drum or any other customary mode; and a written notification to the same effect shall be affixed in the Court-house of the Judge who has ordered the sale, and in some conspicuous spot in the town or village in which the attachment has taken place.

When the property ordered to be sold consists of land or of any right or interest in land, a written notification shall also be affixed in the office of the Collector of the District in which such land is situate and in the Court-house of the principal Civil Court of the District when the Court which ordered the sale is subordinate to such Court.

If the Court so direct, such notification shall also be published in the official Gazette and in some local newspaper.

Time of sale.

279. Except in the case of articles of a perishable nature (which may be sold at once), no sale under this Chapter shall take place until after the expiration of at least thirty days in the case of immovable property, and of at least fifteen days in the case of movable property, calculated from the date on which the notification has been affixed in the Court-house of the judge ordering the sale.

Process for attachment and sale may in certain cases be simultaneous or otherwise.

280. The usual process for attachment and sale, when the property to be attached consists of any movable property other than a debt, may be issued either successively or simultaneously as the Court directing the sale in each instance thinks fit.

Payment for movable property sold.

281. If the property sold be movable, the price of each lot shall be paid for at the time of sale, or as soon after as the officer holding the sale directs, and in default of payment, the property shall forthwith be again put up and sold.

On payment of the purchase-money, the officer holding the sale shall grant a receipt for the same, and the sale shall become absolute.

Deposit by purchaser of immovable property.

282. If the property sold be immovable, the person declared to be the purchaser shall pay immediately after such declaration a deposit of twenty-five per centum on the amount of his purchase-money to the officer conducting the sale, and, in default of such deposit, the property shall forthwith be put up again and sold.

Confirmation of sale.

283. No sale of immovable property shall become absolutely binding on the vendor until it has been confirmed by the Court.

Time for payment in full.

284. The full amount of purchase-money shall be paid by the purchaser before sunset of the fifteenth day after the sale of the property, exclusive of such day, or if the fifteenth day be a Sunday or other close holiday, then on the first office day after the fifteenth day.

Procedure in default of payment.

285. In default of payment within the period mentioned in the last preceding section, the deposit, after defraying the expenses of the sale, shall be forfeited to Government, and the property shall be re-sold, and the defaulting purchaser shall forfeit all claim to the property or to any part of the sum for which it may subsequently be sold.

Notification on re-sale of immovable property.

286. Every re-sale of immovable property in default of payment of the purchase-money within the period allowed for such payment, shall be made after the issue of a fresh notification in the manner and for the period hereinbefore prescribed for the sale.

Defaulting purchaser answerable for loss by re-sale.

287. The deficiency of price (if any) which may happen on a re-sale under section 282 or section 285, and all expenses attending such re-sale, shall be certified to the Court by the officer holding the sale,

and shall, at the instance of either the judgment-creditor or the judgment-debtor, be recoverable from the defaulter under the rules contained in this chapter for the execution of a decree for money.

If decree-holder purchase, amount of decree may be taken as payment.

288. The holder of the decree in execution of which the property is sold, may with the express permission of the Court (but not otherwise) purchase the property,

and in such case the amount of his decree may be taken as payment in whole or in part, as the case may be, of the purchase-money.

Co-sharer of a share of undivided estate sold in execution may claim share at sale-price.

289. When the land sold in execution of a decree is a share of an undivided estate, if the lot has been knocked down to a stranger, any co-sharer other than the party liable for the amount of the decree may claim to take the share sold at the sum at which the lot was so knocked down:

Proviso.

Provided that the claim be made before sunset on the day of sale and that the claimant repay to the purchaser the amount of his deposit and fulfil all the conditions of the sale.

Irregularity not to vitiate sale of movable property, but any person injured may sue.

290. No irregularity in the sale of movable property shall vitiate the sale; but any person sustaining any injury by reason of such irregularity at the hand of any other person may institute a suit against him for compensation, or for the recovery of the specific property and for compensation in default of such recovery.

Sale of land not set aside on ground of irregularity unless substantial injury.

291. Any person whose interest in immovable property has been sold under this Chapter may apply to the Court to set aside the sale on the ground of a material irregularity in publishing or conducting it;

But no sale shall be set aside on the ground of irregularity unless the applicant proves to the satisfaction of the Court that he has sustained substantial injury by reason of such irregularity.

The purchaser at any such sale may apply to the Court to set aside the sale on the ground that the person whose interest in the property purported to be sold had no such interest.

Effect of objection being disallowed and of its being allowed.

292. If no such application as is mentioned in the last preceding section be made, or if such application be made and the objection be disallowed, the Court shall pass an order confirming the sale.

If such application be made, and if the objection be allowed, the Court shall pass an order setting aside the sale.

No suit shall lie to set aside or render void an order passed under this section.

If sale set aside, price to be returned to purchaser.

293. When a sale of immovable property is set aside under section 292,

or when it is found that the property sold did not belong to the judgment-debtor and the purchaser is for that reason deprived of it,

the purchaser shall be entitled to receive back his purchase-money with or without interest as the Court may direct.

Payment of the purchase-money and of the interest (if any) allowed by the Court shall be enforced under the rules provided by this Chapter for the execution of a decree for money.

Certificate to be granted to purchaser of immovable property.

294. When a sale of immovable property has become absolute in manner aforesaid, if the person declared the purchaser of the property supplies paper stamped as if it were a conveyance of the same, the Court shall grant him a certificate thereon, to the effect that he has purchased the defendant's interest in the property sold, and such certificate shall be deemed to be a valid transfer of such interest.

Certificate to state the name of actual purchaser.

295. The certificate shall state the name of the person who, at the time of sale, is declared to be the purchaser.

Benâmi purchaser not recognised.

No other person shall maintain any claim against the certified purchaser on the ground that the purchase was made on behalf of such other person, or on behalf of some one through whom such other person claims.

Nothing in this section shall bar a suit to obtain a declaration that the name of the certified purchaser was inserted in the certificate fraudulently or without the consent of the real purchaser.

Delivery of movable property belonging to defendant actually seized.

296. When the property sold is any movable property in the possession of the defendant, or to the immediate possession of which he is entitled, and of which actual seizure has been made, the property shall be delivered to the purchaser.

Delivery of movable property to which defendant is entitled subject to lien.

297. When the property sold is any movable property to which the defendant is entitled subject to the possession of some other person under a lien or some other right or title, the delivery to the purchaser shall be made by giving notice to the person in possession prohibiting him from delivering possession of the property to any person except the purchaser.

Delivery of immovable property in the occupancy of defendants.

298. When the property sold is any immovable property in the occupancy of the defendant or of some person on his behalf, or of some person claiming under a title created by the defendant subsequently to the institution of the suit in which the decree was passed, the Court shall order delivery to be made by putting the purchaser or any person whom he may appoint to receive delivery on his behalf, in possession of the property, and, if need be, by removing any person who may refuse to vacate the same.

Delivery of immovable property in the occupancy of tenant.

299. When the property sold is immovable property in the occupancy of a tenant or other person entitled to occupy the same, the Court shall order delivery thereof to be made by affixing a copy of the certificate of sale in some conspicuous place on the property, and proclaiming to the occupant by beat of drum or in such other mode as may be customary, at some convenient place, that the interest of the defendant has been transferred to the purchaser.

Delivery of debts and of shares in public Companies.

300. If the property be a debt not secured by a negotiable instrument, or be a share in any public Company, the delivery thereof shall be made by a written order of the Court prohibiting the creditor from receiving the debt or any interest thereon, and the debtor from making payment thereof to any person except the purchaser, or prohibiting the person in whose name the share may be standing from making any transfer of the share to any person except the purchaser, or receiving payment of any dividend or interest thereon, and the Manager, Secretary or other proper officer of the Company from permitting any such transfer or making any such payment to any person except the purchaser.

Delivery of negotiable instruments of which actual seizure has been made.

301. When the property sold consists of a negotiable instrument of which actual seizure has been made, the same shall be delivered to the purchaser.

Transfer of negotiable instruments and shares.

302. If the endorsement or conveyance of the party in whose name a negotiable instrument or a share in any public Company is standing, is required to transfer such instrument or share, the Judge may endorse the instrument or the certificate of the share, or may execute such other document as may be necessary.

The endorsement or execution shall be in the following form or to the like effect:—"*A. B.* by *C. D.*, Judge of the Court of *(or as the case may be)*; in a suit by *E. F.* against *A. B.*"

Until the transfer of such instrument or share, the Court may, by order, appoint some person to receive any interest or dividend due thereon, and to sign a receipt for the same; and any endorsement made or document executed or receipt signed

as aforesaid shall be as valid and effectual for all purposes as if the same had been made or executed or signed by the party himself.

Resisting or obstructing purchasers in obtaining possession of immovable property.

303. If the purchaser of any immovable property sold in execution of a decree be resisted or obstructed by the defendant or any one on his behalf, in obtaining possession of the property, the provisions of this Chapter relating to resistance or obstruction to a party in whose favour a decree has been made in obtaining possession of the property adjudged to him, shall be applicable.

Obstruction by claimant other than defendant.

304. If it appear that the resistance or obstruction to the delivery of possession was occasioned by any person other than the defendant, claiming a right to the possession of the property sold, as proprietor, mortgagee, lessee, or under any other title, or if, in the delivery of possession to the purchaser, any such person claiming as aforesaid be dispossessed,

the Court, on the complaint of the purchaser, or of such person claiming as aforesaid, shall enquire into the matter of the complaint and pass such order as it thinks fit.

The party against whom such order is passed shall be at liberty to bring a suit to establish his right to the property at any time within one year from the date of such order.

Attaching creditor to be first paid out of assets realised.

305. Whenever assets are realized by sale or otherwise in execution of a decree, the person entitled to be first paid thereout, after deducting the costs of the realization, is the holder of the decree on whose application the property producing such assets was first attached:

Provided that such attachment was in execution of a decree for money then capable of being completely executed.

No subsequent attachment of the same property by another party in execution of another decree, whether of a prior or of a later date, shall affect the title of the holder of the decree first above referred to, to be paid out of the said proceeds.

Nothing in this section affects any right of the Crown.

If all or any of such assets be paid to a person not entitled to receive the same, any person so entitled may sue such person to compel him to refund the assets.

Surplus to be rateably distributed among certain execution creditors.

306. The surplus (if any) remaining after the claim of the person on whose application the property was first attached has been satisfied in full from the assets, shall be distributed rateably amongst any other persons who, prior to the order for such distribution, may have taken out execution of decrees for money against the same defendant and may not have obtained satisfaction thereof.

Proviso where property is sold subject to a mortgage.

Provided that, when any property is sold subject to a mortgage and the mortgagee has obtained a decree for the money due thereon, he shall not be entitled to share in any surplus arising from such sale, unless he waives his right as mortgagee.

Court may order proceeds of property attached under a decree obtained fraudulently, to be paid in satisfaction of another decree.

307. If it appear to the Court upon the application of the holder of a decree, that any other decree under which property has been attached was obtained by fraud or other improper means, the Court may either order that the proceedings be stayed and refer the parties to a regular suit, or, if it find the materials before it sufficient for deciding the case at once, may order,

(*a*) if such other decree be a decree of the same Court, that the applicant shall be satisfied out of the proceeds of the property attached so far as the same may suffice for the purpose;

(*b*) if the other decree be a decree of another Court, that the proceedings be stayed to enable the applicant to obtain a similar order from the Court by which the decree was made.

Explanation—A decree obtained in consequence of a mere error in procedure is not obtained by improper means within the meaning of this section.

OF THE EXECUTION OF DECREES BY IMPRISONMENT.

Place of defendant's imprisonment.

308. The imprisonment of the defendant in execution of a decree may be in the jail of the district in which the Court ordering the imprisonment is held, or, when such jail does not afford suitable accommodation, in any other jail, though not in such district, which the Local Government may appoint for the confinement of persons ordered to be imprisoned by the Courts of such district.

Defendant's subsistence-money.

309. When the defendant is committed to jail in execution of a decree, the Court shall fix for his subsistence such monthly allowance as it considers sufficient with reference to the class to which he belongs.

But (except as provided in the next succeeding section) such allowance shall not exceed four annas per day.

The monthly allowance shall be supplied by the party on whose application the decree has been executed, to the proper officer of the Court or of the jail in which the defendant is confined, by monthly payments in advance before the first day of each month.

The first payment shall be made for such portion of the current month as remains unexpired before the defendant is committed to jail.

Court may vary allowance in case of illness or for other special cause.

310. The Court may, in case of illness or for other special cause, fix the monthly allowance at such sum not exceeding six annas per day as appears necessary.

The order fixing such allowance may from time to time be revised and altered on due cause being shown.

Subsistence-money to be added to amount of decree.

311. Sums disbursed by the holder of a decree for the subsistence of the defendant in jail shall be added to the costs of the decree, and shall be recoverable by the attachment and sale of the defendant's property under the rules contained in this Chapter for the execution of a decree for money:

Provided that the defendant shall not be detained in jail or arrested on account of any sum so disbursed.

OF DISCHARGE FROM IMPRISONMENT.

Release of defendant.

312. The defendant shall be discharged from jail, by order of the Court,

(*a*) on the decree being fully satisfied, or

(*b*) at the request of the person on whose application he has been imprisoned, or

(*c*) on such person omitting to pay the allowance as hereinbefore directed, or

(*d*) by reason of his insolvency, as hereinafter provided, or

(*e*) when the term of his imprisonment as limited by section 313 is fulfilled.

A defendant discharged under this section cannot be re-arrested under the decree in execution of which he was imprisoned.

Imprisonment not to exceed two years.

313. No person shall be imprisoned in execution of a decree for a longer period than two years;

When not to exceed six months.

or for a longer period than six months if the decree be for the payment of a sum of money not exceeding five hundred rupees;

When not to exceed three months.

or for a longer period than three months if the decree be for the payment of a sum of money not exceeding fifty rupees.

OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Power to apply to be declared an insolvent.

314. Any person arrested or imprisoned in execution of a decree for money may apply to be declared an insolvent.

Such application may be made to the District Court which ordered his arrest or imprisonment, as the case may be or when the District Court has not ordered his arrest or imprisonment, then to the District Court to which the Court that made the order is subordinate.

Contents of application.

315. The application shall set forth—

(*a*) the fact of his arrest or imprisonment;

(*b*) the amount, kind and particulars of his property;

(*c*) the place or places in which such property is to be found;

(*d*) his willingness to place it at the disposal of the Court;

(*e*) the amount, nature and particulars of his debts; and

(*f*) the names and residences of his creditors, so far as they are known or can be ascertained by him.

Subscription and verification of application.

316. The application shall be subscribed and verified by the applicant in manner hereinbefore prescribed for subscribing and verifying plaints.

Service on decree-holder of copy of application and notice.

317. The Court shall fix a day for hearing the application and shall cause a copy of the application, with a notice in writing of the time and place at which it will be heard, to be served on the holder of the decree or his pleader and to be published in such manner as the Court thinks fit.

Power to serve other creditors.

318. The Court may also, if it thinks fit, cause a like copy and notice to be served on any other creditor of the applicant or on any person alleging himself to be such a creditor and applying for leave to be heard on the application.

Procedure at hearing.

319. On the day so fixed, or on any subsequent day to which the Court may adjourn the hearing, the Court shall examine the applicant, in the presence of the persons on whom such notice has been served or their pleaders, as to his then circumstances and as to his future means of payment, and shall hear the decree-holder and the other creditors (if any) in opposition to the applicant's discharge, and may, if it thinks fit, grant time to the decree-holder and the other creditors (if any) to adduce evidence shewing that the applicant is not entitled to be declared an insolvent.

Declaration of insolvency and appointment of Receiver.

320. If the Court is satisfied—

(*a*) that the statements in the application are substantially true;

(*b*) that the applicant has not fraudulently concealed, transferred, or removed any of his property;

(*c*) that he has not, knowing himself to be insolvent, unfairly given a preference to any of his creditors by any payment or disposition of his property;

(*d*) that he has not committed any other act of bad faith,

the Court may declare him to be an insolvent, and may make an order appointing a Receiver of his property.

Effect of order appointing Receiver.

321. The order under section 320 appointing a Receiver shall operate to vest in him all the insolvent's property (except such particulars as are specified in section 215) whether set forth in his application or not.

Receiver to collect assets.

322. The Receiver so appointed shall possess himself of all such property, except as aforesaid; and on his certifying that the insolvent has placed him in possession thereof, or has done everything in his power for that purpose, the Court may discharge the insolvent from arrest or imprisonment, as the case may be.

Discharge of applicant.

Powers of Court as to applicant under arrest.

323. Where the applicant is under arrest, the Court may, pending the hearing—

(*a*) order him to be immediately committed to jail; or

(*b*) leave him in the custody of the officer of Court to whom the service of the warrant was entrusted, on the applicant depositing the fees of such officer, which shall be at the same daily rate as the lowest rate charged in the same Court for serving process; or

(*c*) if the applicant furnish sufficient security for his appearance at any time when called upon, his surety undertaking in default of such appearance to pay the amount mentioned in the warrant, the Court may release the applicant on such security.

Applications by creditors.

324. The Court shall frame a schedule of creditors and their respective debts according to the justice of the case.

The declaration under section 320 shall be deemed to be a decree in favour of each of the said creditors for their respective debts.

Any creditor of the applicant who is not mentioned in such schedule may apply to the Court for an order directing his name to be inserted therein.

Any creditor mentioned in the schedule may apply to the Court for an order altering the schedule so far as regards the amount, nature or particulars of his own debt, or to strike out the name

of another creditor, or to alter the schedule so far as regards the amount, nature or particulars of the debt of another creditor.

Duty of Receiver.

325. The Receiver shall proceed under the direction of the Court—

(*a*) to convert the property into money:

(*b*) to pay thereout debts, fines and penalties (if any) due by the insolvent to the Crown:

(*c*) to distribute the balance among the scheduled creditors rateably according to the amounts of their respective debts, and without any preference, notwithstanding anything contained in sections 305 and 306:

(*d*) to deliver the surplus, if any, to the insolvent or his legal representative.

Effect of discharge.

326. An insolvent discharged under section 322 shall not (except as provided in section 327) be arrested or imprisoned on account of any of the scheduled debts. But (subject to the provisions of section 328) his property (except as excepted in section 321) shall, by order of the Court, be liable to attachment and sale until the decrees against him held by the scheduled creditors are fully satisfied or become incapable of being executed.

Defendant liable to be again arrested if proved guilty of fraudulent concealment of property, &c.

327. The discharge of the insolvent under section 322, shall not protect him from being arrested again and imprisoned on account of any of the scheduled debts if it be shown that he had,

(*a*) in the application made by him, been guilty of any concealment or of wilfully making any false statement respecting the property belonging to him, whether in possession or in expectancy, or held for him in trust;

(*b*) fraudulently concealed, transferred or removed any property; or

(*c*) committed any other act of bad faith:

In any of such cases the Court shall, at the instance of the scheduled creditors, either retain the applicant in confinement, or commit him to jail, as the case may be.

Provided that the term of imprisonment under this section shall not exceed two years from the date of committal.

Or the Court may, if it think fit, send the applicant to the Magistrate to be dealt with according to law.

When Court may declare defendant absolved from further liability.

328. If the aggregate amount of the scheduled debts is one hundred rupees or a less sum, the Court may declare the insolvent discharged as aforesaid absolved from further liability in respect of such debts.

Investment of other Courts with powers of District Courts. Transfer of cases.

328A. The Local Government may invest any Court other than a District Court with the powers conferred on District Courts by sections 314 to 328 (both inclusive), and the District Judge may transfer to any such Court any case instituted under section 314.

QUESTIONS RELATING TO THE EXECUTION OF DECREES.

Determination of questions regarding amount of mesne profits and interest and sums paid in satisfaction of decrees.

329. The following questions shall be determined by order of the Court executing a decree and not by separate suit (namely)—

(*a*) questions regarding the amount of any mesne profits which by the terms of the decree have been directed to be adjusted in the execution of the decree;

(*b*) questions regarding the amount of any mesne profits or interest which the decree has made payable in respect of the subject-matter of a suit between the date of its institution and the execution of the decree;

(*c*) questions relating to sums alleged to have been paid in discharge or satisfaction of the decree;

(*d*) any other questions arising between the parties to the suit in which the decree was passed, and relating to the execution of the decree.

Nothing in this section shall be deemed to bar a separate suit for mesne profits accruing between the institution of the first suit and the execution of the decree therein, where such profits are not dealt with by the decree.

OF EXECUTION OF A DECREE BEYOND THE LOCAL LIMITS OF THE JURISDICTION OF THE COURT BY WHICH IT WAS MADE.

Decree of one Court may be executed within the jurisdiction of another Court.

330. A decree of any Court in British India or established by the authority of the Governor-General in Council in the territories of any Native Prince or State in India, which cannot be executed within the jurisdiction of the Court by which it was made, may be executed in the manner hereinafter provided, within the jurisdiction of any other such Court.

Application for such execution.

331. The holder of a decree may apply to the Court by which it was made to send to the Court by which he wishes it to be executed—

(*a*) a copy of the decree;

(*b*) a certificate setting forth that satisfaction of the decree has not been obtained within the jurisdiction of such Court, or, where the decree has been executed in part, the extent to which satisfaction has been obtained and what part of the decree remains unexecuted; and

(*c*) a copy of any order for execution of the decree that has been passed.

Provided that no copy of a decree made by a Court of Small Causes, or in a case cognizable by a Court of Small Causes, shall be sent under this section to a High Court. But the holder of any such decree wishing it to be executed in a Presidency Town, may send to the local Court of Small Causes the copies and certificate respectively mentioned in clauses (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) of this section; and such Court shall thereupon execute the decree as if it had been made by itself.

Copy of decree and order for execution to be sent.

332. The Court, unless there be any sufficient reason to the contrary, shall cause such copies and certificate to be prepared: they shall be signed by the Judge or Registrar or Clerk of the Court and shall be sealed with the seal of the Court; and the Court shall send them by post to the Court by which the holder of the decree wishes it to be executed, if such Court be within the same district, or otherwise to the principal Civil Court of original jurisdiction in the district in which the holder of the decree wishes it to be executed.

Court receiving copies of decree, &c., to file same without proof.

333. The Court to which such copies and certificate are sent shall cause them to be filed, without any proof of the decree or order for execution, or of the copies thereof, or of the seal or jurisdiction of any Court, or of the signature of any Judge or officer, unless the Court, under any peculiar circumstances to be specified in an order, requires such proof.

Transmitted copy of decree or order to have same effect as decree of Court to which it is sent for execution.

334. The copy of the decree and of any order for execution, when filed in the Court to which such copy has been sent for the purpose of being executed as aforesaid, shall for such purpose have the same effect as a decree or order for execution made by such Court, and may, if the Court be the principal Civil Court of original jurisdiction in the district, be executed by such Court, or by any Court subordinate thereto to which such principal Civil Court may entrust the execution of the same.

Enforcement of execution by Court applied to.

335. When the holder of a decree sent under the foregoing provisions for execution by a Court other than the Court which made it applies for execution of the decree to the Court to which it has been so sent, such Court, or any subordinate Court to which the execution of the decree may be entrusted, shall proceed to execute the decree according to the provisions of this Chapter so far as the same are applicable, and, so far as they are not applicable, according to its own rules in the like cases:

Such Court shall not enquire into the validity of the decree unless it appear upon the face of the decree that the Court by which it was passed had no jurisdiction to pass it.

Execution by High Court, of decree transmitted by other Court.

336. If the Court to which the decree is sent for execution be a High Court, the decree shall be executed by such Court in the same manner as if it had been made by such Court in the exercise of its ordinary original Civil jurisdiction.

Powers of Court applied to by decree-holder in executing decree.

337. The Court to which the holder of the decree so applies, shall have as large powers in executing the decree as the Court by which it was made would have had if the decree had been capable of being executed within the jurisdiction of the same Court.

Wrongful acts or irregularities in executing decree to be punished by Court applied to.

338. The Court to which such application is made or referred for execution as aforesaid, shall take cognizance of and punish all wrongful acts or irregularities done or committed in executing such decree; and all persons disobeying or obstructing the execution of the decree, shall be punishable by such Court in the same manner as if it had made the decree.

Court applied to may in certain cases stay execution.

339. The Court to which such application is made or referred as aforesaid, may, upon sufficient cause being shown, stay the execution of the decree for a reasonable time, to enable the defendant to apply to the Court by which the decree was made, or to any Court having appellate jurisdiction in respect of the decree or the execution thereof, for an order to stay the execution, or for any other order relating to the decree or execution which might have been made by such Court of first instance or appellate Court if execution had been issued thereby, or if application for execution had been made thereto;

and in case the property or person of the defendant has been seized under an execution, the Court which issued the execution may order the restitution or discharge of such property or person pending the result of such application.

Before making any order under section 339, Court may require security from, or impose conditions upon, defendant.

340. Before passing an order to stay execution, or for the restitution of property or the discharge of the defendant under section 339, the Court may require such security from, or impose such conditions upon, the defendant, as it thinks fit.

Order of Court passing decree or of Appellate Court to be binding upon Court applied to.

341. Any such order of the Court in which the decree was passed or of such Court of appeal as aforesaid, shall be binding upon the Court to which the application for execution was made, and shall be a sufficient indemnity to all persons acting in execution of any process issued by such last mentioned Court.

Liability of defendant discharged to be retaken.

342. No discharge of a defendant under section 339, shall prevent him from being retaken in execution of the decree.

Appeal from orders for execution of decrees of other Courts.

343. The orders of a Court for executing the decree of another Court shall be subject to the same rules in respect of appeal, as if the decree had been originally passed by the Court making such orders.

Rules applicable to all civil process for sale or payment.

344. The rules contained in this Chapter shall be applicable to the execution of any judicial process for the sale of property or payment of money, which may be ordered by a Civil Court in any civil proceeding.

OF CLAIMS TO ATTACHED PROPERTY BY STRANGERS TO THE SUIT.

Investigation of claims and objections to sale of attached property.

345. If any claim be preferred to, or any objection be made to the sale of, any property which shall have been attached in execution of a decree, as not liable to be sold in execution of the decree against the defendant, the Court shall, subject to the proviso contained in section 351, proceed to investigate the claim or objection with the like power as regards the examination of the claimant or objector, and in all other respects, as if he was a party to the suit.

Evidence to be adduced by claimant.

346. The claimant or objector must adduce evidence to show that at the date of the attachment he was entitled to, or possessed of, the property attached.

Release of property from attachment.

347. If the property is immoveable, and if upon the said investigation the Court is satisfied that, for the reason stated in the claim or objection, such property was not, when attached, in the possession of the party against whom execution is sought or of some person in trust for him, or in the occupancy of a tenant or other person paying rent to him, or that, being in the possession of the party himself at such time, it was so in his possession, not on his own account or as his own property, but on account of or in trust for some other person, the Court shall pass an order for releasing the property from attachment.

Continuance of attachment subject to claim of incumbrancer.

348. If in like manner the Court is satisfied that the property was in possession of such party, subject to a mortgage or lien in favour of some other person, the Court shall continue the attachment subject to the claims of such other person.

When Court to disallow claim to release of property attached.

349. If the property attached be immovable, and the Court is satisfied that the property was, at the time it was attached, in possession of the party against whom execution is sought as his own property and not on account of any other person, or was in the possession of some other person in trust for him, or in the occupancy of a tenant or other person paying rent to him, the Court shall disallow the claim and may order the sale to proceed at such time as it thinks fit.

Person against whom order is passed under section 347 or 349 may sue within one year to establish his right.

350. The party against whom an order is passed under section 347, may bring a suit to establish his right to attach the property, and on obtaining a decree in such suit, the said order shall be set aside.

The party against whom an order is passed under section 349, may, within one year from the date of the order, bring a suit for a declaration that at the date of the attachment he was entitled to, or possessed of, the property attached.

Claims and objections to be made without delay.

351. A claim to attached property, or an objection to the sale of such property, shall be made without delay to the Court which ordered the attachment; and if the property to which the claim or objection applies has been advertised for sale, the sale may, if the Court thinks fit, be postponed pending the investigation into the claim or objection:

Provided that no such investigation shall be made if it appear that the making of the claim or objection was designedly and unnecessarily delayed with a view to obstruct the ends of justice.

If claim or objection be disallowed, claimant or objector may sue.

352. If, on the ground of delay in making it, the claim or objection be disallowed, or the Court refuse to investigate it, the proceedings on such claim or objection shall not preclude a suit by the claimant or objector.

PART II.

OF INCIDENTAL PROCEEDINGS.

CHAPTER XIX.

OF THE DEATH, MARRIAGE AND INSOLVENCY OF PARTIES.

No abatement by party's death, if cause of action survive.

353. The death of a plaintiff or defendant shall not cause the suit to abate if the cause of action survives.

Illustrations.

(*a*). A covenants with B and C to pay an annuity to B during C's life. B and C sue A to compel payment. B dies before the decree: the cause of action survives to C, and the suit does not abate.

(*b*). In the same case, all the parties die before decree. The cause of action survives to the representative of the survivor of B and C, and he may continue the suit against A's representative.

Proceeding in case of death of one of several plaintiffs or defendants, if cause of action survive.

354. If there be more plaintiffs or defendants than one, and any of them dies, and if the cause of action survives to the surviving plaintiff or plaintiffs alone, or against the surviving defendant or defendants alone, the Court shall cause an entry to that effect to be made on the record, and the suit shall proceed at the instance of the surviving plaintiff or plaintiffs, or against the surviving defendant or defendants.

Proceeding in case of death of one of several plaintiffs, where cause of action survives to the survivors and representative of deceased.

355. If there be more plaintiffs than one, and any of them dies, and if the cause of action does not survive to the surviving plaintiff or plaintiffs alone, but survives to him or them and the legal representative of the deceased plaintiff jointly, the Court may, on the application of such legal representative, enter his name in the register of the suit in the place of such deceased plaintiff, and the suit shall proceed at the instance of the surviving plaintiff or plaintiffs and such legal representative.

Proceeding where no application made by representative of deceased plaintiff.

356. If no application be made to the Court within a reasonable time by any person claiming to be the legal representative of a deceased plaintiff, the suit shall proceed at the instance of the surviving plaintiff or plaintiffs;

and the legal representative of the deceased plaintiff shall be interested in and bound by the decree passed in the suit, in the same manner as if the suit had proceeded at his instance conjointly with the surviving plaintiff or plaintiffs.

Proceeding in case of death of sole, or sole surviving, plaintiff.

357. In case of the death of a sole plaintiff or sole surviving plaintiff, the Court may, on the application of the legal representative of the deceased, enter his name in the place of such plaintiff in the register of the suit, and the suit shall thereupon proceed.

Abatement where no application by representative of deceased plaintiff.

358. If no such application be made to the Court within a reasonable time, by any person claiming to be the legal representative of any such deceased plaintiff as aforesaid, the Court may pass an order that the suit shall abate, and award to the defendant the costs which he may have incurred in defending the suit, to be recovered from the estate of such deceased plaintiff as aforesaid;

or the Court may, if it think proper, on the application of the defendant, and upon such terms as to costs or otherwise as it thinks fit, pass such other order as it thinks fit for bringing in the legal representative of such deceased plaintiff as aforesaid, and for proceeding with the suit in order to a final determination of the matter in dispute.

Explanation.—A certificate of heirship, or a certificate to collect debts, does not of itself constitute the person holding it the legal representative of the deceased. But when the person holding any such certificate obtains thereby property belonging to the deceased, he may be treated as a legal representative liable in respect of such property.

Procedure in case of dispute as to representative of deceased plaintiff.

359. If any dispute arise as to who is the legal representative of a deceased plaintiff, the Court may either stay the suit until the fact has been determined in another suit, or

decide at or before the hearing of the suit who shall be admitted to be such legal representative for the purpose of prosecuting the suit.

Procedure in case of death of one of several defendants, or of sole or sole surviving defendant.

360. If there be more defendants than one and any of them die, and the cause of action does not survive against the surviving defendant or defendants alone, and also in case of the death of a sole defendant, or sole surviving defendant, where the right to sue survives,

the plaintiff may make an application to the Court, specifying the name, description, and place of abode of any person whom the plaintiff alleges to be the legal representative of the deceased defendant, and whom he desires to be made the defendant in his stead.

The Court shall thereupon enter the name of such representative in the register of the suit in the place of such defendant,

and shall issue a summons to such representative to appear on a day to be therein mentioned to defend the suit;

and the case shall thereupon proceed in the same manner as if such representative had originally been made a defendant and had been a party to the former proceedings in the suit:

Provided that the person so made defendant shall be at liberty to object that he is not the legal representative of the deceased defendant, or to make any defence appropriate to his character as such representative.

Suit not abated by marriage of female party.

361. The marriage of a female plaintiff or defendant shall not cause the suit to abate, but the suit may notwithstanding be proceeded with to judgment, and where the decree is against a female defendant, it may thereupon be executed against the wife alone.

If the case is one in which the husband is by law liable for the debts of his wife, the decree may, with the permission of the Court, be executed against the husband also; and in case of judgment for the wife, execution of the decree may with such permission be issued upon the application of the husband, where the husband is by law entitled to the subject-matter of the decree.

When plaintiff's bankruptcy or insolvency bars suit.

362. The bankruptcy or insolvency of a plaintiff in any suit which his assignee might maintain for the benefit of his creditors shall not bar the suit, unless such assignee declines to continue the suit and to give security for the costs thereof within such time as the Court may order.

If the assignee neglect or refuse to continue the suit and to give such security within the time limited by the order, the defendant may, within eight days after such neglect or refusal, apply for the dismissal of the suit on the ground of the plaintiff's bankruptcy or insolvency, and the Court may award to the defendant the costs which he has incurred in defending the suit, to be recovered from the plaintiff's estate.

Effect of abatement on parties' rights.

363. The abatement or dismissal of a suit under this chapter shall have the same effect on the rights of the parties as if the suit had been dismissed on the merits.

CHAPTER XX.

OF THE WITHDRAWAL AND ADJUSTMENT OF SUITS.

Court may allow plaintiff to withdraw suit, with liberty to bring fresh suit.

364. If, at any time before judgment, the Court is satisfied on the application of the plaintiff (*a*) that the suit must fail by reason of some formal defect, and (*b*) that there are sufficient grounds for permitting him to withdraw from the suit with liberty to bring a fresh suit for the same matter, the Court may grant such permission on such terms as to costs or otherwise as it thinks fit.

If the plaintiff withdraw from the suit without such permission, he shall be liable for such costs as the Court may award, and shall be precluded from bringing a fresh suit for the same matter.

Nothing in this section shall be deemed to authorise the Court to permit one of several plaintiffs to withdraw without the consent of the others.

Limitation-law not affected by first suit.

365. In any fresh suit instituted on permission granted under the last preceding section, the plaintiff shall be bound by the law of limitations in the same manner as if the first suit had not been brought.

Compromise of suits.

366. If a suit be adjusted by mutual agreement or compromise, or if the defendant satisfy the plaintiff in respect to the matter of the suit, such agreement, compromise or satisfaction shall be recorded, and the suit shall be disposed of in accordance therewith.

CHAPTER XXI.

OF PAYMENT INTO COURT.

Deposit by defendant of amount considered by him to be in full satisfaction of claim with costs up to date.

367. The defendant in any suit involving a claim to money, may at any stage of the suit deposit in Court such sum of money as he considers a satisfaction in full of the claim.

Notice of deposit.

Notice of the deposit shall be given by the defendant to the plaintiff, and the amount of the deposit shall be paid to the plaintiff on his application.

Interest on sum deposited not allowed to plaintiff after receipt of notice.

No interest shall be allowed to the plaintiff on any sum deposited by the defendant from the date of the receipt of such notice, whether the sum deposited be in full of the claim or fall short thereof.

Procedure where plaintiff accepts the deposit as satisfaction in part.

368. If the plaintiff accept such amount only as satisfaction in part of his claim, he may prosecute his suit for the balance; but if the Court decides that the payment by the defendant has been a full satisfaction of the plaintiff's claim, the plaintiff must pay the costs of the suit.

Procedure where he accepts the deposit as satisfaction in full.

If the plaintiff accept such amount as satisfaction in full of his claim, he shall file in Court a statement to that effect, and the Court shall pass judgment accordingly, and in directing by whom the costs of each party are to be paid, the Court shall consider which of the parties is most to blame for the litigation.

Illustrations.

(*a*). A owes B Rs. 100. B sues A for the amount, having made no demand for payment and having no reason to believe that the delay caused by making a demand would place him at a disadvantage. On the plaint being filed, A pays the money into Court. B accepts it in full satisfaction of his claim, but the Court should not allow him any costs, the litigation being presumably groundless on his part.

(*b*). B sues A under the circumstances mentioned in illustration (*a*). On the plaint being filed, A disputes the claim. Afterwards A pays the money into Court. B accepts it in full satisfaction of his claim. The Court should also give B his costs of suit, A's conduct having shewn that the litigation was necessary.

(*c*). A owes B Rs. 100 and is willing to pay him that sum without suit. B claims Rs. 150 and sues A for that amount. On the plaint being filed, A pays Rs. 100 into Court and disputes only his liability to pay the remaining Rs. 50. B accepts the Rs. 100 in full satisfaction of his claim. The Court should order him to pay A's costs.

(*d*). A pays Rs. 100 into Court under the circumstances mentioned in illustration (*c*). B accepts it in part discharge of his claim and continues the suit for the remainder. B fails. The Court should order him to pay all the costs of the suit.

The above illustrations assume that, save what is therein mentioned, there is nothing in the conduct of the parties which should influence the Court in awarding costs.

CHAPTER XXII.

Of Requiring Security for Costs.

When security for costs is to be furnished by plaintiff at the time of presenting the plaint.

369. When the plaintiff ordinarily resides out of British India, and does not possess any sufficient immovable property within British India independent of the property in suit, he shall, on presenting the plaint or within such time as the Court may fix, furnish security for the payment of the costs that may be incurred by the defendant.

When security for costs may be required from the plaintiff at any stage of suit.

370. If at any subsequent stage of a suit it appears to the Court that a sole plaintiff is, or that all the plaintiffs (when there are more plaintiffs than one) are, residing out of British India, and such plaintiff or plaintiffs does not or do not possess any sufficient immovable property within British India independent of the property in suit, the Court may order the plaintiff or plaintiffs, within a time to be fixed by the order, to give security for the payment of all costs incurred and likely to be incurred by the defendant.

Procedure where requisition is not complied with.

In the event of such security not being furnished within the time so fixed, the Court shall pass a decree against the plaintiff or plaintiffs by default, unless he or they be permitted to withdraw from the suit under the provisions of section 364.

Residence out of British India.

371. A person is considered to be resident out of British India, within the meaning of the two last preceding sections, who leaves British India under such circumstances as to afford reasonable probability that he will not be forthcoming whenever he may be called upon to pay costs.

CHAPTER XXIII.

Of Setting Aside Decrees by Default and ex parte.

Setting aside decree *ex parte* against defendant.

372. In any case in which a decree is passed *ex parte* against a defendant under section 92, he may within a reasonable time, not exceeding thirty days after any process for enforcing the decree has been executed, apply to the Court by which the decree was made for an order to set it aside;

and if it be proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the summons was not duly served, or that the defendant was prevented by any sufficient cause from appearing when the suit was called on for hearing, the Court shall pass an order to set aside the decree upon such terms as to costs, payment into Court, or otherwise, as it thinks fit, and shall appoint a day for proceeding with the suit.

Setting aside decree by default against plaintiff.

373. In any case in which a decree is passed against a plaintiff by default under section 96, he may within thirty days from the date of the decree apply for an order to set it aside; and if it be proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the plaintiff was prevented by any sufficient cause from appearing when the suit was called on for hearing, the Court shall pass an order to set aside the decree upon such terms as to costs or otherwise as it thinks fit, and shall appoint a day for proceeding with the suit.

No decree to be set aside, without notice to opposite party.

374. No decree shall be set aside on any such application as aforesaid, unless notice thereof has been served on the opposite party.

Order for setting aside decree to be final.

375. In every case in which the Court passes an order under section 372 or section 373 for setting aside a decree, the order shall be final.

CHAPTER XXIV.

Of Commissions.

A.—Commissions to examine Witnesses.

Cases in which Court may issue commission to examine witness.

376. The Court may order a commission to issue for the examination on interrogatories or otherwise of the following persons:—

(*a*) persons who, under section 162 or section 164, are not bound to attend the Court;

(*b*) persons who are from sickness or infirmity unable to attend;

(*c*) persons exempted by reason of rank or sex, from appearing in Court.

Order for commission may be made either on application of parties or by Court of its own accord.

377. Such order may be made by the Court either of its own motion, or on the application of any party to the suit or of the witness to be examined.

Directions for examination.

378. The Court may, by the same or any subsequent order, give such directions as to taking the examination of an absent witness as it thinks fit.

When witness resides within Court's jurisdiction.

379. If a Commission be issued for the examination of a person who resides within the jurisdiction of the Court issuing the Commission, the Commission may be issued to any officer of the Court or to any Court subordinate to such Court, or to any other person whom the Court issuing the Commission thinks proper to appoint to execute the same.

When witness resides beyond Court's jurisdiction, but in British India.

380. If the person resides at some place in British India beyond the jurisdiction of the Court issuing the Commission, the Commission shall ordinarily be issued to any Court, not being a High Court, within whose jurisdiction he resides, and which can most conveniently execute the same:

Provided that, under special circumstances, the Commission may be issued to any person whom the Court issuing it thinks fit to appoint.

When witness is within local limits of ordinary original civil jurisdiction of a High Court.

381. If the person resides beyond the jurisdiction of the Court issuing the Commission and within the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of any High Court, the Commission shall be issued to the Court of Small Causes within whose jurisdiction the witness resides, or to any Court, other than a High Court, which now exists or may hereafter be established with jurisdiction within the same local limits:

Provided that, under special circumstances, the Commission may be directed to any person whom the Court issuing the Commission thinks fit to appoint.

When witness is not within British India.

382. In the case of a person residing at any place not within British India, the Court, if satisfied that the evidence of such person is necessary, may, of its own motion or on the application of any of the parties to the suit, issue a Commission for his examination:

Provided that, if the suit be pending in any Court subordinate to the District Court, such subordinate Court shall not issue the Commission, but the District Court may issue the Commission on the application of the subordinate Court.

Commission when executed to be returned to Court issuing it with depositions of witnesses.

383. After the Commission has been duly executed, it shall be returned, together with the evidence taken under it, to the Court out of which it issued, unless the order for issuing the Commission has otherwise directed, in which case the Commission shall be returned in terms of such order, and the Commission and the return thereto, and the evidence taken under it, shall form part of the record of the suit.

When depositions may be read in evidence.

384. Evidence taken under a Commission shall not be read as evidence in the suit without the consent of the party against whom the same is offered, unless

(*a*) the person who gave the evidence is beyond the jurisdiction of the Court, or dead, or unable from sickness or infirmity to attend to be personally examined, or exempted from personal appearance in Court, or

(*b*) the Court in its discretion dispenses with the proof of any of the circumstances mentioned in the last preceding clause, and authorizes the evidence of any person being read as evidence in the suit, notwithstanding proof that the cause for taking such evidence by Commission has ceased at the time of reading the same.

Evidence of prisoners.

385. If the person whose evidence is required is in jail, his evidence shall be taken in the mode prescribed by the Prisoners' Testimony Act, 1869, or by any other law for the time being specially applicable to the taking of evidence in the case of prisoners.

B.—Commission for Local Investigations.

Commission to make local investigations.

386. In any suit in which the Court deems a local investigation to be requisite or proper for the purpose of elucidating any matter in dispute, or of ascertaining the market-value of any property or the amount of any mesne profits or damages, or annual nett profits, the Court may issue a Commission to an officer of the Court appointed to execute such Commissions, or, if there be no such officer, to any suitable person, directing him to make such investigation and to report thereon to the Court.

Appointment of Government officer as Commissioner.

387. If in any case it appears desirable to employ an officer of Government other than the officer of the Court appointed to execute such Commissions, the Court may, with the consent of the immediate superior of the officer whom the Court wishes to employ, appoint him to make such investigation and report.

Commissioner may examine parties and witnesses and call for papers.

388. The Commissioner, unless otherwise directed by the order of appointment, may examine the parties themselves and any witness whom they or any of them may produce, and any other person whom the Commissioner thinks proper to call upon to give evidence in the matter referred to him.

The Commissioner may also call for and examine documents and other papers relevant to the subject of enquiry.

The Commissioner, after such local inspection as he deems necessary, and after reducing to writing, in the manner hereinbefore prescribed for taking the evidence of witnesses in the presence of the Judge, the evidence taken by him, shall return such evidence, together with his report in writing, subscribed with his name, to the Court.

Report and depositions to be evidence in suit.

389. The report of the Commissioner and the evidence taken by him (but not the evidence without the report) shall be evidence in the suit and shall form part of the record; but the Court, or any of the parties to the suit with the permission of the Court, may examine the Commissioner personally in open Court touching any of the matters referred to him or mentioned in his report, or as to the manner in which he may have conducted the investigation.

Commissioner may be examined in person.

C.—Commission to investigate Accounts.

Commissioner to investigate and adjust accounts.

390. In any suit in which an investigation or adjustment of accounts is necessary, the Court may appoint such officer or other

person as aforesaid to be a Commissioner for the purpose of making such investigation or adjustment.

Court to give Commissioner necessary instructions.

391. The Court shall furnish the Commissioner with such part of the proceedings and such detailed instructions as appear necessary,

and the instructions shall distinctly specify whether the Commissioner is merely to transmit the proceedings which he may hold on the enquiry, or also to report his own opinion on the point referred for his investigation.

Proceedings of Commissioner may be received in evidence.
Power to make further enquiry if dissatisfied.

392. The proceedings of the Commissioner shall be received in evidence in the suit, unless the Court has reason to be dissatisfied with them, in which case the Court shall direct such further enquiry as is requisite, and shall make such decree or order as it thinks fit.

D.—General Provisions.

Expenses of Commission to be paid into Court.

393. Whenever a Commission is issued under any of the provisions of this Chapter, the Court, before issuing the Commission, may order such sum (if any) as it thinks reasonable for the expenses of the Commission to be paid into Court by the party at whose instance or for whose benefit the Commission is issued.

Attendance, examination and punishment of witnesses summoned by Commission.

394. The provisions of this Code relating to the summoning, attendance, and examination of witnesses and to the renumeration of, and penalties to be imposed upon, witnesses, shall apply to persons required to give evidence or to produce documents under the foregoing provisions relating to Commissions to examine persons, whether parties to the suit or not or to make local enquiries, or to investigate or adjust accounts.

The examinations of witnesses before a Commission shall be conducted in the same manner as the examination of witnesses is conducted in the Court from which the Commission issued.

The Commissioner shall take down all questions and answers, and make a note of the objections, if any, to the admissibility of evidence.

Any penalty to which a witness may be liable under this section shall, on the application of the Commissioner, be imposed by the Court from which the Commission issued.

The Commissioner shall have the same legal powers, as regards the summoning, examination and remuneration of witnesses, as the Court issuing the Commission.

Procedure *ex parte* where parties do not appear.

395. Whenever a Commission is issued under the provisions of this Chapter, the Court shall direct that the parties to the suit shall appear before the Commission in person or by their agents or pleaders.

If the parties do not so appear, the Commissioner may proceed *ex parte*.

PART III.

OF SUITS IN PARTICULAR CASES.

CHAPTER XXV.

SUITS BY PAUPERS.

Suits may be brought *in formâ pauperis*.

396. A suit may be brought *in formâ pauperis* in the Court having jurisdiction over the claim, subject to the following rules.

What suits excepted.

397. No suit shall be brought *in formâ pauperis* to recover compensation for loss of caste, slander, abusive language or assault.

Application to be by Petition on stamp paper.

398. The application for permission to institute a suit *in formâ pauperis* shall be by petition in writing.

Contents of petition.

399. The petition shall contain the particulars required by section 49 in regard to plaints in suits, and shall have annexed to it a schedule of any movable or immovable property belonging to the petitioner, with the estimated value thereof, and shall be subscribed and verified in the manner hereinbefore prescribed for the subscription and verification of plaints.

Presentation of petition.

400. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 32, the petition shall be presented to the Court by the petitioner in person.

But if he satisfy the Court that he is prevented by sickness from attending the Court in person, or if the petitioner be a female who, according to the custom of the country, ought not to be compelled to appear in public, the petition may be presented by a duly authorized agent who may be able to answer all material questions relating to the application, and who shall be liable to be examined in the same manner as the party represented by him might have been examined had such party attended in person.

Certain petitions may be presented by agent.

Rejection of petition.

401. If the petition be not framed or presented in the manner laid down in sections 399 and 400, the Court shall reject it.

Examination of petitioner.

402. If the petition be in form and duly presented, the presiding officer of the Court shall himself proceed to examine the petitioner, or his agent when the petitioner is allowed to appear by agent, regarding the merits of the claim and the property of the petitioner.

If presented by agent, Court may order petitioner to be examined by Commission.

When the petition is presented by an agent, the Court may, if it thinks proper, order that the petitioner be examined by a Commission in the manner in which the examination of an absent witness may be taken under the provisions of this Code.

Rejection of application.

403. If it appear to the Court upon such examination

(a) that the defendant, or the subject-matter of the suit, is not within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court, or

(b) that the right to sue is barred by lapse of time, or

(c) that the allegations of the petitioner do not shew a right to sue, or

(d) that he has failed to show that he is not possessed of sufficient means to enable him to pay the fee prescribed by law for the plaint, or

(e) that he has recently disposed of any property fraudulently or with a view to obtain the benefit of this Chapter,

the Court shall refuse to allow him to sue as a pauper.

Notice of day for receiving evidence of petitioner's pauperism.

404. If upon such examination the Court sees no reason to refuse the application on any of the grounds stated in the last preceding section, it shall fix a day, of which at least ten days' previous notice shall be given to the opposite party, for receiving such evidence as the petitioner may adduce in proof of his being a pauper, and for hearing any evidence which the opposite party may bring forward in disproof of his pauperism.

Procedure at hearing.

405. On the day so fixed or as soon thereafter as may be convenient, the Court shall examine the witnesses (if any) produced by either party, and make a memorandum of the substance of their evidence.

The Court shall also hear any argument which the parties may desire to offer on the question whether, on the face of the petition and of the evidence (if any) taken by the Court as herein provided, the petitioner is or is not subject to any of the prohibitions specified in section 403.

The Court shall then either allow or refuse to allow the petitioner to sue as a pauper.

Summons to witness.

406. Either party may, on application to the Court made in sufficient time before the day fixed for the hearing of the case, obtain a summons to any person to attend either to give evidence or to produce a document.

Court may institute local investigation.

407. Previously to passing a final order in the case, the Court may, if it thinks fit, cause a local investigation to be made in the manner laid down in sections 386 to 389 (both inclusive) regarding the property of the petitioner or regarding the amount or value of any property claimed.

Procedure if application admitted.

408. If the application of the petitioner be granted, it shall be numbered and registered and shall be deemed the plaint in the suit, and the suit shall proceed in all other respects as a suit instituted under chapter V, except that the plaintiff shall not be liable to any fee chargeable under the Court Fees Act, 1870, in respect of any petition, appointment of a pleader, or other proceeding connected with the suit.

Nothing in this section exempts the petitioner from—

(a) payment of the expenses of service of process,

(b) payment of the travelling and other expenses of witnesses,

(c) payment of the duty and penalty (if any) payable under the General Stamp Act on unstamped or insufficiently stamped instruments produced in Court by or on behalf of the petitioner, or

(d) giving security for costs, if he resides out of British India.

Costs when pauper succeeds.

409. If the plaintiff succeed in the suit, the Court may award to him such costs as it thinks fit, and shall calculate the amount of fees chargeable under the Court Fees Act, 1870, which would have been paid by the plaintiff if he had not been permitted to sue as a pauper, and such amount shall be recoverable by Government from any party ordered by the decree to pay the same, in the same manner as costs of suit are recoverable under this Code.

Recovery of *dives* stamp duty.

The costs of an application for permission to sue as a pauper and of an enquiry into pauperism are costs in the suit.

Procedure when pauper fails.

If the plaintiff fails in the suit, the Court may order him to pay costs to the defendant; and if it find that the suit was frivolous or vexatious it may also punish him with fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to a month, or with both.

Refusal to allow petitioner to sue as pauper to bar subsequent application of like nature.

410. Refusal to allow the petitioner to sue as a pauper shall be a bar to any subsequent application of the like nature in respect of the same right to sue; but the plaintiff shall be at liberty to institute a suit in the ordinary manner in respect of such right.

Dispaupering.

411. The Court may, on motion by the defendant, of which he shall have given one week's notice in writing to the plaintiff, order the plaintiff to be dispaupered—

(a) if he is guilty of vexatious or improper conduct in the course of the suit;

(b) if it appears that his means are such that he ought not to continue to sue as a pauper; or

(c) if he has entered into any agreement with reference to the subject-matter of the suit, which would be held invalid on the ground of its breeding litigation or being otherwise against public policy.

Attendance, examination and punishment of witnesses.

412. The provisions of Chapters XIV and XV relating to the summoning, attendance and examination of witnesses, and to the remuneration of, and penalties to be imposed upon, witnesses, shall apply to witnesses and other persons required to give evidence or to produce documents under the provisions of this Chapter.

CHAPTER XXVI.

SUITS BY OR AGAINST GOVERNMENT OR GOVERNMENT SERVANTS.

The Secretary of State in Council.

413. Suits by or against the Government shall be brought by or against (as the case may be) the Secretary of State for India in Council.

Persons authorized to act for Government.

414. Persons being *ex officio* or otherwise authorized to act for Government in respect of any judicial proceeding, shall be deemed to be the recognized agents by whom

appearances, acts and applications under this Code may be made or done on behalf of Government.

In suits by Secretary of State in Council.

415. In suits by the Secretary of State for India in Council, instead of inserting in the plaint the name and description and place of abode of the plaintiff, it shall be sufficient to insert the words "The Secretary of State for India in Council," and the plaint may be subscribed and verified by the Government Pleader of the Court in which the suit is brought, or, where there is no such Pleader, by the Pleader by whom the plaint is filed.

Agent of Government to receive process.

416. The person appointed to act as pleader on the part of Government in any Court, shall be accounted the agent of the Government for the purpose of receiving processes against the Government or the Secretary of State for India, issuing out of the Court in which such person may be the pleader of Government.

Government pleader where none specially appointed.

417. The person appointed to act as pleader on the part of Government in any District Court shall, for the purpose of the last preceding section, be considered the pleader of Government in any Court in such district in which no person has been specially appointed pleader on the part of Government in such Court.

Processes issued to Government pleader of another Court.

418. Processes issued by a Court to the Government pleader of another Court may be forwarded to him by post.

Service on Government Pleader.

419. If the suit be against the Secretary of State for India the summons shall be served on the Government Pleader of the Court in which the suit is instituted or on any other person appointed to receive process on behalf of the Governnent.

Appearance and answer by Secretary of State.

420. The Court, in fixing the day for the Secretary of State for India in Council to answer to the plaint, shall allow a reasonable time for the necessary communication with the Government through the proper channels, and for the issue of instructions to the Government Pleader to appear and answer on behalf of the Secretary of State for India or the Government, and may extend the time at its discretion on application being made for such extension.

The Court may also in any case in which the Government Pleader is not accompanied by any person on the part of the Secretary of State for India in Council, who may be able to answer any material questions relating to the suit, direct the attendance of such a person.

Service on Government servants.

421. If the defendant be in the service of Government, the Court may send a copy of the summons to the head officer of the office in which the defendant is employed, for the purpose of being served on him, if it shall appear to the Court that the summons may be most conveniently so served.

Service of summons in suits against Government officers for alleged official acts.

422. If the suit be against an officer of Government for an act which the plaintiff alleges to have been done by such officer in his official capacity, the summons shall be served upon such officer in the manner provided in section 421.

Extension of time to enable officer to make reference to Government.

423. If the officer on receiving the summons considers it proper to make a reference to the Government before answering to the plaint, he may apply to the Court to grant such extension of the time fixed in the summons as may be necessary to enable him to make such reference and to receive orders thereon through the proper channel;

and the Court upon such application may extend the time for so long as appears to be requisite.

Application where Government undertakes defence.

424. If the Government undertake the defence of a suit of the nature referred to in section 422, the Government Pleader, upon being furnished with authority to appear and answer to the plaint, shall apply to the Court, and upon such application the Court shall cause a note of his authority to be entered in the register.

Procedure where no such application made.

425. If such application is not made by the Government Pleader on or before the day fixed in the notice for the defendant to appear and answer to the plaint, the case shall proceed as in a suit between private parties, except that the defendant shall not be liable to arrest before judgment.

Defendant not liable to arrest before judgment.

Exemption of Government officers from personal appearance.

426. If in a suit against an officer of the Government the Court requires the personal appearance of the defendant, and the defendant satisfies the Court that he cannot absent himself from his duty without detriment to the public service, the Court shall exempt him from appearing in person, but he shall be liable to be examined in any way in which an absent witness may be examined.

Procedure where decree is against Government or officer on behalf of Government.

427. When the decree is against Government or against an officer acting on behalf of Government, and the officer against whom execution is applied for neglects or refuses to satisfy the decree, the Court shall report the case for the orders of the Local Government.

Execution shall not issue on any decree mentioned in this section unless it remains unsatisfied for the period of three months computed from the date on which the report of the case reaches the Local Government.

CHAPTER XXVII.

SUITS BY OR AGAINST NATIVE AND FOREIGN RULERS.

Persons specially appointed by Government to prosecute or defend a suit for a Prince or Chief.

428. Persons specially appointed by an order of the Governor General in Council or the Local Government at the request of any Sovereign Prince or independent Chief, whether residing within or without British India, to prosecute or defend a suit on his behalf shall be deemed to be the recognized agents by whom appearances, acts and applications under this Code may be made or done on behalf of such Prince or Chief.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

SUITS BY AND AGAINST CORPORATIONS AND COMPANIES.

Subscription and verification of plaint.

429. In suits by a Corporation, or by a Company authorized to sue and be sued in the name of an officer or of a trustee, the plaint may be subscribed and verified on behalf of the Corporation or Company by any director, secretary, or other principal officer of the Corporation or Company, who is able to depose to the facts of the case.

Service on a Corporation or Company.

430. When the suit is against a Corporation, or against a Company authorized to sue and be sued in the name of an officer or of a trustee,

the summons may be served by leaving the same at the registered office (if any) of the Corporation or Company, or sending it by post in a letter addressed to such officer or trustee at the office (or if there be more offices than one, at the principal office in British India) of the Corporation or Company, or by giving it to any director, secretary, or other principal officer of the Corporation or Company,

and the Court may require the personal appearance of any director, secretary, or other principal officer of the Corporation or Company who may be able to answer material questions relating to the suit.

CHAPTER XXIX.

SUITS BY AND AGAINST TRUSTEES, EXECUTORS AND ADMINISTRATORS.

Representation of beneficiaries in suits concerning property vested in trustees, &c.

431. In all suits concerning property vested in a trustee, executor or administrator, the trustee, executor or administrator shall represent the persons beneficially interested in such property; and it shall not ordinarily be necessary to make such persons parties to the suit. But the Court may, if it think fit, order them or any of them to be made such parties.

Joinder of executors and administrators.

432. Where there are several executors or administrators, they must all be made parties to a suit against one or more of them:

Provided that executors who have not proved their testator's will, and executors and administrators beyond the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court, need not be made parties.

Husband of married executrix not to join.

433. Unless the Court directs otherwise, the husband of a married administratrix or executrix shall not be a party to a suit by or against her.

CHAPTER XXX.

SUITS BY AND AGAINST MINORS AND PERSONS OF UNSOUND MIND.

Minor must sue by next friend.

434. Every suit on behalf of a minor, shall be instituted in the name of an adult person, who in such suit shall be called the next friend of the minor and may be ordered to pay any costs in the suit as if he were the plaintiff.

Costs.

Plaint filed without next friend, to be taken off the file.

435. If a plaint be filed on behalf of a minor, without a next friend, the defendant may apply by summons to have the plaint taken off the file, with costs to be paid by the pleader or other person by whom it was presented.

Guardian *ad litem* to be appointed by the Court.

436. Where the defendant to a suit, or respondent to any application, is a minor, the Court shall appoint a proper person to be guardian *ad litem* for such minor to put in the defence for such minor, and generally to act on such minor's behalf in the conduct and management of the case.

Applications to be made by next friend, or guardian *ad litem*.

437. Every application to the Court on behalf of a minor shall be made by his next friend, or his guardian *ad litem*.

Order obtained without next friend or guardian may be discharged.

438. Every order made in a suit or on any application before the Court, in or by which a minor is in any way concerned or affected, without such minor being represented by a next friend or guardian *ad litem*, as the case may be, may be discharged, with costs to be paid by the pleader of the party at whose instance such order was obtained, if such pleader knew, or might reasonably have known, the fact of such minority.

Costs.

Who may be next friend.

439. Any person, being *sui juris*, and not being a married woman, may act as next friend of a minor, provided his interest is not adverse to that of such minor, and he is not a defendant or respondent.

Removal of next friend.

440. If the interest of the next friend of a minor is adverse to that of such minor, or if he is so connected with a defendant or respondent whose interest is adverse to that of such minor, as to make it unlikely that the interest of such minor will be properly protected by him, or if he does not do his duty, or, pending the suit or application, ceases to reside within British India, or for any other sufficient cause, application may be made on behalf of such minor or by a defendant or respondent for his removal, and the Court (if satisfied of the sufficiency of the cause assigned) may order the next friend to be removed accordingly.

Retirement of next friend.

441. Unless otherwise ordered by the Court or a Judge, a next friend shall not retire at his own request without first procuring a fit and proper person to be put in his place, and giving security for the costs already incurred.

Application for appointment of new next friend.

442. The application for the appointment of a new next friend shall be by summons, and shall be supported by affidavit, showing the fitness of the person proposed, and also, that he has no interest adverse to the minor.

Stay of proceedings on death or removal of next friend.

443. On the death or removal, as aforesaid, of a next friend, further proceedings shall be stayed until the appointment of a next friend in his place.

Who may apply for appointment of new next friend.

444. Whoever seeks to be appointed a new next friend may apply through the minor's pleader by summons, for the appointment of a new next friend, whose fitness must be verified by affidavit.

If the pleader of such minor omits, within a reasonable time, to take steps to get a new next friend appointed, any person may apply, by summons, to the Court for the appointment of one, and the Court may appoint such person as it thinks fit.

Name of new next friend to be inserted in proceedings.

445. On the appointment of a new next friend his name as such shall thenceforth be inserted in the proceedings.

Written authority to act for next friend to be filed.

446. Before the name of any person can be used as the next friend of a minor, he must sign a written authority to the pleader for that purpose, which authority must be filed in Court.

Course to be followed by minor plaintiff or applicant on coming of age.

447. A minor plaintiff, or a minor not a party to a suit on whose behalf an application is pending, on coming of age, must elect whether he will proceed with the suit or application.

If he elects to proceed with it, he shall obtain an order discharging the next friend, and for leave to proceed in his own name.

The title of the suit or application shall in such case be corrected so as to read thenceforth thus:—"*A. B.*, late a minor by *C. D.*, his next friend, but now of full age."

When minor sole plaintiff, or sole applicant.

Costs.

If he elects to abandon the suit or application, he shall, if a sole plaintiff, or sole applicant, obtain an order to dismiss the suit or application on repayment of the costs incurred by the defendant or respondent or which may have been paid by his next friend.

In either case the application may be made by petition *ex parte*; and it must be proved by affidavit that the late minor has attained his full age.

When minor co-plaintiff, or co-applicant.

448. A minor co-plaintiff or co-applicant, on coming of age, and desiring to repudiate the suit or application, must apply to have his name struck out as co-plaintiff or co-applicant, or for permission to withdraw from the application.

The application shall be by summons to the next friend, as well as to the defendant or respondent; and it must be proved by affidavit that the late minor has attained his full age. The costs of all parties of such application, and of all or any proceedings theretofore had in the suit or matter, shall be paid by such persons as the Court directs.

Costs.

When suit or proceeding unreasonable or improper.

449. If any minor on attaining majority can prove to the satisfaction of the Court that a suit or proceeding instituted in his name by a next friend was unreasonable or improper, he may, if a sole plaintiff or sole applicant, apply to have the suit or proceeding dismissed, or, if a co-plaintiff or co-applicant, apply to have his name struck out as such co-plaintiff or co-applicant.

The application shall be by summons to all the parties concerned: and the Court, upon being satisfied of such unreasonableness or impropriety, may grant the application, and order the next friend to pay the costs of all parties of the application, and all or any of the costs of all parties of any proceeding theretofore had in the suit or matter.

Costs.

Minor cannot appear by another pleader without order to change pleader.

450. A minor, on attaining majority, will not be allowed to appear by another pleader, unless he has obtained an order to change the pleader.

Petition for appointment of guardian *ad litem*.

451. An order for the appointment of a guardian *ad litem* may be obtained upon petition in the name of the minor. The petition must be supported by an affidavit verifying the fact that the proposed guardian has no interest in the matters in question in the suit or application, adverse to that of the minor, and that he is a fit and proper person to be appointed.

Who may be guardian *ad litem*.

452. A co-defendant or co-respondent, if *sui juris*, may be appointed guardian *ad litem*, if he has no adverse interest; but neither a plaintiff, nor a party applicant, nor a married woman, can be appointed.

Assignment of guardian at instance of plaintiff or applicant.

453. If no application for the appointment of a guardian *ad litem* be made on behalf of a defendant or respondent to any application who is a minor, the plaintiff or applicant may, if default be made by the defendant or respondent in appearing to the suit, or answering the application, apply that a guardian *ad litem* may be appointed, and the Judge, on being satisfied that such defendant or respondent is a minor so that he is unable of himself to protect his interests in the suit or application, may assign a guardian to such defendant or respondent, by whom he may appear to and defend such suit, or answer such application.

Appearance by minor.

Guardian not to be assigned at instance of plaintiff or applicant without notice.

454. No such order shall be made, unless it appears to the Judge, on the hearing of the application for the appointment of a guardian *ad litem*,

(*a*) that a copy of the summons was duly served, and

(*b*) that notice of such application was, after the time within which the defendant or respondent was required to appear or answer, and at least four clear days before the hearing of such application, served upon the person with whom or under whose care such defendant or respondent was at the time of serving the summons; and

(*c*) in case of such defendant or respondent being a minor not residing with, or being under the care of, his father or guardian, that notice of such application was also served upon the father or guardian, if any, of such minor, unless the Court, at the time of hearing the application, thinks fit to dispense with such last-mentioned service.

On death of guardian, *pendente lite*, new guardian to be appointed.

455. If the guardian *ad litem* dies pending a suit, or pending an application made against a minor not a party to a suit, a new guardian must be appointed in his place, in the same manner as the original guardian, and upon similar evidence.

Guardian neglecting his duty may be removed.

456. If the guardian *ad litem* of a minor defendant or respondent does not do his duty, or if other sufficient ground be made to appear, the Court may remove him, and may order him to pay such costs as may have been occasioned to any party by his breach of duty.

Costs.

When decree to be enforced against heir or representative.

457. When the enforcement of a decree is applied for against the heir or representative, being a minor of a deceased party, a guardian *ad litem* of such minor must be appointed, and a notice, similar to that issued under section 226, must be served on such guardian.

Day to show cause not to be given.

458. Where any decree is made against a minor defendant, no day to show cause shall be given, unless the Court otherwise orders.

Where decree or order for minor, payment to be made to Receiver.

459. Where a decree or order, not solely for costs of suit, has been made by the Court, under which any sum of money, or any other thing, is payable to or receivable by a minor, every such sum of money, or thing, shall, unless the Court otherwise orders, be paid or delivered to the Receiver or other officer of the Court, whose duty it is to receive or realize, or obtain possession of and hold, the same on behalf of such minor.

Before decree, next friend or guardian *ad litem* not to receive money without leave of Court and giving security.

460. After the appointment of next friend or guardian *ad litem*, no sum of money, or other thing, shall be received or taken by him at any time on behalf of a minor, at any time before decree or order, unless he has first obtained the leave of the Court, and given security to the satisfaction of the Court, that such money or other thing shall be duly accounted for to, and held for the benefit of, such minor.

Next friend or guardian *ad litem* not to compromise without leave of Court.

461. No such next friend or guardian *ad litem* shall enter into any agreement or compromise on behalf of a minor, with reference to the suit in which he acts as next friend or guardian without the leave of the Court, to be applied for on petition.

Compromise without leave voidable.

Any such agreement or compromise entered into without the leave of the Court shall be voidable against all parties other than the minor.

Application of sections 434 to 461 to persons of unsound mind not found so by inquisition.

462. The provisions contained in sections 434 to 461 (both inclusive) shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply in the case of persons of unsound mind not found so by inquisition,

and on the application for the appointment of a guardian *ad litem*, it must also be proved by the affidavit of a medical man, or other person qualified to give the evidence, that the person who is said to be of unsound mind is actually in that condition, and incapable of taking care of his own affairs, or of understanding the purport or nature of the suit or application, or of defending or answering the same.

CHAPTER XXXI.

Suits by infirm Persons and Women.

Persons specially authorized by infirm persons to appear, sue or defend.

463. Persons who by reason of bodily infirmity are unable without risk or serious inconvenience to attend the Court in person, and women exempt under section 692 from appearing in Court, may give special powers-of-attorney to other persons, authorizing them to appear, sue or defend in a particular suit, and persons so authorized shall be deemed to be, for the purposes of this Code, recognised agents of their principals.

CHAPTER XXXII.

Suits by and against Military Men.

Officers or soldiers who cannot obtain leave may authorize any person to sue or defend for them.

464. When any officer or soldier in the military service of the Government is a party to a suit, and cannot obtain leave of absence for the purpose of prosecuting or defending the suit in person, he may authorize any person to sue or defend in his stead.

The authority shall be in writing and shall be signed by the officer or soldier in the presence of his commanding officer or of the next subordinate officer, if the party be himself the commanding officer. Such commanding or other officer shall countersign the authority, which shall be filed in Court.

When so filed, the countersignature shall be sufficient proof that the authority was duly executed, and that the officer or soldier by whom it was granted could not obtain leave of absence for the purpose of prosecuting or defending the suit in person.

Explanation.—In this chapter the expression 'commanding officer' means the officer in actual command for the time being of any Regiment, Corps, Detachment or Depôt, to which the officer or soldier belongs.

Person so authorized may act personally or appoint pleaders.

465. Any person authorized by an officer or soldier to prosecute or defend a suit in his stead may prosecute or defend it in person in the same manner as the officer or soldier could do if present; or he may appoint a pleader to prosecute or defend the suit on behalf of such officer or soldier.

Service on person so authorized, or on his pleader, to be good service.

466. Processes served upon any person authorized by an officer or soldier, as in section 464, or upon any pleader appointed as aforesaid by such person to act for or on behalf of such officer or soldier, shall be as effectual for all purposes relative to the suit as if the same had been served on the party in person or on a pleader appointed by him.

Service on officers and soldiers.

467. If the defendant be an officer or soldier in the military service of the Government, the Court shall send a copy of the summons to the commanding officer of such officer or soldier for the purpose of being served on him.

If the defendant be himself the commanding officer, such copy shall be sent for the same purpose to the next subordinate officer.

The officer to whom the summons is transmitted, after causing it to be served on the person to whom it is addressed, if practicable, shall return it to the Court with the written acknowledgment of such person endorsed thereon.

If from any cause the summons cannot be served upon the person to whom it is addressed, it shall be returned to the Court by which it was transmitted, with information of the cause which has prevented the service.

In such case the Court shall take such other means of serving the summons as it thinks fit.

Service of process in Cantonments, &c.

468. If, in the execution of a decree, process is to be executed within the limits of a Cantonment, Garrison, Military Station or Military Bázár, the officer entrusted with the execution of such process shall carry the same to the Commanding Officer.

The Commanding Officer, upon such process being produced to him, shall back the same with his signature, and, in the case of a warrant of arrest, shall cause the person named in the warrant to be arrested if within the limits of his command, and delivered, according to the exigency of the warrant, to the officer charged with the execution thereof.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

INTERPLEADER.

When interpleader suit may be instituted.

469. When two or more persons claim adversely to one another the same payment or property from another person whose only interest therein is that of a mere stakeholder and who only seeks to render it to the right owner, such stakeholder may institute a suit of interpleader against all the claimants for the purpose of having it decided to whom the thing claimed belongs and of obtaining indemnity for himself.

Illustration.

A obtains a decree against B. C, an officer of the Court, takes goods which he has reason to suppose are B's, in satisfaction of the decree. D alleges that the goods are his and threatens to sue C for their recovery. A on his part contends that the goods ought to be sold to satisfy his decree. C may institute an interpleader suit against A and D.

EXPLANATION.—If any suit is pending in which the rights of all parties can properly be decided, there is no occasion for an interpleader suit.

Plaint in such suit.

470. In every such suit the plaint must, in addition to the other statements necessary for plaints, state—

(*a.*) That the plaintiff has no interest in the thing claimed otherwise than as a mere stakeholder;

(*b.*) The claims made by the defendants severally;

(*c.*) That there is no collusion between the plaintiff and any of the defendants.

Payment of thing claimed into Court.

471. When the thing claimed is capable of being paid into Court or placed in the custody of the Court, the plaintiff must so pay or place it before he can be entitled to any order in the suit.

Procedure at first hearing.

472. At the first hearing the Court may

(*a*) declare that the plaintiff is discharged from all liability to the defendants in respect of the thing claimed, award him his costs, and dismiss him from the suit:

or if it thinks that justice or convenience so require

(*b*) retain all parties until the final disposal of the suit:

and, if it finds that the admissions of the parties or other evidence enable it,

(*c*) adjudicate the title to the thing claimed:

or else it may

(*d*) direct the defendants to interplead one another by filing statements and entering into evidence for the purpose of bringing their respective claims before the Court.

When agents and tenants may sue.

473. Nothing in this chapter shall be taken to enable agents to sue their principals or tenants to sue their landlords for the purpose of compelling them to interplead with any persons other than persons making claim through such principals or landlords.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A deposits a box of jewels with B as his agent. C alleges that the jewels were wrongfully obtained from him by A, and claims them from B. B cannot maintain an interpleader suit against A and C.

(*b*) A deposits a box of jewels with B as his agent. He then writes to C for the purpose of making the jewels a security for a debt due from himself to C. A afterwards alleges that C's debt is satisfied, and C alleges the contrary. Both claim the jewels from B. B may maintain an interpleader suit against A and C.

Charge of plaintiff's costs.

474. When the suit is properly instituted, the Court shall provide for the plaintiff's costs by giving him a charge on the thing claimed or in some other effectual way.

Procedure where a defendant is suing the stakeholder.

475. If any of the defendants in an interpleader suit is actually suing the stakeholder being the plaintiff in that suit, the Court in which the suit against the stakeholder is pending shall, on being duly informed that a decree has been made in the interpleader suit in favour of the stakeholder, stay the proceedings as against him; and his costs in the suit so stayed may be provided for in the suit so stayed, but if, and so far as, they are not provided for in that suit, they may be added to his costs incurred in the interpleader suit.

Costs.

PART IV.

OF PROVISIONAL REMEDIES.

CHAPTER XXXIV.

OF ARREST BEFORE JUDGMENT.

When plaintiff may apply that security be taken.

476. If at any stage of a suit the plaintiff satisfies the Court that the defendant, with intent to avoid or delay the plaintiff, or to avoid any process of the Court, or to obstruct or delay the execution of any decree that may be passed against him,

(*a*) has absconded or left the jurisdiction of the Court, or

(*b*) is about to abscond or to leave the jurisdiction of the Court, or

(*c*) has disposed of or removed from the jurisdiction of the Court his property or any part thereof, or

is about to leave British India under circumstances affording reasonable probability that the plaintiff will or may thereby be obstructed or delayed in the execution of any decree that may be passed against the defendant in the suit,

the plaintiff may apply to the Court that security be taken for the appearance of the defendant to answer any decree that may be passed against him in the suit.

Order to bring up defendant to show cause why he should not give security.

477. If the Court, after examining the applicant, and making such further investigation as it may consider necessary, is satisfied that the defendant, with any such intent as aforesaid,

(*a*) has absconded or left the jurisdiction of the Court, or

(*b*) is about to abscond or to leave the jurisdiction of the Court, or

(*c*) has disposed of or removed from the jurisdiction of the Court his property or any part thereof, or

(*d*) is about to leave British India under the circumstances last aforesaid,

the Court may issue an order for bringing the defendant before the Court to show cause why he should not give security for his appearance.

If defendant fail to show cause, Court may order him to make deposit or give security.

478. If the defendant fail to show such cause, the Court shall order him, either to deposit in Court money or other property sufficient to answer the claim against him, or to give security for his appearance at any time when called upon while the suit is pending, and until execution or satisfaction of any decree that may be passed against him in the suit.

The surety shall bind himself, in default of such appearance, to pay any sum of money which the defendant may be ordered to pay in the suit.

Procedure in case of application by surety to be discharged.

479. The surety for the appearance of the defendant may at any time apply to the Court in which he became such surety to be discharged from his obligation.

On such application being made, the Court shall summon the defendant to appear, or, if it thinks fit, may issue a warrant for his arrest in the first instance.

On the appearance of the defendant pursuant to the summons or warrant, or on his voluntary surrender, the Court shall direct the surety to be discharged from his obligation, and shall call upon the defendant to find fresh security.

Procedure where defendant fails to give security or find fresh security.

480. If the defendant fail to comply with an order under either of the two last preceding sections, the Court may commit him to jail until the decision of the suit, or, if judgment be given against the defendant, until the execution of the decree.

Compensation where defendant arrested or suit instituted on insufficient grounds.

481. If it appear to the Court that the arrest of the defendant was applied for on insufficient grounds,

or if, after such arrest, the suit of the plaintiff is dismissed, or judgment is given against him by default or otherwise, and it appears to the Court that there was no probable ground for instituting the suit,

the Court may, on the application of the defendant, award against the plaintiff in its decree such amount, not exceeding one thousand rupees, as it deems a reasonable compensation to the defendant for any injury or loss which he has sustained by reason of such arrest:

Proviso.

Provided that the Court shall not award a larger amount of compensation under this section than it is competent to such Court to decree in a suit for compensation.

An award under this section shall bar any suit for compensation in respect of such arrest.

CHAPTER XXXV.

OF ATTACHMENT BEFORE JUDGMENT.

Application before judgment for security from defendant to fulfil decree, and in default, for an attachment of his property.

482. If at any stage of any suit the plaintiff satisfies the Court that the defendant, with intent to obstruct or delay the execution of any decree that may be passed against him,

(*a*) is about to dispose of the whole or any part of his property, or to remove the same from the jurisdiction of the Court in which the suit is pending, or

(*b*) has quitted the jurisdiction of the Court, leaving therein property belonging to him,

the plaintiff may apply to the Court to call upon the defendant to furnish security to fulfil any decree that may be passed against him in such suit, and, on his failing to give such security, to direct that any such property shall be attached until the further order of the Court.

Contents of application.

483. The application shall contain a specification of the property required to be attached, and the estimated value of each article or item thereof; and the plaintiff shall, at the time of making the application, declare that the defendant is about to dispose of or remove his property with such intent as aforesaid.

The declaration shall be in writing, and shall be verified in the manner hereinbefore provided for the verification of plaints:

Provided that the Court may dispense with the specification and valuation required by this section, if satisfied of the plaintiff's inability to furnish the same.

Court may call on defendant to furnish security or show cause.

484. If the Court, after examining the applicant, and making any further investigation which it may consider necessary, is satisfied that the defendant is about to dispose of or remove his property, with intent to obstruct or delay the execution of any decree that may be passed against him in the suit, the Court may require him, within a time to be fixed by the Court, either to furnish security in such sum

as may be specified in the order, to produce and place at the disposal of the Court, when required, the said property or the value of the same, or such portion thereof as may be sufficient to fulfil the decree, or to appear and show cause why he should not furnish security.

The Court may also in the order direct the provisional attachment of the whole or any portion of the property specified in the application.

Attachment if cause not shown or security not furnished.

485. If the defendant fail to show cause why he should not furnish security, or fail to furnish the security required within the time fixed by the Court, the Court may order that the property specified in the application, or such portion thereof as appears sufficient to fulfil any decree which may be passed in the suit, shall be attached.

Withdrawal of attachment.

486. If the defendant show such cause or furnish the required security, and the property specified in the application or any portion of it has been ordered to be attached, the Court shall order the attachment to be withdrawn.

Mode of making attachment.

487. The attachment shall be made, according to the nature of the property to be attached, in the manner hereinbefore provided for the attachment of property in execution of a decree for money.

Investigation of claims to property attached before judgment.

488. If any claim be preferred to the property attached before judgment, such claims shall be investigated in the manner hereinbefore provided for the investigation of claims to property attached in execution of a decree for money.

Removal of attachment when security furnished.

489. When an order of attachment before judgment is passed, the Court which passed the order shall remove the attachment whenever the defendant furnishes the security required, together with security for the costs of the attachment.

Compensation for obtaining attachment or instituting suit on insufficient grounds.

490. If it appear to the Court that the attachment was obtained on insufficient grounds, or

if, after the attachment, the suit of the plaintiff is dismissed or judgment is given against him by default or otherwise,

and it appears to the Court that there was no probable ground for instituting the suit, the Court which disposes of the case may, on the application of the defendant, award against the plaintiff in its decree such amount, not exceeding one thousand rupees, as it deems a reasonable compensation to the defendant for the expense or injury occasioned to him by the attachment:

Proviso.

Provided that the Court shall not award a larger amount under this section than it is competent to such Court to decree in a suit for compensation.

An award under this section shall bar any suit for compensation in respect of such attachment.

Attachment not to affect rights of strangers, or bar the decree-holder from applying for sale.

491. Attachment before judgment shall not affect the rights of persons not parties to the suit, nor bar any person holding a decree against the defendant from applying for the sale of the property under attachment in execution of such decree.

Stay of sale of property already under attachment, when execution of decree fraudulently obtained is applied for.

492. If it appear to the Court by which the property has been ordered to be attached before judgment, that there is reasonable ground for supposing that the decree in satisfaction of which the sale of the property is applied for under the provisions of section 491, was obtained by fraud or other improper means, the Court may refuse to allow the property to be sold in execution if the decree be a decree of that Court, or if it be a decree of another Court, may stay the proceedings for a reasonable time to enable the person on whose application the property was ordered to be attached to adopt proceedings to set aside the decree.

When party may be put in immediate possession of land, the subject of suit.

493. When land paying revenue to Government, or a tenure liable to summary sale, forms the subject of a suit, if the party in possession of such land or tenure neglects to pay the Government revenue, or the rent due to the proprietor of the tenure, as the case may be, and a sale is in consequence ordered to take place, the party to the suit not in possession shall, upon payment of the revenue or rent due previously to the sale (and with or without security at the discretion of the Court), be put in immediate possession of the land or tenure;

and the Court in its decree may award against the defendant the amount so paid, with interest thereupon at such rate as the Court thinks fit, or may charge the amount so paid, with interest thereupon at such rate as the Court orders, in any adjustment of accounts which may be directed in the decree passed in the suit.

CHAPTER XXXVI.

Of temporary Injunctions.

Cases in which temporary injunction may be granted.

494. If it be shown to the satisfaction of the Court that any property in dispute in a suit is in danger of being wasted, damaged or alienated by any party to the suit, the Court may grant a temporary injunction to restrain such act, or give such other order for the purpose of staying and preventing the wasting, damaging or alienation of the property as the Court thinks fit.

Temporary injunction against fraudulent removal.

495. Where during the pendency of a suit it is shown to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant threatens, or is about, to remove or dispose of his property with intent to defraud his creditors, the Court may grant a temporary injunction to restrain such removal or disposition.

Injunction to restrain repetition or continuance of breach.

496. In any suit for restraining the defendant from committing a breach of contract or other injury, and whether compensation be claimed in the suit or not, the plaintiff may, at any time after the commencement of the suit, and either before or after judgment, apply to the Court for a temporary injunction to restrain the defendant from the repetition or the continuance of the breach of contract or wrongful act complained of, or the committing of any breach of contract or injury of a like kind arising out of the same contract or relating to the same property or right.

Such injunction may be granted by the Court on such terms as to the duration of the injunction, keeping an account, giving security, or otherwise, as the Court thinks fit.

In case of disobedience, an injunction granted under this section or section 494 or 495 may be enforced by the imprisonment of the defendant or the attachment of his movable property or both.

Before granting injunction, Court may direct notice to be given to opposite party.

497. The Court may in all cases, and shall in all cases except those of great urgency, before granting an injunction, direct notice of the application for the same to be given to the opposite party.

Injunction to corporation binding on its members and officers.

498. An injunction directed to a corporation is binding not only on the corporation itself but also on all members and officers of the corporation whose personal action it seeks to restrain.

Order for injunction may be discharged, varied or set aside.

499. Any order for an injunction may be discharged or varied or set aside by the Court, on application made thereto by any party dissatisfied with such order.

Compensation to defendant for issue of injunction on insufficient grounds.

500. If it appears to the Court that the injunction was applied for on insufficient grounds, or

if, after the issue of the injunction, the claim of the plaintiff is dismissed or judgment is given against him by default or otherwise,

and it appears to the Court that there was no probable ground for instituting the suit,

the Court may, on the application of the defendant, award against the plaintiff in its decree such sum, not exceeding one thousand rupees, as it deems a reasonable compensation to the defendant for the expense or injury occasioned to him by the issue of the injunction:

Proviso.

Provided that the Court shall not award a larger amount under this section than it is competent to such Court to decree in a suit for compensation.

An award of compensation under this section shall bar any suit for damages in respect of the issue of the injunction.

CHAPTER XXXVII.

Appointment of Receivers and Managers, and Deposit in Court.

Powers of Court as to management of immovable property in suit.

501. Whenever it appears to the Court to be necessary for the preservation or the better management or custody of any immovable property which is in dispute in a suit in such Court, the Court may

(*a*) appoint a Receiver or Manager of such property, on such terms as to security or otherwise as to the Court seems fit;

and may, if need be,

(*b*) remove the person in whose possession or custody the property may be from the possession or custody thereof,

(*c*) commit the same to the custody of such Receiver or Manager,

(*d*) grant to such Receiver or Manager such fee or commission on the rents and profits of the property by way of remuneration, and all such powers as to bringing and defending suits, and for the management, protection, preservation and improvement of the property, and the collection of the rents and profits thereof, and the application and disposal of such rents and profits, as the owner himself has, or such of those powers as the Court thinks fit.

When Collector may be appointed Receiver.

502. If the property be land paying revenue to Government, or land of which the revenue has been assigned or redeemed, and the Court considers that the interests of those concerned will be promoted by the management of the Collector, the Court may appoint the Collector to be Receiver or Manager of such land, unless the Government by any general order prohibits the appointment of Collectors for such purpose, or in any particular case prohibits the appointment of the Collector to be such Receiver or Manager.

Deposit of money, &c., in Court.

503. When the subject-matter of a suit is money or some other thing capable of delivery, and any party thereto admits that he holds such money or other thing as a trustee for another party, or that it belongs or is due to another party, the Court may order the same to be deposited in Court or delivered to such last named party, with or without security, subject to the further direction of the Court.

PART V.

OF SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS.

CHAPTER XXXVIII.

Reference to Arbitration.

Parties to suit may apply for order of reference.

504. If all the parties to a suit desire that any matter in difference between them in the suit be referred to arbitration, they may, at any time during the litigation, apply in writing to the Court for an order of reference.

Nomination of arbitrator.

505. The arbitrator shall be nominated by the parties in such manner as may be agreed upon between them.

When Court to nominate arbitrator.

506. If the parties cannot agree with respect to the nomination of the arbitrator, or if the person whom they nominate refuses to accept the arbitration, and the parties are desirous that the nomination shall be made by the Court, the Court shall nominate the arbitrator.

Order of reference.

507. The Court shall, by an order, refer to the arbitrator the matter in difference which he may be required to determine, and shall fix such time as it thinks reasonable for the delivery of the award, and specify such time in the order.

When once a matter is referred to arbitration, the Court shall not deal with it in the same suit unless the reference be fruitless, in which case the

Court may issue an order superseding the arbitration and restoring the suit to the file of the Court.

When reference is to two or more, order to provide for difference of opinion.

508. If the reference be to two or more arbitrators, provision shall be made in the order for a difference of opinion among the arbitrators

(*a*) by the appointment of an umpire, or

(*b*) by declaring that the decision shall be with the majority if the major part of the arbitrators agree, or

(*c*) by empowering the arbitrators to appoint an umpire, or

(*d*) otherwise, as may be agreed between the parties; or, if they cannot agree, as the Court determines.

Death, incapacity, &c., of arbitrators or umpire.

509. If the arbitrator, or, where there are more arbitrators than one, any of the arbitrators, or the umpire, dies, or refuses, or neglects, or becomes incapable to act, the Court, if any of the parties so desire, may appoint a new arbitrator or umpire in the place of the person so dying, or refusing, or neglecting or becoming incapable to act.

Appointment of umpire by Court.

510. Where the arbitrators are empowered by the terms of the order of reference to appoint an umpire and fail to do so, any of the parties may serve the arbitrators with a written notice to appoint an umpire; and if within seven days after such notice shall have been served, no umpire be appointed, the Court, upon the application of the party having served such notice as aforesaid, and upon proof to its satisfaction of such notice having been served, may appoint an umpire.

Power of arbitrator or umpire appointed under section 509 or 510.

511. An arbitrator or umpire appointed under either of the last two preceding sections shall have the like powers to act in the reference, as if his name had been inserted in the order of reference.

Summoning witnesses.

512. The Court shall issue the same processes to the parties and witnesses whom the arbitrators or umpire desire to examine, as the Court is authorized to issue in suits tried before it.

Punishment for default, &c.

Persons not attending in accordance with such process, or making any other default, or refusing to give their evidence, or being guilty of any contempt to the arbitrator or umpire during the investigation of the matters referred, shall be subject to the like disadvantages, penalties and punishments by order of the Court on the representation of the arbitrator or umpire, as they would incur for the like offences in suits tried before the Court.

Extension of time for making award.

513. If from the want of the necessary evidence or information, or from any other cause, the arbitrator does not complete the award within the period specified in the order, the Court may, if it think fit, grant a further time, and from time to time enlarge the period for the delivery of the award.

When umpire may arbitrate in lieu of arbitrators.

514. When an umpire has been appointed, he may enter on the reference in the place of the arbitrators

(*a*) if they have allowed the appointed time to expire without making an award, or

(*b*) when they have delivered to the Court or to the umpire a notice in writing, stating that they cannot agree.

Award to be signed and filed.

515. When an award in a suit has been made, the person or persons who made it shall sign it and shall file it in Court, together with any documents which have been filed; and notice of the filing of the award shall be given to the parties.

Arbitrator or umpire may state special case.

516. Upon any reference by an order of Court, the arbitrator or umpire may, if he thinks fit and unless the Court otherwise directs, state his award as to the whole or any part thereof in the form of a special case for the opinion of the Court.

Court may, on application, modify or correct award in certain cases.

517. The Court may, on the application of either of the parties, modify or correct an award,

(*a*) where it appears that a part of the award is upon a matter not referred to arbitration, provided such part can be separated from the other part and does not affect the decision on the matter referred, or

(*b*) where the award is imperfect in form, or contains any obvious error which can be amended without affecting such decision.

Order as to costs of arbitration.

518. The Court may also, on the application of either of the parties or of the person or persons making the award, make such order as it thinks fit respecting the costs of the arbitration, if any question arise respecting such costs and the award contain no sufficient provision concerning them.

When award or matter referred to arbitration may be remitted.

519. In any of the following cases the Court may remit the award or any matter referred to arbitration to the reconsideration of the same arbitrators or umpire, upon such terms as it thinks fit, that is to say:—

(*a*). If the award has left undetermined any of the matters referred to arbitration, or if it determine any matter not referred to arbitration;

(*b*). If the award is so indefinite as to be incapable of execution;

(*c*). If an objection to the legality of the award is apparent upon the face of it.

Grounds for setting aside award.

520. An award remitted under section 519 becomes null and void on the refusal of the arbitrators or umpire to reconsider it. But no award shall be liable to be set aside except on one of the following grounds (namely)—

(*a*) corruption or misconduct of the arbitrator or umpire,

(*b*) either party having been guilty of fraudulent concealment of any matter which he ought to have disclosed, or of wilfully misleading or deceiving the arbitrator or umpire;

(*c*) the award having been made after the issue of an order by the Court superseding the arbitration and restoring the suit;

And no award shall be valid unless made within the period allowed by the Court:

Judgment to be according to award.

521. If the Court sees no cause to remit the award or any of the matters referred to arbitration for reconsideration in manner aforesaid, and if no application has been made to set aside the award, or if the Court has refused such application,

the Court shall, after the time for making such application has expired, proceed to give judgment according to the award,

or, if the award has been submitted to it in the form of a special case, according to its own opinion on such case:

Upon the judgment so given a decree shall follow, and shall be enforced in manner provided in this Code for the execution of decrees.

Agreement of parties to refer to arbitration may be filed in Court.

522. When any persons by an instrument in writing agree that any difference between them or any of them shall be referred to the arbitration of any person named in the agreement or to be appointed by any Court having jurisdiction in the matter to which the agreement relates, the parties thereto, or any of them, may apply that the agreement be filed in such Court.

Application to be stamped, numbered and registered.

523. The application shall be in writing and shall be numbered and registered as a suit between one or more of the parties interested or claiming to be interested as plaintiff or plaintiffs, and the others or other of them as defendants or defendant, if the application have been presented by all the parties, or, if otherwise, between the applicant as plaintiff and the other parties as defendants.

Notice to show cause against filing it.

524. On such application being made, the Court shall direct notice thereof to be given to any of the parties to the agreement other than the applicants, requiring such parties to show cause, within the time specified in the notice, why the agreement should not be filed.

If no cause shown, agreement to be filed and order made thereon.

525. If no sufficient cause be shown against the filing of the agreement, the agreement shall be filed and an order of reference to arbitration shall be made thereon.

Explanation.—The fact that one of the parties to the agreement has revoked his consent to refer is not a sufficient cause within the meaning of this section.

Provisions of this chapter applicable to proceedings under order of reference.

526. The foregoing provisions of this chapter, so far as they are not inconsistent with the terms of any agreement so filed, shall be applicable to all proceedings under an order of reference made by the Court under the last preceding section, and to the award of arbitration and to the enforcement of the decree founded thereupon.

Filing award in matter referred to arbitration without intervention of Court.

527. When any matter has been referred to arbitration without the intervention of a Court of Justice, and an award has been made thereon, any person interested in the award may apply to the Court of the lowest grade having jurisdiction over the whole matter to which the award relates, that the award be filed in Court.

Application to be numbered and registered.

The application shall be in writing and shall be numbered and registered as a suit between the applicant as plaintiff and the other parties as defendants.

Notice to parties to arbitration.

The Court shall direct notice to be given to the parties to the arbitration other than the applicant, requiring them to show cause, within a time specified, why the award should not be filed.

Filing and enforcement of such award.

528. If no sufficient cause be shown against the award, the award shall be filed and may be enforced as a decree upon an award made under the provisions of this Chapter.

CHAPTER XXXIX.

Of Proceedings on Agreement of Parties.

Parties interested in questions of fact or law may agree to abide by finding of Court thereon.

529. Parties claiming to be interested in the decision of any question of fact or law, may enter into an agreement in writing—

(*a*) that such question be stated in the form of a special case for the opinion of the Court; or

(*b*) that upon the finding of the Court in the affirmative or negative of such question, a sum of money fixed by the parties or to be determined by the Court, shall be paid by one of the parties to the other of them; or

(*c*) that some property, movable or immovable, specified in the agreement, shall be delivered by one of the parties to the other of them; or

(*d*) that one or more of the parties shall do or perform, or refrain from doing or performing some other particular act specified in the agreement.

Agreement to state value of subject-matter.

530. If the agreement is for the delivery of any property, or for the doing or performing, or the refraining from doing or performing, any particular act, the estimated value of the property to be delivered, or to which the act specified has reference, shall be stated in the agreement.

Agreement to be filed and numbered as a suit.

531. The agreement may be filed in the Court of the lowest grade having jurisdiction in the matter to which it relates, and, when so filed, shall be numbered and registered as a suit between one or more of the parties interested, or claiming to be interested, as plaintiff or plaintiffs, and the other or others of them as defendant or defendants; and notice shall be given to all the parties to the agreement other than the party or parties by whom it was presented.

Parties to be subject to Court's jurisdiction.

532. After the agreement has been filed, the parties to it shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the Court, and shall be bound by the statements contained in the agreement.

Hearing and disposal of the case.

533. The case shall be set down for hearing as a suit instituted under chapter V, the provisions of which shall apply to such suit so far as the same are applicable.

If the Court is satisfied, after an examination of the parties or taking such evidence as it thinks fit,

(*a*) that the agreement was duly executed by them, and

(*b*) that they have a *bonâ fide* interest in the question of fact or law stated therein, and

(*c*) that the same is fit to be tried,

it shall proceed to try the same and deliver judgment thereon, in the same way as in an ordinary suit, and upon the judgment so given a decree shall follow, and shall be enforced in the manner provided in this Code for the execution of decrees.

CHAPTER XL.

OF SUMMARY PROCEDURE ON NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS.

Commencement of suits upon bills of exchange, &c.

534. All suits upon bills of exchange, hundís or promissory notes commenced in any High Court within six months after the same have become due and payable, may, in case the plaintiff desires to proceed under this chapter, be commenced as follows (namely)—

(*a*) the plaint shall be in the form prescribed by this Code;

(*b*) the summons shall be in the form contained in the fourth schedule hereto annexed, No. 168, or in such other form as the High Court may from time to time prescribe.

In any case in which the plaint and summons are in such forms respectively, the defendant shall not appear to or defend the suit unless he obtains leave from a Judge as hereinafter mentioned so to appear and defend;

and in default of his obtaining such leave or of appearance and defence in pursuance thereof, the plaintiff shall be entitled to a decree for any sum not exceeding the sum mentioned in the summons, together with interest at the rate specified (if any) to the date of the decree, and a sum for costs to be fixed by a rule of the High Court, unless the plaintiff claim more than such fixed sum, in which case the costs shall be ascertained in the ordinary way, and such decree may be enforced forthwith.

Defendant showing a defence upon the merits to have leave to appear.

535. The High Court shall, upon application within the period of seven days from the service of such summons, give leave to appear and to defend the suit, upon the defendant paying into Court the sum mentioned in the summons or upon affidavits satisfactory to the Court, which disclose a defence, or such facts as would make it incumbent on the holder to prove consideration, or such other facts as the Court may deem sufficient to support the application, and on such terms as to security, framing and recording issues, or otherwise, as the Court thinks fit.

Power to set aside decree.

536. After decree, the High Court may, under special circumstances, set aside the decree, and if necessary stay or set aside execution, and may give leave to appear to the summons and to defend the suit, if it seem reasonable to the Court so to do, and on such terms as the Court thinks fit.

Power to order bill to be deposited with officer of Court.

537. In any proceedings under this chapter the High Court may order the bill or note on which the suit is founded to be forthwith deposited with an officer of the Court, and may further order that all proceedings shall be stayed until the plaintiff gives security for the costs thereof.

Recovery of cost of noting non-acceptance of dishonoured bill.

538. The holder of every dishonoured bill of exchange or promissory note shall have the same remedies for the recovery of the expenses incurred in noting the same for non-acceptance or non-payment, or otherwise, by reason of such dishonour, as he has under this chapter for the recovery of the amount of such bill or note.

This Code and rules made hereunder to apply to proceedings under this chapter.

539. The provisions of this Code and all rules made under or by virtue of this Code shall, so far as the same are or may be made applicable, extend and apply to all proceedings under this chapter, except so far as such proceedings are regulated by this chapter.

Power to extend this chapter.

540. The Local Government may, by notification in the official *Gazette*,

(*a*) direct that all or any part of the provisions of this chapter shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to all or any of the Courts in the territories subject to such Government other than a High Court,

(*b*) direct by whom any of the powers and duties incident to the provisions so applied shall be exercised and performed, and

(*c*) make any rules which it thinks requisite for carrying into operation the provisions so applied.

Within one month after such notification has been published, such provisions shall apply accordingly, and the rules so made shall have the force of law.

Any such notification may be in like manner from time to time altered or annulled.

PART VI.

OF APPEALS.

CHAPTER XLI.

BAR OF APPEALS NOT EXPRESSLY PERMITTED.

Bar of appeals not expressly permitted.

541. Except as provided by this Code or by any other enactment for the time being in force, no appeal shall lie from any decree or order.

Illustration.

No appeal shall lie from a decree or order made in any suit under Act No. XIV of 1859, section 15.

CHAPTER XLII.

OF APPEALS FROM ORIGINAL DECREES.

Appeal to lie from all original decrees, except when expressly prohibited.

542. Unless when otherwise expressly provided in this Code or by any other law for the time being in force, an appeal shall lie from the decrees or from any part of the decrees of the Courts exercising original jurisdiction to the Courts authorized to hear appeals from the decisions of those Courts:

Provided that no appeal shall be admitted on a question solely relating to costs, except under the circumstances mentioned in section 201.

Appeal to High Court to be heard by two or more Judges.

543. If the appeal lie to the High Court, it shall be heard and determined by a Court consisting of two or more Judges of that Court.

HOW APPEALS ARE TO BE PREFERRED.

Form of appeal.

544. The appeal shall be made in the form of a memorandum presented in the Appellate Court within the period prescribed in this behalf by the Indian Limitation Act.

Memorandum to be accompanied by copy of decree.

545. The memorandum of appeal shall be accompanied by a copy of the decree appealed against.

Memorandum of appeal.

546. The memorandum of appeal shall set forth, concisely and under distinct heads, the grounds of objection to the decree appealed against, without any argument or narrative, and such grounds shall be numbered consecutively.

Appellant confined to grounds set out.

547. The appellant shall not, without the leave of the Court, urge or be heard in support of any other ground of objection, but the Court in deciding the appeal shall not be confined to the grounds set forth by the appellant:

Provided that the Court shall not rest its decision on any ground not set forth by the appellant, unless the respondent has had sufficient opportunity of meeting the appellant's case on that ground.

Memorandum of Appeal to High Court may be general.

548. If the appeal be to the High Court, but not from a decree made by that Court in the exercise of its ordinary or extraordinary original civil jurisdiction, the memorandum of appeal, instead of stating the grounds of objection to the decree appealed against, may state only the dissatisfaction of the party preferring the appeal with the decree and his intention to file his grounds of objection subsequently.

Time for filing grounds of objection in such case.

In such case the grounds of objection shall be filed within one month from the date of the receipt in the High Court of the record of the suit in which the appeal is made, to be certified by an officer of the High Court at the time of the receipt of the record, or within such shorter period as the High Court by a general rule published in the local official Gazette may from time to time appoint.

Power to extend time for filing grounds of objection.

549. The High Court may, for sufficient reason, extend the time allowed in the last preceding section for filing the grounds of objection.

Separate grounds of objection to be on stamp-paper.

550. The grounds of objection, when filed separately from the memorandum of appeal, shall be written on a stamp-paper of the value of four rupees. If the grounds of objection cannot be contained in a single sheet of stamp-paper, every additional sheet used shall bear a stamp of one rupee.

Sections 545, 546 and 547 to apply to grounds of objection separately filed.

551. The provisions of sections 545, 546 and 547, shall apply to the grounds of objection when filed separately from the memorandum of appeal.

Effect of memorandum not being presented in time.

552. If the memorandum of appeal be not presented within the prescribed period and no sufficient cause be shown for the delay, the appeal shall be disallowed.

Effect of grounds of objection not being filed in time.

553. If the grounds of objection, when allowed to be filed separately, be not filed within the prescribed period or within the further time to which such period may have been extended by the Court, the appeal shall be struck off the file.

Rejection of memorandum or grounds of objection for informality or want of proper stamp.

554. If the memorandum of appeal or the grounds of objection be not drawn up in the manner hereinbefore prescribed, or do not bear the proper stamp, such memorandum or grounds may be rejected or returned to the appellant for the purpose of being amended within a time to be fixed by the Court.

When the Court rejects under this section any memorandum or grounds of objection, it shall record the reasons for such rejection.

One of several plaintiffs or defendants may obtain a reversal of the whole decree if it proceed on a ground common to all.

555. If there be more plaintiffs or more defendants than one in a suit, and the decree appealed against proceed on any ground common to all the plaintiffs or to all the defendants, any one of the plaintiffs or of the defendants may appeal against the whole decree, and the Appellate Court may reverse or modify the decree in favour of all the plaintiffs or defendants as the case may be.

Illustrations.

(*a*). A sues B and C on a promissory note. The defendants plead payment. The Court decrees in favour of A. B alone appeals. The Appellate Court, holding that payment has been made, may reverse the decree in favour of both B and C.

(*b*). A sues B and C on a promissory note. B pleads payment and C pleads the Limitation Act. The Court overrules both pleas and decrees in favoue of A. B alone appeals. The Appellate Court may br of opinion that payment has been made, but cannot, on B's appeal, reverse the decree as regards C.

Power to adjourn hearing and direct persons appearing interested to be made parties.

556. If it appear to the Court at the hearing of an appeal that any person who was a party to the suit in the Court against whose decree the appeal it made, but who has not been made a party to the appeal, may be affected by the result of the appeal, the Court may adjourn the hearing of the appeal to a future day to be fixed by the Court, and direct that such person shall be made a respondent in the appeal.

OF STAYING AND EXECUTING DECREES UNDER APPEAL.

Execution of decree not stayed solely by reason of appeal.

557. Execution of a decree shall not be stayed by reason only of an appeal having been preferred against the decree; but the Appellate Court may, for sufficient cause shown, order the execution to be stayed.

Such order shall not be made in may case unless the Court is satisfied—

(*a*) that irreparable injury may result to the party applying for stay of execution unless the order is made; and

(*b*) that the application has been made without unreasonable delay.

If the Court orders execution to be stayed, it may impose upon the appellant whatever terms it thinks fit as to giving security for the performance of its decree or otherwise.

Stay of execution of appealable decree before time for appealing has expired.

558. If an application be made for the execution of a decree which is open to appeal, before the time allowed for appeal has expired, and the Court which passed the decree has not received intimation of an appeal having been preferred therefrom, the Court may, if sufficient cause be shown, stay the execution.

Security required before making order to stay execution.

Before making an order to stay execution, the Court shall require security to be given by the party against whom the decree was passed for the due performance of the decree or order of the Appellate Court.

Security in case of order for execution of a decree appealed against.

559. If an order is made for the execution of a decree against which an appeal has been preferred, the Court which passed the decree may, on sufficient cause being shewn by the appellant, require security to be given for the restitution of any property which may be taken in execution of the decree, or of the value of such property, and for the due performance of the decree or order of the Appellate Court,

or the Appellate Court may for like cause direct the Court which passed the decree to take such security.

No such security to be required from Government or public officers.

560. No such security as is mentioned in the last three preceding sections shall be required from the Government or from any officer of the Government sued as such.

Of Procedure in Appeal from Decrees.

Registry of memorandum of appeal.

561. When a memorandum of appeal is presented within the time allowed, the Appellate Court or the proper officer of that Court, if the memorandum be duly stamped and in the prescribed form, shall endorse thereon the date of presentment, and shall register the appeal in a book to be kept for the purpose.

Register.

Such book shall be called the Register of Appeals.

Appellate Court may require appellant to give security for costs.

562. The Appellate Court may, at its discretion, either before the respondent is called upon to appear and answer or afterwards on the application of the respondent, demand from the appellant security for the costs either of the appeal, or of the original suit, or of both:

When appellant resides out of British India.

Provided that the Court shall demand such security in all cases in which the appellant is residing out of British India, and is not possessed of any sufficient immovable property within British India independent of the property to which the appeal relates.

If such security be not furnished at the time of presenting the memorandum of appeal or within such time as the Court orders, the Court shall reject the appeal.

Appellate Court to give notice to Court whose decree is appealed against.

563. When the memorandum of appeal is registered, or when the grounds of objection are filed, the Appellate Court shall send notice of the appeal to the Court against whose decree the appeal is made.

Transmission of papers to Appellate Court.

If the appeal be from a Court the records of which are not deposited in the Appellate Court, the Court to which such notice is sent shall, upon the receipt thereof, transmit with all practicable despatch all material papers in the suit, or such papers as may be specially called for by the Appellate Court.

Copies of exhibits in Court whose decree is appealed against.

564. Either party may make an application in writing to the Court against whose decree the appeal is made, specifying any papers of which he requires copies to be made and deposited in such Court, and copies of such papers shall be prepared at the expense of the applicant, and shall be deposited accordingly.

Day for hearing appeal.

565. A day shall be fixed by the Appellate Court for the hearing of the appeal.

The day shall be so fixed, with reference to the place of residence of the respondent and the time necessary for the service of the notice of appeal, as to allow the respondent a sufficient time to enable him to appear and answer the appeal on such day.

Publication and service of notice of day for hearing appeal.

566. Notice of the day fixed for hearing the appeal shall be stuck up in the Appellate Court, and a like notice shall be sent by the Appellate Court to the Court against whose decree the appeal is made, and shall be served on the respondent or his pleader in the manner provided in chapter VI for the service of a summons to a defendant to appear and answer; and all rules applicable to such summons and to proceedings with reference to the service thereof, shall apply to the service of such notice.

Appellate Court may itself cause notice to be served.

Instead of sending the notice to the Court against whose decree the appeal is made, the Appellate Court may itself cause the notice to be served on the respondent or his pleader under the rules above referred to, whenever it appears convenient to do so.

Contents of notice.

567. The notice to the respondent shall declare that, if he does not appear in the Appellate Court on the day so fixed for the hearing of the appeal, the appeal will be heard *ex parte*.

Dismissal of appeal for appellant's default.

568. If on the day fixed for hearing the appeal or any other day subsequent thereto to which the hearing of the appeal may be adjourned, the appellant does not attend in person or by his pleader, the appeal shall be dismissed for default.

Hearing appeal *ex parte*.

If the appellant attends and the respondent does not attend, the appeal shall be heard *ex parte* in his absence.

Dismissal of appeal where notice has not been served in consequence of appellant's failure to deposit cost of notice.

569. If on the day fixed for hearing the appeal it be found that the notice to the respondent has not been served in consequence of the failure of the appellant to deposit, within the time allowed, the sum required to defray the cost of issuing the notice, the Court may order that the appeal be dismissed:

Proviso.

Provided that no such order shall be passed, although the notice has not been served upon the respondent, if on the day fixed for hearing the appeal the respondent appears in person or by a pleader, or by a duly authorized agent.

Re-admission of appeal dismissed for default.

570. If an appeal be dismissed for default, the appellant may apply to the Appellate Court for the re-admission of the appeal; and if it be proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the appellant was prevented by any sufficient cause from attending when the appeal was called on for hearing, the Court may re-admit the appeal on such terms as to costs or otherwise as the Court thinks fit to impose on the appellant.

Re-hearing on application of respondent against whom *ex parte* decree is made.

571. When an appeal is heard *ex parte* in the absence of the respondent and judgment is given against him, he may apply to the Appellate Court to re-hear the appeal; and if it be proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the respondent was prevented by sufficient cause from attending when the appeal was called on for hearing, the Court may re-hear the appeal on such terms as to costs or otherwise as the Court thinks fit to impose on the respondent.

Upon the hearing respondent may object to decree as if he had preferred a separate appeal.

572. The respondent, though he may not have appealed against any part of the decree, may, upon the hearing, take any objection to the decree which he could have taken by way of appeal, provided he gives the appellant seven days' notice in writing of such objection.

Form of notice, and provisions applicable thereto.

Such notice shall be in the form of a memorandum, and shall be on the stamp-paper prescribed for petitions to the Court; and the provisions of sections 545, 546 and 547, so far as they relate to the form and contents of the memorandum of appeal, shall be applicable to such notice.

Explanation.—A respondent cannot by such notice raise questions between himself and any other respondent or defendant to the suit, but can only raise questions between himself and the appellant.

Remand of case by Appellate Court.

573. If without going into the merits, the Court against whose decree the appeal is made disposes of the suit upon a preliminary point so as to exclude any evidence of fact which appears to the Appellate Court essential to the due determination of the rights of the parties, and the decree upon such preliminary point is reversed in appeal, the Appellate Court may, if it thinks fit, remand the case, together with a copy of the decree or order in appeal, to the Court against whose decree the appeal is made, with directions to re-admit the suit under its original number in the register, and

(*a*) to proceed to investigate the suit on the whole merits, and pass a decree thereon; or

(*b*) to try a particular issue; or

(*c*) to take certain specified evidence.

When further evidence barred.

574. When a case is remanded with directions to take certain specified evidence, the Court to which the case is remanded shall not take any other evidence in the case.

Re-settlement, by Appellate Court, of defective issues.

575. When no preliminary point has been wrongly decided and no evidence has been excluded by the Court against whose decree the appeal is made, but the Appellate Court considers the issues to have been defective or insufficient, the Appellate Court shall not remand the case, but shall re-settle the issues and determine them itself.

Limit to remand.

576. The Appellate Court shall not remand a case for a second decision, except as provided in section 573.

When evidence on record sufficient, Appellate Court shall determine case finally.

577. When the evidence upon the record is sufficient to enable the Appellate Court to pronounce judgment, the Appellate Court shall finally determine the case notwithstanding that the judgment of the Court against whose decree the appeal is made has proceeded wholly upon some ground other than that on which the Appellate Court proceeds.

When Appellate Court may frame issues and refer them for trial to Court whose decree is appealed against.

578. If the Court against whose decree the appeal is made has omitted to raise or try any issue or to determine any question of fact which appears to the Appellate Court essential to the right determination of the suit upon the merits, and the evidence upon the record is not sufficient to enable the Appellate Court to determine such issue or question, the Appellate Court may frame issues for trial, and may refer the same for trial to the Court against whose decree the appeal is made, and (subject to the rules contained in the Indian Evidence Act, 1872,) prescribe the manner in which the additional evidence required should be taken and the points to which it should be confined,

and such Court shall proceed to try such issue, and shall return to the Appellate Court its finding thereon together with the evidence.

Finding and evidence to be put on record.

579. Such finding and evidence shall become part of the record in the suit; and either party may, within a time to be fixed by the Appellate Court, file a memorandum of objections to the finding.

Objections to finding.

Memorandum of objections.

Such memorandum shall be on such stamp-paper and subject to such provisions as are prescribed for memorandums by sections 548 and 550.

Determination of appeal.

580. After the expiration of the period fixed for filing such memorandum, the Appellate Court shall proceed to determine the appeal.

581. The parties to an appeal shall not be entitled to produce additional evidence, whether oral or documentary, in the Appellate Court. But if

Production of additional evidence in Appellate Court.

(*a*) the Court against whose decree the appeal is made refused to admit evidence which ought to have been admitted, or

(*b*) the Appellate Court requires any document to be produced or any witness to be examined to enable it to pronounce judgment or for any other substantial cause,

the Appellate Court may allow such evidence to be produced, or document to be received, or witness to be examined.

Whenever additional evidence is admitted by an Appellate Court, the reason for the admission shall be recorded on the proceedings of the Court.

582. Whenever additional evidence is permitted to be received, the Appellate Court may either take such evidence, or require the Court against whose decree the appeal is made or any other Court, or may empower any person, to take such evidence, and to send it when taken to the Appellate Court.

Mode of taking additional evidence.

Subject to the rules contained in the Indian Evidence Act, 1872, the Appellate Court may also prescribe the manner in which such additional evidence shall be taken.

583. In all cases where additional evidence is permitted to be taken, the Appellate Court shall specify the points to which the evidence is to be confined, and record on its proceedings the points so specified.

Points to be defined and recorded.

OF THE JUDGMENT IN APPEAL.

584. The Appellate Court, after hearing the parties or their pleaders and referring to any part of the proceedings, whether held in appeal or in the Court against whose decree the appeal is made, to which a reference may be considered necessary, shall pronounce judgment in open Court, either at once or on some future day, of which notice shall be given to the parties or their pleaders.

Judgment when and where to be pronounced.

585. The judgment shall be written in the English language; provided that if English is not the mother-tongue of the Judge, and he is not able to write an intelligible judgment in English, the judgment shall be written in his mother-tongue.

Language of judgment.

586. When the language in which the judgment is written is not the language in use in proceedings before the Court, the judgment shall, if any party so require, be translated into such language, and the translation shall be signed by the Judge.

Translation of judgment.

587. The judgment of the Appellate Court shall state—

Contents of judgment.

(*a*) the points for determination;

(*b*) the decision thereupon;

(*c*) the reasons for the decision; and

(*d*) when the decree appealed against is reversed, the relief to which the appellant is entitled,

and shall at the time that it is pronounced be dated and signed by the Judge or by the Judges concurring therein.

Date and signature.

588. When the appeal is heard by more Judges than one, any Judge dissenting from the judgment of the Court shall state in writing the decision or order which he thinks should be passed on the appeal, and he may state his reasons for the same.

Dissent to be recorded.

589. When the appeal is heard by two Judges, if there is a difference of opinion upon the evidence, and one Judge concurs as to the facts with the Court which passed the decree appealed against, the appeal shall be determined according to the opinion of such Judge.

Decision when appeal heard by two Judges only, and they differ.

If the two Judges differ in opinion upon a point of law, they shall confer together and state the point, and the case shall be re-argued upon that point before one or more of the other Judges, and shall be determined according to the opinion of the majority of the Judges before whom the point is argued, including the Judges who first heard the appeal.

590. When the appeal is heard by more Judges than two, the decision shall be according to the opinion of the majority.

Decision when appeal heard by more than two Judges, and they differ.

But if their opinions be equally divided, the decree appealed from shall be taken as affirmed.

591. The judgment may be for confirming or reversing or modifying the decree of the Court against which the appeal is made, or, if the parties to the appeal agree as to the form which the decree in appeal shall take, or as to the order to be passed in appeal, the Appellate Court may pass a decree or order accordingly.

What judgment may direct.

592. No decree shall be reversed or modified, nor shall any case be remanded in appeal, on account of any error, defect or irregularity, whether in the decision or in any order passed in the suit, or otherwise, not affecting the merits of the case or the jurisdiction of the Court.

No decree to be reversed or modified for error or irregularity.

OF THE DECREE IN APPEAL.

593. The decree of the Appellate Court shall bear date the day on which the judgment was pronounced.

Contents of decree.

The decree shall contain the number of the appeal, and the memorandum of appeal, including the names and description of the appellant and respondent, and shall specify clearly the relief granted or other determination of the appeal.

The decree shall also state the amount of costs incurred in the appeal, and by what parties and in what proportions such costs and the costs in the suit are to be paid.

The decree shall be signed by the Judge or Judges who passed it, and shall be sealed with the seal of the Court.

594. Where there are more Judges than one, if there be a difference of opinion among them, it shall not be necessary for any Judge dissenting from the judgment of the Court to sign the decree.

Judge dissenting from judgment need not sign decree.

595. Certified copies of the judgment and decree shall be furnished to the parties, in the same manner as provided in section 196 in regard to the decrees of Courts of original jurisdiction.

Copies of judgment and decree to be furnished to parties.

596. A copy of the decree or other order disposing of the appeal, certified by the Appellate Court or the Registrar or Clerk of the Court, and sealed with the seal of the Court, shall be sent to the Court which passed the decree appealed against, and shall be filed with the original proceedings in the suit, and an entry of the judgment of the Appellate Court shall be made in the register of the suit.

Certified copy of decree to be transmitted to Court whose decree appealed against.

597. Unless when otherwise provided in this Code or by any other law, the Appellate Court shall have the same powers in appeals under this chapter in respect to adjournments, granting of time, arrest or attachment before judgment, issue of injunctions, examination of the parties or their pleaders and of witnesses or other persons, issue of commissions, award of interest or mesne profits, separation of misjoined suits, permission to bring fresh suits, or otherwise, as are vested by this Code in Courts of original jurisdiction in respect of suits instituted under chapter V.

Appellate Court to have same powers as Courts of original jurisdiction.

The provisions of such chapter and those of chapter XXXVIII, relating to arbitration, unless when otherwise provided, shall apply to appeals under this chapter so far as the same are applicable.

598. When a party in whose favour a decree is passed in an appeal under this chapter is desirous of obtaining execution of the same, he shall apply to the Court which passed the decree against which the appeal was preferred, and such Court shall proceed to execute the decree passed in appeal, in the manner and according to the rules hereinbefore provided for the execution of decrees in suits.

Execution of decree of Appellate Court.

CHAPTER XLIII.

OF APPEALS FROM APPELLATE DECREES.

599. Unless when otherwise provided in this Code or by any other law, from all decrees passed in appeal by the subordinate Courts, an appeal shall lie to the High Court on any of the following grounds, (namely)—

Partial appeals to High Court.

(*a*) the decision being contrary to some law or usage having the force of law;

Grounds of partial appeal.

(*b*) the decision having failed to determine some issue of law or usage having the force of law;

(*c*) a substantial error or defect in law in the procedure as prescribed by this Code or any other law, which may have produced error or defect in the decision of the case upon the merits.

600. No appeal from an appellate decree shall lie except on the grounds mentioned in the last preceding section.

Partial appeal only on grounds mentioned in section 599.

601. No appeal shall lie from any appellate decree or order passed by any subordinate Court in any suit of the nature cognizable in Courts of Small Causes, when the debt, damage or demand for which the original suit is instituted, does not exceed the sum of five hundred rupees.

No appeal from appellate decree of subordinate Court in certain suits.

Every such decree or order shall be final.

602. The appeal shall be made in such form as is prescribed for appeals under chapter XLII.

Form of memorandum of appeal.

603. The memorandum of appeal shall be accompanied by copies of the judgments and decrees of the lower Appellate Court and of the Court of first instance.

Copies of judgments and decrees to accompany memorandum.

604. The memorandum shall be signed by the pleader presenting it, and he shall certify in writing on the back of the memorandum that he has considered the grounds stated for an appeal under this chapter, and that, in his opinion, such of the grounds as he refers to by their numbers are reasonable grounds of appeal.

Pleader presenting it to certify that grounds stated are reasonable.

No pleader shall give such certificate unless he has been generally or specially authorized in that behalf by the High Court.

605. The appellant shall not, without the Court's leave, be heard in support of any ground of objection other than the grounds set forth in the memorandum.

Appellants confined to grounds stated.

606. If the memorandum of appeal be not in writing, or

Power to reject memorandum or return it for amendment.

if it be not drawn up and presented in the manner hereinbefore prescribed, or

if it be not signed or have not such certificate duly endorsed upon it as in section 604 mentioned, or

if it do not state any ground on which an appeal will lie under the provisions of section 599,

the Court may reject the memorandum or may return it to the party for the purpose of being amended within a time to be fixed by the Court.

The order for rejecting the memorandum or for returning it to the party may be passed by a single Judge of the Court.

607. If the memorandum is in due form, it shall be registered in a book to be kept for the purpose, and the case shall proceed in all other respects under the rules provided in chapter XLII, so far as the same are applicable.

Registry of application.

608. No application for an appeal from an appellate decree shall be filed or argued before the High Court by any pleader of the Court who has not signed the certificate required by section 604, or (where such pleader has been changed) a certificate to the same effect, to be written on the back of the application.

Application to be argued only by pleader signing it.

609. The decrees passed in appeal under this chapter shall be executed by the Court which made the decree in the suit in which such appeal was preferred, in the manner and under the rules hereinbefore provided for the execution of decrees in suits.

Execution of decree in partial appeal.

CHAPTER XLIV.

OF APPEALS FROM ORDERS.

Orders appealable.

610. An appeal shall lie from the following orders:—

(*a*) orders under section 17, staying proceedings in a suit,

(*b*) orders rejecting or returning plaints under section 52, clause (*d*), section 53, clause (*c*), or section 54, clauses (*b*) and (*d*),

(*c*) orders under section 111 or section 112 where a party refuses to answer a question put by the Court or fails to appear,

(*d*) orders under section 148 for attachment of property,

(*e*) orders under section 211 as to objections to draft conveyances or endorsements,

(*f*) orders under section 291 for setting aside, or section 292 for confirming, a sale,

(*g*) orders under section 306 as to the distribution of surplus assets,

(*h*) orders under section 307, that the applicant shall be satisfied out of the proceeds of attached property,

(*i*) orders in insolvency matters under section 320, section 324, section 326 or section 327,

(*j*) orders as to paupers under section 409,

(*k*) orders as to interpleader suits under section 472, section 474 and section 475,

(*l*) orders passed under sections 478, 480, 481, 485, 490, 494, 495, 496, 500, 501,

(*m*) orders rejecting applications made under section 372 or 373 in cases open to appeal,

(*n*) orders passed under any of the provisions of this Code, imposing fines, or for the imprisonment of any person, except when such imprisonment is in execution of a decree.

Court which shall hear appeals.

611. An appeal from any order specified in section 610, clause (*i*), shall be heard by the District Court except when the Court passing it is itself the District Court, in which case the appeal shall lie to the High Court.

When an appeal from any other order is allowed by this Code or by any other law, it shall (whatever be the value of the suit) be heard by the Court next above the Court by which the order was made.

Period for hearing and procedure in appeals from orders.

612. The period for presenting an appeal from an order and the procedure thereon shall in all respects be the same as in an appeal from a decree in a suit, as prescribed in chapter XLII, the provisions of which shall apply to appeals from orders under this chapter so far as they are applicable.

No appeal, before decree, from order passed in course of suit; but if decree appealed against, error or defect therein may be set forth.

613. Unless when otherwise provided in this Code, no appeal shall lie from any order passed in the course of a suit and relating thereto, prior to decree; but if the decree be appealed against, any error, defect or irregularity in any such order, affecting the merits of the case or the jurisdiction of the Court, may be set forth as a ground of objection in the memorandum of appeal.

CHAPTER XLV.

OF PAUPER APPEALS.

Who may appeal as pauper.

614. Any person entitled under this Code or any other law to prefer an appeal, who may be unable to pay the fee required for the petition of appeal may, on application, be allowed to appeal as a pauper, subject to the rules contained in chapters XXV, XLII, XLIII and XLIV, in so far as those rules are applicable.

Contents of application.

615. The application to be allowed to appeal as a pauper shall be combined with the memorandum of appeal, and shall be accompanied by such schedule and other documents as are hereinbefore required in the case of an application by a pauper and in the case of a memorandum of appeal.

Procedure on application for admission of appeal.

616. The Court shall reject the application if upon a perusal thereof and of the judgment and decree against which the appeal is made, it sees no reason to think that the decree appealed against is contrary to law or to some usage having the force of law, or is otherwise erroneous or unjust.

The Court may also reject the application if it be not drawn up in the mode prescribed by this chapter, or if it do not bear the proper stamp: or the Court may return the application to the party presenting the same for the purpose of being amended within a time to be fixed by the Court.

If the application lie to the High Court, the order rejecting it may be passed by a single Judge of the Court.

Enquiry into pauperism to be made in what cases and by what Court.

617. If the application be not rejected upon any of the grounds above mentioned, enquiry shall be made into the pauperism of the applicant.

Such enquiry may be conducted either by the Appellate Court or by the Court against whose decision the appeal is made under the orders of the Appellate Court:

Proviso.

Provided that, if the applicant was allowed to sue or appeal as a pauper in the Court against whose decree the appeal is made, no further enquiry in respect of his pauperism shall be necessary, unless the Appellate Court sees special cause to direct such enquiry.

When application rejected, time may be allowed for preferring appeal.

618. If the application be rejected, the Appellate Court may, if it think proper, allow the applicant a reasonable time for preferring an appeal.

CHAPTER XLVI.

OF APPEALS TO THE QUEEN IN COUNCIL.

'Decree' defined.

619. In this chapter, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context, the expression "decree" includes also judgment and order.

Admission of Appeals.

When appeals lie to Queen in Council.

620. Subject to such rules as may, from time to time, be made by Her Majesty in Council regarding appeals from the Courts

of British India, and to the provisions hereinafter contained—

an appeal shall lie to Her Majesty in Council,

(*a*) from any final decree passed on appeal by a High Court or other Court of final appellate jurisdiction,

(*b*) from any final decree passed by a High Court in the exercise of original civil jurisdiction, and

(*c*) from any decree, when the case, as hereinafter provided, is certified to be a fit one for appeal to Her Majesty in Council.

Value of subject-matter.

621. In each of the cases mentioned in clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of section 620,

the amount or value of the subject-matter of the suit in the Court of first instance must be ten thousand rupees or upwards, and the amount or value of the matter in dispute on appeal to Her Majesty in Council must be the same sum or upwards,

or the decree must involve, directly or indirectly, some claim or question to, or respecting, property of like amount or value,

and where the decree appealed from affirms the decision of the Court immediately below the Court passing such decree, the appeal must involve some substantial question of law.

Bar of certain appeals.

622. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 620,

no appeal shall lie to Her Majesty in Council from the judgment of one Judge of a High Court established under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, chapter one hundred and four, or of one Judge of a Division Court, or of two or more Judges of such High Court, or of a Division Court constituted by two or more Judges of such High Court, wherever such Judges are equally divided in opinion, and do not amount in number to a majority of the whole of the Judges of the High Court at the time being;

and no appeal shall lie to Her Majesty in Council from any decree which, under section 601, is final.

Application to Court whose decree is complained of.

623. Whoever desires to appeal under this chapter to Her Majesty in Council must apply by petition to the Court whose decree is complained of.

Time within which application must be made.

624. Such application must ordinarily be made within six months from the date of such decree.

But if that period expires when the Court is closed, the application may be made on the day that the Court re-opens.

Certificate as to value or fitness.

625. Every petition under section 623 must state the grounds of appeal, and pray for a certificate, either that, as regards amount or value and nature, the case fulfils the requirements of section 621, or that it is otherwise a fit one for appeal to Her Majesty in Council.

Upon receipt of such petition, the Court may direct notice to be served on the opposite party to show cause why the said certificate should not be granted.

Effect of refusal of certificate.

626. If such certificate be refused, the petition shall be dismissed:

Provided that, if the decree complained of be a final decree passed by a Court other than a High Court, the order refusing the certificate shall be appealable, within thirty days from the date of the order, to the High Court to which the former Court is subordinate.

Security and deposit required on grant of certificate.

627. If the certificate be granted, the applicant shall, within six months from the date of the decree complained of, or within six weeks from the grant of the certificate, whichever is the later date,

(*a*) give security for the costs of the respondent, and

(*b*) deposit the amount required to defray the expense of translating, transcribing, indexing, and transmitting to Her Majesty in Council a correct copy of the whole record of the suit, except

(1) formal documents directed to be excluded by any order of Her Majesty in Council in force for the time being;

(2) papers which the parties agree to exclude;

(3) accounts, or portions of accounts, which the officer empowered by the Court for that purpose considers unnecessary, and which the parties have not specifically asked to be included, and

(4) such other documents as the High Court may direct to be excluded:

and when the applicant prefers to print in India the copy of the record, except as aforesaid, he shall also, within the time mentioned in the first clause of this section, deposit the amount required to defray the expense of printing such copy.

Admission of appeal and procedure thereon.

628. When such security has been completed and deposit made to the satisfaction of the Court, the Court may,

(*a*) declare the appeal admitted, and

(*b*) give notice thereof to the respondent,

and shall then

(*c*) transmit to Her Majesty in Council, under the seal of the Court, a correct copy of the said record, except as aforesaid, and

(*d*) give to either party one or more authenticated copies of any of the papers in the suit on his applying therefor and paying the reasonable expenses incurred in preparing them.

Revocation of acceptance of security.

629. At any time before the admission of the appeal, the Court may, upon cause shown, revoke the acceptance of any such security, and make further directions thereon.

Power to order further security or payment.

630. If at any time after the admission of the appeal, but before the transmission of the copy of the record, except as aforesaid, to Her Majesty in Council, such security appears inadequate,

or further payment is required for the purpose of translating, transcribing, printing, indexing, or transmitting the copy of the record, except as aforesaid,

the Court may order the appellant to furnish, within a time to be fixed by the Court, other and sufficient security, or to make, within like time, the required payment.

Effect of failure to comply with order.

631. If the appellant fail to comply with such order, the proceedings shall be stayed,

and the appeal shall not proceed without an order in this behalf of Her Majesty in Council,

and in the meantime execution of the decree appealed against shall not be stayed.

Refund of balance of deposit.

632. When the copy of the record, except as aforesaid, has been transmitted to Her Majesty in Council, the appellant may obtain a refund of the balance, if any, of the amount which he has deposited under section 627.

PROCEEDINGS PENDING APPEALS.

Powers of Court pending appeal.

633. Notwithstanding the admission of any appeal under this chapter, the decree appealed against shall be unconditionally enforced, unless the Court admitting the appeal otherwise directs.

But the Court may, if it think fit, on any special cause shown by any party interested in the suit, or otherwise appearing to the Court—

(*a*) impound any movable property in dispute, or any part thereof, or

(*b*) allow the decree appealed against to be enforced, taking such security from the respondent as the Court thinks fit for the due performance of any order which Her Majesty in Council may make on the appeal, or

(*c*) stay the execution of the decree appealed against, taking such security from the appellant as the Court thinks fit for the due performance of the decree appealed against, or of any order which Her Majesty in Council may make on the appeal, or

(*d*) place any party seeking the assistance of the Court under such conditions, or give such other direction respecting the subject-matter of the appeal as it thinks fit.

Increase of security found inadequate.

634. If at any time during the pendency of the appeal, the security so furnished by either party appears inadequate, the Court may, on the application of the other party, require further security.

In default of such further security being furnished as required by the Court, if the original security was furnished by the appellant, the Court may, on the application of the respondent, issue execution of the decree appealed against as if the appellant had furnished no such security.

And if the original security was furnished by the respondent, the Court shall, so far as may be practicable, stay all further execution of the decree, and restore the parties to the position in which they respectively were when the security which appears inadequate was furnished, or give such direction respecting the subject-matter of the appeal as it thinks fit.

EXECUTION OF ORDERS OF HER MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.

Procedure to enforce orders of Queen in Council.

635. Whoever desires to enforce or to obtain execution of any order of Her Majesty in Council shall apply by petition, accompanied by a certified copy of the decree or order made in appeal and sought to be enforced or executed, to the Court from which the appeal to Her Majesty was preferred.

Such Court shall transmit the order of Her Majesty to the Court which made the first decree appealed from, or to such other Court as Her Majesty by her said order may direct, and shall (upon the application of either party) give such directions as may be required for the enforcement or execution of the same; and the Court to which the said order is so transmitted shall enforce or execute it accordingly, in the manner and according to the rules applicable to the execution of its original decrees.

Appeal against order relating to execution.

636. The orders made by the Court which enforces or executes the order of Her Majesty in Council relating to such enforcement or execution, shall be appealable in the same manner and subject to the same rules as the orders of such Court relating to the enforcement or execution of its own decrees.

Amendment of Act IX of 1871, schedule II, No. 169.

637. The first column of No. 169 of the second schedule annexed to the Indian Limitation Act, 1871, shall be read as if the following words were added thereto (that is to say): "or any order of Her Majesty in Council."

MISCELLANEOUS.

Power to make rules.

638. The High Court may, from time to time, make general rules consistent with this Act to regulate—

(*a*) the service of notices under section 625,

(*b*) the grant or refusal of certificates under sections 626 and 627 by Courts of final appellate jurisdiction subordinate to the High Court,

(*c*) the amount and nature of the security required under sections 627, 630 and 634,

(*d*) the testing of such security,

(*e*) the estimate of the cost of transcribing the record,

(*f*) the preparation, examination and certifying of such transcript,

(*g*) the revision and authentication of translations,

(*h*) the preparation of indices to transcripts of records, and of lists of the papers not included therein,

and all other matters connected with the enforcement of this chapter.

Publication of rules.

All such rules shall be published in the local official Gazette, and shall thereupon have the force of law in the High Court and the Courts of final appellate jurisdiction subordinate thereto.

Legalization of existing rules.

All rules heretofore made and published by any High Court relating to appeal to Her Majesty in Council and in force immediately before the passing of this Act, shall, so far as they are consistent with this Act, be deemed to have been made and published hereunder.

Recorder of Rangoon.

639. In sections 620 and 638, the expression 'High Court' shall be deemed to include also the Recorder of Rangoon, but not so as to empower him to make rules binding on Courts other than his own Court.

Construction of Bengal Regulation III of 1828, section 4, clause 5.

640. The rules and restrictions referred to in Bengal Regulation III of 1828, section IV, clause *fifth*, shall be deemed to be the rules and restrictions applicable to appeals under this Act from the decisions of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

Saving of Her Majesty's pleasure.

641. Nothing herein contained shall be understood—

(*a*) to bar the full and unqualified exercise of Her Majesty's pleasure in receiving or rejecting appeals to Her Majesty in Council, or otherwise howsoever, or

(*b*) to interfere with any rules made by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, and for the time being in force, for the presentation of appeals to Her Majesty in Council, or their conduct before the said Judicial Committee.

and of rules for conduct of business before Judicial Committee.

And nothing in this chapter applies to any matter of criminal or admiralty or vice-admiralty jurisdiction, nor to appeals from orders and decrees of Prize Courts.

PART VII.

OF REVIEW OF JUDGMENT.

Revisions and new trials to be according to Code.

642. The decrees and orders of the Courts shall not be open to revision, nor shall a new trial be granted, otherwise than under the rules contained in this Code.

Power to call for record of cases decided by Small Cause Courts, or, on appeal, by subordinate Courts.

643. The High Court may call for the record of any case decided by a Court of Small Causes, or, on appeal, by any subordinate Court, in which no appeal lies to the High Court, if such Court of Small Causes or such subordinate Court, on hearing the appeal, appear to have exercised a jurisdiction not vested in it by law, or to have passed any order contrary to law:

and may set aside the decision, or pass such other order in the case as the High Court thinks fit.

Review of judgment.

644. Any person considering himself aggrieved—

(*a*) by a decree from which an appeal is hereby allowed, where no appeal from such decree has been decided or is pending;

(*b*) by a decree from which an appeal is hereby allowed to Her Majesty in Council, but from which no appeal has been preferred;

(*c*) by an order made in execution of a decree;

(*d*) by a judgment on a reference from a Court of Small Causes,

and who, from the discovery of new and important matter or evidence which, after the exercise of due diligence, was not within his knowledge or could not be adduced by him at the time when the decree was passed or order made, or on account of some mistake or error apparent on the face of the record, or for any other like reason, may be desirous of obtaining a review of the decree passed or order made against him, [illegible]

on discovery of new evidence, &c.

may apply for a review of judgment to the Court which passed the decree or made the order.

Explanation I.—A party who is not appealing from a decree may apply for a review of judgment notwithstanding the pendency of an appeal by some other party.

Explanation II.—A person who has preferred an appeal may abandon his appeal and apply for a review of judgment.

Explanation III.—Except on the discovery of such new and important matter or evidence as aforesaid, no application for a review of a judgment other than that of a High Court shall be made to any Judge other than the Judge who delivered it.

Contents of application.

645. The application shall be chargeable with the fee prescribed for plaints, and shall set forth concisely and under distinct heads the grounds on which the review is applied for.

Such grounds shall be numbered consecutively.

Pleader presenting application to certify as to grounds being good.

646. If the application be presented by a pleader, he shall certify, under his signature on the back of the application, that he has examined the grounds on which the review is applied for, and that he considers such of them as he refers to by their numbers well founded and sufficient.

No pleader allowed to argue who has not signed certificate.

647. No pleader shall be allowed to argue in support of an application for a review of judgment who has not signed the certificate required by section 646, or a certificate to the same effect, to be written on the back of the application.

Order of Court final.

648. If it appear to the Court that there is not sufficient ground for a review, it shall reject the application.

But if the Court be of opinion that the review desired is necessary to correct an evident error or omission in the decree, or is otherwise requisite for the ends of justice, it shall grant the review:

Proviso.

Provided that—

(*a*) no such review shall be granted without previous notice to the opposite party to enable him to appear and be heard in support of the decree a review of which is applied for:

(*b*) no such review shall be granted by any Court subordinate to a District Court without the previous permission of such Court:

(*c*) no such review shall be granted by a District Court without the previous permission of the High Court:

(*d*) no such review shall be granted on the ground of discovery of new matter or evidence which was not within the applicant's knowledge, or could not be adduced by him when the decree was passed, without strict proof of such allegation.

Application for review in Court consisting of two or more Judges.

649. If the Judge or Judges, or any of the Judges, who passed the decree, a review of which is applied for, continue attached to the Court at the time when the application for a review is presented,

and are not precluded by absence or other cause, for a period of six months after the application, from considering the judgment to which the application refers, such Judge or Judges or any of them shall hear the application, and it shall not be competent to any other Judge or Judges of the Court in any such case to hear the application.

Application when rejected.

650. If the application for a review be heard by more than one Judge and the Court be equally divided, the application shall be rejected.

If there be a majority the decision shall be according to the opinion of the majority.

Order of Court final.

651. The order of the Court whether for granting the review or rejecting the application shall be final.

Registry of application granted, and order for re-hearing.

652. When an application for a review is granted, a note thereof shall be made in the register of suits or appeals (as the case may be), and the Court may at once re-hear the case or make such order in regard to the rehearing as it thinks fit.

Review of orders not subject to appeal.

653. Any order not subject to appeal may be reviewed by the Court by which it was passed, subject to the rules contained in this chapter so far as the same are applicable:

Provided—

(*a*) that no such review shall be granted by any Court subordinate to a District Court without the previous permission of such Court, and

(*b*) that no such review shall be granted by a District Court without the previous permission of the High Court.

PART VIII.

Of Reference to the High Court.

Reference of question to High Court.

654. If in the hearing of an appeal in which the decree or order is made final by section 601, any question of law or usage having the force of law, or the construction of a document which construction may affect the merits, arises, on which the Court trying the appeal entertains reasonable doubt, the Court may, either of its own motion or on the application of any of the parties to the suit, draw up a statement of the case, and submit such statement with its own opinion for the decision of the High Court.

Court may pass decree contingent upon opinion of High Court.

655. The Court may proceed in the appeal notwithstanding a reference to the High Court, and may pass a decree contingent upon the opinion of the High Court on the point referred;

but no execution shall be issued in any case in which such reference is made to the High Court until the receipt of the order of that Court.

Two or more Judges of High Court to hear reference.

656. References made for the opinion of the High Court under section 654, shall be heard by two or more Judges of that Court.

High Court to fix day for hearing and to notify same.

657. The High Court shall fix an early day for the hearing of the reference, and notice of such day shall be fixed up in the Court-house.

Parties may appear and be heard in person or by pleader.

658. The parties to the appeal in which the reference is made may appear and be heard in the High Court in person or by a pleader.

Judgment of High Court to be transmitted, and case disposed of accordingly.

659. The High Court, when it has heard and determined the point referred to it, shall transmit a copy of its judgment, under the seal of the Court and the signature of the Registrar, to the Court by which the reference was made, and such Court shall, on the receipt thereof, proceed to dispose of the appeal in conformity with the decision of the High Court.

Costs of reference to High Court.

660. Costs, if any, consequent on a reference for the opinion of the High Court, shall be costs in the appeal.

Non-appealable Orders and Decrees.

Orders passed in appeals under Chapter XLIV to be final.

661. Unless when otherwise provided in this Code or by any other law, the orders passed in appeals preferred under chapter XLIV shall be final;

But case may be submitted for decision of High Court.

But if in the course of the hearing of any such appeal there arises any such question as is mentioned in section 654 on which the Appellate Court entertains reasonable doubt, the Court may, either of its own motion or on the application of any of the parties to the appeal, draw up a statement of the case, and submit it with its own opinion thereon for the decision of the High Court.

Provisions applicable to references to High Court.

662. The provisions contained in sections 656 to 660, both inclusive, shall apply to references made to the High Court under the provisions of section 661.

PART IX.

SPECIAL RULES RELATING TO THE HIGH COURTS.

This Part to apply only to certain High Courts.

663. This Part shall extend and apply only to High Courts which are or may hereafter be established under the Statute 24 & 25 Victoria, Chapter 104 (*An Act for establishing High Courts of Judicature in India*).

Application of Code to High Courts.

Except as provided in this Part, the provisions of this Code shall apply to the High Courts established as aforesaid.

Jurisdiction.

Ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court.

664. The High Court may, in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction, try and determine suits of every description, if,

(*a*) in the case of suits for immovable property, the property or any part thereof is situate, or,

(*b*) in all other cases, the cause of action, or any material part of the cause of action, has arisen, or the defendant or any of the defendants at the time of the commencement of the suit dwells or carries on business, or personally works for gain, within the local limits of such jurisdiction:

Provided that the leave of the Court be first obtained

(*c*) in the case of suits for immoveable property where only part thereof is situate within such limits; and

(*d*) in other cases where only part of the cause of action has arisen, or only some of the defendants at the commencement of the suit dwell or carry on business or personally work for gain within such limits:

Provided also that no High Court shall, in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction, try any case in which the debt, or compensation, or value of the property sued for, does not exceed five hundred rupees, and which falls within the jurisdiction of a Small Cause Court situate within the local limits of such jurisdiction.

Extraordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court.

665. The High Court shall have power to remove and to try and determine as a Court of extraordinary original civil jurisdiction, any suit being or falling within the jurisdiction of any Court subject to its superintendence, other than a Court of Small Causes, when such High Court thinks proper so to do, either on the agreement of the parties to that effect, or for purposes of justice, the reason being recorded in the proceedings of the High Court removing the suit.

Power to High Court to provide for exercise of its jurisdiction.

666. Subject to any express provision of this Code, the High Court shall by its own rules provide for the exercise of its jurisdiction by means of its Judges sitting in Division Courts or singly or in groups, and for the guidance of its subordinate officers in such manner as may appear to the High Court to be most convenient for the administration of justice.

High Court to record judgments according to its own rules.

667. The High Court shall take evidence, and record judgments and orders in such manner as it shall by any rule from time to time direct.

Decision when Judges of Court differ.

668. If a Court is composed of more Judges than one, and the Judges are divided in opinion as to the decision to be given on any point, such point shall be decided according to the opinion of the majority of the Judges if there is a majority;

but if the Judges are equally divided then the opinion of the senior Judge shall prevail.

Power to order execution of decree before ascertainment of costs, and execution for costs subsequently.

669. Whenever a Court considers it necessary that a decree made in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction should be enforced before the amount of the costs incurred in the suit can be ascertained by taxation, the Court may order that the decree shall be executed forthwith, except as to so much thereof as relates to the costs;

and, as to so much thereof as relates to the costs, that the decree may be executed as soon as the amount of the costs shall be ascertained by taxation.

Acts required to be done by pleader may be done by an Attorney.

670. Whenever in any suit or proceeding coming before a Court in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction,

or in any appeal coming before a Court from a decision passed by such Court in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction,

anything is directed by this Code to be done by or through a pleader,

such act may be done by or through an attorney of the Court:

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provided that no attorney shall, under the provisions of this section, be entitled to argue for any person in Court.

Process of High Courts may be served by attorneys in suit.

671. Notices to produce documents, summonses to witnesses, and every other judicial process, issued in the exercise of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court, except writs of summons to defendants issued under section 62 and writs of execution, may be served by the attorneys in the suit or by persons employed by them, or in such other manner as the High Court by any rule or order from time to time directs.

Power of Court to refer matters for investigation by Judge in chambers.

672. If, in any suit instituted in the High Court in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction, the Court hearing such suit is of opinion that any matter of account, detail or other description may be more conveniently investigated by a Judge sitting in chambers, or by an officer of the Court, such Court may refer such matter for the consideration of a Judge in chambers, or the Registrar or some other officer, and such matter shall thereupon be investigated by such Judge or Registrar or other officer, who shall proceed with such investigation and make his report thereon.

Such report shall, if made by a Judge, be open to revision by any Court of Appeal to which the order or decree founded thereon may be appealable, and, if made by the Registrar or other officer, shall be open to revision by the Judge by whom the matter was so referred, or by such other Judge as the Chief Justice appoints in that behalf.

The Chief Justice shall from time to time determine in each case what Judge shall take or proceed with the investigation of any matter referred to a Judge under the provisions of this section.

Power to make rules.

673. The High Court may make general rules and orders for regulating the conduct of business and the procedure of a single Judge, Registrar or other officer in respect of investigations under section 672:

Provided that such rules and orders shall not be inconsistent with the provisions of this Code or of any other law.

Signature of Registrar or other appointed officer to have same effect as that of Judge.

674. Whenever under any of the provisions of this Code the signature of a Judge of the High Court is required, the signature of the Registrar or of any other officer authorized in that behalf by the Chief Justice shall have the same effect as the signature of a Judge of the Court.

675. The Chief Justice shall from time to time declare what language shall be the language of the Court, in which all or any of the proceedings of the Court shall be conducted.

Language of High Court.

676. The provisions of this Code relating to assessors shall without any order of Government extend to suits and appeals instituted or tried in the High Courts.

Provisions as to assessors to apply to High Courts.

677. Nothing herein contained shall debar the High Court from rescinding or modifying any interlocutory order passed by it in the course of a suit.

Power to rescind or modify interlocutory order.

678. Nothing in this Code shall be held to authorize a Vakíl to appear, plead or act in the High Court in the exercise of its original civil jurisdiction.

Vakíls not to practise on the original side.

679. The following sections shall not apply to the High Court in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction, namely, sections 32, 33, 34, 35 and 39.

Sections 32, 33, 34, 35 and 39 not to apply to High Court.

680. Any act not of a judicial nature which this Code requires to be done by a Judge, may be done by the Registrar of the Court or by such other officer of the Court as the Court may direct to perform such act.

Non-judicial acts may be done by Registrar.

681. All summonses obtainable under this Act by the parties to a suit in the High Court, may be obtained from the proper officer by the attorneys of the parties respectively, and may be served by such attorneys on the persons named therein, and all rules contained in this Code relating to the service of summonses shall apply to summonses obtained under this section.

Summonses may be obtained from Registrar by attorneys.

PROCEDURE IN ADMIRALTY CASES.

682. The procedure in civil cases brought before the High Court in the exercise of its Admiralty or Vice-Admiralty jurisdiction shall be regulated, so far as the circumstances of the case will permit, by the rules prescribed in this Code.

Procedure in admiralty cases.

In the following cases in the exercise of such jurisdiction, (namely)—

(*a*) cases in which a ship, or a ship and cargo have been or are to be proceeded against or arrested,

(*b*) cases in which goods only have been or are to be proceeded against or arrested, either for the purpose of proceeding against the goods or the freight due thereon,

(*c*) cases in which property has been or is arrested and no party has appeared or appears at the return of the warrant; and

(*d*) all other cases in the exercise of Admiralty or Vice-Admiralty jurisdiction in which the rules contained in this Code are not applicable,

the practice and procedure shall be regulated as nearly as possible by the Rules and Regulations made and ordained by his late Majesty King William the Fourth in Council in pursuance of the Second of William the Fourth, Chapter 51, and touching the practice to be observed in the several Courts of Vice-Admiralty in the Colonies, except so far as such rules may be inconsistent with the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth of Victoria, Chapter 104, or with the Letters Patent granted in pursuance thereof.

683. In suits for mariners' wages brought before the High Court in the exercise of Admiralty or Vice-Admiralty jurisdiction, any number of mariners may proceed jointly in one suit.

Joinder of mariners in suits for wages.

MATTERS TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE.

684. The procedure in all cases brought before the High Court in the exercise of its original Testamentary and Intestate jurisdiction shall be regulated, as far as the circumstances of the case will admit, by the rules of procedure laid down in the Indian Succession Act, 1865, whether the Act itself applies to the case or not. In cases to which such rules are inapplicable, the procedure shall, so far as possible, be regulated by this Code.

Procedure in testamentary and intestate cases.

INSOLVENT JURISDICTION.

685. Nothing in this Part shall extend or apply to any High Court in the exercise of its jurisdiction as an Insolvent Court.

Code not to affect High Court in exercise of insolvent jurisdiction.

PART X.

MISCELLANEOUS.

High Court consisting of a single Judge.

686. When in any part of British India in which this Code operates, the highest Civil Court of appeal consists of a single Judge, he shall have all the powers vested by this Code in two or more Judges of the High Court.

Powers of highest Court of appeal consisting of single Judge.

Assessors.

687. In any Court to which the provisions of this section and of the next succeeding section are extended by an order of the Local Government, notified in the official Gazette, the Court may order the hearing of any suit to be conducted in the presence and with the aid of two or more Assessors as members of the Court.

Power to order hearing of suits with assessors and to appoint them.

The Court shall have power to appoint such assessors if willing to serve.

688. The opinion of each assessor, if given orally, shall be recorded in writing by the Court; but such opinion shall be in no way binding upon the Judge, with whom exclusively the decision of the suit shall rest.

Recording and effect of opinion of assessors.

Service of Process.

689. Wherever this Code provides that any notice, summons, letter or other communication may be sent to the person to whom it is addressed by post, proof that the same was correctly addressed to such person at his place of residence, and that it was posted and registered according to the law for the time being regulating the management of the Post Office shall, in the absence of evidence to the contrary, be sufficient proof of the due service and delivery of the notice, summons, letter or other communication.

Proof of due service and delivery of process sent by post.

690. Every process required to be issued under this Code shall be served at the expense of the party at whose instance it is issued, unless the Court otherwise directs.

Process to be served at expense of party issuing it.

The sum required to defray the costs of such service shall be paid into Court before the process is issued, within a period to be fixed by the Court issuing the process.

Postage, where chargeable on any notice, summons, letter or other communication forwarded by post and the fee for registering the same, shall be costs required to be paid as aforesaid within the meaning of this section.

In fixing the costs to be paid for service of process, regard shall be had to any law or to any rules issued by the High Court for fixing the amount of such costs.

Fixing of costs of service.

Service in Presidency Towns of Mofussil Process.

691. Whenever any process issued by any Court established beyond the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of a High Court is to be served within the local limits of such Court, it shall be delivered to the Court of Small Causes within whose jurisdiction the process is to be served,

Service within limits of local jurisdiction of High Courts, of process issued by Courts without those limits.

and shall be executed by such Court of Small Causes in the same manner as if such process had been issued by such Court,

and, after having been so executed, shall be returned to the Court by which it was issued.

The delivery of the process to the Court required to execute the same, and its return to the Court by which the process was issued, may be by an officer of the Court which issued the process, or by post.

EXEMPTION FROM PERSONAL APPEARANCE.

692. Women, who according to the customs and manners of the country ought not to be compelled to appear in public, shall be exempt from personal appearance in Court.

Exemption of certain women from personal appearance.

But nothing herein contained shall be deemed to exempt such women from arrest in execution of civil process.

693. The Local Government may, at its discretion, exempt from personal appearance in Court, whether summoned by his opponent or called for by the presiding Judge, any person whose rank, in the opinion of such Government, entitles him to the privilege of exemption, and may at its discretion withdraw such privilege.

Local Government may exempt certain persons from personal appearance.

694. The names of the persons so exempted and residing within the jurisdiction of the District Court, shall from time to time be forwarded to such Court by the Local Government, and a list of such persons shall be kept in such Court and in the several subordinate Courts of the district.

List of names of persons exempted to be kept in the District Court.

695. When any person so exempted claims the privilege of such exemption, and it is consequently necessary to examine him by commission, he must pay the costs of that commission.

Costs of commission rendered necessary by claiming privilege.

EXEMPTION FROM ARREST.

696. Except as hereinafter provided, no person shall be liable to arrest under this Code while attending, going to, or returning from the Court, either in obedience to a summons or as a party to a suit, appeal or other proceeding.

Persons exempt from arrest.

OFFENCES IN COURT.

697. If any plaint, written statement, or declaration in writing required by this Code to be verified contains any averment which the person making the verification knows or believes to be false, or does not know or believe to be true, such person shall be subject to punishment according to the provisions of the law for the punishment of giving or fabricating false evidence.

Punishment for verifying false plaint, statement or declaration.

698. When in a case pending before any Court, any person appears to the Court to have been guilty of an offence punishable under section 193, 194, 195, 196, 199, 200, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209 or 210 of the Indian Penal Code, the Court may commit such person to take his trial for the offence before the proper Court, or,

Procedure when certain offences under chapter XI of Penal Code are committed in case pending before Court.

after making such preliminary enquiry as is necessary, may send the case for investigation to any Magistrate having jurisdiction to try or commit for trial the accused person for the offence charged and such Magistrate shall thereupon proceed according to law.

699. The Court may send the person accused in custody or take sufficient bail for his appearance before the Magistrate, and may bind over any person to appear and give evidence before the Magistrate.

Court may take bail and bind over witnesses to give evidence.

700. When the commitment is made by the Court, the Court shall frame a charge in the manner provided in chapter XXXIII of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and shall send the same with the order of commitment and the record of the case to the Magistrate, and such Magistrate shall bring the case together with the witnesses for the prosecution and defence before the Court of Session.

Charge to be framed and sent to Magistrate.

701. When any person appears to the Court to have been guilty in any suit or proceeding before such Court of any of the offences described in sections 172, 173 and 174 of the Indian Penal Code, the Court may direct the person accused to be brought before it, and may either proceed as provided in the last three preceding sections, or may send him in custody to the Magistrate, or take sufficient bail for his appearance before the Magistrate, and the Magistrate shall thereupon proceed according to law.

Procedure in certain cases of contempt of lawful authority of public servants.

Procedure in case of certain offences relating to documents.

702. When in a case pending before any Court, there appears to the Court sufficient ground for sending for investigation to the Magistrate a charge of any such offence as is described in section 463, 471, 474, 475, 476 or 477 of the Indian Penal Code, which may be preferred in respect to any document offered in evidence in the case, the Court may send the person accused in custody to the Magistrate, or take sufficient bail for his appearance before the Magistrate.

The Court shall send to the Magistrate the evidence and documents relevant to the charge, and shall bind over any person to appear and give evidence before such Magistrate.

The Magistrate shall receive such charge and proceed with it according to law.

GENERAL RULES.

Power of High Court to make general rules.

703. The High Court shall have power to make and issue general rules, not inconsistent with the provisions of this Code or of any other law, for regulating the practice and proceedings of that Court and the Courts subordinate thereto, and from time to time to alter any such rules.

All rules framed under this section shall be published in the official Gazette of the place where the High Court is held.

Power to frame forms.

704. The High Court shall have power to frame forms for every proceeding in such Court and the subordinate Courts for which the High Court thinks it necessary that forms should be provided; for keeping all books, entries and accounts to be kept by the officers, and for the preparation and submission of any statements to be prepared and submitted by such Courts.

Use of forms in fourth schedule.

Subject to the power conferred on the High Court by the former part of this section the forms set forth in the fourth schedule hereto annexed, with such variation as the circumstances of each case require, may be used for the respective purposes therein mentioned.

Ministerial Officers.

Ministerial Officers.

705. The Local Government shall fix the establishments of ministerial and other officers requisite for the Courts other than the High Court within the limits of its jurisdiction, and with the sanction of the Governor General in Council, shall assign to such officers such salaries as from time to time such Government thinks fit.

High Courts to define duties of all ministerial officers.

The High Court may define and prescribe the duties to be performed by the ministerial and other officers on its establishment, as well as by the ministerial and other officers on the establishments of subordinate Courts.

Language of Courts.

Language of subordinate Courts.

706. The language which, at the time this Code comes into operation, is the language of any subordinate Court, shall continue to be the language of such Court until the Local Government otherwise orders;

But it shall be lawful for the Local Government from time to time to declare what language shall be the language of every such Court in which all or any of the proceedings shall be conducted.

Exemption of Advocates.

Exemption of advocates from filing powers.

707. No advocate of any High Court shall be required to file or present a mukhtárnáma or wakálatnáma, or any other document empowering him to act.

Deposit in lieu of Security.

Deposit in lieu of security.

708. When security is required to be furnished by any person, the Court may permit such person to deposit in Court a sum of money, Government Promissory Notes, or other valuable property to such amount as the Court may fix, in lieu of the security required.

Miscellaneous Cases.

Miscellaneous cases and proceedings.

709. The procedure herein prescribed shall be followed from the date on which this Code shall come into operation, in all suits and appeals, and, as far as it can be made applicable, in all miscellaneous cases and proceedings instituted in any Court.

But this Code shall not in any way invalidate or alter the effect of anything done in any suit, appeal, miscellaneous case, or proceeding prior to such date, and every thing so done shall be deemed good and shall have effect so far as circumstances will permit, in like manner as if the same had been done in due course under this Code:

Proviso.

Provided that no party to whom a right of appeal has accrued under any law for the time being in force before this Code has come into operation, shall be deprived of such right by anything contained in this Code, if he exercise such right by preferring his appeal to the proper Court in due form within the time allowed for preferring appeals by the law under which the right of appeal accrued.

Powers of Local Government.

Power to invest Chief Executive Officer with powers of Local Government.

710. The Governor General in Council may invest the Chief Executive Officer of any part of British India under the immediate administration of the Government of India with the powers vested by this Code in a Local Government.

Saving of Limitation-law.

Saving of limitation-law.

711. Save as provided by section 19, nothing herein contained shall be deemed to give a right to institute a suit, present an appeal or make an application, which if this Act had not passed, would have been barred by the law of limitation.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 3.)

ACTS REPEALED.

Number and date.	Subject or Title.	Extent of repeal.
IX of 1840 ...	For amending the law administered in Her Majesty's Courts of Justice with reference to Arbitrations, Damages, and interested Witnesses.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXIII of 1840 ...	For executing within the local limits of the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Courts Legal Process issued by authorities in the Mofussil.	So far as it relates to the execution of the process of Civil Courts.
VIII of 1841 ...	Interpleader	The whole.
XXVI of 1841 ...	Extending 3 & 4 Wm. IV, c. 42 ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XIV of 1848 ...	Commissions for taking affidavits ...	The whole.
XVII of 1852 ...	Special cases	The whole.
XXXIII of 1852 ...	Enforcement of judgments ...	The whole Act, except so far as it relates to the decrees of Military Courts of Requests.
VI of 1855 ...	Writs of execution	The whole.
XXXIV of 1855 ...	Execution of judgments ...	The whole.
VIII of 1859 ...	For simplifying the procedure of the Courts of Civil Judicature not established by Royal Charter.	The whole Act, except sections fifteen and one hundred and ninety-two.
XXIII of 1861 ...	To amend Act VIII of 1859 ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XX of 1862 ...	To provide for the levy of Fees and Stamp Duties in the High Court, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXIV of 1862 ..	To continue in force Act XX of 1862.	So much as has not been repealed.
IX of 1863 ...	To amend the Code of Civil Procedure.	The whole.
XVIII of 1863 ...	To make provision for the speedy and efficient disposal of the business, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXXII of 1863 ...	To continue in force Act XX of 1862.	So much as has not been repealed.
XI of 1865 ...	Mofussil Small Cause Courts Act ...	Section 47.
V of 1866 ...	To provide a summary procedure on Bills of Exchange, &c.	In the title, the words '*to provide a summary procedure on Bills of Exchange, and*' The preamble down to and including the words '*Notes*; and' In section 1 the definitions of 'High Court' and 'Local Government.' Sections two to eight (both inclusive). Section fourteen.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

ACTS REPEALED,—*continued.*

Number and date.	Subject or Title.	Extent of repeal.
XXVI of 1867 ...	To amend the law relating to Stamp Duties.	So much as has not been repealed.
VI of 1874 ...	The Privy Council Appeals Act, 1874.	The whole.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 5.)

Sections extending to Mofussil Courts of Small Causes.

CHAPTER I.—Of the Jurisdiction of the Courts and *Res Judicata.*

CHAPTER II.—Of the Place of Suing, except sections 21 to 26, both inclusive.

CHAPTER III.—Of Parties and their Appearances, Applications and Acts, except section 47.

CHAPTER V.—Of the Institution of Suits, except the first paragraph of section 65.

CHAPTER VI.—Service of Summons on the Defendant, except section 74.

CHAPTER VII.—Of the Appearance of the Parties and consequence of Non-appearance.

CHAPTER VIII.—Of Written Statements, section 105.

CHAPTER IX.—Of the Examination of the Parties at the first Hearing.

CHAPTER X.—Of the Admission, &c., of Documents, except section 121.

CHAPTER XII.—Disposal of the Suit at the first Hearing, section 136.

CHAPTER XIII.—Of Adjournments.

CHAPTER XIV.—Of Summoning Witnesses.

CHAPTER XV.—Examination of Parties and Witnesses, except sections 169 to 176, both inclusive.

CHAPTER XVI.—Of Judgment and Decree, except sections 184, 187, 188, 191, 193 and 194.

CHAPTER XVII.—Of Costs, sections 198, 199 and 200.

CHAPTER XVIII.—Of the Execution of Decrees, sections 203 to 228 both inclusive, sections 231 to 243 both inclusive, sections 253 to 261 both inclusive, sections 264 to 267 both inclusive, sections 273 to 275 both inclusive, sections 277 to 281 both inclusive, section 287 so far as relates to resales under section 281, sections 288, 290, 296, 297, 300, 301, 302, sections 305 to 342 both inclusive, sections 345, 346, 351 and 352.

CHAPTER XIX.—Of the Death, Marriage and Insolvency of Parties.

CHAPTER XX.—Of the Withdrawal and Adjustment of Suits.

CHAPTER XXI.—Of Payment into Court.

CHAPTER XXII.—Of requiring Security for Costs.

CHAPTER XXIII.—Of setting aside Decrees by Default and *ex parte.*

CHAPTER XXIV.—Of Commissions.

CHAPTER XXV.—Suits by Paupers.

CHAPTER XXVI.—Suits by and against Government or Government Servants.

CHAPTER XXVII.—Suits by and against Native and Foreign Rulers.

CHAPTER XXVIII.—Suits by and against Corporations and Companies.

CHAPTER XXIX.—Suits by and against Trustees, Executors and Administrators.

CHAPTER XXX.—Suits by and against Minors and Persons of unsound Mind.

CHAPTER XXXI.—Suits by infirm Persons and Women.

CHAPTER XXXII.—Suits by and against Military Men.

CHAPTER XXXIV.—Of Arrest before Judgment.

CHAPTER XXXV.—Of Attachment before Judgment, except section 493.

CHAPTER XXXVIII.—Reference to Arbitration, sections 504 to 521 both inclusive.

CHAPTER XXXIX.—Of Proceedings on Agreement of Parties.

PART X.—Miscellaneous, sections 692 to 704 both inclusive, sections 706 to 710 both inclusive, and section 712.

THE THIRD SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 7.)

Bombay enactments.

Bombay Regulation XXIX, 1827.
" " VII, 1830.
" " I, 1831.
" " XVI, 1831.
Act XIX of 1835.
" XIII of 1842.

THE FOURTH SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 704.)

FORMS OF PLEADINGS AND DECREES.

A. PART I. PLAINTS.

No. 1.

FOR MONEY LENT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against.

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of , 18 , at , he lent the defendant rupees repayable on demand [*or* on the day of]

2. That the defendant has not paid the same, except rupees paid on the day of 18 .

[*If the plaintiff claims exemption from any law of limitation say* :—

3. The plaintiff was a minor [*or* insane] from the day of till the day of].

4. The plaintiff prays judgment for rupees, with interest at per cent. from the day of 18 .

[NOTE.—The object of stating when the debt is to be repaid is merely to fix a date for interest. If, therefore, interest is not claimed the statement may be omitted.]

No. 2.

FOR MONEY RECEIVED TO PLAINTIFF'S USE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of and *G. H.* of

against

C. D. of

A. B., and *G. H.* the above-named plaintiffs, state as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant received rupees [*or* a cheque on the Bank for Rs.] from one *E. F.* for the use of the plaintiffs.
2. That the defendant has not paid [*or* delivered] the same accordingly.
3. The plaintiffs pray judgment for rupees, with interest at per cent. from the day of 18 .

No. 3.

FOR PRICE OF GOODS SOLD BY A FACTOR.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at he and *E. F.* since deceased delivered to the defendant [*one thousand barrels of flour, five hundred maunds of rice, or as the case may be*] for sale upon commission.
2. That on the day of 18 [*or*, on some day unknown to the plaintiff, before the day of 18], the defendant sold the said merchandise for rupees.
3. That the commission and expenses of the defendant thereon, amount to rupees.
4. That on the day of 18 , the plaintiff demanded from the defendant the proceeds of the said merchandise.
5. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 4.

FOR MONEY RECEIVED BY DEFENDANT THROUGH THE PLAINTIFF'S MISTAKE OF FACT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff agreed to buy and the defendant agreed to sell bars of silver at annas per tola of fine silver.
2. That the plaintiff procured the said bars to be assayed by one *E. F.*, who was paid by the defendant for such assay, and that the said *E. F.* declared each of the said bars to contain 1500 tolas of fine silver, and that the plaintiff accordingly paid the defendant Rs. annas therefor.
3. That each of the said bars contained only 1200 tolas of fine silver.
4. That the defendant has not repaid the sum so overpaid.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

[NOTE.—A demand of repayment is not necessary; but it may affect the question of interest or the costs.]

No. 5.

FOR MONEY PAID TO A THIRD PARTY AT THE DEFENDANT'S REQUEST.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at [*or* by the authority] of the defendant, the plaintiff paid to one *E. F.* , at the request
2. That, in consideration thereof, the defendant promised [*or* became bound] to pay rupees. the same to the plaintiff on demand [*or as the case may be*].
3. That [on the day of 18 , the plaintiff demanded payment of the same from the defendant, but] he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment*].

[NOTE.—If the request or authority is implied, the plaint should state facts raising the implication.]

No. 6.

FOR GOODS SOLD AT A FIXED PRICE AND DELIVERED.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , *E. F.* of deceased sold and delivered to the defendant [one hundred barrels of flour, *or*, the goods mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed, *or*, sundry goods].
2. That the defendant promised to pay rupees for the said goods on delivery [*or* on the day of *some day before the plaint was filed*].
3. That he has not paid the same.
4. That the said *E. F.* in his lifetime made his will, whereby he appointed the plaintiff executor thereof.
5. That on the day of 187 the said *E. F.* died.
6. That on the day of probate of the said will was granted to the plaintiff by the Court of .
7. The plaintiff as executor as aforesaid [*Demand of judgment*].

[NOTE—If a day was fixed for payment it should be stated, as furnishing a date for the commencement of interest.]

No. 7.

GOODS SOLD AT A REASONABLE PRICE AND DELIVERED.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , plaintiff sold and delivered to the defendant [*sundry articles of house furniture*] but no express agreement was made as to the price.
2. That the same were reasonably worth rupees.
3. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

[NOTE.—The law implies a promise to pay so much as the goods are reasonably worth.]

No. 8.

FOR GOODS DELIVERED TO A THIRD PARTY AT DEFENDANT'S REQUEST AT A FIXED PRICE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at plaintiff sold to the defendant [*one hundred barrels of flour*] and, at the request of the defendant, delivered the same to one *E. F.*
2. That the defendant promised to pay to the plaintiff rupees therefor.
3. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 9.

FOR NECESSARIES FURNISHED TO THE FAMILY OF DEFENDANT'S TESTATOR WITHOUT HIS EXPRESS REQUEST, AT A REASONABLE PRICE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , plaintiff furnished to [*Mary Jones*] the wife of *James Jones* deceased, at her request, sundry articles of [*food and clothing*], but no express agreement was made as to the price.
2. That the same were necessary for her.
3. That the same were reasonably worth rupees.
4. That the said *James Jones* refused to pay the same.
5. That the defendant is the executor of the last will of the said *James Jones*.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 10.

FOR GOODS SOLD AT A FIXED PRICE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff sold to *E. F.* of deceased [*all the crops then growing on his farm in*].
2. That the said *E. F.* promised to pay the plaintiff rupees for the same.
3. That he did not pay the same.
4. That the defendant is administrator of the estate of the said *E. F.*

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 11.

FOR GOODS SOLD AT A REASONABLE PRICE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , *E. F.* of sold to the defendant [*all the fruit growing in his orchard in*], but no express agreement was made as to the price.
2. That the same was reasonably worth rupees.
3. That the defendant has not paid the same.
4. That on the day of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William duly adjudged the said *E. F.* to be a lunatic and appointed the plaintiff committee of his estate with the usual powers for the management thereof.
5. The plaintiff as committee as aforesaid [*Demand of judgment.*]

NOTE.—When the lunatic's estate is not subject to the ordinary original jurisdiction of a High Court, for paragraphs 4 and 5 substitute the following:—

4. That on the day of the Civil Court of duly adjudged the said *E. F.* to be of unsound mind and incapable of managing his affairs and appointed the plaintiff Manager of his estate.
5. The plaintiff as Manager as aforesaid [*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 12.

FOR GOODS MADE AT DEFENDANT'S REQUEST, AND NOT ACCEPTED.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of , at , *E. F.* of agreed with the plaintiff that the plaintiff should make for him [*six tables and fifty chairs*], and that the said *E. F.* should pay for the same upon delivery thereof rupees.
2. That the plaintiff made the said goods, and on the day of 18 offered to deliver the same to the said *E. F.*, and has ever since been ready and willing so to do.
3. That the said *E. F.* has not paid for the same.
4. That on the day of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William duly adjudged the said *E. F.* to be a lunatic and appointed the defendant committee of his estate.
5. Wherefore the plaintiff demands judgment for rupees with interest from the day of , at the rate of per cent. per annum, to be paid out of the estate of the said *E. F.* in the hands of the defendant.

No. 13.

FOR DEFICIENCY UPON A RE-SALE [GOODS SOLD AT AUCTION].

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , plaintiff put up at auction sundry [*articles of merchandise*], subject to the condition that all goods not paid for and removed by the purchaser thereof, within [*ten days*] after the sale, should be re-sold by auction on his account, of which condition the defendant had notice.

2. That the defendant purchased [*one crate of crockery*], at the said auction at the price of rupees.
3. That the plaintiff was ready and willing to deliver the same to the defendant on the said day and for [*ten days*] thereafter, of which the defendant had notice.
4. That the defendant did not take away the said goods purchased by him, nor pay therefor, within [*ten days*] after the sale, nor afterwards.
5. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff re-sold the said [*crate of crockery*], on account of the defendant, by public auction, for rupees.
6. That the expenses attendant upon such re-sale amounted to rupees.
7. That the defendant has not paid the deficiency thus arising, amounting to rupees.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

[NOTE to § 4. Unless the seller agreed to deliver, the purchaser must fetch the goods. See Act IX of 1872, sec. 93.]

No. 14.

FOR THE PURCHASE-MONEY OF LANDS CONVEYED.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff sold [and conveyed] to the defendant [the house and compound No. , in the city of *or*, a farm known as , in , *or*, a piece of land lying, &c.]
2. That the defendant promised to pay the plaintiff rupees for the said [house and compound, *or* farm, *or* land].
3. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

[NOTE.—Where there has been no actual conveyance say in § 1 "sold to the defendant the house &c. and placed him in possession of the same."]

No. 15.

FOR THE PURCHASE-MONEY OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY CONTRACTED TO BE SOLD, BUT NOT CONVEYED.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff and defendant mutually agreed that the plaintiff should sell to the defendant, and that the defendant should purchase from the plaintiff [the house No. in the town of , *or* one hundred bíghás of land in , bounded by the East Indian railroad, and by other lands of the plaintiff] for rupees.
2. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff tendered [*or*, was ready and willing, and offered to execute] a sufficient instrument of conveyance of the said property to the defendant, on payment of the said sum, and still is ready and willing to execute the same.
3. That the defendant has not paid the said sum.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 16.

FOR SERVICES AT A FIXED PRICE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant [hired plaintiff as a clerk, at the salary of rupees per year].
2. That from the [said day] until the day of 18 , the plaintiff [served the defendant as his clerk].
3. That the defendant has not paid the said salary.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 17.

FOR SERVICES AT A REASONABLE PRICE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That between the day of 18 , and the day of 18 , at , plaintiff [executed sundry drawings, designs and diagrams] for the defendant, at his request; but no express agreement was made as to the sum to be paid for such services.
2. That the said services were reasonably worth rupees.
3. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 18.

FOR SERVICES AND MATERIALS, AT A FIXED PRICE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , plaintiff [furnished the paper for and printed one thousand copies of a book called] for the defendant, at his request [and delivered the same to him].
2. That the defendant promised to pay rupees therefor.
3. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 19.

FOR SERVICES AND MATERIALS AT A REASONABLE PRICE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , plaintiff built a house [known as No. , in], and furnished the materials therefor, for the defendant, at his request; but no express agreement was made as to the price to be paid for such work and materials.
2. That the said work and materials were reasonably worth rupees.
3. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 20.

FOR RENT RESERVED IN A LEASE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant entered into a covenant with the plaintiff, under their hands, a copy of which is hereto annexed.

[*Or state the substance of the agreement.*]

2. That the defendant has not paid the rent of the [month] ending on the day of 18 , amounting to rupees.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

ANOTHER FORM.

1. That the plaintiff let to the defendant a house No. 27 Chowringhee for seven years to hold from the day of 187 at rupees a year, payable quarterly.
2. That of such rent quarters are due and unpaid.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 21.

FOR USE AND OCCUPATION AT A FIXED RENT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant hired from the plaintiff [the house No. , street], at the rent of rupees, payable on the first days of .
2. That the defendant occupied the said premises from the day of 18 to the day of 18 .
3. That the defendant has not paid rupees, being the part of said rent due on the first day of 18 .

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 22.

FOR USE AND OCCUPATION AT A REASONABLE RENT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, executor of the will of *X. Y.* deceased, states as follows:—

1. That the defendant occupied the [house No. , street], by permission of the said *X. Y.*, from the day of 18 , until the day of 18 and no agreement was made as to payment for the use of the said premises.
2. That the use of the said premises for the said period was reasonably worth rupees.
3. That the defendant has not paid the same.
4. The plaintiff as such executor as aforesaid prays judgment for rupees.

No 23.

FOR BOARD AND LODGING.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That from the day of 18 , until the day of 18 , the defendant occupied certain rooms in the house [No. , street], by permission of the plaintiff, and was furnished by the plaintiff, at his request, with meat, drink, attendance and other necessaries.
2. That in consideration thereof, the defendant promised to pay, [*or* that no agreement was made as to payment for such meat, drink, attendance or necessaries, but the same were reasonably worth] the sum of rupees.
3. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 24.

FOR FREIGHT OF GOODS.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , plaintiff transported in [*his barge, or otherwise*] [one thousand barrels of flour, *or* sundry goods], from to , at the request of the defendant.
2. That the defendant promised to pay the plaintiff the sum of [one rupee per barrel] as freight thereon. [*Or*, that no agreement was made as to payment for such transportation, but that such transportation was reasonably worth rupees.]
3. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 25.

FOR PASSAGE MONEY.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , plaintiff conveyed the defendant [in his ship, called the] from to at his request.

2. That the defendant promised to pay the plaintiff rupees therefor. [*or* that no agreement was made as to the price of the said passage; but that the said passage was reasonably worth rupees.]

3. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 26.

ON AN AWARD.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff and defendant having a controversy between them concerning [a demand of the plaintiff for the price of ten barrels of oil, which the defendant refused to pay], agreed to submit the same to the award of *E. F.* and *G. H.*, as arbitrators [*or*, entered into an agreement, a copy of which is hereto annexed].

2. That on the day of 18 , at , the said arbitrators awarded that the defendant should [pay the plaintiff rupees].

3. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

[NOTE.—This will apply where the agreement to refer is not filed in Court.]

No. 27.

ON A FOREIGN JUDGMENT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , in the State [*or* Kingdom] of , the Court of that State [*or* kingdom], in a suit therein pending between the plaintiff and the defendant, duly adjudged that the defendant should pay to the plaintiff rupees, with interest from the said date.

2. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

PLAINTS UPON INSTRUMENTS FOR THE PAYMENT OF MONEY ONLY.

No. 28.

ON AN ANNUITY BOND.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant by his bond became bound to the plaintiff in the sum of rupees to be paid by the defendant to the plaintiff, subject to a condition that if the defendant should pay to the plaintiff rupees half yearly on the day of and the day of in every year during the life of the plaintiff, the said bond should be void.

2. That afterwards, on the day of 187 , the sum of rupees for of the said half-yearly payments of the said annuity, became due to the plaintiff and is still unpaid.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 29.

PAYEE AGAINST MAKER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant by his promissory note now overdue, promised to pay to the plaintiff rupees [days] after date.

2. That he has not paid the same [except rupees, paid on the day of 18].

[*Demand of judgment*].

[NOTE.—Where the note is payable after notice, for paras. 1 and 2 substitute—

1. That on the day of at the defendant by his promissory note promised to pay to the plaintiff rupees months after notice.

2. That notice was afterwards given by the plaintiff to the defendant to pay the same months after the said notice.

3. That the said time for payment has elapsed, but the defendant has not paid the same.

Where the notice is payable at a particular place, say—

1.—That on the day of 187 at the defendant by his promissory note now overdue promised to pay to the plaintiff [at Messrs. A. and Co., Madras] rupees months after date.

2.—That the said note was duly presented for avment [at Messrs. A. and Co.] aforesaid, but has not been paid.

No. 30.

FIRST INDORSEE AGAINST MAKER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant, by his promissory note, now overdue, promised to pay to the order of *E. F.* [*or* to *E. F.* or order] rupees [days after date].

2. That the said *E. F.* indorsed the same to the plaintiff.

3. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment*].

No. 31.

SUBSEQUENT INDORSEE AGAINST MAKER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. [*As in the preceding form.*]

2. That the same was, by the indorsement of the said *E. F.* and of *G. H.* and *I. J.* [*or*, and others] transferred to the plaintiff.

[*Demand of judgment*].

No. 32.

FIRST INDORSEE AGAINST FIRST INDORSER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That *E. F.* on the day of 18 , at , by his promissory note now overdue promised to pay to the defendant or order rupees months after date.

2. That the defendant indorsed the same to the plaintiff.

3. That on the day of 18 the same was duly presented for payment, but was not paid.

[*Or state facts excusing want of presentment.*]

4. That the defendant had notice thereof.

That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 33.

SUBSEQUENT INDORSEE AGAINST FIRST INDORSER; THE INDORSEMENT BEING SPECIAL.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plantiff, states as follows:—

1. That the defendant indorsed to one *E. F.* a promissory note, now overdue, made [*or* purporting to have been made] by one *G. H.*, on the day of 18 , at , to the order of the defendant, for the sum of rupees [payable days after date].

2. That the same was by the indorsement of the said *E. F.*, [and others] transferred to the plaintiff. [*Or*, that the said *E. F.* indorsed the same to the plaintiff].

3, 4 *and* 5. [*Same as* 2, 3 *and* 4 *of the preceding form.*]

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 34.

SUBSEQUENT INDORSEE AGAINST HIS IMMEDIATE INDORSER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That the defendant indorsed to him a promissory note, now overdue, made [*or* purporting to have been made] by one *E. F.*, on the day of 18 , at , to the order of one *G. H.*, for the sum of rupees [payable days after date], and indorsed by the said *G. H.* to the defendant.

2, 3 *and* 4. [*As in No.* 33.]

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 35.

SUBSEQUENT INDORSEE AGAINST INTERMEDIATE INDORSER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That a promissory note, now overdue, made [*or* purporting to have been made] by one *E. F.*, on the day of 18 , at , to the order of one *G. H.*, for the sum of rupees [payable days after date], and indorsed by the said *G. H.* to the defendant, was by the indorsement of the defendant [and others] transferred to the plaintiff.

2, 3 *and* 4. [*As in No.* 33.]

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 36.

SUBSEQUENT INDORSEE AGAINST MAKER, FIRST AND SECOND INDORSER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

E. F. of

and

G. H. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant, *C. D.*, by his promissory note, now overdue, promised to pay to the order of the defendant, *E. F.*, rupees [months after date].

2. That the said *E. F.* indorsed the same to the defendant, *G. H.*, who indorsed it to the plaintiff.

3. That on the day of 18 , the same was presented [*or state facts excusing presentment*] to the said *C. D.* for payment, but was not paid.

4. That the said *E. F.* and *G. H.* had notice thereof.

5. That they have not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 37.

DRAWER AGAINST ACCEPTOR.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , by his bill of exchange now overdue, the plaintiff required the defendant to pay to him rupees [days after date, *or* sight thereof].

2. That the defendant accepted the said bill. [*If the bill is payable at a certain time after sight, the date of acceptance should be stated, otherwise it is not necessary.*]

3. That he has not paid the same.

4. That by reason thereof the plaintiff incurred expenses in and about the presenting and noting of the bill, and incidental to the dishonour thereof.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

[NOTE.—Where the bill is payable to a third party, for paras. 1, 2, 3, say—]

1. That on &c., at &c., by his bill of exchange now overdue directed to the defendant the plaintiff required the defendant to pay to E. *F.* or order rupees months after date.
2. That the plaintiff delivered the said bill to the said *E. F.* on
3. That the defendant accepted the said bill, but did not pay the same, whereupon the same was returned to the plaintiff.

No. 38.

PAYEE AGAINST ACCEPTOR.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , the defendant accepted a bill of exchange, now overdue, made [*or* purporting to have been made] by one *E. F.*, on the day of 18 , at , requiring the defendant to pay to the plaintiff rupees after sight thereof.

2. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 39.

FIRST INDORSEE AGAINST ACCEPTOR.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , the defendant accepted a bill of exchange, now overdue, made [*or* purporting to have been made] by one *E. F.*, on the day of 18 , at , requiring the defendant to pay to the order of one *G. H.* rupees after sight thereof.

2. That the said *G. H.* indorsed the same to the plaintiff.

3. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 40.

SUBSEQUENT INDORSEE AGAINST ACCEPTOR.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. [*As in the preceding form, to the end of art.* 1.]

2. That by the indorsement of the said *G. H.* [and others], the same was transferred to the plaintiff.

3. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 41.

PAYEE AGAINST DRAWER FOR NON-ACCEPTANCE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant, by his bill of exchange, directed to *E. F.* required the said E. *F.* to pay to the plaintiff rupees [days after sight].
2. That on the day of 18 , the same was duly presented to the said *E. F.* for acceptance, and was dishonoured.
3. That the defendant had due notice thereof.
4. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

[NOTE.—Notice of dishonour by non-acceptance must be given at once.]

No. 42.

FIRST INDORSEE AGAINST FIRST INDORSER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That the defendant indorsed to the plaintiff a bill of exchange now overdue, made [*or* purporting to have been made] by one *E. F.*, on the day of 18 , at , requiring one *G. H.* to pay to the order of the defendant rupees[days] after sight [*or* after date, *or* at sight] thereof, [and accepted by the said *G. H.* on the day of 18 .]
2. That on the day of 18 , the same was presented to the said *G. H.* for payment, and was dishonoured.
3. That the defendant had due notice thereof.
4. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 43.

SUBSEQUENT INDORSEE AGAINST FIRST INDORSER; THE INDORSEMENT BEING SPECIAL.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That the defendant indorsed to one *E. F.* a bill of exchange, now overdue made [*or* purporting to have been made] by one *G. H.*, on the day of 18 , at , requiring one *I. J.* to pay to the order of the defendant rupees days after sight thereof [*or otherwise*], and accepted by the said *I. J.* on the day of 18 . [*This clause may be omitted, if not according to the fact.*]
2. That the same was, by the indorsement of the said E. *F.* [and others], transferred to the plaintiff.
3. That on the day of 18 , the same was presented to the said *I. J.* for payment, and was dishonoured.
4. That the defendant had due notice thereof.
5. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 44.

SUBSEQUENT INDORSEE AGAINST HIS IMMEDIATE INDORSER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That the defendant indorsed to plaintiff a bill of exchange now overdue made [*or* purporting to have been made to] by one *E. F.*, on the day of 18 , at requiring one *G. H.* to pay the order of *I. J.* rupees days after sight thereof [*or otherwise*], [accepted by the said *G. H.*] and indorsed by the said *I. J.* to the defendant.

2. That on the day of 18 , the same was presented to the said *G. H.* for payment, and was dishonoured.
3. That the defendant had due notice thereof.
4. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 45.

SUBSEQUENT INDORSEE AGAINST INTERMEDIATE INDORSER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That a bill of exchange, now overdue made [*or* purporting to have been made] by one *E. F.*, on the day of 18 , at , requiring one *G. H.*, to pay to the order of one *I. J.* rupees days after sight thereof [*or otherwise*], [accepted by the said *G. H.*] and indorsed by the said *I. J.* to the defendant, was, by the indorsement of the defendant [and others], transferred to the plaintiff.
2. That on the day of 18 , the same was presented to the said *G. H.* for payment, and was dishonoured.
3. That the defendant had due notice thereof.
4. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 46.

INDORSEE AGAINST DRAWER, ACCEPTOR AND INDORSER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

E. F. of

G. H. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant, *C. D.*, by his bill of exchange, now overdue directed to the defendant, *E. F.* required the said *E. F.* to pay to the order of the defendant, *G. H.*, rupees [days after sight thereof].
2. That on the day of 18 , the said *E. F.* accepted the same.
3. That the said *G. H.* indorsed the same to the plaintiff.
4. That on the day of 18 , the same was presented to the said *E. F.* for payment, and was dishonoured.
5. That the other defendants had due notice thereof.
6. That they have not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 47.

PAYEE AGAINST DRAWER FOR NON-ACCEPTANCE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant by his bill of exchange, required one E. *F.* to pay to the plaintiff in [London] pounds sterling, [sixty days] after sight thereof.
2. That on the day of 18 , the same was presented to the said *E. F.* for acceptance, and was dishonoured, and was thereupon duly protested.
3. That the defendant had due notice thereof.
4. That he has not paid the same.

[5. That the value of pounds sterling, at the time of the service of notice of protest on the defendant, was rupees.]

Wherefore the plaintiff demands judgment against the defendant for rupees, with [ten per centum] compensation and interest from the day of 18 .

No. 48.

PAYEE AGAINST ACCEPTOR.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , one *E. F.*, by his bill of exchange now overdue, directed to the defendant, required the defendant to pay to the plaintiff rupees after date [*or* days after sight] thereof.

2. That on the day of 18 , the defendant accepted the said bill.

3. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

[NOTE.—This form omits to state the delivery of the bill to the plaintiff or his title to sue. See *Churchill* v. *Gardner*, 7 T. R. 596.]

No. 49.

ON A MARINE [OPEN] POLICY, ON VESSEL LOST BY PERILS OF THE SEA.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

and *E. F.* of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That plaintiff was the owner of [*or*, had an interest in] the ship at the time of its loss, as hereafter mentioned.

2. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendants, in consideration of rupees to them paid [*or*, which the plaintiff then promised to pay], executed to him a policy of insurance upon the said ship, a copy of which is hereto annexed; [*or*, whereby they promised to pay to the plaintiff, within days after proof of loss and interest, all loss and damage accruing to him by reason of the destruction or injury of the said ship, during its next voyage from to , whether by perils of the sea or by fire, or by other causes therein mentioned, not exceeding rupees].

3. That the said vessel, while proceeding on the voyage mentioned in the said policy, was, on the day of 18 , totally lost by the perils of the sea [*or otherwise*].

4. That the plaintiff's loss thereby was rupees.

5. That on the day of 18 , he furnished the defendant with proof of his loss and interest, and otherwise duly performed all the conditions of the said policy on his part.

6. That the defendants have not paid the said loss.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 50.

ON CARGO, LOST BY FIRE:—VALUED POLICY.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That plaintiff was the owner of [*or*, had an interest in] [one hundred bales of cotton] on board the ship at the time of its loss as hereafter mentioned.

2. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant, in consideration of rupees, which the plaintiff then paid [*or*, promised to pay], executed to him a policy of insurance upon the said goods, a copy of which is hereto annexed; [*or*, whereby it promised to pay to the plaintiff rupees in case of the total loss, by fire or other causes mentioned, of the said goods before their landing at ; *or*, in case of partial loss, such damage as the plaintiff might sustain thereby, provided the same should exceed per centum of the whole value of the goods].

3. That on the day of 18, at , while proceeding on the voyage mentioned in the said policy, the said goods were totally destroyed by fire.

4 *and* 5. [*As in paragraphs* 5 *and* 6 *of the preceding Form.*]

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 51.

ON FREIGHT:—VALUED POLICY.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That plaintiff had an interest in the freight to be earned by the ship [ ] on her voyage from to , at the time of her loss as hereafter mentioned, and that a large quantity of goods were shipped upon freight in her at that time.

2. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant, in consideration of rupees to it paid, executed to the plaintiff a policy of insurance upon the said freight, a copy of which is hereto annexed [*or state its tenor, as before*].

3. That the said vessel, while proceeding upon the voyage mentioned in the said policy, was, on the day of 18 , totally lost by [the perils of the sea].

4. That the plaintiff has not received any freight from the said vessel, nor did she earn any on the said voyage, by reason of her loss as aforesaid.

5 *and* 6. [*As in Form No.* 50.]

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 52.

FOR A LOSS BY GENERAL AVERAGE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That plaintiff was the owner of [*or*, had an interest in] [one hundred bales of cotton] shipped on board a vessel called the *Y. Z*, from to , at the time of the loss hereafter mentioned.

2. That on the day of 18 , at , in consideration of rupees [which the plaintiff then promised to pay], the defendant executed to the plaintiff a policy of insurance upon his said goods, a copy of which is hereto annexed, [*or state its tenor, as before*].

3. That on the day of 18 , while proceeding on the voyage mentioned in the said policy, the said vessel was so endangered by perils of the sea, that the master and crew thereof were compelled to, and did, cast into the sea a large part of her rigging and furniture.

4. That the plaintiff was, by reason thereof, compelled to, and did, pay a general average loss of rupees.

5. That on the day of 18 , he furnished the defendant with proof of his loss and interest, and otherwise duly performed all the conditions of the said policy on his part.

6. That the defendant has not paid the said loss.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 53.

FOR A PARTICULAR AVERAGE LOSS.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1 *and* 2. [*As in the preceding Form.*]

3. That on the day of 18 , while on the high seas, the sea water broke into the said ship, and damaged the said [cotton] to the amount of rupees.

4 *and* 5. [*As in paragraphs* 5 *and* 6 *of the preceding Form.*]

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 54.

ON A FIRE INSURANCE POLICY.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That plaintiff [was the owner of, *or*] had an interest in a [dwelling-house, known as No. , street, in the city of ,] at the time of its destruction [*or*, injury] by fire as hereinafter mentioned.

2. That on the day of 18 at , in consideration of rupees [to it paid], the defendant executed to the plaintiff a policy of insurance on the said [premises], a copy of which is hereto annexed; [*or, state its tenor*].

3. That on the day of 18 , the said [dwelling-house] was totally destroyed [*or*, greatly damaged] by fire.

4. That the plaintiff's loss thereby was rupees.

5. That on the day of 18 , he furnished the defendant with proof of his said loss and interest, and otherwise duly performed all the conditions of the said policy on his part.

6. That the defendant has not paid the said loss.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 55.

AGAINST SURETIES FOR PAYMENT OF RENT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , one *E. F.* hired from the plaintiff, for the term of years, the [house No. street,], at the annual rent of rupees, payable [monthly].

2. That [at the same time and place] the defendant agreed, in consideration of the letting of the said premises to the said *E. F.*, to guarantee the punctual payment of the said rent.

3. That the rent aforesaid for the month of 18 . amounting to rupees, has not been paid.

[*If, by the terms of the agreement, notice is required to be given to the surety, add :—*

4. That on the day of 18 , the plaintiff gave notice to the defendant of the non-payment of the said rent, and demanded payment thereof.

5. That he has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

B. PLAINTS FOR COMPENSATION FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT.

No. 56.

FOR BREACH OF AGREEMENT TO CONVEY LAND.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff and defendant entered into an agreement, under their hands, of which a copy is hereto annexed.

[*Or* That on, &c., the defendant agreed with the plaintiff that, in consideration of a deposit of rupees then paid, and of the further sum of ten thousand rupees payable as hereafter mentioned, he would, on the day of 18 , at , execute to the plaintiff a good and sufficient conveyance of [the house No. street, in the city of free from all incumbrances; and the plaintiff agreed to pay ten thousand rupees for the same on delivery thereof].

2. That on the day of 18 , the plaintiff demanded the conveyance of the said property from the defendant, and tendered rupees to the defendant [*or*, that all conditions were fulfilled, and all things happened and all times elapsed necessary to entitle the plaintiff to have the said agreement performed by the defendant on his part].

3. That on the day of 18 , the plaintiff again demanded such conveyance [*or*, that the defendant refused to execute the same].

4. That the defendant has not executed any conveyance of the said property to the plaintiff [*or* That there is a mortgage upon the said property, made by to , for rupees, registered in the office of , on the day of 18 , and still unsatisfied, *or any other defect of title*].

5. That the plaintiff has thereby lost the use of the money paid by him as such deposit as aforesaid and of other moneys provided by him for the completion of the said purchase, and has lost the expenses incurred by him in investigating the title of the defendant and in preparing to perform the agreement on his part, and has incurred expense in endeavouring to procure the performance thereof by the defendant.

Wherefore the plaintiff prays judgment for rupees compensation.

No. 57.

FOR BREACH OF AGREEMENT TO PURCHASE LAND.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B, the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff and defendant entered into an agreement, under their hands, of which a copy is hereto annexed.

[*Or* That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff and defendant mutually agreed that the plaintiff should sell to the defendant, and that the defendant should purchase from the plaintiff, forty bighás of land in the village of , for rupees].

2. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff, being then the absolute owner of the said property [and the same being free from all incumbrances, as was made to appear to the defendant], tendered to the defendant a sufficient deed of conveyance of the same [*or*, was ready and willing, and offered to convey the same to the defendant by a sufficient deed], on the payment by the defendant of the said sum.

3. That the defendant has not paid the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 58.

ANOTHER FORM.

FOR NOT COMPLETING A PURCHASE OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That by an agreement dated the day of 187 , it was agreed by and between the plaintiff and the defendant that the plaintiff should sell to the defendant and the defendant should purchase from the plaintiff a house and land at the price of rupees, upon the terms and conditions following (that is to say)—

(*a.*) That the defendant should pay the plaintiff a deposit of rupees in part of the said purchase-money on the signing of the said agreement, and the remainder on the day of 187 , on which day the said purchase should be completed.

(*b.*) That the plaintiff should deduce and make a good title to the said premises on or before the day of 187 , and on payment of the said remainder of the said purchase-money as aforesaid should execute to the defendant a proper conveyance of the said premises, to be prepared at the defendant's expense.

2. That all conditions were fulfilled, and all things happened and all times elapsed necessary to entitle the plaintiff to have the said agreement performed by the defendant on his part, yet the defendant did not pay the plaintiff the remainder of the said purchase-money as aforesaid on his part.

3. That the plaintiff has thereby lost the expense which he incurred in preparing to perform the said agreement on his part, and has been put to expense in endeavouring to procure the performance thereof by the defendant.

4. [*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 59.

FOR NOT DELIVERING GOODS SOLD.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows :—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff and defendant mutually agreed that the defendant should deliver [one hundred barrels of flour] to the plaintiff [on the day of 18 , [and that the plaintiff should therefor rupees on delivery.

2. That on the [said] day, the plaintiff was ready and willing, and offered, to pay the defendant the said sum upon delivery of the said goods.

3. That the defendant has not delivered the same, whereby the plaintiff has been deprived of the profits which would have accrued to him from such delivery.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 60.

FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT TO EMPLOY.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff and defendant mutually agreed that the plaintiff should serve the defendant as [an accountant, *or* in the capacity of foreman, *or as the case may be*], and that the defendant should employ the plaintiff as such, for the term of [one year], and pay him for his services rupees [monthly].

2. That on the day of 18 , the plaintiff entered upon the service of the defendant as aforesaid, and has ever since been, and still is, ready and willing to continue in such service during the remainder of the said year, whereof the defendant always had notice.

3. That on the day of 18 , the defendant wrongfully discharged the plaintiff, and refused to permit him to serve as aforesaid, or to pay him for his services.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 61.

FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT TO EMPLOY, WHERE THE EMPLOYMENT NEVER TOOK EFFECT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. [*As in preceding Form.*]

2. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff offered to enter upon the service of the defendant, and has ever since been ready and willing so to do.

3. That the defendant refused to permit the plaintiff to enter upon such service, or to pay him for his services.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 62.

FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT TO SERVE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff and defendant mutually agreed that the plaintiff should employ the defendant [at [an annual] compensation of rupees, and that the defendant should serve the plaintiff as [an artist] for the term of [one year].

2. That the plaintiff has always been ready and willing to perform his part of the said agreement [and on the day of 18 offered so to do].

3. That the defendant [entered upon the service of the plaintiff on the above-mentioned day, but afterwards, on the day of 18 , he] refused to serve the plaintiff as aforesaid.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 63.

AGAINST A BUILDER FOR DEFECTIVE WORKMANSHIP.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff and defendant entered into an agreement, of which a copy is hereto annexed:

[*Or state the tenor of the contract*].

[2. That the plaintiff duly performed all the conditions of the said agreement on his part].

3. That the defendant built the house referred to in the said agreement in a bad and unworkmanlike manner.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 64.

BY THE MASTER AGAINST THE FATHER OR GUARDIAN OF AN APPRENTICE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at the defendant entered into an agreement, under his hand and seal,* a copy of which is also hereto annexed:

[*Or state the tenor of these covenants*].

2. That after the making of the said agreement the plaintiff received the said [*apprentice*] into his service as such apprentice for the term aforesaid, and has always performed and been ready and willing to perform all things in the said agreement on his part to be performed.

3. That on the day of 18 , the said [*apprentice*] wilfully absented himself from the service of the plaintiff, and continues so to do.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 65.

BY THE APPRENTICE AGAINST THE MASTER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the *A.* defendant entered into an agreement with the plaintiff's father, *E. F.*, under their hands and seals, a copy of which is hereto annexed.

2. That after the making of the said agreement the plaintiff entered into the service of the defendant with him after the manner of an apprentice to serve for the term mentioned in the said agreement, and has always performed all things in the said agreement contained on his part to be performed.

3. That the defendant has not [instructed the plaintiff in the business of , *or state any other breach, such as cruelty, failure to provide sufficient food, or other ill-treatment*].

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 66.

ON A BOND FOR THE FIDELITY OF A CLERK.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , plaintiff employed one *E. F.* as a clerk.

2. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant agreed with the plaintiff, that if the said *E. F.* should not faithfully perform his duties as a clerk to the plaintiff, or should fail to account to the plaintiff for all moneys, evidences of debt, or other property received by him for the use of the plaintiff, the defendant would pay to the plaintiff whatever loss he might sustain by reason thereof, not exceeding rupees.

[*Or* That at the same time and place, the defendant bound himself to the plaintiff, by a writing under his hand, in the penal sum of rupees, conditioned that if the said *E. F.* should faithfully perform his duties as clerk and cashier to the plaintiff, and should justly account to the plaintiff for all moneys, evidences of debt, or other property which should be at any time held by him in trust for the plaintiff, the same should be void, but not otherwise].

[*Or*, 2. That at the same time and place, the defendant executed to the plaintiff a bond, a copy of which is annexed].

3. That between the day of 18 and the day of 18 , the said *E. F.* received money and other property, amounting to the value of rupees, for the use of the plaintiff, for which he has not accounted to him, and the same still remains due and unpaid.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

* The form given in Act XIX of 1850 requires the seal of the father or guardian.

No. 67.

BY TENANT AGAINST LANDLORD, WITH SPECIAL DAMAGE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant, by an instrument in writing, let to the plaintiff [the house No. street, for the term of years, covenanting with the plaintiff that he, the plaintiff, and his legal representatives should quietly enjoy possession thereof for the said term.

2. That all conditions were fulfilled and all things happened necessary to entitle the plaintiff to maintain this suit.

3. That on the day of during the said term, one *E. F.*, who was the lawful owner of the said house, lawfully evicted the plaintiff therefrom, and still withholds the possession thereof from him.

4. That the plaintiff was thereby [prevented from continuing the business of a tailor at the said place, was compelled to expend rupees in moving, and lost the custom of *G. H.* and *I. J.* by such removal.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 68.

FOR BREACH OF WARRANTY OF MOVEABLES.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant warranted a steam-engine to be in good working order, and thereby induced the plaintiff to purchase the same of him, and to pay him rupees therefor.

2. That the said engine was not then in good working order, whereby the plaintiff incurred expense in having the said engine repaired, and lost the profits which would otherwise have accrued to him while the engine was under repair.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 69.

ON AN AGREEMENT OF INDEMNITY.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff and defendant, being partners in trade under the firm of *A. B.* and *C. D.*, dissolved the said partnership, and mutually agreed that the defendant should take and keep all the partnership property, pay all debts of the firm, and indemnify the plaintiff against all claims that might be made upon him on account of any indebtedness of the said firm.

2. That the plaintiff duly performed all the conditions of the said agreement on his part.

3. That on the day of 18 [a judgment was recovered against the plaintiff and defendant by one E. *F.*, in the High Court of Judicature at , upon a debt due from the said firm to the said E. *F.*, and on the day of 18] the plaintiff paid rupees [in satisfaction of the same].

4. That the defendant has not paid the same to the plaintiff.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 70.

BY OWNER AGAINST FREIGHT OR FOR NOT LOADING.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the plaintiff and defendant entered into an agreement, a copy of which is hereto annexed.

[*Or*, 1. That on , at , the plaintiff and defendant agreed by charter-party that the defendant should deliver to the plaintiff's ship at , on the day of 18 , five

hundred tons of merchandise, which she should carry to , and there deliver, on payment of freight; and that the defendant should have days for loading, days for discharge, and days for demurrage, if required, at rupees per day].

2. That at the time fixed by the said agreement the plaintiff was ready and willing, and offered to receive [the said merchandise, *or*, the merchandise mentioned in the said agreement] from the defendant.

3. That the period allowed for loading and demurrage has elapsed, but the defendant has not delivered the said merchandise to the said vessel.

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment for rupees for demurrage and rupees additional for compensation.

C.—PLAINTS FOR COMPENSATION UPON WRONGS.

No. 71.

FOR TRESPASS ON LAND.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant entered upon certain land of the plaintiff, known as [and depastured the same with cattle, trod down the grass, cut the timber, and otherwise injured the same].

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 72.

FOR TRESPASS IN ENTERING A DWELLING-HOUSE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

1. That the defendant entered a dwelling-house of the plaintiff called , and made a noise and disturbance therein for a long time, and broke upon the doors of the said dwelling-house, and removed, took and carried away the fixtures and goods of the plaintiff therein, and disposed of the same to the defendant's own use, and expelled the plaintiff and his family from the possession of the said dwelling-house, and kept them so expelled for a long time.

2. That the plaintiff was thereby prevented from carrying on his business, and incurred expense in procuring another dwelling-house for himself and family.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 73.

FOR TRESPASS ON MOVEABLES.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant broke open ten barrels of rum belonging to the plaintiff, and emptied their contents into the street [*or* seized and took the plaintiff's goods, that is to say, iron, rice and household furniture [*or as the case may be*], and carried away the same and disposed of them to his own use:

or, seized and took the plaintiff's cows and bullocks, and impounded them and kept them impounded for a long time.

2. That the plaintiff was thereby deprived of the use of the cows and bullocks during that time, and incurred expense in feeding them and in getting them restored to him; and was also prevented from selling them at fair, as he otherwise would have done, and the said cows and bullocks are diminished in value to the plaintiff [*otherwise state the injury according to the facts*].

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 74.

FOR THE CONVERSION OF MOVEABLE PROPERTY.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , plaintiff was in possession of certain goods described in the schedule hereto annexed [*or* of one thousand barrels of flour]

2. That on that day, at , the defendant converted the same to his own use, and wrongfully deprived the plaintiff of the use and possession of the same.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

[*The Schedule.*]

No. 75.

AGAINST A WAREHOUSEMAN FOR REFUSAL TO DELIVER GOODS.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant, in consideration of the payment to him of rupees [*or*, rupees per barrel, per month, &c.], agreed to keep in his godown [one hundred barrels of flour], and to deliver the same to the plaintiff, on payment of the said sum.

2. That thereupon the plaintiff deposited with the defendant the said [hundred barrels of flour].

3. That on the day of 18 , the plaintiff requested the defendant to deliver the said goods, and tendered him rupees [*or*, the full amount of storage due thereon], but the defendant refused to deliver the same.

4. That the plaintiff was thereby prevented from selling the said goods to *E. F.*, and the same are lost to the plaintiff.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 76.

FOR PROCURING PROPERTY BY FRAUD.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant, for the purpose of inducing the plaintiff to sell him certain goods, represented to the plaintiff that [he, the defendant, was solvent, and worth rupees over all his liabilities].

2. That the plaintiff was thereby induced to sell [and deliver] to the defendant [dry goods] of the value of rupees.

3. That the said representations were false [*or, state the particular falsehoods*], and were then known by the defendant to be so.

4. That the defendant has not paid for the said goods. [*Or, if the goods were not delivered*] That the plaintiff, in preparing and shipping the said goods and procuring their restoration, expended rupees.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 77.

FOR FRAUDULENTLY PROCURING CREDIT TO BE GIVEN TO ANOTHER PERSON.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant represented to the plaintiff, that one *E. F.* was solvent and in good credit, and worth rupees over all his liabilities [*or* that *E. F.* then held a responsible situation, and was in good circumstances, and might safely be trusted with goods on credit]

2. That the plaintiff was thereby induced to sell to the said *E. F.* [rice] of the value of rupees [on months' credit].

3. That the said representations were false and were then known by the defendant to be so, and were made by him with intent to deceive and defraud the plaintiff [*or*, to deceive and injure the plaintiff].

4. That the said *E. F.* [did not pay for the said goods at the expiration of the credit aforesaid, *or*,] has not paid for the said rice, and the plaintiff has wholly lost the same by reason of the premises.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 78.

FOR POLLUTING THE WATER UNDER THE PLAINTIFF'S LAND.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That he is, and at all the times hereinafter mentioned was, possessed of certain land called and situate in , and of a well therein and of water in the said well, and was entitled to the use and benefit of the said well and of the said water therein, and to have certain springs and streams of water which flowed and ran into the said well to supply the same so flow or run without being fouled or polluted.

2. That on the day of 18 , the defendant wrongfully fouled and polluted the said well and the said water therein and the said springs and streams of water which flowed into the said well.

3. That by reason of the premises the said water in the said well became impure and unfit for domestic and other necessary purposes, and the plaintiff and his family are deprived of the use and benefit of the said well and water.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 79.

FOR CARRYING ON A NOXIOUS MANUFACTURE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That plaintiff is, and at all the times hereinafter mentioned was, possessed of certain lands called situate in

2. That ever since the day of , 18 , the defendant has wrongfully caused to issue and proceed from certain smelting works carried on by the defendant large quantities of offensive, poisonous and unwholesome smoke and other vapours and noxious matter which spread and diffused themselves over and upon the said lands, and impregnated and corrupted the air, and settled and deposited on the soil and surface of the said lands.

3. That thereby the trees, hedges, herbage of crops and the plaintiff growing on the said lands were damaged and deteriorated in value, and the cattle and live stock of the plaintiff on the said lands became unhealthy and diseased, and divers of them were poisoned and died.

4. That by reason of the premises the plaintiff was unable to depasture the said lands with cattle and sheep, as he otherwise might have done, and was obliged to remove his cattle, sheep and farming stock therefrom, and has been prevented from having so beneficial and healthy a use and occupation by the said lands as he otherwise would have had.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 80.

FOR OBSTRUCTING A WAY.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That plaintiff is, and at the time hereafter mentioned was, possessed of [a house in the town of].

2. That he was accustomed to pass [with vehicles, *or*, on foot] along a certain way leading from his said house to [the highway].

3. That on the day , 18 , the defendant obstructed the said way, so that the plaintiff could not pass [with vehicles, *or*, on foot, *or*, in any manner] along the said way [and has ever since obstructed the same].

4. [*State special damage, if any.*]

[*Demand of judgment.*]

ANOTHER FORM.

1. That the defendant wrongfully dug a trench and heaped up earth and stones in the public highway leading from to so as to obstruct it.

2. That thereby the plaintiff, while lawfully passing along the said highway, fell over the said earth and stones [*or* into the said trench] and broke his arm, and suffered great pain, and was prevented from attending to his business for a long time, and incurred expense for medical attendance.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 81.

FOR DIVERTING A WATER-COURSE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That the plaintiff is, and at the time hereinafter mentioned was, possessed of a mill situated on a [stream], known as the , in the village of district of
2. That by reason of such possession the plaintiff was entitled to the flow of the said stream for working the said mill.
3. That on the day of 18 , the defendant, by cutting the bank of the said stream, diverted the water thereof so that less water ran into the plaintiff's mill.
4. That by reason thereof, the plaintiff has been unable to grind more than sacks per day, whereas, before the said diversion of water, he was able to grind sacks per day.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 82.

FOR OBSTRUCTING A RIGHT TO USE WATER FOR IRRIGATION.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

1. That the plaintiff is and was at the time hereinafter mentioned possessed of certain lands situate, &c., and entitled to take and use a portion of the water of a certain stream for irrigating the said lands.
2. That on the day of the defendant prevented the plaintiff from taking and using the said portion of the said water as aforesaid, by obstructing and diverting the said stream.

[*Demand of judgment*].

No. 83.

FOR WASTE BY A LESSEE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , the defendant hired from him the [house No. , street] for the term of
2. That the defendant occupied the same under such hiring.
3. That during the period of such occupation, the defendant greatly injured the premises [defaced the walls, tore up the floors, and broke down the doors; *or otherwise specify the injuries as far as possible*].

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment for rupees compensation.

No. 84.

FOR ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant assaulted and beat him.

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment for rupees compensation.

No. 85.

FOR ASSAULT AND BATTERY, WITH SPECIAL DAMAGE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant assaulted and beat the plaintiff, until he became insensible.
2. That the plaintiff was thereby disabled from attending to his business for [six weeks thereafter], and was compelled to pay rupees for medical attendance, and has been ever since disabled [from using his right arm]. [*Or, otherwise state the damage, as the case may be*].

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 86.

FOR ASSAULT AND FALSE IMPRISONMENT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant assaulted the plaintiff and imprisoned him for days [*or* hours]; [*state special damage, if any, thus*:—
2. That by reason thereof the plaintiff suffered great pain of body and mind and was exposed and injured in his credit and circumstances, and was prevented from carrying on his business and from providing for his family by his personal care and attention, and incurred expense in obtaining his liberation from the said imprisonment, [*or otherwise as the case may be*].

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 87.

FOR INJURIES CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE ON A RAILROAD.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of
against
The Railway Company.

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , the defendants were common carriers of passengers by railway between and
2. That on that day the plaintiff was a passenger in one of the carriages of the defendants on the said road.
3. That while he was such passenger, at [*or*, near the station of ; *or*, between the stations of and], a collision occurred on the said railway, caused by the negligence and unskilfulness of the defendants' servants, whereby the plaintiff was much injured [having his leg broken, his head cut, &c., *and state the special damage, if any, as*], and incurred expense for medical attendance, and is permanently disabled from carrying on his former business as a salesman.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

[*Or thus*:—2. That on that day the defendants by their servants so negligently and unskilfully drove an managed and engine and a train of carriages attached thereto upon and along the defendants' railway which the plaintiff was then lawfully crossing, that the said engine and train were driven and struck against the plaintiff, whereby &c., *as in* § 3.]

No. 88.

FOR LIBEL; THE WORDS BEING LIBELLOUS IN THEMSELVES.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant published in a newspaper, called the [*or*, in a letter addressed to *E. F.*], the following words, concerning the plaintiff:

[*Set forth the words used.*]

2. That the said publication was false and malicious.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

NOTE.—If the libel was in a language not the language of the Court, set out the libel *verbatim* in the foreign language in which it was published, and then proceed thus:—"Which said words, being translated into the language, have the meaning and effect following, and were so understood by the persons to whom they were so published, that is to say, [*here set out a literal translation of the libel in the language of the Court.*]

No. 89.

FOR LIBEL; THE WORDS NOT BEING LIBELLOUS IN THEMSELVES.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That the plaintiff [is, and] was, on and before the day of , 18 a merchant, doing business in the city of

2. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant published in a newspaper, called the [*or*, in a letter addressed to *E. F.*, *or otherwise show how published*], the following words concerning the plaintiff:

["*A. B.*, of this city, has modestly retired to foreign lands. It is said that creditors to the amount of rupees are anxiously seeking his address"].

3. That the defendant meant thereby that [the plaintiff had absconded to avoid his creditors, and with intent to defraud them].

4. That the said publication was false and malicious.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 90.

FOR SLANDER; THE WORDS BEING ACTIONABLE IN THEMSELVES.

IN THE COURT AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant falsely and maliciously spoke, in the hearing of *E. F.* [*or* sundry persons], the following words, concerning the plaintiff: ["He is a thief"].

2. That in consequence of the said words, the plaintiff lost his situation as in the employ of

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 91.

FOR SLANDER; THE WORDS NOT BEING ACTIONABLE IN THEMSELVES.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant falsely and maliciously said to one *E. F.*, concerning the plaintiff: ["He is a young man of remarkably easy conscience"].

2. That the plaintiff was then seeking employment as a clerk, and the defendant meant by the said words, that the plaintiff was not trustworthy as a clerk.

3. That in consequence of the said words [the said *E. F.* refused to employ the plaintiff as a clerk].

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 92.

FOR MALICIOUS PROSECUTION.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant obtained a warrant of arrest from [a police magistrate of the said city, *or as the case may be*,] on a charge of , and the plaintiff was arrested thereon, and imprisoned for [days, *or*, hours, and gave bail in the sum of rupees to obtain his release].

2. That in so doing, the defendant acted maliciously and without reasonable or probable cause.

3. That on the day of 18 , the said magistrate dismissed the complaint of the defendant, and acquitted the plaintiff.

4. That many persons, whose names are unknown to the plaintiff, hearing of the said arrest, and supposing the plaintiff to be a criminal, have ceased to do business with him; *or*, that in consequence of the said arrest, the plaintiff lost his situation as clerk to one *E. F.*, *or* that by reason of the premises the plaintiff suffered pain of body and mind, and was prevented from transacting his business, and was injured in his credit, and incurred expense in obtaining his release from the said imprisonment and in defending himself against the said complaint.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 93.

FOR SLANDER OF TITLE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , plaintiff was the absolute owner of [the house No. , street , *or* an estate in the town of , , bounded by land of *E. F.*, *G. H.* and *I. J.*]

2. That on that day, at , the defendant spoke, in the presence of *K. L.* [and other persons], the following words concerning the plaintiff and his said property ["*A. B.* does not own that house [or estate]. He has sold it to me, and I have a good title to it"].

3. That the said words were false and malicious.

4. That by reason of the said words, the said *K. L.*, who was then about to purchase the said property from the plaintiff, refused to do so. [*Or otherwise show special damage*].

[*Demand of judgment.*]

[NOTE.—This suit will not lie unless special damage has been sustained.]

D. PLAINTS IN SUITS FOR SPECIFIC PROPERTY.

No. 94.

BY THE ABSOLUTE OWNER FOR THE POSSESSION OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That he is the absolute owner of the [estate, *or* the share of the estate called situate in the District of , the government revenue of which is rupees and the estimated value rupees *or* of the house No. , street in the town of Calcutta the estimated value of which is rupees].

2. That the defendant withholds the possession thereof from the plaintiff.

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment:

(1). For the possession of the said premises;

(2). For rupees compensation for withholding the same.

No. 95.

BY THE TENANT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B. the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That one *E. F.* is the absolute owner of [a piece of land in the town of Calcutta, , bounded as follows:], the estimated value of which is rupees .

2. That on the day of 18 , the said *E. F.* let the said premises to the plaintiff for years, from

3. That the defendant withholds the possession thereof from the plaintiff.

[*Demand of judgment.*]

No. 96.

FOR MOVEABLE PROPERTY WRONGFULLY TAKEN.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , plaintiff owned [*or*, was possessed of], one hundred barrels of flour, the estimated value of which is rupees

2. That on that day, at , the defendant took the same.

Wherefore, the plaintiff prays judgment:

(1). For the possession of the said goods, or for rupees in case such possession cannot be had;

(2). For rupees compensation for the detention thereof.

No. 97.

FOR MOVEABLES WRONGFULLY DETAINED.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , plaintiff owned [*or, state facts showing a right to the possession*] the goods mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed [*or describe the goods*], the estimated value of which is rupees .

2. That from that day until the commencement of this suit, the defendant has detained the same from the plaintiff.

3. That before the commencement of this suit, to wit, on the day of 18 , the plaintiff demanded the same from the defendant, but he refused to deliver them.

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment:

(1). For the possession of the said goods, or for rupees, in case such possession cannot be had;

(2). For rupees compensation for the detention thereof.

The schedule.

No. 98.

AGAINST A FRAUDULENT PURCHASER AND HIS TRANSFEREE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , at , the defendant [*C. D.*], for the purpose of inducing the plaintiff to sell him certain goods, represented to the plaintiff that [he was solvent, and worth rupees over all his liabilities].

2. That the plaintiff was thereby induced to sell and deliver to the said *C. D.* [*one hundred boxes of tea*], the estimated value of which is rupees.

3. That the said representations were false, and were then known by the said *C. D.* to be so. [*Or* That at the time of making the said representations, the said *C. D.* was insolvent, and knew himself to be so].

4. That the said *C. D.* afterwards transferred the said goods to the defendant, *E. F.*

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment:

(1). For the possession of the said goods, or for rupees, in case such possession cannot be had;

(2). For rupees compensation for the detention reof.

E. PLAINTS IN SUITS FOR SPECIAL RELIEF.

No. 99.

FOR RESCISSION OF A CONTRACT ON THE GROUND OF MISTAKE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , the defendant represented to the plaintiff that a certain piece of ground belonging to the defendant, situated at , contained *ten bighás*.

2. That the plaintiff was thereby induced to purchase the same at the price of rupees in the belief that the said representation was true, and signed an agreement, of which a copy is hereto annexed. But no conveyance of the same has been executed to him.

3. That on the day of 18 , the plaintiff paid the defendant rupees as part of such purchase-money.

4. That the said piece of ground contained in fact only [*five bighás*].

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment:

(1). For rupees, with interest from the day of 18 ;

(2). That the said agreement of purchase be delivered up and cancelled.

No. 100.

FOR AN INJUNCTION RESTRAINING WASTE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That plaintiff is the absolute owner of [*describe the property*].

2. That the defendant is in possession of the same under a lease from the plaintiff.

3. That the defendant has [cut down a number of valuable trees, and threatens to cut down many more for the purpose of sale] without the consent of the plaintiff.

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment, that the defendant be restrained by injunction from committing or permitting any further waste on the said premises

[*Pecuniary compensation might also be demanded.*]

No. 101.

FOR ABATEMENT OF A NUISANCE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That plaintiff is, and at all the times hereinafter mentioned was, the absolute owner of [the house No. , street, Calcutta].

2. That the defendant is, and at all the said times was, the absolute owner of [a plot of ground in the same street].

3. That on the day of 18 , the defendant erected upon his said lot a slaughter-house, and still maintains the same; and from that day until the present time has continually caused cattle to be brought and killed there [and has caused the blood and offal to be thrown into the street opposite the said house of the plaintiff].

4. That [the plaintiff has been compelled, by reason of the premises, to abandon the said house, and has been unable to rent the same].

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment, that the said nuisance be abated.

No. 102.

FOR AN INJUNCTION AGAINST THE DIVERSION OF A WATER-COURSE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

[*As in* No. 80.]

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment, that the defendant be restrained by injunction from diverting the water as aforesaid.

No. 103.

FOR RESTORATION OF MOVEABLE PROPERTY, THREATENED WITH DESTRUCTION, AND FOR AN INJUNCTION.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That plaintiff is, and at all times hereinafter mentioned was, the owner of [a portrait of his grandfather, which was executed by an eminent painter], and of which no duplicate exists [*or state any facts showing that the property is of a kind that cannot be replaced by money*].

2. That on the day of 18 , he deposited the same for safe-keeping with the defendant.

3. That on the day of 18 , he demanded the same from the defendant, and offered to pay all reasonable charges for the storage of the same.

4. That the defendant refuses to deliver the same to the plaintiff, and threatens to conceal, dispose of, cut or injure the same if required to deliver it up.

5. That no pecuniary compensation would be an adequate compensation to the plaintiff for the loss of the said [painting].

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment:

(1). That the defendant be restrained by injunction from disposing of, injuring, or concealing the said [painting];

(2). That he return the same to the plaintiff.

[NOTE.—See *Wood* v. *Rowcliffe*, 3 Hare 309. And see 2 Giff. 64.]

No. 104.

INTERPLEADER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

and

E. F. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That before the date of the claims hereinafter mentioned, one *G. H.* deposited with the plaintiff [*describe the property*] for [safe keeping].

2. That the defendant, *C. D.*, claims the same [under an alleged assignment thereof to him from the said *G. H.*]

3. That the defendant, *E. F.*, also claims the same [under an order of the said *G. H.* transferring the same to him].

4. That the plaintiff is ignorant of the respective rights of the defendants.

5. That he has no claim upon the said property, and is ready and willing to deliver it to such persons as the Court shall direct.

6. That this suit is not brought by collusion with either of the defendants.

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment:

(1). That the defendants be restrained, by injunction, from taking any proceedings against the plaintiff in relation thereto;

(2). That they be required to interplead together concerning their claims to the said property;

[(3). That some person be authorized to receive the said property pending such litigation];

(4). That upon delivering the same to such [person], the plaintiff be discharged from all liability to either of the defendants in relation thereto.

No. 105.

ADMINISTRATION BY CREDITOR.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. *E. F.*, late of , was at the time of his death, and his estate still is, indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of [*here insert nature of debt and security, if any*].

2. The said *E. F.* made his Will dated the day of and thereof appointed *C. D.* executor [*or* devised his estate in trust, &c., *or* died intestate, *as the case may be*].

3. The said Will was proved by the said *C. D.* [*or* letters of administration were granted, *&c.*]

4. The defendant has possessed himself of the moveable [and immoveable *or* the proceeds of the immoveable] property of the said *E. F.*, and has not paid the plaintiff his said debt.

5. The said *E. F.* died on or about the day of

6. The plaintiff prays that an account may be taken of the moveable [and immoveable] property of the said *E. F.* deceased, and that the same may be administered under the decree of the Court.

No. 106.

ADMINISTRATION BY SPECIFIC LEGATEES.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

[*Alter Form* 103 *thus*:—]

[*Omit paragraph* 1 *and commence paragraph* 2] *E. F.*, late of , duly made his last Will dated the day of and thereof appointed *C. D.* executor, "and by such Will bequeathed to the plaintiff [*here state the specific legacy*]."

For paragraph 4 *substitute*—

The defendant is in possession of the moveable property of the said *E. F.*, and *inter alia*, of the said [*here name the subject of the specific bequest*].

For the commencement of paragraph 6 *substitute*—

The plaintiff prays that the defendant may be ordered to deliver to him the said [*here name the subject of the specific bequest*], or that, &c.

No. 107.

ADMINISTRATION BY PECUNIARY LEGATEES.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

[*Alter Form* 103 *thus*:—]

[*Omit paragraph* 1 *and substitute for paragraph* 2] *E. F.*, late of , duly made his last Will dated the day of , and thereof appointed *C. D.* executor, and by such Will bequeathed to the plaintiff a legacy of Rs.

In paragraph 4, *substitute* "legacy" *for* "debt."

No. 108.

EXECUTION OF TRUSTS.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of ... *Plaintiff*,

against

C. D. of the *or* one of the beneficiaries, ... *Defendant*.

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That he is one of the trustees under an instrument of settlement bearing date on or about the day of made upon the marriage of the said *E. F.* and *G. H.*, the father and mother of the defendant [*or* an instrument of assignment of the estate and effects of *E. F.* for the benefit of *C. D.* the defendant, and other the creditors of *E. F.*]

2. The said *A. B.* has taken upon himself the burden of the said trust, and is in possession of [*or* of the proceeds of] the moveable and immoveable property conveyed [*or* assigned] by the before-mentioned deed.

3. The said *C. D.* claims to be entitled to a beneficial interest under the before-mentioned deed.

4. The plaintiff is desirous to account for all the rents and profits of the said immoveable property [and the proceeds of the sale of the said *or* part of the said immoveable property, *or* moveable, *or* the proceeds of the sale of, *or* part of, the said moveable property, *or* the profits accruing to the plaintiff as such trustee in the execution of the said trust]; and he prays that the Court will take the accounts of the said trust, and also that the whole of said trust estate may be administered in the Court for the benefit of the said *C. D.*, the defendant, and all other persons who may be interested in such administration, in the presence of the said *C. D.* and such other persons so interested as the Court may direct, or that the said *C. D.* may shew good cause to the contrary.

[*N. B.—Where the suit is by a beneficiary, the plaint may be modelled, mutatis mutandis, on the plaint by a legatee*].

No. 109.

FORECLOSURE.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B., of

against

C. D., of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. By an instrument of mortgage bearing date on or about the day of 18 , a house with the garden and appurtenances, situated within the jurisdiction of this Court, were conveyed [*or* assigned] by the defendant to him the plaintiff, his heirs [*or* executors, administrators,] and assigns, for securing the principal sum of Rs. together with interest thereon after the rate of Rs. per centum per annum, subject to redemption upon payment by the said defendant of the said principal and interest at a day long since past.

2. There is now due from the defendant to the plaintiff the sum of Rs. for principal and interest on the said mortgage.

3. The plaintiff prays that the Court will order the defendant to pay him the said sum of Rs. , with such further interest as may accrue between the filing of the plaint and the day of payment, and also the costs of this suit, on some day to be named by the Court, and in default that the equity of redemption of the said mortgaged premises may be foreclosed, or that the said premises may be sold, and the proceeds applied in and towards the payment of the said principal, interest, and costs; and he prays that for that purpose all proper directions may be given and accounts taken by the Court.

No. 110.

REDEMPTION.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B., of

against

C. D., of

[*Alter Form* 107 *thus*:—]

Transpose parties and also the facts in paragraph 1.

For paragraph 2 *substitute*—

2. There is now due from the plaintiff to the defendant, for principal and interest on the said mortgage, the sum of Rs. which the plaintiff is ready and willing to pay to the defendant, of which the defendant, before filing this plaint, had notice.

For paragraph 3 *substitute*—

The plaintiff prays that he may redeem the said premises and that the defendant may be ordered to reconvey [*or* re-assign] the same to him upon payment of the said sum of Rs. and interest, with such costs (if any), as the Court may order upon a day to be named by the Court, and that the Court will give all proper directions for the preparation and execution of such re-conveyance [*or* assignment], and doing such other acts as may be necessary to put him into possession of the said premises, freed from the said mortgage.

No. 111.

SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE. (No. 1).

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B., of
against
C. D., of

A. B., the above-named Plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. By an agreement dated the day of and signed by the above-named Defendant *C. D.*, he the said *C. D.* contracted to buy of [*or* sell to] him certain immoveable property, therein described and referred to, for the sum of Rs.

2. He has applied to the said *C. D.* specifically to perform the said agreement on his part, but that he has not done so.

3. The said *A. B.* has been and still is ready and willing specifically to perform the agreement on his part, of which the said *C. D.* has had notice.

4. Wherefore the plaintiff demands judgment that the Court will order the said *A. B.* specifically to perform the said agreement, and to do all acts necessary to put the said *A. B.* in full possession of the said property [*or* to accept a conveyance and possession of the said property] and to pay the costs of the suit.

[*N. B.—In suit for delivery up, to be cancelled, of any agreement, omit paragraphs 2 and 3, and substitute a paragraph stating generally the grounds for requiring the agreement to be delivered up to be cancelled, such as that the Plaintiff signed it by mistake, under distress, or by the fraud of the Defendant, and alter the prayer according to the relief sought.*]

No. 112.

SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE. (No. 2).

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

A. B., the above-named plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. That on the day of 18 , the defendant was absolutely entitled to certain immoveable property described in the agreement hereto annexed.

2. That on the same day, the plaintiff and defendant entered into an agreement, under their hands, a copy of which is hereto annexed.

3. That on the day of 18 , the plaintiff tendered rupees to the defendant, and demanded a conveyance of the said property.

4. That on the day of 18 , the plaintiff again demanded such conveyance. [*Or*, that the defendant refused to convey the same to the plaintiff.]

5. That the defendant has not executed such conveyance.

6. That the plaintiff is still ready and willing to pay the purchase-money of the said property to the defendant.

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment:

(1). That the defendant execute to the plaintiff a sufficient conveyance of the said property [*following the terms of the agreement*];

(2). For rupees compensation for withholding the same.

No. 113.

PARTNERSHIP.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B., of
against
C. D., of

A. B., the above-named Plaintiff, states as follows:—

1. He and the said *C. D.*, the defendant, have been for the space of years [*or months*] last past carrying on business together at within the jurisdiction of this Court, under certain articles of partnership in writing, signed by them respectively, [*or* under a certain deed sealed and executed by them respectively, *or* under a verbal agreement between them, the said Plaintiff and Defendant.]

2. Divers disputes and differences have arisen between the plaintiff and defendant as such partners, whereby it has become impossible to carry on the said business in partnership with advantage to the partners.

3. The plaintiff desires to have the said partnership dissolved, and he is ready and willing to bear his share of the debts and obligations of the partnership according to the terms of the said articles [deed, *or* agreement].

4. The plaintiff prays the Court to decree a dissolution of the said partnership, and that the accounts of the said partnership trading may be taken by the Court, and the assets thereof realized, and that each party may be ordered to pay into Court any balance due from him upon such partnership-account, and that the debts and liabilities of the said partnership may be paid and discharged, and that the costs of the suit may be paid out of the partnership-assets, and that any balance remaining of such assets, after such payment and discharge, and the payment of the said costs, may be divided between the plaintiff and defendant, according to the terms of the said articles [deed *or* agreement], or that, if the said assets shall prove insufficient, he the plaintiff and the said defendant may be ordered to contribute in such proportions as shall be just to a fund to be raised for the payment and discharge of such debts, liabilities, and costs. And to give such other relief as the Court shall think fit.

This plaint was filed by of
Pleader for the plaintiff, *or* by

[*N. B.—In suits for winding up of any partnership, omit the prayer for dissolution; but instead thereof insert a paragraph stating the fact of the partnership having been dissolved.*]

F. MISCELLANEOUS.
No. 114.
Section 57 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

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REGISTER OF CIVIL SUITS in the year 18 .

Date of presentation of plaint.	No. of Suit.	Plaintiff.			Defendant.			Claim			Appearance.			Judgment.			Appeal.		Execution.				Return of Execution.	
		Name.	Description.	Place of abode.	Name.	Description.	Place of abode.	Particulars.	Amount or value.	When the Cause of Action accrued.	Day for Parties to appear.	Plaintiff.	Defendant.	Date.	For whom.	For what, or amount.	Date of Appeal.	Judgment in Appeal.	Date of application.	Date of Order.	Against whom.	For what, and amount if money.	Amount of Costs.	Amount paid into Court.	Arrested.	Minute of other Return than payment of Arrest, and date of every Return.

No. 115.

SUMMONS FOR DISPOSAL OF SUIT.

Sections 62 and 65 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of

against

C. D., of

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dwelling at

WHEREAS

has instituted a suit against you for

you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a duly authorized Pleader of the Court, duly instructed, and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some other person able to answer all such questions, on the day of 18 , at o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the above-named plaintiff; and as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce all your witnesses on that day; and you are hereby required to take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence; and you will bring with you, or send by your Pleader , which the plaintiff desires to inspect, and any documents on which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

NOTICE.—1. Should you apprehend your witnesses will not attend of their own accord, you can have subpœnas from this Court to compel the attendance of any witness, and the production of any document that you have a right to call upon the witness to produce, on applying to the Court at any time before the trial, on your depositing their necessary subsistence-money.

2. If you admit the demand, you should pay the money into Court with the costs of the suit, to avoid the summary execution of the decree, which may be against your person or property, or both, if necessary.

NOTE—If written statements are required, say you are (*or* such a party is, as the case may be) required to put in a written statement by the day of

No. 116.

SUMMONS FOR SETTLEMENT OF ISSUES.

Sections 62 and 65 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

To

dwelling at

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has instituted a suit against you for

you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person or by a duly authorized Pleader of the Court, duly instructed, and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some other person able to answer all such questions, on the day of 18 , at o'clock in the forenoon, to answer the above-named plaintiff; and you are hereby required to take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the issues will be settled in your absence; and you will bring with you, or send by your Pleader which the plaintiff desires to inspect, and any document on which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

NOTICE.—1. Should you apprehend your witnesses will not attend of their own accord, you can have subpœnas from this Court to compel the attendance of any witness, and the production of any document that you have a right to call on the witness to produce, on applying to the Court at any time before the trial, on your depositing their necessary subsistence-money.

2. If you admit the demand, you should pay the money into Court with the costs of the suit, to avoid the summary execution of the decree, which may be against your person or property, or both, if necessary.

NOTE.—*If written statements are required, say.* You are (or such a party is, as the case may be) required to put in a written statement by the day of

No. 117.

SUMMONS TO APPEAR.

Section 68 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

NO. OF SUIT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Plaintiff.

Defendant

To

(*Name, description, and address.*)

Whereas [*here enter the name, description, and address of the plaintiff*] has instituted a suit in this Court against you [*here state the particulars of the claim as in the Register*]; you are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person on the day of at in the forenoon [*if not specially required to appear in person, state—"in person or by a pleader of the Court duly instructed and able to answer all material questions retating to the suit, or who shall be accompanied by some other person able to answer all such questions"*] to answer the above-named plaintiff. [*If the summons be for the final disposal of the suit, this further direction shall be added here; "and as the day fixed for your appearance is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce all your witnesses on that day"*]: and you are hereby required to take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day before mentioned, the suit will be heard and determined in your absence; and you will bring with you (or send by your agent) [*here mention any document the production of which may be required by the plaintiff*] which the plaintiff desires to inspect, and any document on which you intend to rely in support of your defence.

No. 118.

ORDER FOR TRANSMISSION OF SUMMONS FOR SERVICE IN THE JURISDICTION OF ANOTHER COURT.

Section 81 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

The *day of* 18 .

WHEREAS it is stated in the plaint that defendant in the above suit at present residing in , but that the right to sue accrued within the jurisdiction of this Court: it is ordered that a summons returnable on the day of 18 be forwarded for service on the said defendant, to the Court of with a duplicate of this proceeding.

L. S.

Judge.

No. 119.

TO ACCOMPANY RETURN OF SUMMONS OF ANOTHER COURT.

Section 81 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

The *day of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

Read proceeding from the forwarding for service on in Civil No. of that Court.

Read bailiff's endorsement on the back of the process stating that the and proof of the above having been duly taken by me on the [oath *or*] affirmation of and it is ordered that the be returned to the with a copy of this proceeding.

L. S.

Judge.

NOTE.—This form will be applicable to process other than summons, the service of which may have to be effected in the same manner.

No. 120.

DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT.

Section 103 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

I, the undersigned defendant [*or* one of the defendants], disclaim all interest under the will of the said *E. F.* in the plaint named [*or* as heir-at-law of, *or* as next-of-kin, *or* one of the next-of-kin, of *E. F.*, deceased, in the said plaint named].

Or I the undersigned defendant state, that I admit [*or* deny] [*here repeat in the language of the plaint the statements admitted or denied*].

Or I the undersigned defendant submit that, upon the facts stated in the plaint, it does not appear that there is any agreement which can be legally enforced [*or* that it appears upon the said plaint that I am jointly liable with one *E. F.*, who is not a party to the suit, and not severally liable as by the plaint appears, *or* that it appears by the said plaint that *G. H.* should have been a joint plaintiff with the said *A. B.* in the said suit, *or as the case may be*].

Or that the plaintiff has conveyed [*or* assigned] his interest in the said mortgage [*or* equity of redemption] to one *I. J.* [*or* that I have conveyed or assigned to *H. L.* by way of further charge for securing the sum of Rs. , the equity of redemption in the property sought by the suit to be foreclosed.]

Or that since the dissolution of the partnership the plaintiff has executed an instrument, whereby the plaintiff covenants to discharge all debts and liabilities of the partnership, and generally to release me from all claims and liabilities either by or to himself and others in respect of the said partnership trading, [*or as the case may be*].

(Sd.) *C. D.*, Defendant.

No. 121.

SUBPŒNA.

Section 141 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

To

WHEREAS your attendance is required to on behalf of the in the above cause, you are hereby required (personally to appear before this Court) on the day of 18 , at the hour of A. M. (and) to bring with you or to send to this Court

A sum of Rs. , being your travelling and other expenses and subsistence-allowance for one day, is herewith sent. If you do not comply with this order, you will be subject to the consequence of non-attendance laid down in the Code of Civil Procedure, section 149.*

Notice—(1). *If you are summoned only to produce a document and not to give evidence, you shall be deemed to have complied with the summons if you cause such document to be produced in this Court on the day and hour aforesaid.*

(2). *If you are to be detained beyond the day aforesaid, a sum of Rs. will be tendered to you for each day's attendance beyond the day specified.*

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 1 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 122.

SUMMONS TO ATTEND AND GIVE EVIDENCE.

Section 144 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

NO. OF SUIT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Plaintiff.

Defendant.

To (*Name, description, and address.*)

You are hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person on the day of at in the forenoon, to give evidence on behalf of the plaintiff (*or* the defendant) in the above-mentioned suit, and to produce (*here describe with convenient certainty any document the production of which may be required. If the Summons be only to give evidence, or if it be only to produce a document, it must be expressed accordingly*) : and you are not to depart thence without the leave of the Court.

* NOTE—If the witness be a party to the suit, section 151.

No. 123.

NOTICE TO A PARTY TO THE SUIT TO SHOW CAUSE WHY HE SHOULD NOT ATTEND AND GIVE EVIDENCE.

Section 159 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

To

WHEREAS has applied to the Court for an order requiring your attendance, to be examined as a witness on behalf : take notice that the day of 18 is fixed for you to show cause why you should not attend and give evidence.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18

L. S.

Judge.

No. 124.

SIMPLE MONEY-DECREE.

Sections 185 and 186 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

Claim for

THIS cause coming on for final disposal before in the presence of , on the part of the plaintiff, and on the part of the defendant, it is ordered that the do pay to the the sum of Rs. , with interest thereon at the rate of per cent. per from to the date of realization of the said sum, and do also pay to the the costs of this suit as taxed by the officer of the Court, with interest thereon at the rate aforesaid from the date of taxation to the date of realization.

Costs of Suit.

PLAINTIFF.	Rs.	A.	P.	DEFENDANT.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Stamp for plaint ...				Stamp for power ...			
2. Do. for power ...				Do. petition ...			
3. Do. exhibits ...				Pleader's fee ...			
4. Pleader's fees on Rs. ...				Subsistence for witnesses...			
5. Translation fee ...				Service of process ...			
6. Subsistence for witness for attendance...				Translation fee ...			
				Commissioner's fee ...			
7. Commissioner's fee ...							
8. Service of process ...							
9. &c.							
TOTAL ...				TOTAL ...			

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18

L. S.

Judge.

No. 125.

DECREE FOR SALE IN A SUIT BY A MORTGAGEE OR PERSON ENTITLED TO A LIEN.

Section 186 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

It is ordered that it be referred to the Registrar to take an account of what is due to the plaintiff for principal and interest on the mortgage [*or* lien] mentioned in the plaint, and to tax the plaintiff's costs of this suit, and that the Registrar do certify to the Court on the day of what he shall find to be due for principal and interest as aforesaid, and for costs: And upon the defendant paying into Court what shall be certified to be due to the plaintiff for principal and interest as aforesaid, together with the said costs, within six months after the Registrar shall have presented his certificate; it is ordered that the plaintiff do reconvey the said mortgaged premises free and clear from all incumbrances done by him, or any claiming by, from, or under him, and do deliver up to the Registrar all deeds and writings in his custody or power relating thereto, and that upon such reconveyance being made, and deeds and writings being delivered up, the Registrar shall pay out to the plaintiff the said sum so paid in as aforesaid for principal, interest, and costs; but in default of the defendant paying into Court such principal, interest, and costs as aforesaid by the time aforesaid, then it is ordered that the said mortgage premises [*or* the premises subject to the said equitable mortgagee *or* lien] be sold with the approbation of the Registrar: And it is ordered that the money to arise by such sale be paid into Court, to the end that the same may be duly applied in payment of what shall be found due to the plaintiff for principal, interest, and costs as aforesaid, and that the balance (if any) shall be paid to the defendant.

No. 126.

FINAL DECREE FOR FORECLOSURE.

Section 186 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

Whereas it appears to the Court that the defendant has not paid into Court the sum which was on the day of last certified by the Registrar to be due to the Plaintiff for principal and interest upon the mortgage in the plaint mentioned, and for costs, pursuant to the order made in this suit on the day of last, and that the period of six months has elapsed since the said day of

It is ordered that the Defendant do stand absolutely debarred and foreclosed of and from all equity of redemption of, in, and to, the said mortgaged premises.

No. 127.

PRELIMINARY ORDER—ADMINISTRATION SUIT.

Section 193 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

It is ordered that the following accounts and inquiries be taken and made; that is to say,—

In creditor's suit—

1. That an account be taken of what is due to the Plaintiff and all other the creditors of the deceased.

In suits by legatees—

2. An account be taken of the legacies given by the testator's will.

In suits by next-of-kin—

An inquiry be made and account taken of what, or of what share, if any, the plaintiff is entitled to as next-of-kin [*or* one of the next-of-kin] of the intestate.

[*After the first paragraph, the Order will, where necessary, order, in a creditor's suit, inquiry and accounts for legatees, devisees, heirs-at-law, and next-of-kin. In suits by claimants other than creditors, after the first paragraph, in all cases, an order to inquire and take an account of creditors will follow the first paragraph, and such of the others as may be necessary will follow, omitting the first formal words. The form is continued as in a creditor's suit.*]

3. An account of the funeral and testamentary expenses.

4. An account of the movable property of the deceased come to the hands of the Defendant, or to the hands of any other person by his order or for his use.

5. An inquiry what part (if any) of the movable property of the deceased are outstanding and undisposed of.

6. And it is further ordered, that the Defendant do, on or before the day of next, pay into Court all sums of money which shall be found to have come to his hands, or to the hands of any person by his order or to his use.

7. And that if the Registrar shall find it necessary for carrying out the objects of the suit to sell any part of the movable property of the deceased, that the same be sold accordingly.

8. And that Mr. *E. F.* be Receiver in the suit [*or* proceeding], and receive and get in all outstanding debts and outstanding movable property of the deceased, and pay the same into the hands of the Registrar [and shall give security by bond for the due performance or his duties to the amount of Rs.]

9. And it is further ordered, that if the movable property of the deceased be found insufficient for carrying out the objects of the suit, then the following further inquiries be made, and accounts taken, that is to say,—

(a) an inquiry what immovable property the deceased was seised of or entitled to at the time of his death.

(b) an inquiry what are the incumbrances (if any) affecting the immovable property of the deceased, or any part thereof.

(c) an account, so far as possible, of what is due to the several incumbrancers, and to include a statement of the priorities of such of the incumbrancers as shall consent to the sale hereinafter directed.

10. And that the immovable property of the deceased, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to make up the fund in Court sufficient to carry out the object of the suit, be sold with the approbation of the Judge, free from incumbrances (if any) of such incumbrancers as shall consent to the sale, and subject to the incumbrances of such of them as shall not consent.

11. And it is ordered, that *G. H.* shall have the conduct of the sale of the immovable property, and shall prepare the conditions and contracts of sale subject to the approval of the Registrar, and that in case any doubt or difficulty shall arise the papers shall be submitted to the Judge to settle.

12. And it is further ordered, that, for the purpose of the inquiries hereinbefore directed, the Registrar shall advertise in the newspapers according to the practice of the Court, or shall make such inquiries in any other way which shall appear to the Registrar to give the most useful publicity to such inquiries.

13. And it is ordered, that the above inquiries and accounts be made and taken, and that all other acts ordered to be done be completed, before the day of , and that the Registrar do certify the result of the inquiries, and the accounts, and that all other acts ordered are completed, and have his certificate in that behalf ready for the inspection of the parties on the day of

14. And lastly it is ordered, that this suit [*or* matter] stand adjourned for making a final decree to the day of

[*Such part only of this order is to be used as is applicable to the particular case*].

No. 128.

FINAL DECREE IN AN ADMINISTRATION SUIT BY A LEGATEE.

Section 193 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

1. It is ordered that the defendant do on or before the day of pay *into Court* the sum of Rs. , the balance by the said certificate found to be due from the said defendant on account of the estate of , the testator, and also the sum of Rs. for interest, at the rate of Rs. per centum per annum, from the day of to the day of amounting together to the sum of Rs.

2. Let the Registrar of the said Court tax the costs of the plaintiff and defendant in this suit, and let the amount of the said costs, when so taxed, be paid out of the said sum of Rs. ordered to be paid into Court as aforesaid, as follows:—

(a) The costs of the plaintiff to Mr. , his attorney [*or* pleader], and the costs of the defendant to Mr. , his attorney [*or* pleader].

(b) And *(if any debts are due,)* with the residue of the said sum of Rs. after payment of the plaintiff's and defendant's costs as aforesaid, let the sums found to be owing to the several creditors mentioned in the schedule to the Registrar's certificate, together with subsequent interest on such of the debts as bear interest, be paid; and after making such payments, let the amount coming to the several legatees mentioned in the schedule, together with subsequent interest (to be verified as aforesaid), be paid to them.

3. And if there should then be any residue, let the same be paid to the residuary legatee.

DECREE IN AN ADMINISTRATION SUIT BY A LEGATEE, WHERE AN EXECUTOR IS HELD PERSONALLY LIABLE FOR THE PAYMENT OF LEGACIES.

1. Declare that the defendant is personally liable to pay the legacy of Rs. bequeathed to the plaintiff;

2. And it is ordered, that an account be taken of what is due for principal and interest on the said legacy;

3. And it is also ordered, that the defendant do within weeks after the date of the Registrar's certificate, pay to the plaintiff the amount of what the Registrar shall certify to be due for principal and interest;

4. And it is ordered, that the defendant do pay the plaintiff his costs of suit, the same to be taxed in case the parties differ.

FINAL DECREE IN AN ADMINISTRATION SUIT BY NEXT OF KIN.

1. Let the Registrar of the said Court tax the costs of the plaintiffs and defendant in this suit, and let the amount of the said plaintiffs' costs, when so taxed, be paid by the defendant to the plaintiffs out of the sum of Rs. , the balance by the said certificate found to be due from the said defendant on account of the personal estate of *E. F.*, the intestate, within one week after the taxation of the said costs by the said Registrar, and let the defendant retain for her own use out of such sum her costs, when taxed.

2. And it is ordered, that the residue of the said sum of Rs. , after payment of the plaintiff's and defendant's costs as aforesaid, be paid and applied by defendant as follows:—

(a).—Let the defendant, within one week after the taxation of the said costs by the Registrar as aforesaid, pay one-third share of the said residue to the plaintiffs, *A. B.*, and *C.* his wife, in her right, as the sister and one of the next-of-kin of the said *E. F.*, the intestate.

(b).—Let the defendant retain for her own use one other third share of the said residue, as the mother, and one other of the next-of-kin of the said *E. F.*, the intestate.

(c).—And let the defendant, within one week after the taxation of the said costs by the Registrar as aforesaid, pay the remaining one-third share of the said residue to *G. H.*, as the brother and the other next-of-kin of the said *E. F.*, the intestate.

No. 129.

ORDER—DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Section 194 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

It is declared that the partnership in the plaint mentioned between the Plaintiff and Defendant ought to stand dissolved as from the day of , and it is ordered that the dissolution thereof as from that day be advertised in the *Gazette, &c.*

And it is ordered that be the Receiver of the partnership-estate and effects in this suit, and do get in all the outstanding book-debts and claims of the partnership.

And it is ordered that the following accounts be taken:—

1. An account of the credits, property, and effects now belonging to the said partnership;

2. An account of the debts and liabilities of the said partnership;

3. An account of all dealings and transactions between the Plaintiff and Defendant, from the foot of the settled account exhibited in this suit and marked (A), and not disturbing any subsequent settled accounts.

And it is ordered that the good-will of the business heretofore carried on by the Plaintiff and Defendant as in the plaint mentioned, and the stock-in-trade, be sold on the premises, and that the Registrar may, on the application of any of the parties, fix a reserved bidding for all or any of the lots at such sale, and that either of the parties are to be at liberty to bid at the sale.

And it is ordered that the above accounts be taken and all the other acts required to be done be completed before the day of , and that the Registrar do certify the result of the accounts, and that all other acts are completed, and have his certificate in that behalf ready for the inspection of the parties on the day of

And lastly it is ordered that this suit stand adjourned for making a final decree to the day of

No. 130.

PARTNERSHIP.

Final decree.

Section 194 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. .

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

It is ordered that the fund now in Court, amounting to the sum of Rs. be applied as follows:—

1. In payment of the debts due by the partnership set forth in the Registrar's certificate amounting in the whole to Rs.

2. In payment of the costs of all parties in this suit, amounting to Rs. [*These costs must be ascertained before the decree is drawn up*].

3. In payment of the sum of Rs. to the Plaintiff as his share of the partnership-assets, of the sum of Rs. , being the residue of the said sum of Rs. now in Court to the Defendant as his share of the partnership-assets.

[*or*, And that the remainder of the said sum of Rs. be paid to the said Plaintiff (*or* Defendant) in part payment of the sum of Rs. certified to be due to him in respect of the partnership-accounts.

And that the Defendant (*or* Plaintiff) do on or before the day of pay to the Plaintiff (*or* Defendant) the sum of Rs. being the balance of the said sum of Rs. due to him, which will then remain due.]

No. 131.

NOTICE TO SHOW CAUSE WHY EXECUTION SHOULD NOT ISSUE.

Section 233 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF , AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

To

WHEREAS has made application to this Court for execution of decree in Civil Regular No. 18 , this is to give you notice that you are to appear before this

Court on the day of 18 : either in person or by a Pleader of this Court, or agent duly authorized and instructed, to show cause, if any, why execution should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 132.

WARRANT TO THE BAILIFF TO GIVE POSSESSION OF LAND, &C.

Section 244 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

TO THE BAILIFF OF THE COURT.

WHEREAS , in the occupancy of has been decreed to , the plaintiff in this suit: you are hereby directed to put the said in possession of the same, and you are here by authorized to remove any person who may refuse to vacate the same.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 133.

ORDER FOR COMMITTAL FOR RESISTING, &C., EXECUTION OF DECREE FOR LAND.

Section 249 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

To

WHEREAS it appears to the Court that has without just cause resisted (*or* obstructed) the execution of the decree of the Court passed against on the day of 18 , in Civil Regular Suit, No. of 18 , whereby certain land or immovable property was adjudged to it is ordered that the said be committed to custody for a period of days.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18

L. S.

Judge.

No. 134.

WARRANT OF ATTACHMENT OF MOVABLE PROPERTY IN DEFENDANT'S POSSESSION IN EXECUTION OF A DECREE FOR MONEY.

Section 253 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of .

TO THE BAILIFF OF THE COURT.

WHEREAS was ordered, by decree of this Court, passed on the day of 18 , in Regular Suit No. of 18 , to pay to the plaintiff the sum of Rs. as noted in the margin; and whereas the said sum of Rs. has not been paid

Decree.			
Principal			
Interest			
Costs			
Total of decree ...			
Interest thereon ...			
Costs of attachment ...			
TOTAL ...			

THESE ARE TO COMMAND YOU to attach the movable property of the said as set forth in the list hereunto annexed, or which shall be pointed out to you by the said , and unless the said shall pay to you the said sum of Rs. together with Rs. , the costs of this attachment, to hold the same until further orders from this Court.

YOU ARE FURTHER COMMANDED to return this Warrant on or before the day of 18 , with an endorsement certifying the date and manner in which it has been executed, or why it has not been executed.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

SCHEDULE.

L. S.

Judge.

No. 135.

ATTACHMENT IN EXECUTION.

PROHIBITORY ORDER, WHERE THE PROPERTY TO BE ATTACHED CONSISTS OF MOVEABLE PROPERTY, TO WHICH THE DEFENDANT IS ENTITLED SUBJECT TO A LIEN OR RIGHT OF SOME OTHER PERSON TO THE IMMEDIATE POSSESSION THEREOF.

Section 255 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF , AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

To

WHEREAS has failed to satisfy a decree passed against on the day of 18 in favour of for Rs. it is ordered that the defendant be, and is hereby, prohibited and restrained, until the further order of this Court, from receiving from the following property in the possession of the said that is to say, to which the defendant is entitled, subject to any claim of the said , and the said is hereby prohibited and restrained, until the further order of this Court, from delivering the said property to any person or persons whomsoever.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18

L. S.

Judge.

No. 136.

ATTACHMENT IN EXECUTION.

PROHIBITORY ORDER WHERE THE PROPERTY CONSISTS OF DEBTS NOT BEING NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS.

Section 257 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

To

WHEREAS has failed to satisfy a decree passed against on the day of 18 , in Civil Regular No. of 18 , in favour of for Rs. : it is ordered that the defendant, be and hereby prohibited and restrained, until the further order of this Court, from receiving from you a certain debt alleged now to be due from you to the said defendant, namely, and that you, the said , be, and you are hereby, prohibited and restrained, until the further order of this Court, from making payment of the said debt, or any part thereof, to any person whomsoever.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 137.

ATTACHMENT IN EXECUTION.

PROHIBITORY ORDER, WHERE THE PROPERTY CONSISTS OF SHARES IN A PUBLIC COMPANY, &C.

Section 257 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF , AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

To

defendant, and to , Manager of Company.

WHEREAS has failed to satisfy a decree passed against on the day of 18 , in Civil Regular No. of 18 in favour of for Rs. it is ordered that you, the defendant, be, and you are hereby, prohibited and restrained, until the further order of this Court, from making any transfer of shares in the aforesaid Company, namely, or from receiving payment of any dividends thereof; and you , the Manager of the said Company, are hereby prohibited and restrained from permitting any such transfer or making any such payment.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 138.

ATTACHMENT IN EXECUTION.

PROHIBITORY ORDER, WHERE THE PROPERTY CONSISTS OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY.

Section 262 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF , AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

To

Defendant.

WHEREAS you have failed to satisfy a decree passed against you on the day of 18 , in Civil Regular suit No. of 18 , in favour of for Rs. : it is ordered that you, the said , be, and you are hereby, prohibited and restrained, until the further order of this Court, from alienating the property specified in the schedule hereunto annexed, by sale, gift, or otherwise, and that all persons be, and that they are hereby, prohibited from receiving the same by purchase, gift, or otherwise.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18

SCHEDULE.

L. S.

Judge.

No. 139.

ATTACHMENT.

PROHIBITORY ORDER, WHERE THE PROPERTY CONSISTS OF MONEY OR OF ANY SECURITY IN THE HANDS OF A COURT OF JUSTICE OR OFFICER OF GOVERNMENT.

Sections 261 and 487 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

To

SIR,

THE plaintiff having applied, under section of the Code of Civil Procedure for an attachment of certain money now in your hands *(here state how the money is supposed to be in the hands of the person addressed, on what account, &c.)*, I request that you will hold the said money subject to the further order of this Court.

I have the honour to be,
SIR,
Your most obedient Servant,

L. S.

Dated day of 18 .

Judge.

No. 140.

ORDER FOR PAYMENT TO THE PLAINTIFF, &C., OF MONEY, &C., IN THE HANDS OF A THIRD PARTY.

Section 266 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. of 18 .

Miscellaneous No. of 18 .

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

TO THE BAILIFF OF THE COURT AND TO

WHEREAS the following property has been attached in execution of a decree in Civil Regular No. of , passed on the day of

of 18 , in favour of for Rs. it is ordered that the property so attached, consisting of Rs. in money, and Rs. in Bank Notes, or a sufficient part thereof to satisfy the said decree, shall be paid over by you the said , to , and that the said property, so far as may be necessary for the satisfaction of the said decree, shall be sold by you, the Bailiff of the Court, by public auction in the manner prescribed for sale in execution of decrees, and that the money which may be realized by such sale, or a sufficient part thereof to satisfy the said decree, shall be paid over to the said , and the remainder, if any, shall be paid to you, the said

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 141.

APPOINTMENT OF A MANAGER.

Section 269 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

To

WHEREAS has been attached in execution of a decree passed in the above suit on the day of 18 , in favour of : you are hereby appointed Manager of the said property under section 259 of the Code of Civil Procedure, with full powers under the provisions of that section.

YOU are required to render a due and proper account of your receipts and disbursements in respect of the said property on . You will be entitled to remuneration at the rate of per cent. upon your receipts under the authority of this appointment.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 142.

AUTHORITY TO THE COLLECTOR TO STAY PUBLIC SALE OF LAND ON SECURITIES BEING GIVEN.

Section 271 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

To

Collector of

SIR,

In answer to your communication No. , dated , representing that the sale in execution of decree in this suit of land, lying within your district, paying revenue to Government, is objectionable, I have the honour to inform you that you are authorized, on security to the amount of Rs. decreed to the in the above suit, being given to your satisfaction, to make provision for the satisfaction of the said decree in the manner recommended by you instead of proceeding to a public sale of

I have the honour to be,
SIR,
Your obedient Servant,

L. S.

Judge.

No. 143.

WARRANT OF SALE OF PROPERTY IN EXECUTION OF A DECREE FOR MONEY.

Section 274 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .
Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of
against
C. D., of

TO THE BAILIFF OF THE COURT.

THESE ARE TO COMMAND YOU to sell by auction, after giving days' previous notice, by affixing the same in this Court-house, and after making due proclamation,* the right, title, and interest of in and to the property attached under a Warrant from this Court, dated the of 18 in execution of a decree in favour of in suit No. of 18 or so much of the said property as shall realize the sum of Rs. , being the of the said decree and costs still remaining unsatisfied.

YOU ARE FURTHER COMMANDED to return this Warrant on or before the day of 18 with an endorsement certifying the manner in which it has been executed, or the reason why it has not been executed.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 144.

ORDER CONFIRMING SALE OF LAND, &C.

Section 292 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of
against
C. D., of

WHEREAS the right, title, and interest of in the following land (or immovable property) was on the day of 18 sold by the Bailiff of this Court in execution of the decree in this suit; and whereas thirty days have elapsed and no application has been made (*or* objection allowed) to the said sale, it is ordered that the said sale be, and the said sale is hereby, confirmed.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

SCHEDULE.

L. S.

Judge.

No. 145.

CERTIFICATE OF SALE OF LAND.

Section 294 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of
against
C. D., of

THIS is to certify that has been declared the purchaser at a sale by public auction on the day of 18 of the right, title, and interest of in in execution of the decree in this suit, and that the said sale has been duly confirmed by the Court.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18

L. S.

Judge.

* This proclamation shall specify the time, the place of sale, the property to be sold, the revenue assessed, should the property consist of land paying revenue to Government, and the amount for the recovery of which the sale is ordered; you shall also declare that the sale extends only to the right, title, and interest of the defendant in the property specified therein.

No 146.

NOTICE TO PERSON IN POSSESSION OF MOVABLE PROPERTY SOLD IN EXECUTION.

Section 294 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of
against
C. D., of

To

WHEREAS has been the purchaser at a sale by auction in execution of the decree in the above suit of now in your possession, you are hereby prohibited from delivering possession of the said to any persons except the said .

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 147.

ORDER FOR DELIVERY TO CERTIFIED PURCHASER OF LAND AT A SALE IN EXECUTION.

Section 298 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18

A. B., of
against
C. D., of

TO THE BAILIFF OF THE COURT.

WHEREAS has become the certified purchaser of at a sale in execution of decree in Civil Regular No. of 18 , and whereas such land is in the possession of , you are hereby ordered to put the said , the certified purchaser, as aforesaid, into possession of the said and if need be, to remove any person who may refuse to vacate the same.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 148.

PROHIBITORY ORDER AGAINST PAYMENT OF DEBTS SOLD IN EXECUTION TO ANY OTHER THAN THE PURCHASER.

Section 300 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of
against
C. D., of

To
and to

WHEREAS has become the purchaser at a public sale in execution of the decree in the above suit of certain debt due from you to you , that is to say , it is ordered that our be and you are hereby prohibited from receiving, and you my making payment of, the said debt to any person or persons except the said .

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of

L. S.

Judge.

No. 149.

PROHIBITORY ORDER AGAINST THE TRANSFER OF SHARES SOLD IN EXECUTION.

Section 300 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of

against

C. D., of

To

and Manager of company.

WHEREAS has become the purchaser at a public sale in execution of the decree in the above suit of certain shares in the above Company, that is to say of standing in the name of you it is ordered that you be, and you are hereby, prohibited from making any transfer of the said shares to any person except the said the purchaser aforesaid, or from receiving any dividends thereon; and you , Manager of the said Company, from permitting any such transfer or making any such payment to any person except the said , the purchaser aforesaid.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 ,

L. S.

Judge.

No. 150.

WARRANT OF ARREST IN EXECUTION.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of

against

C. D., of

TO THE BAILIFF OF THE COURT.

WHEREAS was adjudged by a decree of the Court, in Regular No. of 18 , dated 18 , to pay to the plaintiff the sum of Rs. as noted in the margin, and whereas the said sum of Rs. has not been paid to the said plaintiff in satisfaction of the said decree, these are to command you to arrest the said defendant, and unless the said defendant shall pay to you the said sum of Rs. , together with Rs. for the costs of executing this process, to bring the said defendant before the Court. You are further commanded to return this warrant on or before the day of 18 , with an endorsement certifying the day and manner in which it has been executed, or the reason why it has not been executed.

Principal	
Interest	
Costs	
Execution	
TOTAL ...	

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 151.

CERTIFICATE OF NON-SATISFACTION OF DECREE.

Section 332 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of

against

C. D., of

CERTIFIED that no [*or partial, as the case may be, and if partial, state to what extent*] satisfaction of the decree of this Court, in Civil Regular No. of 18 a copy of which is hereunto attached, has been obtained by execution within the jurisdiction of this Court.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 152.

NOTICE TO ATTACHING CREDITOR

Section 345 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

Miscellaneous No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of

against

C. D., of

To

WHEREAS has made application to this Court for the removal of attachment on placed at your instance in execution of the decree in Civil Regular No. of 18 , the this is to give you notice to appear before this Court on day of , 18 , either in person or by a Pleader of the Court duly instructed, to support your claim as attaching creditor.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 153.

COMMISSION TO EXAMINE ABSENT WITNESSES.

Section 376 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of

against

C. D., of

To

WHEREAS the evidence of is required by the in the above suit; and whereas you are requested to take the examination of such witnesses and you are hereby appointed a Commissioner for that purpose, and you are further requested to make return of such examination so soon as it may be taken [Process to require the attendance of the witness will be issued by this Court on your application]*

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 154.

COMMISSION FOR A LOCAL ENQUIRY, OR FOR THE INVESTIGATION OF ACCOUNTS.

Sections 386 and 390 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of

against

C. D., of

To

WHEREAS it is deemed requisite, for the purposes of this suit, that a commission for should be issued: you are hereby appointed Commissioner for the purpose of [Process to compel the attendance before you of any witnesses, or for the production of any documents which you may desire to examine or inspect, will be issued by this Court on your application.]†

A sum of Rs. , being your fee in the above, is herewith forwarded.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

*† Not necessary where the commission goes to another Court.

No. 155.

UNDERTAKING BY NEXT FRIEND OF MINOR TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR DEFENDANT'S COSTS.

Section 434 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

I, the undersigned , being the next friend of *A. B.*, who is a minor, and who is desirous of presenting a plaint [*or* of taking proceedings] in this Court against *C. D.* of, &c., hereby undertake to be responsible for the costs of the said *C. D.* of, &c., in the cause, and that if the said *A. B.* fail to pay to the said *C. D.*, when and in such manner as the Court shall order, all such costs of such cause as the Court shall direct him to pay to the said *C. D.*, I will forthwith pay the same.

Dated this day of

(Signed)

No. 156.

WARRANT OF ARREST BEFORE JUDGMENT.

Section 477 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of

against

C. D., of

TO THE BAILIFF OF THE COURT.

WHEREAS , the plaintiff in the above suit, has proved to the satisfaction of the Court that there is probable cause for believing that the defendant is about to these are to command you to take the said into custody, and to bring before the Court, in order that he may show cause why he should not furnish security to the amount of rupees for personal appearance before the Court, until such time as the said suit shall be fully and finally disposed of, and until execution or satisfaction of any decree that may be passed against in the suit.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 157.

ORDER FOR COMMITTAL.

Section 480 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B., of

against

C. D., of

To

WHEREAS , plaintiff in this suit, has made application to the Court that security be taken for the appearance of the defendant to answer any judgment that may be passed against in the suit; and whereas the Court has called upon the defendant to furnish such security, or to offer a sufficient deposit in lieu of security, which has failed to do: it is ordered that the said defendant be committed to custody until the decision of the suit; or if judgment be given against until the execution of the decree.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 158.

ATTACHMENT BEFORE JUDGMENT, WITH ORDER TO CALL FOR SECURITY FOR FULFILMENT OF DECREE.

Section 484 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

TO THE BAILIFF OF THE COURT.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

WHEREAS has proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant in the above suit these are to command you to call upon the said defendant on or before the day of either to furnish security for the sum of rupees to produce and place at the disposal of this Court when required or the value thereof, or such portion of the value as may be sufficient to fulfil any decree that may be passed against or to appear and show cause why should not furnish security; and you are further ordered to attach the said and keep the same under safe and secure custody until the further order of the Court, and in what manner you shall have executed this warrant make appear to the Court immediately after the execution hereof, and have you here then this Warrant.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 159.

ATTACHMENT BEFORE JUDGMENT, ON PROOF OF FAILURE TO FURNISH SECURITY.

Section 485 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

TO THE BAILIFF OF THE COURT.

WHEREAS , the plaintiff in this suit, has applied to the Court to call upon , the defendant, to furnish security to fulfil any decree that may be passed against in the suit, and whereas the Court has called upon the said to furnish such security which has failed to do ; these are to command you to attach the property of the said and keep the same under safe and secure custody until the further order of the Court, and in what manner you shall have executed this warrant, make appear to this Court immediately after the execution hereof, and have you here then this Warrant.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18

L. S.

Judge.

No. 160.

ATTACHMENT BEFORE JUDGMENT.

PROHIBITORY ORDER, WHERE THE PROPERTY TO BE ATTACHED CONSISTS OF MOVEABLE PROPERY, TO WHICH THE DEFENDANT IS ENTITLED, SUBJECT TO A LIEN OR RIGHT OF SOME OTHER PERSONS TO THE IMMEDIATE POSSESSION THEREOF.

Section 487 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18 .

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

To

IT is ordered that the defendant *defendant* and be and is hereby prohibited and restrained until the further order of this Court from receiving from the following property in the possession of the said that is to say to which the defendant is entitled, subject to any claim of the said and the said is hereby prohibited and restrained, until the further order of this Court, from delivering the said property to any persons whomsoever.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 161.

ATTACHMENT BEFORE JUDGMENT.

PROHIBITORY ORDER, WHERE THE PROPERTY CONSISTS OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY.

Section 487 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

To *Defendant.*

IT is ordered that you the said be, and you are hereby, prohibited and restrained, until the further order of this Court, from alienating the property specified in the Schedule hereunto annexed, by sale, gift, or otherwise, and that all persons be, and that they are hereby, prohibited from receiving the same by purchase, gift, or otherwise,

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

SCHEDULE.

L. S.

Judge.

FORM No. 162.

ATTACHMENT BEFORE JUDGMENT.

PROHIBITORY ORDER, WHERE THE PROPERTY CONSISTS OF MONEY IN THE HANDS OF OTHER PERSONS, OR OF DEBTS NOT BEING NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS.

Section 487 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

To

IT is ordered that the defendant be, and he is hereby, prohibited and restrained, until the further order of this Court, from receiving from the [*money now in hands belonging to the said defendant, or debts, as the case may be, describing them*] and that the said be and hereby prohibited and restrained, until the further order of this Court, from making payment of the said [*money, &c.*], or any part thereof, to any person whomsover.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 163.

ATTACHMENT BEFORE JUDGMENT.

PROHIBITORY ORDER, WHERE THE PROPERTY CONSISTS OF SHARES IN A PUBLIC COMPANY, &C.

Section 487 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

To *defendant* and

to

Manager of *Company.*

It is ordered that , the defendant, be and hereby prohibited and restrained, until the further order of the Court, from making any transfer of shares being in the aforesaid Company, or from receiving payment of any dividends thereof, and you Manager of the said Company, are hereby prohibited and restrained from permitting any such transfer, or making any such payment.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 164.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR INJUNCTION.

Section 497 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

Take notice that I, *A. B.*, intend to apply at the sitting of the Court at aforesaid, on the day of for an injunction to restrain *C. D.* from further prosecuting a suit which he has commenced against me in to recover damages for the breach of the contract for the specific performance of which this suit was commenced [*or* to restrain him from receiving and giving discharges for any of the debts due to the partnership in the matter of the partnership between us for the winding up of which the suit was commenced, *or* from digging the turf from the land which was agreed to be sold by him to me by the agreement, the specific performance of which this suit is commenced to enforce, *or as the case may be*].

Dated this day of 186 .

A. B.

To *C. D.*

[*N. B.—Where the injunction is to be applied for against a party whose name and address does not appear upon any proceeding already filed in the suit, it must be stated in full to enable the proper officer to serve the notice.*]

No. 165.

BOND TO BE GIVEN BY RECEIVER.

Section 501 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No.

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

KNOW all men by these presents, that we, *A. B.* of, &c., and *C. D.* of, &c., and *E. F.* of &c., are jointly and severally bound to *G. H.*, Registrar of the Court of in Rs. , to be paid to the said *G. H.* or his attorney, executors, administrators, or assigns. For which payment to be made we bind ourselves, and each of us, in the whole, our and each of our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, by these presents.

Dated this day of one thousand eight hundred and .

And whereas a plaint has been filed in this Court by *A. B.* against *C. D.* for the purpose of (*here insert object of suit*).

And whereas the said *A. B.* has been appointed, by order of the above-mentioned Court, to receive the rents and profits of the immoveable property, and to get in the outstanding movable property of *C. D.*, the testator in the said plaint named.

Now the condition of this obligation is such, that if the above bounden *A. B.* shal duly account for all and every the sum and sums of money which he shall so receive on account of the rents and profits of the immovable property, and in respect of the movable property of the said *C. D.* [*or as may be*] at such periods as the said Court shall appoint, and shall duly pay the balances which shall from time to time be certified to be due from him as the said Court hath directed or shall hereafter direct, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise shall remain in full force.

A. B. (L. S.)
C. D. (L. S.)

Signed, and delivered by the above-bounden in the presence of

NOTE.—*If deposit of money be made, the memorandum thereof should follow the terms of the condition of the bond.*

FORM No. 166.

ORDER OF REFERENCE TO ARBITRATION UNDER AGREEMENT OF PARTIES.

Section 507 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

To

WHEREAS the above-mentioned plaintiff and defendant have agreed to refer the matters in difference between them in the above suit to your arbitration and award, you are hereby appointed accordingly to determine all the said matters in difference between the parties, and with power, by consent of the parties, to determine which party shall pay the costs of this reference.

You are required to deliver your award in writing to this Court on or before the day of 18 , or such other day as this Court may further fix.

Process to compel the attendance before you of any witnesses, or for the production of any documents which you may desire to examine or inspect, will be issued by this Court on our application, and you are empowered to administer to such witnesses oath or affirmation.

A sum of Rs. , being your fee in the above suit, is herewith forwarded.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 167.

ORDER OF REFERENCE TO ARBITRATION BY COURT, WITH CONSENT.

Section 507 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Civil Regular No. *of* 18

A. B. of

against

C. D. of

UPON reading a petition of the plaintiff, filed this day, and on the consent of for the defendant, and upon hearing for the plaintiff and for the defendant, it is ordered, by and with the consent of all the parties, that all matters in difference in this suit, including all dealings and transactions between all parties, be referred to the final determination of , who is to make his award in writing and submit the same to this Court, together with all proceedings, depositions, and exhibits in this suit, within one month from the date hereof. And it is ordered further, by and with the like consent, that the said arbitrator is to be at liberty to examine the parties and their witnesses upon oath or affirmation, which he is empowered to administer, and that the said arbitrator shall have all such powers or authorities as are vested in arbitrators under the Code of Civil Procedure, including therein power to call for all books of account that he may consider necessary. And it is further ordered, by and with the like consent, that the costs of this suit, together with the costs of reference to arbitration, up to and including the award of the said arbitrator, and the enforcement thereof, do abide the result of the finding of the said arbitrator. And it is further ordered, by and with the like consent, that the said arbitrator be at liberty to appoint a competent accountant to assist him in the investigation of the several matters referred to him as aforesaid, and that the remuneration of such accountant and other charges attending thereto be in the discretion of the said arbitrator.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18

L. S.

Judge.

No. 168

SUMMONS IN SUMMARY SUIT ON NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENT.

Section 534 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

No. OF SUIT.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF AT

Plaintiff.
Defendant.

To [*Here enter the defendant's name, description and address*].

Whereas [*here enter the plaintiff's name, description and address*] has instituted a suit in this Court against you under Chapter XLII of the Code of Civil Procedure for Rs. principal and interest [*or* Rs. balance of principal and interest] due to him as the Payee [*or* Indorsee] of a Bill of Exchange [*or* Hundí *or* Promissory Note] of which a copy is hereto annexed, you are hereby summoned to obtain leave from the Court within seven days from the service hereof, inclusive of the day of such service, to appear and defend the suit, and within such time to cause an appearance to be entered for you. In default whereof the plaintiff will be entitled at any time after the expiration of such seven days to obtain a decree for any sum not exceeding the sum of Rs. [*here state the sum claimed*] and the sum of Rs. for costs.

Leave to appear may be obtained on an application to the Court supported by affidavit or declaration showing that there is a defence to the suit on the merits, or that it is reasonable that you should be allowed to appear in the suit.

[*Here copy the Bill of Exchange, Hundí or Promissory Note, and all endorsements upon it.*

No. 169.

MEMORANDUM OF APPEAL.

Section 549 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

MEMORANDUM OF APPEAL.

(*Name, &c., as in Register.*) Plaintiff—Appellant.
(*Name, &c., as in Register.*) Defendant—Respondent.

[*Name of Appellant*] Plaintiff [*or* Defendant] above-named appeals to the High Court at [*or* District Court at , as the case may be] against the decree of in the above suit, dated the day of , for the following reasons namely, [*here state the grounds of objection.*]

No. 170.

REGISTER OF APPEALS.

Section 563 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

COURT (OR HIGH COURT) AT

REGISTER OF APPEALS FROM DECREES in the year 18

Date of Memorandum.	No. of appeal.	Appellant.			Respondent.			Decree Appealed from.					Appearance.		Judgment.	
		Name.	Description.	Place of abode.	Name.	Description.	Place of abode.	Of what Court.	No. of Original Suit.	Particulars.	Amount or Value.	Day for parties to appear.	Appellant.	Respondent.	Date.	Confirmed, reversed, or altered.	For what, or Amount.

No. 171.

NOTICE TO RESPONDENT OF THE DAY FIXED FOR THE HEARING OF THE APPEAL.

Section 568 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

, *Appellant* v. *Respondent.*

APPEAL from the of the Court of dated the day of 18 .

Respondent.

To

Take notice that an appeal from the decree of in this case has been presented by and registered in this Court, and that the day of 18 has been fixed by this Court for the hearing of this appeal.

IF no appearance is made on your behalf by yourself, your pleader, or by some one by law authorized to act for you in this appeal, it will be heard and decided *ex parte* in your absence.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

NOTE.—If a stay of execution has been ordered, intimation should be given of the fact on this notice.

No. 172.

DECREE ON APPEAL.

Section 593 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

, *Appellant* v. , *Respondent.*

Appeal from the of the Court of dated the day of 18 .

Memorandum of Appeal.

, *Plaintiff.*
, *Defendant.*

Plaintiff [*or* defendant] above-named appeals to the Court at against the decree of in the above suit, dated the day of 18 , for the following reasons, namely:

[*here state the reasons*]

This appeal coming on for hearing on the day of 18 , before , in the presence of for the Appellant, and of for the Respondent, it is ordered—

[*here state the relief granted*]

The costs of this appeal, amounting to , are to be paid by The costs of the original suit are to be paid by

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 173.

REGISTER OF APPEALS FROM APPELLATE DECREES.

Section 607 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

HIGH COURT AT

REGISTER OF APPEALS FROM APPELLATE DECREES.

Date of Memorandum.	No. of Appeal.	APPELLANT.			RESPONDENT.			DECREE APPEALED FROM.				APPEARANCE.			JUDGMENT.		
		Name.	Description.	Place of abode.	Name.	Description.	Place of abode.	Original Court.	No. of Original suit and of Appeal.	Particulars.	Amount or Value.	Day for parties to appear.	Appellant.	Respondent.	Date.	Confirmed, reversed, or altered.	For what, or Amount.

No. 174.

NOTICE TO SHOW CAUSE WHY A REVIEW SHOULD NOT BE GRANTED.

Section 618 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

IN THE COURT OF AT

, *Plaintiff* v. , *Defendant.*

To

TAKE notice that has applied to this Court for a review of its judgment passed on the day of 18 in the above case. The day of 18 is fixed for you to show cause why the Court should not grant a review of its judgment in this case.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Court, this day of 18 .

L. S.

Judge.

No. 175.

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF PLEADER.

IN THE COURT OF AT

A. B. of
against
C. D. of

TO THE REGISTRAR OF THE COURT.

TAKE notice that I, *A. B.* [*or C. D.*], have hitherto employed as my pleader *G. H.* of in the above-mentioned cause, but that I have ceased to employ him, and that my present pleader is *J. K.* of

A. B. [or *C. D.*]

No. 176.

MEMORANDUM TO BE PLACED AT FOOT OF EVERY SUMMONS, NOTICE, DECREE, OR ORDER OF COURT, OR ANY OTHER PROCESS OF THE COURT.

Hours of attendance at the office of the Registrar [*place of office*] from *ten* till *four*, except on [*here insert the day on which the office will be closed*] when the office will be closed at *one*.

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BUDGET OF 1875-76,

WITH REVIEW OF THE BUDGETS OF 1873-74 AND 1874-75.

STATEMENT BY THE HON'BLE SIR WILLIAM MUIR, K.C.S.I.

The budget of Imperial revenue for 1875-76 is herewith published, together with the Regular Estimate for 1874-75, and the Accounts as finally adjusted for 1873-74.

ADJUSTED ACCOUNTS OF 1873-74.—The adjusted accounts of 1873-74 may be explained in few words. The results are most satisfactory. Accounts of 1873-74.

The Regular Estimate, published with the Financial Statement of last year, shewed the total revenue to the 31st March 1874 as likely to be £49,476,000; the actual amount was better than that by £135,711. The expenditure was estimated at £47,657,300; it turned out less by £117,525. Putting both together,—that is, the saving of expenditure and the excess of income,—we have an improvement in the adjusted accounts over the Revised Estimate of not less than £253,236. In other words, a surplus was anticipated of £1,818,700: a surplus was actually realized of £2,071,936. It may be noted that the surplus originally estimated for this year by Sir Richard Temple in 1873, was only £220,000. About £939,000 of the difference is attributable to opium.

The above figures shew the ordinary income and charges of 1873-74, exclusive of the relief operations in Bengal, and also of the disbursements on extraordinary public works. These, added to the ordinary charges, affect the results of the year in the following way:—

		Receipts.	Expenditure.	Surplus.	Deficit.
Ordinary revenue and charges of 1873-74 ...	Regular Estimate...	49,476,000	47,657,300	1,818,700	.....
	Actual account ...	49,611,711	47,539,775	2,071,936	.....
The same, adding famine charges—Actual account ...		49,611,711	51,404,448	.....	1,792,737
The same, adding both famine and extraordinary public works	Actual account ...	49,611,711	54,957,755	.....	5,346,044

Thus, the famine charges incurred in 1873-74 turned a surplus of £2,071,936 into a deficit of £1,792,737; and the additional charge for Reproductive works raised the excess charge to £5,346,044.

The details in which the actual accounts of 1873-74 vary from the Regular Estimate, will be found of no particular import. The excess of receipts for the Army, £49,124, is attributed mainly to large supplies of tents and stores furnished for the Bengal famine, for the Yarkund mission, and for other purposes. The increase of £71,600 in expenditure under "allowances and assignments," is chiefly due to an adjustment of payments made for several years in India on account of Maharajah Duleep Singh. The remaining items are distributed over most of the budget heads, and are comparatively small.

Regular Estimate, 1874-75.

REGULAR ESTIMATE OF 1874-75.—We now pass on to the Revised Estimate for the year about to close, and shall compare it with the original budget as presented last year. The Revised Estimate is based on the actual receipts and disbursements of the year up to as late a period as they can be ascertained. We have the actual treasury accounts of Receipts and Disbursements for nine and generally for ten months, that is, to the end of December or January, and in some cases to the end of February, and by telegraph quite up to the present date. Thus, but a short interval remains to complete the year, and the Regular Estimate may, therefore, be trusted as giving by anticipation a very close approximation to the real history of the year; that is, it may be trusted to shew in what measure the expected income will be realized, how the various departments have observed the budget limitations imposed on their expenditure, and to what extent disturbing causes will affect the general financial result. The test as now to be applied, will shew the prospects of the present year to be highly favorable.

The general conclusions are these: The income of 1874-75 was put in the budget at £48,984,000; it will be better (mainly owing to opium) by above a million sterling, £1,086,000.

The charges (excluding famine) were estimated at £47,792,000; they will be more than that by £389,000.

Consequently, the balance will be better by £697,000 than was expected. In other words, the surplus, instead of being, as in the budget, £1,192,000, will in reality be £1,889,000.

These are the figures as they would have stood but for the famine charges and the expenditure on Reproductive works: adding these as corrected in the, Revised Estimates, the results, with the corresponding surplus and deficit, will be as follows:—

		Receipts.	Charges.	Surplus.	Deficit.
Ordinary revenue and charges ...	By Budget ...	48,984,000	47,792,000	1,192,000	.....
	By Regular Estimate ...	50,070,000	48,181,000	1,889,000	.....
The same, adding famine expenditure ...	Regular Estimate ...	50,070,000	50,623,000	...	553,000
The same, adding both famine and extraordinary expenditure for public works ...	Regular Estimate ...	50,070,000	54,658,000	...	4,588,000

We shall now advert to the main differences between the budget and the Revised Estimate.

And first there is the main disturbing cause of Opium, which brought in a gross revenue greater by £905,000 than was estimated.

DECREASE AS COMPARED WITH BUDGET ESTIMATE.

Putting Opium out of account, the gains and losses on the receipt side nearly balance one another. On the one hand, there is a serious deficit of above £300,000 under Land Revenue; about half of this is only temporarily suspended in consequence of the famine in Bengal, and a further sum arises from the same cause in the North-Western Provinces; the remainder is due to the unusual floods which devastated parts of Bombay and Madras. A failure of

£96,000 under Customs is ascribed to the rice exports from Burmah being in the present season very late. The decrease of £12,000 under Law and Justice is simply a transfer of revenue to Stamps.

IMPROVEMENT IN RECEIPTS AS COMPARED WITH BUDGET ESTIMATE.

On the other hand, there is improvement under most of the heads of income, as noted in the margin, and the following comments will explain them:—

	£
Tributes	13,000
Excise	49,000
Salt	109,000
Stamps	71,000
Mint	9,000
Post Office	18,000
Telegraph	27,000
Marine	81,000
Interest	75,000
Superannuation receipts ...	15,000
Gain by exchange ...	48,000
Miscellaneous	30,000
Army	49,000
State Railways	26,000

Tributes.—Certain arrears have been unexpectedly realised.

Excise.—The improvement has been general, excepting in Bengal, where the scarcity and high prices caused a falling off, and in Madras and Bombay, where this branch of the revenue inclines to be stationary.

Salt.—Here the increase amounts to £109,000, which, coupled with a decrease in expenditure of £11,000, gives us an aggregate improvement of £120,000. This advance is the more satisfactory as it has been accompanied by a large administrative reform. The whole preventive line from the Taptee near Boorhanpore and skirting Berar eastward to the Muhanuddee has been swept away, as well as the small line between Madras and Bengal. A great tract of country has thus been freed from the harassing interference and vexation inseparable from such a barrier; and salt has been cheapened in several provinces. From this measure it was expected that we might lose perhaps £100,000; the actual net loss will probably not exceed £40,000. A portion of it is recouped at Bombay and on the Great Indian Peninsular Railway, in the shape of a sliding duty adjusted according to distance and cost of carriage, so as by degrees to break the difference of duty (Rs. 1-13 per maund) levied at Bombay, and that levied at Jubbulpore on the North-West line (Rs. 3).

Two points may here be noticed: *first*, the loss has been more than made good by progress in the general salt revenue of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces, and the Punjab, so that the gross salt revenue of the present year, £6,188,000, will be actually better than in 1873-74 by £37,338; *second*, the reduction has gone, not (as is too often the case) into the pockets of the trade, but to the people who consume the salt, in a lowering of the price. In Berar the fall of duty is close upon one rupee; east of the Berars there is a reduction of 8 annas; and along the valley of the Nerbudda, an average fall of about 5 or 6 annas. A similar sliding duty has been introduced between Madras and Orissa, and is believed to answer well. It is also satisfactory to find that local manufacture is increasing, as has been mentioned by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in the Administration Report for 1873-74—

"During his recent visit to Orissa, Sir R. Temple found a marked tendency to increase as regards the local manufacture, both in Pooree and Balasore; so much so that the time may not be distant when the local revenue under the new system may equal that under the old."—p. 175.

A slow but sure progress is observable in the salt revenue, which in 1873-74 brought in £6,150,662; and for 1875-76 is estimated at £6,208,000. The duty on salt is held to be for this country one of the most legitimate and least obnoxious taxes, notwithstanding the evils admittedly inherent in the great customs barrier. The progress of Railways, and especially of the state lines, is daily cheapening the price of salt in those parts of the country most distant from the sources of supply, and where consequently the cost is highest. Moreover, there is reason to hope that by an arrangement with the States of Central India it may be possible at some future time to abolish the entire preventive line. If this be done, and an approximation made to equalizing the duty all over India, we shall have a source of revenue, not only unobjectionable in its nature, but also possessing the virtue of elasticity, since the rate would be capable of from time to time being raised or lowered according to the financial necessities of the day. The prospect of attaining this result may yet be some way off, but it will be steadily kept in view by the Government of India.

Stamps.—The improvement here amounts to £71,000. Against it may be set the decrease under Law and Justice of £12,000, showing a net gain of £59,000. The increase, mainly due to Bengal but also more or less general, is symptomatic of growth in this branch of the revenue.

Mint.—The difference, £9,000, is due to a larger importation of silver than was expected.

Post Office.—The improvement, £18,000, taken in connection with £9,000, decrease of charge, or £27,000 in all, may safely be ascribed to increased efficiency.

Telegraph.—The increase of £27,000 (to which if we add a decreased charge of £15,000, there will be a gross improvement of £42,000) is ascribed partly to an unexpected recovery from the Ottoman Government, and also to growth in traffic.

Marine.—£81,000, arises from the sale by the Secretary of State of stock acquired in past years from the Indus Flotilla Company.

Interest.—£75,000, due to improved receipts at Home.

Receipts for Superannuation Allowances.—£15,000, due to increased transfers from the balances at credit of the Military and Medical Funds.

Gain by exchange.—Increase of £48,000; this is due to the scarcity in Bengal having caused an excess of traffic receipts, on the guaranteed Railways, and to the consequent gain in account. There is also a special adjustment of about £16,000 owing to the retrospective application of the rate of 1*s.* 11*d.* in place of 1*s.* 10*d.* to the accounts of the Great Southern of India line.

Miscellaneous.—The excess of £30,000 is caused by certain unexpected adjustments in account.

Army.—The excess of income, amounting to £49,000, is due partly to a change in the mode of accounting for Commissariat supplies, and also to unexpected receipts for stores supplied for the famine districts, &c.

State Railways.—The income was estimated at £95,000; it will probably reach £121,000. The charges (estimated at £104,000) will be £281,000. Of this, however, £185,000 is due to expenditure on the Tirhoot State Railway in excess of the amount charged to famine relief. But for this extraordinary charge, the expenditure would not have exceeded £96,000, and we should have had in the current year our first net return from State Railways of £25,000. In the coming year the Rajpootana line will be opened to the Sambhur Salt Works, and the net income is expected to rise to £50,000,—the expenditure being put at £180,000, and the gross income at £230,000; while the benefit to the salt trade will be beyond all estimate, and the profit to the salt revenues by no means inconsiderable.

Charges.

Coming now to the CHARGES: the following are the chief items of decrease:—

DECREASED CHARGES.

Interest.—The funded debt (of which an abstract is given in the margin) amounts to £118,537,359, bearing interest at £5,154,955, or an average of 4⅓ per cent. The payments will fall short of the estimate by £61,000, a full year's interest not having been demanded. The effect of the operations for the redemption of East India Stock described in last year's statement, is now complete; but the relief so long expected from it has been to a great extent neutralized by the recent addition to our debt.

Rate of interest.		In Rupees.	In Sterling.	Total in Sterling, taking Re. 1 as 2*s.*	Interest.
			£	£	£
5½	...	10,20,06,700	...	10,200,670	561,037
5	...	1,09,59,000	17,287,050	18,382,950	919,147
4½	...	15,91,56,400	...	15,915,640	718,204
4	...	42,48,10,176	31,376,116	73,857,133	2,954,285
3½	...	6,52,800	...	65,280	2,282
Nil	...	9,37,687	21,917	115,686	...
TOTAL	...	69,85,22,763	48,685,083	118,537,359	5,154,955

Land Revenue.—The saving of £37,000 is chiefly from greater economy in the settlement department of the various provinces throughout the empire.

Salt.—The saving of £11,000 has been mentioned under the remarks upon the receipts.

Mint.—The decrease of £40,000 is due to a different mode of exhibiting the gain on copper coinage.

Minor Departments.—A saving of £14,000, owing chiefly to less outlay than was expected on the Burma immigration scheme.

Marine.—£26,000 saving in stores.

Political Agencies.—A saving of £72,000, owing to the non-payment of certain subsidies.

Civil Furlough Allowances, £56,000, decrease of expenditure in England. The numbers who at first availed themselves of the new furlough rules, begin now to decline.

Famine Relief, £138,000, will be noted upon below.

Land and Supervision.—(Guaranteed Railways): a saving of £55,000, due to diminished operations and to the deduction of the cost of lands paid for in former years.

Guaranteed interest.—The improvement, £262,000, is due to the great rise in the net traffic receipts, in consequence of the carriage of grain to the famine districts, as will be further considered below.

Public Works Extraordinary.—The expenditure was £4,035,000, or less than what was estimated by £528,000. Of this short expenditure £185,000 is due to the removal from this head to the ordinary account of the expenditure upon the Tirhoot State Railway, and £50,000 to a like transfer of estimated outlay on the irrigation canals from the River Gunduck; £118,000 is due to short expenditure at home for stores.

These savings have been more than counterbalanced by the following excess charges:— **INCREASED CHARGES.**

Interest on other accounts.—£23,000 is due to increased balances of Railway traffic earnings and in the Savings Banks.

***Refunds.*—£63,000 is owing to unexpected demands under this head.**

***Opium.*—The Bengal crop having turned out much larger than was anticipated, cost an additional sum of £235,000. A full return has been received in the shape of a material addition to the reserve stock.**

Stamps.—An excess of £9,000 for stores in England.

Administration.—£78,000 for stores in England.

Allowances and Treaty Assignments.—An advance of £30,000 to the King of Oudh will explain the increase in 1874-75, as well as, in part, the anticipated diminution of charge in 1875-76.

Superannuation allowances, £21,000 excess in pensions from Military and Medical funds.

Loss by Exchange.—The equivalent received in England in sterling money for the Secretary of State's bills paid will exceed by £876,200 the Ten millions estimated; the exchange upon that sum, coupled with a slightly lower rate than was estimated, has raised the charge under this head from £746,000 to £869,000, or an excess of £123,000.

The average rate for the Secretary of State's bills during the year was 1*s.* 10·2243*d.*, being lower than the estimated rate by ·1096 of 1*d*: the highest rate was 1*s.* 10¾*d.* (6th May, when only 20 lakhs were drawn), and the lowest 1*s.* 9·81*d.* (5th August, 50 lakhs drawn). The value of silver continues to fall. At the close of last year the price was 58 13/16*d.* per oz., it is now not above 57*d.*, being the lowest price yet quoted.

Miscellaneous, £65,000, owing chiefly to a call for capital on the Government shares in the Bank of Bombay, and to certain changes in the Home accounts.

Provincial Services, £94,000. An extra grant of £27,000 (of which £17,000 will be permanent) for public improvements in the new administration

of Assam: a like grant of £25,000 for Burma; and (a less hopeful item) £24,000 in adjustment of expenses incurred during the last three years for the destruction of snakes in the Madras Presidency.

Army, £112,000; of the various causes leading to this increase, it will suffice to notice the scheme for the retirement of Colonels, and the Duffla expedition.

Public Works.—The excess charge of £39,000 is occasioned by urgent work upon the Jacobabad embankments, and for repair of the damages from the floods in Madras.

General Result for 1874-75.

Such are the principal variations of income and expenditure in the Revised, as compared with the Budget, Estimate; and, as before said, they would nearly have balanced one another but for the opium revenue. A net income was estimated under that head of Five and a half millions; it is expected to be £6,170,000, or better than the estimate by £670,000. This excess is very close upon the sum by which the whole revised account of 1874-75 is better than the budget, *viz.*, £697,000.

Expenditure for Famine in Bengal.

We have now done with the budget of 1874-75. Before proceeding to the budget of 1875-76, it will be proper to recapitulate here the cost of the famine in Bengal, the accounts of which will be closed with those of the now expiring year. The expenditure was estimated by the Governor General in Council at Six and a half millions: from first to last, the net expenditure will not (it is now expected) exceed £6,200,500, according to the details given in the margin. The gross expenditure was £8,824,500; but there will be recoveries amounting to £2,624,000. It was thought best to enter in the estimates of revenue and expenditure only the net charge, and not to encumber the estimates of 1875-76 with recoveries which would have largely raised the apparent surplus of that year.

		£	£
Expenditure—			
Special establishments	...	...	250,000
Subsidies to trade and Railway		...	456,000
		£	
Grain—Cost ...	...	3,740,000	
Freight and storage	...	730,600	
Railway carriage	...	333,000	
Inland "	...	1,334,000	
Reserve "	...	315,000	
Steamers ...	...	95,800	
			6,548,400
State Railways	...	...	145,000
Relief works	...	...	1,108,000
Charitable relief and miscellaneous	...	...	317,100
			£8,824,500
Deduct—			
Sale of grain	...	2,514,000	
" stores	...	50,000	
" carriage and steamers	...	60,000	
			2,624,000
Net charge	...		£6,200,500

Against the net charge of £6,200,500 may properly be put the surplus traffic receipts arising from the carriage of grain to the famished districts. This has been a clear profit to Government by reducing the amount to be paid for guaranteed interest. These surplus gains can only be approximately calculated, and they may be estimated to amount at the least to £400,000, so that the entire cost to the Imperial Government of providing relief was £5,800,000. A further sum of perhaps half a million was provided from provincial or local sources; and these figures are exclusive of an expenditure of above £100,000 for the relief of scarcity in the North-Western Provinces and in Oudh.

Considering the vast extent of the measures taken for the provision of grain, the want of experience about much that was entirely novel, and the fact that variations of price and unforeseen requirements for establishments and supervision might reasonably have been expected to disturb all previous calculations, the close agreement of the estimate with the cost of this great work is matter for congratulation.

		£
1872-73	...	1,763,878
1873-74	...	2,071,936
1874-75	...	1,889,000
Total	...	5,724,814

It may be noted that the whole net charge is very nearly covered by the surplus of the three years 1872-73 to 1874-75 upon the ordinary account, exclusive of famine expenditure.

Budget of 1874-75.

BUDGET OF 1875-76.—It is now time to discuss the income and charge for the coming year.

Receipts.

Receipts.—And, first taking the income, a brief explanation will be given wherever there is material deviation from the corresponding entries in the Revised Estimates of the year preceding.

Items of decrease.

The branches in which a decrease is anticipated will be noticed together, and then those in which an improvement is expected.

Opium.

And first in the opium revenue it will be seen that the net income is taken at £420,000 less than in the expiring year; as compared, however, with the original budget of that year, there is an increase of £250,000. This needs explanation. The fact is that it has been the practice for some years to estimate at a much lower sum than the actual average income. In the margin is given the net opium income for seven years. It has never in any one of these years fallen below Six millions. Nevertheless, since 1871-72 the estimate of the net opium revenue has not been put above Five and a half millions. Without departing from the policy of taking a low and safe estimate, the experience of recent years is found to justify a higher amount, and a somewhat nearer approach to the minimum income above shewn. It has therefore been determined to estimate for Five and three quarter millions. This estimate will still leave a large margin as compared with the average income; and, as compared even with the lowest of the seven years, the difference amounts to £281,000, so that it may be held to be sufficiently safe. It will be necessary, however, to bear in mind that the eventual excess over estimate that has for some years been derived from opium must (if we have such an excess) be less than it otherwise would have been by the amount of enhancement which has now been assumed in advance.

		£
1868-69	...	6,733,254
1869-70	...	6,130,874
1870-71	...	6,031,034
1871-72	...	7,657,213
1872-73	...	6,870,423
1873-74	...	6,323,599
1874-75 Revised Estimate		6,170,000
Average	...	6,559,485

It may be convenient here to consider the expenditure under this head, which is almost wholly for Bengal opium. The charges have risen in the present year (1874-75) to £2,350,000, owing to the last crop having been much more productive than was anticipated. **The area under the poppy at the present time is very large (543,727 acres); the quantity that will be produced is, however, altogether dependent on the season continuing to be favorable; the cost of the opium as purchased from the cultivator may therefore possibly exceed the estimate, £2,300,000. But the policy of Government has recently been declared, not to increase, but rather to contract and centralize, the area under poppy cultivation; some saving may accordingly be anticipated in the advances to be given for the next sowings of 1875-76.**

It may also be noticed here that Government have now accumulated a reserve stock of above 10,000 chests of opium, which will make the department to a considerable extent independent of the ordinary variations of season, and prevent the fluctuations that might otherwise arise in the number of chests brought yearly to sale in the Calcutta market, and the hurtful speculation consequent on such uncertainty. Notwithstanding the reserve (which it will be the object of Government still further to increase), it is not yet possible to say what number of chests will be offered for sale in 1876; but this much is certain, that should there be no unforeseen failure in the present crop, the quantity will not be less than 45,000; and it will not under any circumstances exceed 48,000. The exact number will be notified, as heretofore, after the crop has been gathered and manufactured. An average price per chest of Rs. 1,121 has been assumed for the purposes of budget calculation. The estimate for Malwa opium is that duty will be paid on 45,833 chests.

Contributions from Native States.—The diminution of £39,000 arises from the absence of the arrears which have swollen the previous year's revenue, and from the capitalization of the Maharaja Holkar's tribute being nearly concluded. An annual amount of £23,816 has, for some years past, been paid by His Highness: this year it was but one-half of that sum; and next year it will entirely cease.

Mint.—A diminution of £61,000 arises from cessation for this year of copper coinage.

Marine.—Decrease of £85,000; it has been explained that there was an extraordinary receipt in England in 1874-75.

Receipts for Superannuation Allowances.—The decrease, £60,000, is due to cessation of an item formerly credited from one of the Military funds now exhausted.

Gain by exchange.—Less by £45,000 from the stimulating effect of the Bengal famine having ceased to swell the traffic on guaranteed Railways, as will be further explained below.

Miscellaneous.—£45,000 decrease: fluctuations always occur under this head.

Army.—It is expected that the receipts will be less than in the current year by £32,000.

INCREASED RECEIPTS AS COMPARED WITH 1874-75.

The increased receipts recapitulated below will be found (leaving opium out of account) very nearly to balance these items of loss.

Land Revenue.—The gross revenue is placed at £21,379,000, being an advance upon the current year's Regular Estimate of £296,000. The present estimate has been framed with care by the various Local Governments, and revised in the Financial Office with much caution. The improvement in recent years is chiefly noticeable in Madras, the North-Western Provinces (nearly £300,000 in the last six years), and in Burmah. Bengal is of course stationary, and in Bombay there are symptoms of decline. But upon the whole, it is encouraging to find this great branch and mainstay of our income in so sound a condition, and likely in future to yield an appreciable increment year by year.

Excise.—The increase of £35,000 is mainly due to the recovery of Bengal from the effects of the scarcity, and also to a satisfactory improvement generally throughout the empire. In 1873-74 the income from excise was £2,286,637: in the coming year £2,370,000 are expected. Increased attention is being everywhere paid to this branch of the administration; and, from the various reports recently received, it is clear that the increase arises, at least in a very great measure, from more stringent control, and a better check over smuggling. The Government of India have constantly inculcated the principle that in administering the excise department the interests of morality must dominate over those of revenue, and, where necessary, have supported the Local Governments in carrying that principle into effect.

Customs.—The estimates have been framed after reference to the recommendations made by the Tariff Committee, which are now under consideration by the Government of India. The cordial acknowledgments of the Government are due to the Committee for their laborious investigations and for their comprehensive and excellent report. The increase of £28,000 is due mainly to the lateness of the exports of rice from Burma, which will carry forward into the accounts of the coming year a considerable amount of duty that otherwise would have come within 1874-75.

The head of Customs includes £140,850 duty on sugar exported from North-Western India to Rajpootana and Central India. This is one of the least defensible of all our taxes; but there is hope that, with the customs barrier at which it is collected, it will ere long be swept away.

Salt.—The improvement here has been dealt with in the remarks for 1874-75.

Post Office.—The advance made last year is maintained, and indeed increased by £22,000. It arises from an expected increase of correspondence.

Telegraph.—£11,000, due to further recovery from the Ottoman Government, and also to general growth of traffic.

Interest.—The advance of £35,000 is caused by additional loans made during the present year to various corporations, landholders, &c.

Public Works.—A new item from the Wurora Colliery in the Central Provinces raises this estimate by £14,000.

Irrigation.—We have here a gratifying improvement of £44,000. The estimate has been taken with caution, and indeed the Public Works Department expects more. The increase is mainly from the North-Western Provinces, where (partly from the new Agra Canal) an enhancement of £18,000 is expected; and there is also an advance anticipated in the receipts of the Soane, and of the Bombay Canals.

State Railways.—Another notable increase of £109,000 is expected from the carriage of Sambhur salt and the further opening of the State Railways to public traffic.

TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE OF 1875-76 COMPARED WITH THAT OF 1874-75.

The grand total of all our revenues, as above explained, is £49,820,000. This is greater than the Budget Estimate of 1874-75 by £836,000, but less than the Regular Estimate (as swelled by the opium surplus) by £250,000. Eliminating opium from the comparison, this year's revenue is more than last year's Regular Estimate by £220,000.

CHARGES—EXPLANATION OF ITEMS OF DECREASE.

CHARGES.—We proceed to consider the expected disbursements for the coming year; and first will be noticed those in which there is any material increase.

Interest.—An advance of £142,000. Provision has been made for the additional debt to be incurred in the coming year and for a full year's interest on the money borrowed during the current year.

Salt.—£19,000, due chiefly to resumption of operations to repress the illicit manufacture of salt in Behar.

Post Office.—An increase of £12,000 may be regarded as a partial set-off to the increase of revenue (£22,000).

Telegraph, increase of £49,000: provision is made for the purchase of the telegraphs on certain guaranteed Railways, for the construction of new telegraphs both on the State and guaranteed Railways, and for the purchase of stores.

Law and Justice shows an additional burden of £57,000; of this, above £20,000 are for the improved judicial machinery which has just been introduced into the Punjab, and £20,000 are for re-organizing the process-serving establishments in the Bombay Presidency. Provision is also made for the constitution of a new district in Burmah.

Marine.—An increase of £40,000, due to the proposed Marine surveys, and to expenditure in England for stores.

Loss by exchange.—An increase of £521,000. The rate of exchange is estimated at 1*s.* 9⅞*d.* per rupee, and to remit £14,300,000 at this rate requires the adjusting entry of an additional £1,390,000. Against this we have, on the opposite side of the sheet, a gain of £325,000; leaving a net charge under this head of £1,065,000.

Army.—The budget (in which there is an excess over last year of £184,000) provides for the continuance of the Colonel's retirement scheme to the same extent as before. On this important measure, which besides adding to the efficiency of the Army, will be in itself a future financial advantage, the expenditure for the two years 1874-75 and 1875-76 is estimated at not less than £400,000. There have been considerable additions provided for in the expenditure of the coming year, and among them £20,000 for increased pay to Majors of Royal Artillery and Engineers; but they have been partially met by savings and retrenchments. The marginal table gives the net expenditure for the army for the last seven years, as compared with our present estimate. From the latter, the payment for the retiring scheme may properly be deducted, as it is in point of fact the cost of a saving which will be spread over many years to come. If this be done, it will be seen that the cost of the army in India has never been lower than in these last two years, and that the total cost is less

	NET EXPENDITURE FOR THE ARM.		
YEAR.	In England.	In India.	TOTAL.
1868-69	3,248,494	11,888,063	15,136,557
1869-70	3,478,807	11,768,327	15,247,134
1870-71	3,507,034	11,605,618	15,112,652
1871-72	3,586,934	11,146,758	14,733,692
1872-73	3,503,020	11,093,781	14,596,801
1873-74	3,328,912	10,890,239	14,219,151
1874-75 Revised Estimate	3,599,700	10,960,300	14,560,000
1875-76 Budget „	3,725,600*	11,050,400	14,776,000

* Including £150,000 for capitalized value of annuities to officers retiring in 1875-76.

than in any recent year up to 1873-74. Within the last two or three years, moreover, a large permanent addition has been made in military expenditure to improve the condition equipment and organization of the army; among such improvements may be named the revised scale of pay for British troops, new establishments for garrison instruction and musketry inspection, additional hutting money for Indian troops, an increase of subalterns in British and Indian regiments. Thus there has been no sacrifice of efficiency to economy: on the contrary, the favorable financial result here shown has gone hand in hand with a liberal expenditure in improvements and reform.

Public Works Ordinary.—Increase of £110,000, caused by an extraordinary grant of £100,000 for military works, to enable the construction of barracks to be prosecuted with greater vigor throughout the country: £10,000 have also been given for special repairs in the Kidderpore Dock Yard.

State Railways.—Apart from the sum of £185,000 entered in the accounts of 1874-75 as expended upon the Tirhoot State Railway, £75,000 more will be spent in 1875-76 than in the current year, but (as before shown) it will be more than covered by improved receipts.

Guaranteed interest; increase £451,000. The additional payment for interest will be only £31,000; but as traffic receipts are first deducted, and as these have been so greatly swollen during the current year by the scarcity, the present entry compares badly with that of 1874-75. The income, however, is growing, as will be shown below.

DECREASED CHARGES.

These are all the instances of material enhancement of expenditure. The departments in which a decrease is expected will now be noticed.

Forest.—£28,000, corresponding with a decrease of revenue £27,000.
Refunds.—£25,000, the expenditure this year having been unusually high.
Opium.—£50,000, already noticed under receipts.
Mint.—£38,000; the same cause as in 1874-75.
Minor Departments.—£10,000, owing to reduced disbursements on Exhibitions by the Home Government.

Administration shows a decrease of £22,000, notwithstanding provision made for the transfer of the Government of India during the summer to Simla, for the new Member of the Governor General's Council, and for some increase to the establishments of the Home Government. The net decrease is owing to the abnormal charge for stores in 1874-75.

Political Agencies.—Less by £37,000 owing to exceptional charges in 1874-75 for the Yarkund embassy, and the Zanzibar Mission.

Allowances under treaty.—A reduction of £45,000, partly on account of the advance, noticed in the accounts of 1874-75, to the Ex-King of Oudh, and partly owing to the death of certain stipendiaries in Madras.

Miscellaneous.—£65,000 saved by the non-recurrence of the special items noticed in the accounts of 1874-75.

Provincial Services.—Special grants will be smaller this year than those made last to the extent of £65,000.

NET RESULT OF BUDGET FOR 1875-76 COMPARED WITH REVISED ESTIMATE OF 1874-75.

Such, then, are the variations in detail. Putting the whole together, we find the total expenditure estimated for 1875-76 (excluding disbursements on Reproductive works, which the Government holds itself free to construct from borrowed capital) to be £49,314,000. In 1874-75, excluding famine charges, it is only £48,181,000. So that we have here a rise of expenditure of not less than £1,133,000. From the marginal note it will be seen that three items alone nearly account for this growth of charge. Of the three, the largest, loss by exchange, is dependent on the market rate; the excess of guaranteed interest is caused by the cessation of the famine traffic;—both being beyond the control of Government. The growth of interest arises from increased borrowing for Reproductive works, and also to meet the immediate burden of the recent Famine. So that in the ordinary machinery and administration proper of the empire, there is in the estimates of the coming year but little increase of net charge. Nor

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Interest on debt ...	142,000
Guaranteed interest, less traffic receipts ...	451,000
Loss by exchange ...	521,000
TOTAL ...	1,114,000

must it be lost sight of that this result has been attained notwithstanding considerable additional grants to promote efficiency in the administration;—such as £20,000 to improve the judicial establishments in the Punjab, a similar increase to the Provincial assignment in Assam, an increase of £20,000 for process-serving establishments in Bombay, and £100,000 for the more vigorous prosecution of Military works.

Surplus for 1875-76.

We have seen that the income of the coming year is likely to be £49,820,000, and now we find that the probable expenditure will be £49,314,000. The excess of income over expenditure thus provides for a surplus of £506,000. The Government of India are satisfied that this will be sufficient. By the effective enforcement of economy in all branches of the administration,—an obligation recognized by every Government throughout the country,—it may be hoped that, no unforeseen adversity occurring, the surplus will, as in previous years, prove somewhat better than has been estimated; and in particular, from what has before been said, some improvement may not unreasonably be looked for from opium.

Before passing on to the Ways and Means for the year, a few remarks seem called for on the state of Trade and also on the progress of Reproductive works, the interest on the capital of which forms so heavy a weight upon the finances of India.

TRADE STATISTICS OF 1873-74, COMPARED WITH 1872-73.

THE LEADING FEATURES OF TRADE in 1873-74, as compared with the year preceding, may be described as follows: The aggregate value (excluding Government stores and treasure) was £94,277,080, being an increase over 1872-73 of Two and three-quarter millions. The increase was almost entirely in imports, which exceeded those of 1872-73 by £2,407,577. The small increase in exports (£338,400) was due to an increase of £605,117 in treasure; so that there was really a decrease in the value of exported merchandise, amounting to £266,717.

	1873-74. £	1872-73. £
Imports ...	37,437,231	35,029,654
Exports ...	56,839,849	56,501,449
TOTAL ...	94,277,080	91,531,103

INCREASE OF IMPORTS.

Of the increase in imports, £1,235,949 are due to treasure, and £1,171,628 to merchandise. Cotton piece goods rose in value by £559,125; there was a slight fall in twist and yarn of £8,748; the net result being an increase of £550,377, notwithstanding the competition of cotton-mills in India. In point of fact, the value of cotton goods imported in 1873-74 was the highest on record, excepting 1870-71,* a year of excessive importations, and 1868-69,† when the tariff values were higher than now by about 15 per cent. The value of metals, notwithstanding a slight increase in iron and a considerable increase in tin, fell by £57,618. But in the present year the metal trade is materially improving. The expansion of industrial enterprize in India is satisfactorily attested by an increase of machinery imported, the value in 1873-74 being £1,002,347 as against £517,316 in 1872-73.

* £19,014,869.
† £18,852,485.

EXPORTS.

The increase in the value of exports, as shown above, was £338,400. This is the result of several fluctuations, of which the most marked are the following;—Raw cotton fell by £805,923; raw jute by £706,533; and rice by £235,969. The decrease in the value of cotton is wholly due to lower prices, the quantity exported having risen by nearly ten million lbs.;‡ that in jute was owing to the fall in prices caused by unusually large exportations in the two preceding years.§ The diminution in rice was owing to the demand caused by the scarcity in Behar.‖ The proportionate decrease in value was less than that in quantity, prices having been higher in 1873-74 by 11·3 per cent.; so that the fall in quantity was 13·8 per cent., and in value 4·1 per cent. The chief items of increase were tea, indigo, seeds, wheat, and treasure. Of tea 19,324,235 lbs. were exported in 1873-74 as compared with 17,789,911 in the previous year, the value being £1,742,926 as against £1,577,691. It is gratifying to find

ITEMS OF DECREASE.

	Quantity. lbs.	Value. £
‡ 1872-73 ...	494,244,447	11,022,108
1873-74 ...	504,065,420	13,216,185
	Cwts	£
§ 1872-73 ...	7,0[illegible]0,512	4,142,548
1873-74 ...	6,127,279	3,136,015
	Cwts.	£
‖ 1872-73 ...	22,973,797	5,701,439
1873-74 ...	19,805,184	5,456,470

ITEMS OF INCREASE.

this valuable staple, year by year, advancing steadily. The value of tea exported in 1863-64 was only £220,394. Indigo rose from 115,312 cwts. to 115,980, and the value from £3,426,824 to £3,555,300. The important trade in seeds has almost entirely recovered from the depression of 1872-73; the average value of the five years preceding that year was £2,543,000: in 1872-73 it fell to £1,508,241; in 1873-74 it rose to £2,361,423. Wheat shows a remarkable increase, the export in 1873-74 being 1,755,954 cwts., valued at £827,606, as against 394,010 cwts. in 1872-73, valued at £167,690: the improvement is due no doubt to the remission of the export duty in the beginning of 1873. Of coffee the quantity exported, 40,715,638 lbs., was less than the 41,462,705 lbs. of the previous year; but the value was higher, being £1,487,467 against £1,128,549: the fall in amount and rise in price were no doubt both due to deficiency in the crop. The saltpetre trade was not so brisk as in the year before, when it was unusually prosperous; but it exceeded the average of the five years preceding 1872-73. The export of teak continued to improve.

Upon the whole, the prospects of the commerce of India as illustrated by these figures are very encouraging.

GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.

GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.—The following table gives the progress of the traffic receipts:—

	Miles open.	Gross earnings.	Expenses.	Net receipts.
	No.	£	£	£
1870-71	4,963	6,620,758	4,063,977	2,556,781
1871-72	5,077	6,699,981	3,831,033	2,868,948
1872-73	5,345	6,889,281	4,341,381	2,547,900
1873-74	5,593	7,641,042	4,410,488	3,230,554
1874-75 (Regular)	5,613	8,245,400	4,683,400	3,562,000
1875-76 (Budget)	5,866	7,449,900	4,307,900	3,142,000

The entire length of all guaranteed Railways at present sanctioned is 6,207 miles. One hundred miles were opened in 1874, of which 85 belong to the Oudh and Rohilkhund Railway. As 5,591 miles in all are now open, it will be seen that the system is rapidly approaching completion. The capital already expended is £93,615,000.

The train mileage run during 1874 was 17,617,794 miles against 14,727,933 in 1873. The passengers increased from 21,406,636 to 22,678,772; but the coaching receipts diminished from £2,171,484 to £2,134,847. The increase in numbers and decrease in receipts arise from the adoption of low fares on the Madras and some other Railways, the effect of which is being watched; and in Bengal there was a falling off in passenger traffic owing to the scarcity.

The goods traffic, as repeatedly noticed, was greatly swelled during the last two years, and notably in 1874-75, by the carriage of grain to the districts where scarcity prevailed. The weight carried increased from 4,147,316 tons in 1873 (a year in which carriage of grain was already stimulated by the famine) to 4,926,779; and the receipts from £4,219,174 to £5,129,500.

The gross earnings of the closing year are expected to be £8,245,400, and the expenses £4,291,500; the net traffic receipts will thus be £3,953,900, of which £391,900, being half the surplus in excess of guaranteed interest, will be paid to the Companies. The remaining £3,562,000 will accrue to the Indian revenues. The interest payable under guarantee is £4,694,000. The net amount chargeable against the revenues will be £1,132,000.

Leaving out the last two years, it will be seen that the net traffic receipts in 1872-73 were £2,547,900; but that is held to have been an exceptionally bad year. The receipts of the previous year, 1871-72, were £2,868,948: since that time about 800 additional miles have been opened, and the expected net income for 1875-76 is £3,142,000, or £273,052 more than in 1871-72. The present estimates, which have been carefully prepared in the Railway Department, give hope of a gradual advance of receipts, and of a corresponding diminution in the interest charge.

STATE RAILWAYS.

STATE RAILWAYS.—A few words may be added on the progress of the State Railways. At the end of 1873 the mileage open was 183 miles; at the end of 1874, 612.

The total cost to end of 1873-74 was	£5,619,950
Expenditure in 1874-75 (Regular Estimate) ...	2,787,550
Grant for 1875-76 (Budget Estimate)	3,000,000
Estimated total expenditure to end of 1875-76 ...	£11,407,500

The mean mileage worked during the year was 414 miles, and the train mileage 372,894, carrying 248,781 tons and 1,429,942 passengers. The receipts were £55,034 from goods and £47,133 from coaching; and averaged together £7 per mile per week. The State lines are worked at lower fares for passengers than on the guaranteed lines.

The net receipts are expected to increase (as has been stated before) from £27,000 to £50,000, and we may look now for a rapid rise of income as a set-off to the charge for interest, as well as for an invaluable accession to the trade in salt.

IRRIGATION CANALS.

IRRIGATION CANALS.—The gross direct irrigation revenue, that is, the receipts for water-rate and other items assessed directly by the Irrigation Department, will probably amount in 1875-76 to £525,000. This is almost entirely received in the Punjab, North-Western Provinces, and Lower Bengal. The returns from irrigation elsewhere are still, as a rule, included in the Land Revenue. The indirect revenue in the Provinces just named, that is, the increased assessment of Land Revenue due to canal irrigation, is estimated at £161,000, making a total income of £686,000.

The aggregate capital outlay on irrigation works to the end of 1873-74 (excluding the Madras and Bombay Presidencies, the accounts of which are not yet adjusted) amounted to £9,930,000. Of this, £6,711,000 was spent on the five works named in the margin, which are the largest of those now earning revenue.

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Ganges Canal ..	2,644,700
Eastern Jumna Canal ...	207,800
Baree Doab " ...	1,375,000
Western Jumna " ...	334,000
Orissa " ...	2,149,500

The gross direct income from these canals is expected to be £459,479, and the expenses £224,776, leaving a direct net revenue of £234,703, or a return of 3½ per cent. If the indirect revenue be included, the net return will be £347,119, or about 5 per cent. The area irrigated in the three Provinces was nearly 2,300,000 acres.

During the year certain projects were started in Behar to give relief to the famished population; but work on them is at present stayed, pending a more thorough survey of the country and investigation of the designs. About £17,506 were thus spent.

In the Punjab the chief expenditure has been on the Baree Doab, Sirhind, and Western Jumna Canals. The first of these is being improved and completed at an estimated cost of £128,900. The works on the Sirhind Canal have been vigorously prosecuted during the year, at an outlay of about £220,000. The total cost will be about Three millions. The rectification of the Western Jumna Canal is intended mainly to remove sanitary evils that have been found injurious to the country: the cost is estimated at £722,000.

In the North-Western Provinces certain rectifications of the Eastern Jumna Canal have been made at an expenditure of about £10,800. Material improvements in the Ganges Canal are being pressed forward, but necessarily with some difficulty, as the channels are full: the expenditure was about £54,000. The Lower Ganges Canal, with its new dam at Nurora below the Rajghat bridge, is being constructed with great vigor, about £300,000 having been expended on it during the year. Irrigation has commenced from the Agra canal, which was opened last year; its length is 130 miles, and its cost will be £900,000.

In Bengal £340,000 were spent on the Soane canal. This work afforded labor to the poor during the late scarcity; a large area was brought under irrigation without charge, and the food supply of the country thus

materially increased. The expenditure on new works for the Orissa canal was about £203,000; the irrigation receipts on this canal advance but slowly: the receipts from the navigation of the Midnapore and Tidal Canal, however, exhibit the gratifying increase of £20,948 against £10,386 in the previous year.

In Madras no new works have been commenced, but improvements are projected in the Godavery and Kistna works. The canals in this Presidency suffered severely from floods, and the repairs will be costly.

In Bombay the Moota Moola design for the water-supply of Poona as well as for irrigation, was completed as far as Poona, the outlay so far being £361,000; and there will be a small return in the present year. The Desert canal in Scinde was also in progress at an outlay of £15,000.

The returns of canal revenue make no distinction between income derived from former works constructed out of revenue, and from those derived from borrowed money. In respect of the latter there is a lien upon the returns for the payment of the interest. It is now under consideration to what extent this can be shown in a distinct account, so as to keep under a continual watch the degree in which such works support themselves without aid from the general revenues of the empire.

FORECAST OF EFFECT OF BORROWING FOR RAILWAYS AND CANALS ON FINANCES OF INDIA.

For the last three years a forecast has been annually prepared in the Public Works Department, looking forward five years, and balancing against the increase of income anticipated from railways and canals, the increased charge on the empire for the interest of the capital borrowed for their construction. The forecast from 1875-76 to 1879-80 will shortly be published, when it will be shewn that, so far as can be foreseen, the continued prosecution of these works on the present scale will not entail any increase of burden on the exchequer of India.

Ways & Means for 1875-76.

It remains now only to consider the Ways and Means to provide for the expenditure which will devolve upon the Government of India and the Home Government during the year on which we are about to enter.

The cash balances in the Indian and Home Treasuries on 31st March 1874 (varying but slightly from the Revised Estimate) were a little above Sixteen millions, as follows:—

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In India	14,033,442
In Home Treasury	2,015,056
TOTAL ...	£16,048,498

It was estimated last year that on the 31st day of this month, the balances would have risen slightly, so as to stand at a little above Sixteen and a half millions.* The treasury accounts are influenced by so many and various causes that it is difficult to foretell precisely at what figure they will stand twenty days hence; but, as closely as we can calculate, they will be better than was estimated last year by no less than £1,844,860.† The improvement over the estimate is mainly due to the surplus in the ordinary account of 1874-75 being (as before explained) larger than was expected; and to the disbursements on the Famine and Extraordinary works being short of what was provided. From these causes the deficit on the whole account of the current year, estimated at £5,951,000, will be found from the present budget sheet to have fallen to £4,588,000, that is, by £1,363,000.

	£
* In India	15,272,593
Home Treasury ...	1,268,745
	16,541,338

	£
† In India... ...	15,700,042
Home Treasury ...	2,686,156(a)
	18,386,198

(a) The excess in the balances in Home Treasury as compared with estimate arises from excess remittances during the favorable season of commercial activity in India.

The Treasury balances (including those in England) rose during the year by £2,337,700. The main cause is that the sums borrowed more than covered our eventual wants. In all, including Railway capital, £7,488,100 were borrowed. The deficit of revenue, in 1874-75, as we have seen, is £4,588,000; add to this £853,200 for loans to Port Trust, Municipalities, &c., and we have a total of £5,441,200: thus leaving an excess of £2,046,900, which explains the greater part of the excess in the cash balances.

	£
Balance on 31st March 1874	16,048,498
Estimated ditto on 1st March 1875 ...	18,386,198
Difference ...	2,337,700

Of the amount borrowed during 1874-75, the Secretary of State raised £5,000,000 at four per cent. interest, obtaining a premium of £69,832, at an average of £1-7-11 per cent.

Two and a half crores of rupees were raised in India, also at four per cent. interest, a premium being obtained of Rs. 6,90,695, at an average of Rs. 2-12-2 per cent. For this loan 1,380 tenders were received, of which 908 were from Natives of India. The whole amount tendered was Rs. 16,15,95,900. The Government minimum price was Rs. 101, and 851 tenders were received for Rs. 14,13,81,500 at this minimum rate or at rates exceeding it. Of these tenders, 525 were from Natives of India.

In the coming year we have seen that the sum to be expended on Reproductive works is £4,300,000, and a further sum of £633,700 will be required for repayment of Railway capital: total £4,933,700. Against this is to be set the surplus of £506,000, reducing the amount to £4,427,700. The receipts upon the remainder of the cash account of the coming year will exceed the disbursements by £316,000. If this be deducted from the £4,427,700 required, a balance of £4,111,700 remains to be provided.

Supposing no money to be borrowed, this drain upon the Treasury would reduce the balances at Home and in India to about Fourteen and a quarter millions.* But this sum is too small for the requirements of the empire; and it will be necessary to arrange so that the balances shall not fall below Seventeen millions.† To provide for this it has been resolved to borrow the sum of £2,860,000. Of this amount the Maharajahs Scindia and Holkar are under engagements to contribute for Railways £360,000. The remaining sum, £2,500,000, will be raised by loan. In accordance with the intimation given by Her Majesty's Government, there will be no borrowing in England during the present year: the loan, therefore, to the amount above specified, will be raised in India. The arrangements for this purpose will be notified at some suitable time hereafter. By these arrangements the cash balance will, it is estimated, stand at £17,096,598 on the 31st March 1876.

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*India	12,107,642
Home	2,128,956
	14,236,598

	£
†India	14,967,642
Home	2,128,956
	17,096,598

In reviewing our loan transactions since 1869-70, and including guaranteed Railway capital and the proposed new loan, the entire sum borrowed during these seven years is £22,576,917. During the same period there has been spent on Reproductive works (State Railways and Canals) £19,468,774, leaving a balance of £3,108,143. The cash balance (according to present estimate) will be larger at the close of that period than it was at the beginning by £3,894,813. If, then, we deduct this sum, £3,894,813, from the sums borrowed, we find that the amount expended on Reproductive works will exceed the remainder by more than three quarters of a million; which three quarters of a million has consequently come out of Ordinary revenue. Over and above this, the whole cost of the famine, say Six millions, has been defrayed from net surplus on the ordinary account. These results will, it is believed, be considered satisfactory.

	£
Balance, 31st March 1869	13,201,785
Ditto 1876	17,096,598
Increase	£3,894,813
Borrowed	22,576,917
Added to cash balances ...	3,894,813
Remains to be accounted for	£18,682,104
Spent on Reproductive works	19,468,774
Net borrowed ...	18,682,104
	£786,670

PAPER CURRENCY AND TREASURY IMPROVEMENTS.

In the early part of 1874, the paper currency stood at a very low amount, not much in excess of Nine millions. It rose gradually in the latter part of the year, and for four or five months has varied little from Eleven millions. The fall ordinarily caused at the present season by the demand for silver in the interior has this year been neutralized by the issues made against bullion.

Enquiries are being prosecuted with the view, if possible, to introduce a system of money orders between India and Germany: and also to extend to Indian laborers in Ceylon the advantage of money orders on Indian District Treasuries.

The number of depositors in Savings Banks has increased in the course of the expiring year by about 4,000. It now stands at about 68,000; and the aggregate of deposits at about £1,866,000.

The highest quoted price of four per cent. rupee paper in Calcutta during 1874-75 was Rs. 104-12 on the 9th and 15th July, the lowest Rs. 101-10 on the 24th April. The highest quoted price of enfaced four per cent. rupee paper in London was Rs. 98 on the 30th May and 4th June; the lowest Rs. 94, at which it now stands. The highest quoted price of four per cent. sterling paper in London was 104$\frac{7}{8}$ths on the 4th February, the lowest 100$\frac{1}{2}$ on the 2nd April.

The rupee paper enfaced for payment of interest in England by drafts on India stood on the 31st March 1874 at £13,272,205. The highest amount during the year was £14,214,617 on the 14th November 1874. The amount by the latest return (15th February 1875) was £13,905,131.

It has not been found possible this year to complete the estimates and accounts of Provincial, Local, and Municipal income and expenditure in time for the Imperial Budget. They will be published, hereafter, so soon as they can be compiled.

To sum up briefly the leading points of this Financial Statement: —

For 1873-74 the Revised Estimate as prepared last year shewed an expected surplus of £1,818,700; the financial accounts shew an actual surplus of £2,071,936.

The surplus of 1874-75, estimated in the budget at £1,192,000, is expected according to the Revised Estimate to be £1,889,000. These figures are irrespective of famine relief and of expenditure from loans on Reproductive works.

The net cost of the Famine (allowing for recoveries and excess Railway income) will be about £5,800,000.

The estimated income of 1875-76 is £49,820,000; and expenditure £49,314,000; giving a surplus of £502,000.

On Reproductive works, £4,300,000 will be spent; including these, the deficit is £3,794,000.

The cash balances on 31st March 1875 are estimated to be £18,386,198.

To provide for the disbursements on Reproductive works, and maintain the cash balances at a sufficient amount, it will be necessary to raise a loan of £2,500,000.

With this assistance it is estimated that the cash balance will, on 31st March 1876, stand at £17,096,598, or a little above Seventeen millions.

STATEMENTS.

I.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE

Estimates,

REVENUE.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget Estimates, 1874-75.	Regular Estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76, compared with Regular Estimates, 1874-75.
CIVIL.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I.—Land revenue ...	21,037,912	21,404,000	21,083,000	...	321,000	21,379,000	+ 296,000
II.—Tributes and contributions from N. States ..	768,544	726,000	739,000	13,000	...	700,000	— 39,000
III.—Forest	623,131	606,000	599,000	...	7,000	572,000	— 27,000
IV.—Excise on spirits and drugs	2,286,637	2,286,000	2,335,000	49,000	...	2,370,000	+ 35,000
V.—Assessed taxes ...	20,136	*Nil*	3,000	3,000	...	Nil.	— 3,000
VI.—Customs	2,628,495	2,738,000	2,642,000	...	96,000	2,670,000	+ 28,000
VII.—Salt	6,150,662	6,079,000	6,188,000	109,000	...	6,208,000	+ 20,000
VIII.—Opium	8,324,879	7,615,000	8,520,000	905,000	...	8,050,000	— 470,000
IX.—Stamps	2,699,936	2,708,000	2,779,000	71,000	...	2,784,000	+ 5,000
X.—Mint	66,544	124,000	133,000	9,000	...	72,000	— 61,000
XI.—Post office ...	688,198	695,000	713,000	18,000	...	735,000	+ 22,000
XII.—Telegraph	250,638	252,000	279,000	27,000	...	290,000	+ 11,000
XIII.—Law and justice ...	359,146	333,000	321,000	...	12,000	319,000	— 2,000
XIV.—Marine	236,323	201,000	282,000	81,000	...	197,000	— 85,000
XV.—Interest	464,910	462,000	537,000	75,000	...	572,000	+ 35,000
XVI.—Receipts in aid of superannuation, retired and compassionate allowances	699,768	679,000	694,000	15,000	...	634,000	— 60,000
XVII.—Gain by exchange on transactions with London	395,168	322,000	370,000	48,000	...	325,000	— 45,000
XVIII.—Miscellaneous ...	296,961	195,000	225,000	30,000	...	180,000	— 45,000
TOTAL ...	47,997,988	47,425,000	48,442,000	1,017,000	...	48,057,000	— 385,000
Army	1,009,124	890,000	939,000	49,000	...	907,000	— 32,000
Public works, ordinary ...	89,511	83,000	80,000	...	3,000	94,000	+ 14,000
Irrigation	475,174	491,000	488,000	...	3,000	532,000	+ 44,000
State railways	39,914	95,000	121,000	26,000	...	230,000	+ 109,000
GRAND TOTAL ...	49,611,711	48,984,000	50,070,000	1,086,000	...	49,820,000	— 250,000
Deficit, excluding P. W. extraordinary, but *including* Famine Charges	1,792,737	1,388,000	553,000	...	835,000	*Nil.*	— 553,000
Deficit, including P. W. extraordinary, but *excluding* Famine Charges	1,481,371	3,371,000	2,146,000	...	1,225,000	3,794,000	+ 1,648,000
Deficit, including P. W. Extraordinary and Famine Charges	5,346,044	5,951,000	4,588,000	...	1,363,000	3,794,000	— 794,000

Fort William;
Financial Department,
The 13th March 1875.

EDWARD GAY,
Deputy Comptroller General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA IN INDIA AND IN ENGLAND.

1875-76.

EXPENDITURE.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget Estimates, 1874-75.	Regular Estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76 compared with Regular Estimates, 1874-75.
CIVIL.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Interest on funded and unfunded debt ...	5,248,820	5,127,000	5,066,000	...	61,000	5,208,000	+ 142,000
2.—Interest on service funds and other accounts ...	541,001	359,000	382,000	23,000	...	376,000	— 6,000
3.—Refunds and drawbacks ...	292,845	262,000	325,000	63,000	...	300,000	— 25,000
4.—Land revenue ...	2,486,275	2,513,000	2,476,000	...	37,000	2,480,000	+ 4,000
5.—Forest	390,499	443,000	433,000	...	10,000	405,000	— 28,000
6.—Excise on spirits and drugs	93,569	87,000	83,000	...	4,000	86,000	+ 3,000
7.—Assessed taxes ...	2,165	*Nil.*	Nil.	...	...	Nil	...
8.—Customs	183,863	186,000	178,000	...	8,000	179,000	+ 1,000
9.—Salt	478,245	490,000	479,000	...	11,000	498,000	+ 19,000
10.—Opium	2,001,280	2,115,000	2,350,000	235,000	...	2,300,000	— 50,000
11.—Stamps	88,840	117,000	126,000	9,000	...	123,000	— 3,000
12.—Mint	76,229	168,000	128,000	...	40,000	90,000	— 38,000
13.—Post office	808,684	813,000	804,000	...	9,000	816,000	+ 12,000
14.—Telegraph	411,801	450,000	435,000	...	15,000	484,000	+ 49,000
15.—Administration ...	1,577,286	1,559,000	1,637,000	78,000	...	1,615,000	— 22,000
16.—Minor departments ...	319,914	323,000	309,000	...	14,000	299,000	— 10,000
17.—Law and justice ...	2,266,179	2,279,000	2,283,000	4,000	...	2,340,000	+ 57,000
18.—Marine	474,755	528,000	502,000	...	26,000	542,000	+ 40,000
19.—Ecclesiastical	159,527	159,000	160,000	1,000	...	161,000	+ 1,000
20.—Medical	180,596	187,000	194,000	7,000	...	187,000	— 7,000
21.—Political agencies ...	366,209	445,000	373,000	...	72,000	336,000	— 37,000
22.—Allowances and assignments under treaties and engagements ...	1,856,700	1,722,000	1,740,000	18,000	...	1,695,000	— 45,000
23.—Civil furlough and absentee allowances ...	260,556	277,000	221,000	...	56,000	221,000	.....
24.—Superannuation, retired and compassionate allowances	1,576,682	1,818,000	1,839,000	21,000	...	1,863,000	+ 24,000
25.—Loss by exchange on transactions with London ...	986,530	746,000	869,000	123,000	...	1,390,000	+ 521,000
26.—Miscellaneous ...	94,142	70,000	135,000	65,000	...	70,000	— 65,000
27.—Allotments for provincial services	5,069,972	5,030,000	5,124,000	94,000	...	5,059,000	— 65,000
Famine Relief	3,864,673	2,580,000	2,442,000	...	138,000	...	— 2,442,000
TOTAL CIVIL ...	32,157,837	30,853,000	31,093,000	240,000	...	29,123,000	— 1,970,000
Army	15,228,274	15,387,000	15,499,000	112,000	...	15,683,000	+ 184,000
Public works, ordinary ...	2,355,723	2,505,000	2,544,000	39,000	...	2,654,000	+ 110,000
State railways	72,824	104,000	281,000	177,000	...	180,000	— 101,000
Land and supervision (guaranteed railways)	152,438	129,000	74,000	...	55,000	91,000	+ 17,000
Guaranteed interest, less net traffic receipts	1,437,352	1,394,000	1,132,000	...	262,000	1,583,000	+ 451,000
TOTAL ORDINARY ...	51,404,448	50,372,000	50,623,000	251,000	...	49,314,000	— 1,309,000
Public works, extraordinary ...	3,553,307	4,563,000	4,035,000	...	528,000	4,300,000	+ 265,000
GRAND TOTAL ...	54,957,755	54,935,000	54,658,000	...	277,000	53,614,000	— 1,044,000
Surplus, excluding P. W. extraordinary & Famine Charges	2,071,936	1,192,000	1,889,000	697,000	...	506,000	— 1,383,000
Gross guaranteed interest ...	4,667,906	4,696,000	4,694,000	...	2,000	4,725,000	+ 31,000
Net traffic receipts ...	3,230,554	3,302,000	3,562,000	260,000	...	3,142,000	— 420,000
Guaranteed interest less net traffic receipts	1,437,352	1,394,000	1,132,000	...	262,000	1,583,000	+ 451,000

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

II.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA IN INDIA.

Estimates, 1875-76.

REVENUE.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget Estimates, 1874-75.	Regular Estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76, compared with Regular Estimates, 1874-75.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I.—Land revenue ...	21,037,912	21,404,000	21,083,000	...	321,000	21,379,000	+ 296,000
II.—Tributes and contributions from Native States	768,544	726,000	739,000	13,000	...	700,000	— 39,000
III.—Forest	623,131	606,000	599,000	...	7,000	572,000	— 27,000
IV.—Excise on spirits and drugs	2,286,637	2,286,000	2,335,000	49,000	...	2,370,000	+ 35,000
V.—Assessed taxes ...	20,136	...	3,000	3,000	...	...	— 3,000
VI.—Customs	2,628,495	2,738,000	2,642,000	...	96,000	2,670,000	+ 28,000
VII.—Salt	6,150,662	6,079,000	6,188,000	109,000	...	6,208,000	+ 20,000
VIII.—Opium	8,324,879	7,615,000	8,520,000	905,000	...	8,050,000	— 470,000
IX.—Stamps	2,699,936	2,708,000	2,779,000	71,000	...	2,784,000	+ 5,000
X.—Mint	66,529	124,000	133,000	9,000	...	72,000	— 61,000
XI.—Post office ...	688,198	695,000	713,000	18,000	...	735,000	+ 22,000
XII.—Telegraph	246,425	241,200	265,500	24,300	...	268,400	+ 2,900
XIII.—Law and justice ...	359,146	333,000	321,000	...	12,000	319,000	— 2,000
XIV.—Marine	235,099	201,000	200,700	...	300	197,000	— 3,700
XV.—Interest	395,028	447,000	458,000	11,000	...	552,000	+ 94,000
XVI.—Receipts in aid of superannuation, retired and compassionate allowances	601,719	584,400	599,000	14,600	...	542,400	— 56,600
XVII—Gain by exchange on transactions with London	395,168	322,000	370,000	48,000	...	325,000	— 45,000
XVIII.—Miscellaneous ...	261,026	187,000	196,000	9,000	...	172,000	— 24,000
	47,788,670	47,296,600	48,144,200	847,600	...	47,915,800	— 228,400
Army	982,703	870,000	910,000	40,000	...	880,000	— 30,000
Public works, ordinary ...	73,681	64,300	62,500	...	1,800	75,200	+ 12,700
Irrigation	475,174	491,000	488,000	...	3,000	532,000	+ 44,000
State railways	39,914	95,000	121,000	26,000	...	230,000	+ 109,000
TOTAL ORDINARY ...	49,360,142	48,816,900	49,725,700	908,800	...	49,633,000	— 92,700

Fort William;
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,
The 13th March 1875.

EDWARD GAY,
Deputy Comptroller General.

EXPENDITURE.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget Estimates, 1874-75.	Regular Estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76, compared with Regular Estimates, 1874-75.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Interest on funded and unfunded debt ...	2,814,523	2,917,000	2,875,500	...	41,500	3,045,200	+ 169,700
2.—Interest on service funds and other accounts ...	541,001	359,000	382,000	23,000	...	376,000	— 6,000
3.—Refunds and drawbacks ...	277,183	262,000	311,000	49,000	...	300,000	— 11,000
4.—Land revenue ...	2,482,803	2,509,400	2,470,100	...	39,300	2,477,700	+ 7,600
5.—Forest ...	384,540	440,000	427,200	...	12,800	402,800	— 24,400
6.—Excise on spirits and drugs	93,569	87,000	83,000	...	4,000	86,000	+ 3000
7.—Assessed taxes ...	2,165	...	...	...	...	...	...
8.—Customs ...	183,863	186,000	178,000	...	8,000	179,000	+ 1000
9.—Salt ...	477,967	490,000	478,900	...	11,100	498,000	+ 19,100
10.—Opium ...	2,001,277	2,115,000	2,349,700	234,700	...	2,300,000	— 49,700
11.—Stamps ...	65,927	70,500	66,400	...	4,100	74,000	+ 7,600
12.—Mint ...	70,620	82,000	112,600	30,600	...	73,600	— 39,000
13.—Post office ...	736,910	733,600	745,200	11,600	...	752,500	+ 7,300
14.—Telegraph ...	330,417	382,100	356,200	...	25,900	395,000	+ 38,800
15.—Administration ...	1,243,233	1,191,500	1,211,400	19,900	...	1,247,400	+ 36,000
16.—Minor departments ...	290,226	283,600	274,600	...	9,000	278,000	+ 3,400
17.—Law and justice ...	2,266,136	2,277,000	2,281,300	4,300	...	2,337,500	+ 56,200
18.—Marine ...	367,900	383,200	374,800	...	8,400	402,600	+ 27,800
19.—Ecclesiastical ...	157,577	158,100	158,600	500	...	160,100	+ 1,500
20.—Medical ...	180,596	180,200	187,200	7,000	...	180,200	— 7,000
21.—Political agencies ...	331,283	402,000	331,100	...	70,900	303,000	— 28,100
22.—Allowances and assignments under treaties and engagements ...	1,837,364	1,702,600	1,720,600	18,000	...	1,675,600	— 45,000
24.—Superannuation, retired, and compassionate allowances ...	662,598	700,000	691,000	...	9,000	695,500	+ 4,500
25.—Loss by exchange on transactions with London ...	986,530	746,000	869,000	123,000	...	1,390,000	+ 521,000
26.—Miscellaneous ...	59,803	44,800	98,800	54,000	...	43,800	— 55,000
27.—Allotments for provincial services ...	5,069,972	5,030,000	5,123,000	93,000	...	5,058,400	— 64,600
Famine relief ...	3,851,423	2,522,000	2,370,900	...	151,100	Nil	—2,370,900
TOTAL ...	27,767,406	26,254,600	26,528,100	273,500	...	24,731,900	—1,796,200
Army ...	11,872,941	11,869,700	11,870,300	600	...	11,930,400	+ 60,100
Public works, ordinary ...	2,229,386	2,421,200	2,429,700	8,500	...	2,570,200	+ 140,500
State railways ...	72,824	104,000	281,000	177,000	...	180,000	— 101,000
Land and supervision (guaranteed railways) ...	152,438	129,000	74,000	...	55,000	91,000	+ 17,000
	42,094,995	40,778,500	41,183,100	404,600	...	39,503,500	—1,679,600
Public works, extraordinary	2,542,642	3,420,000	2,897,400	...	522,600	3,600,200	+ 702,800
GRAND TOTAL ...	44,637,637	44,198,500	44,080,500	...	118,000	43,103,700	— 976,800

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

II

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE AT THE HOME

Estimates,

REVENUE.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget estimates, 1874-75.	Regular estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget estimates, 1875-76.	Budget estimates, 1875-76, compared with regular estimates, 1874-75.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
X.—Mint ...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...
XII.—Telegraph ...	4,213	10,800	13,500	2,700	...	21,600	+ 8,100
XIV.—Marine ...	1,224	...	81,300	81,300	...	...	— 81,300
XV.—Interest	69,882	15,000	79,000	64,000	...	20,000	— 59,000
XVI.—Receipts in aid of superannuation, retired and compassionate allowances	98,049	94,600	95,000	400	...	91,600	— 3,400
XVIII.—Miscellaneous ...	35,935	8,000	29,000	21,000	...	8,000	— 21,000
TOTAL ...	209,318	128,400	297,800	169,400	...	141,200	— 156,600
Army	26,421	20,000	29,000	9,000	...	27,000	— 2,000
Public works, ordinary ...	15,830	18,700	17,500	...	1,200	18,800	+ 1,300
GRAND TOTAL ...	251,569	167,100	344,300	177,200	...	187,000	— 157,300

Fort William;
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,
The 13th March 1875.

EDWARD GAY,
Deputy Comptroller General.

I.

TREASURY OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

1875-76.

EXPENDITURE.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget estimates, 1874-75.	Regular estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget estimates, 1875-76.	Budget estimates, 1875-76, compared with regular estimates 1874-75.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Interest on funded and unfunded debt ...	2,434,297	2,210,000	2,190,500	...	19,500	2,162,800	—27,700
3.—Refunds and Drawbacks...	15,662	...	14,000	14,000	...	...	—14,000
4.—Land revenue ...	3,472	3,600	5,900	2,300	...	2,300	—3,600
5.—Forest	5,959	3,000	5,800	2,800	...	2,200	—3,600
9.—Salt	278	...	100	100	...	...	—100
10.—Opium	3	...	300	300	...	...	—300
11.—Stamps	22,913	46,500	59,600	13,100	...	49,000	—10,600
12.—Mint	5,609	86,000	15,400	...	70,600	16,400	+1,000
13.—Post office	71,774	79,400	58,800	...	20,600	63,500	+4,700
14.—Telegraph	81,384	67,900	78,800	10,900	...	89,000	+10,200
15.—Administration ...	334,053	367,500	425,600	58,100	...	367,600	—58,000
16.—Minor departments ...	29,688	39,400	34,400	...	5,000	21,000	—13,400
17.—Law and justice ...	43	2,000	1,700	...	300	2,500	+800
18.—Marine	160,433	144,800	127,200	...	17,600	139,400	+12,200
19.—Ecclesiastical	1,950	900	1,400	500	...	900	—500
20.—Medical	...	6,800	6,800	...	...	6,800	...
21.—Political agencies ...	34,926	43,000	41,900	...	1,100	33,000	—8,900
22.—Allowances and assignments under treaties and engagements	19,336	19,400	19,400	...	...	19,400	...
23.—Civil, furlough and absentee allowances ...	260,556	277,000	221,000	...	56,000	221,000	...
24.—Superannuation, retired and compassionate allowances	860,506	1,118,000	1,148,000	30,000	...	1,167,500	+19,500
26.—Miscellaneous... ...	34,339	25,200	36,200	11,000	...	26,200	—10,000
27.—Allottments for Provincial Services	...	...	1,000	1,000	...	600	—400
Famine relief	13,250	58,000	71,100	13,100	...	Nil	—71,100
TOTAL ...	4,390,431	4,598,400	4,564,900	...	33,500	4,391,100	—173,800
Army	3,355,333	3,517,300	3,628,700	111,400	...	3,752,600	+123,900
Public works, ordinary ...	126,337	83,800	114,300	30,500	...	83,800	—30,500
Guaranteed interest less net traffic receipts	1,437,352	1,394,000	1,132,000	...	262,000	1,583,000	+451,000
	9,309,453	9,593,500	9,439,900	...	153,600	9,810,500	+370,600
Public works, extraordinary ...	1,010,665	1,143,000	1,137,600	...	5,400	699,800	—437,800
GRAND TOTAL ...	10,320,118	10,736,500	10,577,500	...	159,000	10,510,300	—67,200

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

I.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS AT THE TREASURIES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, IN INDIA AND IN ENGLAND.

RECEIPTS.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget Estimates, 1874-75.	Regular Estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76.	Estimates, 1875-76, compared with Regular Estimates, 1874-75.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I.—Opening balance ...	21,786,137	16,143,838	16,048,498	..	95,340	18,386,198	+2,337,700
II.—Imperial revenue ...	49,611,711	48,984,000	50,070,000	1,086,000	...	49,820,000	—250,000
III.—Traffic earnings of guaranteed railways	7,641,042	7,387,000	8,245,400	858,400	...	7,449,900	—795,500
IV.—Provincial revenue ...	6,624,496	6,130,200	12,532,800	2,508,000	...	10,832,700	—1,700,100
V.—Local revenue ...	4,159,661	3,171,600					
VI.—Municipal income ...	818,384	723,000					
VII.—Service funds, civil ...	891,828	479,500	507,000	27,500	...	494,000	—13,000
VIII.—Service funds, military	16	3,500	...	..	3,500	...	
IX.—Loans to native states corporations and individuals repaid ...	123,685	110,000	174,000	64,000	...	131,000	—43,000
X.—Savings banks deposits	1,177,352	900,000	821,000	...	79,000	826,000	+5,000
XI.—Other deposits received & advances recovered	12,122,026	8,500,000	13,879,700	5,379,700	...	9,690,700	—4,189,000
XII.—Local remittances ...	656,641	280,000	404,000	124,000	...	298,000	—106,000
XIII.—Inter-provincial and inter-departmental transactions ...	16,839,140	17,376,000	13,765,000	...	3,611,000	16,591,000	+2,826,000
XIV.—Remittance account with the home treasury ...	1,732,349	1,082,600	1,013,000		69,600	939,000	—74,000
XV.—Secretary of state's bills on India sold...	13,285,678	10,000,000	10,842,000	842,000		14,300,000	+3,458,000
XVI.—Sundry obligations incurred ...	489,405	533,000	514,000	...	19,000	502,000	—12,000
XVII.—Public debt incurred...	2,109,377	9,138,400	9,242,000	103,600		3,300,000	—5,942,000
XVIII.—Guaranteed railway capital received ...	2,924,829	2,153,200	2,081,300		71,900	2,147,900	+66,600
TOTAL ...	142,993,757	133,095,838	140,139,698	10,993,200	3,949,340	135,708,398	—4,431,300

V.

DISBURSEMENTS.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget Estimates, 1874-75.	Regular Estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76.	Estimates, 1875-76, compared with Regular Estimates, 1874-75.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Imperial expenditure ...	53,520,404	54,935,000	53,526,000	...	1,409,000	52,031,000	—1,495,000
2.—Working expenses of guaranteed railways ...	4,410,488	4,085,000	4,683,400	598,400	...	4,307,900	—375,500
3.—Interest on guaranteed railway capital supplied from surplus earnings...	4,667,905	3,302,000	4,694,000	1,392,000	...	4,725,000	+31,000
4.—Provincial expenditure ...	7,032,048	6,224,400	12,546,000	1,913,500	...	11,189,000	—1,357,000
5.—Local expenditure ...	4,247,210	3,627,100					
6.—Municipal expenditure ...	806,857	781,000					
7.—Service funds, civil ...	823,214	379,700	391,000	11,300	...	433,600	+42,600
8.—Service funds, military ...	366,488	361,800	365,200	3,400	...	313,000	—52,200
9.—Loans advanced to native states, corporations and individuals ...	580,849	610,000	1,027,200	417,200	...	500,000	—527,200
10.—Savings banks deposits withdrawn ...	918,658	900,000	761,000	...	139,000	744,000	—17,000
11.—Other deposits repaid and advances made ...	11,958,569	8,080,000	13,715,500	5,635,500	...	8,595,000	—5,120,500
12.—Local remittances ...	1,041,254	280,000	404,000	124,000	...	298,000	—106,000
13.—Inter-provincial and inter-departmental transactions ...	16,462,721	17,376,000	13,765,000	...	3,611,000	16,591,000	+2,826,000
14.—Remittance account with the home treasury ...	1,603,899	1,082,600	939,500	...	143,100	1,030,000	+90,500
15.—Secretary of state's bills on India paid ...	13,280,805	10,000,000	10,876,200	876,200	...	14,300,000	+3,423,800
16.—Sundry obligations discharged ...	286,528	269,600	294,300	24,700	...	308,700	+14,400
17.—Public debt discharged ...	2,145,455	638,400	747,100	108,700	...	464,000	—283,100
18.—Guaranteed railway capital withdrawn ...	2,791,907	3,621,900	3,018,100	...	603,800	2,781,600	—236,500
19.—Closing balance ...	16,048,498	16,541,338	18,386,198	1,844,860	...	17,096,598	—1,289,600
TOTAL ...	142,993,757	133,095,838	140,139,698	12,949,760	5,905,900	135,708,398	—4,431,300

Abstract of the above shewing how the ways and means are provided.

ACCOUNTS, 1873-74.

	£		£
Cash balance reduced ...	5,737,639	Deficit of imperial revenue ...	5,346,044
Service funds, civil ...	68,614	Deficit of provincial, local and municipal revenue	483,574
Savings banks deposits ...	258,694	Service funds, military ...	366,472
Deposits received and advances recovered ...	163,457	Loans to native states, corporations and individuals...	457,164
Sundry obligations ...	202,877	Public debt paid off ...	36,078
Remittances	125,129		
Guaranteed Railway capital received	132,922		
TOTAL ...	6,689,332	TOTAL ...	6,689,332

REGULAR ESTIMATES, 1874-75.

	£		£
Deficit of imperial revenue ...	4,588,000	Service funds, civil ...	116,000
Deficit of provincial, local and municipal revenue	13,200	Savings banks deposits ...	60,000
Service funds, military ...	365,200	Deposits received and advances recovered ...	164,200
Loans to native states, corporations and individuals	853,200	Sundry obligations ...	219,700
Guaranteed railway capital withdrawn ...	936,800	Remittances	39,300
Cash balance increased ...	2,337,700	Public debt incurred ...	8,494,900
TOTAL ...	9,094,100	TOTAL ...	9,094,100

BUDGET ESTIMATES, 1875-76.

	£		£
Service funds, civil ...	60,400	Deficit of imperial revenue ...	3,794,000
Deposits received and advances recovered ...	1,095,700	Deficit of provincial, local and municipal revenue ...	356,300
Sundry obligations ...	193,300	Service funds, military ...	313,000
Public debt incurred ...	2,836,000	Loans to native states, corporations and individuals	369,000
Savings bank deposits ...	82,000	Guaranteed railway capital withdrawn ...	633,700
Cash balance reduced ...	1,289,600	Remittances ...	91,000
TOTAL ...	5,557,000	TOTAL ...	5,557,000

FORT WILLIAM;
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,
The 13th March 1875.

EDWARD GAY,
Deputy Comptroller General.

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

V.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS AT THE INDIAN TREASURIES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

RECEIPTS.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget estimates, 1874-75.	Regular estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget estimates, 1875-76.	Estimates, 1875-76, compared with regular estimates, 1874-75.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I.—Opening balance ..	18,787,693	14,123,693	14,033,442	...	90,251	15,700,042	+1,666,600
II.—Imperial revenue ...	49,360,142	48,816,900	49,725,700	908,800	...	49,633,000	—92,700
III.—Traffic earnings of guaranteed railways	7,641,042	7,387,000	8,245,400	858,400	...	7,449,900	—795,500
IV.—Provincial revenue ..	6,624,496	6,130,200	12,532,800	2,508,000	...	10,832,700	—1,700,100
V.—Local revenue ...	4,159,661	3,171,600					
VI.—Municipal income ...	818,384	723,000					
VII.—Service funds, civil ...	891,828	479,500	507,000	27,500	...	494,000	—13,000
VIII.—Service funds, military	16	3,500	...	...	3,500	...	...
IX.—Loans to native states corporations and individuals re-paid ...	123,685	110,000	174,000	64,000	...	131,000	—43,000
X.—Savings banks deposits	1,177,352	900,000	821,000	...	79,000	826,000	+5,000
XI.—Other deposits received & advances recovered	12,116,434	8,197,000	13,870,500	5,373,500	...	9,687,700	—4,182,800
XII.—Local remittances ...	656,641	280,000	404,000	124,000	...	298,000	—106,000
XIII.—Inter-provincial and inter-departmental transactions ...	16,839,140	17,376,000	13,765,000	...	3,611,000	16,591,000	+2,826,000
XIV.—Remittance account with the home treasury ...	1,505,934	1,019,600	876,000	...	143,600	844,000	—32,000
XV.—Secretary of state's bills on India sold ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
XVI.—Sundry obligations incurred ...	489,405	533,000	514,000	...	19,000	502,000	—12,000
XVII.—Public debt incurred	1,985,377	4,138,400	4,171,000	32,600	...	3,300,000	—871,000
XVIII.—Guaranteed railway capital received ...	1,596,993	1,319,600	1,350,100	30,500	...	1,227,600	—122,500
TOTAL ...	123,874,223	115,008,993	120,989,942	9,927,300	3,946,351	117,516,942	—3,473,000

DISBURSEMENTS.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget estimates, 1874-75.	Regular estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget estimates, 1875-76.	Estimates, 1875-76, compared with regular estimates, 1874-75.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Imperial expenditure ...	44,637,637	44,198,500	44,080,500	...	118,000	43,103,700	—976,800
2.—Working expenses of guaranteed railways ...	4,410,488	4,085,000	4,683,400	598,400	...	4,307,900	—375,500
3.—Interest on guaranteed railway capital supplied from surplus earnings ...	36,375	36,000	34,600	...	1,400	35,000	+400
4.—Provincial expenditure ..	7,032,048	6,224,400	12,546,000	1,913,500	...	11,189,000	—1,357,000
5.—Local expenditure ...	4,247,210	3,627,100					
6.—Municipal expenditure ...	806,857	781,000					
7.—Service funds, civil ...	823,214	379,700	391,000	11,300	...	433,600	+42,600
8.—Service funds, military ...	366,488	361,800	365,200	3,400	...	313,000	—52,200
9.—Loans advanced to native states, corporations and individuals ...	580,849	610,000	1,027,200	417,200	...	500,000	—527,200
10.—Savings banks deposits withdrawn ...	918,658	900,000	761,000	...	139,000	744,000	—17,000
11.—Other deposits repaid and advances made ...	11,953,337	8,077,000	13,714,100	5,637,100	...	8,592,000	—5,122,100
12.—Local remittances ...	1,041,254	280,000	404,000	124,000	...	298,000	—106,000
13.—Inter-provincial and inter-departmental transactions ...	16,462,721	17,376,000	13,765,000	...	3,611,000	16,591,000	+2,826,000
14.—Remittance account with the home treasury ...	308,233	139,400	152,500	13,100	...	134,500	—18,000
15.—Secretary of state's bills on India paid ...	13,280,805	10,000,000	10,876,200	876,200	...	14,300,000	+3,423,800
16.—Sundry obligations discharged ...	286,528	269,600	294,300	24,700	...	308,700	+14,400
17.—Public debt discharged ...	1,126,455	638,400	746,100	107,700	...	464,000	—282,100
18.—Guaranteed railway capital withdrawn ...	1,521,624	1,752,500	1,448,800	...	303,700	1,234,900	—213,900
19.—Closing balance ...	14,033,442	15,272,593	15,700,042	427,449	...	14,967,642	—732,400
TOTAL ...	123,874,223	115,008,993	120,989,942	10,154,049	4,173,100	117,516,942	—3,473,000

Abstract of the above showing how the ways and means are provided

ACCOUNTS, 1873-74.

	£		£
Cash balance reduced ...	4,754,251	Deficit of provincial, local and municipal revenue	483,574
Imperial revenue ...	4,686,130	Service funds, military ...	366,472
Guaranteed railways traffic earnings ...	3,230,554	Loans to native states corporations and individuals	457,164
Deposits received and advances recovered ...	163,097	Secretary of state's bills paid	13,280,805
Service funds, civil ...	68,614	Public debt paid off ...	41,078
Savings banks deposits ...	258,694		
Remittances ...	1,189,507		
Sundry obligations ...	202,877		
Guaranteed railway capital received ...	75,369		
TOTAL ...	14,629,093	TOTAL ...	14,629,093

REGULAR ESTIMATES, 1874-75.

	£		£
Imperial revenue ...	5,610,600	Deficit of provincial, local and municipal revenue	13,200
Guaranteed railways traffic earnings ...	3,562,000	Service funds, military ...	365,200
Service funds, civil ...	116,000	Loans to native states, corporations and individuals	853,200
Savings banks deposits ...	60,000	Secretary of state's bills paid ...	10,876,200
Deposits received and advances recovered ...	156,400	Cash balance increased ...	1,666,600
Sundry obligations ...	219,700	Guaranteed railway capital withdrawn ...	98,700
Remittances ...	723,500		
Public debt incurred ...	3,424,900		
TOTAL ...	13,873,100	TOTAL ...	13,873,100

BUDGET ESTIMATES, 1875-76.

	£		£
Cash balance reduced ...	732,400	Deficit of provincial, local and municipal revenue	356,300
Imperial revenue ...	6,494,300	Service funds, military ...	313,000
Guaranteed railways traffic earnings ...	3,142,000	Loans to native states, corporations and individuals	369,000
Service funds, civil ...	60,400	Secretary of state's bills paid ...	14,300,000
Savings banks deposits ...	82,000	Guaranteed railway capital withdrawn ...	7,300
Deposits received and advances recovered ...	1,095,700		
Remittances ...	709,500		
Sundry obligations ...	193,300		
Public debt incurred ...	2,836,000		
TOTAL ...	15,345,600	TOTAL ...	15,345,600

FORT WILLIAM;
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,
The 13th March 1875.

EDWARD GAY,
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R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

V.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS AT THE TREASURY OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA IN ENGLAND.

RECEIPTS.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget Estimates, 1874-75.	Regular Estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76.	Estimates, 1875-76, compared with Regular Estimates, 1874-75.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
I.—Opening balance ...	2,998,144	2,020,145	2,015,056		5,089	2,686,156	+ 671,100
II.—Imperial revenue ...	251,569	167,100	344,300	177,200		187,000	— 157,300
III.—Traffic earnings of guaranteed railways	...	...					
IV.—Provincial revenue ...	...	...					
V.—Local revenue ...	...	...					
VI.—Municipal income ...	...	...					
VII.—Service funds, civil ...	...	...					
VIII.—Service funds, military	...	...					
IX.—Loans to native states, corporations and individuals repaid ...	...	...					
X.—Savings banks deposits	...	...					
XI.—Other deposits received and advances recovered ...	5,592	3,000	9,200	6,200		3,000	— 6,200
XII.—Local remittances ...	...	...					
XIII.—Inter-provincial and inter-departmental transactions ...	...	...					
XIV.—Remittance account with the home treasury	226,415	63,000	137,000	74,000		95,000	— 42,000
XV.—Secretary of state's bills on India sold...	13,285,678	10,000,000	10,842,000	842,000		14,300,000	+ 3,458,000
XVI.—Sundry obligations incurred ...	...	...					
XVII.—Public debt incurred	1,024,000	5,000,000	5,071,000	71,000			— 5,071,000
XVIII.—Guaranteed railway capital received ...	1,327,836	833,600	731,200		102,400	920,300	+ 189,100
TOTAL ...	19,119,534	18,086,845	19,149,756	1,170,400	107,489	18,191,456	— 958,300

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DISBURSEMENTS.	Accounts, 1873-74.	Budget Estimates, 1874-75.	Regular Estimates, 1874-75.	Increase.	Decrease.	Budget Estimates, 1875-76.	Estimates, 1875-76, compared with Regular Estimates, 1874-75.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Imperial expenditure ...	8,882,767	10,736,500	9,445,500	...	1,291,000	8,927,300	— 518,200
2.—Working expenses of guaranteed railways ...		...					
3.—Interest on guaranteed railway capital supplied from surplus earnings	4,631,530	3,266,000	4,659,400	1,393,400	...	4,690,000	+ 30,600
4.—Provincial expenditure ...							
5.—Local expenditure ...							
6.—Municipal expenditure ...							
7.—Service funds, civil ...							
8.—Service funds, military ...							
9.—Loans advanced to native states, corporations and individuals ...							
10.—Savings banks deposits withdrawn ...							
11.—Other deposits repaid and advances made ...	5,232	3,000	1,400	...	1,600	3,000	+ 1,600
12.—Local remittances ...							
13.—Inter-provincial and inter-departmental transactions ...							
14.—Remittance account with the home treasury ...	1,295,666	943,200	787,000	...	156,200	895,500	+ 108,500
15.—Secretary of state's bills on India paid ...							
16.—Sundry obligations discharged ...							
17.—Public debt discharged ...	1,019,000		1,000	1,000	...		— 1,000
18.—Guaranteed railway capital withdrawn ...	1,270,283	1,869,400	1,569,300	...	300,100	1,546,700	— 22,600
19.—Closing balance ...	2,015,056	1,268,745	2,686,156	1,417,411	...	2,128,956	— 557,200
TOTAL ...	19,119,534	18,086,845	19,149,756	2,811,811	1,748,900	18,191,456	— 958,300

Abstract of the above showing how the ways and means are provided.

ACCOUNTS, 1873-74.				REGULAR ESTIMATES, 1874-75.			
	£		£		£		£
Secretary of state's bills sold ...	13,285,678	Excess of imperial expenditure over revenue ...	8,631,198	Excess of imperial expenditure over revenue ...	9,101,200	Deposits received and advances recovered ...	7,800
Cash balance reduced ...	983,388	Interest on guaranteed railway capital ...	4,631,530	Interest on guaranteed railway capital ...	4,659,400	Secretary of state's bills sold ...	10,842,000
Deposits received and advances recovered ...	360	Remittances ...	1,069,251	Remittances ...	650,000	Public debt incurred ...	5,070,000
Public debt incurred ...	5,000			Guaranteed railway capital withdrawn ...	838,100		
Guaranteed railway capital received ...	57,553			Cash balance increased ...	671,100		
TOTAL ...	14,331,979	TOTAL ...	14,331,979	TOTAL ...	15,919,800	TOTAL ...	15,919,800

BUDGET ESTIMATES, 1875-76.			
	£		£
Cash balance reduced ...	557,200	Excess of imperial expenditure over revenue ...	8,740,300
Secretary of state's bills sold ...	14,300,000	Interest on guaranteed railway capital ...	4,690,000
		Remittances ...	800,500
		Guaranteed railway capital withdrawn ...	626,400
TOTAL ...	14,857,200	TOTAL ...	14,857,200

Fort William;
Financial Department,
The 13th March 1875.

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TELEGRAPHIC ABSTRACT.

Financial statement by the Hon'ble Sir William Muir, K. C. S. I., published this day.

Accounts of 1873-74: Revenue, £49,611,711; ordinary expenditure, £51,404,448, of which £3,864,673 for famine relief; public works extraordinary, £3,553,307; total £54,957,755. Surplus excluding extraordinary and famine relief, £2,071,936. Deficit excluding extraordinary, £1,792,737. Deficit including extraordinary, £5,346,044.

Regular Estimates of 1874-75: Revenue £50,070,000; ordinary expenditure, £50,623,000, of which £2,442,000 for famine relief; public works extraordinary, £4,035,000; total £54,658,000. Surplus excluding extraordinary and famine relief £1,889,000. Deficit excluding extraordinary, £553,000. Deficit including extraordinary, £4,588,000.

Budget estimates of 1875-76: Revenue £49,820,000; ordinary expenditure, £49,314,000; public works extraordinary, £4,300,000; total, £53,614,000. Surplus excluding extraordinary, £506,000. Deficit including extraordinary, £3,794,000.

Loans to be raised in 1875-76, £2,860,000, of which £360,000 from Sindhia and Holkar for railways. Remaining two and half millions by loan in India, terms to be advertised hereafter. No borrowing in England.

No fresh taxation in 1875-76.

Estimated cash balances in India at end of 1874-75, £15,700,042, at end of 1875-76, £14,967,642.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,
13*th March* 1875.

N. B.—This Abstract has been telegraphed to the Secretary of State in London.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

Fort William, the 15th March 1875.

No. 521.—Under the provisions of Section 9 of Statute 24 and 25 Vic., Cap. 67, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that His Excellency's Council shall assemble at Delhi, in the jurisdiction of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 18th March 1875.

No. 264.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. A. Phillips, Barrister-at-Law, to officiate as Standing Counsel for the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal during the absence of Mr. J. Pitt Kennedy, or until further orders.

No. 266.—The Honourable C. Pontifex, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, has obtained privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 24th June 1875, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 269.—Sir George Couper, Bart., C. B., C. S., Chief Commissioner of Oudh, availed himself, on the afternoon of the 10th instant, of the leave granted him in Notification No. 123, dated the 9th ultimo, and reported his departure per Steamer *Indus* on the 15th instant.

No. 271.—APPOINTMENT.—The Hon'ble John Forbes David Inglis, C. S. I., to officiate as Chief Commissioner of Oudh during the absence of Sir G. Couper, or until further orders.

Mr. Inglis received charge of the Chief Commissionership on the forenoon of the 15th instant.

The 19th March 1875.

No. 275.—APPOINTMENTS.—Captain C. T. Lane, District Superintendent of Police of the 1st Grade, in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, to officiate as Inspector General of Police, *vice* Lieutenant Colonel A. H. Millett, with effect from the 5th December last.

Mr. F. Wright, District Superintendent of the 2nd Grade, to officiate as District Superintendent of the 1st Grade from the same date.

Major C. Jameson, District Superintendent of the 3rd Grade, to officiate as District Superintendent of the 2nd Grade from the same date.

Mr. E. Moffatt, Assistant Superintendent, to officiate as District Superintendent of the 3rd Grade, with effect from the afternoon of the 31st December last—the date on which he assumed charge of the Buldána District Police.

No. 279.—APPOINTMENTS.—Captain J. Johnstone, Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, in Assam, to be Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Grade, *vice* Captain Peett.

Mr. A. E. Heath, Extra Assistant Commissioner in the Punjab, to be Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade in Assam, *vice* Captain Johnstone, promoted.

Mr. G. E. McLeod, Extra Assistant Commissioner in Oudh, to be Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade in Assam, *vice* Lieutenant Holcombe, deceased.

No. 283.—In modification of Notification No. 224, dated the 10th instant, the furlough granted to the Hon'ble F. B. Kemp, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, will have effect from the 13th April next, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

JUDICIAL.

The 18th March 1875.

No. 397.—The services of Mr. F. R. Cockerell, C. S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from this date.

No. 398.—The services of Babu Hem Chunder Ker, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from this date.

EDUCATION.

The 18th March 1875.

No. 64.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Arthur Hobhouse, Q. C., to be Vice Chancellor of the University of Calcutta, in succession to the Hon'ble E. C. Bayley, C. S. I.

POLICE.

The 17th March 1875.

No. 58.—The provisions of Act VIII of 1870 (for the prevention of the murder of female infants) having been made applicable to the classes and districts specified in the schedule attached hereto, by the Notifications as recorded opposite those classes and districts, the following Rules made by the Local Government of the North-Western Provinces, for the said classes and districts, in exercise of the power conferred on it by Section 2 of the said Act, and confirmed by the Governor General in Council, are hereby published for general information:—

Rules for the suppression of Female Infanticide.

I.—A nominal Register (A) of all proclaimed families shall be drawn up by the Police under the orders of the Magistrate of the district. In this register recognized heads of families or masters of separate households shall be entered as the heads of families, and every member of the family habitually resident in the village shall be entered by name. All persons under twelve shall be entered as children, except married female children living with their husbands, who shall, for the purposes of these Rules, be deemed to be adult females.

II.—All villages in which the proportion of female children to children on a proclaimed population of not less than 25 children, is less than 25 per cent., shall be called "specially guilty" villages, and shall also be entered in a separate Register (B), which shall be called the "Private register of proclaimed families in specially guilty villages." This register shall not be open to inspection except by the officers of the district.

III.—The person who is registered as the head of a proclaimed family shall report immediately the occurrence of every birth and death, and the illness of any female child in his family, to the chaukidar of the village. He shall also produce all children in his family for the inspection of a Police Officer visiting the village when required to produce them.

IV.—Every midwife knowing of, or having reason to believe in, the occurrence in a proclaimed family in the village in which she resides of a birth, or of the illness of a new-born child, shall at once report the fact to the chaukidar of the village. And if the village is one entered in Register B, she shall also report the occurrence of a pregnancy.

V.—If in a given time after proclamation [to be determined for each village or locality by the Local Government] the proportion of female children in a village entered in Register B does not rise to more than 25 per cent., the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that every person registered as the head of a proclaimed family in that village shall be personally bound to report to the officer in charge of the Police Station every pregnancy in his family at some period before the seventh month.

VI.—The chaukidar of the village shall immediately report to the officer in charge of the Police Station the occurrence of a birth, whether male or female, in a proclaimed family; the death of a female infant under six months old; the illness of a female child; and the removal of a pregnant woman to another village. He shall also report, in the occasion of his periodical visit to the Police Station, other deaths, removals, and arrivals; and pregnancies reported to him if the village is entered in Register B.

VII.—The zemindars of the villages shall give assistance to the Police in drawing up Register A, and in obtaining information regarding all births, marriages, and deaths occurring, or about to occur, among proclaimed families.

VIII.—All expenses incurred in working the system sanctioned by Act VIII of 1870 shall be borne by the proclaimed clans and families, and shall be recoverable as arrears of land revenue; provided that, when the percentage of female children to children of any proclaimed class in any village exceeds forty, such class shall be exempted from any share in such expenses, unless in the opinion of the Magistrate there be other grounds of suspicion.

IX.—Where the crime is so prevalent, and the number of the proclaimed villages so great, that the ordinary establishment of the district cannot cope successfully with it, the Local Government may, at its discretion, appoint a force of special Police for the purpose of carrying out measures of prevention and detection. All expenses incurred for the payment of such Police, or under Rule VIII, may be met by a rate leviable, under the orders of the Local Government, from the heads of families entered in the nominal register of proclaimed persons. Such rate will ordinarily be imposed so as to fall more heavily on specially guilty than on guilty families; but the amount of the rate to be levied will be fixed in every case by the special orders of the Local Government.

X.—No proclaimed village or family shall be exempted from the operation of these Rules, except by the order of the Local Government, or in virtue of authority to that effect vested by Government in any officer. A village or family so exempted will then be struck out of Register A., and the erasure initialled by the Magistrate of the District, or by the District Superintendent of Police.

Schedule of District and Clans.

District.	Pargana or Tahsil.	Clan.	Notification of Local Government.
SAHARANPUR.	Saharanpur ...	Gujars ...	No. 20A, dated 6th July 1871—*vide* page 838 of *Gazette* of 12th July 1871.
	Deoband ...		
	Roorkee ...		
	Nakur ...		
	Saharanpur ...	Purir Rajputs...	
	Roorkee ...		
	Nakur ...		
	Deoband ...		
	Saharanpur ...	Rajputs ...	
	Deoband ...		
	Nakur ...		
	Roorkee ...	Jats ...	No. 49A, dated 4th August 1871—*vide* page 961 of *Gazette* of 9th August 1871.
	Nakur ...		
	Deoband ...	Tagas and Kolis	
	Haraura ...	Kolis ...	No. 373A, dated 30th December 1873—*vide* page 2 of the *Gazette* of 3rd January 1874.
	Bhagwanpur ...		
	Faizabad ...	Tagas ...	
	Saharanpur ...		
	Haraura ...		
	Bhagwanpur ...		
	Manglaur ...		
	Haraura ...	Gujars ...	No. 264A, dated 24th August 1874—*vide* page 1514 of *Gazette* of 29th August 1874.
	Bhagwanpur ...		
	Manglaur ...		
	Ditto ...	Ditto Muhammadan.	
	Gangoh ...		
	Ditto ...	Ditto Hindu ...	
	Roorkee ...	Ditto ...	
	Haraura ...	Ahir ...	

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District.	Pargana or Tahsil.	Clan.	Notification of Local Government.
MUZAFFARNAGAR.	Khatauli ...	Kachwaha ...	No. 25, dated 20th June 1873,—*vide* page 757 of *Gazette* of 21st June 1873.
	Budhana ...	Jutianas ...	
	Kandhla		
	Thana Bhawan ...	Pundirs ...	
	Charthawal ...		
	Baghra ...		
	Charthawal ...	Chauhans ...	
	Khatauli ...		
	Shikarpur ...	Tagas ...	
	Bhukarheri ...		
	Mazaffarnagar ...		
	Baghra ...		
	Pur Chapar ...		
	Charthawal ...		
	Shikarpur ..	Jats ...	
	Jauli Jansath ...		
	Bhukharheri ...		
	Khatauli ...		
	Baghra ...		
	Charthawal ...		
	Bidauli ...		
	Shamli ...		
	Jauli Jansath ...	Gujars ...	
	Bhuma Sambalhera.		
	Khatauli ...		
	Muzaffarnagar ...		
	Pur Chapar ...		
	Gordhanpur ...		
	Bidauli ...		
	Jhanjhana ...		
	Kairana ...		
	Shamli ...		
	Charthawal ...	Pundir Rajputs	No. 147 A., dated 4th June 1874,—*vide* page 1149 of *Gazette* of 13th June 1874.
MEERUT.	Hapur ...	Jats ...	No. 369 A., dated 14th March 1871,—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
BULANDSHAHR.	Agota ...	Jats ...	No. 190 A., dated 26th June 1874,—*vide* page 1243 of *Gazette* of 4th July 1874.
	Sikandarabad ...		
	Dadri ...		
	Ditto ...		
	Dankaur ...	Gujars ...	
	Agota ...		
	Dibai ...		
	Siyana ...	Chauhans ...	
	Ahar ...	Bargujars ...	
	Jewar ...	Ponwars ...	
	Agota ...	Gahlots ...	
	Ditto ...	Tomras ...	
	Baran ...		
	Jewar ...	Jaranlia ...	
	Ditto ...	Narbans ...	
	Siyana ...	Jats ...	
	Agota ...		
	Baran ...		
	Anupshahr ...		
	Ahar ...		
	Shikarpur ...		
	Dadri ...		
	Khurja ...		
	Jewar ...		
	Dibai ...		
	Ahar ...		
	Barau ...	Rajputs ...	No. 369 A., dated 14th March 1871,—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
	Dadri ...		
	Khurja ...		
	Dadri ...	Gujars ...	
	Sikandarabad ...		
	Dankaur ...		
	Ahar ...		
	Dibai ...	Minhs ...	
	Jewar ...		
	Pahasu ...		
	Dehai ...	Ahirs ...	
	Pahasu ...		
	Khurja ...	Jadons ...	
ALIGARH.	Throughout the district ...	Rajputs ...	No. 63 A., dated 19th August, 1871—*vide* page 1017 of *Gazette* of 23rd August 1871.
	Koil ...	Gahlots ...	No. 63A., dated 16th March 1874—*vide* page 699 of *Gazette* of 21st March 1874.
	Baranli ...	Chauhans ...	
	Gangari ...	Bargujars ...	
	Sikandra Rao ...	Solankis ...	
	Gangari ...	Jats ...	
	Morthal ...		
	Tappal ...		
	Sikandra Rao ...	Ahirs ...	
	Gangari ...	Ditto ...	
	Tappal ...	Gujar ...	
MUTTRA.	Jalesar ...	Ahirs ...	No. 369A., dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
	Ditto ...	Rajputs ...	
AGRA.	Bah Panahat ...	Rajputs ...	Ditto ditto ditto.
	Fatehabad ...		
	Iradatnagar ...		
	Khairagarh ...		
	Firozabad ...	Ahirs and Chauhans.	
	Fathpur Sikri ...	Moris ...	No. 158A., dated 9th June 1874,—*vide* page 1175 of *Gazette* of 20th June 1874.
	Farah ...	Tonwars ...	
	Fatehabad ...		
	Khairagarh ...		
	Farah ...	Jadons ...	
	Firozabad ...		
	Sudder Tehsil ...	Shikarwars ...	
	Itimadpur ...		

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District.	Pargana or Tahsil.	Clan.	Notification of Local Government.
AGRA—*continued.*	Itimadpur ...	Chauhans ...	No. 158A., dated 9th June 1874,—*vide* page 1175 of *Gazette* of 20th June 1874.
	Ditto ...	Solanki ...	
	Panahat ...	Bhadoria Uthbaras.	
	Ditto ...	Bhadoria Kalbaras.	
	Ditto ...	Bhadoria Chandarseni.	
	Fatehabad ...	Kankars ...	
	Ditto ...	Julochias ...	
	Ditto ...	Dhakras ...	
	Iradatnagar ...	Jhanjars ...	
	Ditto ...	Barasiri ...	
	Ditto ...	Parihars ...	
	Ditto ...	Nihrdenias ...	
	Khairagarh ...	Ponwars ...	
	Firozabad ...	Ahir (Dhande)	
	Ditto ...	Do. (Rawat) ...	
	Ditto ...	Do. (Gundawa)	
	Fatehabad ...	Do. (Bararna)	
FARUKHABAD.	Throughout the District.	Chauhans ...	No. 369A., dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
		Rahtors ...	
		Kachwahas ...	
		Bhadarias ...	
		Solankis ...	
		Chandels ...	
		Baghelas ...	
		Gaurs ...	
		Ponwars ...	
		Jaiswars ...	
		Katyars ...	
	In every Pargana, except Pargana, Shamsabad, Tahsil Kaimganj.	Gahalwars ...	
	Throughout the District.	Bamtelas ...	
		Baises ...	
		Nikumbs ...	
		Bachlas ...	
		Parihars ...	
		Katyars ...	
		Sengars ...	
	Throughout the District.	Gahlots ...	
		Raghobansis ...	
		Sombansis ...	
	Kampil ...	Sanorias ...	
	Throughout the District.	Chamar Gaurs ...	
		Gabarwars ...	
		Sakarwars ...	
		Ojainas ...	
	Muhammadabad	Nandbansis ...	No. 254A., dated 2nd September 1873—*vide* page 1158 of *Gazette* of 6th September 1873.
	Shamsabad, E. ...	Ditto ...	
	Bhojpur ...		
	Shamsabad, E. ...	Ghosis ...	
	Shamsabad, W....		
	Talgram ...		
	Chibramau ...		
	Tirwa Thatia ...		
	Shamsabad, W.	Bhurgadhis ...	
	Imratpur ...		
	Shamsabad W....	Ghurchartis ...	
	Ditto E. ...		
	Shamsabad, W....	Batauhas ...	
MAINPURI.	Throughout the District.	Chauhans, Rajputs and Phatak Ahirs.	No. 369A., dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
	Karhal ...	Bhadorias ...	
		Tomars ...	
		Sengars ...	
		Gaurs ...	
		Ahir Kamarias..	
		Ahir Ghosis ..	
	Barnahal ...	Tonks, Tomars, Bhadorias.	
		Baises ...	
		Rathors ...	
		Ahir Kamarias..	
		Ahir Ghosis ...	
	Mustafabad ...	Bargujars ...	
		Dhakras ...	
		Ahir Ghosis ...	
		Ahir Kamarias..	
		Kankass ...	
		Jadons ...	
	Shikohabad ...	Bhadorias ...	No. 33, dated 20th August 1873—*vide* page 1043 of *Gazette* of 23rd August 1873.
		Dhakras ...	
		Bargujars ...	
		Rathors ...	
		Baises ...	
		Gaurs ...	
		Ahir Ghosis ...	
		Ahir Kamarias	
	Bhongaon ...	Gaurs ...	
		Baises ...	
		Tonwars ...	
		Ahir Ghosis ...	
	Alipur Patti ...	Kachwahas ...	
		Ahir Ghosis ...	
	Bewar ...	Baises ...	
		Ahir Ghosis ...	
	Kishni Nabiganj	Rathors ...	
		Tomars ...	
		Gaurs ...	
		Sengars ...	
		Ahir Ghosis ...	
	Ghiror ...	Tonks ...	
		Sikarwars ...	
		Ahir Ghosis ...	
	Kuraoli ...	Jadons ...	
		Ahir Ghosis ...	
	Mainpuri ...	Bhadorias ...	
		Kachwahas ...	
		Parihars ...	
		Ahir Ghosis ...	

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ETAWAH.	Throughout the District.	Rajputs ...	No. 83A., dated 28th August 1871—*vide* page 1078 of *Gazette* of 6th September 1871.
ETAH.	Azamnagar ...	Rathors ...	No. 617A., dated 18th April 1871—*vide* page 478 of *Gazette* of 26th April 1871.
	Senhar ...		
	Sirhpura ...		
	Sahawar ...	Solankis ...	
	Karsana ...		
	Faizpur Badaria		
	Soron ...		
	Nidhpur ...		
	Ulai ...		
	Azamnagar ...	Chauhans ...	
	Barna ...		
	Etah ...		
	Sakit ...		
	Marehra ...		
	Karsana ...		
	Sirhpura ...		
	Azamnagar ...	Kachwahas ...	
	Ditto ...	Katihas ...	
	Nidhpur ...	Ditto ...	
	Ditto ...	Gaurs ...	
	Patiali ...	Gaurs ...	
	Nidhpur ...	Dhakuris ...	
	Azamnagar ...	Katyars ...	
	Bilram ...	Purirs ...	
	Marehra ...	Jadons ...	
	Nidhpur ...	Raghobansis ...	No. 881A., dated 31st May 1871—*vide* page 714 of *Gazette* of 7th June 1871.
	Bilram ...	Gaurahas ...	
	Patiali ...	Chauhans ...	No. 137A., dated 22nd November 1871—*vide* page 1346 of *Gazette* of 25th November 1871.
	Etah Sakit ...	Ahirs—Stock Ghosi.	No. 239A, dated 5th August 1874—*vide* page 1438 of *Gazette* of 15th August 1874.
	Sanhar ...		
	Marehra ...		
	Azamnagar ...		
	Barna ...		
	Patiali ...		
	Nidhpur ...		
	Sahawar ...		
	Sirhpura ...		
	Faizpur Badaria		
	Bilram ...		
	Etah Sakit ...	Ahirs—Stock Kamarias	
	Marehra ...		
	Azamnagar ...		
	Soron ...		
	Bilram ...		
BIJNOR.	Throughout the District.	Jats ...	No. 110A, dated 26th September 1871—*vide* page 1477 of *Gazette* of 7th October 1871.
MORADABAD.	Ditto ...	Rajputs and Jats.	Ditto ditto ditto.
	Sambhal ...	Ahars ...	No. 279A, dated 7th September 1874—*vide* page 1614 of *Gazette* of 19th September 1874.
BUDAUN.	Salimpur ...	Gaurs ...	No. 8A, dated 14th January 1874—*vide* page 290 of *Gazette* of 24th January 1874.
	Ujhani ...		
	Budaun ...		
	Bisauli ...		
	Salimpur ...	Chauhans ...	
	Usehat ...		
	Budaun ...		
	Ditto ...	Tonwars ...	
	Ujhani ...		
	Salimpur ...	Chandelas ...	
	Ujhani ...	Bachals ...	
	Kot ...		
	Bisauli ...	Katarias ...	
	Satasi ...		
	Ditto ...	Rathors ...	
	Kot ...		
	Usehat ...	Baises ...	
	Salimpur ...	Ahars ...	
	Rajpura ...		
	Sahaswan ...		
	Kot ...		
	Asadpur ...		
	Usehat ...		
	Ujhani ...		
	Satasi ...		
	Bisauli ...		No. 296A, dated 17th September 1874—*vide* page 1644 of *Gazette* of 26th September 1874.
	Rajpura ...		
	Asadpar ...		
	Sahaswan ...		
	Ujhani ...		
	Budaun ...		
BAREILLY.	Throughout the District.	Rajputs ...	No. 369A, dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
SHAHJAHANPUR.	Jalalabad ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ditto ditto.
	Khutar ...		
	Throughout the District.	Ditto ...	No. 66A, dated 21st August 1871—*vide* page 1044 of *Gazette* of 30th August 1871.

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District.	Pargana or Tahsil.	Clan.	Notification of Local Government.
CAWNPORE.	Jajmau ...	Rajputs ...	No. 369A, dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
	Rasulabad ...		
	Bhognipur ...		
	Bilhaur ...		
	Ghatampur ...		
	Sarh Salimpur ...		
	Derapur ...		
	Shiurajpur ...		
	Akbarpur ...		
FATEHPUR.	Tahsil Fatehpur	Baises ...	No. 369A, dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
		Kachwahas ...	
		Sengars ...	
		Gaharwars ...	
		Tonwars ...	
		Ponwars ...	
		Parihars ...	
		Chauhans ...	
		Gautams ...	
	Tahsil Ghazipur	Kachwahas ...	
		Dikhits ...	
		Sengars ...	
		Rawats ...	
	Tahsil Bindki ...	Bhadorias ...	No. 369A, dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
		Chandels ...	
		Sombans ...	
		Gaurs ...	
		Tonwars ...	
		Gautams ...	
	Tahsil Khaga ...	Tonwars ...	
		Bisens ...	
		Dikhits ...	
		Baises ...	
		Gautams ...	
		Chandels ...	
		Baises ...	
	Tahsil Kora ...	Kachwahas ...	
		Gaurs ...	
		Parihars ...	
		Chauhans ...	
BANDA.	Throughout the District.	Rajputs ...	No. 149A, dated 13th December 1871—*vide* page 1425 of *Gazette* of 23rd December 1871.
	Banda ...	Rajputs ...	No. 369A, dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
	Darsenda ...		
	Pailani ...		
	Augasi ...		
	Badausa ...		
	Chibu ...		
	Sihonda ...		
	Tarhawan ...		
	Banda ...	Baises ...	No. 30, dated 31st July 1873—*vide* page 937 of *Gazette* of 2nd August 1873.
	Pailani ...	Ponwars ...	
		Kachwahas ...	
	Darsenda ...	Parihars ...	
	Chibu ...	Dikhits ...	
	Tarhawan ...	Chitkers ...	
	Banda ...	Baises ...	
	Pailani ...		
	Sihonda ...		
	Badausa ...		
	Augasi ...		
	Darsenda ...	Ponwars ...	No. 339A., dated 30th October 1874—*vide* page 1860 of *Gazette* of 7th November 1874.
	Sihonda ...	Chandels ...	
		Tomars ...	
	Augasi ...	Dikhits ...	
ALLAHABAD.	Barah ...	Rajputs ...	No. 369A., dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871
	Atharban ...		
	Jhusi ...	Sombansis ...	
	Kiwai ...		
	Khairagarh ...		
	Sikandra ...	Monas ...	
	Jhusi ...		
	Mah ...		
	Kiwai ...		
	Khairagarh ...		
	Jhusi ...	Bachgotis ...	No. 26, dated 20th June 1873—*vide* page 758 of *Gazette* of 21st June 1873.
	Mah ...		
	Khairagarh ...	Kasrayas ...	
	Arail ...	Tiseas ...	
	Ditto ...	Tondels ...	
	Jhusi ...	Baises ...	
	Kanari ...		
	Allahabad ...		
	Atharban ...	Tonwars ...	
HAMIRPUR.	Rath ...	Parihars ...	
	Sumerpur ...	Gaharwars ...	
	Rath ...	Sombansis ...	
	Sumerpur and Mandha.	Chandels ...	
	Mahoba ...	Bundelas ...	
	In every Pargana except Mandha.	Chauhans ...	No. 369, dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
	Throughout the district.	Dikhits ...	
		Gautams ...	
		Gaurs ...	
		Baises ...	
		Kachwahas ...	
		Karchulias ...	
		Jewars ...	
		Ponwars ...	
	Mandha ...	Chauhans ...	No. 49A., dated 4th August 1871—*vide* page 961 of *Gazette* of 9th August 1871.

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JAUNPUR.	Rari ...	Rajputs ...	No. 959A., dated 26th July 1870—*vide* page 135 of *Gazette* of 3rd August 1870.
	Angli ...		
	Kirakut ...		
	Jaunpur ...		
	Bidai ...		
	Karlyat Dost ...		
	Khubraha ...		
	Saremu ...		
	Chanda ...	Rajputs ...	No. 569A., dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
	Kotiyat Mendha		
	Ghiswa ...		
	Mungra ...		
	Gurwara ...		
	Chandwak ...		
	Mariahu ...		
	Barsati ...		
	Gopalpur ...		
BASTI.	Basti ...	Rajputs ...	No. 979A., dated 26th July 1870—*vide* page 135 of *Gazette* of 3rd August 1870.
	Aurangabad Nagar		
	Amorha ...		
	Amorha ...		
	Aurangabad Nagar.	Rajpùta ...	No. 369A., dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
	Mausurnagar Basti.		
	Hasanpur Maghar		
	Mahuli ...		
	Ratanpur Bansi...		
	Rasulpur Ghaus		
	Nizamabad ...		
	Deogaon and Belhabans.	Rajputs ...	
AZAMGARH.	Throughout the district.	Rajputs ...	No. 66A., dated 21st August 1871—*vide* page 1044 of *Gazette* of 30th August 1871.
MIRZAPUR.	Bhadohi ...	Momus Rajputs	No. 369A., dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
	Ditto ...	Gaharwars ...	No. 881A., dated 31st May 1871—*vide* page 714 of *Gazette* of 7th June 1871.
	Ditto ...	Monas ...	No 98A., dated 25th March 1873—*vide* page 365 of *Gazette* of 29th March 1873.
		Gaharwars ...	
		Gautams ...	
BENARES.	Kachar ...	Rajputs ...	No. 369A., dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
	Athgaon ...		
	Barhwal ...		
	Majhwar ...		
GHAZIPUR.	Throughout the district.	Bais Rajputs ...	No. 75A., dated 20th March 1874—*vide* page 699 of *Gazette* of 21st March 1874.
	Ghazipur ...	Sobansias ...	
	Pachotar ...	Dikhits ...	
	Shadiabad ...		
	Zahurabad ...		
	Muhammadabad		
	Ghazipur ...	Kakons ...	
	Shadiabad ...		
	Sayyidpur ...		
	Ballia ...		
	Kharid ...		
	Baharaabad ...		
	Shadiabad ...	Bachgotis ...	
	Sayyidpur ...		
	Baharaabad ...		
	Khanpur ...	Baises ...	
	Kopachit ...		
	Kharid ...		
	Sayyidpur ...	Surajbansis ...	
	Zahurabad ...		
	Baharaabad ...	Panapars ...	
	Ballia ...		
	Baharaabad ...	Monas ...	
	Khanpur ...	Raghbansis ...	
	Doaba ...		
	Dehma ...		
	Zahurabad ...	Bargians ...	
	Ditto ...	Sengars ...	
	Lakhnesar ...		
	Ballia ...		
	Kharid ...		
	Zahurabad ...	Chauhans ...	
	Ballia ...		
	Kharid ...		
	Dehma ...		
	Zahurabad ...	Chandels ...	
	Kharid ...		
	Doaba ...		
	Kopachit ...	Chakwains ...	
	Kharid ...		
	Kopachit ...	Karchullas ...	
	Ballia ...		
	Kopachit ...	Naraunis ...	
	Kharid ...		
	Kopachit ...	Gahlots ...	
	Ballia ...		
	Kharid ...	Nikumbs ...	
	Ballia ...		
	Doaba ...		
	Ballia ...	Hariobansis ...	
	Ditto ...	Ponwars ...	
	Sayyidpur ...		
	Ballia ...		
	Kharid ...	Donwars ...	
	Doaba ...		
	Ballia ...	Chauhans ...	
	Ditto ...	Khushas ...	
	Ditto ...	Dahias ...	
	Doaba ...		
	Ballia ...	Barhais ...	
	Kharid ...		

Schedule of District and Clans —concluded.

District.	Pargana or Tahsil.	Clan.	Notification of Local Government.
GHAZIPUR—*concluded.*	Ballia ...	Basbarias ...	No. 75A, dated 20th March 1874—*vide* page 699 of *Gazette* of 21st March 1874.
	Ditto ...	Raikwars ...	
	Ditto ...	Barwars ...	
	Kharid ...		
	Ditto ...	Kausiks ...	
	Garha ...		
	Kharid ...	Gaharwars ...	
	Ditto ...	Tahars ...	
	Ditto ...	Kinwars ...	
	Ditto ...	Nauhubas ...	
	Ditto ...	Chaubarias ...	
	Ditto ...	Gautams ...	
	Doaba ...		
	Kharid ...	Sarnets ...	
	Doaba ...	Kachanias ...	
	Ditto ...	Lautaurias ...	
	Ditto ...	Nashanias ...	
	Ditto ...	Gunihas ...	
	Zamaniah ...	Sikarwars ...	
	Ballia ...		
	Mahaitch ...	Nagbansis ...	
	Sayyidpur ...	Sombansis ...	
	Baharaabad ...		
	Ballia ...	Lathaurs ...	
	Ditto ...	Barwalias ...	
	Ditto ...	Tonwars ...	
	Kharid ...	Lohots ...	
JALAUN.	Throughout the district.	Kachwahas ...	No. 369A, dated 14th March 1871—*vide* page 324 of *Gazette* of 22nd March 1871.
		Sengars ...	
		Gaurs ...	
		Parihars ...	

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 18th March 1875.

No. 92.—The services of the Reverend E. J. Hubbard, Chaplain of Nowgong, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 95.—The Reverend M. E. Mills, Chaplain of Nagpur, is appointed to be Chaplain of Kamptee, in addition to his own duties, as a temporary arrangement, pending the arrival of the Reverend A. W. Robsch.

No. 97.—APPOINTMENT.—The Reverend A. O. Hardy, Junior Chaplain, to be Senior Chaplain, with effect from the 2nd instant.

No. 99.—The Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Calcutta has appointed the Reverend Edgar Jacob, Acting Second Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, to be His Lordship's Domestic Chaplain, with effect from the 4th instant.

The 19th March 1875.

No. 101.—APPOINTMENT.—The Reverend Percy Nicolas, Officiating Chaplain of Cawnpore, to be Chaplain of Gowhatty and Shillong.

PATENTS.

The 17th March 1875.

No. 132.—The under-mentioned Specifications of inventions have been filed, under the provisions of Act XV of 1859, in the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. Copies have been sent to one of the Secretaries to each of the Governments of Bengal, Fort St. George, Bombay and the North Western Provinces. A copy of every Specification is open, at all reasonable hours, at the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department to public inspection upon payment of a fee

of one rupee. A certified copy of any Specification will be given to any person requiring the same on payment of the expense of copying :—

No. 829.—Mr. Richard Olpherts, of Ardee, in Ireland, for improvements in, or applicable to, presses for pressing indigo or other substances.

No. 833.—Mr. M. J. J. V. Miritello, of Monghyr, Clerk in Holy Orders, for apparatus and process of purifying the common country spirits distilled from the Mahwah or Mahooah fruit, freeing them from the deleterious volatile oils which render them unwholesome to drink and offensive to smell.

No. 6 of 1875.—Mr. Richard Vidil Rowe, carrying on business in Rangoon as a tailor, draper, and general importer, for coats called the notched Norfolk shirt with pouch pocket.

No. 9 of 1875.—Mr. William Mort, of 155, Fenchurch Street, in the City of London, for improvements in machinery for the manufacture of ice, and for the cooling of liquids, rooms or spaces.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—FORESTS.

Fort William, the 17th March 1875.

No. 320.—Mr. W. Righy, Assistant Conservator of Forests of the 2nd Grade, having on the forenoon of the 5th January 1875 rejoined his appointment in the Punjab on his return from furlough, Mr. G. Richardson, who officiated for him during his absence, reverted to his substantive appointment of Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests in the Central Provinces, with effect from that date.

EMIGRATION.

The 16th March 1875.

No. 74.—The rules relating to emigration from the Port of Calcutta made by the Governor General in Council under the provisions of Section 56 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1871, and published in the *Gazette of India* of the 22nd February 1873, are modified in the following respects :—

The quantities of quinine prescribed in the scales of medical stores in Schedule E, Nos. 4 and 9, are increased respectively from 4 ounces and 1 ounce for every 100 statute adults to 5 ounces and 2 ounces for every 100 statute adults.

The 18th March 1875.

No. 80—I. The Governor General in Council is pleased to declare the Station of Dubri, in the District of Goálpárá, to be an additional place of embarkation for emigrants proceeding to the labour districts of Assam.

II. Under Section 12, Act VII of 1873 (B.C.), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. A. C. Campbell, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Grade, to be a Superintendent of Emigration and Embarkation Agent in the Sub-Division of Dubri, in the District of Goálpárá.

III. Under Section 12, Act VII (B. C.) of 1873, the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Dr. J. Slane to be Medical Inspector of Labourers in the District of Goálpárá.

G. H. M. BATTEN,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—JUDICIAL.

Fort William, the 15th March 1875.

AJMERE REGULATION.

No. 1 OF 1875.

(Regulation to amend the Ajmere Courts Regulation, 1872.)

No. 37*J*.—The following Regulation, having been proposed by the Chief Commissioner of Ajmere to His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council, has been by His Excellency taken into consideration and approved, and is now published as having acquired the force of law under Section 1 of the Statute, 33 Victoria, Cap. 3 :—

I.—This regulation may be called "the Ajmere Courts Regulation, 1875."

II.—"The Ajmere Courts Regulation, 1872," shall be read as if at the end of the third column of the table subjoined to Section 11 of that Regulation, after the words "All powers conferred by any Act on the highest Court of Appeal" the following words were inserted, namely, "Provided that references under Sections 22 and 32 of Act XI of 1865 (an Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to Courts of Small Causes beyond the local limits of the ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction of the High Courts of Judicature), shall be made not to the Chief Commissioner but to the High Court of the North-Western Provinces;" and the provisions applicable to a reference to the High Court contained in Sections 22 to 26 (both inclusive) of the said Act shall apply to references under this Regulation.

GENERAL.

The 15th March 1875.

No. 511*G*.—Captain R. S. Thompson, Officiating Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Class, in the Berar Commission, is confirmed in that appointment, with effect from the 14th October 1874.

No. 512*G*.—LEAVE.—Captain A. H. S. Neill, Adjutant of the 1st Regiment, Central India Horse, is granted subsidiary leave for 30 days from the date of departure, preparatory to proceeding to Europe on furlough.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Fort William, the 18th March 1875.

No. 1826.—Privilege leave for one month, beginning on the 31st March 1875, is granted to Mr. J. E. Cooke, Assistant Comptroller General.

The 19th March 1875.

No. 1886.—The following Financial Despatch from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 63, dated 11th February 1875, is published for general information :—

"I have to acquaint you that the rate of exchange for the adjustment of financial transactions between the Imperial and Indian Governments for the year 1875-76, has been fixed, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, at one shilling and ten pence farthing (1 *s.* 10¼ *d.*) the rupee, and I have to request that you will give the necessary instructions for the due observance of this rate in respect of all transactions to which it is applicable."

EXPENDITURE.—ADMINISTRATION.

The 18th March 1875.

No. 1864.—The services of Mr. H. Rivett-Carnac, Commissioner of Cotton and Commerce with the Government of India, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the date on which he may assume charge of the Opium Agency at Ghazeepore.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

The 19th March 1875.

No. 1833.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following section be inserted in Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code in the part *Examination Leave* :—

Section 13*A*.—The master of a Government school in Bengal in receipt of a salary not exceeding two hundred rupees a month, while absent from his office with the object of studying to qualify himself as a teacher of surveying, is considered to be absent on duty or on special deputation; provided that such period of absence shall not exceed three months.

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 18th March 1875.

No. 1887.—The following Statement of the Silver received and coined in the Mints of Calcutta and Bombay in February 1875 is published for general information :—

	CALCUTTA.			BOMBAY.		
	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.
	Govt.	Merchants.		Govt.	Merchants.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
In February 1875 ...	7,426	2,47,553	25,85,965	8,664	25,46,358	38,99,025

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 18th March 1875.

No. 1874.—The Governor General in Council directs that heading 11 of Form E in Appendix A to the Civil Pension Code may be separated as follows :—

By death or non-appearance for six months. { *a* Known to be dead. *b* Others.

and that the following be added to the notes at foot of the form :—

"11 *b*—diminished by the number under heading 6 might be taken roughly, as the number of unreported, or unknown deaths."

SEPARATE REVENUE.—POST OFFICE.

The 19th March 1875.

No. 1932.—Privilege leave for three months is granted to Major the Hon'ble E. R. Bourke, Post Master General, Madras.

Mr. Henry Gribble Turner, of the Madras Civil Service, is appointed to officiate as Post Master General, Madras, during the absence of Major the Hon'ble E. R. Bourke, or until further orders.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 13th March 1875.

No. 292 *of* 1875.—Surgeon George John Malcolm Smith, of the Medical Department, is permitted to resign the service, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 293 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify that the arrangements for the conduct of business in the Military Department, as laid down in the G. G. Os. noted in the margin, will again have effect during the absence this season of His Excellency and the Council from the Presidency :—

No. 338, dated the 15th April 1864.
No. 519, dated the 10th May 1869.

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) B. E. Bacon, Deputy Secretary, will officiate as Secretary to the Government of India in the Military Department at the Presidency.

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) A. B. Johnson, 1st Assistant Secretary, will officiate as Deputy Secretary.

The 15th March 1875.

No. 294 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 1 of 1st January 1875, it is notified, in order to remove some misapprehension which appears to exist on the subject, that, as noted in the order, all applications to retire under its provisions will be dealt with by priority of dates of retirement, and not by priority of dates of application.

For example—if an Officer applies on the 1st April to retire from the 1st August, his retirement cannot be sanctioned till, on the arrival of the latter date, it is found that the number of retirements allowed has not been completed by retirements from an earlier date. An officer applying on the 15th June to retire on the 31st July would have a prior claim to be accepted.

The 1st April was merely fixed as the earliest date from which any retirement would be accepted in order to give officers out of India full time for consideration.

No. 295 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Surgeon Richard Power, of the Medical Department, in medical charge, 3rd Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 296 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon T. V. Aylen, of the Madras Medical Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Home Department, with effect from the 25th February 1875.

No. 297 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant Colonel J. K. Couper, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing, is allowed leave of absence from the 13th April to the 13th October 1875, to visit Mussoorie and the hills north of Dehra on private affairs, under Rule XXV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 298 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Army Clothing Agency.

Lieutenant Colonel C. Armstrong, of the Bengal Staff Corps, to officiate as Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing during the absence on leave in India of Lieutenant Colonel J. K. Couper, or until further orders.

No. 299 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Captain Alexander George Ross, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 1st Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 300 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

The Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

Major W. S. Bailey, of the Madras Staff Corps, to officiate as Commandant, with effect from 1st March 1875, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Lieutenant-Colonel Benson, or until further orders, *vice* Major Gordon, C. S. I., proceeding to England on furlough.

No. 301 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer has reported his return from England:—

Captain A. E. Downing, of the late 51st Regiment of Native Infantry, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Public Works Department,—date of arrival at Bombay, 10th February 1875.

No. 302 *of* 1875.—Captain A. E. Downing, of the late 51st Regiment of Native Infantry, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Department Public Works, is allowed an extension of leave from the 2nd to the 10th February 1875, the date on which he reported his return to India from the furlough to Europe granted to him by G. G. O. No. 1241 of 1873.

The 17th March 1875.

No. 303 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Surgeon Major John Martin Coates, M. D., of the Medical Department, Sanitary Commissioner, Bengal,—for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Surgeon George Massy, of the Medical Department,—for eighteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 304 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 20 years' service, are promoted to the rank of Major, from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Captain Francis Henry Conolly,—17th March 1875.

Captain Charles Augustus Munro,—17th March 1875.

Captain Robert Francis Firth,—17th March 1875.

Captain Francis James Napier Mackenzie,—17th March 1875.

Captain Oliver Richardson Newmarch,—17th March 1875.

No. 305 *of* 1875.—Supernumerary Surgeon Major Edwin Clement Bensley, of the Medical Department, is brought on the establishment of Surgeons Major to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 306 *of* 1875.—Rahasa, widow of Sepoy Thakoor Tewary, of the late 18th Bengal Infantry, is admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the 3rd class order of merit on her late husband for three years, commencing from the 22nd August 1874.

The stipend will be disbursed in the North-Western Provinces Circle of pension payment.

No. 307 *of* 1875.—Woordie Major Ahmed Shah Khan, of the 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse, having completed a service of upwards of 40 years, with unblemished character, is transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment, on the increased pension of rank, with effect from the date he may be struck off the strength of the corps.

The stipend will be disbursed in the North-Western Provinces Circle of pension payment.

The 18th March 1875.

No. 308 *of* 1875.—The following extract from List No. 4, dated the 18th February 1875, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment, permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, &c. received from the India Office, is published for general information:—

Permitted to return.

Captain C. S. Noble.
Surgeon Major J. Fairweather.
Lieutenant Colonel W. R. Gordon.
Lieutenant Colonel J. Fendall.
Surgeon G. C. Ross.

Granted extensions of leave.

Major J. L. Watts, 6 months, sick certificate.
Captain J. H. Baldwin, 6 months, sick certificate.
Captain J. H. W. Osborne, 3 months, sick certificate.
Surgeon Major H. W. Spry, 4 months, sick certificate.
Captain A. G. Hartshorne, 6 months, sick certificate.
Apothecary J. Hemming, 6 months, sick certificate.

Retirement.

Lieutenant Colonel F. W. Dunbar, 4th March 1875.

No. 309 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Captain Fitzhelbert Coddington, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade, Officiating 2nd Grade, Revenue Survey Department,—for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 310 *of* 1875.—Native Medical Pupil Ram Deen, No. 790, admitted by G. G. O. No. 1022 of 1874, is dismissed the service with effect from the 7th January 1875, the date of his desertion.

No. 311 *of* 1875.—The services of Assistant Apothecary J. A. Kelly, of the Subordinate Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 312 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 980 of the 13th October 1874, it is notified that the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital have granted the sum of £15-15-0 (fifteen pounds and fifteen shillings) to Private M. M. Coleman, late of the 15th Hussars, an out-pensioner of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, in lieu of the pension of 7*d.* (seven pence) a day previously awarded to him.

Payment to be made and charged accordingly.

No. 313 *of* 1875.—The following appointments are made:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

2nd Sikh Infantry.

Lieutenant H. B. Urmston, of the 1st Battalion 14th Foot, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to officiate as 2nd Wing Subaltern, on probation.

1st Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant D. A. A. Macpherson, of the 85th Foot, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to officiate as 2nd Wing Subaltern, on probation, during the period Lieutenant L. R. H. D. Campbell may officiate as Adjutant, or until further orders.

No. 314 *of* 1875.—The services of Captain A. W. Capel, of the late 5th European Light Cavalry, doing duty Officer, Stud Department, are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 1st April 1875.

No. 315 *of* 1875.—The services of Lieutenant Colonel A. Elderton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 316 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Captain Colin Hubert Garbett, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Grade, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 4th Grade, Bengal,—for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Surgeon Andrew Skeen, M. B., of the Medical Department,—for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

The 19th March 1875.

No. 317 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer, having completed twelve years' service, including four years in the Staff Corps, is promoted to the rank of Captain from the date specified, under the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant William Oliver Thompson,—18th March 1875.

No. 318 *of* 1875.—With reference to paragraph 2 of G. G. O. No. 75, dated the 25th January 1872, Captain W. O. Thompson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, promoted to the rank of Captain in G. G. O. No. 317 of 1875, is permitted to retain the appointment of Adjutant of the 2nd Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, with effect from the 18th March 1875.

No. 319 *of* 1875.—The following appointment is made, subject to the Officer passing an examination in drill:—

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Mr. Alan Wood Rendell, to be Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant James Stewart, resigned.

No. 320 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer and Warrant Officer have reported their return from England:—

Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) S. F. Graham, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commissioner, Mooltan Division, Punjab,—date of arrival at Bombay, 11th March 1875.

First Class Assistant Apothecary T. Baron, of the Subordinate Medical Department,—date of arrival at Fort William, 1st March 1875.

No. 321 *of* 1875.—ERRATUM.—In G. G. O. No. 101 of 1875, for Mahomed "Azaz Khan," read Mahomed *Ayaz Khan.*

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 322 *of* 1875.—ERRATA.—In G. G. O. No. 175 of 1875, for Sepoy "Mehall Sing," of the 32nd (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry, with pension payable in the "Punjab Circle," read Sepoy *Mehal Sing*, with pension payable in the *North-Western Provinces Circle.*

Opposite the name of Sepoy "Jodh Sing," in the column Circle of payment in the above order, for "ditto," read *Punjab.*

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 323 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned officer of the Royal Engineers, who has been placed under orders for duty in the Bengal Presidency, reported his arrival on the date specified:—

Captain W. J. Engledue,—date of arrival at Bombay, 15th March 1875.

No. 324 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant W. H. Sim, of the 43rd Foot, who, as a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, was appointed to be 2nd Wing Subaltern of the 6th Punjab Infantry, by G. G. O. No. 1199 of the 25th November 1873, is permitted, at his own request, to resign his appointment as a probationer for the Staff Corps, and his services are accordingly replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 325 *of* 1875.—Captain Sydney Elphinstone Hartwell, Commandant of the Lucknow Volunteer Rifles, is allowed leave of absence to proceed to Europe for six months on medical certificate.

No. 326 *of* 1875.—The following appointment is made:—

Lucknow Volunteer Rifles.

Captain W. A. N. Langdon, to officiate as Commandant during the absence on leave to Europe of Captain S. E. Hartwell, or until further orders.

No. 327 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant Colonel (Brevet Colonel) E. S. Jackson, of Infantry, 2nd Class Assistant, Stud Department, is allowed leave of absence for six months from the 15th April to the 14th October 1875, to visit Kashmir on private affairs, under Rule XXV of the Regulations of 1868.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 19th March 1875.

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates from 13th to 19th March 1875.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
					Rs. A. P.		
H. M.'s British Military Service. John MacBryan (*a*)	Captain ...	15th Hussars	16th Jan. 1875	No will found.	2,641 0 6	...	19th May 1875.
H. M.'s Indian Military Service Frederick Robinson. (*b*)	Sub-Conductor.	Artillery ...	17th Sep. 1874	Intestate	908 15 8	...	ditto.

(*a*) Children—Henry Crawford MacBryan, Student, Queen's College, Galway; Fanny MacBryan.
(*b*) Next of kin—Catherine West Slane, County Meath, Ireland.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 19th March 1875.

No. 6 *of* 1875.—Mr. E. R. Wells, 1st Officer of the Steamer *Ava*, is appointed 2nd Officer of the Bengal Marine Steamer *Nemesis*.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 13th March 1875.

No. 117.—Mr. J. N. Robinson, temporary Supervisor, 1st Grade, on the establishment under the Director of State Railways, is confirmed in his appointment, with effect from the 20th February 1871.

No. 118.—Mr. J. E. Fraser, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, North-Western Provinces, Irrigation Branch, having overstayed the leave granted him in Government, North-Western Provinces Notifications, Nos. 239 I of 24th January 1873 and 71 E of 3rd February 1874, his name is removed from the list of Public Works Establishments, with effect from the expiration of his leave.

The 15th March 1875.

No. 119.—Mr. J. B. Braddon, Assistant Controller, 3rd Grade, on probation, Bombay, is confirmed in his appointment.

No. 120.—ERRATUM.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 64 of the 15th February 1875, for "Sergeant J. Robinson," read "Sergeant W. Robinson."

No. 121.—The following transfers and postings of Officers have been sanctioned by the Government of India:—

Captain L. Conway-Gordon, R. E., Examiner of Railway Accounts, Calcutta, and Officiating Controller of P. W. Accounts, Punjab, to be Controller of P. W. Accounts, Madras.

Mr. T. Moss, Controller, P. W. Accounts, Madras, to be Controller of Accounts, Punjab Northern State Railway.

Mr. R. H. Trotter, Controller of Accounts, Punjab Northern State Railway, to be Controller of P. W. Accounts, British Burmah.

Mr. J. Robinson, Controller of P. W. Accounts, British Burmah, to be Controller, P. W. Accounts, Central India.

Mr. W. A. Billings, Deputy Controller and Officiating Controller of P. W. Accounts, Central India, to be Deputy Controller, Bengal.

Captain C. M. Moberley, Examiner, Railway Accounts, Madras, and Officiating Examiner of Railway Accounts, Calcutta, to be Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Calcutta.

Mr. R. G. Macdonald, Examiner of Railway Accounts, Lahore, to be Examiner, Railway Accounts, Madras.

Captain H. Doveton, to be Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Lahore, as a temporary arrangement.

The 16th March 1875.

No. 122.—Mr. H. H. Gahan, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, attached to the establishment under the Director of State Railways, having passed the prescribed examination, is promoted to Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, with effect from the 18th September 1874.

No. 123.—Baboo Haran Chunder Banerjee and Baboo Kally Prosunno Mookerjee are appointed to the Public Works Department as Assistant Engineers, 3rd Grade, on probation, and posted to Bengal Provincial Establishment.

The 17th March 1875.

No. 124.—Mr. (late Sergeant) G. T. Sparke, Overseer, 1st Grade, Assistant Drawing Master, Thomason Civil Engineering College, Roorkee, having obtained his discharge from the army on the 16th November 1874, is re-appointed to the Public Works Department as a Civilian in the same grade, with effect from that date.

The 18th March 1875.

No. 125.—Mr. R. M. Weedon, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, is transferred from the Central Provinces to the establishment under the Director of State Railways.

No. 126.—During the absence of the Governor General in Council from the Presidency, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India in the Military Department will have charge of that portion of the office of the Government of India in the Public Works Department which is left at the Presidency.

The 19th March 1875.

No. 127.—Captain D. H. Trail, R. E., Controller, Public Works Accounts, Mysore, is transferred as Controller of Public Works Accounts, Punjab, but will continue to officiate in Mysore, until further orders.

Mr. A. R. Becher, Deputy Controller, Public Works Accounts, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Controller till relieved by Captain Trail or until further orders.

No. 128.—The services of Mr. D. Scott, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Assam, are on his return from furlough placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, General Department, for employment under the Commissioners for making improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

No. 129.—Mr. C. J. Keene is appointed Assistant Traffic Superintendent on the establishment under the Director of State Railways, with effect from the 29th December 1874.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

Fort William, the 24th March 1875.

No. 578.—During the absence of the Governor General in Council from Calcutta, the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India in the Military Department, Colonel B. E. Bacon, will have charge of that portion of the Home Department which is left at the Presidency.

No. 590.—Under the provisions of Section 9 of Statute 24 and 25 Vic., Cap. 67, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that His Excellency's Council shall assemble at Simla in the jurisdiction of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 24th March 1875.

No. 291.—The services of Mr. J. Crawfurd, B. A., of the Bengal Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the forenoon of the 24th instant.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—FORESTS.

Fort William, the 22nd March 1875.

No. 347.—Mr. L. A. W. Rind, Assistant Conservator of Forests of the 3rd Grade in British Burma, is attached to the North-Western Provinces, as a temporary arrangement.

No. 353.—Mr. B. Ribbentrop, Deputy Conservator of Forests of the 2nd Grade, is appointed to officiate as a Conservator of Forests of the 4th Class in British Burma, *vice* Captain W. J. Seaton, who has proceeded to Europe on furlough for eighteen months.

Mr. Ribbentrop assumed charge of the Conservator's Office on the forenoon of the 15th instant.

GENERAL.

The 24th March 1875.

No. 187.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Act VIII of 1874, Section 2, and Act XII of 1874, Section 2, the Governor General in Council is pleased to delegate to the Chief Commissioner of Assam, for the purpose of being exercised within the territories forming his Chief Commissionership, the following powers heretofore vested

in or exercisable by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, or the Board of Revenue for the Lower Provinces:—

The powers which were vested in or exercisable by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under by virtue of Sections 2, 5, 11, 14, 21, 25, 37, 41, and 92 of Bengal Act VI of 1868 (to provide for the better regulation of Police in towns and for the conservancy and improvement thereof).

The powers of the Local Government under Sections 6 and 25 of Act VII of 1868 (For the recovery of arrears of Land Revenue and Public Demands recoverable as arrears of Land Revenue).

The powers of the Local Government under Sections 1, 2, 35, 41, 49, 50, 51, 62, 70, 75, 76, 78, 79, 83, and 97 of Act X of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act, 1871).

The powers of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, under Section 14 of Act VIII of 1865 (To amend the law for the sale of such under-tenures as by the Title Deeds or established usage of the country are transferable by sale or otherwise for the recovery of arrears of rent due in respect thereof).

C. J. LYALL,
for *Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.*

The 25th March 1875.

No. 194.—Mr. A. O. Hume, C. B., Secretary to the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce, returned from the leave granted to him in Notification No. 68, dated the 29th January last, and resumed charge of his office on the forenoon of the 25th instant, from Mr. G. H. M. Batten.

No. 197.—During the absence from Calcutta of the Governor General in Council, Colonel B. E. Bacon, Officiating Secretary to the Government of India in the Military Department, will remain in charge of that part of the Office of the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce which is left in Calcutta.

A. O. HUME,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.—GENERAL.

Camp Delhi, the 20th March 1875.

No. 6 *C. G.*—During the absence of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council from the Presidency, Colonel B. E. Bacon, Officiating Secretary in the Military Department, will have charge of that portion of the Foreign Office which is left at Calcutta.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 20th March 1875.

No. 328 *of* 1875.—In modification of Clause 1 of G. G. O. No. 131, dated 8th February 1872, and of Clause 4, in so far as it affects the mounted branches of the British Army, it is hereby notified that, when so required, the materials for clothing will be issued in bulk, uncut and untrimmed, but that in such cases Commanding Officers will be required to show, in their annual returns of clothing received and issued, the surplus from cuttings and savings at the end of each year; such surplus being deducted from their next year's indent for clothing materials.

2. This arrangement will apply to all Mounted Corps now in India and arriving hereafter, and paragraph 6 of the Government General Order above cited will be understood to be modified accordingly.

3. The provision contained in paragraph 5 of the Order, as regards the Native Army, is also modified to this extent, *viz.*, that the materials for Native Commissioned Officers and for one Havildar and five rank and file per troop or company, shall be issued in bulk, uncut and untrimmed, if so required.

4. The existing rates for making up the clothing at regimental head-quarters will continue in force.

5. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies, and will have effect with respect to the clothing which will be due on the 1st April 1876, and to all subsequent issues.

The 22nd March 1875.

No. 329 *of* 1875.—Supernumerary Surgeon Major Thomas Williams Sheppard, of the Medical Department, is brought on the establishment of Surgeons Major to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 330 *of* 1875.—Native Medical Pupil Meer Umjad Allie, No. 353, admitted by G. G. O. No. 819, dated 8th August 1872, is dismissed the service.

No. 331 *of* 1875.—The services of Captain W. J. Engledue, of the Royal Engineers, are placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

No. 332 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant-Colonel Ralph Ouseley, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 1st Grade, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade, Oudh, is allowed furlough in India on private affairs for two years, under Rule XVII of the Regulations of 1868.

The 23rd March 1875.

No. 333 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon R. G. Mathew, of the Medical Department, have been placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 11th September 1874.

No. 334 *of* 1875.—The following appointment is made in the Medical Department:—

Surgeon Major J. C. Bow, M. D., of the Medical Department, Medical Store-keeper, Meean Meer, to be a Deputy Surgeon General with permanent rank, from the 16th March 1875, *vice* Deputy Surgeon General C. R. Francis, M. B., retired.

The 24th March 1875.

No. 335 *of* 1875.—The following appointment is made in the Accounts Branch of the Military Department of the Government of India:—

Major O. R. Newmarch, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 3rd Assistant Secretary, Military Department, to be Deputy Accountant General, *vice* Mr. A. L. Haliburton, who returns to England to resume his duties in the War Office, with effect from the date on which he may take over charge of the office from Mr. Haliburton.

No. 336 *of* 1875.—The following appointment is made in the Department of the Military Secretariat of the Government of India:—

Lieutenant E. H. H. Collen, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Officiating 3rd Assistant Secretary, to be 3rd Assistant Secretary, *vice* Major O. R. Newmarch, appointed Deputy Accountant General, Military Department.

No. 337 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Major George Swinton, of the Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Department Public Works,—for one year, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Malcolm Ogilvy Boyd, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Grade Assistant Commissioner, Officiating 1st Grade, Assam,—for eighteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Steuart Colquhoun MacTier, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 33rd (The Allahabad) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for fourteen months and ten days, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Surgeon Robert Jameson, M. D., of the Medical Department, Superintendent of the Central Prison, Allahabad,—for seven months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 338 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon T. Mayne, of the Madras Medical Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Home Department, with effect from the 1st March 1875.

No. 339 *of* 1875.—The following promotion is made in the under-mentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

14th Bengal Lancers.

Kote Duffadar Kulloo Singh, to be Jemadar, from the 1st August 1874, *vice* Maun Sing, invalided.

No. 340 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have been permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Major Charles William Robert Chester, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Adjutant General, Allahabad Division,—for twenty months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

Surgeon John Barclay Scriven, of the Medical Department,—for ten months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 341 *of* 1875.—With a view to the assimilation of equipment in Native Infantry Regiments serving in India, it is hereby notified that Equipment Tables for the Native Infantry have been published for adoption throughout the three presidencies.

2. No alteration in the scale of Equipment now laid down is to be made without the sanction of the Government of India, and all changes which may be made applicable to India will, from time to time, be published either in General Orders by the Government or in those of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief with the sanction of the Government.

3. Copies of the Equipment Tables will be distributed to corps and departments in the Bengal Presidency by the Inspector General of Ordnance, Bengal, under the orders of the Government of India, and to corps and departments in the presidencies of Madras and Bombay under the orders of the Governments of those presidencies.

4. This order is applicable to the three presidencies.

No. 342 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe:—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Andrew Macqueen, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class,—for two years: 1 year 1 month and 10 days on private affairs, under Rules IX and XV, and the remaining period on medical certificate, under Rule XIV, Clause 2, of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 343 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 20 years' service, are promoted to the rank of Major, from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Captain Francis William Boileau,—20th March 1875.

Captain Marmaduke Ramsay,—20th March 1875.

Captain Robert Cotton Money,—20th March 1875.

Captain Charles Richard Matthews,—20th March 1875.

No. 344 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 12 years' service, is promoted to the rank of Captain, from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant John Davidson,—24th March 1875.

No. 345 *of* 1875.—With reference to paragraph 2 of G. G. O. No. 75, dated the 25th January 1872, Captain J. Davidson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, promoted to the rank of Captain in G. G. O. No. 344 of 1875, is permitted to retain the appointment of 1st Squadron Subaltern of the 3rd Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force, with effect from the 24th March 1875.

The 25th March 1875.

No. 346 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their return from England:—

Captain A. B. Clare, of the General List Infantry, Adjutant, 16th (The Lucknow) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 17th March 1875.

Lieutenant J. F. J. Miller, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, Public Works Department,—date of arrival at Bombay, 15th December 1874 (date of departure on furlough, 15th December 1873).

No. 347 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified:—

Captain C. D. Swete, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 223 of 1875,—*Indus*, 1st March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain T. Higginson, of the Madras Staff Corps, Madras G. O. No. 160 of 1875,—*Australia*, 1st March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain T. O. Underwood, of the Madras Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 188 of 1875,—*Rozelle*, 16th March 1875, from Calcutta.

No. 348 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate :—

Captain Robert John Bond, of the Royal Engineers (Imperial Establishment), Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Department Public Works,—for eighteen months, under the Regulations of 1868 (Rule IX, Note I.)

Lieutenant Cecil Coles Dyce, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Wing Subaltern, 29th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under the Regulations of 1868 (Rule IX, Note I.)

No. 349 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is admitted to the Bengal Staff Corps, with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant Archibald Mungo Muir, of the 4th Hussars, 2nd Squadron Subaltern, 1st Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force,—31st October 1873.

No. 350 *of* 1875.—The services of Lieutenant G. F. Wilson, Royal Engineers, are placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel*,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

ERRATUM.

An error having occurred in printing the following Military Department General Order in Part I of the *Gazette of India* dated 20th March 1875, page 147, it is republished with the mistake rectified :—

No. 322 *of* 1875.—ERRATA.—In G. G. O. No. 175 of 1875, for Sepoy "Mehall Sing," of the 32nd (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry, with pension payable in the "Punjab Circle," read Sepoy *Nehall Sing*, with pension payable in the *North-Western Provinces Circle.*

Opposite the name of Sepoy "Jodh Sing," in the column Circle of payment in the above order, for "ditto," read *Punjab.*

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

Gazette page 147 to be corrected accordingly.—*Publisher Gazette of India.*

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 20th March 1875.

No. 130.—The following transfers and promotion in the Accounts Establishment of the Public Works Department are to have effect from the 1st April next :—

Mr. F. R. White, Accountant, 1st Grade, Accountant General's Office, is transferred to the Office of the Controller of Accounts, Northern Bengal State Railway.

Sergeant W. E. Walker, Accountant, 2nd Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, is transferred to the Office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department.

Mr. S. G. Wood, Accountant, 2nd Grade, Accountant General's Office, is promoted to Accountant, 1st Grade.

No. 131.—The following temporary appointment is made in the Control Establishment, Public Works Department, with effect from the 1st March 1875 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel G. J. Melliss, Bombay Staff Corps, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, and Officiating Superintending Engineer in the Bombay Presidency, to officiate as Controller of Accounts, Military Works (with rank in 2nd Class, 1st Grade), during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. J. Hopkins, or until further orders.

The 22nd March 1875.

No. 132.—Mr. J. Hopkins, Controller of Accounts, Military Works, is granted three months' privilege leave of absence, with effect from the 1st April 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the same.

The 23rd March 1875.

No. 134.—Mr. R. B. Hawkins, Clerk, is appointed an Accountant, 2nd Grade, on probation, and is posted to the Rajpootana State Railway.

The 24th March 1875.

No. 135.—Shankar Bisto Nargir is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Overseer, 3rd Grade, on probation, and posted to Mysore.

No. 136.—Mr. A. J. Oldham, temporary Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Irrigation Branch, Bengal, is appointed permanently to the Public Works Department in that grade, with effect from 1st March 1873.

No. 137.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 72, dated the 18th February last, Captain A. G. Begbie, R. E., assumed charge of the Office of the Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Bombay, from Lieutenant W. J. Le Breton, B. S. C., on the forenoon of the 22nd February 1875.

No. 138.—ERRATUM.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 643 of 5th December 1874, promoting Mr. A. F. Higgins, Apprentice Engineer, to the rank of Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, for "24th October 1874," substitute "1st September 1874."

No. 140.—The services of Major J. H. Bedford, R. E., Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, British Burmah, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

No. 141.—With reference to Notification No. 46, dated 29th January 1875, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following promotions, with effect from 1st March 1875, *vice* Colonel A. Fraser, C. B., R. E., proceeded on furlough :—

Colonel A. Cadell, R. E., Officiating Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, to be temporarily Chief Engineer, 1st Class.

Mr. T. W. Armstrong, Chief Engineer, 3rd Class, to be temporarily Chief Engineer, 2nd Class.

The 25th March 1875.

No. 142.—Mr. S. Brock, Controller of Public Works Accounts (on return from leave), is posted to Mysore.

No. 143.—Mr. D. P. Davies is appointed a temporary Supervisor, 1st Grade, and posted to the Rangoon and Irrawaddi Valley State Railway, with effect from 21st January 1875.

No. 144.—Corporal J. McDonald, R. A., Probationary Overseer, 1st Grade, Military Works Branch, is permanently appointed to the Public Works Department in that grade.

No. 145.—The under-mentioned Upper Subordinates attached to the staff of the Nizam's State Railway are transferred to the Buildings and Roads Branch of the Public Works Department, Hyderabad :—

Mr. E. Rose, Supervisor, 2nd Grade.
" G. Unger, Overseer, 1st Grade.

No. 146.—Lieutenant W. S. S. Bisset, R. E., Deputy Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways, is allowed 30 days' subsidiary leave from 22nd March, or such date as he may be able to avail himself of it, preparatory to the furlough granted to him.

No. 147.—Mr. D. Scott, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, having reported his return from furlough on the 17th March, is allowed subsidiary leave from that date to the 21st March, inclusive.

No. 148.—The under-mentioned Upper Subordinates temporarily employed on Famine Relief Works in Bengal are transferred from the establishment under the Director of State Railways to British Burmah Provincial Establishment :—

Mr. J. Dupeyron, Overseer, 1st Grade.
Sheik Nizamoodeen, Overseer, 2nd Grade.

No. 149.—The transfer of Luchmun Pershad, Overseer, 1st Grade, from Central India to British Burmah (Notification No. 13, dated 7th January 1875) is cancelled.

No. 150.—Sergeant J. Troup, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is remanded to military duty.

No. 151.—Mr. A. R. Becher, Deputy Controller, assumed charge of the Office of Controller of Public Works Accounts, Punjab, from Captain L. Conway Gordon, R. E., on the afternoon of the 5th March 1875.

No. 152.—Mr. E. Marval, Probationary Accountant, 1st Grade, Rajpootana State Railway, is transferred temporarily to the Punjab.

No. 153.—Mr. A. R. Becher, Deputy Controller of Public Works Accounts, Punjab, was allowed privilege leave, from the 4th to 17th January 1875.

No. 154.—Mr. A. G. Murray, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Irrigation Branch, Punjab, is permitted to resign his appointment with effect from 13th March 1875.

No. 155.—Captain B. Lovett, C. S. I., R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, having returned from furlough, is posted to the Punjab Provincial Establishment.

No. 156.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 104, dated 6th March 1875, Mr. W. H. Brand, Assistant Controller, joined the office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, on the forenoon of the 19th March 1875.

TELEGRAPH.

The 23rd March 1875.

No. 133.—Mr. H. I. Walton, Deputy Director, Persian Gulf Telegraph, is granted one year's furlough under Section 10*(a)* and subsidiary leave not exceeding thirty days under Section 18*(a)* of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of the charge of his office.

The 24th March 1875.

No. 139.—Mr. H. I. Walton, Deputy Director, Persian Gulf Telegraph, is transferred to the Establishment under the Director General of Telegraphs in India with the rank of Superintendent, 2nd Grade.

Mr. B. T. Finch, Superintendent, 2nd Grade, is transferred from the Establishment under the Director General of Telegraphs to the Indo-European Telegraph Establishment, and appointed Deputy Director of the Persian Gulf Telegraph in succession to Mr. H. I. Walton.

These transfers will have effect from 1st April 1875.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 1st April 1875.

No. 309.—Mr. J. Pitt Kennedy, Standing Counsel for the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, reported his departure to Europe on the morning of the 16th ultimo.

The 2nd April 1875.

No. 310.—*Appointment.*—The Hon'ble A. Rivers Thompson, Secretary to the Government of Bengal, to officiate as Chief Commissioner of British Burmah during the absence of the Hon'ble A. Eden, or until further orders.

No. 311.—The services of Mr. J. C. Williams, C.S., Assistant Commissioner, Oudh, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 1st April 1875.

No. 51.—The Reverend A. W. Rebsch, B. A., is appointed to be Chaplain of Kamptee, with effect from the date on which he relieves the Reverend M. E. Mills.

MEDICAL.

The 1st April 1875.

No. 208.—*Appointment.*—Surgeon T. V. Aylen, of the Madras Establishment, to be Civil Surgeon of the Bhandara District in the Central Provinces, *vice* Surgeon T. E. Ffrench, deceased.

ARTHUR HOWELL,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.—POLITICAL.

Camp Delhi, the 24th March 1875.

No. 45 *C. P.*—With reference to the notification of this Department No. 214P. dated 22nd January 1875, the services of Mr. F. H. Souter, C. S. I., are replaced at the disposal of the Bombay Government from the date of his return to Bombay.

The 26th March 1875.

No. 58 *C.P.*—The following ceremonies were observed on the occasion of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General's visit to Delhi in March 1875—

On Wednesday, the 17th March 1875, the usual deputation proceeded to enquire after the health of the Maharaja of Pattialla, G.C.S.I., the Nawab of Bhawalpore, the Maharaja of Kerowlee, the Maharaja of Bhurtpore, and the Maharao Raja of Ulwar.

On Thursday morning, the 18th March 1875, the Viceroy and Governor General received the following Chiefs in Private Durbar :—

His Highness the Maharaja of Pattialla, G.C.S.I.
His Highness the Nawab of Bhawalpore.
The Raja of Jheend.
The Raja of Nabha.
The Raja of Mundee.
The Nawab of Maleir Kotla.
The Raja of Furreedkote.
The Raja of Chumba.

On Friday morning, the 19th March 1875, the following Chiefs and Noblemen were received in Private Durbar :—

His Highness the Maharaja of Kerowlee.
His Highness the Maharaja of Bhurtpore.
The Maharao Raja of Ulwar.
The Raja of Shahpoora.
The Sirdar of Kulsia.
The Nawab of Patowdee.
The Nawab of Loharoo.
The Nawab of Dojana.
The Raja of Gooleria.

On Friday afternoon, the 19th March 1875, the Viceroy and Governor General returned the visits of the following Chiefs :—

The Maharaja of Pattialla, G.C.S.I.
The Nawab of Bhawalpore.
The Raja of Jheend.
The Raja of Nabha.

On Saturday morning, the 20th March 1875, the Viceroy and Governor General returned the visits of the following Chiefs :—

The Maharaja of Kerowlee.
The Maharaja of Bhurtpore.
The Maharao Raja of Ulwar.

At all the above receptions and return visits the customary ceremonies were observed.

PUBLIC DURBAR.

ON Tuesday, the 23rd March 1875, at 8-30 A.M., His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General of India received in Public Durbar the Chiefs, Sirdars, and Native gentlemen of the Punjab and its Dependencies.

Civil and Military Officers of the Government attended the Public Durbar.

The following are the Chiefs of the Punjab and its Dependencies who were present at the Public Durbar :—

The Maharaja of Pattialla, G.C.S.I., attended by nine principal persons in the State.
The Nawab of Bhawalpore, attended by eight principal persons in the State.
The Raja of Jheend, and the heir apparent, attended by five principal persons in the State.
The Raja of Nabha, and the heir apparent, attended by five principal persons in the State.
The Raja of Mundee, and the heir apparent, attended by four principal persons in the State.
The Nawab of Maleir Kotla, and the heir apparent, attended by four principal persons in the State.
The Raja of Furreedkote, and the heir apparent, attended by four principal persons in the State.
The Raja of Chumba, and the heir apparent, attended by four principal persons in the State.
The Sirdar of Kulsia, and the heir apparent, attended by two principal persons in the State.
The Nawab of Patowdee, and the heir apparent, attended by two principal persons in the State.
The Nawab of Loharoo, and the heir apparent, attended by two principal persons in the State.
The Nawab of Dojana and the heir apparent, attended by two principal persons in the State.
The Raja of Gooleria.

The above-named Chiefs were received with the customary honors and ceremonies in order of rank, beginning with the Raja of Gooleria, and ending with the Maharaja of Pattialla.

The seats in Durbar were arranged in the following manner and order :—

On the right of the Viceroy :

The Maharaja of Pattialla.
The Foreign Secretary.
The Nawab of Bhawalpore.
The Raja of Jheend.
The Raja of Nabha.
The Under-Secretary in the Foreign Department.
The Raja of Mundee.
The Nawab of Maleir Kotla.
The Raja of Furreedkote.
The Raja of Chumba.
The Sirdar of Kulsia.
The Nawab of Patowdee.
The Nawab of Loharoo.
The Nawab of Dojana.
The Raja of Gooleria.

The heirs apparent of the Rajas of Jheend and Furreedkote, and of the Nawabs of Loharoo and Dojana, and the attendants of the different Chiefs, sat behind their respective Chiefs.

The other Durbaris present sat below the Chiefs according to their rank.

On the left of the Viceroy :

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab.

The Civil and Military Officers present on duty according to rank.

When all the Chiefs and gentlemen attending the Durbar had assembled, the Viceroy and Governor General entered the Durbar tent, accompanied by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab, the Foreign Secretary and the Officers of the Viceroy's and Lieutenant-Governor's Personal Staff. As the Viceroy entered the Durbar tent, a Royal Salute was fired, and a band in attendance played "God save the Queen." All rose from their seats, and remained standing until His Excellency had taken his place on the Throne.

The Chiefs, Sirdars, and Native gentlemen were then introduced to His Excellency the Viceroy; the Maharaja of Pattialla, the Nawab of Bhawalpore, and the Rajas of Jheend and Nabha by the Foreign Secretary, and the remainder by the Under-Secretary.

As each Chief Sirdar and Native gentleman was introduced, he presented his proper nuzzur, which was touched and remitted.

When the introductions were completed, dresses of honor were brought in and conferred on the following Chiefs of the Punjab and its dependencies :—

The Maharaja of Pattialla.
The Nawab of Bhawalpore.
The Raja of Jheend, and the heir apparent of Jheend.
The Raja of Nabha.
The Raja of Mundee.
The Nawab of Maleir Kotla.
The Raja of Furreedkote, and the heir apparent of Furreedkote.
The Raja of Chumba.
The Sirdar of Kulsia.
The Nawab of Patowdee.
The Nawab of Loharoo, and the heir apparent.
The Nawab of Dojana, and the heir apparent.
The Raja of Gooleria.

The Viceroy and Governor General then delivered the following address to the Chiefs, Sirdars, and Native gentlemen assembled in Durbar :—

"Maharaja, Rajas, and Sirdars. On behalf of Her Majesty the Queen I bid you heartily welcome.

"Since I met you in Durbar two years and a half ago, at Umballa, Lahore, and Multan, the Punjab has enjoyed peace and prosperity, the harvests have been plentiful, serious crime has diminished, and trade has flourished.

"The administration of the Province has been firmly and judiciously conducted by the Lieutenant-Governor, who has recently received from Her Majesty a well-earned mark of distinction.

"The native states have been well governed by the worthy and distinguished representatives of the princely houses whom I see assembled here to-day.

"A treaty of friendship and commerce has been concluded with the Ameer of Kashgar which, by the cordial co-operation of the Maharaja of Cashmere, will benefit trade.

"The Lieutenant-Governor has given his attention to the opening of a new trade route to Afghanistan with every prospect of success.

"The value of communication by Railway has been shown by the large quantities of grain which were sent last year out of the abundance of this province to Bengal and Behar, where the crops failed. The Railway through Sind to the seaport of Kurrachee is being rapidly constructed, and will provide an additional outlet for the produce of the Punjab.

"The increase of wealth and prosperity has made it necessary to add to the strength of the Civil Administration. This will give to the principal officers more time to acquire a personal knowledge of their districts and also afford greater opportunities for the honorable employment under Government of the well-educated natives of the province.

"There are some matters which, although they concern distant parts of India, may be interesting to you.

"The affairs of the State of Baroda have for some time caused considerable anxiety. The attempt recently made to poison Colonel Phayre, the representative of the British Government, was a most serious event, which demanded full and immediate enquiry. A Commission was accordingly appointed, upon which to my great satisfaction the Maharaja of Gwalior and the Maharaja of Jeypore are serving. The Commission have not yet made their report; I shall therefore abstain from any further remarks upon this subject.

"A difference has arisen between the British Government and the King of Ava, who, contrary to the assurances previously given by his Ministers, has claimed authority over the country of Western Karenee, which adjoins Her Majesty's Dominions, and has always been recognised as independent by the British Government. I have charged Sir Douglas Forsyth with a mission to Mandalay, and I trust that the question, although it has assumed a serious aspect, may eventually be amicably settled.

"These events affect but small portions of Her Majesty's Indian territories, and do not interfere with the general tranquillity and prosperity of the Empire.

"It will be my grateful duty to represent to the Queen the loyal reception with which I have been greeted as Her Representative by all classes in this city. I have received Her Majesty's commands to express the deep interest which she takes in the welfare of all her subjects, and the cordial friendship which she entertains towards the Princes and Chiefs of India.

"It affords me particular pleasure to be able to make the announcement that His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, the heir to the British Throne, intends to visit India next winter. His Royal Highness has long cherished the desire of becoming personally acquainted with this portion of the Empire, and I am sure that the Princes and people of India will welcome him in such a manner as will show their loyalty to the Throne, and their attachment to the British Government."

After His Excellency's speech had been delivered, the Durbar was closed with the usual ceremonies.

THE following is a list of the Native gentlemen, below the rank of the Raja of Gooleria, who attended the Public Durbar held at Delhi on the 23rd March 1875 :—

Raja Harbans Singh, Lahore.
Mirza Hidayat Afza *alias* Mirza Ilahi Bakhsh, Delhi.
Raja Sir Sahibdial, K. C. S. I., Amritsar.
Sirdar Bakhsish Singh, Sindhanwalia, Amritsar.
Raja Amar Chand, of Nadaon, Kangra.

Sirdar Bikrama Singh Bahadur, of Kaparthala, Jullunder.
Konwar Suchet Singh Bahadur, of Kaparthala, Jullunder.
Shahzada Shahpur, Ludiana.
Shahzada Nadir, Ludiana.
Sultan Sikandar, Ludiana.
Sultan Jalaluddin Saddozai, Ludiana.
Nawab Safaraz Khan Saddozai, Dera Ismail Khan.
Nawab Faujdar Khan, C.S.I., Alizai, represented by his son Rabnawaz Khan (by special permission), Dera Ismail Khan.
Nawab Shahnawaz Khan, of Tank, Dera Ismail Khan.
Nawab Sir Khwaja Muhammad Khan, K.C.S.I., Khatak, Kohat.
Nawab Gholam Hasan Khan, C.S.I., Alizai, Dera Ismail Khan.
Nawab Muhammad Akram Khan, C.S.I., Hazara.
Raja Rampal, of Kutlahr, Kangra.
Raja Juswant Singh, of Nurpur, Kangra.
Babu Sampuran Singh, Bedi, Jullunder.
Babu Khem Singh, Bedi, Rawalpindi.
Raja Hamidullah Khan, Kangra (Multan).
Sirdar Bhagwan Singh, Amritsar.
Sirdar Ajit Singh, Atariwala, Amritsar.
Sirdar Surat Singh, Majithia, C.S.I., Amritsar.
Sirdar Lal Singh, Kahariwala, Amritsar.
Nawab Muhammad Ali Khan, of Kanjpura, Karnal.
Nawab Nawazish Ali Khan, Kazalbash, Lahore.
Captain Gholab Singh, of Attari, Amritsar.
Sirdar Jiwan Singh, Booria, Umballa.
Sirdar Jiwan Singh, Shahid of Shahzadpur, Umballa.
Muhammad Hayat Khan, C.S.I., Rawalpindi (Kangra).
Bahadur Sher Khan Bangash, Khan Bahadur, Kohat.
Diwan Ram Nath, Lahore (Jullunder).
Sujan Singh, of Una Bedi, Hoshiarpur.
Bhai Jasmir Singh, of Arnauli, Karnal.
Bhai Anokh Singh, of Sidhowal, Karnal.
Nawab Azmat Ali Khan, Karnal.
Saadut Ali Khan, Karnal.
Muhammad Ali Khan, Karnal.
Sirdar Uttaru Singh, Rampur (Malaudh), Ludiana.
Gholam Muhammad Khan, Maler Kotla.
Inayat Ali Khan, Maler Kotla.
Nawab Zia-ud-din Ahmed Khan, Delhi.
Sirdar Mit Singh, Malaudh, Ludiana.
Sirdar Hakkikat Singh, Bir, Ludiana.
Sirdar Jai Singh, Manauli, Umballa.
Mir Bakar Ali Khan, of Kotaha, Umballa.
Malik Fatah Sher Khan, Khan Bahadur, Shahpur.
Malik Sher Muhammad Khan, Khan Bahadur, Shahpur.
Shekh Gholam Mahbub Sabhani, Kakkazai, Lahore.
Guru Fatah Singh, of Kot Hursahai, Firozpur.
Bhai Parduman Singh, Amritsar.
Mian Bije Singh, of Siba, Kangra.
Sirdar Uttam Singh, Ghanauli, Umballa.
Sirdar Partab Singh, ditto ditto.
Sirdar Badan Singh, Malaudh, Ludiana.
Sirdar Sundar Singh, ditto ditto.
Sirdar Thakur Singh, Sindhanwalia, Amritsar.
Sirdar Sardul Singh, Man, Amritsar.
Sirdar Jawahir Singh, Nalwa.
Sirdar Bahadur, Gujranwala.
Sirdar Santokh Singh, Bunga, Umballa.
Sirdar Bishan Singh, Kandaula, Umballa.
Sirdar Bhagwan Singh, Sohana, Umballa.
Sirdar Partab Singh, Manakmajra, Umballa.
Sirdar Tara Singh, of Chuni-Maculi Bhareli, Umballa.
Raja Hira Singh, of Pabhat, Umballa.
Sirdar Khiwan Singh, Maloha, Umballa.
Sirdar Ranjit Singh, of Ramgarh, Umballa.
Mian Dya Singh, of Ramgarh, Umballa.
Mian Govardhan Singh, of Ramgarh, Umballa.
Mian Sukhdarshan Singh, of Ramgarh, Umballa.
Sirdar Dharm Singh, of Shahabad, Umballa.
Sirdar Kishen Singh, of Shahabad, Umballa.
Sirdar Partab Singh, of Shahabad (Karondwah), Umballa.
Sirdar Harnam Singh, Moron, Jullunder.
Sirdar Gurbaksh Singh, Shahkot, Jullunder.
Sirdar Amar Singh, Shahkot, Jullunder.
Fatah Khan, Gheba of Kot, Rawalpindi.
Makhdum Bhawal Bakhsh, Koreshi, Multan.
Pundit Manphool, C. S. I., Lahore.
Nawab Abdul Majid Khan, Mooltani Saddozai, Lahore.
Nawab Kullee Khan, Sirdar Bahadur, Dera Ismail Khan.
Gholam Kadir Khan, Badozai, Multan.
Gholam Kadir Khan, Khakwani, Multan.
Hafiz Samandar Khan, Kwajakzai, Hoshiarpur.
Mian Shah Nawaz Khan, Sarai, Dera Ghazi Khan.
Fatah Khan, Khan Bahadur, Peshawur.
Gholam Muhammad Khan, of Makhod, Rawalpindi and Kohat.
Raja Jahandad Khan, Hazara
Muhammad Guldad Khan, Gundapur, Dera Ismail Khan.
Gholam Muhammad Khan, Khakwani, Shahpur (Dera Ismail Khan), (representing his brother Khan Bahadur Ata Muhammad Khan).
Malik Sahib Khan, C. S. I., Tiwana, Shahpur.
Muhammad Sarfaraz Khan, Momand, Peshawur.
Raja Feroz Khan, Hazara.
Ata Muhammad Khan, of Agror, Hazara.
Mozaffar Khan, of Hangu, Kohat.
Malik Aulia Khan, Rawalpindi, (specially permitted to be represented by his son Gholam Muhammad Khan).
Malik Fateh Khan, Rawalpindi.
Muhammad Sarfaraz Khan, Khan Bahadur, Isa Khel, Bannu.
Muzaffar Khan, Khan Bahadur, Isa Khel, Bannu.
Sher Muhammad Khan, Mazari, Dera Ghazi Khan.
Imam Bakhsh Khan, Mazari, Dera Ghazi Khan.
Jamal Khan, Laghari, Dera Ghazi Khan.
Bahadur Khan Khosa, Dera Ghazi Khan.
Miran Khan, Drishak, Dera Ghazi Khan.
Gholam Haidar Khan, Gurchani, Dera Ghazi Khan.
Gholam Haidar Khan, Lund, Dera GhaziKhan.
Fazl Ali Khan, Kasrani, Dera Ghazi Khan.
Sikandar Khan, Khosa, Dera Ghazi Khan.
Dost Muhammad Khan, Bozdar, Dera Ghazi Khan.
Kaure Khan, Khetran, Dera Ghazi Khan.
Abdul Rahim Khan, Isa Khel, Bannu.
Mahant Brahm, Buta, Amritsar.
Sirdar Gurdit Singh, Chachi, Gujranwala.
Rao Kishan Singh, of Raipur, Umballa.
Sirdar Rajandar Singh, of Kotgarh, Hoshiarpur.
Sirdar Bur Singh, Mukerian, Hoshiarpur.
Sirdar Jawahir Singh, of Zafarwal, Gurdaspur.

Colonel Dhanraj, Sialkot.
Fakir Zahur-ud-din, Lahore (Ludiana).
Fakir Burhan-ud-din, Lahore (Delhi).
Fatteh Khan, Dhrek, Rawalpindi.
Bhai Narayan Singh, Bagarian, Ludiana.
Ata Muhammad Khan, of Kotla Nihang, Umballa.
Muhammud Siraj-ud-din, Haidar, Gurgaon.
Sirdar Dewa Singh, Dhanaula, Karnal.
Sirdar Amar Singh, Dhanaula, Karnal.
Sirdar Budh Singh, Sidhran, Ludiana.
Sirdar Sahib Singh, Sidhran, Ludiana.
Sirdar Nidhan Singh, Sidhran, Ludiana.
Sirdar Harnam Singh, Sidhran, Ludiana.
Sirdar Sham Singh, Sidhran, Ludiana.
Yar Muhammad Khan, Ludiana.
Sirdar Kishan Singh, Umballa.
Sirdar Jasmir Singh, Umballa.
Sirdar Jowala Singh, Jharauli, Umballa.
Sirdar Tilok Singh, of Mustafabad, Umballa.
Sirdar Sandar Singh, of Mustafabad, Umballa.
Sirdar Gusaran Singh, of Mustafabad, Umballa.
Muhammad Husain Khan, of Kunjpura, Karnal.
Sirdar Dewa Singh, Leda, Umballa.
Nur Muhammad Khan, Gardezai, Ludiana.
Sirdar Hardit Singh, Dialgarh, Umballa.
Sirdar Sheo Narain Singh, Parkhali, Umballa.
Sirdar Partab Singh, Mianpur, Umballa.
Sirdar Ram Singh, of Shamgarh, Karnal.
Sirdar Jowala Singh, Sikri, Karnal.
Sirdar Bhag Singh, Sikandra, Umballa.
Sirdar Sant Singh, Sikandra, Umballa.
Sirdar Gurbaksh Singh, of Rupar.
Pundit Radha Kishen, Lahore.
Pundit Rai Mal Singh, Lahore.
Badshah Gul Banuri Sayad, Kohat.
Sirdar Hira Singh, Man, Sialkot.
Sodhi Man Singh, of Moja, Firozpur.
Khan Muhammad Shah, Khan Bahadur, Amritsar.
Mian Muhammad Jan, Cashmiri, Amritsar.
Sirdar Tara Singh, Rawalpindi.
Mirza Suleman Shikoh, Delhi.
Rai Prem Narain, Delhi.
Rai Lacha Singh Bahadoor, Delhi.
Rai Jewan Lal, Delhi.
Munshi Makhan Lal, Delhi.
Rai Sahib Singh, Delhi.
Rai Umrao Singh, Delhi.
Khan Mahbab Bakhsh, Delhi.
Kirpal Singh Dhin, Umballa.
Dalip Singh Dhin, Umballa.
Bishan Singh Bhari, Ludiana.
Lal Singh Bhari, Ludiana.
Sirdar Bishan Singh, of Thanasar, Umballa.
Narinjan Das, Gurdaspur.
Mir Intazam Ali, Gurgaon.
Sabal Singh, Rohtak.
Chaudri Rustam Ali Khan, Rohtak.
Balmukand, Delhi.
Rai Ganga Ram, Delhi.
Nanak Chand, Delhi.
Baldeo Singh, Delhi.
Ghulam Ahmad Khan, Karnal.
Mir Asghar Ali, Gurgaon.
Khan Bahadur Nizam-ud-din Khan, Delhi.
Khan Maulvi Zia-ud-din, Delhi.
Imam-ulla Khan, Delhi.
Zafarnath, Delhi.
Para Das, Delhi.
Baldeo Singh, son of Zorawar Singh, Delhi.
Lalla Jat Mal, Delhi (Ludiana).
Rammi Mal, Delhi.
Hakim Ghulam Raza Khan, Delhi.
Nand Kishore, Delhi.
Shekh Bu Ali Baksh, Karnal.
Nawab Aman-ullah Khan, Karnal.
Mir Amjad Ali, Delhi.
Mir Kasim Ali, Delhi.
Lala Dharm Das, Delhi.
Zahur-ud-din, Delhi.
Aziz-ud-din, Delhi.
Srinawas Das, Delhi.
Ghulam Hasan Khan, Delhi.
Kamdar Khan, Hissar.
Nanak Chand, Hissar.
Sandal Khan, Rohtak.
Umar Ali, Rohtak.
Kamr-ud-din Khan, Sirsa.
Haidar Beg, Hissar.
Muhammad Hasan Khan, Delhi.
Rai Suda Sukh, Delhi.
Badr-ud-din Khan, Delhi.
Indar Singh, Hissar.
Ahmad Nabi Khan, Hissar.
Ramsakh Das, Sirsa.
Shekh Kwaja Baksh, Rohtak.
Sadoolla Khan, Mooltan.

Government Officials.

Pundit Motee Lal, Extra Assistant Commissioner, and Mir Munshi to the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab.
Sayad Safdar Hussain Khan, Extra Assistant Commissioner.
Pundit Bashkar Rao, Extra Assistant Commissioner.
Pundit Bihari Lal, Extra Assistant Commissioner.
Muhammud Barkat Ali Khan, Khan Bahadur, Extra Assistant Commissioner.
Rai Raja Lal, Extra Assistant Commissioner.
Rai Thandi Ram, Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner.
Udeh Ram, Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner.
Mian Sher Singh, Assistant District Superintendent of Police, Delhi.
Bhai Gurdit Singh, Assistant Mir Munshi, Punjab Secretariat.
Sayad Amir Ali, Tehsildar of Delhi.
Lalla Manohar Lal.

The 29th March 1875.

No. 73 *C. P.*—In recognition of the important and faithful services rendered to the British Government by Atta Mahomed Khan, Khagwani, Khan Bahadoor, of Dera Ismail Khan, Agent at the Court of His Highness the Ameer of Afghanistan, the Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to confer upon him the title of "Nawab" as a personal distinction.

GENERAL.

Camp Delhi, the 29th March 1875.

No. 53 *C. G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Lieutenant H. A. Vincent, 2nd Squadron Subaltern, 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse, to officiate as Adjutant, 1st Regiment, Central India Horse, during the absence of Captain Neill or until further orders.

Simla, the 2nd April 1875.

No. 574*G.*—Moulvie Izhar Hoossein, Khan Bahadoor, Meer Moonshee in the Foreign Department, is dismissed from his appointment and declared incapable of serving Government hereafter in any capacity.

No. 575*G.*—Notification No. 161, dated 18th February 1862 conferring on Moulvie Izhar Hoossein the title of Khan Bahadoor as a personal distinction is hereby cancelled.

No. 577*G.*—Prankishen Gangooly, Translator in the Foreign Department is dismissed from his appointment and declared incapable of serving Government hereafter in any capacity.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 1st April 1875.

No. 11.—Furlough for twenty months on medical certificate, under Section 10 (*a*) of the Civil Leave Code, is granted to Mr. Tudor Trevor, Officiating Assistant Accountant General, Bombay.

No. 13.—Mr. R. E. Hamilton, Assistant to the Accountant General, Bombay, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Accountant General, Bombay, and Mr. H. S. Groves, B. A., is appointed to act as Assistant to the Accountant General, Bombay.

No. 15.—Privilege leave for thirty-three days is granted to Mr. L. C. Probyn, Accountant General, Punjab.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Fort William, the 27th March 1875.

No. 157.—Lieutenant H. P. Leach, R. E., attached to the Bengal Sappers and Miners, passed the colloquial examination in Hindustani on the 11th March 1875.

No. 158.—Public Works Department Notification No. 37, of 21st January 1875, transferring Conductor W. Wilson, Supervisor 1st grade, from the Punjab Irrigation Branch to the Bengal Irrigation Branch, is cancelled.

C. H. DICKENS, *Col.*, R. A.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 5th April 1875.

No. 5.—Mr. L. A. Goodeve, Barrister-at-Law, Editor of the Bengal Law Reports, is allowed an extension of leave for six months, namely, from 1st June to 30th November 1875.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 7th April 1875.

No. 315.—Mr. J. D. Beglar, an Assistant in the Archæological Survey of India, has been granted six months' leave on private affairs, with effect from such date as he may avail himself of it.

The 8th April 1875.

No. 318.—*Appointment.*—Mr. J. W. Quinton, B.A., C.S., to officiate as Judicial Commissioner in British Burma during the absence of Mr. J. D. Sandford, or until further orders.

No. 321.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. C. F. Carnac to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service with effect from the 29th ultimo.

The 9th April 1875.

No. 326.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. A. Hope to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service with effect from the 11th January 1875.

No. 331.—*Appointments.*—Mr. N. A. Garstin, District Superintendent of Police, 4th Grade, Oudh, to officiate as District Superintendent of Police, 3rd Grade, during the absence of Captain F. N. Maynard or until further orders.

Mr. E. A. Mumford, Inspector of Police, to officiate as District Superintendent of Police of the 5th Grade during the deputation of Mr. Garstin or until further orders.

No. 333.—*Appointment.*—Lieutenant-Colonel C. B. Lucie Smith, Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd class in the Central Provinces, to officiate as Commissioner of the Narbada Division during the absence of Mr. W. M. Low, C. S., or until further orders.

No. 335.—The services of Major E. Y. Walcott, Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Grade in Assam, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 338.—*Appointment.*—Surgeon Major J. Cameron, Civil Surgeon of Fyzabad, to officiate as Civil Surgeon of Lucknow, during the absence on furlough of Surgeon Major J. C. Whishaw, or until further orders.

No. 340.—*Appointments.*—Mr. J. J. Higgins, District Superintendent of Police of the 3rd class in the Central Provinces to be District Superintendent of the 2nd class, *vice* Captain S. S. Sutherland resigned.

Major D. MacNeill, District Superintendent of Police of the 4th class to be District Superintendent of the 3rd class, *vice* Mr. Higgins.

Mr R. Hamilton, District Superintendent of the 5th class, to be District Superintendent of the 4th class, *vice* Major MacNeill.

Mr. Ratan Sing, Assistant District Superintendent of Police to be District Superintendent of the 5th class, *vice* Mr. Hamilton.

MEDICAL.

The 9th April 1875.

No. 214.—*Appointment.*—Surgeon T. Mayne, of the Madras Establishment, to be Civil Surgeon of the Damoh District, in the Central Provinces, *vice* Honorary Surgeon T. King, resigned.

POLICE.

Simla, the 8th April 1875.

No. 63.—The provisions of Act VIII of 1870 (for the prevention of the murder of female infants) having been made applicable to the classes of persons resident in the Meerut District in the localities detailed in the subjoined list, by the Notification of the Government of the North-Western Provinces, No. 19 A, dated the 1st ultimo, the following Rules made by the Government of the North-Western Provinces in exercise of the power conferred on it by Section 2 of the said Act, and confirmed by the Governor General in Council, are hereby published for general information:—

Rules for the suppression of Female Infanticide.

I.—A nominal Register (A) of all proclaimed families shall be drawn up by the Police under the orders of the Magistrate of the district. In this register recognized heads of families or masters of separate households shall be entered as the heads of families, and every member of the family habitually resident in the village shall be entered by name. All persons under twelve shall be entered as children, except married female children living with their husbands, who shall, for the purposes of these Rules, be deemed to be adult females.

II.—All villages in which the proportion of female children to children on a proclaimed population of not less than 25 children, is less than 25 per cent., shall be called "specially guilty" villages, and shall also be entered in a separate Register (B), which shall be called the "Private register of proclaimed families in specially guilty villages." This register shall not be open to inspection except by the officers of the district.

III.—The person who is registered as the head of a proclaimed family shall report immediately the occurrence of every birth and death, and the illness of any female child in his family to the chaukidar of the village. He shall also produce all children in his family for the inspection of a Police Officer visiting the village when required to produce them.

IV.—Every midwife knowing of, or having reason to believe in, the occurrence in a proclaimed family in the village in which she resides of a birth, or of the illness of a new-born child, shall at once report the fact to the chaukidar of the village. And if the village is one entered in Register B, she shall also report the occurrence of a pregnancy.

V.—If in a given time after proclamation [to be determined for each village or locality by the Local Government] the proportion of female children in a village entered in Register B does not rise to more than 25 per cent., the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that every person registered as the head of a proclaimed family in that village shall be personally bound to report to the officer in charge of the Police Station every pregnancy in his family at some period before the seventh month.

VI.—The chaukidar of the village shall immediately report to the officer in charge of the Police Station the occurrence of a birth, whether male or female, in a proclaimed family; the death of a female infant under six months old; the illness of a female child; and the removal of a pregnant woman to another village. He shall also report, on the occasion of his periodical visit to the Police Station, other deaths, removals and arrivals; and pregnancies reported to him if the village is entered in Register B.

VII.—The zemindars of the villages shall give assistance to the Police in drawing up Register A, and in obtaining information regarding all births, marriages, and deaths occurring, or about to occur, among proclaimed families.

VIII.—All expenses incurred in working the system sanctioned by Act VIII of 1870 shall be borne by the proclaimed clans and families, and shall be recoverable as arrears of land revenue; provided that, when the percentage of female children to children of any proclaimed class in any village exceeds forty, such class shall be exempted from any share in such expenses, unless in the opinion of the Magistrate there be other grounds of suspicion.

IX.—Where the crime is so prevalent, and the number of the proclaimed villages so great, that the ordinary establishment of the district cannot cope successfully with it, the Local Government may, at its discretion, appoint a force of special Police for the purpose of carrying out measures of prevention and detection. All expenses incurred for the payment of such Police, or under Rule VIII, may be met by a rate leviable, under the orders of the Local Government, from the heads of families entered in the nominal register of proclaimed persons. Such rate will ordinarily be imposed so as to fall more heavily on specially guilty than on guilty families; but the amount of the rate to be levied will be fixed in every case by the special orders of the Local Government.

X.—No proclaimed village or family shall be exempted from the operation of these Rules except by the order of the Local Government, or in virtue of authority to that effect vested by Government in any officer. A village or family so exempted will then be struck out of Register A, and the erasure initialled by the Magistrate of the District, or by the District Superintendent of Police.

List of Clans and Localities.

Clan.	Pargana.	No.	Village.
ats (Burhia) ..	Haupur ..	1	Humayaunpur.
Do. (Tewalia) ..	Do. ..	2	Jetpur.
Gujars ..	Do. ..	3	Sanwin.
		4	Harsingpur.
	Kithor ..	5	Khatki.
		6	Sahbazpur.
		7	Nabbipur.
		8	Darweshpur.
		9	Mehalwala.
		10	Bailpura.
		11	Nagla Kithor.
		12	Jataula.
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		60	Sharifabad Rajpur.
		61	Charori.
		62	Jafrabad Ganauli.
		63	Dhanpur.
		64	Aurangabad Ristaul.
		65	Sakkar Pola.
		66	Kundli.
		67	Chilla Saroda.
		68	Dabuipura.
		69	Sadatpur.
		70	Jaggatpur.
		71	Sarora Salempur.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—SURVEYS.

Simla, the 5th April 1875.

No. 224.—Dr. Ottokar Feistmantel, who has been nominated, on probation, as a 3rd Grade Assistant on the Geological Survey of India, by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, joined his appointment on the morning of the 25th March 1875.

The 7th April 1875.

No. 227.—The furlough granted to Mr. W. H. Cole, M. A., Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade, Great Trigonometrical Survey, in the Notification of this Department No. 152, dated the 3rd ultimo, is cancelled at his own request.

The 8th April 1875.

No. 234.—Mr. A. B. Wynne, Assistant in the Geological Survey of India, 2nd Grade, availed himself of the subsidiary leave and furlough granted to him by Notification No. 113, dated the 19th February 1875, on the morning of the 8th ultimo and the 29th idem respectively.

CUSTOMS AND SALT.

The 7th April 1875.

No. 116.—Mr. W. S. Halsey and Mr. G. H. M. Batten respectively made over and received charge of the Office of Commissioner of Inland Customs on the forenoon of the 25th March 1875.

No. 118.—The services of Mr. W. S. Halsey, Officiating Commissioner of Inland Customs, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces, with effect from the forenoon of the 25th March 1875.

A. O. HUME,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Simla, the 9th April 1875.

No. 1018*P.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. Jean Hintze as Acting Consul for the Austrian and Hungarian Empire at Rangoon during the absence of Mr. C. F. Overbeck.

GENERAL.

The 9th April 1875.

No. 617*G.*—*Appointment.*—The Hon'ble R. A. Dalyell, of the Madras Civil Service, to officiate temporarily as Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg from date of receiving charge from Mr. J. D. Gordon, C. S. I.

No. 618*G.*—*Appointment.*—Mr. J. J. D. La-Touche, late Settlement Officer of Ajmere, to officiate temporarily as Deputy Commissioner of Ajmere, *vice* Major Repton on leave.

No. 619*G.*—*Appointment.*—Colonel J. A. Wright, Political Agent of the 2nd Class and Officiating Political Agent in Haraotee, to officiate as Resident of the 3rd Class and Political Agent at Jeypore, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Beynon on leave.

Captain W. J. W. Muir, Political Agent of the 3rd Class, and Officiating Political Agent of the Eastern States of Rajpootana, to officiate as Political Agent in Haraotee, *vice* Colonel Wright.

No. 620*G.*—Surgeon Major D. Wright reverted to his appointment of Residency Surgeon at Katmandoo from the forenoon of 29th March 1875, on which date Mr. C. E. R. Girdlestone reassumed the office of Resident in Nipal.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 5th April 1875.

No. 43.—The undersigned has received by post in an envelope bearing the post-mark Calcutta, April 1st, a Government Currency Note No. L 46—95009 for Rs. 20 and paid it into the Government Treasury at Simla.

The 8th April 1875.

No. 81.—Mr. H. S. Schurr, Probationer in the office of the Accountant General, Bengal, is allowed one month's privilege leave from the 9th April 1875.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

The 8th April 1875.

No. 33.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the addition of the following paragraph to Rule 3 under Section 26 (*a*) of the Civil Leave Code:—

"The proper stamp duty upon bonds executed under this rule is that chargeable upon indemnity bonds according to article 9 of the First Schedule of the General Stamp Act XVIII of 1869."

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 9th April 1875.

No. 83.—Mr. R. A. Sterndale is appointed Assistant Commissioner of Paper Currency, Calcutta, *vice* Mr. H. N. L. Berkeley, retired.

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 9th April 1875.

No. 70.—The Governor General in Council directs the substitution, for the present clause (*b*) in Rule 1, Section 39 of the Civil Pension Code, of the words "Artificers, Assistant Artificers, Mounted Artificers, and Linemen in the Telegraph Department."

SEPARATE REVENUE—POST OFFICE.

The 9th April 1875.

No. 67.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 2 of Act VIII of 1874, and Section 2 of Act XII of 1874, the Governor General in Council is pleased to delegate to the Chief Commissioner of Assam the powers which were exercisable by the Government of Bengal under Sections 2, 3 and 11 of Act VIII of 1862, of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council (an Act to improve the system of Zemindary Dawks in the Provinces subject to the Government of Bengal).

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 8th April 1875.

No. 351 *of* 1875.—Captain C. Case of the Bengal Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd class, having returned from furlough to Europe, will officiate as Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st class, with effect from 8th March 1875, and until further orders; junior officers acting in higher grades reverting to their proper places in the Department.

No. 352 *of* 1875.—The following order issued by the Resident at Hyderabad is confirmed:—

No. 55 *of* 18*th March* 1875.—Granting Captain E. W. Shaw, of the Madras Staff Corps, Adjutant, 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, 30 days' leave of absence to Bombay from the 1st April 1875, or date of departure, preparatory to his obtaining furlough to Europe on medical certificate.

No. 353 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Captain Albert FitzWilliam Taylor, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 16th (The Lucknow) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for 2 years under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 354 *of* 1875.—The name of Native Medical Pupil Afazooddeen 1st, No. 213, whose admission into the service was notified in G. G. O. No. 916, dated 20th October 1871, having become an insane is struck off the list of Native Medical Pupils.

No. 355 *of* 1875.—Supernumerary Surgeon-Major John Ellis, M.B., of the Medical Department, is brought on the establishment of Surgeons Major to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 356 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers, having completed twelve years' service, including four years in the Staff Corps, are promoted to the rank of Captain from the date specified, under the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Bengal Staff Corps.

Lieutenant George Masson Abbott,—31st March 1875.

Lieutenant Alfred Nimmo Sandilands,—31st March 1875.

No. 357 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Surgeon Major Simon Mackertich, M.D., of the Medical Department, in Medical charge, 5th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—for two years under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Surgeon Denis Francis Keegan, M.D., of the Medical Department, in Medical charge, 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse,—for twenty-four months under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 358 *of* 1875.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette* of the 26th February 1875, pages 811 and 812, are published for general information:—

WAR OFFICE, PALL MALL.
The 26th February 1875.

Brevet.

Captain and Local Major Samuel Barrett Miles, Bombay Staff Corps, Political Agent, to have the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, whilst serving in the Persian Gulf. Dated 27th February 1875.

The under-mentioned Officers, who have retired upon full pay, to have a step of honorary rank, as follows, *viz.*:—

Lieut.-Colonel John Woodcock, Madras Staff Corps, to be Colonel. Dated 27th February 1875.

Lieutenant and Brevet Captain Charles Richard Blair, Bengal Invalids, to be Major. Dated 27th February 1875.

Surgeon Major James Gilbert, Bombay Army, to be Deputy Surgeon-General. Dated 27th February 1875.

INDIA OFFICE.
The 24th February 1875.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps, and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments in India:—

BREVET.—*To be Colonels.*

Lieut.-Colonel George Ward, Bengal Cavalry. Dated 1st December 1874.

Lieut.-Colonel Hugh Lindsay Christie, Madras Infantry. Dated 2nd December 1874.

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant Colonels.

Major Francis Booth Norman. Dated 8th December 1874.
Major Francis John Craigie. Dated 8th December 1874.
Major Charles Stuart Lane. Dated 9th December 1874.
Major William George Davies. Dated 9th December 1874.
Major Henry Manley Wemyss. Dated 9th December 1874.
Major Alfred Blunt. Dated 9th December 1874.
Major Robert Gordon Rogers. Dated 9th December 1874.
Major Boyle Torriano Stafford. Dated 9th December 1874.
Major John Palmer Turton. Dated 9th December 1874.
Major Edward O'Brien Horsford. Dated 9th December 1874.
Major James Edmund Bacon Parsons. Dated 20th December 1874.
Major John Frederick Lane Fisher. Dated 20th December 1874.
Major Charles Chester Ekins. Dated 20th December 1874.
Major John Charles Horne. Dated 20th December 1874.
Major David Simson Buist. Dated 20th December 1874.
Major Henry Auriol Prinsep. Dated 20th December 1874.
Major Henry Coape Smith. Dated 20th December 1874.

To be Majors.

Captain Aylmer Vivian. Dated 9th December 1874.
Captain Frederick Donnelly Harington. Dated 10th December 1874.
Captain Owen Ivon Chalmers. Dated 10th December 1874.
Captain Robert Elphinstone Boyle. Dated 10th December 1874.
Captain Mark Henry Heathcote. Dated 20th December 1874.
Captain Charles William Campbell. Dated 20th December 1874.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Edward Barry Bishop. Dated 2nd December 1874.
Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Horace Richard LeMarchant Carey. Dated 6th December 1874.
Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Arthur L'Estrange Hamilton Holmes. Dated 13th December 1874.
Lieutenant Matthew Horace Hayes. Dated 17th December 1874.

No. 359 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers have reported their return from England:—

Captain W. Loch, of the General List Infantry, 3rd Squadron Officer, 19th Bengal Lancers,—date of arrival at Bombay, 17th March 1875.

Captain M. P. Ricketts, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Class, Central Provinces,—date of arrival at Bombay, 17th March 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. A. Craster, of the Royal Engineers, Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, Public Works Department,—date of arrival at Bombay, 22nd March 1875.

Major G. A. Prendergast, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 15th Bengal (Cureton's Mooltanee) Cavalry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 22nd March 1875.

Captain C. N. Hodgson, of the General List, Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 22nd March 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) A. B. Johnson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Assistant Secretary and Officiating Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th March 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) T. W. Mercer, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Class, Punjab,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th March 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) C. B. Basden, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 45th (Rattray's Sikhs) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th March 1875.

Major H. V. Mathias, of the Bengal Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, 2nd Class, Central Provinces,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th March 1875.

Captain E. Newbery, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Personal Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police, Punjab,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th March 1875.

Surgeon Major S. C. Courtney, M.D., of the Medical Department, in Medical charge, Corps of Guides,—date of arrival at Fort William, 24th March 1875.

Surgeon Major J. Fairweather, M.D., of the Medical Department,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th March 1875.

No. 360 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer, of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, is promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, Clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Brooking Soady, Bengal Staff Corps,—1st April 1875.

No. 361 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officer, of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed twelve years' service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, is admitted to the Colonel's allowance, with effect from the date specified, under the operation of G. G. O. No. 808 of 1866, paragraph 61, clause 5 :—

Lieut.-General William Edward Mulcaster,—4th April 1875.

No. 362 *of* 1875.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Corps.	Rank and name.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Infantry ...	Supy. Lieutenant-Colonel (Major General) John Barrett.	Colonel, with Colonel's allowance.	6th April 1875...	Agreeably to paragraph 13 of Secretary of State's despatch published in G. G. O. No. 869 of 1862.

No. 363 *of* 1875.—The under-mentioned Officers of the Presidency Volunteers are allowed leave of absence to proceed to Europe :—

Lieutenant William Hugh Clark, of the Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps,—for six months on Medical Certificate, from 15th April 1875.

Lieutenant Samuel Clarke Kennedy, of the Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps,—for nine months on private affairs, from 15th March 1875.

Captain Thomas Hindmarsh, of the Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps,—for four months on private affairs, from 1st April 1875.

No. 364 *of* 1875. *Erratum.*—In G. G. O. No. 614 of 1874, admitting certain men of the 11th Hussars to pension, for "Syce Bucktone" read *Grass Cutter Bucktower.*

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 365 *of* 1875.—Supernumerary Surgeon Major Edric Selous, of the Medical Department, is brought on the establishment of Surgeons Major to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 366 *of* 1875.—The following promotion is made in the under-mentioned corps of the Native Army :—

20th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Jemadar Kowda to be Subadar from the 10th February 1875, *vice* Girdharie deceased.

No. 367 *of* 1875.—The services of Native Medical Pupil Inoyut Oolla Khan, No. 108, admitted by G. G. O., No. 389, of the 27th April 1871, are dispensed with, with retrospective effect from the 13th March 1874.

No. 368 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

1st Punjab Cavalry.

Captain J. R. B. Atkinson, 2nd Squadron Officer, to officiate as 2nd in Command and Squadron Officer, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Captain G. C. Bird, or until further orders.

Captain H. Wylie, 3rd Squadron Officer, to officiate as 2nd Squadron Officer, *vice* Captain J. R. B. Atkinson.

2nd Sikh Infantry.

Captain C. K. Mackinnon, Wing Officer, 3rd Punjab Infantry, to officiate as 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, during the period Lieut.-Colonel R. D'O. C. Bracken may officiate as Commandant of the 3rd Punjab Infantry or until further orders.

3rd Punjab Infantry.

Captain J. Finnis, Quartermaster, to officiate as Wing Officer, *vice* Captain C. K. Mackinnon, or until further orders.

Lieutenant F. R. Begbie, 1st Wing Subaltern to officiate as Quartermaster, in addition to his other duties, *vice* Captain J. Finnis.

5th Punjab Infantry.

Major W. C. Chowne, Wing Officer, to officiate as 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Major S. J. Browne, or until further orders.

Captain T. F. Bruce, Adjutant, to officiate as Wing Officer, *vice* Major W. C. Chowne.

Captain A. N. Sandilands, Quartermaster, to officiate as Adjutant, *vice* Captain T. F. Bruce.

Lieutenant A. G. Yaldwyn, 1st Wing Subaltern to officiate as Quartermaster, in addition to his other duties, *vice* Captain A. N. Sandilands.

The 9th April 1875.

No. 369 *of* 1875.—The following extract from List No. 5, dated the 5th March 1875, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, &c., received from the India Office, is published for general information.

Permitted to return.

Captain D. G. Pitcher.
Lieut.-Colonel R. G. Rogers.
Captain A. C. W. Crookshank.

Colonel C. C. G. Ross.
Major R. Smith.
Major R. J. Walker.

Granted extensions of leave.

Lieut.-Colonel G. H. Basevi, 6 months sick certificate.

Captain J. Macnair, 6 months sick certificate.

Lieutenant R. J. Morgan, 3 months sick certificate.

Colonel A. Robinson, 3 months sick certificate.

Retirements.

Major R. A. Nowell,—8th February 1875.
Major C. C. Taylor,—10th April 1875.
Surgeon Major T. B. Farncombe,—18th February 1875.

No. 370 *of* 1875.—Major F. H. Conolly, of the Bengal Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, 4th Grade, Punjab, is allowed furlough in India on private affairs for two years, with effect from such date as he may have quitted his station, under Rules IX and XVII of the furlough Regulations of 1868.

This cancels the furlough to Europe granted to Captain, now Major Conolly in G. G. O. No. 246, dated 4th March 1875.

No. 371 *of* 1875.—The following temporary promotion is made in the Ordnance Commissariat Department :—

Captain H. M. Mackenzie, of the Royal Artillery, Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class, to officiate as Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Captain J. A. S. Colquhoun, Commissary of Ordnance, 2nd Class, or until further orders.

No. 372 of 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

3rd Punjab Cavalry.

Major A. Vivian, 2nd in Command and Squadron Officer, to officiate as Commandant, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) L. B. Jones, or until further orders.

Captain W. C. Anderson, 2nd Squadron Officer, to officiate as 2nd in Command and Squadron Officer, *vice* Major A. Vivian.

Captain J. D. Macpherson, Adjutant, to officiate as 2nd Squadron Officer, *vice* Captain W. C. Anderson.

Captain J. Davidson, 1st Squadron Subaltern, to officiate as 3rd Squadron Officer, in addition to his other duties, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Captain R. B. Lockwood, or until further orders.

Lieutenant C. C. Egerton, 2nd Squadron Subaltern, to officiate as Adjutant, *vice* Captain J. D. Macpherson.

5th Goorkha Regiment (The Hazara Goorkha Battalion).

Captain W. H. Unwin, 1st Wing Subaltern, to officiate as 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, during the period Major H. P. Close may officiate as Commandant of the 4th Punjab Infantry, or until further orders.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 3rd April 1875.

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates from the 20th to the 31st March 1875.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
					Rs. A. P.		
H. M's. British Mily. Service.							
Albert Augustus Phipps* ...	Lieut. ...	2nd Battalion 60th Rifles.	16th January 1875.	Intestate.	1,120 12 6	.....	2nd June 1875.
H. M's. Indian Mily. Service.							
Richard Joseph Dickson Ferris,†	Lieut.-Col.	Bengal Staff Corps.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	300 0 0	.....	.....

* Next of kin.—Captain Charles Edmund Phipps, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry.—Edinburgh, North Britain.
† Widow.—Mrs. Rachel Cairnie Ferris.—Dehra-Dun.
Children.—Joseph George Ferris.
Georgina Augusta Maria Ferris.
Mary Kate Ferris.
Louisa Ann Ferris.
Administrator-General administering.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 3rd April 1875.

B. E. BACON, *Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 29th March 1875.

No. 159.—Mr. R. J. Bailey, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, Military Works Branch, having passed the prescribed examination, is promoted to Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, with effect from 13th January 1875.

No. 160.—The under-mentioned Officers of Royal Engineers are appointed temporarily to the Public Works Department as Assistant Engineers, 2nd Grade, and posted to the North-Western Provinces, Irrigation Branch :—

Lieutenant H. W. Duperier.
Lieutenant T. P. Cather.

The 30th March 1875.

No. 161.—Mr. E. H. Phillips, Accountant, 4th Grade, attached to the 4th Calcutta Division, is transferred to British Burmah.

Baboo Hurro Prosuno Ghose is appointed an Accountant of the 4th Grade and posted to British Burmah.

No. 162.—Corporal H. Rowe, R.E., is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Overseer, 1st Grade, on probation, and posted to the Establishment under the Director of State Railways.

No. 163.—The under-mentioned Engineer Apprentices attached to the Irrigation Branch, Punjab, are promoted to the rank of Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, with effect from the 1st March 1875 :—

Mr. R. H. McLaughlin.
Mr. C. Fleming.
Mr. W. B. Beale.

No. 164.—Gunner L. McCarthy, Overseer, 1st Grade, Military Works Branch, is remanded to Military duty.

No. 165.—Mr. P. D. Barclay is appointed an Assistant Traffic Superintendent on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways.

The 31st March 1875.

No. 166.—Mr. W. F. F. Handcock, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, employed on Famine Relief Works, Bengal, is transferred to British Burmah for employment on the Rangoon and Irrawaddie Valley State Railway.

The 9th April 1875.

No. 167.—The following temporary promotions are made in the Control Establishment, Public Works Department, with effect from the 1st March 1875 :—

To be Controller, 1st Class, 1st Grade.

Mr. F. R. Boyce.

To be Controller, 1st Class, 2nd Grade.

Captain L. Conway Gordon, R.E.

To be Controller, 2nd Class, 1st Grade.

Captain C. M. Moberly.
" D. H. Trail, R.E.

To be Controller, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade.

Mr. R. H. Trotter.
Lieutenant W. J. LeBreton.

To be Controller, 3rd Class, 1st Grade.

Mr. D. C. Gordon.
Captain A. G. Begbie, R.E.

To be Controller, 3rd Class, 2nd Grade.

Mr. J. W. Fordham.

To be Deputy Controller.

Captain H. R. LeM. Carey.
Mr. F. E. Godfrey.

To be Assistant Controller, 1st Grade.

Mr. J. L. Macpherson.

To be Assistant Controller, 2nd Grade.

Mr. R. N. Burn.
" J. B. Braddon.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 12th April 1875.

No. 486.—Under section 4 of Act 24 and 25 Vic., Cap. 104, the Hon'ble Sir Richard Couch, Knight, Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, has tendered the resignation of his appointment to the Governor General in Council with effect from the 5th instant.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 15th April 1875.

No. 353.—The services of Assistant Apothecaries J. Reid and J. Whitby are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

No. 356.—Mr. Charles Currie, Judicial Commissioner of Oudh, held charge of the office of Chief Commissioner of Oudh from the afternoon of the 10th to the forenoon of the 15th ultimo.

The 16th April 1875.

No. 359.—*Appointments.*—Mr. H. W. Gibson, Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Grade in Oudh, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner during the absence of Mr. J. G. Anderson, or until further orders.

Mr. J. T. Crawford, C.S., Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Grade in Oudh, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner during the absence of Mr. W. Glynn, or until further orders.

No. 361.—*Appointment.*—Moung Oon, Extra Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, 1st Grade, in British Burma, to be Second Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Rangoon.

No. 363.—An extension of six months' leave on medical certificate has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to Messrs. J. Whitmore and J. W. Tawney, of the Bengal Civil Service.

PORT BLAIR.

The 15th April 1875.

No. 176.—The services of Major B. Rogers, Bengal Staff Corps, are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS AND SALT.

Simla, the 13th April 1875.

No. 129.—Mr. W. Synnott and Mr. G. A. Bradford respectively made over and received charge of the Office of Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Inland Customs on the afternoon of the 7th instant.

A. O. HUME,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Simla, the 16th April 1875.

No. 1064*P.*—With reference to Notification No. 2820P., dated 21st December 1874, the recognition by the Government of India of Mr. Jules Bloch as Acting Consul for Belgium at Calcutta, during the absence of Mr. Renaud, has been confirmed by Her Majesty's Government.

No. 1066*P.*—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Monsieur Charles Grondona as Vice Consul for Italy at Bombay.

No. 1069*P.*—In recognition of the long and meritorious service of First Grade Assistant Surgeon Baboo Ramsoonder Ghose, Deputy Superintendent of Vaccination, Metropolitan Circles, the Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to confer upon him the title of "Rai Bahadoor," as a personal distinction.

No. 1071 *P.*—The following order of Her Majesty in Council, published in the *London Gazette* of the 19th February 1875, is re-published for general information :—

AT THE COURT AT OSBORNE HOUSE, ISLE OF WIGHT, THE 4TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1875.

Present.

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An act for amending the law relating to the Extradition of Criminals," it was amongst other things enacted, that where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Act shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient:

And whereas a treaty was concluded on the thirty-first day of March last between Her Majesty and the Swiss Confederation, for the Mutual Extradition of Fugitive Criminals, which Treaty is in the the terms following :—

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Swiss Confederation, having judged it expedient, with a view to the better administration of justice and to the prevention of crime within their respective territories and jurisdictions, that persons charged with, or convicted of, the crimes hereinafter enumerated, and being fugitives from justice, should, under certain circumstances, be reciprocally delivered up, have named as their Plenipotentiaries to conclude a Treaty for this purpose, that is to say :

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Alfred Guthrie Graham Bonar, Esquire, Her Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Swiss Confederation ;

And the Federal Council of the Swiss Confederation, Joseph Martin Knüsel, Member of the Swiss Federal Council ;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following Articles :—

NACHDEM Ihre Majestät die Königin des Vereinigten Königreichs von Grossbritannien und Irland, und die Schweizerische Eidgenossenschaft, behufs besserer Verwaltung der Rechtspflege und zur verhütung von Verbrechen innerhalb der beiden Gebiete und Gerichtsbarkeiten es für zwekmässig befunden haben, dass Personen, welche der in diesem Vertrage aufgeführten strafbaren Handlungen beschuldigt oder wegen solcher verurtheilt und vor der Justiz flüchtig geworden sind, unter bestimmten Umständen gegenseitig ausgeliefert werden sollen; so haben sie behufs Abschliessung eines desfallsigen Vertrages zu Ihren Bevollmächtigten ernannt und zwar:

Ihre Majestät die Königin des Vereinigten Königreichs von Grossbritannien und Irland Alfred Guthrie Graham Bonar, Esquire, Ihren ausserordentlichen Gesandten und Bevollmächtigten Minister bei der Schweizerischen Eidgenossenschaft.

Und der Bundesrath der Schweizerischen Eidgenossenschaft Joseph Martin Knüsel, Mitglied des Schweizerischen Bundesrathes ;

Welche, nachdem sie sich gegenseitig ihre Vollmachten mitgetheilt und dieselben in guter und gehöriger Form befunden, die folgenden Artikel vereinbart und abgeschlossen haben :—

ARTICLE I.

The High Contracting Parties engage to deliver up to each other those persons who, being accused or convicted of a crime committed in the territory of the one Party, shall be found within the territory of the other Party under the circumstances and conditions stated in the present Treaty.

ARTICLE II.

The crimes for which the extradition is to be granted are the following :—

(1.) Murder (including infanticide) and attempt to murder.
(2.) Manslaughter.
(3.) Counterfeiting or altering money, uttering or bringing into circulation counterfeit or altered money.
(4). Forgery, or counterfeiting, or altering, or uttering what is forged, or counterfeited, or altered; comprehending the crimes designated in the Penal Codes of either State as counterfeiting or falsification of paper money, banknotes, or other securities, forgery, or other falsification of other public or private documents, likewise the uttering or bringing into circulation, or wilfully using such counterfeited, forged, or falsified papers.
(5.) Embezzlement or larceny.
(6.) Obtaining money or goods by false pretences.
(7.) Crimes against bankruptcy law.
(8.) Fraud committed by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, or director, or member or public officer of any Company made criminal by any law for the time being in force.
(9.) Rape.
(10.) Abduction of minors.
(11.) Child stealing or kidnapping.
(12.) False imprisonment.
(13.) Burglary, or housebreaking, with criminal intent.
(14.) Arson.
(15.) Robbery with violence.
(16.) Threats by letter or otherwise with intent to extort.
(17.) Perjury or subornation of perjury.
(18.) Malicious injury to property, if the offence be indictable.

The extradition is also to take place for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes, as an accessory before or after the fact.

ARTICLE III.

No Swiss shall be delivered up by Switzerland to the Government of the United Kingdom; and no subject of the United Kingdom shall be delivered up by the Government thereof to Switzerland.

ARTICLE IV.

The extradition shall not take place if the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or the person claimed on the

ARTIKEL I.

Die hohen vertragenden Theile verpflichten sich einander diejenigen Personen auszuliefern welche wegen einer, auf dem Gebiete des einen Theils begangenen strafbaren Handlung besthuldigt oder verurtheilt sind und in dem Gebiete des andern Theiles aufgefunden werden, sofern die in dem gegenwärtigen Vertrage angegebenen Fälle und Voraussezungen vorhanden sind.

ARTIKEL II.

Die strafbaren Handlungen, wegen deren die Auslieferung zu gewähren ist, sind folgende :—

(1.) Mord, mit Inbegriff des Kindsmordes, und Mordsversuch.
(2.) Todtschlag.
(3.) Nachmachen oder Verfälschen von Metallgeld, Verausgabung oder Inumlaufsezen nachgemachten oder verfälschten Metallgeldes.
(4.) Fälschung, Nachmachen oder Verandern, sowie die Verausgabung dessen, was nachgemacht, gefälscht oder verändert ist, inbegriffen die Verbrechen welche in den Strafgesezen des einen oder andern Staates als Nachmachen oder Verfälschen von Papiergeld, Banknoten oder andern Werthschriften enthalten sind; ferner die Fälschung oder Verfälschung anderer öffentlicher oder Privat-Urkunden, sowie die Verausgabung, das Inverkehrbringen oder der wissentliche Gebrauch solcher nachgemachter gefälschter oder verfälschter Papiere.
(5.) Diebstahl und Unterschlagung.
(6.) Betrug, resp. Erlangung von Geld oder andern Sachen durch falsche Vorspiegelungen.
(7.) Betrüglicher Bankrott, resp. Verbrechen gegen das Gesez betreffend Bankrott.
(8.) Untreue Seitens eines Verwalters Beauftragten, Banquiers, Agenten, Prokuristen, Vormundes oder Kurators, Vorstandes, Mitgliedes oder Beamten irgend einer Gesellschaft, soweit dieselbe nach den bestehenden Gesezen mit Strafe bedroht ist.
(9.) Nothzucht.
(10.) Entführung von Minderjährigen.
(11.) Menschenraub.
(12.) Rechtswidriges Gehangenhalten.
(13.) Einbrechen oder Einsteigen in ein Wohnhaus in verbrecherischer Absicht.
(14.) Vorsäzliche Brandstiftung.
(15.) Raub unter Anwendung von Gewalt.
(16.) Drohungen mittels Brief oder auf andere Weise, mit der Absicht, zu erpressen.
(17.) Meineid und die Verleitung zum Meineid.
(18.) Böswillige Eigenthumsbeschädigung, insofern sie kriminalrechtliche Verfolgung begründet.

Die Auslieferung findet auch statt wegen Theilnahme an einer der vorbezeichneten strafbaren Handlungen, mag die Theilnahme vor oder nach der Verübung stattfinden.

ARTIKEL III.

Kein Schweizer wird von Seiten der Schweiz an die Regierung der Vereinigten Königreiches und von Seiten dieser kein englischer Unterthan an die Schweiz ausgeliefert werden.

ARTIKEL IV.

Die Auslieferung soll nicht stattfinden, wenn die von der Schweizerischen Regierung verfolgte Person im Vereinigten Königreich, oder die Seitens der Regierung des Vereinigten Königrei-

part of the Swiss Government, has already been tried and discharged or punished, or is still under trial, in one of the Swiss Cantons or in the United Kingdom respectively, for the crime for which his extradition is demanded.

If the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or if the person claimed on the part of the Swiss Government, should be under examination, or have been condemned for any other crime, in one of the Swiss Cantons or in the United Kingdom respectively, his extradition may be deferred until he shall have been set at liberty in due course of law.

In case such individual should be proceeded against or detained in the country in which he has taken refuge, on account of obligations contracted towards private individuals, his extradition shall, nevertheless, take place; the injured party retaining his right to prosecute his claims before the competent authority.

ches verfolgte Person in einem Kanton der Schweiz wegen derselben strafbaren Handlung, wegen deren die Auslieferung nachgesucht wird, in Untersuchung gewesen und ausser Verfolgung gesezt worden, oder sich noch in Untersuchung befindet, oder bereits bestraft worden ist.

Wenn die von der Schweizerischen Regierung verfolgte Person im Vereinigten Königreich, oder wenn die Seitens der Regierung des Vereinigten Königreiches verfolgte Person in einem Kanton der Schweiz wegen einer andern strafbaren Handlung in Untersuchung liegt oder bestraft worden ist, so kann die Auslieferung verschoben werden, bis diese Person in gehörigen Rechtsgang in Freiheit gesezt worden ist.

Wird ein solches Individuum wegen Verpflichtungen, die dasselbe mit Privatpersonen abgeschlossen hat, in jenem Lande, in welchem es Zuflucht genommen hat, gerichtlich verfolgt oder mit Personalarrest belegt, so soll dessen Auslieferung dennoch stattfinden, dabei aber der beschädigten Partei das Recht vorbehalten bleiben, ihre Aussprache vor der kompetenten Behörde geltend zu machen.

ARTICLE V.

The extradition shall not take place if, subsequently to the commission of the crime, or the institution of the penal prosecution, or the conviction thereon, exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of the State applied to.

ARTIKEL V.

Die Auslieferung soll nicht stattfinden, wenn seit der begangenen strafbaren Handlung, oder der Einleitung der strafgerichtlichen Verfolgung, oder der erfolgten Verurtheilung nach den Gesezen des ersuchten Staates Verjährung der strafgerichtlichen Verfolgung oder der erhielten Strafe eingetreten ist.

ARTICLE VI.

If the individual claimed by one of the two Contracting Parties in pursuance of the present Treaty should be also claimed by one or several other Powers, on account of other crimes committed upon their respective territories, his surrender shall be granted to that State whose demand is earliest in date; unless any other arrangement should be made between the Governments which have claimed him, either on account of the gravity of the crimes committed, or for any other reason.

ARTIKEL VI.

Wird ein Individuum von einer der beiden Vertragsparteien auf Grund des gegenwärtigen Verträges zur Auslieferung reklamirt, zugleich aber auch dessen Auslieferung von einer oder mehrern andern Mächten wegen andern auf deren Gebieten begangenen Verbrechen verlangt, so ist dasjenige Gesuch im Vorgange zu bewilligen, welches das älteste im datum ist, es sei denn, das zwischen den Regierungen, die das betreffende Individuum reklamirt haben, entweder wegen der Wichtigkeit der begangenen Verbrechen oder aus andern Gründen ein anderes Abkommen getroffen würde.

ARTICLE VII.

A fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or is connected with a crime of that nature, or if he prove that the requisition for his surrender has, in fact, been made with a view to try and punish him for an offence of a political character.

ARTIKEL VII.

Ein flüchtiger Verbrecher soll nicht ausgeliefert werden, wenn die strafbare Handlung, wegen deren seine Auslieferung verlangt wird, einen politischen Charakter an sich trägt, oder mit einem derartigen Verbrechen zusammenhängt, oder wenn er nachweisen kann, dass der Antrag auf seine Auslieferung in Wirklichkeit mit der Absicht gestellt worden ist, ihn wegen eines Verbrechens, oder Vergehens politischer Natur zu verfolgen oder zu bestrafen.

ARTICLE VIII.

A person surrendered can in no case be kept in prison, or be brought to trial in the State to which the surrender has been made, for any other crime, or on account of any other matters than those for which the extradition shall have taken place.

This stipulation does not apply to crimes committed after the extradition.

ARTIKEL VIII.

Die ausgelieferte Person darf in dem Staate, an welchen die Auslieferung erfolgt ist, keinenfalls wegen einer andern strafbaren Handlung oder auf Grund anderer Thatsachen, als derjenigen, wegen deren die Auslieferung erfolgt ist, in Haft behalten oder zur Untersuchung gezogen werden.

Auf strafbare Handlungen, welche nach erfolgter Auslieferung verübt sind, findet diese Bestimmung keine Anwendung.

ARTICLE IX.

The requisition for extradition must always be made by the way of diplomacy, and to wit, in Switzerland by the British Minister to the President of the Confederation, and in the United Kingdom to the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs by the Consul-General of Switzerland, who for the purposes of this Treaty is hereby recognized by Her Majesty as a Diplomatic Representative of Switzerland.

The requisition for the extradition of an accused person must be accompanied by a warrant of arrest issued by the competent authority of the State requiring the extradition, and by such evidence as, according to the laws of the place where the accused is found, would justify his arrest if the crime had been committed there.

If the requisition relates to a person already convicted, it must be accompanied by the sentence of condemnation passed against the convicted person by the competent Court of the State that makes the requisition for extradition.

A requisition for extradition cannot be founded on sentences passed *in contumaciam*.

ARTIKEL IX.

Das Auslieferungsbegehren muss immer auf diplomatischem Wege gestellt werden und zwar in der Schweiz durch den Englischen Gesandten bei dem Bundespräsidenten und in Grossbritannien durch den Schweizerischen General-Konsul in London, welcher von Ihrer Majestät für die Zweke dieses Vertrages als diplomatischer Repräsentant der Schweiz anerkannt wird, bei dem Staatssekretär für die auswärtigen Angelegenheiten.

Mit dem Gesuche auf Auslieferung eines Beschuldigten müssen ein Verhaftsbefehl welcher von der zuständigen Behörde des die Auslieferung begehrenden Staates erlassen ist, und solche Beweise beigebracht werden, welche nach den Gesezen des Ortes, wo der Beschuldigte aufgefunden wird, dessen Verhaftung rechtfertigen würden, wenn die strafbare Handlung dort begangen wäre.

Betrifft das Auslieferungsbegehren eine bereits verurtheilte Person, so muss das Strafurtheil beigebracht werden, welches von dem zuständigen Gericht des die Auslieferung begehrenden Staates gegen den Verurtheilten erlassen worden ist.

Auf Strafurtheile, welche *in contumaciam* erlassen worden sind, kann das Auslieferungsgesuch nicht gegründet werden.

ARTICLE X.

A fugitive criminal may, however, be apprehended under a warrant issued by any police magistrate, justice of the peace, or other competent authority, in either country, on such information or complaint, together with such evidence or after such judicial proceedings as would in the opinion of the officer issuing the warrant justify its issue, if the crime had been committed in that part of the dominions of the two Contracting Parties in which he exercises jurisdiction. Provided, however, that in the United Kingdom the accused shall in such case be sent as speedily as possible before a police magistrate in London. Such requisition may be made by means of the post or by telegraph.

The accused shall, however, be discharged if within such reasonable time as, with reference to the circumstances of the case, the police magistrate may fix, the requisition shall not have been made according to the stipulations contained in Article IX.

ARTIKEL X.

Indessen kann ein flüchtiger Verbrecher in beiden Ländern auch verhaftet werden auf Grund eines Verhaftsbefehles, der von einem Polizeimagistrat, Friedensrichter, oder von einer andern kompetenten Behörde auf eine solche Strafanzeige oder Klage und zugleich auf einen solchen Beweis oder nach einem solchen gerichtlichen Verfahren erlassen wird, dass nach der Ansicht des Beamten, welcher den Verhaftsbefehl erlässt, dessen Erlass gerechtfertigt wäre, wenn das Verbrechen in demjenigen Theile der Gebiete der Vertragsparteien begangen worden wäre, in welchem der Beamte Gerichtsbarkeit ausübt. Es wird indessen bedungen, dass in dem Vereinigten Königreiche in einem solchen Falle der Beklagte so schnell wie möglich vor einen Polizeimagistrat in London gesendet werden soll. Solche Requisitionen mögen vermittels der Post oder durch den Telegraphen gemacht werden.

Der Angeklagte soll indess des Verhaftes entlassen werden, wenn inner einer billigen Frist, die von dem Polizeimagistrat anzusezen ist und bei deren Fixirung die Verumständungen des einzelnen Falles zu berüksichtigen sind, das Begehren nicht in Gemässheit der in Artikel IX enthaltenen Bestimmungen gestellt worden ist.

ARTICLE XI.

The extradition shall not take place before the expiration of fifteen days from the apprehension, and then only if the evidence be found sufficient, according to the laws of the State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, in case the crime had been committed in the territory of the said State, or to prove that the prisoner is the identical person convicted by the Courts of the State which makes the requisition.

ARTIKEL XI.

Die Auslieferung erfolgt nicht vor Ablauf von fünfzehn Tagen seit der Ergreifung und nur dann, wenn die Beweise für genügend befunden worden sind, um nach den Gesezen des ersuchten Staates entweder die Verweisung des Ergriffenen zur Hauptuntersuchung zu rechtfertigen, falls die strafbare Handlung im Gebiet dieses Staates begangen wäre, oder darzuthun, dass der Ergriffene mit der von den Gerichten des ersuchenden Staates verurtheilten Person identisch ist.

ARTICLE XII.

In the examinations which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the authorities of the State applied to shall admit as entirely valid evidence the sworn depositions or statement of witnesses taken in the other State, or copies thereof, and likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, provided such documents are signed or certified by a Judge, Magistrate, or Officer of such State, and are authenticated by the oath of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of a British Secretary of State, or of the Chancellor of the Swiss Confederation.

ARTIKEL XII.

Die Behörden des ersuchten Staates haben bei der Prüfung, welche ihnen nach den vorstehenden Bestimmungen obliegt, den beschworenen Depositionen und Zeugenaussagen, welche in dem andern Staate zu Protokoll genommen sind, desgleichen den Abschriften hievon und ebenso den im andern Staate erlassenen Haftbefehlen und Urtheilen volle Beweiskraft beizulegen, vorausgesezt, dass diese Schriftstüke durch einen Richter, eine obrigkeitliche Person oder einen andern Beamten dieses Staates unterzeichnet oder bescheinigt und durch einen beeidigten Zeugen oder durch Beidrükung des Amtssiegels eines Englischen Staatsministers oder des Schweizerischen Bundeskhanzlers beglaubigt sind.

ARTICLE XIII.

If sufficient evidence for the extradition be not produced within two months from the date of the apprehension of the fugitive, he shall be set at liberty.

ARTIKEL XIII.

Wenn die zur Auslieferung genugenden Beweise nicht binnen zwei Monaten von dem Tage der Ergreifung des Flüchtigen an beigebracht werden, so ist der Ergriffene auf freien Fuss zu sezen.

ARTICLE XIV.

All articles seized, which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered at the time of his apprehension, shall, if the competent authority of State applied to for the extradition has ordered the delivery thereof, be given up when the extradition takes place, and the said delivery shall extend not merely to the stolen articles, but to everything that may serve as a proof of the crime.

ARTIKEL XIV.

Alle in Beschlag genommenen Gegenstände, welche sich zur Zeit der Verhaftung der auszuliefernden Person in deren Besiz waren, sollen, wenn die zuständige Behörde des um die Auslieferung ersuchten Staates die Ausantwortung derselben angeordnet hat, bei Vollziehung der Auslieferung mit übergeben werden, und diese Ueberlieferung soll sich nicht blos auf die entfremdeten Gegenstände, sondern auch auf Alles erstreken, was zum Beweis der strafbaren Handlung dienen kann.

ARTICLE XV.

The Contracting Parties renounce any claim for the reimbursement of the expenses incurred by them in the arrest and maintenance of the person to be surrendered, and his conveyance to the frontiers of the State from which he is required; they reciprocally agree to bear such expenses themselves.

ARTIKEL XV.

Die vertragenden Theile verzichten darauf, die Erstattung derjenigen Kosten, welche ihnen aus der Festnahme und dem Unterhalt des Auszuliefernden und seinem Transport bis zur Grenze des requirirten Staates erwachsen, in Anspruch zu nehmen, willigen vielmehr gegenseitig darein, diese Kosten selbst zu tragen.

ARTICLE XVI.

The stipulations of the present Treaty shall be applicable to the Colonies and foreign Possessions of Her Britannic Majesty.

The requisition for the arrest and surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in any of such Colonies or foreign Possessions shall be made through the Swiss Consul-General in London to the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, who shall proceed in conformity with the provisions of the present Treaty and the laws of the land.

Her Britannic Majesty shall, however, be at liberty to make special arrangements in the British Colonies and foreign Possessions for the surrender of such individuals as shall have committed in Switzerland any of the crimes hereinafore mentioned, who may take refuge within such Colonies and foreign Possessions, on the basis, as nearly as may be, of the provisions of the present Treaty.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal from any Colony or foreign Possession of Her Britannic Majesty shall be governed by the rules laid down in the preceding Articles of the present Treaty.

ARTIKEL XVI.

Die Bestimmungen des gegenwärtigen Vertrages sollen auf die Kolonien und auswätigen Besizungen Ihrer Grossbritannischen Majestät Anwendung finden.

Der Antrag auf Verhaftung und Auslieferung eines flüchtigen Verbrechers, welcher in einer dieser Kolonien oder auswärtigen Besizungen Zuflucht gefunden hat, soll durch den Schweizerischen General-Konsul in London bei dem Staatssekretär der auswärtigen Angelegenheiten gestelt werden, welcher nach Vorschrift dieses Vertrages und der bestehenden Geseze zu verfahren hat.

Ihrer Grossbritannischen Majestät soll es jedoch freistehen, in den Britischen Kolonien und auswärtigen Besizungen über die Auslieferung solcher Individuum die in der Schweiz ein im Vertrag genanntes Verbrechen begangen haben, aber innerhalb dieser Kolonien und auswärtigen Besizungen Zuflucht gefunden haben, auf möglichst gleicher Grundlage mit den Bestimmungen des gegenwärtigen Vertrages besondere Anordnungen zu treffen.

Begehren betrefend die Auslieferung von Verbrechern, welche aus einer Kolonie oder auswärtigen Besizung Ihrer Grossbritannischen Majestät geflüchtet sinh, sollen nach den Bestimmungen der vorstehenden Artikel des gegenwärtigen Vertrages behandelt werden.

ARTICLE XVII.

The present Treaty shall come into force ten days after its publication in conformity with the forms prescribed by the laws of the High Contracting Parties. It may be terminated by either of the High Contracting Parties, but shall remain in force for six months after notice has been given for its termination.

The Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Berne in four weeks, or sooner if possible.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at Berne, the thirty-first day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.) A. G. G. BONAR.
(L.S.) J. M. KNUSEL.

ARTIKEL XVII.

Der gegenwärtige Vertrag soll zehn Tage nach seiner, in Gemässheit der durch die Gesezgebung der hohen vertragenden Theile vorgeschriebenen Formen erfolgten Veröffentlichung in Kraft treten. Der vertrag kann von jedem der beiden hohen vertragenden Theile aufgeküden werden, bleibt jedoch nach erfolgter Aufkündung noch sechs Monate in Kraft.

Der vertrag wird ratifizirt und die Ratifikationen werden nach vier Wochen, oder wo möglich früher, in Bern ausgewechset werden.

Zu Urkund dessen haben die beiderseitigen Bevollmächtigten die gegenwärtige Uebereinkunft unterzeichnet und mit ihren Wappen untersiegelt.

So geschehen in Bern den eindunddreissigsten März, Ein tausend acht hundert vier und siebenzing.

(L.S.) A. G. G. BONAR.
(L.S.) J. M. KNUSEL.

And whereas a Protocol amending Article XVI of the aforesaid Treaty was signed by the Plenipotentiaries of Her Majesty and of the Swiss Confederation on the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which Protocol is in the following terms:—

The Undersigned Plenipotentiaries of Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Federal Council of the Swiss Confederation, having met in Conference, have taken into their consideration the following subject:—

They have directed their attention to the fact that the second paragraph of the XVIth Article of the Treaty, which stipulates that the requisition for the arrest of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in any of the Colonies or foreign possessions of Her Britannic Majesty shall be made through the Swiss Consul-General in London to the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, was not in accordance with the law of England, and they have consequently resolved to declare that the second paragraph of that Article beginning:

"The requisition for the arrest," and concluding with, "and the laws of the land," shall be null and void, and in lieu thereof the following words shall be substituted:

"The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in any of such Colonies or foreign possessions shall be made to the Governor or to the Supreme Authority of such Colony or Possession through the Swiss Consul, or, in case there should be no Swiss Consul, through the Consular Agent of another State charged for the occasion with the Swiss interests in the Colony or Possession in question.

"The Governor or Supreme Authority abovementioned shall decide with regard to such requisitions as nearly as possible in accordance with the provisions of the present Treaty. He will,

Die unterzeichneten Bevollmächtigten Ihrer Majestät der Königin des Vereinigten Königreichs von Grossbritannien und Irland, und des Bundesrathes der Schweizerischen Eidgenossenschaft, haben in einer Conferenz folgenden Gegenstand in Erwägung gezogen:—

Sie haben ihre Aufmerksamkeit auf die Thatsache gerichtet, dass der zweite Ahsaz von Artikel XVI des Vertrages, welcher bestimmt, dass das Gesuch um Verhaftung eines flüchtigen Verbrechers, welcher sich nach einer der Colonien oder auswärtigen Besizungen Ihrer Grossbritannischen Majestät gewendet hat, durch den Schweizerischen General-Consul in London an den Staatss kretär für die auswärtigen Angelegenheiten gerichtet werden soll, mit den Gesezen Englands nicht in Einklang steht. Sie sind daher übereingekommen zu erklären, dass der zweite Absaz besagten Artikels, also beginnend:

"Der Antrag auf Verhaftung," und schliessend, "der bestehenden Geseze zu verfahren hat," null und nichtig sein, und an Stelle desselben die nachfolgenden Worte eingeschaltet werden sollen:

"Der Antrag auf Auslieferung eines flüchtigen Verbrechers, welcher in einer dieser Colonien oder auswärtigen Besizungen Zuflucht gefunden hat, soll bei dem Gouverneur oder bei der höchsten Behörde der betreffenden Colonie oder Besizung durch den in derselben residirenden Schweizerischen Consul, oder in Ermangelung eines solchen, durch den Consularagenten eines andern Staates, welchem für diesen speciellen Fall die Wahrnehmung der Schweizerischen interessen in der fraglichen Colonie oder Besizung anvertraut wird, gestellt werden.

"Der Gouverneur oder die höchste Behörde, welche oben erwähnt sind, sollen bezüglich solcher Auslieferungsbegehren möglichst conform mit den Bestimmungen des vorliegenden Vertrages ent-

however, be at liberty either to consent to the extradition or report the case to his Government."

The other provisions of Article XVI remain in force as they have been agreed upon in the Treaty.

This Protocol shall be regarded and acted upon as forming part of the Treaty in question.

In witness whereof the Undersigned have signed this Protocol, and have hereunto affixed their seals.

Done in duplicate at Berne, the twenty-eighth day of November, in the year of Grace, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

The Plenipotentiary of Great Britain.

(L.S.) EDWIN CORBETT.

scheiden. Es steht ihnen indess frei, die Auslieferung zu bewilligen oder den Fall ihrer Regierung zum Entscheid zu überweisen."

Die andern Punkte von Artikel XVI bleiben in der im Vertrag vereinbarten Form in Kraft.

Dieses Protokoll soll als integrirender Bestandtheil des Vertrages angesehen und beobachtet werden.

Zur Urkunde dessen haben die Unterfertigten dasselbe unterzeichnet und ihre Siegel beigesezt.

So geschehen in doppelter Ausfertigung in Bern, den achtundzwanzigsten Tag des Wintermonats im Jahre des Heils ein tausend acht hundert vier und siebeenzig.

Der Bevollmächtigte der Schweiz,

(L.S.) J. M. KNUSEL.

And whereas the ratifications of the said Treaty and Protocol were exchanged at Berne on the thirty-first day of December last:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said recited Act, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, the said Act shall apply in the case of the said Treaty and Protocol with the Swiss Confederation.

Arthur Helps.

No. 1076*P.*—With reference to Notification No. 380 P., dated 4th February 1875, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. Albert Barckhausen as Vice Consul for Norway and Sweden at Bassein, *vice* Mr. Dickmann, resigned.

No. 1080*P.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. Felix Charriol to act as Vice Consul for Spain at Calcutta during the absence of Mr. Zander.

No. 1081 *P.*—In recognition of the public spirited liberality, by which Mr. Govindu Chetty of Bangalore has been distinguished on various occasions, the Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to confer upon him the title of "Rai Bahadoor," as a personal distinction.

GENERAL.

Simla, the 14*th April* 1875.

No. 678*G.*—The undermentioned Assistant Commissioners in the Mysore Commission have passed the examination prescribed for Assistants in that Province as follows:—

In Revenue—Finance—Stamps.

Mr. P. N. Krishna Murti, B.L.
Mr. S. Venkut Vurdaiengar, M.L.
Mr. V. N. Narasimmaiengar.
Mr. T. Kitto.
Mr. C. Soob Rao.

Judicial—Lower Standard.

Mr. V. N. Narasimmaiengar.
Mr. C. Soob Rao.

The 16*th April* 1875.

No. 707*G.*—*Leave.*—Surgeon D. F. Keegan, in Medical charge of the 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse, and the Western Malwa Political Agency, is granted 30 days' subsidiary leave of absence from date of departure, preparatory to proceeding to Europe on furlough.

No. 708*G.*—The following temporary promotions are made in the Berar Commission, with effect from the 18th February 1875:—

Mr. H. B. Knowleys, Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Class, to officiate in the 1st Class, *vice* Major Menzies.

Captain R. S. Thompson, Officiating Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Class, to officiate in the 2nd Class.

No. 709*G.*—Captain J. R. McK. Homfray, of the Bhopal Battalion, held charge of the Sehore Treasury in addition to his own duties from the 23rd February to the 4th March 1875, both days inclusive, during the absence on duty of the Officiating Political Agent in Bhopal.

No. 710*G.*—With reference to Notification No. 2463G., dated 11th December 1874, the appointment of Captain R. Bullock to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Class in the Berar Commission, *vice* Captain Szczepanski, will have effect from the afternoon of the 22nd August 1874.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 13*th April* 1875.

No. 170.—Mr. W. Wells is appointed to officiate as Assistant Accountant General, Bombay.

The 16*th April* 1875.

No. 188.—Mr. C. R. Kiernander is appointed to take charge of the Office of Accountant General, Punjab.

Mr. T. H. Biggs is appointed to officiate as Deputy Accountant General, Punjab.

The 15*th April* 1875.

No. 256.—Cash Balances in the Government Treasuries in India on the last day of the month of February 1875, compared with those on the same date in 1874 and 1873:—

	1873.	1874.	1875.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Govt. of India...	3,08,64,589	2,56,96,093	2,56,09,437
Bengal ...	2,38,72,121	1,70,87,010	2,29,45,994
Assam ...			26,37,201
British Burmah	23,37,048	27,42,780	30,00,507
N.-W. Provinces	2,37,98,155	2,21,53,814	2,24,20,592
Oudh ...	80,69,533	50,58,648	60,61,856
Punjab ...	1,27,96,291	1,15,22,484	1,40,64,371
Bombay ...	4,89,63,011	3,27,17,995	2,38,31,459
Central Provs.	84,99,049	55,93,905	46,41,541
Madras ...	3,15,77,410	2,51,25,959	2,47,93,987
TOTAL ...	19,07,77,207	14,76,98,688	15,00,06,948

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 16*th April* 1875.

No. 257.—Statement of the Amount of Government Currency Notes in circulation, of the Amount of Coin and Bullion Reserve, and Government Securities held by the Department of Issue of Paper Currency.

Date.	Circles of Issue.	Currency Notes in Circulation.	Silver Coin Reserve.	Silver Bullion Reserve.	Gold Bullion Reserve.	Reserve in Government Securities.	Total Reserve.
	Calcutta	5,18,75,130	1,14,64,000	67,33,488	72,495	2,56,74,402	4,69,44,385
	Madras	94,96,110	39,23,250	72	....	56,28,463	95,51,785
	Bombay	3,07,33,140	1,10,84,263	69,29,953	....	1,59,85,209	3,39,99,425
	Allahabad	60,63,640	35,04,314	....	....	30,03,291	63,07,605
	Lahore	61,16,060	38,98,458	....	....	32,00,037	70,98,495
	Calicut	25,43,345	12,77,591	....	....	10,00,059	22,77,650
	Coconada	19,85,775	14,06,161	....	....	6,00,059	20,06,220
	Nagpore	11,47,105	5,25,103	....	....	7,47,902	12,73,005
	Kurracheo	16,73,485	10,78,739	....	....	8,00,106	18,78,845
	Akola	7,30,590	7,26,965	....	....	3,00,000	10,26,965
	TOTAL ..	11,23,64,380	4,16,88,844	1,36,63,513	72,495	5,69,39,528	11,23,64,380

PENSIONS AND GRATUITY.

Simla, the 16*th April* 1875.

No. 142.—The Governor General in Council directs that the rules (1 to 5) which now stand under section 95, Chapter XX of the Civil Pension Code, be transferred to the end of the Chapter.

SEPARATE REVENUE,—POST OFFICE.

The 16*th April* 1875.

No. 258.—Consequent upon certain alterations in the exchange of mails between India and France and countries served through France or by means of French mail packets, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of sections 20 and 21 of the Post Office Act of 1866, to declare the following rates and conditions of postage to be applicable to correspondence for the countries and by the routes mentioned with effect from the 1st May next.

The opportunity has been taken of introducing the system of charging by the half ounce instead of by the quarter ounce wherever the latter scale has hitherto been followed.

Note a denotes that the cover is liable to additional postage on delivery.
c denotes that the pre-payment of postage is compulsory.
d denotes that registered covers are charged at double the ordinary rates (to be prepaid), no separate fee being levied.

COUNTRIES OR PLACES WITH ROUTES.	Letters	Registration	Packets of newspapers, books, and patterns.
Note.—Where the description of the route contains no mention of a particular Indian Office, the mails are sent by the ordinary Bombay route by British Packet or from Aden by British Packet in the case of correspondence posted there. The name immediately following the word "through" is that of the office or country to which the mails are consigned by the Indian Post Office, and is intended primarily for the guidance of Post Office officials.	per ½ oz.	See note *d*.	Pre-payment compulsory.
FRANCE AND ALGERIA—			
Viâ Brindisi through French Office, Modane ...	9 annas	*d*.	(*a*) Indian inland rate only.
Viâ Marseilles through French Office, Alexandria...	6½ „	*d*.	Ditto.
Additional route from Aden: *viâ* Marseilles by French Packet through Agent on board ...	6½ „	*d*.	Ditto.
TANGIERS AND TUNIS—			
Viâ Brindisi through French Office, Modane ...	9 „	*d*.	Ditto.
Viâ Marseilles through French Office, Alexandria ...	6½ „	*d*.	Ditto.
Additional route from Aden: *viâ* Marseilles by French Packet through Agent on board ...	9 „	*d*.	Ditto.
FRENCH OFFICES IN TURKEY*—			
Viâ Alexandria through French Office, Alexandria...	6½ „	*d*.	Ditto.
Additional route from Aden: *viâ* Alexandria by French Packet through Agent on board ...	9 „	*d*.	Ditto.
EGYPT (EXCEPT PLACES INCLUDED IN ABOVE)—			
Viâ Alexandria through French Office, Alexandria...	*c.a.*6½ annas	*None*.	
Additional route from Aden: *viâ* Alexandria by French Packet through Agent on board ...	*c.a.*9 „	*None*.	
SPAIN—			
Viâ Marseilles through French Office, Alexandria ...	*c.a.*7½ „	*None*.	
Additional route from Aden: *viâ* Marseilles by French Packet through Agent on board ...	*c.a.*7½ „	*None*.	
GREECE—			
Viâ Alexandria through French Office, Alexandria...	7½ annas	*d*.	(*a*) Indian inland rate only.
Additional route from Aden: *viâ* Alexandria by French Packet through Agent on board. ...	9 „	*d*.	Ditto.
PORTUGAL—			
Viâ Marseilles through French Office, Alexandria ...	9 „	*d*.	Ditto.
Additional route from Aden: *viâ* Marseilles or Naples by French Packet through Agent on board	9 „	*d*.	Ditto.
AZORES AND CANARY ISLANDS—			
Viâ Marseilles through French Office, Alexandria ...	*c. a.* 10 „	*None*.	
Additional route from Aden: *viâ* Marseilles by French Packet through Agent on board ...	*c. a.* 10 „	*None*.	
MONTENEGRO—			
Viâ Marseilles through French Office, Alexandria ...	11 annas	*d*.	Ditto.
Additional route from Aden: *viâ* Marseilles by French Packet through Agent on board ...	11 „	*d*.	Ditto.
TURKEY IN EUROPE AND POLAND—			
Viâ Marseilles through French Office, Alexandria ...	16½ „	*d*.	Ditto.
Additional route from Aden: *viâ* Marseilles by French Packet through Agent on board. ...	16½ „	*d*.	Ditto.
NEW CALEDONIA—			
Viâ Calcutta, Madras, or from Aden by French Packet through Agent on board ...	9 „	*d*.	
CHINA—			
Hong-Kong—*Viâ* Calcutta, Madras, or from Aden by French Packet	*c.* 5. „	4 annas	2 annas per 4 ozs.
Shanghai—*Viâ* Calcutta, Madras, or from Aden by French Packet through Agent on board ...	5. „	*d*.	Ditto.
Other parts—*Viâ* Calcutta, Madras, or from Aden by French Packet through Agent on board ...	*c.* 5. „	*None*.	
JAPAN—			
Yokohama—*Viâ* Calcutta, Madras, or from Aden by French Packet through Agent on board ...	5. „	*d*.	Ditto.
Other parts—*Viâ* Calcutta, Madras, or from Aden by French Packet through Agent on board ...	*c.* 5. „	*None*.	
PONDICHERRY AND SAIGON—			
Viâ Calcutta,, Madras, or from Aden by French Packet through Agent on board	5. „	*d*.	Ditto.

* French Offices in Turkey: Jaffa, Beyrout, Tripoli (Syria), Latakia, Alexandretta, Mersina, Rhodes, Smyrna, the Dardanelles, Ineboli, Kerassun, Kustendjie, Ordou, Rodosto, Salonica, Samsoun, Sulina, Trebizond, Tultcha, Varna, Galatz, Ibraila, Alexandria, Suez, Cairo, Port Said, Cavalla, Dédeagh, Enos, Lagos.

COUNTRIES OR PLACES WITH ROUTES,—*concluded.*			
REUNION—			
Viâ Calcutta, Madras, or from Aden by French Packet through Agent on board	5 ans.	*d*.	2 annas per 4 ozs.
Viâ Bombay to Aden and thence by French Packet through Agent on board	*c.* 8. „	*d*.	2 annas 9 pie per 4 ozs.
MADAGASCAR—			
Viâ Calcutta, Madras, or from Aden by French Packet through Agent on board	*c. a.* 5. „	*None*.	
Viâ Bombay to Aden and thence by French Packet through Agent on board	*c. a.* 8. „	*None*.	
CEYLON AND THE STRAITS—			
Viâ Calcutta or Madras by French Packet ...	*c.* 4 „	4 annas	2 annas per 4 ozs.
From Aden by French Packet	*c.* 5 „	4 annas	Ditto.
NETHERLANDS INDIA—			
Viâ Calcutta or Madras by French Packet through Batavia.	*c.* 4 „	4 annas	Ditto.
From Aden by French Packet through Batavia ...	*c.* 5 „	4 annas	Ditto.
SEYCHELLES—			
Viâ Calcutta or Madras by French Packet ...	*c.* 5 „	4 annas	2 annas per 4 ozs.
From Aden by French Packet	*c.* 4 „	4 annas	Ditto.
Viâ Bombay to Aden and thence by French Packet	*c.* 8 „	4 annas	2 annas 9 pie per 4 ozs.
MAURITIUS—			
Viâ Calcutta, Madras, or from Aden by French Packet	*c.* 5 „	4 annas	2 annas per 4 ozs.
Viâ Bombay to Aden and thence by French Packet	*c.* 8 „	4 annas	2 annas 9 pie per 4 ozs.

Besides the abovementioned countries and places there are others included in the postal arrangements, but for which there are other better routes. The routes to such places through France or French agency are therefore merely mentioned below, it being understood that under present circumstances they are of little or no use, *viz.*:—

Gibraltar—Same as given above for *Spain*.

Germany, Belgium, Italy, Luxemburg, Holland, Switzerland—Same as given above for *Portugal*.

Austria and Servia—Same as given above for *Montenegro*.

Denmark—Same as given above for *Montenegro*, substituting 12 annas for 11 annas as the letter rate.

Roumania, Sweden, Norway, Russia—Same as given above for *Turkey* in Europe.

No. 259.—Consequent upon certain alterations in the exchange of mails between India and Italy and countries served through Italy, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of sections 20 and 21 of the Indian Post Office Act of 1866, to declare the following rates and conditions of postage to be applicable to correspondence for the countries and by the routes mentioned with effect from the 1st May next:—

Correspondence sent "*viâ* Brindisi through Italy" for the following countries.	LETTERS. For each ½ oz. or fraction thereof.	PACKETS OF NEWSPAPERS, BOOKS AND PATTERNS. Not exceeding 2 ozs.	Not exceeding 4 ozs. A like rate extra for every additional 4 ozs.
	Annas.	Annas.	Annas.
Italy	5½	1½	2½
Switzerland	6½	2	3½
Germany	6½	2	3½
Heligoland	6½	2	3½
Luxemburg	6½	2	3½
Austria	7	2	3½
Belgium	7	2½	4½
Netherlands	7½	2½	4½
Denmark	7½	2½	4½
Russia	7½	2½	4½
Sweden	8	2½	4½
Norway	8	2½	4½
Iceland or Faroe Islands ...	8	2½	4½

N.B.—Notwithstanding the present reduction of postage rates on correspondence exchanged with the Post Office of Italy, the direct exchange with Germany offers still lower rates in respect of the places printed in italics; the route now under notification being consequently of comparatively little use for those places. But it is the best route for the places not printed in italics.

2. Any letter, as well as any packet of newspapers, may be registered on payment by means of stamps of a registration fee of four annas in addition to the postage.

3. Letters and other articles received as paid by this route will be delivered in India without charge. Insufficiently paid letters will be treated as if wholly unpaid. Unpaid letters will be charged on delivery at the following rates:—

From	Per ½ oz. As.	From	Per ½ oz. As.
Italy	7½	Belgium and Netherlands ...	10
Switzerland	8½	Russia	10½
Austria	9	Denmark	11½
Germany ...	9½	Sweden	12
Luxemburg ...		Norway and Iceland or Faroe Islands	12½
Heligoland ...			

SEPARATE REVENUE—STAMPS.

The 16th April 1875.

No. 179.—The exercise of the powers conferred by section 16 of the General Stamp Act XVIII of 1869, the Governor General in Council directs that the stamp duty chargeable upon instruments of gift of immovable property, when the value thereof does not exceed fifteen hundred rupees, shall be the stamp duty which would be chargeable under Schedule I of the said Act on a conveyance, the consideration money set forth in which is the same as the value of the immovable property given.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 12th April 1875.

No. 373 *of* 1875.—With reference to paragraph 2 of G. G. O. No. 75, dated the 25th January 1872, Captain A. N. Sandilands, of the Bengal Staff Corps, promoted to the rank of Captain in G. G. O. No. 356 of 1875, is permitted to retain the appointment of Quartermaster of the 6th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force, with effect from the 31st March 1875.

No. 374 *of* 1875.—The following paragraphs of a Military letter from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 58, dated the 25th February 1875, are published for general information:—

PARA. 1.—The following candidates having completed the course of instruction at the Army Medical School, and having been reported qualified, have been appointed Surgeons on the Bengal Establishment, their Commissions as such bearing date the 30th* September 1874, *viz.*:—

Richard Nugent Stoker.
Gerald Bomford.
Arthur Barclay.
Henry Alfred Chatham Gray.
Charles Joseph McCartie, M.D.

2. They will be allowed to count as service for full pay pension the period of their residence at Netley, from the 30th September 1874 to the 8th February 1875, inclusive.

* Notified in the *London Gazette* of the 5th March 1875, page 1477.

The 13th April 1875.

No. 375 *of* 1875.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council has pleasure in publishing for general information the following letter from the Quartermaster General of the Army, forwarding the final despatch from Brigadier-General W. Stafford, C.B., reporting the close of the operations carried on by the troops under his command in the Duffla country during the past cold season.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council desires to record his approval of the conduct and results of these operations which reflect much credit on Brigadier-General Stafford who commanded, and on the Officers, troops and departments whose efficiency is cordially acknowledged by the Brigadier-General.

No. $\frac{491}{\text{Duffla Expedition}}$ *(Field Operations)*, dated Calcutta, the 22nd March 1875.

From—Colonel F. S. ROBERTS, C.B., V.C., R.A., Officiating Quartermaster-General,

To—Colonel H. K. BURNE, Secretary to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept., Calcutta.

In original.
Return requested.

I AM desired by the Right Hon'ble the Commander-in Chief to transmit, for the information of the Government of India, the accompanying report from Brigadier-General W. Stafford, C.B., regarding the operations carried on by the troops under his command in the Duffla country.

2. General Stafford's weekly diaries have been forwarded regularly direct to the Military Department, so that the Government of India have been placed in possession of all the circumstances connected with the expedition from 18th November 1874, the date the troops arrived at the Dikrung, until the breaking up of the force at Narainpore on the 24th ultimo.

3. The Brigadier-General bears testimony to the soldierly conduct of the troops, and to the valuable services of the whole of the officers placed at his disposal, more particularly those of whom the Brigadier-General has made special mention in the list attached.

4. The attention of Government is invited to the interesting reports of the officers commanding the transport corps, the senior medical officer, the officer in charge of the survey, the Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, and the officer in charge of the signals.

$\frac{\text{Field Operations}}{\text{Duffla}}$, dated Camp Dibrugarh, the 4th March 1875.

From—Brigadier-General W. J. F. STAFFORD, C.B., late Commanding Duffla Field Force,

To—The Quartermaster-General, Army Head-Quarters, Calcutta.

THE Duffla Expedition having been brought to a close, I have the honor to submit a brief narrative of the operations in which the force has been engaged; and I beg to enclose a trace from Major Austen's plane table, which will shew the route taken.

2. The diaries and special reports which have from time to time been forwarded for the information of Government, and the Right Hon'ble the Commander-in-Chief, leave me but little to add.

3. The objects for which the expedition was organized, and sent into the Duffla Hills, are fully detailed in Government Resolution, No. 1888P, dated 31st August 1874.

4. The field force was composed of the troops, as per margin, and for transport service, there were 1,200 coolies, 59 elephants, and 88 boats, from Dikrung Mookh up to which point stores were conveyed in steamers. After a time boats were used from Dikrung Mookh to Borpani, and elephants as far as Herjoollee, or Camp No. 4; beyond this, the coolies of the transport corps were exclusively employed.

2 Mountain Guns.
Detachment Sappers.
250 men, 42nd Native Infantry.
250 „ 44th Native Infantry.
200 „ 16th Native Infantry.
200 „ 43rd Native Infantry.
25 „ Frontier Police.

5. All out-posts, along the foot of the hills, from Behalee to the west, to Joyling to the east, were taken up the end of October; and during November, troops were moved up. I with my staff arrived at Dikrung Mookh on the 18th November, and on the 10th December I reached Borpani, which may be considered in the enemy's country. A road had been made from Dikrung Mookh, through Narainpore, to Hurmuttee, under the superintendence of Captain Peet, Assistant Commissioner, and this was subsequently improved by military labor. A road was likewise constructed by the troops, from Hurmuttee to Borpani; and the necessity of marching up, keeping close to the banks of the Dikrung river, and crossing and re-crossing it, a proceeding which would have been attended with no little difficulty, was thereby avoided.

6. To allow of supplies being brought up, I remained at Borpani until the 14th December (the road to the rear, and also to the front, being put into proper order) when an onward

move was made to Herjoollee; and on the 18th, the force marched from thence towards camp marked No. 6, which it reached on the 19th, and it was then within a few miles of Pakfi's village (Camp No. 11).

7. When, by the 30th December, the force was in a position to proceed up the Dikrung river, following its banks in the direction of Nana's village, all the captives had been surrendered, with the exception of two—one was in possession of Nana, and the other in that of an Abor Chief, who was then not known.

8. On the 2nd January the force arrived a short distance from Nana's village (No. 9 Camp), and it was soon reported that the captive, to whom allusion has been made above, was anxious to remain where he was, and not to return to the plains. A few days afterwards the village was visited, the Nana having previously come in, and fines were imposed; but as these were not being paid quickly, it was thought expedient to occupy Nana's new village (Camp No. 10), some four miles distant, and this had the desired effect.

9. It was always intended that the force should remain in the hills for some time, and as there were no offending villages further up the Dikrung river, it stayed at No. 9 Camp until the 27th January, and during this time, Major Austen was engaged in survey operations, which, however, were much impeded, in consequence of the very unfavorable weather which prevailed almost the whole of January.

10. In the meantime, from information received, it was ascertained beyond a doubt, that the last remaining captive, a little girl, was in the village of "Dilling" to the north-east of Pakfi's. She had been exchanged by Tagun Gam, whose village is situated to the south of the Missa Purbut, and who took an active part in the raid on Amtolla, for a boy of his, who had been carried away by Boya Gam, resident of "Oompoong" beyond Pakfi's village. Boya Gam had, in his turn, exchanged her for a girl who was in the possession of one of the Chiefs of "Dilling."

11. Tagun Gam was summoned to appear before me, and he readily did so. As a precautionary measure the son of Boya Gam was seized in "Oompoong" and retained as a hostage, the two men concerned in the exchange of the girl being told that they were to recover her, failing which, the son of Boya would not be released. They both agreed to proceed to "Dilling" with mithans and gongs to ransom her; but I now have reason to doubt their having used their best endeavours in the matter. However, as I fully believed, at the time, that the girl would have been given up, I remained at No. 6 Camp until the 7th February, when feeling sure that she would not be surrendered, unless the force advanced, I marched on "Dilling," which proved to be much further than I had anticipated, and which was not reached until the afternoon of the 10th. A very short time after the force arrived above the village, where it encamped, the girl was brought into camp, and delivered up unconditionally. The following morning the force retraced its steps. The weather had been very unfavorable, and there were some very high hills to cross over, one 7,695 feet above the sea level, but all the men were in good spirits, and there was no sickness whatever.

12. The real offender in this case was Tagun Gam, and to guard against any contingency, I had detached Captain Palmer, Aide-de-Camp from No. 6 Camp, with some Sappers, and some men of the 43rd Native Infantry, to this man's village, to secure hostages and mithans, and this duty was performed to my entire satisfaction.

13. On the 11th whilst on the march I heard of the sad events which had occurred in the Naga Hills; and immediate arrangements were made to despatch reinforcements to Dibrugarh.

14. I should state that, prior to making an advance from Hurmuttee, I, in consultation with Lieutenant-Colonel Graham, the Political Officer attached to the force, had thought it advisable to send Rotokis (interpreters) and Dufflas residing in our territory, to the different offending villages calling upon the Gams to surrender the captives in their possession. Messengers were also despatched to the Eastern Dufflas, to say that we had no quarrel with them, and that they need not feel any uneasiness with regard to our advance into the hills. The above measure will account for the captives having been brought into our camp even before we reached the villages in which they were, and for the Eastern Dufflas having visited Camp No. 9.

15. No opposition whatever was offered to our advance; but, in my opinion, this must be, in a great degree, if not entirely, attributed to the strength which we displayed, and I doubt whether a much smaller force would have met with the same success.

16. The orders of Government issued for my guidance were, to my mind, so plain and clear, and the path traced out for me so distinct, that I did not consider myself justified in deviating from the instructions laid down in Resolution of 31st August 1874, to which I firmly adhered throughout, and my doing this may, I fear, have been the cause of some disappointment to the Survey Department. Should this have been the case, the whole responsibility rests with me; but, still I trust it may be deemed that I always, so far as it lay in my power,

afforded every assistance to Major Austen and his party. In paragraph 4 of the Resolution occur the words "opportunity will be taken to effect as complete an exploration of the country as circumstances will permit," and I beg to submit that this has been accomplished, and that the reasons which led to the expedition being undertaken had no reference to the exploration of the Duffla country. That, in fact, no troops would have entered the hills, had it not been necessary to punish the tribes by whom the raid of February 1873 was committed.

17. I was singularly fortunate in having placed at my disposal the services of as good and intelligent a set of officers as ever, I may venture to say, accompanied any force in the field, and I would beg to bring the names enumerated in the annexed list to the favourable notice of the Right Hon'ble the Commander-in-Chief and Government.

18. It must always be rather invidious to mention particular names, when all have done so well; but there are certain officers who, from the nature of the appointments they hold, have better opportunities of bringing out their good qualities, and I only follow the established rule in submitting their names.

19. It is, perhaps, a remarkable fact that the Chiefs of every village the force passed near came into our camp, and that it was on one occasion only that a village was found deserted, but the inhabitants returned to it the day after it was visited.

20. I must not omit to mention that the marine transport service was efficiently performed under the superintendence of Captain Lawrence.

A.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Graham ...	Political officer with the force. I am greatly indebted to this officer for his valuable assistance and advice.
Colonel R. Baigrie, C.B.	Commanding Cooly Corps. No officer could have discharged his duties better.
Lieutenant-Colonel J. P. Sheriff ...	Commanding 42nd Native Infantry.
Lieutenant-Colonel A. Cory	Commanding Detachment 44th Native Infantry.
Major W. G. Cubett, V.C.	Commanding 16th Native Infantry after departure of Lieutenant-Colonel Girdlestone.
Captain R. H. Salkeld	
Captain H. M. Evans	Commanding Detachment 43rd Native Infantry.
Captain E. J. DeLatour, R.A. ...	Commanding Artillery.
Lieutenant W. J. H. Logan-Home, R.E....	Commanding Sappers. Always ready to execute any work, with his excellent detachment.
Deputy Surgeon-General J. T. C. Ross ...	Principal Medical Officer. This officer fully sustained the high reputation he deservedly enjoys.
Major M. H. Heathcote	Very arduous duties fell to the share of this officer as Assistant Quartermaster General, and right well he performed them. A most excellent staff officer.
Major J. O. Hunt	Principal Commissariat Officer. An excellent officer.
Captain A. D. Butter	Brigade-Major. Afforded me every assistance.
Captain A. P. Palmer	Aide-de-Camp. Ever ready to make himself useful.
Captain E. W. Begbie	In charge of Semagraph.
Captain W. J. Peet	Assistant Commissioner.
Major H. H. Godwin-Austen ...	In charge of Survey party.
Lieutenant C. Roberts	In charge of elephants.
Lieutenant H. St. P. Maxwell ...	In charge of boats.

I had every reason to be satisfied with all these officers.

B.

Duffla Field Force Orders.

The Duffla Field Force being in course of being broken up, the Brigadier-General begs to tender his best acknowledgments and thanks to all those engaged in the operations, for the assistance they have invariably afforded him. It has not been the good fortune of the force

to encounter opposition; and consequently there was no fighting; but still the objects for which the expedition was organized and sent into the Duffla hills have, in the opinion of the Brigadier, been fully accomplished; and it will give him much pleasure in bringing to the notice of the Right Hon'ble the Commander-in-Chief and Government the names of those officers who have, he thinks, deserved special mention:—

(a.)—Commanding and Staff Officers have ever been ready to respond to the call of duty.

(b.)—The Medical and Commissariat arrangements have been all that could be desired, and the transport service has always kept the force well supplied, in fact there have been no privations, and no force was ever better fed.

(c.)—Friendly Dufflas and others were employed by the energetic political officer with the force in bringing in intelligence, &c.

(d.)—The survey parties, under the able officer in charge, have done a very fair amount of work.

(e.)—The conduct of the men has been excellent, and they have always performed their duties cheerfully, and well.

By order,

(Sd.) A. D. BUTTER, *Captain,*
Brigade-Major, Duffla Field Force.

CAMP NARAINPORE,
The 24th February 1875.

C.

Dated Camp Narainpore, the 23rd February 1875.

From—Colonel R. BAIGRIE, C.B., Commanding Transport Corps, Duffla Field Force,

To—The Brigade-Major, Duffla Field Force.

Having been directed by the Brigadier-General Commanding the Duffla Field Force to report upon the conduct of the officers and men of the Transport Corps during the late expedition, I have great pleasure in bringing to notice their almost universal good conduct, and the willing alacrity with which all (officers and men) assisted me in, first organizing and disciplining the corps, and afterwards in carrying on the arduous work which falls to the transport department on active service.

Unfortunately for our little army, the ends for which the force was employed were attained without fighting, but the work of the transport corps was the same, and all through the continued soaking rains of January with nearly 200 men in hospital, and many more who ought to have been, had the necessities of the force permitted of it, the steady work of pushing up supplies over steep and slippery mountain paths was carried on without a grumble being heard, and during the eight hard marches to and from Dilling (No. 15) over two mountain ranges of about six thousand feet, and one of seven thousand and eight hundred, exposed to much wet and cold, officers and men worked with the same hearty good will.

I beg to bring to the Brigadier-General's notice the valuable work done by the officers attached to the transport corps:—

Captain Wauchope, 42nd Regiment, Native Infantry,
" Boyes, 2nd Battalion, 12th Regiment,
" Hutchinson, 14th Regiment,
Lieutenant Egan, 12th Bengal Cavalry, and
Surgeon Keefer, 20th Regiment, Punjab Native Infantry,

throughout the expedition; nothing could exceed their zeal, and the care taken of the men by them, and the discipline enforced by them, together with the sanitary arrangements established and maintained by Surgeon Keefer amongst a class of men hitherto unaccustomed to restraint, went far, in my opinion, to maintain the great healthiness of the force.

I wish also to bring to the Brigadier-General's notice that the non-commissioned officers of the 25th, 42nd, 43rd, and 44th regiments of Native Infantry attached to the transport

were very useful and hard working, and the Punjabees and Nepalese were equal in their docility, cleanliness and obedience.

I would also beg to bring to notice the readiness and willingness with which the 500 men sent on duty to the "Naga" Hills obeyed the order, when all were looking forward to returning home. Many whose services were not required, volunteered to go, and only one man (an Afghan) grumbled at having to go.

D.

No. 147, dated Camp Dunsiri Mookh, the 25th February 1875.

From—The Deputy Surgeon-General, Dacca Circle, Principal Medical Officer of the late Duffla Field Force,

To—The Brigade-Major, Eastern Frontier District, late Duffla Field Force.

I have the honor to sumbit to Brigadier-General Stafford, C. B., Commanding, a sketch of the medical and sanitary arrangements, with the sickness and mortality during the Duffla expedition, and to bring to his notice the services of the medical officers.

MEDICAL ARRANGEMENTS.

2. The Artillery sappers and main portion of the transport corps were conveyed from Goalundo to Dikrung Mookh by three steamers taking four flats. Surgeons Raye and Keefer, and Assistant Apothecary Wilson were respectively in charge of a steamer.

The 16th Native Infantry proceeded from Tezpur under Surgeon Bovill of the regiment. The 42nd and 43rd left Gauhāti in charge of Surgeon Wilson, posted to the force for general duty. The 44th came down from Dibrugarh mainly in charge of Surgeon Gash.

3. At Narainpore, as two medical officers were to accompany the advance, Surgeon-Major White of the 42nd was directed to take charge also of the sappers and 44th, and Surgeon Bovill of the Artillery and 43rd. Surgeon Raye was appointed to the charge of the medical stores and depôt hospital Narainpore; and Surgeon Wilson to the depôt, &c., about to be formed at Hurmuttee.

4. Under the probability that detachments would be separated occasionally from head quarters, each detachment hospital was organized distinct with its own hospital assistant and establishment.

5. Thus the arrangements for the medical staff might be said to be on the general staff system—the distinctive character of a regimental officer being merged into more general duty—and those for the hospital establishments on the regimental. The result was, I think, satisfactory. Medical officers were occasionally sent with detachments other than their charges, or with only a portion of their charge, resuming all again on their return to head-quarters. A detachment being independent, moved off with its hospital establishment on the shortest notice.

6. On the advance from Narainpore, the sick of the troops and transport remained there; and the same occurred at Hurmuttee. Most of them were temporary cases, and soon rejoined head-quarters, or were attached to the strength of the depôts. During the expedition, sick men, not likely to recover within a reasonable time, were sent back to these depôts: but their numbers were few.

7. When the force advanced on the 30th December, from Camp No. 6, Surgeon Raye was brought up for the charge of the field hospital established there. He left on the 27th January, taking back the whole sick of the force to Camp No. 3, Borpani; whence they proceeded by boat to Narainpore. There were no sick men with the force when it began to withdraw.

SANITARY ARRANGEMENTS.

8. The system of latrine trenches was new to the 16th Native Infantry and the Assam regiments. Medical officers introduced it on a regular system, and in all measures they received cordial support from commanding officers. The 26 days' occupation of Camp No. 9—in a contracted space and under most unfavorable weather—was a good test of the efficiency of the plan. The cleanliness of the several camps was so well attended to, that I think it may be said no offence was evident on the return marches.

9. The water-supply was almost entirely from large streams. Precautions were, however, taken when the supply was in smaller quantity.

10. At each camp the troops and transport, &c., hutted well, and guarded themselves against wet grounds. The 16th among the former, and the men of the transport corps soon becoming adepts in the work.

11. Even on the wet and severe marches to Dilling, the trenches were as regularly dug, and the hutting carried out, as on shorter journeys.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

12 Surgeon-Major J. B. White, of the 42nd, gave me valuable assistance in Calcutta while organizing the medical details of the expedition. He preceded the force, and made arrangements for it at Narainpore and Hurmuttee. I am much indebted to him for his willing aid on all occasions; much of the good sanitary state of the camps is due to his example and supervision.

13. Surgeon D. O'C. Raye, Garrison Surgeon, Fort William, was, at short notice, ordered with the expedition. He was detained at Narainpore pending the arrival of Surgeon Gunn. On that officer returning ill from Gauhati, Surgeon Raye was kept with the force. As medical store-keeper he did good service. The duty on landing and dispersion was arduous. On this work, and during his month's tour at the field hospital, No. 6, his services were very valuable.

14. Surgeon J. N. Keefer, of the 20th Native Infantry, was posted to the transport corps, and joined as the men arrived at Chinsurah. The good sanitary condition of the lines of the transport corps at all the camps was mainly due to his constant supervision and care. His arrangements for the detached post of his men were judicious and thoughtful.

15. Surgeon J. Wilson was stationed principally at Hurmuttee. He performed every duty devolving on him satisfactorily, and kept his station in excellent sanitary condition.

16. Surgeon E. Bovill of the 16th Native Infantry was careful and hardworking in all his charges. He took great pains in the sanitation of the different camps, and did good service throughout.

17. Assistant Apothecary G. Wilson was diligent and painstaking. His principal duties were at the Narainpore depôt, where he gave satisfaction to Surgeons Raye and Wilson.

18. There were 17 Hospital Assistants attached to the expedition, its depôts and out-posts. With one exception all did their duty well. But I would name the following, who did good service with the force itself: 3rd Class Hospital Assistants Abdool Gunny, Artillery; Ausgur Hossein, Sappers; Rujub Alli, 16th; Syud Mahomed Hossein, 43rd; Mahomed Fuzloo Rahman, 44th; Nusseroodeen, Staff; Rughoonath Dass and Munsa Ram, of the transport corps.

SICKNESS AND MORTALITY.

19. Subject to the receipt of full details for the whole month of February, the following table shows the main statistics of the force:—

Percentage of sick to average daily strength, for 3 months, from 24th November 1874 to 24th February 1875.

	Fighting men.	Transport Corps.	Followers.
From 24th November, 7 days ...	3·42	3·91	2·24
December	3·47	5·81	1·36
January	5·79	11·80	2·67
To 24th February, 24 days ...	4·66	9·98	1·54
Average for the 3 months on the total figures	4·55	8·74	1·91

20. Total deaths in the force, from 1st November 1874 to 28th February 1875:—

Fighting men No. 4.
- 1 16th Native Infantry, dysentery, Gohpore out-posts.
- 1 16th " " Narainpore depôt.
- 1 43rd " " " "
- 1 44th " heart disease, Camp No. 9.

Transport corps No. 10.
- 1 Cholera ... } On board steamers.
- 1 Diarrhœa ... } On board steamers.
- 1 Drowned ... } On board steamers.
- 2 Fever, Narainpore depôt.
- 1 Pneumonia, Hurmuttee depôt.
- 2 Dysentery, 1 at No. 6, 1 at Hurmuttee depôt.
- 2 Diarrhoea, Narainpore depôt.

Followers, No. 6.
- 1 Survey coolie, Cholera, Narainpore.
- 1 " Bronchitis, "
- 1 " Dysentery, No. 6.
- 1 Mahout ... Fever, Narainpore.
- 1 " ... Dysentery, Narainpore.
- 1 Chowdry, 44th " at No. 9.

The mortality per cent. to average daily strength for the 4 months was:—

Fighting men	...	...	·50 per cent.
Transport corps	...	...	·86 "
Followers	...	...	1·15 "

21. The health of the officers was, on the whole, excellent. Most of them however suffered ill effects from the circumstances of camp No. 6; and, but for the excellence of the commissariat rations—the regular issue of fresh meat and bread—dysenteric affections would have then become prevalent.

E.

No. 137, dated Steamer *Jaboona*, the 1st March 1875.

From—MAJOR C. G. HUNT, Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, Principal Commissariat Officer, Duffla Expedition,

To—The Brigade-Major, Duffla Expedition.

Brigadier-General Stafford, C. B., having been pleased to desire that I should submit the names of officers of my department whose services during the late Duffla Expedition deserve notice, I have the honor to report for his information, that Deputy Assistant Commissary-General Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. Montagu, and Sub-Assistant Commissary-Generals Lieutenant J. R. B. Bennet and G. L. Eliot, have evinced great zeal and ability in the discharge of their duties.

Lieutenant-Colonel Montagu in particular has continuously had heavy work of a responsible nature to perform, and has shewn himself to be an officer of very sound judgment, and one who could be relied upon in emergency.

I am much indebted to each of these officers for the valuable aid they have afforded me on this occasion.

F.

Dated Camp Narainpore, the 23rd February 1875.

From—Captain C. BEGBIE, Madras Sappers, in charge of Army Semegraph,

To—The Assistant Quartermaster-General, Duffla Field Force.

I have the honor to offer the following report of the signalling operations during the Duffla Expedition.

2. I joined the head-quarters at Borpani on the 12th December last, with two Privates of the Madras Sappers, and sets of equipment for two signal stations, that being the maximum number which could be worked by us.

3. Lieutenant C. R. Roberts, 72nd Highlanders, kindly offered his services, and volunteered to work at the base, according as his duties kept him at Hurmuttee, or Narainpore, and towards the end of December, the necessary arrangements being completed, signalling between Narainpore and the hill known as Tenier Lampah, near No. 5 Camp, was established.

I beg to take this opportunity of expressing my great obligations to Lieutenant Roberts for the zealous interest evinced by him in the signalling, and for the important assistance rendered by him throughout. In fact, if he had not undertaken to work the base station, it would have been impossible to have attempted any signalling, as I and my two Sappers could only have manned two stations, which number would have been useless for any practical purpose.

4. It became necessary afterwards to change the signalling station from Tenier Lampah to a point marked as "Peak 2 L" in the Duffla map, as the former position was invisible, while the latter was visible, from the neighbourhood of Camps Nos. 6 and 9, at which our longest halts were made. It was requisite to have a station in the camps themselves, as "Peak 2 L" could not be seen from them, so that a chain of four stations was indispensable for connecting by continuous communication, either of these camps with the base.

5. According to the complement laid down in the official code book, there should have been 14 signallers to have worked these four stations, but the number *actually* available was only three, but this was increased to five by volunteers. So the arrangement made was that the two Native Sappers took one central station (Peak 2 L) and I worked the other (in the vicinity of the

Camp), while the terminal stations were managed by Lieutenant Roberts and Sergeant Macqueen (Bengal Sappers) respectively when htey were available.

6. It is much to be regretted that the very unfavourable weather during the whole of our stay at No. 9 Camp, prevented any signalling operations being undertaken while there, and it was not until our return to No. 6 that messages, for some days in succession, were transmitted from head-quarters to Narainpore and Hurmuttee.

In addition to the constant rain, mist and cloud, there were other natural difficulties to contend with in the features of the hills, the principal one being the dense and universal forest, which had to be cleared at considerable labor before a horizon could be obtained for a signal station.

7. I beg here to submit that a considerable risk of total failure is involved in the condition of depending upon such a precarious source as the services of volunteers to work the Semegraph, as all officers and men in the field having their legitimate duties to attend to, it is evident that perfect reliance can never be placed on all the signal stations in a chain being manned at all hours.

I avail myself therefore of this opportunity of pointing out the great inconvenience that might arise on some important occasion, if the working of the army Semegraph is in any way dependent on non-professional and voluntary services. The efficient working of the department can only be relied on, when it is composed of officers and men not only thoroughly trained to its duties, but who also belong to it exclusively.

8. Bearing in mind, however, that on this expedition four signal stations were worked by two officers and three men, I trust that the operations, though they were limited, may be considered satisfactory.

The operations were limited in consequence, principally, of our being *entirely* dependent on the helistat as the means of communication; for, a sunny day throughout the line was quite the exception. If more signallers, however, had been available, the links could have been multiplied, and in the chain thus informed, the base would have been connected with the advanced posts by stations about eight or ten miles apart, according to circumstances, and as flags are easily read at these distances, signalling could have been carried on as well in cloudy as in sunny weather.

9. A sketch accompanies this letter, and it is hoped that it will prove useful in illustrating the relative positions of the different camps and signal stations.

No. 30, dated Narainpore, the 25th February 1875.

From—Major H. H. GODWIN AUSTEN, Deputy Supdt., Topographical Survey of India,

To—Captain D. BUTTER, Brigade-Major, Duffla Field Force.

I have the honor to enclose a sketch for the information of the Brigadier-General of the portion of the Duffla country lately visited by the force under his command, on the scale of 2 miles = 1 inch, shewing the routes followed by the main columns and all detachments in red, those by the survey parties in brown. The map is capable of being reproduced by photo-zincography, should other copies be required, as the hill ranges are shewn in penwork, this the Surveyor-General will no doubt undertake pending the compilation of the fair maps.

2. The survey party has completed by actual survey about 530 square miles of the hill country, and 1,000 square miles more have been laid down by rough reconnoissance. Lieutenant Harman in the Ranga valley brought in a reconnoissance of 500 square miles, and fixed the positions of several hitherto unvisited villages. The total area of country now fairly known of which we were a short time ago completely ignorant, is 1,550 square miles.

3. The triangulation has been successfully completed for a distance of 42 miles in direct line from its base. At Nikori Chapri and Rodonga, Great Trigonometrical Survey stations on the Bramaputra up to Shengorh Peak, on the watershed of the Dikrung and Ranga rivers, eight trigonometrical stations were observed and a number of peaks have been fixed on the ranges to the north up to 28° 25' including several snowy peaks hitherto unknown. These will prove of great use hereafter, should further survey operations be attempted in this part of the Eastern Himalaya.

I have in conclusion to bring to your favorable notice the assistants named in the margin, who have worked hard and seconded my endeavours to the utmost to secure a good outturn of work. Mr Lister of the Botanical Garden, Calcutta, has had every opportunity given him, and has brought together a large collection of plants and seeds illustrative of the flora of the country. A collection of the birds, insects, and shells has also been brought together, which will be examined and reported on hereafter.

Lieutenant H. T. Harman, R.E.
Mr. M. T. Ogle.
Mr. William Robert.
Mr. T. Lister.

The 14th April 1875.

No. 376 *of* 1875.—The difference between the Indian and English scales of clothing for the Infantry of the Line having caused numerous references on the subject of the clothing to be issued to British Infantry soldiers on arrival in India, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to publish the following rules for guidance.

2. All ranks should, on arrival in India, conform to the clothing regulations in this country. Accordingly men who received in England in 1873-74

a tunic,
a kersey frock,
a pair tweed trowsers,
a „ serge „

should receive on arrival in India for 1874-75 the Indian scale of clothing, *viz.* :—

a tunic, or compensation in lieu,
a pair cloth trowsers,
a „ serge „ or compensation.

Those men who received in England in 1874-75

a kersey frock,
a pair tweed trowsers,

should receive on arrival in India for 1875-76 the Indian scale of clothing for that year, *viz.* :—

a serge frock, or compensation with difference between tunic and serge frock,
a pair serge trowsers, or compensation with difference between cloth and serge trowsers.

3. In the event of a Regiment of British Infantry arriving in India with *cloth* clothing, two years in wear, in a year in which serge is issued, the issue of cloth clothing will be made to such extent as may be required, on the understanding that no compensation will be admissible for the difference between cloth and serge clothing, which is only recognized to be due under G. G. O. No. 549 of 17th May 1872 in the second year of clothing, when the issue consists of serge frock and serge trowsers.

4. When desired by Commanding Officers of British Infantry Regiments, the Clothing Department is authorized to issue, as far as is conveniently practicable, serge frocks and trowsers, up to the value of the compensation admissible under the provisions of paragraph 2 of the General Order.

5. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

No. 377 *of* 1875.—The following extract from List No. 6, dated the 19th March 1875, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment permitted to return to duty and granted extensions of leave, received from the India Office, is published for general information :—

Permitted to return.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. B. Clay.

Granted extensions of leave.

Major H. Thompson, 6 months private affairs.

No. 378 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted to retire from the service from the dates specified under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1 of 1st January 1875 :—

No.	RANK AND NAMES.	Corps.	Ordinary pension.	Annuity.	Capitalized value of annuity.	Date of retirement.	Where to be paid.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
1	Lieut.-Col. (Bt. Col.) George Remington Cookson ...	Bengal Infy.	456 5 0	595 17 0	.....	1st April 1875	England.
2	Lieut.-Col. (Bt. Col.) Reginald Ouseley	Staff Corps ..	365 0 0	526 8 0	.....	„ ...	Ditto.
3	Lieut.-Col. (Bt. Col.) Charles Need	Bengal Infy.	365 0 0	.....	4,431 0 0	„	£1,000 in India; £3,431 in England.
4	Lieut.-Col. (Bt. Col.) Richard Wellesley Chambers ...	Staff Corps ..	456 5 0	419 6 0	.....	„ ...	England.
5	Lieut.-Col. (Bt. Col.) George Fullerton Carnegie ...	Ditto ...	365 0 0	365 7 0	.....	„ ...	Ditto.
6	Lieut.-Col. (Bt. Col.) William Briggs	Ditto ...	292 0 0	324 4 0	.....	„ ...	Ditto.
7	Lieut.-Col. Samuel Dewe White	Ditto ...	292 0 0	258 11 0	.....	„ ...	Ditto.
8	Lieut.-Col. Hugh Pigot Williams	Ditto ...	292 0 0	257 8 0	.....	„ ...	Ditto.
9	Lieut.-Col. Robert Cogan Cross	Ditto ...	365 0 0	.....	3,145 0 0	„ ...	
10	Lieut.-Col. Etienne St. George	Ditto ...	365 0 0	257 8 0	.....	„ ...	England.
11	Lieut.-Col. Thomas Taylor ...	Ditto ...	292 0 0	230 12 0	.....	„ ...	Ditto.
12	Lieut.-Col. Wemyss Smith...	Ditto ...	365 0 0	229 8 0	.....	„ ...	Ditto.
13	Lieut.-Col. (Bt. Col.) William Robert Cunningham ...	Bengal Infy.	456 5 0	531 7 0	.....	12th „ ...	Ditto.

The 15th April 1875.

No. 379 *of* 1875.—With reference to the Notification issued by the Public Works Department, No. 140, dated 24th March 1875, the services of Major J. H. Bedford, of the Royal (Bombay) Engineers, Executive Engineer 2nd grade, British Burma, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

No. 380 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer having completed twelve years' service, including four years in the Staff Corps, is promoted to the rank of Captain from the date specified under the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Bengal Staff Corps.

Lieutenant George Tomkyns Morris, 8th March 1875.

No. 381 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Edward Tuite Dalton, C.S.I., of the Bengal Staff Corps,—for two years under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) William John Ward, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant 8th Bengal Cavalry,—for one year under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) George Swiney, of the Bengal Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, 1st grade, North-Western Provinces,—for one year under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Charles McKenzie Hall, of the General List Infantry, Wing Officer 5th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—for two years under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 382 *of* 1875.—*Erratum.*—In G. G. O. No. 974 of 1874, opposite the name of Hospital Assistant Motee Lall, and under date of rank for "27th June 1868" read "*27th January* 1868."

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 383 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from England :—

Lieutenant D. S. Cuninghame, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Squadron Subaltern 1st Punjab Cavalry,—*Date of arrival at Bombay,* 18th February 1875. (Date of departure on furlough, 25th February 1873.)

Captain (Brevet Major) B. Lovett, C.S.I., Royal Engineers, Executive Engineer 3rd grade, Public Works Department,—*Date of arrival at Bombay,* 17th March 1875.

Captain G. M. Abbott, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Squadron Subaltern 19th Bengal Lancers,—*Date of arrival at Bombay,* 24th March 1875.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) R. Chalmers, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd in Command and Squadron Officer 14th Bengal Lancers,—*Date of arrival at Fort William,* 31st March 1875.

Captain R. F. C. A. Tytler, of the General List Infantry, 1st Squadron Subaltern 8th Bengal Cavalry,—*Date of arrival at Fort William,* 31st March 1875.

Captain R. J. Wimberley, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Assistant Superintendent, Port Blair and the Nicobars,—*Date of arrival at Fort William,* 4th April 1875.

Major R. J. Walker, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer 17th (The Loyal Poorbeah) Regiment of Native Infantry,—*Date of arrival at Bombay,* 4th April 1875.

No. 384 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Colonel Thomas Rochfort Snow, of Cavalry,—for three years under the Regulations of 1796.

No. 385 *of* 1875.—The following extract from the *London Gazette* of the 9th March 1875, page 1528, is published for general information :—

WAR OFFICE ;
Pall Mall, the 9th March 1875.

First Class Apothecary John Rehill, Bengal Medical Service, to have the local and honorary rank of Surgeon. Dated 10th March 1875.

The following promotion to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces in consequence of the death, on 5th February 1875, of Lieutenant-General T. H. Shuldham, Bengal Infantry :—

Major-General William Binfield Wemyss, Bengal Cavalry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 6th February 1875.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Baigrie, C.B., Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 20th November 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Cooper Johnson, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 2nd December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Hunter Thompson, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 8th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Ferrers Waddington, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 8th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Crommelin Hankin, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 8th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Winterton Dun, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 8th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Walker, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 9th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Clarke Babington, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 9th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Paterson, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 9th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Ambrose Hare, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 9th December 1874.

No. 386 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon W. E. Battersby, M.B., of the Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 387 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned passed Medical Pupils are promoted to the grade of 3rd Class Hospital Assistants, with effect from the dates specified against their respective names :—

Names.	Date of appointment to a permanent post.	Date of passing the examination in English according to the new test.
Joonga ...	9th April 1874 ...	20th April 1874.
Kaim ...	4th May " ...	.....

No. 388 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Hospital Assistants, who have passed their professional examination, are advanced to the next higher grade with effect from the dates specified against their respective names :—

Names.	Date of completion of the septennial period of service.	Date of passing the professional examination.	Date of promotion.
To be 2nd Class Hospital Assistants.			
Moolchund (A) ...	14th April 1872	25th Dec. 1874	25th Dec. 1874
Abdool Kadir Khan...	14th April 1873	Ditto	Ditto
Ahmed Ally (2nd) ...	11th Feb. 1874	13th Nov. 1874	13th Nov. 1874
Shaik Raheem Bux ...	24th June 1874	Ditto	25th June 1874
Enayut Hoossein ...	30th Sept. 1874	25th Dec. 1874	1st Oct. 1874

(A) Passed an examination in English on the 25th December 1874.

No. 389 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Hospital Assistants passed their English qualification examination according to the test laid down in G. G. O. No. 945 of the 7th October 1868, on the dates specified against their respective names :—

Names.	Date of rank.	Date of passing the examination in English according to the new test.
3rd Class Hospital Assistants.		
B. Apparido ...	29th April 1869	25th Dec. 1874.
Sham Sarun ...	12th Oct. "	5th Feb. 1875.
Surbolund ...	16th April 1871	1st " "
Abdool Guffor ...	1st July 1873	3rd " "

No. 390 *of* 1875.—The following Native Medical Pupils passed their English qualification examination according to the test laid down in G. G. O. No. 945 of the 7th October 1868, on the dates specified against their respective names :—

General Number.	Names.	Date of passing the examination in English according to the new test.
684	Feeroz Deen ...	8th March 1875.
731	Hyder Khan ...	1st " "

No. 391 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to decide that Officers Commanding Native Regiments shall submit a Statement quarterly in the annexed form, of all public monies received, paid, and remaining unexpended in their hands at the end of each year.

The Returns are to accompany the Pay Lists for the months of March, June, September and December of each year.

This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

Return of Regimental Funds for the quarter ending

Description.*	Balance on 1st	Received during the quarter.	Paid during the quarter.	Balance on 30th	Why not adjusted.
Pay of men on Command or on leave ...					
Unissued pay and allowances.					
Advances for recruiting service					
Compensation for clothing ..					
Donation batta ..					
Hutting money ..					
Gratuities unclaimed ..					
Deserters' pay and effects ..					
Estates of deceased Non-Commissioned Officers and men					
TOTAL ...					

* All monies which, in the event of their remaining unclaimed, would be credited to the State, are to be included in the lists.

N. B.—Any other public money not specified above, should be duly entered under the proper head.

I hereby certify that I have personally enquired into and ascertained the above to be a true and correct account of all Government monies remaining in regimental charge this day, and of the reason for their non-adjustment.

Station _____ _____, *Colonel,*

Date _____ *Commanding* _____ *Regiment.*

No. 392 *of* 1875.—Yusseen Khan, whose appointment as Jemadar on probation in the 24th (Punjab) Regiment Native Infantry was sanctioned by the Government of India on the 7th April 1873, is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 1st March 1873.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 10*th April* 1875.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant Officers on the dates specified, were received in the Military Department from 13th March to 9th April 1875 :—

Corps.	RANK AND NAMES.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	REMARKS.
Royal Artillery ...	Lieutenant H. W. Gataker ...	5th April 1875	Benares ...	.....	
Subordinate Medical Department ...	Apothecary J. Piner ...	3rd " "	Nowshera ...	.....	

FORT WILLIAM ;
The 10*th April* 1875.

B. E. BACON, *Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 14th April 1875.

No. 7 of 1875.—The following notice to Mariners received from the Government of Bombay is published for general information :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

DIRECTION FOR THE KURRACHEE HARBOUR

LIGHT-HOUSE.

Latitude of light-house on Manora Point ...	24° 47′ 21″ N.
Longitude	66° 58′ 15″ E.
The light is a fixed one, 120 feet above the sea-level, visible in clear weather ...	16 miles.
In hazy weather, prevalent during the south-west monsoon, about	7 miles.
Present light very inferior. A dioptric light of the 2nd order recommended.	

TIDES.

	H.	M.
High Water, full and change	10	30
	Ft.	In.
Average rise and fall, Spring tides	9	6
Ditto ditto Neap tides	3 to 4 feet.	

Depth of water in Entrance Channel at High Water—

Spring tides	29 feet.
Neap tides	24 to 26 feet.

DRAUGHT OF VESSELS ENTERING OR LEAVING PORT.

Vessels with a draught not exceeding 21½ feet can now enter and leave the Port without difficulty or delay during all seasons of the year.

During the fair season, from October to 15th May, vessels with a draught not exceeding 24 feet can now enter and leave the harbour.

Fixed moorings are placed for such vessels.

TIME OF TIDE FOR ENTERING PORT.

Sailing vessels should enter Port on the ebb-tide.

Steamers can enter either flood or ebb, and stand at once into Port.

Masters of Ships should not, under any circumstances, attempt to enter the harbour without a Pilot.

HARBOUR IMPROVEMENTS.

Among the extensive works executed, a breakwater* has been built, running out from Manora Point in a south-by-east direction to a distance of 1,500 feet into 6 fathoms of water; this affords complete shelter to the Entrance Channel during the south-west monsoon; also a channel has been opened through the bar with a depth of 20 feet at low water spring-tides 500 feet in breadth; the channel is marked by buoys, and these on entering should be kept on the port side about 150 feet.

* A red-light is exhibited at the outer extremity of the breakwater.

Note.—A Mail Steamer arriving off the port at night and requiring a Pilot should fire two guns.

APPROACHING THE PORT.

COAST OF SIND.

Indus Banks.

The Coast of Sind below the parallel of 24° north latitude should be approached with great caution; too much attention cannot be paid to the lead, more especially in passing the banks of the Indus.*

* Banks of the Indus have extended about 10 miles to the southward since 1856.

No sailing vessel should come nearer this coast than 20 fathoms by night, or in rough weather, or under 12 fathoms by day in fine weather.

The tides during the springs are strong, the flood sets south-east and ebbs to the north-west.

From February to the end of the monsoon a strong south-easterly current is experienced, running at a rate of from 15 to 40 miles a day.

During the south-west monsoon, sailing vessels should make Ras Muari (Cape Monze), which is 18 miles west-half-north from Manora Light-house, and keep to windward of the port, if the weather is thick, or if the tide does not suit for entering the harbour. Allowance must also be made for a strong set to the south-east, which prevails more or less during the south-west monsoon.

Do not bring Manora Point to the southward-of-east, or go under 15 fathoms near Cape Monze.

Masters of ships should endeavour to make the port at daylight, and can with safety approach into 8 fathoms to about 2 miles distance from the light-house, keeping it, in any bearing, from north-east to north, and heave to for a Pilot.

ANCHORAGE IN THE ROADS.

From June to the middle of September, ships should not on any account anchor, but stand off and on, keeping the light-house bearing from north-by-east to north-east, 1 to 2 miles distant, until boarded by a Pilot or directed by signal.

September to end of March.

Anchorage light-house north-by-east to north-north-east, distant 1 mile, 7 fathoms.

April and May.

Light-house north-north-east to north-east, distant half a mile, 8 fathoms.

GEORGE C. PARKER, *Lieut., I. N.,*
Actg. Master Attendant, Kurrachee.

MASTER ATTENDANT'S OFFICE,
MANORA,
The 21st February 1875.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 13th April 1875.

No. 169.—Baboo Boij Nath Chatterjee, Officiating Accountant 4th grade, Tirhoot State Railway, is placed on the Establishment under the control of the Director of State Railways.

The 14th April 1875.

No. 170.—The services of Lieutenant E. E. Kenny, Assistant Engineer 2nd grade, Mysore, are temporarily replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras in the Military Department.

No. 171.—Lieutenant G. F. Wilson, R. E., is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer 2nd grade, and posted to the Establishment under the Director of State Railways.

No. 172.—Mr. M. J. Chabrel is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer 3rd grade on probation, and posted to Mysore.

The 15th April 1875.

No. 173.—Lieutenant (local Captain) W. H. Rathborne, R. E., Executive Engineer 3rd grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Consulting Engineer to Government of India for Guaranteed Railways from the 22nd March 1875 *vice* Lieutenant W. S. S. Bisset, R. E., who has gone on furlough.

No. 174. *Erratum.*—In Public Works Department Notification No. 154 of the 25th March 1875, regarding the resignation of Mr A. G. Murray, Executive Engineer 3rd grade, for "13th March 1875" read "14th March 1875."

The 16th April 1875.

No. 175.—Mr. A. B. Sampson, B. A., Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, arrived in Bombay on the 4th April, and the balance of extended leave granted him by the Secretary of State (Notification No. 83, dated 22nd February 1875) is hereby cancelled.

Mr. Sampson is allowed subsidiary leave from the 4th to the 13th April. He resumed charge of his office from Major J. P. Steel, R.E., on the forenoon of the 14th.

No. 176.—Mr. M. Gregory, Sub-Engineer 3rd grade, is transferred from His Highness the Nizam's State Railway to British Burmah for employment in the Railway Branch.

No. 177.—Mr. G. J. Lynn, Assistant Auditor, Oudh and Rohilkund Railway Accounts, is granted 85 days' privilege leave with effect from the 18th January 1875.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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SIMLA, FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 1875.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

No. 1125*P*.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 19*th April* 1875.

POLITICAL.

PROCLAMATION.

To all whom it may concern:—

His Highness Mulhar Rao, Gaekwar, was suspended from the exercise of power, and the administration of the Baroda State was temporarily assumed by the British Government, in order that a public enquiry might be made into the truth of the imputation that His Highness had instigated an attempt to poison Colonel R. Phayre, C. B., the late Representative of the British Government at the Court of Baroda, and that every opportunity should be given to His Highness of freeing himself from the said imputation.

The proceedings of the Commission having been brought to a close, Her Majesty's Government have taken into consideration the question whether His Highness Mulhar Rao, Gaekwar, shall be restored to the exercise of sovereign power in the State of Baroda.

The Commissioners being divided in opinion, Her Majesty's Government have not based their decision on the enquiry or report of the Commission, nor have they assumed that the result of the enquiry has been to prove the truth of the imputations against His Highness.

Having regard, however, to all the circumstances relating to the affairs of Baroda from the accession of His Highness Mulhar Rao, Gaekwar, to the present time, his notorious misconduct, his gross misgovernment of the State, and his evident incapacity to carry into effect the necessary reforms; having also considered the opinion of the Government of India that it would be detrimental to the interests of the people of Baroda and inconsistent with the

maintenance of the relations which ought to subsist between the British Government and the Baroda State that His Highness should be restored to power, Her Majesty's Government have decided that His Highness Mulhar Rao, Gaekwar, shall be deposed from the Sovereignty of Baroda, and that he and his issue shall be hereafter precluded from all rights, honors, and privileges thereto appertaining.

Accordingly His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council hereby declares that His Highness Mulhar Rao, Gaekwar, is deposed from the Sovereignty of the Baroda State, and that he and his issue are precluded from all rights, honors, and privileges thereto appertaining.

Mulhar Rao will be permitted to select some place in British India, which may be approved by the Government of India, where he and his family shall reside with a suitable establishment and allowances to be provided from the revenues of the Baroda State.

Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen, in re-establishing a Native Administration in the Baroda State, being desirous to mark her sense of the loyal services of His Highness Khundee Rao, Gaekwar, in 1857, has been pleased to accede to the request of his widow, Her Highness Jumnabaee, that she may be allowed to adopt some member of the Gaekwar House whom the Government of India may select as the most suitable person upon whom to confer the Sovereignty of the Baroda State.

The necessary steps will accordingly be immediately taken to carry into effect Her Majesty's commands. In the meantime, with the consent of His Highness the Maharaja of Indore, Sir Madava Rao, K. C. S. I., will at once proceed to Baroda, and conduct the administration of the State as Prime Minister, under instructions which he will receive from the Governor General's Agent and Special Commissioner at Baroda.

In conferring the Sovereignty of the Baroda State, no alteration will be made in the treaty engagements which exist between the British Government and the Gaekwars of Baroda, and the new Gaekwar will enjoy all the privileges and advantages which were conveyed to the Gaekwar of Baroda in the Sunnud of Earl Canning, dated the 11th of March 1862.

By order of His Excellency the Viceroy
and Governor General of India in Council,

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 23rd April 1875.

No. 372.—The Hon'ble F. B. Kemp, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, availed himself on the forenoon of the 13th instant of the furlough granted to him by Notification No. 224, dated the 10th ultimo.

No. 373.—The Hon'ble H. B. Lawford took his seat as an Officiating Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the forenoon of the 13th instant.

No. 376.—*Appointments.*—Mr. J. K. Wight, C.S., Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade in Assam, to officiate temporarily as Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Grade, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment at Sylhet.

Mr. G. Godfrey, C.S., Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, to officiate temporarily as Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Grade, with effect from the 2nd February last.

Mr. G. H. Damant, C.S., Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Grade, to officiate temporarily as Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Grade, with effect from the date on which Captain H. J. Peet joined his appointment as Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

No. 19.—Mr. G. G. Dey, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a certificate of High Proficiency in Bengali, has been presented with the authorised donation of Rupees 1,000.

MEDICAL.

The 21st April 1875.

No. 232.—Third Grade Assistant Surgeon Hurro Lall Dutt is permitted to resign the service with effect from the 12th ultimo.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 23rd April 1875.

No. 139.—The Reverend A. Eschelbach, and the Reverend H. W. Crofton, Chaplains on the Bengal Establishment, have been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India extensions of leave on medical certificates for six months.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 22nd April 1875.

No. 45 *J.*—Under section 43 of Act X of 1872 (The Code of Criminal Procedure), the Governor General in Council is pleased to confer upon the persons holding the office of Cantonment Magistrate at Mhow, Morar, Nowgong and Neemuch, for the time being, the powers of a Magistrate of the District, as defined in section 35 of the aforesaid Act, within the limits of their respective Cantonments.

POLITICAL.

The 22nd April 1875.

No. 1115 *P.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. S. E. Voigt as Acting Consul for the Austro-Hungarian Empire at Calcutta, during the absence of Mr. Diefenbach.

The 23rd April 1875.

No. 1140 *P.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. James Halliday as Acting Consular Agent for the United States of America, at Rangoon, during the absence of Mr. I. M. Leishman.

No. 1142 *P.*—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased, as a temporary measure, to depute Colonel Sir R. J. Meade, K.C.S.I., as Agent to the Governor General, and Special Commissioner at Baroda, with effect from the afternoon of the 10th April 1875, on which date he assumed charge of the office from Colonel Sir Lewis Pelly, K.C.S.I.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

Simla, the 23rd April 1875.

No. 406.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the following addition to section 36 of the Acting Allowance Code:—

Probationary Assistant to the Collector of Salt Revenue in Bombay:

		Rs.
On first appointment ...	...	200
On passing first examination	...	250
On passing second examination	...	300

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 23rd April 1875.

No. 408.—The following Statement of the Silver received and coined in the Mints of Calcutta and Bombay in March 1875 is published for general information:—

	CALCUTTA.			BOMBAY.		
	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.
	Government.	Merchants.		Government.	Merchants.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
March 1875 ...	1,583	39,10,613	26,36,314	6,119	29,04,586	32,99,175

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 23rd April 1875.

No. 404.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following be substituted for Rule 2 under section 17 of the Civil Pension Code:—

An officer officiating in an office which is vacant, or of which the permanent incumbent does not draw any part of the pay, may, if he is confirmed without break of continuity, and if the permanent incumbent is not at the time counting service in the office for pension, count service as if he had held the office substantively.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 16th April 1875.

No. 393 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment in the Department of Military Accounts:—

Lieutenant G. W. Sawyer, of the Bombay Staff Corps, Adjutant, 6th Regiment Bombay Native Infantry, to officiate as an Assistant in the Pay Department, on probation, from the date on which he joined that Department.

The 17th April 1875.

No. 394 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

3rd Punjab Cavalry.

Lieutenant F. Mardall, of the 21st Foot, attached to the 2nd Punjab Infantry on probation, to officiate as 2nd Squadron Subaltern, on probation, *vice* Lieutenant C. C. Egerton, appointed to officiate as Adjutant, or until further orders.

No. 395 *of* 1875.—The services of Assistant Apothecaries J. Reid and J. Whitby, of the Subordinate Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 396 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant-Colonel George Charles Lloyd, of Infantry,—for eighteen months under the Regulations of 1796.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Astell Franks, of Infantry,—for two years under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Henry Paget, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 5th Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force,—for two years under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel William James Pratt Barlow, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 5th Regiment of Native (Light) Infantry,—for two years under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 397 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments and arrangements in the Department of Military Accounts.

Bengal.

Colonel A. E. Osborn, 2nd Examiner and Officiating 1st Examiner, Pay Department, to be 1st Examiner, Pay Department, in succession to Lieutenant-Colonel H. P. Williams, retired.

Major T. H. Turner, Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, and Officiating Examiner, Pay Department, Bombay, to be 2nd Examiner, Pay Department, *vice* Colonel Osborn; but to continue to officiate as Examiner, Pay Department, Bombay, until further orders.

Colonel C. L. Brown, Deputy Paymaster and Officiating Paymaster, to be a Paymaster to complete the Establishment, *vice* Colonel H. A. Cockburn, appointed Examiner, Pay Department, Bombay.

Captain C. G. Cautley, Assistant, Pay Department, and Officiating Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, Bombay, to be a Deputy Paymaster, *vice* Colonel Brown, promoted; but to continue to officiate as Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, Bombay, until further orders.

Captain H. H. P. Cowper, Assistant, Pay Department, to be a Deputy Paymaster, *vice* Major J. P. Martin, appointed Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, Bombay; but to continue to officiate as Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, until further orders.

Captain C. F. Thomas, General List Infantry, Lieutenant E. J. G. Lewis, Staff Corps, and Captain M. A. Rowlandson, Madras Staff Corps, who have passed the prescribed examinations and fulfilled the probationary periods, are brought permanently on the Establishment as Assistants.

Captain Thomas, Lieutenant Lewis, and Captain Rowlandson will continue to officiate respectively as 2nd Examiner, Pay Department, and Deputy Paymasters as at present, until further orders.

Lieutenant G. W. Sawyer, Officiating Assistant, Pay Department, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Paymaster to fill an existing temporary vacancy until further orders.

Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. Graham, Examiner, Pay Department, and Officiating Examiner, Commissariat, Barrack and Clothing Accounts, to be Examiner, Commissariat, Barrack and Clothing Accounts, in succession to Colonel W. Gray, retired.

Colonel H. A. Cockburn, Paymaster and Officiating Presidency Paymaster, Bengal, to be Examiner, Pay Department, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Graham; but to continue to officiate as Presidency Paymaster, Bengal, until further orders.

Major J. P. Martin, Deputy Paymaster, Bengal, and Officiating Examiner, Pay Department, Madras, to be Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, *vice* Major T. H. Turner, appointed 2nd Examiner, Pay Department, Bengal; but to continue to officiate as Examiner, Pay Department, Madras, until further orders.

The 19th April 1875.

No. 398 *of* 1875.—In the last column of G. G. O. No. 378, dated the 14th April 1875, under the heading "Where to be paid," and opposite the name of Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Cross, permitted to retire, insert, "£700 in India; £2,445 in England."

The 20th April 1875.

No. 399 *of* 1875.—The services of Captain T. H. Forsyth, of the 62nd Foot, are temporarily and specially placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 400 *of* 1875.—Jemadar Goolab Sing, who was appointed a Jemadar on probation to the 26th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry in G. G. O. No. 643 of 1873, is confirmed in that rank with effect from the 1st April 1873.

No. 401 *of* 1875.—ADDENDA.—In G. G. O No. 178 of 1875, appointing Captain L. C. deL Daniell, 1st Wing Subaltern, to officiate as 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, 4th Sikh Infantry, after the words "and Wing Officer," insert the words *in addition to his other duties*,—and appointing Lieutenant C. Dempster, 2nd Wing Subaltern, to officiate as Quartermaster of the same Corps, after the word "Quartermaster," insert the words *in addition to his other duties*.

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 402 *of* 1875.—Third Class Hospital Assistant Azeezooddeen, admitted by G. G. O. No. 398, dated 30th April 1866, is dismissed the service with effect from the date on which he left Assaloo, the station to which he was attached, without leave.

No. 403 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the Warrant Grades of the Public

Works Department with effect from the dates specified:—

To be Deputy Commissary.

Honorary Ensign and Assistant Commissary Quintin Southey Griffiths, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, Punjab, from 20th October 1874, *vice* Marten, retired.

To be Assistant Commissary.

Deputy Assistant Commissary John Roberts, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, Punjab, to fill an existing vacancy, from 7th November 1874.

Deputy Assistant Commissary Henry Edward Mitchell, Supervisor, 1st Grade, Military Works Branch, from 23rd February 1875, *vice* Griffiths, promoted.

To be Deputy Assistant Commissary.

Conductor Joseph Mole, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, on furlough, from 7th November 1874.

To be Conductor.

Sub-Conductor Charles Montgomery, Supervisor, 1st Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, from 7th November 1874.

Sub-Conductor George Stevens Beckett, Supervisor, 1st Grade, Military Works Branch, from 7th November 1874.

No. 404 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

4th Sikh Infantry.

Lieutenant M. C. Cooke-Collis, of the 92nd Highlanders, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to officiate as 2nd Wing Subaltern, on probation, during the period Lieutenant C. Dempster may officiate as Quartermaster, or until further orders.

The 21st April 1875.

No. 405 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon E. Mair, of the Medical Department, attached to the 13th (The Shekhawattee) Regiment of Native Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 406 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon F. C. Ghose, of the Medical Department, attached to the Left Wing, 16th (The Lucknow) Regiment of Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Home Department.

No. 407 *of* 1875.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) R. Baigrie, C.B., of the Bombay Staff Corps, late Commanding Pachmarhi Sanitarium, proceeded on furlough, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

No. 408 *of* 1875.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 126 of the 29th January 1875, it is notified that one tent lascar will be allowed to each tent occupied by Medical Subordinates and Commissariat Serjeants on the line of march.

The 22nd April 1875.

No. 409 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned widows are admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the Order of Merit on their late husbands, for three years, commencing from the date of the casualty:—

NAMES.	Rank, names, and corps of deceased.	Date of admission.	Class of Order of Merit.	Circle of payment.
Goolaba ...	Pensioned Subadar Ramloll, of the 13th Regiment Native Infantry.	26th November 1874.	2nd Class	N.-W. Provinces
Budhna ...	Subadar Doorgah Persaud, late 71st Regiment Native Infantry	10th February 1874.	2nd Class	N.-W. Provinces.

No. 410 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate:—

Sub-Conductor Samuel Corbett, of the Army Commissariat Department,—for one year under paragraph 7 of G. G. O. No. 171 of 1874.

No. 411 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe (medical certificate):—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) William Fullerton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Judge Advocate,—for two years under Rule XIV, Clause I of the Regulations of 1868, with effect from the 22nd March 1875, the date of his departure from Bombay per *Teheran*.

No. 412 *of* 1875.—The following promotion in, and admission to, the Order of British India are made under the operations of G. G. O. No. 551 of the 5th June 1868:—

To be a Member of the 1st Class of the Order of British India with the title of "Sirdar Bahadoor."

Subadar Major Vellien, "Bahadoor," of the Madras Sappers and Miners, from the 16th November 1874, *vice* Subadar Thondaroyon, "Sirdar Bahadoor," pensioned.

To be a Member of the 2nd Class of the Order of British India with the title of "Bahadoor."

Subadar Nursimaloo, of the 14th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, from 16th November 1874, *vice* Subadar Major Vellien, promoted to the 1st Class.

No. 413 *of* 1875.—First Class Hospital Assistant Jelalloodeen, lately attached to the Rungpore Sudder Charitable Hospital, having completed a service of upwards of 32 years in the grade of Hospital Assistant, is admitted to the retiring pension of rank under the provisions of paragraph 38 of G. G. O. No. 550 of 1868.

No. 414 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Charles Henry Palliser, C. B., of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 10th Bengal Lancers,—for six months under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Charles Herbert Bergman, of the late 60th Regiment of Native Infantry, 1st Wing Subaltern, 19th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for one year under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Arthur L'Estrange Hamilton Holmes, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Garrison Instructor,—for two years under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

Captain Woodburn Francis Bartleman, of the late 39th Regiment of Native Infantry,—for eighteen months under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 415 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from England:—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) J. Fendall, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, 1st Class, Gurdaspur, Punjab,—date of arrival at Bombay, 8th April 1875.

Major R. Smith, of the Bengal Staff Corps Wing Officer, 8th Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 8th April 1875.

No. 416 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified:—

Captain D. C. Hennessy, of the General List Infantry, G. G. O. No. 232 of 1875,—per *Jumna*, 28th March 1875, from Bombay.

Major S. J. Browne, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 186 of 1875,—per *Deccan*, 29th March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) L. B. Jones, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 224 of 1875,—per *Hydaspes*, 12th April 1875, from Bombay.

No. 417 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Australia on medical certificate:—

Lieutenant John Walter Ottley, of the Royal Engineers (Imperial Establishment), Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, Department Public Works,—for nine months under the Regulations of 1868 (Rule IX, note I).

No. 418 *of* 1875.—Under instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the following alterations of rank are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Major George Augustus Way will rank as Ensign from the 4th March 1855; as Captain in the Bengal Staff Corps from the 4th March 1867; and as Major in the Bengal Staff Corps from the 4th March 1875, instead of the dates previously assigned in the G. G. Os. noted in the margin.

* Nos. 571 and 583 of 1855, 268 of 1867, and 256 of 1875.

Major Osmond Barnes will rank as Major in the Bengal Staff Corps from the 4th March 1875, instead of from the 5th March 1875 as notified in G. G. O. No. 256 of 1875.

No. 419 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, is promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the date specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant dated 16th January 1861, clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Herbert Lowe Campbell, Bengal Staff Corps,—21st April 1875.

No. 420 *of* 1875.—It is hereby notified with reference to para. 19 of G. G. O. No. 550 of 1868 that in future Apothecaries and Assistant Apothecaries of the 2nd Class who may attain to the 1st Class of their respective grades after completing the prescribed period of 5 years' service in the lower Class, will be required to show that they have not only kept up, but added to, their professional knowledge before they can be permitted to draw the increased pay of a 1st Class Apothecary, or Assistant Apothecary, as the case may be.

2. Under existing rules, Medical Committees are required to assemble on the 15th January and 15th July of each year for the purpose of examining Assistant Apothecaries who may be desirous of qualifying for promotion to the grade of Apothecary; and under the terms of G. G. O. No. 555 of 1874, Committees will likewise assemble on the 1st May and 1st November of each year for the purpose of testing the progress made by Hospital Apprentices. After completing 4 years of service as 2nd Class Assistant Apothecaries, subordinates of that rank may appear for examination before Committees which may assemble on any of the abovementioned dates.

3. Rules for the examination of Assistant Apothecaries are laid down at page 65 of the Medical Code of 1851, and every subordinate of that grade will be required to pass the test therein prescribed before he can be allowed to draw the pay of a 1st Class Assistant Apothecary, even though he may have been advanced to the position of one. Position, as heretofore, will be dependent on service; pay hereafter on qualifications.

4. The names of successful examinees will be reported, as at present, to Army Head Quarters, and published in General Orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, which will be sufficient authority for the admission of the higher rate of pay, provided, of course, that the condition of 5 years' service in the 2nd Class shall have been fulfilled.

5. With the view of ensuring that none but qualified and efficient subordinates are promoted to the grade of Apothecary, Assistant Apothecaries will be required, after serving 5 years in the 1st Class to undergo further examination for the purpose of showing that they have maintained their professional knowledge. If unfavorably reported on, a 1st Class Assistant Apothecary, who may stand first in the list for promotion, will be liable to supersession on the occurrence of vacancies in the next higher grade until he passes a satisfactory examination and is reported fit for advancement.

6. Second Class Apothecaries will come under the operation of the above rules, the object being to prove that they are deserving of the higher pay, as well as the superior position of a 1st Class Apothecary. The names of those who may be reported as qualified will be published in G. O. C. C., and the increased rate of pay passed on their completing 5 years' service in the 2nd Class of the Apothecary grade.

7. Proceedings of Examining Committees should be sent direct to the Surgeon General, Indian Medical Service, Calcutta, who will take such action as may be necessary in each case. Results of the examinations to be held under paragraphs 3 and 6 should be prepared *in duplicate* to admit of one copy being transmitted to Army Head Quarters in view of the publication of the names of successful examinees in General Orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

8. Promotion of Apothecaries to a higher grade, whilst on furlough, will be conditional on passing a professional examination after return to duty.

No. 421 *of* 1875.—It is hereby announced that on the recommendation of the Government of India, Her Majesty's Government has been pleased to confer a good service pension on the undermentioned Officer, with effect from the 13th December 1874, in room of Deputy Surgeon General H. B. Buckle, C. B., deceased :—

Colonel Charles Vanbrugh Jenkins, of the 19th Hussars.

Colonel Jenkins served in the 1st Bengal Light Cavalry in the Campaign of 1842 in Affghanistan under General Pollock, and was present at the forcing of the Khyber Pass, relief of Jellalabad, and all the actions leading to the re-occupation of Cabul, including the cavalry charge in the Tezeen Valley (Medal). Gwalior Campaign of 1843-44, including the battle of Maharajpore (Bronze Star). Sutlej Campaign in 1846, including the battle of Aliwal (Medal). Punjab Campaign of 1848-49, including the battles of Chillianwallah and Goojerat (Medal with two clasps).

Cornet	24th Jan. 1839.
Lieutenant	1st Jan. 1844.
Captain	31st Jan. 1852.
Major	1st July 1857.
Lieut.-Col.	1st Jan. 1862.
Colonel	1st Jan. 1867.

The 23rd April 1875.

No. 422 *of* 1875.—Honorary Ensign and Deputy Assistant Commissary J. Copeland, Assistant Engineer, Public Works Department, to be Assistant Commissary, from the 20th October 1872 (Supernumerary).

No. 423 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Ordnance Manufacturing Establishment.

Lieutenant J. G. Stone, of the Royal Artillery, to be an Assistant Superintendent of Factories, *vice* Captain R. Bazett appointed Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class.

No. 424 *of* 1875.—The following permanent and temporary promotions are made in the Warrant Grade of the Ordnance Commissariat Department from the date specified :—

RANK AND NAMES.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Permanent.			
Magazine Sergeant (Officiating Sub-Conductor) James Bisset.	Sub-Conductor "on probation."	30th March 1875 ..	*Vice* Sub-Conductor Milburn, deceased.
Temporary.			
Magazine Sergeant James Miller.	Officiating Sub-Conductor.	Ditto ..	*Vice* Bisset promoted, or until further orders.

No. 425 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

Hyderabad Contingent, 3rd Cavalry.

Lieutenant F. R. B. Knox, of the 45th Foot, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Squadron Subaltern, on probation, *vice* Lieutenant R. H. Forrest appointed 2nd Squadron Subaltern, 4th Punjab Cavalry.

No. 426 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned corps of the Native Army :—

24th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Jemadar Sooltan Singh, to be Subadar from the 23rd January 1875, *vice* Surjah Singh, deceased.

Havildar Bysaka Singh, to be Jemadar from the 30th October 1874, *vice* Ghun Singh, deceased.

34th (The Futtehgurh) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Jemadar Nam Singh, to be Subadar, *vice* Goorduf, invalided.

Havildar Thakoorie, to be Jemadar, *vice* Oomrao, invalided.

Havildar Makhun, to be Jemadar, *vice* Nam Singh, promoted.

These promotions will have effect from the 1st May 1874.

No. 427 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 20 years' service, are promoted to the rank of Major, from the dates specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808, of the 26th September 1866; subject to Her Majesty's approval :

Captain Henry Constantine Evelyn Ward,—20th April 1875.

Captain Charles Shuttleworth,—23rd April 1875.

No. 428 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate :—

Captain (Brevet-Major) Joseph Oates Travers, of the 1st Battalion, 17th Foot, Brigade-Major, Rawul Pindee—for nine months, under paragraph 4 of G. G. O. No. 171 of 1874.

No. 429 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon L. R. Dawson of the Medical Department are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 17th April 1875.

No. 178.—Serjeant L. Stephenson is re-appointed to the Public Works Department as a Supervisor, 1st Grade, on probation, and posted to Central India.

No. 179.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following temporary promotions in the Military Works Branch of the Public Works Department :—

From Officiating Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, to Temporary Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade,—

Mr. J. P. C. Anderson.
Major C. M. Browne, R. E.

No. 180.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following temporary and permanent promotions in the Railway Branch of the Public Works Department with effect from the dates specified :—

TEMPORARY.

From 10th September 1874.

Lieutenant T. Gracey, R. E., Executive Engineer 3rd Grade, Rajputana State Railway, to be Executive Engineer 2nd Grade, *vice* Mr. J. Gordon on furlough.

Captain T. B. B. Savi, R. E., Executive Engineer 4th Grade, and Officiating Deputy Consulting Engineer for Guaranteed Railways, Lucknow, to be Executive Engineer 3rd Grade, *vice* Lieutenant Gracey promoted.

Mr. J. R. Scott, Assistant Engineer 2nd Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, to be Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, *vice* Lieutenant Nicholson promoted.

From 18th September 1874.

Mr. J. E. P. Lincké, Assistant Engineer 2nd Grade, Tirhoot State Railway, to be Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, *vice* Mr. J. R. Scott permanently promoted.

From 1st October 1874.

Mr. A. Izat, Executive Engineer 2nd Grade, Holkar State Railway, to be Executive Engineer 1st Grade, *vice* Mr. J. L. Gallott, appointed Officiating Superintending Engineer.

Lieutenant G. F. O. Boughey, R. E., Executive Engineer 3rd Grade, Rajputana State Railway, to be Executive Engineer 2nd Grade, *vice* Mr. Izat promoted.

Mr. W. C. Rennie, Executive Engineer 4th Grade, Sindia State Railway, to be Executive Engineer 3rd Grade, *vice* Lieutenant Boughey promoted.

Mr. F. R. Upcott, Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, to be Executive Engineer 4th Grade, *vice* Mr. Rennie promoted.

Mr. E. H. Stone, Assistant Engineer 2nd Grade, Nizam's State Railway, to be Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, *vice* Mr. Upcott promoted.

From 21st December 1874.

Mr. F. J. E. Spring, Assistant Engineer 2nd Grade, Holkar State Railway, to be Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, *vice* Mr. Warden on leave.

From 28th January 1875.

Mr. C. V. MacIvor, Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, to be Executive Engineer 4th Grade, *vice* Mr. Vacher on furlough.

PERMANENT.

From 10th September 1874.

Lieutenant J. S. Nicholson, R. E., Temporary Executive Engineer 4th Grade, Rajputana State Railway, to be Executive Engineer 4th Grade, *vice* Mr. Stace reduced.

From 18th September 1874.

Mr. J. R. Scott, Temporary Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Northern Bengal Railway, to be Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, *vice* Lieutenant Lariminie, R. E., transferred to the Military Department.

From 3rd October 1874.

Mr. J. E. P. Lincké, Temporary Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, Tirhoot State Railway, to be Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, *vice* Mr. Forster deceased.

From 17th November 1874.

Captain T. B. B. Savi, R. E., Temporary Executive Engineer 3rd Grade, and Officiating Deputy Consulting Engineer for Guaranteed Railways, Lucknow, to be Executive Engineer 3rd Grade, *vice* Lieutenant Gracey promoted.

Lieutenant T. Gracey, R. E., Temporary Executive Engineer 2nd Grade, Rajputana State Railway, to be Executive Engineer 2nd Grade, *vice* Mr. Gordon deceased.

No. 181.—Mr. W. Mackay, Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, Port Blair, is promoted to Executive Engineer 4th Grade with effect from 10th September 1874.

The 19th April 1875.

No. 182.—Mr. J. H. Harding, Controller of Public Works Accounts, Central Provinces, is granted three months privilege leave with effect from such date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr. F. J. Johnstone, Assistant to Chief Engineer and Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, will officiate as Controller of Public Works Accounts, in addition to his own duties, during the absence of Mr. Harding, or until further orders.

No. 183.—The undermentioned Upper Subordinates are transferred from the Establishment under the Director of State Railways to British Burmah, for employment on the Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley State Railway :—

Sergeant J. Owens, Overseer 1st Grade.

Baboo Aghar Lall Bose, Overseer 3rd Grade.

The 20th April 1875.

No. 184.—Private R. Colcombe, R. E., Overseer 1st Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is remanded to Military duty at his own request.

No. 185.—Mr. W. D. Wilson, Sub-Engineer 2nd Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Public Works Department.

No. 186.—The services of Lieutenant R. E. Crompton, 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade, were replaced at the disposal of the Military Department with effect from the 13th March 1875.

The 21st April 1875.

No. 187.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 107, dated 21st February 1874, the services of Mr. Vanstavern, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, are placed permanently at the disposal of the Government of Madras in the Public Works Department.

The 22nd April 1875.

No. 188.—Mr. W. Batt, Temporary Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, on the establishment under the Director of State Railways, is permanently appointed to the Public Works Department in the same grade.

No. 189.—Lance Corporal G. Anderson, Her Majesty's 2-1st Foot, is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Overseer, 1st Grade, on probation and posted to Mysore.

The 23rd April 1875.

No. 190.—The undermentioned Assistant Engineers of the 3rd Grade, attached to the Military Works Branch having passed the prescribed ex-

amination are promoted to the 2nd Grade, with effect from the 1st March 1875:—

MR. A. J. P. JONES. | MR. F. G. FOX.

TELEGRAPH.

The 23rd April 1875.

No. 191.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 139 of the 24th March 1875, Mr. B. T. Ffinch, received charge of the office of Deputy Director, Persian Gulf Telegraph, from Mr. H. I. Walton on the forenoon of the 8th April 1875.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel*, R.A.,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1109P.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Foreign Department (Political),—dated Simla, the 21st April 1875.

READ the undermentioned papers:—

Resolution No. 1106P., dated 21st April, and the documents thereto appended.

RESOLUTION.—His Highness Mulhar Rao, Gaekwar, was suspended from the exercise of power, and the administration of the Baroda State was temporarily assumed by the British Government, in order that a public enquiry might be made into the truth of the imputation that His Highness had instigated an attempt to poison Colonel R. Phayre, C. B., the late Representative of the British Government at the Court of Baroda, and that every opportunity should be given to His Highness of freeing himself from the said imputation.

Sir R. Couch, Chief Justice of Bengal, the Maharaja of Gwalior, the Maharaja of Jeypoor, Colonel Sir R. Meade, Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg, Raja Sir Dinkur Rao, and Mr. P. S. Melvill, of the Bengal Civil Service, were appointed Commissioners for the purpose of enquiring into the said imputation, and of reporting to the Viceroy and Governor General in Council how far the same was true to the best of their judgment and belief.

The Government of India desire to convey to the Chief Justice and the Members of the Commission their thanks for having accepted this onerous and responsible duty.

The reports of the Commissioners, who are divided in opinion, are now published for general information, together with the conclusions at which the Government of India have arrived after a full and deliberate consideration of the evidence, the arguments of Counsel, and the opinions which the Commissioners have expressed.

ORDER.—Ordered, that the foregoing Resolution and the documents therein referred to be transmitted to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India in Council, and that they also be published in the *Gazette of India*.

By order of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council,

C. U. AITCHISON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 1106 P.

RESOLUTION.

Read the following papers:—*

1. Proclamation, dated 13th January 1875, suspending His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar in order to enquire into the imputation that he instigated an attempt to poison the British Resident at Baroda.
2. Notification, dated 15th February 1875, appointing a Commission to enquire into the imputation.
3. Official notes of evidence and exhibits in the case (the vernacular documents being translated).
4. Printed notes of the arguments of Counsel.
5. Joint Report, dated 31st March 1875, and signed by Sir R. Couch, Sir R. Meade, and Mr. P. S. Melvill.
6. Separate opinion by Maharaja Sindia, dated 27th March 1875.
7. Separate opinion by the Maharaja of Jeypoor, dated 27th March 1875.
8. Separate opinion by Raja Sir Dinkur Rao, dated 26th March 1875.

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1. The documents which are abovementioned as read, and which are also appended to this Resolution, show the steps taken in the enquiry relative to the conduct of His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar of Baroda, and it will not be necessary here to refer to the particulars shown therein, except for the purpose of elucidating the conclusion about to be expressed. The Princes and Gentlemen who have served on the Commission of Enquiry have completed their laborious task by submitting their several opinions on the case. It now remains for the Government of India to express the conclusions at which they have arrived after full consideration of the evidence, the arguments of Counsel, and the various opinions entertained by the Commissioners.

2. Sir Richard Couch, Sir Richard Meade, and Mr. Melvill are all agreed that the Gaekwar is guilty of the offences imputed to him. To repeat here the most heinous and comprehensive of those imputations, they find "That an attempt to poison Colonel Phayre was made by persons instigated thereto by Mulhar Rao Gaekwar."

3. The Maharaja Sindia appears to assume that the existence of communications between the Gaekwar and the servants of the Residency, and also that the actual administration of poison to Colonel Phayre, are proved, though he does not expressly state those conclusions. But of the communications with servants he says, "As regards the communication with servants night or day, this is no matter of importance. These visits and requests for presents on marriage and other festive occasions and the means to secure the favor of the Resident, as well as the procuring of information regarding each other, are matters in accordance with the practice of other Native Princes and persons who have connection with the Residency." And he thinks that the connection of the Gaekwar with the act of poisoning is not proved. His conclusion is thus stated: "As to the attempt at poisoning, from the whole case as it came before me, as far as my judgment and belief go, I am not convinced that the charge is proved against Mulhar Rao."

4. The Maharaja of Jeypoor thinks that it is proved that the Gaekwar gave sums of money to the Residency servants, and also that poison was administered to Colonel Phayre. Of the communications with servants he

* NOTE.—Nos. 1 and 2 have already been published in the *Gazette of India* of the 16th January and 20th February 1875 respectively; Nos. 3 and 4, being bulky, will be published hereafter.

speaks thus: "The statements made by Amina ayah and several other Residency servants establish the fact that sums of money had actually been given to the ayah and to other servants of the Residency at different times, by order of His Highness the Gaekwar. These sums of money, however, do not appear to have been given out of any motives to tamper with the Residency servants for improper purposes, but simply as presents from the Gaekwar, and such as are generally given on occasions of marriage and national festivals." His Highness then proceeds to dwell upon various defects in the evidence, which will presently be noticed more at length, and concludes thus: "For reasons stated above, I cannot persuade myself to believe that the Gaekwar was in any way implicated in the charge, notwithstanding the fact of poison having been found in Colonel Phayre's tumbler of sherbet, and the uncorroborated evidence of the three accomplices, Raoji, Narsu, and Damodhur Punt."

5. The opinion of Raja Sir Dinkur Rao is almost identical with that of the Maharaja Sindia, and need not be stated more in detail here.

6. No one of the Commissioners suggests that the poison could have been administered by any other person than the Residency servant Raoji, aided by his superior Narsu.

7. If the matter were simply left to stand upon the opinions given by the Commissioners, it would follow that the Gaekwar, having had the opportunity afforded him to clear himself from the imputations made against him, has not cleared himself. Three out of the six Commissioners who have entered upon the enquiry are of opinion that he is proved to be guilty. Now, when three gentlemen, of great experience in the ways of this country and in weighing and drawing inferences from evidence, unite in an opinion condemnatory of a person into whose actions it has been their duty to enquire, and that opinion is not set aside by superior authority, it is impossible to say but that there must rest at least a grave suspicion on the person so condemned.

8. **But the Government of India do not think it right to leave the matter as it stands on the reports of the Commissioners. The Commission was not a judicial tribunal, but was appointed for the purpose of informing the mind of the Government of India by enquiry and report. Even had the Commissioners been unanimous, the Government of India would have thought it their duty to examine the matter for themselves, to form and pronounce an opinion. As the Commissioners are at variance with one another, it is due to them, and to all parties concerned in the matter, that the Government of India should not only express their conclusions, but should also state the principal considerations which have led them to form those conclusions.**

9. The opinions of the three Commissioners who have signed separate reports, the tenor of which has been stated, are founded partly on points of conduct or general improbabilities affecting the evidence given by the witnesses against the Gaekwar, and partly on special points of inconsistency or infirmity in the evidence itself. The Government of India will take the former class of considerations first. They propose to notice the main points of dispute, but not to give here a detailed narration of the body of the evidence, for which reference must be made to the documents contained in the Appendix.

10. In the first place then, it is to be observed that the intercourse which is proved to have taken place between the Gaekwar and the Residency servants was personal intercourse, carried on by night and in a secret way, and was accompanied by considerable gifts of money. This is proved by a number of independent witnesses, who speak directly to the facts, whose evidence is quite consistent upon the main points, was unshaken by cross-examination, and when it could be tested by reference to external facts, such as the character of the building to which they were taken, the recollections of the persons who took them there, and the recollections of the persons who were privy to the

payment of money, was found to answer to the test. There is no counter-evidence on these points. Indeed, the Gaekwar himself does not deny the facts. He has put in a carefully worded statement in which he says not that he did not hold personal intercourse with, or that he did not cause money to be paid to, the Residency servants, but only that he did not do so for the purpose of getting information.

11. Neither is there any counter-evidence, nor, so far as the Government of India observe, any suggestion, to displace the assertion of Raoji that his hand administered the poison which was administered to Colonel Phayre, or that of Narsu that he aided Raoji in that matter.

12. It appears then to the Government of India that the evidence establishes beyond the possibility of contradiction two cardinal points: first, that the Gaekwar was in personal secret communication carried on by night with five servants employed at the Residency, and that he gave money to Raoji, Narsu, and Amina, three of those servants: and secondly, that a serious attempt was made to administer a fatal dose of poison to Colonel Phayre by the agency of two of those servants, *viz.*, Raoji and Narsu. And they do not collect that any one of the three Commissioners who have signed separate reports, means to dissent from either of these two propositions, though their assent has not been expressed in so many terms.

13. Now, the proof of these two points carries the case a very long way. The great difficulty at the outset was the antecedent improbability that such a personage as the Gaekwar of Baroda should carry on frequent secret personal intercourse by night with a number of the Residency servants. When it becomes clear that he did so, the only question is whether such intercourse is wholly disconnected with the acts which those servants did, or whether the acts were the designed outcome of the intercourse. And on this question the antecedent improbability is all the other way. No motive whatever has been assigned for the action of Raoji and Narsu, except the motive of earning reward from the Gaekwar. And it is much more probable that the two series of proved phenomena, which have been mentioned, should be connected as cause and effect, than that they should be wholly independent of one another.

14. It is indeed true that the three Commissioners who have signed separate reports treat the Gaekwar's intercourse with the Residency servants in a very light manner. Their opinions have been set forth above in paragraphs 3 and 4. But whatever the custom may be at other Native Courts, the Government of India think that these opinions must have been written without due consideration of the facts which actually appear in evidence against the Gaekwar.

15. There is no evidence of any general distribution by the Gaekwar of gifts among the Residency servants on marriage or other festive occasions, such as, if made in moderation, might be of an innocent character. The evidence shows that gifts were made only to certain servants with whom the Gaekwar sought personal intercourse, and that those gifts were, relatively to the position of the servants, of very large amount. For example, a single gift to Raoji amounted to about four times his annual pay. The evidence therefore points not to a mere desire on the part of the Gaekwar to gain the general goodwill and good offices of the Residency servants, but to an intention on his part to bribe some of them to the performance of important services.

16. Moreover, it is observable that the Gaekwar himself seems anxious to disconnect himself from the very practice which the passage quoted from the report of the Maharaja Sindia ascribes to him, while excusing it on the ground of its frequency, *viz.*, payment of money in order to procure information. In his written statement the Gaekwar speaks as follows:—

"I declare that I never personally directed any of the Residency servants to act as spies on the Resident, or report to me what was going on at the Residency, nor did I ever offer or cause to be paid any money to them for such purposes.

"I say nothing as to the presents that may perhaps have been made to servants of the Residency on festive occasions, such as marriage and the like. Information on trifling matters going on both at the Residency or at my Palace may have been mutually communicated, but I did not personally hold any intercourse with those servants for this purpose; nor am I personally cognisant of any payments for the same having been made; nor did I authorise any measures by which secrets of the Residency should be conveyed to me."

17. There is yet further evidence that the payments made to the Residency servants were transactions not calculated to bear the light. No entries of such payments were found in the Gaekwar's private accounts. On the other hand there are a number of entries, ranging in time from the 24th November 1873 to the 13th October 1874, showing payments of large sums of money to Salam and Yeshwant Rao. The payments purport to be for goods supplied by those persons, but in point of fact the entries are false, and no such goods were supplied. Now Salam and Yeshwant Rao are the two confidential agents of the Gaekwar, by whose hands all the payments to the Residency servants were made. Here then are funds from which payments could be made for any species of secret service. The Gaekwar's Private Secretary, Damodhur Punt, says that the Residency servants were paid by means of such funds. He is no doubt a most justly suspected witness, but in this instance he is only stating the natural inference to be drawn from the document and circumstances, and he is not contradicted, as he might most easily have been had he spoken falsely.

18. The question now to be asked is whether the other evidence shows any connection, and if any, what connection, between the two cardinal points already established,—on the one hand, the fact that the Gaekwar was in secret communication with some of the Residency servants and paid money to them; and on the other hand, the fact that two of those servants, *viz.*, Raoji and Narsu, were the actual agents in administering poison to Colonel Phayre. There is undoubtedly evidence to this effect, of the most conclusive nature, if only it is to be believed. The great body of it is supplied by Raoji and Narsu themselves, and if they have not woven the most elaborate and marvellous tissue of falsehoods, they make it clear that the proceedings of the Gaekwar, which began by bribing the servants to give secret information and to exercise influence in his favor, ended in direct machinations against Colonel Phayre's person.

19. Is there then any sufficient ground for disbelieving what these witnesses say? It is said that, whoever committed the crime, they are accomplices in it, and that by their own showing they are very wicked men, who have not scrupled to attempt the life of a kind master and to aid in throwing the blame on an innocent fellow-servant. That is quite true, and it must excite the greatest suspicion of their evidence and instil the greatest caution into the minds of those who examine it. At the same time, it must be remembered that direct evidence of nefarious plots is not often procured except from accomplices; and that to reject such evidence merely on account of the source from whence it comes, would be contrary to common sense and to universal practice, and would frequently prevent the discovery of truth. What is necessary in such cases is to apply to the evidence given such tests as are usually employed as the touchstones of truth, and to require the evidence to withstand the tests much more severely and rigidly than if it had come from an unsuspected source.

20. Throughout this case it is constantly to be borne in mind that there are proved facts which require explanation. If we find secret intrigue at one end, and action at the other end, of a series of transactions by the same persons, the presumption is that the two are connected, and

their coincidence ought to be explained in some way. The Government of India then ask the following questions :—

(*a*).—Is the explanation given by the witnesses credible in itself?

(*b*).—Are the stories they tell consistent with themselves?

(*c*).—Are those stories consistent with one another in essentials?

(*d*).—When they mention external circumstances with which they can be confronted, are the stories essentially consistent with those circumstances? And are they essentially consistent with evidence given by independent witnesses?

(*e*).—Have the witnesses any interest in telling the story they have told?

(*f*).—Is any probability shown that they have colluded with one another?

(*g*).—Is any probability shown that they have been tutored by some common authority?

(*h*).—Was their demeanor under examination such as to induce a belief in their truthfulness, or the contrary?

(*i*).—Has their evidence been boldly and confidently met by the party it implicates?

21(*a*). There is nothing impossible or incredible in the stories told by these two witnesses; nor indeed, when the two cardinal points abovementioned have been once established, is any particular related by them so improbable but that a reasonable amount of evidence may establish it. It may be asked why the Gaekwar, having secured the services of Raoji, should also seek to employ Narsu, and thus bring in an additional accomplice and an additional danger. It is often difficult to say why, in preparing a plot, a particular course has been taken instead of some other course which on review seems a more prudent one. But in this case an answer can readily be given. Raoji lived at the Camp. Narsu was in the city.

The latter, therefore, was a more convenient means of communication with the Palace. But what is more important is, that Narsu was Raoji's superior officer and was usually in attendance in Colonel Phayre's verandah. It is clear, therefore, that Raoji would have run very serious risk of failure or detection if the jemadar Narsu were not first secured.

22(*b*). The Government of India have failed to discover any material inconsistency in these stories as compared with themselves. A considerable period of time elapsed between the earliest statements of the witnesses and their latest. They were subjected to a rigid cross-examination by a Counsel of the greatest skill. And yet they have not contradicted their first evidence on any essential point. They are uncertain as to dates, but every person who has to deal with the natives of this country, at all events the uneducated ones, knows how hopeless it is to expect accuracy in such matters from them, and what a complete denial of justice there would be throughout the land if testimony was considered incredible on account of such inaccuracies. Raoji shows that he was vacillating in conduct, but that is not at all inconsistent with what we know of men working themselves up to commit wicked actions. There are also portions of his story which are obscure, as for instance the episode of the bottle, which he says he obtained from the Gaekwar, but which he did not mention in his first statement. But the substance of the story originally told by each witness remains intact. The secret interviews, the persons who were present at them, the receipt of money, the requests made by the Gaekwar to poison Colonel Phayre, the conveyance of the poison from the Gaekwar to Raoji, the deposit of it in Colonel Phayre's sherbet on the 9th November—all these things stand as they did in the first instance. Nor do the Government of India observe that the three Commissioners who have signed separate reports mention any contradiction of these two witnesses by themselves.

23(*c*). Equally certain is it that in the essential points the stories of he two witnesses are consistent with each other. They differ in particulars; but if they did not, they would justly be suspected of collusion. They differ

as to dates, a point which has been before remarked on; they differ as to the number of visits paid by them to the Gaekwar; they differ in many expressions; and they differ when one purports to state something that happened to, or was done by, the other, and to which the narrator was no immediate party. The Government of India entirely agree with the opinions expressed by the three Commissioners in paragraphs 34 and 42 of their joint report, respecting the discrepancies between Raoji and Narsu, and they think that, so far from showing that the stories are false, those discrepancies serve to show the absence of collusion between the witnesses or of tutoring by the police.

24(*d*). Again, the Government of India find an amount of consistency between these stories on the one hand and external circumstances and evidence on the other, which would be unlikely if the stories were not true. The witnesses are correct about the character of the building and room to which they say they were taken; the asserted payment of Rupees 500 to Raoji is proved to have actually taken place; the evidence of his companions, Jugga and Karbhai, corresponds with his statements about his visits to the Palace; the evidence of Jugga and the letter produced tallies with the assertion that information was actually sent by Raoji and Narsu to the Palace; the evidence of Jugga and Dalput corresponds with the circumstances mentioned by Raoji as attending the payment of the Rupees 500; the lavish expenditure of Raoji is consistent with his having received large sums of money from some quarter, and indeed was the main circumstance which fastened suspicion upon him and caused his arrest.

25. One piece of external evidence is of so remarkable a character that it deserves rather more detailed mention. On the 9th of November, when all Colonel Phayre's servants were put under examination, Raoji's belt of office was taken away from him and was hung up in a room. On the 15th of December the belt was given to another peon named Budhar. At that time nobody could anticipate the story that Raoji had to tell, or that he had any story to tell at all. He was arrested on the 22nd December, and made statements on the 24th and 25th. It then occurred to Akbar Ali, the head of the Bombay Detective Police, that there might be some trace of some of the powders spoken of by Raoji, and he asked him where he used to keep his packets of powder. Raoji said that he kept them in his belt. Budhar was sent for and came wearing the belt, which he had had in his possession ever since the 15th. Budhar gave the belt to Akbar Ali, and Raoji showed him where he kept the packets. Akbar Ali searched and found a piece of white thread and a packet of paper. He immediately called Mr. Souter, the Police Commissioner, who was in the next room, and Mr. Souter took out the packet of paper and opened it. The paper contained a white powder, which on being analysed was found to be arsenic. Dr. Gray states that in physical characters there are varieties of white arsenic, but that his examination of the powder taken from Raoji's belt enabled him to know that it was of the same character as the arsenic which was found in Colonel Phayre's sherbet.

26. Now up to this time Raoji had not stated anything about a powder remaining in his possession. He had made a statement in which he said that he had received powders on two occasions. On the second occasion he had received a single packet, the whole contents of which he put into Colonel Phayre's sherbet on the 9th November. On the first occasion he had received two packets, which he had mixed, and put into the sherbet on two or three days. When the packet was found in his belt, he recollected that he had not used the whole of one of the powders—a point which he further explained in his examination before the Commission.

27. Now the only explanation which is suggested of this corroborative circumstance is that the whole thing was a plot of the police—a point which the Counsel for the Gaekwar endeavoured to establish. But he could elicit no evidence in his favor, and the hypothesis is one which, if not impossible, is of the highest improbability. Why the police should have thought of producing a remnant of poison in the teeth of Raoji's statement that he had sed the whole; why they should have put into the belt pure arsenic and not

mixed arsenic and diamond dust, which was the material said to have been used; how they came to pitch upon the very quality of arsenic used to poison Colonel Phayre; how they could have secretly got it into the belt which Budhar had continuously possessed from the 15th of December till the moment of discovery; these difficulties and others besides must be explained before the hypothesis of a plot by the police can be made on even plausible grounds.

28(*e*). Have then these witnesses any interest to tell the story they have told? Nobody has suggested that either of them has any enmity against the Gaekwar, or could gain anything by his downfall. Raoji, it is true, had an interest to tell some story, because he was promised a pardon for himself if he would speak the truth. But his interest was to earn his pardon, and therefore to tell a true story; or if he told a false one, his interest was not to tell one in which a number of other persons were mixed up by whom he could be refuted, nor one implicating a great personage with every means at his command for exposing the falsehood, but one carefully isolated from other persons and from specific circumstances, so as to afford the smallest possible opportunity for contradiction, and one implicating only meaner people who could not so well defend themselves. As for Narsu, he spoke at the peril of his life. He was expressly warned that he would not earn a pardon. His interest was to be silent, or else to tell a story in which he should not be one of the principal actors in the commission of the crime. The conclusion on this point must be that if the witnesses have spoken falsely, they have not spoken in accordance with their own interests, and that one of them has spoken directly against his own interest.

29. It might have been alleged that Colonel Phayre's strong feeling against the Gaekwar was well known to the Residency servants, and therefore that Raoji and Narsu might have supposed that their accusation of the Gaekwar would have been agreeable to Colonel Phayre. But it is to be observed that the accusation was not brought forward while Colonel Phayre was Resident at Baroda, and when the first inquiry was made by him. The evidence of Raoji and Narsu implicating the Gaekwar was not given until Colonel Phayre had been removed from the office of Resident at Baroda, when no advantage could have been expected by them from his favour. This circumstance combines with others to show that the confessions of these men were not the outcome of any plot, but were due to their knowledge that enquiry had at length got upon the right track, and that they had better give themselves up.

30(*f*). The suggestion of collusion is refuted both by internal and external evidence. If these stories were fictitious, agreed on by Raoji and Narsu, it is hardly conceivable that they would not, especially under the stress of a skilful cross-examination, betray evidence of their origin. They would be found jarring with one another on some essential point, in some irreconcileable manner, or else agreeing in such minute particulars as are always the subject of difference when related independently by different persons. But the inference drawn by the Government of India from their consideration of the points of resemblance and difference between the two stories has been before stated. As regards external evidence, it is stated positively, and nowhere contradicted, that Raoji and Narsu were kept apart from the first arrest of the former on the 22nd December; that neither was ever informed of the statement of the other; and that when Narsu was brought into Raoji's presence on the 23rd December, all that he was informed of Raoji's doings was by means of Raoji's statement that he had told all *up to his neck*.

31(*g*). But it may be suggested that the stories of Raoji and Narsu are due to their having been tutored by some authority to whom they were subject—in other words, that they were invented by the police. Indeed suggestions of this kind form a very prominent part of the argument delivered on behalf of the Gaekwar. The Gaekwar's Counsel attacked the characters of the police, from Mr. Souter downwards, using even the expression that they had applied torture to the witnesses; and repeatedly sought to deliver himself from the difficulties of the evidence by attributing its origin to the police. The sole

evidence which he was able to elicit in support of these attacks was that of the witness Hemchund, who was called with reference to a minor part of the case, *viz.*, the purchase of diamonds. He was one of the witnesses who were not kept under arrest, and by his evidence before the Commissioners he contradicted his original statement made to the police. To justify his contradiction, he said that his original statement was made under compulsion by Gujanund Vithul, one of the police officers, who even forced him to make a false entry in his books. Of this witness Hemchund, the three Commissioners who signed the joint report say, that he contradicted himself violently, and that no reliance can be placed on his evidence generally. When before the Commissioners, he denied his own signature, and falsely pretended not to understand any Hindustani, or even to know that such a language existed. The three Commissioners disbelieve that the compulsion he speaks of was put upon him. So do the Government of India. It is sufficient here to say that his original statement was not taken down by Gujanund Vithul, but by Mr. Souter, and that two days afterwards it was signed by Hemchund in the presence of Sir Lewis Pelly, and that he made no remonstrance to either of those gentlemen, though he must have known that at least Sir Lewis Pelly would afford him as complete and instant protection from Gujanund Vithul as the Commissioners themselves would. This circumstance, coupled with the patent mendacity of the witness and his eagerness to disconnect himself from every portion of the case, compel the Government of India to say that his evidence must be wholly set aside.

32. But when Hemchund is set aside, there remains no evidence at all to support the suggestion that the police have invented any part of the story told by Raoji and Narsu, or drilled the witnesses. Why they should think of inventing such a story is not easy to understand, for they certainly could not suppose that by doing so they were doing any welcome service to the Government of India. Mr. Souter, Akbar Ali, Abdool Ali, and Gujanund Vithul are all men distinguished in the service of the Bombay Government. Mr. Ballantine could elicit nothing to their discredit in cross-examination, though in the case of Gujanund Vithul he was instructed to make the attempt. All were acting under the instructions of Sir Lewis Pelly, who would have taken instant and severe notice of any species of unfairness. From the time of his arrest Narsu was not under the custody of the police, but under a military guard. There is no evidence whatever to show that the police had such access to them as would have rendered it possible that an elaborate plot could have been successfully concocted and the witnesses instructed for their performance before the Commission. Moreover, the same internal evidence which bears against the theory of collusion between Raoji and Narsu, bears equally against the theory of invention by the police. Under these circumstances, the Government of India think it a matter of moral certainty that the stories told by Raoji and Narsu were not the inventions of the police. They wish to express their concurrence in the remarks which fell from the Advocate-General of Bombay on this subject. And they add that the great reliance placed by Mr. Ballantine on the resource of attacking the police, unsupported as his attacks are by any evidence, is to their minds a strong proof of the weakness of the case he had to support.

33 (*h*). As regards the demeanor of these two men under examination, the Government of India find no suggestion even from the Gaekwar's Counsel that it told against them, while the three Commissioners who have signed the joint report have put it on record that Narsu's manner impressed them favorably. He certainly was urged most powerfully by Sir Dinkur Rao, a gentleman of his own religion and one likely to have great influence with him; and the result of that urgency, so far as it can be gathered from writing, was such as to give a strong impression of the man's sincerity. The Government of India subjoin here what passed, taking the account from the short-hand writer's notes, not because they are at variance with the official notes, but because the questions are given as well as the answers, and so it is shown in a more

striking way how the witness was urged and how he insisted that there was but one truth, and that was the truth which he had told :—

"By Sir Dinkur Rao—You are a servant of thirty-four years. Have you been in the habit of visiting the Maharaja from the time of the previous Commission or before?—From the time of the previous Commission I visited the Maharaja, but not previously. I never used to go before Khunderao except in Kutcherry with the Sahib.

"Have you never gone to the Maharaja Khunderao's to ask for Dusserah presents?—Some minor Sirdars used to give presents, but it was not customary for the Durbar to give presents. The Dewan Rao Sahib used to give directly, but there was no such custom in the Durbar.

"When the Maharaja instigated you to poison, this was a very bad thing. Did you make arrangements for the support of your family?—I did nothing. He said merely by words what was said through Raoji.

"The Advocate-General objected to the interpretation. He said that what the witness said was: 'He gave me a verbal assurance.'

"Mr. Melvill—What the witness really said was, 'He relied upon what the Maharaja said.'

"Sir Dinkur Rao—It is a very serious thing to poison one. Would anybody do such a matter in the presence of ten or twelve persons?—There were not ten persons. There were two of his servants and two of ours.

"Was the quantity of poison used small or large, and was it administered three times?—In my life I have not given any poison. A packet was given to me, and I was told to give it to Raoji, and I gave it to him. The arrangements as to how much to use and not lay with Raoji.

"What servants said that accusations should be made against Faizu?—No one said so. They mentioned his name in the statements, and therefore I also caused it to be written.

"Who mentioned his name?—Abdoola, Pedro, and the Hamals—five or six persons altogether.

"At the first meeting the Maharaja called you a rogue. How then did he come to trust you in such a serious matter?—Raoji, Salim, and Yeshwunt Rao took me and they assured the Maharaja.

"Are you a Hindoo?—Yes.

"What is your caste?—A Telingan Camatee.

"Are you afraid of the Police?—Why? Why should there be fear for speaking the truth?

"Do you yourself believe that you are guilty?—It is my bad luck; I also am concerned.

"If you were granted a pardon, would you in the presence of God tell the truth?—It is not because I may get a pardon that I tell the truth. Whether or not the Sirkar gives me a pardon, they are my parents.

"Mr. Melvill—That is not a correct interpretation. What the witness said was: 'If I were offered a pardon, I would speak the truth. I am speaking the truth now.'

"(Question repeated.)

"Witness—I know nothing more than this, which is true.

"The President—Sir Dinkur Rao's question, as I understand it, was, whether if the witness were offered a pardon he would tell a more truthful statement than he is now giving. Repeat that question.

"(Question repeated by Interpreter.)

"Witness—What was truth I have said. Beside that there is no other truth. The Sirkar may kill me if they like.

"By Sir Dinkur Rao—You have served a person thirty-four years, against whom you have done basely. Now, as you, if you were in the presence of God, state the truth. Do not be afraid. Whatever is in your mind state it without fear in the presence of God?—I have stated without fear what I had to say.

"The President (to Interpreter)—Put the question in this way: 'In the presence of God will you tell the truth?'

"(Question repeated by Interpreter.)

"Witness—In the presence of God I have stated what was the truth. I have not stated an untruth. I have stated the truth.

"Witness then retired."

34 (*i.*) It remains to ask how the evidence of these men has been met on the part of the Gaekwar. The answer is that his advisers preferred to rely on discrepancies between witnesses, on their infirmities of memory, on improbabilities, and on attacks upon the agents of the Government, instead of bringing forward the persons who, if the charges against the Gaekwar were false, could at once disprove them by direct evidence. According to the stories told by Raoji and Narsu, as well as by the ayah Amina, and the several other witnesses who prove the secret interviews, there were two men, Salam and Yeshwant Rao, who intervened at every turn of the transactions. They were the confidential agents of the Gaekwar. It has been above shown (in paragraph 17) that they received large sums of secret service money. When arrested, these men were placed under a military guard, and were not in the hands of the police. It was stated by the Advocate-General of Bombay openly and without contradiction "that they have had no communication whatever with the police, and that since the arrest of His Highness his solicitors have been allowed the most unrestricted private communication with them." They never volunteered any information as other accomplices did, and it was their strongest interest to assert the innocence of the Gaekwar. The legal advisers of the Government of India had no reason to believe that the interests of truth, as the evidence before them showed it to be, would be any way promoted by the examination of these men. But the Gaekwar was in a very different position. He knows of his own knowledge, though others can only infer from evidence, what the truth is: and he knows that it is known to Salam and Yeshwant Rao. According to his case the truth is that there was no plot in the palace against Colonel Phayre, and that Salam and Yeshwant Rao knew the fact as well as himself. Why then were not these men called upon to say what was at once the righteous thing and the thing most advantageous to themselves and to the master they served? The reasons assigned by his Counsel are that "He (the Gaekwar) cannot tell, and his advisers are unable to suggest with any certainty, whether these men are or are not accomplices with Damodhur Punt," and "that they would have come out of a custody from which nothing could be safe." If the second of these reasons is meant to be an addition to the numerous suggestions of conspiracy by the Police, it is founded on an error in fact. Yet it can hardly have been meant to suggest that the military also are parties to a plot against the Gaekwar. But the reasons may be left to speak for themselves. The Government of India have no hesitation in saying that the refusal on the Gaekwar's part to call upon Salam and Yeshwant Rao to come forward to speak the honest truth, and to confound Raoji, Narsu and the others, lends a strong probability to the truthfulness of the charges against him.

35. It is next to be seen what support the evidence of Raoji and Narsu receives from independent witnesses, so far as it relates to the actual instigation to poison. It must be remembered that so far it relates to interviews with the Gaekwar and the receipt of money from him, it has received ample support of this kind.

36. It receives some material support from the ayah Amina, an ignorant and timid witness, but one against whose truthfulness no imputation can be maintained. At her last interview with the Gaekwar, which was probably during the latter part of October, the subject of machinations against the person of Colonel Phayre was broached. It does not seem that poison was mentioned, and it is not clear, nor perhaps is it very material, whether or no the witness thought that poison was hinted at under the expression of a "charm" or of "something being given." What remains certain is that some physical operation on Colonel Phayre for the purpose of producing either a physical or a mental effect was spoken of, that Amina was thoroughly frightened, that she warned the Gaekwar not to make attempts against Colonel Phayre, for that if he did so he would be ruined, and that she went away and never returned again.

37. Amina is corroborated by her husband Sheikh Abdulla, who says that she told him on the following morning that the Gaekwar had enquired if anything could be given to those people to bring about a union between the hearts of himself and the Saheb, and that she had warned him against giving the Saheb anything to eat. By the expression "the Saheb" Colonel Phayre is meant.

38. Nor must the evidence of Damodhur Punt, the Gaekwar's Private Secretary, be forgotten. The position of this witness is very unsatisfactory, for he is by his own account a guilty accomplice, and he spoke under promise of pardon and, as he says, because he was weary of confinement. The three Commissioners who have signed the joint report have accordingly dealt cautiously with his evidence, which however they think to be probable in its essential points. The Government of India think it right to give the utmost weight to the drawbacks from this evidence, and not to use it except when it receives some support from other evidence. But after allowing full scope to doubts, they find a substantial correspondence between the story told by Damodhur Punt and those told by Raoji and Narsu, of which he was in ignorance; and in addition, there are two specific instances in which Damodhur Punt's story is corroborated by trustworthy extrinsic evidence.

39. First, Exhibit Z is an undoubtedly genuine document, and that shows that, as early as the 4th October 1874, arsenic was wanted by Damodhur Punt for some purpose, and that he alleged it to be required by the Gaekwar. The arsenic was not given out, because a written order could not be, or at all events was not, obtained from the Gaekwar for the purpose. It is impossible to suppose that an allegation appearing on this document upon the 4th October was any part of a plot against the Gaekwar. Exhibit Z requires some explanation, and none has been given except that of Damodhur Punt, *viz.*, that the Gaekwar did actually order him to get some arsenic.

40. Secondly, Nanaji Vithal, the keeper of the jewels, a witness not implicated in the plot against Colonel Phayre, shows that, some little time before the 20th October, diamonds were wanted, not for any ordinary purpose, but, as was stated, for medicinal purposes; "to be made ashes," as he says, "for medicine" He never knew of such a thing before. That the Palace accounts have been tampered with and falsified so as to conceal some transactions with diamonds about this time, is proved by Exhibit T1, as explained by the evidence of the Brahmin Rameshwar Moraji, and of Nanaji Vithal and his subordinate Atmaram. Again these phenomena require some explanation, and none is given except that of Damodhur Punt, *viz.*, that the Gaekwar did want some diamonds for the purpose of making a poisonous powder.

41. With regard to the points to which a large part of the evidence of Damodhur Punt has been directed, *viz.*, the proof of the purchase of arsenic and diamonds in particular quarters, the three Commissioners who have signed the joint report think that the purchase of the former is probable and that of the latter is proved. The Government of India are unable to attach much

importance to these points. It has never occurred to them that the Gaekwar could have had any difficulty in procuring as much arsenic and as many diamonds as he wished, nor do they suppose that their legal advisers would have spent any pains in procuring evidence on such points, only that Damodhur Punt volunteered information about them as part of the story he had to tell. But the evidence of Damodhur Punt was no part of the evidence laid before the Government of India on which they directed this enquiry, and which they were advised would, if unshaken, warrant conclusions against the Gaekwar.

42. The Government of India think it right now to notice in detail the reasons given by the three Commissioners who have signed separate reports, for thinking that the evidence given by the witnesses on the charge of poisoning is so far defective that it cannot be taken as proving the offence imputed to the Gaekwar.

43. The Maharaja Sindia says that out of a large number of persons connected with the case, only three witnesses, Raoji, Narsu, and Damodhur Punt, have given their evidence in reference to the above charge, and that all these widely differ in their statements. His Highness has, however, overlooked the evidence of Amina, which, as above shown, has an important bearing on this charge. As to the witnesses all differing widely in their statements, the Government of India hardly know what differences between Raoji and Narsu on the one hand, and Damodhur Punt on the other, are referred to. The differences between Raoji and Narsu do not, as above stated, touch the essential points of their story. The circumstance that there are only four witnesses, or even only three, to give direct evidence upon a particular charge, does not make the evidence incredible or even weak. It must stand the test of a rigid examination, and if it does, it is not to be rejected because the witnesses are not numerous.

44. The Maharaja then says that the evidence of Pedro and Abdulla (clearly meaning Abdulla the 17th witness) is in favor of the accused. Now the Government of India cannot see how the evidence of Abdulla bears upon the point at all. As for Pedro, he was inculpated by Raoji, and he denies all complicity in the plot. He therefore contradicts Raoji upon the one point of his own complicity, and with which of them the truth lies cannot easily be told. He says nothing to implicate the Gaekwar in the attempt to poison, but in no other sense is his evidence in favor of the Gaekwar. On the contrary, he confirms Raoji's evidence so far as it relates to intercourse between the Gaekwar and the Residency servants. He admits that he received money from the Gaekwar, not on the occasion of any festivity, nor for any apparent reason, unless it was an inducement to him to visit the Gaekwar, which he was urged to do by Salam but says that he refused to do.

45. Again, the Maharaja says that the non-production of Salam, Yeshwant Rao, Khanvelkar, Gujaba, Nurudin Borah, and the Hakim is in favor of the accused. There is a distinction to be taken between these persons. Nurudin Borah is a vendor of drugs, and Damodhur Punt alleges that the arsenic employed to poison Colonel Phayre was procured from him. Nothing is alleged against Nurudin Borah's innocence in the matter. The only point to which he could have spoken is the purchase or non-purchase of arsenic by Damodhur Punt. Now it has been above stated that this matter of the purchase of arsenic was a portion, but a very immaterial portion, of Damodhur Punt's statement. That statement was given in its integrity, and for what it was worth. His assertion that he purchased arsenic of Nurudin Borah is not sustained by any other evidence. Nurudin Borah should have been called upon to prove it if that had been material, and as he was not called, the Gaekwar is entitled to the benefit of the observation that the purchase has not been proved. Beyond that the non-production of Nurudin Borah does not affect the case.

46. The case is very different with respect to the other witnesses. It has been already shown how it stands with respect to Salam and Yeshwant Rao;

that the inference from their non-appearance is that the Gaekwar, who knew exactly what they could truthfully say, was afraid of it. The same observations, though in a far minor degree, are applicable to Khanvelkar, Gujaba and the Hakim. These witnesses could only speak to the minor question of the procurement of the materials for poison. They were in intimate connection with the Gaekwar, and are all represented by Damodhur Punt as accomplices in the plot against Colonel Phayre. If he has spoken untruly of them, they might have most effectually contradicted him, and the Gaekwar knew whether or no they could do so.

47. Then the Maharaja Sindia feels a difficulty because the poison was given in small quantities, and the transactions extended over a long time. The first observation that occurs upon this is that the difficulty about the quantities applies also to any other theory which may be framed to account for the undoubted fact of the poisoning: for it is pretty clear that small doses must have been administered to Colonel Phayre before the large dose of the 9th of November. But the mode of operation is explained naturally enough by Raoji's fear of producing a sudden effect, which he thought would lead to his detection. The length of time over which the whole transactions extended is not very accurately ascertainable, because the beginning is not fixed; but, allowing the greatest latitude consistent with the evidence, the time extends over some six or seven weeks, and that does not seem a long time for a plan requiring much contrivance, the watching of opportunities, and an allowance for the failure of agents, such as Raoji states to have occurred twice with himself.

48. Then it is observed that there is no sufficient proof of the purchase of diamonds, arsenic, or copper, and no paper whatsoever signed by the Gaekwar, involving him in the matter. But it has been already shown, in paragraphs 41 and 45, how unnecessary it is to prove any such purchase. And as for papers signed by the Gaekwar, it is not likely that any such papers should be forthcoming in such a case. Certainly the Government of India did not expect to find any.

49. The objections to the evidence which are felt by the Maharaja of Jeypoor and Sir Dinkur Rao, do not differ in principle from those felt by the Maharaja Sindia, and most of them have been already observed on, but a few additional details are given, in which it is thought that some important objections to the evidence are to be found.

50. The Maharaja of Jeypoor thinks it important that Raoji should have stated that the Gaekwar promised him and Narsu a lakh of rupees each, while Narsu only mentions indefinite promises of reward. Now, this is exactly one of those discrepancies which appear to the Government of India to preclude the supposition that the stories of these two witnesses are the result of collusion. The essential point is that a reward was promised. The nature of the reward may easily have been stated differently to, or have been understood differently by, each, especially as it is stated that both Salam and Yeshwant Rao took part in the conversation. But supposing the story to have been agreed upon between the two, or to have been invented by some third person and taught to the witnesses, it is very difficult to conceive that so obvious and simple a point as the promise of a lakh of rupees would not be dwelt upon, or that one so easy to remember would not have been faithfully reproduced when they came to deliver their evidence.

51. The Maharaja of Jeypoor points out truly that the yads produced out of the records of the private office under Damodhur Punt, do not show any specific sums of money having been paid for diamonds, or for poison of any kind. He proceeds as follows: "The sums mentioned in the yads were for giving feasts to Brahmins, and other charitable and useful purposes. There is sufficient evidence also to prove that these sums were actually spent

on such purposes." The Government of India hardly know on what view of the evidence respecting the Exhibit T1., the general bearing of which has been stated above, this opinion of the Maharaja is based. To their apprehension, it is proved that a number of fictitious entries were made in the Gaekwar's accounts, in order to cover payments the nature of which it was desired to conceal. And it so happens that the particular payment now specified, *viz.*, the payment for a feast to Brahmins mentioned in Exhibit T1., is the one whose false character is shown by the most unassailable evidence. For the Brahmin himself who is named in the entry as the recipient of Rupees 3,632-13-3 in December 1874, was called and proved that no such money was ever paid to him. He pointed out the difference between an entry of money really paid (Exhibit Y1) and the false entry T1. And it so happens that the sum mentioned in T1. is the exact equivalent of the sums mentioned in Exhibits R1 and S1, and paid to Nanaji Vithal, the Superintendent of the Jewel Department.* It was evidently thought desirable to get rid of these sums by some false statement in the accounts. This entry then, which seems satisfactory to the Maharaja of Jeypoor, seems, on the contrary, to the Government of India, to be one confirmation of the evidence of Damodhur Punt, as is stated above in paragraph 38.

* The three Commissioners who have signed the joint report have fallen into an arithmetical error on this point.

52. Again, the Maharaja of Jeypoor says that copper is mentioned as having been one of the poisons administered to Colonel Phayre, and that it was not detected by the chemical analysis. But that is not according to the evidence. All that appears on that subject is that Bhow Poonekar, speaking from mere hearsay, told Colonel Phayre that copper was administered.

53. The Government of India do not understand on what grounds the Maharaja of Jeypoor should say that there were no means of ascertaining whether Salam and Yeshwant Rao made any statements on the subject before the Bombay Police. If either the Gaekwar's Counsel or the Commissioners themselves desired to ask any question on this subject, they certainly would have been answered both by the Police Officers and by the men themselves.

54. The only points added by Sir Dinkur Rao are some discrepancies with respect to dates, on which some general observations have before been made, and some comparisons between the evidence of Raoji and that of Damodhur Punt, in which, though the witnesses speak to different occurrences, and though it may be said that the two narratives when put together do not make up a complete whole, but leave something untold, the Government of India fail to see any contradiction at all.

55. The result then is that, notwithstanding the doubts entertained by the Maharaja Sindia and Sir Dinkur Rao, and the more positive opinion of the Maharaja of Jeypoor, the examination of the evidence by the Government of India leads them to concur with the three Commissioners who signed the joint Report, that it bears on its face a trustworthy character, and contains no such contradictions or obscurities as would justify them in disbelieving the witnesses on their own showing. Counter-evidence, it has been already stated, there is none; the Gaekwar's advisers have refrained from calling upon his agents to attest his innocence. His Counsel, at the close of his argument, boldly maintained that it was not for him to make out a case on behalf of the Gaekwar. The Government of India think differently. One of the main objects of the enquiry was to afford the Gaekwar an opportunity of freeing himself from the grave suspicion which attached to him. The Government of India think that it was for the Gaekwar's advisers to make out a case, if they could honestly do it, to rebut the strong evidence brought against him, and cannot see any ground for their refusal to do it, except their inability. Neither is there any counter-theory to explain the evidence before the Commission. It is true that the Gaekwar's Counsel rather suggested than argued that Damodhur Punt or Bhow Poonekar might be the authors of the

attempt to poison. But there is not a particle of evidence to support either suggestion, and both are justly dismissed in very brief terms by the three Commissioners who have signed the joint Report.

56. It is therefore with great regret that the Government of India are compelled to express their decided opinion that all the offences imputed to the Gaekwar previously to the enquiry have been sustained upon the enquiry, and that he did instigate Raoji and Narsu to administer poison to Colonel Phayre.

By Order of the Governor-General of India in Council,

SIMLA;
FOREIGN DEPARTMENT,
POLITICAL.
The 21st April 1875.

(Sd.) C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

WHEREAS by a Commission issued by order of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council under the hand of C. U. Aitchison, Secretary to the Government of India, notified in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th of February 1875, and addressed to

The Honourable Sir Richard Couch, Knight Bachelor, and Chief Justice of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal;

His Highness Mookhtar-ool-Moolk, Azeem-ool-Iktidar, Rufi-oos-shan, Wala Shikoh, Mohtashin-i-Dowran, Oomdut-ool-Oomrah, Maharaja Dheeraj, Alijah Maharaja Jeeajee Rao Sindiah Bahadoor, Shreenath, Mansoor-i-Zaman, Fidvee-i-Huzrut Malikah-i-Mooazuma, Rafi-ood-Durjeh-i-Inglistan, Maharaja of Gwalior, Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India;

His Highness Siramad-i-Rajaha-i-Hindoostan, Raj Rajendra Sree Maharaja Dheeraj Sewaee Ram Sing Bahadoor, Maharaja of Jeypoor, Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India;

Colonel Sir Richard John Meade, Knight Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, and Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg;

Raja Sir Dinkur Rao, Knight Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India; and

Philip Sandys Melvill, Esquire, of the Bengal Civil Service, and a Commissioner in the Punjab;

reciting that an attempt had been made at Baroda to poison Colonel R. Phayre, C.B., the late British Resident at the Court of His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar, and that the following offences were imputed against the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar, that is to say:—

I.—That the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar did by his agents and in person hold secret communications for improper purposes with some of the servants employed by Colonel Phayre, the Resident at Baroda, or attached to the Residency.

II.—That the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar gave bribes to some of those servants, or caused such bribes to be given.

III.—That his purposes in holding such communications and giving such bribes were to use the said servants as spies upon Colonel Phayre, and thereby improperly to obtain information of secrets, and to cause injury to Colonel Phayre, or to remove him by means of poison.

IV.—That in fact an attempt to poison Colonel Phayre was made by persons instigated thereto by the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar.

And that the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council had temporarily assumed the administration of the Baroda State for the purpose of instituting a public enquiry into the truth of the said imputations, and of affording His

Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar an opportunity of freeing himself from the grave suspicion which attached to him.

Therefore the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council appointed the said Sir Richard Couch, the said Maharaja of Gwalior, the said Maharaja of Jeypoor, the said Sir Richard John Meade, the said Sir Dinkur Rao, and the said Philip Sandys Melvill, Esquire, to be Commissioners for the purpose of enquiring into the truth of the said imputations and of reporting to the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council how far the same were true to the best of their judgment and belief.

And the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council appointed the said Sir Richard Couch to be President of the Commission, with full power to appoint times and places of meeting, to adjourn meetings, to adjust and arrange the method of procedure, to settle the course which the enquiry shall take, to call for and to receive or reject evidence, documentary or otherwise, to hear such persons as he should think fit on behalf either of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council, or of His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar, and generally to guide the whole course of the proceedings of the Commission as from time to time should appear to him to be proper for the purpose thereof.

And after reciting that certain other matters of importance pending between the British Government and His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar were enquired into and reported upon by a Commission appointed by the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council by orders dated 23rd October 1873; and that the enquiry which the said Commissioners were appointed to make was not connected with such matters. For the better understanding of their functions, the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council thereby declared his desire that they should not extend their enquiry to other matters than the offences imputed to His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar as aforesaid, and that they should not permit any such other matters to be submitted to them for consideration or enquiry.

And the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council desired that in the event of any of their number being prevented by sickness or other cause from taking his place as Commissioner, or from remaining as Commissioner till the conclusion of their enquiry, the other Commissioners should nevertheless conduct and complete their enquiry in the same way as if the number of Commissioners present or remaining were the whole number appointed thereby.

And the said Viceroy and Governor-General in Council thereby appointed John Jardine, Esquire, of the Bombay Civil Service, to be their Secretary.

And whereas the said Commissioners so appointed as aforesaid met together in the Military Cantonment at Baroda, and commenced the said enquiry on Tuesday, the 23rd day of February 1875. And the said Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council appeared before them by Counsel.

And His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar also appeared by Counsel and was personally present.

And the said Commissioners met from time to time by adjournment at the place aforesaid, and received the evidence, oral and documentary, produced on behalf of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council, and on behalf of His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar, and a statement in writing of the said Mulhar Rao Gaekwar, and heard Counsel respectively on behalf of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council and His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar.

Now we the undersigned three of the Commissioners appointed as aforesaid do make the following report upon the matters so as aforesaid directed to be enquired into:—

1. It is desirable first to record the dates on which some of the important events connected with this enquiry occurred. They are as follows:—

Colonel Phayre assumed his office as Resident of Baroda on the 18th of March 1873.

The Commission of Enquiry into the complaints of mal-administration on the part of the Gaekwar's Government, brought by the Resident, Colonel Phayre, sat from the beginning of November to the 24th of December 1873.

The Gaekwar Mulhar Rao went to Nausari to celebrate his marriage with Lakshmi Bai accompanied by Colonel Phayre on the 2nd of April 1874, and returned on the 16th of May 1874. The marriage occurred on the 7th of that month.

Lakshmi Bai was delivered of a son on the 16th of October 1874.

The date of the kharita addressed by the Gaekwar to the Viceroy requesting the removal of Colonel Phayre from Baroda is the 2nd of November 1874.

The date of the kharita of the Viceroy announcing the removal of Colonel Phayre from the post of Resident at Baroda, and the appointment of Colonel Sir Lewis Pelly, K.C.S.I., is the 25th of November 1874.

2. The evidence on the record proves in our opinion that an attempt was made on the 9th of November 1874 to poison Colonel Phayre by administering common white arsenic and diamond dust in the glass of sherbet made of pummeloe juice which he was in the habit of drinking on his return from his early morning walk. Colonel Phayre returned home at five minutes to seven on that morning, and was met by Raoji, the havildar of his peons, who made a salaam to him. Colonel Phayre then entered the room he used as an office and dressing room in a small building which adjoins the main block of the Residency. Having entered that room he found the glass of sherbet placed as usual on the wash-hand-stand, and he took two or three sips, replacing the glass on the wash-hand-stand. He then sat down to write, and in twenty minutes or half an hour felt a sudden sensation of nausea. Thinking that the sherbet disagreed with him, and fearing, as he said, that he might be tempted to drink more of it, he flung the contents of the tumbler into the verandah outside the office room. The greater portion of the contents fell in the verandah, but a portion also reached the ground outside the verandah. When replacing the tumbler on the wash-hand-stand, Colonel Phayre's attention was attracted by the colour of a sediment which had remained in the tumbler, and of which a portion was still trickling down the side. He describes the sediment as being of a dark colour, and he adds that on holding up the tumbler and looking at it the thought occurred to his mind that he had been poisoned. This was at about 7-30 A.M. Colonel Phayre at once wrote a note to Dr. Seward, the Residency Surgeon, asking him to come over, and Dr. Seward arrived in half or three-quarters of an hour, or about 8 o'clock. Colonel Phayre handed over to Dr. Seward the tumbler containing the remains of the sherbet, amounting, according to Colonel Phayre's account, to 1½ or 2 tea-spoonsful, and according to Dr. Seward to less than a dessert spoonful. Dr. Seward observed "a little "powdery film arise" in the sediment as he shook the tumbler and held it up to the light; and on adding a little water "observed the play of colour on the "glistening part of the sediment." Colonel Phayre described the symptoms he experienced to Dr. Seward, who took the tumbler and its contents to his own house for the purpose of ascertaining what the contents were. Colonel Phayre has deposed that no person had access to the tumbler from the time he sipped the sherbet till the time that he made it over to Dr. Seward. The symptoms experienced by Colonel Phayre are described in a letter* written by him to Dr. Seward at 11 A.M on the same day, of which an extract here follows :—

* Exhibit F.

"Although I only took two or three sips of the pummalo juice which the "tumbler contained, I felt within about half an hour, as I described to you, "a most unusual sickness of stomach, accompanied by dizziness of the head "and of sight, producing confusion of thought, also a most unpleasant metallic "taste in the mouth, with slight salivation such as I have never experienced "till within the last few days, and which I attributed partly to a slight attack "of fever which had, however, quite gone off, and partly to an idea that the "pummalos from which the juice daily placed on my table had been extracted "were not fresh ones."

The metallic taste referred to has been described by Colonel Phayre as being a "coppery" taste; and he states that it commenced about three-quarter of an hour after sipping the sherbet, which he says was quite clear in the upper part of the tumbler and had no unpleasant taste.

3. Dr. Seward* explains the processes he used for ascertaining the contents of the sediment in the tumbler. He took about one-third of the sediment, equal to from one to two grains in weight, and of a faint fawn or pale grey colour; and mixing a little charcoal with it, put it into a test tube, which he heated over a spirit lamp, with the result of producing a metallic ring on the tube. Again heating the tube, he saw above and below the metallic ring a crystalline deposit which was found under the microscope to consist of octohedral crystals. The metallic ring and the octohedral crystals are stated by this witness to indicate almost entirely the existence of arsenic, and he adds that no other mineral poison would yield the same appearance. The rising of the film in the sediment is also an indication of the same poison.

* No. 15.

The remainder of the sediment which Dr. Seward had not experimented upon he sent on the morning of the 10th of November to Dr. Gray, the Chemical Analyser to Government at Bombay, having reduced it to the condition of powder by the application of a blotting-paper filter and heat.

4. Some days after having made the test of reduction by charcoal as above related, Dr. Seward made a further experiment which he thus describes, with the substance that remained in his test tube. He removed the mixture from the tube and threw it upon the surface of some water. Allowing the heavier particles to sink to the bottom, he rapidly poured off that which was floating. After repeating this process several times, he collected the sediment, and placed it on some glass slides, which he produced before the Commission. He put the slides under a microscope, and perceived that the sediment consisted mainly of lustrous crystalline fragments. Passing a clean glass slide over one of the slides covered with the sediment, he found that its surface was scratched. He repeated this experiment before the Commission, the clean slide being readily scratched on being rubbed against the charged slide. Dr. Seward explains that he did not test for copper, but only for arsenic, and that the poisonous portion of the sediment was the arsenic and not the diamond dust. He did not weigh the sediment that he obtained in the tumbler.

5. Before going on to describe the result of Dr. Gray's analysis of the powder sent to him by Dr. Seward on the 10th of November, it is necessary to refer to two other packets that were also sent to Dr. Gray for analysis. These are, first, a packet containing scrapings of the chunam floor of the verandah into which Colonel Phayre threw the sherbet. Colonel Phayre's evidence and his† letter to Dr. Gray show that in consequence of a suggestion thrown out by Dr. Gray to Dr. Seward, and communicated by Dr. Seward to Colonel Phayre, the latter witness, on the morning of the 15th of November, caused one of his peons, in his presence, to scrape as much deposit as could be found on the chunam floor of the verandah where the contents of the tumbler fell. These scrapings were made up by Colonel Phayre himself with a packet, which was forwarded to Dr. Gray on the 16th of November under due precautions. The second packet was found‡ in Raoji's belt on the 25th of December 1874 in the presence of the Commissioner of Police, Mr. Souter, by whom it was taken to Bombay and delivered to Dr. Gray on the 30th idem.

† Exhibit I.

‡ Evidence of Akbar Ali, No. 38, and Mr. Souter, No. 54.

6. The following is an abstract of the evidence of Dr. Gray, Chemical Analyser to Government at Bombay. He received the three packets above

referred to in such a condition and in such a way as to exclude any idea of their having been tampered with *en route*.

The first packet forwarded to him by Dr. Seward contained $1\frac{1}{2}$ grains of powder of a greyish colour, composed partially of glittering particles. He applied the test by sublimation to a small portion of the powder, the result by microscopical examination being the existence of eight-sided crystals. He made a solution of the crystals by boiling them in water. Taking part of the solution, he added to it ammonio-nitrate of silver, and it produced a pale yellow precipitate.

To another part of the solution he added ammonio-sulphate of copper, and the result was a pale green precipitate.

In the remainder of the solution he put muriatic acid, boiled the solution, and passed sulphuretted hydrogen gas through it, the result being a bright yellow precipitate.

He then added ammonia to the three precipitates, reserving, however, a portion of the third precipitate. They all dissolved.

The reserved portion of the third precipitate he boiled with strong muriatic acid, and it did not dissolve.

All these tests satisfied Dr. Gray that the crystals he had produced by the process of sublimation were crystals of white arsenic.

He made further experiments with the powder he received from Dr. Seward. He boiled a small portion of it with water and muriatic acid, and threw two pieces of clean copper-foil into the boiling liquid, which continued to boil. In a few seconds the copper-foil became covered with a grey metallic deposit. One of the pieces of copper-foil he dried and heated in a test tube, on the side of which a white sublimate formed consisting of eight-sided crystals. To these crystals he applied the same kind of tests as those already described and with the same results.

7. Dr. Gray also tried the test by reduction with charcoal on a portion of the powder received from Dr. Seward. He produced before the Commission the test tube with the metallic ring, which he states is one of the signs of the presence of arsenic. He did not reduce the ring to white arsenic by heating.

8. In regard to the glittering particles contained in the powder received from Dr. Seward, Dr. Gray deposes that they were not in any way affected by the experiments above described. He examined them under a microscope, and at first thought they might be powdered glass or quartz; but on looking at them on the following day (the 12th of November) on the piece of blotting-paper, he was led by simple inspection to think that they were diamonds on account of their brilliancy. He tried to dissolve them in all the ordinary acids, and with an alkali, but the particles were not soluble: and he came to the conclusion that they were diamond dust as the result of his independent enquiries, he not having at that time (the 13th of November) received any intimation that the powder might contain diamond dust.

9. The second packet forwarded by Colonel Phayre with Exhibit I was received by Dr. Gray on the 17th of November. It contained earthy matter, in weight 17 grains, which on examination by the same tests as those applied to the contents of the first packet, proved to be arsenic, sand, and diamond dust. One grain of arsenic was found by Dr. Gray in the packet forwarded by Dr. Seward, and $1\frac{1}{4}$ grain in that forwarded by Colonel Phayre, total $2\frac{1}{4}$ grains. Undr circumstances favourable for its action $2\frac{1}{2}$ grains are, Dr. Gray says, a fatal dose for an adult, and the effect of arsenic shows itself, n the majority of cases, in from half an hour to an hour. Diamond dust according to the best authorities has no injurious effect on the human body.

Dr. Gray considers the rising of the film in the sediment, as described by Dr. Seward, to be a likely result of the presence of arsenic in the tumbler.

10. The third packet delivered by Mr. Souter on the 30th of December 1874, Dr. Gray found to contain 7 grains of white arsenic of the same description and physical character as that found in the other two. He judged this from ocular inspection with a microscope.

11. The alleged existence of a metallic taste in the mouth of persons suffering from arsenical poisoning is a fact which has once come under Dr. Gray's personal experience, and one that is constantly referred to in cases that are sent up to him in his capacity of Chemical Analyser. He himself has taken arsenic for the purpose of ascertaining whether it has any taste, but has found it to be tasteless.

Dr. Gray directed his attention to the discovery of copper in the powders, but found no trace of it.

12. The usual symptoms of poisoning by arsenic are stated by Dr. Gray to be dizziness, nausea followed by vomiting, burning pain in the stomach and purging. Chronic poisoning, or repeated small doses of arsenic, he says, cause watering of the eyes; and if arsenic is applied to a wound it produces injurious effects which may end in the death of the sufferer. He thinks that Colonel Phayre must have taken very little arsenic, but that he took sufficient to cause nausea, which would produce salivation, nausea being a preliminary of salivation.

13. In connection with this part of the case it is to be observed that Colonel Phayre in his evidence states that he was ailing from about the middle of September 1874. He had a cold in his head and a boil on his forehead, for which Dr. Seward attended him. A plaster was put on the boil by Dr. Seward, and the spare plaster used to remain on a table in his office room. Collodion was applied by Colonel Phayre himself to the boil in such a way that he had difficulty in removing the lint with which he had applied it. This occurred one morning between 8 and 9 o'clock, when Colonel Phayre was standing near the wash-hand-stand in his office, whence he would be visible to the peons, who had their post in the verandah leading into that room. Both before and after the application of the plaster Colonel Phayre suffered from slight fever and fulness in the head, and his eyes watered a great deal. He suspected that his sherbet was not properly made from the beginning of October 1874. On the 6th of November he took a sip or two of the sherbet and felt unwell, having fulness in the head, and being sleepy, and generally having sensations like those he had experienced in the early part of October. On the 7th of November he also took a little of the sherbet, and was conscious of having the same symptoms as on the previous day, though in a worse degree. On the 8th he took no sherbet, as he had felt so ill on the preceding day.

The mention of the symptoms Colonel Phayre had noticed between the middle of September and the 9th of November will be found to be of some importance with reference to the evidence of some of the later witnesses in this enquiry.

14. It is obvious that as $2\frac{1}{4}$ grains of arsenic were found in the sediment of the tumbler, and in the scrapings of the verandah, a larger quantity of arsenic than would suffice to produce a fatal result must have been put into the tumbler, for it is not possible that all the arsenic contained in the sherbet was recovered from the verandah, and the quantity of the arsenic reproduced in the form of crystals by Dr. Seward's experiments is not known.

15. Having shown that poison was actually placed in Colonel Phayre's glass, the next question to consider is, by whom it was given. Abdulla Khan,* who had been Colonel Phayre's servant for 15 or 16 years, was charged with the duty of preparing the sherbet daily, but in his absence it was the duty of the butler to prepare it. Abdulla prepared it on the morning of the 9th of November from pure pummeloe juice, and placed the tumbler containing it on the wash-hand stand in the office room, which, at the time he did so (about 6-30 A.M.) Govind Balu and Yellappa

* No. 17.

were sweeping and cleaning. Abdulla, having taken out his master's clothes for the day, left the room. Govind Balu*, house-servant at the Residency, states that he and Yellappa cleaned out the office room on the morning of the 9th of November during the time Colonel Phayre was out for his walk; that he put fresh water into the water-bottle on the wash-hand stand, doubtless the bottle from which Dr. Seward poured a little water into the tumbler containing the sediment; that he got that water from the earthen vessel standing in the verandah of the main building from which water was supplied to the European inhabitants of the Residency; and that he left the room at about 7 o'clock before Colonel Phayre's return. He states that he saw Abdulla come into the room, arrange his master's clothes, and go out, but that he did not observe that he brought the sherbet. Lakshiman Dariao Singh, Peon, was outside the room. After Abdulla left the room, Govind Balu states that Raoji, Havildar† of Peons, entered Colonel Phayre's office room, and was in it for 5 or 6 minutes, during which time he emptied the waste-paper basket which stood near the writing-table into another basket, which was kept in the ante-room through which access is obtained to the office room. It may be here noticed, as a fact within the personal cognizance of some of the Members of the Commission, that the office room is of small dimensions.

* No. 18.

† A petty officer, the lowest grade of officers is Naik; then above him is the Havildar, and above him the Jemadar. A peon is a messenger.

Yellappa‡ confirms Govind Balu's statement that he was also employed in cleaning out the office room on that morning, but he gives no further particulars. Lakshiman Dariao Singh§ deposes to his having arranged Colonel Phayre's writing-table on the morning of the 9th of November, having done which he sat at the place allotted to the peons in attendance, and observed nothing further.

‡ No. 19.

§ No. 20.

16. There does not appear to be any ground for suspecting that any of these persons put the poison into the sherbet. Raoji‖ confesses that he did so, and we think that his evidence on this point may be accepted as true.

‖ No. 24.

17. It is now necessary to consider in detail the evidence of Raoji and other witnesses with a view to ascertaining whether Raoji was instigated to poison Colonel Phayre, and if so, by whom he was so instigated.

18. The evidence of Raoji¶ is to the following effect:—

¶ No. 24.

He was appointed by Colonel Phayre to be Havildar of Peons a year or a year and a quarter ago, and lived in the bazaar in the Baroda Camp. Two months before the Commission of 1873 commenced its sittings, Salam made repeated overtures to him to visit the Gaekwar. He at last consented, and went at about that time, *i. e.*, two months before the sitting of the Commission, with Salam and Eshwant Rao, whom he met at Eshwant Rao's house in the City of Baroda, to the Gaekwar's Palace in the city, and there had an interview with the Gaekwar in the presence of Salam and Eshwant Rao.

The Gaekwar asked him to send him information about the Residency, promising to give him rewards if he did so, and enquired whether Narsu, Jemadar of peons at the Residency, was his friend. Raoji agreed to send the information desired, said that Narsu was his friend, and on being requested by the Gaekwar to do so, consented to bring Narsu to see His Highness. The next day Raoji told Narsu of this visit and of the invitation which had been sent to him, but Narsu excused himself from going then on the plea of want of leisure.

19. Before proceeding further with the evidence of this witness, it will be convenient to explain that Salam is an Arab, living in the city of Baroda, and that he was a horseman (sowar) in the service of, and in constant attendance on, the Gaekwar. Eshwant Rao is a Jasud** or personal messenger of the Gaekwar, and also resided in the city. The room in which this interview is said to have taken place is the same as that in which all the interviews which will be described between the Gaekwar and

** Called also Jasus.

the Residency servants were held. It was inspected by some Members of the Commission, and it may be described as a small room on the third storey, entered at one corner by the narrow flight of stairs which leads from the entrance of the Palace close to the rear and the Nazar-bagh (garden). The stairs terminate inside this little room, and they are not shut off by a door. The room is in fact an ante-room, in which there is a single door leading into the private apartment of the Gaekwar, where he had a bed and a bathing chair, and appliances for ablution. In the ante-room there are several mirrors attached to the walls, and there is a low and broad wooden bench on which His Highness is said to have sat on nearly every occasion of his meeting the servants. We now resume the thread of Raoji's statement.

20. Raoji paid three or four other visits to the Gaekwar before the Commission of 1873 sat, and he paid three visits while the Commission was sitting. On each of these occasions he first went to Eshwant Rao's house, and from thence he went to the Palace, accompanied by Eshwant Rao and Salam. At these visits Raoji told the Gaekwar about the persons who came to the Residency, the events that happened there, and the complaints that were made against the Gaekwar's administration at the Residency and before the Commission.

21. At one of the visits paid on a Friday while the Commission was sitting, Raoji informed the Gaekwar that he was going to be married, and the Gaekwar directed Eshwant Rao to remind him of it. On the following Monday, when the Gaekwar visited the Residency, Eshwant Rao informed Raoji that he had brought 500 rupees for him, and desired him to go to his house in the evening and receive that sum. Accordingly Raoji went in the evening to Eshwant Rao's house, accompanied by Jagga, a punkah-puller employed at the Residency, and there he received from Dalpat, Eshwant Rao's clerk, Rupees 500, Jagga being present, but not Eshwant Rao, who was upstairs, Rupees 400 were spent by Raoji in the purchase of ornaments for his marriage, and Rupees 100 he deposited with Jagga. There is no evidence on the record which directly corroborates the truth of Raoji's statement in regard to any of the visits above related, except that on which the present of Rupees 500 was spoken about. But it will be shown further on that about the time these earlier visits were being paid, the Gaekwar was also receiving visits from the woman Amina, who was an ayah in the service first of Mrs. Phayre, and subsequently of Mrs. Boevey, Mrs. Phayre's daughter, and wife of the Assistant Resident at Baroda. These is, however, evidence to corroborate the payment of the Rupees 500, and to this it is expedient now to draw attention, leaving Raoji's further narrative for the present.

22. Jagga* (son of Bhagwan) states that he accompanied Raoji to Eshwant Rao's house one evening "fourteen or fifteen months ago," which would be about December 1873, (the Commission, it will be remembered, was sitting during November and December 1873), and that the Rupees 500 were paid to Raoji by Eshwant Rao's *Karkun* or clerk, of which sum Raoji took away Rupees 400 and gave 100 to him, Jagga, to keep.

* No. 28.

Dalpat†, the clerk, deposes to having paid 500‡ Baroda Rupees at 8 P.M. twelve or fourteen months ago to Raoji and Jagga by the order of Eshwant Rao, who at the time of the payment was upstairs, and not, therefore, present.

† No. 33.

‡ NOTE.—The Baroda Rupee is of less value than the Queen's Rupee by from 13 to 20 per cent.

Dajiba§ was the person employed by Raoji to get the ornaments for his marriage made. He shows that about the time of the last Diwali‖ but one, which was on the 20th of October 1873, he employed Shivlal Vithal, a goldsmith, to make up for Raoji various gold and silver ornaments for the person. These ornaments were delivered on two or three occasions as they were ready, and Dajiba got the list¶ with the prices from the goldsmith. This

§ No. 30.

‖ A Hindu festival.

¶ Exhibit Y.

list he delivered to the police when the present enquiry was set on foot, and it shows that ornaments to the value of Rupees 558-6-0 were made by Shivlal Vithal for Raoji between November 1873 and March 1874.

Shivlal Vithal* corroborates Dajiba in regard to the time of making the ornaments, and the description of ornaments, and he states their value from memory to be Rupees 475 or 500. He was paid in full for the ornaments by Dajiba and Raoji from time to time.

* No. 31.

Dulab,† another goldsmith, deposes to having made various ornaments of gold for Raoji in June and August 1874 to the value of Rupees 79-8-0.

† No. 32.

Shivlal Vithal and Dulab identified the ornaments they had respectively made, and Raoji admits that they are his property.

Raoji's salary, it may here be noted, was Rupees 10 per mensem.

23. To return to Raoji's evidence, which goes on to describe the visits paid to the Gaekwar after the Commission of 1873 had left Baroda and up to the time that the Gaekwar went to Nausari.

Raoji states that eight, nine, or ten days after the Commission left Baroda, which would be about the 3rd‡ of January 1874, he visited the Gaekwar at his Palace in company with Narsu, Jemadar of the Residency peons, Salam having previously informed Raoji that he had brought Narsu over to agreeing to come. The day was Sunday, and according to arrangement Narsu, whose house was in the City of Baroda, went to Eshwant Rao's house. Raoji started in company with either Jagga or Karbhai, both of whom were punkah-pullers at the Residency, and went to Eshwant Rao's house, where he found Narsu, Eshwant Rao, and Salam, all of whom accompanied him and his companion (Jagga or Karbhai) to the Gaekwar's Palace. Arrived there Salam went upstairs to inform the Gaekwar, and shortly summoned him and Narsu to the presence. At the interview the persons present were Raoji, Narsu, Eshwant Rao, and Salam. Raoji describes the conversation between the Gaekwar and Narsu on this occasion. The Gaekwar told Narsu that as he lived in the city he should bring information from the Residency every day, and that being an old resident of Baroda, and acquainted with the Sirdars§, he should tell him the names of the Sirdars who went to the Residency. The Jemadar Narsu consented, and said that both he and Raoji would communicate the information through Salam; on which the Gaekwar desired that if there was anything of importance to communicate, it should be committed to writing, the Jemadar bringing the letter when he came to his house in the city, and giving it to Salam. Narsu said to the Gaekwar that his brother's pension had been stopped, and he begged the Gaekwar to make some arrangement about it. The Gaekwar told Narsu to give a petition to the Resident on the subject, promising to make some arrangement if the Resident spoke to him. Two brothers of Narsu were then in the Gaekwar's service as Commandant and Jemadar of Cavalry.

‡ NOTE.—Narsu makes this visit to fall from the 19th to the 24th of January 1874.

§ Nobles.

24. Jagga and Karbhai‖ both depose to having gone to the Gaekwar's Palace with Raoji, Narsu, Eshwant Rao, and Salam, and to having been left downstairs when those persons went up to see the Gaekwar. There are no means of identifying the man who went with the party on this occasion, but there can be no doubt that it was either Jagga or Karbhai. Narsu merely states that Raoji had a companion with him, but he does not mention his name.

‖ Nos. 28, 29.

25. Raoji then goes on to say that he and Narsu visited the Gaekwar again four or five times about or before the departure of His Highness for Nausari (2nd of April 1874), and that on these occasions they gave information to the Gaekwar of the doings at the Residency. It may here be noted that Narsu only speaks of one such visit at this time, *viz.*, his second visit.

26. Raoji states that he and Narsu went to Nausari in attendance on Colonel Phayre, and that he saw among other persons there Salam and Damodhar Punt. Raoji paid one visit to the Gaekwar when at Nausari, introduced by Salam, and the Gaekwar asked him about Bhau Poonekar and others who went to the Residency.

27. We now come to Raoji's account of his visits to the Gaekwar after the return from Nausari, which was about the 18th of May 1874, and here we remark that Raoji states that in the visits up to this time the only thing the Gaekwar desired was information about the Residency, and that it was after this event that poison was first mentioned by His Highness.

28. These visits after the return from Nausari are stated by Raoji to have been paid, some in company with Pedro de Souza, some in company with Narsu. Pedro was Colonel Phayre's butler, and had been employed in that capacity for fifteen years, having been in his service altogether for 26 years.

Pedro took leave for a month to Goa; and three of the visits in his company are fixed by Raoji as occurring before his going to Goa, and one after his return from that place. Raoji says that Pedro invited him to go with him to the palace, stating that he, Pedro, had been asked to go there by Salam. Raoji describes the first visit and the conversation thereat with the Gaekwar which he limits to enquiries regarding the conversation at the Residency dinner table, and to a request on the Gaekwar's part that Pedro should send him information through Salam. No details are given in relation to the other two visits.

The last visit with Pedro is stated by Raoji to have been two or three days after Pedro's return from Goa. Now Pedro in his evidence before this Commission does not give the date of his return from Goa; but in his statement before Mr. Edginton, the Deputy Commissioner of Police at Bombay, on the 5th of January 1875, he states that he returned to Baroda from leave on the 3rd of November 1874. Raoji recites the conversation between Pedro and the Gaekwar. After asking Pedro when he had returned from Goa, the Gaekwar said to him—"If I give you something, will you do it?" Pedro said he would, if it were possible. The Gaekwar then spoke to Eshwant Rao, who handed a paper packet to His Highness, who put it into Pedro's hands. Pedro asked what it was. The Gaekwar said it was poison, and that it should be put into Colonel Phayre's food. Pedro objected that if Colonel Phayre were to die suddenly, he (Pedro) would be taken up and be ruined. The Gaekwar then assured Pedro that nothing would happen suddenly, but that Colonel Phayre would die in two or three months. Raoji believes that Pedro kept the powder or packet, but does not know whether he used it or not. Pedro informed Raoji that he had received money from Salam before he started for Goa.

Pedro* in his deposition admits that he went to Nausari, and that Salam urged him to go to the palace, but he denies ever having gone there, or having ever spoken to the Gaekwar. He admits that he asked Salam a short time before he went to Goa for money for his expenses by the way, and that Salam gave him 60 Baroda Rupees, saying that the Gaekwar had sent them for the expenses of his journey. He also admits having told Raoji that he had received the Rupees 60, although he says he was not intimate with him, and was only on speaking terms with him.

* No. 13.

Whether Pedro did go to the palace at all, or Raoji did accompany him in visits to the Gaekwar, or not, must remain uncertain. There is no corroboration whatever of Raoji's statements on this point.

29. Raoji's first visit to the Gaekwar with Narsu is stated by him to have occurred two or three days after the return from Nausari. This would be the 20th or 21st of May 1874: Karbhai punkah-puller accompanied them. Fifteen days after the return from Nausari, Raoji received Rupees 300 from Narsu as his share of a present from the Gaekwar.

30. At the time Colonel Phayre had a boil on his forehead (September—October 1874), Raoji states that he again visited the Gaekwar with Narsu, and that the Gaekwar gave him a bottle containing a white liquid like water, telling him to put it into Colonel Phayre's bathing or washing water. The mouth of the bottle was stopped with cotton and bees' wax. Raoji put it inside his drawers or trousers, which were tied round the waist with a string, the bottle being pressed against his body by the string. Some of the liquid exuded, or was jerked out in walking, on to Raoji's stomach, and a swelling with a burning sensation was the result. Raoji took the bottle or phial with him to the Residency, and, in reply to Narsu's question, said that he had put its contents into Colonel Phayre's water. This, however, Raoji says, was a lie, in order to stave off the importunity that was manifested by a sowar who came daily to ask if he had done the business. In point of fact he says he flung away the contents of the bottle, because he thought they would injure his master, Colonel Phayre. Raoji showed to Narsu the injury on his stomach. The bottle was kept under a box which was in the verandah of the Residency near the bench where the attendant messenger sat. The bottle was as long as Raoji's forefinger and thin.

The evidence of Dr. Gray, who was examined specially with reference to the injury on Raoji's stomach, is to the effect that the three marks visible thereon above the navel, where the drawer strings are tied, were caused either by caustic or burning from a hot iron; that arsenic is a caustic; and that arsenic in suspension might cause an injury, leaving such marks as those existing on Raoji's belly, if kept in contact with the skin for an hour, even though the surface of the skin were unbroken before the contact. Dr. Gray is of opinion that the injury on Raoji's person may have been caused in the way described by the witness, supposing arsenic to have been contained in the bottle. Our opinion on this episode of the bottle will be given when considering the evidence of Damodhar Punt.

31. Raoji describes another visit he paid one evening to the Gaekwar in the palace four or five months after receiving the Rupees 300 from Narsu. This would make the visit to fall in October or November 1874. Raoji thinks it was 15 or 20 days before the 9th of November. The room in which the interview with the Gaekwar is said to have been held is described by Raoji as His Highness' bathroom, the time 7 P.M., or somewhat later, and the persons present Salam, Eshwant Rao, Narsu, and Raoji. The following is Raoji's account of the conversation that passed:—"The Maharaja * said to us—"'The Saheb† practises great oppression (*zulm*) on me. I "'will tell you something; will you listen to it!'"

* The Gaekwar is commonly referred to as the Maharaja, which is one of his titles.
† Meaning Colonel Phayre.

"Then I and the Jemadar said, 'We will listen.' Then the Maharaja said, "'What is the saheb in the habit of eating?' I then said. 'He does not eat any-"'thing in my presence, but he drinks juice (*ras*) sherbet.' Then the Maharaja said "to us, 'If I give you something will you put it in (*dalna*)?' Then we said 'What "'will be the effect of it (*kya hoega*)?' Narsu it was who said this. Then the "Maharaja said to us, 'I will send a packet by the hands of Salam Sowar.' I "thereupon asked the Maharaja 'What will be the effect of it?' (The Interpre-"ter Mr. Nowrojee says the word interpreted as packet may also mean powder "*puri*). When I asked 'What substance is it' (or rather 'thing')? Then the "Maharaja said, 'It is poison, (*zahar*).' I then said to the Maharaja, 'If I "'put it in and if anything happens to the Saheb all of a sudden, what then?' "The Maharaja said 'It will not produce any immediate effect, but will produce "'an effect in the course of two or three months.' Then the Maharaja said to us, "'I will give you a present of a lakh each, if you will do this thing, and I will "'employ you, or give you service, and I will protect your children and family. "'Do not entertain any apprehensions.' I myself asked the Maharaja 'In what "'manner shall I put this in?' Then the Maharaja said, 'Take a small bottle, put "'some water and the powder in it, shake it well, and put that in?' Then I asked "the Maharaja 'If I put the powder thus, what will be the effect?' The Maha-"raja said, 'If without shaking it you put it in the juice, it will come to the

"'top, therefore you should shake it before putting it in.' Then Salam Sowar "and Eshwant Rao both said 'It will be good for you if you do this job, do not "'have any apprehensions.' The Maharaja said, 'Make three powders of this, "'and finish them in three days.' At that time no powder was shown me; nothing "was shown me then. The Maharaja said, 'I will send it to the Jemadar's "'house by the hands of Salam or Eshwant Rao.' I said 'Very well.'"

32. The day following this interview Narsu brought and gave to Raoji a packet containing two powders, one white and the other rose-coloured; the quantity in each being, as shown to the Court by the witness, about a teaspoonful: the white powder, however, being rather more than the others. Raoji then made up these two powders into three, by dividing the rose-coloured powder into three portions, and adding a pinch of the white powder, which he believed to be arsenic, to each. There was thus a remnant of the white powder which Raoji put into the secret pocket of his belt in paper; and the three compound powders he placed in another pocket of the belt. (The belt is a band of thick cloth lined, encircling one shoulder and falling down to the hip on the other side. There it is joined, and a slide is sewn on for a sword. The waist-band (*kammarband*) is tied over the belt, leaving the slide open underneath it). The three compound powders Raoji states he put into Colonel Phayre's sherbet in his office room, one at a time, on alternate days, having first shaken up the powder in water in a phial.

33. This is a convenient place to consider the matter of the discovery of the arsenic powder which has been referred to as the third packet examined by Dr. Gray.

Colonel Phayre has shown that he put Raoji under arrest on suspicion on the evening of the 9th of November, and Raoji states that he was released on the 11th, but was not allowed to resume duty, and went to his house. Raoji also states that on the morning of the 9th of November before he was arrested he was suspended, and that he put his belt of office in the office room occupied by Colonel Phayre at the Residency, Mr.* Boevey,* who was Assistant Resident at the time, shows, however, that Raoji hung up the belt, when he was deprived of it, on a peg in the room adjoining Colonel Phayre's office, and this, no doubt, is the correct statement.

* No. 40.

Raoji was arrested by the Police on the 22nd of December 1874, their suspicions having been directed against him by information they had obtained of the large expenditure, with reference to his means, that he had been incurring in the town. On the 24th, 25th, and 26th of December the statements of Raoji were recorded by Mr. Souter, and on the 25th, Akbar Ali,† head of the Detective Police of Bombay, asked Raoji where he kept the powders he had brought from the palace. Raoji replied that he used to put them in his belt, which was then with Bhudar, who had been appointed to succeed him. Bhudar was at once sent for, and came to the room in the Residency where the Police were carrying on their investigation under Mr. Souter, who was also living there, and took off the belt which he was wearing, and handed it to Akbar Ali. Mr. Souter was at that time dressing. Akbar Ali at once examined the belt, and when his finger came in contact with a bit of paper inside the pocket, he called to Mr. Souter, who was in the adjoining room, and in Mr. Souter's presence the packet of arsenic and a piece of thread were found. It is clear from the evidence of Raoji, Akbar Ali, Bhudar, and Mr. Souter that Raoji had forgotten all about this powder, and that it was not until it was found that he recollected the circumstance. There appears to be no reason whatever for suspecting any foul play on the part of the Police in connection with this discovery, which certainly corroborates Raoji's statement in regard to his treatment of the two powders. Raoji explains that he knew the white powder to be arsenic, and that he put only a little of it into each of the rose-coloured powders for fear lest the action of the poison should be too rapid.

† No. 38.

33*a*. We now come to Raoji's last visit to the Gaekwar, which he states to have been made on Friday night (the 6th of November 1874) with Narsu, in consequence of a message brought by Salam. He first went to Eshwant Rao's house, and thence proceded to the palace with Eshwant Rao, Salam, and Narsu, who were all present with Raoji at the interview with the Gaekwar. The room in which the interview is said to have been held is the "bath-room." The Gaekwar abused Raoji for having done nothing, on which Raoji replied that he had done it, and could not account for the absence of a result. The Gaekwar said he would give him something else to put in. As Raoji was leaving, Salam put something into the Jemadar's hand, which he, Raoji, did not see. Next day (Saturday, November the 7th) Narsu gave Raoji a dark grey powder in a piece of paper. On Sunday the 8th Raoji did not go to the Residency, but he went at 6-30 A. M. on Monday the 9th, and put the whole of the powder into Colonel Phayre's glass of sherbet, having first shaken it up with water in the phial. Raoji says that it was two days before he got this last powder that Pedro received a powder from the Gaekwar (at the last visit he paid to the Gaekwar with Raoji), so that Pedro must have received his powder, if Raoji speaks the truth, on the 5th of November. Raoji explains that he gave the whole of the last powder in one dose, as it was small in quantity, and he did not think it would take effect at once, and, moreover, he was urged to be quick.

34. We now come to the evidence of Narsu.* Raoji appears before the Commission as a tainted witness, a principal in a capital offence, under promise of pardon conditional on his speaking the truth. Narsu, on the other hand, was distinctly informed by Sir Lewis Pelly† that no pardon should be given to him, and his statement or confession, orally made before the Police and Sir Lewis Pelly on the 24th of December, was not recorded till the 26th idem, in order, as Sir Lewis Pelly explains, that he might have time to think over the matter, and that he might not be induced by any reason to make a statement which would not bear scrutiny. It is therefore necessary to look for facts corroborative of the general truth of Raoji's evidence. Narsu, with regard to the circumstances under which he appears, seems to us to be a truthful witness, and his manner impressed us favourably. Discrepancies between his and Raoji's evidence there undoubtedly are, and they are to be expected when men are relating occurrences which happened some considerable time before their recital. To show how witnesses on whose veracity no suspicion can rest may differ, it will suffice to refer to the accounts given by Mr. Souter and Sir Lewis Pelly of the reason why Narsu's statement was not recorded on the day that it was first made; Mr. Souter saying that he was too busy to take it down that day; Sir L. Pelly saying that it was because he ordered that time should be given to Narsu to think over the matter.

* No. 27.

† No. 56.

35. Narsu states that he was Jemadar of peons at the Residency on Rs. 14 per mensem, having occupied that post for some 17 years, and been employed at the Residency for 32 or 34 years altogether. His house was in the city of Baroda. His usual time for going to the Residency in the morning was 7½ or 8 o'clock, and he returned home at 6½ 7, or 8 o'clock in the evening. He corroborates Raoji's statement in regard to the invitation which was made to him to visit the Gaekwar before or about the time the Commission of 1873 assembled, and his refusal on the plea of want of leisure. He corroborates in all essential particulars the first visit to the Gaekwar described by Raoji as having been made in his company after the Commission dispersed. Between this first visit and the trip to Nausari, Narsu alludes to only one visit with Raoji in the evening, whereas Raoji alludes to four or five visits. When at Nausari, Narsu says he paid no visit to the Gaekwar, except in company with the Resident, and Raoji does not say that Narsu did visit the Gaekwar there with him. But Narsu relates a circumstance not mentioned by Raoji, and this is a fair instance of the absence of all connivance between Raoji and Narsu

in the evidence they have given. Narsu says that when at Nausari, Raoji caused a present of Rupees 250 to be given to him (Narsu). Narsu not knowing what to do with the money there, Raoji left it with Salam, who was then going to Baroda. When Narsu returned home, he ascertained that the money had actually been paid on his account to his brother. There is no corroborative evidence of the truth of this story, which is not mentioned by Raoji, but there is no reason apparent for discrediting it, and the inference of course is that the money came from the Gaekwar.

36. Narsu describes his first visit after his return from Nausari. His description corresponds substantially with Raoji's account, but Narsu gives the date of the visit as the middle of June or July 1874, whereas Raoji would make it about the middle of May.

Native witnesses are so notoriously inaccurate in regard to time that discrepancies of this sort do not make their evidence untrustworthy on other points. Narsu says that Raoji, after some conversation with the Gaekwar, suggested that a present should be given in connection with His Highness' marriage (with Lakshmi Bai), and the Gaekwar promised that one should be given. Accordingly 10 or 15 days afterwards Salam brought Rs. 800 to Narsu, of which he gave Rs. 400 to Raoji (who paid Rs. 100 to Jagga) and took Rs. 400 for himself. Narsu gave Rs. 100 of his share to Salam, thus keeping Rs. 300 for himself. Jagga, however, says nothing of having received the Rs. 100 referred to by Narsu, and it is rather to be inferred that he did not receive them, although he admits having been once to the palace in company with Raoji, Narsu, Eshwant Rao, and Salam. Raoji, it will be remembered, acknowledged the receipt of Rs. 300 from Narsu.

37. Raoji states that Narsu was with him when he visited the Gaekwar at the time Colonel Phayre had a boil on his forehead, and received the bottle from the Gaekwar. But Narsu says he did not see the bottle given. He saw the bottle at the Residency, where Raoji explained that he shook up the poison in it with water, and he knows that it was kept under the box close to the peons' bench at the Residency.

38. Up to this time no allusion to poison had been made before Narsu, who now goes on to recite the circumstances of the last two visits to the Gaekwar, corresponding with Raoji's last two visits. One visit was paid 20 or 25 days before the 9th November, thus corresponding pretty nearly with the time stated by Raoji. The place of the visit is the ante-room alluded to above, of the Gaekwar's private room, or bath-room, according to Narsu's account, and not the bath-room as stated by Raoji. There seems to be no reason for believing that any of the visits were paid in the inner or bath-room. They were, we believe, all paid in the ante-room. Narsu says that Karbhai was with him, whereas Raoji does not mention Karbhai. Karbhai's evidence leaves it uncertain whether he was with Narsu and the rest on this occasion. It is not pretended by any one that he ever went into the Gaekwar's presence. The names of the persons present at this interview, as given by Narsu, correspond with those mentioned by Raoji, and the following extract from Narsu's evidence contains a description of what passed on the occasion corresponding essentially with Raoji's description:—

"The Maharaja had some talk with Raoji. I was present, heard and "took part. The Maharaja said, 'The Saheb now becomes very angry, and some "'endeavours should be made regarding it.' Eshwant Rao said, 'It is the intention "'(*irada*) of the Maharaja. The Maharaja will give you something. You try "'to put it in (*dalna*).' The Maharaja said, 'Yes, you should do something by "'which the thing should go into his stomach.' I said, 'With regard to the food, "'that does not lie in my province. I won't be able to do it.' Then Raoji said, 'If "'you like I will put it in the pummeloe sherbet which he drinks.' The Maha-"raja said, 'Very well, try to do it.' The Maharaja said, 'I will send a packet "'(*puri*) which should be given to Raoji.' Eshwant Rao and Salam said, 'With "'regard to what the Maharaja says, when he gives it to us, we will bring it.'

"The Maharaja said, 'If the thing is done, it will be good for you.' Eshwant "Rao repeated the same thing. By the words 'It will be good for you' was "meant, 'you will get your meat and drink well, so that you will not depend on "'service.' The Maharaja said this. Salam and Eshwunt Rao said the same "thing. This interview lasted ten minutes, or a quarter of an hour. I don't "remember the month. The occasion was 15 days or 20 days or 25 days, or a "a month before Colonel Phayre discovered poison in his tumbler. At that inter-"view no packet was given me. After it was over Salam gave me a packet the next "day. Salam gave it me at my house. The packet was as long as my forefinger, "made up in Ahmedabad paper. Salam said to me, 'This is the packet to which "'the Maharaja referred, give it to Raoji.' I did not open it, but kept it in my "turban. When I came to the Residency at 8 o'clock I gave it to Raoji." In his cross-examination Narsu explained that he joined in this conspiracy, thinking he should get money and advancement from the Gaekwar.

39. The date of the final visit with Raoji to the Gaekwar Narsu gives as the 2nd or 3rd of November. Raoji says it was the 6th. Narsu went as usual to Eshwant Rao's house at 8 P.M., and the party, consisting of Raoji, Narsu, Karbhai, and Jagga proceeded to the palace, where they saw the Gaekwar in the ante-room as usual, introduced by Eshwant Rao and Salam. Narsu gives the following account of what passed:—"The Maharaja said, 'You are a *lucha* (a loose fellow)' and used "a coarse expression. 'You have done nothing as yet.' I said, 'Raoji knows that.' "Raoji then said, 'As far as I am concerned, I did put it in.' Raoji added 'What "'can I do if your medicine (*dawa*) is not good?' The Maharaja said to Raoji "'Very well, I will send another packet, and you do it properly (*barabar karo*).' "He added, 'Put it in well.' Raoji said 'Very well.' Eshwant Rao and the "Maharaja both said 'It will be brought to you to-morrow by Salam. Give it to "'Raoji.'" Narsu then says that the following day Salam gave him a packet like the previous one near his house, and that he handed it over to Raoji at the Residency. Raoji says that as he was leaving the palace, Salam put something into the Jemadar's hand, which he did not see. There is here a discrepancy which has not been cleared up.

40. On the 9th of November Narsu went to the Residency at 8 A.M., and after Dr. Seward had left, Raoji told him that he had put the poison in the tumbler of sherbet, and that the 'Doctor Saheb' (meaning Dr. Seward) had taken it away. Narsu remained on duty at the Residency till he was arrested by the Police on the 23rd of December 1874.

41. It is now desirable to allude to the evidence of Raoji and Narsu in regard to letters sent by the former to the palace. Narsu states that during the rainy season of 1874 (June—September) he received 20 or 25 letters from Raoji containing the names of visitors and information for delivery to Salam, and that he did deliver them. They were not written on Mondays and Thursdays. Raoji says that he sent some letters of this kind; some of which he wrote himself, and one or two he got Jagga to write. Jagga corroborates this statement, and identifies one letter (Exhibit X) as having been written by himself by direction of Raoji and Narsu. Exhibit X is a letter giving information about visits paid by certain persons to the Resident and the conversations that occurred. The letter was found in Salam's house, as proved on the evidence of Chagan Lall,* Imam Ali, and Manibhai.

* Nos. 34, 35, and 36.

42. The evidence that has been produced leads to the belief that Raoji and Narsu had no opportunity of conversing after they were arrested, and that their evidence is the result of their individual experience. Raoji's statement had not been recorded when Narsu appeared before Sir L. Pelly and made his statement on the 24th of December, and it is therefore impossible that the Police could have instructed Narsu as to the particulars of the statement he was to make. Both these witnesses remained unshaken under cross-examination, and we believe that their evidence in the matters wherein they

substantially agree is true. Narsu, when adjured by Sir Dinkur Rao at the close of his evidence to tell the truth without fear and as in the presence of God, declared that he had spoken the whole truth, and that the offer of a pardon could not induce him to say anything else. We also observe that Narsu, after having had his statement and confession taken down by Mr. Souter on the 26th of December 1874, threw himself into a well in the Residency compound, being covered with shame at the part he had taken against a man whom both he and Raoji describe as a kind master. Narsu hesitated in Court to say that he had actually thrown himself into the well, and said that his head had become giddy from seeing some of his fellow-servants and that he had fallen in; but having inspected the well, it is difficult to us to conceive that his fall into it could have been accidental, and there is good ground for the presumption that it was intentional on his part.

43. The evidence of Damodhar Punt* must now be examined. He used to attend at the Gaekwar's Palace daily from 7 A.M. till 10 P.M., and received a salary of Rs. 200 per mensem. He was the Gaekwar's Private Secretary, and states that he had all His Highness' private accounts under his control. In the dark half of the month Bhadrapad (September and October 1874) he was directed by the Gaekwar to get two tolas† of arsenic for itch, and to write for it to the *Foujdari* Department. There was an edict that arsenic could only be had in the Foujdari, and it could always be had under the Gaekwar's order. Accordingly Damodhar Punt wrote to the Foujdari officer the letter which has been produced (Exhibit Z). It bears date the 4th of October 1874, and directs that a pass be sent for two tolas of arsenic for "medicine for a horse." The son of Ganpat Rao Balwant, the City Foujdar, endorsed an order on this in his father's name to Dattatraya Ramchandar on the 5th of October as follows:—"The Shrimant Sirkar Maharaj has ordered to give arsenic, tolas two, as above, on receiving the price; therefore giving to the said person arsenic as above, take the price." Damodhar Punt states that he mentioned the horse because he was so directed by the Gaekwar. Hormasji Wadia was the Huzoor Foujdar, and he informed Damodhar Punt that he would give the arsenic after asking the Gaekwar's permission. Damodhar Punt told the Gaekwar of this, and the Gaekwar told him to get the arsenic somehow or other from Nurudin, a Borah living in the Baroda Camp, who had business with the Gaekwar's *Silleh-khana*‡ or Dispensary. Damodhar Punt accordingly got a packet that was said to contain two tolas of arsenic from Nurudin, either that day or the next (the 5th or 6th October 1874), and gave it, by the Gaekwar's directions, to Salam shortly afterwards: the Gaekwar saying that Salam would convert it into medicine for itch and bring it. No arsenic was got from the Foujdari.

* No. 41.

† A tola equals ⅔ of an ounce in weight.

‡ This word generally denotes an arsenal; but in Baroda it is used to indicate the State medicine store: possibly from the place having formerly been used as an arsenal.

Dattatraya Ramchandar,§ employed in the Gaekwar's Foujdari Office, deposes that he received Exhibit Z, and that it remained in the Foujdari Office till it was sent for by the present head of that office three weeks previously to his giving his evidence; that no arsenic was given on that order; that an order had been in force for the past eighteen months that arsenic and other poisons were not to be given out except under an order from the Gaekwar; and that this document does not contain the Gaekwar's order, though it is stated in the endorsement that the Gaekwar had given sanction.

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44. Damodhar Punt then goes on to state that about eight days after he got the arsenic the Gaekwar ordered him to get one tola of diamonds and give them to Eshwant Rao. He got a packet said to contain diamonds from Nanaji Vithal, the clerk of the jewel department under him, and gave it after asking the Gaekwar for instructions, and in accordance with those instructions, to Eshwant Rao.

45. He further says that eight or four days after this, Gujaba, servant of Nana Khanvelkar, brother-in-law and hereditary minister of the Gaekwar, brought to him a small bottle containing some medicine. The Gaekwar had previously given Damodhar Punt orders to send* large ants, snakes, and the urine of a black horse to the Hakim (Gaekwar's doctor), and the contents of the bottle brought by Gujaba were a concoction made by the Hakim. The Gaekwar having desired Damodhar Punt to pour the stuff into another bottle, Damodhar Punt poured it into a smaller bottle of his own, about half a forefinger's length, which had contained *attar*, or essential oil of roses. Whether the witness used the words attar of roses, or merely attar, which might mean any essential oil, is doubtful. The record has it attar of roses. The point is not very material, and it is clear to us that the small bottle referred to is not one of the usual otto of rose bottles known in Europe which contain only a few drops. Having poured the stuff into this smaller bottle, Damodhar Punt closed the mouth with cotton and bees' wax. The next day Damodhar Punt gave the bottle to Salam in accordance with the Gaekwar's verbal order given to him, and directed Salam to give the bottle to Raoji. Damodhar Punt is not very certain about the time he gave the bottle, but he is sure it was after August 1874, and he indicates the Dasserah (20th October) as the time about which he did so. He states that he knew the bottle was to be used to poison Colonel Phayre. We are unable to come to a satisfactory conclusion as to the precise manner in which Raoji became possessed of this bottle, but we are disposed to believe that he did, directly or indirectly, receive from the Maharaja a bottle containing some noxious liquid which was intended to be used to injure Colonel Phayre.

* Probably blister flies are meant.

46. Subsequently Damodhar Punt got two more tolas of arsenic from Nurudin by the Gaekwar's orders, which he also gave to Salam.

47. He also, in obedience to the Gaekwar's orders, got from Nanaji Vithal a second tola of diamonds. Nanaji Vithal delivered a packet to Damodhar Punt, which he said contained 3† mashas of diamond dust and 9 mashas of diamonds. This packet Damodhar Punt, by the Gaekwar's order, gave to Eshwant Rao, who, in reply to a question put by Damodhar Punt, said that they were to be made into a powder and given to Colonel Phayre. This packet of diamonds was given to Eshwant Rao five or seven days before the 9th of November 1874. The Gaekwar told Damodhar Punt that these diamonds were for a crown for the high priest of Akalkote.

† 12 mashas go to a tola.

48. It should here be observed that there is no evidence whatever to confirm Damodhar Punt's statement in regard to the procurement of the arsenic from Nurudin. That the Gaekwar desired to obtain arsenic may be held to be proved by the evidence of Damodhar Punt and by Exhibit Z. That arsenic was obtained by Damodhar Punt in the way he describes we consider highly probable. We are also of opinion that it is proved by the evidence of Raoji and Narsu that the poison used against Colonel Phayre came from Salam. That the arsenic which Damodhar Punt gave to Salam is the same that was used to poison Colonel Phayre is certainly probable. We are not prepared however, in the absence of corroborative evidence of the truth of Damodhar Punt's statement, to say that it is proved that the arsenic administered by Raoji was that, Damodhar Punt says, he obtained from Nurudin and gave to Salam.

49. In regard to the purchase of the diamonds, there is the following further evidence:‡ Nanaji Vithal, the Darogah or chief officer of the Gaekwar's jewel department, deposes that shortly before the last Dasserah (20th of October 1874) he purchased by Damodhar Punt's orders 68 or 68½ ratties§ of flat rose diamonds, 1 to 4 diamonds per ratti, from Hemchand, son of Fattehchand. He instructed a clerk to prepare a memorandum (*yad*) of the purchase. Seven or eight days afterwards he purchased from Hemchand about 74 ratties weight of diamonds of the same kind by Damodhar Punt's

‡ No. 43.

§ A ratti equals 1⅞ grain troy.

orders, and an entry of their purchase was made on the same memorandum. Both lots of diamonds were given to Damodhar Punt as they were purchased, and Damodhar Punt told this witness that the diamonds were to be reduced to powder or ashes to be used as medicine. The total price was Rs. 6,003. Rs. 3,000 were paid by Nanaji Vithal to Hemchand as follows:—Rs. 2,000 were paid through Nanchand, Shroff of the Domala Mahal, out of two items aggregating Rs. 3,629-13-3,* which were obtained by savings in the lighting department, and sale of gold coins presented as *nazarana* and credited to the Gaekwar's private account. Rs. 1,000 were paid by Nanaji Vithal himself. He says that the *yad* on which the purchases of these diamonds were entered was written by Atmaram, clerk, and that about the end of the Diwali † (9th of November 1874) Damodhar Punt took it away, in consequence of which the diamonds do not appear in any of the accounts of the jewel-room.

* Exhibits R1 and S1.

† The Diwali began on the 8th November and ended on the 11th November 1874, the principal day being the 9th.

Atmaram, ‡ clerk in the Gaekwar's State jewel-room under Nanaji Vithal, deposes that diamonds were bought from Hemchand about eight days before the last Dewali, a *yad* being prepared by Venaik Rao, son of Venkatesh, and kept by witness till after the report was known of Colonel Phayre having been poisoned, when Nanaji Vithal took it from him. This witness stated also that there was a large quantity of diamonds, loose as well as set, in the Gaekwar's jewel-room, and that at the time of the purchase of these diamonds the ornamentation of a sword handle, scabbard, and jacket with small diamonds procured from the Gaekwar's jewel store was proceeding, there being a balance of such stones going on from year to year. He also stated in cross-examination that after Nanaji had taken away the *yad*, he, Atmaram, asked Hemchand whether he had received his diamonds back, and he replied in the affirmative, Nanaji Vithal also having said at the time of taking away the *yad* that the diamonds were not to be purchased, and that he wished to return them.

‡ No. 44.

50. Damodhar Punt gives the following account about the payment for these diamonds which he received from Nanaji Vithal. He received verbal orders from the Gaekwar to pay for them, and he directed Nanaji Vithal to disburse the money from funds which he had received on the Gaekwar's private account. Those funds he describes as the sums shown in Exhibits R1 and S1 above referred to. The total sum shown in those exhibits to have been credited to the private account is Rs. 3,629-13-3. The order for the payment to the jewellers for these diamonds is stated by Damodhar Punt to be Exhibit T1, dated the 31st December 1874, which sets forth that Rs. 3,632-13-3 have been given by the Gaekwar for a feast to the Brahmins at Swami Narain's temple. Damodhar Punt states that this was a fictitious order, made to conceal the real purpose for which the money was required.

There can be no doubt that this is the case, because Rameshwar,§ mentioned in the order as the payee and provider of the feast, deposes that he did not receive the amount, and corroborates Damodhar Punt's statement that a receipt was always affixed to the order by the payee, by referring to a true order (Exhibit Y1), on which there is a receipt of his, whereas T1 has no such receipt. But‖ there is a doubt whether T1 is really the equivalent of the sums shown in R1 and S1, because, in the first place, the total of R1 and S1 is Rs. 3,629-13-3, whereas the total of T1 is Rs. 3,632-13-3; and, secondly, the date of T1 is the 31st of December 1874, whereas R1 is dated the 1st of January 1875. It is clear, however, that Nanaji Vithal did, as he admits, receive the

§ No. 46.

‖ **NOTE.—Subsequently added by Mr. P. S. Melvill, Commissioner.**

The doubt expressed in paragraph 50 in regard to the total of Exhibit T1 not agreeing with the totals of Exhibits R1 and S1 was caused by misreading a badly printed figure 6 in Exhibit R1 for a 3. In reality the total of T1 does agree with the totals of R1 and S1.

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amounts shewn in R1 and S1, and it is also clear that T1 put into the hands or power of Damodhar Punt a sum of money which might be used for secret service. Indeed Damodhar Punt shows clearly that large sums were from time to time set aside as secret service money. Exhibits A1 to Q1, bearing date from the 24th of November 1873 to the 13th of October 1874, are fictitious orders for payment to Salam and Eshwant Rao on account of goods alleged to have been purchased by them for the Gaekwar; and the proof of their fictitiousness, as explained by Damodhar Punt, is that they contain no details of the goods or of the names of the merchants from whom they were purchased. One difference between the orders A1 to Q1 and the order T1 is this, that the former bear in each case the acknowledgment of the payee, whereas T1 does not. It is therefore evident that T1 is not only fictitious in its purposes, but is also made so as to conceal the name of the person to whom payment was made, and it may be regarded as corroborating Damodhur Punt's statement that he directed Nanaji Vithal to pay for the diamonds. Damodhar Punt also says, and in this he is corroborated by Nanaji Vithal and Atmaram, that the diamonds were not credited or entered in the jewel accounts, as the Gaekwar said they were for medicine, and that only a *yad* or memorandum to that effect was prepared in the jewel department, which *yad* the Gaekwar, on being asked by Damodhar Punt about it after the attempt to poison Colonel Phayre on the 9th November had become known, directed should be destroyed. Damodhar Punt accordingly told Nanaji Vithal to remove the *yad*, which he did, and the amount was shown as paid to Swami Narain (T1).

51. It now remains to examine the evidence of Hemchand* in regard to these diamonds. This witness contradicted himself in the most violent way, and no reliance can be placed on his evidence generally. His object seemed to be to deny all connection with the purchase of the diamonds. He admits that he took two packets of diamonds to Venaik Rao (brother-in-law of Nanaji Vithal and employed in the Gaekwar's jewel department) on the 31st of October or 1st of November 1874, but he says that they were returned to him. He denies ever having sold diamonds to Damodhar Punt, Nanaji Vithal, or Venaik Rao. He admits having received Rs. 2,000 from Nanaji Vithal on the 3rd of December 1874, and another 2,000 on the 2nd and 3rd of January 1875, but he states that these were on account of Hundi (bill of exchange) transactions. The Hundi transactions are entered in the name of Shivchand Khusalchand, a Poona Firm, Nanaji Vithal having purchased from that firm goods to the value of Rupees 7,000, and remitted Hundies to that amount procured from him (Hemchand). It is not at all established to our satisfaction that these payments of Rs. 2,000 each on the 3rd of December 1874, and the 2nd and 3rd of January 1875, were on account of the Hundi transactions. More probable does it appear that the payments were really for the diamonds as stated by Nanaji Vithal. Hemchand admits that the Rs. 2,000 paid on the 2nd and 3rd of January were received from the Karkoon of the Domala villages, as stated by Nanaji Vithal, and the date of payment is consistent with Nanaji Vithal's statement that the money was in part of the sum covered by the order No. T 1, which bears date the 1st of January 1875. In regard to the Rs. 2,000 paid on the 3rd of December 1874, Nanaji Vithal deposes that he did pay that sum to Hemchand, but that he received back a Hundi and cash to the amount of Rs. 1,000, leaving the Rs. 1,000 net to be credited; and Hemchand admits that he did give to Venaik Rao, son of Venkatesh and brother-in-law of Nanaji Vithal, a Hundi for Rs. 750 on the 8th of December 1874; the premium on the Hundi being Rs. 155-10 and Rs. 94-6 having been paid in cash to Venaik Rao—total Rs. 1,000. It is therefore clear that this transaction, which left a net credit to Nanaji Vithal's account of Rs. 1,000, either had no connection with the payment for the diamonds, or that it was entered on by Nanaji Vithal before, so far as is known, any funds had been placed in his hands with a view to paying for the diamonds. Hemchand's

* No. 42.

books afford but little assistance in corroborating Damodhar Punt's statement in regard to the purchase of the diamonds. Only one of these books (marked A 2) has been put in before us, and it has been tampered with. We find no grounds for considering that the police had anything to do with, the tampering. There is an entry of the 7th and 8th of November 1874 of the purchase by Nanaji, on account of Damodhar Punt, of diamonds to the value of Rs. 6,270; and Hemchand admits that this entry is in his own handwriting, but he urges that it was made under compulsion exercised by Gajanand, Inspector of Police, on the evening of the day he made his first statement before Mr. Souter (the 6th of February 1875). As stated above, we do not believe that Gajanand did exercise any such compulsion, because the entries are contradictory to some extent to the statement made by Hemchand before Mr. Souter, and it is not to be supposed that Gajanand, an astute man would be guilty of a gross anachronism. But with advertence to the undoubted fact that this book has been altered, we prefer not to place any reliance on it. The only portion of Hemchand's evidence which has an important bearing on the case is that which relates to the taking of diamonds to the palace, and the payment of Rupees 3,000 net.

52. The conclusion we draw on the question of the purchase of the diamond is that there is reason to believe that Damodhar Punt in October and the beginning of November 1874, under directions from the Gaekwar, got diamonds from Nanaji Vithal, which he gave to Eshwant Rao; that Nanaji bought them from Hemchand; and that the palace accounts and Hemchand's accounts have been falsified so as to conceal the purchase of the diamonds.

The natives of Baroda, in common with the natives of India generally, probably believe in the poisonous properties of pounded diamonds, although there is apparently no well grounded reason for such a belief. The question naturally arises why Damodhar Punt did not get the diamonds from the Gaekwar's jewel room, where there was a stock in hand. The only answer to this question that can be suggested is that it was probably thought easier to conceal a purchase of new diamonds than to take them from a store the keeper of which would be bound to exhibit the transaction in his accounts.

53. Damodhar Punt was arrested on the evening of the day the Gaekwar was put into confinement (14th January 1875). He was confined for two days in the Senapati's Office at the palace, and then he was brought to the Residency, where he was placed under a guard of European soldiers for 16 days, and afterwards under a police guard. He was present at the palace when his papers there were sealed up after the Gaekwar's arrest. Being, he states, tired of the European guard, and thinking that he could not otherwise get out of confinement, Damodhar Punt made a confession to Mr. Richey, Assistant Resident, on the 29th and 30th of January 1875, and this confession was attested before Sir Lewis Pelly on the 2nd of February 1875. It is substantially the same as his evidence before the Commission, and it was made under a promise of pardon from Sir L. Pelly.

54. After his confession, his box containing the private papers of the Gaekwar was unsealed in his presence, and the exhibits marginally noted were found therein. He states that although before his arrest he used to hear from Salam what he had heard regarding the statements of Raoji and others, yet he never was informed of any of the details of Raoji and Narsu's confessions up to the time he made his own confession to Mr. Richey. It is impossible for us to say that this assertion should be accepted as true, but no evidence has been produced to contradict it It is to be noticed that Damodhar Punt never went to the Residency in Colonel Phayre's time, and that he accompanied the Gaekwar on one occasion only, after Sir L. Pelly had assumed office at Baroda. He never saw Raoji at the palace, but he mentions that Salam said to the Gaekwar in his presence, at the time when Colonel Phayre was suffering from the boil in September, that he had induced Raoji to put a pinch of arsenic on the plaster used for the boil, and

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that this had caused a burning sensation, which led Colonel Phayre to remove the plaster.

He repeats several conversations he alleges he had with the Gaekwar, beginning with the 9th of November, and ending with the date of his arrest. These conversations, if they really occurred, and have been truly related, show that the Gaekwar was cognizant of the rumour which had spread on the 9th of November of the attempt having been made on that day to poison Colonel Phayre. There is one circumstance noticed in the conversation of the 9th of November which is corroborated by independent evidence, and, so far as it goes, it supports Damodhar Punt's accounts of these conversations. The Gaekwar, when returning from the Residency on the morning of the 9th of November, said to Damodhar Punt that Salam had run that morning to Raoji's house for the purpose of getting hold of any packets of the poison that might have remained and throwing them into the fire. Natha Jagga * in charge of the conservancy of the Sadar Bazaar in the Baroda Camp where Raoji lived, saw Salam riding towards the Sadar Bazaar from the direction of the city on the morning of the 9th of November, and he saw him riding back towards the city about 5 minutes afterwards. Mahomed Ali Baksh,† a Residency messenger, spoke to Salam at the Residency before Colonel Phayre returned from his walk that morning; and as he was coming back to the Residency from the Sadar Bazaar after leaving Dr. Seward's house, where he had taken the letter given to him by Colonel Phayre, (evidently alluding to the first letter Colonel Phayre wrote asking Dr. Seward to come to the Residency), he saw Salam riding back towards the city. Now this evidence of Natha Jagga and Mahomed Ali Baksh, though not conclusive as to the fact that Salam went to Raoji's house on the morning of the 9th, shows that very probably he did so; and as Salam must have returned to the Gaekwar before His Highness paid his usual visit that morning to the Resident, the fact which the Gaekwar mentioned to Damodhar Punt, *viz.*, that Salam had gone to Raoji's house to destroy any powders that might have remained, is probably true, and it is difficult to conceive that Damodhar Punt could have fabricated the statement alleged to have been made to him by the Gaekwar.

* No. 22.

† No. 23.

Damodhar Punt also says that the Gaekwar in his presence repeatedly cautioned Salam and Eshwant Rao not to say anything about the poisoning when alarm had been caused by the inquiry that was set on foot. These persons have not been called as witness in this investigation either for the prosecution or the defence.

55. Damodhar Punt describes the system of accounts prevailing in his (the private or *khangi*) department: and it will be sufficient here to mention that the first paper is the memorandum or *yad* which recites the order for payment, and is receipted by the payee. From the *yad* a daily journal is prepared, and from the daily journal a monthly account, and from this a yearly account. The *yad* and daily journal could easily be destroyed; but when once the monthly account had been made and incorporated in the yearly account, the difficulty of making away with all trace of any particular item would be greatly increased, and this was the reason assigned by Damodhar Punt in cross-examination for not destroying all the papers which in any way bear on the transactions which have resulted in this enquiry. An attempt was made to obliterate entries in four‡ daily journals. Damodhar Punt says that he caused Balwant Rao, clerk, to make these obliterations by pouring ink over that part in each which contains the name of Salam. § Balwant Rao denies having made the obliterations, which are most clumsily done, though they have been effectual. Damodhar Punt states that he had the entries obliterated in order to hide Salam's share in these transactions and to screen the Gaekwar, and that he did so in

‡ Exhibit U1.
" V1.
" W1.
" X1.

§ No. 45.

obedience to the Gaekwar's orders. He admits now that it was unwise to do so, as the ink splotches attract attention to the papers. These papers were part of those under Damodhar Punt's control which were sealed up at the palace on the day the Gaekwar was arrested, and the evidence of Gajanand* and Mr. Souter† shows that when the papers were subsequently opened in Damodhar Punt's presence, they were in the same condition as that in which they were when produced before us. Lastly, Damodhar Punt states that no payment was made to Nurudin for the arsenic, as he was promised the business of the Gaekwar's Sillehkhana (Dispensary) in consideration of his having given it. Nurudin has been arrested, but he has not been put into the witness box.

* No. 52.
† " 54.

56. The remaining evidence in the case is that of the Ayah‡ Amina and of those connected with her. She was in the service first of Mrs. Phayre, and accompanied that lady to Bombay in March 1874. She then remained in Bombay for a month, and, on returning to Baroda, entered the service of Mrs. Boevey, who was then residing at the Residency. She describes three visits she paid to the Gaekwar in the palace, it being the evening time on each occasion.

‡ No. 1.

The first visit she paid with Faizu,§ Chobdar of the Residency peons at the time the Commission of 1873 was coming to a close, and she states that she went at Faizu's solicitation. She and Faizu were introduced to the Gaekwar by Salam, whom they picked up on the way. The Gaekwar asked Amina whether she had heard Mrs. Phayre say anything about the Commission, and he directed her to send word by Salam or Eshwant Rao if she did say anything. Faizu, although he denies having persuaded Amina, states that he did accompany her to the Gaekwar, Karbhai being the driver. He heard the conversation between the Ayah and the Gaekwar. The Gaekwar asked the Ayah to speak to Mrs. Phayre in his favor, as many persons were making representations about him, and the Ayah replied that she could not make any solicitation to Mrs. Phayre. Karbhai‖ deposes to having driven the Ayah and Faizu to the palace on this occasion.

§ Stick in waiting.

‖ No. 3.

57. The second visit the Ayah says she paid in June 1874 after the Gaekwar's return from Nausari, on the invitation of Salam and Karim (Naik of the Residency peons). She was accompanied by Karim, and was joined by Salam, who took her and Karim to the Gaekwar, who asked her if Mrs. Boevey had said anything about the marriage at Nausari. Amina replied that she had heard nothing, but that when Mrs. Phayre returned from England some good thing would happen to the Gaekwar, as she and Colonel Phayre were favourably disposed towards him. The Gaekwar then told Karim to say something in his favour to Mr. Boevey. As Amina and Karim were taking their leave, the Gaekwar told Salam to give them something. Salam then told Karim to go the next day to Eshwant Rao's house; and the next evening Karim came to Amina, saying that he had got Rs. 200, of which he gave her half the next morning. She understood the present to have reference to the Nausari marriage. Karim¶ corraborates the Ayah in regard to the visit and as to the general purport of the conversation. He says, however, that the Gaekwar asked Amina whether the Resident was angry with him on account of the marriage (alluding to the marriage with Lakshmi Bai.) He states that he went the next day to Eshwant Rao's house, where Salam gave him Rs. 200 as a Nausari present, half being for himself and half for Amina to whom he gave Rs. 100. This witness contradicts the Ayah about his having, asked her to go, and he says that she took him.

¶ No. 4.

Sandal* * was the carriage-driver on this occasion, and he proves that he drove Amina and Karim to the palace.

* * No. 5.

58. The third visit, the Ayah says, occurred in the month of Ramzan, and her husband,* Abdulla, gives the time as the 15th or 18th of that month. The Ramzan in 1874 began on the 12th of October, so that this visit, according to Abdulla, would have occurred on the 27th or 30th of October. Amina says that Salam brought her a message that the Gaekwar wished to see her, and that she and her servant boy, Chotu, went in a carriage procured by her husband, and that she called for Salam on the way, and went up with him into the presence of the Gaekwar, with whom she held the following conversation:—"The Maharaja first asked me this—'Has the Madam Saheb been "'saying anything about the child?' The Madam Saheb was Mrs. Boevey, and "the child was one born to the Maharaja. I said, 'The Madam Saheb has "'said nothing, and I know nothing.' I then said, 'When the senior Madam "'Saheb (meaning Mrs. Phayre) comes, something good will occur to you. She "'and Colonel Phayre both wish you well.' I then said to the Maharaja, 'When "'the Madam Saheb comes back, something good will happen to you. Do you "'attend to what the Saheb says. Don't be afraid.' Then Salam said, 'Can any "'charm be used?' Salam it was who first spoke of charm. Salam said, 'Should "'a charm be used, will the Saheb's heart be turned?' but I did not exactly "understand his meaning. I then said to Salam, as well as to the Maharaja, "'Don't you use any *jadu* (arts of sorcery) for the Saheb, for they will have "'no effect on a Saheb.' The reason I gave for that was this, that the Saheb "people had faith in God. Then Salam said to me, 'Should anything be given "'to a Saheb, what do you think the effect would be?' At this I felt very much "alarmed, because before that I had heard something stated by two persons. "I then said, 'Maharaja, I am going away.' I don't see the Maharaja here "now; if he were here, he would corroborate me. Then Salam, addressing me, "said, 'Hear what the Maharaja will tell you, and if you attend to him, you "'will have enough to live on for the rest of your life.' Salam then said to me, "'Your husband will also get employment, and you too will not have to serve "'any more.' I said in return to Salam, 'I have not been starving all this time "'back. I have spent all my life hitherto, serving the English.' Just then as "I was about to go away, I said to the Maharaja, 'Don't you listen to what any "'body may tell you to do to the Saheb; for if anything injurious should happen "'to the Saheb, you will be ruined.' Then it seemed to me that the Maharaja "got angry at this, because he said to Salam, 'Take the Ayah away.' I and "Salam then went downstairs to the place where the *gari* had stopped."

* No. 9.

It will be recollected that Lakshmi Bai's son was borne on the 16th of October 1874. The next time Salam came to the Residency, he told Amina that he had placed Rupees 50 under her cot, and there she found them. Chotu† corroborates the Ayah in regard to going to the palace with her on this occasion, and so does Daud, the driver of the carriage, who states the date of the visit to have been two or four days before the last Diwali. The Diwali of 1874 fell on the 9th of November.

† No. 6.

59. Abdulla,‡ husband of Amina, states that Salim used to go to Faizu's room in the Residency premises to drink water; he was informed by his wife of the first and second visits, and was aware of her having received the hundred rupees, and he recites the substance of her conversation with the Gaekwar on the third visit as told to him by her. He knew that his wife got fifty rupees after the third visit. He received a letter from Amina when she was at Bombay, and he was at Baroda, in which there was an enclosure for the Gaekwar.

‡ No. 9.

60. There were several letters§ put in that passed between Amina and Abdulla when they were residing in different places in 1874. Allusions are made in all of them to Salam, Eshwant Rao, or matters connected with the Baroda State. In letter D, dated the 29th of March 1874, written for Amina to Abdulla, the addressee is asked

§ Exhibits A, B, C, D.

whether he received the enclosure contained in Amina's preceding letter. Amina, Abdulla, and Abdul Rahman* (*alias* Rahim Saheb), the writer of the letters for Amina, depose that this enclosure was a letter to the Gaekwar. Abdulla states that he gave the letter back to Amina on his meeting her at Bombay on his way to Mahableshwar, and there is no reason for doubting that Amina did write such a letter, the contents of which Abdul Rahman describes from memory as being a request to the Gaekwar for money, and a statement that there had been a dinner at the Governor's at Bombay where Amina had "made enquiries," ending with the words "do not be apprehensive." This letter to the Gaekwar is not forthcoming, but it is clear that it was never delivered to him. It is to be noted that Colonel Phayre deposes that when at Bombay in March 1874 he did go to lunch with the Governor.

* No. 10.

61. We believe that Amina did pay the three visits above related, and that conversations of the character and to the general effect deposed to by her did take place between her and the Gaekwar.

62. When the case for the prosecution had been closed, a written statement† by the Gaekwar was put in by his Counsel. No witnesses were called on behalf of the Gaekwar, nor were any questions put to His Highness before the Commission. The important part of the statement is as follows:—"I never had, nor have I now, any personal "enmity towards Colonel Phayre. It is true that I and my Ministers were "convinced that, owing to the position taken up by Colonel Phayre during his "residency, it would be impossible satisfactorily to carry out the reforms I had "instituted, and was endeavouring to complete, in deference to the authoritative "advice conveyed to me in the khureeta of the 25th of July 1874, consequent "upon the report of the Commission of 1873. Acting on this conviction, and "after a long and anxious deliberation with my Ministers, Messieurs Dadabhoy "Nowrojee, Bala Mungesh Waglé, Hormusjee Ardasir Wadia, Kazi Shahabud-"deen and others, I caused the khureeta of the 2nd of November 1874 to be "despatched to His Excellency the Governor-General through Colonel Phayre, "and, notwithstanding his remonstrances, feeling assured that when the true "state of affairs was placed before His Excellency the Viceroy, my appeal would "be successful. This conviction was shared by all my Ministers, and was strength-"ened by our knowledge of the severe censure which had been passed on Colonel "Phayre by the Bombay Government. The removal of Colonel Phayre on the "25th of November 1874 shows that our judgment was not erroneous. Thus, "neither personal nor political motives existed to induce me to attempt the crime "with which I am charged, and I solemnly declare that I never personally, or "through any agent, procured, or asked the procurement of any poison what-"soever for the purpose of attempting the life of Colonel Phayre; that I never "personally, or through any agent, directed any such attempt to be made; and I "declare that the whole of the evidence of the Ayah Amina, of Raoji, Narsu, "and Damodhar Trimbuck on this point is absolutely untrue. I declare that I "never personally directed any of the Residency servants to act as spies on the "Resident, or report to me what was going on at the Residency, nor did I ever "offer or cause to be paid any money to them for such purposes. I say nothing "as to the presents that may perhaps have been made to servants of the Resi-"dency on festive occasions, such as marriage and the like. Information on "trifling matters going on both at the Residency or at my own Palace may have "been mutually communicated, but I did not personally hold any intercourse with "those servants for this purpose; nor am I personally cognizant of any payments "for the same having been made, nor did I authorize any measures by which "secrets of the Residency should be conveyed to me."

† Exhibit No. 5.

63. We have now given a summary of all the evidence that it was necessary to give for a comprehension of the case. Other portions of the evidence will be alluded to in the general remarks which we now proceed to offer.

64. We have stated our belief that poison was put into Colonel Phayre's glass of sherbet on the 9th of November 1874, and we have no doubt that it was so put with the intention of causing Colonel Phayre's death. We are further of opinion that there is good ground for the belief that previous attempts were made to poison Colonel Phayre between the latter end of September and the 9th of November; some of them being made by Raoji when he administered the three compound powders, and, had he not had a fear of putting in the full doses of arsenic, the probability is that Colonel Phayre would then have become seriously ill, even if his life had not been destroyed.

65. We have also stated our belief that the poison was put into the sherbet on the 9th of November by Raoji, acting in concert with Narsu, though Narsu was not actually present at the time the poison was mixed. We consider that Raoji and Narsu had no personal motive for wishing to injure their master by these attempts, and that they were instigated by some other person to make them, and it is our belief that the Gaekwar Mulhar Rao was the person who so instigated them. The evidence of Raoji, Narsu, and Damodhar Punt appears to us to prove this. The compound powers first administered by Raoji contained arsenic as one of the ingredients: the powder administered on the 9th of November contained arsenic and diamond dust, or pounded diamonds.

66. The motive that actuated the Gaekwar to give the poison was a strong feeling of hostility towards Colonel Phayre and a determination to get him removed. The kharita* of the 2nd November 1874, written by Dadabhai Nauroji, the Gaekwar's Minister, in the name of the Gaekwar, to the Viceroy, abundantly shews the strong feeling which the Gackwar entertained against Colonel Phayre.—"It had occurred to "me ..... whether I should not solicit Your Excellency's attention to "the position which the present Resident, Colonel Phayre, had all along taken "up towards me, and to submit for Your Excellency's consideration whether "with the want of sympathy which existed between us I could expect an un-"biassed and fair treatment at his hands in future." It then alludes to the "more determined and active opposition towards me and my administration than before," and proceeds to give an account of two instances in which Colonel Phayre's conduct is criticised.

* Letter—Exhibit No. 1.

"These two instances which I have taken as representative ones can hardly "give an idea of the harassing and vexatious treatment I am at present receiving at the Resident's hands.

"This attitude on the part of the British Representative has naturally "become a source of serious anxiety to me, especially as in such times persons "are not wanting who for their private ends take advantage of this state of "things to misrepresent me, and to instigate continuous resistance to my "authority among my subjects. The result will be a great loss of revenue "this year, and a continuance of the unsettled state of the minds of the people. "How seriously this state of affairs must embarrass and obstruct me in my "intended reforms it is not difficult to conceive. Your Excellency knows well "the extent and nature of the work before me, and I owe it to myself and "those whom I have engaged for that work to submit how hopeless any efforts "on my part would be if Colonel Phayre were to continue here as represent-"ative of the Paramount Power, with his uncompromising bias against me "and my officials.

"I beg it to be understood that I do not impute other than conscientious "motives to Colonel Phayre. But he is too far committed to a distinct line of "policy, and to certain extreme views and opinions, and he naturally feels "himself bound to support all and everything he has hitherto said or done."

67. In reply to this letter, the Viceroy deemed it unnecessary to discuss the reasons given by His Highness for "desiring a change in the Baroda Resi-"dency;" but "after a careful consideration of the circumstances that have "taken place, and, moreover, in pursuance of the determination of the Govern-

"ment of India to afford Your Highness every opportunity of in augurating "a new system of administration with success," His Excellency* communicated to the Gaekwar his determination to appoint Colonel Sir Lewis Pelly, K.C.S.I., to be Agent at Baroda in place of Colonel Phayre.

* Letter of 25th of November 1874.

68. It is perhaps unnecessary to shew by any further reference to the evidence on the record of this enquiry that the Gaekwar entertained strong feelings of hostility to Colonel Phayre. It is true that the Gaekwar, when spoken to by Colonel Phayre about the kharita of the 2nd of November, stated that Mr. Dadabhai Nauroji, the Minister, had written it, and that he (the Minister) was responsible for it. This, it is clear, was a subterfuge, and, as explained by Colonel Phayre to the Gaekwar, the object of allowing His Highness to select his own Minister was that he himself might be responsible for all communications sent to the Viceroy or the Bombay Government. Moreover, the Gaekwar in the written statement which he has put in before us admits that he did cause the kharita to be despatched. The absence of Colonel Phayre from the Gaekwar's nuptial ceremonies at Nausari, albeit in accordance with the orders of the Government of India, must have been displeasing to the Gaekwar. His allusion to the subject in his conversation with Amina can bear no other construction than that he was, to say the least, anxious on the subject of the marriage, and it cannot be doubted that his feelings on this head must have been intensified after the birth of the child.

69. It is difficult to distinguish political from personal dislike in the mind of the Gaekwar towards Colonel Phayre. There has been nothing elicited in this enquiry to show that there was any personal discourtesy exhibited by Colonel Phayre to the Gaekwar. The hostility between Colonel Phayre and His Highness arose entirely, so far as we can see, from differences of opinion in matters of State, but there can be no doubt that the dislike entertained by the Gaekwar was both political and personal, and we are unable to admit the correctness of his statement that he had no personal enmity towards Colonel Phayre.

70. The manner in which the communications opened by the Gaekwar with Raoji, Narsu, and the Ayah, Amina, culminated in a plot to poison the Resident has been shown in the evidence which we have summarized. At first in the end of 1873 and beginning of 1874 the Gaekwar's object was apparently only to obtain information of what went on in the Residency in reference to the affairs of the Baroda State. He kept the strings entirely in his own hands, using as his agents Salam and Eshwant Rao, and keeping even his Private Secretary, Damodhar Punt, ignorant of what was going on. He dealt with Amina separately from Raoji and Narsu. At last when he had become exasperated at the refusal of the Resident to acknowledge the marriage with Lakshmi Bai and the birth of her son, the idea of using poison was entertained and carried out. The inducement held out to Raoji and Narsu was personal advancement and remuneration, of which they had received a considerable guarantee in the payments that had been made to them when as yet the ostensible object of their employment was simply to obtain information of what passed at the Residency. Raoji received in the end of 1873 Rs. 500 from the Gaekwar on the occasion of his (Raoji's) marriage. Subsequently, in May or June 1874, he received a further sum of Rs. 300 as a present on the occasion of the Gaekwar's marriage, making a total sum of Rs. 800. Narsu got Rs. 300 on the latter occasion as a present for the Nausari marriage, and Rs. 250 he had received without any specification of the cause, making a total of Rs. 550. These sums, even after allowing for the difference in value of Baroda and Queen's rupees, were absolutely large, considering the small rates of pay received by Raoji and Narsu at the Residency, and the same remark applies to the Rs. 150 which the Ayah received on two occasions in 1874, the first occasion being on account of

the Gaekwar's marriage, and the second, when Rs. 50 were given, being after the Ayah's last visit in October 1874, and unconnected with any special event. We have no hesitation in expressing our opinion that these presents were given to these servants to induce them to give from time to time information about what passed at the Residency relating to the affairs of the Gaekwar, and that they were not the ordinary presents which His Highness might be expected, in accordance with custom, to give on occasions of rejoicing to the servants of the Resident. We should consider payments made under such circumstances to be bribes, but we are unable to say that the Gaekwar regarded them in the same light.

71. But, it may be asked, would the Gaekwar expect Raoji and Narsu to commit a murder for a sum so incommensurate with the work to be done? To this, it may be replied that the Gaekwar had bound them to himself by the payments he had made, and by acts of visiting the palace and giving information which he had caused them to do, and that he had given a promise of large reward in the event of success. Raoji describes the promise as of a lakh of rupees to him, and of a similar sum to Narsu. Narsu describes the promise as of a provision for life for themselves and their families. To poor men already committed to the Gaekwar, these promises doubtless appeared a sufficient inducement to get rid of Colonel Phayre in, as they thought, a way that would not be instantaneous, and therefore likely to lead to their detection, but by a gradual and slow process.

72. The conduct of the Gaewkar on or after the 9th of November 1874 is not consistent with the view of his innocence. The evidence of Damodhar Punt leads to the belief that the Gaekwar knew that the attempt to poison had been made when His Highness visited Colonel Phayre at 10 o'clock that morning. But even if he had not known of it then, he must have known it before the evening of that day. Colonel Phayre and other witnesses have deposed that the fact of the poison having been given was commonly known in the Baroda Camp on the 9th of November. The city is not a mile from the camp. Salam had been at the Residency that morning, and had been told by Raoji that the business had been done. It is not conceivable that Salam, who was in constant attendance on the Gaekwar, should have failed to inform his master of what had been done, and yet we find the Gaekwar visiting Colonel Phayre on the following Thursday* for the first time after Monday, the 9th of November, and then stating that he had heard the report of the attempt at poisoning on the previous day, the 11th, and it was not till the 14th November that the following† letter was written :—

* 12th November.

† Exhibit H.

"At a personal interview with you the day before yesterday, I learnt from "you the particulars about the attempt made by some bad man to poison you, "for which I am very sory. But it was the favor of God that his cruel design "did not meet with success. If it becomes necessary to obtain my assistance in "proving this criminal's guilt, the same will be given. This is written for your "information. Dated 14th of November 1874."

73. The question naturally arises why should the Gaekwar, having sent the kharita of the 2nd of November 1874, have taken in hand the plan for getting rid of Colonel Phayre by poison? Supposing the kharita to have been a *boná fide* endeavour to obtain a change of Residents, the only answer that can be given to the question is that the sending of the kharita may have been suggested by Mr. Dadabhai Nauroji, by whom it was prepared, and who was of course ignorant of the poisoning scheme. The Gaekwar, it may be presumed, would have at once approved of the suggestion.

74. The course that the Gaekwar might have been expected to take, had he been innocent of complicity, was to at once hasten to Colonel Phayre and express his concern, and to make repeated inquries after his health. He might have been expected to send a letter expressing his indignation at the occurrence and his extreme regret that his hospitality had been violated by so vile an attempt in his own territory. His feelings of dislike to Colonel Phayre might have been expected to make him doubly solicitous to put himself clear with the British Government in the matter. Instead of this, he holds back, and, after considerable delay, sends a cold and formal letter. This conduct could hardly be explained on any other supposition than that of his having instigated the act of poisoning. We are compelled to regard the Gaekwar's denial of such investigation as being unworthy of credence.

75. With reference to the suggestion which has been thrown out that Damodhar Punt may have set on foot the plot for poisoning Colonel Phayre in order to hide his own delinquencies, we observe that there is no evidence to shew that Damodhar Punt had been guilty of any act which he desired to conceal from the Gaekwar, or that he had any motive for desiring Colonel Phayre's death or removal from Baroda. It is not shewn that Damodhar Punt had embezzled any of his master's property. His answer to the inquiry how he could justify himself with the Gaekwar in regard to the sums devoted to payments for secret service seems to us to be sufficient, *viz.*, that the receipt of the payee was affixed to the order for payment, although the order was so framed as to hide the real nature of the transaction. The only exception to this rule that has come to our notice is in the case of the Exhibit T1. But, even supposing that Damodhar Punt had been guilty of malversation, it is unreasonable to suppose that he was not perfectly well aware that it was beyond the scope of Colonel Phayre's power to make any inquiry into the transactions which he conducted in his capacity of Private Secretary to the Gaekwar.

76. A further suggestion has been raised that Bhau Poonekar, who may be admitted to have been unfriendly to the Gaekwar, got up the appearance of an attempt to poison Colonel Phayre, in order to bring the Gaekwar to trouble, or to prevent the removal of Colonel Phayre.

This suggestion might have been deserving of some consideration, had the attempt been a feigned attempt; but in point of fact the attempt was made with every intention of its being successful, and it was only the accident of Colonel Phayre failing to drink the whole of the sherbet on the 9th of November that prevented a fatal result.

77. **Regarding the case from every point of view, we are unable to find any sufficient reason which would justify our declaring the Gaekwar not guilty of the offences imputed to him.**

78. The Maharajas of Gwalior and Jeypoor and Raja Sir Dinkur Rao do not concur in the view we have taken of this case. We have considered the reasons for their opinions as contained in the separate reports which each of those Members of the Commission has rendered. We believe that the evidence, after making every reasonable allowance on the score of the character of the witnesses, proves—

1st.—That an attempt to poison Colonel Phayre was made by persons instigated thereto by Mulhar Rao, Gaekwar.

2nd.—That the said Mulhar Rao, Gaekwar, did by his agents and in person hold secret communications with some of the servants employed by Colonel Phayre, the Resident at Baroda, or attached to the Residency.

3rd.—That the said Mulhar Rao, Gaekwar, caused monies to be given to some of those servants.

4th.—That his purposes in holding such communications and causing such monies to be given were,—*1st*, to obtain information of what passed at the Residency relating to himself and the affairs of his State; and, *2nd*, to cause injury to Colonel Phayre by means of poison.

BOMBAY,
March 31*st*, 1875.

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R. J. MEADE.
P. S. MELVILL.

Opinion of His Highness the Maharaja Jeeajee Rao Scindia Alijah Bahadoor, G.C.S.I., *in the case of the* Maharaja Mulhar Rao Gaekwar *of Baroda.*

As to the attempt at poisoning, from the whole case as it came before me, as far as my judgment and belief go, I am not convinced that the charge is proved against Mulhar Rao.

There appears to me no sufficient proof of the purchase of diamonds, arsenic, or copper, or document, signed by the Gaekwar for the payment of monies, for the above purposes, but Damodhar Punt's statement. Nor indeed is there any paper whatsoever, signed by the Gaekwar, involving him in this matter.

Out of a large number of persons connected with this case, only three witnesses,—Raoji, Narsu, and Damodhar Punt,—have given their evidence in reference to the above charge. All these widely differ in their statements; and the reasons are given in the proceedings. How could they be considered trustworthy? The evidence of Pedro, the butler, and Abdulla, and the non-production of Salam, Yeshwant Rao, Khanvelkar, Gujaba, Nurudin Borah, and the Hakim, are in favour of the accused. Further, it is far from my belief, that the measures for poisoning should have continued so long a time, and in so open a manner.

Such an act is performed by one or two confidentials, and not by such a large number of people.

Now, when a small quantity of poison, once administered, could put an end to a man's life, there appears to be no reason why it was given and drank so repeatedly. I see no grounds to reject the chief arguments of the able gentleman Serjeant Ballantine. It is a fact worthy of consideration that Mulhar Rao made no hesitation whatsoever in handing over Salam and Yeshwant Rao at once to Sir Lewis Pelly, and expressed his desire to give him every assistance in his power.

As regards the communication with servants night or day, this is no matter of importance. These visits and requests for presents on marriage and other festive occasions, and the means to secure the favour of the Resident, as well as the procuring of information regarding each other, are matters in accordance with the practice of other Native Princes and persons who have connection with the Residency.

In conclusion, I remark that the chief points for enquiry are—

1*st*.—Attempt to poison.

2*nd*.—Tampering with the servants.

My opinion on the above subjects I place before you.

Bombay; *March* 27*th*, 1875. } *Vernacular signature of His Highness the Maharaja of Gwalior.*

Opinion of His Highness the Maharaja of Jeypoor, G.C.S.I.

After carefully considering the nature of the evidence placed before the Commission in regard to the offences imputed against His Highness Mulhar Rao Gaekwar of Baroda, I have the following remarks to submit.

The statements made by Amina Ayah and several other Residency servants establish the fact that sums of money had actually been given to the Ayah and to other servants of the Residency at different times, by order of His Highness the Gaekwar. These sums of money, however, do not appear to have been given, out of any motives to tamper with the Residency servants

for improper purposes, but simply as presents from the Gaekwar, and such as are generally given on occasions of marriage and national festivals.

With regard to the graver charge against the Gaekwar, Raoji Havildar states that he did put poison into Colonel Phayre's tumbler of sherbet, as the Gaekwar had instigated him to do, and that a packet of poison was handed over to him by Narsu. Narsu says he had received the packet from Salam, the Gaekwar's sowar, and that he made it over to Raoji Havildar. On the other hand, Damodhar Punt, the Gaekwar's so-called Private Secretary, states that the Maharaja had ordered him to procure arsenic and diamonds, and that he had instructions from His Highness to give the arsenic to Salam and the diamonds to Yeshwant Rao, the Gaekwar's Jassoos. Salam and Yeshwant Rao, who, according to Damodhar Punt's statement, are to be regarded as the connecting links between himself and Narsu in the above affair, were not produced before the Commission, and there is no means of ascertaining whether they made any statements on the subject before the Bombay Police. Further, there is no evidence as to their having conveyed packets of poison from Damodhar Punt to Narsu, excepting the bare assertions of the two accomplices—Damodhar and Narsu.

Damodhar Punt's statement, as to his having procured arsenic and diamonds, is not confirmed by any corroborative evidence. He says the diamonds were procured through Nanaji Vithal, Darogah of the Gaekwar's jewel department. Nanaji, it is stated, purchased them from Hemchand Fattehchand, the jewellers; but Hemchand declared before the Commission that diamonds were not purchased of him, though he had submitted some for inspection. These, he says, were returned to him by Nanaji. Antmaram, who is a Karkoon in the Gaekwar's State jewel room, also stated before the Commission that the diamonds tendered by Hemchand were not approved, and therefore returned to him.

Nurudin Borah from whom arsenic is said to have been procured was not brought before the Commission. It was however admitted by Akbar Ali Khan Bahadur of the Bombay Police in the course of his cross-examination by Serjeant Ballantine that the Borah was kept in confinement. It is therefore to be inferred that the Borah was far from confirming Damodhar Punt's statement with regard to the purchase of arsenic.

The several *yads*, or official memoranda, produced before the Commission out of the records of the private office under Damodhar Punt, do not show any specific sums of money having been paid for diamonds, or for poison of any kind. The sums mentioned in the *yads* were for giving feasts to Brahmins and other charitable and useful purposes. There is sufficient evidence also to prove that these sums were actually spent in such purposes.

Damodhar Punt also mentions a bottle containing some poisonous liquid, prepared of "large ants, snakes, and the urine of a black horse." This poisonous liquid, according to Damodhar's statement, was prepared by a Hakim, and sent to Damodhar's house through one Gujaba, a servant of Khanvelkar, the Maharaja's brother-in-law. Neither the Hakim nor Gujaba was placed in the witness-box, so it is unknown what these men had to say. It appears from the above circumstances that there is hardly any statement of Damodhar Punt with regard to purchase of poisons that has any ground to stand upon, excepting Damodhar Punt's own evidence.

Copper is also mentioned as having been one of the poisonous ingredients put into Colonel Phayre's sherbet, but no clue whatever can be obtained as to who introduced it into the tumbler of sherbet, nor is it detected by the analyses of Doctors Seward and Gray.

The three witnesses, Damodhar Punt, Raoji, and Narsu, whose testimony is considered to form the basis of this grave charge against the Gaekwar, are accomplices, and their evidence is not corroborated by a single respectable witness, nor is their evidence altogether free from suspicion of falsehood.

Moreover, two of these accomplices made their statements under promise of pardon. In consideration of all these circumstances, I know not what degree of importance to attach to their evidence.

No documentary evidence, or evidence of a convincing nature, was forthcoming from Damodhar Punt, notwithstanding his position as Private Secretary to the Gaekwar and the command he had over the records of the Maharaja's private office.

Raoji and Narsu, the other two accomplices, who state they had direct intercourse with the Maharaja, and they were asked by His Highness to poison Colonel Phayre, contradict each other in some important points. For instance, Raoji states that the Gaekwar had promised to give him, as well as to Narsu, a lac of rupees each for poisoning Colonel Phayre. Narsu, on the other hand, expresses utter ignorance of any such promise having been made by the Gaekwar. Another important statement of Raoji is strongly contradicted by Pedro, and Raoji states, that packets of poison were given to Pedro and others by the Maharaja, and, while Pedro stoutly denies what Raoji alleges, no clue can be obtained as to who the others were.

Besides the above circumstances, the facts elicited by Serjeant Ballantine in the course of cross-examination of the witnesses, as well as the features of the evidence pointed out by that gentleman, are, in my estimation, weighty and deserving of consideration.

For reasons stated above, I cannot persuade myself to believe that the Gaekwar was in any way implicated in the charge, notwithstanding the fact of poison having been found in Colonel Phayre's tumbler of sherbet, and the uncorroborated evidence of the three accomplices—Raoji, Narsu, and Damodhar Punt.

RAM SING.

BOMBAY;
March 27th, 1875.

Opinion of RAJA SIR DINKAR RAO, K.C.S.I.,—*dated Bombay, the 26th of March* 1875, *in the case of* MAHARAJA MULHAR RAO GAEKWAR *of Baroda.*

As to the attempt at poisoning, from the whole case as it came on before me, I am not convinced, as far as my judgment and belief go, that the charge is proved against Maharaja Mulhar Rao. No proof of the purchase of diamonds, arsenic, or copper, or of the preparations of the poisons, no use of money (even of a rupee) in regard thereto, and no document in the handwriting of the Maharaja or other papers about the poisons, although his Private Secretary, Damodhar Punt, became against him. Out of a large number of persons connected with the case, only three witnesses, *viz.*, Raoji, Narsu, and Damodhar Punt, have given their evidence in reference to the above charge. All these three differ in their statements. Damodhar Punt's statement as to the purchase of diamonds is disproved by the evidence of Hemchand and Atmaram. He stated that he had not opened the packets to see the diamonds and arsenic. Damodhar's name has not been mentioned either by Raoji or Narsu. It is stated by Damodhar Punt himself, that he made his statement owing to the troubles he suffered from his having remained in the custody of European soldiers for sixteen days, his object being to get himself rid by making statements of some kind. The statements of Raoji and Colonel Phayre differ with regard to the putting in of the poison on the alleged dates. Raoji states, that he got the bottle from the Maharaja, while Damodhar states that he gave it to Salam. Again, Raoji says that he put the packets into his belt, while Damodhar deposes that, in order to burn the packets, Salam ran to Raoji's house, where Raoji also followed. Raoji further says that the Maharaja gave the packets to "Pedro, me, and others."

Pedro has entirely denied to have received any packets. Who and how many men were the "others?" Raoji states that the Maharaja promised to pay a lakh of rupees each, while Narsu denies this. From Raoji's statement it appears that he got the bottle about a month and a half before the 9th of November, whereas from what Narsu has stated, it seems that the bottle was got only a few days before that date. Narsu says "all the other servants caused Faizu's name to be written down in the depositions, and I did the same, though I knew it to be false. The three witnesses having become against their masters, and two of them having been granted a pardon, how could their statements be considered to be trustworthy? The evidence of Pedro, the butler, and Abdulla, the sherbet-maker (the residency servants), and the non-production of Salam, Yeshwant Rao, Khanwelkar, Gujaba, Nurudin Borah, and the Hakim, are in favour of the accused. Further, it is far from belief that the measures for poisoning should have continued for a long time, and in so open a manner. Such an act is done by one or two confidentials, and not by a multitude, and when a small quantity of poison, if once administered would put an end to a man's life, there appears to be no reason why it was given and drunk so repeatedly. These with other particulars are developed in the proceedings, and the chief arguments of the able gentleman, Serjeant Ballantine, are deserving of consideration.

As regards the communication with servants at night or day, it is not an important matter. Their visits and requests for presents on festive and marriage occasions, &c., and the means used to secure the favour of the Resident, as well as the procuring of informations regarding each other (the Prince and the Resident), are matters in accordance with the practice of the other Native Princes and persons, who have connection with the Residency.

In conclusion, I beg to submit, that the chief points for enquiry being the attempt at poisoning, and communication with servants, I have expressed my opinion on them as above.

DINKAR RAO.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

Simla, the 29th April 1875.

No. 741.—The Governor General in Council has received from Madras with the deepest regret the melancholy intelligence of the death on the 27th instant of His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Vere Henry Hobart, Lord Hobart, the Governor of that Presidency.

As a mark of respect for the memory of this most eminent public servant, the Governor General in Council has directed that seventeen minute guns be fired from the ramparts of Fort William at noon to-day, and that the Fort flag be lowered to half mast high.

By Order of the Governor General of India in Council.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 27th April 1875.

No. 382.—*Appointment.*—Mr. C. W. McMinn, C. S., Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Grade in Oudh, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of Bahraich, during the absence of Lieutenant-Colonel R. Ouseley, or until further orders.

The 28th April 1875.

No. 387.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. G. D. Turnbull to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service with effect from the 30th July 1874.

No. 391.—*Appointment.*—Mr. W. Blennerhassett, C. S., Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade in Oudh, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner during the absence on deputation of Mr. J. W. Quinton, or until further orders.

No. 396.—The Governor General in Council is pleased, under the Act 24 and 25 Vic. Cap. 67, Section 26, to grant to the Hon'ble E. C. Bayley, C. S. I., an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India, leave of absence on medical certificate for a period of six months, with effect from the afternoon of the 26th instant, or from such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the leave.

No. 398.—A vacancy having occurred in the office of an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General by the departure, on leave, of the Hon'ble E. C. Bayley, C.S.I. to Europe, and no provisional Member of Council being on the spot, the Governor General of India in Council has been pleased, under the provisions of the Act 24 and 25 Vic., Cap. 67, Section 27, to appoint the Hon'ble Ashley Eden, C.S.I., of the Bengal Civil Service, to be a temporary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India,

and the said Hon'ble Ashley Eden has accordingly this day taken his seat in the said Council under the usual salute.

The 29th April 1875.

No. 399—The following temporary promotions have been made in the Assam Commission with effect from the 1st November 1874, during the deputation of Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Graham, a Deputy Commissioner, 1st Grade, with the Duffla Field Force :—

Lieutenant-Colonel T. Lamb, Deputy Commissioner, 2nd Grade, to officiate as a Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Grade.

Mr. O. G. R. McWilliam, C. S., Deputy Commissioner, 3rd Grade, to officiate as a Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Grade.

Captain M. O. Boyd, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Grade, to officiate as a Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Grade.

No. 403.—*Appointments.*—Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. Sherer, Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Grade, in Assam, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Grade, during the absence of Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Graham, or until further orders.

Major W. C. S. Clarke, Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Grade.

Captain A. N. Phillips, Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Grade.

No. 404.—*Appointments.*—Lieutenant-Colonel T. Lamb, Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Grade, in Assam, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 1st Grade during the absence of Lieutenant-Colonel A. K. Comber, or until further orders.

Mr. O. G. R. McWilliam, C. S., Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 2nd Grade.

Major W. H. J. Lance, Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Grade.

Mr. A. Forbes, B. A., C. S., Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Grade, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of the 4th Grade.

Mr. L. Hare, C. S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector of Dacca, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade.

The 29th April 1875.

No. 409A.—The Hon'ble B. H. Ellis has resigned his seat as an ordinary member of the Council of the Governor General of India with effect from the afternoon of the 26th instant.

The 30th April 1875.

No. 410.—The following despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 27, dated 4th March 1875, is published for general information :—

From—Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India,

To—The Government of India.

With reference to my despatch* dated the 27th of August last, No. 138, containing a list of appointments made to the Bengal Civil Service in 1874, I have now to inform Your Lordship in Council that, in accordance with the report of their final examination, the gentlemen appointed are to rank in the following order :—

* *Vide* Home Department Notification No. 686, dated 25th September 1874.

Mr. Hugh Shakespear Barnes, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

Mr. Eustace John Kitts, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

Mr. John Delabere Gael, Bengal.

Mr. Richard Morris Dane, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

Mr. Francis Loraine Petre, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

Mr. Francis Henry Harding, Bengal.

Mr. Cecil Michael Wilford Brett, Bengal.

Mr. William Dunbar Blyth, Bengal.

Mr. Robert George Thomson, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

Mr. Henry Savage, Bengal.

Mr. Percival Nelson Langdon, Bengal.

Mr. Hugh Fraser, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

Mr. Joseph Kennedy, Bengal.

Mr. James Ramsay Drummond, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

Mr. William Grierson Jackson, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

Mr. Henry Arthur Denteros Phillips, Bengal.

Mr. John Alexander Anderson, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

Mr. Arthur Edwin Comerford Casey, North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Oudh.

Mr. John Henry Harrison, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

Mr. Robert Carstairs, Bengal.

Mr. John Arthur Jeffreys, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

Mr. William Robert Millar, Bengal.

Mr. Frederick Beatson Taylor, ditto.

Mr. David Norton, ditto.

Mr. Harry Lee, ditto.

Mr. Robert Ferguson Gibbon, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, and Oudh.

No. 416.—The resignation of Mr. W. H. Henderson, late a member of the Bengal Civil Service, announced in Home Department Notification, No. 42, dated the 16th January last, is to take effect from the 22nd, instead of the 21st ultimo.

No. 420.—An extension of six months' leave on Medical Certificate has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to Mr. H. G. Cooke of the Bengal Civil Service.

JUDICIAL.

The 28th April 1875.

No. 579.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 10, Act VI. of 1871, and Section 1 of Act VIII of 1874, the Governor General in Council is pleased to invest the following Officers in Assam with the powers of a Subordinate Judge to be exercised within the limits of their respective Districts :—

The Deputy Commissioners, for the time being, of the Districts of Darrang, Nowgong, and Goalpara.

No. 595.—The following Regulation for the peace and government of the territories under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of Assam has received the assent of the Governor General in Council under the provisions of Section 1 of the Act 33 Vic. Cap 3, and is hereby published for general information :—

A Regulation to amend the Law relating to prisons in the territories under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

Whereas the Secretary of State for India in Council has, by Resolution in Council, declared the provisions of the thirty-third of Vic. Cap. 3, Section 1, to be applicable to the territories under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of Assam;

And whereas the Chief Commissioner of Assam has proposed to the Governor General in Council a draft of the following Regulation for the peace and government of the said territories, together with the reasons for proposing the same;

And whereas the Governor General in Council has taken such draft and reasons into consideration, and has approved of such draft, and the same has received the Governor General's assent;

The following Regulation is now published in the *Gazette of India*, and will be published in the *Assam Gazette*, and will thereupon have the force of law.

1. On and from the 1st June 1875, the Acts of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, No. II. of 1864 and No. V. of 1865 shall be repealed throughout the said territories, but not so as to revive any enactment repealed by either of the said Acts, or to affect anything done, or any offence committed, or any fine or penalty incurred, or any proceedings commenced before the said date.

2. On and from the same date, the Prisons' Act, XXVI. of 1870, shall be in force throughout the said territories.

3. Until the appointment of an Inspector General, his powers under Act XXVI. of 1870 shall be exercised by the Chief Commissioner.

4. This Regulation may be called "The Assam Prisons' Regulations, 1875."

PATENTS.

The 28th April 1875.

No. 48.—The undermentioned Specifications of Inventions have been filed, under the provisions of Act XV of 1859, in the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Home Department. Copies have been sent to one of the Secretaries to each of the Governments of Bengal, Fort St. George, Bombay, and the North-Western Provinces. A copy of every Specification is open, at all reasonable hours, at the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Home Department at the Presidency, to public inspection, upon payment of a fee of one rupee. A certified copy of any Specification will be given to any person requiring the same, on payment of the expense of copying :—

No. 811.—Mr. William Brunton, Civil Engineer, residing in the town of Cochin, Malabar Coast, India, for a new method of removing bales of cotton or other fibrous or elastic substances from Presses and of binding such bales, also of the required machinery for so removing and binding bales, also of transferring bales from one Press to another.

No. 818.—Mr. Ambrose Shere Massey, Engineer and Manager of Works, residing at Calicut, in the Collectorate of Malabar, East Indies, for deodorizing and preserving animal, fish, or municipal refuse to be used as a manure.

No. 828.—Mr. Israel Putnam Magoon, of St. Johnsburg, Vermont, United States of America, for heating the feed water in locomotive steam engines and for preventing cinders from entering the exhaust pipes and feed water heating chamber.

No. 837.—Mr. William Bayford, of Randeer, near Surat, Mechanical Engineer, for improvements in hydraulic pumps.

No. 13 of 1875.—Mr. William Foulis, of Glasgow, in the County of Lanark, North Britain, Civil Engineer, for new or improved machinery or apparatus for charging retorts.

No. 14 of 1875.—Mr. Henry Kinnaird York, of Allahabad, for a machine for pressing loose cotton.

No 15 of 1875.—Mr. John Winter, Jailor, European Penitentiary, Hazaribaugh, for manufacturing fibre from the leaf of the aloe plant.

No. 16 of 1875.—Mr. Joseph Osmond Barber, Teaplanter and Engineer, residing at Gowhatty, for method in the frying or drying of tea by steam without the use of charcoal.

No. 19 of 1875.—Mr. Harry Langston Jones, of London, in the Kingdom of Great Britain, for improvements in apparatus for disinfecting water closet urinals and for similar purposes.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATION.—STATISTICS.

Simla, the 27th April 1875.

No. 225.—With the sanction of Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment provisionally for one year, with effect from the 1st February 1875 :—

Mr. J. E. O'Connor to be Assistant Secretary to the Government of India in the Statistical Branch of the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce.

FORESTS.

The 29th April 1875.

No 504.—Mr. G. Stratford, Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests in British Burma, availed himself, on the 20th instant, of the furlough for one year granted to him in Notification No. 123, dated the 3rd February last.

No. 506.—The Governor General in Council has been pleased to promote Mr. R. H. E. Thompson in the Central Provinces from the 3rd to the 2nd Grade of Deputy Conservators, and Messrs. R.

S. Dodsworth in Oudh, and E. McA. Moir in Ajmere, from the 2nd to the 1st Grade of Assistant Conservators, with effect from the 1st April 1875.

Mr. H. C. Hill, 2nd Assistant in the Survey Branch, is also promoted from the 3rd to the 2nd Grade of Assistant Conservators, with effect from the same date.

The 30th April 1875.

No. 522.—Messrs. A. E. Wild and G. A. Waters, Assistant Conservators of Forests in the Punjab, are transferred to British Burma.

A. O. HUME,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—MILITARY.

Simla, the 30th April 1875.

No. 56*M.*—*Promotions.*—The following promotions are made in the 2nd Regiment of the Central India Horse, with effect from 1st April 1875:

Jemadar Murad Ali Khan to be Woordie Major, *vice* Woordie Major Ahmed Shah Khan, invalided.

Duffadar Surfuraz Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Jemadar Murad Ali Khan.

GENERAL.

The 30th April 1875.

No. 787*G.*—Captain W. F. Prideaux reverted to his substantive appointment of 2nd Assistant to Political Resident at Aden from the forenoon of 9th March 1875, on which date Dr. J. Kirk resumed the office of Political Agent and Consul-General at Zanzibar.

No. 788*G.*—Lieutenant E. L. Durand, Political Assistant of the 2nd Class to officiate as Political Assistant of the 1st Class, and 1st Assistant to the Agent to Governor General for Central India, *vice* Lieutenant Barr on leave.

Captain F. A. Wilson, late Additional Political Assistant of the 1st Class and Political Assistant at Jowrah, to officiate as Political Assistant of the 2nd Class and 2nd Assistant to the Agent to Governor General for Central India, *vice* Lieutenant Durand.

No. 789*G.*—*Appointment.*—Major Tredway G. Clarke, Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District and Officiating Commissioner of the Nundydroog Division, to officiate as Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore and Coorg, *vice* Mr. Wellesley, or until further orders.

No. 790*G.*—Under the provisions of section 3, Act II of 1869, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Henry Bold Knowlys, Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Class in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts and Judge of the Small Cause Court at Akola, to act as a Justice of the Peace for the whole of British India.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 29th April 1875.

No. 514.—Mr. J. L. Lushington, Accountant General and Commissioner of the Department of Issue of Government Paper Currency, Bombay, is allowed privilege leave for six weeks.

Mr. W. E. Gordon is appointed to be in charge of the Office of Accountant General and to officiate as Commissioner of the Department of Issue of Government Paper Currency, Bombay.

The 30th April 1875.

No. 516.—Mr. C. R. Kiernander is appointed to officiate as Deputy Commissioner of Paper Currency, Lahore Circle.

Mr. L. C. Probyn made over charge of the offices of Accountant General, Punjab, and Deputy Commissioner of Paper Currency, Lahore Circle, to Mr. Kiernander on the 19th April afternoon.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

The 29th April 1875.

No. 465.—Mr. H. Ronaldson, Assistant to the Accountant General, Bengal, is allowed subsidiary leave from the 19th to the 25th March in addition to the furlough granted to him on the 5th March.

The 30th April 1875.

No. 562.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the insertion of the following rules under section 4 of the Acting Allowance Code:—

(2.) A substantive appointment may be made under this section for a time only in the place of a Military Officer in Civil employ whose appointment would be forfeited under Military furlough rules but for the operation of Rule 11 of the rules published with the General Order of the Government of India in the Military Department, No. 171, dated the 25th February 1874.

(3.) Full pay is not to be drawn under this section as a matter of course, or unless the Officer claiming it is by proper authority formally appointed to the office substantively *for* a time.

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 30th April 1875.

No. 523.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following note be inserted under section 4 (*b*) of the Civil Pension Code:—

(NOTE.—An Engineer engaged under covenant in England, before the abolition of the Indian Navy, who elects the rules in this code and the leave rules in force for uncovenanted servants generally, does not forfeit the rights in other respects secured to him by his covenant.)

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 24th April 1875.

No. 430 *of* 1875.—With reference to the Notification issued by the Public Works Department, No. 186, dated the 20th April 1875, the services of Lieutenant R. E. Crompton, of the 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief with effect from the 13th March 1875.

The 26th April 1875.

No. 431 *of* 1875.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 378, dated the 14th April 1875, the undermentioned Officers are permitted to retire from the service from the dates specified under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1 of the 1st January 1875:—

No.	RANK AND NAMES.	Corps.	Ordinary pension.	Annuity.	Capitalized value of annuity.	Date of retirement.	Where to be paid.
			£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.		
14	Lieut.-Col. (Bt.-Col.) Albert Balcombe Beatson ...	Staff Corps ..	365 0 0	468 6 0	.....	1st April 1875	England.
15	Lieut.-Col. (Bt.-Col.) George Faithfull	Ditto ...	456 5 0	.....	4,508 0 0	18th „ ...	Ditto.
16	Lieut.-Col. Herbert Johnston Hawes	Ditto ...	292 0 0	.....	2,735 0 0	21st „ ...	India.
17	Lieut.-Col. (Bt.-Col.) Alexander Stewart Allan ...	Ditto ...	456 5 0	373 18 0	.....	23rd „ ...	England.

The 26th April 1875.

No. 432 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 238 of the 12th March 1874, it is hereby notified that, under the sanction of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, and with the concurrence of His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, Colonel F. S. Roberts, C.B., V.C., of the Royal Artillery, is confirmed in the appointment of Quartermaster General with effect from the 31st January 1875.

Colonel Roberts will have the local rank of Major-General whilst holding the appointment of Quartermaster General.

Colonel C. C. Johnson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Officiating as Deputy Quartermaster General, is confirmed in that appointment in succession to Major-General Roberts.

The 27th April 1875.

No. 433 *of* 1875.—The services of Lieutenant H. A. Graves, of the Royal Artillery, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, are placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

The 28th April 1875.

No. 434 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon-Major A. M. Verchere, of the Medical Department, in Medical charge of the 13th (The Shekhawattee) Regiment of Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Home Department.

No 435 *of* 1875.—The following scale of baggage to be taken by Officers and others on ordinary movements or on relief is published for general information and guidance, in supersession of the scale included in the last column of the table in paragraph 2314 of the Revised Military regulations :—

Scale of Baggage permitted to be taken by Officers and others at their own expense on march on ordinary movements or on relief.

RANK, &c.	Scale not including weight of tents which are either carried free by Government or for which carriage is kept up by officers out of their tentage.	REMARKS.
	Mds.	
* General Officers Commanding Forces	...	Discretional.
* Do. do. Divisions	80	
* Do. do. Brigades	65	
* Colonels, Lieut.-Colonels, and Majors in Command	45	
* Majors not in Command	25	
* Captains in Command	25	
* Captains not in Command	15	
* Subalterns	10	
Warrant Officers (2nd class)	5	Including Medical Subordinates.
Schoolmasters or Schoolmistresses, married or unmarried, when moving with or without Troops	†...	
Hospital Apprentices (unpassed)	2½	
Departmental Non-Commissioned Officers and Men...	5	Commissariat, Ordnance, &c.
Non-Commissioned Officers, Rank and File of British Troops	§	
Native Commissioned Officers	‡5	
Hospital Assistants	‖2½	
Havildars, Naicks and Native Medical Pupils	‡1	
Drummers or Buglers and Sepoys	‡½	
Band property	36	
Orderly-Room	18	
Quartermaster's Office	5	
Paymaster's Office	10	
Armourer's Shop	18	
Treasure Chest	18	
MESSES.		
Regiment of British Cavalry or Infantry ... ... { Officers ...	170	
{ Sergeants ...	10	
Wing of British Cavalry or Infantry with Head-Quarters { Officers ...	140	
{ Sergeants ...	8	
Do. do. without do. ... ... { Officers ...	90	
{ Sergeants ...	5	
Troop of British Cavalry ... ... { Officers ...	70	
Company of Royal Engineers or Sappers and Miners ...		
Ditto British Infantry ... ... { Sergeants ...	5	
Head-Quarters of Royal Artillery Brigades ... Do. ...	5	
Battery of Royal Artillery ... ... { Officers ...	70	
{ Sergeants ...	5	
Regiment of Native Cavalry or Infantry ... ... Officers ...	70	
Wing of Native Cavalry or Infantry ... ... Do. ...	50	
BAZAARS.		
Per Troop or Company of British or Native Cavalry, Infantry, Sappers, or Garrison Battery of Artillery	5	
Battery Horse Artillery	10	
Do. Field Do. ... ... —	7	
Do. Native Do.	10	

* Including Departmental Officers, Warrant Officers holding honorary commissions, and others according to relative rank.

† Schoolmasters and Schoolmistresses are allowed carriage for baggage at the public expense according to the following scale, which includes professional books :—

	Schoolmasters. Mds.	Schoolmasters. Srs.	Schoolmistresses. Mds.	Schoolmistresses. Srs.
Married or unmarried, when moving with troops	4	8	4	8
Married, without troops, if accompanied by wife	8	0	..	
Ditto ditto not so accompanied	6	0	..	
Ditto ditto Schoolmistresses moving without troops	..		6	0
Unmarried, without troops	4	8	4	8

‡ The scale of carriage here laid down for Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers and men respectively applies to Regiments entitled to marching batta. In other Regiments carriage at the public expense is supplied according to the following scale :—

Commissioned Officers	60 Seers.
Non-Commissioned Officers	30 ,,
Drummers or Buglers and Sepoys	15 ,,

§ These ranks are allowed carriage at the public expense at the rate of 2½ maunds or half camel load for Regimental and Battery Serjeant Majors, Quartermaster Serjeants, Band Master Serjeants, and Serjeant Instructors of Musketry and Fencing, of all arms. Other Non-Commissioned Officers and men of Horse and Field Artillery 18 seers each, or 11 men per camel; Cavalry 17½ seers each or 12 men per camel: if dismounted, 1 maund each, or 5 men per camel; Gunners of Field Artillery 29 seers each, or 7 men per camel; Garrison Artillery and Infantry 33 seers each, or 6 men per camel.

‖ This is applicable to Hospital Assistants drawing marching batta. When carriage at the public expense is supplied, 1½ maund is allowed.

No. 436 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify, with reference to the statement of camp equipage, carriage and establishment allowed for the different branches of the British forces on field-service, published in G. G. O. No. 901 of 16th September 1874, that when pack bullocks are supplied for British troops on field service for the conveyance of the baggage in place of camels, two bullocks shall be considered equal to one camel.

2. The scale for Native troops will be published hereafter.

No. 437 *of* 1875.—The following extract from List No. 7, dated the 2nd April 1875, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment permitted to return to duty, granted extensions of leave, &c., received from the India Office, is published for general information :—

Permitted to return.

Major-General S. J. Browne, C.B., V.C.

Major W. Macdonald.

Granted extensions of leave.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. St. George, 3 months, sick certificate.

Captain H. R. Spearman, 6 months, sick certificate.

Major E. C. Impey, 6 months, sick certificate.

Colonel J. Nisbett, 3 months, sick certificate.

Surgeon W. R. Murphy, 4 months, sick certificate.

Retirement.

Conductor J. Rimmer,—29th March 1875.

No. 438 *of* 1875.—In modification of G. G. O. No. 1271 of 18th December 1873, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to publish, for information and guidance in the three Presidencies, the subjoined table showing the total and monthly value of compensation admissible to the British Army in India, based on the rates prescribed in the Royal Clothing Warrant of 1865, except on account of knee-boots and riding pantaloons for the Mounted Branches of the Service, the rates for which articles, as laid down in Appendix D to clause 2 of Army Circulars of 1st January 1874, have been adopted, and on account of the serge coat and trousers for Royal Engineers and British Sappers and Miners.

2. On account of biennial issues one-half the value of the articles will be payable after the close of the first year and proportionally for broken periods of that year; the remaining half compensation being payable after the close of the second year and proportionally for broken periods thereof.

3. The amount of all compensation sanctioned and paid to non-commissioned officers and men may be expended in articles for their benefit at the discretion of commanding officers.

Table showing the total and monthly value of compensation admissible to the British Army in India.

Corps.	Articles.	Staff Serjeants.		Serjeants.		Rank and File.		Remarks.
		Total Value.	Monthly Value.	Total Value.	Monthly Value.	Total Value.	Monthly Value.	
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Dragoon Guards and Dragoons.	Tunic	40 0 0	3 5 4	13 0 0	1 1 4	11 0 0	0 14 8	
	Riding Pantaloons	10 0 0	0 13 4	8 8 0	0 11 4	8 0 0	0 10 8	
	Trousers*	13 8 0	0 9 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Boots, Wellington, pair* ...	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Knee-boots*	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	
	Gloves	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	
Hussars ...	Tunic	56 0 0	4 10 8	14 0 0	1 2 8	10 8 0	0 14 0	
	Riding Pantaloons ...	10 0 0	0 13 4	8 8 0	0 11 4	8 0 0	0 10 8	
	Trousers*	13 8 0	0 9 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Boots, Wellington, pair* ...	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Knee-boots*	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	
	Gloves	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	
Lancers ...	Tunic	32 0 0	2 10 8	14 8 0	1 3 4	12 8 0	1 0 8	
	Riding Pantaloons	10 0 0	0 13 4	8 8 0	0 11 4	8 0 0	0 10 8	
	Trousers*	13 8 0	0 9 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Boots, Wellington, pair* ...	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Knee-boots*	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	
	Gloves	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	
Royal Artillery Horse Brigade.	Dress Jacket	55 0 0	4 9 4	45 8 0	3 12 8	9 8 0	0 12 8	
	Undress Jacket	23 0 0	1 14 8	15 0 0	1 4 0	7 0 0	0 9 4	
	Riding Pantaloons	8 8 0	0 11 4	8 8 0	0 11 4	7 8 0	0 10 0	
	Trousers*	14 0 0	0 9 4	8 8 0	0 5 8	6 8 0	0 4 4	
	Boots, Wellington, pair* ...	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Knee-boots*	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	
	Gloves	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	
Royal Artillery, Field and Garrison Brigades.	Tunic	34 4 0	2 13 8	22 8 0	1 14 0	9 12 0	0 13 0	
	Jacket, Undress	23 0 0	1 14 8	11 0 0	0 11 8	6 12 0	0 9 0	
	Riding Pantaloons	8 8 0	0 11 4	8 8 0	0 11 4	7 8 0	0 10 0	Annual issue to mounted men only.
	Cloth Trousers‡	14 0 0	1 2 8	8 12 0	0 11 8	6 12 0	0 9 0	Annually for dismounted and biennially for mounted men; but in the 1st year the dismounted men are allowed 2 pairs, *i. e.*, 1 pair in kind and compensation for another biennial pair if not issued in kind.
	Boots, Wellington, pair* ...	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	Biennially for mounted and dismounted men.
	,, Knee, pair*	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	Biennial issue to mounted men only.
	,, Ankle ,, ...	5 0 0	0 6 8	5 0 0	0 6 8	5 0 0	0 6 8	Annual issue to dismounted men only, who are however allowed 2 pairs in the 2nd year, for which 13 annas 4 pie per mensem, or Rs. 10 per annum, are admissible as compensation if the boots are not issued in kind.
	Gloves	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	Annual issue to mounted men only.
Infantry Battalion, Fusiliers and Rifle Regiments.	Tunic	23 0 0	1 14 8	9 2 0	0 12 2	8 4 0	0 11 0	
	Trousers, Cloth, pair ...	9 2 0	0 12 2	5 8 0	0 7 4	4 6 0	0 5 10	
	Serge Frock	7 14 0	0 10 6	4 2 0	0 5 6	4 0 0	0 5 4	
	Trousers, Tartan or Serge* ...	7 12 0	0 5 2	3 8 0	0 2 4	3 8 0	0 2 4	
	Boots, pair†	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	
Highland Regiments wearing Kilt and Trews.	Coat	30 0 0	2 8 0	11 2 0	0 14 10	9 0 0	0 12 0	
	White Jacket	12 8 0	1 0 8	6 4 0	0 8 4	3 2 0	0 4 2	
	Kilt	18 0 0	1 8 0	8 8 0	0 11 4	6 8 0	0 8 8	
	Trews, pair‡	12 0 0	1 0 0	8 4 0	0 11 0	6 12 0	0 9 0	One pair issued annually. One ditto biennially, *i. e.*, in the 2nd year 2 pairs.
	Shoes, pair†	3 12 0	0 10 0	3 12 0	0 10 0	3 12 0	0 10 0	
	Boots ,,†	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	
	Plaid ,,§	6 6 0	0 2 10	2 4 0	0 1 0	1 14 0	0 0 10	
	Gaiters ,, ...	0 12 0	0 1 0	0 12 0	0 1 0	0 12 0	0 1 0	
Royal Engineers and British Sappers and Miners.	Tunic	42 8 0	3 8 8	25 8 0	2 2 0	9 14 0	0 13 2	
	Trousers, fatigue	9 0 0	0 12 0	6 12 0	0 9 0	5 4 0	0 7 0	
	Boots, pair†	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	
	Serge Coat	7 2 0	0 9 6	7 2 0	0 9 6	5 4 0	0 7 0	
	,, Trousers	3 8 0	0 4 8	3 8 0	0 4 8	3 8 0	0 4 8	

* These articles being issued biennially, the monthly rates of compensation are calculated at 1-24th of the total value.
† These being issued one pair in every half-year, the total value of only one pair is exhibited, and the monthly value, calculated on the half-yearly issue, is the 1-6th amount of such total value.
‡ When these articles are issued biennially, the compensation should be calculated at one-half the above monthly rates for annual issues.
§ This being a triennial issue, the monthly value is calculated at 1-36th the total value.

No. 439 *of* 1875.—Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify, that horse allowance at Rs. 30 per mensem will, from the date of this order, be passed to Captains of British Infantry Regiments, Staff Corps, or of Her Majesty's Indian Forces, having higher rank by Brevet, whenever they may be placed on the roster for duty as Field Officers in the Garrison or Camp in which they may be quartered.

The continuance of this grant is limited however to the periods during which such Officers may be in personal performance of the duties of Field Officers.

This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

No. 440 *of* 1875.—The services of First Class Apothecary J. Casey, of the Subordinate Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his duties on the Indus Valley State Railway.

No. 441 *of* 1875.—The services of first class Assistant Apothecary T. Baron, of the Subordinate Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department, with effect from the date on which he may have assumed charge of his duties on the Indus Valley State Railway.

The 29*th April* 1875.

No. 442 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant George Hugh Coles Dyce, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Quartermaster, 21st (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for eighteen months under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant John William O'Callaghan, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Department Public Works,—for two years under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868, embarking on or after the 22nd May 1875.

No. 443 *of* 1875.—The following extract from the *London Gazette* of the 23rd March 1875, page 1782, is published for general information:—

WAR OFFICE;

Pall Mall, the 23*rd March* 1875.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Francis Stafford, Bengal Staff Corps, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 26th December 1874.

No. 444 *of* 1875.—Captain H. J. Barton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, availed himself of the furlough on private affairs for two years granted him in G. G. O. No. 79 of the 20th January 1875, on the 20th April 1875.

The 29*th April* 1875.

No. 445 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Corps.	Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Infantry ...	Major C. F. Sharpe, Staff Corps.	Lieut.-Col.	1st April 1875.	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) G. R. Cookson, retired.
Cadre of the late 72nd Native Infantry.	Captain (Major in Staff Corps) E. S. Fox.	Major ...		
Infantry ...	Major (Lieutenant-Colonel in Staff Corps) W. G. Davies.	Lieut.-Col.	1st April 1875.	Lieutenant-Colonel (Major in Staff Corps) C. F. Sharpe, removed from the list of Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels.
Cadre of the late 71st Native Infantry.	Captain (Major in Staff Corps) A. D. Vanrenen.	Major ...		
Infantry ...	Major John Mackie Stewart	Lieut.-Col.	1st April 1875.	Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. Davies, Staff Corps, removed from the list of Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels.
Ditto ...	Major Henry Russell Wintle.	Lieut.-Col.	1st April 1875.	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) C. Need, retired.
Cadre of the late 28th Native Infantry.	Captain T. A. Scott, Staff Corps.	Major ...		
Infantry ...	Major A. McL. Stewart, Staff Corps.	Lieut.-Col.	12th April 1875.	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) W. R. Cunningham, retired.
Cadre of the late 64th Native Infantry.	Captain T. D. Madden, Staff Corps.	Major ...		
Infantry ...	Major Frederick Augustus Buckley.	Lieut.-Col.	12th April 1875.	Lieutenant-Colonel (Major in Staff Corps) A. McL. Stewart, removed from the list of Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels.
Cadre of the late 37th Native Infanty.	Captain (Major in Staff Corps) W. C. S. Clarke.	Major ...		
Infantry ...	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) George Strangways.	Colonel with Col.'s allowance.	21st April 1875.	Agreeably to paragraph 13 of Secretary of State's despatch published in G. G. O. No. 869 of 1862.
	Major (Captain in Staff Corps) E. C. Garstin.	Lieut.-Col.	21st April 1875.	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) G. Strangways, promoted.
Cadre of the late 29th Native Infantry.	Captain C J. Garstin, Staff Corps.	Major ...		
Infantry ...	Major H. DeBrett, Staff Corps.	Lieut.-Col.	21st April 1875.	Lieutenant-Colonel (Captain in Staff Corps) E. C. Garstin, removed from the list of Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels.
Cadre of the late 57th Native Infantry.	Captain R. A. Wauchope, Staff Corps.	Major ...		
Infantry ...	Major Edwin Venour ...	Lieut.-Col.	21st April 1875.	Lieutenant-Colonel (Major in Staff Corps) H. DeBrett, removed from the list of Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels.
Cadre of the late 40th Native Infantry.	Captain H. C. A. Szczepanski Staff Corps.	Major ...		

No. 446 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant G. L. Eliot, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, is allowed leave of absence for one month from such date as he may avail himself of it, to visit Bombay preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe on medical certificate under the Regulations of 1868.

No. 447 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer is allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate:—

Lieutenant Geffery Lawrence Eliot, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class,—for twelve months, under the Regulations of 1868 (Rule IX., Note 1).

No. 448 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from England:—

Lieutenant-Colonel M. G. Clerk, of Infantry, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Department of Public Works,—date of arrival at Bombay, 12th April 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. R. Gordon, of the Bengal Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, 1st Grade, Bengal,—date of arrival at Bombay, 18th April 1875.

Captain C. S. Noble, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Grade, Oudh,—date of arrival at Bombay, 18th April 1875.

No. 449 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified:—

Major H. C. Menzies, of the Madras Staff Corps, Madras G. O. No. 16 of 1875,—per *Australia*, 1st March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) W. Briggs, of the Bengal Staff Corps (since retired), G. G. O. No. 97 of 1875,—per *Australia*, 1st March 1875, from Bombay.

Major E. T. Thackery, V. C., of the Royal Engineers, G. G. O. No. 64 of 1875,—per *Australia*, 1st March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain G. Logan, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 19 of 1875,—per *Australia*, 1st March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. Davidson, of Royal (Bombay) Engineers, Bombay G. O. No. 18 of 1875,—per *Australia*, 1st March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain C. E. Harenc, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 106 of 1875,—per *Venetia*, 8th March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) J. F. Stafford, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 129 of 1875,—per *Venetia*, 8th March 1875, from Bombay.

Conductor M. Carew, of the Army Commissariat Department, G. G. O. No. 283 of 1875,—per *Venetia*, 8th March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain R. J. Bond, of the Royal Engineers, (Imperial Establishment), G. G. O. No. 348 of 1875,—per *Venetia*, 8th March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant C. C. Dyce, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 348 of 1875,—per *Venetia*, 8th March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain A. H. S. Neill, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 198 of 1875,—per *Venetia*, 8th March 1875, from Bombay.

Major C. W. R. Chester, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 340 of 1875,—per *Indus*, 15th March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain C. D. Swete, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 223 of 1875,—per *Indus*, 15th March 1875, (not 1st March 1875, as notified in G. G. O. No. 347 of 1875), from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) A. Macqueen, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O., No. 342 of 1875,—per *Indus*, 15th March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) H. F. M. Boisragon, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 64 of 1875,—per *Indus*, 15th March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel T. W. R. Boisragon, of the Bengal Staff Crops, G. G. O. No 64 of 1875,—per *Indus*, 15th March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel T. W. Holland, of the Bengal Staff Crops, G. G. O. No. 116 of 1875,—per *Indus*, 15th March 1875, from Bombay.

Surgeon J. Cleghorn, M. D., of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 216 of 1875,—per *Indus*, 15th March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain F. B. Morris, of the General List Infantry, G. G. O. No. 133 of 1875,—per *Indus*, 15th March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) D. S. Dodgson, C.B., of Infantry, G. G. O. No. 57 of 1875,—per *Castore*, 20th March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain E. F. Chapman, of the Royal Artillery, G. G. O. No. 271 of 1875,—per *Teheran*, 22nd March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain L. H. E. Tucker, of the General List Infantry, G. G. O. No. 148 of 1875,—per *Teheran*, 22nd March 1875, from Bombay.

Surgeon-Major E. McKellar, M. D., of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 151 of 1875,—per *Assyria*, 24th March 1875, from Bombay.

Surgeon-Major J. A. C. Hutchinson, M. D., of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 222 of 1875,—per *Hindoo*, 25th March 1875, from Bombay.

Surgeon-Major F. Odevaine, of the Medical Department, G. G. O., No. 216 of 1875,—per *Hindoo*, 25th March 1875, from Bombay.

Major Æ. Perkins, of the Royal Engineers, G. G. O. No. 108 of 1875,—per *Hindoo*, 25th March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain T. J. Quin, of the General List Infantry, G. G. O. No. 189 of 1875,—per *Hindoo*, 25th March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant G. F. O. Boughey, of the Royal Engineers, G. G. O. No. 141 of 1875,—per *Hindoo*, 25th March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) C. M. MacGregor, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 261 of 1875,—per *Punjaub*, 26th March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain F. Coddington, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 309 of 1875,—per *Deccan*, 29th March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain C. McNeile, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 148 of 1875,—per *Deccan*, 29th March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain C. E. Macaulay, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 141 of 1875,—per *Deccan*, 29th March 1875, from Bombay.

Major F. J. Keen, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O No. 116 of 1875,—per *Deccan*, 29th March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) J. R. McMullin, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 186 of 1875,—per *Deccan*, 29th March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) J. R. Pughe, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O No. 133 of 1875,—per *Kashghir*, 5th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) J. Smith, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 133 of 1875,—per *Surat*, 9th April 1875, from Calcutta.

Captain A. FitzWilliam Taylor, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 353 of 1875,—per *Surat*, 9th April 1875, from Calcutta.

No. 450 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Native Medical Pupils, of the Agra Medical School, who have lately passed their final examination, are promoted to the grade of passed Medical Pupil, with effect from the 7th April 1875, and placed at the disposal of the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Service:—

Ranjah Khan.
Shaik Abdool Kureem.*
Jhubboo Sing.*
Gujadhur Tiwaree.
Wahid Dad Khan.
Bachoo Lall.*
Gholam Kader.
Deo Dutt Pandey.†

* Passed an examination in English, *vide* G. G. O. No. 916 of 1871.

† Passed an examination in English on the 7th April 1875.

No. 451 *of* 1875.—The furlough for two years granted to Captain now Major O. B. C. St. John, of the Royal Engineers, as notified in G. G. O. No. 907 of 1874, is to be considered as under the Regulations of 1868.

The 30th April 1875.

No. 452 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment in the Department of Military Accounts:—

Lieutenant G. W. Sawyer, of the Bombay Staff Corps, appointed by G. G. O. No. 393 of the 16th April 1875 to *officiate* as an Assistant in the Pay Department on probation, to be an Assistant on probation, *vice* Colonel A. S. Allan, retired.

Lieutenant Sawyer will continue to officiate temporarily as a Deputy Paymaster as directed in G. G. O. No. 397 of the 17th April 1875.

No. 453 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon R. Caldecott, of the Bombay Medical Department, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 454 *of* 1875.—With reference to the notification issued by the Government of the Punjab, No. 1686, "Home," dated the 23rd April 1875, the services of Surgeon Major H. Cookson, of the Medical Department, late Officiating Civil Surgeon, Karnal, proceeding on furlough, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 455 *of* 1875.—The services of 1st Class Veterinary Surgeon J. Anderson, of the Royal Artillery, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Department of Revenue, Agriculture and Commerce.

No. 456 *of* 1875.—Native Medical Pupil Kifayatoollah, No. 711, lately attached to the Nagpur City Hospital, admitted by G. G. O. No. 1022 of 1874, is dismissed the service with effect from the date on which he absented himself from the hospital.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 24th April 1875.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that report of the death of the undermentioned Assistant Apothecary on the date specified was received in the Military Department between the 10 h and 23rd April 1875:—

Corps.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	REMARKS.
Subordinate Medical Department ...	Assistant Apothecary G. A. Swaries	27th March 1875	Cawnpore ...	.....	

FORT WILLIAM,
The 24th April 1875.

B. E. BACON, *Colonel*,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 26th April 1875.

No. 192.—It is hereby notified that Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to permit the Indian Civil Engineering College at Coopers Hill to be henceforth called the "Royal Indian Engineering College."

No. 193.—Captain F. G. Oldham, R. E., Deputy Controller of Accounts, Bengal, is appointed to officiate as Controller of Public Works Accounts, Hyderabad, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant-Colonel Prior, or until further orders. Captain Oldham relieved Lieutenant-Colonel Prior on the forenoon of the 7th April 1875.

No. 194.—*Temporary Promotion.*—Captain Oldham, Deputy Controller, is temporarily promoted to Controller, 3rd Class, 2nd Grade, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel Prior, proceeded on furlough.

The 27th April 1875.

No. 195.—Mr. Vasudeo Hari Kurvi is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Engineer Apprentice and posted to Mysore.

No. 196.—Mr. D. Calder, Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, Hyderabad, is confirmed in his appointment.

The 28th April 1875.

No. 197.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments in the Telegraph Department, during the absence of Colonel D. G. Robinson, R. E., Director General of Telegraphs, deputed on special duty to Europe. The appointments will be with effect from 23rd March 1875, inclusive:

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Murray, S. C., Deputy Director General, to officiate as Director General of Telegraphs.

Mr. A. J. L. Cappel, Director of Traffic, to officiate as Deputy Director General of Telegraphs.

Mr. J. H. Lane, Superintendent, 1st Grade, to officiate as Director of Traffic.

Major J. Eckford, R. E., Superintendent, 2nd Grade, to officiate as Superintendent, 1st Grade.

No. 198.—Captain T. B. B. Savi, R. E., Officiating Deputy Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways, Lucknow, passed the examination in the Native languages according to the Departmental Standard in August 1871.

No. 199.—Mr. T. E. McGonagall, Accountant, 3rd Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Public Works Department, with effect from the 13th March 1875.

No. 200.—In consequence of the return from leave of Mr. S. Brock, Controller, 2nd Class, 1st Grade, Major C. M. Moberly reverted to his substantive rank of Controller, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade, with effect from the 12th April 1875.

The 29th April 1875.

No. 201.—The services of Baboo Satya Pershad Chatterjee, Accountant, 4th Grade, on probation, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, are dispensed with.

Baboo Juggessur Dass is appointed an Accountant, 4th Grade, on probation, and placed on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways.

No. 202.—Mr. H. Leonard, Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, has been granted by the Secretary of State six months' leave on medical certificate in extension of the leave granted him in Public Works Department Notification, No. 249 of the 27th April 1874.

No. 203.—The orders of the Chief Commissioner of British Burmah, dispensing with the services of Mr. J. N. Worth, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, with effect from the 21st March 1875, are confirmed.

No. 204.—The order of the Chief Commissioner of British Burmah, re-transferring Mr. A. Colquhoun, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, from the Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley State Railway to the British Burmah Provincial Establishment, is confirmed.

No. 205.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 46 of the 29th January 1875, Lieutenant-Colonel W. S. Trevor, V.C., R.E., assumed charge of the office of Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Agent to the Governor General for Central India from Lieutenant-Colonel Francis on the forenoon of the 12th April 1875.

The 30th April 1875.

No. 206.—Mr. H. O'Connor, Accountant, 3rd Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, is reduced to the rank of Accountant, 4th Grade, and transferred to the Indus Valley State Railway.

No. 207.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 121 of the 15th March 1875, Captain L. Conway-Gordon, R. E., received charge of the office of Controller of Public Works Accounts, Madras, from Mr. T. Moss, on the afternoon of the 5th April 1875.

No. 208.—Lieutenant H. A. Graves, R. A., a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, and posted to the North-Western Provinces Provincial Establishment.

No. 209.—Captain A. E. Downing, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, is transferred from the Establishment under the Director of State Railways to British Burmah, for employment on the Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley State Railway.

No. 210.—Mr. E. L. Gilbert, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, is transferred from Central India to British Burmah for employment on the Rangoon and Tounghoo Railway Survey.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 6th May 1875.

HIS Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General will hold a Levee at Peterhoff at 11 A.M., on Monday, 24th May 1875.

All Civil and Military Officers are invited to attend.

Other gentlemen purposing to attend the Levee are requested to send their cards to the Aide-de-Camp in waiting on or before Friday, the 21st May 1875. Those gentlemen who have not already been presented at the Court of St. James, or at Government House, Calcutta or Simla, are requested in sending their cards to give their addresses, and to add the names of the gentlemen who will present them.

All officers and gentlemen attending the Levee are requested to bring with them two cards with their names legibly written on them, one to be delivered on entering Peterhoff, and the other to the Aide-de-Camp in waiting at the time of presentation.

The Levee will be closed by the presentation to His Excellency the Viceroy of the Native Officers of the detachment of the 4th Goorkhas by their Commanding Officer.

Gentlemen wearing uniform will appear in full dress.

Gentlemen not wearing uniform will appear in evening dress.

By Command,

WM. EARLE, *Colonel,*
Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

Simla, the 6th May 1875.

No. 771.—With reference to Home Department Resolution No. 609, dated the 4th September last, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the new District to be created in the Pegu Division in British Burma shall be called the District of Thonkwa, and that the head-quarters shall be fixed at the town of Ma-oo-beng. The boundaries of the District of Thonkwa are published below for general information :—

NORTH.—The southern border of the Zaloon Township in the Henzada District.

EAST.—The western borders of the circle of Aphyouk in the Henzada District; of the circles of Eing-galoung, Bhawlay, Htan-tabeng, Kyunnoo, Panhlaing, Twantay, Eandabhooya Lawadee, Htanmaneing Motkyun, in the Rangoon District.

SOUTH.—The Bay of Bengal.

WEST.—The eastern borders of the circles of Kweng-boukgyee, Pyeng-magon, Kyun Kanee, Eanmay, Kyun Kanay, Kyoung-gon, Kyun Kazeng, Shakhay-gyee in the Bassein District.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 7th May 1875.

No. 434.—*Appointments.*—Major A. E. Wilkinson, B.A., Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Grade, in Oudh, to be Cantonment Magistrate of Lucknow, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel W. Smith retired.

Mr. C. W. McMinn, C.S., Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Grade, to be Assistant Commissioner of the 1st Grade, *vice* Major Wilkinson.

Mr. H. H. Butts, Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, to be Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Grade, *vice* Mr. McMinn.

No. 436.—*Appointments*:—Mr. L. McIver, of the Madras Civil Service, Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Grade, and Officiating Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, British Burma, to officiate as Town Magistrate of Rangoon, 2nd Grade, during the absence of Captain R. C. Evanson or until further orders.

Mr. E. J. Sinkinson, of the Bengal Civil Service, Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, and Officiating 1st Judge of the Small Cause Court at Rangoon, to officiate as Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of British Burma, during the absence of Lieutenant C. B. Cooke or until further orders.

Major W. W. Pemberton, Deputy Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, to officiate as 1st Judge of the Small Cause Court at Rangoon, pending the return from furlough of Lieutenant-Colonel A. G. Duff.

No. 438.—*Appointment.*—Mr. A. F. Millett, C.S., Assistant Commissioner, of the 2nd Grade in Oudh, to officiate as settlement officer, Fyzabad, during the absence of Mr. M. L. Ferrar, or until further orders.

No. 441.—The Hon'ble E. C. Bayley, C. S. I., an ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India, reported his departure from Bombay per Steamer *Pekin* on the evening of the 26th ultimo.

PORT BLAIR.

The 4th May 1875.

No. 212.—Surgeon Major W. H. Rean, M. D., Senior Medical Officer at Port Blair, reported his return from furlough and resumed charge of his duties on the forenoon of the 29th March last.

No. 213.—The services of Surgeon Major J. Dougall, M. D., officiating Senior Medical officer at Port Blair, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—SURVEYS.

Simla, the 4th May 1875.

No. 294.—Mr. J. B. N. Hennessey, Deputy Superintendent, 1st Grade, Great Trigonometrical Survey, is allowed, subject to the approval of the Secretary of State, furlough for one year under section 10 (*a*) of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 4th January 1875.

No. 299.—Lieutenant T. H. Holdich, R.E., Assistant Superintendent, 1st Grade, Topographical Surveys, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade, *vice* Captain R. V. Riddell, R.E., who proceeded to Europe on furlough on the forenoon of the 26th March.

FORESTS.

The 4th May 1875.

No. 534.—Mr. R. H. C. Whittall, Assistant Conservator of Forests in the North-Western Provinces, is transferred to British Burma.

No. 550.—*Erratum.*—In Notification No. 506, dated 29th April 1875, promoting certain Officers of the Forest Department—

For—"Messrs. R. S. Dodsworth in Oudh, and E. McA. Moir in Ajmere, from the 2nd to the 1st Grade of Assistant Conservators."

Read—"Messrs. R. S. Dodsworth in Oudh, and E. McA. Moir in Ajmere, *to officiate* in the 1st Grade of Assistant Conservators."

STATISTICS.

The 7th May 1875.

No. 237.—IT is hereby notified for general information and guidance, that the spelling of the names of the more important places in Oudh has been fixed by the Chief Commissioner and approved by the Government of India as shown in the list given below, and should be strictly adhered to in future :—

RIVERS.

Gumti,	Daháwar,	Bisúhi,	Pingál,
Sai,	Gubraiya,	Manwar,	Bhaghar,
Ganges,	Pirai,	Chamnai,	Dharsoti,
Tinai,	Kauriala,	Pathri,	Dhauria,
Bas-ha,	Sárda or Chauka,	Pindar,	Bisoi,
Gurdhoi,	Sarju or Suheli,	Tirhi,	Tons,
Kalyáni,	Ghághi,	Chandaha,	Majhoi,
Son Ganga,	Mohán,	Jamunhia,	Madha,
Chauka,	Jamwári,	Soti Bhajia,	Kharhi,
Gogra,	Dah-aurá or Kandwa,	Rápti,	Sonh,
Reth,	Barwái,	Suwáwan,	Naiya,
Baita,	Dahar,	Búrhi Rápti,	Lon,
Ul,	Gambhíri,	Kathar Pahári,	Bándh Bhujwá,
Saráyan,	Garra,	Bahái,	Bakláhi,
Kewáni,	Lilwan,	Bhakosa,	Chamraura,
Kathna,	Sukheta,	Nálawura,	Sakarni,
Gon,	Kuwána,	Soti,	Píli.

LUCKNOW DIVISION.

LUCKNOW DISTRICT.

Itaunja,	Rahímabad,	Nigohán Sissaindi,	Harauni,
Mohanlalganj,	Banthra,	Alamnagar,	Malhaur.
Malihabad,	Kákori,	Goshainganj,	
Bijnaur,	Mahona,	Amethi,	

UNAO DISTRICT.

Purwa,	Mauránwán,	Bihár,	Bithar,
Safipur,	Ajgain,	Magráyar,	Mawai,
Mohón,	Panhan,	Ghátampur,	Dalmau,
Asoha Parsandan,	Pariar,	Bára,	Achalganj,
Asíwan,	Daundia Khera,	Bhagwantnagar,	Kusumbhi.
Bángarmau,	Sikandarpur,	Jhalotar Ajgain,	
Fatehpur,	Pátan,	Tárgaon,	
Mohán Aurás,	Harha,	Kursat,	

BARA BANKI DISTRICT.

Tikaitnagar,	Daryabad,	Rámnagar,	Dewa,
Rám Sanehi Ghat,	Bindaura,	Rudauli,	Zaidpur,
Haidargarh,	Safdarganj,	Subeha,	Fatehpur,
Basorhi,	Mawai Maholára,	Bahramghat,	Makhdúmpur.
Bado Sarai,	Muhammadpur,	Satrikh,	
Kursi,	Nawabganj,	Siddhaur,	
Bhitauli,	Partabganj,	Súrajpur,	

SITAPUR DIVISION.

SITAPUR DISTRICT.

Biswán,	Hargám,	Manwán,	Sadrpur,
Bári	Thánagaon,	Machhrehta,	Tambaur,
Misrikh,	Kundri,	Maholi,	Paintepur,
Aurangabad,	Kurauna,	Mahmudabad,	Khimauna.
Chandra,	Khairabad,	Pírnagar,	
Gundlamau,	Láharpur,	Rámkot,	

SITAPUR DIVISION,—*Continued.*

HARDOI DISTRICT.

Chándpur,	Báwan,	Gopamau,	Mallánwán,
Bilgrám,	Piháni Pindarwa,	Katiari,	Saromannagar,
Sandíla,	Kachhona,	Sara,	Mansurnagar,
Shahabad,	Beniganj,	Kachhandan,	Sándi,
Alamnagar,	Bangar,	Kalyánmal,	Pali,
Barwan,	Pachhoha,	Sitapur,	Piháni,
Bálamau,	Gundwa,	Tandiaon,	Naktaura.

KHERI DISTRICT.

Muhamdi,	Dhaurahra,	Kasta,	Pasgawan,
Lakhímpur,	Bhira,	Magdapur,	Srinagar,
Gola,	Firozabad,	Nighasan,	Kukrá Mailáni,
Aurangabad,	Haidarabad,	Singáhi,	Oel,
Barwar,	Atwá Piparia,	Palia,	Mitauli.
Bhúr,	Khairigarh,	Paila,	

FYZABAD DIVISION.

FYZABAD DISTRICT.

Baskhári,	Goshainganj,	Khandánsa,	Tánda Maus-ha,
Akbarpur,	Sohwal,	Majhaura,	Jalálpur,
Bíkapur,	Ronahi,	Milkipur,	Sinjhauli,
Tánda,	Pachhimráth,	Nára,	Maya.
Amsin,	Haweli Oudh,	Mangalsi,	
Birhar,	Surharpur,	Ajodhya,	

BAHRAICH DISTRICT.

Kurásar,	Motipur,	Ikauna,	Hisámpur,
Nánpára,	Charda,	Sisia,	Tulsipur,
Bhinga,	Dharmánpur,	Fakhrpur,	Piágpur.

GONDA DISTRICT.

Wazírganj,	Balhnipáir,	Nawabganj,	Tulsipur,
Begamganj,	Panchpirwa,	Manikapur,	Colonelganj,
Utraula,	Digsar,	Bírpur,	Lalia,
Búrhapara,	Guwárich,	Pahárapur,	Intwa.
Balrámpur,	Mahadewa,	Sadullahnagar,	

RAE BARELI DIVISION.

RAE BARELI DISTRICT.

Jagatpur Tánghan,	Rokha Jáis,	Kumhráwán,	Dalmau,
Lalganj,	Kunsa,	Simrauta,	Sareni,
Digbijaiganj,	Parshadepur,	Ikhtiyárpur,	Inhauna,
Salon,	Hardoi,	Mau,	Gurbakhshganj.
Bachhráwán,	Khíron,	Mohanganj,	

SULTANPUR DISTRICT.

Kuraibhár,	Chánda,	Aldemau,	Baraunsa,
Amethi,	Dostpur,	Jagdíspur,	Tappa Asl,
Musáfirkhana,	Gaurá Jámún,	Píparpur,	Ráipur,
Kádipur,	Isauli,	Surharpur,	Lamhwa.

PARTABGARH DISTRICT.

Kunda,	Sangípur,	Mánikpur,	Ranígunj,
Patti,	Bihár,	Sangrámgarh,	Jithwara,
Ateha,	Dhingwas,	Rámpur,	Bela.

A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Simla, the 3rd May 1875.

No. 1265 *P.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Monsieur le Chevalier Charles Grondona as Acting Consul for Italy at Bombay during the absence of Cavaliere A. G. Pilastri.

The 7th May 1875.

No. 1339*P.*—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the names of the Officers composing the Mission to His Majesty the King of Burma be published in the *Gazette of India*, viz.:—

Sir T. D. Forsyth, C. B., K. C. S. I., Envoy on the part of the Viceroy and Governor General of India; Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. Duncan, Madras Staff Corps, Member of the Mission; Captain T. H. Forsyth, Her Majesty's 62nd Foot, Secretary.

GENERAL.

The 5th May 1875.

No. 835*G.*—With reference to Notification No. 1619G of the 21st July 1874, Mr. F. Henvey is confirmed in the appointment of Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department.

The 7th May 1875.

No. 849*G.*—*Appointment.*—Surgeon R. Caldecott, of the Bombay Medical Establishment, to the officiating medical charge of the 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse, *vice* Surgeon D. F. Keegan on furlough.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 6th May 1875.

No. 690.—Mr. F. J. Atkinson, a Probationer in the Financial Department, is posted to the Office of the Comptroller General with effect from the 13th April 1875, the date from which his services have been replaced by the Government of Bengal at the disposal of the Government of India.

No. 706.—In accordance with the intention expressed by the Hon'ble Sir W. Muir in the Financial Statement dated 13th March 1875, an Abstract of the Accounts of the Provincial and Local Revenues and Expenditure and of the Municipal Income and Expenditure through Government Treasuries during 1873-74, of the Regular Estimates for 1874-75, and of the Budget Estimates for 1875-76, is published as an appendix to this day's *Gazette*.

The 7th May 1875.

No. 707.—*Cash Balances in the Government Treasuries in India on the last day of the month of March* 1875, *compared with those on the same date in* 1873 *and* 1874:—

	1873.	1874.	1875.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Govt. of India...	3,44,50,977	2,24,71,849	2,43,07,959
Bengal ...	3,04,04,402	2,56,68,240	2,91,62,214
Assam ...			28,67,136
British Burmah	29,44,612	51,31,254	53,18,396
N. W. Provinces	2,01,21,693	1,58,67,103	1,88,19,064
Oudh ...	68,60,822	41,99,448	55,57,444
Punjab ...	1,08,79,676	1,04,83,768	1,20,41,861
Bombay ...	4,31,37,889	2,72,85,302	2,59,43,110
Central Provs.	68,69,077	41,63,031	41,00,141
Madras ...	3,34,66,325	2,64,53,427	2,88,77,757
TOTAL ...	18,91,35,473	14,17,23,422	15,69,95,082

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 6th May 1875.

No. 595.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following be substituted for the two first sentences of Rule 1 under Section 29 of the Civil Pension Code:

"When part of the pensionable service of an Officer has been paid from the general revenues and part from local funds, his pension or gratuity is paid according to the rule of proportions. The pensionable local fund service may not be neglected, and a pension or gratuity awarded solely for the service paid from general revenues."

SEPARATE REVENUE—OPIUM.

The 7th May 1875.

No. 708.—*Opium Revenue to date Compared with the Estimate for the year* 1875-76:—

PRESIDENCY.	LATEST MONTH.			TWO SALES OF BENGAL OPIUM, AND ONE MONTH'S DUTY ON MALWA OPIUM.		
	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bengal	420,375	461,428	41,053	840,750	936,828	96,078
Bombay	192,255	222,300	30,045	192,255	222,300	30,045
TOTAL ...	612,630	683,728	71,098	1,033,005	1,159,128	126,123

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 3rd May 1875.

No. 457 *of* 1875.—It is hereby notified that the Garrison Cells in the Fortress of Gwalior shall be deemed and taken to be a military prison under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1004, dated the 18th October 1870.

No. 458 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the undermentioned corps of the Native Army:—

26th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Jemadar Lukmeer Singh, to be Subadar *vice* Nutha Singh deceased.

Color Havildar Nahar Singh, to be Jemadar, *vice* Lukmeer Singh promoted.

These promotions will have effect from the 25th January 1875.

No. 459 *of* 1875.—Native Medical Pupil Mehdee Hossein, No. 789, lately attached to the 41st (The Gwalior) Regiment of Native Infantry, admitted by G. G. O. No. 1022 of 1874, is dismissed the service.

The 4th May 1875.

No. 460 *of* 1875.—In continuation of the Government General Orders noted in the margin, the undermentioned officers are permitted to retire from the service from the dates specified under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1 of the 1st January 1875:—

No. 378, dated the 14th April 1875.
" 431, dated the 26th April 1875.

No.	Rank and Names.	Corps.	Ordinary pension.	Annuity.	Capitalized value of annuity.	Date of retirement.	Where to be paid.
			£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.		
18	Lieutenant-Colonel George Leith Fraser ...	Staff Corps	292 0 0	257 5 0	.....	30th Apl. 1875	England.
19	Lieutenant-Colonel George Augustus Cuyler ...	Ditto ...	292 0 0	257 5 0	.....	1st May "	Ditto.
20	Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Dashwood Ogilvie ...	Ditto ...	292 0 0	229 8 0	.....	Ditto	Ditto.

No. 461 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Quartermaster General's Department.

Major M. H. Heathcote, Assistant Quartermaster General, to officiate as 1st Assistant Quartermaster General during the absence on furlough to Europe of Lieutenant-Colonel C. M. MacGregor, or until further orders.

Captain R. H. Grant, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster General, to officiate as Assistant Quartermaster General, *vice* Major Heathcote.

Captain E. D. Fisher, of the 4th Hussars, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Quartermaster General, *vice* Captain Grant.

Major H. A. Little, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster General, to officiate as Assistant Quartermaster General, *vice* Captain E. F. Chapman, proceeded on furlough to Europe, or until further orders.

Lieutenant C. Roberts, of the 72nd Foot, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Quartermaster General, *vice* Major Little.

No. 462 *of* 1875.—Sub-Conductor John Robinson, attached to the Peshâwar Arsenal, is allowed leave of absence for eight months from such date as he may avail himself of it to visit Murree on medical certificate.

The 5th May 1875.

No. 463 *of* 1875.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 1070, dated 15th October 1872, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to authorize an allowance of annas 2 and pies 8 for making up and sewing on facings, under regimental arrangements, to each serge frock of British Infantry, including fixing numerals.

No. 464 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 3 Horse Light Field Battery.

Lieutenant E. F. Cambier, Subaltern, No. 4 Horse Light Field Battery, and Officiating Commandant No. 3 Horse Light Field Battery, to be Commandant, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel H. Biden, retired.

No. 465 *of* 1875.—The following extract, paragraph 6, of a Military letter from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 54, dated the 25th of February 1875, is published for general information:—

6. Colonels H. Finch, Bengal Infantry, and W. H. Binny, Bengal Staff Corps, have been allowed to avail themselves of the terms of G. O. No. 797, dated 1st August 1872, from the date of the expiration of their present leave.

No. 466 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned men of the Bhopal Battalion, who are declared unfit for further service, are transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment, on the stipend noted opposite their respective names, from the dates they may be struck off the strength of the Battalion:—

Rank.	Names.	Amount.	
		Rs. A. P.	
Sepoy ...	Doorbullee	3 8 0	Per mensem.
" ...	Jeypal Sing	3 8 0	"
" ...	Chubeele Sing	3 8 0	"
" ...	Davee Ram	3 8 0	"

No. 467 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Out-Pensioners of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea having been permitted to reside and draw their stipend in India, payment of pension is to be made and charged accordingly:—

Sergeant Laurence Pimpole, late of the 8th Brigade, Royal Artillery,—*rate of pension per diem* 1*s.* 6*d.* (one shilling six pence) from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay or allowance. All chargeable to Imperial revenue.

Bombadier Thomas Marriott, late of the 19th Brigade, Royal Artillery,—*rate of pension per diem* 1*s.* (one shilling) from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay or allowance. All chargeable to Imperial revenue.

Martin Twoomy, late of the 39th Foot,—*rate of pension per diem* 1*s.* 1*d.* (one shilling and one penny) from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay or allowance.

Gunner Hugh McCallum, late of the 19th Brigade, Royal Artillery,—*rate of pension per diem* 1*s.* (one shilling) from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay or allowance. All chargeable to Imperial revenue.

Gunner William Dwyer, late of the 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery,—*rate of pension per diem* 6*d.* (six pence) for 30 months from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay or allowance. All chargeable to Imperial revenue.

Private Thomas O'Connor, late of the 85th Foot, —*rate of pension per diem* 1*s.* (one shilling) from the date he ceases to receive regimental pay or allowance. All chargeable to Imperial revenue.

No. 468 *of* 1875.—First Class Hospital Assistant Shaik Hadait Allie, lately attached to the Police Hospital, Saugor, having completed a service of upwards of thirty-five years, being desirous of retiring on pension, is admitted to the same (*viz.*, half of the average pay of his rank for the preceding five years, *viz.*, Rs. 30) from the date he may be struck off the strength of the Establishment.

The stipend will be disbursed at Saugor in the North-Western Provinces Circle of pension payment.

No. 469 *of* 1875.—Hurdaie, widow of Subadar Heera Lall Misser, late 16th Native Infantry, is admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the 3rd Class Order of Merit on her late husband, for three years, commencing from the 20th September 1873.

The stipend will be disbursed in the North-Western Provinces Circle of pension payment.

No. 470 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from England:—

Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Cross, of the Bengal Staff Corps,—date of arrival at Bombay, 25th February 1875 (date of departure on furlough, 29th December 1871).

Captain R. E. S. Smith, of the General List Infantry, Adjutant, 15th (The Loodianah) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 4th March 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. C. Dandridge, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, 34th (The Futtegurh) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 8th April 1875 (date of departure on furlough, 28th April 1873).

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) C. C. G. Ross, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 14th (The Ferozepore) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 22nd April 1875.

No. 471 *of* 1875.—Captain R. E. S. Smith, of the General List, Infantry, Adjutant, 15th (The Loodianah) Regiment of Native Infantry, is allowed an extension of leave from the 1st to the 4th March 1875, the date on which he reported his return to India from the furlough to Europe granted to him by G. G. Os. Nos. 328 of 1873 and 926 of 1874.

No. 472 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers and Warrant Officer have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified:—

Captain W. F. Bartleman, of the late 39th Regiment of Native Infantry, G. G. O. No. 414 of 1875,—per *Crocodile*, 23rd March 1875, from Bombay.

Sub-Conductor S. Corbett, of the Army Commissariat Department, G. G. O. No. 410 of 1875,—per *Crocodile*, 23rd March 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) C. H. Palliser, C.B., of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 414 of 1875,—per *Hindoo*, 25th March 1875, from Bombay.

Captain C. H. Bergman, of the late 60th Regiment of Native Infantry, G. G. O. No. 414 of 1875,—per *Hindoo*, 25th March 1875, from Bombay.

No. 473 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate:—

Surgeon William Flood Murray, M.B., of the Medical Department,—for two years under the Regulations of 1868 (Rule IX, Note I).

No. 474 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have been permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieut.-Col. (Brevet Colonel) Robert Davidson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class,—for eighteen months under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant Edward Baynes Nixon, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 4th Punjab Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—for two years under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant Charles Boswell Norman, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Adjutant, 3rd Sikh Infantry, Punjab Frontier Force,—for two years under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 475 *of* 1875.—With reference to the Notification issued by the Government of Bengal dated the 27th April 1875, the services of Surgeon W. E. Griffiths, late temporary Civil Surgeon of Jalpâiguri, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 476 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant-Colonel George Forbes Hogg, of the Bombay Staff Corps, is promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet from the 10th March 1875, under the provisions of the

Royal Warrant of the 31st January 1859, clauses 9 and 10, and the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, paragraph 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

No. 477 *of* 1875.—Supernumerary Surgeon Major Charles Peter Costello, of the Medical Department, is brought on the Establishment of Surgeons Major to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 478 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe (medical certificate):—

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Henry Barchard, C.B., of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Squadron Officer, 7th Bengal Cavalry,—for two years under Rule XIV, clause 1 of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 479 *of* 1875.—The following order issued by the Government of Bombay is confirmed:—

No. 291, *dated* 12*th April* 1875.—Granting furlough to Europe on medical certificate to the undermentioned Officer:—

Captain Henry Vansittart Riddell, of the late 2nd European Bengal Fusiliers, Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, Punjab,—for fifteen months, under the Regulations of 1854.

No. 480 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe:—

Captain Martin James Moore, of the General List, Cavalry, Adjutant, 12th Bengal Cavalry,—for two years: six days on private affairs under Rules IX and XV, and the remaining period on medical certificate under Rule XIV, clause 2, of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 481 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Captain Walter Morland Story, of the General List, Infantry, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Military Works Branch, Department Public Works,—for eighteen months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 482 *of* 1875.—The following promotion in, and admissions to, the Order of British India are made under the operation of G. G. O. No. 551 of the 5th June 1868:—

To be a Member of the 1*st Class of the Order of British India, with the title of "Sirdar Bahadoor"*—

Subadar Major Shaik Esoph, "Bahadoor," of the 10th Bombay Regiment Native Light Infantry, from the 1st January 1875, *vice* Ressaldar Majors Shaik Abdool Nubbee and Hossein Alli, "Sirdar Bahadoors," pensioned.

To be Members of the 2*nd Class of the Order of British India with the title of "Bahadoor"*—

Ressaldar Major Moostuffa Khan, of the 1st Sind Horse, from the 27th November 1874, *vice* Ressaldar Major Tej Sing, "Bahadoor," deceased.

Subadar Major Shaik Kurreem, of the 28th Bombay Regiment Native Infantry, from the 1st January 1875, *vice* Subadar Major Shaik Esoph, promoted to the 1st Class.

The 7*th May* 1875.

No. 483 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O., No. 1270 of the 16th December 1872, appointing Major-General C. T. Chamberlain, C.S.I., of the Bengal Staff Corps, to be President of the Stud Commission, and to G. G. O., No. 838 of the 24th August 1874, appointing him to the divisional staff of the Army, Major-General Chamberlain's services are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief to enable him to assume his command.

No. 484 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O., No. 483 of this date, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Major-General S. J. Browne, C.B., V.C., of the Bengal Staff Corps, to be President of the Stud Commission in succession to Major-General Chamberlain, C.S.I.

No. 485 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

1*st Sikh Infantry.*

Captain C. C. Brownlow, Adjutant and Officiating Wing Officer, to officiate as 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, *vice* Captain A. G. Ross, proceeded on furlough to Europe, and during the period Major H. C. P. Rice may officiate as Commandant, or until further orders.

Captain A. F. Lambe, Quartermaster, to officiate as Wing Officer, *vice* Captain C. C. Brownlow and during the absence on furlough to Europe of Captain A. G. Ross, or until further orders.

Lieutenant C. J. S. Whittall, 2nd Wing Subaltern, on probation, to officiate as Adjutant, *vice* Captain C. C. Brownlow, or until further orders.

No. 486 *of* 1875.—Deputy Surgeon General T. E. White, M.D., C.B., appointed to the Bengal Presidency, having reported his arrival at Bombay from England on the 15th March 1875, is brought on the strength of the administrative staff of the British Medical Service in Bengal, *vice* Deputy Surgeon General J. Macbeth, M.D., whose tour of service has expired.

Dr. White is appointed to the medical superintendence of the Lucknow Circle.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

ESTATE NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 1*st May* 1875.

Granville Lawrence Hay, Lieutenant, 2nd Battalion, 22nd Foot, died 20th January 1875, at Allahabad, intestate. Rupees 682-15-9 deposited on the 26th April 1875; next-of-kin, father, Robert B. Hay, Esq., Spelthorne Grove, Sunbury, Middlesex, England.

All claims against the above estate must be submitted before the 30th June 1875.

B. E. BACON, *Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4*th May* 1875.

No. 8 *of* 1875.—The following notice received from the Acting Colonial Secretary at Hongkong, published for general information:—

NOTICE.

HONGKONG.

Cape d'Aguilar Light.

Notice is hereby given that a light will be exhibited on *Cape d'Aguilar* on and after the 16th of April next.

The illuminating apparatus *is fixed Dioptric of the First Order*, showing a *white light* on the following bearings, which are *magnetic* and taken from *Seaward*:—

1. From S. 45° ½ W. to N. 53° ⅓ W. Between these bearings the light is obscured by the islets of the *Nine Pins*, and the islet just *South of Waglan.*

   The light is then obscured by *Soonkong Island.*

2. From N. 21° ½ W. to N. 42° W.

   The light is then obscured by the *Lema Islands* and the *Islands to the southward of them.*

3. From N. 33° E. to N. 69° E. Between these bearings the light is obscured to vessels to the *South-Westward of Ling Ting Island* and the *Islands of the Samoun Group.*

4. The *Tathong Channel*, with the exception of a small portion obscured by *Shicko Head.*

The focal plane of the light is 200 feet above mean sea level, and in clear weather it should be seen at a distance of 23 nautical miles.

The tower is round, of stone, 30 feet high, with a total height from its base to the lantern vane of 57 feet.

The dwellings and boundary walls are painted white.

The Lighthouse is in latitude 22° 12′ 14″ N. longitude 114° 15′ 44″ E.

HARBOUR DEPT., HONGKONG; *The* 19*th March* 1875. } H. G. THOMSETT, R.N., *Harbour Master, &c.*

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 30*th April* 1875.

No. 211.—Mr. J. G. Furnivall, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, is promoted to the 1st Grade, with effect from 17th March 1875.

The 1*st May* 1875.

No. 212.—Mr. C. H. Masters, Accountant, 4th Grade, on probation in the Neemuch State Railway, is transferred to the Establishment of Clerks on the Holkar State Railway.

Mr. Bhicajee Cowasjee is appointed an Accountant, 4th Grade, on probation, and posted to the Neemuch State Railway.

The 3*rd May* 1875.

No. 213.—Mr. G. S. Duff, Officiating Assistant Auditor, Oudh and Rohilkund Railway Accounts, is granted one month's privilege leave with effect from the 1st May 1875, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 214.—Major J. P. Steel, R.E., Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Bengal, is placed on special duty with the Government of India with the rank of Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, with effect from the date of his making over charge of the Office of Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Public Works Department to Mr. A. B. Sampson.

No. 215.—The following extract from Military Department G. G. O. No. 71, dated 19th January 1875, is published for information and guidance.

It should be understood that the emoluments (exclusive of pay proper Rs. 182-10) of Majors of Royal Artillery and Engineers in receipt of staff salaries in the Public Works Department are still subject to the maximum limits laid down in Appendix D of the Public Works Code.

Extract from Military Department G. G. O. No. 71, *dated* 19*th January* 1875.

With the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify that from the 1st April 1875 the following rates of pay will be allowed to all Majors of Royal Artillery and Engineers serving in India:—

* * * *

6. Majors of Royal Engineers * * when in receipt of a consolidated pay, with pay proper, will draw for the latter Rs. 182-10 per mensem, instead of Rs. 140 as at present.

7. Majors of Royal Artillery and Engineers in receipt of staff salaries will draw Rs. 640-14 per mensem as allowed to Majors of other branches who draw staff salaries.

No. 216.—Mr. C. Kinnear, temporary Overseer, 1st Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is permanently appointed to the Public Works Department in that grade.

No. 217.—The appointment in Public Works Department Notification No. 161, dated 30th March 1875, of Babu Hurro Prosuno Ghose as an Accountant 4th Grade, is cancelled.

Babu Kristo Dhone Chatterjee, Head Clerk and Accountant in Bengal, is appointed an Accountant, 4th Grade, on probation, and is transferred to British Burmah.

The 4*th May* 1875.

No. 219.—The undermentioned Upper Subordinates attached to His Highness the Nizam's State Railway, who have been temporarily employed in Bengal on famine relief work, are transferred

to the Establishment under the Director of State Railways:—

Sergeant C. Wickens, Supervisor, 2nd Grade.
Mr. F. Wilshaw Do., do.
„ F. Hiles, Overseer, 1st Grade.
Ardaseer Hormusjee Do., 2nd do.

No. 220.—In Notification No. 112, dated 11th March 1875, transferring certain Upper Subordinates from the Establishment under the Director of State Railways to British Burmah, omit the names of Mr. E LeMaistre, Overseer, 1st Grade, Babu Parmesery Doss, Overseer, 3rd Grade, and substitute those of Corporal J. Crampton, Overseer, 1st Grade, Mr. D. Campbell, Overseer, 1st Grade, temporarily transferred to Bengal for famine work.

The 6th May 1875.

No. 221.—Major W. B. Holmes, R. E., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Military Works Branch, is promoted to the rank of Temporary Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, with effect from 11th March.

No. 222.—Captain W. J. Engledue, R. E., is re-appointed to the Public Works Department under the conditions specified in Public Works Code, Chapter II, Section iv, paras. 4 A to 4 D, and posted to British Burmah for employment on the Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley State Railway.

The 7th May 1875.

No. 223.—Colonel C. Pollard, R. E., Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways, Lahore, is granted three months' privilege leave with effect from the 30th April 1875.

Major A. LeMessurier, R. E., Deputy Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways, Sindh, is appointed to officiate as Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways, Lahore, during the absence of Colonel Pollard on privilege leave, or until further orders.

Major LeMessurier assumed charge of the office from Colonel Pollard on the afternoon of the 29th April 1875.

No. 224.—Mr. W. Handy, Temporary Supervisor 2nd Grade on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is permanently appointed to the Public Works Department in that grade.

No. 225.—In continuation of Public Works Department Notification No. 180, dated 17th April 1875, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following changes of rank in the Engineer Establishment under the Director of State Railways:—

The promotion of Mr. F. R. Upcott, Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, to the temporary rank of Executive Engineer 4th Grade, to date from 10th September 1874, *vice* Savi—

The promotion of Mr. C. V. MacIvor, Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, to the temporary rank of Executive Engineer 4th Grade, to date from 1st October 1874, *vice* Rennie.

Mr. M. C. Mackinnon, Assistant Engineer 2nd Grade, Holkar State Railway, to be Temporary Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, from 3rd October 1874, *vice* Lincké.

Mr. F. R. Upcott, Temporary Executive Engineer 4th Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is permanently promoted to that Grade from 17th November, *vice* Savi.

In consequence of the reversion of Mr. J. L. Gallott to his substantive grade of Executive Engineer 1st Grade on the afternoon of the 8th February 1875, the temporary rank of the following officers will cease from that date:—

Mr. A. Izat, Temporary Executive Engineer, 1st Grade.

Lieutenant G. F. O. Boughey, R. E., Temporary Executive Engineer 2nd Grade.

Mr. W. C. Rennie, Temporary Executive Engineer 3rd Grade.

Mr. C. V. MacIvor, Temporary Executive Engineer 4th Grade.

Mr. J. F. E. Spring, Temporary Assistant Engineer 1st Grade.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel*, R.A.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 8th May 1875.

No. 448.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. Duncan, Officiating Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of British Burma, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department for temporary employment on special duty.

The 12th May 1875.

No. 461.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. A. J. Elliot to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service with effect from the 10th instant.

The 13th May 1875.

No. 470.—The Hon'ble F. B. Kemp, a Judge of the High Hourt of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, reported his departure from India per Steamer *Meinam*, which was left by the pilot at sea on the 14th ultimo.

The 14th May 1875.

No. 475.—The services of Surgeon-Major J. Law, M. D., Superintendent of the Central Jail at Nágpúr in the Central Provinces, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 478.—*Appointment.*—Major W. G. Ward, of the Madras Staff Corps, Assistant to the General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thuggee and Dacoity, to officiate as Superintendent of the School of Industry and of the Central Jail at Jubbulpore in the Central Provinces, during the absence of Colonel R. Ranken, or until further orders.

MEDICAL.

The 14th May 1875.

No. 286.—*Appointment.*—Apothecary J. Hughes is confirmed in the appointment of Civil Medical Officer of Nowgong in Assam.

JUDICIAL.

The 13th May 1875.

No. 683.—IN supersession of so much of the Notification dated 28th February 1872, issued by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, under Section 10, Act VI. of 1871, as confers certain Civil Court powers on certain officers in the division of Assam, and in the districts of Cachar and Goálpárá, it is hereby notified that, in the exercise of the power vested in him by the said Section 10 of Act VI. of 1871, as modified by Act VIII. of 1874, the Governor General in Council has been pleased to vest the officers for the time being holding the undermentioned offices in the province of Assam, with the Civil Court powers mentioned against their names:—

WITH THE POWERS OF A DISTRICT JUDGE—

IN THE DISTRICTS OF—

Goálpárá,	Nowgong,
Kámrúp,	Sibságar,
Darrang,	Lakhimpur.

The Judicial Commissioner of Assam.

IN THE DISTRICT OF CACHAR.

The Deputy Commissioner.

WITH THE POWERS OF A SUBORDINATE JUDGE—

IN THE DISTRICT OF GOÁLPÁRÁ.

The Deputy Commissioner.
The Officer in charge of the sub-division of Dhoobree.

IN THE DISTRICT OF KÁMRÚP.

The Deputy Commissioner.

IN THE DISTRICT OF DARRANG.

The Deputy Commissioner.
The Officer in charge of the sub-division of Mungledye.

IN THE DISTRICT OF NOWGONG.

The Deputy Commissioner.

IN THE DISTRICT OF SIBSÁGAR.

The Deputy Commissioner.
The Officer in charge of the sub-division of Jorehat.

IN THE DISTRICT OF LAKHIMPUR.

The Deputy-Commissioner.
The Officer in charge of the sub-division of North Lakhimpur.

WITH THE POWERS OF A MUNSIFF—

IN THE DISTRICT OF GOÁLPÁRÁ.

The Senior Assistant Commissioner stationed at Goálpárá.
The Senior Extra Assistant Commissioner stationed at Goálpárá.

IN THE DISTRICT OF KÁMRÚP.

The Officer in charge of the sub-division of Burpettah.
The Senior Assistant Commissioner stationed at Gauháti.
The Senior Extra Assistant Commissioner stationed at Gauháti.

IN THE DISTRICT OF DARRANG.

The Senior Assistant Commissioner stationed at Tezpur.
The Senior Extra Assistant Commissioner stationed at Tezpur.

IN THE DISTRICT OF NOWGONG.

The Senior Assistant Commissioner stationed at Nowgong.
The Senior Extra Assistant Commissioner stationed at Nowgong.

IN THE DISTRICT OF SIBSÁGAR.

The Officer in charge of the sub-division of Golaghát.
The Senior Assistant Commissioner stationed at Sibságar.
The Senior Extra Assistant Commissioner stationed at Sibságar.

IN THE DISTRICT OF LAKHIMPUR.

The Officer in charge of the sub-division of Jaipur.
The Senior Assistant Commissioner stationed at Dibrugarh.
The Senior Extra Assistant Commissioner stationed at Dibrugarh.

IN THE DISTRICT OF CACHAR.

The Officer in charge of the sub-division of Hylakandy.
The Senior Assistant Commissioner stationed at Silchar.
The Senior Extra Assistant Commissioner stationed at Silchar.

No. 684.—IN supersession of so much of the Notification dated 28th February 1872, issued by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under Section 10, Act VI. of 1871, as confers certain Civil Court powers on certain officers in the division of Assam, and in the districts of Cachar and Goálpárá, it is hereby notified that, in the exercise of the powers vested in him by the said Section 10 of Act VI. of 1871, as modified by Act VIII. of 1874, the Governor General in Council has been pleased to vest the following officers with the powers of a Munsiff:—

IN THE DISTRICT OF GOÁLPÁRÁ.

Babu Padma Lochun Dass.
" Purnananda Surmah.
" Gunga Nath Surmah.
" Harish Chundra Chaki.

IN THE DISTRICT OF KÁMRÚP.

Babu Haro Kanto Surmah.
" Sharut Chandra Banerjee, M.A. and B.L.

IN THE DISTRICT OF DARRANG.

Mr. R. Lea.
" R. A. Fisher.
Babu Gunga Govind Surmah.
" Futtick Chundra.
" Chundra Mohun Goswami.
" Juggut Chundra Dass.

IN THE DISTRICT OF NOWGONG.

Babu Gunabhi Ram Surmah.
" Champuk Narain.

IN THE DISTRICT OF SIBSÁGAR.

Mr. Herbert Maitland Hinde.
Babu Shibo Prosad Chakrabarti.

IN THE DISTRICT OF LAKHIMPUR.

Babu Raj Mohun Dey, B.L.
" Haro Nath Ghosh.

IN THE DISTRICT OF CACHAR.

Babu Ram Govind Dey.

PORT BLAIR.

The 13th May 1875.

No. 234.—The services of Major-General D. M. Stewart, C. B., Chief Commissioner of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, and Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, are placed at the disposal of the Military Department, with effect from the 7th instant.

No. 235.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Major-General Charles Arthur Barwell, C. B., to officiate as Chief Commissioner of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, and Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties.

The 14th May 1875.

No. 239.—Mr. F. A. de Roepstorff, Extra Assistant Superintendent at Port Blair, has obtained two days' leave in extension of the two months granted him in Notification No. 19, dated 12th January last. Mr. de Roepstorff's services were temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, from the 20th February to the 1st March last for employment on special duty.

PATENTS.

The 13th May 1875.

No. 68.—The undermentioned Specifications of Inventions have been filed, under the provisions of Act XV. of 1859, in the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. Copies have been sent to one of the Secretaries to each of the Governments of Bengal, Fort St. George, Bombay, and the North-Western Provinces. A copy of every Specification is open, at all reasonable hours, at the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department at the Presidency to public inspection, upon payment of a fee of one Rupee. A certified copy of any specification will be given to any person requiring the same on payment of the expense of copying :—

No. 812.—Mr. Lumisden Strange, of Madras, in the East Indies, Merchant, a partner in the Firm of Messrs. Dymes and Company, of the same place, Merchants and Agents, for an improved Lashing plate or Jolly applicable to any hydraulic Lever, Screw, or other Press employed in the compression of cotton, wool, hay, jute or other fibres.

No. 831.—Mr. Thomas Drewet, of Khangaum, Mechanical Engineer, for improvements in cotton and other Presses.

No. 11 of 1875.—Mr. William Bull, Civil Engineer, at present residing at Agra, for a more economical method of burning bricks, tiles and other goods.

No. 12 of 1875.—Mons. Jean Baptiste Toselli, of Paris, in France, for improved apparatus for grappling submerged objects.

No. 21 of 1875.—Mr. John McGouch Beath, Engineer of San Francisco, California, United States of America, for improvements in the process of making artificial ice and in apparatus therefor.

No. 22 of 1875.—Mr. John Y. Smith, of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, United States of America, for improvement in Railway Brake apparatus.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—SURVEYS.

Simla, the 11th May 1875.

No. 319.—The following promotions will take place in the Great Trigonometrical Survey of India with effect from the 4th January last, the date on which Mr. J. B. N. Hennessey, Deputy Superintendent, 1st Grade, proceeded on furlough to Europe for twelve months on medical certificate :—

Major C. T. Haig, R. E., Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Grade, to officiate in the 1st Grade of Deputy Superintendents.

Captain H. Trotter, R. E., Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade, to officiate in the 2nd Grade of Deputy Superintendents.

Captain A. W. Baird, R. E., Officiating Assistant Superintendent, 1st Grade, to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade.

Lieutenant H. J. Harman, R. E., Officiating Assistant Superintendent, 2nd Grade, to officiate as Assistant Superintendent, 1st Grade.

FORESTS.

The 12th May 1875.

No. 560.—Mr. E. P. Dansey, Assistant Conservator of Forests of the 3rd Grade in British Burma, is transferred to the North-Western Provinces.

CUSTOMS AND SALT.

The 14th May 1875.

No. 160.—Mr. W. Synnott, Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Inland Customs, is promoted from the 4th to the 2nd Grade of Assistant Commissioner with effect from the 15th March last, *vice* Mr. T. B. Ray, promoted to the 1st Grade.

STUDS.

The 11th May 1875.

No. 26.—With reference to Military Department General Order dated the 30th ultimo, the services of 1st Class Veterinary Surgeon J. Anderson, of the Royal Artillery, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Oudh for employment in connection with measures for dealing with cattle disease.

STATISTICS.

The 14th May 1875.

No. 439.—*Erratum* : In Notification No. 2 of that [illegible]), dated 5th January 1875, publishing [illegible] *Gazette of India* (Part I) of the 9th idem [illegible] names of places in the Punjab and its [illegible]cies, the names under the fourth head should terminate at the word *Nainsukh*, [illegible]llowing heading should be inserted be[illegible]ame *Kashmir* and those following it :—

"*[illegible]endent and Feudatory Native States in the [illegible]jab and their principal towns, &c.*"

A. O. HUME,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Simla, the 11th May 1875.

No. 1350*P.*—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. Ernst Seebeck as Acting Consul for the German Empire at Calcutta during the absence of Mr. Smidt.

No. 1352*P.*—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. J. Salmon as Consul for the Netherlands at Aden.

GENERAL.

The 14th May 1875.

No. 889*G.*—*Appointment.*—Captain H. B. Abbott, Political Assistant of the 1st Class, and Officiating Settlement Officer at Ulwur, to officiate temporarily in the third class of Political Agents and as Political Agent of the Eastern States of Rajpootana from date of assuming charge.

No. 890 *G.*—The following Notification is republished from the *London Gazette* of the 16th February 1875 :—

FOREIGN OFFICE;
February 8th, 1875.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Thomas George Knox, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul-General in Siam, to be Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in Siam.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

Simla, the 12th May 1875.

No. 820.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the insertion in the Civil Leave Code of the following foot-note to the second sentence in Rule 4 in Chapter VIII. of that Code :—

* Whichever calculation would entitle him to the less joining time.

2. His Excellency in Council is also pleased to decide, in supersession of existing rules on the subject, that for the purpose of calculating travelling allowance, the distance between two stations shall be held to be the length of the shortest of two or more practicable routes between them or the cheapest of such routes as may be equally short, and that the shortest route is that by which the traveller can most speedily reach his destination by the ordinary modes of travelling.

The 13th May 1875.

No. 835.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the words "of which the pay is progressive" be inserted after "lower class" in the proviso to Section 27 of the Acting Allowance Code.

The 14th May 1875.

No. 845.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following be substituted for the note under Rule 4 of Section 27 of the Civil Leave Code :—

Note.—This rule applies to a Military Officer in Civil employ; but in his case, the permission to return to duty must be obtained from the Local Government.

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 13th May 1875.

No. 848.—*Statement of the Amount of Government Currency Notes in circulation, of the Amount of Coin and Bullion Reserve, and Government Securities held by the Department of Issue of Paper Currency.*

Date.	Circles of Issue.	Currency Notes in circulation.	Silver Coin Reserve.	Silver Bullion Reserve.	Gold Bullion Reserve.	Reserve in Government Securities.	Total Reserve.
April 30th	Calcutta	4,84,64,570	1,59,26,105	43,68,488	72,495	2,56,74,402	4,60,36,490
	Madras	1,00,39,050	38,18,255	72	....	56,28,463	94,46,790
	Bombay	2,90,27,195	93,03,386	41,22,475	....	1,59,85,209	2,94,11,070
	Allahabad	49,01,865	22,74,829	....	....	30,03,291	52,78,120
	Lahore	57,79,885	47,97,288	....	....	32,00,037	79,37,275
	Calicut	25,52,945	14,37,071	....	....	10,00,059	24,37,130
	Coconada	23,82,430	17,89,661	....	....	6,00,059	23,89,720
	Nagpore	10,65,855	4,97,873	....	....	7,47,902	12,45,775
	Kurrachee	20,12,765	8,46,469	....	....	8,00,106	16,46,575
	Akola	13,18,080	14,15,695	....	....	3,00,000	17,15,695
	TOTAL ..	10,75,44,640	4,20,46,582	84,86,035	72,495	5,69,39,528	10,75,44,640

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 13th May 1875.

No. 739.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following be inserted as Rule 7 (*a*) under Section 35 of the Civil Pension Code :—

The salary of an officer transferred in the manner described in Section 34 for service under a Native State, Municipality or other body, shall be borne by the Native State,

Municipality or other body from the date on which he is relieved from his duty under the British Government to the date on which he is relieved from his duty under the Native State, Municipality or other body.

SEPARATE REVENUE—POST OFFICE.

The 14th May 1875.

No. 826.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. M. Battye made over charge of the office of Post Master General of the Punjab on the 14th April 1875 before noon to Major W. M. Lane, who is allowed subsidiary leave from the 8th to the 13th April 1875, on his return from furlough.

No. 847.—Lieutenant-Colonel G. M. Battye received charge of the office of Post Master General of Bombay from Mr. J. Macfarlan before noon on the 26th April 1875, from which date the services of Mr. Macfarlan are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 11th May 1875.

No. 487 *of* 1875.—Captain R. Bazett, of the Royal Artillery, Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class, is allowed leave of absence for six months from the 25th April 1875, or from such date as he may avail himself of it, to visit Kashmir on private affairs.

No. 488 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the Commissioned Grades of the Army Commissariat Department—

Temporary.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. McKenzie, Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, to officiate as Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class.
Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. Lane, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to officiate as Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class.
Lieutenant-Colonel J. A. M. Biggs, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, and Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class.
Captain E. M. L. Marriott, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to officiate as Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class.
Lieutenant L. W. Christopher, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, and Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, to officiate as Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class.
Lieutenant H. V. Hunt, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, on probation, to officiate as Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class.
} From 31st March 1875, and during the absence on furlough to Europe on medical certificate of Colonel R. Davidson, Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, or until further orders.

Lieutenant C. S. Hogge, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, on probation, to officiate as Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, from 31st March 1875, to fill a vacancy.

Permanent.

Colonel H. A. Taylor, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, and Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class.
Captain J. B. Smith, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, and Officiating Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class.
Captain J. R. Yule, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class, and Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class.
Lieutenant F. N. Chalmers, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, and Officiating Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, to be Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 2nd Class.
} From 2nd April 1875, in succe[illegible] Deputy Assistant Comm[illegible] retired.

No. 489 *of* 1875.—With reference to the notification issued by the Government of Bengal, dated 9th March 1875, the services of Surgeon G. Hutcheson, M. D., of the Medical Department, late Civil Surgeon, Tipperah, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with effect from the 9th March 1875.

No. 490 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon R. A. K. Holmes, M. D., of the Medical Department, officiating in medical charge of the 18th Bengal Cavalry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 491 *of* 1875.—The following order, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, is confirmed :—

No. 75, *dated the 20th April* 1875.—Confirming, as a provisional arrangement, the regimental order issued to the 6th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, dated the 9th April 1875, directing Lieutenant W. G. C. Johnstone, Officiating Adjutant, to officiate as 2nd in Command of the Regiment, consequent on the departure of Captain E. W. Shaw, on preparatory leave of absence to Bombay, and Lieutenant W. H. Salmon, Wing Subaltern, to act as Adjutant, in addition to his other duties.

No. 492 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

4th Punjab Cavalry.

Captain R. P. Blake, 3rd Squadron Officer, and Officiating 2nd Squadron Officer, to officiate as 2nd in Command and Squadron Officer during the absence on furlough to Europe of Captain T. O. Underwood, and till the return to duty of Major J. Gillespie, or until further orders.

Captain T. Shepherd, Adjutant, to officiate as 2nd Squadron Officer, *vice* Captain R. P. Blake.

Lieutenant E. Lloyd, 1st Squadron Subaltern, and officiating 3rd Squadron Officer, to officiate as Adjutant, *vice* Captain T. Shepherd.

Lieutenant R. H. Forrest, 2nd Squadron Subaltern, to officiate as 3rd Squadron Officer, *vice* Lieutenant E. Lloyd.

These appointments are made in modification of that part of G. G. O. No. 178, dated the 16th February 1875, appointing Captain Blake to the 4th Punjab Cavalry.

The 12th May 1875.

No. 493 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant A. T. S. A. Rind, of the Bengal Staff Corps, who was appointed on probation as Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 3rd Class, by G. G. O. No. 259 of the 16th March 1874, having passed the prescribed departmental tests, is permanently attached to the Army Commissariat Department.

No. 494 *of* 1875.—That part of G. G. O. No. 232 of the 2nd March 1875, granting furlough to Europe on private affairs to Captain L. Smith, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Adjutant, 3rd Goorkha (The Kemaoon) Regiment, is cancelled at his request.

No. 495 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Lieutenant Edward Law Durand, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Political Assistant, 2nd Class, 2nd Assistant Agent, Governor General, Central India, Officiating Political Assistant, 1st Class, and 1st Assistant to the Agent, Governor General, for Central India,—for eighteen months, under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant Montagu Gilbert Gerard, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Squadron Subaltern, 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse,—for twenty months, under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 496 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Major William Cabell, of the Bengal Staff Corps,—for twenty months, under Rules IX. and XV. of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 497 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate :—

Captain (Brevet-Major) Henry Alexander Little, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster General,—for two years, under the Regulations of 1868 (Rule IX., note I), with effect from the 26th April 1875, the date of his departure from Bombay per *Pekin*.

No. 498 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from England :—

Major-General S. J. Browne, C.B., V.C., of the Bengal Staff Corps,—date of arrival at Bombay, 28th April 1875.

No. 499 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified :—

Captain C. H. Garbett, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 316 of 1875,—per *Peshawur*, 22nd April 1875, from Calcutta.

Captain A. G. Ross, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 299 of 1875,—per *Arabia*, 1st May 1875, from Bombay.

Captain R. Morris, of the late 1st European Light Cavalry, G. G. O. No. 278 of 1875,—per *Avoca*, 3rd May 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant G. L. Eliot, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 447 of 1875,—per *Avoca*, 3rd May 1875, from Bombay.

No. 500 *of* 1875.—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the adoption of the following rules regarding the treatment of Native insanes in India :—

INSANES.

1. When a Native soldier is pronounced by a committee to be insane, he may be sent to a lunatic asylum under a military escort.

2. The following documents will be forwarded to the medical officer in charge of the asylum : a certificate of the date to which he is paid, a statement of all unadjusted claims, such as clothing or prize-money, and a descriptive roll in duplicate, giving every particular which may affect his claim to pension, wounds received, and the names of his nearest relatives or heirs.

SOLDIERS OF SHORT SERVICE.

3. An insane soldier who may not be entitled from length of service to a pension, will be paid up and struck off his regiment from date of departure, and an allowance of two annas a day for the period occupied on the journey may be drawn in advance and made over to the escort for the patient's subsistence on the road.

4. The paymaster of the military circle within which any such asylum is situated, will pay to the officer in charge of the asylum the expense of the lodging, maintenance, clothing and medicine of a Native soldier so received and detained, until he is discharged from the asylum, or in the case of a man incurably afflicted, for a period of two years only, after which the expense will be treated as an ordinary civil medical charge.

5. In cases where the family of such an insane may require support owing to the allowances of soldiers ceasing on their admission to a lunatic asylum, a special representation may be submitted containing full information for the consideration and orders of the government of the presidency concerned.

6. When a Native soldier is discharged from a lunatic asylum as cured, and is permitted to rejoin his corps as a supernumerary if no vacancy exists, he will be re-enrolled and his pay will re-commence from the date of his rejoining; his previous service up to the date on which he was struck off will also be restored to him.

7. When a Native soldier is discharged from a lunatic asylum as partially cured and pronounced *permanently* unfit to contribute to his own livelihood, but fit to be entrusted to the care of his friends, he will be transferred to the pension establishment on an allowance of Rs. 3 per mensem from date of discharge from the asylum. The stipend will be payable to his friends or relatives on production of the usual life-certificate.

SOLDIERS ENTITLED TO PENSION.

8. A Native soldier who at the time of his removal to a lunatic asylum may, by length of service, be entitled to the benefit of the invalid pension establishment, will be transferred to that

establishment on the pension to which he is entitled, and so much of the pension as will cover the cost of his maintenance at the asylum will be deducted subject to the condition that where there is a family dependent on him, they shall be allowed at least a moiety of it. The pension will be drawn monthly by the officer in charge of the asylum from the paymaster or pension paymaster of the circle in which the asylum is situated.

9. Should a pensioner be discharged and pronounced fit to be entrusted to his friends, he will be entitled, should he not have had a family dependent upon him, to any balance of his pension that may remain after deducting the cost of his maintenance whilst in the asylum.

10. In all cases of recovered men discharged and sent to their homes, the medical officer in charge of the asylum will transmit to the paymaster of the circle in which the man wishes to reside and draw his pension, the duplicate copy of the descriptive roll received from the corps and the discharge certificate, also in the case of pensioners, a last payment certificate, &c.

No. 501 *of* 1875.—The following extract from List No. 8 dated the 16th April 1875, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment permitted to return to duty, and granted extension of leave, received from the India Office, is published for general information:—

Permitted to return.

Surgeon-Major R. T. Lyons.

Granted extension of leave.

Surgeon-Major G. K. Poole,—6 months, sick certificate.

The 13*th May* 1875.

No. 502 *of* 1875.—The services of Captain C. O. W. Apperley, of the General List Infantry, Aide-de-Camp to the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 503 *of* 1875.—Third class hospital assistant Azeezur Rohman, lately attached to the 25th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry, admitted by G. G. O. No. 583 of 1872, is dismissed the service.

No. 504 *of* 1875.—The services of the undermentioned Native Medical Pupils of the Agra Medical School, admitted by Government General Orders Nos. 49 and 819 of 1872, and 1054 of 1873, are dispensed with:—

Sheik Nyaz Ally, No. 302.
Swamee Dyal, No. 442.
Safakut Ally, No. 370.
Ubdool Kureem, No. 452.
Shekh Jan Ali, No. 343.
Behari Lal, No. 624.
Mooneer Khan, No. 521.
Toontoon Shookul, No. 522.

No. 505 *of* 1875.—Native medical pupil Azim Ullah, No. 742, admitted by G. G. O. No. 1022, dated the 30th October 1874, is discharged from the service.

The 14*th May* 1875.

No. 506 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Major-General D. M. Stewart, C.B., of the Bengal Staff Corps, Chief Commissioner of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, and Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, to the Divisional Staff of the Army, temporarily, during the absence on leave to Europe on medical certificate of Major-General *Sir* C. Reid, K.C.B., or until further orders.

No. 507 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 1248 of the 31st December 1874, the following paragraph of a Military letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 75, dated the 24th of March 1875, is published for general information:—

PARA. 1. The permission to return to duty granted to Colonel R. W. Chambers, of the Bengal Staff Corps, has been cancelled.

No. 508 *of* 1875.—The following paragraph of a Military letter from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 75, dated the 24th March 1875, is published for general information:—

PARA. 2. Lieutenant-Colonel J. Reay, Bengal Staff Corps, has been allowed to avail himself of the terms of G. O. No. 797 of 1st August 1872, with effect from the 9th February 1875.

No. 509 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned officer of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 20 years' service, is promoted to the rank of Major, from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Captain (Brevet Major) Henry Thompson—11th May 1875.

No. 510 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned officer having completed 20 years' service, including six years in the Staff Corps, is promoted to the rank of Major, from the date specified, under the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

Captain Edward Henry Ernest Kauntze—11th May 1875.

No. 511 *of* 1875.—The services of Surgeon S. Brereton, of the Medical Department, doing duty with the 20th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 8*th May* 1875.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that report of the death of the undermentioned Commissioned Officer on the date specified was received in the Military Department from 17th April to 7th May 1875:—

Corps.	RANK AND NAME.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	REMARKS.
Bengal Staff Corps	Captain F. H. Hood ...	26th April 1875	Jalpaiguri ...	.....	

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates from 1*st to* 7*th May* 1875.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
H. M's. Indian Mily. Service.					*Rs. A. P.*		
Richard Henry Curran* ...	Surgeon ...	Bengal Medl. Establt.	26th September 1874.	Intestate ...	99 0 0	.....	.....

* Next of kin: Father, Thomas Curran, Esq., Ennistymon, County Clare, Ireland.
Administrator-General administering.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 8*th May* 1875.

B. E. BACON, *Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 10*th May* 1875.

No. 226.—Lance Corporal C. Lewis, Overseer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the Military Works Branch to the North-Western Provinces, Irrigation Branch.

No. 227.—Mr. R. G. Barrett, Temporary Overseer, 2nd Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is permanently appointed to the Public Works Department in that grade.

The 12*th May* 1875.

No. 228.—The services of Mr. M. C. Mackinnon, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, are placed at the disposal of the Municipality of Bombay, with effect from 23rd April 1875.

No. 229.—Lieutenant W. H. James, R. E., Deputy Controller of Public Works Accounts, having exceeded two years' furlough, his services are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department from the 14th February 1875.

No. 230.—Baboo Mohes Chundra Banerjee, Probationary Overseer, 3rd Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is permanently appointed to the Public Works Department in that grade.

No. 231.—Mr. J. Beynon, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Public Works Department.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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SIMLA, THURSDAY, MAY 13, 1875.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

ACCOUNTS.

No. 519.

Simla, the 13th May 1875.

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council has resolved to borrow two crores and fifty lakhs of rupees for the public service in the manner following :—

2. Promissory Notes will be issued for the said amount, bearing interest at the rate of four per centum per annum. The form and conditions of these Notes will be those of the Notes of the Transfer Loan of 1st May 1865, of which loan they will form a part. No Note will be issued for less than five hundred rupees, or for any amount not being a multiple of one hundred rupees. The Notes will be payable to order, and interest thereon will be paid, half-yearly, on the 1st May and 1st November in each year.

3. Notice is hereby given that tenders will be received by the Comptroller General at Calcutta, from this date to noon of Wednesday the 16th June next, for the whole or part of the above-named sum of two crores and fifty lakhs of rupees.

4. Each tender must be addressed, in the form annexed to this Notification, to the Comptroller General, Treasury Buildings, Calcutta, and enclosed in a sealed cover superscribed "Tender for Loan."

5. Tenders will be opened at the Office of the Comptroller General in Calcutta, at noon on Wednesday the 16th June next.

6. The amounts of accepted tenders must be paid, in five equal instalments, on the following dates—

One-fifth on the 1st July 1875.
One-fifth on the 2nd August 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st September 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st October 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st November 1875.

Payment of any instalment except the first, will be accepted before the due date, but not before the 1st July next. Interest upon the amount of each instalment paid before the 1st November next, will be paid in advance, from the date when such instalment is received, to the 31st October next.

7. Payment may be made to the account of the Government in one of the Presidency Banks of Bengal, Madras, or Bombay, or into any Government treasury or treasuries in India that may be named in the tenders.

8. Each tender must be accompanied by a receipt from one of the Presidency Banks of Bengal, Madras, or Bombay, or from an officer in charge of some Government treasury, or by a cheque on a banker in Calcutta, Madras, or Bombay, or by Government Promissory Notes duly endorsed to the Comptroller General, for a sum of not less than one per centum on the amount for which tender is made. This deposit of one per centum will be considered as in part payment of the last instalment; it will be forfeited if the allotment is not fully taken up. A cash deposit may, after allotment, be exchanged for a Government Promissory Note.

9. Scrip receipts for instalments paid, will be given by the Presidency Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, or by the officers in charge of the Government treasuries at which payment is made. These receipts will be exchanged for Promissory Notes, as soon as possible.

10. The minimum rate at which tenders will be accepted will be recorded under the signature of the Comptroller General, and declared before any tender is opened. The rate stated in a tender must not contain a fraction of an anna; if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out, and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

11. Tenders at the declared minimum rate, and at rates above the declared minimum, will be accepted in the order of the rates tendered, beginning with the highest rates. The amount allotted at the lowest rate at which tenders are accepted, will be divided amongst those who have tendered at this rate, in proportion, as nearly as may be found convenient, to the amounts of their tenders.

12. The names of the persons whose tenders are accepted in whole or in part, will be posted, for general information, at the Presidency Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay.

By order of the Governor General in Council.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

FORM OF TENDER.

I hereby tender for rupees of the Loan advertised in the Notification published in the *Gazette of India* Extraordinary dated the 13th May 1875, and agree to pay for the same, subject to the conditions notified, at the rate of rupees annas* for every hundred rupees allotted to me.

* Fraction of an anna not allowed.

I enclose a *deposit receipt*† for rupees , and engage, if my offer be accepted, to pay to the account of the Government at the Presidency Bank of‡ [or into the Government treasury at‡ as the case may be,] the first instalment on the 1st July next, and the several later instalments on or before the dates fixed by the Notification, as follows :—

† Or cheque or Government Promissory Note.

‡ Here enter the name of Bank or Treasury.

One-fifth on the 1st July 1875.
One-fifth on the 2nd August 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st September 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st October 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st November 1875.

Note.—A separate tender must be made at each rate tendered, and a separate deposit must accompany each tender. In order to avoid mistakes, it is desirable that the tender, or, at least, the name of the tenderer, and the amount and rate tendered, should be written in English.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

Simla, the 20th May 1875.

No. 843.—With reference to Home Department Notification No. 1513, dated the 29th May 1874, Surgeon-Major R. C. Chandra is appointed to conduct the medical examination of candidates for employment in the public service in Calcutta, *vice* Surgeon A. Crombie.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 18th May 1875.

No. 490.—*Appointment.*—Hamid Hossein Khan, Tahsildar of the 2nd Grade in Oudh, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd Grade, *vice* Mr. G. E. McLeod, transferred to Assam.

MEDICAL.

The 18th May 1875.

No. 294.—Surgeon K. McLeod, M. D., officiated as Marine Surgeon, Calcutta, from the afternoon of the 10th January to the forenoon of the 9th February 1875, during the absence of Dr. Moir, Civil Surgeon of the 24-Pergunnahs, on deputation.

No. 299.—*Appointment.*—Surgeon F. C. Ghose to officiate as Civil Medical Officer of Unao in Oudh.

JUDICIAL.

The 21st May 1875.

No. 716.—Under Section 15, Act XI. of 1865, the Governor General in Council is pleased to invest Mr. Bymonjee Jamasjee, Assistant Commissioner, Hyderabad Assigned Districts, with the powers of the Judge of a Court of Small Causes,

to be exercised within the territorial jurisdiction of the Akola Small Cause Court, during the absence on deputation of Mr. H. B. Knowlys, or until further orders.

PORT BLAIR.

The 21st May 1875.

No. 250.—*Appointments.*—Captain M. Protheroe, Deputy Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, to officiate temporarily as Chief Commissioner of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, and Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars. Captain Protheroe received charge of his office from Major-General D. M. Stewart, C.B., on the afternoon of the 7th instant.

Captain R J. Wimberly, 1st Assistant Superintendent, to officiate as Deputy Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, *vice* Captain M. Protheroe.

Captain W. B. Birch, 2nd Assistant Superintendent, to officiate as 1st Assistant Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, *vice* Captain R. J. Wimberly.

Mr. G. D. Grimes to officiate as 2nd Assistant Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, *vice* Captain W. B. Birch.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 18th May 1875.

No. 170.—The Reverend Edmund Jermyn, a Junior Chaplain on the Bengal Establishment, reported his arrival at Calcutta on the 2nd instant.

Mr. Jermyn's services are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—SURVEYS.

Simla, the 19th May 1875.

No. 316.—The following promotions are made in the Revenue Survey Department, with effect from the 29th March 1875, the date on which Captain F. Coddington, Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Grade, availed himself of the furlough for one year, granted to him in Military Department Notification, dated the 18th March 1875:—

Captain W. Barron, Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade, to officiate in the 2nd Grade.

Captain E. W. Samuells, Assistant Superintendent, 1st Grade, to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade.

FORESTS.

The 17th May 1875.

No. 572.—Mr. A. P. Aylmer, Assistant Conservator of Forests of the 2nd Grade, in Assam, is allowed leave of absence to Europe on medical certificate, for one year.

EMIGRATION.

The 18th May 1875.

No. 141.—THE following Rules relating to emigration from the Port of Bombay to British and Foreign Colonies have been made by the Governor General in Council under the provisions of Section 56 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1871, and are hereby published for general information:—

RULES RELATING TO EMIGRATION FROM THE PORT OF BOMBAY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ACT VII OF 1871.

I.—OF RECRUITERS AND THE REGISTRATION OF EMIGRANTS AND OF PRELIMINARY ARRANGEMENTS IN PORT.

Rules for the guidance of the Protector of Emigrants and Registering Magistrates.

1. The attention of the Protector of Emigrants is directed to those sections of the Act which define his position and duties, the position and duties of others who are engaged under the Act, and to the following rules.

2. Every license granted to a recruiter of emigrants shall have appended thereto a descriptive roll setting forth in English and in the Vernacular language of the town, district

or districts in which he is licensed to engage labourers the name of the recruiter's father, the age of the recruiter, his caste, colour and height, the particular personal marks that distinguish him, and the name of the village, taluq and district to which his family belongs. The Protector shall affix his signature to this descriptive roll; and no recruiter shall engage or attempt to engage labourers in any town or village without having first exhibited his license with the descriptive roll attached thereto, to the resident Magistrate of that town or village; or if there be more than one such Magistrate, to the Senior Magistrate.

3. Every recruiter shall wear on his left arm the badge prescribed by Section 20 of the Act; and if he is found exercising his calling without his badge so placed and plainly visible, his license shall be withdrawn.

4. Badges to be worn by the recruiters shall be sent to the Protector of Emigrants by the Emigration Agent concerned when the agency is opened, and all badges shall be numbered consecutively.

5. When a license is applied for, it will be issued with a numbered badge, and be itself numbered to correspond.

6. When a license is cancelled, withdrawn or no longer required, the badge shall be returned, with the license, to the Protector, or to the Magistrate of the district if the license was held by a recruiter appointed in the mofussil, and re-issued on the next application.

7. When intending emigrants appear before a Magistrate or the Protector for registration, the Magistrate or Protector shall, in the first instance, examine them with reference to their respective engagements without the recruiter being present at such examination; and in cases where the intending emigrants appear to be young persons unaccompanied by their relations, shall make careful inquiry as to the circumstances under which they have been induced to enter into such engagement. The recruiter shall then be called upon to answer any questions rendered necessary by statements made regarding his conduct by the intending emigrants; and finally the Magistrate or Protector shall effect their registration as provided by Section 27 or 29 of the Act, and by the following rule.

8. The register required to be kept, and the certified copy thereof which is to be given to each registered emigrant under Section 27 or 29 of the Act, shall include a descriptive roll of the emigrant setting forth his caste, colour, height and distinguishing marks.

9. During their journey to the emigration depôt an allowance will be made to emigrants on account of food at the rate of two annas a day for each adult, and half that sum for each child under ten years, including infants. If proceeding by sea, their passage shall be engaged by steamer, or by sailing vessel when the wind is fair, but not otherwise.

10. Besides the usual reports [under Section 8 of the Act] on return emigrants, the treatment they have experienced on boardship and in the colony, the Protector will submit, for the information of Government, the under-noted periodical reports and returns:—

(*a*) *Monthly.*—A return showing the number and description of emigrants who have embarked for the colonies during the month immediately preceding that on which the return is due.

(*b*) *Annually.*—A report on the emigration of the preceding official year, giving particulars on any points of importance, and embracing detailed information on (*a*) the number and description of emigrants embarked for and returned from the several colonies, (*b*) the amount of savings brought back by return emigrants, (*c*) the detention of coolies in the depôts and their mortality in depôts, (*d*) the length of the voyages and the mortality during those voyages, and (*e*) the prevalence of cholera on board of emigrant ships for the period under review.

11. Fees under Section 31 of the Indian Emigration Act must be levied on each emigrant as defined in Section 3 of the Act.

12. In the event of any emigrant who is already registered for one colony desiring to emigrate to another, such emigrant may be re-registered for the colony elected; and the same fee authorised for the first registration must be paid for re-registration by the agent or recruiter of the colony to which the emigrant is going.

13. Where any emigrant deserts at the station of the registering Magistrate, the fee paid in respect of such emigrant shall be refunded by the said Magistrate to the recruiter by whom it was paid on his written application.

14. Where the desertion occurs at any place between the station of the registering Magistrate and the emigration depôt to which the deserting emigrant was bound, or at such depôt, refund shall be made to the Emigration Agent on his written application for and on behalf of the recruiter by the Protector of Emigrants.

15. Where the deserting emigrant may have been registered by the Protector, refund shall be made by the Protector, as aforesaid.

16. In no case shall any refund be made where it shall appear to the Magistrate or Protector (as the case may be) that the desertion of the emigrant is attributable to the misconduct of the recruiter or his servants, or of the Emigration Agent or any person employed by him or under his control.

17. Copies and translations of the Indian Emigration Act, and of the rules framed under its provisions, may be procured at the authorised prices from the Office of the Protector of Emigrants, who will submit annual returns to Government of the number of copies of each which have been disposed of.

Rules for the guidance of the Medical Inspector of Emigrants.

18. The attention of the Medical Inspector is directed to Sections 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 34, 42 and 49 of the Act, and to the following rules.

19. The Medical Inspector shall exercise a careful supervision over the sanitary state of the emigration depôts; and, when necessary, he should suggest to the agent or officer in charge of the depôt any alteration which in a sanitary point of view may seem to him likely to benefit the coolies; and, so far as circumstances render it expedient, he should endeavour to introduce uniformity by assimilating the approved practices and arrangements in the several depôts, each one to the other.

20. He is jointly responsible with the Protector of Emigrants for the eligibility, for emigration purposes, of vessels which take emigrants from this port, and is expected to be present with the Protector of Emigrants at the primary and final surveys of ships chartered for the conveyance of emigrants, of their ventilation, fittings, provisions, medical stores and hospital arrangements. He shall also be present at the embarkation of emigrants, and shall see that everything is done to lessen the likelihood of disease and increase the comfort of the coolies.

21. No emigrant must be permitted to embark who is considered by the Medical Inspector to be physically unfit for the voyage, or who cannot do so without danger to his or her health, or to that of others. It will not be for the Inspector to decide upon the fitness or otherwise of the coolies for labour in the colony to which they are bound: that is a question for the consideration of the agent, who is guided in his selection of fit labourers by the advice of medical officers* who are specially appointed to this duty by the colony to which the emigrants are going.

* (*a*) The Surgeon of the depôt, and (*b*) the Surgeon of the ship in which the coolies are about to be conveyed.

Rules for the guidance of Emigration Agents.

22. Their attention is directed to those sections of the Act that define their duties, and to the following rules.

23. Correspondence with the local Government in connection with colonial emigration shall be conducted through the Protector of Emigrants.

24. Ordinarily the Agent will be guided by the Medical Inspector of Emigrants and the Surgeon of the depôt in all sanitary measures adopted in depôts, but the following points should always be kept in view, *viz.*:—

(*a*).—Cleanliness and ventilation, as affecting the persons of the coolies, their clothing, sleeping sheds, hospitals, depôt, compound and privies.

(*b*).—The purity of the drinking water-supply [*which must be distinct from that used for washing and bathing*] and the efficiency of the means for preserving its purity.

(*c*).—*Food:* That it is of good quality, sufficient in quantity, and well cooked. When rations are issued in lieu of diet-money or batta, the Government dietary scale (table A) shall be used as a guide.

(*d*).—*Clothing:* A sufficient supply at all seasons, and of blankets during the cold months especially. Clothing which coolies bring into the depôt with them may be retained by them, provided that the articles are in good condition, are not suspected of infection [in which case they must be burnt], and are properly washed, especially on admission and previous to embarkation.

(*e*).—The immediate isolation of all cases of communicable disease (*e.g.*, cholera, small-pox) and the prompt and careful disposal of all excreta, particularly in cholera cases, the destruction by fire of all infected or suspected clothing or other articles, the vaccination of all emigrants admitted into depôt previous to embarkation, and the free use of disinfectants in sleeping sheds, hospitals and privies.

(*f*).—Employment and recreation should be encouraged. Coolies should be engaged, as far as possible, in maintaining the good order and cleanliness of the depôt compound, garden, &c., for which service they ought to be fairly remunerated, and games or other amusements should be encouraged.

(*g*).—The emigration depôt shall be enclosed by a hedge in preference to a wall; but if the latter be considered necessary, it shall not be higher than five feet.

25. Whenever cholera makes its appearance, the matter should be immediately reported to the Protector of Emigrants, who will in severe outbreaks report for the information of Government.

26. There should always be two hospitals in every depôt—one for ordinary cases, and the other for communicable disease (*e. g.*, cholera, &c.); and a resident native or other doctor, subject to the approval of the Medical Inspector, shall be appointed to have charge of and to live near the hospital and within the depôt compound.

27. The weekly hospital report, in such form as may be desired by the Medical Inspector, shall be furnished regularly.

28. Coolies should not be detained too long in depôt. Every effort should be made to despatch the coolies, if possible, within a month from the date of their arrival in depot, so that the average detention in depôt may not, as a general rule, exceed one month. A return in Form No. 2 should be submitted for the information of Government at the close of each official year, with an explanation if the detention in depôt has been unusually long.

29. A qualified European, East Indian or Native Medical Officer (who has a fair knowledge of English) shall, subject to the approval of the Medical Inspector and the Protector of Emigrants, be appointed by the Emigration Agent to every ship engaged. Should the Medical Officer be unable to converse with the emigrants in their vernacular language, one interpreter must be engaged for ships proceeding to colonies east of the Cape; and in all cases three must be employed in those proceeding west of the Cape.

30. In cases in which the Medical Officer selected by the Agent has no diploma, he should not be employed without the approval of the Surgeon-General of the Medical Department.

A compounder or a qualified native doctor shall also be appointed to attend on the emigrants during the voyage.

31. The Medical Officer selected must be directed to the Protector's Office for the purpose of having his testimonials examined and registered, and the Protector may, if he see reason for so doing, take the opinion of the Surgeon-General of the Medical Department as to the efficiency of such Medical Officer.

32. The Emigration Agent will be informed by the Master of the vessel chartered by him of the dates fixed for the official surveys, in order that the Agent may have an opportunity of being present. Any opinions or suggestions which the Agent may wish to express respecting the vessel, her stores, fittings, &c., on those occasions should be communicated there and then to the Protector and Medical Inspector of Emigrants. Unless of a trivial nature and disposed of at the time, the Agent should convey his views also in writing officially to the Protector and without delay before the vessel is passed as fit for the conveyance or reception of emigrants.

33. When epidemic disease is prevalent in Bombay, the Emigration Agent will be required to obtain from the Surgeon of the depôt on the day of the embarkation of the emigrants a certificate to the effect that they have been generally healthy in depôt, and that no epidemic is prevalent among the coolies there. A copy of this certificate must be forwarded to the Protector's Office.

34. Of the total number to be embarked, the proportion of adult females shall be not less than 40 to every 100 adult males.

35. The Emigration Agent concerned should furnish the Master of the vessel chartered by him, when applying for a license, with a certified memorandum of the number and description of the emigrants likely to be embarked.

36. In a case of emergency, when the proportion of females cannot be completed, an application should accompany the memorandum reporting the deficiency for the information

of Government, and submitting for approval the manner in which it is intended to be made good in subsequent shipments.

37. As a general rule, females in an advanced state of pregnancy and infants who are too young to take ordinary food, and whose mothers cannot supply nourishment for them, should not be embarked. Other children, however, may be taken if accompanying their parents or relatives and approved by the Medical Inspector.

38. It shall be the duty of Emigration Agents to deliver to the Protector of Emigrants all property, wills or other documents which may come into their possesion belonging to coolies who have died in depôt, on ship-board or in the colonies, together with such descriptive particulars of the deceased and their heirs as they may be in a position to furnish, in order that their relatives may be traced or identified and the property correctly disposed of.

39. The Emigration Agent shall, with as little delay as possible, inform the Protector of Emigrants, in writing, of any changes he may be authorised to make in the terms offered to intending emigrants, in order that the alteration may be communicated to Government as soon as possible.

40. Copies of all agreements entered into with medical subordinates, interpreters and others, being natives of India, engaged to proceed with coolies to the West Indies or other colonies, should be forwarded to the Protector of Emigrants for submission to Government; and before the departure of each ship a memorandum showing all natives of India (*other than emigrants and crew*) who may be engaged by the Emigration Agents for service on board of emigrant ships should be furnished to the Protector of Emigrants. It will be the duty of the Protector to satisfy himself that advances of wages endorsed on such agreements have been actually paid to, and received by, the persons named in such agreements.

41. Clothing and utensils shall be supplied to each emigrant according to the scales laid down in tables C and F hereunto annexed, and shall be shipped immediately after the emigrants have embarked.

42. Between the 1st day of March and the 15th day of September, every emigrant proceeding to the west of the Cape shall be provided with an extra double blanket for use outside the tropics, in addition to the usual supply of clothing and blankets prescribed in table F for the rest of the season.

43. In sufficient time previous to the day fixed for embarkation, the coolies should be arranged (relatives being kept together) in the numerical order in which their names will occur in the passes and the general register compiled from the passes, both of which must therefore correspond and be numbered accordingly.

44. Each emigrant must be provided with his pass, and may also be supplied with a tin ticket (to hang conveniently from the neck or arm where it may be easily seen), bearing the number, stamped in raised figures, corresponding with that affixed to his or her name in the pass and general register of emigrants about to be embarked.

45. When mustering the coolies on any occasion, and especially for inspection prior to embarkation, they should be arranged and maintained in the order of their numbers, to avoid confusion and ensure a correct muster.

46. Emigration Agents should furnish the documents noted below, *viz.*:—

To Masters.

(*a*).—A certified memorandum of the number and description of emigrants likely to be embarked, the proportion of adult females, and any explanation that the circumstances of the case may require.

(*b*).—Certificate under Section 44 of the Act—(*See* Form No. 19).

(*c*).—Two copies of the Indian Emigration Act and of all rules under Section 56, and two copies of a translation of the Act and of such rules in such languages as the local Government may direct.

(*d*).—Passes or certificates to the emigrants under Section 38 of the Act.

(*e*).—Four copies of the general register of emigrants compiled from their passes (Form No. 21). All four shall be signed by the Master: the Master shall then deliver two copies to the Emigration Agent, who, after signing them, shall retain one and return the other to the Master for the use of the Emigration authorities at the port of debarkation. The Master shall also deliver two other copies to the Protector, who, after signing them, will retain one and return the other, in order that it may be duly filled up (as required by Rule 107) and forwarded to the Government Officer at the port of debarkation, who will ultimately return it with the Surgeon's medical records to the Protector of Emigrants at Bombay.

(*f*).—A copy of instructions for guidance in the care and management of emigrants.

To Surgeons.

(*g*).—A blank form for recording daily issue of stores for emigrants—(Form No. 22 or 23).

(*h*).—Admission and discharge book (blank)—(Form No. 24).

(*i*).—Medical case-book (blank)—(Form No. 25).

(*j*).—Register of births and deaths (blank)—(Form No. 26).

(*k*).—Medical history of the voyage (blank)—(Form No. 27).

(*l*).—Instructions to Surgeons for guidance in the care and management of emigrants, and a copy of the rules under the Indian Emigration Act.

(*m*).—A copy of the charter party.

Rules for the guidance of Masters of Emigrant Ships.

47. In addition to the following rules, their attention is directed to Sections 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 46, 49, 50, 51, 54 and 55 of the Indian Emigration Act.

48. Every vessel for which a license is required shall be surveyed under instructions from the Protector of Emigrants, through whom written application for the license must be made by the Master in Form No. 3.

49. On receipt of the application for license, the Protector shall, in communication with the Master Attendant, cause the vessel to be surveyed by an officer of the Master Attendant's Department with a view to ascertain her seaworthiness, the extent and nature of her accommodation,* &c. (under the terms of Section 41 of the Act), the state of her tackle, boats, &c., as prescribed in Schedule A, together with such other additional requisites as may be considered necessary by the Marine Surveyor to render the vessel in every respect seaworthy and fit for the conveyance of emigrants.

* Under Government Order No. 107 of 24th January 1872, Sterling's rule is adopted in measuring emigrant ships.

50. The Marine Surveyor shall report the results of his survey and measurements to the Protector of Emigrants, first in Form No. 4, and subsequently, when everything is provided to his satisfaction, in Form No. 16.

51. After the Marine Surveyor's report in Form No. 4 has been forwarded to the Protector's Office, the Master should arrange with the Protector of Emigrants for an inspection of the vessel in order to decide on her eligibility in other respects, her ventilation and fittings, as specified in Schedule B. The Master must at once inform the Emigration Agent of the day and hour fixed for this survey.

52. The Protector, if satisfied in all respects, will then grant a certificate (Form No. 6) to the Master, and will require the Master to execute, in duplicate, the bond (Schedule D) in consideration of his receiving a license.

53. Prior to taking in the stores enumerated in the list of provisions and miscellaneous articles (Form No. 8 or 9), the Master shall send, for the examination of the Protector, samples of each article enumerated in the dietary scales. If they are approved, the *instructions* in Form No. 7 will be forwarded for the guidance of the Commander, who must carefully attend to them, and see that the officer in charge of the stores, &c., abides by them also.

54. The prescribed quantity of water for the emigrants must be stored in clean iron tanks. In ships carrying an approved distilling apparatus, a reduction of one-third the prescribed quantity of water is allowed, and Masters should lose no time in getting the machine examined by a competent Surveyor, subject to the approval of the Protector of Emigrants.

55. The provisions, miscellaneous articles, medicines, instruments, disinfectants, &c. (Form No. 8 or 9 and Table B or E), and the *extra clothing blankets*, &c., must be on board at least one day before that fixed for the final survey, in order that the Surgeon of the ship (with whom the Master must communicate) may have an opportunity of examining those stores properly *on board the ship* prior to the final survey, which will be held after the Surgeon is satisfied and certifies to their correctness under Table B or E and in Form No. 13.

The medical stores and extra clothing, &c., should then be locked up safely, pending their inspection by the Medical Inspector and Protector of Emigrants at the final survey.

56. It is the duty of the Master to ascertain that all the fittings, stores, and water are of the best quality and amply provided according to scale. If he is unable to attend to this duty

himself, he must on his own responsibility depute an officer especially to this work. The examinations of the Protector and Medical Inspector do not in any degree lessen the responsibility of the Master, who, when everything is ready for final survey, should forward the certificate and application for final survey (Form No. 14) to the Protector's Office. When the time for the final survey has been fixed by the Protector, the Master must at once inform the Emigration Agent of it, in order that he may be afforded an opportunity of being present also.

57. Emigrants will not be allowed to embark on any vessel on board of which there is not a 3rd officer, whose duty it shall be to have charge of the emigrant stores, to issue the rations, water, &c., for the emigrants, and to assist the Surgeon generally in the care and management of the emigrants on board.

58. No gunpowder, inflammable oils, spirits, jute, hides, nor any commodity likely by reason of its quantity or quality to be detrimental to the safety or health of the emigrants, shall be taken as cargo or part of the cargo; nor shall any vicious dogs or wild animals be allowed on board of an emigrant ship.

59. Responsible officers must be appointed to have charge of the fire-engine, where one is on board, and other precautionary measures taken against the risk of fire.

60. Besides the bond (under Section 40 of the Act, Schedule D, Appendix, required from the Master, and which, duly stamped, must be executed in duplicate at the Office of the Protector of Emigrants), the Master shall forward to the Protector's office, *at least one clear day before the day appointed for the final survey*, the under-noted certificates duly filled up, dated and signed according to the forms prescribed in the Appendix, *viz.* :—

(*a*).—A certificate to the effect that the conditions of Rules 57 and 58 have been complied with (Form No. 12).

(*b*).—Two copies of the provision list duly filled up and signed (Form No. 8 or 9); the Surgeon's certificates to Table B or E, and Form No. 13.

(*c*).—A certificate of the total quantity of water, its source, &c. (Form No. 10).

(*d*).—A certificate from the Master stating that an officer has been appointed to the special charge of the emigrants' stores, &c., and that the fittings and stores are ready for survey (Form No. 14).

N. B.—The following certificates should be forwarded to the Protector's Office at least one day prior to that of embarkation :—

(*e*).—A certificate from the Surveyor of distilling machines to the effect that the requirements of Schedule C are fully complied with (Form No. 11).

(*f*).—A certificate from the Master Attendant's Office to the effect that the requirements of Schedule A and of the Marine Surveyor have been fully complied with (Form No. 16).

(*g*).—A certificate from the Shipping Master's Office to the effect that the proper number and description of crew have been duly shipped (Form No. 17).

(*h*).—Commanders are also required to furnish crew and passenger lists in Form No. 18; and, excepting emigrants and European or Native cabin passengers and their servants, who must be duly entered in the form above referred to, no other Native passengers shall be received on board an emigrant ship.

61. The date of embarkation may be decided on after, *but not before*, the ship has passed her final survey of fittings and stores.

62. In appointing the time of embarkation, a sufficient interval must be ensured for the emigrants' stores to be properly stowed away, and for the vessel to be in every respect clean, in good order, and thoroughly prepared for the reception of her emigrants.

63. When everything is completed to the satisfaction of the Protector and Medical Inspector of Emigrants, and the ship is ready for sea, the clearance certificate in Form No. 19, under Section 44 of the Act, will be granted by the Protector of Emigrants to the Master, who will also obtain from the Emigration Agent a similar certificate. The Protector shall have the power to delay the embarkation if, in his opinion, the weather is likely to be boisterous.

Rules for the guidance of Surgeons of Emigrant Ships.

64. The Surgeon shall call at the office of the Protector of Emigrants as soon as possible after his nomination, in order that his qualifications, &c., may be registered. He will leave his address at the office, and should intimate any change of residence as soon as it is conveniently possible, in order that communications from the office may be correctly addressed to him.

65. When the Medical Officer has no diploma, he shall not be employed without the approval of the Surgeon-General of the Medical Department, and Native Medical Officers must have a fair knowledge of English.

66. The Surgeon is required to attend frequently at the depôt before embarkation, in order that he may become thoroughly acquainted with the health and physical condition of the coolies of whom he is about to receive charge, and he should see that they are all properly vaccinated.

67. He must take an early opportunity before embarkation of comparing the coolies in depôt with their passes (under Section 38 of the Act), and when satisfied of their correctness, he will countersign them.

68. The Surgeon, if in Bombay at the time, shall be present with the Protector and Medical Inspector of Emigrants at the *first* official inspection for deciding on the eligibility, fittings, ventilation, &c., of the ship tendered for the conveyance of the emigrants of whom he is going in medical charge. He should visit the ship occasionally in the interval between the first and final survey, to satisfy himself in good time that there is nothing to which he would object, and should arrange with the Protector to see the samples of stores intended for the coolies before the samples are approved of. He must be present with the Protector and Medical Inspector at the *final survey* of ship's fittings and stores. Any suggestions or objections he may desire to make at either or both of the surveys should be stated there and then to the Protector and Medical Inspector, who, if the representation is of a trivial character, may deal with it at once; but, if it is of a more serious or difficult nature, the Surgeon must without delay forward a written statement of his views officially to the Protector of Emigrants, who will give it careful attention. Should the Surgeon have no objections to urge on either of those occasions, he shall furnish the Protector of Emigrants with a certificate in Form No. 5 after the *first* inspection, and with a certificate in Form No. 15 after the *final survey*.

69. Prior to the time fixed for the final survey of stores, &c., the Surgeon, in communication with the Master, must appoint a convenient time for the careful examination, *on board the ship*, of the provisions, miscellaneous articles, medicines, instruments, disinfectants, extra clothing and blankets supplied for the emigrants. If satisfied of their good quality and correctness according to scale, the Surgeon shall receive charge of the medical stores and have them put into a safe place, pending their examination at the final official survey. When satisfied, he shall sign duplicate copies of the certified table B or E (at foot of scale of medicines) and certificate Form No. 13. A copy of each must be furnished by him to the Protector of Emigrants, and a duplicate copy of each to the Emigration Agent.

70. Before the time of embarkation the Surgeon should also satisfy himself that the ordinary clothing and blankets supplied at the depôt to the coolies for their use on the voyage are of good quality, clean and sufficient according to scale, and that the compounder, maistries, cooks, topases, &c., have been duly appointed.

71. The Surgeon must obtain the following documents from the Office of the Protector of Emigrants :—

(*a*).—Blank forms of scale Table B or E, and also certificate Forms Nos. 5, 13 and 15.

(*b*).—Instructions to Surgeons regarding contagious fever on board of emigrant ships.

(*c*).—A copy, duly signed by the Master, of the scale and list of provisions, &c. (Form No. 8 or 9), taken on board at Bombay.

(*d*).—A memorandum of the quantity and description of fresh provisions and water to be taken in by the Master either at the Cape or at St. Helena.

N. B.—For a list of documents to be obtained from the Emigration Agents, see Rule 46.

II.—THE EMBARKATION.

Rules for the guidance of Emigration Agents.

72. The emigrants should be at the place of embarkation in sufficient time to be correctly arranged for medical inspection and muster according to their numerical order in the general register, No. 1 being placed nearest the embarkation point.

73. When once numerically arranged for inspection and embarkation, they should not be permitted to leave their places: it should be impressed on the maistries to attend to this, and the writers or other servants present should also see that no confusion results.

74. The compounder and establishment of cooks, topases, &c., must be present punctually to help the coolies and to assist the Surgeon in berthing the coolies when on board.

Rules for the guidance of Masters.

75. Before the time fixed for embarkation the 'tween decks should be thoroughly cleaned and cleared for the reception of the emigrants. The lanterns, trimmed all ready for lighting, should be hung in their places, and, unless wet weather prevents it, all the ventilation of the 'tween decks must be opened up.

76. When the weather is wet, or rain is expected, the tarpaulins for spreading, tent-fashion, over the hatches must be put up, and awnings must be spread so as to shelter the coolies as they embark and keep the 'tween decks as dry as possible.

77. The scuttle butts should be filled with drinking water, and the wash deck-tubs, filled with water, placed near the water-closets for the convenience of the coolies.

78. A convenient accommodation side ladder must be provided, also chair and tackling for hoisting up women and children.

79. All the crew must be on board previous to the embarkation of the coolies.

80. The Master must be present at the embarkation to satisfy himself, by comparing the passes with the names of the emigrants, as they are called one by one in their numerical order in the general register, that all is correct; and two of the ship's crew—one to *count*, and the other to *note*—shall keep a careful tally of the total number of souls received on board.

81. After embarkation it is often necessary to issue a supply of choora or avil and sugar to the coolies and milk for the children, if the Surgeon orders it. These articles should therefore be kept ready at hand.

82. Immediately after embarkation coolies are very apt to carry fire for smoking into the 'tween decks if they can procure it: this should be guarded against.

83. After embarkation the Master and Surgeon will receive charge of the documents relating to the coolies, which will be furnished to them by the Emigration Agent.

84. In addition to the copies of the Act and rules, and the emigrants' certificates or passes, the Emigration Agent will supply the Master of every vessel with four copies of the general register of emigrants (Form No. 21), all of which the Master is required to sign. He shall then deliver two of them to the Agent, who after signing them will return one to the Master for the use of the Emigration authorities at the part of debarkation. The Master will also deliver two other copies of the register to the Protector of Emigrants, who, after signing them, will return one copy to the Master, in order that it may be duly filled up (as required by Rule 107) and forwarded to the Protector of Emigrants at the port of debarkation, for ultimate transmission (with the medical records) to the Protector of Emigrants at Bombay.

85. The heavy baggage (if any) of the coolies should be put down the hold.

86. The vessel must proceed to sea within 48 hours after the embarkation of the coolies is completed.

Rules for the guidance of the Ship's Surgeon.

87. He should be at the place of embarkation at least half-an-hour before the time appointed for the embarkation.

88. He shall, in conjunction with the Medical Inspector of Emigrants, examine the emigrants for the last time previous to their going on board, and reject any one considered unfit to go.

89. In berthing the coolies, the unmarried women should be placed furthest aft, the married couples next, and the single men forward.

90. The Surgeon should see that the compounder, maistries, cooks and topases are on board.

91. For every 100 adults 4 maistries are appointed to act as headmen. The coolies must be divided into lots, and each maistry should take charge of a company and also of a division of the lower deck, for the good order and cleanliness of which he is to be held responsible.

92. The Surgeon should instruct the maistries and topases to see that no smoking or fire is allowed in the 'tween decks, and that the coolies do not drink any water but that which is supplied for them in the scuttle butts on deck. These points will require the Surgeon's personal attention.

III.—THE VOYAGE.

Rules for the guidance of the Commander.

93. As the Surgeon will have the principal charge of the emigrants, every requisition made by him to the Commander, consistent with good order and discipline (without interfering with the routine duties of the ship, for which the Commander himself is always the responsible person) must be promptly complied with, and the officers and crew are bound to render any reasonable assistance in their power when it is necessary for them to do so.

94. During the voyage Commanders should see that the 'tween decks are cleared three times every day, disinfected and *dry holystoned* daily by the coolies, and that, weather permitting, they are whitewashed throughout every alternate Saturday. No naked lights, loose hay or straw shall be allowed between decks or in the hold at any time, nor on any account. At least six safety lanterns shall burn from dusk to daylight throughout the voyage for the use of the emigrants.

95. Wooden ships that do not make so much water as to require pumping out once a week, must twice a week have a sufficient quantity of water poured into their hold and pumped out again for the purpose of keeping the bilges sweet.

96. The officers and crew of the ship must not be permitted to have any intercourse or to interfere with the emigrants; and no female emigrant is to be a servant to the Captain, Surgeon, cabin passengers or officers of the ship.

97. The daily issue by the officer in charge of the rations and water for the coolies is to be carried out under instructions from the Surgeon before 6 A. M. every day, so that the first meal may be properly cooked and served out by 9 A. M., and the second by 3 P. M.: the issuing officer in charge of the stores must keep a correct account of the expenditure in Form No. 24 or 25, and have it initialled daily as indicated therein. Medical stores and comforts shall be issued on the requisition of the Surgeon.

98. It must be clearly understood that the dietary scale is merely intended as *a guide and not a hard-and-fast rule.* The provisions supplied according to that scale may be issued in such variety as to quantities and proportions as the Surgeon may consider necessary for the benefit of the coolies.

99. Meals must be taken on deck when practicable.

100. The wash deck-tubs should be filled regularly, and for the last time at 8 P. M., for the use of the coolies during the night. The tubs should be securely lashed near each block of water closets.

101. Constant attention should be paid to the windsails and other sources of fresh air for the 'tween decks, but those which it would be dangerous to leave open must be closed in bad weather—side scuttles, for example.

102. Awnings must be spread over the quarter and main decks when the weather permits, and coolies should be encouraged to keep as much in the open air as possible.

103. Tarpaulins for spreading, tent-fashion, over the hatchways when necessary to be kept at hand.

104. The 'tween decks must be kept perfectly free, clean, and as dry as possible, by means of hot sand and stoves if necessary; and the upper deck is also to be kept clear of all unnecessary lumber.

105. The accommodation or space of the coolies must on no account be encroached upon; the main quarter and poop decks must be given up to the coolies, at least to such extent as shall not interfere with the working of the ship.

106. The fire-buckets and life-buoys must be kept at all times in readiness; the regulations of the Board of Trade respecting lights and fog-signals shall be strictly observed throughout the voyage, and the times of hoisting and hauling down the lights shall be noted daily in the ship's log.

107. The Commander should retain in his possession the certificates and effects of those emigrants who die during the voyage, and should deliver them, with an inventory of the articles, to the Protector of Emigrants, or other proper authority at the port of debarkation, together with the counterpart list and general register given to him by the Emigration Agent. Great care must be taken not to deface the lists or certificates.—(*See* Rules 130 and 131.)

108. On arrival at the port of debarkation the state in which each emigrant is landed and the deaths should be entered in the column of "Remarks" of the general register (signed by the Protector of Emigrants at Bombay), which should be countersigned by the Master and Surgeon, and then forwarded to the proper Government authority at the port of debarkation for transmission to the Protector of Emigrants at Bombay.

Rules for the guidance of the Surgeon.

109. As the health of those on board depend so materially on strictly careful attention to all sanitary precautions and the early detection of disease, the Surgeon is specially charged with the duty of maintaining throughout the voyage a constant watchfulness over everything that may influence the health of those in his charge.

110. The Surgeon should, as far as possible, guard the coolies from harsh treatment; he should see that the space allotted to them on the upper and lower decks is not encroached upon; that there is no improper intercourse or interference on the part of the officers and crew with the emigrants; and, if necessary, he should report any infringements of this rule to the Master, who is bound to inquire into the matter and to adopt such measures as the case may

require. No punishment shall be inflicted on any emigrant except with the consent of the Surgeon and Master of the ship, and the particulars of such cases must be duly entered in the ship's log.

111. It is the duty of the 3rd Officer (appointed for the purpose), and also of the maistries, to assist the Surgeon in maintaining discipline, to see that his orders and daily instructions are carried out, to report any irregularities or cases of sudden sickness, to assist in distributing the rations, &c., and to superintend the cleanliness of the coolies, their accommodation, food and water.

112. The topases must keep every part of the deck and hospital occupied by coolies constantly swept and clean, and must attend regularly to the thorough cleanliness of the water-closets by means of constant washing and the use of disinfectants.

113. They must also see that the tubs near the privies are securely fastened and kept regularly filled with water for the use of the coolies.

114. The cooks, assisted by the maistries, will receive and cook the daily rations under the instructions of the Surgeon, and they must also take care of the galley fires and see that they are extinguished at 7 P.M., unless otherwise directed.

115. The coolies must be kept as much as possible in the open air; they should take their meals on deck whenever this is practicable, and at least one-half of their number should *always be on deck* during the day-time when the weather permits it.

116. Ventilation and the means for promoting or modifying it should be constantly attended to, and those openings which it would be dangerous to keep open promptly closed on the approach of bad weather.

117. When possible, the coolies should bathe daily, a sail-screen being put up for the women; and they should wash their clothes at least twice a week. The decks should be *dry holystoned* by the male emigrants daily when practicable, and disinfecting powder must be freely used where the decks have been soiled in any way.

118. The water-closets must be constantly inspected throughout the voyage.

119. The coolies' clothing and blankets should be aired thoroughly at least thrice a week. In damp weather the hanging stoves and hot sand may be cautiously used with advantage to hasten the drying of any parts of the deck, &c., that have been accidentally wetted.

120. At the outset of the voyage the Surgeon should take an account of and hold in reserve all the warm clothing in the possession of the emigrants, in order that they may be preserved and used as soon as a change of temperature renders it necessary. Each emigrant should be made responsible for the care of his or her own suit. There should be a general muster of all clothing and blankets once a week.

121. The provisions issued daily must be divided into two portions, so that they may be cooked for two meals: the first at 9 A.M., and the other at 3 P.M. The issues shall be recorded daily by the officer in charge and attested by the initials of the Surgeon and officer.—(*See* Form No. 22 or 23.)

122. It must be distinctly understood that the diet scale is merely intended as a fair *guide*, ensuring for the voyage a sufficient supply of provisions in those proportions which a consideration of their nutritive values renders necessary. The elements of a nutritious dietary are placed at the Surgeon's disposal, and it is intentionally left to his discretion to use and combine them to the best advantage for the emigrant's benefit under the varying circumstances of a long voyage. *All waste and excess must be strictly avoided.*

123. When cooking is prevented by bad weather, the *dry provisions* should be issued in lieu of cooked food.

124. Meals when ready must be reported to the Surgeon, who will see that the food is *well cooked* and fairly served out. The decks must be swept after each meal, and dry holystoned or scraped after breakfast; the spaces under the platforms should be specially looked after, and all dirt thrown overboard.

125. Cooking utensils must be kept clean and inspected daily, and the boiling of rice or other articles in brackish water must be prohibited.

126. Coolies must not be allowed to retain or secrete in their clothes, &c., any food which they were unable to finish: the eating of stale food must be prevented. No smoking shall be allowed between decks.

127. Food for the sick, their medicines, &c., should be methodically arranged, so that they shall receive the prescribed quantities regularly every four hours, or at such other intervals as the Surgeon may decide on. The *night-nursing and feeding of the sick should be most particularly provided for.* It is between midnight and morning that the want of sufficient support is so severely felt, and is so likely to be neglected by a careless assistant.

128. Coolies must be encouraged to amuse themselves by harmless diversions, and should be allowed to play on their drums, &c., till eight bells.

129. It is the duty of the Surgeon to recommend to the Master such arrangements or expedients as may appear to the Surgeon likely to promote the health and comfort of the emigrants. It is the Surgeon's duty to keep a watchful eye over the health of the coolies: he should muster and inspect them twice daily, and by being constantly among them he should be always in a position to detect the earliest symptoms of disease, such as scurvy, &c. Communicable diseases (small-pox, cholera, &c.) must be isolated *at once*; the place vacated must be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected, and any suspected or infected articles should be completely destroyed or thrown over board.

130. In case of an epidemic, the nearest port must be made for and the emigrants disembarked. Unless the cause of death be a contagious or infectious disease, the corpse of no emigrant shall be thrown into the sea until six hours after death; but when a quicker burial is necessary under any circumstances, it may be allowed after the death has been ascertained and certified to in the ship's log by the Medical Officer, Commander and Chief Officer.

131. Both the Surgeon and the Master must send from the first port touched at to the Protector of Emigrants at Bombay report of all unusual occurrences affecting the health or welfare of the emigrants on board. The Surgeon and Master are mutually responsible for the care of the emigrants, and all the rules for the voyage (conveniently separated for the guidance of each) must be followed by both—each co-operating with the other for the good and safety of the emigrants entrusted to their care.

132. The Surgeon should make over the property of those emigrants who die on board, with a list of their effects, to the Master of the ship, who shall give him a receipt for them.

133. The Surgeon is required to keep the following records during the voyage, *viz.*:—

(*a*).—A record of the patients admitted and discharged, in Form No. 24.

(*b*).—A medical case-book, in which *every* case must be entered and not only those considered important, in Form No. 25.

(*c*).—A medical history of the voyage, in Form No. 27.

(*d*).—A register of births and deaths, in Form No. 26.

134. The abovenamed records, carefully kept and duly signed by the Surgeon, must be given in by him to the proper Government authority at the port of debarkation for transmission to the Protector of Emigrants at Bombay; and to ensure correctness and regularity in these returns, no payment of any description is to be made to the Surgeon until the general and mortality registers have been examined and their correctness certified to by the Health Officer and Protector of Emigrants, or other proper Government authority at the port of debarkation.

OF RETURNED EMIGRANTS.

135. Early notice of the arrival of any ship with return emigrants should be sent to the Protector of Emigrants, in order that the vessel and her emigrants may be inspected by him, to whom a nominal roll of the emigrants, and any other documents or necessary information relating to them, together with the wills and property of emigrants who have died on board, should be made over as soon as it is conveniently possible.

136. Return emigrants, immediatetly on their landing, shall be properly lodged and provided for by the Agent of the colony whence the coolies have returned, and they should not be detained in Bombay longer than is necessary to arrange everything for their return. The sick should be sent to hospital at once, and all who are paupers returned to their homes at the expense of the colony. In all cases care must be be taken that those who are blind, lame or otherwise helpless are sufficiently provided with such additional assistance for the journey home as their condition or circumstances may render necessary.

137. Return emigrants should be cautioned against carrying loose cash on their persons, and assisted, if they desire it, to obtain money-orders on the local treasuries of the districts to which they are going.

138. Emigrants should be landed only during daylight, and not after dark.

139. In the event of a ship from any British or Foreign colony to which emigration is lawful arriving at Bombay, or in the event of a ship from any French colony to which emigration is lawful arriving at any French port adjoining the Bombay Presidency, with return emigrants belonging to any part of British India not comprised in the Bombay Presidency, the Protector of Emigrants in the case of emigrants landing at Bombay, or the British Consular Agent in the case of emigrants arriving at any French port from a French colony, shall cause the emigrants to be brought before him directly they are landed, and question them as to their treatment on board, their savings, &c., in the same manner as is usually done in the case of return emigrants belonging to the Bombay Presidency.

140. The Protector of Emigrants, in the case of emigrants landed at Bombay, shall then forward the emigrants to the Emigration Agent for the colony from which they have returned, to be kept by him in the depôt under his charge, board and lodging gratis, until the occurrence of the earliest suitable opportunity for their despatch to the presidency or province to which they belong.

141. The Emigration Agent for such colony shall then forward the emigrants to such presidency or province, as the case may be, paying their passage and making provision for their food, &c., under the supervision of the Protector of Emigrants, in the same manner as is done in the case of emigrants shipped to such colony.

142. In every case of returned emigrants arriving at any of the French ports as aforesaid from a French colony, a report is to be sent by the British Consular Agent to the Protector of Emigrants at Bombay stating what steps have been taken for despatching them to the presidency or province to which they belong.

APPENDIX EMBRACING SCHEDULES AND FORMS.

SCHEDULE (A).

Anchors, cables, and hawsers, according to Lloyd's requirements for classification.

Anchor, bower	3	Weight according to tonnage; 1,000 tons' vessel should have bower anchors 30 cwt. each, exclusive of stock, which is about 5 or 6 cwt.; the stream 12 cwt.; and kedges 6 cwt. and 3 cwt., including stock.
„ stream	1	
„ kedges	2	
Chain 1¾	300 fathoms.	
„ stream	90 „	
Hawsers, 2 or 3 of 11 inches, 9 and 7, or 5, either Europe or coir, 90 fathoms each.		

Boats of approved construction: one to be a life-boat with four life-buoys, and fitted, when practicable, with Clifford's Lowering Apparatus.

	Ft.			Ft. In.			Ft. In.		
No. 1,	26	length	×	7	0	breadth	3	0	depth.
„ 2,	25	„	×	6	6	„	2	6	„
„ 3,	25	„	×	6	6	„	2	6	„
„ 4,	23	„	×	6	0	„	2	4	„
„ 5,	23	„	×	6	0	„	2	4	„
„ 6,	22	„	×	5	6	„	2	2	„

If there are less than 350 men, No. 5 boat can be dispensed with. The same number of boats of an equivalent capacity can be substituted. Each boat to be fitted with masts, sails, rowlocks or tholes, oars (complete set), breakers (one at least to each boat), rudder, plugs and painter.

Admiralty or other approved Charts of all the seas the ship is to traverse, and of the islands, coasts, ports and harbours contiguous thereto.

Books.

1. The latest Commercial Code List of Ships.
2. Commercial Code of Signals.
3. Nautical Almanac.
4. Law of Storms.
5. Captain A. D. Taylor's edition of Horsburgh's India (Sailing) Directory, Part I.

Instruments, &c.

(*a*).—*Chronometers*, 2.

(*b*).—*Barometer*, 1 at least.

(*c*).—*Compass*, steering and boat's.

(*d*).—*Axe*, 1.

(*e*).—*Lead and lines*, deep sea and hand lead, 2 of each.

(*f*).—*Lightning conductor*, 1 to mainmast at least.

(*g*).—*Lights*, as per Admiralty regulations. Blue composition for signal purposes, a quantity; and signal rockets, if procurable.

(*h*).—*Force pump or fire-engine*, 1 at least, with 2 flexible hoses complete, if procurable.

(*i*).—1 *head pump*, 1 *hold pump*, with flexible hose, if procurable, for issuing fresh water on upper deck.

(*j*).—*Sails*, 2 sets in good order, with proper storm sails.

(*k*).—*Signals*, Commercial Code.

(*l*).—*Masts, yards* and *rigging* to be in good order and condition, and a spare spar shall be provided.

(*m*).—*Fire buckets* (stropped) 3 to every 100 tons of ship's register up to 600 tons, and 2 additional buckets for every 100 tons above 600; provided that the total number shall not be required to exceed 50 in any vessel. One-half of such buckets shall be kept constantly hung up on the quarter deck or other convenient place.

(*n*).—Poop, quarter, and main-deck awnings complete and in good order.

Crew, &c.

Crew according to tonnage, *viz.*:—

For the first 500 tons,	...	4 men to every	100 tons.
From 500 to 1,000 „	...	3 „	100 „
„ 1,000 tons and upwards	...	2 „	100 „

Of the whole number the ship is required to carry, exclusive of boys, one-half must be able seamen.

The above includes three officers.

The commander and two officers to have certificates of competency.

N. B.—There must be *three* officers to every emigrant ship; and in the case of vessels bound for places west of the Cape of Good Hope, they must all, if practicable, be Europeans; but in vessels conveying emigrants to Mauritius, Réunion, &c., the third mate may be an East Indian.

SCHEDULE (B).

Specification of ventilation and fittings to be provided for ships chartered to convey emigrants from Bombay.

1. *Ventilation of the between-decks*:—Besides hatches (and if any stern ports of side scuttles the latter to be glazed, well fitted, about 14 feet apart, and as close to the upper deck as possible), there must be air shafts and cowlheaded funnels or tubes, with such other additional means for affording light and ventilation to the space intended for the accommodation of the emigrants as the Protector and Medical Inspector of Emigrants may consider necessary.

2. All cowlheaded funnels must be well made of stout sheet iron (1-12th of an inch thick), each tube averaging at least a foot in diameter with well-expanded moveable and revolving cowls. The upper lip of the cowl must be sufficiently well projected to keep out rain. The cowls must be thoroughly secure in their hold on the funnels to which they belong: and the funnels or tubes, properly flanged at the deck end, must be well fitted and very securely bolted to the deck.

3. Every cowlheaded deck opening shall be provided with a suitable plug for use in bad weather.

4. The air-shafts and combings round the deck openings must be strongly put together, properly caulked, and of such form and size as may be decided on by the Protector and Medical Inspector of Emigrants. They must be well sheltered above against wind and wet weather, with properly constructed lids, covered with tarred canvas, glazed, if necessary, and white-washed inside.

5. The lower apertures of all cowlheaded tubes or air-shafts opening into the between-decks may be fitted, under instructions from the Protector, with means for fastening horizontal screens a few inches from the mouth of each aperture so as to diffuse the down draft of cold air.

6. One windsail for every hatchway, and two extra, for air-shafts.

7. *Ventilation of the hold.*—Except in vessels fitted with ventilating masts, in which case a proportionate reduction may be allowed, there should be five steam pipes solidly and strongly put together of stout metal or wood and air-tight, each at least 9 inches in diameter, fitted with cowlheads, and leading from the hold to the open air on the upper deck. They should be conveniently placed and so arranged as to carry off the steam from the cargo quite clear of the 'tween-decks, the air of which must be kept as pure and free from sources of contamination as possible. This rule shall not be deemed compulsory in cases where no cargo is carried.

8. Prior to taking in cargo or stores the ship's limbers and bilges, if foul, should be thoroughly cleaned, and the latter purified, if necessary, by the free use of some disinfectant, such as carbolic acid, &c.

9. All air-holes in the between-decks must be securely stopped.

10. If necessary, bright sheet tin reflectors, 2 to 4 feet square, may be fitted conveniently and at such an angle as to reflect light from above into the 'tween-decks below. It is sufficient to arrange them at the vessel's stem or stern when they are unusually dark.

11. All exposed or dangerous places where children or others are likely to injure themselves should be properly protected or closed.

12. The space to be occupied by the emigrants must be cleared of every obstruction, thoroughly cleaned, dried, and whitewashed throughout, and nothing must be slung up or stowed away between the beams.

13. Previous to embarkation and after the decks are cleared, bamboos, ropes, or stout rails must be securely fastened fore and aft to the amidship stanchions, so that the coolies may have something on which to hang their clothes and bundles, and to depend for support when the ship rolls.

14. The lower deck hatches must be closed and covered with tarpaulins properly battened down or secured with iron bars locked; and in ships for the West Indies canvas screens (of No. 6 canvas) shall be fitted to each upper deck hatchway, so that they may roll up when not in use.

15. Hooks for hanging the required number of lanterns must be fixed at convenient distances apart, and where necessary.

16. *Fittings of the upper deck.*—Water-closets must be firmly fitted inside the vessel in two blocks divided into compartments, the forward one (usually opposite the forehatch) for the men, and the after block, as far aft as it is conveniently possible, for the women and children. The number of compartments and seats will depend upon the number of statute adults to be conveyed. The closets must be well built, securely covered on their tops with tarred or painted canvas, and every compartment must be fitted with strongly hinged doors capable of being fastened on both sides; each compartment should not exceed 22 inches in breadth, nor should the seats in them be more than 22 inches square, though the *length of the compartment* should exceed its breadth by a few inches in front of each seat for convenience in entering the closet. The foot-boards on either side for the seats must be about 7 inches wide and 8 inches apart, so as to leave a central space of that size to communicate with the closet floor and shoot, which (lined with sheet iron) should be, as far as possible, free from all angles or projections likely to obstruct. The shoots must carry the soil well clear of the ship's side. If considered dangerously large for young children, the ports or scuttles through which the shoots lead must be guarded with horizontal iron or hard wood bars to prevent accidents. A strong, short hand-rail must be fitted inside the closet, and in a convenient position to hold on by. Those parts of the wood-work and shoots exposed to any source of contamination must be thoroughly and continuously lined with stout sheet iron, to prevent the wood from absorbing impurities, otherwise the floor and shoots must be constructed entirely of sheet iron or zinc of sufficient thickness. If the water-closets are unavoidably high, convenient steps must be provided.

17. The closets should be fitted with a simple recess for the reception of a well-secured safety lantern, so that one light shall illuminate many compartments at the same time.

18. Cabooses or cooking-ranges must be placed so as to afford shelter to the cooks, and, whenever it is practicable, *athwart* ships and inside the deck-house. The cooking range should be securely placed on a platform of fire-bricks firmly laid in mortar, and, as a precaution against fire, a space of a few inches must intervene all round it and between the bottom of the range and the fire-bricks below. All exposed wood-work unavoidably near the cooking-range or caboose must be well protected with sheet lead or iron against sparks and hot cinders.

The vents for smoke must be sheltered against rain, &c., by cowl or ridge ventilators. The size of the caboose or cooking-range will depend on the number of boilers likely to be in use at one time; but there should always be accommodation for six boilers abreast and of the usual sizes.

19. The hospital shall be invariably on the upper deck, and must be fitted either on the poop or deck-house. When one has to be built, it must be as strong and secure as any deck-house with a raised floor on strong movable platforms 4 inches high. The roof shall be caulked and covered with painted canvas. It shall be sufficiently large for six bunks, and must be well lighted and ventilated to the satisfaction of the Surgeon in charge, and subject to the approval of the Medical Inspector.

20. A dispensary or dispenser's room for the accommodation of the compounder and medical stores must be provided in a suitable place (*e.g.*, one of the forward poop cabins), and it should be fitted up with shelves, bottle-rack, folding-table, and other conveniences, according to the requirements of the Surgeon in charge, subject to the approval of the Medical Inspector.

21. The hatchways in all ships for the West Indies must be fitted with storm or booby hatches of approved form. They must be very strongly built, dove-tailed, and strengthened at their covers with stout angle irons or clamps. Their lids or leaves that lift up must be very strongly hinged and lined with ¼ inch planking, and, if inconveniently large, the lids must be constructed so as to fold back twice. They must be well covered with painted or tarred canvas, so as to be thoroughly water-tight, and glazed, if necessary, with thick glass properly protected.

22. The ordinary hatches belonging to the hatchways must be secured where they may be readily available when wanted.

23. Strong ladders shall be provided for every hatchway; there shall be a pair for the main hatch. They should be fitted with stout hand-rails, one on either side; and the sides of the ladder must be firmly held together by means of iron rods secured with nuts at the ends passing under the last step at the bottom and the top of the ladder respectively.

24. As additional means for women and children to hold on by when using the ladders in rough weather, a knotted hand-rope, fastened to the side of the hatch, should hang conveniently near each of the ladders.

25. Every vessel must be provided with good tarpaulins for spreading "tent-fashion" over each hatchway; it should be large enough to spread well over on all sides of the hatch, so as to exclude rain, &c., but admit air.

26. Platforms, if necessary, for the accommodation of the emigrants or their stores may be ordered at the discretion of the Protector, not only over the long boat, but between the skids supporting the other boats of the ship or elsewhere.

27. At least two sheep-pens (one for the ship's sheep and the other for the emigrants' sheep) must be fitted as far forward as possible, and not on the quarter or poop deck. They shall afford sufficient accommodation for the prescribed number of the sheep, and shall be built so as to be easily cleaned and well ventilated. Their bottoms or floor may be lined with sheet iron.

28. Two scuttle butts (= 120 gallons each), properly charred inside, clean, and provided with locks and keys, must be secured for drinking water in convenient positions on deck; and a wash deck-tub shall be placed near each block of water-closets for the convenience of the coolies.

29. Every vessel, unless especially exempted by the Protector, must be fitted with a distilling machine, and be prepared to comply with the conditions specified in Schedule C, subject to the approval of a competent Surveyor approved by the Protector.

30. Every vessel must be provided with a hold pump and flexible hose, if procurable, for issuing the fresh water from the tanks below on the upper deck.

31. Excepting ship's fittings, which must be properly secured, no lumber of any kind can be allowed on deck, which shall be as clear as possible for the accommodation of the emigrants.

32. Life-buoys (6) must be slung, so as to be readily available when wanted.

33. The fire-engine, flexible hose (if on board), fire-buckets, and all other appliances needful in case of fire, should have a proper place, and must be kept in good order, *all ready for use on the shortest notice.*—(*See* Schedule A.)

34. Strong suitable *screws* and *not nails* must be used throughout in fastening the fittings at those points where they are subject to any strain likely to drag their parts asunder. The Master's special attention is drawn to this, as all the fittings must be well put together, and all hinges, bolts, clamps, sheet iron, pipings or coverings, cowlheads, and every other description of fittings in which metal is used, must be thoroughly strong, well-made, and well-fastened.

SCHEDULE (C).

Rules to be observed by ships in respect to fresh water condensers when offering for emigrant conveyance charter.

1. All condensers to have a separate engine for working the circulating cold water pump, and under no circumstances is this engine to do other work except feed the steam boiler.

2. All condensers to be fitted with a filter and an aerating valve.

3. The arrangement for discharging the circulating water from the condenser must be that it can be delivered into buckets or connected with a hose for the purpose of washing decks, or in the case of fire, as well as discharging over the ship's side. A suitable hose and connexion must also be provided.

4. Boilers will be preferred of an upright construction, though horizontal boilers, if satisfactory to the Surveyor, will be accepted.

5. Boilers to be furnished with a steam-gauge indexed to double the working pressure, a glass water-gauge and two separate gauge cocks, one safety valve, and two mud-hole doors for the purpose of cleaning.

6. The boilers and all machinery to be properly covered in, and any wooden bulkhead in the vicinity of the boiler will have to be covered with sheet lead 4½lbs. to the square foot, and securely fastened therefor.

7. The tools named as per annexed list will be required with each condenser:—

1 hydrometer and thermometer.
1 chipping hammer and spare handle.
2 flat chisels.
2 cross-cut chisels.

1 ratchet brace.
4 drills—⅜, ½, ⅝, and ¾ inch.
1 set of taps and dies comprising at least the following dimensions,—¼, ⅜, ½ and ⅝ inch.
2 suitable spanners (say ½ and ⅝).
1 shifting spanner.
6 files and handles assorted.
1 soldering bolt (copper).
2 pairs gas tongs to fit piping.
1 small vice and bench.
1 smith's forge.
1 do. anvil.
3 fire-irons suitable for the boilers.
2 firing shovels.
½ set of spare fire-bars.
4 dozen spare bolts and nuts of useful sizes.
2 ¾-inch pipe connexions. } The dimensions of the piping in connexion with the condenser are to be substituted, if not as noted.
2 1-inch do. do.
2 ¾-inch do. elbow.
2 1-inch do. do.
1 spare length of piping for main suction of at least 12 feet in length.
1 length of smaller piping.
1 spare slide rod for engine.
6 spare gauge glasses for boiler.
25 India-rubber rings for ditto.
6 spare gauge glasses for condenser. } When required.
25 India-rubber rings for do.
7 lbs. of hard solder.
7 „ of soft do.
7 „ of borax do.
7 „ of resin do.
56 „ of charcoal.
14 „ of red lead.
14 „ of white lead.
14 „ of spun-yarn, or patent packing to suit glands.
1 gallon linseed-oil.
10 gallons oil for lubrication.
10 lbs. cotton waste.
40 tons of English coal for a passage to West Indies, and a proportionate quantity for longer or shorter voyages.

8. All the piping in connexion with the condenser, especially the main suction and the condensed water discharge pipe, to be led in positions secure from accident or otherwise securely encased.

9. At the time of survey it will be necessary to have the condenser at work, the condensed water to be delivered into a tub placed where most convenient, and large enough to contain at least the quantity furnished by the condenser during the space of half-an-hour. This quantity will be accurately measured by a stamped imperial gallon measure, to be furnished by the ship, and no allowance will be made for any waste occurring from defective arrangements; that is to say, once the time has been taken as commencing the experiment, the work done in the next half hour will determine the efficiency of the machine.

10. The whole of the tools will have to be shown to the Surveyor, and must be of that class to satisfy the requirement of the Surveyor.

11. The vessel offering for charter must obtain the certificate of condenser efficiency before being accepted by the Protector of Emigrants as fit to convey emigrants; and, with this object, early notice of the day on which the condenser will be ready for survey and the position of the ship must be sent by the Master or Agents of the ship to the Protector of Emigrants.

12. A competent person, subject to the approval of the Protector, shall be appointed to have charge of the apparatus, &c., for the voyage.

13. No certificate will be granted, unless the machine can yield at least 250 gallons of distilled water in 24 hours, and the whole arrangements as mentioned herein are to the entire satisfaction of the Surveyor, who, when satisfied, will forward his certificate to the master or agent of the ship in question, who (on their part) are particularly requested to forward it without delay to the Protector of Emigrants.

14. It must be clearly understood that these rules are liable to alteration after due and proper notice, and are issued as a guidance for ship-owners and masters.

SCHEDULE (D).

Know all men by these presents that I
at present residing in the town of Bombay Mariner and Master and Commander of the
or vessel called the
of the burthen of
tons or thereabouts at present lying in the Bombay roads am myself for myself and for the owner or owners of the said firmly bound unto Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India in the penal sum of rupees ten thousand of lawful money of British India to be paid to the said Secretary of State for India his certain attorney agents successors or assigns for which payment to be faithfully and truly made I for and on my own behalf and on behalf of the owners of the said bind myself my heirs executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with my seal and dated this
day of in the year of Our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and seventy

WHEREAS by the Act (No. VII of 1871) entitled the Indian Emigration Act of 1871 passed by the Governor General of India in Council it is required that the master of every ship destined to carry emigrants from India shall execute a bond binding himself and his owners in a penal sum of rupees ten thousand to conform to the several conditions in the said Act provided; and whereas the said hath obtained the necessary license required by the said Act for carrying
emigrants to
and whereas the said
hath agreed to execute the bond required by the said Act for the due performance of the conditions provisos clauses and restrictions therein contained; and whereas the said
hath also agreed on arrival at to moor the said
of which he is master in such secure place as the proper authority at any port at which he shall touch shall direct as soon as possible after the arrival of the said
at

Now the conditions of this bond or obligation are such that if the above bounden
do and shall well and truly in all things abide by observe and keep all and singular the conditions provisos clauses and restrictions which on the part and behalf of the said are or ought to be observed abided by and kept and which are comprised and mentioned in the said Act passed as aforesaid according to the true intent and meaning of the said Act and if the said
do and shall immediately or as soon as possible after the arrival of the said at
moor the said or cause or procure her to be moored in such secure place as the Master Attendant or the Harbour Master or other officer duly authorized may direct or appoint then this obligation shall be void and of no effect otherwise it shall remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed and delivered at Bombay in the presence of }

TABLE A.

Provisions, fire-wood, water, and stores for a ship conveying emigrants from Bombay to Mauritius or Réunion.

NOTE.—The length of voyage provided (under Section 83 of Act VII of 1873) for sailing vessels is seven weeks between the months of April and October inclusive, and six weeks between the months of November and March inclusive.

PROVISIONS.

For every statute adult the ship is licensed to carry.

Articles.	Quantity per day.	Remarks.	Articles.	Quantity per day.	Remarks.
Rice ...	24 ounces.		Chillies ...	¼ ounce.	
Dholl ...	4 „		Tamarind ...	2 ounces.	
Ghee ...	1 ounce.		Salt-fish ...	2 „	
Oil, Gingely ...	½ „		Coriander ...	½ ounce.	
Salt ...	1 „		Garlic ...	¼ „	
Turmeric ...	½ „		Mustard, pepper, and cummin seeds ...	¼ „	
Onions ...	1 „		Soapnut ...	¼ „	
Tobacco ...	1 „				

For one week, or seven days, in addition to the above.

Choorah (avil) ...	2 lbs. per day.	One week's supply of avil, gram, and sugar to be taken on board, and served out when the weather is such as to prevent cooking; 1 lb. of biscuits may be substituted for 1 lb. of choorah to those who desire it.
Gram, bhoot ...	¼ lb. „	
Sugar ...	2 lbs. „	

Fire-wood.

For 100 statute adults or less 400 lbs. per day | Above 200 and less than 300 ... 700 lbs. per day.
Above 100 and less than 200... 600 „ „ | „ 300 „ „ 350 ... 750 „ „

Water.

The quantity of water allowed to each emigrant, children included, to be not less than one gallon per diem; but if the vessel has a distilling apparatus, the quantity may be reduced by one-third.

Memorandum of additional articles and fittings required for the voyage.

Lime-juice ...	2 gallons per 100 men.	Booby hatch	See Schedule B.
Rum or brandy ...	1 gallon „ „	Hanging stove	1
Port wine ...	6 bottles „ „	Scuttle-butts	See Schedule B.
Pumpkins, large...	45 „ „ „	Oil, cocoanut	4 gallons.
Biscuits ...	120 lbs. „ „	Wind-sails to each hatchway ...	See Schedule B.
Bael fruit ...	50 in No. „ „	Air shafts ...	
Potatoes ...	3 maunds „ „	Deck-ventilators ...	
Sheep ...	4 in No. „ „	Life-buoys ...	
Preserved milk ...	6 gallons „ „	Dirt tubs	3
Fowls ...	24 in No. for 12 infants.	Sick bay	See Schedule B.
Boilers with covers and ladles ...	2 per 100 men.	Necessaries	
Hatchet for cutting wood ..	1 „ „	Bull's-eye lamps with padlocks	2
Curry stone with roller ...	1 „ „	Cabooses	2
Swabs ...	3 „ „	Rockets	See Schedule A.
Brooms ...	12 „ „	Blue lights	
Buckets ...	5 „ „		

TABLE B.

THE MEDICINES.

Proportion of medicines necessary for a ship carrying emigrants to Mauritius or Réunion.

(50 *per cent. to be added for ships proceeding to Natal or Queensland.*)

Names of Medicines.	For 100 men.	For 200 men.	For 300 men.	For 400 men.
Calomel ...	One ounce and half.	Two ounces ...	Three ounces ...	Four ounces.
Blue pill ...	One ounce ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Rhubarb powder ..	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Compound jalap powder.	Six ounces ...	Eight ounces ...	Twelve ounces ...	Sixteen ounces.
Ipecacuanha powder.	One ounce ...	One ounce and half.	Two ounces and half.	Three ounces.
Opium ...	Ditto ...	Two ounces ...	Three ounces ...	Four ounces.
Dover's powder ...	Ditto ...	One ounce and half.	Two ounces ...	Three ounces.
Magnesia ...	Ditto ...	Two ounces ...	Three ounces ...	Four ounces.
Epsom salts ...	Three pounds ...	Six pounds ...	Nine pounds ...	Twelve pounds.
Tartar emetic ...	Two drachms ...	Four drachms ...	Six drachms ...	One ounce.

Names of Medicines.	For 100 men.	For 200 men.	For 300 men.	For 400 men.
Quinine ...	One ounce ...	One ounce ...	Two ounces ...	Two ounces and half.
Antimonial powder.	Two drachms ...	Four drachms ...	Six drachms ...	One ounce.
Extract of colocynth, comp.	Four drachms ...	One ounce ...	One ounce and half.	Two ounces.
Carbonate of ammonia.	Six drachms ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ..	Ditto.
Assafœtida ...	Four drachms ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Camphor ...	Six drachms ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Camphorated liniment.	Eight ounces ...	Twelve ounces ...	Sixteen ounces ...	Twenty ounces.
Catechu ...	One ounce ...	Two ounces ...	Three ounces ...	Four ounces.
Prepared chalk ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Tincture of opium	Four ounces ...	Six ounces ...	Eight ounces ...	Twelve ounces.
Turpentine ...	Eight ounces ...	Twelve ounces ...	One pint ...	Twenty ounces.
Senna leaves ...	Four ounces ...	Eight ounces ...	Twelve ounces ...	One pound.
Blistering plaster	Ditto ...	Six ounces ...	Eight ounces ...	Twelve ounces.
Sulphur sublimed	Eight ounces ...	Ten ounces ...	Twelve ounces ...	One pound.
Sulphur ointment	Six ounces ...	Eight ounces ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Linseed flour ...	Two pounds ...	Four pounds ...	Six pounds ...	Eight pounds.
Country soap ...	Twelve ounces ...	One pound and half.	Two pounds ...	Three pounds.
Castor-oil ...	Three bottles ...	Six bottles ...	Eight bottles ...	Twelve bottles.
Oil of peppermint	One ounce ...	Two ounces ...	Two ounces ...	Two ounces.
Adhesive plaster (spread).	One yard ...	Two yards ...	Two yards ...	Two yards.
Simple ointment	Eight ounces ...	Twelve ounces ...	One pound ...	One pound and half.
Ringworm ointment.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	One pound and quarter.
Jeremie's opiate...	One small ounce phial.	Two dozen phials	Two ounces phial	Two ounces phial.
Aromatic spirit of hartshorn.	Two ounces ...	Three ounces ...	Three ounces ...	Three ounces.
Cholera pills in phial.	Six dozens ...	Six dozens ...	Six dozens ...	Six dozens.
Cubeb powder ...	Two pounds ...	Two pounds ...	Two pounds ...	Two pounds.
Sweet spirit of nitre.	Eight ounces ...	One pound ...	One pound ...	One pound.
Copaiba ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	One pound and half.	One pound and half.
Sulphate of copper	One ounce ...	One ounce ...	One ounce ...	One ounce.
Sulphate of zinc...	Half ounce ...	Half ounce ...	Half ounce ...	Half ounce.
Lunar caustic ...	Two drachms ...	Three drachms ...	Four drachms ...	Four drachms.
Hydrarg. cum creta	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Six drachms.
Plumbi acetas ...	Four drachms ...	Six drachms ...	One ounce ...	One ounce and two drachms.
Pulvis acaciæ ...	Two ounces ...	Three ounces ...	Four ounces ...	Six ounces.
Pulvis cretæ: cum opio.	Four drachms ...	Six drachms ...	One ounce ...	One ounce and two drachms.
Acid: sulphuric dil.	One ounce ...	One ounce, four drs.	Two ounces ...	Two ounces and four drachms.
„ tartaric ...	Six drachms ...	One ounce, two drs.	One ounce, four drs.	Two ounces.
Tinct: camph: comp.	Three ounces ...	Four ounces ...	Six ounces ...	Eight ounces.
„ ferri: sesquichl.	One ounce ...	One ounce, four drs.	Two ounces ...	Three ounces.
Sodæ: sesquicarb	One ounce and four drachms	Two ounces ...	Three ounces ...	Four ounces.
Sir W. Burnett's disinfecting fluid, or,	Seven gallons	Twelve gallons ...	Seventeen gallons	Twenty-two gallons.
Norton's carbolic acid	Thirty gallons ...	Forty-five gallons	Sixty gallons ...	Seventy gallons.

Names of Medicines.	For 100 men.	For 200 men.	For 300 men.	For 400 men.
INSTRUMENTS.				
Glass measure (1 oz.)	One ...	One ...	One ...	One.
Glass measure (drop)	One ...	One ...	One ...	One.
Pestle and mortar (wedge-wood).	One ..	One ...	One ...	One.
Scales and weights (grains)	One set ...	One set ...	One set ...	One set.
Splints (common)	One set ...	One set ...	One set ...	One set.
Lint (prepared) ...	Two ounces ...	Three ounces ..	Four ounces ...	Six ounces.
Cloth for bandage	One piece ...	Two pieces ...	Two pieces ...	Two pieces.
Lancets (bleeding)	One ...	One ...	Two ...	Two.
Silver catheter (middle size.)	One ...	One ...	One ...	One.
Spatula ...	One ...	One ...	One ...	One.
Scissors, dressing	One ..	One ...	One ...	One.
Infusion pots ..	One ...	Two ...	Two ...	Two.
Bed pans (metal)	Two ...	Two ...	Three ...	Three.
Country paper ...	One quire ...	One quire ...	Two quires ...	Two quires.
Penknife ...	One ...	One ...	One ...	One.
Sago ...	Five pounds ...	Ten pounds ...	Fifteen pounds ...	Twenty pounds.
Arrow-root ...	Ten pounds ...	Ten pounds ...	Fifteen pounds ...	Twenty pounds.
Small tin-box ...	One ...	One ...	One ...	One.
Enema ...	One ...	One ...	One ...	One.

Certified that I have carefully compared the above list with the medicines, &c., examined by me on board, and that I am satisfied they are all correct.

Surgeon.

Dated *Ship*

TABLE C.

Clothing to be supplied to Native Emigrants from Bombay to Mauritius or Réunion.

FOR EACH ADULT MALE EMIGRANT—

1 cumblie (native blanket).
2 dhootees (waist cloths).
1 cotton merzae or jacket.
1 chintz cap.
1 tin plate and 1 tin mug.
1 flannel banian.

FOR EACH BOY—

1 cumblie (native blanket).
2 dhootees (waist cloths).
1 cotton merzae or jacket.
1 chintz cap.
1 tin plate and 1 tin mug.
1 flannel banian.

FOR EACH ADULT FEMALE EMIGRANT—

1 cumblie (native blanket).
2 saddies (cloths).
1 tin plate and 1 tin mug.
1 flannel banian.

FOR EACH GIRL—

1 cumblie (native blanket).
2 saddies (cloths).
1 tin plate and 1 tin mug.
1 flannel banian.

FOR EACH INFANT—

2 yards of coarse cloth for covering, and
1 flannel banian.

FOR SICK EMIGRANTS—

5 extra cumblies for every 100 men.
6 flannel belts for ditto.

TABLE D.

PROVISIONS, FIRE-WOOD, WATER, AND STORES FOR A SHIP CONVEYING EMIGRANTS FROM BOMBAY TO COLONIES IN THE WEST INDIES.

Provisions.

For every statute adult the ship is licensed to carry for nineteen weeks.

Articles.	Quantity per day.	Articles.	Quantity per day.
Rice	24 oz.	Tamarind	2 oz.
Doll	4 do.	Salt-fish	2 do.
Ghee	1 do.	Coriander seed	2 drs.
Oil, Gingely	½ do.	Garlic	½ do.
Salt	1 do.	Mustard } seed	2 do.
Turmeric	½ do.	Pepper }	
Onions	2 do.	Cummin }	
Tobacoo	1 do.	Soapnut for the voyage for each adult	2 lbs.
Chillies	½ do.	Betel	4 do.

For nineteen days in addition to the above.

Choorah or avil ..	2 lbs.	To be served out when cooking is prevented by bad weather. One pound of biscuit to be substituted for two pounds choorah to those who prefer it.
Gram, bhoot	½ lb.	
Sugar	2 oz.	

Fire-wood.

For 100 statute adults or less	... ...	400 lbs. per day.
Above 100 and less than 200 ...	... ...	600 „ ditto.
Ditto 200 ditto 300 ...	... ...	700 „ ditto.
Ditto 300 ditto 350 ...	... ...	750 „ ditto.

Water.

The quantity of water allowed to each emigrant, children included, to be not less than one gallon per diem; but if the vessel has a distilling apparatus, the quantity may be reduced by one-third.

Additional articles and fittings required for the voyage.

Lime-juice ...	100 gallons per 10 men.	Hatchets for cutting wood ...	1 per 100 men.
Rum or Brandy ...	20 „ ditto.	Curry-stone with roller ...	1 ditto.
Port wine ...	12 bottles ditto.	Buckets	10 ditto.
Pumpkins, yams, and potatoes ...	1,000 lbs. ditto.	Swabs	12 ditto.
Biscuits ...	360 „ ditto.	Brooms	40 ditto.
Bael fruit ...	50 in No. ditto.	Scuttle-butts	See Schedule B.
Sheep or goats ...	24 in „ ditto.	Oil, cocoanut	20 gallons.
Gram for sheep ...	2 maunds.	Wind-sails to each hatchway	See Schedule B.
Hay for „ ...	2 bales.	Booby hatches	Ditto.
Preserved milk ...	1,000 pints per 100 men.	Air shafts	Ditto.
Country soap ...	80 lbs. per 100 men.	Deck ventilators ...	Ditto.
Europe „ ...	112 „ ditto.	Life-buoys	Ditto.
Tea ...	2 „ ditto.	Dirt tubs	3 in No.
Condensed eggs* ...	20 „ ditto.	Sick bay	See Schedule B.
Sugar* ...	56 „ ditto.	Hanging stoves ...	1 in No.
Soojee, oatmeal, sago, and arrow-root ...	750 „ ditto.	Necessaries	See Schedule B.
Water for sick* ...	600 gallons ditto.	Bull's-eye lamps with padlocks	2 in No.
Cabooses ...	2 in No.	Rockets ... } Blue light ... }	See Schedule A.
Boilers, iron, with ladles ...	4 do.		

The articles marked * are to be issued at the discretion of the Surgeon for the use of children under six years of age.

TABLE E.

List of Medicines.

Articles.	Statute Adults. 100	200	300	400	Articles.	Statute Adults. 100	200	300	400
Calomel ... oz.	3	4	6	8	Acid tartaric ... lb.	1	2	3	4
Blue pills ... "	3	4	6	8	Croton-oil ... dr.	2	3	4	5
Rhubarb powder ... "	2	4	6	8	Scammony ... oz.	1	1½	2	2
Compound jalap powder ... "	12	18	24	33	Sulphate of iron ... "	1	1½	2	2
Ipecacuanha powder "	2	3	5	7	Compound extract of gentian ... "	1	2	3	4
Opium ... "	8	16	24	32	Iodide of potassium "	1	2	3	4
Dover's powder ... "	2	3	4	5	Camphor ... "	4	6	8	10
Magnesia ... "	2	4	6	8	Camphorated liniment ... "	16	24	32	40
Epsom salt ... lb.	6	12	18	24	Prepared chalk ... "	8	12	16	20
Tartar emetic ... dr.	4	8	12	16	Tincture of opium "	8	12	16	20
Quinine ... oz.	4	5	6	7	Turpentine ... "	16	24	32	40
Antimonial powder .. dr.	8	10	12	14	Senna leaves ... "	8	16	24	32
Extract of colocynth compound ... oz.	2	3	4	5	Blistering plaster ... "	8	12	16	20
Carbonate of ammonia "	1½	2	3	4	Sulphur sublimed ... "	16	20	24	40
Blistering fluid ... "	4	5	6	7	" ointment ... "	12	20	28	36
Grey powder ... "	2	3	4	5	Linseed flour ... lb.	4	8	12	16
Acid sulphuric, dilute "	6	9	12	15	Castor-oil ... bot.	6	12	18	24
Tincture of catechu "	6	9	12	15	Oil of peppermint... oz.	2	3	4	5
Morph. hydrochl. ... dr.	1	2	3	4	Adhesive plaster, spread ... yds.	4	6	8	10
Chloroform ... oz.	2	3	4	5	Simple ointment ... "	16	24	32	40
Chiretta ... lb.	2	2½	3	3½	Ringworm ointment "	16	24	32	40
Friar's balsam ... oz.	2	3	4	5	Jeremie's opiate ... "	2	4	5	6
Liquor plumbi. diacitat ... "	3	6	9	12	Aromatic spirits of ammonia ... "	4	6	8	10
Sugar of lead ... "	2	3	4	5	Cholera pills in phial doz.	6	9	12	15
Cerat. calamin ... lb.	½	1	1½	2	Cubeb powder ... lb.	1	2	3	4
Strong mercurial ointment ... oz.	8	12	16	20	Sweet spirits of nitre "	½	1	1½	2
Alum ... "	8	12	16	20	Copaiba ... "	½	1	1½	2
Olive-oil ... "	1	1½	2	2½	Sulphate of copper... oz.	1	2	3	4
Compound tincture of camphor (paregoric) "	6	8	10	12	" of zinc ... dr.	1	2	3	4
Nitrate of potass ... "	4	6	8	10	Lunar caustic ... "	4	6	8	10
Creosote ... dr.	1	2	3	4	Prepared lint ... oz.	8	12	16	20
Tincture of Iodine ... oz.	2	2½	3	3½	Long cloth for bandages ... yds.	18	24	30	36
Essence of ginger ... "	1	1½	2	2	Hydrarg. cum creta dr.	6	8	10	12
Bicarbonate of soda lb.	2	3	4	5	Plumbi. acetas ... "	8	10	12	14
Compound chalk powder with opium oz.	2	4	6	8	Pulvis acaciæ ... oz.	3	4	4¾	5½
Ginger powder ... "	2	3	4	5	" cretæ cum opio "	1	1¼	1½	1¾
Europe mustard ... lb.	1	1½	2	2½	Acid sulphuric, dil. "	1½	2	2½	3
Vinegar ... "	1	1½	2	2½	" tartaric ... "	1½	1	2	2½
Compound rhubarb pills .. oz.	2	3	4	5	Tincture of camphor "	4	6	8	10
Purgative pills* ... No.	100	150	200	250	" ferri sesquichl. "	2	3	3½	4
Diarrhœa pills† ... "	100	150	200	250	Sodæ sesquicarb. ... "	3	3½	4	4½
Leeches ... "	50	75	100	125	Sir W. Burnett's disinfecting fluid ... gall.	14	22	30	36
Gum arabic ... oz.	6	8	10	12	Norton's carbolic acid "	60	90	120	136

* Purgative Pills—

Ext. colocynth co. ... ss.
Pill rhei. co.
Pulv. scammon. a—a ... grs. xv.
m. f. h. Pil. xij—Two or three the dose.

† Diarrhœa Pills—

℞
Cupri. sulpha ... grs. xij.
Opii ... ... " xxiv.
m. f. Pil. xij—one thrice daily.

List of Instruments, &c.

1 Capital case of amputating and other surgical instruments with needles, ligatures, silk, &c.
2 one-ounce glass measures.
2 minim glass measures.
1 pestle and mortar.
1 set of weights and scales (grains) in box.
2 sets of common splints.
2 sets of bleeding lancets.
2 silver catheters (Nos. 9 and 12).
2 spatulas.
1 pocket dressing case.
2 infusion pots.
1 quire of country paper for every hundred men.
1 penknife.
1 enema apparatus.
1 metal bed-pan for every hundred men.
4 oz. sponge.
1 pewter pint (XX. measures.)
2 lbs. tow.
1 tin funnel.
1 Read's enema syringe and stomach pump.
1 urethra syringe for every hundred men.
1 pewter enema syringe (oz. 4).
1 blood porringer (oz. 16).
10 yards country flannel for every hundred men.
1 dozen phial corks; one dozen bottles.
1 slab for pills.
6 dozen pins.

TABLE F.

Clothing to be supplied to Native Emigrants from Bombay to Colonies in the West Indies.

FOR EACH MALE ADULT OR BOY—
1 woollen trowser.
1 cotton cloth trowser.
1 woollen coat.
2 cotton jackets.
2 dhootees or waist cloths.
1 red woollen cap.
1 pair worsted stockings.
2 cumblies or blankets.
1 teessalah or dish.
1 lotah or pot.
1 pair of shoes.

FOR EACH FEMALE ADULT OR GIRL—
2 flannel jackets.
1 woollen petticoat.
1 sadi or cloth.
2 cumblies or blankets.
1 teessalah or dish.
1 lotah or pot.
1 pair worsted stockings.
1 pair of shoes.
1 wooden comb.

FOR EACH INFANT—
1 flannel coodtha or jacket.
2 yards coarse cloth.

Spare clothing for every fifty emigrants.
6 flannel banians.
6 ditto caps.
6 pairs worsted socks.
4 woollen trowsers.
4 ditto shirts.

NOTE.—One double blanket in addition for every emigrant leaving between the 1st March and 15th September.

TABLE G.

Scale of attendants to be appointed for every 100 statute adults on board of emigrant ships proceeding to places either east or west of the Cape of Good Hope.

(a.) Maistries or headmen ... Four to every 100 statute adults.
(b.) Cooks ... ... } Two of each to the first hundred, and one additional of
(c.) Topases or sweepers ... } each for every additional hundred statute adults.

FORMS.

FORM No. 1.

Register to be kept by the *under Section* *of Act* *of* 187 .

Date of registry.	Registered No.	Name.	Father's name.	Sex.	Age.	Height.	Colour.	Distinguishing marks.	Caste.	Occupation.	Name of next-of-kin.	District.	Taluk.	Village.	When and by whom recruited.	Depôt to which to proceed.	Period of service.	Rate of wages.	REMARKS.

I hereby certify that I have duly examined the above-described emigrant, who has acknowledged in my presence his willingness to emigrate to the colony of

The *day of* 187 . *Magistrate of*

FORM No. 2

Table exhibiting the Mortality among Coolies in Depôt, and the average time of detention in Depôt, together with the Mortality on the Voyage, and average duration of Voyage for the year.

Year.	Colony.	Mortality in Depôt.	Detention in Depôt.			Mortality on voyage.	Average duration of voyage.	Remarks.
			Maximum.	Minimum.	Average.			

Dated 187 . *Emigration Agent for*

FORM No. 3.

FROM

THE MASTER OF THE SHIP

LYING OFF

To

THE PROTECTOR OF EMIGRANTS.

Dated Bombay,

SIR,

THE ship of tons, under my command, and owned by of having been chartered, subject to the approval of the local Government, for the conveyance of Indian emigrants hence to the Colony of , I have the honour to apply for a license to convey to , under the provisions of the Indian Emigration Act, statute adult emigrants, as per subjoined memorandum, and to request the favour of your submitting the application to Government.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

Master of the Ship.

Memorandum of the number and description of Emigrants proposed to be embarked by the Emigration Agent for

Men. Women. Children. Total souls. Statute adults.

FORM No. 4.

CERTIFICATE OF MARINE SURVEYOR AFTER PRELIMINARY SURVEY.

CERTIFIED that I have carefully surveyed the ship_____of_____tons, commanded by_____lying off_____, and consider her in every respect thoroughly seaworthy and eligible for the conveyance of Indian emigrants to the Colony of_____. Certified also that I have carefully measured her passenger decks, and find that she is capable, under section 41 of Act VII of 1871, of legally accommodating_____statute adults. The crew necessary for the ship to carry, under Schedule A of the rules regulating emigration, is as follows:—

Number_____Description_____

N. B.—The final Survey Report shall be forwarded on the ship being fully provided for in accordance with the requirements of this Department.

Dated Bombay, the 187 . *Master Attendant's Office.*

FORM No. 5.

SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE UNDER RULE 68.

I HEREBY certify that I was present with the Protector and Medical Inspector of Emigrants at their first official inspection of the ship tendered for the conveyance of emigrants to , and have no objection to make respecting her eligibility for that purpose.

Surgeon.
Ship

Dated Bombay, the of 187 .

FORM No. 6.

CERTIFICATE UNDER CLAUSE 5, SECTION 40, OF THE INDIAN EMIGRATION ACT No. VII OF 1871.

PROTECTOR OF EMIGRANTS' OFFICE.
BOMBAY,
[*The of* 187 .]

CERTIFIED that the is a good and proper vessel for the conveyance of emigrants, and that in the space allotted, *viz.*, she will accommodate statute adult emigrants under the provisions of Section 41 of the Indian Emigration Act No. VII of 1871.

Protector of Emigrants at Bombay.

To

Master, Ship

FORM No. 7.

To

CAPTAIN

Ship

Dated

SIR,

I BEG to inform you that I have examined and passed the samples of provisions, &c., for the use of the cooly emigrants about to proceed to in the ship under your command. In receiving the stores and arranging for their survey, I have to request your careful attention to the following—

Instructions.

1. The bulk of the provisions will be examined, and may, if necessary, be compared with the samples; therefore the whole must be kept above hatches until the survey is over.

2. All stores received on board for emigrants must be carefully weighed, and the number of packages correctly counted and noted. Excepting the vegetables, which must be carefully slung up under shelter (but not out of sight), *all the stores must be arranged between-decks according to the order in which they stand in the provision list, three copies of which are herewith supplied.*

3. Each package must be distinctly marked with its net contents; and to facilitate calculation, the bags, casks, tins, cases, &c., in which each separate kind of article is packed, must be of *uniform size, at least for that article.*

4. The weighing, &c., of these stores is the duty of the officer specially appointed to have charge of them. He must keep a correct account in his copy of the provision list of the quantity and number of stores shipped. *This is important, and must be carefully done.*

5. In weighing rice, dhall, choorah (avil), gram, flour, sugar, &c., the average weight of a few bags may be taken as a guide; but fish, hay, and all the vegetables must be weighed carefully throughout, as the weight of the bags, baskets, &c., is not sufficiently uniform to give a correct average.

6. All articles of a kind should be kept together, in order that they may be easily examined and counted.

7. Preserved meats, soups, and milk in tins, candles, brandy, port wine, &c., if in *original cases*, may be exposed in their cases, but if *not in original cases*, they must be sorted in tens on the platforms; and bags of rice, &c., must be arranged in tiers, five deep, so that all may be easily counted.

8. Iron cooking pots and wash-deck tubs must be kept filled with water to ascertain whether they leak, and arranged on deck for inspection.

9. You should ascertain that the water tanks *properly cleaned and white-washed*, continue in good order, and where casks are used, that they are properly cleaned before they are filled, and that none leak.

10. The blanks in the accompanying three copies of the provision list will have to be correctly and neatly filled up with the quantities according to scale; after which, when you are satisfied that the proper quantities and qualities of stores, including the sheep, &c., have all been carefully weighed, counted and in good order on board, and that the fittings, ventilation, hospital arrangements, medical stores, &c., are thoroughly complete, and all ready for survey,

two copies of the enclosed list duly filled up, dated and signed by you and the officer in charge of the stores, must be returned to this office with your application for final survey, and such application, with the lists, must be forwarded *at least one day previous to that on which the survey is desired.*

11. During the final survey no other work is to be carried on in the between-decks, and the officer who weighed the stores, assisted by the carpenter, sail-maker, and one or two of the crew, should be in attendance, so that cases and bags may be opened, examined, and closed, in order that the survey may be methodically and speedily conducted.

12. In conclusion, the most serious disorder, loss of time and inconvenience are occasioned when the officers of the Emigration Department are called upon to hold surveys on imperfect fittings, or insufficient or inferior stores. I desire, therefore, to draw your particular attention to this point, and to request that you will be so good as to see that everything is really, as it should be, thoroughly ready for survey at the appointed time.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Protector of Emigrants, Bombay.

FORM No. 8.

List of the entire quantity of Provisions, Water, Miscellaneous Articles, and Medical Comforts received for the use of statute adult emigrants on board the ship commanded by proceeding to the West Indian Colony of

Class.	Articles, &c.	Scale for 100 statute adults.			Total quantity shipped.			How to be packed.	Number of packages.	REMARKS.
		lb.	oz.	dr.	lb.	oz.	dr.			
Grain, &c. ...	Rice							Bags.		
	Dhall									
	Soojee							Tins and cases.		
	Oatmeal									
	Sago									
	Arrowroot ...									
Oils ...	Ghee									
	Oil, Gingelly ...									
Fish and meat	Salt-fish							Bags.		
	Preserved milk ...							Tins&cases.		
	Sheep or goats ...							Pens.		
Vegetables ...	Pumpkins or yams ...							Slung & in		
	Potatoes							Baskets.		
	Onions									
	Garlic									
Curry stuff, &c.	Mustard seed ...							Bags.		
	Chillies									
	Pepper seed ...									
	Coriander seed ...									
	Cummin seed ...									
	Turmeric... ...									
Anti-scorbutic	Tamarind ...									
	Lime-juice ...							Bottles.		
	Bael fruit ...							Tins.		
Salt ..	Salt							Casks.		
Stimulants and narcotics ...	Tobacco ...									
	Betel							Bales.		
	Brandy or rum ...							Bottles.		
	Port-wine ...									
	Tea							Tins.		
Dry stores ...	Sugar { As "dry provision" / As medical comfort							Bags.		
	Biscuits							Tanks or casks.		
	Choorah (avil) ...							Bags.		
	Gram, bhoot { For emigrants / For sheep ...									
	Hay for each sheep ...							Bales.		
	Firewood ...									
	Water							Tanks.		
	Eggs, condensed ...									

FORM No. 8—*continued.*

Class.	Miscellaneous Articles.	For 100 statute adults. Number.	Weight.	Total quantity shipped. Number.	Weight.	How to be packed.	Number of packages.	REMARKS.
Miscellaneous articles.	Necessaries, double ...							
	Cabooses, double ...							
	Scuttle-butts							
	Dirt tubs							
	Buckets					Cases.		
	Soap-nut					Casks or bags.		
	Soap, Europe							
	" Country... ...							
	Swabs							
	Brooms					Bags.		
	Hanging stoves ...							
Lights ...	Bull's-eye lamps with padlocks							
	Rockets							
	Blue lights					Cases.		
Cooking utensils.	Cocoanut-oil							
	Iron boilers with ladles ...							
	Curry-stone with roller ...							
	Hatchets for cutting wood...							
	Ladles ... { Rice ... / Dhall ...							
Hospital, &c.	Sick bay							
	Wind-sails to each hatchway.							
	Booby hatches... ...							
	Air-shafts							
	Deck ventilators ...							
	Life-buoys							

I HEREBY certify that the total quantity and numbers of articles enumerated above for the use of statute adult emigrants are actually on board the ship under my command. Everything above noted has been carefully weighed, marked, and arranged, all ready for survey, and that the articles of diet are equal in quality to the musters forwarded by me to the office of the Protector of Emigrants.

I further certify that, in addition to the above-named stores now on board for the exclusive use of the emigrants, there is also on board a sufficient and proper supply for months of wholesome provisions and water for the use of the officers and crew and for the live-stock on board the ship

Officer in charge of the Stores.

BOMBAY,

The 187 . *Master,*

Ship

FORM No. 9.

List of entire quantity of Provisions, Water, Miscellaneous Articles, and Medical Comforts received for the use of statute adult emigrants on board the ship commanded by proceeding to Mauritius and Réunion.

Length of voyage ... { From April to October inclusive ... 7 weeks. / " November to March ... 6 "

Class.	Articles.	Scale for 100 statute adults for 10 weeks.			Scale for 100 statute adults for 8 weeks.			Total quantity shipped.			How to be packed.	Number of packages.	REMARKS.
		lb.	oz.	dr.	lb.	oz.	dr	lb.	oz.	dr.			
Grain ...	Rice ...										Bags.		
	Dhall ...												
Oils ...	Ghee ...										Tins.		
	Oil, Gingelly ...												
	Salt-fish ...										Bags.		
Vegetables..	Pumpkins ...										Slung.		
	Potatoes ...										Baskets.		
	Onions ...												
	Garlic ...												

FORM No. 9—*continued.*

Class.	Articles.	Scale for 100 statute adults for 10 weeks.			Scale for 100 statute adults for 8 weeks.			Total quantity shipped.			How to be packed.	Number of packages.	REMARKS.
		lbs.	oz.	dr.	lbs.	oz	dr.	lbs.	oz.	dr.			
CURRY STUFF.	Chillies										Bags.		
	Mustard seed ...												
	Coriander seed ...												
	Pepper seed ..												
	Turmeric ...												
	Cummin seed ...										Casks.		
	Tamarind ...												
	Salt												
	Tobacco ...												
	Betel												
	Fire-wood ...												
	Water										Tanks.		
DRY PROVISIONS.	Biscuit										Bags.		
	Choorah (avil) ...												
	Gram (bhoot) { For emigrants / „ sheep ...												
	Sugar												
	Fowls												
	Paddy for fowls ...												
	Sheep												
MEDICAL COMFORTS.	Lime-juice ...										Bottles		
	Brandy or rum ...												
	Port wine ...												
	Bael fruit ...										Tins.		
	Preserved milk ...												

Class.	Articles.	Scale for 100 statute adults for 10 weeks.		Scale for 100 statute adults for 8 weeks.		Total quantity shipped.		How to be packed.	Number of packages.	REMARKS.
		Number.	Weight.	Number.	Weight.	Number.	Weight.			
MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.	Soap-nut ..							Cases.		
	Boilers with covers and ladles									
	Buckets									
	Swabs									
	Curry-stone with roller									
	Hatchets for cutting wood									
	Bull's-eye lamps with padlocks ..									
	Cocoanut-oil ...							Tins.		
	Brooms									
	Life-buoys ..									
	Booby hatch ...									
	Hanging stove ...									
	Scuttle-butts ...									
	Dirt tubs ...									
	Sick bays ...									
	Necessaries ...									
	Wind-sails to each hatchway ..									
	Air-shafts ...									
	Deck ventilators ...									
	Cabooses ...									
	Rockets									
	Blue light ...									

I HEREBY certify that the total quantity and numbers of articles enumerated above for the use of statute adult emigrants are actually on board the ship under my command. Everything above noted has been carefully weighed, marked, and arranged, all ready for survey, and that the articles of diet are equal in quality to the muster forwarded by me to the Office of the Protector of Emigrants.

I further certify that, in addition to the above-named stores now on board for the exclusive use of the emigrants, there is also on board a sufficient and proper supply for months of wholesome provisions and water for the use of the officers and crew and for the live-stock on board the ship.

Master,
Ship

BOMBAY;
The 187 .

Officer in charge of the Stores.

FORM No. 10.

Certificate regarding drinking water provided for the use of the emigrants and crew on board the Emigrant Ship, dated 187 .

For whom supplied.	Source of supply.	QUANTITY SHIPPED IN GALLONS.					REMARKS.
		In tanks. Gallons.	Number of tanks.	In casks. Gallons.	Number of casks.	Total quantity.	
For use of emigrants (*In tanks.*)							
For use of ship ...							

CERTIFIED that the tanks and casks above-noted were carefully examined by me before they were filled; that they are clean, sweet, sound, and of sufficient thickness, and that the casks, none exceeding 300 gallons, are of hard wood and properly charred inside. I have, moreover, examined the tanks and casks since they were filled, and found them perfectly tight and in good condition up to date.

Commander of Emigrant Ship.

FORM No. 11.

SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATE.

Dated Bombay,

CERTIFIED that at the request of
I surveyed a patent distilling condenser No.
on board the ship , and that the rules in Schedule C
regulating the requirements of fresh water condensers have been fully complied with to my satisfaction.

Surveyor.

FORM No. 12.

CERTIFICATE REQUIRED FROM MASTER UNDER RULES 57 AND 58.

I HEREBY certify that there are no vicious dogs or wild animals on board the ship under my command, and that no gunpowder or other inflammable substances, hides or any other commodities likely to endanger the health or safety of the emigrants, have been received as cargo or part of the cargo, on board that vessel. All combustible materials absolutely necessary for ship's use are stored in a place of perfect safety and under the special charge of Mr. officer of the ship, who, together with the carpenter and engineer, have been appointed by me to be jointly responsible for the good working order of the fire-engine, hose, buckets, and other precautions against the risk of fire, and for their being readily available when urgently wanted.

Master,

Ship

N. B.—The concluding portion of the above certificate having reference to the fire-engine, &c., should be omitted in cases where there is no fire-engine on board.

To

The Protector of Emigrants, Bombay.

FORM No. 13.

CERTIFIED that I have seen the extra clothing and blankets provided according to scale for the use of emigrants proceeding to in the ship, and have approved of them. I have also compared the provisions and miscellaneous articles on board for the use of the coolies with the quantities entered in the list of stores (Form No.) and find them to be correct.

Surgeon,

Ship

FORM No. 14.

MASTER'S CERTIFICATE AND DEMAND FOR FINAL SURVEY OF SHIP'S FITTINGS AND STORES.

I HEREBY certify that in compliance with the provisions of the Indian Emigration Act (No. VII of 1871) and rules I have appointed Mr. , 3rd Officer of the ship to have charge of the emigrants' stores for the voyage; that the ship's fittings and arrangements for ventilation, &c., are complete, and that the emigrants'

stores carefully weighed, noted, and arranged according to the instructions in your letter (No. of the) are perfectly ready for the official examination.

I have now to request that the final survey of fittings and stores may be held at on the , when I shall be careful to see that the proper persons are in attendance to facilitate the work. Two copies of the provision list (Form No.) duly filled up, dated and signed, are herewith returned, as desired, togther with the Surgeon's certificates for the medical stores and extra clothing, &c., for the emigrants.

Master,

Ship

To

The Protector of Emigrants, Bombay.

FORM No. 15.

SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE UNDER RULE 68.

CERTIFIED that I was present with the Protector and Medical Inspector of Emigrants at the final survey of emigrants, fittings, provisions, medical stores, and extra clothing on board the ship chartered for the conveyance of emigrants to and that, to the best of my judgment, the fittings, general accommodation, and stores, &c., are and fully sufficient according to prescribed rules.

Surgeon,

Ship

BOMBAY,

The *of* 187 .

FORM

Report of Survey on, and Final Certificate for, the ship *for the conveyance of Indian Emigrants to* *under the provisions of Act VII of* 1871 *and Rule* *of* *Section* 56 *of the Act.*

REGISTERED TONNAGE

WHERE AND WHEN BUILT

CLASSIFICATION, IF ANY

WHERE SURVEYED, AND DATE OF SURVEY

WHEN AND WHERE LAST IN DRY DOCK

DRAUGHT OF THE VESSEL

HULL :—

Of what material

When last sheathed with copper or other material

Present state of

No. and position of Listings cut, if any

Whether any, and what, indications of working or straining on former voyage

If iron ship

Is bottom scraped

No. and position of watertight compartments

State of repair of hull, whether wooden or iron

Repairs ordered

Date of their completion

DECKS, *thickness of*

Whether caulked properly

Superficies of passenger or between-decks

Height between decks

No. of statute adults ship can legally carry

RIG :—

Masts and Spars

State of

Repairs or alterations required

Date of their completion

RIGGING :—

Standing and running; whether of metal, hemp, or coir

If good and complete

Renewals or alterations required

Date of their completion

SAIL :—

List of

State of, when examined

New, and repairs required

Date of their completion

NAME OF MASTER.

MATES { 1, 2, 3 AND OTHERS. } Qualifications.

CREW, NO. AND DESCRIPTION.

GROUND TACKLE

Bower Anchors
1.
2.
3.

Kedge and Stream
1.
2.
3.

Cables for
Bower Anchors
1.
2.
3.

Other Cables and Hawsers
1.
2.
3.

BOOBY HATCHERS No.
How secured
WATERTIGHT COMPARTMENTS, No. of
No. of doors
How fastened
LIFE BUOYS

SIGNALS
No.
LEADS AND LINES
No.
AWNINGS

Poop-deck
Quarter-deck
Main-deck
AXES
BAROMETERS

CHRONOMETERS No.
Makers' names
When rated
Boats
Life Boat
Long Boat
Other Boat
COMPASSES.
Azimuth
Ordinary

I, the undersigned Surveyor, duly directed by the Master Attendant, under and for the purposes of the Emigration Act (No. VII of 1871) hereby certify that I have carefully surveyed the above-mentioned ship, and have also examined her masts, yards, rigging, sails, pumps, ground tackle, boats, &c. I find that her hull is sound, tight, staunch, and firm in the fastenings; that her passenger deck is not less than one inch and a half in thickness and properly supported by beams of adequate strength, forming part of the permanent structure of the ship, and that her boats, pumps, and other equipments are suitable and sufficient for a vessel of her tonnage; that they are in a sound and efficient condition; that the said ship is provided with the requirements under Schedule A of the Emigration Rules, and with all such additional equipments as are considered necessary by me; and finally that she is in my opinion seaworthy, and in all respects fit for the reception and carriage of passengers on her intended voyage to

Dated the 187

Assistant Master Attendant.

No. 16.

WEIGHT.			IF TESTED.	
cwt.	qrs.	lbs.	When.	Where.

Material.	Size.	Length.	Where clenched.	IF TESTED.	
				When.	Where.

VENTILATION AND LIGHT.	No.	Area.	
		feet.	inches.
'tween-decks ...			
By Hatchways ...			
„ other deck openings ...			
„ openings through the sides.			
Total ...			
Any of the above available in all weathers.			
Light.			
By any of the above openings			
Lights not available for ventilation.			
Total ...			

FIRE ENGINES, No.

Makers' names.

FIRE BUCKETS.

HOSE.		
Material.	Length in feet.	Size.

PUMPS.

No.	Material.	Size.

No.

Description ...

Pumps of watertight compartments

HOSPITALS

No.

Area in square feet

Where placed

LIGHTNING CONDUCTORS

CHARTS

BOOKS

Lamps.	Rockets 1 ℔ each.	Blue lights.	Guns.	Charges for Guns.	Other Signals.

Patent Deep Sea.	Deep Sea.	Hand Leads.

No.	Length.	Breadth.	Depth.	Cubical Contents in feet.	Wood or Iron.		Where carried.		State whether provided with masts, sails, painter, oars, boat-hooks, thole, pins, plugs, rudder, tiller, water-breakers, and also whether the life-boat is fitted with patent lowering apparatus.

No.	Where placed.	When corrected.	When adjusted.	In iron ships state ascertained deviation.

FORM No. 17.

Shipping Master's Certificate.

CERTIFIED that the ship
tons burthen, carries the full complement and description of officers and men according to the rules in Schedule A (Appendix) of the rules framed under the Indian Emigration Act (No. VII of 1871).

First Deputy Shipping Master.

FORM No. 18.

ORIGINAL.

Statement of the Crew and Passengers (Natives of India) proceeding in the
bound to

Native Crew.	Number.
Serangs, Lascars, &c.	
Commander and Officers' servants	
Passengers' servants	

NATIVE PASSENGERS.

Names.	Age.	Caste.	Occupation.

Commander.

BOMBAY,
The of *Protector of Emigrants.*

FORM No. 19.

Certificate under Section 44 of Act VII of 1871.

CERTIFIED that I have on my part done all that is required under the Indian Emigration Act (VII. of 1871) and rules for ensuring the health, comfort, and safety of the emigrants about to proceed to

BOMBAY,
The of 187 *Protector of Emigrants.*

N. B.—The Master will require a similar certificate from the Emigration Agent.

FORM No. 20.

License.

WHEREAS the Protector of Emigrants at the Port of Bombay has certified to the Government of Bombay that, according to the provisions of Act No. VII of 1871, providing regulations for the emigration of the native inhabitants of the territories under Her Majesty's Government to the ship
burthen about tons
Master, belonging to is capable of
accommodating persons; and WHEREAS
the aforesaid Protector of Emigrants has further certified that the said Master has conformed to the several provisions of the India Act No. VII of 1871, the Governor of Bombay in Council hereby permits Master of the ship
to receive on board his ship and accommodate with a passage to
not more than natives of India as emigrant labourers for
subject to the provisions of the aforementioned Act of the Government of India, VII of 1871.

By order of the Governor of Bombay in Council.

BOMBAY, THE 187 .

Registered in the Office of the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay, as No. of 187 .

Registrar.

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay.

FORM No. 21.

General Register of Emigrants embarked on board the Ship for

Ship number.	Name.	Father's name.	Sex.	Caste.	Height.	Age.	Colour.	Distinguishing marks.	Occupation.	Name of next-of-kin.	District.	Taluk.	Village.	State of health on embarkation.	State of health on debarkation.	REMARKS.

FORM

Detailed Account of Provisions issued on board of the Ship *on the*

Date of Issue.	Rice		Dhall.		Ghee.		Gingelly-oil.		Salt Fish.		Pumpkins or Yams.		Potatoes.		Onions.		Cummin Seed.		Garlic.		Mustard Seed.		Chillies.		Black Pepper.		Coriander Seed.		Turmeric.		Tamarind.		Salt.		Tobacco.		Betel.		Fire-wood.	
	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.

FORM

Detailed Account of Provisions issued on board of the Ship *on the*

Date of Issue.	Rice.		Dhall.		Ghee.		Biscuit.		Gingelly-oil.		Salt.		Turmeric.		Salt Fish.		Tobacco.		Choorah (Avil).		Soap-nut.		Sheep.	Fowls.	Sugar.		Bhoot (Gram).		Onions.		Garlic.		Chillies.		Coriander.		Mustard, Pepper, and Cummin Seeds.	
	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz	lb	oz.	No.	No.	lb.	oz.	b.	oz.	lb.	oz.	1 b.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.

No. 22.

voyage to the West Indian Colony of *during the week ending* 187 .

Soap-nut.		Country Soap.		Europe Soap		Bael Fruit.		Biscuit.		Choorah or Avil.		Gram (Bhoot).		Lime-juice.		Rum or Brandy.		Port Wine.		Preserved Milk.		Tea.		Condensed Eggs.		Soojee Oatmeal, Sago, and Arrowroot.		Sugar.		Sheep or Goats.		Water.		Initials of Surgeon and Issuing Officer to be entered daily.		REMARKS.
																																		Surgeon.	Issuing Officer.	
lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	No.	Gal.					

No. 23.

voyage to Mauritius or Réunion during the week ending 187 .

Potatoes.		Pumpkins.		Bael Fruit.		Tamarind.		Firewood.		Preserved Milk.	Lime-juice.	Rum or Brandy.	Port Wine.	Water.	REMARKS.
lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	Pints.	Bottles.	Bottles.	Bottles.	Gallons.	1.—The Issuer of Provisions and the Medical Officer to keep separate accounts of the provisions issued in forms like this, which will be supplied to them by the Emigration Agent. 2.—The quantities issued to be carefully noted down. 3.—The totals to be made up at the end of every week. 4.—The accounts to be given over to the Protector of Immigrants on the arrival of the ship at Mauritius or Réunion. 5.—During the voyage the victuals to be cooked twice every day, weather permitting. 6.—The payment of the Medical Officer's gratuity at Mauritius or Réunion will depend on this list being correctly kept.

Medical Officer.

Issuer of Provisions.

FORM No. 24.

Admission and Discharge-Book.

Number of cases.	Number of folio for reference to case-book.	Number in the nominal roll.	Names.	Age.	Sex.	Disease or cause of admission.	Dates of			Number of days under treatment.	Remarks.
							Admission.	Discharge or recovery.	Death.		

Dated *Surgeon,*

Ship

FORM No. 25.

Medical Case-Book.

Case No.
Patient's No. *Folio*
Name *in the Nominal Roll.* *Sex*
Age

Date.	Brief history of case, with notes on progress and results of treatment, &c.	Treatment, prescription, diet, &c.

Surgeon,

Ship

FORM No. 26.

Register of Births and Deaths.

BIRTHS.

Number in nominal roll.	Name of mother.	Age.	Time of occurrence.		Sex of child.	Remarks.
			Date.	Hour.		

DEATHS.

Number in nominal roll.	Name.	Age.	Time of occurrence.		Cause.	Remarks.
			Date.	Hour.		

Surgeon,

Ship

FORM No. 27.

The medical history of the voyage, giving a classified summary of the principal events which occurred on board the Ship , commanded by , and conveying Indian emigrants under medical charge of , Surgeon Superintendent, from Bombay to

MEMORANDA OF DATES.

N. B.—Columns 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 will not be required, or may be left blank, in the case of ships going to places east of the Cape.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Embarkation.	Crossed the Equator.	Entered the Tropics.	Arrived at or off the Cape of Good Hope.	Entered the Tropics.	Arrived at St. Helena.	Crossed the Equator.	Mention any ports that were put into during the voyage; the dates and reasons briefly.	Arrived at port.	Total number of days from date of embarkation to that of debarkation.	Remarks.

Memoranda respecting the number and description of Emigrants.

Emigrants.	Of men.	Of women.	Of children.		Of Infants.		Of total number of souls.	Of total number of statute adults.	Remarks.—State briefly the general condition of the emigrants during the voyage and on arrival; when did sickness prevail; in what part of the ship; its nature and probable cause.
			Boys.	Girls.	Male.	Female.			
Embarked ...									
Born on the voyage ...									
Died and cause of deaths. Cholera ...									
Diarrhœa...									
Dysentery									
Chest affections.									
Fever ...									
Accident...									
Other diseases.									
Total number of deaths									
Landed In health...									
Landed Convalescent ...									
Landed Sent to hospital.									
Total number landed ...									
State in appropriate column—									
(a) The daily average strength of emigrants (souls) ...									
(b) The daily average number of sick ...									
(c) The rate per cent. of daily average sick to daily average strength ...									
(d) The rate per cent. of deaths to daily average strength ...									

RULES.

(a) To find the daily average strength of emigrants—Divide the sum of the total number of souls present daily by the total number of days.

(b) To find the daily average number of sick—Add together the number of sick in hospital for each day of the voyage, and divide the total by the number of days.

(c) To find the rate per cent. of daily average sick to strength—Take the daily average number of sick and multiply that number by 100, and divide the product by the daily average number of strength.

(d) To find the rate per cent. of deaths to daily average strength—Multiply the total number of deaths by 100, and divide the product by the daily average strength

Weekly Abstract of Admissions to the Sick List and of Deaths during the voyage.

Diseases.	1st Week.		2nd Week.		3rd Week.		4th Week.		5th Week.		6th Week.		7th Week.		8th Week.		9th Week.		10th Week.		11th Week.		12th Week.		13th Week.		14th Week.		15th Week.		16th Week.		17th Week.		18th Week.		19th Week.	
	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.	Ad.	D.
Cholera																																						
Diarrhœa																																						
Dysentery																																						
Chest affections ..																																						
Fevers																																						
Eye diseases																																						
Accidents																																						
Other diseases ...																																						
Total ...																																						

Observations of temperature in the between-decks.

Date.	At 7 A. M.			Direction of wind aft or ahead.	Direction of cowlheads to leeward or windward.	At 1 P. M.			Direction of wind aft or ahead.	Direction of cowlheads to leeward or windward.	At 8 P. M.			Direction of wind aft or ahead.	Direction of cowlheads to leeward or windward.	At Noon.	
	Aft.	Midships.	Forward.			Aft.	Midships.	Forward.			Aft.	Midships.	Forward.			Latitude.	Longitude.

General Remarks on

1. The provisions and water.
2. The working of the distilling apparatus.
3. The medicines and medical comforts.
4. The ship and her ventilation.
5. The conduct of the officers.
6. The conduct of the interpreters, maistries, topases, &c.
7. The clothing of the emigrants.
8. The means used for ensuring cleanliness.
9. The employment of disinfectants.
10. General observations and suggestions.

Surgeon,

Dated *Ship*_____

Number of previous voyages with European emigrants_____

Ditto ditto with coolies_____

FORM No. 28.

Colonial Report on the immigrants by the Ship *which arrived at* *from Bombay.*

Master	
Surgeon	
Assistant Surgeon	
Date of departure	
Length of voyage	
Registered tonnage	
Superficies of passengers' deck	
Space on upper deck for exercise	
Space on poop for exercise	
Space divided off for hospital	
Height between decks	
Number of statute adults admissible ...	
Number of such adults embarked ...	
When and where landed	
Number of crew	
Total measurement of apertures for light and air, exclusive of side scuttles, stern ports, and hatchways	
Number and size of side scuttles	
Ditto of life buoys	
State of privies	
State of cooking apparatus	
State of fire-engine	
Night and fog signal	
Description of cargo	
Ports at which the ship touched	

	No.	Description.	Length.		Breadth.		Depth.	
			Feet.	Inches.	Feet.	Inches.	Feet.	Inches.
Boat ...		Long boat						
		Life do.						
		Gig						
		Pinnace						
		Cutter						

Weekly admission to the sick list during the voyage.

From	To	Fever.	Diarrhœa.	Dysentery.	Cholera.	Small-pox	Other diseases	Total.	REMARKS.

Mortality during the voyage.

No.	Name.	Sex.	AGE.		Disease.	Date of death.	DURATION OF ILLNESS.	Where recruited.	REMARKS.
			Years.	Months.			Days.		

Total number of deaths during the voyage.
Centesimal proportion of deaths to total number of passengers.

Passengers embarked and landed, and births and deaths on the voyage.

	EMBARKED.		DIED DURING THE VOYAGE.		LANDED.		TOTAL.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
Immigrants of ten or above ten years of age							
Immigrants under ten down to two years of age, inclusive ...							
Immigrants under two years of age ...							
Born during the voyage { Males ...							
Born during the voyage { Females ...							

REMARKS.

*Protector of Immigrants at*_____
Port of Debarkation.

A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Simla, the 21st May 1875.

No. 1500*P.*—Captain F. H. Jackson, Assistant Resident at Okhamundal, is transferred to Baroda, on special duty, as a temporary measure, with effect from 23rd December 1874.

No. 1502*P.*—In recognition of the public spirit and munificence which have been displayed on many occasions by Khajeh Abdool Gunny, C. S. I., of Dacca, and as a mark of the esteem of Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General has been pleased to confer upon him the title of "Nawab" as a personal distinction.

Upon his son Khajeh Ahsanoollah, who has made himself equally conspicuous in a career of public beneficence, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General has been pleased to confer the title of "Khan Bahadoor" as a personal distinction.

No 1503*P.*—In recognition of his liberality during the Orissa famine of 1866, and of his several acts of public and private charity in the district of Balasore, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General has been pleased to confer upon Baboo Shamanando De, of Balasore, the title of "Rai Bahadoor" as a personal distinction.

No. 1504*P.*—In recognition of his consistent efforts in matters of public progress and improvement, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General has been pleased to confer upon Koomar Narendra Krishna, of Sobha Bazar, Calcutta, the title of "Raja" as a personal distinction.

GENERAL.

The 21st May 1875.

No. 962*G.*—*Appointment.*—Major C. G. Gunning, 2nd in Command of the Meywar Bheel Corps, to officiate as Commandant from date of assuming charge, *vice* Colonel Gordon, proceeding on furlough.

No. 963*G.*—*Appointment.*—The following brigade order, dated 14th April 1875, issued by the Officiating Commandant of the Central India Horse, is confirmed:—

2nd Regiment, Central India Horse.

Lieutenant the Hon'ble J. P. Napier, having reported his arrival this day, will officiate as 1st Squadron Subaltern until further orders.

No. 964*G.*—*Appointment.*—In supersession of Notification in this Department No. 579G, dated 13th March 1874, Lieutenant C. E. Wheeler, Officiating 2nd in Command and Squadron Officer, Erinpoora Irregular Force, to revert to his substantive appointment of Adjutant and perform the duties of 2nd in Command and Squadron Officer in addition to his own duties as Adjutant and Station Staff Officer at Erinpoora, *vice* Captain Rennick, placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal by Notification No. 221G, dated the 29th January 1874.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 20th May 1875.

No. 975.—*Bills drawn upon India by the Secretary of State in the year* 1875-76 *to end of May* 1875, *including bills drawn before* 1*st April* 1875, *but paid since that date or still outstanding:*—

	£	Rupees.	Average rate.	Loss compared with outturn at an exchange of 2s. the rupee.
Estimated for the whole year	14,300,000	15,69,00,000	1-9·873805	1,39,00,000
Actual to date	3,254,625	3,56,62,000	1-9·9	31,15,750
Remaining to make estimate good	11,045,375	12,12,38,000	1-9·86	1,07,84,250

Estimated loss on bills for Rs. 3,56,62,000 @ 1-9·873805 ... Rs. 31,63,586.
Actual " " " 1-9·9 ... " 31,15,750.
Loss than estimate ... " 47,836.

The 13th May 1875.

No. 519.—HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HON'BLE THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL has resolved to borrow two crores and fifty lakhs of rupees for the public service in the manner following:—

2. Promissory Notes will be issued for the said amount, bearing interest at the rate of four per centum per annum. The form and conditions of these Notes will be those of the Notes of the Transfer Loan of 1st May 1865, of which loan they will form a part. No Note will be issued for less than five hundred rupees, or for any amount not being a multiple of one hundred rupees. The Notes will be payable to order, and interest thereon will be paid, half-yearly, on the 1st May and 1st November in each year.

3. Notice is hereby given that tenders will be received by the Comptroller General at Calcutta, from this date to noon of Wednesday the 16th June

next, for the whole or part of the above-named sum of two crores and fifty lakhs of rupees.

4. Each tender must be addressed, in the form annexed to this Notification, to the Comptroller General, Treasury Buildings, Calcutta, and enclosed in a sealed cover superscribed "Tender for Loan."

5. Tenders will be opened at the Office of the Comptroller General in Calcutta, at noon on Wednesday the 16th June next.

6. The amounts of accepted tenders must be paid, in five equal instalments, on the following dates—

One-fifth on the 1st July 1875.
One-fifth on the 2nd August 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st September 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st October 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st November 1875.

Payment of any instalment except the first, will be accepted before the due date, but not before the 1st July next. Interest upon the amount of each instalment paid before the 1st November next, will be paid in advance, from the date when such instalment is received, to the 31st October next.

7. Payment may be made to the account of the Government in one of the Presidency Banks of Bengal, Madras, or Bombay, or into any Government treasury or treasuries in India that may be named in the tenders.

8. Each tender must be accompanied by a receipt from one of the Presidency Banks of Bengal, Madras, or Bombay, or from an officer in charge of some Government treasury, or by a cheque on a banker in Calcutta, Madras, or Bombay, or by Government Promissory Notes duly endorsed to the Comptroller General, for a sum of not less than one per centum on the amount for which tender is made. This deposit of one per centum will be considered as in part payment of the last instalment; it will be forfeited if the allotment is not fully taken up. A cash deposit may, after allotment, be exchanged for a Government Promissory Note.

9. Scrip receipts for instalments paid, will be given by the Presidency Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, or by the officers in charge of the Government treasuries at which payment is made. These receipts will be exchanged for Promissory Notes, as soon as possible.

10. The minimum rate at which tenders will be accepted will be recorded under the signature of the Comptroller General, and declared before any tender is opened. The rate stated in a tender must not contain a fraction of an anna; if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out, and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

11. Tenders at the declared minimum rate, and at rates above the declared minimum, will be accepted in the order of the rates tendered, beginning with the highest rates. The amount allotted at the lowest rate at which tenders are accepted, will be divided amongst those who have tendered at this rate, in proportion, as nearly as may be found convenient, to the amounts of their tenders.

12. The names of the persons whose tenders are accepted in whole or in part, will be posted, for general information, at the Presidency Banks of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay.

By order of the Governor General in Council.

FORM OF TENDER.

I hereby tender for rupees of the Loan advertised in the Notification published in the *Gazette of India* Extraordinary dated the 13th May 1875, and agree to pay for the same, subject to the conditions notified, at the rate of rupees annas* for every hundred rupees allotted to me.

* Fraction of an anna not allowed.

I enclose a *deposit receipt** for rupees , and engage, if my offer be accepted, to pay to the account of the Government at the Presidency Bank of† [or into the Government treasury at† as the case may be,] the first instalment on the 1st July next, and the several later instalments on or before the dates fixed by the Notification, as follows :—

* Or cheque or Government Promissory Note.
† Here enter the name of Bank or Treasury.

One-fifth on the 1st July 1875.
One-fifth on the 2nd August 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st September 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st October 1875.
One-fifth on the 1st November 1875.

Note.—A separate tender must be made at each rate tendered, and a separate deposit must accompany each tender. In order to avoid mistakes, it is desirable that the tender, or, at least, the name of the tenderer, and the amount and rate tendered, should be written in English.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

The 18th May 1875.

No. 895.—In supersession of the orders of the Government of India, in the Financial Department, No. 590, dated 26th January 1874, No. 3999, dated 26th June 1874, No. 4000, dated 26th June 1874, and No. 4132, dated 30th June 1874, the Governor General in Council directs the addition of the following rule under section 44 of the Civil Pension Code, clause *e* under this section being cancelled :—

When, with the consent of the heads of both the offices concerned, or under the orders of competent authority, a ministerial officer is transferred from service in one office to service in another office, the period occupied in the change of office is not a break in the continuity of service within the meaning of this section.

Also of the following rule under chapter VIII of Civil Leave Code :—

9. When, with the consent of the heads of both the offices concerned, or under the orders of competent authority, a ministerial officer is transferred from service in one office to service in another office, on grounds of public convenience only, and not at his own request, for his own advantage, or in consequence of any fault on his part, the rules in this chapter apply to his case.

The word "gazetted" is also to be struck out from the heading of chapter VIII of the Civil Leave Code.

The 19th May 1875.

No. 931.—The Governor General in Council directs that rule 1 under section 35 of the Acting Allowance Code be cancelled.

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 17th May 1875.

No. 893.—*The following Statement of the Silver received and coined in the Mints of Calcutta and Bombay, in April* 1875, *is published for general information* :—

	Calcutta.			Bombay.		
	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.
	Government.	Merchants.		Government.	Merchants.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
April 1875 ...	218	2,809	21,62,879	3,427	13,35,700	29,54,125

SEPARATE REVENUE—STAMPS.

The 20th May 1875.

No. 952.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 16 of the General Stamp Act, 1869, the Governor General in Council is pleased to remit the duties chargeable under the said Act, on tenders for any portion of the loan advertised in the *Gazette of India*, Extraordinary, of the 13th May 1875.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 18th May 1875.

No. 512 *of* 1875.—The services of Captain C. B. Smith, C.S.I., Madras Infantry, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No. 513 *of* 1875.—The services of the undermentioned Native Medical Pupils of the Lahore Medical School, admitted by G. G. O. No. 819 of 1872 and No. 1054 of 1873, are dispensed with:—

Narain Das, No. 321.
Bhuggat Beer Lama, No. 488.
Doonee Chand, No. 479.
Sirdar Ali, No. 486.
Chanderbeer Rana, No. 487.

No. 514 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

No. 3 Horse Light Field Battery.

Lieutenant H. N. Jervois, of the Royal Artillery, to be Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant G. B. N. Martin, whose services are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief for appointment to the Royal Horse Artillery, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his duties in No. 3 Punjab Battery.

3rd Sikh Infantry.

Captain W. C. Ramsden, Quartermaster, to officiate as Adjutant during the absence on furlough to Europe of Lieutenant C. B. Norman, or until further orders.

Lieutenant C. H. M. Smith, 2nd Wing Subaltern, on probation, to officiate as Quartermaster in addition to his other duties, *vice* Captain Ramsden.

The 19th May 1875.

No. 515 *of* 1875.—That part of G. G. O. No. 261, dated the 8th March 1875, granting furlough to Europe on private affairs to Captain H. Trotter, of the Royal Engineers, Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade, Great Trigonometrical Survey of India, is cancelled at his request.

No. 516 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

3rd Infantry.

Lieutenant W. J. B. Bird, of the Royal Artillery, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Wing Subaltern, on probation, *vice* Lieutenant A. J. Garrett, appointed Adjutant of the Corps.

No. 517 *of* 1875.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 21st December 1871, and in consequence of the death, on the 30th November 1874, of Major-General J. W. Bayley, Madras Staff Corps, whose name was borne on the list of Lieutenant-Generals of the Indian Army, the name of—

Major-General *Sir* C. Reid, K.C.B., Bengal Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals; that of

Colonel G. W. Russell, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals; that of

Major W. Hicks, Bombay Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Colonels; and that of

Captain (Major in Madras Staff Corps) H. C. Wright is placed on the list of Majors on the Indian Gradation List.

No. 518 *of* 1875.—Under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 21st December 1871, and in consequence of the death of Lieutenant-General F. H. Sandys, Bengal Infantry, on the 28th December 1874, the name of—

Major-General W. B. Wemyss, Bengal Cavalry, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Generals; that of

Colonel M. C. Spottiswoode, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Major-Generals; and that of

Major H. P. Hawkes, Madras Staff Corps, is placed on the list of Lieutenant-Colonels on the Indian Gradation List.

No. 519 *of* 1875.—The following promotion is made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

BREVET.

RANK, NAME AND CORPS.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In succession to
Captain Archibald Ernest Arbuthnot, Madras Cavalry.	Major ..	29th Dec. 1874.	Lieutenant-General F. H. Sandys, Bengal Infantry, deceased.

No. 520 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) George Nolan (Unattached), Executive Engineer, Department Public Works, North-Western Provinces,—for two years, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 521 *of* 1875.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette* of the 9th and 13th April 1875, pages 2030, 2031 and 2083, are published for general information:—

London Gazette of 9th April 1875, *pages* 2030-31.

INDIA OFFICE,
The 8th April 1875.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Staff Corps, made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Cathcart Dempster, 106th Regiment. Dated 28th February 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Wemyss Muir, 6th Regiment. Dated 28th October 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Vincent Garbett, 5th Lancers. Dated 28th October 1871.

Lieutenant St. John Fancourt Michell, 5th Lancers. Dated 28th October 1871.

The admission to the Bengal Staff of Lieutenant A. M. Muir, 4th Hussars, as announced in the *Gazette* of 17th November last, is cancelled.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps, and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments of India:—

BREVET.—*To be Colonels.*

Lieutenant-Colonel William Fraser Stephens, Bengal Cavalry. Dated 1st January 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Osborn Wilkinson, Bengal Cavalry. Dated 27th January 1875.

Captain Thomas Harrison Tod Chalon, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General T. F. Flemyng, Bengal Staff Corps, deceased. Dated 31st August 1874.

Captain Thomas Francis Cosby Rochfort, Bengal Cavalry, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General R. St. John, Bombay Infantry, deceased. Dated 10th October 1874.

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors.

Captain Newton Robert Burlton. Dated 30th December 1874.

Captain Richard Fisher Angelo. Dated 4th January 1875.

Captain Andrew Robert Loughnan. Dated 4th January 1875.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Charles Vanrenen Conway-Gordon. Dated 12th January 1875.

Captain Swinton John Brown. Dated 20th January 1875.

Captain Otway Mayne Graham. Dated 20th January 1875.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Thomas Francis Stillwell. Dated 9th January 1875.

Lieutenant Alfred Gaselee. Dated 9th January 1875.

Lieutenant Henry Mackenzie Macdonald Wood. Dated 17th January 1875.

BENGAL ARMY.

Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Thomas Rochfort Snow, to be Colonel. Dated 6th January 1875.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Osborn Wilkinson, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 6th January 1875.

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WAR OFFICE;
Pall Mall, the 13th April 1875.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to be granted a step of honorary rank on retirement as follows:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick William Dunbar, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Colonel. Dated 14th April 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Deey Hassard, Bombay Staff Corps, to be Colonel. Dated 14th April 1875.

Major Ralph Assheton Nowell, half-pay, late Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th April 1875.

No. 522 *of* 1875.—Ashun Khatoon widow of Ressaldar, Major Mahomed Hossain Khan, "Sirdar Bahadoor," 1st Cavalry, Hyderabad Contingent, is admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the 3rd Class Order of Merit on her late husband for three years, commencing from the 2nd August 1874.

The stipend will be disbursed in the Hyderabad circle of pension payment.

No. 523 *of* 1875.—*Errata.*—In G. G. O. No. 614 of 1874, E. Battery, F. Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery—

FOR			READ		
Rank.	Name.	In what rank pensioned.	Rank.	Name.	In what rank pensioned.
Syce ...	Kissrie	Syce ...	Grass cutter ...	Kissrie	Grass cutter
" ...	Alopee	" ...	" ...	Alopee	"
" ...	Hoodah	" ...	" ...	Hoodah	"
" ...	Latta	" ...	" ...	Latta	"
" ...	Kurgeet	" ...	" ...	Kurgeet	"
" ...	Meerahun	" ...	" ...	Meerahun	"
" ...	Annunt	" ...	" ...	Annunt	"
" ...	Panch Cowrie ...	" ...	" ...	Panch Cowrie ...	"
" ...	Kumrie	" ...	" ...	Kumrie	"

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 524 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Erskine Grant Langmore, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 31st (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years, under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward O'Brien Horsford, of the Bengal Staff Corps,—for one year, under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Cory, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd in Command and Wing Officer, 44th (Sylhet) Regiment of Native (Light) Infantry,—for two years, under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) William Domett Morgan, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 32nd (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry (Pioneers),—for two years, under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Craufurd Millar, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Cantonment Magis-

trate, Jullundur, Punjab,—for eighteen months, under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward John McNair, of Infantry, Deputy Assistant Adjutant General (for Musketry), 1st Circle,—for six months under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868.

Major Welby Wroughton Boddam, of the Bengal Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, 1st Grade, Punjab,—for six months, under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 525 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from England :—

Captain (Brevet-Major) R. W. Sartorius, V.C., C.M.G., of the late 72nd Regiment, Native Infantry, 1st Squadron Subaltern, 6th Bengal Cavalry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 20th January 1875 (date of departure on furlough 22nd January 1872).

Captain T. H. Lewin, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Deputy Commissioner, Cooch Behar, Bengal,—date of arrival at Bombay, 24th March 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. G. Rogers, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, 20th (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 5th May 1875.

Captain A. C. W. Crookshank, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Adjutant, 32nd (Punjab) Regiment of Native Infantry (Pioneers),—date of arrival at Bombay, 5th May 1875.

No. 526 *of* 1875.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 1148 of the 8th December 1874, the following paragraphs of a military letter from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, No. 75, dated the 24th March 1875, are published for general information :—

Para. 6. With reference to paragraph 23 of your military letter No. 24, dated 5th February 1875, I have to inform you that Major R. W. Sartorius, V.C., C.M.G., was granted an extension of leave for an indefinite period, as it was not known upon what date Her Majesty would confer the Victoria Cross upon him.

7. Major Sartorius should be considered as on leave up to the date of his arrival in India.

No. 527 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified :—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Williamson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 146 of 1875,—per *Persia*, 1st April 1875, from Bombay.

Surgeon W. F. Murray, M. B., of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 473 of 1875,—per *Kashgar*, 5th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Graham, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 190 of 1875,—per *Kashgar*, 5th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) R. Davidson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 474 of 1875,—per *Kashgar*, 5th April 1875, from Bombay.

Captain S. C. MacTier, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 337 of 1875,—per *Kashgar*, 5th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant E. B. Nixon, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 474 of 1875,—per *Memfi*, 7th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant C. B Norman, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 474 of 1875,—per *Yeddo*, 10th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) W. R. Cunningham, of Infantry (since retired), G. G. O. No. 116 of 1875,—per *Hydaspes*, 12th April 1875, from Bombay.

Captain M. J. Moore, of the General List Cavalry, G. G. O. No. 480 of 1875,—per *Hydaspes*, 12th April 1875, from Bombay.

Captain H. V. Riddell, of the late 2nd European Bengal Fusiliers, G. G. O. No. 479 of 1875,—per *Hydaspes*, 12th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Barchard, C. B., of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 478 of 1875,—per *Hydaspes*, 12th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant W. S. S. Bisset, of the Royal Engineers, G. G. O. No. 278 of 1875,—per *Hydaspes*, 12th April 1875, from Bombay.

Major R. C. B. Pemberton, of the Royal Engineers, G. G. O. No. 278 of 1875,—per *Hydaspes*, 12th April 1875, from Bombay.

Captain (Brevet-Major) J. O. Travers, of the 1st Battalion, 17th Foot, Brigade-Major, Rawal Pindi, G. G. O. No. 428 of 1875,—per *Hutton*, 14th April 1875, from Bombay.

Captain J. M. Heywood, of the Royal Engineers, G. G. O. No. 172 of 1875,—per *Delhi*, 19th April 1875, from Bombay.

Captain A. L'E. H. Holmes, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 414 of 1875,—per *Hindoo*, 25th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) G. Swiney, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 381 of 1875,—per *Pekin*, 25th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. James, of the Madras Staff Corps, Madras General Order No. 112 of 1875,—per *Pekin*, 26th April 1875, from Bombay.

Major G. Swinton, of the Royal Engineers, G. G. O. No. 337 of 1875,—per *Pekin*, 26th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) R. N. Tronson, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 261, of 1875,—per *Pekin*, 26th April 1875, from Bombay.

The 21st May 1875.

No. 528 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Native Medical Pupils, of the Calcutta Medical College, who have lately passed their final examination, are promoted to the grade of passed Medical Pupil, with effect from the 21st April 1875, and placed at the disposal of the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Service :—

Elahie Buksh.	Shaik Raheem Buksh. (*a*)
Moomtaz Hossain.	Shekh Nizamooddeen.
Abdool Hamid Khan.	Gulam Safdar.
Abdool Kurreem.	Mahomed Ali. (*a*)
Naiz Oodeen Ahmed.	Mahfooz Ally.
Mookund Ram.	Rahamut Ullah. (*b*)
Gobind Ram.	Hirut Hossain.
Lushkari Prasad. (*a*)	Shaik Nazamut Allee.
Abdool Rasheed.	Abbas Ally.
Abdool Rohman. (*c*)	Mahomed Hossain (2nd).

(*a*) Passed an examination in English, *vide* G. G. O. No. 916 of 1871.
(*b*) Ditto ditto ditto No. 1124 of 1871.
(*c*) Ditto ditto ditto No. 623 of 1872.

No. 529 *of* 1875.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, having received a report of the excellent conduct of the small detachment of the 28th Regiment, Punjab Infantry, which accompanied the late mission to Western China, when it was attacked in force on the 22nd February 1875, desires to mark the sense entertained by the Government of India of the gallant and good service rendered by all the party on that occasion under very trying circumstances and especially by the Havildar and two Naicks who are reported to have carried out all the orders they received with intelligence and in a prompt and ready manner.

28th Punjab Native Infantry.
Havildar Mana Singh.
Naick Warriam Singh.
" Dewa Singh.
Sepoy Jhanda Singh.
" Sham Singh.
" Pertab Singh.
" Bhagwan Singh.
" Jhunda Singh.
" Mahessa Singh.
" Tahal Singh.
" Havaila Singh.
" Hackim Singh.
" Mehtab Singh.
" Bishen Singh.
" Jawund Singh.

His Excellency in Council is pleased therefore to direct the promotions of Havildar Mana Singh, Naick Warriam Singh and Naick Dewa Singh to the next higher grades, and their admission specially to the Third Class of the Order of Merit, in the rank they held prior to promotion.

The promotions and admissions to the Order of Merit will take effect from the 22nd February 1875, and they will remain supernumerary in their new grades until their turn for promotion comes in ordinary course.

Each Sepoy of the detachment is granted a donation of one year's batta.

No. 530 *of* 1875.—In continuation of the Government General Orders noted in the margin, the undermentioned officers are permitted to retire from the service from the dates specified, under the provisions of G. G. O., No. 1 of the 1st January 1875 :—

No. 378, dated the 14th April 1875.
No. 431, dated the 26th April 1875.
No. 460, dated the 4th May 1875.

No.	Rank and Names.	Corps.	Ordinary pension.	Annuity.	Capitalized value of annuity.	Date of retirement.	Where to be paid.
			£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.		
21	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) John Nisbett ...	Staff Corps ...	456 5 0	528 7 0	.....	16th May 1875	England.
22	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) William Fullerton	Ditto ...	456 5 0	529 14 0	.....	18th "	Ditto.
23	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) George Ward ...	Bengal Cavalry	365 0 0	462 16 0	.....	21st "	Ditto.

No. 531 *of* 1875.—Lieutenant A. J. Garrett, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Adjutant, 3rd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, is allowed leave of absence for four months, to visit Madras, with effect from the 1st May 1875, for the purpose of studying the Native languages.

No. 532 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment :—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

1st Punjab Cavalry.

Lieutenant D. S. Cuninghame, 1st Squadron Subaltern, to officiate as 3rd Squadron Officer, in addition to his other duties, during the period Captain H. Wylie may officiate as 2nd Squadron Officer, or until further orders, and with effect from the date on which Lieutenant L. T. Bishop rejoined his own Regiment, the 2nd Punjab Cavalry.

No. 533 *of* 1875.—The services of Lieutenant C. A. Crompton, of the Royal Engineers, are placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 15th May 1875.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned Officers on the dates specified were received in the Military Department from 8th to 14th May 1875 :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Remarks.
Royal Engineers ...	Lieutenant C. F. Cooke ...	10th April 1875	Bogra ...	.....	
1st Bn. 3rd Foot ...	Captain J. F. Whitworth ...	6th May 1875	Dalhousie ...	.....	

FORT WILLIAM,
The 15th May 1875.

B. E. BACON, *Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 14th May 1875.

No. 232.—Mr. (late Sergeant) P. Kelly, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Military Works Branch, having obtained his discharge from the Army on the 18th December 1874, is re-appointed to the Public Works Department as a Civilian in the same grade with effect from that date.

The 15th May 1875.

No. 233.—Mr. W. Conlan, Accountant, 3rd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is transferred to the Military Works Branch.

Kishen Lall, Accountant, 3rd Grade, Military Works Branch, is transferred to the Indus Valley State Railway.

No. 234.—Mr. L. O'Toole, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Central Provinces, lately employed on Famine Relief Work in Bengal, is transferred to the Establishment under the Director of State Railways with effect from 15th March 1875.

No. 235.—Mr. Hormuzshaw Dinshaw, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Rajpootana, temporarily employed on Famine Relief Work in Bengal, is transferred to British Burmah for employment on Provincial Works.

The 17th May 1875.

No. 236.—Colonel F. Alexander, S. C., Oudh, having returned from furlough on the 31st December 1874, reverted to the grade of temporary Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, from that date.

Consequent on the above, Major W. Chrystie, R. E., temporary Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, Mysore, reverted to temporary Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, from the same date.

Major S. T. Trevor, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, Assam, is promoted to temporary Superintending Engineer, 1st Grade, from 25th January 1875, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. O. Mayne, R. E., on furlough.

Major W. Chrystie, R. E., temporary Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, Mysore, is promoted to temporary Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, from 25th January 1875, *vice* Major S. T. Trevor, R. E.

Major H. E. Whish, S. C., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, is appointed to officiate as Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Oudh in the Public Works Department with the temporary rank of Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, with effect from 5th January 1875, *vice* Colonel F. Alexander.

No. 237.—The following officers, who were temporarily transferred from the Punjab Irrigation Branch for Famine Relief works in Bengal, are now permanently transferred to Bengal in the Irrigation Branch:—

Mr. F. Simon, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade.

" J. P. Scotland, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.

No. 238.—Mr. J. P. Vansittart, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is transferred to British Burmah for employment on the Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley State Railway.

The 20th May 1875.

No. 240.—Bombardier M. Walsh, R. H. A., Probationary Overseer, 1st Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is remanded to Military duty.

No. 241.—The following permanent promotions are made in the Establishment of Accountants of the Public Works Department with effect from 10th September 1874:—

To be Accountant, 1st Grade.

Mr. E. Lacey, Accountant, 2nd Grade, Rajpootana.

To be Accountant, 2nd Grade.

Mr. G. A. Laval, Accountant, 3rd Grade, Military Works Branch.

Mr. R. H. Smith, Accountant, 3rd Grade, British Burmah.

No. 242.—Mr. B. Rees, Probationary Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is confirmed in his appointment.

No. 243.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 88, dated 12th February 1874, granting subsidiary leave to Colonel D. G. Robinson, R.E., *for* "from 24th to 26th January" *read* "from 23rd to 26th January."

No. 244.—Mr. (late Private) W. Hay, Overseer, 1st Grade, North-Western Provinces, Assistant Master, Thomason College, having obtained his discharge from the Army on the 12th March 1875, is re-appointed to the Public Works Department as a Civilian in the same grade with effect from that date.

No. 245.—*Erratum.*—In Public Works Department Notification, No. 716 of 13th November 1873, for "Jogendro Nath" read "Jógendro Nath Sircar."

No. 246.—Babu Jogendro Nath Sircar, Probationary Overseer, 3rd Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is confirmed in his appointment.

The 21st May 1875.

No. 247.—Mr. M. Rayne, Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, is appointed to officiate as Engineer-in-Chief of the Indus Valley State Railway in the rank of Chief Engineer, 3rd Class, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel F. W. Peile, R.E., on privilege leave.

Mr. J. L. Gallott, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways is promoted to temporary Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, with effect from the 15th April 1875, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. Bonus, R.E., on furlough.

Mr. W. H. Parker, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is promoted to officiate as Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, *vice* Mr. M. Rayne.

No. 250.—The promotion of the Officers named in the margin, from Officiating Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, to temporary Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, made in Public Works Department Notification No. 179 of the 17th April 1875, is with effect from the 10th September 1874.

Mr. J. P. C. Anderson.
Major C. M. Browne, R. E.

TELEGRAPH.

The 18th May 1875.

No. 239.—Under the provisions of Section 22 of Act VIII of 1860, being an Act for regulating the establishment and management of Electric Telegraphs in India, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council hereby declares that Sections 5, 6, and 9 to 22 inclusive (with the exception of the concluding sentence of the last-named section) of the said Act shall be applicable to the line of telegraph along the Patree State Railway worked by the Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company, and to all persons using the same or employed in connection therewith.

The 21st May 1875.

No. 248.—Mr. T. R. M. Bence, Superintendent, 2nd Grade, on the Establishment under the Director General of Telegraphs, is permitted, at his own request, to resign his appointment, with effect from the 20th February 1875, the date of expiration of the leave granted to him.

No. 249.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following promotions on the Establishment under the Director General of Telegraphs in India:—

Mr. W. K. D. Bignell, Officiating Superintendent, 2nd Grade, is permanently appointed to that grade, with effect from 20th February 1875, *vice* Bence, resigned.

Mr. R. F. Dallas, Officiating Superintendent, 3rd Grade, is permanently appointed to that grade, with effect from 20th February 1875, *vice* Bignell.

Mr. G. A. Gosselin, Officiating Superintendent, 3rd Grade, is permanently appointed to that grade, with effect from 14th January 1875 *vice* Mr. J. H. Harris.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel*, R.A.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

No. 538.

Simla, the 10th June 1875.

A VACANCY having occurred in the office of an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India by the resignation of the Hon'ble B. H. Ellis, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to appoint Sir Alexander John Arbuthnot, K.C.S.I., to be an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India. Sir A. J. Arbuthnot has this day, under the usual salute, taken his seat as an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India.

By order of the Governor General in Council,

ARTHUR HOWELL,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—MEDICAL.

Simla, the 29th May 1875.

No. 326.—*Appointment.*—Surgeon E. Mulvany to officiate as Civil Medical Officer of Bahraich in Oudh.

JUDICIAL.

The 2nd June 1875.

No. 806.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 10, Act VI. of 1871, the Governor General in Council is pleased to invest Babu Padma Lochun Dass, Extra Assistant Commissioner of Sibságar, with the powers of a Munsiff in that district.

POLICE.

The 4th June 1875.

No. 154.—The provisions of Act VIII. of 1870 (for the prevention of the murder of female infants) having been made applicable to the Pachadeh Jats in the villages of the Moradabad District detailed in the subjoined list, by the Notification of the Government of the North-Western Provinces, No. 65A, dated the 11th ultimo, the following rules made by that Government in exercise of the power conferred on it by Section 2 of the said Act, and confirmed by the Governor General in Council, are hereby published for general information:—

Rules for the suppression of Female Infanticide.

I.—A nominal Register (A) of all proclaimed families shall be drawn up by the Police under the orders of the Magistrate of the district. In this register recognized heads of families or masters of separate households shall be entered as the heads of families, and every member of the family habitually resident in the village shall be entered by name. All persons under twelve shall be entered as children, except married female children living with their husbands, who shall, for the purposes of these Rules, be deemed to be adult females.

II.—All villages in which the proportion of female children to children on a proclaimed population of not less than 25 children, is less than 25 per cent., shall be called "specially guilty" villages, and shall also be entered in a separate Register (B), which shall be called the "Private register of proclaimed families in specially guilty villages." This register shall not be open to inspection except by the officers of the district.

III.—The person who is registered as the head of a proclaimed family shall report immediately the occurrence of every birth and death, and the

illness of any female child in his family to the chaukidar of the village. He shall also produce all children in his family for the inspection of a Police Officer visiting the village when required to produce them.

IV.—Every midwife knowing of, or having reason to believe in, the occurrence in a proclaimed family in the village in which she resides of a birth, or of the illness of a new-born child, shall at once report the fact to the chaukidar of the village. And if the village is one entered in Register B, she shall also report the occurrence of a pregnancy.

V.—If in a given time after proclamation [to be determined for each village or locality by the Local Government] the proportion of female children in a village entered in Register B does not rise to more than 25 per cent., the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that every person registered as the head of a proclaimed family in that village shall be personally bound to report to the officer in charge of the Police Station every pregnancy in his family at some period before the seventh month.

VI.—The chaukidar of the village shall immediately report to the officer in charge of the Police Station the occurrence of a birth, whether male or female, in a proclaimed family; the death of a female infant under six months old; the illness of a female child; and the removal of a pregnant woman to another village. He shall also report, on the occasion of his periodical visit to the Police Station, other deaths, removals and arrivals; and pregnancies reported to him if the village is entered in Register B.

VII.—The zemindars of the villages shall give assistance to the Police in drawing up Register A, and in obtaining information regarding all births, marriages, and deaths occurring, or about to occur, among proclaimed families.

VIII.—All expenses incurred in working the system sanctioned by Act VIII of 1870 shall be borne by the proclaimed clans and families, and shall be recoverable as arrears of land revenue; provided that, when the percentage of female children to children of any proclaimed class in any village exceeds forty, such class shall be exempted from any share in such expenses, unless in the opinion of the Magistrate there be other grounds of suspicion.

IX.—Where the crime is so prevalent, and the number of the proclaimed villages so great, that the ordinary establishment of the district cannot cope successfully with it, the Local Government may, at its discretion, appoint a force of special Police for the purpose of carrying out measures of prevention and detection. All expenses incurred for the payment of such Police, or under Rule VIII, may be met by a rate leviable, under the orders of the Local Government, from the heads of families entered in the nominal register of proclaimed persons. Such rate will ordinarily be imposed so as to fall more heavily on specially guilty than on guilty families; but the amount of the rate to be levied will be fixed in every case by the special orders of the Local Government.

X.—No proclaimed village or family shall be exempted from the operation of these Rules except by the order of the Local Government, or in virtue of authority to that effect vested by Government in any officer. A village or family so exempted will then be struck out of Register A, and the erasure initialled by the Magistrate of the District, or by the District Superintendent of Police.

Clan.	Pargana.		Village.
Pachadeh Jats.	Amroha...	1	Uksi.
		2	Pirthipur Kalan.
		3	Telipura.
		4	Chakthana.
		5	Sunpura.
		6	Kural.
		7	Lamia.
		8	Makhanpur.
	Hassanpur	9	Basera Kanjar.
		10	Ghosipura.
		11	Muhammadpur.
		12	Hoshangpur.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—SURVEYS.

Simla, the 2nd June 1875.

No. 377.—Mr. F. R. Mallet, Assistant, 2nd Grade, on the Geological Survey of India, is allowed three months' privilege leave from 1st July next, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

The 3rd June 1875.

No. 382.—Captain J. Waterhouse, Assistant Surveyor General and Assistant Superintendent, 1st Grade, Topographical Survey, to officiate as Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade, during the absence on leave of Captain R. V. Riddell, R.E., or until further orders, with effect from the 26th March last.

No. 384.—Consequent on the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. F. Stolliczka, Assistant, 1st Grade, on the Geological Survey of India, and with reference to the Resolution of the Government of India, in this Department, No. 265, dated the 21st April last, sanctioning a re-distribution of the appointments in the graded list of the Geological Survey Department, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following promotions and appointments in the Department:—

Mr. W. King, Junior, from the 2nd to the 1st Grade.

Messrs. T. W. H. Hughes and W. Willson, from the 3rd to the 2nd Grade.

Dr. W. Waagen to be Palæontologist to the Geological Survey in the room of Dr. Stoliczka, deceased.

These arrangements will take effect from the 21st April last.

A. O. HUME,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 4th June 1875.

No. 83*J*.—With reference to Section 284, of Act VIII. of 1859. (*The Code of Civil Procedure*), it is hereby notified that the Civil Court of the Political Agent at Sattara has been established by the authority of the Governor-General of India in Council within the limits of the territories of the following Chiefs:—

The Pant Pratinidhi.
The Pant Sacheo.
The Nimbalkar (Phaltan).
The Dafle (Jat).

No. 85*J*.—Under the provisions of Section 35 of Act IX. of 1874 (*The European Vagrancy Act*, 1874) the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Major P. W. Powlett, Officiating Political Agent, Ulwur, to exercise the powers and perform the duties conferred and imposed by the Act on Magistrates, Justices of the Peace exercising the powers of a Magistrate of the 1st Class, and Police Officers.

POLITICAL.

The 4th June 1875.

No. 1626*P*.—With reference to Notification No. 734P., dated 25th February 1875, the services of Mr. J. Jardine are replaced at the disposal of the Bombay Government from the afternoon of the 18th May 1875.

No. 1627*P*.—*Notification*.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Aga Syud Abdool Hosein Ispahany as Vice-Consul for Persia at Moulmein, and of Aga Ahmed Ispahany as Vice-Consul for Persia at Rangoon.

GENERAL.

The 4th June 1875.

No. 1059*G*.—*Leave*.—Mr. J. C. Edwards, Political Assistant of the 2nd Class, and Officiating 1st Assistant to the Political Resident in the Persian Gulf, is granted privilege leave of absence for three months from 1st July 1875.

No. 1061*G*.—*Appointment*.—Captain A. Conolly, Adjutant of the Meywar Bheel Corps, to officiate as 2nd in Command from 24th April 1875, *vice* Major Gunning, Officiating as Commandant.

Captain A. R. T. McRae, Officiating Wing Subaltern of the Meywar Bheel Corps, to officiate as Adjutant from date of assuming charge, *vice* Captain Conolly.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 2nd June 1875.

No. 1220.—The services of Mr. W. H. Dobbie having been replaced by the Government of Bengal at the disposal of the Government of India in this Department, Mr. Dobbie is appointed to officiate as an Assistant to the Comptroller General.

The 3rd June 1875.

No. 1242.—*Cash Balances in the Government Treasuries in India on the last day of the month of April* 1875, *compared with those on the same date in* 1873 *and* 1874:—

	1873.	1874.	1875.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Govt. of India...	3,52,21,141	1,98,16,358	3,13,42,630
Bengal ...	2,34,21,617	1,87,93,759	2,35,62,124
Assam ...		17,71,511	28,77,001
British Burmah	36,64,514	23,78,292	61,61,590
N. W. Provinces	1,82,89,289	1,03,96,155	1,48,28,079
Oudh ...	61,74,769	40,80,422	51,17,477
Punjab ...	86,87,950	99,51,788	1,10,12,849
Bombay ...	4,41,11,336	2,32,14,975	2,75,75,392
Central Provs.	81,18,904	48,71,088	49,63,884
Madras ...	3,41,09,434	2,55,72,430	2,80,32,980
TOTAL ...	18,17,98,248	12,08,46,773	15,54,73,456

SEPARATE REVENUE—STAMPS.

The 4th June 1875.

No. 1243.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 16 of the General Stamp Act 18 of 1869, the Governor General in Council is pleased to remit the stamp duty chargeable under the above-mentioned Act on Title-deeds (Sunnuds) granted by the Government to Bhoomias in Ajmere.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 31st May 1875.

No. 568 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on urgent private affairs:—

Captain Arthur Edward Downing, of the late 51st Regiment of Native Infantry, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Department Public Works,—for six months under Rule XI of the Regulations of 1868.

The 1st June 1875.

No. 569 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

4th Punjab Cavalry.

Lieutenant C. G. Mansel, 2nd Wing Subaltern, 2nd Punjab Infantry, on probation, to officiate as 2nd Squadron Subaltern during the period Lieutenant R. H. Forrest may officiate as 3rd Squadron Officer, or until further orders.

No. 570 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the recommendation of the Right Hon'ble the Commander-in-Chief, is pleased to lay down the following rules to govern the grant of the allowances of officers withdrawn from their appointments and regiments, whether in the camp or elsewhere, to perform staff duties in camps of exercise:—

1. A general officer attached to a camp of exercise situated within the limits of his division or district command will continue to exercise his division or district command, and the Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster Generals will perform their divisional duties as well as the staff duties of the camp.

2. Any general officer commanding, or officer commanding an artillery division or district detached from his division, district, brigade, or artillery division or district, will continue to exercise his command from the camp of exercise to which he may be attached, or such command may, at the discretion of the Commander-in-Chief, be exercised without any additional pay or allowances by the senior officer of the command.

3. Any commanding or staff officer, general, station or regimental, whether permanent or officiating, ordered by the Commander-in-Chief in any special or exceptional case to join a camp of exercise, will continue to receive his staff and other pay and allowances as if present at his post, and arrangements are to be made at the station or corps for the performance of his duties without extra cost to the State.

4. Staff officers of one presidency ordered to join a camp of exercise in another presidency will continue to draw their full staff salaries, and arrangements are to be made at the station or corps for the performance of their duties without extra cost to the State.

5. No allowances whatever will be granted to officers holding temporary appointments of any kind at a camp of exercise, with the exception of that of provost marshal, to which a staff salary of Rs. 100 a month, in addition to regimental pay and allowances, will be attached.

6. When an officer commanding a regiment, whether quartered in the camp or at another station, is placed in command of a brigade, or appointed to any other duty in connection with the camp, the command of the regiment will be exercised by the next senior officer without any additional allowance.

7. All other officers nominated to staff duties whose posts are purely temporary with the camp, such as orderly officers and others, and who are not in receipt of any staff or horse allowance, will be allowed the use of troop horses for the performance of their staff duties when such horses are available, or if in possession of suitable horses themselves, horse allowance for the number of the chargers sanctioned for the appointment will be granted to them.

8. In like manner officers not already in receipt of horse allowance, acting for staff or mounted officers withdrawn from their appointments or commands, will be entitled to be supplied with Government horses, or to draw the authorized horse allowance if in possession of suitable horses.

9. All officers not belonging to or proceeding with troops ordered to join a camp of exercise, whether holding staff appointments or not, will be allowed free conveyance to the camp and back, and also conveyance by rail for the prescribed number of servants and chargers for their baggage, and also for their camp equipage when public camp equipage is not provided for them with the camp. Officers of other presidencies are supplied with camp equipage and are allowed free passages for themselves and four servants, and also conveyance by rail for the regulated number of chargers should they bring their own horses with them, or the use of two troop horses each.

10. All officers not provided with public camp equipage are required to keep up their marching establishments and carriage so long as the camp continues formed, and till they return to their proper stations.

11. The troops being in the field, though not on active service, the field allowance is admissible to medical subordinates, batta to troops and establishments entitled to it, and horse allowance to Quartermasters of British Infantry and to 2nd class Warrant Officers.

12. The pay of Electric Telegraph establishments specially sanctioned from the army for camp purposes will be regulated by the rules now in force for the remuneration of soldier-signallers.

13. The rules regarding the grant of compensation for loss of allowances to officers detached on duty do not apply to officers withdrawn to join camps of exercise.

The 2nd June 1875.

No. 571 *of* 1875.—Under the authority of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the staff salaries of the Chief Inspectors of Musketry (Assistant Adjutants General) in the three Presidencies will be increased—

In Bengal, from Rs. 600 to Rs. 800 per month;
In Madras and Bombay, from Rs. 400 to Rs. 500 per month.

2. This increase will take effect from 1st April 1875.

No. 572 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

HYDERABAD CONTINGENT.

No. 2 Horse Light Field Battery.

Lieutenant N. Powlett, Subaltern, No. 3, Horse Light Field Battery, and Officiating Commandant, No. 2, Horse Light Field Battery, to be Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant J. J. F. Cumming, deceased.

No. 3 Horse Light Field Battery.

Lieutenant G. S. Mainguy, Officiating Subaltern, to be Subaltern, *vice* Lieutenant N. Powlett.

No. 573 *of* 1875.—In continuation of the Government General Orders noted in the margin, the undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the date specified under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1 of the 1st January 1875:—

No. 378, dated the 14th April 1875.
No. 431, dated the 26th April 1875.
No. 460, dated the 4th May 1875.
No. 530, dated the 21st May 1875.

No.	RANK AND NAME.	Corps.	Ordinary pension.	Annuity.	Capitalized value of annuity.	Date of retirement.	Where to be paid.
			£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.		
24	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) William Forbes...	Bengal Infantry	456 5 0	473 4 0	.....	1st June 1875	England.

The 3rd June 1875.

No. 574 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the publication for general information of the following correspondence regarding the operations recently carried out in the Naga Hills in consequence of an attack made by Nagas on one of the Survey parties employed in those Hills:—

Field Operations.

No. 2289, dated Quartermaster General's Office, Simla, the 18th May 1875.

From—MAJOR-GENERAL F. S. ROBERTS, C.B., V.C., R.A., Quartermaster General,

To—COL. H. K. BURNE, Secretary to the Government of India, Military Dept.

I am directed by the Commander-in-Chief in India to forward, for submission to the Government of India in the Military Department, a letter* from Brigadier-General Stafford, C. B., commanding Eastern Frontier District, transmitting a report by Colonel Nuttall, 44th Assam Light Infantry, to whom was entrusted the command of the small column which operated in the Naga Hills.

* No. 457, dated 5th May 1875, with annexures in original—return solicited.

2. The severe trials endured by the troops from the inclemency of the weather and in overcoming the physical difficulties presented by high precipitous hills and rapid torrents; and the skilful and spirited manner in which the enemy were driven from their formidable defences, will doubtless meet with the approval of His Excellency the Governor General in Council.

3. The Commander-in-Chief would invite attention to the excellent conduct of the troops, and to the names of the officers, Military, Departmental, and Civil, whom Colonel Nuttall notices as having, by their zeal and energy, enabled him to carry out his well-arranged plan of operations.

Dated Debrugarh, the 16th April 1875.

From—COLONEL J. M. NUTTALL, C. B., Commanding Naga Field Force,

To—MAJOR-GENL. F. S. ROBERTS, C.B., V.C., R.A., Quartermaster General, Army Head-Quarters, Simla.

I HAVE the honor, agreeably to the instructions contained in your telegram of the 12th instant, to submit, for the information of the Right Honorable the Commander-in-Chief, the following detailed report of my late operations in the Naga Hills.

2. On the 23rd February 1875, I received intimation that the Detachments of the 42nd and 44th Regiments of Native Infantry, employed with the Duffla Field Force, were coming up by steamers to form the force to be employed against the Nagas concerned in the massacre of Lieutenant Holcombe and his Survey party on the 2nd February 1875. At the same time, I was informed that I was nominated to the Command of this Field Force. Late in the afternoon of the same day, the *Prince Albert* steamer, with the *Isla* and *Ganges* flats in tow, arrived with the detachments above mentioned, and a large supply of commissariat stores on board.

3. By employing strong detachments of the 42nd and 44th Regiments, the whole of the stores were landed about 2 P. M. the next day, and the whole of the Force had marched up to the cantonments, about 7 miles from the Ghât, by 5 P. M. on the same day; on this day (24th) I received a letter from the personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner of Assam, containing certain instructions regarding the political conduct of the expedition.

4. On the 25th February the Transport Corps, 500 strong, arrived at the Debrugarh Ghât, and the next morning (the 26th) marched into cantonments.

5. On the 26th, Captain Butler, Political Agent, Naga Hills, who had been appointed Political Officer to the Force, rode into Debrugarh in order to consult with the Chief Commissioner of Assam and myself, and returned to Jaipur the following day.

6. On the 27th, the Naga Field Force, consisting of about 308 of all ranks, marched from Debrugarh *en route* for Borwasali, which place it reached on the morning of the 1st March, the distance being about 51 miles. The Transport Corps which I had halted at Tipling Ghât on the Dehing River, as they appeared to have felt the first march of 18 miles, did not arrive at Borwasali till the 2nd.

7. On the 2nd, accompanied by Major Heathcote, Assistant, Quartermaster General to the force, and a small guard, I pushed on to Bor Mutun to join Captain Butler, who had preceded me there according to previous arrangement.

8. I found that the distance between Borwasali and Bor Mutun, instead of being 10, as I was led to believe, was fully 15 miles. For 2½ miles the road passes through the plains, but at a place called Hulwa, it reaches the foot of the hills. Between Hulwa and Bor Mutun there is a range of hills on which the village of Kulun Mutun is situated, and over which the path runs. The highest part of the road is 1,900 feet above the sea. After passing the range of Kulun Mutun, the road again descends to the foot of the Bor Mutun hill (2,650 feet above the sea), which it ascends by a very steep gradient.

9. Establishing a store-house at Hulwa and a resting-place for the Transport Corps at Kulun Mutun, about half-way between Hulwa and Bor Mutun, I began working stores up to the latter place, intending to make it my principal depôt. From the 3rd to the 12th March, not only the Transport Corps, but every available cooly, Naga, Cossyah, Kookie, Assamese, &c., was pressed into the service, and by the 12th, the whole of the available Naga Field Force, including the Transport Corps, were assembled at Bor Mutun with 17 days' provisions in Camp.

10. The following were the arrangements I made for the protection of my line of communication between Jaipur and Bor Mutun, when I advanced on the 13th March. At Jaipur I left a guard of 1 Native officer and 27 men. At Borwasali and Hulwa (reserve depôts, where my reserve ammunition and reserve supplies were stored) I left Major Tulloch in Command. The former post was held by a guard of 1 Native Officer and 30 men, and the latter by 1 Havildar, 1 Naick, and 8 Sepoys. At Kulun Mutun, I left 1 Havildar, 1 Naick, and 10 Sepoys, and at Bor Mutun the strength of the guard left behind consisted of 1 Native Officer and 30 men. All four posts were stockaded.

11. These precautions, taken to secure our communications against any possible treachery on the part of the powerful tribes we left in our rear, the remainder of the Force marched for Bor Bansang on the 13th March, but before leaving Bor Mutun, agreeably to the instructions given me by the Chief Commissioner of Assam, and taking into consideration the almost unprecedented features of treachery, ferocity and cruelty, exhibited by the Nagas in the massacre of the 2nd February, and also bearing in mind the fact that many of the men in camp, sepoys, coolies and others, had been present when it was perpetrated, and that amongst the latter there were many whose habits and customs inculcated revenge of any sort, as a virtue, I thought it advisable to issue a field force order regarding the treatment of the women and children of the enemy, in fact all who from age or sex were unable to resist, as also to interdict any mutilation of the dead, and this order I have the honor to append to this report. I am happy to state that the result has been that no instance has been brought to my notice or to that of the Political Officer with the force, of the slightest infringement of this order; indeed, the discipline of the troops and coolies has been such that not only has this order been unbroken, but not one complaint has been brought forward by the hundreds of friendly Nagas who at various times frequented our camp, bringing provisions, or assisting in carrying our commissariat stores from place to place, and on one occasion when the village of Nion was taken, some of the Nagas attached to the Political Officer's party as scouts so thoroughly understood our feelings on this point that having found a little girl in the deserted village, they brought her safely to Captain Butler, who took care that she should rejoin her tribe after we left.

12. On leaving Bor Mutun the force descended by a very steep road to the Tesing River, over which an excellent trestle bridge had been thrown by Lieutenant Abbott, and a party of the 42nd Native Infantry. From the bed of the Tesing, which is about 850 feet above the sea, we ascended by a succession of ridges to the village of Bor Bansang, 3,780 feet above the river.

13. At Bor Bansang, I left a Native Officer and 30 men of the 42nd stockaded, and on the 14th March pushed on to Senwa.

14. The country through which we passed on this and on most of the marches we made in the Naga hills was thickly populated for a hilly country. Every advantageous hill summit had its village, most of them strongly stockaded, and panjied on the sides liable to attack. Almost all the houses were very large and commodious, and the rooms were raised off the ground on posts. The Chief's house at Kamhna was 200 feet in length. The land, too, in the neighbourhood of the villages was in many places admirably cultivated, whole hill sides having been cleared of every scrap of jungle, except the stumps of a few trees. The principal crops grown by the Nagas are rice and kuchoos: the latter, a species of arum, is very extensively cultivated, and forms the staple food amongst the Nagas of these hills.

15. On approaching Senwa, about noon of the 14th, it was evident that though well-stockaded and holding a very strong natural position, the men of this village did not wish to fight. Refusing, however, to parley with them, the Raja was sent for, and after a little delay he came down the hill. He was at once called on to name the five or six men of his village who were concerned in the massacre of the 2nd February 1875, which he at once did, and his evidence has since proved to be perfectly correct. I then with the advanced guard of the 44th and followed by the main body of that regiment advanced up the hill towards the stockades, ordering Colonel Sherriff with his detachment of the 42nd to turn the whole position by a road running round the base of the hill, and entering the village by the south. The result of this manœuvre would have been most decisive if the Nagas had fired a shot, or whilst anxiously engaged watching the 44th clambering over the stockades, and climbing the northern slopes of the steep ridges on which Senwa is built, the 42nd Regiment came in on their rear most unexpectedly when they fled in every direction.

16. On the 15th March the places of refuge of three of the men implicated in the massacre were discovered by our Native scouts, and the men brought into camp and placed under a guard. The same day three rifles and Lieutenant Holcombe's gun were given up.

17. On the 16th March, having warned the Raja that he must secure the remaining three men of his village implicated and be ready to hand them over to us on our return from Ninú, I marched from Senwa towards that place, leaving a guard of 80 men of the 42nd under Lieutenant Abbott to overawe

that large village, and furnish escorts for bringing up supplies for the force from Bor Bansang and also for sending them on to Ninú.

18. On arriving on the banks of the Disang river, which has to be crossed by a ford before ascending the ridge on which Ninú is built, we found the river swollen and impassable. Two of the 44th Native Infantry and three of Captain Butler's police swam the river, and one raft was brought over, but the second was swept away by the current, and as the river rose rapidly, it was impossible to get any more over. Every effort to get a rope across the river or to fell a sufficiently large tree to bridge the stream failed, and I regret to say that one of the men who had crossed (Sepoy Dhunbeer Rai) was drowned in attempting to return in spite of every effort to save him. The names of these gallant volunteers were—Havildar Heema Chund and Sepoy Dhunbeer Rai, 44th Native Infantry, also Head Constable Dhon Sing and Constables Kunthai Ram and Sikaidas of the Naga Hill Police; and I feel confident it will not be thought out of place in my naming them in this despatch, as though one of them is beyond the reach of any praise of mine, I would perpetuate as far as lies in my power the act of gallantry he died in performing.

19. Late in the evening the force returned to Senwa. But the next morning a strong working party was sent down which proceeded under the superintendence of Lieutenant Woodthorpe, R. E. (who had kindly offered me his services), to the rivers, and commenced at once throwing a trestle bridge across at a point higher up the river than the spot tried on the day and where the stream was about 210 feet wide, which bridge was so far advanced by the evening of the 17th, that I marched the whole available force down to the river on the morning of the 18th, and the work was so vigorously pushed on that day, that at 4 P. M. communication was opened with the opposite bank. During the construction of the bridge the enemy commenced firing on the working parties from the right bank of the river, but their fire was at once silenced, and I believe with some loss to them, by a party of our skirmishers which opened fire from an advantageous position on our bank of the river.

20. The bridge having been completed by 7 A. M. on the morning of the 19th, I marched the whole force across the river at 7-30 A. M., and advanced on Ninú. Two roads lead to Ninú from the river—the one entering the village from the west and the other from the north. These roads traverse two ridges, divided by a deep ravine. I directed Colonel Sherriff with the 42nd to take the road to the right (the western one), and with the remainder of the column I took the road to the left, directing the baggage to follow, protected by a strong guard. The combined strength of the two columns was 261 of all ranks. About noon we neared Ninú, and could see flames issuing from a few houses forming a lower village, which had evidently been set on fire by the enemy to retard our approach. During our advance we perceived numbers of armed men on the hill sides near the village of Lonkai, which lay on our left flank, but separated from us by a very deep ravine. When close to Ninú the column of the 42nd could be perceived on the other ridge advancing so as to close the western route to the enemy. Pushing on with the advanced guard of the 44th under Lieutenant Macgregor, and accompanied by Major Heathcote and Captain Butler, with a few of his police, and closely followed by the main body of the 44th under Lieutenant-Colonel Cory, we came on a stockade thrown across the road when within short range of us the enemy opened fire; but their shots were aimed too high and passed over our heads, and the stockade was taken at once, the Nagas retiring to the upper village. Seeing that the enemy were in strength at the top of a steep ascent directly in front of us, I detached two parties to the left, directing them to take advantage of the cover afforded by the jungle around, and endeavour to gain the rear of the village by making a detour to the east; so that when the defences were forced in front, they might be on the direct line of retreat of the enemy. On arriving with the advanced guard at the foot of the very steep ascent leading to the upper village, we could perceive a very strong stockade thrown across the road. The whole ground around was also panjied in every direction, and here several of our men and one European officer got wounded. But the Nagas would not stand to meet us, and finding that their fire did not check the advance for a moment, they evacuated the stockade as we neared it, and at once retreated southwards through the upper village which was now on fire, the roads to the west being barred to them by the 42nd Native Infantry. Had they stood for a very short time, the flanking parties would have got in their rear and caused them very heavy loss. As it was, they were pursued by a portion of the force for four miles to a village called Nisa, also concerned in the massacre of the 2nd February; and here again the enemy set fire to the village to retard the approach of our forces. Having left Colonel Sherriff with a portion of the force at Ninú, I pushed through the burning village with Lieutenant-Colonel Cory, Lieutenant Macgregor, and 80 men to Nisa, where I joined Major Heathcote and Captain Butler, who had arrived with the flankers and some of the advanced guard. We bivouacked for the night in a few huts that had escaped the general conflagration of this village. I append a list of our casualties up to the 27th of March; most of the men therein mentioned were wounded on this day. With regard to the loss of the enemy I cannot speak positively, as it is a custom with them to carry off their dead and wounded at any sacrifice, and owing to the thick cover around and the burning huts, it was difficult to see clearly what was going on in the upper village at the time of attack. But before we left the Naga hills we heard from prisoners and others that the Ninú Nagas had lost many men, killed on the various occasions in which the troops came in contact with them from the 18th to the 31st March.

21. On the 20th I directed Colonel Sherriff to march on Lonkai, which he did with 75 men of all ranks belonging to the 42nd and 44th Regiments Native Infantry. He attacked and burnt the village, which had aided in the massacre of the 2nd of February, and in which were found proofs of the participation of the villagers in that tragedy. The same day Captain Butler with a party of his own police, strengthened by some men of the 44th Native Infantry, proceeded in one direction to pursue the Ninú fugitives into their fastnesses in the forest, whilst I with another party of about 50 men, and accompanied by Lieutenant-Colonel Cory and Major Heathcote, took another. Captain Butler's party discovered several of their places of refuge, and the detachment which I accompanied came upon

a large temporary village of several hundred houses which had evidently been constructed as a place of refuge till our force retired, the houses containing large quantities of grain, household impliments, &c. A number of pigs, goats, fowls, &c., were also found in the village. The Nagas lost several men this day, and many articles belonging to Lieutenant Holcombe's party were recovered.

22. On the morning of the 21st, leaving a strong guard at Nisa, I marched with the remainder of the force encamped there towards Khamna, which consists of two villages, Upper and Lower Khamna, amongst the most powerful in that part of the country and situated about 10 miles south of Nisa. The force consisted of 162 men of all ranks. The road from Nisa descends 2,150 feet into a valley through which runs a branch of the Disang or Dillé river. Owing to the heavy rains that had lately fallen, we found the stream a swollen, impetuous torrent, and the ford very deep and difficult, the water being above the men's waists. The force, however, at once commenced the passage, and though several of the officers and men were nearly swept away, no serious accident occurred. Leaving a guard of 30 men at the ford with orders to make a thick bamboo rope and stretch it across the stream to assist the men on their return, the column commenced the ascent of the ridge on which the villages were situated, the upper 2,600 feet above the ford and 4,600 above the sea. When the column arrived within about a mile of the lower village a large party of Nagas were seen close to a strong stockade which crossed the whole breadth of the ridge. Taking advantage of a rise in the ground about the middle of the ridge, I detached a party to turn their left flank, whilst I attacked in front. They would not however stand, but fled as we approached, and being followed, lost several men, killed and wounded. Near the village there was another stockade much stronger than the first, but this they also abandoned. On searching the village many proofs were obtained of the inhabitants' participation in the massacre, many articles belonging to the Survey party being found in the huts. Having burnt both villages, the force returned to Nisa for the night, the rear guard not getting back till 8 P. M. I believe the Khamna Nagas would have made a stouter defence, but were somewhat unprepared, not thinking we could cross the river in its swollen state.

23. On the same day a detachment of 46 men of all ranks under Lieutenant Ridgeway took the village of Kamoi, which was found dismantled and unstockaded. This village was also implicated in the massacre of the 2nd February, and here again proofs of the guilt of the villagers were found.

24. On the 22nd detachments of from 15 to 20 men under British and Native Officers were despatched in every direction, both from Ninú and Nisa, to scour the country and attack the Nagas of the villages implicated. Several Nagas were killed and wounded by these detachments, and small temporary villages with stores of grain found in the jungles and on the mountain peaks were destroyed.

25. On the 23rd the same tactics were followed and with equal success.

26. On the 24th Lieutenant-Colonel Cory with 60 men of all ranks was sent back to Kambna, where he was bivouacked for the night, and destroyed several stores of grain. He brought back with him the next morning a Naga who was recognised by a Sepoy of the party as having taken an active part in the massacre, having wounded the Sepoy himself. This man is now in the Debrogurh Jail.

27. On the same day the remainder of the force were employed in scouring the hills and jungles as on the 22nd and 23rd, and large supplies of grain were found and destroyed.

28. On the 25th Colonel Sherriff again returned to Lonkai, but the Naga scouts gave the alarm, and the village was deserted by the inhabitants, but some live stock was captured and carried off.

29. On the 26th, I marched back to Ninu where the force which took it on the 19th was once more reunited.

30. From the 26th to the 31st March, the force remained at Ninu; detachments scouring the country daily on every side; but by this time the spirit of the enemy was so broken that the Ninu fugitives began sending captured arms and property belonging to the late Lieutenant Holcombe's survey party into camp by means of other tribes, so that including arms that were sent in on the 1st April, 17 stand of arms were restored, and I believe the greater part of the most valuable of the plunder taken on the 2nd February.

31. On the 30th March, hearing that the greater part of the Ninu fighting men had fled to the neighbourhood of Laju, a village far removed from Ninu, I determined to return to Senwa the next day, to complete the work of the campaign by the punishments of Nion, which, although it had not joined with Ninu in the attack on the survey party on the 2nd February, yet had barbarously murdered a few unfortunate coolies who had escaped the massacre, and were trying to make their way to the plains through their country.

32. The force accordingly returned to Senwa on the 31st March, and on the morning of the 1st April I marched with a force of 140 men, including 20 of Captain Butler's police to Nion, which place was attacked between 9 and 10 A. M.; many of the enemy slain, and the force returned to Senwa late in the afternoon. The houses in the village of Nion having been searched, many articles belonging to the unfortunate victims of the late massacre were found in them.

33. On the 2nd April, I remained at Senwa to negotiate with the Chief for the surrender of the three men not yet given up.

34. On the 3rd April, the force commenced its return march to the plains; but the three Senwa men above alluded to being still wanting to complete the number of those who had engaged in the massacre, I consulted with Captain Butler, Political Officer to the expedition, and we came to the conclusion that it was expedient to take the Rajah of Senwa with us to the plains as a hostage for the production of the three men before mentioned who were still at large.

35. This measure proved successful, as after the return of the force to Bor Mutun, and before we had descended into the plains, the second Chief of Senwa (Chunle), one of the three missing men, and believed to be one of the leading men in the plot to massacre the survey party, was brought into camp a prisoner by the Nagas themselves, and handed over to us, they having caught him in his hiding place in the jungles near Senwa after our departure.

He and all the other prisoners implicated in the massacre are now in the Jail at Debrugarh.

36. On the 4th April, the force marched from Bor Bansang to Bor Mutun.

37. On the 5th I halted at Bor Mutun and sent the Assistant Quartermaster General on to Borwasali to complete arrangements for the march of the troops thence to Debrugarh.

38. On the 6th, the 44th Native Infantry under command of Lieutenant-Colonel Cory with a portion of the transport corps marched from Bor Mutun to Kulun Mutun. On the 7th they marched into Borwasali, on the 8th into Jaipur, on the 9th into Tenga Ghât, and on the 10th into Debrugarh. With the 42nd Native Infantry and the remainder of the transport corps, I followed them one march in rear, and the whole force was once more re-assembled at Debrugarh on the 11th April, in wonderfully good health, considering the hardships and exposure they had gone through.

39. At Debrugarh I found the *Prince Albert* steamer with two flats waiting to convey the detachment of the 42nd Native Infantry and the transport corps down the river,—the former to Gowhatty, and the latter to Goalundo.

40. Having issued a farewell order to the force, the corps above alluded to embarked on the 13th, and the steamer left Debrugarh on the 14th at day-light.

41. It would be presumptuous in me to offer an opinion as to the success of the expedition; but a few facts relative to the results will not, I trust, be out of place in this report. The whole of the villages implicated in the massacre of the 2nd February were attacked and burnt, and large stores of grain, cattle, &c., belonging to the enemy destroyed. Their loss in action must have been upwards of 50 killed. The remains of all the victims belonging to the survey party were recovered; those of the late Lieutenant Holcombe were brought into Debrugarh and buried with military honours, whilst those of the natives who perished were either burnt or buried on the spot. Of the fire arms taken from the survey party, 17 were recovered, and the most valuable portion of the private property. A great number of Naga arms were captured by the force, consisting of flint muskets, spears, dhaos, cross-bows and shields. All the powerful Naga villages in the country operated in, who were not implicated in the affairs of the 2nd February, tendered their submission, assisting us in a manner quite unprecedented, even those far removed from our line of march, such as Dadun and Bhanpara. Four of the principal murderers were captured and are now in the jail at Debrugarh. The Chief of Senwa and one of his tribe are hostages for the surrender of two men not yet given up. The survey party under Lieutenant Woodthorpe, R. E., were able to survey 300 square miles of country and fill in the details which were still required for a map of this portion of the Naga Hills.

42. It is now my grateful task to bring to notice the services of the officers of the force, to whom and their men I am entirely indebted for whatever success has attended the expedition.

43. One of the officers to whom my warmest thanks are due is Captain J. Butler, Political Agent, Naga Hills', attached as political officer to the force. The services of this officer were invaluable to the expedition. His intimate acquaintance with the Naga character, and the great influence he exercised over the various tribes we came in contact with, rendered him of the greatest service to me in dealing with them. His straightforward, firm but just policy was thoroughly adapted to a race like that of the Nagas, and it is owing to the effects of this policy, coupled with the success of our arms, that all the tribes not implicated in the massacre, from Kullun Mutun to beyond Ninu rendered us every assistance in the campaign. To the thanks I owe him for his services as a political officer, I would add those that are his due as a soldier. Whenever he thought he could be of use he volunteered the services of himself and those of his active and efficient little Police Force, which services were always gladly accepted, and both he and his men were constantly employed actively in the field, either in bridging the streams, hunting the enemy down in some of his fastnesses, or communicating with some distant village.

44. To Major Heathcote, Assistant Quartermaster General to the force, my thanks are specially due. Never have I met with a more zealous or indefatigable officer than he proved himself on this campaign, and I cannot sufficiently praise the manner in which he performed all his staff duties with the force,—duties which entailed on him much labor, both mental and physical, but which he executed in the most admirable manner, and with a tact and judgment rarely met with. Not only did he render me most valuable service in his own particular department, but in every other possible way. His soldierly are on a par with his other high qualities.

45. To the officers of the transport corps, Captain Wauchope and Lieutenant Egan, my warm thanks are due. Both they and the men under them worked with an energy that overcame all the difficulties by which they were surrounded, *viz.*, the constant inclemency of the weather, the difficult country they had to travel over in the hills, and the flooded roads they had to traverse on their return to the plains. Without their constant exertions so much could never have been performed in so short a time.

46. The services of the principal medical officer Surgeon Major J. B. White rendered to the force were most important, and it is greatly attributable to his care and foresight, and the exertions of Surgeons J. Wilson and H. K. McKay, serving under him, that the health of the troops, transport corps and other coolies employed, was so good, notwithstanding the exposure and hard work. I cannot sufficiently thank them for their care of the sick and wounded.

47. The services rendered by the regimental officers attached to the force deserve particular mention, and no more pleasant duty could devolve on me than recording the obligations I am under to one and all, for the manner in which they conducted their duties from the day the force left Debrugarh to that when they returned to it.

To Colonel Sherriff, Commanding the Head-Quarter Detachments of the 42nd Assam Light Infantry, and Lieutenant-Colonel Cory, Commanding that of the 44th Sylhet Light Infantry, my thanks are specially due. The former, besides serving under my command at the assault of the villages of Ninu and Nion, commanded a separate detachment when the village of Sorkai was taken and destroyed, and Lieutenant-Colonel Cory not only accompanied me all through the active part of the campaign in command of the 44th, but commanded the detached force which re-visited the village of Kamhua, and it was this detachment which on that occasion captured one of the prisoners now at Debrugarh, who had taken an active part in the massacre of the 2nd February.

To Lieutenant Abbott my thanks are due for the services he rendered on more than one occasion, notably for the way in which he held the important post of Senwa whilst the bulk of the force was fighting at Ninu and its neighbourhood, and also for the assistance he rendered the expedition by the excellent trestle bridge he constracted over the Tising River. My thanks are also due to Lieutenants Ridgeway and Macgregor of the 44th Native Infantry. The former, in addition to his duties as Adjutant, acted as my Staff Officer during the campaign, and I sincerely thank him for the assistance he gave me. Lieutenant Macgregor had many duties relative to the commissariat and baggage of the force to perform, besides his ordinary duty of Quartermaster to the 44th Native Infantry, and I have much pleasure in recording the energy and zeal he displayed in the performance of every duty that was entrusted to him. The services Major Tulloch rendered at Borwasali in pushing troops and stores to the front require special mention: these services were constant and arduous and of the greatest importance to the success of the campaign.

48. The services of the survey party under Command of Lieutenant Woodthorpe, R.E., deserve every praise; not only did that officer, aided by Messrs. Chennel and Mackay, complete the survey of about 300 square miles of country on the scale of 2 miles to the inch, filling in all the details still wanting to complete a map of this portion of the Naga Hills, but both he and his assistants aided the force in every way in which they thought they could be useful, as in the construction of the bridge over the Dising River (a most difficult and arduous undertaking) which was superintended by Lieutenant Woodthorpe, and on more than one occasion when these three officers volunteered to accompany detached parties in and around Ninu and elsewhere.

49. It only remains for me now to thank the Deputy Commissioners of both the Lukhimpore and Seebsagur Districts, and the officers under them, for the assistance they gave the force in furnishing carriage, bridging the streams in the plains, and sheltering the troops on their way to the hills. I would particularly bring to notice the personal assistance rendered at Bor Mutun by Mr. Hinde, Assistant Commissioner, and at Borwasali by Mr. Good, the District Superintendent of Police at Debrugarh, whose services from the 6th February to the return of the expedition on the 11th April were constant and arduous. I must not omit to record the services of Sheristadar Hadon, who accompanied the troops throughout the campaign, and was attached to the Political Officer's party. I have never met a more intelligent, active or energetic native than he proved himself to be on this expedition. His services were specially brought to my notice by Captain Butler before the return of the troops here.

50. *Field Operations.*—I cannot close this report without recording the assistance received from Captain Badgley in charge of No. 6 Topographical Survey. Though unable to accompany the expedition owing to his severe wound, he furnished me with an excellent map of the country and two enlarged plans of the villages of Senwa and Ninu drawn from recollection, and I also gained much information from his intimate knowledge of the country,—knowledge he had gained whilst conducting the retreat of the gallant little band who cut their way out of the Naga country after the massacre of the 2nd February in a manner which excited the admiration of all who afterwards saw the difficult country they had to pass through, and knew how encumbered they were with wounded and dying comrades.

51. In conclusion, I would thank every native commissioned, non-commissioned officer, and private connected with the force for the assistance they rendered me, and the spirit and discipline they displayed during the late campaign, as also for the patience they evinced under exposure and privation. I have had the honor to serve as a regimental officer for several years with both the 42nd and 44th Regiments, Native Infantry, and knew when I took the command, the excellent material I had to work with, but the services they rendered even exceeded my expectations, as did those of Captain Butler's small but excellent police force.

52. I beg to enclose a sketch map of the country passed through by the Naga Field Force, as also a list of villages, with details of number of houses and height of sites.

Field Operations.
Naga.

No. 50, dated Simla, 3rd June 1875.

From—COLONEL H. K. BURNE, Secy. to the Govt. of India, Military Department,

To—MAJOR-GENERAL F. ROBERTS, C.B., V.C., R.A., Quatermaster General.

I am desired to acknowledge your letter No. 2289, "Field Operations," dated 18th May 1875, forwarding the reports of the column which, under Colonel J. M. Nuttall, C.B., recently operated in the Naga Hills.

2. In reply, I am to state that the Governor General in Council shares in the appreciation expressed by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief of the excellent services rendered by Colonel Nuttall and those under his command during an expedition which presented physical difficulties of

no ordinary nature. It was, His Excellency in Council considers, admirably planned and conducted throughout, and cannot fail to have an excellent effect.

3. I am to request that His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief may be moved to cause the thanks of the Government of India to be conveyed to Colonel Nuttall, 44th Native Infantry, for his excellent arrangements and for the complete manner in which, while exacting due reparation and punishment for the murderous attack upon the survey party, he carried out the intention of Government that no improper spirit of revenge should be allowed to prevail.

4. The Governor General in Council observes with satisfaction that Colonel Nuttall bears testimony to the excellent service rendered by the several officers named in his despatch, and I am to request that, under the orders of His Excellency, the thanks of the Government of India may be communicated to them.

5. The recognition by the Government of the essential service rendered to the expedition by Captain Butler, who has well sustained his previous reputation as a Political Officer, will be communicated to him through the Civil Department of the Government.

6. His Excellency in Council considers that the conduct of the Native troops, and especially their discipline under great provocation, are highly creditable to them, and the same remark applies to the detachment of Police that accompanied the force.

7. I am further to request that Brigadier General Stafford may be thanked for the creditable promptitude with which he detached the necessary troops, with transport complete, from the Duffla Field Force under his command and prevented the occurrence of any delay when despatch was so important.

8. This correspondence, together with a copy of Colonel Nuttall's despatch, will be published in the *Gazette of India.*

No. 575 *of* 1875.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette* of the 27th April 1875, pages 2287-88, are published for general information:—

WAR OFFICE.

Pall Mall, 27th April 1875.

The following promotions to take place on the British Establishment consequent upon the death on 9th March 1875 of Lieutenant-General Haughton James, Bombay Infantry:—

Major William Macdonald, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th March 1875.

The undermentioned officers having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Henry Palliser, C.B., Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 19th June 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Angelo Edward Osborn, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Fendall, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Farquhar Webster, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel James George Roche Forlong, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Spurgen Rammell, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Thomas Norgate, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 30th December 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Ashburner, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 1st January 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Manning Eliott, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st January 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Abraham Charles Bunbury, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 1st January 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Langford Brown, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 1st January 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edgar John Spilsbury, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 16th January 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Gordon Moore Lane, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 16th January 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Duncan Campbell Wallace, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 16th January 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Staples, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 27th January 1875.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers to have the honorary rank as follows:—

To be Captains.

Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary William Carroll, Bengal Establishment. Dated 8th January 1874.

Ensign and Deputy Commissary Edmund Hennessy, Madras Establishment. Dated 1st February 1875.

To be Lieutenants.

Honorary Ensign Horatio Boardman Steward, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign Q. S. Griffiths, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign Henry Smith, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign William Skeaf, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign John Copeland, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign David Johnston, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign Patrick Grice, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign Charles Owens, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign John Ford, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign James Parker, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign Patrick Riordan, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign John Baker, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign James Miller, V. C., Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign Simon Vandrass, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign Gerald F. Frederick Cox, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign Francis Tague Reilly, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign John Cannell, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign Patrick Flannagan, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign James Greatorex, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign John Fox, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign William Edward Francke, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign James Charles Brindley, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign William Burton, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign Lawrence Collins, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign Thomas Smither, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign James Moon, Bombay Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign William Wilde, Bombay Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign John Blair, Bombay Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign George Judd, Bombay Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign David Vint, Bombay Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign William Farnham Knight, Bombay Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Honorary Ensign George Richard Tofft, Bombay Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

To be Lieutenants, but junior of that rank for one year.

Ensign William Francis Hardinge, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Deputy Assistant Commissary H. E. Mitchell, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Deputy Assistant Commissary John Roberts, Bengal Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Deputy Assistant Commissary William Jackson, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Deputy Assistant Commissary James Burke, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Deputy Assistant Commissary James Smith, Madras Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

Deputy Assistant Commissary Henry Sutton, Bombay Establishment. Dated 28th April 1875.

No. 576 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate:—

Conductor John Walshe, Supervisor, Military Works Branch, Department Public Works,—for two years under the Rules of 1868.

No. 577 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

Corps.	Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Cavalry ...	Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Richard Jenkins.	Lieut.-Col....	21st May 1875	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) G. Ward, retired.
Cadre of the late 5th European Light Cavalry.	Captain (Brevet-Major) John Innis Robinson.	Major ...		

No. 578 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned officer has reported his return from England:—

Major W. C. Mitchel, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 4th Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 1st December 1874.

No. 579 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified:—

Captain (Brevet-Major) H. A. Little, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 497 of 1875,—per *Pekin*, 26th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel B. J. C. Prior, of the Madras Staff Corps, Madras General Order No. 223 of 1875,—per *Pekin*, 26th April 1875, from Bombay.

Major W. Cabell, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 496 of 1875,—per *Timor*, 28th April 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) G. Nolan (Unattached), Executive Engineer, Department Public Works, G. G. O. No. 520 of 1875,—per *John Tennant*, 17th May 1875, from Calcutta.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. J. P. Barlow, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 396 of 1875,—per *Baroda*, 17th May 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel A. Cory, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 524 of 1875,—per *Thibet*, 18th May 1875, from Calcutta.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Paget, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 396 of 1875,—per *Khiva*, 24th May 1875, from Bombay.

The 4th June 1875.

No. 580 *of* 1875.—With the approval of Her Majesty's Government, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the publication of the following rules for the examination of Surgeons of the Indian Medical Service previous to their promotion to the rank of Surgeon-Major under the provisions of clause 2 of the Royal Warrant of the 10th May 1873, published in G. G. O. No. 673 of the 1st July 1873.

This order is applicable to the three Presidencies:—

Rules for the examination of Surgeons previous to promotion to the rank of Surgeon-Major.

This examination is intended as a test for promotion, and may be taken at any time after the Surgeon has served nine or more years.

When Surgeons have served the requisite time, they will be examined in the following manner:—

A series of printed questions prepared by an Examining Board consisting of the Principal of the Medical College and any two or more of the Professors he may associate with himself for the purpose will be sealed and sent by the Surgeon-General to the principal Medical Officers of stations where Surgeons may be eligible for examination. It will be the duty of the principal Medical Officer of the station to deliver these sealed questions to the Surgeons, and to see that they are answered without the assistance of books, notes, or communication with any other person. The answers are to be signed and delivered, sealed, to the principal Medical Officer, who is to send them, unopened, to the Surgeon-General, together with a declaration from the Surgeon himself, or certificate from a superior Medical Officer, if there is one, that he has availed himself of every opportunity of practising surgical operations on the dead body.*

* The Surgeon may see this certificate before it is sent to the Surgeon-General.

The Surgeon is also required to transmit, together with his answers to the Surgeon-General, a medico-topographical account of the station where he may happpen to be at the time, or of some other station where he may have been resident sufficiently long to enable him to collect the necessary information for such a report. Failing this, he will send a medico-statistical report of his charge for a period of at least twelve months.

If the Examining Board is satisfied with the replies to the questions, and the Surgeon-General is satified with the certificates and with the medico-topographical or statistical report, the Surgeon will be held qualified for promotion.

No. 581 *of* 1875.—Colonel R. G. F. Henegan, of the Royal Artillery, Superintendent of the Gun-Carriage Factory at Fatehgarh, is allowed leave of absence for one month from such date as he may avail himself of it to visit Bombay preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe on medical certificate.

No. 582 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs:—

Captain Ross Fendall Lowis, of the Royal Artillery, Assistant to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines,—for ten months under Rule IX. of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 583 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Captain S. Cargill, Commissary of Ordnance, 3rd Class, to officiate as Assistant to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Captain R. F. Lowis, or until further orders.

No. 584 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Native Medical Pupils, admitted into the service by G. G. O. No. 1022, dated the 30th October 1874, are struck off the list of Native Medical Pupils:—

Muhammad Azeem Khan, No. 714.

Syud Muhammud Nubbee, No. 716.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 29th May 1875.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned Officers on the dates specified were received in the Military Department from 22nd to 28th May 1875:—

Corps.	RANK AND NAMES.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	REMARKS.
Royal Artillery ...	Vety. Surgeon W. Haselden ...	5th May 1875	Allahabad ...	Intestate ...	
Royal Engineers ...	Lieut. F. N. Hassard ...	7th May 1875	Mhow ...	.....	

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates from 22nd to 28th May 1875.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
Indian Military Service.					*Rs. A. P.*		
Alexander Bagot *(a)* ...	Colonel ...	Bengal Staff Corps.	20th October 1874.	Unknown ...	4,448 11 6	.....	28th July 1875.

(a) Widow.—Mrs. Gertrude Letitia Bagot.
Children.—Fitzroy Bagot, Lady Cross Lodge, New Forest, Hants.
" —Arthur Bagot—
Administrator General administering.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 29th May 1875.

B. E. BACON, *Colonel*,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 28th May 1875.

No. 252.—Mr. T. H. Jewett, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, Military Works Branch, having passed the prescribed examination, is promoted to Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, with effect from 1st May 1875.

No. 253.—Conductor G. Blake, Barrack Master, was allowed leave in India on medical certificate under the Furlough Rules of 1868 from 4th May 1874 to 3rd November 1874, and the leave was extended for a further period of six months from 4th November 1874 to 3rd May 1875.

The 31st May 1875.

No. 254.—Mr. A. Joseph, Temporary Overseer, 1st Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is permanently appointed to the Public Works Department in that grade.

The 1st June 1875.

No. 255.—Mr. B. W. Cantopher, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, having passed the prescribed examination, is promoted to Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, with effect from 5th March 1875.

No. 256.—The leave to Europe for 18 months on medical certificate, under Section 3, Supplement F. of the Civil Leave Code, granted by the Bombay Government to Mr. H. P. Edwards, Store-keeper on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, with effect from the 8th May 1875, is confirmed.

No. 257.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 127, dated 19th March 1875, Captain D. H. Trail, R. E., received charge of the office of Controller of Public Works Accounts, Punjab, from Mr. A. R. Becher, on the forenoon of the 13th May 1875.

No. 258.—The following transfer of Officers is sanctioned :—

Mr. F. S. Meik, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, from North-Western Provinces, Irrigation Branch, to Central India.

Mr. H. R. Beahan, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, from Central India, to North-Western Provinces, Irrigation Branch.

No. 259.—Mr. (late Sergeant) W. Kates, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, Punjab Irrigation Branch, having obtained his discharge from the Army on the 20th March 1875, is re-appointed to the Public Works Department as a Civilian in the same grade, with effect from that date.

No. 260.—Mr. A. H. TenBroeke, Accountant, 2nd Grade, Accountant General's Office, is transferred to the Indus Valley State Railway with temporary rank of 1st Grade, *vice* Mr. G. A. James, proceeding on furlough.

The 2nd June 1875.

No. 261.—Mr. T. W. Nicholson, Probationary Supervisor, 1st Grade, Oudh, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Public Works Department, with effect from the 9th May 1875.

No. 262.—Lieutenant C. A. Crompton, R. E., is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, and posted to the Military Works Branch.

No. 263.—Mr. A. R. Binnie, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Central Provinces, is permitted at his own request to resign his appointment in the Public Works Department, with effect from the 27th April 1875.

The 4th June 1875.

No. 265.—*Erratum.*—In Public Works Department Notification No. 236, dated the 17th May 1875, appointing Major H. E. Whish, s.c., to officiate as Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Oudh, in the Public Works Department, with the temporary rank of Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, with effect from 5th January 1875, *read* 4th January 1875.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel*, R.A.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 8th June 1875.

No. 531.—The services of Babu Shoshi Bhushun Sen, B. L., Munsif of Shazadpore in the District of Rajshahye in Bengal, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

The 10th June 1875.

No. 538.—A vacancy having occurred in the office of an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India by the resignation of the Hon'ble B. H. Ellis, Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to appoint Sir Alexander John Arbuthnot, K. C. S. I., to be an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India. Sir A. J. Arbuthnot has this day, under the usual salute, taken his seat as an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India.

The 11th June 1875.

No. 539.—*Appointments.*—Moung Shwe Taw, Extra Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, 2nd Grade, in British Burma, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, 1st Grade, *vice* Moung Oon appointed to be Second Judge of the Rangoon Small Cause Court.

Moung Kyaw Zan Hla, Extra Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, 1st Grade, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner, 1st Class, 2nd Grade, *vice* Moung Shwe Taw.

Moung Shwe Att, Extra Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, 1st Grade, *vice* Moung Kyaw Zan Hla.

Moung Myet, Extra Assistant Commissioner, 3rd Class, 1st Grade, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade, *vice* Moung Shwe Att.

No. 541.—An extension of four months' leave on medical certificate has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to Mr. G. S. Park, of the Bengal Civil Service.

POLICE.

The 8th June 1875.

No. 162.—*Appointments.*—Mr. M. McLeod, Assistant District Superintendent of Police in British Burma, to be District Superintendent of Police of the 5th Grade in the District of Thonkwa in the Pegu Division.

Mr. W. N. Porter is confirmed in the appointment of Assistant Superintendent of Police, *vice* Mr. McLeod.

PORT BLAIR.

The 11th June 1875.

No. 287.—Mr. J. N. Homfray, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Port Blair and the Nicobars, has obtained three months' privilege leave, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 11th June 1875.

No. 195.—An extension of six months' leave on medical certificate has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to the Reverend G. G. Gillan, an Assistant Chaplain of the Church of Scotland on the Bengal Establishment.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS AND SALT.

Simla, the 9th June 1875.

No. 179.—Under Section 5 of the Inland Customs Act, 1875, the Governor General in Council is pleased to rule that a duty of six annas per maund of three thousand two hundred tolas shall, on and after the 19th of June 1875, be levied on all unrefined sugar exported across the Inland Customs line from the territories administered by the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, provided that no such duty shall be levied on sugar exported to the Presidency of Bombay.

A. O. HUME,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 11th June 1875.

No. 94*J.*—Under Section 3 of Act II. of 1869, "The Justices of the Peace Act," the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. J. J. D. LaTouche, Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Ajmere, to be a Justice of the Peace for the whole of British India.

POLITICAL.

The 11th June 1875.

No. 1705*P.*—The following revised lists of Chiefs and Native Gentlemen who attended the Public Durbar held by the Viceroy and Governor-General at Delhi on the 23rd March 1875, are published for general information, in substitution of the lists published by Notification in this Department, No. 58 C. P., dated the 26th March 1875:—

Chiefs.

1. THE MAHARAJA OF PUTTIALLA, G.C.S.I., attended by nine principal persons in the State of Puttialla.

2. THE NAWAB OF BHAWULPORE, attended by eight principal persons in the State of Bhawulpore.

3. THE RAJA OF JHEEND, and the heir-apparent of Jheend, attended by five principal persons in the State of Jheend.

4. THE RAJA OF NABHA, attended by five principal persons in the State of Nabha.

5. THE RAJA OF MUNDEE, attended by four principal persons in the State of Mundee.

6. THE NAWAB OF MALER KOTLA, attended by four principal persons in the State of Maler Kotla.

7. THE RAJA OF FURREEDKOTE, and the heir-apparent of Furreedkote, attended by four principal persons in the State of Furreedkote.

8. THE RAJA OF CHUMBA, attended by four principal persons in the State of Chumba.

9. THE SIRDAR OF KULSIA, accompanied by two attendants.

10. THE NAWAB OF PATOWDEE, accompanied by two attendants.

11. THE NAWAB OF LOHAROO, and the heir-apparent, accompanied by two attendants.

12. THE NAWAB OF DOJANA, and the heir-apparent, accompanied by two attendants.

13. RAJA SHAMSHER SINGH OF GOOLER.

Native Gentlemen below the rank of the Raja of Gooler.

Rája Harbans Singh, Lahore.
Mirza Hidáyat Afza, *alias* Mirza Iláhi Bakhsh, Delhi.
Rája Sir Sáhibdiál, K.C.S.I., Amritsar.
Sardár Bakhshísh Singh, Sindhanwália, Amritsar.
Rája Amar Chand, of Nádaun, Kángra.
Sardár Bikramán Singh, Bahádur of Kapurthala, Jullundur.
Kanwar Suchet Singh of Kapurthala, Jullundur.
Sháhzáda Sháhpur, Ludhiána.
Sháhzáda Nádir, Ludhiána.
Sultán Sikandar, Ludhiána.
Sultán Jalál-ud-dín, Saddozai, Ludhiána.
Nawáb Sarfaráz Khan, Saddozai, Dera Ismail Khan.
Nawáb Faujdár Khan, C.S.I., Alizai, represented by his son Rabnáwaz Kháu (by special permission), Dera Ismail Khan.
Nawáb Shahnawáz Khan, of Tánk, Dera Ismail Khan.
Nawáb Sir Khwájah Muhammad Khan, K.C.S.I., Khatak, Kohát.
Nawáb Ghulám Hasan Khan, C.S.I., Alizai, Dera Ismail Khan.
Nawáb Muhammad Akram Khan, of Amb, C.S.I., Hazará.
Rája Rámpál, of Kutlahr, Kángra.
Rája Jaswant Singh, of Núrpur, Kángra.
Bába Sampúran Singh, Bedi, Jullundur.
Bába Khem Singh, Bedi, Ráwulpindi.
Rája Hamid-ullah Khán, Kángra, (Mooltán.)
Sardár Bhagwán Singh, Amritsar.
Sardár Ajít Singh, Atariwálá, Amritsar.

Sardár Súrat Singh, Majithia, C.S.I., Amritsar.
Sardár Lál Singh, Kalianwála, Amritsar.
Nawáb Muhammad Ali Khan, of Kunjpúra, Karnál.
Nawáb Nawázish Ali Khan, Kazalbásh, Lahore.
Captain Gulab Singh, of Attári, Amritsar.
Sardár Jíwan Singh, Búriya, Umballa.
Sardár Jiwán Singh, Shahíd of Sháhzádpur, Umballa.
Muhammad Hayát Khan, C.S.I., Ráwulpindi, (Kángrá)
Bahádur Sher Khan, Bangash, Khan Bahádur, Kohát.
Diwán Rám Náth, Lahore, (Jullundur.)
Suján Singh, of Uná, Bedi, Hoshiárpur.
Bhai Jasmer Singh, of Arnauli, Karnál.
Bhai Anokh Singh, of Sidhwál, Karnál.
Nawáb Azmat Ali Khán, Karnál.
Saádat Ali Khan, Karnál.
Muhammad Ali Khán, Karnál.
Sardár Uttam Singh, Rámpur (Malaudh), Ludhiana.
Ghulám Muhammad Khán, Máler Kotla.
Ináyat Ali Khán, Máler Kotla.
Nawáb Zia-ud-din Ahmad Khan, Delhi.
Sardár Mit Singh, Malaudh, Ludhiána.
Sardár Hakikat Singh, Bír, Ludhiána.
Sardár Jai Singh, Manauli, Umballa.
Mír Bakár Ali Khán, of Kotáha, Umballa.
Malik Fatah Sher Khán, Khán Bahádur, Shahpur.
Malik Sher Muhammad Khán, Khán Bahádur, Shahpur.
Sheikh Ghulám Mahbúb Subháni, Kakkazaí, Lahore.
Guru Fatah Singh, of Kot Harsahái, Ferozepore.
Bhái Parduman Singh, Amritsar.
Mián Bije Singh, of Síba, Kángra.
Sardár Uttam Singh, Ghanauli, Umballa.
Sardár Partáb Singh, Ghanauli, Umballa.
Sardár Badan Singh, Malaudh, Ludhiána.
Sardár Sundar Singh, Malaudh, Ludhiána.
Sardár Thákur Singh, Sindhánwália, Amritsar.
Sardár Sardúl Singh, Mán, Amritsar.
Sardár Jawáhir Singh, Nalwá, Sardár Bahádur, Gujránwála.
Sardár Santokh Singh, Bunga, Umballa.
Sardár Bishan Singh, Kandaula, Umballa.
Sardár Bhagwán Singh, Sohána, Umballa.
Sardár Partáb Singh, Manakmájra, Umballa.
Sardár Tára Singh, of Chuni Machli, Bhareli, Umballa.
Rája Híra Singh, of Pabhát, Umballa.
Sardár Khiwan Singh, Maloha, Umballa.
Sardár Ranjít Singh, of Rámgarh, Umballa.
Mián Daya Singh, of Rámgarh, Umballa.
Mián Govardhan Singh, of Rámgarh, Umballa.
Mián Sukhdarshan Singh, of Rámgarh, Umballa.
Sardár Dharm Singh, of Shahabád, Umballa.
Sardár Kishen Singh, Shahabád, Umballa.
Sardár Partáb Singh, of Shahabád (Karindwah) Umballa.
Sardár Harnám Singh, Moron, Jullundur.
Sardár Gurbaksh Singh, Sháhkot, Jullundur.
Sardár Amar Singh, Sháhkot, Jullundur.
Fatah Khan, Gheba, of Kot, Ráwulpindi.
Makhdúm Baháwul Bakhsh, Koreshi, Mooltan.
Pundit Munphool, C.S.I., Lahore.
Nawáb Abdul Majíd Khán, Mooltani, Saddozai, Lahore.
Nawáb Kalle Khán, Sardár Bahádur, Dera Ismail Khan.
Ghulám Kádir Khán, Badozai, Mooltan.
Ghulám Kádir Khán, Khákwáni, Mooltan.
Háfiz Samandar Khán, Khwájakzai, Hoshiárpur.
Mián Shah Nawáz Khán, Sarai, Dera Ghází Khan.
Fateh Khán, Khán Bahádur, Pesháwur.
Ghulám Muhammad Khan, of Makhad, (Ráwulpindi, and Shakardarrah,) Kohát.
Rája Jahándád Khan, Hazará.
Muhammad Guldád Khan, Gandápur, Dera Ismail Khan.
Ghulám Muhammad Khan, Khákwáni, Shahpur (Dera Ismail Khan), (representing his brother Khan Bahadur Ata Muhammad Khan.)
Malik Sahib Khan, C.S.I., Tiwana, Shahpur.
Muhammad Sarfaráz Khán, Momand, Pesháwur.
Rája Feroz Khan, Hazará.
Atá Muhammad Khan, of Agror, Hazára.
Muzaffar Khan, of Hangu, Bangash, Kohát.
Malik Aulia Khan, Ráwulpindi, (specially permitted to be represented by his son Ghulam Muhammad Khan.)
Malik Fatah Khan, Ráwulpindi.
Muhammad Sarfaráz Khán, Khan Bahadur, Isa Khel, Bannu.
Muzaffar Khan, Khan Bahádur, Bannu.
Sher Muhammad Khan, Mazári, Dera Ghází Khan.
Imám Baksh Khan, Mazári, Dera Ghází Khan.
Jamál Khán, Laghári, Dera Ghází Khan.
Bahádur Khan, Khosa, Dera Ghází Khan.
Miran Khan, Drishak, Dera Ghází Khan.
Ghulám Haidar Khan, Gurcháni, Dera Ghází Khan.
Ghulám Haider Khan, Lund, Dera Ghází Khan.
Fazl Ali Khán, Kasráni, Dera Ghází Khan.
Sikandar Khán, Khosa, Dera Ghází Khan.
Dost Muhammad Khan, Bozdár, Dera Ghází Khan.
Kaure Khán, Khetran, Dera Ghází Khan.
Abdul-rahím Khán, Isá Khel, Bannú.
Mahant Brham Búta, Amritsar.
Sardár Gurdit Singh, Chachhi, Gujránwála.
Ráo Kishan Singh, of Ráepur, Umballa.
Sardár Rájindar Singh, of Kátgarh, Hoshiárpur.
Sardár Búr Singh, Mukerian, Hoshiárpur.
Sardár Jawáhir Singh, of Zafarwál, Gurdáspur.
Colonel Dhanráj, Siálkot.
Fakir Zahúr-ud-din, Lahore (Ludhiana).
Fakir Burhan-ud-din, Lahore (Delhi.)
Fatteh Khan, Dhrek, Ráwulpindi.
Bhai Narayán Singh, Bágarian, Ludhiána.
Ata Muhammad Khan, of Kotla Nihang, Umballa.
Muhammad Siráj-ud-din Haidar, Gurgaon.
Sardár Dewa Singh, Dhanaula, Karnál.
Sardár Amar Singh, Dhanaula, Karnál.
Sardár Búdh Singh, Lidhrán, Ludhiána.
Sardár Sáheb Singh, Lidhrán, Ludhiána.
Sardár Nidhán Singh, Lidhrán, Ludhiána.
Sardár Harnám Singh, Lidhrán, Ludhiána.
Sardár Shám Singh, Lidhrán, Ludhiána.
Yár Muhammad Khan, Ludhiána.
Sardár Kishan Singh, Thol Thangor, Umballa.
Sardár Jasmer Singh, Thol Thangor, Umballa.
Sardár Joála Singh, Jharauli, Umballa.
Sardár Tilok Singh, of Mustafabád, Umballa.
Sardár Sundar Singh, of Mustafabád, Umballa.
Sardár Gursáran Singh, of Mustafábad, Umballa.
Mahammad Husain Khan, of Kunjpura, Karnál.
Sardár Dewa Singh, Leda, Umballa.
Núr Muhammad Khan, Gardezi, Ludhiána.
Sardár Hardit Singh, Dialgarh, Umballa.
Sardár Sheo Naráin Singh, Parkháli, Umballa.
Sardár Partáb Singh, Miánpur, Umballa.

Sardár Rám Singh, of Shámgarh, Kárnal.
Sardár Joála Singh, Sikri, Kárnal.
Sardár Bhág Singh, Sikandra, Umballa.
Sardár Sant Singh, Sikandra, Umballa.
Sardár Gurbaksh Singh, of Rúpar, Umballa.
Pandit Rádhá Kishen, Lahore.
Rai Mul Singh, Lahore.
Bádshah Gúl, Banúri Sayad, Kohát.
Sardár Híra Singh, Mán, Siálkot.
Sodhi Mán Singh, of Moga, Ferozepore.
Khan Muhammad Shah, Khan Bahádur, Amritsar.
Mián Muhammad Ján, Kashmíri, Amritsar.
Sardar Tára Singh, Ráwulpindi.
Mirza Sulaimán Shikoh, Delhi.
Rái Prem Naráin, Bahádur, Delhi.
Rái Lachu Singh, Bahádur, Delhi.
Rái Jiwan Lál, Delhi.
Munshi Makhan Lál, Delhi.
Rái Sáhab Singh, Delhi.
Rái Umrao Singh, Delhi.
Khán Mahbub Baksh, Delhi.
Kirpál Singh Dhín, Umballa.
Dalíp Singh Dhín, Umballa.
Bishan Singh, Bhári, Ludhiána.
Lál Singh, Bhári, Ludhiána.
Sardár Bishen Singh, of Thanesar, Umballa.
Niranjan Dás, Gurdáspur.
Mír Intazám Ali, Gurgaon.
Sabal Singh, Rohtak.
Chaudhri Rustam Ali Khan, Rohtak.
Bálmukand, Delhi.
Rái Ganga Ram, Delhi.
Nának Chand, Delhi.
Baldeo Singh, Delhi.
Ghulám Ahmad Khan, Kárnal.
Mír Asghar Ali, Gurgaon.
Khán Bahádur Nizám-ud-dín Khan, Delhi.
Khán Maulvi Ziá-ud-din, Delhi.
Inám-ulla Khán, Delhi.
Jagarnáth, Delhi.
Paras Dás, Delhi.
Baldeo Singh, son of Zoráwár Singh, Delhi.
Lála Jat Mal, Delhi (Ludhiána).
Rammi Mal, Delhi.
Hakím Ghulám Raza Khan, Delhi.
Nand Kishor, Delhi.
Shekh Bu Ali Baksh, Karnál.
Nawáb Amán-ulla Khán, Karnál.
Mír Amjad Ali, Delhi.
Mír Kasim Ali, Delhi.
Lala Dharm Dás, Delhi.
Zahúr-ud-din, Delhi.
Azíz-ud-din, Delhi.
Srinawás Dás, Delhi.
Ghulam Hasan Khan, Delhi.
Kámdár Khan, Hissar.
Nánák Chand, Hissar.
Sandal Khan, Rohtak.
Umar Ali, Rohtak.
Kamr-ud-din Khan, Sirsa.
Haidar Beg, Hissar.
Muhammad Hasan Khan, Delhi.
Rái Sada Sukh, Delhi.
Badr-ud-din Khan, Delhi.
Indar Singh, Hissar.
Ahmad Nabi Khan, Hissar.
Rámsukh Dás, Sirsa.
Sheikh Khwája Baksh, Rohtak.
Sadulla Khán, Mooltán.

Government Officials.

Pandit Moti Lal, Extra Assistant Commissioner and Mír Munshi to the Punjab Government.

Sayad Safdar Husain Khán, Extra Assistant Commissioner.

Pandit Bháskar Ráo, Extra Assistant Commissioner.

Pandit Bihári Lál, Extra Assistant Commissioner.

Muhammad Barkat Ali Khán, Khán Bahádur, Extra Assistant Commissioner.

Rái Rája Lal, Extra Assistant Commissioner.

Rái Thandi Rám, Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner.

Ude Rám, Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner.

Mián Sher Singh, Assistant District Superintendent of Police, Delhi.

Bhái Gurdit Singh, Assistant Mír Munshi, Punjab Secretariat.

Sayad Amír Ali, Tahsíldár of Delhi.

Lála Manohar Lál.

GENERAL.

The 11th June 1875.

No. 1121 *G.*—With reference to Notification of the Home Department, No. 478, dated 14th May 1875, the services of Major W. G. Ward, Assistant to the General Superintendent of Operations for the Suppression of Thuggee and Dacoitee, Hyderabad, are placed at the disposal of the Home Department.

No. 1124 *G.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 4 and 5 of Act XI. of 1872, the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to invest the undermentioned officer with the powers specified, to be exercised within the limits of the Neemuch State Railway:—

Mr. Charles Cheyne, Engineer-in-Chief, the powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd Class under the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act X. of 1872).

No. 1126 *G.*—Under the provisions of Section 3, Act II. of 1869, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Captain R. S. Thompson, Officiating Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd Class, in the Berar Commission, to be a Justice of the Peace for the whole of British India.

Under the provisions of Section 6 of Act XI. of 1872, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint the officer for the time being, holding the appointment of Judicial Superintendent of His Highness the Nizam's State Railway, and being a European British subject, to be a Justice of the Peace within the limits of his jurisdiction as Judicial Superintendent of the said Railway.

No. 1142 *G.*—*Appointment.*—Captain W. F. Prideaux is appointed Assistant Secretary in the Foreign Department, and brought on the classified list as a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, with effect from the afternoon of 10th June 1875.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

STAR OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 11th June 1875.

No. 2.—The following extract from the *London Gazette* of the 4th May 1875 is published by order of the Grand Master of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India:—

INDIA OFFICE;
May 3rd, 1875.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint His Highness Prince Tewfik Pasha to be an honorary Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 8th June 1875.

No. 1216.—Mr. T. H. S. Biddulph, Assistant to the Accountant General, North-Western Provinces, is allowed privilege leave for three months.

The 9th June 1875.

No. 1293.—Mr. L. C. Probyn received charge of the offices of Accountant General, Punjab, and Deputy Commissioner of Paper Currency, Lahore Circle, from Mr. C. R. Kiernander on the 25th May 1875, before noon.

The 10th June 1875.

No. 1375.—Mr. J. L. Lushington made over charge of the offices of Accountant General and Commissioner of the Department of Issue of Government Paper Currency in Bombay to Mr. W. E. Gordon on the 15th May 1875, afternoon.

The 11th June 1875.

No. 1413.—Mr. W. Donald is appointed to be Assistant Accountant General, Madras.

Mr. A. Anthony is appointed to be an Assistant to the Comptroller General. Mr. Anthony will continue to officiate as Deputy Accountant General, North-Western Provinces.

Mr. W. Wells is confirmed in the office of Assistant Accountant General, Bombay.

Mr. C. J. Rivett-Carnac is confirmed in the office of Assistant to the Accountant General, North-Western Provinces.

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 11th June 1875.

No. 1461.—*Statement of the amount of Government Currency Notes in circulation, of the amount of Coin and Bullion Reserve, and Government Securities held by the Department of Issue of Paper Currency.*

Date.	Circles of Issue.	Currency Notes in circulation.	Silver Coin Reserve.	Silver Bullion Reserve.	Gold Bullion Reserve.	Reserve in Government Securities.	Total Reserve.
May 31st, 1875.	Calcutta	4,81,41,140	1,53,67,380	37,45,488	72,495	2,56,74,402	4,48,59,765
	Madras	1,01,78,060	47,44,680	72	....	56,28,463	1,03,73,215
	Bombay	3,08,91,235	98,63,826	36,16,605	....	1,59,85,209	2,94,65,640
	Allahabad	56,06,470	27,04,444	....	....	30,03,291	57,07,735
	Lahore	61,80,610	55,67,273	....	....	32,00,037	87,67,310
	Calicut	25,76,280	16,87,656	....	....	10,00,059	26,87,715
	Coconada	26,53,930	20,52,346	....	....	6,00,059	26,52,405
	Nagpore	15,52,470	10,50,368	....	....	7,47,902	17,98,270
	Kurrachee	18,23,635	8,24,574	....	....	8,00,106	16,24,680
	Akola	6,72,475	23,42,870	....	....	3,00,000	26,42,870
	TOTAL ..	11,05,79,605	4,62,05,417	73,62,165	72,495	5,69,39,528	11,05,79,605

SEPARATE REVENUE—OPIUM.

The 10th June 1875.

No. 1278.—*Opium Revenue to date compared with the Estimate for the year* 1875-76 :—

PRESIDENCY.	LATEST MONTH.				THREE SALES OF BENGAL OPIUM, AND TWO MONTHS' DUTY ON MALWA OPIUM.		
	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.	Worse than Estimate.	Estimate.	Actual.	Better than Estimate.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bengal	420,375	460,998	40,623	...	1,261,125	1,397,826	136,701
Bombay	237,497	208,140	...	29,357	429,752	430,440	688
TOTAL ...	657,872	669,138	11,266	...	1,690,877	1,828,266	137,389

SEPARATE REVENUE—POST OFFICE.

The 11th June 1875.

No. 1462.—Notice is hereby given that on and after the 1st July 1875 parcels posted in India for transmission to the United Kingdom by the Overland Parcel Post will be chargeable at the rate of 8 annas per lb. (40 tolas), fractions of a lb. being charged as a whole lb. in lieu of the present rate of 3 annas per 10 tolas. Full prepayment will, as heretofore, be compulsory. From the same date revised arrangements for the transmission of parcels from the United Kingdom will come into force, the main feature of the new arrangement being the reduction of the rate of charge between London and the place of destination in India from 1*s.* 4*d.* to 1*s.* per lb.

Notice is also given that on and after the same date (1st July 1875) parcels prepaid at the same rate (8 annas per lb.) will be received for transmission to any place in Germany, or to any place in the following countries served through Germany, *viz.*, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Switzerland, France, the Netherlands and Belgium. In the case of parcels addressed to Germany, the above-mentioned prepayment will carry them to destination without any additional charge, and in the case of those addressed to the other countries mentioned, there will be charged on delivery an additional local rate representing the cost of transit beyond the German frontier. Simultaneously with the commencement of the transmission of parcels from India, parcels will be received for transmission to India by the Post Offices of Germany and the several countries served through Germany as enumerated above.

The following detailed rules respecting the exchange of parcels with the United Kingdom and the foreign countries mentioned will from the 1st July be substituted for the regulations given at pages 57 to 59 of the Postal Guide :—

Overland Parcel Post.

(1).—Parcels are received at any Post Office in India under the conditions and rates of charge mentioned below for transmission to the following countries, *viz.* :—

Country.	Rate of charge per lb. or fraction thereof. Prepayment compulsory.	Remarks respecting special conditions, &c., applicable to particular Countries.
	Annas.	
United Kingdom	8	The prepayment carries the parcel as far as London, any additional charge which may become due on account of British custom duty or carriage beyond London being realised from the addressee. The attention of the public is invited to the fact that the British Post Office has no connection with the Overland Parcel Post: all arrangements out of India are made by the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company, and enquiries proceeding from the United Kingdom should be addressed to that Company's Office, 122, Leadenhall Street, London, E. C. The British Post Office, however, has consented to exhibit in every Post Office of the United Kingdom a notice containing information on the subject of the Indian Parcel Post.
Germany ..	8	The prepayment carries the parcel to destination. Should any custom duty become due, the amount will be charged on delivery. See also Rule 9 respecting compensation for damage or loss.
Denmark ..	8	The prepayment carries the parcel to the limit of German conveyance, a separate charge being made on delivery for conveyance beyond the German frontier, as well as for custom duty, should any become due. See also Rule 9 respecting compensation for damage or loss.
Sweden .. / Norway .. / Switzerland ..	8	The prepayment carries the parcel to the limit of German conveyance, a separate charge being made on delivery for conveyance beyond the German frontier, as well as for custom duty, should any become due. *From Rule 3 it will be seen that there must be also a second or duplicate declaration of contents and value.* See also Rule 9 respecting compensation for damage or loss.
France .. / The Netherlands (Holland). / Belgium ..	8	The prepayment carries the parcel to the limit of German conveyance, a separate charge being made on delivery for conveyance beyond the German frontier, as well as for custom duty, should any become due. *From Rule 3 it will be seen that there must be also a second or duplicate declaration of contents and value, and that the second or duplicate declaration should, if possible, be written in the French language.* See also Rule 9 respecting compensation for damage or loss.

(2).—Every parcel should be securely packed in a closed cover or case, and should bear the name and address of the person in the United Kingdom or foreign country for whom it is intended.

N.B.—The public are specially warned against the use of flimsy covers for articles transmitted by the parcel post. Heavy articles are sometimes sent with only paper covering insecurely tied with string: friction in transit detaches this cover, and damage and loss ensue. A covering of stout cloth or wax cloth, sewn at the edges, is recommended; but if the contents are liable to suffer from pressure, boxes of wood or tin should be used.

(3).—Every parcel should be accompanied by a separate paper headed with the address of the parcel and containing a *declaration of its contents and value* under the signature of the sender. Below the signature the address of the sender should be given.

For the parcels addressed to—

The United Kingdom ... / Germany ... ... / Denmark ... ... } Only one declaration as above described is required.

Sweden ... ... / Norway ... ... / Switzerland ... } A second or duplicate declaration is also required.

France ... ... / The Netherlands (Holland) ... ... / Belgium ... ... } A second or duplicate declaration is also required, and the sender is requested to write the second or duplicate declaration, if possible, *in the French language.* Should he be unable to do so, the Bombay Post Office will attach to the second or duplicate English declaration a French rendering thereof, but the sender is warned of the delay which may result from this.

It is not deemed necessary to require exact adherence to any particular form of declaration, but the following specimen form may be useful to the senders of parcels :—

Specimen form of declaration.

Address of Parcel.

THOMAS B. SMITH,

114, *Piccadilly*,

LONDON.

CONTENTS—

	Value. £.	s.	d.
1 Piece Puttoo Cloth ...	2	0	0
1 Rampore Chudder ...	2	10	0
Total ...	4	10	0

I declare the above to be a true statement of the contents and value.

(Sd.) A. R. ROBINSON,

Amritsar.

(4).—The parcel so addressed and the separate paper or papers above referred to should then be enclosed in a *substantial outer cover.* This outer cover should be superscribed and addressed as follows :—

Overland Parcel Post.

To

The Post Master, Bombay.

(5).—The parcel so made up must be *fully prepaid by means of postage stamps at the rate of* 8 *annas* per lb. (40 tolas) or fraction of a lb., care being taken that the stamps adhere firmly to the cover.

(6).—The parcel so made up must not exceed 50lbs. (25 seers) in weight, or 2 feet in length by 1 foot in breadth or depth. It will be received at any Post Office at the hours fixed for the receipt of ordinary banghy parcels, the usual receipt being given to the sender without reference to the mode of packing prescribed in the case of inland parcels for which receipts are claimed.

(7).—On arrival at Bombay the Post Master will take off the outer covering, and forward the inside parcel and the accompanying declaration or declarations to the country of inside address.

(8).—It is forbidden to send in these parcels opium or any liquid or any substance or material of a dangerous, damaging, or offensive kind.

(9).—In the case of parcels for or from Germany and the foreign countries served through Germany, compensation will be given by the responsible Post Office to the sender for loss or damage sustained in transit (cases of *sea risk* or of *vis major* or of the *own negligence of the sender* in respect of packing or otherwise excepted). Such compensation will in no case exceed 1½ rupee for each lb. weight or fraction thereof in respect of parcels forwarded from India, and 3 marks for each 500 grammes or fraction thereof in respect of parcels from Germany. Should the sender desire it, the compensation will be paid to the addressee instead of to himself.

R. B. CHAPMAN,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 7th June 1875.

No. 585 *of* 1875.—Surgeon-General J. C. Brown, C.B., of the Indian Medical Service, *Honorary Surgeon to Her Majesty*, is allowed leave of absence for six months from such date as he may avail himself of it to visit the hills on medical certificate under the Regulations of 1854.

No. 586 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has reported his return from England :—

Captain D. G. Pitcher, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Judge of the Small Cause Court, Lucknow,—date of arrival at Bombay, 26th May 1875.

The 9th June 1875.

No. 587 *of* 1875.—The following extract from List No. 10, dated the 14th May 1875, of Mili-

tary Officers of the Bengal Establishment, granted extensions of leave, received from the India Office, is published for general information :—

Granted extensions of leave.

Captain I. Low ...	2 months,	sick certificate.
Conductor N. Thorburn	6 „	„
Surgeon-Major F. Parsons	4 „	„
Surgeon R. H. Stevens	4 „	„

No. 588 *of* 1875.—In continuation of Government General Orders Nos. 332 and 778 of 1874, the following clause 3 of Army Circulars of the 1st January 1875, is published for general information :—

Gratuities to Soldiers on discharge.

Clause 3.—The Secretary of State has decided that, for the year from 1st January to 31st December 1875, the gratuities to well-conducted soldiers on discharge from the Army shall be issued at the rates laid down in clause 12 Army Circulars, 1874.

No. 589 *of* 1875.—The services of the undermentioned Native Medical Pupils, of the Medical College, Calcutta, admitted by G. G. O. No. 916 of 1871, are dispensed with :—

Muzhur Ally ...	No. 241.
Meer Rahuth Ally ...	„ 222.
Assad Ollah	„ 227.

No. 590 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has been allowed leave to Europe on medical certificate :—

Brigadier-General William Olpherts, C. B., V. C., of the Royal Artillery, commanding the Rohilcund Brigade,—under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 952 of 1861, from the date of departure to the 10th July 1875, the date of expiration of his tour of service on the Brigade Staff.

No. 591 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe on medical certificate :—

Lieutenant Charles Andrew Coles, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 1st Wing Subaltern, 36th (The Bareilly) Regiment of Native Infantry,—for two years under the Regulations of 1868 (Rule IX, note I), with effect from the 5th October 1874, the date of his departure from Bombay, per *Nizam*.

No. 592 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer has been permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough on private affairs :—

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Thomas Edward Gordon, C.S.I., of the Bengal Staff Corps, Commandant, Meywar Bheel Corps, and Superintendent Hill Tracts of Meywar, and 1st Assistant Political Agent in Meywar,—for fifteen months under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 593 *of* 1875.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette* of the 4th May 1875, page 2395, are published for general information :—

INDIA OFFICE,
The 3rd May 1875.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Forces, made by the Governments in India :—

BREVET.—*To be Colonel.*

Lieutenant-Colonel William Butler Shawe, Bengal Infantry. Dated 29th October 1874.

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major James Graham. Dated 7th February 1875.

To be Majors.

Captain Anthony Stewart. Dated 4th February 1875.

Captain Percy William Powlett. Dated 4th February 1875.

Captain Montague Poyntz Ricketts. Dated 4th February 1875.

The names of the undermentioned Officers should be as follows and not as in the Gazettes named :—

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London Gazette, 17th November 1874.—Lieutenant Edwin Henry Hayter Collen, Bengal Staff Corps.

The dates of the undermentioned Officers' commission should be as follows and not as in the Gazettes named :—

London Gazette, 29th August 1873.—Captain H. R. Le M. Carey, Bengal Staff Corps, 15th January 1873.

London Gazette, 29th August 1873.—Captain S. A. Swinley, Bengal Cavalry, 20th April 1873.

London Gazette, 28th November 1873.—Captain M. J. King-Harman, Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd October 1872.

No. 594 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Hospital Assistants passed their English qualification examination according to the test laid down in G. G. O. No. 945 of the 7th October 1868, on the dates specified against their respective names :—

Names.	Date of rank.	Date of passing the examination in English according to the new test.
3rd Class Hospital Assistants.		
Alla Ahmed ...	16th April 1869	25th Mar. 1875.
Shunker Dass ...	21st April 1870	12th Apl. 1875.
Moolchund ...	16th April 1871	4th May 1875.

No. 595 *of* 1875.—The following Native Medical Pupils passed their English qualification examination according to the test laid down in G. G. O. No. 945 of the 7th October 1868, on the dates specified against their respective names :—

General Number.	Names.	Date of passing the examination in English according to the new test.
672	Bukrid Ali	5th April 1875.
652	Mathias	26th „ „
812	Hossain Khan ...	17th May „

No. 596 *of* 1875.—Jemadar of Syces, Boodha, of No. 2 Horse Light Field Battery, Punjab Frontier Force, declared unfit for further service on account of injuries received in the execution of his duty, is granted an injury pension of Rs. 1-8 per mensem, with effect from the date he may be struck off the strength of the Battery.

The stipend will be disbursed in the Punjab Circle of pension payment.

No. 597 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned widows are admitted to pensions equal to that conferred by the Order of Merit on their late husbands for three years, commencing from the date of the casualty :—

NAMES.	Rank, names, and corps of deceased.	Date of admission.	Class of Order of Merit.	Circle of payment.
Babeetra ...	Subadar Bahadoor Baddul Thappa, 2nd Goorkha (The Sirmoor Rifle) Regiment.	1st June 1874	2nd Class	N.-W. Provinces
Jamoona ...	Havildar Run Soor Thappa, 2nd Goorkha (The Sirmoor Rifle) Regiment.	30th September 1873.	3rd Class	N.-W. Provinces.
Teeritpoora Sundree.	Subadar-Major Purseeram Burathokee, 3rd Goorkha (The Kemaoon) Regiment.	20th December 1874.	3rd Class	N.-W. Provinces.

No. 598 *of* 1875.—Her Majesty has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentleman to be a Surgeon in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces at the Presidency of Bengal. He is accordingly admitted into the service :—

Medical Department.

Surgeon Henry Alfred Chatham Gray,—date of arrival at Fort William, 24th May 1875.

The 10th June 1875.

No. 599 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers, of the Staff Corps, having completed five years' service as substantive Lieutenant-Colonel, are promoted to the rank of Colonel by Brevet, from the dates specified, under the operation of the Royal Warrant, dated 16th January 1861, clause 2, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant-Colonel George Hutchinson, C. S. I., Bengal Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel George Ricketts Roberts, Bengal Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Wollams Holland, Bengal Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel William Widdicombe, Bombay Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel *Sir* Edward Leeds, *Bart.*, Bengal Staff Corps.
} 7th June 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Thomas Bowen, Bombay Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel *Sir* Frederick Richard Pollock, K. C. S. I., Bengal Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Irvine, Bengal Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel Horatio Nelson Davies, Bengal Staff Corps.
Lieutenant-Colonel George Hearn, Madras Staff Corps.
} 8th June 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Hume Henderson, Bombay Staff Corps. } 10th June 1875.

No. 600 *of* 1875.—The following promotion by Brevet is made from the date specified, under the operation of G. G. O. No. 632 of the 4th August 1864, paragraph 69, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

BREVET.—*To be Colonel.*

Lieutenant-Colonel James Blair, V.C., Bombay Cavalry,—10th June 1875.

No. 601 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 26 years' service, are promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, from the dates specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Major William Brooke Thomson ... } 8th June 1875.
Major Henry Zouch Darrah ... }

Major Robert Cadell ... } 9th June 1875.
Major Henry Edward Whish ... }

No. 602 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers of the Bengal Staff Corps, having completed 20 years' service, are promoted to the rank of Major, from the dates specified, under the provisions of G. G. O., No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Captain Alfred Frederick Pollock Harcourt
Captain William George Murray ...
Captain Henry Collett ...
Captain James Miller ...
} 8th June 1875.

Captain Edward Lacon Ommanney,—9th June 1875.

No. 603 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified :—

Captain M. O. Boyd, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 337 of 1875,—per *Meinam*, 10th May 1875, from Calcutta.

Surgeon-Major R. H. Perkins, of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 548 of 1875,—per *Baroda*, 17th May 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. C. Lloyd, of Infantry, G. G. O. No. 396 of 1875,—per *Thibet*, 18th May 1875, from Calcutta.

The 11th June 1875.

No. 604 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 1037 of the 24th November 1871, the undermentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Bombay, and thence to Europe, to appear before a Medical Board :—

Surgeon-General S. Currie, M.D., C.B., of Her Majesty's British Forces.

No. 605 *of* 1875.—Under instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the following Regulations regarding the grant of passages to General Officers of the British and Indian Services, who may be appointed to Divisional Commands and Army Staff appointments in India, are promulgated for general information :—

I.—All British Officers and all Officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Army, including those of the Royal (late Indian) Artillery and Engineers, appointed while residing out of India to Divisional Commands in India, will be entitled to passages for themselves and their families on proceeding to India to take

up their commands, and on returning to England at the expiration of their tour of service.

II.—All Officers, whether of the British or Indian Service, residing in India at the time of such appointment and holding the rank of General Officers, and also those Officers, if they belong to the British Service, who would, although not General Officers, necessarily return to England at the expiration of their tour of duty, will be entitled to a passage home.

III.—The Adjutant General and Quartermaster General in India, though they may be General Officers, *ex-officio* only, will, on being relieved of their appointments, be entitled to the privileges of General Officers as regards passage when such officers belong to the British Service and would necessarily return home on the expiration of their tours of duty.

IV.—A General Officer proceeding to or returning from India on duty, unaccompanied by his family, will be entitled to reserved accommodation as for a single gentleman by a Peninsular and Oriental Company's steamer to Southampton, or a reserved cabin, as for married couples, for himself and wife if accompanied by her, with a first class passage for each child not accommodated in the same cabin: such reserved accommodation will always be provided for such officer whenever he may signify his wish to have a passage secured for himself, instead of receiving a money allowance under the provisions of the Royal Passage Warrant.

V.—If an allowance in lieu of reserved accommodation is given, the amount payable by Government will be the Peninsular and Oriental Company's charge to Southampton, less the authorized deduction for messing; but it will be optional with a General Officer either to receive the passage allowance or to be provided with the prescribed accommodation. In the former case, he is not of necessity bound to proceed by a Peninsular and Oriental Company's steamer, or to Southampton; but he will be at liberty to make his own arrangements to travel by any route.

VI.—In all cases where a passage allowance, based on the Peninsular and Oriental Company's rates, is given to any officer, the cost of freight of the regulated amount of baggage, in excess of the amount covered by the passage money, will be admitted as a public charge.

No. 606 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

To be Garrison Instructor.

Captain C. A. Gorham, of the Royal Artillery, Assistant Instructor, Poona, *vice* Captain A. L'E. H. Holmes, proceeded on furlough to Europe.

Lieutenant G. Poignand, of the 59th Foot, is confirmed in the appointment of Assistant Garrison Instructor, *vice* Captain C. A. Gorham, promoted.

No. 607 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

PUNJAB FRONTIER FORCE.

2nd Punjab Infantry.

Lieutenant R. R. N. Sturt, of the 39th Foot, a candidate for the Bengal Staff Corps, to officiate as 2nd Wing Subaltern, on probation, during the period Lieutenant C. G. Mansel may officiate as 2nd Squadron Subaltern, 4th Punjab Cavalry, or until further orders.

No. 608 *of* 1875.—The services of the undermentioned Native Medical Pupils of the Lahore Medical School, admitted by G. G. O. No. 1022 of 1874, are dispensed with:—

Juggundhur, No. 667.
Busheer Ahmed, No. 677.
Ghulam Deen, No. 690.
Hem Sing, No. 820.
Hurdwar Nath, No. 697.
Mahomed Zaman Khan, No. 688.
Shaikh Gaman Khan, No. 683.
Chutter Singh, No. 673.
Punnoo Misser, No. 689.

No. 609 *of* 1875.—Captain Frederick Aitchison is, at his own request, permitted to resign his appointment in the Calcutta Volunteer Lancers.

No. 610 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

Calcutta Volunteer Lancers.

Mr. Johnstone Smith, to be Captain.*
Mr. Charles James Nasmyth, to be Lieutenant.*
Mr. Frederick Aitchison to be Lieutenant.

* Subject to the Officers' passing an examination in drill.

No. 611 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 1038 of the 1st October 1873, Surgeon C. Little, M. D., Officiating in medical charge of the 2nd Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Surgeon J. A. W. Spence.

No. 612 *of* 1875.—The following promotion is made in the undermentioned Corps of the Native Army:—

36th (The Bareilly) Regiment of Native Infantry.

Havildar Pransookh, to be Jemadar from the 15th January 1875, *vice* Phool Sing, deceased.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 4th June 1875.

No. 266.—Mr. S. J. Peters, Probationary Overseer, 3rd Grade, Mysore, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Public Works Department with effect from the 1st April 1875.

No. 267.—Mr. D. C. Gordon, Controller of Accounts, Indus Valley State Railway, is granted 92 days' privilege leave, with effect from the 1st July 1875, or such date as he may avail himself of it.

The 5th June 1875.

No. 268.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 180 of the 17th April 1875, giving temporary promotion to Mr. F. J. E. Spring, from 2nd to 1st Grade Assistant Engineer, *for* "Holkar State Railway" *read* "Punjab Northern State Railway."

No. 269.—Mr. W. H. Pigott, Accountant, 2nd Grade, Rajpootana, is transferred to the Rajpootana State Railway.

The 7th June 1875.

No. 270.—Baboo Mutty Lall Dey, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is temporarily transferred from the Establishment under the Director of State Railways to British Burmah for employment in the Railway Branch.

The 8th June 1875.

No. 272.—The following permanent promotions are made in the Control Establishment, Public Works Department, with effect from the dates specified:—

To be Controller, 2nd Class, 2nd Grade.

Major D. H. Traill, R. E., with effect from the 19th March 1875.

To be Controller, 3rd Class, 1st Grade.

Mr. P. Phillips, with effect from the 19th March 1875.

To be Deputy Controller.

Captain H. R. LeM. Carey, with effect from the 14th February 1875.

To be Assistant Controller, 1st Grade.

Mr. W. H. Brand, with effect from the 18th April 1875.

Mr. J. L. Macpherson, with effect from the 6th March 1875.

Mr. F. P. Quinlan, with effect from the 14th February 1875.

To be Assistant Controller, 2nd Grade.

Mr. J. B. Braddon, with effect from the 6th March 1875.

Mr. R. N. Burn, with effect from the 14th February 1875.

No. 273.—The following temporary promotions are made in the Establishment of Accountants serving under Minor Administrations, with effect from the 10th September 1874:—

From 2nd to 1st Grade.

Mr. C. F. Vaughan, Oudh.
Mr. C. Sowerby, Assam.

From 3rd to 2nd Grade.

Balakistna Moodelliar, Hyderabad.
Mr. E. T. Anthony, Military Works Branch.

From 4th to 3rd Grade.

Venketroydoo Naidoo, Central Provinces.
Mr. E. A. Wood, Central India.

No. 274.—The following temporary promotions are made in the Establishment of Accountants in the State Railway Branch:—

From 2nd to 1st Grade, with effect from 10th September 1874.

Mungul Sein, Punjab Northern State Railway.

From 4th to 3rd Grade, with effect from 6th April 1875.

Baboo Tej Chunder Bose, Indus Valley State Railway.

No. 275.—Mr. J. Lee, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, temporarily employed on Famine Relief Works in Bengal, is transferred from the Establishment under the Director of State Railways to Mysore.

No. 276.—The undermentioned Non-Commissioned Officers of Royal Engineers are appointed to the Public Works Department as Overseers, 1st Grade, and posted to Assam:—

Corporal P. McEwan.
Corporal G. Targett.
Corporal G. Grey.

The 10th June 1875.

No. 277.—Mr. R. Ewing, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Central India, has passed the Departmental standard examination in the Native languages.

The 11th June 1875.

No. 278.—Baboo Bhuggobutty Churn Ghose is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Accountant, 4th Grade, on probation, and posted to British Burmah.

No. 279.—The services of Major O. B. C. St. John, R. E., Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Punjab, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

TELEGRAPH.

The 8th June 1875.

No. 271.—The Governor General in Council is pleased, under the authority conferred on him by Section 22 of Act VIII. of 1860 (an Act for the establishment and management of Electric Telegraphs in India) to declare that the general rules for working the telegraph lines of State Railways, published at pages 208 and 209 of the *Gazette of India* of the 18th April 1874, shall be applicable to the undermentioned Guaranteed Railway Lines:—

The Oudh and Rohilkhund Railway.
The Scinde, Punjab and Delhi Railway.
The East Indian Railway.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R. A.,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 14th June 1875.

No. 6.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. J. V. Woodman to act as Editor of the Bengal Law Reports during the absence on leave of Mr. L. A. Goodeve, or until further orders.

This appointment takes effect from the 1st January 1875.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 15th June 1875.

No. 559.—Her Majesty the Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Colonel Sir Andrew Clarke R. E., K. C. M. G., C. B., to be an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India. Sir Andrew Clarke has this day taken his seat under the usual salute as an Ordinary Member of the said Council.

The 16th June 1875.

No. 563.—*Appointments.*—Major H. V. Mathias, District Superintendent of Police of the 2nd Class in the Central Provinces, to be District Superintendent of the 1st Class, with effect from the 1st April last, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel F. G. Steuart, retired.

Major T. E. Vandergucht, District Superintendent of the 3rd Class, to be District Superintendent of the 2nd Class, *vice* Major Mathias.

Mr. J M. Berrill, District Superintendent of the 4th Class, to be District Superintendent of the 3rd Class, *vice* Major Vandergucht, but to continue to officiate in the 2nd Class as at present.

Mr. C. F. Anderson, District Superintendent of the 5th Class, to be District Superintendent of the 4th Class, *vice* Mr. Berrill.

Mr. H. L Dennys, Extra Assistant Commissioner and Officiating District Superintendent of Police, to be District Superintendent of the 5th Class, *vice* Mr. Anderson.

The 18th June 1875.

No. 568.—Mr. H. M. Rogers and Mr. A. H. Benton, of Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service, have been respectively granted by the Secretary of State for India six months' extension of leave on medical certificate, and three months' extension of furlough.

No. 572.—APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. W. Munton, Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd class in the Central Provinces, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 1st class, with effect from the 1st April last, *vice* Mr. Gopal Rao retired.

Mr. Sultan Ali, Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd class, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd class, *vice* Mr. Munton.

Mr. Keshav Shivram, Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th class, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd class, *vice* Mr. Sultan Ali.

Mr. Vasudeva Ballal Kher is confirmed in the appointment of Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th class, *vice* Mr. Keshav Shivram.

Mr. Biresar Dutt, Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd class, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 2nd class, with effect from the 1st December last, *vice* Mr. Srinath Bose degraded to the 4th class.

Mr. J. Hornby, Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th class, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd class, *vice* Mr. Biresar Dutt.

Mr. Gúr Parshad, Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th class, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd class, *vice* Bakhtawar Sing retired with effect from the 1st September 1874.

Mr. Bapu Rao Patwardhan is confirmed in the appointment of Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th class, *vice* Mr. Gúr Parshad.

Mr. Safdar Ali, Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th class, to be Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 3rd class, *vice* Mr. Abdul Rahim retired with effect from the 24th December last.

Mr. Girish Chunder is confirmed in the appointment of Extra Assistant Commissioner of the 4th class, *vice* Mr. Safdar Ali.

JUDICIAL.

The 14th June 1875.

No. 873.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 10, Act VI. of 1871, the Governor General in Council is pleased to invest Babu Prasanna Kumár Ghosh, Officiating Extra Assistant Commissioner, with the powers of a Munsiff, in the District of Goálpárá in Assam.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS AND SALT.

Simla, the 18th June 1875.

No. 201.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 10 of the Inland Customs Act, 1875, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the manufacture of salt and the manufacture [illegible] of saltpetre throughout the whole [illegible] territories mentioned in Section I, Clause 3 [illegible] Act, except in such places and subject [illegible] conditions in and subject to which such [illegible] and refining were lawful on the first [illegible] 1875.

No. 207.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 28 of Act VIII. of 1875, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that after the 1st of September 1875, no salt shall be imported into the Central Provinces across the river Nerbudda at any point west of that where the Inland Customs Line crosses the said river, except such salt as is brought by the Indore State Railway to Khandwa on payment of the duty of Rs. 3 per maund of three thousand two hundred tolas weight.

A. O. HUME,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 18th June 1875.

No. 99 *J.*—The Governor-General of India in Council is pleased to declare that all Laws and Regulations that are now or may hereafter be in force in Ajmere and Mhairwarra shall apply to, and have force within, those parts of the Cantonment of Deolee which are situated within the States of Oodeypoor and Jeypoor.

No. 100 *J.*—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Major C. H. Clay, Commandant, Deolee Irregular Force, to be Cantonment Magistrate at Deolee, with effect from taking charge.

POLITICAL.

The 18th June 1875.

No. 1766 *P.*—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. J. A. Will, as German Consul at Coconada.

No. 1768*P.*—*Erratum.*—In the Notification of this Department, No. 902P., dated 12th March 1875, *for* "Shama Sunker Roy of Dinagepore," *read* "Shyama Shonkur Chowdharee of Teota, in Dacca."

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS.

Simla, the 17th June 1875.

No. 1539.—Messrs. H. S. Schurr, C. E. Crawley, R. C. Chapman, and W. T. Piercy, of the Financial Department, passed the departmental examination by the lower standard on the 19th May 1875.

The 18th June 1875.

No. 1581.—*Bills drawn upon India by the Secretary of State in the year* 1875-76 *to end of June* 1875, *including bills drawn before 1st April* 1875, *but paid since that date or still outstanding* :—

	£	Rupees.	Average rate.	Loss compared with outturn at an exchange of 2s. the rupee.
Estimated for the whole year	14,300,000	15,69,00,000	1-9·87	1,39,00,000
Actual to date	4,416,742	4,86,62,000	1-9·78	44,94,580
Remains to make estimate good	9,883,258	10,82,38,000	1-9·91	94,05,420

Estimated loss on bills for Rs. 4,86,62,000 @ 1-9·87 ... Rs. 42,93,197.
Actual ,, ,, ,, ... ,, 44,94,580.
Loss in excess of estimate ... ,, 2,01,383.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

The 18th June 1875.

No. 1578.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to rule that when an Assistant Conservator of Forests, appointed by the Secretary of State, is provided with a free passage to India which does not include food, he may recover from the Government the expenditure actually incurred by him for food on the voyage.

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 18th June 1875.

No. 1550.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following be added to section 64 of the Civil Pension Code :—

A gratuity on the superior scale under this section is calculated upon the emoluments which the officers draw when last in superior service. A gratuity on the inferior scale is calculated upon the pay (whether on the superior or inferior scale) which he drew immediately before retirement from service.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 12th June 1875.

No. 613 *of* 1875.—Mr. R. D. Nuthall, Superintendent of the Kheddah Establishment at Dacca, is permitted to proceed to Europe on leave of absence for twenty months on medical certificate.

The 14th June 1875.

No. 614 *of* 1875.—In continuation of the Government General Orders noted in the margin, the undermentioned Officers are permitted to retire from the service from the dates specified under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1 of the 1st January 1875 :—

No. 378, dated the 14th April 1875.
No. 431, dated the 26th April 1875.
No. 460, dated the 4th May 1875.
No. 530, dated the 21st May 1875.
No. 573, dated the 2nd June 1875.

No.	RANK AND NAME.	Corps.	Ordinary pension.	Annuity.	Capitalized value of annuity.	Date of retirement.	Where to be paid.
			£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.		
25	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Henry Larkins Robertson.	Staff Corps ...	456 5 0	594 17 0	.....	12th June 1875.	England.
26	Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Atherton Dickins.	Ditto ...	365 0 0	257 8 0	.....	14th June 1875.	Ditto.

No. 615 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Brigadier General H. R. Browne, of the 63rd Foot, temporarily employed on the Brigade Staff, is brought permanently on the Establishment, in succession to Brigadier General R. O. Bright, C.B., promoted to the rank of Major General.

Colonel J. Ross, C.B., of the 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade, to the Brigade Staff of the Army with the rank of Brigadier General, in succession to Brigadier General W. Sankey, C.B., promoted to the rank of Major General.

The 15th June 1875.

No. 616 *of* 1875.—The services of Native Medical Pupil Ghaffoor Khan, No. 703, admitted by G. G. O. No. 1022 of 1874, are dispensed with.

No. 617 *of* 1875.—Deputy Surgeon General H Kendall, M.D., having reported his arrival at Calcutta on the 13th May 1875, is brought on the strength of the Administrative Staff of the British Medical Service in Bengal, *vice* Deputy Surgeon General J. G. Inglis, M.D., C.B., appointed to the charge of the office of Surgeon General, British Forces, Bombay.

Dr. Kendall is appointed to the medical superintendence of the Allahabad Circle.

No. 618 *of* 1875.—In continuation of Government General Order No. 614, dated the 14th June 1875, the undermentioned Officer is permitted to retire from the service from the date specified under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1 of the 1st January 1875 :—

No.	RANK AND NAME.	Corps.	Ordinary pension.	Annuity.	Capitalized value of annuity.	Date of retirement.	Where to be paid.
			£. s. d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.		
27	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) Henry LePoer Trench	Staff Corps..	365 0 0	.....	4,876 0 0	15th June 1875.	£562-10-0 in India. £4,313-10-0 in England.

No. 619 *of* 1875.—The leave of absence in India granted to Colonel H. LePoer Trench, of the Bengal Staff Corps, by G. G. O. No. 1124 of the 1st December 1874, is extended to the 15th June 1875, the date of his retirement from the service, as notified in G. G. O. No. 618 of this date.

The 16th June 1875.

No. 620 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the list of Warrant Officers attached to different departments :—

Conductor Archibald Litster, to be Deputy Assistant Commissary, *vice* Honorary Lieutenant J. Cannell, transferred to the Public Works Department Establishment as a Supernumerary.

Sub-Conductor George Hutchings, to be Conductor, *vice* Conductor Litster, promoted.

Sub-Conductor Charles John Marsden, to be Conductor, to complete the establishment.

Sub-Conductor Charles Wickham, to be Conductor, to complete the establishment.

Serjeant Richard Hardaker, to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Sub-Conductor Hutchings, promoted.

Serjeant George Martin Wray, to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Sub-Conductor Marsden, promoted.

Serjeant John Anderson, to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Sub-Conductor Wickham, promoted.

Serjeant Richard Joseph Dickson, to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Sub-Conductor James Johnston, transferred to the Public Works Department Establishment as a Supernumerary.

Serjeant George Pinkstone, to be Sub-Conductor, to complete the establishment.

Serjeant Robert Livingstone, to be Sub-Conductor, to complete the establishment.

Serjeant George Acres, to be Sub-Conductor, to complete the establishment.

The above promotions will have effect from the 1st April 1875.

No. 621 *of* 1875.—With reference to the Notification issued by the Government of Bengal dated 1st June 1875, the services of Surgeon W. E. Battersby, M.B., of the Medical Department, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 622 *of* 1875.—Her Majesty has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentleman to be a Surgeon in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces at the Presidency of Bengal; he is accordingly admitted into the service :—

Medical Department.

Surgeon Charles Joseph McCartie, M.D.,—date of arrival at Fort William, 4th June 875.

No. 623 *of* 1875.—*Erratum.*—In G. G. O. No. 528 of 1875, promoting certain Native Medical Pupils of the Calcutta Medical College to the grade of Passed Medical Pupil, for Hirut Hossain, read *Itirut* Hossain.

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 624 *of* 1875.—First Class Hospital Assistant Dowlut Ram, of the 11th Bengal Lancers, having been declared unfit for further duty by a special Invaliding Committee, is transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment on a stipend equal to one-third of his average monthly salary drawn during the last five years of service, *viz.*, Rs. 14-7-2 per mensem.

The pension will be disbursed in the Presidency Circle of pension payment.

No. 625 *of* 1875.—Nujeebun Nissur, widow of Ressaidar Kullender Beg, 4th Cavalry Hyderabad Contingent, is admitted to pension equal to that conferred by the 3rd Class Order of Merit on her late husband, for three years, commencing from the 25th November 1873.

The stipend will be disbursed in the Punjab Circle of pension payment.

No. 626 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Passed Medical Pupils are promoted to the grade of 3rd Class Hospital Assistant, with effect from the dates specified against their respective names :—

Names.	Date of appointment to a permanent post.	Date of passing the examination in English according to the new test.
Jageer Pershad	4th Nov. 1874.	
Gokie Lall ...	14th Dec. „	
Abdoollah ...	17th „ „	
Mahomed Abdoor Rohman	29th January 1875	26th July 1870.
Ubdul Ahud ...	10th February „	
Naee Moollah ...	11th „ „	
Golam Mahomed Khan ...	15th „ „	
Shaikh Fazl Elahi ...	15th March 1875 ..	25th May „
Golam Abbah ...	24th April „	
Shaik Abdool Kureem ...	3rd June „	1st „ 1871.

No. 627 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Native Medical Pupil of the Nagpur Medical School, who has passed his final examination, is promoted to the grade of 3rd Class Hospital Assistant, with effect from the 1st May 1875, the date on which he was appointed as Demonstrator of Anatomy and Librarian to the Nagpur Medical School :—

Abdool Kurreem Khan.

No. 628 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Native Medical Pupils of the Nagpur Medical School, who have passed their final examination, are promoted to the grade of Passed Medical Pupil with effect from the 1st May 1875, and placed at disposal as follows :—

Shew Prosad, Suraj Ram, Sheik Abdool Roheem, Unwar Ali, Jewala Prosad and Sheik Kutab Oodeen—at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

Raja Ram, Abdool Kurreem, Behary Lall,* Mohomed Hanif and Futteh Mahamed—at the disposal of the Surgeon General, Indian Medical Service.

* Passed the English qualification on the 22nd March 1872.

No. 629 *of* 1875.—At the recommendation of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to grant the brevet pay of his rank to Ressaldar Major Ally Mahomed Khan, of the 11th Bengal Lancers, under the operation of G. G. O. No. 245 of the 9th March 1866, with effect from the date of his transfer to the Invalid Pension Establishment.

No. 630 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers of the Bengal Staff Corps having completed twelve years' service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, are admitted to the Colonel's allowance with effect from the dates specified, under the operation of G. G. O. No. 808 of 1866, paragraph 61, clause 5 :—

Lieutenant-General Orfeur Cavenagh and Lieutenant-General John Stafford Paton, C.B.,—12th June 1875.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Alfred Chicheley Plowden,—13th June 1875.

No. 631 *of* 1785.—The undermentioned Officer of the Bengal Staff Corps having completed twenty years' service, is promoted to the rank of Major, from the date specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866; subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Captain Henry Montgomery Barton Burlton,—12th June 1875.

No. 632 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer, having completed twelve years' service, including four years in the Staff Corps, is promoted to the rank of Captain from the date specified under the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Bengal Staff Corps.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) William Henry Browne,—2nd July 1874.

No. 633 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty's approval :—

Corps.	Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In whose room.
Infantry ...	Major F. Hammond (Captain in Staff Corps).	Lieut.-Col. ..	1st June 1875 ..	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) W. Forbes, retired.
Cadre of the late 62nd Native Infantry.	Captain Harvey Woodhouse ...	Major ...		
Infantry ...	Major O. R. Newmarch, Staff Corps.	Lieut.-Col. ..	Ditto ...	Lieutenant-Colonel (Captain in Staff Corps) F. Hammond, removed from the list of Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels.
Cadre of the late 44th Native Infantry.	Captain A. England, Staff Corps	Major ...		
Infantry ...	Major B. Williams, Staff Corps	Lieut.-Col. ..	Ditto ...	Lieutenant-Colonel (Major in Staff Corps) O. R. Newmarch, removed from the list of Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels.
Cadre of the late 51st Native Infantry.	Captain H. M. Pratt, Staff Corps.	Major ...		
Infantry ...	Major William Christopher Chowne.	Lieut.-Col....	Ditto ...	Lieutenant-Colonel (Major in Staff Corps) B. Williams, removed from the list of Regimental Lieutenant-Colonels.
Cadre of the late 12th Native Infantry.	Captain J. L. Ferris, Staff Corps.	Major ...		

No. 634 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their return from England :—

Surgeon G. C. Ross, of the Medical Department, in medical charge, 4th Punjab Cavalry, Punjab Frontier Force,—date of arrival at Bombay, 14th April 1874 (date of departure on furlough, 12th May 1873).

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) W. Macdonald, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Wing Officer, 12th (The Kelat-i-Ghilzie) Regiment of Native Infantry,—date of arrival at Bombay, 28th April 1875, (date of departure on furlough, 4th June 1873).

No. 635 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified :—

Captain M. O. Boyd, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 337 of 1875,—per *Meinam*, 10th May 1875, from Calcutta.

Surgeon A. S. Lethbridge, M.D., of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 545 of 1875,—per *Thibet*, 18th May 1875 from Calcutta.

The 18*th June* 1875.

No. 636 *of* 1875.—*Erratum.*—In G. G. O. No. 411 of the 8th April 1873, paragraph VI., laying down the rate of Colonel's allowance in India, if drawn in addition to English pay, for Rs. 545-15-0, read Rs. 545-13-0.

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 637 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Colonel A. G. Forsyth, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Officiating Assistant Adjutant General, Sirhind Division, to be an Assistant Adjutant General of Division on the Establishment, in succession to Colonel W. M. Cafe, V.C., whose tenure of staff service has expired.

Major J. C. Minto, of the Bengal Staff Corps, Officiating Brigade-Major, to be a Brigade-Major on the Establishment, in succession to Major T. N. Baker, appointed to the 2nd Regiment of Native (Light) Infantry.

No. 638 *of* 1875.—The following order, issued by the Resident at Hyderabad, is confirmed :—

No. 105, *dated the 7th June* 1875.—Granting Lieutenant A. C. LeQuesne, Adjutant, 5th Infantry, Hyderabad Contingent, one month's general leave of absence to Moradabad on private affairs from the 31st May 1875 or from date of departure.

No. 639 *of* 1875.—The services of Native Medical Pupil Noorool Hossein, No. 801, attached to the Left Wing of the 45th (Rattray's Sikhs) Regiment of Native Infantry, admitted by G. G. O. No. 1022 of 1874, are dispensed with.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel*,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 11*th June* 1875.

No. 280.—The transfer of the following Officers as notified in Public Works Department Notification No. 531, dated 24th September 1874, is cancelled :—

Assistant Engineers, 1*st Grade.*

Mr. R. Ring, from British Burmah to Rajpootana.

Mr. A. W. DeCrettes, from British Burmah to Assam.

Mr. E. W. Oates, from British Burmah to Hyderabad.

Mr. E. Gramatzki, from Mysore to Central Provinces.

Mr. G. H. Bazley, from Mysore to Central Provinces.

The 12*th June* 1875.

No. 281.—Lieutenant J. W. Ottley, R. E., Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, is re-transferred from Bengal to the Punjab Irrigation Branch.

No. 282.—Mr. J. M. Salmond is appointed to the Public Works Department as a Temporary Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, and posted to British Burmah for employment in the Railway Branch.

The 14*th June* 1875.

No. 283.—*Erratum.*—In Public Works Department Notification No. 235 of the 15th May 1875, *for* "Mr. Hormuzshaw Dinshaw" *read* "Mr. Dinshaw Hormuzshaw."

The 15*th June* 1875.

No. 285.—Mr. W. A. D. Anley, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Bengal Provincial Establishment, is removed from the Public Works Department from this date.

No. 286.—Mr. O. G. Smart, Engineer Apprentice, British Burmah, is promoted to the rank of Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, with effect from 1st May 1875.

The 16*th June* 1875.

No. 288.—The following transfers and postings of Officers of the Control Establishment are ordered with effect from the 1st July 1875 :—

Mr. J. H. Harding, Controller, Public Works Accounts, Central Provinces, to be Controller of Accounts, Indus Valley State Railway.

Mr. D. C. Gordon, Controller of Accounts, Indus Valley State Railway, to be Controller, Public Works Accounts, Central Provinces.

No. 289.—Baboo Parmesery Dass, Overseer 3rd Grade, on the Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Public Works Department.

The 17*th June* 1875.

No. 291.—Major D. Ward, R. E., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Military Works Branch, is granted subsidiary leave from 16th to 26th January 1875, both days inclusive.

No. 292.—Mr. A. Boreham, Officiating Accountant, 4th Grade, Mysore, is confirmed in that grade with effect from 3rd August 1874.

The 18*th June* 1875.

No. 294.—Mr. P. S. McGowan, Engineer Apprentice, Punjab Provincial Establishment, is promoted to the rank of Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, with effect from 1st April last.

No. 295.—The following transfers are ordered in the Establishment of Accountants :—

Bussent Ram, Accountant, 3rd Grade, from the Office of the Director of State Railways to the Indus Valley State Railway.

Mr. C. D. Hawes, Accountant, 3rd Grade, from the Indus Valley State Railway to the Office of the Director of State Railways.

TELEGRAPH.

The 14*th June* 1875.

No. 284.—*Erratum.*—In Notification No. 239T, dated 18th May 1875, *for* "Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company," *read* "Bombay, Baroda, and Central India Railway Company."

The 15*th June* 1875.

No. 287.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following officiating appointments :—

Mr. W. R. Brooke, Superintendent 2nd Grade, to officiate as Superintendent 1st Grade, with effect from 11th April 1875, during the absence on leave of Mr. B. C. Bailey, or until further orders.

Mr. H. P. Owen, Superintendent 3rd Grade, to officiate as Superintendent 2nd Grade, *vice* Mr. Brooke or until further orders, with effect from the 11th April 1875.

Mr. S. J. Josephs, Assistant Superintendent 1st Grade, to officiate as Superintendent 3rd Grade, *vice* Mr. Owen or until further orders, with effect from the 11th April 1875.

Mr. J. M. Lane, Superintendent 3rd Grade, to officiate as Superintendent 2nd Grade, with effect from the 8th April 1875, during the absence of Mr. H. I. Walton, on leave or until further orders.

Mr. E. F. Wallis, Assistant Superintendent 1st Grade, to officiate as Superintendent 3rd Grade, *vice* Mr. Lane, with effect from the 13th April 1875.

The 17*th June* 1875.

No. 290.—Mr. G. G. Charles, Assistant Superintendent 1st Grade, is appointed to officiate as Superintendent 3rd Grade, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. W. K. D. Bignell, Superintendent 2nd Grade, or until further orders.

The 18*th June* 1875.

No. 293.—Mr. J. J. Fahie is appointed Assistant Superintendent in the Persian Telegraph, with effect from the 1st February 1875, *vice* Johnstone.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel*, R.A.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 21st June 1875.

No. 7.—In exercise of the power conferred by the Statute 24 & 25 Vic., cap. 67, section 17, the Governor General in Council has been pleased to appoint Thursday, the 1st July next, at 11 A.M., as the time, and the Council Chamber in Government House, Simla, as the place, for the next meeting of the Council of the Governor General for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 14th June 1875.

No. 578.—The following list of Civil Servants on the Bengal Establishment absent on furlough, special or subsidiary leave on the 31st March 1875 is published for general information :—

No.	NAMES.	Substantive appointment.	Date of commencement of furlough or leave.	Date of expiry of furlough or leave.	REMARKS.
		GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.			
		FURLOUGH.			
1	Hon'ble W. Ainslie ..	Judge of the High Court, Calcutta ..	January 25, 1875 ..	October 24, 1875.	
2	A. M. Monteath	Director General of the Post Office of India.	March 10, 1873 ..	March 9, 1875. ..	
3	D. M. Barbour	Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Financial Department.	October 19, 1874 ..	December 18, 1875.	

No.	NAMES.	Substantive appointment.	Date of commencement of furlough or leave.	Date of expiry of furlough or leave.	REMARKS.
	GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.—continued.				
	SPECIAL LEAVE.				
1	F. C. Daukes	Senior Attaché in the Foreign Department.	November 9, 1874 ..	May 8, 1875 ..	Since returned.
	LOWER PROVINCES.				
	FURLOUGH.				
1	S. Wauchope	Judge of Dinagepore	October 28, 1873 ..	October 27, 1875.	
2	A. Money	Member of the Board of Revenue ..	....	....	Date of departure not known.
3	E. W. Molony	Commissioner of Bhaugulpore ..	March 29, 1875 ..	March 28, 1877.	
4	J. A. Crawford	Collector of Customs	April 13, 1874 ..	April 12, 1876.	
5	T. B. Lane	Secretary, Board of Revenue ..	On subsidiary leave.		
6	H. A. Cockerell	Commissioner of Dacca	June 12, 1874 ..	December 11, 1875.	
7	J. F. Browne	Judge of Cuttack	March 16, 1875 ..	December 15, 1876.	
8	H. Bell	Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs.	August 12, 1873 ..	August 11, 1875.	
9	W. L. Heeley	Inspector General of Jails	....	....	Date of departure not known.
10	F. G. Millett	Out of employ	March 14, 1873 ..	September 13, 1875.	
11	A. B. Falcon	Magistrate and Collector, Bogra ..	February 13, 1874 ..	February 12, 1876.	
12	H. F. J. Kean	Ditto ditto, Durbhunga	August 11, 1874 ..	August 10, 1876.	
13	F. H. Pellew	Ditto ditto, Hooghly ..	March 12, 1875 ..	November 11, 1876.	
14	G. S. Park	Ditto ditto, Maldah ..	January 31, 1874 ..	July 30, 1875.	
15	H. Beveridge	Ditto ditto, Backergunge	January 2, 1875 ..	July 1, 1877.	
16	J. Monro	Judge of Rajshahye	January 15, 1875 ..	January 14, 1877.	
17	F. Jones	Senior Superintendent of Survey ..	March 29, 1875 ..	January 28, 1877.	
18	G. Graham	Out of employ	September 11, 1872 ..	March 10, 1875.	
19	R. H. Wilson	1st Inspector of Registration Offices ..	October 27, 1873 ..	October 26, 1875.	
20	A. Mackenzie	Junior Secretary to the Government of Bengal.	May 20, 1874 ..	November 19, 1875.	
21	E. H. Ruddock	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ..	November 1, 1874 ..	October 31, 1876.	
22	J. R. Hallett	Ditto ditto ..	August 11, 1874 ..	August 10, 1876.	
23	H. W. Gordon	Ditto ditto ..	May 6, 1874 ..	December 19, 1875.	
24	G. J. S. Hodgkinson ..	Ditto ditto ..	November 30, 1874 ..	November 29, 1876.	
25	G. Toynbee	Canal Revenue Superintendent, Orissa	March 8, 1875 ..	November 7, 1876.	
26	J. G. Charles	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ..	May 20, 1874 ..	November 19, 1875.	
27	J. Scobell Armstrong ..	Ditto ditto ..	November 23, 1874 ..	November 22, 1876.	
28	W. B. Oldham	Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector	March 29, 1875 ..	March 28, 1877.	
29	R. M. Waller	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ..	May 11, 1874 ..	January 10, 1876.	
30	J. Whitmore	Ditto ditto ..	February 2, 1873 ..	May 1, 1875.	
31	A. A. Wace	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Durbhunga.	March , 1875 ..	December , 1875.	
32	H. G. Cooke	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ..	October 26, 1872 ..	April 25, 1875.	
33	D. W. Marsden	Ditto ditto, Cuttack	February 16, 1871 ..	February 15, 1875.	
34	E. M. Money	Ditto ditto, Monghyr	October 9, 1874 ..	July 8, 1875.	
35	F. F. Handley	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ..	April 13, 1874 ..	April 12, 1875.	
	SPECIAL LEAVE.				
	Nil.				

NOTE.—Total absent 35
Total of Civil Servants employed in the Lower Provinces 240
Percentage of Absentees .. .. 14·5

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES.

FURLOUGH.

1	W. A. Forbes, C. B. ..	Commissioner of Revenue ..	April 14, 1873 ..	October 13, 1874 ..	Granted six months extension by the Secretary of State. Has applied to resign the service.
2	G. H. M. Ricketts, C. B. ..	Ditto ditto	March 15, 1875 ..	November 30, 1875.	
3	W. R. Benson	Magistrate and Collector	November 17, 1873 ..	November 16, 1874 ..	Granted 11 months' extension by the Secretary of State.
4	R. F. Saunders	District and Sessions Judge ..	March 1, 1875 ..	November 7, 1875.	
5	W. C. Plowden ..	Magistrate and Collector	November 17, 1873 ..	November 16, 1875.	
6	G. E. Watson	Ditto ditto	March 1, 1875 ..	October 15, 1875.	
7	H. D. Willock	Ditto ditto	November 23, 1874 ..	November 10, 1876.	
8	W. Lane	Ditto ditto	On subsidiary leave.		

No.	NAMES.	Substantive appointment.	Date of commencement of furlough or leave.	Date of expiry of furlough or leave.	REMARKS.
	NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES—continued.				
	FURLOUGH—continued.				
9	D. C. Halkett	Joint Magistrate, 1st grade ..	May 11, 1874 ..	November 10, 1875.	
10	C. Robertson	Junior Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces.	On subsidiary leave.		
11	E. S. Robertson	Joint Magistrate, 1st grade ..	March , 1875 ..	January , 1876 ..	Date of departure not known.
12	C. A. Elliott	Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces.	March 15, 1875 ..	January 30, 1877.	
13	F. E. Elliot	Joint Magistrate, 1st grade ..	November 9, 1874 ..	November 8, 1876.	
14	D. M. Gardner ..	Ditto, ditto ..	January 18, 1875 ..	November 17, 1875.	
15	G. E. Ward	Ditto, 2nd grade ..	March 13, 1874 ..	November 12, 1875.	
16	G. Adams	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ..	April 1, 1874 ..	October 31, 1875.	
17	T. W. Rawlins	Ditto ditto ..	On subsidiary leave.		
18	A. C. Tupp	Ditto ditto ..	April 6, 1874 ..	December 5, 1875.	
19	W. E. Neale	Assistant Settlement Officer, 1st grade	April 27, 1874 ..	February 26, 1876.	
20	H. M. Rogers	Nil	June 20, 1874 ..	June 19, 1875.	
21	G. Butt	Assistant Settlement Officer, 1st grade	April 20, 1874 ..	October 19, 1875.	
22	H. B. Finlay	Ditto ditto ..	On subsidiary leave.		
23	W. T. Martin	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ..	October 5, 1874 ..	October 4, 1875.	
24	A. Robinson	Ditto ditto ..	March 1, 1875 ..	February 28, 1877.	
	SPECIAL LEAVE.				
1	H. W. Dashwood	District and Sessions Judge ..	On subsidiary leave.		
2	F. Baker	Assistant Magistrate and Collector ..	March 22, 1875 ..	September 21, 1875.	

NOTE.—Total absent 26
Total of Civil Servants employed in the North-Western Provinces 184
Percentage of Absentees .. .. 14·13

PUNJAB.

FURLOUGH.

1	Gore Ouseley	Commissioner and Superintendent ..	March 29, 1875 ..	January 28, 1876.
2	D. C. Macnabb	Ditto ditto ..	April 10, 1874 ..	April 9, 1876.
3	Lepel Griffin	Under Secretary to Government, Punjab.	April 7, 1873 ..	April 6, 1875.
4	B. H. Baden Powell ..	Conservator of Forests, Punjab ..	May 1, 1874 ..	April 30, 1876.
5	A. R. Bulman	Assistant Commissioner, 2nd class ..	March 1, 1875 ..	June 6, 1876.
6	G. M. Ogilvie	Assistant Commissioner, 2nd class ..	April 2, 1874 ..	April 1, 1876.
7	A. H. Benton	Ditto, 2nd ,, ..	May 8, 1874 ..	August 7, 1875.
8	A. W. Stogdon	Ditto, 3rd ,, ..	February 13, 1875 ..	February 12, 1877.
9	F. D'Olbert Bullock ..	Judge, Small Cause Court, 1st ,, ..	March 1, 1874 ..	February 29, 1876.
10	J. W. Gardiner	Assistant Commissioner, 3rd ,, ..	March 30, 1874 ..	November 29, 1875.
11	F. P. Beachcroft	Ditto, 2nd ,, ..	March 15, 1875 ..	March 14, 1877.
	SPECIAL LEAVE.			
	Nil.			

NOTE.—Total absent 11
Total of Civil Servants employed in the Punjab 84
Percentage of Absentees .. .. 13·09

OUDH.

FURLOUGH.

1	Sir George Couper, Bart., C.B.	Chief Commissioner	March 15, 1875 ..	December 14, 1875.
2	J. Woodburn	Assistant Commissioner, 2nd grade ..	November 3, 1873 ..	November 2, 1875.
	SPECIAL LEAVE.			
	Nil.			

NOTE.—Total absent 2
Total of Civil Servants employed in Oudh 27
Percentage of Absentees .. .. 7·4

No.	NAMES.	Substantive appointment.	Date of commencement of furlough or leave.	Date of expiry of furlough or leave.	REMARKS.
		CENTRAL PROVINCES.			
		FURLOUGH.			
1	W. B. Jones	Secretary to the Chief Commissioner..	January 4, 1875 ..	October 3, 1875.	
2	C. E. Bernard	Commissioner, Nagpur Division ..	February 15, 1875 ..	February 14, 1877.	
3	C. Grant	Commissioner, Jabalpur Division ..	March 16, 1874 ..	November 15, 1875.	
4	J. H. Fisher	Assistant Magistrate and Collector, North-Western Provinces, and Officiating Deputy Commissioner, 3rd class, in the Central Provinces.	April 24, 1874 ..	December 23, 1875.	
5	J. W. Tawney	Assistant Commissioner, 2nd class ..	June 5, 1874 ..	June 4, 1875.	
		SPECIAL LEAVE.			
1	W. M. Low	Commissioner, Narbada Division ..	March 29, 1875 ..	September 28, 1875.	

NOTE.—Total absent 6
Total of Civil Servants employed in the Central Provinces 28
Percentage of Absentees .. .. 21·4

BRITISH BURMAH.

Nil.

MYSORE AND COORG.

Nil.

HYDERABAD.

Nil.

ASSAM.

Nil.

NOTE.—Grand Total of Absentees 84
Grand Total of Civil Servants employed on the Bengal Establishment .. 621
Percentage of Absentees .. .. 13·5

The 24th June 1875.

No. 579.—An extension of two months' leave on Medical certificate has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to Mr. F. G. Millett of the Bengal Civil Service.

MEDICAL.

The 22nd June 1875.

No. 377.—The undermentioned Assistant Surgeons of the 3rd Grade are promoted to the 2nd Grade, with effect from the 1st ultimo :—

Troyluko Nath Ghose, attached to the Sadr Dispensary, Meerut.

Juswant Roy, attached to the Sadr Dispensary, Mooltan.

Sahib Ditta, attached to the Sadr Dispensary, Amritsar.

POLICE.

The 24th June 1875.

No. 182.—The provisions of Act VIII of 1870 (for the prevention of the murder of female infants) having been made applicable to the clans resident in the Jhansi District, in the localities detailed in the subjoined list, by the Notification of the Government of the North-Western Provinces No. 96 A, dated the 8th instant, the following rules made by that Government in exercise of the power conferred on it by Section 2 of the said Act, and confirmed by the Governor General in Council, are hereby published for general information :—

Rules for the suppression of Female Infanticide.

I.—A nominal Register (A) of all proclaimed families shall be drawn up by the Police under the orders of the Magistrate of the district. In this Register recognised heads of families or masters of separate households shall be entered as the heads of families, and every member of the family habitually resident in the village shall be entered by name. All persons under twelve shall be entered as children, except married female children living with their husbands, who shall, for the purposes of these Rules, be deemed to be adult females.

II.—All villages in which the proportion of female children to children on a proclaimed population of not less than 25 children is less than 25 per cent. shall be called "specially guilty" villages, and shall also be entered in a separate Register (B), which shall be called the "Private register of proclaimed families in specially guilty villages." This Register shall not be open to inspection except by the officers of the district.

III.—The person who is registered as the head of a proclaimed family shall report immediately the occurrence of every birth and death and the illness of any female child in his family to the chaukidar of the village. He shall also produce all children in his family for the inspection of a Police Officer visiting the village when required to produce them.

IV.—Every midwife knowing of, or having reason to believe in, the occurrence in a proclaimed family in the village in which she resides of a birth, or of the illness of a new-born child, shall at once report the fact to the chaukidar of the village. And if the village is one entered in Register B, she shall also report the occurrence of a pregnancy.

V.—If in a given time after proclamation [to be determined for each village or locality by the Local Government] the proportion of female children in a village entered in Register B does not rise to more than 25 per cent., the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that every person registered as the head of a proclaimed family in that village shall be personally bound to report to the officer in charge of the Police Station every pregnancy in his family at some period before the seventh month.

VI.—The chaukidar of the village shall immediately report to the officer in charge of the Police Station the occurrence of a birth, whether male or female, in a proclaimed family; the death of a female infant under six months old; the illness of a female child; and the removal of a pregnant woman to another village. He shall also report, on the occasion of his periodical visit to the Police Station, other deaths, removals and arrivals, and pregnancies reported to him if the village is entered in Register B.

VII.—The zemindars of the villages shall give assistance to the Police in drawing up Register A, and in obtaining information regarding all births, marriages and deaths occurring, or about to occur, among proclaimed families.

VIII.—All expenses incurred in working the system sanctioned by Act VIII of 1870 shall be borne by the proclaimed clans and families, and shall be recoverable as arrears of land revenue; provided that when the percentage of female children to children of any proclaimed class in any village exceeds forty, such class shall be exempted from any share in such expenses, unless in the opinion of the Magistrate there be other grounds of suspicion.

IX.—Where the crime is so prevalent, and the number of the proclaimed villages so great, that the ordinary establishment of the district cannot cope successfully with it, the Local Government may at its discretion appoint a force of special Police for the purpose of carrying out measures of prevention and detection. All expenses incurred for the payment of such Police, or under Rule VIII, may be met by a rate leviable under the orders of the Local Government from the heads of families entered in the nominal register of proclaimed persons. Such rate will ordinarily be imposed so as to fall more heavily on specially guilty than on guilty families, but the amount of the rate to be levied will be fixed in every case by the special orders of the Local Government.

X.—No proclaimed village or family shall be exempted from the operation of these Rules except by the order of the Local Government, or in virtue of authority to that effect vested by Government in any officer. A village or family so exempted will then be struck out of Register A and the erasure initialled by the Magistrate of the District, or by the District Superintendent of Police.

Clan.	Pargana.	No.	Village.
Farihar ...	Garotha ...	1	Deori.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	2	Tharah.
Jenwar ...	Mau ...	3	Luhari.
Sengar ...	Mau ...	4	Sajari Buzurg.
Parihar ...	Garotha ...	5	Ghatiari.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	6	Damrai.

No. 184 *of* 1875.—The provisions of Act VIII of 1870 (for the prevention of the murder of female infants) having been made applicable to the clans resident in the Ghazipur District, in the localities detailed in the subjoined list, by the Notification of the Government of the North-Western Provinces No. 85 A, dated the 4th instant, the following rules made by that Government in exercise of the power conferred on it by Section 2 of the said Act, and confirmed by the Governor General in Council, are hereby published for general information :—

Rules for the suppression of Female Infanticide.

I.—A nominal Register (A) of all proclaimed families shall be drawn up by the Police under the orders of the Magistrate of the district. In this register recognized heads of families or masters of separate households shall be entered as the heads of families, and every member of the family habitually resident in the village shall be entered by name. All persons under twelve shall be entered as children, except married female children living with their husbands, who shall, for the purposes of these Rules, be deemed to be adult females.

II.—All villages in which the proportion of female children to children on a proclaimed population of not less than 25 children is less than 25 per cent. shall be called "specially guilty" villages, and shall also be entered in a separate Register (B), which shall be called the "Private register of proclaimed families in specially guilty villages." This register shall not be open to inspection except by the officers of the district.

III.—The person who is registered as the head of a proclaimed family shall report immediately the occurrence of every birth and death, and the illness of any female child in his family to the chaukidar of the village. He shall also produce all children in his family for the inspection of a Police Officer visiting the village when required to produce them.

IV.—Every midwife knowing of, or having reason to believe in, the occurrence in a proclaimed family in the village in which she resides of a birth, or of the illness of a new-born child, shall at once report the fact to the chaukidar of the village. And if the village is one entered in Register B, she shall also report the occurrence of a pregnancy.

V.—If in a given time after proclamation [to be determined for each village or locality by the Local Government] the proportion of female children in a village entered in Register B does not rise to more than 25 per cent., the Lieutenant-Governor may direct that every person registered as the head of a proclaimed family in that village shall be personally bound to report to the officer in charge of the Police Station every pregnancy in his family at some period before the seventh month.

VI.—The chaukidar of the village shall immediately report to the officer in charge of the Police Station the occurrence of a birth, whether male or female, in a proclaimed family; the death of a female infant under six months old; the illness of a female child; and the removal of a pregnant woman to another village. He shall also report, on the occasion of his periodical visit to the Police Station, other deaths, removals and arrivals; and pregnancies reported to him if the village is entered in Register B.

VII.—The zemindars of the villages shall give assistance to the Police in drawing up Register A, and in obtaining information regarding all births, marriages, and deaths occurring, or about to occur, among proclaimed families.

VIII.—All expenses incurred in working the system sanctioned by Act VIII of 1870 shall be borne by the proclaimed clans and families, and shall be recoverable as arrears of land revenue; provided that, when the percentage of female children to children of any proclaimed class in any village exceeds forty, such class shall be exempted from any share in such expenses, unless in the opinion of the Magistrate there be other grounds of suspicion.

IX.—Where the crime is so prevalent, and the number of the proclaimed villages so great, that the ordinary establishment of the district cannot cope successfully with it, the Local Government may, at its discretion, appoint a force of special Police for the purpose of carrying out measures of prevention and detection. All expenses incurred for the payment of such Police, or under Rule VIII, may be met by a rate leviable, under the orders of the Local Government, from the heads of families entered in the nominal register of proclaimed persons. Such rate will ordinarily be imposed so as to fall more heavily on specially guilty than on guilty families; but the amount of the rate to be levied will be fixed in every case by the special orders of the Local Government.

X.—No proclaimed village or family shall be exempted from the operation of these Rules except by the order of the Local Government, or in virtue of authority to that effect vested by Government in any officer. A village or family so exempted will then be struck out of Register A, and the erasure initialled by the Magistrate of the District, or by the District Superintendent of Police.

Clans.	Parganas.	No.	Village.
Harihobansi ...	Ballia ...	1	Bansthana.
		2	Raipura.
Nikumbh ...	Ditto ...	3	Muradih.
Loturia ...	Doaba ...	4	Kotwa Bazidpur.
Kinwar ...	Ditto ...	5	Karmanpura.
Dikhit ...	Muhammadabad	6	Karamchandpur.
Ditto ...	Shadiabad ...	7	Bhund Kanda.
Bargyan ...	Zuharabad ...	8	Simoar.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	9	Bhaodos.
Berwar ...	Kopachit ...	10	Asan.
Narauni ...	Ditto ...	11	Sonharsa.
Bisen ...	Pachotar ...	12	Bauri.
Ponwar ...	Ballia ...	13	Bajarha.

PORT BLAIR.

The 22nd June 1875.

No. 299.—Major-General C. A. Barwell, C. B., received charge of the Office of Chief Commissioner of the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, and Superintendent of Port Blair and the Nicobars, on the forenoon of the 26th ultimo.

PATENTS.

The 25th June 1875.

No. 17 *S.*—The undermentioned Specifications of Inventions have been filed, under the provisions of Act XV. of 1859, in the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Home Department. Copies have been sent to one of the Secretaries to each of the Governments of Bengal, Fort St. George, Bombay, and the North-Western Provinces. A copy of every Specification is open, at all reasonable hours, at the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India, in the Home Department, to public inspection, upon payment of a fee of one rupee. A certified copy of any Specification will be given to any person requiring the same, on payment of the expense of copying:—

No. 838.—Mons. François Barthelemy Alfred Royer de la Bastie of No. 23, Boulevards de Strasburg à Paris, France, for a new process of tempering flat and shaped glass, and furnaces and machinery to be employed therefor.

No. 3 *of* 1875.—Mr. Howard John Kennard of No. 67, Upper Thames St., in the City of London, England, for improvements in sand pumps or apparatus for excavating sand and other material under water.

No. 26 *of* 1875.—Mr. John Tidmarsh of No. 3, Wellesley Place, in the town of Calcutta, optician and watchmaker in the employment of Messrs. Madeley & Co. of the same place, opticians and jewellers, for ascertaining the sight of any person and selecting lenses, pebbles and glasses of the proper focus for spectacles and eyeglasses and called "Tidmarsh's Sight Measure."

No. 28 *of* 1875.—Mr. Henry Aitken of Falkirk, in the County of Stirling, North Britain, for improvements in the manufacture of illuminating gas, and in the apparatus and means employed therefor.

No. 30 *of* 1875.—Messrs. H. P. Garland and A. J. Gove of San Francisco, in the State of California, one of the United States of America, Engineers, for improvements in sewing machines for stitching sacks, bags, carpets, and for other like purposes.

No. 33 *of* 1875.—Messrs. J. L. Clark and J. Standfield, both of Westminster Chambers, Victoria Street, Westminster, in that part of H. M.'s Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called England, Civil Engineers, for improvements in floating docks and pontoons and in blocking or securing vessels upon them.

ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

FORESTS.

Simla, the 24th June 1875.

No. 659.—The privilege leave of absence granted for one month to Mr. A. P. Aylmer, Assistant Conservator of Forests, under notification published in the *Assam Gazette* of the 17th April last having been cancelled, and subsidiary leave for 12 days from the 23rd April 1875, to the 4th May 1875 given instead, the Governor General in Council has been pleased to allow the leave of absence on Medical certificate granted to that officer for one year in the Government of India Notification No. 572, dated the 17th May last, to take effect from the 5th of that month.

No. 662.—Major H. C. T. Jarrett, V. C., S. C., Deputy Conservator of Forests of the 2nd Grade in Mysore, is appointed to officiate from the 1st April last, as a Deputy Conservator of Forests of the 1st Grade.

A. O. HUME,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Simla, the 25th June 1875.

No. 1836*P.*—Surgeon-Major G. E. Seward, M. D., Residency Surgeon and Acting Cantonment Magistrate at Baroda, is employed on special duty under the Foreign Department of the Government of India, with effect from the 22nd April 1875.

GENERAL.

The 25th June 1875.

No. 1247 *G.*—Major O. B. C. St. John, of the Royal Engineers, to be Principal of the Mayo College at Ajmere, with effect from taking charge.

No. 1249 *G.*—*Appointment.*—Lieutenant C. E. Yate, Wing Subaltern of the Meywar Bheel Corps, to officiate as Political Assistant of the 2nd class, and Assistant Political Agent at Banswara, with effect from date of receiving charge, *vice* Mr. Framjee Bheekajee on leave.

No. 1250*G.*—*Appointment.*—The following Brigade Order, dated 1st June 1875, issued by the Officiating Commandant of the Central India Horse, is confirmed:—

2nd Regiment, Central India Horse.

Captain J. Colledge, 3rd Squadron Officer, will officiate as 2nd Squadron Officer, in addition to his other duties, until further orders.

No. 1251 *G.*—The services of Lieutenant E. L. Elliot, of the Bombay Staff Corps, late officiating Political Assistant of the third Class, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department.

No. 1254*G.*—The following order of Her Majesty in Council, is re-published in India for general information, from the *London Gazette* of the 14th May 1875:—

At the Court at Windsor, the 13th day of May 1875.

PRESENT.

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas Her Majesty the Queen has power and jurisdiction within the Dominions of the Sublime Ottoman Porte:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this behalf by the Foreign Jurisdiction Acts or otherwise in Her vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order shall commence and have effect from and immediately after the expiration of thirty days from the date of its publication in the *London Gazette.*

2. Every Order in Council relating to the matters comprised in this Order is hereby repealed, but this repeal shall not affect any liability accrued under any such Order, or interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in respect of any such liability.

3. In this Order—

"The Ottoman Dominions" means the Dominions of the Sublime Ottoman Porte.

"Consul" includes Consul-General and Vice-Consul.

"British merchant ship" means a merchant ship being a British ship within "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854" and the Acts amending the same.

4. Her Majesty's Consuls in the Ottoman Dominions may levy on British merchant ships entering ports in their respective Consulates, dues not exceeding the rate of twopence a ton.

5. The produce of the dues levied under this Order shall be applied towards the establishment, maintenance, and support, in the Ottoman Dominions of British hospitals; and the dues shall be called Hospital Dues.

6. One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State may, from time to time, by writing under his hand, issue such instructions as to him seem fit, for the following purposes, or any of them; and may from time to time revoke or alter the same (that is to say)—

For fixing (within the limit of twopence a ton) the rate per ton at which dues are to be levied under this Order at any port:

For exempting any ship in respect whereof, within any defined period, dues have once been paid, from any further payment thereof:

For regulating the application of the produce of the dues:

For limiting the extent to which any Consul shall exercise jurisdiction over British subjects in the Ottoman Dominions in any matter relating to the dues:

And the Right Honourable the Earl of Derby, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

No. 1255*G.*—The following brigade order dated 3rd June 1875, issued by the officiating commandant of the Central India Horse is confirmed:—

2nd Regiment, Central India Horse.

Lieutenant A. Masters, lately officiating Adjutant of the 1st Regiment, Central India Horse, will officiate as 2nd Squadron Subaltern, with effect from 16th May 1875.

C. U. AITCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND ALLOWANCES.

Simla, the 25th June 1875.

No. 1712.—In supersession of the notification of the Government of India, Financial Department, No. 5495, dated 8th September 1874, the Governor General in Council directs that the following be inserted as Rule 2 (*a*) in Chapter XI of the Civil Leave Code:—

2(*a*). A Military Officer in civil employ proceeding on furlough cannot obtain a last-pay certificate until he procures from the Military Department of the Presidency to which he belongs, and submits to the Accountant General of the Province in which he is employed a memorandum shewing the period for, and terms on, which his leave may be extended or commuted, and if the leave cannot be extended or commuted, stating the fact.

MINT AND CURRENCY.

The 24th June 1875.

No. 1717.—*The following Statement of the Silver received and coined in the Mints of Calcutta and Bombay, in May* 1875, *is published for general information:—*

	Calcutta.			Bombay.		
	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.	Bullion or Coin received during the month, valued in Rupees.		Coined and examined during the month, valued in Rupees.
	Government.	Merchants.		Government.	Merchants.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
May 1875 ...	4,679	8	6,37,443	32	1,80,613	.....

PENSIONS AND GRATUITIES.

The 24th June 1875.

No. 1624.—The Governor General in Council directs that the following be added to the end of Exception 4 under Section 6 of the Civil Pension Code:—

A Native soldier employed in the Public Works Department, if he takes his discharge from the army before the end of the calendar year 1875, may count his whole departmental service.

The 25th June 1875.

No. 1635.—The Governor General in Council directs that for Rule 1 (a) under Section 4 of Supplement A to the Civil Pension Code, the following be substituted:—

1 (*a*) An Officer of the Bengal Civil Service serving immediately under the Government of India, if he be in India, shall submit his application for permission to resign the service, and to obtain an annuity, to the Government of India in the Department under which he is serving, and the Department receiving the application will forward it, with any remarks that may be necessary, to the Home Department. Any other Officer of the Bengal Civil Service, if he be in India, shall submit his application, through the local Government under which he may be serving, and the local Government will forward the application to the Government of India in the Home Department together with a "no-demand" certificate from the Accountant General and with such observations as may be necessary. An Officer of the Madras or the Bombay Civil Service shall submit his application to the Government of Madras or Bombay, as the case may be. If an Officer be in Europe, the application for permission to resign the service, and to receive an annuity, may be submitted to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India.

SEPARATE REVENUE, POST OFFICE.

The 25th June 1875.

No. 1715—Privilege leave for one month is granted to Mr. E. C. George, Officiating Postmaster of Madras.

Mr. T. Rhenius is appointed to officiate as Postmaster of Madras during Mr. George's absence.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 21st June 1875.

No. 640 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following temporary appointments in the Administrative Medical Staff of Her Majesty's British Forces:—

Deputy Surgeon-General T. Crawford, M. D., of the Sirhind Circle, Her Majesty's British Forces, to officiate with temporary rank, as Surgeon-General during the absence of Surgeon-General S. Currie, M.D., C.B., on sick leave, or until further orders, and with effect from the 15th June 1875.

Surgeon-Major J. Gibbons, attached to the 13th Brigade, Royal Artillery, to officiate, with temporary rank, as Deputy Surgeon-General, Sirhind Circle, *vice* Doctor Crawford.

The 22nd June 1875.

No. 641 *of* 1875.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:—

Quartermaster General's Department.

Captain W. S. A. Lockhart, of the late 44th Regiment of Native Infantry, to be an Assistant Quartermaster General to complete the establishment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel C. M. MacGregor, appointed 1st Assistant Quartermaster General.

No. 642 *of* 1875.—The following extract from list No. 11, dated 28th May 1875, of Military Officers of the Bengal Establishment, permitted to return to duty and granted extension of leave, received from the India Office, is published for general information:—

Permitted to return.

Lieutenant H. A. Yorke.
Major G. A. Way.
Captain A. Harden.

Granted extension of leave.

Major H. D. Battye, 3 months, Sick Certificate.

The 23rd June 1875.

No. 643 *of* 1875.—The appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel C. M. MacGregor, of the Bengal Staff Corps, to be 1st Assistant Quartermaster General, notified in G. G. O. No. 259 of the 6th March 1875, will be held to have effect from the 24th February 1875.

No. 644 *of* 1875.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 605 of 1875, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to rule that General Officers who, under its provision, are entitled to passages for themselves and their families on returning to England at the expiration of their tour of service, will be required to embark within six months from the date of their ceasing to be employed. Should this period be exceeded, except under special sanction, the claim to free passage will lapse.

The 24th June 1875.

No. 645 *of* 1875.—The following extracts from the *London Gazette* of the 11th May 1875, pages 2509-10 are published for general information:—

WAR OFFICE;
Pall Mall, the 11th May 1875.

BREVET.

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Deputy Surgeon-General Joseph Fayrer, M. D., C.S.I., Retired Bengal Medical Establishment, Honorary Physician to Her Majesty, to have the local rank of Surgeon-General in London whilst holding the appointment of President of the Indian Medical Board, dated 10th March 1875.

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For "*Major* Alfred Blunt, Bengal Staff Corps, to be honorary *Lieutenant-Colonel* on retirement, dated 23rd January 1875," as stated in the Gazette of 22nd January 1875,

Read "*Lieutenant-Colonel* Alfred Blunt, Bengal Staff Corps, to be honorary *Colonel* on retirement, dated 23rd January 1875."

The honorary and local rank of Surgeon conferred upon senior Apothecary Frederick James L'Estrange, Bengal Subordinate Medical Establishment, in the Gazette of the 3rd February 1874, is post-dated to 4th December 1874.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 15th April 1875, of General John Drummond:—

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Major General *Sir* Charles Reid, K.C.B., Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant General, dated 16th April 1875.

The following promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces consequent on the death, on 27th April 1875, of General John Briggs, Madras Infantry:—

Lieutenant General Hope Dick, Bengal Infantry, to be General, dated 28th April 1875.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 28th April 1875, of General Arthur Alexander, Earl of Carnwath, Colonel of the 48th Foot:—

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Captain George Campbell Ross, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Major, dated 29th April 1875.

No. 646 *of* 1875.—Sub-Conductor Henry Potter is permitted to resign his position in the Warrant Grade of the Department of Public Works, in view to obtaining his discharge from the Army, under the operation of Financial Department notification No. 395, dated 15th January 1874. To take effect from date preceding discharge.

No. 647 *of* 1875.—The following promotions are made in the Subordinate Medical Department:—

Corps.	Rank and Names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In succession to
Passed Hospital Apprentice.	George Murphy ...	Asst. Apothecary.	28th March 1875.	Assistant Apothecary G. A. Swaries, deceased.
Assistant Apothecary	George Henry Campbell...	Apothecary	4th April 1875.	Apothecary J. Piner, deceased.
Passed Hospital Apprentice.	Isaac Newton ...	Asst. Apothecary.	Ditto ...	Assistant Apothecary G. H. Campbell, promoted.

No. 648 *of* 1875.—Duffadar Wurriam Sing, of the Corps of Guides is specially transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment on the stipend of his rank, with effect from the date he may be struck off the strength of the Corps.

The stipend will be disbursed in the Punjab Circle of Pension payment.

No. 649 *of* 1875.—Subadar Binda Sookul, of the Erinpoora Irregular Force, having been declared unfit for further duty by a special Invaliding Committee, is transferred to the Invalid Pension Establishment on the stipend of a Jemadar, *viz.*, Rs. 10 per mensem, with effect from the date he may be struck off the strength of the Corps.

The stipend will be disbursed in the North-Western Provinces Circle of Pension payment.

No. 650 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned out-pensioner of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, having been permitted to reside and draw his stipend in India, payment of pension is to be made and charged accordingly:—

Sergeant Charles May, late of the 11th Regiment of Hussars. *Rate of pension per diem* 2s. (two Shillings) from the date he ceases to receive Regimental pay or allowances. All chargeable to Imperial Revenue.

No. 651 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Officer having completed twelve years' service, including four years in the Staff Corps, is promoted to the rank of Captain from the date specified under the Royal Warrant of the 16th January 1861, subject to Her Majesty's approval:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant Robert Patch, 12th June 1875.

No. 652 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned Warrant Officer has been allowed furlough to Europe on Medical Certificate.

Conductor Michael Moloney, Supervisor, 1st Grade Public Works Department, Punjab,—For 2 years under the rules of 1868.

No. 653 *of* 1875.—The following promotions and alterations of rank are made in the Warrant Grades of the Army Commissariat Department:—

Promotions.

Rank and names.	To what rank promoted.	From what date.	In succession to whom.
Permanent. Sub-Conductor and Officiating Conductor Thomas Taylor.	Conductor ...	25th May 1874.	Conductor Honorary Lieutenant W. F. Hardinge, promoted.
Sergeant and Officiating Sub-Conductor Alfred George Fernley.	Sub-Conductor,	20th Jan. 1875.	Sub-Conductor J. Dwyer, retired.

Alteration of rank.

Rank.	Names.	To rank from	In succession to
Conductor ...	Edward Browne ...	31st March 1874.	Conductor W. L. Smith, deceased.
Sub-Conductor	Charles Mudget ..	Ditto ...	Sub-Conductor Edward Browne, promoted.
Ditto. ..	Charles Thomas Hobbs	29th April 1874.	Sub-Conductor R. W. Sadlier, deceased.
Ditto. ..	Walter Scott Oldfield ..	Ditto ...	Sub-Conductor P. Muller, deceased.
Ditto. ..	Louis Eucker ...	25th May 1874.	Conductor Honorary Lieutenant W. F. Hardinge promoted.

No. 654 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned officer has reported his return from England:—

Major F. B. Foote, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd in Command and Wing Officer of the 16th (the Lucknow) Regiment of Native Infantry. Date of arrival at Bombay 17th March 1875.

No. 655 *of* 1875.—The undermentioned officers have reported their departure for Europe on the dates specified:—

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) M. J. Turnbull, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 36 of 1875,—per *Pekin*, 14th January 1875, from Calcutta.

Captain H. A. Shakespear, of the late 5th European Light Cavalry, G. G. O. No. 278 of 1875,—per *Arabia*, 1st May 1875, from Bombay.

Captain R. H. de Montmorency, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 261 of 1875,—per *Arabia*, 1st May 1875, from Bombay.

Surgeon G. Massy, of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 303 of 1875,—per *Arabia*, 1st May 1875, from Bombay.

Surgeon R. Power, of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 295 of 1875,—per *Avoca*, 3rd May 1875, from Bombay.

Colonel R. Ranken, of the Madras Staff Corps, Madras General Order No. 133 of 1875,—per *Avoca*, 3rd May 1875, from Bombay.

Captain J. Rutherford, Bombay General List Infantry, Bombay General Order No. 188 of 1875,—per *Navarino*, 8th May 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) W. J. Ward, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 381 of 1875,—per *Mirzapore*, 10th May 1875, from Bombay.

Major General *Sir* C. Reid, K.C.B., of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 549 of 1875,—per *Mirzapore*, 10th May 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. L. R. Glasfurd, of the Bombay Staff Corps, Bombay General Order No. 203 of 1875,—per *Mirzapore*, 10th May 1875, from Bombay.

Surgeon-Major H. Cookson, of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 288 of 1875,—per *Mirzapore*, 10th May 1875, from Bombay.

Captain E. W. Shaw, of the Madras Staff Corps, Madras General Order No. 305 of 1875,—per *Mirzapore*, 10th May 1875, from Bombay.

Surgeon D. F. Keegan, M.D., of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 357 of 1875,—per *Baroda*, 17th May 1875, from Bombay.

Brigadier General W. Olpherts, C. B., V. C., of the Royal Artillery, G. G. O. No. 590 of 1875,—per *Baroda*, 17th May 1875, from Bombay.

Colonel T. R. Snow, of Cavalry, G. G. O. No. 384 of 1875.—per *Teviot*, 18th May 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. Millar, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 524 of 1875,—per *Teviot*, 18th May 1875, from Bombay.

Captain C. L. Woodruffe, of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 550 of 1875,—per *Teviot*, 18th May 1875, from Bombay.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. J. McNair, of Infantry, G. G. O. No. 524 of 1875,—per *Khiva*, 24th May 1875, from Bombay.

Captain A. E. Downing, of the late 51st Regiment of Native Infantry, G. G. O. No. 568 of 1875,—per *Khiva*, 24th May 1875, from Bombay.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) T. E. Gordon, C. S. I., of the Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 592 of 1875,—per *Khiva*, 24th May 1875, from Bombay.

Captain C. Mc.K. Hall, of the General List Infantry, G. G. O. No. 381 of 1875,—per *Macedonia*, 27th May 1875, from Bombay.

Surgeon-Major S. Mackertich, M. D., of the Medical Department, G. G. O. No. 357 of 1875,—per *Macedonia*, 27th May 1875, from Bombay.

No. 656 *of* 1875.—Conductor George White, of the Ordnance Commissariat Department, is permitted to retire from the service, on the pension of his rank, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 69 of 1868, and to reside and draw his stipend in India.

No. 657 *of* 1875.—In accordance with the provisions of G. G. O. No. 370 of 1863, paragraph 10, Sub-Conductors Robert Giltrap and Andrew Gallagher, who were appointed on probation in the Ordnance Commissariat Department in G. G. O. No. 242 of 1875, are confirmed in their present grade of Sub-Conductor from the 7th and 8th December 1874, respectively.

No. 658 *of* 1875.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that all charges for working pay for all branches of the service, British or Native, and including the Corps of Sappers and Miners, shall be supported by a statement shewing the nature of the work for which pay is claimed; the authority for the performance of the work and for the issue of working pay on account of such work.

This ruling will not affect the power vested in Officers Commanding Corps of Sappers and Miners to classify their men in accordance with existing regulations.

This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

The 25*th June* 1875.

No. 659 *of* 1875.—*Errata.*—In G. G. O. No. 606, dated the 11th June 1875, for "Captain C. A. Gorham," read "*Major* C. A. Gorham," and for "proceeded on furlough to Europe" read, "*who has vacated under the operation of paragraph* 16 *of G. O. by the Commander-in-Chief, No.* 265 *of* 29*th September* 1874."

Order books to be corrected accordingly.

No. 660 *of* 1875.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 405, dated the 21st April 1875, the services of Surgeon E. Mair, of the Medical Department, attached to the 13th (The Shekhawattee) Regiment of Native Infantry, are to be considered as placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces, with effect from the 9th April 1875.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 25*th June* 1875.

No. 9 *of* 1875.—Mr. R. B. Lungley, Commander of the Steamer *Nemesis* is appointed to officiate as Commander of the transport Ship *Czarewitch*, during the absence on furlough to Europe of Mr. E. G. Wells, or until further orders.

H. K. BURNE, *Colonel,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 19*th June* 1875.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act of 1863, it is notified that report of the death of the undermentioned Commissioned Officer on the date specified was received in the Military Department from 29th May to 18th June 1875:—

Corps.	RANK AND NAMES.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	REMARKS.
Royal Engineers ...	Capt. F. W. Richardson ...	9th June 1875	Chakrata ...	Testate ...	Widow administering.

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates from 29th May to 18th June 1875.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Amount paid in India.	Date to which claims will be received.
Indian Military Service.					*Rs. A. P.*		
Richard Henry Curran(a) ...	Surgeon ...	Bengal Medl. Estabt.	26th September 1874.	Intestate ...	2 0 0	.....	.....
British Military Service.							
William Haselden(b) ...	Veterinary Surgeon.	Royal Artillery.	5th May 1875.	Ditto ...	1,563 14 0	.....	18th August 1875.

(a) Next-of-kin,—Father,—Thos. Curran, Esquire, Ennistymon, County Clare, Ireland. Administrator General administering.

(b) Next-of-kin,—Brother,—Thos. Haselden, Esquire, Back of the Bank, Bolton, Lancashire.

FORT WILLIAM, *The 19th June 1875.*

B. E. BACON, *Colonel, Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.*

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 22nd June 1875.

No. 296.—Dr. T. F. Odling, Assistant Medical Superintendent, 2nd Division, Persian Telegraph, is appointed to the charge of the 1st Division, in addition to his own duties during the absence of Dr. C. J. Wills on privilege leave or until further orders.

No. 297.—Mr. A. McGechie, Assistant Auditor, Oudh and Rohilkund Railway Accounts, is permitted to resign his appointment with effect from the 18th April 1875.

No. 298.—The transfer of Mr. W. A. Bell, Assistant Engineer 1st Grade, from the establishment under the Director of State Railways to British Burmah, (Notification No. 660, dated 15th December 1874,) is cancelled.

The 23rd June 1875.

No. 300.—Lieutenant S. Grant, R. E., is appointed to the Public Works Department as an Assistant Engineer 2nd Grade, and posted to the Military Works Branch.

TELEGRAPH.

The 23rd June 1875.

No. 299.—Mr. B. T. Ffinch, Deputy Director, Persian Gulf Telegraph, is granted furlough for six months under Section 10 (*a*), and subsidiary leave for 14 days under Section 18 (*a*) of the Civil Leave Code with effect from the date on which he may be able to avail himself of it.

Mr. L. Gabler, Superintendent, Persian Gulf Telegraph, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Director, Persian Gulf Telegraph, during the absence on furlough of Mr. B. T. Ffinch, or until further orders.

C. H. DICKENS, *Colonel, R.A., Secy. to the Govt. of India*

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NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 31st December 1874.

MONEY ORDER BRANCH.—The rate of exchange chargeable on issue of Overland Money Orders has been reduced to 1*s.* 10*d.* per rupee, as per Schedule 9.

E. F. HARRISON, *Comptroller General.*

GREAT TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Dehra Doon, the 21st December 1874.

No. 78.—Captain J. Hill, R. E., Assistant Superintendent, 1st Grade, is granted thirty days' subsidiary leave, preparatory to furlough to Europe, from 2nd January 1875.

J. T. WALKER, *Colonel, R. E., Superintendent, G. T. Survey of India.*

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Camp Ghatigaon, the 21st December 1874.

No. 34*P.*—Surgeon Major W. E. Allen, in medical charge of the Bhopal Battalion and the Bhopal Political Agency, is granted fifteen days' privilege leave from the 15th December 1874.

H. D. DALY, *Major General, Agent, Governor General, for Central India.*

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 14th December 1874.

No. 145.—Mr. W. Browne, Supervisor, Darjeeling Division, Military Works, is granted three months' privilege leave from such date as he is able to avail himself of it.

No. 146.—Syud Madud Hoosein, Overseer, Puchmurree Division, Military Works, is granted three months' privilege leave from 1st November 1874, or such subsequent date as he is able to avail himself of it.

The 17th December 1874.

No. 147.—Mr. O. Hoerule, Apprentice Engineer, Morar Division, Military Works, is granted one month's privilege leave from 7th December 1874, or such subsequent date as he may be able to avail himself of it.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E., Offg. Inspector General of Military Works.*

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 24th December 1874.

No. 36.—With reference to Notification No. 142 of 3rd December 1874, by the Inspector General, Military Works, Mr. W. Phillips, Overseer, 1st Grade, reported his departure from Allahabad on the afternoon of 19th December 1874, in order to join the 3rd Circle, Military Works.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E., Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Military Works.*

7th Circle.

The 24th December 1874.

No. 4580.—Overseer Sergeant M. Murphy reported his arrival in the 7th Circle on the 14th December 1874, and is posted to the Dugshai Division, Military Works, which he joined on the afternoon of the 20th idem.

Æ. PERKINS, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 7th Circle, Military Works.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 22nd December 1874.

No. 117.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 654 of the 11th December 1874, Mr. J. R. Bell, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, is posted to the Indus Valley State Railway.

No. 118.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 662 of the 15th December 1874, Mr. H. Gower, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, is posted to the Holkar State Railway.

The 26th December 1874.

No. 119.—Mr. C. Thompson, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, is retransferred from the Northern Bengal State Railway to the Rajpootana State Railway.

No. 120.—Baboo Nobin Chunder Roy, Deputy Controller of Accounts, Office of Director of State Railways, is granted eighty days' privilege leave, with effect from the 2nd January 1875, or such later date as he may avail himself of the same.

The 28th December 1874.

No. 121.—The services of Mr. W. French, temporary Overseer, 2nd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, are dispensed with, with effect from the 13th November 1874, afternoon.

The 29th December 1874.

No. 122.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 674 of the 22nd December 1874, Mr. A. Izat, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, is posted to the Holkar State Railway.

No. 123.—Mr. E. J. Martin, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Rajputana State Railway, on return from furlough is transferred to the Tirhoot State Railway.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 22nd December 1874.

No. 1834*E*.—Mr. J. E. Lincke, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, attached to the Delhi Division, Rajpootana State Railway, returned to duty on the afternoon of the 12th December from the two months' privilege leave granted him in Notification No. 641E, dated 26th October 1874, the unexpired portion (twenty-eight days) of his leave is hereby cancelled.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 21st December 1874.

No. 292.—Mr. A. R. Marr, temporary Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, Rehtee Division, is granted three months' leave on medical certificate, with effect from the date he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

No. 293.—Mr. T. C. Beardsmore, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, Sutlej Bridge Division, is granted thirty-one days' privilege leave, with effect from the date he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

No. 294.—Messrs. J. Tait and W. G. Allen, Assistant Engineers, 2nd Grade, posted to this line by the Director of State Railways in his Notification No. 111, dated 15th December 1874, reported their arrival at Mooltan on the forenoon of the 5th and 7th instant, respectively, and are posted to the Mooltan District.

No. 295.—Mr. M. Rayne, Superintending Engineer, Mooltan District, returned from the special leave on urgent private affairs granted him in Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 238, dated 21st April 1874, on the forenoon of the 22nd instant, and is posted to the charge of the Upper Scind District, *vice* Mr. W. Nethersole, transferred from this line.

The 24th December 1874.

No. 296.—The following postings and transfer are made by the Superintending Engineer, Mooltan District:—

Mr. J. A. D. Lloyd, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, to the Sutlej Bridge Division.

Mr. J. Tait, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, to the Sutlej Bridge Division.

Mr. W. G. Allen, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, to the Sutlej Bridge Division.

Mr. J. Duffy, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, from the Shoojabad to the Sutlej Bridge Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

TIRHOOT STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Dinapore, the 29th December 1874.

No. 11.—With reference to the Director of State Railways' Notification No. 109 of 12th December 1874, Mr. J. E. P. Lincke, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, reported his arrival at Dinapore on the afternoon of the 26th current, and is posted to the Durbunga Division.

C. J. CAMPBELL,
Engineer-in-Chief.

NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Indore, the 22nd December 1874.

No. 50.—The three months' privilege leave granted in Notifications No. 31, dated 31st August 1874, and No. 43, dated 24th October 1874, to Overseer B. V. Soobrow, is commuted to leave on medical certificate, with effect from the 26th August 1874 to the 18th February 1875.

J. IMBRIE MILLER,
Engineer-in-Chief.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Madras Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.		Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
269	B 38—50712		100	Venkataramaniah, Gomasta in P. Oorgrialis Mundy, Ballapoorada Pettah, Bangalore.
	„ —71649		100	
	„ —75853		100	
273	B 35—47806	wrongly joined	20	T. Ramasawmy Chetty, No. 5, Govindapa Naidu Street, Madras
	„ —47809			

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acctt. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 19th December 1874.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No. 1874-75.	No. of Notes.		Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
125	C 95—96590		10	Budamya Wullud Sayedlal, Allybaugh.
128	C 93—06474		100	Byramjee Framjee, No. 32, Cawasjee Palel Street, Fort.
	C 86—94427		100	
	C 95—22020		10	
	C 92—09226		10	
	C 96—02207		10	
	C 95—93377		10	
	C 88—43282		10	
	C 89—24213		10	
	C 97—63573		10	
	C 82—59213		10	
	C 74—18889		10	
	C 95—79572		10	
	C 96—01332		10	
	C 95—84481		10	
	C 97—85647		10	
	„ —85646		10	
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	„ —85645		10	
	C 96—38045		10	
	C 88—57562		10	
	C 96—93297		10	
	C 97—27141		10	
	C 96—89310		10	
	C 95—31791		10	
	„ —02765		10	
	C 96—91328		10	
	C 91—61074		10	
	„ —88613		10	
	C 95—75845		10	
	„ —61833		10	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

1874-75.			Rs.	
116	C 92—58803		10	H. Shaw, Esq., Bastee.
127	C 93—11237		100	Daveegeer Gooroo Durrechawgeer Gosayee, Poona.
129	C 97—22378		10	Major B. L. Forster, Colaba.
	C 95—32951		10	
130	C 92—65077		10	Messrs. William Watson and Co.
52	C 76—57003	wrongly joined	10	Messrs. W. Nicol and Co.
	„ —57006			
53	C 91—79672	ditto	10	Hurgowundas Roopjee, Broker, Bazaar Gate, No. 75.
	C 89—56951			
55	C 78—90506	ditto	20	Pranjiwun Sewuklal, No. 75, Null Bazaar.
	„ —90505			
56	G 8—21730	ditto	20	Narayan Krishna, near Thacoordwar, No. 125.
	C 84—39588			

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 22nd December 1874.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Coconada Circle.

NOTE PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
I 5—12452	20	Kandukuri Virasalingam, of Dowlaishwaram.

COCONADA,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 17th December 1874.

H. RICHARDSON,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Calicut Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
J 7—17633	5	Comarasami Moodr., of Coimbatore.

NOTE PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

B 32—37218	50	Varabudra Pillay, of Wellington.

CALICUT,—Paper Currency Office;
The 17th December 1874.

P. A. COLE,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
7457	L 19—94552	50	W. H. Ford, Esq.
	„ —46897	50	
7459	L 49—50102	50	Syad Ahmudoollah.
7462	A 92—02728	50	Mohaboob Bux.
7463	L 45—74673	20	Babu Saroda Prosad Banerjee.
	L 17—70700	5	
7469	L 37—44226	20	The Officiating Deputy Director General of Post Offices in India.
	L 5—83114	10	
7470	L 39—30737	10	The Officiating Post Master General, Bengal.
7471	L 49—40947	50	Babu Noba Krishna Roy.
7477	A 88—55036	1,000	Babu Jadab Chunder Mitter.
7478	L 39—36763	10	The Officiating Post Master General, Bengal.
	L 16—26116	5	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
7458	L 34—58287	10	Messrs. Watts and Co.
7460	L 5—16823	10	Babu Obhoy Churn Bose.
	„ —16822	10	
	L 11—15985	5	
7466	L 38 58485	100	Babu Madhub Chunder Ghose.
	L 16—75122	5	
7467	L 46—58925	20	W. H. Lanton, Esq.
7468	L 37—92782	20	Sayd Aboo Hossein.
7472	L 33—69947	10	Babu Soorendra Lal Shome.
	„ —69946		
	L 15—71624	5	
	„ —71626		
7473	L 4—96801	10	Babu Choonialall Seelootry.
7474	L 3—64336	10	Babu Modun Mohun Sen.
	L 32—38852		
7475	L 36—19579	20	Babu Madhub Chunder Biswas.
7476	L 45—09970	20	J. Ingles, Esq.
	„ —06340	20	
	L 35—13772	10	

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 31st December* 1874.

L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Nagpur Circle.

NOTE MUTILATED, LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
F 13—04761	5	Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta.

NOTE MISMATCHED, LOST OR DESTROYED.

	Rs.	
F 13—14124	5	Kashinath Anand Rao, Nágpúr.
„ —14123		

NAGPUR,—Paper Currency Office; *The 22nd December* 1874.

R. N. RAY,
Asst. to Acctt. Genl., C. P., in charge of Paper Currency.

Akola Circle.

NOTES WRONGLY JOINED.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
K 7—01840*	5	Messrs. Vurjeewundass Madhowdass and Co., Merchants, Bombay.
„ —01841†		
K 1—06994*	10	
„ —06984†		
K 4—10393*	100	
„ —10395†		

NOTE HALF-STOLEN.

	Rs.	
K 2—13924	20	Major Henry Court, Captain, 1st Bengal Cavalry, Cawnpore.

* Right hand side. † Left hand side.

AKOLA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 23rd December* 1874.

C. A. W. DAVIES,
Assistant Commissioner.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
258	D 5—41180	20	H. C. Mookerji, Rawulpîndî.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
254	D 6—88456	10	Mûnshî Sookh Ram, Allahabad.
	„ —88458	10	
255	D 4—38962	50	Mr. M. David, Dacca.

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office; *The 23rd December* 1874.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
168	E 7—29302	5	Baboo Nilmoney Mookerji, Murree.
	„ —33589	5	
175	E 4—47715	50	Mohur Singh, Landhora *viâ* Roorkee.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; *The 24th December* 1874.

I. C. BOSE,
Asst. to Acctt. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates have passed the First Examination in Arts:—

FIRST DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

1	Das, Devendranath	Presidency College.
2	Basu, Jogendra Chandra	Metropolitan Institution.
3	Sarkar, Chandrasekhar	Midnapore High School.
4	Chakravarti, Devendranath	Presidency College.
5	Mohan Lal	Delhi College.
6	Bagchi, Brajagopal	Presidency College.
	Datta, Ramlal	Ditto.
8	Thomson, W. H.	Hooghly College.
9	Bandyopadhyay, Harinath	Presidency College.
	Lalchand	Lahore College.
11	Nag, Haradhan	Presidency College.
	Chattopadhyay, Gopal Chandra	Hooghly College.
13	Mukhopadhyay, Upendranath	Presidency College.
14	Das, Ramsaran	Canning College, Lucknow.
15	Sen, Devendranath	Presidency College.
	Molakram	Delhi College.
17	Nagwant Sahay	Patna College.
18	Mukhopadhyay, Brajagopal	Metropolitan Institution.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Amjad Ali	Benares College.
Ashraf Ali	Ditto.
Bandyopadhyay, Bindulal	Presidency College.
„ Bisveswar	Dacca College.
„ Dinanath	Saugor High School.
„ Mahendranath	Cathedral Mission College.
„ Sasisekhar	Berhampore College.
Barál, Nilmani	Presidency College.
Barkatulla Khan	Bareilly College.
Basu, Asminikumar	Dacca College.
„ Biharikrishna	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Girischandra	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Kalipada	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Navagopal	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Rajanikanta	Dacca College.
„ Sasikumar	Ditto.
Bhaduri, Lalvihari	Metropolitan Institution.
Bhattacharyya, Chandrakumar	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Meghnath	Hooghly College.
Bhaumik, Dinavandhu	Metropolitan Institution.
Bisvas, Amritalal	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
Chakravarti, Byomkes	Presidency College.
Chattopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan	Cathedral Mission College.
„ Sripati	Cuttack High School.
Chaudhuri, Prasannanarayan	Metropolitan Institution.
Dammilal	Agra College.
De, Brajendralal	Canning College, Lucknow.
Dhan Sing	Delhi College.
Durgaprasad	Ditto.
Dutt, William	Teacher.
Fariduddin Ahmed	Bareilly College.
Gayaprasad	Muir Central College.
Ghosh, Haradhan	Patna College.
„ Nityananda	Cuttack High School.
„ Ramlal	Free Church Institution, Calcutta
„ Umeschandra	Presidency College.
Gosvami Kisarilal	Ditto.
„ Krishnadhan	Ditto.

Gupta, Gopalchandra	...	Presidency College.
Guruprasad	...	Muir Central College.
Isvardas	...	Lahore College.
Jagannath	...	Bareilly College.
Jyotirbid, Gopaldatta	...	Ditto.
Kanhyalal	...	Delhi College.
Kedarnath	...	Ditto.
Kundu, Ramkumar	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
Majumdar, Kunjavihari	...	Ditto.
Mallik, Prasaddas	...	Hooghly College.
Mitra, Amvikacharan	...	Ditto.
„ Jogendrachandra	...	Berhampore College.
„ Purnachandra	...	Kishnaghur College.
„ Rammohan	...	Presidency College.
Mitter, Charles Hiralall	...	Cathedral Mission College.
Moffet, G. E.	...	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Mukhopadhyay, Biharilal	...	Patna College.
„ Haranchandra	...	Presidency College.
„ Purnachandra	...	Midnapore High School.
„ Sasibhusan	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Upendranath	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Murlidhar	...	St. John's College.
Nag, Syamakanta	...	Presidency College.
Nandi, Sambhuchandra	...	Teacher.
Ramsaranlal	...	Patna College.
Ray, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
„ Navadvipchandra	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Sailendravandhu	...	Hooghly College.
„ Syamaprasad	...	Presidency College.
„ Ugrakanta	...	Ditto.
„ Umacharan	...	Berhampore College.
Sahay, Bhagvan	...	Patna College.
Sanvardas	...	Muir Central College.
Sarkar, Jagat Narayan	...	Patna College.
Scott, G. W.	...	Ditto.
Sen, Hem Chandra	...	Ditto.
„ Raj Krishna	...	Presidency College.
Sinha, Pramatha Krishna	...	Ditto.
77 Som, Sri Lal	...	Hooghly College.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Acharyya, Kedaresvar	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Ahmed Beg	...	Delhi College.
Azam Ali Khan	...	Patna College.
Baishnava, Brajanath	...	Dacca College.
Bandyopadhyay, Amvikacharan	...	Presidency College.
„ Guruprasanna	...	Hooghly College.
„ Haricharan	...	Medical College.
„ Kartikchandra	...	Hooghly College.
„ Taraprasanna	...	Ditto.
Basu, Amarchandra	...	Presidency College.
„ Atulkrishna	...	Patna College.
„ Harakumar	...	Dacca College.
„ Jogendranath	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Rajendranath	...	Presidency College.
„ Tarakchandra	...	Dacca College.
Bhattacharyya, Avinashchandra	...	Kishnaghur College.
„ Srischandra	...	Ditto.
Brajvallabh	...	Jeypore Moharaja's College.
Chakravarti, Damodar	...	Sanskrit College.
Chattopadhyay, Pratapchandra	...	Hooghly College.
„ Rajanikanta	...	Presidency College.
„ Ramlal	...	Ditto.
„ Suryyakumar	...	Teacher.
Dám, Kasinath	...	Berhampore College.
Dás, Jogeschandra	...	Dacca College.
„ Kamalanath	...	Ditto.
Datta, Maheschandra	...	General Assembly's Institution.

Datta, Mohinimohan	...	Hooghly College.
De, Advaitvaprasad	...	Presidency College.
„ Syamlal	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Deviprasad	...	L. M. School, Mirzapore.
Dikshit, Harprasad	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Gangopadhyay, Devendranath	...	Kishnaghur College.
Gauridayal	...	Bareilly College.
Ghosh, Prasannakumar	...	Ex-Student, Dacca College.
„ Rajanikanta	...	Teacher.
„ Ramgopal	...	Presidency College.
Gupta, Saratchandra	...	Sanskrit College.
Hardeo Prasad	...	Saugor High School.
Jagnesvar Dayal	...	Patna College.
Karmakar, Hariprasanna	...	Dacca College.
Kshetri, Lakshminarayan	...	Metropolitan Institution.
Kuar Bahadur	...	Bareilly College.
Kulliram	...	Agra College.
Madan Gopal	...	Delhi College.
Mahbub Ahmed	...	Patna College.
Majumdar, Avinaschandra	...	Benares College.
„ Chandicharan	...	Ditto.
„ Kripanath	...	Presidency College.
Makkar, Gostavihari	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Manna, Umeschandra	...	Midnapore High School.
Mitra, Krishnakumar	...	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Krishnaprasanna	...	Cathedral Mission College.
Mohammed Yusaf	...	Benares College.
Mukhopadhyay, Asutosh	...	Hooghly College.
„ Hariprasanna	...	Presidency College.
„ Sarvesvar	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Sasibhushan	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Satunath	...	Ditto.
Murlidhar	...	Bareilly College.
Nandi, Rasvihari	...	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Umeschandra	...	Presidency College.
Nasrat-uddin Ahmed	...	Cathedral Mission College.
Páin, Isvarprasad	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Pál, Janakinath	...	Ex-Student, Cathedral Mission College.
Panioty, J.	...	St. Xavier's College.
Pragdas	...	Muir Central College.
Raghonath Rao Chandorekar	...	Saugor High School.
Raghunandan Prasad	...	Presidency College.
Raghunath Prasad	...	Muir Central College.
Rakshit, Mahendranath	...	Hooghly College.
Ramlal	...	Agra College.
Ramratanlal	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Rango, Amritsant	...	Saugor High School.
Ray, Gnaradaprasad	...	Presidency College.
„ Kailaschandra	...	Dacca College.
„ Makundanath	...	Presidency College.
„ Rajendranath	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Sitanath	...	Presidency College.
„ Sivaprasad	...	St. Xavier's College
„ Syamakanta	...	Teacher.
Sanyal, Nrityagopal	...	Kishnaghur College.
Sarkar, Nalinvihari	...	Presidency College.
„ Ramnarayan	...	Patna College.
Sen, Rakhaldas	...	Hooghly College.
„ Srikanta	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Srinath	...	Presidency College.
„ Sulapani	...	Ditto.
Shilstone, N. A.	...	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Sinha, Brahmapada	...	Presidency College.
„ Jaynathpati	...	Patna College.
„ Makhanlal	...	Kishnaghur College.
Sohanlal	...	Agra College.
Thakur Das	...	Lahore College.
Todar Mal	...	Agra College.
Umrao Singh	...	Bareilly College.
97 Venkaya, B.	...	Saugor High School.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the Entrance Examination :—

FIRST DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Bari, Syed	Commillah School.
Abdul Halim	Calcutta Mudrassa.
Abdul Wahab	Ditto.
Abul Khair Mahomed Abdus Sabhan	Ditto.
Alder, A. L.	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Amar Nath	Gondah High School.
Anderson, G.	Private Student.
Bagchi, Kalikrishna	Bauleah High School.
Bampton, P.	St. Xavier's College.
Bandyopadhyay, Anandakumar	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Asutosh	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Avinas Chandra	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Avinas Chandra	Kasipur Kasinath School.
„ Kalipada	Ooterpara School.
„ Mahendranath	Konnugger School.
„ Nandalal	Hindu School.
„ Radha Charan	Ooterparah School.
„ Rames Chandra	Hindu School.
„ Upendra Nath	Hooghly Branch School.
Banerjee, A. N.	Doveton College.
Basil, M.	Armenian Phil. Academy.
Basu, Akshay Kumar	Hindu School.
„ Avinas Chandra	Hare School.
„ Basanta Kumar	Teghoria School.
„ Bhupendra Nath	Hindu School.
„ Bijay Gopal	Noral School.
„ Braja Nath	Hindu School.
„ Devendrabijay	Bullagurh School.
„ Dina Nath	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Jogneswar	Ditto.
„ Jotendra Nath	Oriental Seminary.
„ Kalipada	Agurparah C. M. S. Institution.
„ Kritanta Kumar	Hindu School.
„ Kusamkumar	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Lolitmohan	Pogose School.
„ Narayanchandra	Calcutta Institution.
„ Saratchandra	Noacolly School.
Bhattacharyya, Govindachandra	Howrah School.
„ Kailaschandra	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Rammay	F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
Biswas, Baikunthanath	Mirzapore Mission School.
Chaki, Benimadhav	Bauleah High School.
Chakravarti, Nisakanta	Hindu School.
Channon, F.	Doveton College.
Chattopadhyay, Anantalal	Hare School.
„ Anukulchandra	Howrah School.
„ Bhagavaticharan	Barrackpore School.
„ Bhutnath	Hindu School.
„ Chandrakumar	Jonye Training School.
„ Digamvar	Bancoorah School.
„ Ishanchandra	Kuchiakole Rajgram School.
„ Manmatha	Hare School.
„ Pankajakumar	Ditto.
„ Rajendranath	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Ramkali	Hindu School.
„ Saratchandra	Ooterparah School.
Chaudhuri, Tarapada	Hindu School.
Damodar Das	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Das, Jagadis Charan	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Sasibhushan	Calcutta Training Academy.
Datta, Chandra Kumar	Mymensing School.
„ Jadav Krishna	Noral School.
„ Jagatvandhu	Noacolly School.
„ Jay Gopal	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Lalvihari	Sanskrit College.

Datta, Mahendra Nath	Hare School.
„ Naphar Chandra	Ditto.
„ Narayan Das	Hindu School.
„ Narendra Krishna	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Navin Chandra	Commillah School.
„ Parvati Nath	Hindu School.
„ Upendra Nath	General Assembly's Institution.
Davidson, T.	Doveton College.
De, Narendra Lal	Hare School.
„ Rama Nath	Hindu School.
Denial Tamizuddin Ahmed	Hare School.
Dufour, A.	St. Xavier's College.
Durgasankar	Jubbulpore High School.
Foy, W.	La Martiniere College, Lucknow.
French, G. B.	Doveton College.
Gangopadhyay, Kedar Nath	Kasipur Kasinath School.
Ghosh, Asutosh	Hare School.
„ Bipin Vihari	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Bipin Vihari	Jessore School.
„ Jogendra Chandra	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Manmohan	Hindu School.
„ Narayan Chandra	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Parvati Nath	Hindu School.
„ Pran Chaitanya	Teghoria School.
„ Ramottam	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Umes Chandra	Mymensing School.
Gosvami, Navakrishna	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Trailokya Nath	General Assembly's Institution.
Gupta, Govinda Chandra	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Gurulal	Beerbhoom School.
„ Matilal	Hare School.
Holmes, G. P.	St. Xavier's College.
Jagannath Prasad	Jubbulpore High School.
Jordar, Radha Nath	Mymensing School.
Kar Gaurkisor	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Kennedy, R.	La Martinire College Calcutta.
Kshetri, Srikrishna	Metropolitan Institution.
Lahiri, Chandrakanta	Mymensing School.
Le Franc, P. B.	Doveton College.
Maiti, Rudranarayan	Midnapore High School.
Maitra, Hiramvachandra	Furreedpore School.
„ Rajendralal	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Majumdar, Bhavanikisor	Mymensing School.
„ Hridaynath	Jagannath School.
„ Jogendrachandra	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Mallik, Hiralal	Ooterparah School.
„ Nilmadhav	Hindu School.
„ Srinarayan	Hare School.
Massa, L. A.	St. Xavier's College.
Misra, Dulichand	Jubbulpore High School.
Mitra, Amulyakrishna	Hindu School.
„ Birajacharan	Ditto.
„ Girishchandra	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Kedarnath	Garden Reach School.
„ Nagendrachandra	St. Stephen's Mission School, Nyehati.
„ Umacharan	Saradaprasad Institution.
„ Upendranath	Metropolitan Institution.
Mohammad Hasan	Joynarain's College.
Mohinta, Purnachandra	Dacca College School.
Mukhopadhyay, Adhar Chandra	Saradaprasad Institution.
„ Bhutnath	Seal's Free College.
„ Devendra Nath	Hare School.
„ Jogneswar	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Kailas Chandra	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Kalicharan	Ooterparah School.
„ Kisari Mohan	Oriental Seminary.
„ Krishnadhan	Ooterparah School.
„ Narottam	Sanskrit College.
„ Phakir Chandra	Ooterparah School.
„ Phanibhushan	Barrackpore School.

Mukhopadhyay, Santosh Prasad	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Nág, Abhay Charan	...	Mymensing School.
Páin, Priya Lal	...	Hindu School.
Pál, Srinath	...	Hare School.
Palit, Syama Charan	...	Metropolitan Institution.
Palmer, C.	...	La Martiniere College, Lucknow.
Raushan Lal	...	Agra Collegiate School.
Ray, Atul Krishna	...	Hooghly Branch School.
„ Bidubhushan	...	Hindu School.
„ Nandagopal	...	Hare School.
„ Nikunja Vihari	...	Bauleah High School.
„ Phatik Chandra	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Rajani Kanta	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Ram Charan	...	Noral School.
Read, A. H.	...	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Sanyal, Dinanath	...	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Ramanath	...	Howrah School.
Sarkar, Charuchandra	...	Hare School.
„ Jaganmohan	...	Mogultuli School.
„ Pulinvihari	...	Hare School.
Sarvtay, Nilkantakrishnajee	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Sen, Harimohan	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Khagendranath	...	Hare School.
„ Kisarilal	...	Ditto.
„ Prankrishna	..	Hindu School.
Sen Gupta, Kisarimohan	...	Hare School.
Set, Hridaylal	...	Metropolitan Institution
Sinha, Bansilal	...	Patna Collegiate School.
„ Binadvihari	...	Howrah School.
„ Nirmalchandra	...	Metropolitan Institution.
Thaddens, A. M.	...	St. Xavier's College.
Vyasa, Jaykrishna	...	Allahabad Government Zillah School.
168 Young, G.	...	La Martinere College, Calcutta.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Gafur I	...	Patna Collegiate School.
Abdul Gafur II	...	Ditto ditto.
Abdul Hakim Sheikh	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Abu Ali Mohammed Hamed	...	Sylhet Government School.
Acharyya, Panchanan	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Achhruram	...	Umritsur Zillah School.
Adhikari, Sashibhushan	...	Chandernagore School.
Adhya, Girischandra	...	Hare School.
Ajodhya Prasad	...	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Alahi Baksh	...	Serampore College.
Alay Mohammed, Syed	...	Agra Collegiate School.
Ali Bahadur, Syed	...	Hurdui Zillah School.
Ali Mohammed	...	Sultanpore School.
Amvika Prasad	...	Goruckpore Mission School.
Ankurnath	...	Jeypore Moharaja's College.
Atmaram Garota	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Awadkisor	...	Patna Collegiate School.
Babbu Singh	...	Hume's High School.
Badri Datta	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Bagchi, Kedarnath	...	Joy Narain's College.
Bajpai, Benimadhav	...	Unao High School.
„ Nawulvihari	...	Futtehgurh High School.
Baksi, Navagopal	...	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
Baldev Dass	..	London Missionary Society's Institution, Mirzapore.
Baldeo Singh	...	Dehra Doon Mission School.
Bandyopadhyay, Annadaprasad	...	Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
„ Anukul	...	Bhowanipore Union Academy.
„ Apurvachandra	...	Garden Reach School.
„ Bankavihari	...	Kasipur Kasinath School.
„ Bipinvihari	...	Ooterparah School.
„ Chunilal	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Dinanath	...	Kasipur Kasinath School.

Bandyopadhyay, Girindranath	...	Konnaggar School.
„ Haripada	...	Oriental Seminary.
„ Hemchandra	...	L. M. High School, Benares.
„ Jogendranath	...	Sibpore Institution.
„ Kshetramohan	...	Sanskrit College.
„ Kshetramohan	...	Culna Moharaja's School.
„ Mahendranath	...	South Baharoo School.
„ Pramathanath	...	Patna Collegiate School.
„ Rakhaldas	...	Beauleah High School.
„ Ramgovinda	...	Sanskrit College.
„ Sasibhushan	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Syamacharan	...	South Baharoo School.
„ Upendrachandra	...	Beerbhoom School.
Bankevihari	...	Bharaich School.
Bansilal	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Baptiste, E.	...	Patna Collegiate School.
Baqr Ali, Syed	...	Joy Narain's College.
Baral, Gopalchandra	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Basak, Chandrakanta	...	Pubna Government School.
„ Krishnalal	...	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Syamsundar	...	Oriental Seminary.
Basu, Annadaprasad	...	Noral School.
„ Bhavanicharan	...	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Bhuvanmohan	...	Calcutta School.
„ Chandrakanta	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Chintamani	...	South Suburban School, Kalighat.
„ Dwarkanath	...	Noakholly School.
„ Gangadas	...	Mymensingh School.
„ Gurucharan	...	Jagannath School, Dacca
„ Hemchandra	...	Hindu School.
„ Jadunath	...	Culna Free Church Branch School.
„ Jagadisvar	...	Patna Collegiate School.
„ Jogeschandra	...	London Missionary Society's Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Jognesvar	...	Hare School.
„ Kshetramohan	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Nrityagopal	...	Hare School.
„ Prasannakumar	...	Fureedpore School.
„ Siddhesvar	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Srigopal	...	South Suburban School, Kalighat.
„ Syamacharan	...	Private student.
„ Taraknath	...	Noral School.
„ Umeshchandra	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
Bhagwan Das	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Bhagwant Roy	...	Barabanki High School.
Bhairav Datta	...	Hume's High School.
Bhan Madhav Barde	...	Nagpore City School.
Bhar, Nilmani	...	Hindu School.
Bhattacharyya Bipinvihari	...	Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
„ Chandrakumar	...	L. M. S. Institution Bhowanipore.
„ Harinath	...	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Kalisundar	...	Beauleah High School.
„ Kapilesvar	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Makundachandra	...	Serajgunge School.
„ Navinkrishna	...	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Nivaranchandra	...	Sanskrit College.
„ Purnachandra	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Rajanikanta	...	Rungpore School.
„ Rajendranath	...	Takee H. C. E. School.
„ Rakhalchandra	...	Navadwip E. School.
„ Rakhaldas	...	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Ramaprasad	..	Jessore School.
„ Ramgopal	...	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
„ Sadhanchandra	...	Konnaggar School.
Bhyron Prasad	...	Mooradabad Zillah School.
Biharilal	...	C. M. School, Jubbulpore.
Bisvas, Jadunath	...	Mirzapore Mission School.
„ Sastivar	...	London Mission Society's Institution, Bhowanipore.
Bisvesvar Prasad	...	Benares College.
Bodhraj	...	Gujrat School.

Brindavan Das	... Agra Collegiate School.
Bryan, J.	... LaMartiniere College, Lucknow.
Carbery, S.	... St. Joseph's School.
Chakravarti, Banesvar	... General Assembly's Institution.
,, Indranarayan	... Beerbhoom School.
,, Jogendranath	... Metropolitan Institution.
,, Mahendranath	.. Lahore Medical School.
,, Navin Chandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Prankrishna	... Benares College.
,, Rajendranath	... General Assembly's Institution.
,, Saradacharan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Sivchandra	... Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
,, Syamacharan	... General Assembly's Institution.
,, Umeschandra	... Harinavi Anglo Sanskrit School.
Chart Singh	... Sealkote Scotch Mission School.
Chattopadhyay, Aghornath	... Hindu School.
,, Bholanath	... Joy Narain's College.
,, Bhushanchandra	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Biharilal	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
,, Chandrabhushan	... Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Haricharan	... Ooterparah School.
,, Haripada	... Chandernagore School.
,, Kalikumar	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Krishnakumar	... Jubbulpore High School
,, Nagendranath	... Ranaghat School.
,, Nivaranchandra	... Hare School.
,, Ramchandra	... Patna Collegiate School.
,, Upendrakumar	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
Chaudhuri, Bijay Govinda	... Rungpore School.
,, Bipinchandra	... Hindu School.
,, Dwarkakanta	... Hare School.
,, Haradhan	... Hamilton's English School, Tumlook.
,, Harasankar	... Metropolitan Institution.
,, Mahendranath	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
,, Makhanlal	... Konnaggar School.
,, Raghunath	... Balasore School.
,, Ratanmani	... Seal's Free College.
,, Sasikumar	... F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
Chongdar, Asutosh	... Howrah School.
Choprah, Tirathram	... Lahore Government Zillah School.
Copeland, J.	... Wood's Academy.
Das, Anandachandra	... Abdul Gunny's Free School.
,, Annadaprasad	... Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Baradakanta	... Mymensingh School.
,, Bhuvanmohan	... General Assembly's Institution.
,, Govindachandra	... Commillah School.
,, Haranchandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Haraprasanna	... Searsole School.
,, Harinarayan	... Cutwa School.
,, Harischandra	... Chittagong High School.
,, Krishnasundar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Maheschandra	... Seal's Free College.
,, Navakisor	... Sylhet Government School.
,, Priyanath	... Kaspore Kasinath School.
,, Ramankrishna	... Furreedpore School.
,, Sasimohan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
Datta, Amvikacharan	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Baikunthanath	... General Assembly's Institution.
,, Bamdev	... Hindu School.
,, Bhuvanmohan	... Mirzapore Mission School.
,, Brajavallabh	... Cutwa School.
,, Dharmadas	... Konnaggar School.
,, Gangadas	... Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
,, Kaliprasanna	... Burrisaul School.
,, Krishnalal	... Noral School.
,, Madhusudan	... Midnapore High School.
,, Piyarinath	... Howrah School.
,, Prasannakumar	... Private Student.
,, Satyacharan	... Hare School.
,, Satyacharan	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
,, Sitanath	... Calcutta School.

Datta, Tarakchandra	... Mymensingh School.
,, Taraknath	... Mirzapore Mission School.
De, Akhilchandra	... Chittagong High School.
,, Bamacharan	... Chandernagore School.
,, Basantakumar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Piyaricharan	... Hare School.
,, Prasannachandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Ramapati	... Hare School.
Dev, Raghunath	... Ditto
Deva Dutt	... Hurdui High School.
Devidin	... Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Deviprasad	... Hume's High School.
Dharam Narayan	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
Dikshit, Jagannath Ganes	... Free Church Institution Nagpore.
,, Jaydev	... Jubbulpore High School.
Dindayal	... Gondah High School.
Dube, Murlidhar	... Jubbulpore High School.
Erasmus, J. D.	... Canning College, Lucknow.
Farid-ud-din Ahmad	... Calcutta Madrassa.
Gangaprasad	... Hume's High School.
Gangopadhyay, Ganeschandra	... Digapotia School.
,, Jadunath	... Bhagulpore School.
,, Kunjavihari	... Jyepore Moharaja's College.
,, Priyanath	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
Gayaprasad	... Benares College.
Ghazanfur Ali, Mir	... St. Stephen's College, Delhi.
Ghosh, Abhay Kumar	... Pogose School.
,, Bamacharan	... Sarun School.
,, Bhuvanesvar	... General Assembly's Institution.
,, Binadvihari	... Serampore College.
,, Girischandra	... Garden Reach School.
,, Govindalal	... Kandee School.
,, Haricharan	... Goberdangah School.
,, Haricharan	... Metropolitan Institution.
,, Ishanchandra	... Hare School.
,, Kaliprasanna	... Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Kartikchandra	... Howrah School.
,, Kshetramohan	... Baraset School.
,, Manmohan	... Metropolitan Institution.
,, Narendranath, Maulik	... Hooghly Branch School.
,, Nisikumar	... Rungpore School.
,, Prasannakumar	... Beauleah High School.
,, Priyanath	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Purnachandra	... Takee H. C. E. School.
,, Rajendrachandra	... Hindu School.
,, Rajendralal	... Hare School.
,, Upendranath	... Midnapore High School.
Ghoshal, Aghornath	... Monghyr School.
,, Harakumar	... Agurparah C. M. S. Institution.
,, Syamapada	... Konnaggar School.
Golam Qudir, Syed	... Patna Collegiate School.
Gomes, N.	... St. Chrysostom's School.
Gorak Prasad	... Goruckpore Mission School.
Gosvami, Kisarikisor	... Santipore Municipal School.
Govinda Vaman Kadbe	... F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Guin, Dinanath	... Hindu School.
Gundaya, T.	... F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Guni, Srinibas	... Midnapore High School.
Gupta, Gaurisankar	... F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Jaysankar	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
,, Kaisikicharan	... Silchar Government School.
,, Mohinimohan	... Ooterparah School.
,, Panchkari	... Hazareebagh School.
,, Rajanikanta	... Benares College.
,, Sasikumar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Umeschandra	... Santosh Jahnavi School.
,, Umeschandra	... Barabanki High School.
Gurdayal	... St. John's College.
Haldar, Gopallal	... General Assembly's Institution.
,, Harijahnavi	... Howrah School.
,, Paresnath	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.

Haldar, Rajendranath	...	Private Student.
Hanuman Prasad	...	Sultanpore School.
Harikisan Das	...	Delhi Government School.
Harnam Sewak	...	Goruckpore Mission School.
Harriott, G.	..	La Martiniere College, Lucknow.
Harris, B.	...	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Hazarilal	...	Cawnpore Zillah School.
Hemhat Ali Khan	...	Coomercolly School.
Heysham, H. R.	...	St. Xavier's College.
Hiralal	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Iqtidar-ud-din	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Jagannath Godi Ruthekur	...	Nagpore City School.
Jai Singh	...	Rawulpindee Mission School.
Jewell, H. A.	...	St. Xavier's College.
Jyotirbid, Jwala Datta	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
,, Srikrishna	...	Ditto.
Kalicharan Lal	...	Gazeepore Mission School.
Kalika Prasad	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Kalyan Singh	...	Agra Collegiate School.
Kar, Purnachandra	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Rajmohan	...	Mogultuli E. School.
Karamat-ullah	...	Calcutta Madrassa.
Keshwa Nand	..	Dehra Doon Mission School.
Kuljas Ray	...	Umritsur Zillah School.
Labha Mal	...	Ditto.
Lachman Ganesh Navlekar	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Lackersteen, A. M.	...	Bengal Academy.
Laek, Rajnarayan	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Laha, Chandicharan	...	Hindu School.
Lahiri, Asutosh	...	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Harischandra	...	Hindu School.
,, Nalinimohan	...	Beauleah High School.
,, Srihari	...	Bhagulpore School.
Lakshmi Chandra	..	Agra Collegiate School.
Lakshmiram	...	C. M. School, Meerut.
Madan Singh	...	St. Stephen's College, Delhi
Madhar Rao Dinkar	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Mahadev Pande		Benares College.
Mahes Prasad	...	Fyzabad High School.
Maitra, Amvikacharan	..	Beauleah High School.
,, Dvarkanath	..	Ditto.
Majumdar, Asminikumar	...	Jessore School.
,, Kailashchandra	...	Rungpore School.
,, Purnachandra	...	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
,, Rajanikanta	...	Hare School.
Mandal, Biharilal	...	Culna Free Church Branch School.
Manikchand	...	Benares College.
Masaddar Ali	...	Sylhet Government School.
Mathradas	...	Gujrat School.
Matthews, C.	...	Armenian Ph. Academy.
Maulik, Harischandra	...	General Assembly's Institution.
McGee, S.	...	St. Joseph's School.
Miran Baksh	...	Umritsur C. M. School.
Mitchell, W.	...	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Mitra, Adharchandra	...	Hare School.
,, Akshaykumar	...	Ditto.
,, Asutosh	...	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
,, Bamacharan	...	General Assembly's Institution.
,, Bhushanchandra	...	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Chunilal	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Dwarkanath	...	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Haridas	...	Hare School.
,, Haripada	...	Howrah School.
,, Hemchandra	...	Harinavi A. S. School.
,, Khagendranath	...	Hindu School.
,, Lalvihari	...	Hare School.
,, Lalitmohan	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Nripendranath	...	Hindu School.
,, Nrityagopal	...	Howrah School.
,, Nrityagopal	...	Konnaggar School.
,, Rajanikanta	...	Dacca Collegiate School.

Mitra, Saradaprasad	..	Konnaggar School.
,, Saratchandra (Junior)	..	Metropolitan Institution.
,, Sarvesvar	..	Fureedpore School.
,, Sivadacharan	..	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Suratlal	..	Hare School.
Mohammed Hanif	..	L. M. High School, Benares.
,, Ismael	..	Arrah School.
,, Mirza	..	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Mobhem	..	Fureedpore School.
,, Serajuddin	..	L. M. High School, Benares.
,, Sujad Hossien	..	Canning College, Lucknow.
,, Syed Alam	..	Roy Bareilly High School.
Montgomery, R. P.	..	Calcutta Boys' School.
Mukhopadhyay, Abhaya Charan	..	Oriental Seminary.
,, Amritalal	..	Barrackpore School.
,, Anukulchandra	..	Burdwan English School.
,, Asutosh	..	Canning College, Lucknow.
,, Atulchandra	..	Cuttack High School.
,, Binadlal	..	Bareilly Collegiate School.
,, Girischandra	..	Beerbhoom School.
,, Gyanendranath	..	Konnaggar School.
,, Harendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Jogendrachandra	..	Kassipore Kasinath School.
,, Jogendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Kalidas	..	Sridharpore School.
,, Kalikumar	..	Metropolitan Institution.
,, Kantichandra	..	Amta School.
,, Lalitmohan	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Manindranath	..	Hare School.
,, Nidhiram	..	General Assembly's Institution.
,, Nivaranchandra	..	C. M. School, Jubbulpore.
,, Purnachandra	..	Ditto Ditto.
,, Ramgopal	..	Ilsoba Mondlye School.
,, Sasibhushan	..	Patna Collegiate School.
,, Sastivar	..	Goburdangah School.
,, Sidhesvar	..	Moharance Sarnamoyee's School.
,, Surendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Syamacharan	..	Bankoora School.
Mumford, W.	..	St. Xavier's College.
Munilal	..	Patiala School.
Munnalal	..	Allygurh Zillah School.
Munnalal	..	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Munsi, Gurunath	..	Beauleah High School.
Murray, E. R.	..	Mussooree School.
Nag, Haradayal	..	Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Priyanath	..	Bullagurh School.
Nandan, Kanailal	..	London Missionary Society's Institution, Bhowanipore.
Nandi, Baninath	..	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
,, Bankavihari	..	Fureedpore School.
,, Gaganchandra	..	Silchar Government School.
Narayandas	..	Lahore Government Zillah School.
Narayan Prasad	..	Agra Collegiate School.
Nehaluddin Ahmed	..	Canning College, Lucknow.
Nurul Huda, Syed	..	Doveton College.
Ockleton, C.	..	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Oliver, G. T.	..	Ditto. ditto.
Pain, Syamlal	..	Serampore College.
Pal, Akshay Kumar	..	Hare School.
,, Harimohan	..	Commillah School.
,, Janakinath	..	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Maniklal	..	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Nripendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Saratchandra	..	Hindu School.
,, Umeschandra	..	Garden Reach School.
Pande, Sivdatta	..	Cawnpore Zillah School.
Parsons, E. R.	..	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Pathak Gangaprasad	..	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Pigot, E. S.	..	Calcutta Boys' School.
Piyarilal	..	St. Stephen's College, Delhi.
Powell, L. P.	..	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.

Raghuvir Narayan Sukul	..	Hurdui Zillah School.
Raj Bahadur Pandit	..	Christ Church School, Cawnpore.
Rajaram Chitambar	..	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Rajaram Gangadhur Despanday	..	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Raja Prasad	..	Gazeepore Mission School.
Ram Bahadur	..	Patna Collegiate School.
Ram Bhullabh	..	Sultanpore School.
Ramchandra Rao	..	C. M. School, Jubbulpore.
Ramesvarprasad Bhagran	..	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Ray, Abhaya Charan	..	Rungpore School.
„ Baikuntha Chandra	..	Barrisal School.
„ Bisvambhar	..	Rungpore School.
„ Bisveswar	..	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Devendranath	..	Hindu School.
„ Durgadas	..	Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Gopimohan	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Govinda Chandra	..	Calcutta School.
„ Gurbaksh	..	Agra Collegiate School.
„ Harinath	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Isanchandra	..	Benares College.
„ Lakshminarayan	..	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Navakumar	..	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Phakirdas	..	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Prasannakumar	..	Midnapore High School.
„ Prasannakumar	..	Noral School.
„ Rishikes	..	Fureedpore School.
„ Sarutchandra	..	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Sasadhar	..	Beauleah High School.
„ Sasikumar	..	Commillah School.
„ Satinath	..	L. M. School, Khagra.
„ Syamacharan	..	Burrisal School.
„ Taraknath	..	Seal's Free College.
„ Upendranath	..	Intally Institution.
„ Bharilal, Chaudri,	..	Burrisa School.
Sadat Ali Khan	..	Moradabad Zillah School.
Saha, Adhar Chandra	..	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Harilal	..	Ditto.
„ Lalvihari	..	Ditto, Chinsurah.
Sankar Ramchandra Kolti	..	Nagpore City School.
Sankey, W. H. T.	..	St. Xavier's College.
Sanwaldas Ramsanahei	..	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Sanyal, Jogeschandra	..	Hare School.
„ Nagendranath	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
Sarkar, Avinaschandra	..	South Baharoo School.
„ Bholanath	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Biharilal	..	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Brajendralal	..	Hare School.
„ Devendranath	..	Beerbhoom School.
„ Harinath	..	Oriental Seminary.
„ Mahendranath	..	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Ramdas	..	Beerbhoom School.
Sarma, Tarakisor	..	Sylhet Government School.
Sen, Akshaykumar	..	Burrisal School.
„ Bamacharan	..	Bankoora School.
„ Bipinvihari	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Chandrakanta	..	Burrisal School.
„ Gopalchandra	..	Bauleah High School.
„ Jadunath	..	Furreedpore School.
„ Jivankrishna	..	Chittagong High School.
„ Kailaschandra	..	Furreedpore School.
„ Kalikrishna	..	Barisa School.
„ Kaliprasanna	..	Noral School.
„ Mathuranath	..	Abdool Gunny's Free School.
„ Saradakumar	..	Mymensing School.
„ Saradaprasad	..	Commillah School.
„ Sasibhusan	..	Hare School.
„ Sasibhusan	..	Monghyr School.
„ Sasibhusan	..	Jagannath School, Dacca.
„ Umeschandra	..	Mirzapore Mission School.
Set, Kirtichandra	..	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Set, Munnalal	...	Hurdui Zillah School.

Sheonarayan	...	Gondah High School.
Sil, Biharilal	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Durgadas	...	Sanskrit College.
Sinaes, M.	...	St. Joseph's School.
Sinha, Amritalal	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Haralal	...	Jessore School.
„ Harinath	...	Kishnaghur Anglo Vernacular School.
„ Jagatchandra	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Kailaschandra	...	Commillah School.
Sirajuddin	...	Moradabad Zillah School.
Sitaram	...	Fyzabad High School.
Sivapratap	...	Ajmere College.
Smith, W. H.	...	Calcutta Boys' School.
Srikhandi, Govinda Rao	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Stowell, G. F.	...	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Sujan Singh	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Sundarlal	...	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Sur, Sasibhusan	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Surrden, F. A.	...	L. M. High School, Benares.
Syamprakas	...	Arrah School.
Tajray	...	Teacher.
Thomson, C. W.	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Tiwari, Bhagwan Din	...	Roy Bareilly High School.
„ Chandrasekhar	...	Beerbhoom School.
„ Gajadhar	...	Joynarain's College.
Vindheswariprasad Lala	...	Benares College.
Vindheswariprasad Pande	...	Do. Do.
Vithal Waman Páge	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
484 Wahid Baksh	...	Calcutta Madrassa.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Jalil	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Abdur Rahim	...	Ditto ditto.
Acharyya, Jogendra Chandra	..	Navadwipa English School.
Ajodhyanath	...	Ajmere College School.
Ameer Ali	...	Lahore Mission School.
Anantaram	...	Husiarpore Zillah School.
Atmárám Bhugwant	...	Nagpore City School.
Badri Prasad	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Badri Prasad	...	Fyzabad High School.
Bandyopádhyáy, Asutosh	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Atulchundra	...	Baraset School.
„ Benimadhab	...	Gossydurgapore School.
„ Bidubhusan	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Bipinvihari	...	Sultanpore School.
„ Gopalchandra	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Haranchandra	...	Kanchrapara School.
„ Harimohan	...	Chinsurah Free Church Institution.
„ Khetramohan	...	Piljung School.
„ Mahendranath	...	St. John's College.
„ Nanilal	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Rajendralal	...	Serampore College.
„ Ramratna	...	Beerbhoom School.
„ Umadas	...	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
Banerjee, D. N.	...	Teacher.
Banwarilal	...	Moradabad Zillah School.
Basu, Avinaschandra	...	Private Student.
„ Ekadanta	...	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Gopalchandra	...	Cuttack High School.
„ Govindachandra	...	Allahabad Government Zillah School.
„ Kalimohan	...	Metropolitan School.
„ Prasannakumar	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Sriramchandra	...	Ditto ditto.
„ Syamachara	...	Hindu School.
Bhadra, Krishnakumar	...	Commillah School.
Bhagwanchand	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Bhakta, Hiralal	...	Santipore Municipal School.
Bhanja, Kedarnath	...	London Mission Society Institution, Bhowanipore.

Bhatta, Gadádhar	...	Patna Collegiate School.
Bhattacharyya, Bishnuchandra	...	Jenkins' School, Cooch Behar.
,, Jogneswar	...	Navadwipa English School.
,, Kedarnath	...	Seal's Free College.
,, Nilratan	...	Joynarian's College.
,, Purnachandra	...	Howrah School.
,, Purnachandra	...	Horinavi A. S. School.
,, Ramendra	...	Muragacha School.
,, Rasaraj	...	Benares College.
,, Upendranath	...	Noral School.
Bhaumik, Kedarnath	...	Serajgunge School.
Biharilal	...	London Mission High School, Benares.
Bijaylal	...	Jeypore Maharajah's College.
Bisvas, Girischandra	...	Benares College.
,, Jadunath	...	Bhagulpore School.
,, Suryyakanta	...	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
Brahmanand	...	Ajmere College.
Chakravarti, Abhay Chandra	...	Abdul Gunny's Free School.
,, Anandagopal	...	Jagannath School.
,, Asutosh	...	Jessore School.
,, Asutosh	...	Metropolitan Seminary.
,, Bhagwanchandra	...	Local Mission School, Midnapore.
,, Girishchandra	...	Bauleah School.
,, Kailaschandra	...	Abdul Gunny's Free School.
,, Priyanath	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Sasibhusan	...	Calcutta School.
Chandulal	...	Patiala School.
Chattopadhyay, Dasurati	...	Serampore College.
,, Heramvalal	...	Cutwa School.
,, Kalachand	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
,, Kirtichandra	...	Berhampore Collegiate School.
,, Ramchandra	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Rashmohan	...	Oriental Seminary.
Chiranjilal	...	Delhi College.
Chaudhuri, Aghornath	...	Berhampore Collegiate School.
,, Mahendranath	...	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Matilal	...	Sridharpore School.
,, Rajendranath	...	Allahabad Government Zillah School.
,, Upendralal	...	London Mission School, Khagra.
D'Souza, G. E.	...	Cuttack High School.
Das, Amvikacharan	...	Serampore College.
,, Balmokund	...	Agra Collegiate School.
,, Banarasi	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
,, Bishan	...	Husiarpore Zillah School.
,, Bolaki	...	Agra Collegiate School.
,, Chandrakumar	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Gopal	...	Scotch Mission School, Sealkote.
,, Harinath	...	Gowhatty High School.
,, Mahendrachandra	...	Commillah Zillah School.
,, Phalaram	...	Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
,, Rajendrachandra	...	Bhowanipore Union Academy.
,, Rajkumar	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Saratchandra	...	Serajgunge School.
Datta, Amritalal	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Amvikacharan	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Girischandra	...	Midnapore High School.
,, Haridas	...	Free Church Mission School, Mohanad.
,, Hemchandra	...	Howrah School.
,, Isananda	...	Seebsaugor Zillah School.
,, Krishnakinkar	...	Chittagong High School.
,, Rajanikanta	...	London Mission School, Khagra.
,, Sasadhar	...	Burrisal School.
,, Sasibhusan	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Daw, Bipinchandra	...	Commillah Zillah School.
De, Gangacharan	...	Jagannath School.
,, Krishnachandra	...	Ditto.
Dindayal	...	Jeypore Maharajah's College.
Ditmal	...	Scotch Mission School, Sealkote.
Donnithorne, G. S.	...	Calcutta Boys' School.
Durgaprasad	...	Private Student.

Durgasahay	...	Mozufferpore School.
Faiz Bakhsh	...	Church Mission School, Umritsar.
Fitzsimons, A.	...	La Martineere College, Lucknow.
Ganeshilál	.	Sultanpore School.
Gangaprasad	...	Agra Collegiate School.
Gangaprasad	...	Allahabad Government Zillah School.
Gangopadhyay, Saradaprasad	...	Free Church Branch School, Culna.
Garurram	...	Benares College.
Gaurisankar	...	C. M. School, Meerut.
Geasiram	...	Hume's High School.
Ghatak, Nivaranchandra	...	Goburdangah School.
Ghosh, Asutosh	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Avinaschandra	...	Santipore Municipal School.
,, Hemnath	...	Jounpore Mission School.
,, Isanchandra	...	Bankoora School.
,, Mahendranath	.	Ooterparah School.
,, Manmathanath	...	Free Church Mission School, Mohanad.
,, Mathuramohan	...	Cawnpore Zillah School.
,, Probhatchandra	...	Nizamut School.
,, Rajnath	...	Burrisal School.
,, Ramanath	...	Metropolitan Seminary.
,, Taraprasanna	...	Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
Ghoshal, Prasannacoomar	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
Gopalganes Parbhuni	...	Nagpore City School.
Goswami, Batekrishna	.	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
,, Radhikamohan	...	Bauleah School.
Govinda, Balkrishna Patwardhan	...	Nagpore City School.
Govindarao	...	Benares College.
Guha, Dinanath	..	Jagannath School.
,, Iswarchandra	.	Pogose School.
,, Navakanta	...	Santosh Janhavi School.
Gulalchand	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Gupta, Kaminikanta	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Panchanan	...	Kandee School.
,, Tarakisar	...	Silchar Government School.
Haldar, Ganapati	...	Kishnaghur Anglo-Vernacular School.
Hamid Hossain	...	Patna Collegiate School.
Harbhagman	...	Guzrat School.
Hariharprasad	...	Monghyr School.
Hazarilal	...	Gya Zillah School.
Hiralal	...	Mutra Zillah School.
Hurst, J. H.	...	Mussooree School.
Jagannath	...	Mutra Zillah School.
Jasadalal	...	Gazeepore Mission School.
Jhá, Girijadatta	...	Bhagulpore School.
,, Jogmani	...	Ditto ditto.
,, Parmeswaridatta	...	Private Student,
Kanhayalál	...	Balrampore School.
Kar, Biharilal	...	Calcutta Training Academy.
Karmakar, Amvikacharan	...	Noral School.
Kisarilál	..	St. Stephen's College, Delhi.
Krishnachandra	...	Benares College.
Kundanlal	...	Delhi College.
Kundu, Gaurchandra	...	Albert Institution.
Laha, Binadvihari	...	Hindu School.
Lahiri, Bholanath	...	Serampore College.
,, Mohinimohan	...	Kishnaghur Anglo-Vernacular School.
,, Radhikaprasad	...	London Mission High School, Benares.
Lakshmanprasad	...	Cawnpore Zillah School.
Lakshminarayan	...	Mozufferpore School.
Lal, Gurucharan	...	Ranchee Government School.
Madhavo Ramchundra Bobade	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Madhavrao	...	Benares College.
Madhoram	...	Lahore Zillah School.
Mahanti, Ananda Chandra	...	Cuttack High School.
,, Prabhakar	...	Ditto ditto
Maiti, Mahendra Nath	...	Midnapore Local Mission School.
Maitra, Madhusudan	...	Hardui Zillah School.
Majumdar, Ramrup	...	Dinagepore School.
Mangaprasad	...	Barabanki High School.

Mirza Mohommed Wally	...	Private Student.
Misra, Matilal	...	Bhagulpore School.
„ Ramgovinda	...	Bauleah School.
Mitra, Bisveswar	...	Hindu School.
„ Harivar	...	Jessore School.
„ Indubhusan	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Kaminikanta	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Prasannakumar	...	Midnapore Local Mission School.
„ Saradaprasad	...	Amta School.
„ Saradacharan	...	Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Siddhesvar	...	Chinsurah Free Church Institution.
Mohallanavis Ram Krishna	...	Mymensingh Zillah School.
Mohammed Abdullah	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Mohanlal	...	Lahore Mission School.
Mohavirprasad	...	Benares College.
Moreshwarkhandu	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Mukhopadhyay, Anudaprasad	...	Bhavanipore Union Academy.
„ Asutosh	..	Oonao High School.
„ Benimadhav	...	London Mission School, Khagra.
„ Kantichandra	...	London Missionary Society Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Priyanath	...	Bauleah School.
„ Ramranjan	...	Patna Collegiate School.
„ Sarvanicharan	...	Ranchee School.
„ Syamacharan	...	Hare School.
Mukund Govind Pavnasker	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Mulchand	..	Delhi College.
Mulraj	...	Private Student.
Munshee Guruprasanna	...	Bauleah School.
Nanda, Bhagavat	...	Cuttack High School.
Nandi Brajendrakumar	...	Bauleah School.
Nag Purnachandra	..	Jagannath School.
Nathulal	...	Jeypore Maharajah's College.
Nathuram	...	St. John's College.
Niogi Haridas	...	Hare School.
Pain, Gopalchandra	....	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Gostavihari	...	Serampore College.
Pal, Bipinchandra	.	Sylhet Government School.
„ Devendranath	...	Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
Palit, Chandranath	...	Cuttack High School.
Panday, Nandakisar	...	Private Student.
Pandit, Surajnarayan	...	Dehra Doon Mission School.
Phillips, F. W.	...	Doveton College.
Phukan, Jadunath	...	Seebsaugor Zillah School.
Raghunath Madhoo Despanday	...	Nagpore City School.
Raghunathprasad	...	Allahabad Government Zillah School.
Raghunathprasad	...	Mutra Zillah School.
Rameswarprasad	...	Mozufferpore School.
Ray, Brajanath	...	Abdul Gunny's Free School.
„ Chaitanyaprasad	...	Cuttack High School.
„ Durgaprasanna	...	Oriental Seminary.
„ Girischandra	...	Moharanee Surnomoy's School.
„ Gopallal	...	Allahabad Government Zillah School
„ Haricharan	...	Baluti School.
„ Indranarayan	...	Beerbhoom School.
„ Jogendranath	..	Monghyr School.
„ Jogendranath	..	Gopalnogur School.
„ Kunjavihari	..	Cuttack High School.
„ Lalvihari	...	Fureedpore School.
„ Mahendranath	..	Calcutta Training Academy.
„ Piyarimohan	...	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Purnachandra	..	Kustea School.
„ Rajanikanta	...	Bhagulpore School.
„ Satyendranath	...	Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
„ Srinath	...	Burrisal School.
„ Upendranath	...	Metropolitan Institution.
Ruknuddin	...	St. Stephen's College, Delhi.
Sadasiv Sakaram Gokhle	...	Nagpore City School.
Saha, Prasannakumar	...	Pakoor School.
„ Radharaman	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.

Saha, Rajanikanta	...	Serajgunge School.
Sahay, Brajanandan	...	Patna Collegiate School.
„ Narasinha	...	Bhagulpore School.
Sant Sing	...	Church Mission School, Amritsar.
Sanyal, Bishnu Chandra	...	Benares College.
„ Kaliprasanna	...	Rungpore Zillah School.
„ Purnachandra	...	Fureedpore School.
„ Piyari Mohan	...	Putea School.
Sarkar, Annada Prasad	...	Deogurh School.
„ Gopal Chandra	...	Dighapatia School.
„ Krishna Kanta	...	Santipore Municipal School.
„ Sasibhushan	...	London Missionary Society Institution, Bhowanipore.
Sarma, Betharam	...	Tezpore School.
„ Dambharudhar	...	Debroogurh School.
„ Mohima Chandra	...	Abdul Gunny's Free School.
Sen, Binad Bihari	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Hari Mohan	...	Monghyr School.
„ Kailas Chandra	...	Chinsurah Free Church Institution.
„ Karuna Sindhu	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Pranhari	...	Mogultoli School.
„ Ras Bihari	...	Burrisal School.
„ Satya Charan	...	Oriental Seminary.
„ Srinath	...	Dum-Dum School.
„ Umasankar	...	Bauleah School.
Sheik Bahngan	...	Balasore School.
Shewraj Bahadur	...	Barabanki High School.
Singh Arjun	...	Guzrat School.
„ Hardayal	...	Delhi College.
„ Srinarayan	...	Arrah Government School.
„ Syam	...	Sultanpore School.
„ Thakur Prasad	...	Arrah Government School.
Sinha Grish Chandra	...	Beerbhoom School.
„ Gour Gopal	...	Allahabad Government Zillah School.
„ Krishna Narayan	...	Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Kulada Prasad	...	London Mission School, Khagra.
„ Lalvihari	...	Bhagulpore School.
„ Raghuvir	...	Benares College.
„ Sivadhyan	...	Ditto.
„ Sivaram	...	Bhastara School.
„ Trisuldhari	...	Moradpore School, Bankipore.
Sitaram	...	Lahore Mission School.
Sitaram	...	Gya Zillah School.
Sivnarayan	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Sohanlal	...	Husiarpore Zillah School.
Sundarram M.	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Syamlal	...	Behar English School.
Syamvihari	...	Arrah Government School.
Syed Aboo Jafar	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Mohommed Ruffiq	...	Baptist Mission School, Monghyr.
„ Mohommed Sharfuddin	...	Patna Collegiate School.
„ Uddin Ahmed	...	Abdul Gunny's Free School.
„ Yehyah Hossain	...	Patna College School.
Takurta, Binadlal	...	Barrisal School.
Thakur, Brajendra Sundar	....	Kandee School.
Varijanabhudu, P.	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Yecknath Shraven	...	Nagpore City School.
303 Zahural Hossain	...	Allahabad Government Zillah School.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 28th December 1874.

J. SUTCLIFFE,
Registrar.

The result of the examination held at Colombo is not included in the above list.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Dec. 21st, 1874...	...	1,76,410	2,675	1,66,214	58,37,487
„ 22nd, „ ...	...	...	2,675	9,810	59,37,487
„ 23rd, „ ...	...	...	2,675	21,831	57,37,487
„ 24th, „ ...	Holidays.				
„ 25th, „ ...					
„ 26th, „ ...					

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 28th Dec.* 1874. } H. HYDE. *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

WANTED

For the Office of the Superintending Engineer, Survey Circle, Punjab Northern State Railway, a competent Draughtsman, salary according to qualifications.

Applications with copies of testimonials to be addressed to the Officiating Superintending Engineer, Survey Circle, Punjab Northern State Railway, Lahore.

WANTED

A Draftsman for the Office of the Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, Military Works, on the permanent establishment. Salary rising from Rs. 40 to Rs. 60. None but thoroughly competent Draftsmen, who can draw from rough sketches, and have a sufficient knowledge of English to copy headings, &c., written in English, need apply.

Applications to be accompanied by copies of testimonials. No reply will be sent to unsuccessful applicants.

Applications to be made to Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, Military Works.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Calcutta, the 23rd December 1874.

NOTICE.—The Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's establishment:—

Mr. W. E. Carbery, Acting Agent at Chittagong, has been appointed Acting Agent at Hyderabad.

Mr. A. M. Lindsay, Acting Agent at Hyderabad, has been appointed Acting Agent at Akyab.

Mr. E. J. Birch, Acting Agent at Akyab, has been appointed Accountant of the Rangoon Branch.

Mr. C. Stuart, Accountant at Rangoon, has been appointed Acting Agent at Lahore.

Mr. A. F. Carr has been appointed Acting Agent at Umritsur.

Mr. J. J. Hills, late in charge of the Lahore Branch, reverts to his substantive appointment as Accountant at Delhi.

Mr. J. A. Larsen, late in charge of the Umritsur Branch, reverts to his substantive appointment as Accountant at Allahabad.

Mr. G. S. Brown, returned from leave, has been appointed Accountant of the Cawnpore Branch.

Mr. J. W. Russel has resigned the Bank's service.

The Wurdah Sub-Branch has been opened for the season under the management of Mr. D. E. Burne.

The 30th December 1874.

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Bank will be closed from 2nd to 15th January 1875, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 29th December 1874.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		16,07,197	7	9
	Rs. A. P.			
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	1,46,94,687 14 9	3,06,78,236	10	3
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,59,83,548 11 6			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		2,79,70,560	12	1
Bank Post Bills, &c.		1,79,025	12	8
Sundries		8,66,754	0	7
TOTAL ...		8,33,01,774	11	4

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,79,73,987	14	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		80,42,344	5	1
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		40,86,336	1	7
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		1,76,85,878	14	10
Dead Stock		10,92,938	12	5
Stamps		12,067	11	0
Balances with other Banks ...		6,39,240	5	5
Sundries		32,438	0	4
Bullion		11,89,159	3	10
		5,07,54,391	4	6
	Rs. A. P.			
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	1,03,67,721 1 6	3,25,47,383	6	10
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	2,21,79,662 5 4			
TOTAL ...		8,33,01,774	11	4

BANK OF BENGAL; *Calcutta, 31st December* 1874. }

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors,

R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

SINDIA STATE RAILWAY SURVEY.

NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 29th December 1874.

No. 35.—Mr. J. C. Porter, Supervisor, 1st Grade, having returned from the employ on Famine Relief Works, Bengal Northern State Railway, reported his arrival at Agra on the afternoon of the 27th instant.

Mr. Porter is posted to No. 2 Survey Party.

C. J. MEAD, *Major,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

CONSULTING ENGINEER'S OFFICE.—GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.

Lucknow, the 24th December 1874.

Baboo Karunamaya Banerjee, 3rd Grade Accountant, attached to the Audit Office of the Oudh and Rohilkhund Railway Accounts, returned to duty from two months' privilege leave on the forenoon of the 16th December 1874. The leave commenced from 21st October, the unavailed portion (five days) is cancelled.

T. B. B. SAVI, *Captain, R. E.,*
Dy. Consg. Engr. to Govt. of India for G. Rys.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 31st December 1874.

No. 5933.—Unpaid or insufficiently paid letters for Suez or any other part of Egypt may in future be sent per British Packet by the route known in the Indian Postal Guide as "*via* Bombay through Suez."

2. This route has heretofore been restricted to fully prepaid correspondence.

F. R. HOGG,
Offg. Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

The 1st January 1875.

Mails for Madras, Ceylon and intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer *Malda*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Saturday, the 2nd instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Akyab, for transmission per Steamer *Madras*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 3rd instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Rangoon and Moulmein, for transmission per Steamer *Patna*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 3rd instant, at 7 P. M. Mails for Port Blair can be sent by this opportunity.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 5th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Ceylon and Australian Colonies, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 6th instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 8th instant.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 7th idem.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M., and after 8 up to 9 P. M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

W. S. SULLEN,
Offg. Post Master of Calcutta.

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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

HIGH COURT.—Original Side.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 4th January 1875.

The Honorable the Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council, appointed Mr. William Edwardes Henniker Forsyth, Barrister-at-Law, to be Clerk of the Crown for the purpose of performing the duties connected with the Criminal Sessions, *vice* Mr. C. C. Macrae, resigned.

C. T. DAVIS,
Offg. Registrar.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Camp Gwalior, the 29th December 1874.

No. 40*P.*—Captain G. R. Peart, Officiating 2nd in Command of the Bhopal Battalion, is granted privilege leave of absence for 20 days from the date in January on which he may avail himself thereof.

H. D. DALY, *Major General,*
Agent, Governor General, for Central India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 22nd December 1874.

No. 148.—Mr. G. de la Hoyde, Accountant, 4th Grade, Dalhousie Division, Military Works, is granted one month's privilege leave from 14th December 1874, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 23rd December 1874.

No. 149.—Mr. W. Eckstein, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, passed the Departmental Standard Examination in Hindustani on the 30th November 1874.

The 30th December 1874.

No. 150.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 658, dated 15th December 1874, Mr. J. H. Trott, Accountant, 4th Grade, reported his arrival in the II Allahabad Division, Military Works, on the forenoon of 14th November 1874.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspector General of Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 4th January 1875.

No. 1.—Cancels Clause two of Notification No. 33 of 16th November 1874, transferring Mr. J. Hogan, Engineer Apprentice, from the Saugor Division, Military Works, to the I Allahabad Division, Military Works.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Military Works.

7th Circle.

The 4th January 1875.

No. 25.—Cally Prosono Mozumdar, Overseer, 1st Grade, reported his arrival in the 7th Circle on the 16th December 1874, and is posted to the II Raneekhet Division, which he joined on the 28th idem.

Æ. PERKINS, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 7th Circle, Military Works.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 6th January 1875.

No. 45.—Mr. G. Gough, an Assistant Superintendent of the 3rd Grade, is allowed subsidiary leave for twelve days under Section 10, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the forenoon of the 16th January 1875, to enable him to rejoin appointment on return from leave on private affairs.

R. MURRAY, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Dy. Director General of Telegraphs in India.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 31st December 1874.

No. 124.—Mr. W. Scott, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is transferred to the Western Rajputana State Railway.

The 4th January 1875.

No. 1.—Mr. C. Blair, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, on return from furlough, reported his arrival at Bombay on the 28th October and at Agra for duty on the 2nd November 1874, and is granted five days' subsidiary leave from the former date.

No. 2.—The under-mentioned Upper Subordinates are permanently transferred from the Punjab Northern State Railway to the Tirhoot State Railway, to which they are now temporarily attached :—

Mr. P. Bradley, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade.
Mr. J. W. Balmé, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade.

No. 3.—Mr. T. Flintoff is temporarily appointed to the Public Works Department as a Supervisor, 1st Grade, with effect from the 1st January 1875, and posted to the Tirhoot State Railway.

No. 4.—Mr. J. F. Victor, Supervisor, 1st Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, is transferred to the Indus Valley State Railway.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 5th January 1875.

No. 12*E*.—Mr. M. S. N. Hecquet, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, transferred from the Delhi Division to the Jumna Bridge Division of the Rajpootana State Railway, joined the latter on the forenoon of the 27th December 1874.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 2nd January 1875.

No. 1.—Lalla Harri Ram, Accountant, 4th Grade, attached to the office of the Controller of Accounts, Punjab Northern (State) Railway, returned to duty from the one month's privilege leave granted to him by Notification No. 166, dated 21st November 1874, on the forenoon of the 18th December 1874.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Indore, the 30th December 1874.

No. 51.—With reference to Northern Bengal State Railway Notification No. 47, dated 19th December 1874, Overseer B. W. Batchelor reported his arrival at Indore on the forenoon of the 29th December 1874. Mr. Batchelor is posted to the 1st Division.

J. IMBRIE MILLER,
Engineer-in-Chief.

Report of a Deserter from the 5-23rd Brigade of Royal Artillery, dated at Agra, this 1st day of January 1875.

Number, Rank and Name—747, Gunner James Geoghegan.
Age—25 years 9 months.
Size—5 feet seven and one-eighth inches.
Color of—
Complexion, Fresh; Hair, brown and turning gray; and Eyes, blue.
Date of Desertion,—29th December 1874.
Place of Desertion—Agra.
Date of Enlistment—28th March 1867.
At what Place enlisted—Liverpool.
Parish and County in which born—Birr, Kings Co., Ireland.
Marks—*Nil.*
Trade—Clerk.
Coat or Jacket—Blue Serge Tunic (Artillery).
Waistcoat—*Nil.*
Breeches or Trowsers—Blue Cloth (Artillery).

HUGH BENT, *Lieut.-Col., R. A.,*
Col. Commanding R. A., Agra.

Report of a Deserter from the Fifty-ninth Regiment of Foot, dated at Agra, Bengal, this 1st day of January 1875.

Number, Rank, and Name,—891, Private Patrick Roorke.
Age—29 years.
Size—5 feet 6 inches.
Color of—
Complexion, sallow; Hair, brown; Eyes, grey.
Peculiar Marks by which his Identity may be ascertained—Marked with the letter D.
Date of Desertion—27th December 1874.
From whence deserted—Fort Agra.
Date of Enlistment—15th December 1866.
Place of Enlistment—Athlone, Ireland.
Parish where born—Nenagh.
County—Tipperary, Ireland.
Former Trade or Occupation—Shoemaker.
Dress at the time of Desertion—
Coat or Jacket, Waistcoat, Breeches or Trowsers } Regimentals, Serge Clothing and Forage Caps.

J. de MONTMORENCY, *Colonel,*
Commanding 59th Regiment.

Report of a Deserter from the 1-3rd Regiment of Foot, dated at Fort William, this 6th day of January 1875.

Number, rank, and name—2047, Private Patrick Burns.
Age—19 years 10 months.
Size—5 feet 8¼ inches.
Color of—
Complexion, dark; hair, brown; eyes, grey.
Date of desertion—1st January 1875.
Place of desertion—Fort William, Calcutta.
Date of enlistment—20th July 1871.
At what place enlisted—Seetapore, Bengal, India.
Parish and county in which born—Warley, Essex.
Marks—Small white scar under right eye, vaccination cicatrices on right arm.
Trade—None.
Coat or Jacket, Waistcoat, Breeches or Trowsers } Regimental.

F. MORLEY, *Major,*
1-3*rd* (*The Buffs*) *Regiment.*

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion: Under Assay.	Balance of Bullion: Assayed.	Balance of Bullion: Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Dec. 28th, 1874...	2,860	2,524	3,122	34,574	57,37,487
" 29th, " ...	2,300	...	5,422	44,919	56,37,487
" 30th, " ...	3,36,163	...	3,41,585	54,937	55,37,487
" 31st, " ...	2,14,879	...	5,56,464	61,807	54,37,487
Jan. 1st, 1875...	Holiday.				
" 2nd, " ...	...	1,063	5,55,425	62,756	54,37,487

CALCUTTA MINT.
The 4th Jan. 1875. } H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Mint Master.

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st December 1874.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1863-64.	4 per cent. Loans: of 1824-25.	of 1829-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1843-43.	of 1854-55.	5 per cent. Loan. Transfer of 1856.	of 1856-57.	4½ per cent. Loans: of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	5 per cent. Debentures for 10 years.	15 years.	4 per cent. Bombay Book Debt Loan of 1863.	Total Amount.
Balance of 15th December 1874	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,66,627	31,77,300	1,06,00,600	1,11,03,500	1,25,83,100	1,16,100	37,82,300	2,46,000	3,28,68,400	5,10,81,300	34,56,000	35,29,000	29	14,11,81,075
Add— Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 31st December 1874	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,000	27,700	...	...	...	37,700
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 16th and 31st December 1874	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,34,600	...	...	...	1,34,600
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st December 1874	...	...	...	...	...	40,600	6,500	38,500	...	...	...	4,400	12,04,400	95,000	50,000	...	14,48,700
	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,66,627	31,77,300	1,06,60,600	1,11,09,500	1,27,01,700	1,16,100	37,82,300	2,46,000	3,28,82,800	5,33,48,000	35,51,000	35,79,000	29	14,28,02,075
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	...	11,500	1,65,800	6,000	1,18,600	...	24,600	...	2,05,000	18,55,400	95,000	...	...	24,81,700
Balance on 31st December 1874	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,66,627	31,65,800	1,04,94,800	1,11,03,500	1,25,83,100	1,16,100	37,57,700	2,46,000	3,26,77,800	5,14,92,600	34,56,000	35,79,000	29	14,03,20,375

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st Oct. 1874, enfaced from India 2,061 lakhs; retransferred from London, 1,979 lakhs.

" 1st November 1874 to 15th Nov.	12 "	" 9 "
" 16th " " to 30th "	0 "	" 4 "
" 1st December " to 15th Dec.	11 "	" 17 "
" 16th " " to 31st "	16 "	" 24 "
	2,103	2,033
	2,033	
Balance against India ...	70	

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL:
Calcutta, 4th January 1875.

Statement of Transactions of District Savings Banks for the quarter ending 31st Dec. 1874.

PROVINCE.	Number of Banks open.	DEPOSITS. No.	DEPOSITS. Amount.	WITHDRAWALS. No.	WITHDRAWALS. Amount, Principal.	WITHDRAWALS. Amount, Interest.	BALANCE.
			Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Bengal and Assam ...	52	1,256	1,19,083 8 5	803	1,04,318 2 3	663 12 2	6,75,538 7 10
N.-W. Provinces	30	1,033	69,010 4 9	235	30,529 13 11	186 9 8	2,56,187 1 2
Punjab	20	268	25,923 3 6	100	23,635 7 7	254 1 11	1,82,523 3 1
Oude	12	176	15,139 2 6	64	11,102 7 0	104 2 11	1,30,960 13 4
Central Provinces ...	15	185	10,971 10 9	68	10,088 11 4	57 8 5	1,12,455 11 10
British Burmah	11	159	13,575 7 8	91	17,755 10 5	243 14 1	77,641 1 1
Berar	2	55	4,152 11 3	9	1,005 4 0	0 14 9	34,044 14 6
India	4	159	11,053 10 11	89	11,656 13 6	191 7 8	65,658 2 8
TOTAL ...	146	3,291	2,68,909 11 9	1,459	2,10,092 6 0	1,702 7 7	15,35,009 7 6

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd January 1875.

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 10.—*Statement of the Monthly Accounts of the several Branches of the Public Works Department received in the Office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, up to the* 31*st December* 1874.

PUBLIC WORKS (BUILDINGS AND ROADS BRANCH AND MILITARY WORKS BRANCH) AND TELEGRAPH.

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Contlr., Bengal, for Port Blair.	Oct. 1874	Dec. 12, 1874
2	Do., Rajpootana	Ditto ...	Do. 14, „
3	Do., Hyderabad	Ditto ...	Do. 15, „
4	Do., Hyderabad, for Berars.	Ditto ...	Do. 15, „
5	Do., Oudh ...	Ditto ...	Do. 19, „
6	Do., Central Provinces.	Ditto ...	Do. 21, „
7	Do., Military Works.	Ditto ...	Do. 22, „
8	Do., Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 23, „
9	Do., Bombay ...	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
10	Do., N. W. Provinces.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
11	Do., British Burmah.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
12	Do., Mysore, for Coorg.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
13	Do., Central India	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
14	Do., Mysore ...	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
15	Do., Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 30, „
16	Depy. Contlr., Assam	Sept. 1874	Nov. 20, „
17	Contlr., Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Dec. 8, „
	TELEGRAPHS.		
18	Contlr., Indo-European Telegraph.	Sept. 1874	Dec. 9, 1874
19	Do. do., for Indian Telegraph.	Ditto ...	Do. 18, „

IRRIGATION.

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Contlr., Central Provinces.	Nov 1874	Dec. 21, 1874
2	Do., Rajpootana	Oct. 1874	Do. 1, „
3	Do., B. Burmah	Ditto ...	Do. 4, „
4	Do., Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 22, „
5	Do., N. W. P. ...	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
6	Do., Bombay ...	Ditto ...	Do. 29, „
7	Do., Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Do. 31, „
8	Do., Madras ...	Sep. 1874	Do. 7, „
9	Do., Mysore ...	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
	GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.		
1	Contlr., Central Provinces ...	Oct. 1874	Dec. 22, 1874
2	Do., Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 23, „
3	Do., Bombay ...	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
4	Do., Oudh ...	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
5	Do., Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 30, „
6	Do., Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Do. 31, „

STATE RAILWAYS (CAPITAL).

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Contlr., Sindia ...	Nov. 1874	Dec. 21, 1874.
2	Do., Agra District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
3	Do., Western Rajpootana Survey.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
4	Do., Wurdah Valley.	Oct. 1874	Do. 9, „
5	Do., Delhi District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 15, „
6	Do., Hyderabad	Ditto ...	Do. 16, „
7	Do., Bengal, for Store-keeper, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Do. 18, „
8	Do., Punjab Northern.	Ditto ...	Do. 21, „
9	Do., Tirhoot ...	Ditto ...	Do. 23, „
10	Depy. Contlr., Neemuch.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
11	Do. Holkar ...	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
12	Contlr., Hooblee and Carwar.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
13	Do., Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
14	Do., Northern Bengal.	Sep. 1874	Do. 8, „
15	Do., Nizam's ...	Ditto ...	Do. 9, „
16	Do., Indus Valley	Ditto ...	Do. 23, „
	STATE RAILWAYS (REVENUE).		
1	Contlr., Wurdah Valley.	Nov. 1874	Dec. 28, 1874.
2	Examiner, Calcutta and South-Eastern	Oct. 1874	Nov. 30, „
3	Do., Nulhatee	Ditto ...	Dec. 4, „
4	Contlr., Khamgaum	Ditto ...	Do. 14, „
5	Do., Agra District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 22, „
6	Do., Delhi District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
7	Do. Holkar ...	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „

FORT WILLIAM,
The 7th January 1875.

J. J. McLEOD INNES, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Accountant General, P. W. Dept.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates have passed the First Examination in Arts:—

FIRST DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

1	Das, Devendranath	... Presidency College.
2	Basu, Jogendra Chandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
3	Sarkar, Chandrasekhar	... Midnapore High School.
4	Chakravarti, Devendranath	... Presidency College.
5	Mohan Lal	... Delhi College.
6	Bagchi, Brajagopal	... Presidency College.
	Datta, Ramlal	... Ditto.
8	Thomson, W. H.	.. Hooghly College.
9	Bandyopadhyay, Harinath	... Presidency College.
	Lalchand	... Lahore College.
11	Nag, Haradhan	... Presidency College.
	Chattopadhyay, Gopal Chandra	... Hooghly College.
13	Mukhopadhyay, Upendranath	... Presidency College.
14	Das, Ramsaran	... Canning College, Lucknow.
15	Sen, Devendranath	... Presidency College.
	Molakram	... Delhi College.
17	Nagwant Sahay	... Patna College.
18	Mukhopadhyay, Brajagopal	... Metropolitan Institution.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Amjad Ali	... Benares College.
Ashraf Ali	... Ditto.
Bandyopadhyay, Bindulal	... Presidency College.
„ Bisveswar	... Dacca College.
„ Dinanath	... Saugor High School.
„ Mahendranath	... Cathedral Mission College.
„ Sasisekhar	... Berhampore College.
Barál, Nilmani	... Presidency College.
Barkatulla Khan	... Bareilly College.
Basu, Asminikumar	... Dacca College.
„ Biharikrishna	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Girischandra	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Kalipada	... Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Navagopal	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Rajanikanta	... Dacca College.
„ Sasikumar	... Ditto.
Bhaduri, Lalvihari	... Metropolitan Institution.
Bhattacharyya, Chandrakumar	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Meghnath	... Hooghly College.
Bhaumik, Dinavandhu	... Metropolitan Institution.
Bisvas, Amritalal	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
Chakravarti, Byomkes	... Presidency College.
Chattopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan	... Cathedral Mission College.
„ Sripati	... Cuttack High School.
Chaudhuri, Prasannanarayan	... Metropolitan Institution.
Dammilal	... Agra College.
De, Brajendralal	... Canning College, Lucknow.
Dhan Sing	... Delhi College.
Durgaprasad	... Ditto.
Dutt, William	... Teacher.
Fariduddin Ahmed	... Bareilly College.
Gayaprasad	... Muir Central College.
Ghosh, Haradhan	... Patna College.
„ Nityananda	... Cuttack High School.
„ Ramlal	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta
„ Umeschandra	... Presidency College.
Gosvami Kisarilal	... Ditto.
„ Krishnadhan	... Ditto.

Gupta, Gopalchandra	...	Presidency College.
Guruprasad	...	Muir Central College.
Isvardas	...	Lahore College.
Jagannath	...	Bareilly College.
Jyotirbid, Gopaldatta	...	Ditto.
Kanhyalal	...	Delhi College.
Kedarnath	...	Ditto.
Kundu, Ramkumar	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
Loos, A. B.	...	Teacher.
Majumdar, Kunjavihari	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Mallik, Prasaddas	...	Hooghly College.
Mitra, Amvikacharan	...	Ditto.
„ Jogendrachandra	...	Berhampore College.
„ Purnachandra	...	Kishnaghur College.
„ Rammohan	...	Presidency College.
Mitter, Charles Hiralall	...	Cathedral Mission College.
Moffet, G. E.	...	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Mukhopadhyay, Biharilal	...	Patna College.
„ Haranchandra	...	Presidency College.
„ Purnachandra	...	Midnapore High School.
„ Sasibhusan	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Upendranath	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Murlidhar	...	St. John's College.
Nag, Syamakanta	...	Presidency College.
Nandi, Sambhuchandra	...	Teacher.
Ramsaranlal	...	Patna College.
Ray, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
„ Navadvipchandra	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Sailendravandhu	...	Hooghly College.
„ Syamaprasad	...	Presidency College.
„ Ugrakanta	...	Ditto.
„ Umacharan	...	Berhampore College.
Sahay, Bhagvan	...	Patna College.
Sanvardas	...	Muir Central College.
Sarkar, Jagat Narayan	...	Patna College.
Scott, G. W.	...	Ditto.
Sen, Hem Chandra	...	Ditto.
„ Raj Krishna	...	Presidency College.
Sinha, Pramatha Krishna	...	Ditto.
77 Som, Sri Lal	...	Hooghly College.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Acharyya, Kedaresvar	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Ahmed Beg	...	Delhi College.
Azam Ali Khan	...	Patna College.
Baishnava, Brajanath	...	Dacca College.
Bandyopadhyay, Amvikacharan	...	Presidency College.
„ Guruprasanna	...	Hooghly College.
„ Haricharan	...	Medical College.
„ Kartikchandra	...	Hooghly College.
„ Taraprasanna	...	Ditto.
Basu, Amarchandra	...	Presidency College.
„ Atulkrishna	...	Patna College.
„ Harakumar	...	Dacca College.
„ Jogendranath	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Rajendranath	...	Presidency College.
„ Tarakchandra	...	Dacca College.
Bhattacharyya, Avinashchandra	...	Kishnaghur College.
„ Srischandra	...	Ditto.
Brajvallabh	...	Jeypore Moharaja's College.
Chakravarti, Damodar	...	Sanskrit College.
Chattopadhyay, Pratapchandra	...	Hooghly College.
„ Rajanikanta	...	Presidency College.
„ Ramlal	...	Ditto.
„ Suryyakumar	...	Teacher.
Dám, Kasinath	...	Berhampore College.
Dás, Jogeschandra	...	Dacca College.
„ Kamalanath	...	Ditto.

Datta, Maheschandra	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Datta, Mohinimohan	...	Hooghly College.
De, Advaityaprasad	...	Presidency College.
„ Syamlal	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Deviprasad	...	L. M. School, Mirzapore.
Dikshit, Harprasad	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Gangopadhyay, Devendranath	...	Kishnaghur College.
Gauridayal	...	Bareilly College.
Ghosh, Prasannakumar	...	Ex-Student, Dacca College.
„ Rajanikanta	...	Teacher.
„ Ramgopal	...	Presidency College.
Gupta, Saratchandra	...	Sanskrit College.
Hardeo Prasad	...	Saugor High School.
Jagnesvar Dayal	...	Patna College.
Karmakar, Hariprasanna	...	Dacca College.
Kshetri, Lakshminarayan	...	Metropolitan Institution.
Kuar Bahadur	...	Bareilly College.
Kulliram	...	Agra College.
Madan Gopal	...	Delhi College.
Mahbub Ahmed	...	Patna College.
Majumdar, Avinaschandra	...	Benares College.
„ Chandicharan	...	Ditto.
„ Kripanath	...	Presidency College.
Makkar, Gostavihari	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Manna, Umeschandra	...	Midnapore High School.
Mitra, Krishnakumar	...	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Krishnaprasanna	...	Cathedral Mission College.
Mohammed Yusaf	...	Benares College.
Mukhopadhyay, Asutosh	...	Hooghly College.
„ Hariprasanna	...	Presidency College.
„ Sarvesvar	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Sasibhushan	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Satunath	...	Ditto.
Murlidhar	...	Bareilly College.
Nandi, Rasvihari	...	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Umeschandra	...	Presidency College.
Nasrat-uddin Ahmed	...	Cathedral Mission College.
Páin, Isvarprasad	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Pál, Janakinath	...	Ex-Student, Cathedral Mission College.
Panioty, J.	...	St. Xavier's College.
Pragdas	...	Muir Central College.
Raghonath Rao Chandorekar	...	Saugor High School.
Raghunandan Prasad	...	Presidency College.
Raghunath Prasad	...	Muir Central College.
Rakshit, Mahendranath	...	Hooghly College.
Ramlal	...	Agra College.
Ramratanlal	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Rango Amritsant	...	Saugor High School.
Ray, Gnaradaprasad	...	Presidency College.
„ Kailaschandra	...	Dacca College.
„ Makundanath	...	Presidency College.
„ Rajendranath	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Sitanath	...	Presidency College.
„ Sivaprasad	...	St. Xavier's College.
„ Syamakanta	...	Teacher.
Sanyal, Nrityagopal	...	Kishnaghur College.
Sarkar, Nalinvihari	...	Presidency College.
„ Ramnarayan	...	Patna College.
Sen, Rakhaldas	...	Hooghly College.
„ Srikanta	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Srinath	...	Presidency College.
„ Sulapani	...	Ditto.
Shilstone, N. A.	...	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Sinha, Brahmaprasad	...	Presidency College.
„ Jaynathpati	...	Patna College.
„ Makhanlal	...	Kishnaghur College.
Sohanlal	...	Agra College.
Thakur Das	...	Lahore College.
Todar Mal	...	Agra College.
Umrao Singh	...	Bareilly College.
97 Venkaya, B.	...	Saugor High School.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the Entrance Examination :—

FIRST DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Bari, Syed	Commillah School.
Abdul Halim	Calcutta Mudrassa.
Abdul Wahab	Ditto.
Abul Khair Mahomed Abdus Sabhan	Ditto.
Alder, A. L.	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Amar Nath	Gondah High School.
Anderson, G.	Private Student.
Bagchi, Kalikrishna	Bauleah High School.
Bampton, P.	St. Xavier's College.
Bandyopadhyay, Anandakumar	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Asutosh	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Avinas Chandra	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Avinas Chandra	Kasipur Kasinath School.
„ Kalipada	Ooterpara School.
„ Mahendranath	Konnugger School.
„ Nandalal	Hindu School.
„ Radha Charan	Ooterparah School.
„ Rames Chandra	Hindu School.
„ Upendra Nath	Hooghly Branch School.
Banerjee, A. N.	Doveton College.
Basil, M.	Armenian Phil. Academy.
Basu, Akshay Kumar	Hindu School.
„ Avinas Chandra	Hare School.
„ Basanta Kumar	Teghoria School.
„ Bhupendra Nath	Hindu School.
„ Bijay Gopal	Noral School.
„ Braja Nath	Hindu School.
„ Devendrabijay	Bullagurh School.
„ Dina Nath	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Jogneswar	Ditto.
„ Jotendra Nath	Oriental Seminary.
„ Kalipada	Agurparah C. M. S. Institution.
„ Kritanta Kumar	Hindu School.
„ Kusamkumar	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Lolitmohan	Pogose School.
„ Narayanchandra	Calcutta Institution.
„ Saratchandra	Noacolly School.
Bhattacharyya, Govindachandra	Howrah School.
„ Kailaschandra	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Rammay	F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
Biswas, Baikunthanath	Mirzapore Mission School.
Chaki, Benimadhav	Bauleah High School.
Chakravarti, Nisakanta	Hindu School.
Channon, F.	Doveton College.
Chattopadhyay, Anantalal	Hare School.
„ Anukulchandra	Howrah School.
„ Bhagavaticharan	Barrackpore School.
„ Bhutnath	Hindu School.
„ Chandrakumar	Jonye Training School.
„ Digamvar	Bancoorah School.
„ Ishanchandra	Kuchiakole Rajgram School.
„ Manmatha	Hare School.
„ Pankajakumar	Ditto.
„ Rajendranath	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Ramkali	Hindu School.
„ Saratchandra	Ooterparah School.
Chaudhuri, Tarapada	Hindu School.
Damodar Das	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Das, Jagadis Charan	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Sasibhushan	Calcutta Training Academy.
Datta, Chandra Kumar	Mymensing School.
„ Jadav Krishna	Noral School.
„ Jagatvandhu	Noacolly School.
„ Jay Gopal	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Lalvihari	Sanskrit College.

Datta, Mahendra Nath	Hare School.
„ Naphar Chandra	Ditto.
„ Narayan Das	Hindu School.
„ Narendra Krishna	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Navin Chandra	Commillah School.
„ Parvati Nath	Hindu School.
„ Upendra Nath	General Assembly's Institution.
Davidson, T.	Doveton College.
De, Narendra Lal	Hare School.
„ Rama Nath	Hindu School.
Denial Tamizuddin Ahmed	Hare School.
DeZylva, E.	St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Dufour, A.	St. Xavier's College.
Durgasankar	Jubbulpore High School.
Foy, W.	La Martiniere College, Lucknow.
French, G. B.	Doveton College.
Gangopadhyay, Kedar Nath	Kasipur Kasinath School.
Ghosh, Asutosh	Hare School.
„ Bipin Vihari	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Bipin Vihari	Jessore School.
„ Jogendra Chandra	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Manmohan	Hindu School.
„ Narayan Chandra	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Parvati Nath	Hindu School.
„ Pran Chaitanya	Teghoria School.
„ Ramottam	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Umes Chandra	Mymensing School.
Gosvami, Navakrishna	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Trailokya Nath	General Assembly's Institution.
Gupta, Govinda Chandra	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Gurulal	Beerbhoom School.
„ Matilal	Hare School.
Holmes, G. P.	St. Xavier's College.
Jagannath Prasad	Jubbulpore High School.
Jordar, Radha Nath	Mymensing School.
Kar Gaurkisor	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Kennedy, R.	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Kshetri, Srikrishna	Metropolitan Institution.
Lahiri, Chandrakanta	Mymensing School.
Le Franc, P. B.	Doveton College.
Maiti, Rudranarayan	Midnapore High School.
Maitra, Hiramvachandra	Furreedpore School.
„ Rajendralal	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Majumdar, Bhavanikisor	Mymensing School.
„ Hridaynath	Jagannath School.
„ Jogendrachandra	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Mallik, Hiralal	Ooterparah School.
„ Nilmadhav	Hindu School.
„ Srinarayan	Hare School.
Massa, L. A.	St. Xavier's College.
Misra, Dulichand	Jubbulpore High School.
Mitra, Amulyakrishna	Hindu School.
„ Birajacharan	Ditto.
„ Girishchandra	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Kedarnath	Garden Reach School.
„ Nagendrachandra	St. Stephen's Mission School, Nyehati.
„ Umacharan	Saradaprasad Institution.
„ Upendranath	Metropolitan Institution.
Mohammad Hasan	Joynarain's College.
Mohinta, Purnachandra	Dacca Collegiate School.
Mukhopadhyay, Adhar Chandra	Saradaprasad Institution.
„ Bhutnath	Seal's Free College.
„ Devendra Nath	Hare School.
„ Jogneswar	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Kailas Chandra	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Kalicharan	Ooterparah School.
„ Kisari Mohan	Oriental Seminary.
„ Krishnadhan	Ooterparah School.
„ Narottam	Sanskrit College.
„ Phakir Chandra	Ooterparah School.
„ Phanibhushan	Barrackpore School.

Mukhopadhyay, Santosh Prasad	... General Assembly's Institution.
Nág, Abhay Charan	... Mymensing School.
Páin, Priya Lal	... Hindu School.
Pál, Srinath	... Hare School.
Palit, Syama Charan	... Metropolitan Institution.
Palmer, C.	... La Martiniere College, Lucknow.
Pereira, C.	... St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Raushan Lal	... Agra Collegiate School.
Ray, Atul Krishna	... Hooghly Branch School.
„ Bidubhushan	... Hindu School.
„ Nandagopal	... Hare School.
„ Nikunja Vihari	... Bauleah High School.
„ Phatik Chandra	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Rajani Kanta	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Ram Charan	... Noral School.
Read, A. H.	... La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Sanyal, Dinanath	... Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Ramanath	... Howrah School.
Sarkar, Charuchandra	... Hare School.
„ Jaganmohan	... Mogultuli School.
„ Pulinvihari	... Hare School.
Sarvtay, Nilkantakrishnajee	... Jubbulpore High School.
Sen, Harimohan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Khagendranath	... Hare School.
„ Kisarilal	... Ditto.
„ Prankrishna	... Hindu School.
Sen Gupta, Kisarimohan	... Hare School.
Set, Hridaylal	... Metropolitan Institution
Sinha, Bansilal	... Patna Collegiate School.
„ Binadvihari	... Howrah School.
„ Nirmalchandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
Thaddeus, A. M.	... St. Xavier's College.
Vyasa, Jaykrishna	... Allahabad Government Zillah School.
Wenat, H.	... St. Thomas Collegiate School.
168 Young, G.	... La Martiniere College, Calcutta.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Gafur I	... Patna Collegiate School.
Abdul Gafur II	... Ditto ditto.
Abdul Hakim Sheikh	... Canning College, Lucknow.
Abu Ali Mohammed Hamed	... Sylhet Government School.
Acharyya, Panchanan	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
Achhruram	... Umritsur Zillah School.
Adhikari, Sashibhushan	... Chandernagore School.
Adhya, Girischandra	... Hare School.
Ajodhya Prasad	... Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Alahi Baksh	... Serampore College.
Alay Mohammed, Syed	... Agra Collegiate School.
Ali Bahadur, Syed	... Hurdui Zillah School.
Ali Mohammed	... Sultanpore School.
Amvika Prasad	... Goruckpore Mission School.
Ankurnath	... Jeypore Moharaja's College.
Atmaram Garota	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
Awadkisor	... Patna Collegiate School.
Babbu Singh	... Hume's High School.
Badri Datta	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
Bagchi, Kedarnath	... Joy Narain's College.
Bajpai, Benimadhav	... Unao High School.
„ Nawulvihari	... Futtehgurh High School.
Baksi, Navagopal	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
Baldev Dass	... London Missionary Society's Institution, Mirzapore.
Baldeo Singh	... Dehra Doon Mission School.
Bandyopadhyay, Annadaprasad	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
„ Anukul	... Bhowanipore Union Academy.
„ Apurvachandra	... Garden Reach School.
„ Bankavihari	... Kasipur Kasinath School.
„ Bipinvihari	... Ooterparah School.
„ Chunilal	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Dinanath	... Kasipur Kasinath School.

Bandyopadhyay, Girindranath	... Konnaggar School.
„ Haripada	... Oriental Seminary.
„ Hemchandra	... L. M. High School, Benares.
„ Jogendranath	... Sibpore Institution.
„ Kshetramohan	... Sanskrit College.
„ Kshetramohan	... Culna Moharaja's School.
„ Mahendranath	... South Baharoo School.
„ Pramathanath	... Patna Collegiate School.
„ Rakhaldas	... Beauleah High School.
„ Ramgovinda	... Sanskrit College.
„ Sasibhushan	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Syamacharan	... South Baharoo School.
„ Upendrachandra	... Beerbhoom School.
Bankevihari	... Bharaich School.
Bansilal	... Jubbulpore High School.
Baptiste, E.	... Patna Collegiate School.
Baqr Ali, Syed	... Joy Narain's College.
Baral, Gopalchandra	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Basak, Chandrakanta	... Pubna Government School.
„ Krishnalal	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Syamsundar	... Oriental Seminary.
Basu, Annadaprasad	... Noral School.
„ Bhavanicharan	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Bhuvanmohan	... Calcutta School.
„ Chandrakanta	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Chintamani	... South Suburban School, Kalighat.
„ Dwarkanath	... Noakholly School.
„ Gangadas	... Mymensingh School.
„ Gurucharan	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
„ Hemchandra	... Hindu School.
„ Jadunath	... Culna Free Church Branch School.
„ Jagadisvar	... Patna Collegiate School.
„ Jogeschandra	... London Missionary Society's Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Jognesvar	... Hare School.
„ Kshetramohan	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Nrityagopal	... Hare School.
„ Prasannakumar	... Fureedpore School.
„ Siddhesvar	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Srigopal	... South Suburban School, Kalighat.
„ Syamacharan	... Private student.
„ Taraknath	... Noral School.
„ Umeshchandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
Bhagwan Das	... Jubbulpore High School.
Bhagwant Roy	... Barabanki High School.
Bhairav Datta	... Hume's High School.
Bhan Madhav Barde	... Nagpore City School.
Bhar, Nilmani	... Hindu School.
Bhattacharyya Bipinvihari	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
„ Chandrakumar	... L. M. S. Institution Bhowanipore.
„ Harinath	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Kalisundar	... Beauleah High School.
„ Kapilesvar	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Makundachandra	... Serajgunge School.
„ Navinkrishna	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Nivaranchandra	... Sanskrit College.
„ Purnachandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Rajanikanta	... Rungpore School.
„ Rajendranath	... Takee H. C. E. School.
„ Rakhalchandra	... Navadwip E. School.
„ Rakhaldas	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Ramaprasad	... Jessore School.
„ Ramgopal	... Kishnaghur A. V. School.
„ Sadhanchandra	... Konnaggar School.
Bhyron Prasad	... Mooradabad Zillah School.
Biharilal	... C. M. School, Jubbulpore.
Bisvas, Jadunath	... Mirzapore Mission School.
„ Sastivar	... London Mission Society's Institution, Bhowanipore.
Bisvesvar Prasad	... Benares College.
Bodhraj	... Gujrat School.

Brindavan Das	... Agra Collegiate School.
Bryan, J.	... LaMartiniere College, Lucknow.
Carbery, S.	... St. Joseph's School.
Chakravarti, Banesvar	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Indranarayan	... Beerbhoom School.
„ Jogendranath	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Mahendranath	.. Lahore Medical School.
„ Navin Chandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Prankrishna	... Benares College.
„ Rajendranath	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Saradacharan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Sivchandra	... Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Syamacharan	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Umeschandra	... Harinavi Anglo Sanskrit School.
Chart Singh	... Sealkote Scotch Mission School.
Chattopadhyay, Aghornath	... Hindu School.
„ Bholanath	... Joy Narain's College.
„ Bhushanchandra	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Biharilal	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
„ Chandrabhushan	... Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Haricharan	... Ooterparah School.
„ Haripada	... Chandernagore School.
„ Kalikumar	.. Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Krishnakumar	... Jubbulpore High School
„ Nagendranath	... Ranaghat School.
„ Nivaranchandra	... Hare School.
„ Ramchandra	... Patna Collegiate School.
„ Upendrakumar	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
Chaudhuri, Bijay Govinda	... Rungpore School.
„ Bipinchandra	... Hindu School.
„ Dwarkakanta	... Hare School.
„ Haradhan	... Hamilton's English School, Tumlook.
„ Harasankar	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Mahendranath	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Makhanlal	... Konnaggar School.
„ Raghunath	... Balasore School.
„ Ratanmani	... Seal's Free College.
„ Sasikumar	... F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
Chongdar, Asutosh	... Howrah School.
Choprah, Tirathram	... Lahore Government Zillah School.
Copeland, J.	... Wood's Academy.
Das, Anandachandra	... Abdul Gunny's Free School.
„ Annadaprasad	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Baradakanta	... Mymensingh School.
„ Bhuvanmohan	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Govindachandra	... Commillah School.
„ Haranchandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Haraprasanna	... Searsole School.
„ Harinarayan	... Cutwa School.
„ Harischandra	... Chittagong High School.
„ Krishnasundar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Maheschandra	... Seal's Free College.
„ Navakisor	... Sylhet Government School.
„ Priyanath	... Kasipore Kasinath School.
„ Ramankrishna	... Furreedpore School.
„ Sasimohan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
Datta, Amvikacharan	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Baikunthanath	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Bamdev	... Hindu School.
„ Bhuvanmohan	... Mirzapore Mission School.
„ Brajavallabh	... Cutwa School.
„ Dharmadas	... Konnaggar School.
„ Gangadas	... Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Kaliprasanna	... Burrisaul School.
„ Krishnalal	... Noral School.
„ Madhusudan	... Midnapore High School.
„ Piyarinath	... Howrah School.
„ Prasannakumar	... Private Student.
„ Satyacharan	... Hare School.
„ Satyacharan	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Sitanath	... Calcutta School.

Datta, Tarakchandra	... Mymensingh School.
„ Taraknath	... Mirzapore Mission School.
De, Akhilchandra	... Chittagong High School.
„ Bamacharan	... Chandernagore School.
„ Basantakumar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Piyaricharan	... Hare School.
„ Prasannachandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Ramapati	... Hare School.
Dev, Raghunath	... Ditto
Deva Dutt	... Hurdui High School.
Devidin	... Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Deviprasad	... Hume's High School.
Dharam Narayan	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
Dikshit, Jagannath Ganes	... Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
„ Jaydev	... Jubbulpore High School.
Dindayal	... Gondah High School.
Dube, Murlidhar	... Jubbulpore High School.
Erasmus, J. D.	... Canning College, Lucknow.
Farid-ud-din Ahmad	... Calcutta Madrassa.
Gangaprasad	... Hume's High School.
Gangopadhyay, Ganeschandra	... Digapotia School.
„ Jadunath	... Bhagulpore School.
„ Kunjavihari	... Jyepore Moharaja's College.
„ Priyanath	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
Gayaprasad	... Benares College.
Ghazanfur Ali, Mir	... St. Stephen's College, Delhi.
Ghosh, Abhay Kumar	... Pogose School.
„ Bamacharan	... Sarun School.
„ Bhuvanesvar	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Binadvihari	... Serampore College.
„ Girischandra	... Garden Reach School.
„ Govindalal	... Kandee School.
„ Haricharan	... Goberdangah School.
„ Haricharan	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Ishanchandra	... Hare School.
„ Kaliprasanna	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Kartikchandra	... Howrah School.
„ Kshetramohan	... Baraset School.
„ Manmohan	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Narendranath, Maulik	... Hooghly Branch School.
„ Nisikumar	... Rungpore School.
„ Prasannakumar	... Beauleah High School.
„ Priyanath	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Purnachandra	... Takee H. C. E. School.
„ Rajendrachandra	... Hindu School.
„ Rajendralal	... Hare School.
„ Upendranath	... Midnapore High School.
Ghoshal, Aghornath	... Monghyr School.
„ Harakumar	... Agurparah C. M. S. Institution.
„ Syamapada	... Konnaggar School.
Golam Qudir, Syed	... Patna Collegiate School.
Gomes, N.	... St. Chrysostom's School.
Gorak Prasad	... Goruckpore Mission School.
Gosvami, Kisarikisor	... Santipore Municipal School.
Govinda Vaman Kadbe	... F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Guin, Dinanath	... Hindu School.
Gundaya, T.	... F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Guni, Srinibas	... Midnapore High School.
Gupta, Gaurisankar	... F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Jaysankar	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
„ Kaisikicharan	... Silchar Government School.
„ Mohinimohan	... Ooterparah School.
„ Panchkari	... Hazareebagh School.
„ Rajanikanta	... Benares College.
„ Sasikumar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Umeschandra	... Santosh Jahnavi School.
„ Umeschandra	... Barabanki High School.
Gurdayal	... St. John's College.
Haldar, Gopallal	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Harijahnavi	... Howrah School.
„ Paresnath	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Rajendranath	... Private Student.

Hanuman Prasad	...	Sultanpore School.
Harikisan Das	...	Delhi Government School.
Harnam Sewak	...	Goruckpore Mission School.
Harriott, G.	..	La Martiniere College, Lucknow.
Harris, B.	...	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Hazarilal	...	Cawnpore Zillah School.
Hemhat Ali Khan	...	Coomercolly School.
Heysham, H. R.	...	St. Xavier's College.
Hiralal	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Hoole, R. A.	...	Kandy Collegiate School.
Iqtidar-ud-din	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Jagannath Godi Ruthekur	...	Nagpore City School.
Jai Singh	...	Rawulpindee Mission School.
Jausz, C. A.	...	St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Jewell, H. A.	...	St. Xavier's College.
Jyotirbid, Jwala Datta	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
,, Srikrishna	...	Ditto.
Kalicharan Lal	...	Gazeepore Mission School.
Kalika Prasad	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Kalyan Singh	...	Agra Collegiate School.
Kar, Purnachandra	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Rajmohan	...	Mogultuli E. School.
Karamat-ullah	...	Calcutta Madrassa.
Keshwa Nand	...	Dehra Doon Mission School.
Kuljas Ray	...	Umritsur Zillah School.
Labha Mal	...	Ditto.
Lachman Ganesh Navlekar	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Lackersteen, A. M.	...	Bengal Academy.
Laek, Rajnarayan	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Laha, Chandicharan	...	Hindu School.
Lahiri, Asutosh	...	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Harischandra	...	Hindu School.
,, Nalinimohan	...	Beauleah High School.
,, Srihari	...	Bhagulpore School.
Lakshmi Chandra	...	Agra Collegiate School.
Lakshmiram	...	C. M. School, Meerut.
Madan Singh	...	St. Stephen's College, Delhi.
Madhar Rao Dinkar	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Mahadev Pande	...	Benares College.
Mahes Prasad	...	Fyzabad High School.
Maitra, Amvikacharan	...	Beauleah High School.
,, Dvarkanath	...	Ditto.
Majumdar, Asminikumar	...	Jessore School.
,, Kailashchandra	...	Rungpore School.
,, Purnachandra	...	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
,, Rajanikanta	...	Hare School.
Mandal, Biharilal	...	Culna Free Church Branch School.
Manikchand	...	Benares College.
Manuel, D.	...	St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Masaddar Ali	...	Sylhet Government School.
Mathradas	...	Gujrat School.
Matthews, C.	...	Armenian Ph. Academy.
Maulik, Harischandra	...	General Assembly's Institution.
McGee, S.	...	St. Joseph's School.
Miran Baksh	...	Umritsur C. M. School.
Mitchell, W.	...	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Mitra, Adharchandra	...	Hare School.
,, Akshaykumar	...	Ditto.
,, Asutosh	...	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
,, Bamacharan	...	General Assembly's Institution.
,, Bhushanchandra	...	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Chunilal	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Dwarkanath	...	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Haridas	...	Hare School.
,, Haripada	...	Howrah School.
,, Hemchandra	...	Harinavi A. S. School.
,, Khagendranath	...	Hindu School.
,, Lalvihari	...	Hare School.
,, Lalitmohan	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Nripendranath	...	Hindu School.
,, Nrityagopal	...	Howrah School.
,, Nrityagopal	...	Konnaggar School.

Mitra, Rajanikanta	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Saradaprasad	..	Konnaggar School.
,, Saratchandra (Junior)	..	Metropolitan Institution.
,, Sarvesvar	..	Fureedpore School.
,, Sivadacharan	..	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Suratlal	..	Hare School.
Mohammed Hanif	..	L. M. High School, Benares.
,, Ismael	..	Arrah School.
,, Mirza	..	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Mobhem	..	Fureedpore School.
,, Serajuddin	..	L. M. High School, Benares.
,, Sujad Hossien	..	Canning College, Lucknow.
,, Syed Alam	..	Roy Bareilly High School.
Montgomery, R. P.	..	Calcutta Boys' School.
Mukhopadhyay, Abhaya Charan	..	Oriental Seminary.
,, Amritalal	..	Barrackpore School.
,, Anukulchandra	..	Burdwan English School.
,, Asutosh	..	Canning College, Lucknow.
,, Atulchandra	..	Cuttack High School.
,, Binadlal	..	Bareilly Collegiate School.
,, Girischandra	..	Beerbhoom School.
,, Gyanendranath	..	Konnaggar School.
,, Harendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Jogendrachandra	..	Kassipore Kasinath School.
,, Jogendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Kalidas	..	Sridharpore School.
,, Kalikumar	..	Metropolitan Institution.
,, Kantichandra	..	Amta School.
,, Lalitmohan	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Manindranath	..	Hare School.
,, Nidhiram	..	General Assembly's Institution.
,, Nivaranchandra	..	C. M. School, Jubbulpore.
,, Purnachandra	..	Ditto Ditto.
,, Ramgopal	..	Ilsoba Mondlye School.
,, Sasibhushan	..	Patna Collegiate School.
,, Sastivar	..	Goburdangah School.
,, Sidhesvar	..	Moharanee Sarnamoyee's School.
,, Surendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Syamacharan	..	Bankoora School.
Mumford, W.	..	St. Xavier's College.
Munilal	..	Patiala School.
Munnalal	..	Allygurh Zillah School.
Munnalal	..	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Munsi, Gurunath	..	Beauleah High School.
Murray, E. R.	..	Mussooree School.
Nag, Haradayal	..	Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Priyanath	..	Bullagurh School.
Nandan, Kanailal	..	London Missionary Society's Institution, Bhowanipore.
Nandi, Baninath	..	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
,, Bankavihari	..	Fureedpore School.
,, Gaganchandra	..	Silchar Government School.
Narayandas	..	Lahore Government Zillah School.
Narayan Prasad	..	Agra Collegiate School.
Nehaluddin Ahmed	..	Canning College, Lucknow.
Nurul Huda, Syed	..	Doveton College.
Ockleton, C.	..	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Oliver, G. T.	..	Ditto. ditto.
Pain, Syamlal	..	Serampore College.
Pal, Akshay Kumar	..	Hare School.
,, Harimohan	..	Commillah School.
,, Janakinath	..	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Maniklal	..	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Nripendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Saratchandra	..	Hindu School.
,, Umeschandra	..	Garden Reach School.
Pande, Sivdatta	..	Cawnpore Zillah School.
Parsons, E. R.	..	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Pathak Gangaprasad	..	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Pereira, J. C. W.	...	St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Pigot, E. S.	..	Calcutta Boys' School.
Piyarilal	..	St. Stephen's College, Delhi.

Powell, L. P.	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Raghuvir Narayan Sukul	Hurdui Zillah School.
Raj Bahadur Pandit	Christ Church School, Cawnpore.
Rajaram Chitambar	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Rajaram Gangadhur Despanday	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Raja Prasad	Gazeepore Mission School.
Ram Bahadur	Patna Collegiate School.
Ram Bhullabh	Sultanpore School.
Ramchandra Rao	C. M. School, Jubbulpore.
Ramesvarprasad Bhagran	Allahabad Government Zillah High School
Ray, Abhaya Charan	Rungpore School.
„ Baikuntha Chandra	Barrisal School.
„ Bisvambhar	Rungpore School.
„ Bisveswar	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Devendranath	Hindu School.
„ Durgadas	Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Gopimohan	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Govinda Chandra	Calcutta School.
„ Gurbaksh	Agra Collegiate School.
„ Harinath	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Isanchandra	Benares College.
„ Lakshminarayan	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Navakumar	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Phakirdas	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Prasannakumar	Midnapore High School.
„ Prasannakumar	Noral School.
„ Rishikes	Fureedpore School.
„ Sarutchandra	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Sasadhar	Beauleah High School.
„ Sasikumar	Commillah School.
„ Satinath	L. M. School, Khagra.
„ Syamacharan	Burrisal School.
„ Taraknath	Seal's Free College.
„ Upendranath	Intally Institution.
„ Bharilal, Chaudri,	Burrisa School.
Sadat Ali Khan	Moradabad Zillah School.
Saha, Adhar Chandra	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Harilal	Ditto.
„ Lalvihari	Ditto, Chinsurah.
Sankar Ramchandra Kolti	Nagpore City School.
Sankey, W. H. T.	St. Xavier's College.
Sanwaldas Ramsanahei	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Sanyal, Jogeschandra	Hare School.
„ Nagendranath	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
Sarkar, Avinaschandra	South Baharoo School.
„ Bholanath	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Biharilal	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Brajendralal	Hare School.
„ Devendranath	Beerbhoom School.
„ Harinath	Oriental Seminary.
„ Mahendranath	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Ramdas	Beerbhoom School.
Sarma, Tarakisor	Sylhet Government School.
Sen, Akshaykumar	Burrisal School.
„ Bamacharan	Bankoora School.
„ Bipinvihari	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Chandrakanta	Burrisal School.
„ Gopalchandra	Bauleah High School.
„ Jadunath	Furreedpore School.
„ Jivankrishna	Chittagong High School.
„ Kailaschandra	Furreedpore School.
„ Kalikrishna	Barisa School.
„ Kaliprasanna	Noral School.
„ Mathuranath	Abdool Gunny's Free School.
„ Saradakumar	Mymensing School.
„ Saradaprasad	Commillah School.
„ Sasibhusan	Hare School.
„ Sasibhusan	Monghyr School.
„ Sasibhusan	Jagannath School, Dacca.
„ Umeschandra	Mirzapore Mission School.
Set, Kirtichandra	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Set, Munnalal	Hurdui Zillah School.

Sheonarayan	Gondah High School.
Sil, Biharilal	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Durgadas	Sanskrit College.
Sinaes, M.	St. Joseph's School.
Sinha, Amritalal	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Haralal	Jessore School.
„ Harinath	Kishnaghur Anglo Vernacular School.
„ Jagatchandra	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Kailaschandra	Commillah School.
Sirajuddin	Moradabad Zillah School.
Sitaram	Fyzabad High School.
Sivapratap	Ajmere College.
Smith, W. H.	Calcutta Boys' School.
Srikhandi, Govinda Rao	Jubbulpore High School.
Stowell, G. F.	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Sujan Singh	Canning College, Lucknow.
Sundarlal	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Sur, Sasibhusan	General Assembly's Institution.
Surnden, F. A.	L. M. High School, Benares.
Syamprakas	Arrah School.
Tejray	Teacher.
Thomson, C. W.	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Tiwari, Bhagwan Din	Roy Bareilly High School.
„ Chandrasekhar	Beerbhoom School.
„ Gajadhar	Joynarain's College.
Van Gunster, G.	St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Vindheswariprasad Lala	Benares College.
Vindheswariprasad Pande	Do. Do.
Vithal Waman Páge	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
484 Wahid Baksh	Calcutta Madrassa.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Jalil	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Abdur Rahim	Ditto ditto.
Acharyya, Jogendra Chandra	Navadwipa English School.
Ajodhyanath	Ajmere College School.
Ameer Ali	Lahore Mission School.
Anantaram	Husiarpore Zillah School.
Atmárám Bhugwant	Nagpore City School.
Badri Prasad	Canning College, Lucknow.
Badri Prasad	Fyzabad High School.
Bandyopádhyáy, Asutosh	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Atulchundra	Baraset School.
„ Benimadhab	Gossydurgapore School.
„ Bidubhusan	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Bipinvihari	Sultanpore School.
„ Gopalchandra	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Haranchandra	Kanchrapara School.
„ Harimohan	Chinsurah Free Church Institution.
„ Khetramohan	Piljung School.
„ Mahendranath	St. John's College.
„ Nanilal	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Rajendralal	Serampore College.
„ Ramratna	Beerbhoom School.
„ Umadas	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
Banerjee, D. N.	Teacher.
Banwarilal	Moradabad Zillah School.
Basu, Avinaschandra	Private Student.
„ Ekadanta	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Gopalchandra	Cuttack High School.
„ Govindachandra	Allahabad Government Zillah School.
„ Kalimohan	Metropolitan School.
„ Prasannakumar	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Sriramchandra	Ditto ditto.
„ Syamachara	Hindu School.
Bhadra, Krishnakumar	Commillah School.
Bhagwanchand	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Bhakta, Hiralal	Santipore Municipal School.
Bhanja, Kedarnath	London Mission Society Institution, Bhowanipore.

Bhatta, Gadádhar	... Patna Collegiate School.
Bhattacharyya, Bishnuchandra	... Jenkins' School, Cooch Behar.
„ Jogneswar	... Navadwipa English School.
„ Kedarnath	... Seal's Free College.
„ Nilratan	... Joynarian's College.
„ Purnachandra	... Howrah School.
„ Purnachandra	... Horinavi A. S. School.
„ Ramendra	... Muragacha School.
„ Rasaraj	... Benares College.
„ Upendranath	... Noral School.
Bhaumik, Kedarnath	... Serajgunge School.
Biharilal	... London Mission High School, Benares.
Bijaylal	... Jeypore Maharajah's College.
Bisvas, Girischandra	... Benares College.
„ Jadunath	... Bhagulpore School.
„ Suryyakanta	... Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
Brahmanand	... Ajmere College.
Chakravarti, Abhay Chandra	... Abdul Gunny's Free School.
„ Anandagopal	... Jagannath School.
„ Asutosh	... Jessore School.
„ Asutosh	... Metropolitan Seminary.
„ Bhagwanchandra	... Local Mission School, Midnapore.
„ Girishchandra	... Bauleah School.
„ Kailaschandra	... Abdul Gunny's Free School.
„ Priyanath	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Sasibhusan	... Calcutta School.
Chandulal	... Patiala School.
Chattopadhyay, Dasurati	... Serampore College.
„ Heramvalal	... Cutwa School.
„ Kalachand	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Kirtichandra	... Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Ramchandra	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Rashmohan	... Oriental Seminary.
Chiranjilal	... Delhi College.
Chaudhuri, Aghornath	... Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Mahendranath	... Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Matilal	... Sridharpore School.
„ Rajendranath	... Allahabad Government Zillah School.
„ Upendralal	... London Mission School, Khagra.
D'Souza, G. E.	... Cuttack High School.
Das, Amvikacharan	... Serampore College.
„ Balmokund	... Agra Collegiate School.
„ Banarasi	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
„ Bishan	... Husiarpore Zillah School.
„ Bolaki	... Agra Collegiate School.
„ Chandrakumar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Gopal	... Scotch Mission School, Sealkote.
„ Harinath	... Gowhatty High School.
„ Mahendrachandra	... Commillah Zillah School.
„ Phalaram	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
„ Rajendrachandra	... Bhowanipore Union Academy.
„ Rajkumar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Saratchandra	... Serajgunge School.
Datta, Amritalal	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Amvikacharan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Girischandra	... Midnapore High School.
„ Haridas	... Free Church Mission School, Mohanad.
„ Hemchandra	... Howrah School.
„ Isananda	... Seebsaugor Zillah School.
„ Krishnakinkar	... Chittagong High School.
„ Rajanikanta	... London Mission School, Khagra.
„ Sasadhar	... Burrisal School.
„ Sasibhusan	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
Daw, Bipinchandra	... Commillah Zillah School.
De, Gangacharan	... Jagannath School.
„ Krishnachandra	... Ditto.
Dindayal	... Jeypore Maharajah's College.
Ditmal	... Scotch Mission School, Sealkote.
Donnithorne, G. S.	... Calcutta Boys' School.
Durgaprasad	... Private Student.
Durgasahay	... Mozufferpore School.

Edwards, A.	... St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Faiz Bakhsh	... Church Mission School, Umritsar.
Fitzsimons, A.	... La Martineere College, Lucknow.
Ganeshilál	... Sultanpore School.
Gangaprasad	... Agra Collegiate School.
Gangaprasad	... Allahabad Government Zillah School.
Gangopadhyay, Saradaprasad	... Free Church Branch School, Culna.
Garurram	... Benares College.
Gaurisankar	... C. M. School, Meerut.
Geasiram	... Hume's High School.
Ghatak, Nivaranchandra	... Goburdangah School.
Ghosh, Asutosh	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Avinaschandra	... Santipore Municipal School.
„ Hemnath	... Jounpore Mission School.
„ Isanchandra	... Bankoora School.
„ Mahendranath	... Ooterparah School.
„ Manmathanath	... Free Church Mission School, Mohanad.
„ Mathuramohan	... Cawnpore Zillah School.
„ Probhatchandra	... Nizamut School.
„ Rajnath	... Burrisal School.
„ Ramanath	... Metropolitan Seminary.
„ Taraprasanna	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
Ghoshal, Prasannacoomar	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
Gopalganes Parbhuni	... Nagpore City School.
Goswami, Batekrishna	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Radhikamohan	... Bauleah School.
Govinda, Balkrishna Patwardhan	... Nagpore City School.
Govindarao	... Benares College.
Guha, Dinanath	... Jagannath School.
„ Iswarchandra	... Pogose School.
„ Navakanta	... Santosh Janhavi School.
Gulalchand	... Canning College, Lucknow.
Gupta, Kaminikanta	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Panchanan	... Kandee School.
„ Tarakisar	... Silchar Government School.
Haldar, Ganapati	... Kishnaghur Anglo-Vernacular School.
Hamid Hossain	... Patna Collegiate School.
Harbhagman	... Guzrat School.
Hariharprasad	... Monghyr School.
Hazarilal	... Gya Zillah School.
Hiralal	... Mutra Zillah School.
Hurst, J. H.	... Mussooree School.
Jagannath	... Mutra Zillah School.
Jasadalal	... Gazeepore Mission School.
Jhá, Girijadatta	... Bhagulpore School.
„ Jogmani	... Ditto ditto.
„ Parmeswaridatta	... Private Student,
Kanhayalál	... Balrampore School.
Kar, Biharilal	... Calcutta Training Academy.
Karmakar, Amvikacharan	... Noral School.
Kisarilál	... St. Stephen's College, Delhi.
Krishnachandra	... Benares College.
Kundanlal	... Delhi College.
Kundu, Gaurchandra	... Albert Institution.
Laha, Binadvihari	... Hindu School.
Lahiri, Bholanath	... Serampore College.
„ Mohinimohan	... Kishnaghur Anglo-Vernacular School.
„ Radhikaprasad	... London Mission High School, Benares.
Lakshmanprasad	... Cawnpore Zillah School.
Lakshminarayan	... Mozufferpore School.
Lal, Gurucharan	... Ranchee Government School.
Madhavo Ramchundra Bobade	... Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Madhavrao	... Benares College.
Madhoram	... Lahore Zillah School.
Mahanti, Ananda Chandra	... Cuttack High School.
„ Prabhakar	... Ditto ditto
Maiti, Mahendra Nath	... Midnapore Local Mission School.
Maitra, Madhusudan	... Hardui Zillah School.
Majumdar, Ramrup	... Dinagepore School.
Mangaprasad	... Barabanki High School.

Mirza Mohommed Wally	...	Private Student.
Misra, Matilal	...	Bhagulpore School.
„ Ramgovinda	...	Bauleah School.
Mitra, Bisveswar	...	Hindu School.
„ Harivar	...	Jessore School.
„ Indubhusan	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Kaminikanta	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Prasannakumar	...	Midnapore Local Mission School.
„ Saradaprasad	...	Amta School.
„ Saradacharan	...	Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Siddhesvar	...	Chinsurah Free Church Institution.
Mohallanavis Ram Krishna	...	Mymensingh Zillah School.
Mohammed Abdullah	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Mohanlal	...	Lahore Mission School.
Mohavirprasad	...	Benares College.
Moreshwarkhandu	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
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NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Indore, the 5th January 1875.

No. 46.—**Mr. R. Ewing, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, returned on the 24th December 1874 from three months' leave granted him in this Administration Notification No. 27, dated 5th September 1874, of which he availed himself on 23rd October; and the unexpired portion of his leave, *viz.*, one month, is cancelled.**

No. 47.—**Mr. J. B. Daly, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, attached to the Bundelcund Road Division, has been granted two months' privilege leave from such date as he may avail himself of it.**

No. 48.—Mr. A. Porter, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, Mhow Division, was granted two months' privilege leave from the 26th October, from which he returned on the 26th December 1874.

No. 49.—Ruhamut Ally, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Northern Road Division, availed himself of six months' leave granted him in this Administration Notification No. 42 of 12th ultimo, on the 30th idem.

No. 50.—Bahal Roy, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Southern Road Division, has been granted 28 days' privilege leave from the 4th instant.

No. 51.—Mr. A. Hackett, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Nothern Road Division, returned on the 15th ultimo from six and half months' leave on medical **certificate, granted him in this Administration Notification No. 32, dated 10th October 1874; and the unexpired portion of his leave, *viz.*, 24 days, is cancelled.**

A. CADELL, *Col., R. E.,*
Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER, RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.

Camp Nusseerabad, the 4th January 1875.

No. 98.—The Government of India having permitted the retention of the services of Mr. T. W. Miles, Executive Engineer, temporarily in Rajpootana, with reference to their Notification No. 629, dated 30th November 1874, published at page 600 of the *Gazette of India,* Part I, dated 5th December 1874, **the Officiating Agent Governor General and Chief Commissioner is pleased to appoint Mr. Miles to officiate as Executive Engineer, Nusseerabad Division, during the absence of Captain H. Y. Murray, Executive Engineer, Nusseerabad Division, on forty-five days' privilege leave.**

Captain H. Y. Murray and Mr. T. W. Miles, Executive Engineers, respectively delivered over, and received, charge of the Office of the Executive Engineer, Nusseerabad Division, on the afternoon of the 1st December 1874.

By order,

A. G. CROMMELIN,
Secy. to the Agent, Govr. Genl., and Chief Commr., in the P. W. D., Rajpootana.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.—GENERAL.

Camp Ajmere, the 2nd January 1875.

No. $\frac{32}{1}R$.—LEAVE.—Mr. J. White, Officiating Superintendent, Rajpootana State Railway Police, availed himself of the leave granted him in Notification No. 4481—3307 G, dated 5th December 1874, on the forenoon of the 19th December 1874.

The 4th January 1875.

No. $\frac{62}{39}G$.—LEAVE.—Surgeon Major R. W. Cunningham, officiating in medical charge, Erinpoora Irregular Force, availed himself of the leave granted to him in Notification No. $\frac{4377}{3373}$G, dated 17th December 1874, on the forenoon of the 26th December 1874.

No. $\frac{63}{40}G$.—Surgeon Major R. W. Cunningham and Surgeon H. D. S. Compigne, respectively delivered over, and received, medical charge of the Erinpoora Irregular Force, on the forenoon of the 22nd December 1874.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 13th January 1875.

Four months' sick leave is granted to Mr. C. A. R. Scanlan, Assistant Surveyor, 1st Grade, attached to the Gwalior and Central India Topographical Survey, from the 1st instant, under Supplement F of the Civil leave Code, Section 3.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 11th January 1875.

No. 46.—ERRATUM.—*For* "16th January 1875" in Notification No. 45, dated the 6th January 1875, *read* "16th January 1874."

R. MURRAY, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Dy. Dir. Genl. of Telegraphs in India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 4th January 1875.

No. 1.—With the approval of the Government of India, Captain B. J. Goldie, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer, 1st Rawul Pindee Division, Military Works, from the 10th November 1874, until further orders.

No. 2.—Mr. W. D'C. Need, Accountant, 3rd Grade, Office of Controller of Accounts, Military Works, is granted privilege leave from the 21st December 1874 to the 11th January 1875, both days inclusive.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 8th January 1875.

No. 2.—With reference to Notification No. 141, of 1st December 1874, by the Inspector General, Military Works, Mr. H. Bolton, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, reported his departure from the 1st Allahabad Division, Military Works, on the 26th December 1874.

No. 3.—Corporal C. Lewis, Probationary Overseer, 1st Grade, has been transferred from the Lucknow Division, Military Works, to 1st Allahabad Division, Military Works, which he joined on the 23rd December 1874.

No. 4.—Sergeant R. Sullivan, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, has been transferred from the Saugor Division, Military Works, to the 1st Allahabad Division, Military Works, which he joined on the 30th December 1874.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Military Works.

3rd Circle.

The 8th January 1875.

No. 1.—With reference to *Gazette of India* Notification (Military Works), No. 143 of 11th December 1874, Lieutenant J. F. Garwood, Assistant Engineer, left the Meerut Division, 3rd Circle, Military Works, on the afternoon of the 2nd December 1874.

The 11th January 1875.

No. 2.—Captain T. O. Wingate, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Meerut Division, Military Works, having availed himself of sixty days' privilege leave on the afternoon of 19th November 1874, as granted in Inspector General's Notification No. 115 of 30th September, returned to his duty on the afternoon of the 5th January 1875. The unexpired portion of leave, *viz.*, twelve days, is hereby cancelled.

G. P. deP. FALCONNET, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 3rd Circle, Military Works.

8th Circle.

Rawulpindee, the 6th January 1875.

No. 12.—Mr. T. Lobb, C. E., Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the Kooldunnah to the Rawulpindee Division, Special Military Works. He reported his departure from the former on the 3rd instant, before noon, and his arrival in the latter on the following day before noon.

DAVID LIMOND, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 8th Circle, Military Works.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 8th January 1875.

No. 5.—Lieutenant R. Gardiner, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Rajputana State Railway, is transferred to the Western Rajputana State Railway.

The 9th January 1875.

No. 6.—Mr. P. de L. Lennox, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is granted, under Section 7, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, two years' furlough in India with effect from the date he may avail himself of the same.

The 11th January 1875.

No. 7.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 680, of the 31st ultimo, Baboo Hurrish Chunder Roy, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, is posted to the Western Rajpootana State Railway.

The 12th January 1875.

No. 8.—Mr. G. R. Clark, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, Western Rajputana State Railway, is permanently transferred to the Northern Bengal State Railway to which he is temporarily attached.

No. 9.—Mr. V. Righy, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, returned from furlough, at Bombay on the 8th October 1874, reported himself for duty at Agra on the 12th idem, and is granted 5 days' subsidiary leave.

No. 10.—Mr. E. J. Martin, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Tirhoot State Railway, reported his return from furlough on the 22nd December 1874, and is granted nine days' subsidiary leave.

No. 11.—Mr. J. T. Hall, temporary Overseer, 1st Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Public Works Department, with effect from the 26th December 1874.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 11th January 1875.

No. 55*E*.—Referring to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 109, dated 12th December 1874, Mr. J. E. P. Lincke, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, attached to the Delhi Division, Rajpootana State Railway, reported his departure for Tirhoot State Railway on the forenoon of 23rd December 1874.

No. 56*E*.—Sergeant J. McCauley, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, attached to the Delhi Division, Rajpootana State Railway, availed himself of the six months' leave granted him in Director of State Railways' Notification No. 93, dated 30th November 1874, from the afternoon of 4th January 1875.

No. 57*E*.—Referring to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 92, dated 28th November 1874, Baboo Hemeanto Deb, Overseer, 2nd Grade, reported his departure on the forenoon of 24th December 1874, to join the Northern Bengal State Railway.

No. 58*E*.—With reference to Government of India Notification No. 601, dated 12th November last, Mr. F. Morrison, Deputy Controller, joined the office of the Controller of Accounts, Rajpootana State Railway, on the forenoon of the 4th January 1875.

Mr. Morrison was detained in Calcutta on special duty in connection with the Rajpootana State Railway from the 16th to the 28th December 1874, inclusive.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

TIRHOOT STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Dinapore, the 7th January 1875.

No. 1.—With reference to the Director of State Railways' Notification No. 123 of the 29th December 1874, Mr. E. J. Martin, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, reported his return from furlough at Calcutta on the 22nd ultimo, and is posted to the Special Division of the Tirhoot State Railway, which he joined on the 31st idem.

The 9th January 1875.

No. 2.—With reference to Notification No. 1 of the 7th current, Mr. G. H. Tait, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, made over, and Mr. E. J. Martin, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, received charge of the Special Division of the Tirhoot State Railway, on the afternoon of the 4th instant.

C. J. CAMPBELL,
Engineer-in-Chief.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 4th January 1875.

No. 1.—Mr. A. Mathews, temporary Overseer, 2nd Grade, Sutlej Bridge Division, is granted one month's privilege leave from such date as he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

No. 2.—Mr. T. K. Murphy, Supervisor, 1st Grade, Ghotkee Division, is granted twelve months' leave without allowances, with effect from the 1st February 1875.

No. 3.—Mr. T. C. Marshall, temporary Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, Ghotkee Division, is granted forty-six days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from the 17th December 1874.

No. 4.—Mr. J. H. Corbett, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the Lower Scinde District to the Upper Scinde District.

The 5th January 1875.

No. 5.—Mr. C. O'Connor, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Ghotkee Division, is granted three months' leave on medical certificate, with effect from the 23rd December 1874.

No. 6.—Sergeant J. Troup, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, reported his return from furlough at Mooltan, on the forenoon of the 16th December 1874, and is posted to the Mooltan District.

No. 7.—With reference to this Office Notification No. 178, dated 21st July 1873, the leave

therein granted to Mr. W. Wiseman, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Sehwan Division, should be "privilege" in lieu of "departmental."

No. 9.—The following postings and tranfers have been made by Superintending Engineers :—

Sergeant J. Troup, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, to the Sutlej Bridge Division.

Mr. G. H. R. Deverell, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, to the Ghotkee Division.

Mr. J. C. Jowett, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, from the Larkhana to the Ghotkee Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

WESTERN RAJPOOTANA RAILWAY SURVEY.

NOTIFICATION.

The 7th January 1875.

No. 29.—Captain R. J. Bond, R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, reported his return on the forenoon of the 3rd January 1875, from the privilege leave granted to him in Notification No. 1277 of 27th May 1874, *Gazette of India.*

JAMES COLLET,
Engineer-in-Chief.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 14th January 1875.

No. 6317.—Appointments in the Post Office Department made by the Director General of the Post Office :—

POSTAL CIRCLE OF THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES.

Lalla Bhickey Mull has been appointed to be Postmaster of Benares.

Pandit Sunder Lal has been appointed to be Superintendent, Dead Letter Office, Allahabad.

By order of the Director General,

HUGH A. BROWN,
Pl. Asst. to the Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

The 14th January 1875.

Mails for Akyab, for transmission per Steamer *Madras,* will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 17th instant, at 7 P. M.

The 15th January 1875.

Mails for Rangoon and Moulmein, for transmission per Steamer *Oriental,* will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 17th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for France, Foreign Europe *viâ* France, the intermediate Ports, Mauritius and China, for transmission per French Mail Steamer *Meinam,* will be closed at the General Post Office on Monday, the 18th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 19th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras, Ceylon and intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer , will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 20th instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 22nd January 1875.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 21st January 1875.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M., and after 8 up to 9 P. M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

W. S. SULLEN,
Offg. Post Master of Calcutta.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion: Under Assay.	Balance of Bullion: Assayed.	Balance of Bullion: Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Jan. 4th, 1875...	...	1,776	5,53,613	73,553	53,37,487
„ 5th, „ ...	...	...	5,53,613	81,635	52,37,487
„ 6th, „ ...	...	...	5,29,113	89,564	51,37,487
„ 7th, „ ...	2,99,380	1,33,736	7,02,926	2,23,149	51,37,487
„ 8th, „ ...	2,16,250	2,05,027	7,26,653	3,25,031	50,37,487
„ 9th, „ ...	3,682	2,24,115	5,20,004	4,17,508	49,37,487

CALCUTTA MINT.
The 11th Jan. 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Mint Master.

NOTICE.

The Committee appointed for the revision of the Tariff, will meet on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays, at 9-45 A. M., and will be glad to receive any suggestions or information relating to the subject under their consideration.

Any gentleman wishing to appear personally before the Committee, is requested to put himself in communication with the Secretary to the Committee, who will inform him on what date the Committee will be able to see him.

24, DALHOUSIE SQUARE,
7th January 1875.

J. D. MACLEAN,
Secy., Tariff Committee.

WANTED

A Draftsman for the Office of the Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, Military Works, on the permanent establishment. Salary rising from Rs. 40 to Rs. 60. None but thoroughly competent Draftsmen, who can draw from rough sketches, and have a sufficient knowledge of English to copy headings, &c., written in English, need apply.

Applications to be accompanied by copies of testimonials. No reply will be sent to unsuccessful applicants.

Applications to be made to Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, Military Works.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates have passed the First Examination in Arts :—

FIRST DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

1	Das, Devendranath	Presidency College.
2	Basu, Jogendra Chandra	Metropolitan Institution.
3	Sarkar, Chandrasekhar	Midnapore High School.
4	Chakravarti, Devendranath	Presidency College.
5	Mohan Lal	Delhi College.
6	Bagchi, Brajagopal	Presidency College.
	Datta, Ramlal	Ditto.
8	Thomson, W. H.	Hooghly College.
9	Bandyopadhyay, Harinath	Presidency College.
	Lalchand	Lahore College.
11	Nag, Haradhan	Presidency College.
	Chattopadhyay, Gopal Chandra	Hooghly College.
13	Mukhopadhyay, Upendranath	Presidency College.
14	Das, Ramsaran	Canning College, Lucknow.
15	Sen, Devendranath	Presidency College.
	Molakram	Delhi College.
17	Nagwant Sahay	Patna College.
18	Mukhopadhyay, Brajagopal	Metropolitan Institution.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Amjad Ali	Benares College.
Ashraf Ali	Ditto.
Bandyopadhyay, Bindulal	Presidency College.
„ Bisveswar	Dacca College.
„ Dinanath	Saugor High School.
„ Mahendranath	Cathedral Mission College.
„ Sasisekhar	Berhampore College.
Barál, Nilmani	Presidency College.
Barkatulla Khan	Bareilly College.
Basu, Asminikumar	Dacca College.
„ Biharikrishna	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Girischandra	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Kalipada	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Navagopal	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Rajanikanta	Dacca College.
„ Sasikumar	Ditto.
Bhaduri, Lalvihari	Metropolitan Institution.
Bhattacharyya, Chandrakumar	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Meghnath	Hooghly College.
Bhaumik, Dinavandhu	Metropolitan Institution.
Bisvas, Amritalal	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
Chakravarti, Byomkes	Presidency College.
Chattopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan	Cathedral Mission College.
„ Sripati	Cuttack High School.
Chaudhuri, Prasannanarayan	Metropolitan Institution.
Dammilal	Agra College.
De, Brajendralal	Canning College, Lucknow.
Dhan Sing	Delhi College.
Durgaprasad	Ditto.
Dutt, William	Teacher.
Fariduddin Ahmed	Bareilly College.
Gayaprasad	Muir Central College.
Ghosh, Haradhan	Patna College.
„ Nityananda	Cuttack High School.
„ Ramlal	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Umeschandra	Presidency College.
Gosvami Kisarilal	Ditto.
„ Krishnadhan	Ditto.

Gupta, Gopalchandra	...	Presidency College.
Guruprasad	...	Muir Central College.
Isvardas	...	Lahore College.
Jagannath	...	Bareilly College.
Jyotirbid, Gopaldatta	...	Ditto.
Kanhyalal	...	Delhi College.
Kedarnath	...	Ditto.
Kundu, Ramkumar	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
Loos, A. B.	...	Teacher.
Majumdar, Kunjavihari	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Mallik, Prasaddas	...	Hooghly College.
Mitra, Amvikacharan	...	Ditto.
„ Jogendrachandra	...	Berhampore College.
„ Purnachandra	...	Kishnaghur College.
„ Rammohan	...	Presidency College.
Mitter, Charles Hiralall	...	Cathedral Mission College.
Moffet, G. E.	...	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Mukhopadhyay, Biharilal	...	Patna College.
„ Haranchandra	...	Presidency College.
„ Purnachandra	...	Midnapore High School.
„ Sasibhusan	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Upendranath	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Murlidhar	...	St. John's College.
Nag, Syamakanta	...	Presidency College.
Nandi, Sambhuchandra	...	Teacher.
Ramsaranlal	...	Patna College.
Ray, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
„ Navadvipchandra	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Sailendravandhu	...	Hooghly College.
„ Syamaprasad	...	Presidency College.
„ Ugrakanta	...	Ditto.
„ Umacharan	...	Berhampore College.
Sahay, Bhagvan	...	Patna College.
Sanvardas	...	Muir Central College.
Sarkar, Jagat Narayan	...	Patna College.
Scott, G. W.	...	Ditto.
Sen, Hem Chandra	...	Ditto.
„ Raj Krishna	...	Presidency College.
Sinha, Pramatha Krishna	...	Ditto.
77 Som, Sri Lal	...	Hooghly College.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Acharyya, Kedaresvar	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Ahmed Beg	...	Delhi College.
Azam Ali Khan	...	Patna College.
Baishnava, Brajanath	...	Dacca College.
Bandyopadhyay, Amvikacharan	...	Presidency College.
„ Guruprasanna	...	Hooghly College.
„ Haricharan	...	Medical College.
„ Kartikchandra	...	Hooghly College.
„ Taraprasanna	...	Ditto.
Basu, Amarchandra	...	Presidency College.
„ Atulkrishna	...	Patna College.
„ Harakumar	...	Dacca College.
„ Jogendranath	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Rajendranath	...	Presidency College.
„ Tarakchandra	...	Dacca College.
Bhattacharyya, Avinashchandra	...	Kishnaghur College.
„ Srischandra	...	Ditto.
Brajvallabh	...	Jeypore Moharaja's College.
Chakravarti, Damodar	...	Sanskrit College.
Chattopadhyay, Pratapchandra	...	Hooghly College.
„ Rajanikanta	...	Presidency College.
„ Ramlal	...	Ditto.
„ Suryyakumar	...	Teacher.
Dám, Kasinath	...	Berhampore College.
Dás, Jogeschandra	...	Dacca College.
„ Kamalanath	...	Ditto.

Datta, Maheschandra	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Datta, Mohinimohan	...	Hooghly College.
De, Advaitvaprasad	...	Presidency College.
„ Syamlal	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Deviprasad	...	L. M. School, Mirzapore.
Dikshit, Harprasad	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Gangopadhyay, Devendranath	...	Kishnaghur College.
Gauridayal	...	Bareilly College.
Ghosh, Prasannakumar	...	Ex-Student, Dacca College.
„ Rajanikanta	...	Teacher.
„ Ramgopal	...	Presidency College.
Gupta, Saratchandra	...	Sanskrit College.
Hardeo Prasad	...	Saugor High School.
Jagnesvar Dayal	...	Patna College.
Karmakar, Hariprasanna	...	Dacca College.
Kshetri, Lakshminarayan	...	Metropolitan Institution.
Kuar Bahadur	...	Bareilly College.
Kulliram	...	Agra College.
Madan Gopal	...	Delhi College.
Mahbub Ahmed	...	Patna College.
Majumdar, Avinaschandra	...	Benares College.
„ Chandicharan	...	Ditto.
„ Kripanath	...	Presidency College.
Makkar, Gostavihari	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Manna, Umeschandra	...	Midnapore High School.
Mitra, Krishnakumar	...	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Krishnaprasanna	...	Cathedral Mission College.
Mohammed Yusaf	...	Benares College.
Mukhopadhyay, Asutosh	...	Hooghly College.
„ Hariprasanna	...	Presidency College.
„ Sarvesvar	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Sasibhushan	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Satunath	...	Ditto.
Murlidhar	...	Bareilly College.
Nandi, Rasvihari	...	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Umeschandra	...	Presidency College.
Nasrat-uddin Ahmed	...	Cathedral Mission College.
Páin, Isvarprasad	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Pál, Janakinath	...	Ex-Student, Cathedral Mission College.
Panioty, J.	...	St. Xavier's College.
Pragdas	...	Muir Central College.
Raghonath Rao Chandorekar	...	Saugor High School.
Raghunandan Prasad	...	Presidency College.
Raghunath Prasad	...	Muir Central College.
Rakshit, Mahendranath	...	Hooghly College.
Ramlal	...	Agra College.
Ramratanlal	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Rango Amritsant	...	Saugor High School.
Ray, Gnaradaprasad	...	Presidency College.
„ Kailaschandra	...	Dacca College.
„ Makundanath	...	Presidency College.
„ Rajendranath	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Sitanath	...	Presidency College.
„ Sivaprasad	...	St. Xavier's College.
„ Syamakanta	...	Teacher.
Sanyal, Nrityagopal	...	Kishnaghur College.
Sarkar, Nalinvihari	...	Presidency College.
„ Ramnarayan	...	Patna College.
Sen, Rakhaldas	...	Hooghly College.
„ Srikanta	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Srinath	...	Presidency College.
„ Sulapani	...	Ditto.
Shilstone, N. A.	...	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Sinha, Brahmaprasad	...	Presidency College.
„ Jaynathpati	...	Patna College.
„ Makhanlal	...	Kishnaghur College.
Sohanlal	...	Agra College.
Thakur Das	...	Lahore College.
Todar Mal	...	Agra College.
Umrao Singh	...	Bareilly College.
97 Venkaya, B.	...	Saugor High School.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the Entrance Examination :—

FIRST DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Bari, Syed	Commillah School.
Abdul Halim	Calcutta Mudrassa.
Abdul Wahab	Ditto.
Abul Khair Mahomed Abdus Sabhan	Ditto.
Alder, A. L.	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Amar Nath	Gondah High School.
Anderson, G.	Private Student.
Bagchi, Kalikrishna	Bauleah High School.
Bampton, P.	St. Xavier's College.
Bandyopadhyay, Anandakumar	Dacca Collegiate School.
" Asutosh	General Assembly's Institution.
" Avinas Chandra	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
" Avinas Chandra	Kasipur Kasinath School.
" Kalipada	Ooterpara School.
" Mahendranath	Konnugger School.
" Nandalal	Hindu School.
" Radha Charan	Ooterparah School.
" Rames Chandra	Hindu School.
" Upendra Nath	Hooghly Branch School.
Banerjee, A. N.	Doveton College.
Basil, M.	Armenian Phil. Academy.
Basu, Akshay Kumar	Hindu School.
" Avinas Chandra	Hare School.
" Basanta Kumar	Teghoria School.
" Bhupendra Nath	Hindu School.
" Bijay Gopal	Noral School.
" Braja Nath	Hindu School.
" Devendrabijay	Bullagurh School.
" Dina Nath	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
" Jogneswar	Ditto.
" Jotendra Nath	Oriental Seminary.
" Kalipada	Agurparah C. M. S. Institution.
" Kritanta Kumar	Hindu School.
" Kusamkumar	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
" Lolitmohan	Pogose School.
" Narayanchandra	Calcutta Institution.
" Saratchandra	Noacolly School.
Bhattacharyya, Govindachandra	Howrah School.
" Kailaschandra	Metropolitan Institution.
" Rammay	F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
Biswas, Baikunthanath	Mirzapore Mission School.
Chaki, Benimadhav	Bauleah High School.
Chakravarti, Nisakanta	Hindu School.
Channon, F.	Doveton College.
Chattopadhyay, Anantalal	Hare School.
" Anukulchandra	Howrah School.
" Bhagavaticharan	Barrackpore School.
" Bhutnath	Hindu School.
" Chandrakumar	Jonye Training School.
" Digamvar	Bancoorah School.
" Ishanchandra	Kuchiakole Rajgram School.
" Jogendranath	Hume's High School, Etawah.
" Manmatha	Hare School.
" Pankajakumar	Ditto.
" Rajendranath	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
" Ramkali	Hindu School.
" Saratchandra	Ooterparah School.
Chaudhuri, Tarapada	Hindu School.
Damodar Das	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Das, Jagadis Charan	Metropolitan Institution.
" Sasibhushan	Calcutta Training Academy.
Datta, Chandra Kumar	Mymensing School.
" Jadav Krishna	Noral School.
" Jagatvandhu	Noacolly School.
" Jay Gopal	General Assembly's Institution.
" Lalvihari	Sanskrit College.

Datta, Mahendra Nath	Hare School.
" Naphar Chandra	Ditto.
" Narayan Das	Hindu School.
" Narendra Krishna	Metropolitan Institution.
" Navin Chandra	Commillah School.
" Parvati Nath	Hindu School.
" Upendra Nath	General Assembly's Institution.
Davidson, T.	Doveton College.
De, Narendra Lal	Hare School.
" Rama Nath	Hindu School.
Denial Tamizuddin Ahmed	Hare School.
DeZylva, E.	St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Dufour, A.	St. Xavier's College.
Durgasankar	Jubbulpore High School.
Foy, W.	La Martiniere College, Lucknow.
French, G. B.	Doveton College.
Gangopadhyay, Kedar Nath	Kasipur Kasinath School.
Ghosh, Asutosh	Hare School.
" Bipin Vihari	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
" Bipin Vihari	Jessore School.
" Jogendra Chandra	Metropolitan Institution.
" Manmohan	Hindu School.
" Narayan Chandra	Metropolitan Institution.
" Parvati Nath	Hindu School.
" Pran Chaitanya	Teghoria School.
" Ramottam	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
" Umes Chandra	Mymensing School.
Gosvami, Navakrishna	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
" Trailokya Nath	General Assembly's Institution.
Gupta, Govinda Chandra	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
" Gurulal	Beerbhoom School.
" Matilal	Hare School.
Holmes, G. P.	St. Xavier's College.
Jagannath Prasad	Jubbulpore High School.
Jordar, Radha Nath	Mymensing School.
Kar Gaurkisor	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Kennedy, R.	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Kshetri, Srikrishna	Metropolitan Institution.
Lahiri, Chandrakanta	Mymensing School.
Le Franc, P. B.	Doveton College.
Maiti, Rudranarayan	Midnapore High School.
Maitra, Hiramvachandra	Furreedpore School.
" Rajendralal	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
Majumdar, Bhavanikisor	Mymensing School.
" Hridaynath	Jagannath School.
" Jogendrachandra	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Mallik, Hiralal	Ooterparah School.
" Nilmadhav	Hindu School.
" Srinarayan	Hare School.
Massa, L. A.	St. Xavier's College.
Misra, Dulichand	Jubbulpore High School.
Mitra, Amulyakrishna	Hindu School.
" Birajacharan	Ditto.
" Girishchandra	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
" Kedarnath	Garden Reach School.
" Nagendrachandra	St. Stephen's Mission School, Nyehati.
" Umacharan	Saradaprasad Institution.
" Upendranath	Metropolitan Institution.
Mohammad Hasan	Joynarain's College.
Mohinta, Purnachandra	Dacca Collegiate School.
Mukhopadhyay, Adhar Chandra	Saradaprasad Institution.
" Bhutnath	Seal's Free College.
" Devendra Nath	Hare School.
" Jogneswar	General Assembly's Institution.
" Kailas Chandra	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
" Kalicharan	Ooterparah School.
" Kisari Mohan	Oriental Seminary.
" Krishnadhan	Ooterparah School.
" Narottam	Sanskrit College.
" Phakir Chandra	Ooterparah School.
" Phanibhushan	Barrackpore School.

Mukhopadhyay, Santosh Prasad	... General Assembly's Institution.
Nág, Abhay Charan	... Mymensing School.
Páin, Priya Lal	... Hindu School.
Pál, Srinath	... Hare School.
Palit, Syama Charan	... Metropolitan Institution.
Palmer, C.	... La Martiniere College, Lucknow.
Pereira, C.	... St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Raushan Lal	... Agra Collegiate School.
Ray, Atul Krishna	... Hooghly Branch School.
„ Bidubhushan	... Hindu School.
„ Nandagopal	... Hare School.
„ Nikunja Vihari	... Bauleah High School.
„ Phatik Chandra	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Rajani Kanta	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Ram Charan	... Noral School.
Read, A. H.	... La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Sanyal, Dinanath	... Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Ramanath	... Howrah School.
Sarkar, Charuchandra	... Hare School.
„ Jaganmohan	... Mogultuli School.
„ Pulinvihari	... Hare School.
Sarvtay, Nilkantakrishnajee	... Jubbulpore High School.
Sen, Harimohan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Khagendranath	... Hare School.
„ Kisarilal	... Ditto.
„ Prankrishna	... Hindu School.
Sen Gupta, Kisarimohan	... Hare School.
Set, Hridaylal	... Metropolitan Institution
Sinha, Bansilal	... Patna Collegiate School.
„ Binadvihari	... Howrah School.
„ Nirmalchandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
Thaddeus, A. M.	... St. Xavier's College.
Vyasa, Jaykrishna	... Allahabad Government Zillah School.
Wenat, H.	... St. Thomas Collegiate School.
172 Young, G.	... La Martiniere College, Calcutta.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Gafur I	... Patna Collegiate School.
Abdul Gafur II	... Ditto ditto.
Abdul Hakim Sheikh	... Canning College, Lucknow.
Abu Ali Mohammed Hamed	... Sylhet Government School.
Acharyya, Panchanan	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
Achhruram	... Umritsur Zillah School.
Adhikari, Sashibhushan	... Chandernagore School.
Adhya, Girischandra	... Hare School.
Ajodhya Prasad	... Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Alabi Baksh	... Serampore College.
Alay Mohammed, Syed	... Agra Collegiate School.
Ali Bahadur, Syed	... Hurdui Zillah School.
Ali Mohammed	... Sultanpore School.
Amvika Prasad	... Goruckpore Mission School.
Ankurnath	... Jeypore Moharaja's College.
Atmaram Garota	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
Awadkisor	... Patna Collegiate School.
Babbu Singh	... Hume's High School.
Badri Datta	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
Bagchi, Kedarnath	... Joy Narain's College.
Bajpai, Benimadhav	... Unao High School.
„ Nawulvihari	... Futtehgurh High School.
Baksi, Navagopal	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
Baldev Dass	... London Missionary Society's Institution, Mirzapore.
Baldeo Singh	... Debra Doon Mission School.
Bandyopadhyay, Annadaprasad	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
„ Anukul	... Bhowanipore Union Academy.
„ Apurvachandra	... Garden Reach School.
„ Bankavihari	... Kasipur Kasinath School.
„ Bipinvihari	... Ooterparah School.
„ Chunilal	... Dacca Collegiate School.
Dinanath	... Kasipur Kasinath School.

Bandyopadhyay, Girindranath	... Konnaggar School.
„ Haripada	... Oriental Seminary.
„ Hemchandra	... L. M. High School, Benares.
„ Jogendranath	... Sibpore Institution.
„ Kshetramohan	... Sanskrit College.
„ Kshetramohan	... Culna Moharaja's School.
„ Mahendranath	... South Baharoo School.
„ Pramathanath	... Patna Collegiate School.
„ Rakhaldas	... Beauleah High School.
„ Ramgovinda	... Sanskrit College.
„ Sasibhushan	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Syamacharan	... South Baharoo School.
„ Upendrachandra	... Beerbhoom School.
Bankevihari	... Bharaich School.
Bansilal	... Jubbulpore High School.
Baptiste, E.	... Patna Collegiate School.
Baqr Ali, Syed	... Joy Narain's College.
Baral, Gopalchandra	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Basak, Chandrakanta	... Pubna Government School.
„ Krishnalal	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Syamsundar	... Oriental Seminary.
Basu, Annadaprasad	... Noral School.
„ Bhavanicharan	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Bhuvanmohan	... Calcutta School.
„ Chandrakanta	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Chintamani	... South Suburban School, Kalighat.
„ Dwarkanath	... Noakholly School.
„ Gangadas	... Mymensingh School.
„ Gurucharan	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
„ Hemchandra	... Hindu School.
„ Jadunath	... Culna Free Church Branch School.
„ Jagadisvar	... Patna Collegiate School.
„ Jogeschandra	... London Missionary Society's Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Jognesvar	... Hare School.
„ Kshetramohan	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Nrityagopal	... Hare School.
„ Prasannakumar	... Fureedpore School.
„ Siddhesvar	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Srigopal	... South Suburban School, Kalighat.
„ Syamacharan	... Private student.
„ Taraknath	... Noral School.
„ Umeshchandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
Bhagwan Das	... Jubbulpore High School.
Bhagwant Roy	... Barabanki High School.
Bhairav Datta	... Hume's High School.
Bhan Madhav Barde	... Nagpore City School.
Bhar, Nilmani	... Hindu School.
Bhattacharyya Bipinvihari	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
„ Chandrakumar	... L. M. S. Institution Bhowanipore.
„ Harinath	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Kalisundar	... Beauleah High School.
„ Kapilesvar	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Makundachandra	... Serajgunge School.
„ Navinkrishna	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Nivaranchandra	... Sanskrit College.
„ Purnachandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Rajanikanta	... Rungpore School.
„ Rajendranath	... Takee H. C. E. School.
„ Rakhalchandra	... Navadwip E. School.
„ Rakhaldas	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Ramaprasad	... Jessore School.
„ Ramgopal	... Kishnaghur A. V. School.
„ Sadhanchandra	... Konnaggar School.
Bhyron Prasad	... Mooradabad Zillah School.
Biharilal	... C. M. School, Jubbulpore.
Bisvas, Jadunath	... Mirzapore Mission School.
„ Sastivar	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Bisvesvar Prasad	... Benares College.
Bodhraj	... Gujrat School.
Brindavan Das	... Agra Collegiate School.

Bryan, J.	... LaMartiniere College, Lucknow.
Byers, T. B.	... St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Carbery, S.	... St. Joseph's School.
Chakravarti, Banesvar	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Indranarayan	... Beerbhoom School.
„ Jogendranath	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Navin Chandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Prankrishna	... Benares College.
„ Rajendranath	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Saradacharan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Sivchandra	... Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Syamacharan	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Umeschandra	... Harinavi Anglo Sanskrit School.
Chart Singh	... Sealkote Scotch Mission School.
Chattopadhyay, Aghornath	... Hindu School.
„ Bholanath	... Joy Narain's College.
„ Bhushanchandra	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Biharilal	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
„ Chandrabhushan	... Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Haricharan	... Ooterparah School.
„ Haripada	... Chandernagore School.
„ Kalikumar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Krishnakumar	... Jubbulpore High School
„ Mahendranath	.. Lahore Medical School.
„ Nagendranath	... Ranaghat School.
„ Nivaranchandra	... Hare School.
„ Ramchandra	... Patna Collegiate School.
„ Upendrakumar	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
Chaudhuri, Bijay Govinda	... Rungpore School.
„ Bipinchandra	... Hindu School.
„ Dwarkakanta	... Hare School.
„ Haradhan	... Hamilton's English School, Tumlook.
„ Harasankar	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Mahendranath	... Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Makhanlal	... Konnaggar School.
„ Raghunath	... Balasore School.
„ Ratanmani	... Seal's Free College.
„ Sasikumar	... F. C. Institution, Chinsurah.
Chongdar, Asutosh	... Howrah School.
Choprah, Tirathram	... Lahore Government Zillah School.
Copeland, J.	... Wood's Academy.
Das, Anandachandra	... Abdul Gunny's Free School.
„ Annadaprasad	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Baradakanta	... Mymensingh School.
„ Bhuvanmohan	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Govindachandra	... Commillah School.
„ Haranchandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Haraprasanna	... Searsole School.
„ Harinarayan	... Cutwa School.
„ Harischandra	... Chittagong High School.
„ Krishnasundar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Maheschandra	... Seal's Free College.
„ Navakisor	... Sylhet Government School.
„ Priyanath	... Kasipore Kasinath School.
„ Ramankrishna	... Furreedpore School.
„ Sasimohan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
Datta, Amvikacharan	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Baikunthanath	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Bamdev	... Hindu School.
„ Bhuvanmohan	... Mirzapore Mission School.
„ Brajavallabh	... Cutwa School.
„ Dharmadas	... Konnaggar School.
„ Gangadas	... Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Kaliprasanna	... Burrisaul School.
„ Krishnalal	... Noral School.
„ Madhusudan	... Midnapore High School.
„ Piyarinath	... Howrah School.
„ Prasannakumar	... Private Student.
„ Satyacharan	... Hare School.
„ Satyacharan	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Sitanath	... Calcutta School.

Datta, Tarakchandra	... Mymensingh School.
„ Taraknath	... Mirzapore Mission School.
De, Akhilchandra	... Chittagong High School.
„ Bamacharan	... Chandernagore School.
„ Basantakumar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Piyaricharan	... Hare School.
„ Prasannachandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Ramapati	... Hare School.
Dev, Raghunath	... Ditto
Deva Dutt	... Hurdui High School.
Devidin	... Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Deviprasad	... Hume's High School.
Dharam Narayan	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
Dikshit, Jagannath Ganes	... Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
„ Jaydev	... Jubbulpore High School.
Dindayal	... Gondah High School.
Dube, Murlidhar	... Jubbulpore High School.
Erasmus, J. D.	... Canning College, Lucknow.
Farid-ud-din Ahmad	... Calcutta Madrassa.
Gangaprasad	... Hume's High School.
Gangopadhyay, Ganeschandra	... Digapotia School.
„ Jadunath	... Bhagulpore School.
„ Kunjavihari	... Jyepore Moharaja's College.
„ Priyanath	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
Gayaprasad	... Benares College.
Ghazanfur Ali, Mir	... St. Stephen's College, Delhi.
Ghosh, Abhay Kumar	... Pogose School.
„ Bamacharan	... Sarun School.
„ Bhuvanesvar	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Binadvihari	... Serampore College.
„ Girischandra	... Garden Reach School.
„ Govindalal	... Kandee School.
„ Haricharan	... Goberdangah School.
„ Haricharan	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Ishanchandra	... Hare School.
„ Kaliprasanna	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Kartikchandra	... Howrah School.
„ Kshetramohan	... Baraset School.
„ Manmohan	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Narendranath, Maulik	... Hooghly Branch School.
„ Nisikumar	... Rungpore School.
„ Prasannakumar	... Beauleah High School.
„ Priyanath	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Purnachandra	... Takee H. C. E. School.
„ Rajendrachandra	... Hindu School.
„ Rajendralal	... Hare School.
„ Upendranath	... Midnapore High School.
Ghoshal, Aghornath	... Monghyr School.
„ Harakumar	... Agurparah C. M. S. Institution.
„ Syamapada	... Konnaggar School.
Golam Qudir, Syed	... Patna Collegiate School.
Gomes, N.	... St. Chrysostom's School.
Gorak Prasad	... Goruckpore Mission School.
Gosvami, Kisarikisor	... Santipore Municipal School.
Govinda Vaman Kadbe	... F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Guin, Dinanath	... Hindu School.
Gundaya, T.	... F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
Guni, Srinibas	... Midnapore High School.
Gupta, Gaurisankar	... F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
„ Jaysankar	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
„ Kaisikicharan	... Silchar Government School.
„ Mohinimohan	... Ooterparah School.
„ Panchkari	... Hazareebagh School.
„ Rajanikanta	... Benares College.
„ Sasikumar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Umeschandra	... Santosh Jahnavi School.
„ Umeschandra	... Barabanki High School.
Gurdayal	... St. John's College.
Haldar, Gopallal	... General Assembly's Institution.
„ Harijahnavi	... Howrah School.
„ Paresnath	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Rajendranath	... Private Student.

Hanuman Prasad	...	Sultanpore School.
Harikisan Das	...	Delhi Government School.
Harnam Sewak	...	Goruckpore Mission School.
Harriott, G.	..	La Martiniere College, Lucknow.
Harris, B.	...	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
Hazarilal	...	Cawnpore Zillah School.
Hemhat Ali Khan	...	Coomercolly School.
Heysham, H. R.	...	St. Xavier's College.
Hiralal	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Hoole, R. A.	...	Kandy Collegiate School.
Iqtidar-ud-din	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Jagannath Godi Ruthekur	...	Nagpore City School.
Jai Singh	...	Rawulpindee Mission School.
Jausz, C. A.	...	St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Jewell, H. A.	...	St. Xavier's College.
Jyotirbid, Jwala Datta	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
,, Srikrishna	...	Ditto.
Kalicharan Lal	...	Gazeepore Mission School.
Kalika Prasad	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Kalyan Singh	...	Agra Collegiate School.
Kar, Purnachandra	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
,, Rajmohan	...	Mogultuli E. School.
Karamat-ullah	...	Calcutta Madrassa.
Keshwa Nand	...	Dehra Doon Mission School.
Kuljas Ray	...	Umritsur Zillah School.
Labha Mal	...	Ditto.
Lachman Ganesh Navlekar	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Lackersteen, A. M.	...	Bengal Academy.
Laek, Rajnarayan	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Laha, Chandicharan	...	Hindu School.
Lahiri, Asutosh	...	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Harischandra	...	Hindu School.
,, Nalinimohan	...	Beauleah High School.
,, Srihari	...	Bhagulpore School.
Lakshmi Chandra	...	Agra Collegiate School.
Lakshmiram	...	C. M. School, Meerut.
Madan Singh	...	St. Stephen's College, Delhi.
Madhar Rao Dinkar	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Mahadev Pande	...	Benares College.
Mahes Prasad	...	Fyzabad High School.
Maitra, Amvikacharan	...	Beauleah High School.
,, Dvarkanath	...	Ditto.
Majumdar, Asminikumar	...	Jessore School.
,, Kailashchandra	...	Rungpore School.
,, Purnachandra	...	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
,, Rajanikanta	...	Hare School.
Mandal, Biharilal	...	Culna Free Church Branch School.
Manikchand	...	Benares College.
Manuel, D.	...	St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Masaddar Ali	...	Sylhet Government School.
Mathradas	...	Gujrat School.
Matthews, C.	...	Armenian Ph. Academy.
Maulik, Harischandra	...	General Assembly's Institution.
McGee, S.	...	St. Joseph's School.
Miran Baksh	...	Umritsur C. M. School.
Mitchell, W.	...	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Mitra, Adharchandra	...	Hare School.
,, Akshaykumar	...	Ditto.
,, Asutosh	...	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
,, Bamacharan	...	General Assembly's Institution.
,, Bhushanchandra	...	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Chunilal	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Dwarkanath	...	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Haridas	...	Hare School.
,, Haripada	...	Howrah School.
,, Hemchandra	...	Harinavi A. S. School.
,, Khagendranath	...	Hindu School.
,, Lalvihari	...	Hare School.
,, Lalitmohan	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Nripendranath	...	Hindu School.
,, Nrityagopal	...	Howrah School.
,, Nrityagopal	...	Konnaggar School.

Mitra, Rajanikanta	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Saradaprasad	..	Konnaggar School.
,, Saratchandra (Junior)	..	Metropolitan Institution.
,, Sarvesvar	..	Fureedpore School.
,, Sivadacharan	..	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
,, Suratlal	..	Hare School.
Mohammed Hanif	..	L. M. High School, Benares.
,, Ismael	..	Arrah School.
,, Mirza	..	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Mobhem	..	Fureedpore School.
,, Serajuddin	..	L. M. High School, Benares.
,, Sujad Hossien	..	Canning College, Lucknow.
,, Syed Alam	..	Roy Bareilly High School.
Montgomery, R. P.	..	Calcutta Boys' School.
Mukhopadhyay, Abhaya Charan	..	Oriental Seminary.
,, Amritalal	..	Barrackpore School.
,, Anukulchandra	..	Burdwan English School.
,, Asutosh	..	Canning College, Lucknow.
,, Atulchandra	..	Cuttack High School.
,, Binadlal	..	Bareilly Collegiate School.
,, Girischandra	..	Beerbhoom School.
,, Gyanendranath	..	Konnaggar School.
,, Harendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Jogendrachandra	..	Kassipore Kasinath School.
,, Jogendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Kalidas	..	Sridharpore School.
,, Kalikumar	..	Metropolitan Institution.
,, Kantichandra	..	Amta School.
,, Lalitmohan	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
,, Manindranath	..	Hare School.
,, Nidhiram	..	General Assembly's Institution.
,, Nivaranchandra	..	C. M. School, Jubbulpore.
,, Purnachandra	..	Ditto Ditto.
,, Ramgopal	..	Ilsoba Mondlye School.
,, Sasibhushan	..	Patna Collegiate School.
,, Sastivar	..	Goburdangah School.
,, Sidhesvar	..	Moharanee Sarnamoyee's School.
,, Surendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Syamacharan	..	Bankoora School.
Mumford, W.	..	St. Xavier's College.
Munilal	..	Patiala School.
Munnalal	..	Allygurh Zillah School.
Munnalal	..	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Munsi, Gurunath	..	Beauleah High School.
Murray, E. R.	..	Mussooree School.
Nag, Haradayal	..	Dacca Collegiate School.
,, Priyanath	..	Bullagurh School.
Nandan, Kanailal	..	London Missionary Society's Institution, Bhowanipore.
Nandi, Baninath	..	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
,, Bankavihari	..	Fureedpore School.
,, Gaganchandra	..	Silchar Government School.
Narayandas	..	Lahore Government Zillah School.
Narayan Prasad	..	Agra Collegiate School.
Nehaluddin Ahmed	..	Canning College, Lucknow.
Nurul Huda, Syed	..	Doveton College.
Ockleton, C.	..	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Oliver, G. T.	..	Ditto. ditto.
Pain, Syamlal	..	Serampore College.
Pal, Akshay Kumar	..	Hare School.
,, Harimohan	..	Commillah School.
,, Janakinath	..	Kishnaghur A. V. School.
,, Maniklal	..	Hooghly Collegiate School.
,, Nripendranath	..	Hare School.
,, Saratchandra	..	Hindu School.
,, Umeschandra	..	Garden Reach School.
Pande, Sivdatta	..	Cawnpore Zillah School.
Parsons, E. R.	..	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Pathak Gangaprasad	..	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Pereira, J. C. W.	...	St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Pigot, E. S.	..	Calcutta Boys' School.
Piyarilal	..	St. Stephen's Collee, Delhi.

Powell, L. P.	..	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Raghuvir Narayan Sukul	..	Hurdui Zillah School.
Raj Bahadur Pandit	..	Christ Church School, Cawnpore.
Rajaram Chitambar	..	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Rajaram Gangadhur Despanday	..	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Raja Prasad	..	Gazeepore Mission School.
Ram Bahadur	..	Patna Collegiate School.
Ram Bhullabh	..	Sultanpore School.
Ramchandra Rao	..	C. M. School, Jubbulpore.
Ramesvarprasad Bhagran	..	Allahabad Government Zillah High School
Ray, Abhaya Charan	..	Rungpore School.
„ Baikuntha Chandra	..	Barrisal School.
„ Bisvambhar	..	Rungpore School.
„ Bisveswar	..	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Devendranath	..	Hindu School.
„ Durgadas	..	Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Gopimohan	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Govinda Chandra	..	Calcutta School.
„ Gurbaksh	..	Agra Collegiate School.
„ Harinath	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Isanchandra	..	Benares College.
„ Lakshminarayan	..	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Navakumar	..	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Phakirdas	..	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Prasannakumar	..	Midnapore High School.
„ Prasannakumar	..	Noral School.
„ Rishikes	..	Fureedpore School.
„ Sarutchandra	..	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Sasadhar	..	Beauleah High School.
„ Sasikumar	..	Commillah School.
„ Satinath	..	L. M. School, Khagra.
„ Syamacharan	..	Burrisal School.
„ Taraknath	..	Seal's Free College.
„ Upendranath	..	Intally Institution.
„ Bharilal, Chaudri,	..	Burrisa School.
Sadat Ali Khan	..	Moradabad Zillah School.
Saha, Adhar Chandra	..	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Harilal	..	Ditto.
„ Lalvihari	..	Ditto, Chinsurah.
Sankar Ramchandra Kolti	..	Nagpore City School.
Sankey, W. H. T.	..	St. Xavier's College.
Sanwaldas Ramsanahei	..	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Sanyal, Jogeschandra	..	Hare School.
„ Nagendranath	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
Sarkar, Avinaschandra	..	South Baharoo School.
„ Bholanath	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Biharilal	..	General Assembly's Institution.
„ Brajendralal	..	Hare School.
„ Devendranath	..	Beerbhoom School.
„ Harinath	..	Oriental Seminary.
„ Mahendranath	..	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Ramdas	..	Beerbhoom School.
Sarma Tarakisor	..	Sylhet Government School.
Sen, Akshaykumar	..	Burrisal School.
„ Bamacharan	..	Bankoora School.
„ Bipinvihari	..	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Chandrakanta	..	Burrisal School.
„ Gopalchandra	..	Bauleah High School.
„ Jadunath	..	Furreedpore School.
„ Jivankrishna	..	Chittagong High School.
„ Kailaschandra	..	Furreedpore School.
„ Kalikrishna	..	Barisa School.
„ Kaliprasanna	..	Noral School.
„ Mathuranath	..	Abdool Gunny's Free School.
„ Saradakumar	..	Mymensing School.
„ Saradaprasad	..	Commillah School.
„ Sasibhusan	..	Hare School.
„ Sasibhusan	..	Monghyr School.
„ Sasibhusan	..	Jagannath School, Dacca.
„ Umeschandra	..	Mirzapore Mission School.
Set, Kirtichandra	..	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Set, Munnalal	...	Hurdui Zillah School.

Sheonarayan	...	Gondah High School.
Sil, Biharilal	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Durgadas	...	Sanskrit College.
Sinaes, M.	...	St. Joseph's School.
Sinha, Amritalal	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Haralal	...	Jessore School.
„ Harinath	...	Kishnaghur Anglo Vernacular School.
„ Jagatchandra	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Kailaschandra	...	Commillah School.
Sirajuddin	...	Moradabad Zillah School.
Sitaram	...	Fyzabad High School.
Sivapratap	...	Ajmere College.
Smith, W. H.	...	Calcutta Boys' School.
Srikhandi, Govinda Rao	...	Jubbulpore High School.
Stowell, G. F.	...	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla.
Sujan Singh	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Sundarlal	...	Allahabad Government Zillah High School.
Sur, Sasibhusan	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Surnden, F. A.	...	L. M. High School, Benares.
Syamprakas	...	Arrah School.
Tejray	...	Teacher.
Thomson, C. W.	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Tiwari, Bhagwan Din	...	Roy Bareilly High School.
„ Chandrasekhar	...	Beerbhoom School.
„ Gajadhar	...	Joynarain's College.
Van Gunster, G.	...	St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Vindheswariprasad Lala	...	Benares College.
Vindheswariprasad Pande	...	Do. Do.
Vithal Waman Páge	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
490 Wahid Baksh	...	Calcutta Madrassa.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Jalil	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Abdur Rahim	...	Ditto ditto.
Acharyya, Jogendra Chandra	...	Navadwipa English School.
Ajodhyanath	...	Ajmere College School.
Ameer Ali	...	Lahore Mission School.
Anantaram	...	Husiarpore Zillah School.
Atmárám Bhugwant	...	Nagpore City School.
Badri Prasad	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Badri Prasad	...	Fyzabad High School.
Bandyopádhyáy, Asutosh	...	Metropolitan Institution.
„ Atulchundra	...	Baraset School.
„ Benimadbab	...	Gossydurgapore School.
„ Bidubhusan	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Bipinvihari	...	Sultanpore School.
„ Gopalchandra	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Haranchandra	...	Kanchrapara School.
„ Harimohan	...	Chinsurah Free Church Institution.
„ Khetramohan	...	Piljung School.
„ Mahendranath	...	St. John's College.
„ Nanilal	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Rajendralal	...	Serampore College.
„ Ramratna	...	Beerbhoom School.
„ Umadas	...	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
Banerjee, D. N.	...	Teacher.
Banwarilal	...	Moradabad Zillah School.
Basu, Avinaschandra	...	Private Student.
„ Ekadanta	...	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Gopalchandra	...	Cuttack High School.
„ Govindachandra	...	Allahabad Government Zillah School.
„ Kalimohan	...	Metropolitan School.
„ Prasannakumar	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Sriramchandra	...	Ditto ditto.
„ Syamachara	...	Hindu School.
Bhadra, Krishnakumar	...	Commillah School.
Bhagwanchand	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
Bhakta, Hiralal	...	Santipore Municipal School.
Bhanja, Kedarnath	...	London Mission Society Institution, Bhowanipore.

Bhatta, Gadádhar	...	Patna Collegiate School.
Bhattacharyya, Bishnuchandra	...	Jenkins' School, Cooch Behar.
„ Jogneswar	...	Navadwipa English School.
„ Kedarnath	...	Seal's Free College.
„ Nilratan	...	Joynarian's College.
„ Purnachandra	...	Howrah School.
„ Purnachandra	...	Horinavi A. S. School.
„ Ramendra	...	Muragacha School.
„ Rasaraj	...	Benares College.
„ Upendranath	...	Noral School.
Bhaumik, Kedarnath	...	Serajgunge School.
Biharilal	...	London Mission High School, Benares.
Bijaylal	...	Jeypore Maharajah's College.
Bisvas, Girischandra	...	Benares College.
„ Jadunath	...	Bhagulpore School.
„ Suryyakanta	...	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
Brahmanand	...	Ajmere College.
Chakravarti, Abhay Chandra	...	Abdul Gunny's Free School.
„ Anandagopal	...	Jagannath School.
„ Asutosh	...	Jessore School.
„ Asutosh	...	Metropolitan Seminary.
„ Bhagwanchandra	...	Local Mission School, Midnapore.
„ Girishchandra	...	Bauleah School.
„ Kailaschandra	...	Abdul Gunny's Free School.
„ Priyanath	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Sasibhusan	...	Calcutta School.
Chandulal	...	Patiala School.
Chattopadhyay, Dasurati	...	Serampore College.
„ Heramvalal	...	Cutwa School.
„ Kalachand	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Kirtichandra	...	Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Ramchandra	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Rashmohan	...	Oriental Seminary.
Chiranjilal	...	Delhi College.
Chaudhuri, Aghornath	...	Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Mahendranath	...	Kishnaghur Collegiate School.
„ Matilal	...	Sridharpore School.
„ Rajendranath	...	Allahabad Government Zillah School.
„ Upendralal	...	London Mission School, Khagra.
D'Souza, G. E.	...	Cuttack High School.
Das, Amvikacharan	...	Serampore College.
„ Balmokund	...	Agra Collegiate School.
„ Banarasi	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
„ Bishan	...	Husiarpore Zillah School.
„ Bolaki	...	Agra Collegiate School.
„ Chandrakumar	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Gopal	...	Scotch Mission School, Sealkote.
„ Harinath	...	Gowhatty High School.
„ Mahendrachandra	...	Commillah Zillah School.
„ Phalaram	...	Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
„ Rajendrachandra	...	Bhowanipore Union Academy.
„ Rajkumar	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Saratchandra	...	Serajgunge School.
Datta, Amritalal	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Amvikacharan	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Girischandra	...	Midnapore High School.
„ Haridas	...	Free Church Mission School, Mohanad.
„ Hemchandra	...	Howrah School.
„ Isananda	...	Seebsaugor Zillah School.
„ Krishnakinkar	...	Chittagong High School.
„ Rajanikanta	...	London Mission School, Khagra.
„ Sasadhar	...	Burrisal School.
„ Sasibhusan	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
Daw, Bipinchandra	...	Commillah Zillah School.
De, Gangacharan	...	Jagannath School.
„ Krishnachandra	...	Ditto.
Dindayal	...	Jeypore Maharajah's College.
Ditmal	...	Scotch Mission School, Sealkote.
Donnithorne, G. S.	...	Calcutta Boys' School.
Durgaprasad	...	Private Student.
Durgasahay	...	Mozufferpore School.

Edwards, A.	...	St. Thomas Collegiate School.
Faiz Bakhsh	...	Church Mission School, Umritsar.
Fitzsimons, A.	...	La Martineere College, Lucknow.
Ganeshilál	...	Sultanpore School.
Gangaprasad	...	Agra Collegiate School.
Gangaprasad	...	Allahabad Government Zillah School.
Gangopadhyay, Saradaprasad	...	Free Church Branch School, Culna.
Garurram	...	Benares College.
Gaurisankar	...	C. M. School, Meerut.
Geasiram	...	Hume's High School.
Ghatak, Nivaranchandra	...	Goburdangah School.
Ghosh, Asutosh	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Avinaschandra	...	Santipore Municipal School.
„ Hemnath	...	Jounpore Mission School.
„ Isanchandra	...	Bankoora School.
„ Mahendranath	...	Ooterparah School.
„ Manmathanath	...	Free Church Mission School, Mohanad.
„ Mathuramohan	...	Cawnpore Zillah School.
„ Probhatchandra	...	Nizamut School.
„ Rajnath	...	Burrisal School.
„ Ramanath	...	Metropolitan Seminary.
„ Taraprasanna	...	Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
Ghoshal, Prasannacoomar	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
Gopalganes Parbhuni	...	Nagpore City School.
Goswami, Batekrishna	...	Branch Metropolitan Institution.
„ Radhikamohan	...	Bauleah School.
Govinda, Balkrishna Patwardhan	...	Nagpore City School.
Govindarao	...	Benares College.
Guha, Dinanath	...	Jagannath School.
„ Iswarchandra	...	Pogose School.
„ Navakanta	...	Santosh Janhavi School.
Gulalchand	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Gupta, Kaminikanta	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Panchanan	...	Kandee School.
„ Tarakisar	...	Silchar Government School.
Haldar, Ganapati	...	Kishnaghur Anglo-Vernacular School.
Hamid Hossain	...	Patna Collegiate School.
Harbhagman	...	Guzrat School.
Hariharprasad	...	Monghyr School.
Hazarilal	...	Gya Zillah School.
Hiralal	...	Mutra Zillah School.
Hurst, J. H.	...	Mussooree School.
Jagannath	...	Mutra Zillah School.
Jasadalal	...	Gazeepore Mission School.
Jhá, Girijadatta	...	Bhagulpore School.
„ Jogmani	...	Ditto ditto.
„ Parmeswaridatta	...	Private Student,
Kanhayalál	...	Balrampore School.
Kar, Biharilal	...	Calcutta Training Academy.
Karmakar, Amvikacharan	...	Noral School.
Kisarilál	...	St. Stephen's College, Delhi.
Krishnachandra	...	Benares College.
Kundanlal	...	Delhi College.
Kundu, Gaurchandra	...	Albert Institution.
Laha, Binadvihari	...	Hindu School.
Lahiri, Bholanath	...	Serampore College.
„ Mohinimohan	...	Kishnaghur Anglo-Vernacular School.
„ Radhikaprasad	...	London Mission High School, Benares.
Lakshmanprasad	...	Cawnpore Zillah School.
Lakshminarayan	...	Mozufferpore School.
Lal, Gurucharan	...	Ranchee Government School.
Madhavo Ramchundra Bobade	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Madhavrao	...	Benares College.
Madhoram	...	Lahore Zillah School.
Mahanti, Ananda Chandra	...	Cuttack High School.
„ Prabhakar	...	Ditto ditto
Maiti, Mahendra Nath	...	Midnapore Local Mission School.
Maitra, Madhusudan	...	Hardui Zillah School.
Majumdar, Ramrup	...	Dinagepore School.
Mangaprasad	...	Barabanki High School.

Mirza Mohommed Wally	... Private Student.
Misra, Matilal	... Bhagulpore School.
„ Ramgovinda	... Bauleah School.
Mitra, Bisveswar	... Hindu School.
„ Harivar	... Jessore School.
„ Indubhusan	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
„ Kaminikanta	... Dacca Collegiate School.
„ Prasannakumar	... Midnapore Local Mission School.
„ Saradaprasad	... Amta School.
„ Saradacharan	... Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Siddhesvar	... Chinsurah Free Church Institution.
Mohallanavis Ram Krishna	... Mymensingh Zillah School.
Mohammed Abdullah	... Jubbulpore High School.
Mohanlal	... Lahore Mission School.
Mohavirprasad	... Benares College.
Moreshwarkhandu	... Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Mukhopadhyay, Anudaprasad	... Bhavanipore Union Academy.
„ Asutosh	... Oonao High School.
„ Benimadhav	... London Mission School, Khagra.
„ Kantichandra	... London Missionary Society Institution, Bhowanipore.
„ Priyanath	... Bauleah School.
„ Ramranjan	... Patna Collegiate School.
„ Sarvanicharan	... Ranchee School.
„ Syamacharan	... Hare School.
Mukund Govind Pavnasker	... Jubbulpore High School.
Mulchand	... Delhi College.
Mulraj	... Private Student.
Munshee Guruprasanna	... Bauleah School.
Nanda, Bhagavat	... Cuttack High School.
Nandi Brajendrakumar	... Bauleah School.
Nag Purnachandra	... Jagannath School.
Nathulal	... Jeypore Maharajah's College.
Nathuram	... St. John's College.
Niogi Haridas	... Hare School.
Pain, Gopalchandra	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Gostavihari	... Serampore College.
Pal, Bipinchandra	... Sylhet Government School.
„ Devendranath	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
Palit, Chandranath	... Cuttack High School.
Panday, Nandakisar	... Private Student.
Pandit, Surajnarayan	... Dehra Doon Mission School.
Phillips, F. W.	... Doveton College.
Phukan, Jadunath	... Seebsaugor Zillah School.
Raghunath Madhoo Despanday	... Nagpore City School.
Raghunathprasad	... Allahabad Government Zillah School.
Raghunathprasad	... Mutra Zillah School.
Rameswarprasad	... Mozufferpore School.
Ray, Brajanath	... Abdul Gunny's Free School.
„ Chaitanyaprasad	... Cuttack High School.
„ Durgaprasanna	... Oriental Seminary.
„ Girischandra	... Moharanee Surnomoy's School.
„ Gopallal	... Allahabad Government Zillah School.
„ Haricharan	... Baluti School.
„ Indranarayan	... Beerbhoom School.
„ Jogendranath	... Monghyr School.
„ Jogendranath	... Gopalnogur School.
„ Kunjavihari	... Cuttack High School.
„ Lalvihari	... Fureedpore School.
„ Mahendranath	... Calcutta Training Academy.
„ Piyarimohan	... Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
„ Purnachandra	... Kustea School.
„ Rajanikanta	... Bhagulpore School.
„ Satyendranath	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
„ Srinath	... Burrisal School.
„ Upendranath	... Metropolitan Institution.
Ruknuddin	... St. Stephen's College, Delhi.
Sadasiv Sakaram Gokhle	... Nagpore City School.
Saha, Prasannakumar	... Pakoor School.
„ Radharaman	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.

Saha, Rajanikanta	... Serajgunge School.
Sahay, Brajanandan	... Patna Collegiate School.
„ Narasinha	... Bhagulpore School.
Sant Sing	... Church Mission School, Amritsar.
Sanyal, Bishnu Chandra	... Benares College.
„ Kaliprasanna	... Rungpore Zillah School.
„ Purnachandra	... Furreedpore School.
„ Piyari Mohan	... Putea School.
Sarkar, Annada Prasad	... Deogarh School.
„ Gopal Chandra	... Dighapatia School.
„ Krishna Kanta	... Santipore Municipal School.
„ Sasibhushan	... London Missionary Society Institution, Bhowanipore.
Sarma, Betharam	... Tezpore School.
„ Dambharudhar	... Debroogurh School.
„ Mohima Chandra	... Abdul Gunny's Free School.
Sen, Binad Bihari	... Hooghly Collegiate School.
„ Hari Mohan	... Monghyr School.
„ Kailas Chandra	... Chinsurah Free Church Institution.
„ Karuna Sindhu	... Metropolitan Institution.
„ Pranhari	... Mogultoli School.
„ Ras Bihari	... Burrisal School.
„ Satya Charan	... Oriental Seminary.
„ Srinath	... Dum-Dum School.
„ Umasankar	... Bauleah School.
Sheik Babujan	... Balasore School.
Shewraj Bahadur	... Barabanki High School.
Singh Arjun	... Guzrat School.
„ Hardayal	... Delhi College.
„ Srinarayan	... Arrah Government School.
„ Syam	... Sultanpore School.
„ Thakur Prasad	... Arrah Government School.
Sinha Grish Chandra	... Beerbhoom School.
„ Gour Gopal	... Allahabad Government Zillah School.
„ Krishna Narayan	... Berhampore Collegiate School.
„ Kulada Prasad	... London Mission School, Khagra.
„ Lalvihari	... Bhagulpore School.
„ Raghuvir	... Benares College.
„ Sivadhyan	... Ditto.
„ Sivaram	... Bhastara School.
„ Trisuldhari	... Moradpore School, Bankipore.
Sitaram	... Lahore Mission School.
Sitaram	... Sarun School.
Sivnarayan	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
Sohanlal	... Husiarpore Zillah School.
Sundarram M.	... Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Syamlal	... Behar English School.
Syamvihari	... Arrah Government School.
Syed Aboo Jafar	... Canning College, Lucknow.
„ Mohommed Ruffiq	... Baptist Mission School, Monghyr.
„ Mohommed Sharfuddin	... Patna Collegiate School.
„ Uddin Ahmed	... Abdul Gunny's Free School.
„ Yehyah Hossain	... Patna College School.
Takurta, Binadlal	... Barrisal School.
Thakur, Brajendra Sundar	... Kandee School.
Varijanabhudu, P.	... Free Church Institution, Nagpore.
Yecknath Shraven	... Nagpore City School.
304 Zahural Hossein	... Allahabad Government Zillah School.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 28th December 1874.

J. SUTCLIFFE,
Registrar.

CURRENCY NOTES.

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NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7509	L 49—02518	50	J. B. Lemondine, Inspector.
7514	L 14—94429	20	The Station Master, Umritsur.
	L 49—20872	50	
7515	A 89—76446	500	Babu Bhoot Nauth Nauth.
7516	L 50—96866	100	Henry Hearns, Esq.
7517	A 92—70284	50	Birdhee Chund Dhurwa.
	„ —70292	50	
7522	L 38—08992	100	The Officiating Deputy Director General of Post Offices in India, and the Officiating Post Master General, Bengal.
7523	L 50—68315	100	R. Reid, Esq., Inspector, Police Compound, Calcutta.
	„ —79379	100	
	„ —68314	100	
	„ —79381	100	
	„ —68320	100	
	„ —68319	100	
	„ —68318	100	
7527	L 46—54170	20	Babu Kamini Coomer Ghosh.
	L 17—32243	5	
7528	A 89—72110	500	Ramsohoy Gungapershad.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7510	L 15—09673	5	Babu Bhugwan Chunder Bose.
	„ —09674	5	
7511	L 45—65156 } „ —65445 }	20	Chettoo Mistree.
7512	L 33—18042 } L 6—85520 }	10	
	A 97—06917 } „ —06916 }	10	Babu Deno Nauth Dutt
7513	L 49—24405	50	Babu Gobind Chunder Bhuttacharjee.
7518	L 17—21742 } „ —21743 }	5	Babu Chunder Coomer Biswas.
7519	L 49—47181	50	Babu Provas Chunder Sen.
7520	L 10—03626	5	Babu Kanty Chundra Mookerjee.
7521	L 11—42845	5	John Martin, Private.
7524	L 37—42894	20	Babu Nilmoni Coowar.
	L 45—74471	20	
7525	L 6—21804	10	W. J. Limington, Esq.
7526	L 6—66202	10	W. Stuart, Esq.
	L 5—23704	10	
	L 3—19255	10	
	L 6—94702	10	
	L 45—09399	20	
	L 6—02491	10	
	L 3—31061	10	
	L 6—62721	10	
	L 4—86424	10	
7529	L 19—71638	50	The Assistant Magistrate of Sarun, Zilla Chupra.
	L 32—30167	10	
	L 46—41807	20	
	„ —46155	20	
	L 33—80582	10	
7530	L 11—33925 } „ —33926 }	5	Jeunt Ali.
7532	L 36—21575 } „ —21572 }	20	Babu Chunder Mohun Gangooly.

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Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
3	E 4—56579	50	Dewan Sing, Changa-Mangha.
10	E 7—32905	5	Ramchand, Lahore.

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Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
163	E 7—02603 } „ —11175 } wrongly joined	5	Duriana Mal and Bhola Ram, Bankers, Rawul Pindi.
	E 6—43835* } L 1—53374† } ditto	10	

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Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
1874-75.			
135	C 85—52908	50	A. Venoo Gopaul Pillai, Clerk, Nizam's State Railway, Tandur.
137	C 79—82240	100	Tyebally Cassumjee, at Dawoodkhan Hubitoola, Parsee Bazaar, Fort.
	C 80—61263	100	
	„ —68937	100	
	„ —86142	100	
	C 86—39317	100	
	„ —39970	100	
	„ —42575	100	
	„ —51500	100	
	„ —80954	100	
	„ —88481	100	
	„ —88788	100	
	„ —92295	100	
138	C 55—02531	1,000	J. Melville, Esq., Bombay.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
1874-75.			
133	C 97—38148	10	Guneshdass Gunhediwalla, near Karakoowa, Bombay.
136	C 80—98905	100	Muggoomull Wullud Teerutdass, of Sehwan in Sind.
A 58	C 95—96076 } „ —96075 } wrongly joined	10	Sheik Amir, Private of the 7th Regiment N. I., Rajkote.
A 59	C 95—06402 } C 92—59971 } ditto	10	Ibrahim Rajan, Carnac Bunder, Bombay.
A 60	C 89—48405 } „ —48403 } ditto	10	Walter Scott, Esq., Bombay Gas Company.
A 61	M 3—06277 } „ —06279 } ditto	5	Krishnajee Pandurang, Penn.

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A. R. GORDON.
Assistant Commissioner.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

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264	D 11—01060	10	Post Master General, North-Western Provinces, Allahabad.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
262	D 5—61119	20	Surgeon Major G. Whitla, R. A., Benares.
266	D 6—43745 } „ —43744 } wrongly joined	10	Chief Pay Master, E. I. R. Co., Calcutta.
	L 13—86354 } D 5—36883 } ditto	20	
267	A 44—73065	20	Surgeon Major R. Thornton.
	„ —80067	20	
	A 40—57998	50	
273	D 10—56469	5	Thakoor Doss & Co., Roorkee.
	D 6—96071	10	
	„ —96568	10	
274	D 6—97606	10	D. M. Smeaton, Esq., Moradabad.
	D 5—63818	20	
	„ —63819	20	

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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Indore Residency, the 6th January 1875.

No. 11.—With reference to Notification No. 1663, dated 11th November 1874, Part II, *Gazette of India*, Colonel A. Smith, Officiating Commandant, Bhopal Battalion, rejoined from the privilege leave therein granted, on the 30th December 1874.

H. D. DALY, *Major General,*
Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

ESTABLISHMENT.

Indore, the 16th January 1875.

No. 52.—Baboo Beharee Lall, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, returned on the forenoon of the 6th instant, from two months' privilege leave granted him in this Administration No. 40 of the 14th November 1874, and he has been allowed one day's extension.

No. 53.—Bahal Roy, Overseer, 2nd Grade, availed himself on the 4th instant of twenty-eight days' privilege leave granted him in this Administration No. 50 of the 5th instant.

No. 54.—Munnoo Lall, Accountant, 4th Grade, returned on the 7th instant, from five months' sick leave granted him in this Administration Notification No. 38 of the 31st October 1874.

G. R. GIBBS, *Captain, S. C.,*
for *Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.*

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF AJMERE.

NOTIFICATIONS.—GENERAL.

Nusserabad, the 9th January 1875.

No. 29.—LEAVE.—Pundit Bhag Ram, Extra Assistant Commissioner and Treasury Officer, Ajmere, is granted sixty days' privilege leave from the 15th January 1875.

No. 32.—APPOINTMENT.—Pundit Maharaj Kishen, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Ajmere Settlement, is appointed to officiate during the absence on privilege leave of Pundit Bhag Ram, and is posted to Beawr.

No. 35.—Pundit Maharaj Kishen, Extra Assistant Commissioner, is invested with the following powers:—

CRIMINAL.

Powers of a Magistrate, 2nd Class, with powers of a Magistrate of a Division of a District under Section 40 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

CIVIL.

Small Cause Court powers up to Rs. 500.
Powers of an Assistant Commissioner with ordinary powers.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Chief Commissioner.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

1st Circle.

Calcutta, the 14th January 1875.

No. 175.—Barrack Sergeant J. Deane is transferred from the Fort William to the Dinapore Division; he joined the latter division on the afternoon of 24th December 1874.

W. R. TUCKER, *Major, R. E.,*
Offg. Supdg. Engr., 1st Circle, Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 12th January 1875.

No. 5.—With reference to Notification No. 33 of 16th November 1874, Mr. J. H. Reid, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, joined the Saugor Division, Military Works, on the afternoon of 30th November 1874.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Military Works.

3rd Circle.

The 14th January 1875.

No. 3.—With reference to Inspector General, Military Works, Notification No. 142 of 3rd De-

cember 1874, Mr. W. Phillips, Overseer, joined the 3rd Circle, Military Works, on the forenoon of 21st December 1874. Mr. Phillips is posted to the Bareilly Division, which he joined on the afternoon of 26th December 1874.

G. P. deP. FALCONNET, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 3rd Circle, Military Works.

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Two hundred sets of iron trestles complete for barrack cots, being in excess of the authorized scale for this Division. Executive Engineers requiring any, are requested to apply to the Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, Military Works.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 16th January 1875.

List of Offices opened and closed during the month of December 1874.

Names of Stations.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
Akote ...	Berars ...	4th ...	Opened.
Bazeetpore ...	Tirhoot ...	8th ...	Closed.
Lucknow City ...	Oudh ...	31st ...	Ditto.
Parell ...	Bombay ...	26th ...	Ditto.
Seetapore ...	Oudh ...	16th ...	Opened.
Wurdah ...	Berars ...	1st ...	Ditto.

ALBERT CAPPEL,
Director of Traffic, Telegraphs in India.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 19th January 1875.

No. 12.—Mr. J. H. Thompson, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Rajputana State Railway, is transferred to the Sindia State Railway.

No. 13.—Mr. J. G. Furnivall, Storekeeper, 2nd Grade, Rajputana State Railway, is appointed to officiate as Storekeeper for State Railways during the absence of Mr. Watson on privilege leave, or until further orders.

No. 14.—Mr. Watson, Storekeeper for State Railways, is granted two months and eight days' privilege leave with effect from the date of making over charge of his office to Mr. J. G. Furnivall.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 16th January 1875.

No. 2.—Major H. R. Faber, R. E., Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, is transferred from the "Lahore and Chenab" Division of the Survey Circle to the Chenab Section, with effect from 1st January 1875.

No. 3.—Mr. J. V. Smith, Overseer, 1st Grade, re-transferred from the Northern Bengal to the Punjab Northern State Railway, reported himself at Lahore on the forenoon of the 7th January 1875, and is posted to the Chenab Section, which section he joined on the forenoon of the 8th January 1875.

No. 4.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 106, dated 8th December 1874, transferring Mr. H. Bell, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, from the Holkar to the Punjab Northern State Railway, this officer reported his arrival at Lahore on the forenoon of the 21st December 1874.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 11th January 1875.

No. 12.—Mr. J. Duffy, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, is granted leave on medical certificate from the 16th October 1874 to the 10th December (both days inclusive).

The 15th January 1875.

No. 13.—With reference to this Office Notification No. 205, dated 11th August 1873, the leave therein granted to Sergeant J. Owens, Overseer, 1st Grade, Sutlej Bridge Division, should be privilege in lieu of departmental.

No. 14.—The following transfers have been made by Superintending Engineer, Mooltan District, and Controller :—

Mr. J. W. Brassington, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, from the Sutlej Bridge to the Shoojabad Division.

Mr. F. George, Accountant, 4th Grade, on return from the privilege leave granted to him by Engineer-in-Chief's Notification No. 287 of 12th ultimo, from the Adamwahan Workshops to the Sutlej Bridge Division.

Baboo Peary Mohun Hurr, Accountant, 4th Grade, from the Sutlej Bridge Division to the Adamwahan Workshops.

F. W. PEILE, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

NORTHERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Parbuttipore, the 11th January 1875.

No. 1.—In Notification No. 37 of 27th November 1874, for "25th September," read "28th September."

No. 2.—Mr. T. J. Dumayne, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, reported his return from the leave granted to him in No. 36 of 24th November 1874, on the forenoon of the 28th October 1874.

No. 3.—Mr. J. Lyons, Overseer, 1st Grade, is granted three months' privilege leave from the 3rd December 1874.

No. 4.—Captain Sedgwick, R. E., Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, reported his return to duty from the leave granted him in No. 20 of 8th September 1874, on the forenoon of the 9th November 1874.

No. 5.—Mr. J. M. Luff returned to duty from the leave granted him in No. 33 of 17th November 1874, on the 12th November 1874, and was employed on special duty until the afternoon of the 14th December, when he resumed charge of No. 1 Burral Division, from Mr. Thuey, Assistant Engineer.

No. 6.—Mr. W. Fensome, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, transferred from the Bengal Irrigation Department, reported his arrival on the 6th January and is posted to No. 1 Burral Division.

No. 7.—Mr. W. W. Shanks, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, availed himself of the leave granted to him in No. 34 of 17th November on the afternoon of 8th October 1874.

No. 8.—Mr. T. W. Grant, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is granted one month's privilege leave from 9th December, on the forenoon of which day he reported his departure.

No. 9.—Mr. I. V. Smith, Overseer, 1st Grade, ordered to rejoin the Punjab Northern State Railway, reported his departure on the 3rd December 1874.

No. 10.—Baboo Parmeshri Dass, Overseer, 3rd Grade, transferred from the Delhi District, Rajpootana State Railway, reported his arrival on the 3rd January 1875, and is temporarily attached to the Office of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No. 11.—Baboo Hem Canto Deb, Overseer, 2nd Grade, transferred from the Delhi District, Rajpootana State Railway, reported his arrival on the 3rd January 1875, and is posted to No. 5 Durwanee Division.

No. 12.—By order of the Director of State Railways, Notification No. 47 of 18th December 1874 is cancelled, so far as it concerns Captain Browne, R. E., and Baboo Mutty Lall Dey, Assistant Engineers.

No. 13.—Mr. J. A. Anderson, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, returned from the leave granted him in No. 19 of 18th September 1874, on the 1st January, and assumed charge of No. 2 Atraie Division, on the afternoon of that day.

No. 14.—Mr. J. Watkin, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, appointed to this line in Notification No. 111 of 15th December 1874, by the Director of State Railways, is posted to No. 1 Burral Division, where he reported his arrival on the 30th December 1874.

The 18th January 1875.

No. 15.—Mr. S. Finney, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, appointed to this line in Notification No. 111 of 15th December by the Director of State Railways, reported his arrival on the 11th January, and is posted to No. 4 Parbuttipore Division.

No. 16.—Corporal Crampton, Overseer, 1st Grade, transferred from the Special Division, Dinagepore, reported his arrival on the 14th December, and is posted to No. 6 Julpigoree Division.

No. 17.—Mr. Martin, Temporary Overseer, 1st Grade, is transferred from No. 6 Julpigoree Division to No. 5 Durwanee Division.

No. 18.—The resignation of Mr. E. Lawrence's appointment as Temporary Supervisor is accepted with effect from the 6th January 1875.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

HOLKAR STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mhow, the 9th January 1875.

No. 1.—Mr. T. Hookey, Supervisor, 1st Grade, transferred from the Nizam's State Railway, reported himself at Khundwa on the 26th December 1874, and is posted to the Ghât Division, Holkar State Railway.

No. 2.—Mr. M. C. Mackinnon, Assistant Engineer, Mhow Division, Holkar State Railway, reported himself to the Engineer-in-Chief, Holkar State Railway, on the expiry of one month's privilege leave granted to the Assistant Engineer, with effect from the 20th November 1874, in this Office Notification No. 59, dated 8th December 1874.

No. 3.—Mr. E. I. Shadbolt, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, posted to the Holkar State Railway in Notification No. 111, dated 15th December 1874, of the Director of State Railways, reported himself at Mhow on the 10th December 1874.

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief.

NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Indore, the 13th January 1875.

No. 52.—Referring to Notification No. 2, dated 15th January 1874, Mr. J. Wilkinson, Sub-Storekeeper, 2nd Grade, on probation, is brought on the permanent establishment, with effect from 25th November 1873.

The 16th January 1875.

No. 53.—With reference to Notification No. 48, dated 7th December 1874, Baboo Ram Chunder Mitter, Assistant Surgeon, Neemuch State Railway, Burnuggur, reported his return to duty on the forenoon of the 3rd January 1875.

J. IMBRIE MILLER,
Engineer-in-Chief.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 18th January 1875.

No. 109*E.*—Referring to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 610, dated 16th November 1874, Mr. W. C. Hosking, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, attached to the Delhi Division, Rajpootana State Railway, left Ageraka en route for Rangoon on the 10th December 1874 to join the Irravadi Valley Railway.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

SINDIA STATE RAILWAY SURVEY.

NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 18th January 1875.

No. 36.—Mr. G. T. Hulsten, appointed by the Director of State Railways to the Sindia State Railway as a temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, reported his arrival at Agra on the afternoon of the 16th instant, and is posted to No. 1 survey party.

C. J. MEAD, *Major,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th January 1875.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 per cent. Loans						5 per cent. Loan.	4½ per cent. Loans			5 per cent. Debentures for		4 per cent. Bombay Book Debt Loan of 1865.	Total Amount.
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1866.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	10 years. Repayable, June 1877.	15 years. Repayable, June 1882.		
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Balance of 31st December 1874	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,66,827	31,65,800	1,64,84,900	1,11,02,500	1,25,83,100	37,57,700	2,46,000	3,26,77,800	34,56,000	35,79,000	29	14,03,20,375
Add—															
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th January 1875...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	49,500
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 1st and 15th January 1875...	...	...	...	10,666	23,800	9,000	500	1,500	55,000	...	1,90,300	...	...	...	3,65,266
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th January 1875...	...	...	...	...	2,800	10,700	27,500	8,900	1,000	...	14,300	...	...	...	1,92,200
	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,77,493	31,92,400	1,65,04,500	1,11,31,500	1,26,07,500	38,13,700	2,46,000	3,28,82,400	34,56,000	35,79,000	29	14,09,27,341
Deduct—															
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	32,000	...	1,17,300	17,800	14,200	1,000	...	48,000	14,12,100	...	...	16,48,400
Balance on 15th January 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,45,493	31,92,400	1,63,87,200	1,11,13,700	1,25,93,300	38,12,700	2,46,000	3,28,34,400	34,56,000	35,79,000	29	13,92,78,941

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 14th Nov. 1874, enfaced from India 2,076 lakhs; retransferred from London, 1,983 lakhs.

" 16th November 1874 to 30th "	"	"	"	0 "	4 "
" 1st December " to 15th Dec.	"	"	"	11 "	17 "
" 16th " " to 31st "	"	"	"	16 "	24 "
" 1st January 1875 to 15th Jan. 1875	"	"	"	6 "	16 "
				2,109	2,049 lakhs.
				2,049	
Balance against India ...				60	

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL:
Calcutta, 18th January 1875.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st December 1874.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...				2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund				16,07,197	7	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	1,10,04,597	12	6	2,88,86,929	8	2
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,78,82,331	11	8			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				3,09,60,108	10	0
Bank Post Bills, &c.				4,91,301	9	3
Sundries				11,24,245	7	10
TOTAL ...				8,50,69,782	11	0

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities				1,78,90,965	2	10
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...				82,30,154	3	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches				44,89,548	12	9
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches				1,80,92,770	0	5
Dead Stock				10,70,752	8	3
Stamps				13,753	7	6
Balances with other Banks ...				4,79,305	9	11
Sundries				3,24,931	13	11
Bullion				13,84,850	5	8
				5,19,77,032	0	3
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	1,03,98,991	12	5	3,30,92,750	10	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	2,26,93,758	14	4			
TOTAL ...				8,50,69,782	11	0

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 19th January 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 19th January 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...				2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund				16,07,187	7	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	1,17,60,171	5	4	2,89,23,327	9	4
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,71,63,156	4	0			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				3,09,94,103	10	9
Bank Post Bills, &c.				6,87,361	6	6
Sundries				5,81,743	9	0
TOTAL ...				8,47,93,723	11	4

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities				1,80,49,305	8	10
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...				86,71,454	3	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches				25,18,860	10	9
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches				1,92,30,394	15	11
Dead Stock				10,89,005	15	6
Stamps				13,808	11	0
Balances with other Banks ...				2,08,214	3	3
Sundries				3,04,240	10	11
Bullion				8,34,436	7	3
				5,09,19,721	6	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	1,15,52,899	8	3	3,38,74,002	4	11
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	2,23,21,102	12	8			
TOTAL ...				8,47,93,723	11	4

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 21st January 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion: Under Assay.	Balance of Bullion: Assayed.	Balance of Bullion: Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Jan. 11th, 1875...	30,35,999	303	35,55,718	94,698	51,37,487
" 12th, " ...	...	...	35,55,718	1,02,735	50,37,487
" 13th, " ...	6,539	...	35,62,859	1,09,563	50,37,487
" 14th, " ...	...	1,13,422	34,56,444	2,23,895	50,37,487
" 15th, " ...	...	2,09,136	32,60,096	3,88,106	49,37,487
" 16th, " ...	...	3,18,496	29,60,984	3,91,760	52,37,487

CALCUTTA MINT,
The 18th Jan. 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Mint Master.

Report of a Deserter from the 2-19th Regiment of Foot, dated at Camp Bareilly, this 15th day of January 1875.

Number, rank, and name—2538, Private Charles Oldfield Bowles.
Age—26 years.
Size—5 feet 6 inches.
Color of—
Complexion, fair; hair, dark brown; eyes, blue.
Date of desertion—10th January 1875.
Place of desertion—Camp Bareilly.
Date of enlistment—18th December 1872.
At what place enlisted—Allahabad.
Parish and county in which born—Diddington, Oxfordshire.
Marks—Pitted with small pox and tatooed on both arms.
Trade—Clerk.
Coat or Jacket—Serge.
Waistcoat—None.
Breeches or Trowsers—Cloth.

EDWD. CHIPPINDALL, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Comdg. 2-19th Regt.

CONTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

No. 1278.—Account of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Government of India for the Month of August 1874, as compared with the corresponding period of 1873.

REVENUE AND RECEIPTS.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Aug. 1873.	April to August 1874.	COMPARISON OF 2 YEARS. Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
I.—Land Revenue ...	21,404,000	7,717,539	7,586,528	...	131,011
II.—Tributes ...	726,000	311,798	295,018	...	16,780
III.—Forest ...	606,000	162,630	182,217	19,587	...
IV.—Excise ...	2,286,000	965,817	970,623	4,806	...
V.—Assessed Taxes ...	...	17,097	2,195	...	14,902
VI.—Customs ...	2,738,000	976,387	996,373	19,986	...
VII.—Salt ...	6,079,000	2,400,762	2,339,470	...	61,292
VIII.—Opium ...	7,615,000	3,357,589	3,415,819	58,230	...
IX.—Stamps ...	2,708,000	1,223,810	1,250,125	26,315	...
X.—Mint ...	124,000	8,195	103,703	95,508	...
XI.—Post Office ...	695,000	296,412	296,364	...	48
XII.—Telegraph ...	241,200	45,784	68,681	22,897	...
XIII.—Law and Justice ...	333,000	161,631	144,306	...	17,325
XIV.—Marine ...	201,000	73,764	68,126	...	5,638
XV.—Interest ...	447,000	170,073	236,142	66,069	...
XVI.—Pensions ...	584,400	65,766	63,827	...	1,939
XVII.—Gain by Exchange ...	322,000	109,504	164,623	55,119	...
XVIII.—Miscellaneous ...	187,000	89,161	117,741	28,580	...
	47,296,600	18,553,719	18,301,881	148,162	...
Army ...	870,000	340,631	312,467	...	28,164
Public Works, Ordinary ...	64,300	20,517	18,135	...	2,382
Irrigation Receipts ...	491,000	182,546	180,920	...	1,626
State Railways ...	95,000	10,847	35,648	24,801	...
Traffic Receipts (Guaranteed Railways)	7,387,000	2,513,632	3,371,332	857,700	...
TOTAL ...	56,203,900	21,221,892	22,220,383	998,491	...
England, including Army and Public Works ...	167,100	105,734	170,998	65,264	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	56,371,000	21,327,626	22,391,381	1,063,755	...

EXPENDITURE.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Aug. 1873.	April to August 1874.	COMPARISON OF 2 YEARS. Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Interest on Funded and Unfunded Debt ...	2,917,000	1,065,826	1,162,794	96,968	...
2.—Interest on Service Funds, &c. ...	359,000	109,449	143,608	34,159	...
3.—Refunds and Drawbacks ...	262,000	109,886	133,966	24,080	...
4.—Land Revenue ...	2,509,400	989,412	989,413	1	...
5.—Forest ...	440,000	161,742	175,030	13,288	...
6.—Excise ...	87,000	51,836	32,929	...	18,907
7.—Assessed Taxes ...	...	2,026	...	...	2,026
8.—Customs ...	186,000	74,837	71,643	...	3,194
9.—Salt ...	490,000	188,450	191,169	2,719	...
10.—Opium ...	2,115,000	1,330,945	1,630,454	299,509	...
11.—Stamps ...	70,500	31,493	28,367	...	3,126
12.—Mint ...	82,000	23,000	67,752	44,752	...
13.—Post Office ...	733,600	291,840	311,498	16,658	...
14.—Telegraph ...	382,100	87,098	81,905	...	5,193
15.—Administration ...	1,191,500	491,352	497,072	5,720	...
16.—Minor Department ...	283,600	107,124	96,697	...	10,427
17.—Law and Justice ...	2,277,000	919,616	939,432	19,786	...
18.—Marine ...	383,200	132,025	155,009	22,984	...
19.—Ecclesiastical ...	158,100	63,603	65,421	1,818	...
20.—Medical Services ...	180,200	73,521	76,781	3,260	...
21.—Political ...	402,000	116,972	127,425	10,453	...
22.—Allowances and Assignments ...	1,702,600	574,698	552,845	...	21,853
24.—Superannuation, &c. ...	700,000	219,041	287,386	68,345	...
25.—Loss by Exchange ...	746,000	327,505	231,802	...	95,703
26.—Miscellaneous ...	44,800	19,742	33,140	13,398	...
27.—Allotments for Provincial Services ...	5,030,000	2,077,185	2,094,605	17,420	...
28.—Famine Relief ...	2,522,000	...	...	...	...
	26,254,600	9,643,254	10,178,143	534,889	...
Army ...		11,869,700	4,699,145	4,656,284	...
Public Works, Ordinary (including Irrigation) ...		2,421,200	891,350	817,701	...
Do. do. Extraordinary, including Railway ...		3,420,000	976,550	1,100,211	123,661
Land and Supervision ...		129,000	87,505	31,350	...
Guaranteed Interest paid in India ...		36,000	16,253	14,262	56,155
State Railways ...		104,000	20,733	38,875	...
Working Expenses (Guaranteed Railways) ...		4,085,000	1,135,464	1,269,820	18,142
					1,991
TOTAL ...		48,319,500	17,470,254	18,106,646	134,356
England, including Army, Guaranteed Interest, Public Works, Ordinary and Extraordinary ...		14,002,500	5,844,762	6,039,786	636,392
GRAND TOTAL ...		62,322,000	23,315,016	24,146,432	195,024
					831,416

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

E. GAY,
Deputy Comptroller General.

COMPTROLLER GENL.'S OFFICE,
CALCUTTA;
the 23rd January 1875.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the B. A. Examination:—

FIRST DIVISION.

In order of Merit.

1	Sarkar, Nilkanta	.. Presidency College.
2	Bandyopádhyáy, Rajkrishna	.. Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
3	Chakravarti, Harachandra	.. Dacca College.
4	Dás, Gyanendranath	.. Presidency College.
	Ray, Satischandra	.. Ditto ditto.
6	Mukhopádhyáy, Srischandra	.. Ditto ditto.
7	Basu, Nanda Krishna	.. Ditto ditto.
8	Dás, Raghunath	.. Ditto ditto.
9	Ray, Devendranath	.. Patna College.
10	Kar, Harischandra	.. Presidency College.
11	Dás, Bipinvihari	.. Teacher.
12	Lal, Syamsundar	.. Agra College.
13	Chattopadhyay, Haridás	.. Presidency College.
14	" Ganapatinath	.. Ditto ditto.
15	Adhikari, Suryya Kumar	.. Ditto ditto.
16	Bandyopádhyáy, Bidhubhusan	.. Ditto ditto.
17	Mitra, Abhaya Charan	.. Ditto ditto.
18	Bandyopádhyáy, Tinkari	.. Hooghly College.
19	Ghosh, Binadvihari.	.. Ditto ditto.
20	Gangopádhyáy, Kalikrishna	.. Presidency College.
21	Bhattacharyya, Beniprasad	.. Canning College, Lucknow.
	Mulráj	.. Lahore College.
23	Bandyopádhyáy, Chand Mohan	.. Dacca College.
	Govinda Charan	.. Patna College.
25	Gupta, Mahendranath	.. Presidency College.
26	Basu, Rakhal Chandra	.. Hooghly College.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

	Ahmed Hussun Khan	.. Bareilly College.
	Balesvar Prasad	.. Benares College.
	Bandyopádhyáy, Mahendranath	.. Presidency College.
	Basu, Annada Charan	.. General Assembly's Institution.
	" Jadu Nath	.. Presidency College.
	Bhattacharyya, Kailas Chandra	.. Dacca College.
	" Kaliprasanna	.. General Assembly's Institution.
	Biswas, Bhuvan Mohan	.. Presidency College.
	Chattopadhyay, Kedar Nath	.. Canning College, Lucknow.
10	Chaudhuri, Kaliram	.. Ex-Student, C. M. College.
	Das, Mahendra Chandra	.. Dacca College.
	Datta, Giris Chandra	.. Patna College.
	" Nitya Lal	.. F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
	" Rajendranath	.. Presidency College.
	David, I.	.. Benares College.
	Ghosh, Akshaykumar	.. Presidency College.
	" Avinaschandra	.. Ditto.
	" Jogendranath	.. Ditto.
	Guha, Revatimohan	.. Dacca College.
20	Karmakar, Bhushanchandra	.. Presidency College.
	Krishnadas	.. Benares College.
	Maitra, Bijaykrishna	.. Presidency College.
	Matilal, Surendranath	.. Ditto.
	Mitra, Biharilal	.. Ditto.
	" Charuchandra	.. Ditto.
	" Kshetramohan	.. Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Kalidhan	.. Ditto.
	" Rajanikanta	.. Hooghly College.
	Mustaphi, Chandragati	.. Presidency College.
30	Narayan Prasad	.. Patna College.
	Pal, Apurvakrishna	.. General Assembly's Institution.
	Ray, Avinaschandra	.. Presidency College.
	" Harinath	.. Ditto.
	Sen, Apurvakrishna	.. Ditto.
	" Rajkumar	.. Teacher.
	Sivsaran Lal	.. Ditto.
	Sriram	.. Canning College, Lucknow.
38	Suryyanarayan, Pandit	.. Ditto ditto.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

	Badriprasad	Delhi College.
	Basu, Pulinvihari	General Assembly's Institution.
	Chakravarti, Aditya Chandra	Dacca College.
	„ Loknath	St. Xavier's College.
	Chandra, Priyanath	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Adityakumar	Cathedral Mission College.
	„ Krishnalal	General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Manmathanath	Ditto ditto.
	„ Prabhatchandra	Dacca College.
10	Chel, Rasvihari	Presidency College.
	Dan, Mahendranath	General Assembly's Institution.
	Datta, Nandalal	Ditto ditto.
	Dé, Gajendranath	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Biharilal	Presidency College.
	„ Nivaran Kumar	Teacher.
	„ Radharaman	Ditto.
	Haldar, Kisarilal	Presidency College.
	Mitra, Haricharan	General Assembly's Institution.
	Mukhopádhyáy, Kálidás	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
20	„ Rajnarayan	Presidency College.
	„ Sivnarayan	Ditto. ditto.
	Ráy, Benimadhav	Hooghly College.
	„ Bijaykrishna	General Assembly's Institution.
	Sen, Kalikumar	Presidency College.
	„ Rádhánath	Ditto ditto.
26	Sengupta, Kalidas	Hooghly College.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 18th January 1875.

J. SUTCLIFFE,
Registrar.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7533	L 50—73893	100	G. Wienke, Esq.
7550	L 50—17677	100	Abdul Aziz.
7551	L 49—57817	50	Ossimoodeen Duftry.
7555	L 16—18968	5	Babu Russick Lal Mitter.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
7534	L 10—75738 } „ —75737 }	5	Babu Bharuti Chunder Ghose.
7535	L 16—90915	5	Babu Aumerto Lal Bhuttacharjee.
7536	A 98—31318	10	Lt. M. H. Gray.
7537	L 4—19689	10	James J. Fall, Esq.
7538	A 93—51619	20	W. E. Bonsall Moynau, Esq., M. D.
7539	L 38—73894 } „ —73892 }	100	Babu Kristo Mohun Mitter.
7540	L 38—45276	100	Babu Juggessur Khimjee.
7542	L 39—10959	10	Babu Loknauth Dutta.
7543	L 10—89340	5	Mahomed Monsoor.
7545	L 33—21758 } „ —21759 }	10	C. H. Denham, Esq.
7546	L 40—32059	10	P. Rajagopal Pillay.
7547	L 49—43791	50	Walter M. Bourke, Esq.
	L 17—56278	5	
7548	A 51—10353 } „ —10343 }	10	Babu Sivram Chatterjee.
7552	L 40—98966	10	Babu Ashootosh Chatterjee.
7553	L 50—86036	100	Messrs. John Elleatt & Co.
	„ —91986	100	

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 22nd January 1875.

L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Madras Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
256	B 36—86600	5	Narrainsawmy Moodr. Almakur, Nellore District.

Madras Circle—*continued.*

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
232	B 33—59097	100	Captain C. T. P. Luxmoore, 10th Regiment, M. N. I., Tounghoo.
	B 38—14899	100	
261	B 38—51657 } „ —03107 } wrongly joined	100	P. Coonjayen Cootty, Rice Merchant, Calicut.
266	B 24—99134	50	Mr. J. Mergler, Bangalore.
	B 32—84740	50	
	B 38—74769	100	
	„ —85992	100	
	„ —85993	100	
	„ —85994	100	
267	B 39—13415	5	K. Vencoba Row, Tahsildar, Haraponhully.
	„ —13417	5	
	„ —13418	5	
	B 41—14159	10	
274	B 41—37751	10	P. Cotlingum Naidu, Goods Clerk, Bangalore.
275	B 41—03074	10	P. Chengulroya Moodr., 2nd Class Hospital Assistant, Goodichunda Taluq, Kolar District.
	„ —03075	10	
276	B 35—43672	20	Mootoocurpa Conan, Trichinopoly.
278	B 39—29176	5	T. Balasoondra Moodr., Pursewalkum, Madras.
	B 41—23501	10	
282	B 41—41003	10	Mr. W. Taylor, 162, Cavalry Road, Bangalore.
287	B 35—38719	20	Hurry Prasad, Pensioner, 13th Regiment, M. N. I., Madras.
	„ —51246	20	

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acctt. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 11th January 1875.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No. 1874-75.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
141	M 2—79500	5	Jaganath Mahadeo, Carkoon, Callian.
	C 89—07952	10	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

1874-75.		Rs.	
34	C 85—63076	50	Ahmedjeebhoy Chandabhoy, Indore.
105	C 96—42549	10	Anunt Pandoorung, Government Telegraph Office, Deolalee.
112	C 91—67375	10	Mr. J. Kirby, Supervisor, H. H. N.'s State Railway, Begumpette, Secunderabad.
	„ —67386	10	
	C 78—51153	20	
131	C 80—32532	100	Mrs. Clara Perrot, Bughora, near Mhow.
139	C 97—65542	10	W. Todd, Esq., Sholapore.
	„ —65547	10	
	M 3—05121	5	
142	M 2—30670	5	Muthooradas Bapoolal, No. 54, Kalbadavie, Bombay.
62	C 89—86938 } C 88—90467 } wrongly joined	10	Visram Topan, Bazaar Gate Street, Fort Bombay.
63	M 2—47319 } „ —47321 } ditto	5	Visram Assoo, Jakharia Musjid, Mandvie, Bombay.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 13th January 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
14	E 6—83142	10	Ganesh Chander Chatterji, Cantonment Magistrate's Office, Peshawur.
21	E 4—51850	50	The Manager, Agra Bank Limited, Lahore.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
176	E 6—77615	10	Mr. C. Aldridge, Sirsa.
13	E 5—69675	20	Bhugwan Das, Gujrat.
17	E 3—57248	100	Lieutenant Colonel J. B. Smyly, Jhelum.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office;
The 16th January 1875.

I. C. BOSE,
Asst. to Acctt. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

Calicut Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
J 7—28266	5	Officiating Post Master, Madras.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

	Rs.	
J 5—30856	20	Captain Talbot, of Secundrabad.
J 6—56408	10	Pieshcar Gooroo Row, of Mysore.
J 7—34617	5	Mr. James Smith, of Manantoddy.
B 32—41966	50	Gopalsamy Naik, of Tanjore.
B 38—02538	100	A. Kapoo Chetty, of Coimbatore.
J 5—26271	20	P. Cothingum, of Bangalore.
J 3—70219	100	Venketavamaniah, of Bangalore.

CALICUT,—Paper Currency Office;
The 12th January 1875.

P. A. COLE,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

NOTICE.

The Court of Wards, Bhaugulpore Division, being about to dispose of the rights and interests of the minor Roodra Prokash Missir of Phulwarea, in the Monghyr District, in the following Estates, tenders are hereby invited for purchase of the same.

The property will be sold in one lot; sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Commissioner of Bhaugulpore up to the 9th February 1875, inclusive, and particulars regarding the said Estates can be had on application beforehand at the above office.

The terms of sale are that one-fourth of the purchase money will be paid on tender being accepted and the balance within 15 days.

The Court of Wards does not bind itself to accept the highest tender.

Name of Estates borne on the Monghyr Revenue Roll.

Name of Estates.	Touzee No.	Government Revenue. Rs.	A.	P.
1. Gungberar Roypore, Monohur Mirzapore, Ram *alias* Mullehpore, Pergh. Mulkee	4431	544	0	0
2. Mirzapore Nisf, Pergh. Mulkee ...	847	158	3	0
3. Ditto ditto ...	848	158	3	0
4. Simreah Nisf ditto ...	821	441	5	6
5. Simreah Berary ditto ...	4434	271	11	0

BHAUGULPORE, *The 19th January* 1875. } G. N. BARLOW, *Offg. Commissioner.*

NOTICE.

The Committee appointed for the revision of the Tariff, will meet on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays, at 9-45 A. M., and will be glad to receive any suggestions or information relating to the subject under their consideration.

Any gentleman wishing to appear personally before the Committee, is requested to put himself in communication with the Secretary to the Committee, who will inform him on what date the Committee will be able to see him.

24, DALHOUSIE SQUARE, *7th January* 1875. } J. D. MACLEAN, *Secy., Tariff Committee.*

NOTICE.

Halves of the following 5-rupee Notes having come into the possession of the Cawnpore Police, the owners of the other halves are requested to communicate with the Superintendent of Police, Cawnpore:—

D 10—13976
" —13977
" —13978
" —13979
} Allahabad or Calcutta Circles, dated 10th July 1871.

H. G. PEARSE,
Assistant Magistrate,
for *Magistrate.*

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 22nd January 1875.

No. 6524.—On the 10th October 1874, the Fiji Islands were ceded to Her Majesty the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland.

2. The postal rates and conditions for Nasoua and other places in this group of islands are the same as those which govern the transmission of correspondence for New South Wales in the Australian Colonies.

3. Correspondence for places in the Fiji Islands will be included in the mail for Sydney.

F. R. HOGG,
Offg. Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

Mails for Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America, and the Colonies of Queensland and Victoria *viâ* Torres Straits (letters, &c., for the latter Colony must be specially superscribed), for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Saturday, the 23rd instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo, for transmission per Steamer *Sir John Lawrence*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 24th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Rangoon, Moulmein and Straits, for transmission per Steamer *Java*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 24th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Port Blair and Camorta, for transmission per Steamer *Scotia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 26th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 26th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per (P. and O.) Steamer *Mirzapore*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 27th instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 29th January 1875.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 28th instant.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M., and after 8 up to 9 P. M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 20th January 1875.

Ambrose, J.
Berglund, E.
Beatson, Miss J.
Bellesy, J.
Bellety, N.
Belletty, F.
Blackburn, W. C.
Bloomfield, J.
Bowen.
Brame, A. J.
Brett, C. M. W.
Briggs, W.
Bryan, Mrs.
Buck, Major.
Casry, J.
Chaunce, F. C.
Christian, A.
Clark and Wilson, Messrs.
Coelho, H.
Cutter.
Davids, C. R.
Debrunner and Co.
Demetriades, C.
Donnin, J.
Durghur and Co., H.
Dusina, K.
Editor, "National Budget."
Editor of the "Liberal."
Enderson, T.
Fernandes, J. F.
Franken, Miss.
Fritchley, W. E.
Gibson, O. E.
Hainsworth, F. P.
Haldon, Mrs.
Hall, J. L.
Hatten, C. W.
Haym, S.
Hewitt, H.
Howard, C.
Howard, F.
Hunter, G. A. P.
Jackson, Mrs. E.
Jordon, J.
Kemp, C.
King, G. G.
Lane, C. A.
Leicester and Co.
Lewis, W.
Lingie and Co.
Luigi, di conti Don.
Martin, J.
Martin, J.
Martin, Lieut. M. R.

Massonti, J.
McLaughlin, F. H.
McSweeney, D.
Meuli, J.
Moon, W.
Morso, C.
Mullender, T. M.
Nagalingam, S.
Nehal, Monsieur.
Nelson, W.
Nixon, G.
Oliver, Miss M.
Papaspinpulo, D.
Parkinson, Miss.
Pearce, R. N.
Pettman, Miss E.
Prankle, W. A.
Rebeiro, J.
Reynolds, C. H.
Richardson, G.
Roberts, Mrs. J.
Rogerson, W.
Ross, Lieut. H. K.
Rowe, Mrs. C.
Ryan, Mrs. M.
Sainte & Co.
Sanderson, Mrs.
Scott, J. W.
Seth, S. C.
Sinus, Mrs.
Smith.
Son, Mrs.
Stalman, F.
Steinbek.
Stirling, J. B.
Stretton, R. T.
Taylor, Mrs.
Terowen, C. A.
Thomson, Mrs. E.
Toihagor, K.
Tweedie, Mrs. C.
Tyler, Major J. H.
Vanderhouten, C. B.
Walker, C.
Walker, W.
Want, A. M.
Watson, Captain.
Williams, W.
Willi, D.
Wintle, Mrs.
Wright, Miss R.
Wright, A.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

Acchin, J.
Adams, A. G.
Alexander, Hon. C.
Alunwalla.
Anderson, R.
Anderson, Col. W. W.
Assailly, Monsr. A.
Audisio, Mr.
Baker, Mrs. W. L.
Barness, F.
Bills, Capt. J. W.
Blotzky, F. B.
Brewer, Mrs. W. J.
Brown, Dr. J. C.
Burton, W. E.
Caddy, Miss.
Closin, E. G.
Corke, T. W.
DeLatour, Captain.
Domineny, H.
Doris, J.
Douglass, W. K.
Duff, M. E. G.
Elwarthy.
Erskine, Miss.
Foley, R.
Frangh di, D.
George, Mrs. P.
George, J. E.
Giuseppe, Mr.
Goddard, J.
Godroin, Mrs. F.
Graham, C.
Griffiths, Rev. Hughes.
Hall, D. J.
Hanbury, R. W.
Hart, S.
Harrison, G.
Harriss, Major N.
Hewitt, Capt.
Hiefield, Mrs. A.
Horgan, Miss A.
Hotley, G.
Hoocks, J.
Hood, H.
Inglis, W A.
Jackson, Dr. J.
James, C. F.
Jordon, W.
Kent, Mrs. S.
Kichen, J. F.
Kingsley, Mrs. M.
Lamm, S.
Lark, W.
Lawson, J.
Lee, Mrs.
Levie, D.
Lewis, J.
Lovely, Rev. G.
Maitland, A.
Marshall, F.
Martin, T. R.
Martin, W.
Mathew, Dr.
Matson, E.
Maughan, W. C.
McMan, A. B.
McNicholl, J.
M. De L. Madamee.
Meuli, J.
Mitchell, T.
Monk, Major C.
Moore, F. S.
Moorn, J. N.
Nolan, P.
Ollivant, J.
Pepys, Hon. F.
Pereira, Miss.
Phillips, G.
Phillips, S. R.
Phillips, R.
Pirow, Monsieur G.
Pounce, J.
Power, W.
Priestly, C. H.
Quinn, C.
Rand, G. D.
Rea, Mrs. W.
Reid, E. B.
Renna, M.
Roberts, H.
Rogers, J. A.
Royson, P. M.
Ruce, J. W.
Rushton, Mrs. J.
Sassoons, J. A.
Saxton, J. W.
Schully, C.
Scott, J. W. Mrs.
Shank, G. A.
Shanks, W. W.
Shaw, O.
Simpson, J.
Sinclair, Mrs.
Smith, Miss A.
Sorge, H.
Stevens, Mrs.
Sydons, F.
Temple, J. D. L.
Thackwell, A. J.
Thompson, C.
Trossard, Monsieur H.
Vice Pre Delle, A. S. H.
Walker, Miss F.
Walfers, S.
Weir, H.
Wells, Mrs.
White, W
White, H.
Whyte, J. B.
Wilson, E. A. H.
Wise, T.
W. W. J.

M. PERCY,
Post Master of Calcutta.

HIGH COURT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 22nd January 1875.

The Honorable the Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal has appointed Mr. Arthur Percival, Judge, of No. 36, Lincoln's Inn Fields, Middlesex, London, to be a Commissioner in England for the purpose of taking, under the law in force in British India, the acknowledgments of married women of deeds to be executed by them in respect of property in India.

C. T. DAVIS,
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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

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NOTIFICATION.

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AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER, RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.

Camp Deoli, the 15*th January* 1875.

No. 888.—Mr. P. Magrath, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, was on leave without pay from 12th September to 18th October 1874.

By order,

A. G. CROMMELIN,

Secy. to the Agent, Govr. Genl., and Chief Commr., in the P. W. D., Rajpootana.

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF AJMERE.

NOTIFICATION.—General.

Camp Deoli, the 18*th January* 1875.

No. 67.—Captains R. G. Loch and C. Shuttleworth, respectively, delivered over, and received, charge of the Cantonment Magistrate's Office, Nusseerabad, on the afternoon of the 15th January 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Chief Commissioner.

HIGH COURT.—Original Side.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 14*th January* 1875.

The Honorable the Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council, made the following appointments in consequence of the absence of Mr. R. Belchambers on privilege leave, with effect from the 20th of November last:—

Mr. C. T. Davis, Chief Clerk of the High Court, to officiate as Registrar, Accountant General, Taxing Officer, Sealer and Keeper of Records and Muniments of the High Court in its Original Jurisdiction, and Chief Clerk and Accountant General of the Insolvent Court with power, as Officiating Registrar, to perform the duties heretofore performed by the Prothonotary, and also to perform such of the duties of the Clerk of the Crown as are not connected with the Criminal Sessions.

Mr. W. R. Fink, Clerk to the Chief Justice, to officiate as Chief Clerk of the High Court.

C. T. DAVIS,
Offg. Registrar.

HIGH COURT.—Original Side.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 23*rd January* 1875.

The Honorable the Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal has appointed Mr. Grinham Keen, of No. 24,

Knightriders Street, Doctors' Commons, to be a Commissioner in England for the purpose of taking, under the law in force in British India, the acknowledgments of married women of deeds to be executed by them in respect of property in India.

C. T. DAVIS,
Offg. Registrar.

REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 25th January 1875.

No. 14.—PROMOTION.—Mr. Charles David, Surveyor, from the 4th to the 3rd Grade, from 1st instant.

JOHN MACDONALD, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Supdt. of Revenue Surveys, Lower Circle.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 29th January 1875.

No. 47.—Mr. J. Peake, B. A., an Assistant Superintendent of the 3rd Grade, is allowed furlough on medical certificate for one year, with effect from the 15th February 1875, under Section 10 (*a*), and subsidiary leave for seven days under Section 18 (*a*) of the Civil Leave Code.

D. G. ROBINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Director General of Telegraphs in India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—
Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the —— January 1875.

No. 3.—The following transfers are made:—Mr. A. C. Calder, Accountant, 3rd Grade, from Office of Controller of Accounts to the Umballa Division, Military Works; Mr. J. A. Frietas, Accountant, 4th Grade, from Umballa Division to Office of Controller of Accounts, Military Works.

No. 4.—Mr. W. A. Campbell, Accountant, 2nd Grade, Office of Controller of Accounts, Military Works, is granted one month's privilege leave, with effect from the 2nd January 1875.

No. 5.—Baboo Kylas Chunder Chatterjee, Accountant, 4th Grade, availed himself of the twelve months' furlough granted him in Inspector General's Notification No. 118, dated 7th October 1874, on the 14th December 1874.

No. 6.—The unexpired portion, twenty-three days, of the leave granted in Notification No. 51, dated 1st May 1874, to Mr. J. Barry, Overseer, Lahore Division, is cancelled at his own request.

The 20th January 1875.

No. 7.—Mr. J. Whayman, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, rejoined his appointment on the 1st December 1874. The unexpired portion of the furlough granted him in Public Works Department Notification No. 44 of 20th January 1874, is cancelled.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

1st Circle.

The 23rd January 1875.

No. 238.—The following Lower Subordinates of the 1st Circle, Military Works, are promoted from 1st September 1874:—

To Sub-Overseer, 1st Grade.

Baboo Wooma Churn Bannerjee, Sub-Overseer, 2nd Grade, attached to Dinapore Division, Military Works.

Mr. A. Murray, Sub-Overseer, 2nd Grade, attached to Dinapore Division, Military Works.

To Sub-Overseer, 2nd Grade.

Baboo Mohes Chunder Doss, Sub-Overseer, 3rd Grade, attached to Darjeeling Division, Military Works.

W. R. TUCKER, *Major, R. E.,*
Offg. Supdg. Engr., 1st Circle, Military Works.

3rd Circle.

Meerut, the 25th January 1875.

No. 4.—Sergeant W. Haywood, Overseer, 1st Grade, Military Works, having availed himself of one year's furlough on medical certificate to Europe on the 5th December 1873, reported his return on the 6th November 1874. The furlough was granted to him in Government of India, Military Department, No. 602, dated 11th March 1874.

Sergeant W. Haywood is posted to Agra Division, Military Works, which he joined on the 6th November 1874.

No. 5.—The following promotions are made in the Lower Subordinate Establishment of the 3rd Circle, Military Works, with effect from 1st September 1874:—

From Sub-Overseer, 2nd, to Sub-Overseer, 1st Grade.

Jankee Doss, Morar Division.
Bukhtawer Lall, Bareilly Division.

From Sub-Overseer, 3rd, to Sub-Overseer, 2nd Grade.

Mulic Hoosein Bux, Morar Division.
Gunga Ram, Bareilly Division.
Narrain Singh, Meerut Division.
Ahmud Hossein, Meerut Division.

G. P. deP. FALCONNET, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 3rd Circle, Military Works.

8th Circle.

The 14th January 1875.

No. 74.—Lieutenant F. B. G. D'Aguilar, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, returned from the privilege leave granted him per Government Notification No. 1942, dated 16th November 1874, on the 29th ultimo.

The 16th January 1875.

No. 73.—Lieutenant E. H. Cameron, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is posted to the II Peshawur Division, Military Works. He joined that division on forenoon of the 6th instant.

DAVID LIMOND, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 8th Circle, Military Works.

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DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 26th January 1875.

No. 15.—Mr. J. Barron, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, and Mr. J. R. Scott, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Rajputana State Railway, are permanently transferred to the Northern Bengal State Railway, to which they are temporarily attached.

No. 16.—With reference to Director's Notification No. 13E of the 14th January 1875, Mr. J. G. Furnivall took over charge of the office and duties of Store-keeper for State Railways from Mr. Watson on the 18th idem.

No. 17.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 28 of 14th January 1875, Corporal J. F. Beard, R. E., Overseer, 1st Grade, is posted to the Indus Valley State Railway.

No. 18.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 31 of the 18th January 1875, Mr. W. Fensom, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, is posted to the Northern Bengal State Railway.

No. 19.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 33 of the 19th January 1875, Lieutenant W. H. White, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is posted to the Tirhoot State Railway.

No. 20.—Mr. G. W. Rolfe is temporarily appointed to the Public Works Department as a Supervisor, 1st Grade, and posted to the Punjab Northern State Railway.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 18th January 1875.

No. 15.—Mr. J. Corfield, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, is transferred from the Ghotkee to the Humdee Depôt.

The 19th January 1875.

No. 16.—Mr. T. Reid, Overseer, 1st Grade, posted to this line by the Director of State Railways in his Notification No. 96 of 30th November 1874, reported his arrival at Mooltan on the forenoon of this date, and is posted to the Mooltan District.

No. 17.—With reference to this Office Notification No. 295 of 21st December 1874, Mr. W. Nethercole, Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, reported his departure to join the Punjab Northern State Railway on the 20th instant.

The 20th January 1875.

No. 18.—Mr. J. F. Victor, Supervisor, 1st Grade, transferred to this line by the Director of State Railways in his Notification No. 4 of 4th January 1875, reported his arrival at Mooltan on the forenoon of this date, and is posted to the Upper Sind District.

The 23rd January 1875.

No. 22.—Mr. J. R. Bell, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, posted to this line by the Director of State Railways in his Notification No. 117 of 22nd December 1874, reported his arrival at Mooltan on the forenoon of this date, and is attached to the office of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No. 23.—The following posting has been made by Superintending Engineer, Mooltan District:—

Mr. T. Reid, Overseer, 1st Grade, to the Shoojabad Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 23rd January 1875.

No. 5.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 84, dated 4th November 1874, transferring Mr. W. C. Hennessy, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, from the Rajpootana to the Punjab Northern State Railway, this Officer reported his arrival at Lahore on the forenoon of the 30th November 1874, and is posted to the Ravee Section, which section he joined on the forenoon of the 2nd December 1874.

No. 6.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 4, dated 4th January 1875, transferring Mr. J. F. Victor, Supervisor, 1st Grade, from Punjab Northern to Indus Valley State Railway, this subordinate reported his departure for Mooltan on the 18th January 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

WESTERN RAJPOOTANA RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th January 1875.

No. 61.—With reference to Government of India Notification No. 661, dated 15th December 1874, Serjeant T. Beecher, R. E., Overseer, 1st Grade, ceased to belong to this project from the forenoon of the 27th December 1874.

JAMES COLLET,
Engineer-in-Chief.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 22nd January 1875.

No. 124 *E.*—Mr. J. McCullum, Locomotive Foreman, transferred to the Tirhoot State Railway, was relieved of his duties on this railway on the 28th December 1874 to join that railway.

No. 125 *E.*—Fitter J. Rhind, transferred from the Tirhoot State Railway, reported his arrival at Delhi on the 16th December 1874.

The 25th January 1875.

No. 132 *E.*—Baboo Mahomed Dhoomun Khan, Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, was absent on leave under Section 9, Supplement F. of the Civil Leave Code, from 25th December 1874 to 21st January 1875, inclusive.

No. 138*E.*—Baboo Thakoordass, Overseer, 2nd Grade, transferred to the Tirhoot State Railway, reported his departure from the Delhi Division, on the afternoon of 20th January 1875 to join that railway.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

Report of a Deserter from the 15th Regiment of Hussars, dated at Meerut, this 24th day of January 1875.

Name—Frederick Wilson.
Age—29 years and 2 months.
Size—5 feet, 7 inches.
Color of—
Complexion, dark; hair, black; eyes, hazel.
Peculiar Marks by which his Identity may be ascertained—
Small-pox marks on face and body, mole on front of upper part of right thigh, a molat out on left above.
Date of desertion—10th January 1875.
From whence deserted—Meerut.
Date of enlistment—4th December 1865.
Place of enlistment—Westminster.
Parish where born—Burton.
County—Lincolnshire.
Former Trade or Occupation—Laborer.
Dress at the time of Desertion—
Coat or Jacket—Stable Jacket.
Waistcoat—*Nil.*
Breeches or Trousers—Overalls and Highlows.

GEO. LUCK, *Captain.*

NOTICE.

Halves of the following 5-rupee Notes having come into the possession of the Cawnpore Police, the owners of the other halves are requested to communicate with the Superintendent of Police, Cawnpore:—

D 10—13976
„ —13977
„ —13978
„ —13979
} Allahabad or Calcutta Circles, dated 10th July 1871.

H. G. PEARSE,
Assistant Magistrate,
for *Magistrate.*

NOTICE.

The Court of Wards, Bhaugulpore Division, being about to dispose of the rights and interests of the minor Roodra Prokash Missir of Phulwarea, in the Monghyr District, in the following Estates, tenders are hereby invited for purchase of the same.

The property will be sold in one lot; sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Commissioner of Bhaugulpore up to the 9th February 1875, inclusive, and particulars regarding the said Estates can be had on application beforehand at the above office.

The terms of sale are that one-fourth of the purchase money will be paid on tender being accepted and the balance within 15 days.

The Court of Wards does not bind itself to accept the highest tender.

Name of Estates borne on the Monghyr Revenue Roll.

Name of Estates.	Touzee No.	Government Revenue. Rs.	A.	P.
1. Gungberar Roypore, Monohur Mirzapore, Ram *alias* Mullehpore, Pergh. Mulkee	4431	544	0	0
2. Mirzapore Nisf, Pergh. Mulkee ...	847	158	3	0
3. Ditto ditto ...	848	158	3	0
4. Simreah Nisf ditto ...	821	441	5	6
5. Simreah Berary ditto ...	4434	271	11	0

BHAUGULPORE,
The 19th January 1875.
} G. N. BARLOW,
Offg. Commissioner.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Jan. 18th, 1875 ...	8,276	3,28,871	26,60,841	3,88,579	55,57,487
„ 19th, „ ...	...	3,12,717	23,67,486	3,51,907	57,87,487
„ 20th, „ ...	53,464	3,20,326	18,06,155	3,54,473	59,17,487
„ 21st, „ ...	...	2,03,023	16,15,729	2,37,044	61,37,487
„ 22nd, „ ...	1,369	3,34,900	13,02,794	3,63,524	63,37,487
„ 23rd, „ ...	...	...	13,02,794	89,248	66,67,487

CALCUTTA MINT,
The 25th Jan. 1875.
} H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Mint Master.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 26th January 1875.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		16,07,187	7	9
	Rs. A. P.			
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	1,32,61,842 6 11	3,12,59,856	2	8
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,79,98,013 11 9			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		3,13,14,523	15	11
Bank Post Bills, &c.		3,45,513	6	0
Sundries		4,44,420	7	4
TOTAL ...		8,69,71,501	7	8

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,81,12,249	4	10
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		88,23,705	3	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		22,86,159	0	7
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		1,96,00,679	5	3
Dead Stock		10,89,028	8	4
Stamps		14,021	1	0
Balances with other Banks ...		2,33,634	6	4
Sundries		3,03,305	5	2
Bullion		8,34,474	7	9
		5,12,97,256	10	3
	Rs. A. P.			
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	1,30,72,167 11 3	3,56,74,244	13	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	2,26,02,077 2 2			
TOTAL ...		8,69,71,501	7	8

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 26th January 1875.
} J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7563	L 50—82460	100	Babu Sreenauth Roy.
7567	L 49—20562	50	Babu Gungapersad.
7569	L 46—92740	20	The Offg. Post Master General, Bengal.
7572	L 51—07593	100	Babu Mohendronauth Banerjee.
7573	A 81—11388	20	Babu Gopaul Chunder Banerjee.
	L 42—19309	10	
7574	L 17—94497	5	Babu Bhawan Persad.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7556	L 16—50088	5	Babu Banarsi Dass.
7557	L 46—17768	20	L. F. Furredeta, Esq.
7558	L 39—05780	10	Peer Ali Khansama.
	„ —02502		
7559	A 97—14451	10	Messrs. Francis, Ramsay and Co.
7560	L 45—65154	10	Harry Rivett-Carnac, Esq.
	„ —65159		
	L 46—06786	10	
	„ —06784		
	L 17—15434	5	
	„ —15437		
7561	L 35—10095	10	G. T. Saban, Esq.
	L 39—08157	10	
7562	A 95—72640	10	Fool Chund Johoree.
	A 80—69641		
7564	L 6—40235	10	Babu Nitto Gopaul Singh.
7565	L 34—96966	10	M. MacGregor, Esq.
7566	L 41—75470	10	C. McSweeney, Esq.
	„ —88011	10	
7570	A 96—38431	10	Assan Ellie.
	„ —38421		
7571	L 50—12567	100	Miss Corpl T. H. Parvion.
7575	L 45—65832	20	The Manager, Englishman Office.
7576	L 50—99897	100	Babu Sham Chund Bungseebuddee Byack.
7577	L 14—62153	20	Babu Radhakissen Bussontroy.
	„ —62152		
7578	A 6—05484	10	Babu Hurro Nauth Mookerjee.
	„ —46618		
7579	L 34—20303	10	Col. Wintle.

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 29th January 1875.
} L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Madras Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
277	B 41—44662	10	Major G. Murray, 5, Benson Road, Bangalore.
	„ —44663	10	
279	B 38—46808	100	Syed Ebram Saib, Bangalore.
280	B 39—03947	5	T. Rajahram Pillay, Chief Engineer's Office, Bangalore.
284	B 41—42057	10	Mr. T. D. Shaw, Pursewalkum, Madras.
286	B 41—10678	10	T. V. Coopen Iyengar, Chintadrepettah, Madras.
	„ —10816	10	
290	B 35—48923	20	M. N. Teroomala Charry, Triplicane, Madras.
	„ —48924	20	

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acctt. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 18th January 1875.
} D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Coconada Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
I 4—07581	50	Mooslin Khan, of Coconada.
I 3—07040	100	
„ —08379	100	

COCONADA,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 18th January 1875.
} H. RICHARDSON,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
1874-75.		Rs.	
104	M 2—44073	5	Jamsetjee Manockjee Chokesy, Bombay.
122	C 78—28368	20	Lucas Antonio de Souza, Poona.
143	C 86—76611	100	Casinath Dajee Karmarkar, Local Funds Overseer, Bandora.
144	C 93—04590	100	Hajee Issuck Soab and Son, Jakhryia Musjid, Mandvee, Bombay.
	„ —04547	100	
	C 86—72685	100	
64 A	C 88—91302 } wrongly joined C 96—31635 }	10	Mahamad Lukhamsy, Bhot Bazar, Mandvee, Bombay.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 19th January* 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Akola Circle.

NOTE HALF STOLEN.

No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
C 91—26642	10	Shaikh Imam Shaikh Chan, Assistant (Hindustani) Master, Khamgaum.

AKOLA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 23rd January* 1875.

C. A. W. DAVIES,
Assistant Commissioner.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
289	D 4—44591	50	Sidh Gopal Mistree, Allahabad.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
277	D 4—43185	50	J. Deas, Esq., C. S., Faizabad.
279	D 4—22964	50	Lieutenant D. A. Thuillier, 8th King's Regiment, Kussowlie.
280	D 6—90229	10	Mohumed Saed, Amroha.
	—90230	10	
283	D 10—38366	5	Major M. MacGregor, Bareilly.
284	D 4—34075	50	Surgeon G. F. Churchill, Fort William.
	„ —42455	50	
285	D 5—51978 } wrongly joined „ —51979 }	20	Messrs. Venny, Dods and Co., Bombay.
286	D 6—75512	10	Messrs. Watts and Co., Calcutta.
288	D 6—94444	10	Mohumed Jawad, Hameerpore.
290	D 6—35356	10	Baboo Grish Chunder Mookerjee, Allahabad.
291	D 10—34349	5	P. Whalley, Esq., Allahabad.
	„ —34481	5	
292	D 6—84490	10	A. T. Whitten, Esq., Jhujjur.

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office; *The 21st January* 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
23	E 6—91795	10	Roshan Das, Adamwahan, *viâ* Multan.
26	E 7—12319	5	Mustafa Karim, N. W. Provinces, Allahabad.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
5	E 3—52608	100	Mr. D. H. Duncan, Engine-driver, E. I. Railway, Mokamah, Bengal.
6	E 5—64719	20	Bani Pershad, Faizabad.
	„ —51596	20	
8	E 7—33021	5	Thaker Das & Co., Roorkee.
	E 5—63594	20	
	E 4—53794	50	
19	E 7—32905	5	Ramchund, Lahore.
20	E 4—49992	50	Mr. L. M. Weskins, Adamwahan.
22	E 5—65486 } wrongly joined „ —65487 }	20	Mr. F. O. Lemarchand, Jhelum.
174	E 6—69899	10	Lieutenant P. Haslett, R. E., Peshawur.
	E 5—77595	20	

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; *The 23rd January* 1875.

I. C. BOSE,
Asst. to Acctt. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the B. A. Examination:—

FIRST DIVISION.
In order of Merit.

1	Sarkar, Nilkanta	Presidency College.
2	Bandyopádhyáy, Rajkrishna	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
3	Chakravarti, Harachandra	Dacca College.
4	Dás, Gyanendranath	Presidency College.
	Ray, Satischandra	Ditto ditto.
6	Mukhopádhyáy, Srischandra	Ditto ditto.
7	Basu, Nanda Krishna	Ditto ditto.
8	Dás, Raghunath	Ditto ditto.
9	Ray, Devendranath	Patna College.
10	Kar, Harischandra	Presidency College.
11	Dás, Bipinvihari	Teacher.
12	Lal, Syamsundar	Agra College.
13	Chattopadhyay, Haridás	Presidency College.
14	„ Ganapatinath	Ditto ditto.
15	Adhikari, Suryya Kumar	Ditto ditto.
16	Bandyopádhyáy, Bidhubhusan	Ditto ditto.
17	Mitra, Abhaya Charan	Ditto ditto.
18	Bandyopádhyáy, Tinkari	Hooghly College.
19	Ghosh, Binadvihari.	Ditto ditto.
20	Gangopádhyáy, Kalikrishna	Presidency College.
21	Bhattacharyya, Beniprasad	Canning College, Lucknow.
	Mulráj	Lahore College.
23	Bandyopádhyáy, Chand Mohan	Dacca College.
	Govinda Charan	Patna College.
25	Gupta, Mahendranath	Presidency College.
26	Basu, Rakhal Chandra	Hooghly College.

SECOND DIVISION.
In Alphabetical Order.

	Ahmed Hussun Khan	Bareilly College.
	Balesvar Prasad	Benares College.
	Bandyopádhyáy, Mahendranath	Presidency College.
	Basu, Annada Charan	General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Jadu Nath	Presidency College.
	Bhattacharyya, Kailas Chandra	Dacca College.
	„ Kaliprasanna	General Assembly's Institution.
	Biswas, Bhuvan Mohan	Presidency College.
	Chattopadhyay, Kedar Nath	Canning College, Lucknow.
10	Chaudhuri, Kaliram	Ex-Student, C. M. College.
	Das, Mahendra Chandra	Dacca College.
	Datta, Giris Chandra	Patna College.
	„ Nitya Lal	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Rajendranath	Presidency College.
	David, I.	Benares College.
	Ghosh, Akshaykumar	Presidency College.
	„ Avinaschandra	Ditto.
	„ Jogendranath	Ditto.
	Guha, Revatimohan	Dacca College.
20	Karmakar, Bhushanchandra	Presidency College.
	Krishnadas	Benares College.
	Maitra, Bijaykrishna	Presidency College.
	Matilal, Surendranath	Ditto.
	Mitra, Biharilal	Ditto.
	„ Charuchandra	Ditto.
	„ Kshetramohan	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Kalidhan	Ditto.
	„ Rajanikanta	Hooghly College.
	Mustaphi, Chandragati	Presidency College.
30	Narayan Prasad	Patna College.
	Pal, Apurvakrishna	General Assembly's Institution.
	Ray, Avinaschandra	Presidency College.
	„ Harinath	Ditto.
	Sen, Apurvakrishna	Ditto.
	„ Rajkumar	Teacher.
	Sivsaran Lal	Ditto.
	Sriram	Canning College, Lucknow.
38	Suryyanarayan, Pandit	Ditto ditto.

THIRD DIVISION.
In Alphabetical Order.

	Badriprasad	Delhi College.
	Basu, Pulinvihari	General Assembly's Institution.
	Chakravarti, Aditya Chandra	Dacca College.
	„ Loknath	St. Xavier's College.
	Chandra, Priyanath	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
	Chattopadhyay, Adityakumar	Cathedral Mission College.
	„ Krishnalal	General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Manmathanath	Ditto ditto.
	„ Prabhatchandra	Dacca College.
10	Chel, Rasvihari	Presidency College.
	Dan, Mahendranath	General Assembly's Institution.
	Datta, Nandalal	Ditto ditto.
	Dé, Gajendranath	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
	Ghosh, Biharilal	Presidency College.
	„ Nivaran Kumar	Teacher.
	„ Radharaman	Ditto.
	Haldar, Kisarilal	Presidency College.
	Mitra, Haricharan	General Assembly's Institution.
	Mukhopádhyáy, Kálidás	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
20	„ Rajnarayan	Presidency College.
	„ Sivnarayan	Ditto. ditto.
	Ráy, Benimadhav	Hooghly College.
	„ Bijaykrishna	General Assembly's Institution.
	Sen, Kalikumar	Presidency College.
	„ Rádhánath	Ditto ditto.
26	Sengupta, Kalidas	Hooghly College.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the B. L. Examination :—

FIRST DIVISION.
In Order of Merit.

1	Bandyopádhyáy, Tárádás	Kishnaghur College.
2	Syed Muzhar Imam	Presidency College.
3	Bisvas, Prankrishna	Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.
In Order of Merit.

1	Datta, Kailáschandra	Dacca College.
2	Nag, Baradacharan	Presidency College.
	Bandyopádhyáy, Ramtaran	Ditto.
4	Mukhopádhyáy, Haridas	Ditto.
5	Ghosh, Kedarnath	Ditto.
6	Lal Sing	Ditto.
7	Mandal, Binadvihari	Ditto.
8	Bandyopadhyáy, Kedarnath	Ditto.
9	Chaudhuri, Srikumár	Patna College.
	Niogi, Basantakumár	Ditto.
11	Bandyopádhyáy, Gopalchandra	Presidency College.
12	Chaudhuri, Akshaychandra	Ditto.
13	Mitra, Mahendranath	Ditto.
14	Sen, Girischandra	Ditto.
15	Bandyopádhyáy, Biharilal	Ditto.
16	Basu, Lalitkumar	Ditto.
	Chattopádhyáy, Gopalchandra	Ditto.
	Náhá, Anangamohan	Dacca College.
19	Mukhopádhyáy, Bidhubhusan	Canning College, Lucknow.
	Niogi, Saradaprasad	Patna College.
	Mukhopádhyáy, Haravilás	Presidency College.
22	Ray, Harendranarayan	Dacca College.
23	Datta, Baishnavcharan	Presidency College.
24	Bhattacharyya, Prasannakumar	Ditto.
25	Guha, Anathvandhu	Ditto.
26	Ray, Mahendranath	Patna College.
27	Mitra, Jogendranath	Presidency College.
28	Chattopádhyáy, Bishnuchandra	Ditto.
	Mukhopádhyáy, Mahendranath	Ditto.
30	Bandyopádhyáy, Gopikrishna	Hooghly College.
31	Mukhopádhyáy, Ramchandra	Presidency College.
32	Basu, Annadáprasad	Ditto.
33	Bandyopádhyáy, Aghornath	Ditto.
34	Páin Amritalál	Ditto.
35	Ray, Amritalál	Ditto.
	Basak, Govindachandra	Dacca College.
	Bandyopádhyáy, Mahendranath	Presidency College.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 29th January 1875.

J. SUTCLIFFE,
Registrar.

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Consul General at Zanzibar.

Whereas Hugh Alexander Fraser, a retired Captain in Her Majesty's Indian Navy, and lately carrying on business at Zanzibar as a sugar planter and general merchant, has this day been adjudicated a bankrupt; all persons having claims against the estate of the said Hugh Alexander Fraser are requested to communicate the same to the undersigned without delay.

No claims can be registered at a later date than the 28th day of February 1875.

Dated at Zanzibar, this 21st day of November 1874.

W. F. PRIDEAUX,
H. M.'s Acting Consul General, Zanzibar.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 29th January 1875.

Mails for Rangoon and Moulmein, for transmission per Steamer *Arabia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 31st instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Port Blair and Camorta can be sent by this opportunity.

Mails for Akyab, for transmission per Steamer *Madras*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 31st instant, at 7 P. M.

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Mails for Ceylon and the Australian Colonies, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 3rd February, at 7 P. M.

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The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 5th February 1875.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 4th idem.

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M. PERCY,
Post Master of Calcutta.

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Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

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AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.—MILITARY.

Camp Kota, the 25*th January* 1875.

No. $\frac{265}{10}$*M.*—Captain J. H. L. Greenfield returned from furlough and assumed charge of the office of the 2nd-in-Command and Squadron Officer, Deolee Irregular Force, on the 19th January 1875.

Captain P. Smith, Officiating 2nd-in-Command, reverted to his substantive appointment as Adjutant on the 19th January 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Indore, the 28*th January* 1875.

No. 55.—Mr. P. Magrath, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, has been granted two years' leave on medical certificate to England from the 4th January 1875, under Section 3 of Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, with thirty days' subsidiary leave from the 3rd ultimo, under Section 10 of the Supplement, and two days' extension under Section 18, Rule 3, of the Code.

A. CADELL, *Col., R. E.,*
Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 1*st February* 1875.

No. 15.—Mr. Edward Hume Stephen Gasper, Assistant Surveyor, 4th Grade, was on privilege leave of absence from the 18th December 1874 to the 14th January 1875, inclusive.

JOHN MACDONALD, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Supdt. of Revenue Surveys, Lower Circle.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 29*th January* 1875.

No. 48.—Mr. H. E. Thompson, a Superintendent of the 2nd Grade, is allowed privilege leave for sixty days under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the afternoon of the 29th January 1875.

D. G. ROBINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Director General of Telegraphs in India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 22nd January 1875.

No. 8.—The privilege leave granted in Notification No. 147, dated 17th December 1874, to Mr. O. Hoerule, Assistant Engineer, Morar Division, Military Works, is cancelled at his own request.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E., Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.*

3rd Circle.

The 29th January 1875.

No. 6.—Barrack Sergeant Sydney James Coleman, Meerut Division, Military Works, is granted one month's privilege leave under Supplement F, Section 12, of the Civil Leave Code, from 15th February 1875, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

G. P. deP. FALCONNET, *Major, R. E., Supdg. Engr., 3rd Circle, Military Works.*

7th Circle.

The 25th January 1875.

No. 299.—Privilege leave for one month is granted to Lieutenant A. Hildebrand, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Chukratta Division, with effect from the forenoon of the 22nd instant.

Æ. PERKINS, *Major, R. E., Supdg. Engr., 7th Circle, Military Works.*

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 27th January 1875.

No. 21.—Mr. S. de V. H. Alexander, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Neemuch State Railway, is posted as Manager, Holkar State Railway (open line).

The 28th January 1875.

No. 23.—Mr. H. Vacher, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, Rajputana State Railway, is granted twelve months' leave without allowances, under Section 9, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of the leave granted him in Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 483 of the 13th August 1874.

No. 24.—Sergeant P. Collins, Overseer, 1st Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, is transferred to the Sindhia State Railway.

No. 25.—Mr. H. B. Parry, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is transferred to the Sindhia State Railway.

No. 26.—The under-mentioned Engineers and Upper Subordinates are permanently transferred to the Northern Bengal State Railway, to which they are temporarily attached :—

Captain W. H. Browne, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Sindhia State Railway.
Mr. B. DeCruze, temporary Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, Rajputana State Railway.
Mr. E. Le Maistre, Overseer, 1st Grade, Rajputana State Railway.
Private J. Smith, Overseer, 1st Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway.
Bahadur Sirdar, Overseer, 3rd Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway.

The 29th January 1875.

No. 27.—Mr. A. S. Gerrard, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, passed the colloquial examination in Hindustani on the 12th January 1875.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E., Director of State Railways.*

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 30th January 1875.

No. 7.—Lalla Mungul Sain, Accountant, 2nd Grade, attached to the Office of the Controller of Accounts, Punjab Northern State Railway, is allowed one month's privilege leave, with effect from the forenoon of the 26th January 1875.

ALEX. GRANT, *Engineer-in-Chief.*

NORTHERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Parbuttipore, the 26th January 1875.

No. 19.—Mr. R. Reynolds, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in Notification No. 24 on the forenoon of 16th September 1874, and reported his return to duty on the afternoon of the 15th December 1874.

No. 20.—Mr. J. Barron, Assistant Engineer, officiated as Executive Engineer, Mahanuddi Division, from the forenoon of the 16th September 1874, when he took over charge from Mr. Reynolds.

No. 21.—Mr. T. W. Grant, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, reported his return to duty from the leave granted him in No. 8 of 11th January, on the afternoon of the 8th idem.

No. 22.—Mr. W. H. Fensom, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, reported his arrival to the Executive Engineer, Burrul Division, on the 16th January 1875.

No. 23.—The leave granted to Mr. J. R. Scott, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, in Notification No. 50 of 18th December 1874, is cancelled at his own request.

No. 24.—The resignation of Mr. H. Fewings, appointed as Temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, is accepted with effect from 15th January 1875.

No. 25.—ERRATUM.—In Notification No. 42 of 1874, for "16th October" read "12th October."

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major, R. E., Engineer-in-Chief.*

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 25th January 1875.

No. 24.—*For* this Office Notification No. 289, dated "12th December 1874," *read* dated "17th December 1874."

The 27th January 1875.

No. 28.—Mr. J. W. Goodsir, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, posted to this line by the Director of State Railways, in his Notification No. 96 of 30th November 1874, reported his arrival at Mooltan on the forenoon of this day, and is posted to the Mooltan District.

The 29th January 1875.

No. 30.—The following posting has been made by Superintending Engineer, Mooltan District :—

Mr. J. W. Goodsir, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, to the Shoojabad Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Lieut.-Col., R. E., Engineer-in-Chief.*

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

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In Order of Merit.

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2	Syed Muzhar Imam	Presidency College.
3	Bisvas, Prankrishna	Ditto.

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In Order of Merit.

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2	Nag, Baradacharan	Presidency College.
	Bandyopádhyáy, Ramtaran	Ditto.
4	Mukhopádhyáy, Haridas	Ditto.
5	Ghosh, Kedarnath	Ditto.
6	Lal Sing	Ditto.
7	Mandal, Binadvihari	Ditto.
8	Bandyopadhyáy, Kedarnath	Ditto.
9	Chaudhuri, Srikumár	Patna College.
	Niogi, Basantakumár	Ditto.
11	Bandyopádhyáy, Gopalchandra	Presidency College.
12	Chaudhuri, Akshaychandra	Ditto.
13	Mitra, Mahendranath	Ditto.
14	Sen, Girischandra	Ditto.
15	Bandyopádhyáy, Biharilal	Ditto.
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	Chattopádhyáy, Gopalchandra	Ditto.
	Náhá, Anangamohan	Dacca College.
19	Mukhopádhyáy, Bidhubhusan	Canning College, Lucknow.
	Niogi, Saradaprasad	Patna College.
	Mukhopádhyáy, Haravilás	Presidency College.
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27	Mitra, Jogendranath	Presidency College.
28	Chattopádhyáy, Bishnuchandra	Ditto.
	Mukhopádhyáy, Mahendranath	Ditto.
30	Bandyopádhyáy, Gopikrishna	Hooghly College.
31	Mukhopádhyáy, Ramchandra	Presidency College.
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35	Ray, Amritalál	Ditto.
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	Bandyopádhyáy, Mahendranath	Presidency College.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 29th January 1875.

J. SUTCLIFFE, *Registrar.*

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Jan. 25th, 1875 ...	...	3,24,851	13,08,879	3,57,714	66,67,487
26th " ...	10,177	2,87,980	10,48,806	3,21,683	68,17,487
" 27th " ...	...	3,28,061	7,41,117	3,63,233	69,53,487
" 28th " ...	...	2,31,356	5,25,595	2,62,698	71,83,487
" 29th " ...	...	3,28,003	2,17,894	3,53,784	72,13,487
" 30th " ...	...	2,05,261	25,142	2,20,518	74,43,487

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 1st Feb.* 1875. } H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

NOTICE.

Halves of the following 5-rupee Notes having come into the possession of the Cawnpore Police, the owners of the other halves are requested to communicate with the Superintendent of Police, Cawnpore :—

D 10—13976
" —13977
" —13978
" —13979
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H. G. PEARSE, *Assistant Magistrate, for Magistrate.*

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st January 1875.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1863-64.	4 per cent. Loans									5 per cent. Debentures for		4 per cent. Bombay Book Debt Loan of 1865.	Total Amount.
		of 1824-25.	of 1829-30.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	5 Per Cent. Loan of 1866-67.	4½ per cent. Loans of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	10 years. Repayable, June 1877.	15 years. Repayable, June 1882.		
Balance of 16th January 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,45,468	31,92,400	1,63,87,200	1,11,14,700	1,25,93,300	1,10,100	38,12,700	2,46,000	3,28,34,400	34,56,000	35,79,000	29	13,92,78,941
Add—																
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 31st January 1875	...	...	...	...	...	2,500	...	24,900	...	...	...	600	...	...	...	28,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 16th and 31st January 1875	...	...	...	...	...	500	...	...	...	...	...	20,000	1,27,700	...	...	1,48,200
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st January 1875	...	...	...	6,293	10,100	1,08,100	5,600	2,13,200	...	600	...	67,000	1,59,500	...	...	5,60,293
	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,51,761	32,02,500	1,64,98,300	1,11,19,300	1,28,31,400	1,10,100	38,13,300	2,46,000	3,29,11,400	34,56,000	35,79,000	29	14,00,15,434
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	...	...	4,500	6,500	1,61,300	...	...	...	2,43,700	...	...	...	7,65,000
Balance on 31st January 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,51,761	32,02,500	1,64,93,800	1,11,12,800	1,26,70,100	1,10,100	38,13,300	2,46,000	3,26,67,700	34,56,000	35,79,000	29	13,92,49,834

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 30th Nov. 1874, enfaced from India 2,076 lakhs; retransferred from London, 1,992 lakhs.

" 1st December 1874 to 15th Dec.	"	11	"	"	17 "
" 16th " " to 31st "	"	16	"	"	24 "
" 1st January 1875 to 15th Jan. 1875	"	6	"	"	16 "
" 16th " " to 31st "	"	7	"	"	7 "
		2,118			2,056 lakhs.
		2,056			
Balance against India ...		60			

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL:
Calcutta, 3rd February 1875.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Calcutta, the 3rd February 1875.

Notice is hereby given that the Bank of Bengal, General Treasury and Public Debt Office will be closed on Wednesday the 10th and Thursday the 11th instant, on account of the Hindoo Festival "Sreepunchomee," in conformity with Government Notification No. 3464 of the 29th October 1867.

The 4th February 1875.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with Section XVII of the Charter Act IV of 1862, a meeting of the proprietors of the Bank of Bengal will be held at the Bank on Saturday the 13th instant, at 10 o'clock A. M., to elect two Directors in room, Mr. John F. Ogilvy and Mr. J. Jardine Paterson, resigned.

The Poll will close at 3 P. M.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 2nd February 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...				2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund				16,07,187	7	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	1,04,68,733	4	7	2,91,31,066	14	10
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,86,62,333	10	3			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				3,48,76,374	13	9
Bank Post Bills, &c.				4,79,546	5	2
Sundries				4,50,191	3	3
TOTAL ...				8,85,44,366	12	9

ASSETS.	Rs	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities				1,82,14,426	12	10
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...				85,46,005	3	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches				21,53,863	10	3
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches				1,98,85,584	9	0
Dead Stock				10,85,344	3	4
Stamps				13,728	10	9
Balances with other Banks ...				2,62,017	13	8
Sundries				2,98,914	5	10
Bullion				8,36,771	10	5
				5,12,96,656	15	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	1,45,33,422	4	9	3,72,47,709	13	8
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	2,27,14,287	8	11			
TOTAL ...				8,85,44,366	12	9

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 4th February 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7591	L 42—71936	10	F. Johannes, Esq.
	" —71937	10	
7592	A 89—77655	500	The Treasury Officer, Ramghur.
7596	L 35—91956	10	Babu Kristo Coomer Sen.
	L 40—14771	10	
	" —80773	10	
	" —84739	10	
	L 41—56462	10	
7597	L 49—96833	50	G. T. Doucett, Esq.
7605	L 4—11219	10	C. E. Price, Esq.
	" —11220	10	
7606	L 43—19524	10	Joteraj.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
7580	L 50—81502	100	Babu Bonomally Dutt.
	" —81503	100	
	" —81504	100	
	" —81505	100	
	" —63186	100	
	" —74860	100	
	" —54995	100	
	" —80779	100	
	" —80780	100	
	" —63185	100	

Calcutta Circle—*continued.*

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED—*continued.*

Register No.	No of Notes.	Value	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
7581	L 38—15785	100	Messrs. Grindlay & Co.
	L 50—01080	100	
	„ —30154	100	
	L 49—20130	50	
	L 46—30387	20	
	L 17—33892	5	
7582	L 3—28334	10	Babu Gopaul Chunder Ghose.
	„ —28335	10	
7583	A 68—93463	10	Babu Koilas Chunder Seal.
	„ —85188		
	L 33—54990	10	
7584	L 40—56695	10	Babu Radha Soonder Mozoomder.
	„ —56665	10	
7585	A 88—84996	1,000	Hajee Tar Mohamed, Sallay Mohamed.
	„ —84997	1,000	
	„ —84998	1,000	
	„ —67044	1,000	
	„ —67045	1,000	
7586	L 46—53662	20	James A. F. Cole, Esq.
	L 41—66152	10	
7587	L 15—72101	5	Babu Nilambor Huie.
	„ —72102	5	
7588	L 3—07699	10	Ellahie Bukhsh.
7589	L 5—20534	10	Gridhary Chowdry.
	„ —20536		
7593	L 35—14302	10	M. Doucett, Esq.
7594	L 10—75529	5	Babu Sreenauth Bose.
7595	L 32—30665	10	Babu Haradhun Ghose.
7598	L 38—80977	100	The Officer Commanding 8th Regiment N. I., Faizabad.
7599	L 17—41344	5	Babu Obhoy Churn Dass.
	„ —41346		
7600	L 33—37937	10	Babu Hem Chunder Banerjee.
	„ —37930		
7601	L 42—41340	10	Babu Nundo Lal Dutta.
7602	A 77—31354	10	Babu Ramrutton Mookerjee.
	„ —31348		
7603	A 63—91800	100	Babu Joy Nauth Gangooly.
7604	L 36—53590	20	Babu Khetter Nauth Mitter.
7607	L 38—75049	100	Broad and Mackinnell, Adelphi Hotel, Calcutta.
	„ —53514	100	
	L 50—41328	100	
	„ —41228	100	
	„ —41331	100	
	L 49—53184	50	
7608	L 11—23008	5	Babu Tripura Churn Cooar.
	„ —23108		
7609	L 10—47951	5	Babu Nobodep Chunder Dutt.
	„ —47954		
	L 9—85206	5	
	„ —85273		
	„ —75814	5	
	„ —75813		
7610	L 15—85133	5	Babu Bama Churn Mozoomder.
	„ —85132		
7611	L 35—56232	10	T. Chresteen, Esq.
	L 32—60547		
	L 16—64461	5	
7612	L 33—76616	10	Babu Nobin K. Banerjee.
7613	L 35—42494	10	Babu Gunga Bishun.
	L 33—79784		
	A 66—64764	10	
	A 65—90735		

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 5th February 1875.

L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Madras Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
270	B 32—86284	50	C. Comarasawmi Moodelliar, Coimbatore.
292	B 38—22213	100	Assistant Superintendent in charge of Telegraph Office, Madras.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
244	B 34—42440	10	Lieutenant G. Butfoy, Barrack Master, Bellary.
289	B 38—66134	100	Moor Selim Khan, Cocanada.
300	B 41—37795 wrongly joined „ —37792	10	G. Theroovengadathan Chetty, Davaraya Moodelly Street, Madras.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acctt. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 25th January 1875.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
1874-75.		Rs.	
147	C 78—93901	20	Oomajee Vinayek Kale, Chief Engineer's Office, Great Indian Peninsula Railway, Fort, Bombay.
	C 96—60293	10	
148	C 93—27948	100	James Thorburn, Esq., Merchant, Sir Charles Forbes and Co., Byculla Club.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

1874-75.		Rs.	
140	C 92—59129	10	Dr. O. F. Molloy, Army Medical Department, Poona.
115	C 84—53547	20	Captain R. J. I. Stewart, 66th Regiment, Mozuffurpore, Tirhoot, Bengal.
	„ —53548	20	
146	C 96—00843	10	Miniel Francis Rago, Hanoomun Gullee, Kalbadavie.
65	M 2—22094 wrongly joined „ —22092	5	Muncherjee Framjee, Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, Bombay.
	C 84—49739 ditto „ —49736	20	
66	C 76—46011 ditto „ —46021	10	Nusseerwanjee Eduljee, Mahim Casiwady.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 26th January 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Calicut Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
J 7—35472	5	Mrs. Barrow, of Calicut.
„ —32784	5	Messrs. Perreira and Co., Cochin.
„ —34711	5	
J 6—46125	10	
B 34—58392	10	
J 3—64487	100	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
J 6—52140		10	Mr. F. Fernandez, of Cannanore.
J 5—42478 wrongly joined „ —45328		20	M. Adoollatif, of Bombay.
B 34—61373		10	Lieutenant Butfoy, of Bellary.

CALICUT,—Paper Currency Office;
The 25th January 1875.

P. A. COLE,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Nagpur Circle.

NOTES MISMATCHED.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
F 10—32156 „ —32159	100	Vurjeevandass Madowdass and Co., Bombay.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

	Rs.	
F 10—22868	100	R. S. Sinclair, Esq., Director of Public Instruction, Akola.
„ —23429	100	

NAGPUR,—Paper Currency Office;
The 30th January 1875.

R. N. RAY,
Asst. to Acctt. Genl., C. P., in charge of Paper Currency.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
12	E 6—62479	10	Mrs. Ellen Andrews, Dera Doon.
25	E 5—68969 wrongly joined. „ —30935	—	Mr. J. Clarke, Clarke's Hotel, Umballa.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office;
The 29th January 1875.

I. C. BOSE,
Asst. to Acctt. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 4th February 1875.

No. 6783.—Appointments in the Post Office Department made by the Director General of the Post Office:—

POSTAL CIRCLE OF BOMBAY.

Mr. D. L. Nicker has been appointed to be Inspector of Post Offices, Kanara Division.

Mr. Ram Chundra Bapoojee has been appointed to be Superintendent, Dead Letter Office, Bombay.

Mr. T. B. Yates has been appointed to be Supernumerary Inspector of Post Offices, attached to the Postmaster General's Office.

Mr. Babajee Suddoba has been appointed to be Inspector of Post Offices, Khandeish Division.

Mr. R. Ley has been appointed to be Inspector of Post Offices, Ahmednuggur Division.

Mr. Girdhur Mahadeo has been appointed to officiate as Inspector of Post Offices, Kanara Division.

By order of the Director General,

HUGH A. BROWN,
Pl. Asst. to the Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

The 5th February 1875.

Mails for Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America, and the Colonies of Queensland and Victoria *viâ* Torres Straits (letters, &c., for the latter Colony must be specially superscribed), for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Saturday, the 6th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Rangoon, Moulmein, Penang, Malacca, and Singapore, for transmission per Steamer *Dacca*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 7th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo, for transmission per Steamer *Sir John Lawrence*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 7th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 9th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per P. and O. Steamer *Mongolia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 10th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras, Ceylon and the intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer *Agra*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 10th instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 12th February 1875, by which mails for Mauritius, St. Denis, Reunion, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, Natal, Cape of Good Hope, the Comoro Islands, and Madagascar can be forwarded.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 11th idem.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M., and after 8 up to 9 P. M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

Mails for France, Foreign Europe *viâ* France, the intermediate Ports, Mauritius and China, for transmission per French Mail Steamer *Meinam*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Monday, the 15th instant, at 7 P. M.

M. PERCY,
Offg. Post Master of Calcutta.

☞ The following books may be had from the Office of Superintendent, Government Printing, No. 8, Hastings Street. No orders can be attended to, unless accompanied by a remittance. When postage stamps are forwarded, one anna additional should be sent for every Rupee's worth of stamps, for discount in exchanging them for cash. Service labels are not received.

Books required on the public service are only supplied when authorized by the Department under whose orders they are published.

Report on the production of Tobacco in India, by J. E. O'Connor. *Price, Re.* 1-8; *packing and postage,* 8 *annas.*

Note on Lac, by J. E. O'Connor. Revised *edition. Price,* 8 *annas; packing and postage,* 3 *annas.*

Vanilla: its cultivation in India, by J. E. O'Connor. *Price,* 8 *annas; packing and postage,* 1 *anna.*

A Manual of Family Medicine for India. By W. J. Moore, Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh; Member of the Royal College of Surgeons of England; Fellow of the University of Bombay; Surgeon-Major, Her Majesty's Indian Medical Service, Bombay Establishment; Surgeon to the Rajpootana Political Agency; and Superintendent-General of Dispensaries and Vaccination for Rajpootana. *Price—*

To Government officers (except those mentioned below) and to the public at large. *Rs.* 4.

To all officers employed in the Forest, Customs, Opium, Surveys, Public Works, and other Government Departments, who are in receipt of salaries under Rs. 500 per mensem, on a certificate being furnished declaring that the book is to be purchased only for the personal use of the officer. *Rs.* 3.

Packing and postage, per copy, 10 *annas.*

Army List.

The Official Quarterly Army List of H. M.'s Forces in Bengal, to which is appended the Civil Service Gradation List, the War Services of Officers, &c., corrected up to 1st January 1875. *Price, Rs.* 4; *packing and postage,* 8 *annas.*

☞ *The above to be had at the Office of Superintendent of Government Printing,* 8, *Hastings Street, Calcutta.*

Publications for sale at the Bengal Secretariat Press.

The Bengal Administration Report for 1872-73. *Price, Rs.* 7-8.

Map of Bengal, 1873. *Price, if taken with the Report, Re.* 1.

Map of Bengal, 1873, separately. *Price, Rs.* 2.

Rules for the Sale of Waste Lands. *Price,* 4 *annas.*

Act VII (B. C.) of 1873 (Labor Districts Emigration), the Government Resolution thereon, and the Rules and Forms under the Act, bound up together in pamphlet form. *Price,* 8 *annas per copy; or, including postage,* 10 *annas.*

Papers regarding the Tea Industry in Bengal. *Price, Rs.* 3.

Report on the Cultivation of, and Trade in, Jute in Bengal, and on Indian Fibres available for the Manufacture of Paper, with map. By Hem Chunder Kerr Deputy Magistrate on special duty. *Price, Rs.* 8.

A Report on the District of Jessore: its Antiquities, its History, and its Commerce. (Second Edition, Revised and Corrected). By J. Westland, Esq., C. S., late Magistrate and Collector of Jessore. *Price, Rs.* 3.

Selection of Papers regarding the Hill Tracts between Assam and Burmah, and on the Upper Brahmapooter. *Price, Rs.* 5.

Selections from Divisional and District Annual Administration Reports, 1872-73, with the Government Resolutions on them. *Price, Rs.* 5.

Progressive Colloquial Exercises in the Lushai Dialect of the Dzo or Kuki Language. With Vocabularies and Popular Tales (notated). By Captain Thomas Herbert Lewin, B.S.C., Deputy Commissioner, Chittagong Hills. *Price, Rs.* 6.

Selections from the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette,* 1871 to 1874. *Price, Rs.* 2-8.

The quarterly Civil List for Bengal, corrected up to the 1st of October 1874. *Price, Rs.* 3; *postage* 8 *annas.*

Report on the Effects of Artificial Respiration, Intravenous Injection of Ammonia, and Administration of various Drugs, &c., in Indian and Australian Snake-poisoning; and the Physiological, Chemical, and Microscopical Nature of Snake-Poisons. By the Commission appointed to investigate the subject. *Price, Rs.* 3.

Apply to E. M. LEWIS, *Bengal Secretariat Press,* 28, *Chowringhee Road, Calcutta.*

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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF AJMERE.

NOTIFICATION.—GENERAL.
Camp Kotree, the 2nd February 1875.

No. 104.—Pundit Bhagram and Captain J. H. Lassalle, respectively delivered over and received charge of the Office of Extra Assistant Commissioner in charge of Treasury, Ajmere, on the afternoon of the 15th January 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Chief Commissioner.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.—GENERAL.
Camp Thana, the 30th January 1875.

No. $\frac{336}{326}$*G.*—LEAVE.—Mr. James White, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Rajpootana State Railway, returned from the leave granted him in Notification No. $\frac{4481}{3307}$G., dated 5th December 1874, and resumed charge of his duties at noon on the 19th January 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER, RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.
Camp Thana, the 30th January 1875.

No. 241*S.*—The twelve months' furlough granted to Baboo Hurry Hur Bose, Accountant, 4th Grade, Rajpootana, in Notification dated Aboo, 15th August 1874, has been commuted to three months' privilege leave, from 2nd December 1874, under Section 25 of the Civil Leave Code.

Camp Parolee, the 1st February 1875.

No. 271*S.*—Captain H. Y. Murray, Executive Engineer, Nusseerabad Division, having returned, on the forenoon of 15th January 1875, from forty-five days' privilege leave, received charge of his office on the afternoon of the 18th idem from Mr. T. W. Miles, Executive Engineer.

2. The services of Mr. T. W. Miles, Executive Engineer, have been placed at the disposal of the Jeypore Durbar from date of his relief by Captain Murray, in accordance with the Government of India, Public Works Department letter No. 846E. M. & C., dated 15th December 1874.

By order,

A. G. CROMMELIN,
Secy. to the Agent, Govr. Genl., and Chief Commr., in the P. W. D., Rajpootana.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.
Camp Sutna, the 3rd February 1875.

No. 86*P.*—Lieutenant D. W. K. Barr, 1st Assistant Agent, Governor General for Central India, and Deputy Opium Agent in Malwa, is granted privilege leave for three months from the date in March next on which he may avail himself thereof.

H. D. DALY, *Major General,*
Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

ESTABLISHMENT.
Indore, the 6th February 1875.

No. 56.—Baboo Beharee Lall, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, is transferred from the Southern Road Division to Mhow Division, as a temporary measure.

No. 57.—Captain G. R. Gibbs, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Assistant to Chief Engineer, Central India, has been granted eighteen days' privilege leave from the 20th ultimo, from which he returned on the afternoon of the 6th instant.

No. 58.—Bahal Roy, Overseer, 2nd Grade, returned, on the forenoon of the 1st instant, from twenty-eight days' privilege leave granted him in this Administration Notification No. 50, dated 5th ultimo.

A. CADELL, *Col., R. E.,*
Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 6th February 1875.

List of Offices opened and closed during the month of January 1875.

Names of Stations.	Where situate.	Date.	REMARKS.
	(Bengal).		
Kissengunge ...	Purneah District	29th ...	Closed.
Parell ...	Bombay ...	25th ...	Opened.
Saharunpore ...	N.-W. Provinces	3rd ...	Closed.

The 9th February 1875.

No. 49.—Mr. E. Dowson, an Assistant Superintendent of the 2nd Grade, is allowed special leave on private affairs for six months, with effect from 3rd April 1875, under Section 15, and subsidiary leave for ten days under Section 18 (*a*) of the Civil Leave Code.

D. G. ROBINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Director General of Telegraphs in India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATION.

1st Circle.

The 6th February 1875.

No. 422.—Mr. W. H. King, C. E., Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the Fort William to the Barrackpore Division, and joined the latter division on the forenoon of 29th January 1875.

Mr. W. H. King, C. E., took charge of the Barrackpore Division from Colonel F. J. Davies on the afternoon of 1st February 1875.

Mr. W. Gatehouse, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, returned from Famine Relief Works, and joined the Barrackpore Division on the forenoon of 28th January 1875.

Barrack Sergeant J. Maher, transferred from Barrackpore to Fort William Division, joined the latter division on the afternoon of 2nd January 1875.

W. R. TUCKER, *Major, R. E.,*
Offg. Supdg. Engr., 1st Circle, Military Works.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, 3rd February 1875.

No. 28.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 47 of the 29th January 1875, Mr. D. Campbell, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, is posted to the Holkar State Railway.

No. 29.—The services of Mr. G. T. Hulsten, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Neemuch State Railway, were dispensed with, with effect from the 14th December 1874.

No. 30.—Mr. G. T. Hulsten is re-appointed temporarily to the Public Works Department as a Supervisor, 2nd Grade, and posted to the Sindhia State Railway.

No. 33.—Mr. H. Geoghegan, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, was allowed by the Secretary of State four months' leave on medical certificate in extension of the leave notified in Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 795 of the 19th December 1873.

Subsidiary leave is also granted to Mr. H. Geoghegan from the 28th November to the 9th December 1874, both days inclusive.

This cancels Director's Notification No. 65 of the 24th September 1874.

The 4th February 1875.

No. 31.—Mr. G. S. Henry, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, temporarily attached to the Northern Bengal State Railway, is granted leave without allowances for twelve months, under Section 9, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st October 1874.

No. 32.—Thakoor Doss, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Rajputana State Railway, is transferred to the Tirhoot State Railway.

The 9th February 1875.

No. 34.—Mr. J. W. Christison, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, held charge of the Mehur Division, Indus Valley State Railway, from the 3rd to the 9th September 1874.

No. 35.—Mr. J. Imbrie Miller, Superintending Engineer, 1st Grade, made over charge of the Neemuch State Railway, on the afternoon of the 31st January 1875, to Mr. C. Cheyne, Engineer-in-Chief, Holkar State Railway.

The Holkar and Neemuch State Railways are amalgamated, with effect from the 1st February 1875, under the charge of Mr. Cheyne, as Engineer-in-Chief, Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

No. 36.—Mr. J. M. Campion, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, is granted eight months' furlough on medical certificate under Section 10 (*a*) of the Civil Leave Code, also one month's subsidiary leave under Section 18 (*a*) and Rule 1 of Section 20.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Indore, the 6th February 1875.

No. 54.—Mr. S. de V. H. Alexander, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, made over, and Mr. J. P. Vansittart, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, received, charge of the 2nd Division, Neemuch State Railway, on the afternoon of the 4th February 1875.

No. 55.—Privilege leave for one month, with effect from 15th February 1875, is granted to Baboo Deenonath Banerjee, Accountant, 4th Grade, in the Office of the Executive Engineer, 2nd Division, Neemuch State Railway.

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief,
Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 3rd February 1875.

No. 31.—The privilege leave granted to Mr. A. Mathews, temporary Overseer, 2nd Grade, Sutlej Bridge Division, in this Office Notification No. 1 of 4th January 1875, is cancelled at his own request.

No. 33.—The following postings have been made by Superintending Engineers :—

Mr. D. Bewell, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, to the Sutlej Bridge Division.

Mr. P. C. Gilhooly, Supervisor, 1st Grade, to the Ghôtkee Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 6th February 1875.

No. 8.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 20, dated 26th January 1875, appointing Mr. G. W. Rolfe, to the Public Works Department as a temporary Supervisor, 1st Grade, and posting him to the Punjab Northern State Railway, this subordinate is posted to the Chenab Section, which section he joined on the forenoon of the 20th January 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7614	L 50—39448	100	Babu Sreekanto Dutt.
7615	L 17—59045	5	The Officiating Post Master General, N. W. P.
7617	L 19—96901	50	Jullessur Ojah, Inspector, River Police, Hautkhola.
	L 49—57848	50	
7623	L 49—99219	50	Dobeeroodeen.
7624	L 46—51715	20	The Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Goalundo.
	L 46—33415	20	
	L 37—71154	20	
	L 42—16486	10	
	L 34—98424	10	
	L 40—83355	10	
	L 41—65900	10	
	" —07516	10	
	L 40—49998	10	
	L 39—84353	10	
	L 35—35293	10	
7625	L 42—92800	10	W. E. Reily, Esq., District Supdt. of Police, Howrah.
	L 49—59567	50	
7626	L 47—38771	20	H. Linton, Esq.
7627	L 35—54333	10	The Offg. Post Master General, Bengal.
7628	A 89—75406	500	Babu Romanath Biswas.
	L 49—22994	50	
7629	L 50—74658	100	The District Supdt. of Police, Dinagepore.
	L 49—55799	50	
7638	L 46—79749	20	E. Ewing, Esq.
7639	L 47—51785	20	M. Johns, Esq.
	L 20—42915	5	
	" —42916	5	
	" —42917	5	
	" —42918	5	
7642	L 50—81395	100	James Castello, Esq.
	" —97189	100	
	" —97188	100	
	" —52419	100	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7618	L 6—71164	10	Gobind Persaud Mookund Lall.
	L 5—22657	10	
	L 32—11399	10	
7619	L 42—34620	10	Babu Juggessur Biswas.
	L 17—39180	5	
7620	A 74—18252, " —26720	20	Babu Modoosooden Dey.
	A 49—71056, " —18374	10	
	L 33—77503, A 98—02381	10	
	L 9—54655, " —14346	5	
	" —69241, " —54654	5	
7621	L 34—72590	10	Hugh Wilcox, Esq.
7622	L 17—61037	5	Syud Murtaza Hosain.
7630	L 4—11219	10	C. E. Price, Esq.
7631	L 32—90170, " —90172	10	The Chief Paymaster, E. I. Railway, Calcutta.
	L 40—08762, " —08761	10	
	L 17—15565, " —15563	5	

Calcutta Circle—*continued.*

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED—*continued.*

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7631	L 16—81637	5	The Chief Paymaster, E. I. Railway, Calcutta.
	„ —81657		
	L 17—20018	5	
	„ —20020		
	„ —77517	5	
	L 15—82439		
7632	A 92—39711	50	Babu Peary Mohun Banerjee.
7633	L 16—65131	5	Babu Shib Chunder Banerjee.
	„ —65130		
7634	L 13—05616	20	Babu Gunga Narain Bysack.
	„ —05619		
7635	A 96—60150	10	Babu Kali Prosunno Mookerjee.
	A 95—32249		
7636	L 38—80374	100	Moor Selim Khan.
7637	L 50—76622	100	Balo Das and Nursing Das.
	L 8—85097	100	
	L 50—34806	100	
	L 38—96143	100	
	L 8—44588	100	
7640	L 46—70878	20	Babu Nundo Gopal Ghose.
7641	L 8—59721	100	Mooneeram Futtah Chund.
	L 10—79914	5	Babu Chidam Chunder Seal.
7643	L 40—52308	10	Mohamed Ahmeer.
7644	L 33—26122	10	

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 12th February* 1875.

L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Madras Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No of Notes.	Value Rs.	Name of Claimant.
214	B 32—56311	50	C. Mooroogasa Moodelly, Taluq Overseer, Dindigul.
251	B 35—40859	20	Mylarappah, residing at Herehoor, Chittledroog District.
291	B 32—95063	50	Lieut.-Colonel Beresford, M. S. C., Madras.
	B 38—80470	100	
303	B 35—16664	20	Thyen Rarichen, Abkarry Contractor, Calicut.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acctt. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.; *The 1st February* 1875.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
1874-75.			
149	C 85—83777	50	Sebastiao Francisco Vallis, Esq., Accountant, P. W. D., Rutnagherry.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

1874-75.		Rs.	
140	C 92—59129	10	Dr. O. F. Mallay, Surgeon, Army Medical Department, Poona.
150	C 95—61675	10	Khemjee Kullionjee, Mandvee Bunder, Bombay.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 2nd February* 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Akola Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
K 4—13313	100	Hajee Issack Soab and Sons, of Bombay.
K 4—10401	100	Venkutrao Shrinavas, Naib Tehsildar, Brahmapuri, Zilla Chanda, C.

AKOLA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 1st February* 1875.

C. A. W. DAVIES,
Assistant Commissioner.

Kurrachee Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
G 8—14582	20	Sobraj Methamul, of Hallanee, in Sind.
„ —15005	20	
G 10—18061	100	
„ —12099	100	
G 7—36547 and „ —37854 wrongly joined	10	Messrs. Vurjeevundass, Mahadowdass & Co., Bombay.
G 7—47391 and „ —48891 ditto	10	

KURRACHEE,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 2nd February* 1875.

W. PATTON,
Asst. Depy. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
11	E 6—65329	10	Shew Pershad Tewari, Audit Office, Oudh and Rohilcund Railway, Lucknow.
24	E 6—61733	10	Munshi Said-ud-din, through the Collector of Inland Customs Shahpur.
	E 5—73946	20	
28	E 6—56006	10	Mohemud Amin, of Peshawur, now at Lahore.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; *The 6th February* 1875.

I. C. BOSE,
Asst. to Acctt. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

No. 1371.—Account of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Government of India for the Month of September 1874, as compared with the corresponding period of 1873.

REVENUE AND RECEIPTS.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Sept. 1873.	April to Sept. 1874.	COMPARISON OF 2 YEARS. Increase.	COMPARISON OF 2 YEARS. Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
I.—Land Revenue	21,404,000	8,577,644	8,507,914	...	69,730
II.—Tributes	726,000	356,253	333,675	...	22,578
III.—Forest	606,000	190,324	208,793	18,469	...
IV.—Excise	2,286,000	1,163,604	1,161,283	...	2,321
V.—Assessed Taxes	...	17,788	2,319	...	15,469
VI.—Customs	2,738,000	1,140,063	1,179,048	38,985	...
VII.—Salt	6,079,000	2,858,154	2,813,917	...	44,237
VIII.—Opium	7,615,000	4,068,498	4,162,284	93,786	...
IX.—Stamps	2,708,000	1,436,862	1,471,717	34,855	...
X.—Mint	124,000	8,725	110,701	101,976	...
XI.—Post Office	695,000	354,483	356,121	1,638	...
XII.—Telegraph*	241,200	59,157	88,393	29,236	...
XIII.—Law and Justice	333,000	194,591	170,675	...	23,916
XIV.—Marine	201,000	91,397	85,491	...	5,906
XV.—Interest	447,000	182,547	248,812	66,265	...
XVI.—Pensions	584,400	87,381	82,973	...	4,408
XVII.—Gain by Exchange	322,000	121,450	181,763	60,313	...
XVIII.—Miscellaneous	187,000	102,244	70,111	...	32,133
	47,296,600	21,011,165	21,235,990	224,825	...
Army ...	870,000	427,214	381,412	...	45,802
Public Works, Ordinary ...	64,300	38,116	21,441	...	16,675
Irrigation ...	491,000	224,485	222,877	...	1,608
Receipts	95,000	13,271	41,993	28,722	...
State Railways ...	7,387,000	2,922,377	3,901,501	979,124	...
Traffic Receipts (Guaranteed Railways) ...					
TOTAL ...	56,203,900	24,636,628	25,805,214	1,168,586	...
England, including Army, Public Works, &c. ...	167,100	124,495	187,209	62,714	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	56,371,000	24,761,123	25,992,423	1,231,300	...

EXPENDITURE.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Sept. 1873.	April to Sept. 1874.	COMPARISON OF 2 YEARS. Increase.	COMPARISON OF 2 YEARS. Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Interest on Funded and Unfunded Debt ...	2,917,000	1,344,810	1,356,387	11,577	...
2.—Interest on Service Funds ...	359,000	172,020	178,087	6,067	...
3.—Refunds and Drawbacks ...	262,000	135,237	156,907	21,670	...
4.—Land Revenue ...	2,500,400	1,183,172	1,172,726	...	10,446
5.—Forest ...	440,000	185,946	208,325	22,379	...
6.—Excise ...	87,000	64,166	41,157	...	23,009
7.—Assessed Taxes ...	...	2,102	...	...	2,102
8.—Customs ...	186,000	93,861	86,086	...	7,775
9.—Salt ...	490,000	227,073	218,077	...	8,996
10.—Opium ...	2,115,000	1,657,896	1,967,236	309,346	...
11.—Stamps ...	70,500	37,216	33,539	...	3,677
12.—Mint ...	82,000	28,593	79,265	50,672	...
13.—Post Office ...	733,600	365,110	381,466	16,356	...
14.—Telegraph* ...	382,100	109,536	109,362	...	174
15.—Administration ...	1,191,500	621,693	594,075	...	27,618
16.—Minor Department ...	283,600	125,428	124,691	...	737
17.—Law and Justice ...	2,277,000	1,133,637	1,127,308	...	6,329
18.—Marine ...	383,200	171,913	194,307	22,394	...
19.—Ecclesiastical ...	158,100	76,250	78,605	2,355	...
20.—Medical Services ...	180,200	88,952	91,844	2,892	...
21.—Political Agencies ...	402,000	138,281	151,884	13,603	...
22.—Allowances and Assignments ...	1,702,600	666,518	638,817	...	27,701
24.—Superannuation, &c. ...	700,000	255,799	331,052	75,253	...
25.—Loss by Exchange ...	746,000	436,978	322,989	...	113,989
26.—Miscellaneous ...	44,800	22,369	35,219	12,850	...
27.—Allotments for Provincial Services ...	5,030,000	2,492,210	2,515,064	22,854	...
28.—Famine Relief ...	2,522,000	...	...	...	...
	26,254,600	11,836,760	12,194,475†	357,715	...
Army Charges ...	11,869,700	5,658,022	5,597,517	...	60,505
Public Works, Ordinary (including Irrigation) ...	2,421,200	1,071,373	953,428	...	117,945
Do. do. Extraordinary, including Railways ...	3,420,000	1,137,210	1,345,330	208,120	...
Land and Supervision ...	129,000	92,776	37,667	...	55,109
Guaranteed Interest paid in India ...	36,000	16,253	18,740	2,487	...
State Railways ...	104,000	26,936	45,809	18,873	...
Working Expenses (Guaranteed Railways) ...	4,085,000	1,389,060	1,538,585	149,525	...
TOTAL ...	48,319,500	21,228,390	21,731,551	503,161	...
England, including Army, Guaranteed Interest, Public Works, Ordinary and Extraordinary ...	14,002,500	6,419,708	6,700,550	280,842	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	62,322,000	27,648,098	28,432,101	784,003	...

* Indian including Ceylon up to July; Indo-European up to August.

† Exclusive of Famine charges.

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

COMPTROLLER GENL.'S OFFICE; CALCUTTA, *The 12th February* 1875.

E. GAY,
Comptroller General.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 8th February 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...	2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	16,06,187	7	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ... (Rs. 1,09,93,197 A. 5 P. 1)	3,10,74,476	1	8
General Treasury Balance at Branches ... (Rs. 2,00,81,278 A. 12 P. 7)			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	3,26,55,004	7	7
Bank Post Bills, &c.	4,15,840	11	10
Sundries	4,48,371	11	0
TOTAL ...	8,81,99,880	7	10

ASSETS.	Rs	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,83,03,082	10	10
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	80,06,805	3	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	20,11,120	0	0
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches	1,91,94,382	9	10
Dead Stock	10,84,158	13	5
Stamps	13,355	3	3
Balances with other Banks ...	3,65,247	14	5
Sundries	2,51,463	15	0
Bullion	8,30,319	15	9
	5,00,59,936	5	6
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... (Rs. 1,31,37,554 A. 15 P. 5)	3,81,39,944	2	4
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... (Rs. 2,50,02,389 A. 2 P. 11)			
TOTAL ...	8,81,99,880	7	10

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL; *Calcutta, 12th February* 1875. — J. GORDON, *Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.* — R. HARDIE, *Secy. & Treasurer.*

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION: Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Feb. 1st, 1875 ...	...	992	24,211	75,023	75,03,487
" 2nd " ...	...	14,905	10,175	60,976	74,03,487
" 3rd " ...	...	65	10,112	38,997	72,03,487
" 4th " ...	...	...	10,112	51,685	70,03,487
" 5th " ...	...	10,551	...	75,321	68,23,487
" 6th " ...	...	...	...	79,834	67,23,487

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 8th Feb.* 1875. — H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Remittance Transfer Receipts on other Treasuries will from this date be issued in series, commencing number 50101: the last ended with number 50600.

AJMERE TREASURY, *1st February* 1875. — J. H. LASSALLE, *Capt., Treasury Officer, Ajmere.*

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 12th February 1875.

Mails for Rangoon and Moulmein, for transmission per Steamer *Mahratta*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 14th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Akyab, for transmission per Steamer *Madras*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 14th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for France, Foreign Europe *viâ* France, the intermediate Ports, Mauritius and China, for transmission per French Mail Steamer *Meinam*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Monday, the 15th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Straits and Hong-Kong, for transmission per Steamer *China*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 16th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 16th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras, Ceylon and the intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer *Ava*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 17th instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 19th instant 1875, by which mails for Mauritius, St. Denis, Reunion, Natal, and Cape of Good Hope, can be forwarded.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 18th idem.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M., and after 8 up to 9 P. M. by a Post Office Clerk at the East Indian Railway Station, Armenian Ghât.

Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per P. and O. Steamer *Bokahra*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 24th instant, at 7 P. M.

M. PERCY,
Offg. Post Master of Calcutta.

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No. 60.—Captain E. Swetenham, Executive Engineer, Mhow Division, received temporary charge of the office of Chief Engineer and Secretary to Agent, Governor General, for Central India, in addition to his own duties, on the forenoon of the 9th instant, pending the arrival of Colonel Francis, appointed to officiate for Colonel Cadell in Government Notification No. 46 of the 29th January 1875.

The 12th February 1875.

No. 61.—Rampershad, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Southern Road Division, has been granted three months' privilege leave, from such date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 62.—Luchmon Pershaud, Overseer, 1st Grade, was relieved of his charge in the Northern Road Division, on the afternoon of the 6th instant, and directed to proceed to Rangoon in pursuance of Government Notification No. 13, dated 7th January 1875.

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NOTIFICATION.—GENERAL.

Camp Sawar, the 12th February 1875.

No. 130.—Captain J. H. Lassalle, and Pundit Maharaj Kishen, Extra Assistant Commissioner, respectively delivered over and received charge of the Office of the Assistant Commissioner of Beaur, on the afternoon of the 15th January 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Chief Commissioner.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 4th February 1875.

No. 9.—Colonel F. J. Davies, Executive Engineer, Barrackpore Division, Military Works, is granted one and a half month's privilege leave from 1st February 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 10.—Mr. T. G. Sharpe, Accountant, 4th Grade, Office of Controller of Accounts, Military Works, is granted fifteen days' privilege leave, with effect from the 26th January 1875.

The 5th February 1875.

No. 11.—Baboo Gooroo Dass Chatterjee, Overseer, is posted to the 1st Circle, Military Works, on his return from Famine Relief Works.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

1st Circle.

The 18th February 1875.

No. 552.—2nd Grade Overseer Baboo Gooroodass Chatterjee, returned from Famine Relief Works and joined the Barrackpore Division, Military Works, on the forenoon of 13th February 1875.

W. R. TUCKER, *Major, R. E.,*
Offg. Supdg. Engr., 1st Circle, Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 13th February 1875.

No. 6.—With reference to Notification No. 122, of 20th October 1874, by the Inspector General, Military Works, Lieutenant J. E. Broadbent, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, joined the 2nd Allahabad Division, Military Works, on the forenoon of 4th February 1875.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Military Works.

4th Circle.

The 4th February 1875.

No. 1.—TRANSFERS.—Mr. A. Morton, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, from Dalhousie Sub-Division, Jullundhur Division, Military Works, to Subathoo Sub-Division, Kussowlie Division, Military Works.

Mr. A. Grant, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, from Subathoo Sub-Division, Kussowlie Division, Military Works, to the Firozepore Division, Military Works.

Sergeant J. Delaney, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, from the Umballa Division, Military Works, to the Firozepore Division, Military Works.

J. P. C. ANDERSON,
Supdg. Engr., 4th Circle, Military Works.

7th Circle.

The 13th February 1875.

No. 541.—Mr. J. Calvert, Overseer, 2nd Grade, reported his arrival in the 7th Circle, Military Works, on the 28th January 1875, and is posted to the II Raneekhet Division, Military Works, which he joined on the afternoon of the 7th February 1875.

Æ. PERKINS, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 7th Circle, Military Works.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 11th February 1875.

No. 37.—Private D. Kirk, Overseer, 1st Grade, Neemuch State Railway, is granted leave on medical certificate from the 5th December 1874 to the 23rd January 1875.

The 12th February 1875.

No. 38.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 57, of the 5th February 1875, Doorga Dass Dutt, Overseer, 3rd Grade, is posted to the Tirhoot State Railway.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

HOLKAR STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mhow, the 11th January 1875.

No. 4.—Mr. T. J. Browning, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, Nerbudda Division, Holkar State Railway, is granted one month's privilege leave, with effect from the 19th December 1874.

The 13th February 1875.

No. 5.—Mr. T. J. Browning, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, Nerbudda Division, Holkar State Railway, having reported his return to duty on the forenoon of the 27th December 1874, the remaining portion of his leave granted in this office Notification No. 4, dated 11th January 1875, is cancelled.

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief,
Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

Notice is hereby given that owing to the opening of the diversion across the Nerbudda River and the extension of this line to Choral Chowkie, Mortakka is closed as a station for general traffic. The nearest stations to which goods can be booked are Sanawad, four miles from Mortakka on the south bank, and Barwai, three miles from Mortakka on the north bank, of the Nerbudda River. As, however, Mortakka will be retained as a watering station, the convenience of passengers will be provided for by the issue of tickets to the station next beyond; fares being charged accordingly.

Mortakka will again be opened as a terminus of the line south of the Nerbudda on or about the 1st of June.

STANLEY ALEXANDER,
Manager (open line), Holkar State Railway.

KHANDWA,
The 12th February 1875.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 13th February 1875.

No. 9.—Mr. H. O'Connor, Accountant, 3rd Grade, is transferred from the Ravi Section to the Central Office of Accounts, with effect from 1st February 1875.

No. 10.—Mr. J. Lenehan, Accountant, 4th Grade, is transferred from the Central Office of Accounts to the Ravi Section, with effect from 1st February 1875.

No. 11.—Lalla Ram Ditt, Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, attached to the Office of Controller of Accounts, Punjab Northern State Railway, is allowed ten days' privilege leave, with effect from the 13th February 1875.

No. 12.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 4, dated 4th January 1875, transferring Mr. J. F. Victor, Supervisor, 1st Grade, from the Punjab Northern to the Indus Valley State Railway, this subordinate was relieved of his duties on the Ravi Section of this Railway on the afternoon of the 14th January 1875, and reported his departure for Mooltan on the 18th idem. This cancels Notification No. 6, dated 23rd January 1875.

No. 13.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 66, dated 25th September 1874, transferring Mr. W. Nethersole, Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, from the Indus Valley State Railway to Punjab Northern State Railway, this officer is posted to the Survey Circle, and took over charge of that circle from Mr. J. L. Gallott, Officiating Superintending Engineer, on the afternoon of the 8th February 1875.

No. 14.—Mr. J. Conder, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, is transferred from Lahore and Chenab Division of the Survey Circle to the Office of Engineer-in-Chief, Punjab Northern State Railway, with effect from the 15th February 1875.

No. 15.—Mr. C. E. S. Younghusband, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is transferred from the Lahore and Chenab Division of the Survey Circle to the Office of Engineer-in-Chief, with effect from 15th February 1875.

No. 16.—Mr. J. H. Cochrane, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the Lahore and Chenab Division of the Survey Circle to the Ravi Section, with effect from the 15th February 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th February 1875.

No. 34.—Mr. W. Scott, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, made over charge of the Larkhana Division on the forenoon of the 4th instant to Mr. C. V. MacIvor, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, who is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer of that Division, till further orders.

F. W. PEILE, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

SINDIA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Camp Dholpur, the 16th February 1875.

No. 1.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 12, dated 19th ultimo, Mr. T. H. Thompson, Temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, reported his arrival at Agra on the afternoon of the 8th instant, from the Rajputana State Railway, and, as a temporary arrangement, is posted to the Office of Engineer-in-Chief.

C. J. MEAD, *Major,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 13th February 1875.

No. 231*E.*—Mr. J. H. Thompson, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, transferred to Scindia State Railway, under Director of State Railways' Notification No. 12, dated 19th January, left Ulwar Division, Rajpootana State Railway, on the 5th February 1875 to join that Railway.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

TIRHOOT STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Dinapore, the 13th February 1875.

No. 3.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 32, dated 4th current, Baboo Takoor Dass, Overseer, 2nd Grade, reported his arrival on the forenoon of the 24th ultimo, and is posted to the Durbunga Division.

C. J. CAMPBELL,
Engineer-in-Chief.

CONSULTING EGINNEER'S OFFICE—GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.

Lucknow, the 13th February 1875.

Pundit Kanhia Lall Guzrati, Accountant, 4th Grade, attached to the Audit Office of the Oudh and Rohilkund Railway Accounts, is granted two months' privilege leave from the 15th February 1875.

R. deBOURBEL, *Major, R. E.,*
Consg. Engr. to Govt. of India for G. Rys.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL'S OFFICE.

NOTICE.—The under-mentioned Estates having come under charge of this Office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the said Estates, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned:—

John Stuart, of Rangoon, a British subject, formerly Liquidator of the Bank of Bombay, died at Rangoon on the 29th December 1873.

Hugo Klotz, Manager of the Barakai Tea Garden in Cachar, died at Silchar, in Cachar, on the 10th August 1874.

Thomas Campbell, Manager of the Chandni Indigo Factory in Maldah, died in Maldah on the 20th February 1871.

Francis Lindsay Tucker, Quarter Master of the 23rd Brigade, Royal Artillery, died at Morar, Gwalior, on the 4th October 1874.

Eleanor Rebecca Wells, of Cawnpore, a widow, died at Cawnpore on the 14th October 1872.

W. J. Mathew, of Allahabad, died at Allahabad on the 25th June 1874.

H. S. Clark, a Tea Planter in the district of Luckimpore, in Assam, died at Luckimpore, Assam, on the 2nd August 1874.

Joseph Anthony Sexton, of Mussoorie, a British subject, died at Mussoorie on the 23rd October 1872.

John Gordon, Executive Engineer, Jhelum Division, of the Punjab Northern State Railway, died at Delhi on the 24th November 1874.

HIGH COURT, CAL.,
The 29th Jan. 1875.

L. P. D. BROUGHTON,
Administrator General.

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 70.—Statement of the Monthly Accounts of the several Branches of the Public Works Department received in the Office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, up to the 31st January 1875.

PUBLIC WORKS (BUILDINGS AND ROADS BRANCH AND MILITARY WORKS BRANCH) AND TELEGRAPH.				IRRIGATION.				STATE RAILWAYS (CAPITAL).			
Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.	Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.	Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Controller, Bengal, for Port Blair.	Nov. 1874	Jan. 9, 1875	1	Contlr., Central Provinces.	Nov 1874	Dec. 21, 1874	1	Contlr., Sindia ...	Nov. 1874	Dec. 21, 1874.
2	Do., Rajpootana	Ditto ...	Do. 14, „	2	Do., B. Burmah	Ditto ...	Jan. 2, 1875	2	Do., Agra District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
3	Do., British Burmah.	Ditto ...	Do. 22, „	3	Do., Rajpootana	Ditto ...	Do. 15, „	3	Do., Western Rajpootana Survey.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
4	Do., Central Provinces.	Ditto ...	Do. 23, „	4	Do., Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 25, „	4	Do., Wurdah Valley.	Ditto ...	Jan. 15, 1875.
5	Do., Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 25, „	5	Do., N.-W. P. ...	Ditto ..	Do. 27, „	5	Do., Bengal, for Store-keeper, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Do. 15, „
6	Do., Oudh ...	Ditto ...	Do. 25, „	6	Do., Bombay ...	Oct. 1874	Dec. 29, 1874	6	Do., Bengal, for Tirhoot.	Ditto ...	Do. 15, „
7	Do., Hyderabad, for Berars.	Ditto ...	Do. 25, „	7	Do., Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Do. 31, „	7	Do., Delhi District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 19, „
8	Do., Military Works.	Ditto ...	Do. 27, „	8	Do., Madras ...	Ditto ...	Jan. 2, 1875	8	Do., Punjab Northern.	Ditto ...	Do. 20, „
9	Do., Mysore, for Coorg.	Ditto ...	Do. 27, „	9	Do., Mysore ...	Sep. 1874	Dec. 28, 1874	9	Do., Northern Bengal.	Ditto ...	Do. 22, „
12	Do., Hyderabad	Oct. 1874	Dec. 15, 1874		GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.			10	Do., Holkar ...	Ditto ...	Do. 29, „
13	Do., Bombay ...	Ditto ..	Do. 23, „	1	Bengal ...	Nov. 1874	Jan. 23, 1875	11	Do., Neemuch...	Ditto ...	Do. 29, „
14	Do., N.-W. Provinces.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „	2	Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 25, „	12	Do., Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley.	Ditto ...	Do. 29, „
15	Do., Central India	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „	3	Oudh ...	Ditto ...	Do. 25, „	13	Do., Hyderabad	Oct. 1874	Dec. 15, 1874.
16	Do., Mysore ...	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „	4	Central Provinces...	Oct. 1874	Dec. 22, 1874	14	Do., Bombay, for Hooblee and Carwar.	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „
17	Do., Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 30, „	5	Bombay ...	Ditto ...	Do. 28, „	15	Do., Hyderabad, for Nizam's.	Ditto ...	Jan. 18, 1875.
18	Do., Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Jan. 9, 1875	6	Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 30, „	16	Do., Indus Valley	Ditto ...	Do. 25, „
19	Depy. Contlr., Assam	Ditto ...	Do. 13, „						STATE RAILWAYS (REVENUE).		
	TELEGRAPHS.							1	Contlr., Wurdah Valley.	Nov. 1874	Dec. 28, 1874.
10	Contlr., Indo-European Telegraph.	Nov. 1874	Jan. 27, 1875					2	Examiner, Calcutta and South-Eastern	Ditto ...	Jan. 5, 1875.
11	Do. do., for Indian Telegraph.	Ditto ...	Do. 27, „					3	Do., Nulhatee...	Ditto ...	Do. 8, „
								4	Contlr., Hyderabad, for Oomraotee.	Ditto ...	Do. 19, „
								5	Do., Hyderabad, for Khamgaum.	Ditto ..	Do. 19, „
								6	Do., Agra District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 23, „
								7	Do., Delhi District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 23, „
								8	Do., Holkar ...	Oct. 1874	Dec. 28, 1874.
								9	Do., Hyderabad, for Nizam's.	Ditto ...	Jan. 27, 1875.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 17th February 1875.

J. J. McLEOD INNES, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Accountant General, P. W. Dept.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 16th February 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...	2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	16,06,187	7	9
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ... 1,12,13,584 0 6 (Rs. A. P.)	3,10,26,759	2	8
General Treasury Balance at Branches ... 1,89,13,175 2 2 (Rs. A. P.)			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	3,31,64,176	3	9
Bank Post Bills, &c.	5,10,313	11	1
Sundries	4,59,779	7	5
TOTAL ...	8,78,67,216	0	8

ASSETS.	Rs	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,82,87,472	6	10
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	80,19,705	3	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	25,95,799	14	11
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches	1,91,00,574	9	9
Dead Stock	10,83,603	10	11
Stamps	13,194	0	5
Balances with other Banks ...	2,05,201	4	10
Sundries	1,76,357	10	2
Bullion	8,21,383	4	2
	5,03,03,292	1	0
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... 1,37,84,829 2 4 (Rs. A. P.)	3,75,63,923	15	8
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... 2,37,79,094 13 4 (Rs. A. P.)			
TOTAL ...	8,78,67,216	0	8

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 18th February 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th February 1875.

PARTICULARS.	3½ PER CENT. LOAN OF 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1836-37.	of 1855-56.	5 PER CENT. DEBENTURES FOR 10 years. Repayable, June 1877.	5 PER CENT. DEBENTURES FOR 15 years. Repayable, June 1882.	4 PER CENT. BOMBAY BOOK DEBT LOAN OF 1866.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Balance of 31st January 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,51,786	32,03,500	1,06,80,000	1,11,12,800	34,56,000	35,79,000	29	13,92,49,834
Add— Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th February 1875	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,500
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 1st and 15th February 1875	...	...	...	...	...	10,000	2,000	...	...	...	1,99,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th February 1875	...	...	...	...	1,000	14,000	4,000	...	...	...	2,95,300
	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,51,786	32,03,500	1,06,80,000	1,11,18,800	34,56,000	35,79,000	29	13,97,48,134
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,06,000	6,600	20,600	...	29	6,96,829
Balance on 15th February 1875...	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,51,786	32,03,500	1,04,74,000	1,11,12,200	34,56,000	35,79,000	...	13,90,51,305

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Dec. 1874, enfaced from India 2,067 lakhs.
" 16th December 1874 to 31st " " " 16 " " " " 24 "
" 1st January 1875 to 15th Jan. 1875 " " " 6 " " " " 16 "
" 15th " " to 31st " " " " 7 " " " " 7 "
" 1st February " to 15th Feb. " " " " 5 " " " " 7 "
2,131
2,063
... 68
Balance against India ... 2,063 lakhs.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL:
Calcutta, 18th February 1875.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates have passed the Examination for Honors in Arts :—

ENGLISH.

FIRST CLASS.

Lahiri, Prasannakumar ... Presidency College.

SECOND CLASS.

In order of merit.

Bandyopadhyay, Nistaran ... Presidency College.
Datta, Rámlál ... Ditto.
Mulraj .. Lahore College.
Sen, Adityachandra ... Presidency College.
Das, Navinchandra ... Ditto.

THIRD CLASS.

In order of merit.

Ghosh, Haridas ... Presidency College.
Majumdar, Amvikacharan ... General Assembly's Institution.

HISTORY.

THIRD CLASS.

Ghosh, Apurvakrishna ... Free Church Institution.

MATHEMATICS.

THIRD CLASS.

In order of merit.

De, Devsankar ... Free Church Institution.
Ghosh, Ramáprasanna ... Presidency College.
Sarkar, Narendranath ... Ditto.

PHYSICAL SCIENCE.

FIRST CLASS.

Ghosh, Baradaprasad ... Presidency College.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the Examination for the Degree of Master of Arts :—

In alphabetical order.

Bandyopadhyay, Bidubhushan ... Hooghly College.
Ditto, Tarinidas ... Presidency College.
Das, Kshetramohan ... Sanskrit College.
Guha, Kaminikumar ... General Assembly's Institution.
Set, Gerischandra ... Benares College.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 16th February 1875.

J. SUTCLIFFE,
Registrar.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7645	A 89—59419	500	Summonoollah Bapari.
7646	A 88—88341	1,000	James Castello, Esq., Inspector.
7647	L 49—59090	50	Babu Sunnasee Churn Shaw.
7655	L 49—30464	50	Babu Rajkristo Mookerjee.
7659	L 37—63879	20	Babu Sreeram Chunder Mozoomdar.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7648	L 46—46917	20	Babu Harrakh Narain.
7649	L 37—74646 „ —74614	20	Babu Jodoonath Ghose.
7650	L 50—03361	100	R. Glyn Griffith, Esq.
7651	L 5—46832	10	G. H. P. Livesay, Esq.
	„ —46910	10	
	„ —46911	10	
	„ —46909	10	
[illegible]	L 2—88489	10	Ramchund Pooranchund.
[illegible]	L 6—29427 L 8—36443	10	Babu Chundra Nath Dutt.
7654	L 15—31639	5	The Superintendent of Simoor State, Nahun Iron Works.

Calcutta Circle—*continued.*

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED—*continued.*

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7656	L 41—61133	10	Babu Kedar Nath Mookerjee.
	L 46—46256	20	
	L 49—49135	50	
7657	L 45—70497	20	Babu Peary Mohun Banerjee.
7661	L 38—88818	100	Babu Govind Chunder Coondoo.
	L 50—82838	100	
7662	L 38—78885	100	Babu Grish Chunder Mundol.
7666	L 45—31979	20	Babu Rajendro Coomar Bose.
	L 5—71963	10	
	L 9—89979	5	
7667	L 38—06811	100	Babu Nihal Chundra Dutta.
	L 8—87529	100	
	L 19—10384	50	
	„ —09073	50	
	L 14—08331	20	
	„ —75804	20	
	„ —41532	20	
	„ —39025	20	
	A 99—37293	20	
	L 13—79260	20	
	A 94—82582	20	
	L 14—37875	20	
	„ —57007	20	
	„ —23597	20	
	„ —01335	20	
	L 5—96943	10	
	L 3—21262	10	
	L 6—21833	10	
	„ —97108	10	
	L 2—88620	10	
7668	L 4—26277	10	Aujoodhyapersad Baj Pun.
	A 97—64670	10	
	A 21—62312	10	
	L 9—61346 „ —61342	5	
7669	L 33—49176	10	Babu Sarodapersad Mookerjee.
	L 37—61546	20	
7670	L 50—72119	100	R. O. Philipps, Esq.
7671	L 14—23792	20	W. Stolve, Esq.
	L 39—88542	10	
7672	L 36—99388	20	The Treasury Officer, Kangra.
7673	L 50—89215	100	Babu Issur Chunder Ghose.
	„ —99217	100	
	„ —99218	100	
7674	L 33—82222 „ —82224	10	W. A. Llewhellin, Esq.
7675	A 13—56798	100	Babu Shib Chundra Naug.
	„ —28681	100	
	„ —43314	100	
7676	L 50—09981 „ —09983	100	Messrs. R. B. Rodda & Co.
7677	L 51—04790	100	J. Nugent, Esq.
	L 50—00527	100	
	L 49—70111	50	
7678	L 41—60944	10	Shaik Peroo.
7679	L 39—73155 „ —73152	10	Babu Prosunno Coomer Biswas.
7680	L 16—95612 „ —95602	5	Messrs. Moore and Co.
7681	L 50—40449	100	Babu Rash Behari Seal.

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 19th February 1875.

L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Madras Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No of Notes.	Value Rs.	Name of Claimant.
307	B 38—84199	100	Y. Masillamoni Pillai, Cash-keeper, No. 4, Revenue Survey Office, Madura.
325	B 32—64484	50	A. Sam Row, Head Accountant, Presidency Pay Office, Madras.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No of Notes.	Value Rs.	Name of Claimant.
310	B 34—90215	10	G. Srinivasa Row, Sheristadar, Perambalur Taluq.
	B 41—09381	10	
	B 35—30199	20	
313	B 24—89383	50	M. Gooroonada Charry, Madras.
320	B 39—01781 „ —01773 wrongly joined	5	C. Vencatasawmy Chetty, 91, Narayana Moodelly Street, Madras.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acctt. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 8th February 1875.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Calicut Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
J 7—18696	5	Mrs. A. Higgins, of Ootacamand.
J 6—43319	10	B. Streenivasa Rao, of Prodatore.

NOTE PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

	Rs.	
B 32—45288	50	P. Caleb Naidoo, of Calicut.

CALICUT,—Paper Currency Office; The 11th February 1875.

P. A. COLE,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Bombay Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
1874-75.		Rs.	
143	C 86—76611	100	Casinath Dajee, Local Fund Overseer, Bandora, Tanna.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

1874-75.		Rs.	
126	C 85—78813	50	Pundit Peary Lall, Pleader, Judge's Court, Shajanpore.
151	M 5—13643	50	Peerbhoy Hakumjee, Mandvie Bunder, Bombay.
	" —13644	50	
	C 84—27267	20	
158	C 78—90674	20	Khoma Anoop, near County Jail, Bombay.
A68	C 84—09571, " —39590 (wrongly joined)	20	Ruttonjee Bamonjee, 4, Rampart Row, Bombay.
A69	C 82—48905, " —48908 (ditto)	10	Luckmichund Govindjee, Bazar Gate Street, Bombay.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.; The 9th February 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Kurrachee Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
G 9—12893	50	Mr. Shewandass Chandoomul, Dufterdar to the Collector of Kurrachee.
G 10—17802	100	

KURRACHEE,—Paper Currency Dept.; The 5th February 1875.

W. PATTON,
Asst. Depy. Comnr. of Paper Currency.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
[illegible]	D 6—74827, " —74828 (wrongly joined)	10	G. Groves, Esq., Calcutta.
[illegible]	D 10—26638, " —26644 (ditto)	5	The Secretary, Toondla Christmas Games.
300	D 7—59089, " —59090 (ditto)	100	The Agent, Bank of Bengal, Allahabad.
301	D 5—64716, " —64719 (ditto)	20	Messrs. F. & C. Osler, Calcutta.
302	D 10—37197	5	Mohumed Ameen, Vazeerabad.
304	D 10—19617	5	Mr. H. Eldred, Amballa.
305	D 5—64746	20	Mohumed Buksh, Sealkote.

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office; The 11th February 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acott. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
30	E 4—56422	50	Mr. T. E. Ivens, Dera Ghazee Khan.
[illegible]	E 5—61346	20	The Director General of Post Offices, India, Calcutta.
[illegible]	E 7—19307	5	Hakim Rai, Sub-Inspector of Post Offices, Dera Ghazee Khan Sub-Division.
	" —19308	5	
	" —19309	5	

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; The 12th February 1875.

I. C. BOSE,
Asst. to Acott. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION: Under Assay.	BALANCE OF BULLION: Assayed.	BALANCE OF BULLION: Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Feb. 8th, 1875 ...	...	...	...	93,582	66,23,487
" 9th " ...	...	...	...	86,283	65,23,487
" 10th " ...	Holidays.				
" 11th " ...					
" 12th " ...	...	...	...	82,305	64,23,487
" 13th " ...	...	...	...	87,915	63,23,487

CALCUTTA MINT, The 15th Feb. 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 19th February 1875.

Mails for Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo, for transmission per Steamer *Sir John Lawrence*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 21st instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits, for transmission per Steamer *Goa*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 21st instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Port Blair and Camorta, for transmission per Steamer *Scotia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 23rd instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 23rd instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per P. and O. Steamer *Bokhara*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 24th instant, at 7 P. M.

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M. PERCY,
Offg. Post Master of Calcutta.

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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.—GENERAL.

Camp Deolee, the 13th February 1875.

No. $\frac{458}{401}$ *G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Lieutenant A. P. Thornton, of the Bengal Staff Corps, 2nd Wing Subaltern of the 25th Punjab Regiment, Native Infantry, appointed to officiate as Assistant to the Governor General's Agent for Rajpootana, in Foreign Department's Notification No. 30G, dated 8th January 1875, reported his arrival at Ajmere on the forenoon of the 6th February 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Indore Residency, Camp Punna, the 15th Feb. 1875.

No. 102*P.*—With reference to Notification No. 40P, dated 29th December 1874, Part II, *Gazette of India,* Captain G. R. Peart, Officiating 2nd-in-Command of the Bhopal Battalion, rejoined on the 25th January 1875 from the privilege leave, twenty days, from 8th January 1875, therein granted.

H. D. DALY, *Major General,*
Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

ESTABLISHMENT.

Indore, the 20th February 1875.

No. 63.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. Francis, M.S.C., received charge of the Office of Chief Engineer and Secretary to Agent Governor General for Central India, from Captain E. Swetenham on the afternoon of the 13th instant, in accordance with Government Notification No. 46, dated 29th ultimo.

No. 64.—Captain E. Swetenham, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Mhow Division, held charge of the Office of Chief Engineer and Secretary to Agent Governor General for Central India, in addition to his own duties, from 9th to 13th instant inclusive.

No. 65.—Baboo Gobind Chunder Ghoshall, Accountant, 4th Grade, attached to the Bundlecund Road Division, has been granted by the Controller, Central India, three weeks' privilege leave, of which he availed himself on the forenoon of the 15th instant.

No. 66.—The following temporary promotions are made in the Upper Subordinate Establishment in Central India, from the 4th January 1875, consequent on the grant of two years' leave to England on medical certificate to Mr. Magrath, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, in this Administration Notification No. 55 of the 30th January 1875:—

Mr. Eknauth Ram Chunder, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, to be Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade.
Mr. A. Porter, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, to be Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade.
Mr. J. B. Daly, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, to be Supervisor, 1st Grade.
Serjeant J. Williams, Overseer, 1st Grade, to be Supervisor, 2nd Grade.

A. FRANCIS, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for C. India.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 23rd February 1875.

No. 50.—Mr. B. C. Bailey, a Superintendent of the 1st Grade, is allowed leave for six months on private affairs, from the 1st May 1875, under Section 5, and subsidiary leave for thirty days, under Section 10 of Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code.

The 25th February 1875.

No. 51.—Mr. J. Peake, an Assistant Superintendent of the 3rd Grade, availed himself on the 12th February 1875 of the one year's furlough granted to him in Notification No. 47 of the 29th January 1875.

D. G. ROBINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Director General of Telegraphs in India.

HIGH COURT.—Original Side.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 20th February 1875.

Mr. R. Belchambers, Registrar, &c., of the High Court, Original Side, has this day taken charge of his offices, after the expiration of the privilege leave obtained by him from the 20th of November last.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 13th February 1875.

No. 12.—Major D. Ward, R. E., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, on return from furlough is posted to the 3rd Circle, Military Works, and took charge of the Meerut Division, Military Works, on forenoon of 27th January 1875, from Captain W. H. Beckett.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 20th February 1875.

No. 7.—With reference to Inspector-General, Military Works, Notification No. 121, dated 20th October 1874, Mr. C. W. Dodsworth, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, reported his departure from Allahabad on the afternoon of 12th February 1875, in order to join the 1st Circle, Military Works.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Military Works.

8th Circle.

The 14th/18th *February* 1875.

No. 205.—ERRATUM.—In Government Notification No. 1752, dated 12th October 1874, for "12th October," read "10th October."

The 14th/19th *February* 1875.

No. 212.—Sergeant M. Hanley, Overseer, 1st Grade, reported his arrival in the 8th Circle, Military Works, on the 25th January, and was posted to the II Rawulpindee Division, which he joined on the 2nd instant.

DAVID LIMOND, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 8th Circle, Military Works.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL'S OFFICE.

NOTICE.—The under-mentioned Estates having come under charge of this Office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the said Estates, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned:—

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Richard Henry Curran, a Surgeon in the Bengal Medical Establishment, died at Rampore Beauleah, Rajshahye, on the 26th September 1874.

Donald Gow, Manager of Muttrapore Indigo Factory at Maldah, died at Rajmehal on the 15th November 1874.

Rowland Smith, of Calcutta, a Government Pensioner, died at Calcutta on the 12th December 1874.

Richard George Segrave, a Surgeon in the British Medical Service, died at Saugor in Central India on the 17th November 1874.

HIGH COURT, CAL., *The 20th Feb.* 1875. } F. S. COLLIS, *Offg. Administrator Genl.*

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 17th February 1875.

No. 39.—Mr. C. V. MacIvor, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is placed in charge of the Larkhana Division of that Railway during the absence of Mr. W. Scott, Executive Engineer, or until further orders, with effect from the 4th February 1875.

The 20th February 1875.

No. 40.—The leave on urgent private affairs for six months granted to Mr. C. A. Bull, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, in Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 189 of the 2nd April 1874, has been commuted by the Secretary of State for India into leave on medical certificate for twelve months.

The 23rd February 1875.

No. 41.—Mr. W. Nethersole, Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, received charge of the Survey Circle, Punjab Northern State Railway, from Mr. J. L. Gallott, Officiating Superintending Engineer, on the afternoon of the 8th February 1875.

No. 42.—Baboo Nobin Chunder Roy, Deputy Controller of Accounts, Office of the Director of State Railways, returned to duty on the 15th February, forenoon, from the privilege leave granted him in Director's Notification No. 120 of 26th December 1874.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

NORTHERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Parbuttipore, the 16th February 1875.

No. 26.—Mr. John Barron, Assistant Engineer, officiated as Executive Engineer, Mahanaddi Division, in addition to his own duties, from the 16th September 1874 till the afternoon of the 25th January 1875, when the accounts of the Division were closed.

No. 27.—With reference to Notification No. 96 of 30th November 1874, by the Director of State Railways, Mr. W. Hutton, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, is posted to No. 1, Nâtor Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 27th January 1875.

The 22nd February 1875.

No. 28.—Mr. W. W. Shanks, Personal Assistant to the Engineer-in-Chief, is granted one month's privilege leave in extension of the leave granted him in Notification No. 34 of 17th November 1874.

The 23rd February 1875.

No 29.—Mr. T. J. Dumayne, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is transferred from No. 4 Haldibari Division to No. 2 Jaipur Division.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

HOLKAR STATE RAILWAY.

Notice is hereby given that, to suit the alteration in the train service of the Great Indian Peninsula Railway, the down mail train on this Railway will, on and after March 1st, leave Khundwa at 10-42 A. M. and arrive at Choral Chowkee at 3-32 P. M. No alteration will be made in the timing of the up mail.

STANLEY ALEXANDER,
Manager (open line), Holkar State Railway.

KHUNDWA,
The 23rd February 1875.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 20th February 1875.

No. 17.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 33, dated 3rd February 1875, notifying the extension of leave granted to Mr. H. T. Geoghegan, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, this officer reported his arrival at Lahore on the 9th December 1874.

No. 18.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 36, dated 9th February 1875, granting to Mr. J. M. Campion, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, eight months' furlough on medical certificate, and also one month's subsidiary leave, this officer availed himself of the latter leave on the afternoon of 15th February 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 20th February 1875.

No. 36.—With reference to this Office Notification No. 2, dated 4th January 1875, for "1st February 1875" read "forenoon of the 10th February 1875."

No. 37.—The following transfer and posting have been made by Superintending Engineers:—

Mr. R. Gatwell, temporary Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, from the Bhawulpore to the Sutlej Bridge Division.

Mr. J. F. Victor, Supervisor, 1st Grade, to the Ghatkee Division.

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Ghosh, Ramáprasanna ... Presidency College.
Sarkar, Narendranath ... Ditto.

PHYSICAL SCIENCE.

FIRST CLASS.

Ghosh, Baradaprasad ... Presidency College.

The undermentioned candidates have passed the Examination for the Degree of Master of Arts:—

In alphabetical order.

Bandyopadhyay, Bidubhushan ... Hooghly College.
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Das, Kshetramohan ... Sanskrit College.
Guha, Kaminikumar ... General Assembly's Institution.
Set, Gerischandra ... Benares College.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 16th February 1875.

J. SUTCLIFFE,
Registrar.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Madras Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
49	B 34—86922	10	Captain W. H. Hodges, M. S. C., Salem.
	B 38—41413	100	
305	B 39—30637	5	T. S. Narasinga Row, 2nd Master, Taluq School, Srirangam.
	B 41—29990	10	
318	B 35—43548 } wrongly joined	20	Mr. J. MacCarran, Catholic Chapel, Wellington.
	„ —43549 }		
319	B 39—13683	5	E. Ramasawmy Naidu, Clerk, Municipal Commissioner's Office, Adony.
	„ —13684	5	

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acctt. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 15th February 1875.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
1874-75.		Rs.	
159	C 87—02244	1,000	Political Agent, Rewa Kanta, on account of the late Ranee of Soonth.
	„ —23932	1,000	
	C 71—88358	1,000	
	C 87—29133	1,000	
	„ —09007	1,000	
	C 86—34508	100	
	„ —34509	100	
	„ —34510	100	
	„ —34511	100	
	„ —34512	100	
	„ —34513	100	
	„ —34514	100	
	„ —34515	100	
	„ —34516	100	
	„ —34517	100	
	„ —34518	100	
	„ —34519	100	
	„ —34520	100	
	C 78—91808	20	
	„ —91809	20	
	„ —91810	20	
	„ —91811	20	
	„ —91812	20	
	„ —91818	20	
	„ —91819	20	
	„ —91821	20	
	„ —91827	20	
	„ —91831	20	
	M 1—93442	5	
	„ —93443	5	
	„ —93444	5	
	„ —93445	5	
	„ —93446	5	
	„ —93447	5	
	„ —93448	5	
	„ —93449	5	
	„ —93450	5	
	„ —93451	5	

NOTE.—All these Notes were stolen from a leather pouch at Lucknow on the 12th September last.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

1874-75.			Rs.	
A71	M 2—47916 } wrongly joined		5	Damother Chubaram, care of Bhaishunker Nanabhay, Agiary Lane, House No. 85.
	„ —47642 }			
A72	C 84—39464 }	ditto	20	Messrs. Bell, Brandenburg & Co., Nesbit Lane, Fort Bombay.
	„ —39463 }			
A73	C 89—46446 }	ditto	10	Jadawjee Chapsey Market, near Juma Musjid, Bombay.
	„ —46447 }			
A74	C 78—05484 }	ditto	20	Ardaseer Pestonjee, Shroff at Messrs. Ritchie, Stewart & Co., Bombay.
	„ —05480 }			
	C 96—24362 }	ditto	10	
	„ —24363 }			

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 16th February 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
306	D 7—44366	100	Mohumed Azim, Peshawur.
308	D 7—60948	100	A. M. Zeller, Esq., Allahabad.
312	D 10—42754	5	The Post Master General, N. W. P., Allahabad.
315	D 7—66478	100	Ghazie Allahabad.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
310	D 5—68736	20	Captain H. Campion, Allahabad.
	„ —68737	20	
311	D 7—20807	100	Baboo Shambhu Chandra Nag, 24-Parganas.
314	D 6—55215	10	Seetul Pershaud Sookool Nagode.
	„ —55216	10	
316	D 5—41225 } wrongly joined.	20	Mrs. E. Lucas, Nagpore.
	L 12—67413* }		

* Calcutta Circle.

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office;
The 18th February 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
39	E 5—74293	20	The Director General of Post Offices, Calcutta.
	„ —74294	20	
	„ —74295	20	
	„ —74296	20	
	„ —74297	20	
	„ —74298	20	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
29	E 5—64966	20	Colonel T. Staples, Sealkote.
32	E 4—50043	50	Janki Dâs, Cashier, Dugshai.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office;
The 20th February 1875.

I. C. BOSE,
Asst. to Acctt. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 23rd February 1875.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		16,06,087	7	9
	Rs. A. P.			
General Treasury Balance at Head Office	1,52,90,124 11 5	3,39,85,602	6	0
General Treasury Balance at Branches	1,86,95,477 10 7			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		2,70,52,703	13	5
Bank Post Bills, &c.		5,94,181	14	10
Sundries		5,14,021	10	3
TOTAL		8,57,52,597	4	3

ASSETS.		Rs	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,78,03,642	0	10
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		77,53,050	0	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		32,54,117	4	8
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		1,85,84,623	0	2
Dead Stock		10,73,801	9	10
Stamps		13,637	4	5
Balances with other Banks		1,24,303	4	0
Sundries		16,197	1	2
Bullion		8,49,977	9	6
		4,94,73,349	2	7
	Rs. A. P.			
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office	1,28,56,289 8 7	3,62,79,248	1	8
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches	2,34,22,958 9 1			
TOTAL		8,57,52,597	4	3

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 25th February 1875.

J. GORDON.
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

R. HARDIE.
Secy. & Treasurer.

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SURVEYOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Calcutta, 15*th January* 1875.

J. O. N. JAMES,
Assistant Surveyor General.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 23*rd February* 1875.

No. 7288.—A camp post office for the use of the Governor General's camp will be opened at Delhi on the 13th March and closed on the 30th idem.

2. Covers intended for the Governor General's camp should be addressed to "Governor General's camp" without the addition of Delhi or any post town. If addressed to a post town they will be sent to it.

E. R. DOUGLAS,
Offg. Dy. Director Genl. of the Post Office of India.

The 26*th February* 1875.

Mails for Akyab, for transmission per Steamer *Arabia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 28th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Rangoon and Moulmein, for transmission per Steamer *Oriental*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 28th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 2nd March, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras, Ceylon and the intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer , will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 3rd March, at 7 P. M.

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The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on the 5th of March 1875.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 4th idem.

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M. PERCY,
Post Master of Calcutta.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion: Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Feb. 15th, 1875 ...	...	...	...	1,00,696	62,23,487
„ 16th „ ...	...	...	...	91,988	61,23,487
„ 17th „ ...	...	...	...	71,901	60,23,487
„ 18th „ ...	...	...	...	65,562	59,23,487
„ 19th „ ...	...	...	...	64,105	58,23,487
„ 20th „ ...	30,22,465	...	30,22,465	70,228	57,23,487

CALCUTTA MINT,
The 22*nd Feb.* 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Mint Master.

NOTICE.

50 Rupees Reward.

The under-mentioned Currency Notes of the Allahabad Circle, belonging to Captain Harrison, Executive Engineer, Cawnpore Division, Ganges Canal, were stolen from his servant at the Bank of Bengal, Cawnpore, on the 9th February 1875. The above reward is offered for the recovery of the same:—

C 7—62368 for Rs.	100	C 7—54869 for Rs.	100
„ —62845 „	100	„ —59110 „	100
„ —57724 „	100		

J. H. O'BRIEN,
Inspector,
for *District Supdt. of Police.*

CAWNPORE,
10th *February* 1875.

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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

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NOTICE.

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"Governor General's Camp," without the addition of any post town.

E. BARING, *Captain,*
Private Secy. to the Viceroy.

GOVT. HOUSE, CALCUTTA,
The 5th Mar. 1875.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Indore, the 27th February 1875.

No. 67.—Mr. J. B. Daly, Supervisor, having been transferred from the Bundelcund to the Mhow Division, while on privilege leave, has been granted, from the 14th instant, seven days as joining time under Chapter VIII, paras. 1 and 2 of the Civil Leave Code. Mr. Daly joined his Division on the 21st idem.

No. 68.—Kesho Mahadeo, Overseer, 1st Grade, availed himself of one month's privilege leave, granted him in this Administration Notification No. 43 of the 12th December 1874, on the forenoon of the 22nd instant.

No. 69.—Sergeant W. T. Tobin, Overseer, 1st Grade, was relieved of his duties in the Northern Road Division on the afternoon of the 18th instant, and directed to proceed to Rajgeon in accordance with Government Notification No. 13 of the 7th January 1875.

A. FRANCIS, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for C. India.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.—MILITARY.

Camp Jeypore, the 1st March 1875.

No. $\frac{695}{2H}$ *M.*—LEAVE.—Major C. G. Gunning, 2nd in Command of the Meywar Bheel Corps, has been granted three months' privilege leave of absence, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 17th February 1875.

No. 13.—With the approval of the Government of India, Public Works Department, Lieutenant F. Spratt, R. E., Assistant Engineer, officiated as Executive Engineer, Dalhousie Division, from 10th October to 20th November 1874.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 25th February 1875.

No. 8.—Mr. J. Purdie, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, recently engaged on Famine Relief Works, reported his arrival on the 8th instant, and has been posted to the Allahabad Special Military Works, which he joined on the same day.

The 3rd March 1875.

No. 9.—The following promotion is made in the Lower Subordinate Establishment:—

Mongie Lall, attached to the Saugor Division, Military Works, from Sub-Overseer, 3rd Grade, to Sub-Overseer, 2nd Grade.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Military Works.

HIGH COURT.—Original Side.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 1st March 1875.

Mr. A. S. Gasper, Assistant Registrar of the High Court, has obtained one month and twenty-two days' privilege leave of absence from this day, under Section 21, Chapter VI, of the Civil Leave Code.

By order,
R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 25th February 1875.

No. 43.—Mr. S. Geoghegan, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Rajpootana State Railway, has been granted by the Secretary of State for India four months' leave in extension of the leave granted him in Director's Notification No. 26 of the 17th July 1874.

The 26th February 1875.

No. 44.—Captain R. J. Bond, R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Western Rajpootana State Railway, is permitted to proceed to Bombay to appear before a Medical Board.

No. 45.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 511 of the 10th September 1874, Mr. T. E. Owen, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, is posted to the Northern Bengal State Railway.

No. 46.—Mr. W. B. Carter, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, is permitted to proceed to Calcutta to appear before a Medical Board.

The 1st March 1875.

No. 47.—The under-mentioned Temporary Upper Subordinates of the Northern Bengal State Railway are permitted to resign their appointments with effect from the dates specified:—

Mr. E. Lawrence, Temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, from 6th January 1875.

Mr. H. Fewings, Temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, from 15th January 1875.

Mr. P. Rayson, Temporary Overseer, 1st Grade, from 13th January 1875.

The 3rd March 1875.

No. 48.—Mr. M. McInerny, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, is transferred to the Indus Valley State Railway.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

HOLKAR STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mhow, the 26th February 1875.

No. 6.—Mr. H. Gower, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, transferred to the Holkar State Railway in Director's Notification No. 118, dated 22nd December 1874, reported his arrival at Khundwa on the 18th February 1875, and is posted temporarily to the Nerbudda Division, Holkar State Railway, which he joined on the forenoon of the 21st February 1875.

No. 7.—Mr. M. Trodden, Sub-Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, is posted to the Nerbudda Division, Holkar State Railway, in place of Mr. A. Franke, Sub-Store-keeper, transferred to Indore.

No. 8.—Mr. T. Anderson, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, is transferred from Indore to Choral Chowkie, to take charge of the Store Depôt established there.

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief,
Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 27th February 1875.

No. 19.—Lalla Mungul Sain, Accountant, 2nd Grade, returned to duty from one month's privilege leave granted to him by Notification No. 7, dated 30th January 1875, on the forenoon of the 23rd February 1875.

No. 20.—Lalla Ram Ditt, Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, returned to duty from the privilege leave granted to him by Notification No. 11, dated 13th February 1875, on the forenoon of the 23rd January 1875.

No. 21.—Mr. J. Robertson, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the Ravee Section to the Chenab Section, which section he joined on the forenoon of the 22nd February 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 22nd February 1875.

No. 38.—Mr. T. C. Marshall, temporary Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, Ghotkee Division, returned from the privilege and departmental leave granted him in this Office Notification No. 3, dated 4th January 1875, on the forenoon of the 11th instant, the unexpired portion of his privilege leave is therefore cancelled.

No. 40.—Mr. W. Wiseman, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Sehwan Division, is granted ninety-two days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from the 9th March 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 23rd February 1875.

No. 41.—Mr. G. Ward, Accountant, 2nd Grade, attached to the Central Office of Accounts, is granted six months' leave without allowances, with effect from the afternoon of this date.

No. 42.—Mr. J. W. Goodsir, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Shoojabad Division, is granted sixty-one days' privilege leave, with effect from the date he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

F. W. PEILE, *Lieut.-Col.; R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 25th February 1875.

No. 278*E.*—Baboo Woomesh Chunder Chatterjee, Accountant, 4th Grade, Delhi Division, Rajpootana State Railway, was absent on privilege leave from 25th January to 21st February 1875, inclusive.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

WANTED

A Draftsman. Salary Rs. 80. Apply to Superintendent of Works, Ravi Section, Shahdura, *viâ* Lahore.

R. T. MALLET,
Superintendent of Works.

WANTED

To fill the post of Assistant to the Superintendent of the Narora Workshops, Lower Ganges Canal, a Mechanical Engineer possessing a thoroughly practical knowledge of the duties of his profession with the capacity for managing work-people. **Salary Rs. 350 per mensem.**

Application, with full and complete testimonials, to be made to the undersigned.

W. JEFFREYS, ***Major, R. E.,***
Supdg. Engr., 4th Circle I. W., N. W. Provinces.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Feb. 22nd, 1875...	2,62,296	...	32,84,761	81,927	57,23,487
" 23rd " ...	5,30,122	...	38,14,883	53,349	56,23,487
" 24th " ...	...	...	38,14,883	66,884	54,23,487
" 25th " ...	4,297	...	38,19,180	59,310	53,23,487
" 26th " ...	...	...	38,19,180	56,612	52,23,487
" 27th " ...	...	2,15,839	36,16,645	2,64,148	51,23,487

CALCUTTA MINT,
The 1st March 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Mint Master.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Calcutta, the 3rd March 1875.

NOTICE.—Mr. G. W. Moultrie and Mr. Thomas Smith having obtained leave of absence to Europe, the Directors have in consequence made the following changes in the Bank's Establishment:—

Mr. F. A. Gillam to be Acting Agent at Bombay.

Mr. T. Dyson, Agent at Lucknow, to be Agent at Moulmein.

Mr. A. F. Carr, Acting Agent at Umritsur, to be Acting Agent at Lucknow.

Mr. J. J. Hills, Accountant at Delhi, to act as Agent at Umritsur.

Mr. P. D. Harrison, of Head Office, has been appointed an Assistant Accountant at the Rangoon Branch.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 2nd March 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...	2,20,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	1,76,05,423	4	10
Reserve Fund	16,06,050	13	1	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	80,96,850	0	0
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ... 1,33,42,362 4 2; General Treasury Balance at Branches ... 1,96,75,524 3 1	3,30,17,886	7	3	Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	28,71,282	2	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	2,84,22.458	12	10	Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches	1,96,47,361	10	2
Bank Post Bills, &c.	5,17.747	15	0	Dead Stock	10,72,756	1	1
Sundries	5,65,071	13	7	Stamps	13,239	0	5
				Balances with other Banks ...	98,425	2	0
				Sundries	16,911	8	0
				Bullion	8,65,061	1	2
					5,02,87,309	14	0
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... 1,29,50,800 3 0; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... 2,28,91,105 12 9	3,58,41,905	15	9
TOTAL ...	8,61,29,215	13	9	TOTAL ...	8,61,29,215	13	9

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL:
Calcutta, 4th March 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 28th February 1875.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 per cent. Loans of 1824-25.	4 per cent. Loans of 1828-29.	4 per cent. Loans of 1832-33.	4 per cent. Loans of 1835-36.	4 per cent. Loans of 1842-43.	4 per cent. Loans of 1854-55.	4 per cent. Loans Transfer of 1865.	5 per cent. Loan of 1856-57.	4½ per cent. Loans of 1870.	4½ per cent. Loans of 1871.	4½ per cent. Loans of 1872.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	5 per cent. Debentures for 10 years. Repayable, June 1877.	5 per cent. Debentures for 15 years. Repayable, June 1882.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Balance of 15th February 1875 ...	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,51,786	32,03,500	1,64,53,400	1,11,12,200	1,26,76,100	1,05,100	37,88,900	2,48,000	3,22,48,000	5,05,40,200	34,56,000	35,79,000	13,90,51,305
Add—																
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 28th February 1875 ...	...	...	...	...	1,000	...	6,000	25,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 16th and 28th February 1875 ...	...	...	...	...	...	600	1,500	500	...	...	...	1,70,300	1,49,500	...	...	3,22,400
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 28th February 1875 ...	...	...	...	...	1,800	23,300	24,700	13,000	...	13,500	2,000	2,40,000	3,54,600	...	...	6,71,900
	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,51,786	32,06,300	1,64,76,300	1,11,44,400	1,27,14,600	1,05,100	38,02,400	2,50,000	3,26,56,300	5,10,44,300	34,56,000	35,79,000	14,00,77,605
Deduct—																
Amount written off in the London Registers ...	...	...	...	...	...	71,000	22,000	12,500	...	8,700	5,000	58,200	26,800	...	...	2,11,200
Balance on 28th February 1875...	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,51,786	32,06,300	1,64,05,300	1,11,22,400	1,26,95,100	1,05,100	37,93,700	2,45,000	3,25,98,100	5,10,17,500	34,56,000	35,79,000	13,98,66,405

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st Dec. 1874, enfaced from India 2,103 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 2,033 lakhs.
" 1st January 1875 to 15th Jan. 1875 " " 6 " " " 16 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " 7 " " " 7 "
" 1st February " to 15th Feb. " " " " 5 " " " 7 "
" 16th " to 28th " " " " 10 " " " 2 "
2,131 — 2,065 lakhs.
2,065
Balance against India ... 66

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL:
Calcutta, 3rd March 1875.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

No. 1458.—*Account of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Government of India for the Month of October* 1874, *as compared with the corresponding period of* 1873.

REVENUE AND RECEIPTS.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Oct. 1873.	April to Oct. 1874.	Comparison of 2 years. Increase.	Comparison of 2 years. Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
I.—Land Revenue ...	21,404,000	8,942,272	8,826,656	...	115,616
II.—Tributes ...	726,000	391,951	373,707	...	18,244
III.—Forest ...	606,000	228,398	241,153	12,755	...
IV.—Excise ...	2,286,000	1,348,539	1,345,832	...	2,707
V.—Assessed Taxes ...	...	18,252	2,380	...	15,872
VI.—Customs ...	2,738,000	1,362,579	1,387,182	24,603	...
VII.—Salt ...	6,079,000	3,353,252	3,287,759	...	65,493
VIII.—Opium ...	7,615,000	4,727,093	4,860,150	133,057	...
IX.—Stamps ...	2,708,000	1,589,507	1,642,257	52,750	...
X.—Mint ...	124,000	9,579	179,844	170,265	...
XI.—Post Office ...	695,000	410,420	412,164	1,744	...
XII.—Telegraph up to August ...	241,200	84,703	97,165	12,462	...
XIII.—Law and Justice ...	333,000	217,155	197,296	...	19,859
XIV.—Marine ...	201,000	100,433	95,255	...	5,178
XV.—Interest ...	447,000	193,326	252,427	59,101	...
XVI.—Pensions ...	584,400	105,609	101,122	...	4,487
XVII.—Gain by Exchange	322,000	153,004	209,461	56,457	...
XVIII.—Miscellaneous ...	187,000	109,715	92,462	...	17,253
	47,296,600	23,345,787	23,604,272	258,485	...
Army Receipts ...	870,000	492,307	441,888	...	50,419
Public Works, Ordinary ...	64,300	42,271	25,462	...	16,809
Irrigation Receipts	491,000	238,870	242,735	3,865	...
State Railways ...	95,000	16,725	52,469	35,744	...
Traffic Receipts (Guaranteed Railways) ...	7,387,000	3,446,403	4,429,938	983,535	...
TOTAL ...	56,203,900	27,582,363	28,796,764	1,214,401	...
England, including Army and Public Works ...	167,100	133,911	202,803	68,892	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	56,371,000	27,716,274	28,999,567	1,283,293	...

EXPENDITURE.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Oct. 1873.	April to Oct. 1874.	Comparison of 2 years. Increase.	Comparison of 2 years. Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Interest on Funded and Unfunded Debt ...	2,917,000	1,400,677	1,497,593	96,916	...
2.—Interest on Service Funds ...	359,000	261,847	223,010	...	38,837
3.—Refunds and Drawbacks ...	262,000	149,980	173,755	23,775	...
4.—Land Revenue ...	2,509,400	1,350,799	1,356,091	5,292	...
5.—Forest ...	440,000	223,683	235,023	11,340	...
6.—Excise ...	87,000	79,802	50,355	...	29,447
7.—Assessed Taxes ...	...	2,148	...	...	2,148
8.—Customs ...	186,000	105,075	100,852	...	4,223
9.—Salt ...	490,000	269,112	266,429	...	2,683
10.—Opium ...	2,115,000	1,688,630	2,017,727	329,097	...
11.—Stamps ...	70,500	41,568	38,440	...	3,128
12.—Mint ...	82,000	32,397	150,106	117,709	...
13.—Post Office ...	733,600	416,942	446,279	29,337	...
14.—Telegraph up to August ...	382,100	127,814	132,128	4,314	...
15.—Administration ...	1,191,500	709,692	689,451	...	20,241
16.—Minor Departments ...	283,600	148,247	144,682	...	3,565
17.—Law and Justice ...	2,277,000	1,289,689	1,313,288	23,599	...
18.—Marine ...	383,200	193,082	220,577	27,495	...
19.—Ecclesiastical ...	158,100	88,831	90,983	2,152	...
20.—Medical Services ...	180,200	102,975	107,472	4,497	...
21.—Political Agencies ...	402,000	161,605	181,136	19,531	...
22.—Allowances and Assignments ...	1,702,600	746,862	713,023	...	33,839
24.—Superannuation, &c. ...	700,000	320,728	381,723	60,995	...
25.—Loss by Exchange ...	746,000	554,109	413,318	...	140,791
26.—Miscellaneous ...	44,800	23,388	54,072	30,684	...
27.—Allotments for Provincial Services ...	5,030,000	2,908,225	3,020,785	112,560	...
28.—Famine Relief ...	2,522,000	...	...	...	...
	26,254,600	13,397,907	14,018,298*	620,391	...
Army Charges ...	11,869,700	6,599,376	6,541,769	...	57,607
Public Works, Ordinary (including Irrigation) ...	2,421,200	1,179,579	1,106,548	...	73,031
Do. do. Extraordinary (including Railways) ...	3,420,000	1,300,923	1,582,140	281,217	...
Land and Supervision ...	129,000	99,637	40,479	...	59,158
Guaranteed Interest paid in India ...	36,000	16,253	18,740	2,487	...
State Railways ...	104,000	29,875	55,081	25,206	...
Working Expenses (Guaranteed Railways) ...	4,085,000	1,525,733	1,786,930	261,197	...
TOTAL ...	48,319,500	24,149,283	25,149,985	1,000,702	...
England, including Army, Guaranteed Interest, Public Works, Ordinary and Extraordinary ...	14,002,500	7,245,139	7,882,661	637,522	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	62,322,000	31,394,422	33,032,646	1,638,224	...

* Includes of famine charges.

COMPTROLLER GENL.'S OFFICE;
CALCUTTA,
The 4th March 1875.

E. GAY,
Comptroller General.

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
7682	L 51—10885	100	Babu Kally Prosunno Roy.
	„ —34744	100	
7683	L 5—46903 to „ —46908	10 each	G. H. P. Livesay, Esq.
7690	L 50—87923	100	The Officiating Deputy Director General of Post Offices in India.
7696	L 49—53403 to „ —53410	50 each	Messrs. Colvin, Cowie and Co.
7710	L 4—96893	10	Babu Bindu Pershad.
7711	L 20—17953	5	Babu Gopee Kissen Mitter.
7712	L 51—38788	100	Babu Brodjo Nath Dass.
	L 50—85569	100	
	A 89—80245	500	
7713	L 51—00021	100	The Officiating Deputy Director General of Post Offices in India.
7714	L 6—60721 to „ —60735	10 each	Extra Commissioner, Julpigorie.
7718	L 50—39205	100	Babu Tacoordas Mookerjee.
	L 51—38703	100	
7719	L 38—99934	100	Babu Deno Nath Mullic.
7722	L 51—35340	100	J. B. Lemondine, Esq., Inspector.
7730	L 49—48623	50	Babu Hori Prosad Chunder.
7731	A 89—84612 to „ —84617	500 each	Messrs. Steel, McIntosh & Co.
7732	L 46—68350	20	Babu Madhub Chunder Sen.
	„ —68351	20	
	„ —55783	20	
	„ —69801	20	
	„ —81498	20	
	„ —83473	20	
	„ —85811	20	
	„ —07228	20	
	„ —58548	20	
	„ —66287	20	
	„ —52861	20	
	„ —62088	20	
	„ —66045	20	
	„ —03433	20	
	„ —73961	20	
	„ —88463	20	
	„ —99873	20	
	„ —66953	20	
	„ —99875	20	
	L 20—46587	5	
7733	L 50—38752	100	Shaik Salimooddeen.
7734	L 49—38304	50	The Agent, Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China.
	„ —70114	50	
	„ —98074	50	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
7684	L 51—05166	100	Lieutenant G. B. Renny.
7686	L 39—38731	10	E. J. Lemaistre, Esq.
	L 41—54879	10	
7687	L 45—69391	20	Babu Gooroodas Chuckerbutty.
7688	L 49—50969	50	Sona.
7691	L 7—60296	20	Moosaffa Khan.
7692	L 50—09908	100	Babu Raj Kristo Ghose.
	L 49—13942	50	
7693	L 10—03620	5	W. O. Ford, Esq.
7694	L 50—01075	100	Babu Roodar Dutt.
7695	A 97—34293	10	Sobha Chund Tillock Chund.
7697	L 39—18249 „ —18246	10	Babu Bejoy Kristo Mookerjee.
7698	L 47—56947	20	J. A. Floyd, Esq.
7699	L 11—23107	5	J. Lowrie, Esq.
	„ —23007	5	
7700	L 50—67329	100	A. L. Dennes, Esq.
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The 17*th March* 1875.

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Lucknow, the 12*th March* 1875.

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NOTIFICATION.—GENERAL.

Camp Beawr, the 18*th March* 1875.

No. $\frac{758}{383}$ *G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Captains A. W. Roberts and W. J. W. Muir respectively delivered over and received charge of the Eastern States Agency on the afternoon of the 2nd March 1875.

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NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 13*th March* 1875.

No. 52.—Sergeant T. Pace, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, is granted subsidiary leave from the 20th July 1873 to the 1st August 1873, and from the 28th July 1874 to the 4th August 1874.

No. 53.—Mr. J. G. Burnivall, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, Rajpootana State Railway, Officiating

Store-keeper for State Railways, is transferred to the Northern Bengal State Railway.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 9th March 1875.

No. 49.—The following officer and subordinates belonging to the Special Survey Party are transferred to the Indus Bridge Division, which they joined on the forenoon of the 14th instant:—

Lieutenant J. F. Hewson, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade.
Mr. B. A. Maine, Supervisor, 1st Grade.
Mr. J. A. Chennell, Supervisor, 2nd Grade.
Baboo Jogindra Nath, Overseer, 3rd Grade.

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The 13th March 1875.

No. 51.—Mr. A. R. Marr, temporary Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, Rehtee Division, is granted three months' leave without allowances, in continuation of the leave on medical certificate granted him in this Office Notification No. 292, dated 21st December 1874.

No. 52.—The following transfer has been made by Superintending Engineer, Mooltan District:—

Mr. J. Beynon, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, from the Bhawulpore to the Sutlej Bridge Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

SINDIA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Camp Dholepur, the 13th March 1875.

No. 3.—Overseer Sergeant P. Collins, posted to this Railway by Director of State Railways' Notification No. 24, dated 28th January 1875, reported his arrival at Agra on the 9th instant.

Sergeant Collins is posted to No. 2 Survey Party.

C. J. MEAD, *Major,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 15th March 1875.

No. 384*E.*—In continuation of this office Notification No. 337E., dated 8th March 1875, Mr. J. Lyons, Overseer, 1st Grade, has been posted to Ajmere Division of this Railway.

No. 385*E.*—Mr. T. R. Wynne, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, transferred from the Agra Division to the Jumna Bridge Division of the Rajpootana State Railway, joined the latter division on the afternoon of the 11th instant.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

WESTERN RAJPOOTANA RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 27th February 1875.

No. 236.—Baboo Hurrish Chunder Roy Chowdree, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, is granted three months' privilege leave from such date as his services can be spared.

No. 237.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 124, dated 31st December 1874, transferring Mr. W. Scott, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, to this survey, that officer reported himself to have arrived at Ahmedabad on the forenoon of the 23rd February 1875.

JAMES COLLET,
Engineer-in-Chief.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Calcutta, the 18th March 1875.

Notice is hereby given that the Bank of Bengal, General Treasury and Public Debt Office will be closed on the following days: Good Friday, the 26th, and Saturday, the 27th instant, in conformity with Government Notification No. 3464 of 29th October 1867.

By order of the Directors,

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 16th March 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...	2,20,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	1,65,39,414	1	4
Reserve Fund	16,05,525	13	1	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	75,99,950	0	0
Rs. A. P.				Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	37,50,370	15	6
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...1,13,53,454 4 0				Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches	2,09,31,155	0	7
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...1,71,89,049 2 7	2,85,42,503	6	7	Dead Stock	10,80,288	10	3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	2,72,64,051	8	10	Stamps	13,184	5	11
Bank Post Bills, &c.	6,27,820	5	0	Balances with other Banks ...	2,82,414	7	9
Sundries	6,26,764	13	4	Sundries	22,412	5	4
				Bullion	48,631	0	3
					5,02,67,820	14	11
				Rs. A. P.			
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... 1,13,63,631 9 1			
				Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... 1,90,35,213 6 10	3,03,98,8[illegible]	[illegible]	11
TOTAL ...	8,06,66,665	14	10	TOTAL ...	8,06,66,665	14	10

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 18th March 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th March 1875.

PARTICULARS.	31 per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 per cent. Loans				5 per cent. Loan	4½ per cent. Loans				5 per cent. Debentures for		TOTAL AMOUNT.
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1833-34.	of 1838-39.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	of 1866-67.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	6½ per cent. Loan of 1858-60.	10 years. Repayable, June 1877.	15 years. Repayable, June 1882.	
Balance of 28th February 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,51,706	22,46,300	7,400	1,64,05,300	1,26,95,100	1,05,100	37,93,700	2,45,000	3,26,98,100	5,10,17,500	34,56,000	35,79,000	13,98,98,495
Add—																
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th March 1875...	...	...	...	62,400	...	...	53,500	5,300	...	9,000	...	...	...	...	...	2,74,900
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 1st and 15th March 1875...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,000	1,000	5,000	3,00,000	...	4,17,500	...	...	...	7,25,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th March 1875...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,20,000	45,700	12,200	...	...	20,500	3,00,000	...	...	5,09,300
	55,600	33,173	2,346	16,14,106	22,46,300	7,400	1,65,80,700	1,12,56,400	1,27,17,500	41,02,700	2,45,000	3,26,18,600	5,17,35,000	34,56,000	35,79,000	14,13,05,195
Deduct—																
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	...	...	...	65,100	1,13,600	5,800	11,100	...	65,000	9,000	...	15,000	3,19,500
Balance on 15th March 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	16,14,106	22,46,300	7,400	1,65,25,300	1,10,92,800	1,27,11,800	41,02,700	2,45,000	3,25,53,600	5,17,26,000	34,56,000	35,64,000	14,09,86,605

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Jan. 1875, enfaced from India 2,109 lakhs.

" 16th January 1875 to 31st "	7	"
" 1st February " to 15th Feb. "	7	"
" 16th " " to 28th Feb. "	5	"
" 1st March " to 15th March "	10	"
	3	"
	3	"
	14	"
	2,145	
	2,063	
...	77	

Balance against India 2,063 lakhs.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL:
Calcutta, 19th March 1875.

HIGH COURT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The following rules have been passed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to take effect from the 1st day of May 1875.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

March 1875.

IT is ordered that the following rules be read and passed as the rules and orders of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to take effect from the 1st day of May 1875. Dated this 9th day of February 1875.

PLAINT.

Suits to be commenced by plaint.

1. All suits shall be commenced by a plaint, which, unless otherwise ordered, shall be presented to the Court by the plaintiff in person, or by his agent, under section 19 of Act VIII of 1859, or by an attorney or advocate of the Court.

Plaint to be written legibly, and divided into numbered paragraphs.

2. The plaint shall be written in the English language, on foolscap paper, or other paper similar to it in size and quality, bookwise, in a clear, legible hand, and on one side only of the paper, with not more than 20 or less than 18 lines, of about 10 words in each line, in each full page, and with an inner margin of about an inch wide. It shall be stitched bookwise. Dates and sums occurring in the plaint shall be expressed in figures.

Facts and particulars to be stated therein.

The plaint shall be divided into paragraphs numbered consecutively. It shall contain a simple narrative of the facts which the plaintiff believes to be material to the case, and which he believes he will be able to prove if called upon by the Court, together with the following particulars—

(1).—The name, description and place of abode of the plaintiff, and of the next friend, if any, and the nature of the plaintiff's disability when he is represented by a next friend.

(2).—The name, description, and place of abode of the defendant, so far as they can be ascertained.

(3).—The relief sought for, the subject of the claim, the cause of action, and when it accrued; and if the cause of action accrued beyond the period ordinarily allowed by any law for commencing such a suit, the ground upon which exemption from such a law is claimed.

Every alteration in the plaint shall be marked and authenticated with the initials of the person verifying the plaint.

Date of admission of plaint to be endorsed thereon.

3. When a plaint is admitted, the words "Admitted this day " shall be endorsed thereon, and signed by the Judge.

Plaint of a corporation or company to be admitted if verified by a principal officer.

4. The plaint of a corporation or a company authorized to sue and be sued in the name of an officer or trustees, shall be admitted, if subscribed and verified, on behalf of the corporation or company, by any director, secretary or other principal officer of the corporation or company, who may be able to depose to the facts of the case.

With such exception, plaint not to be admitted if verified, without permission, by a person other than the plaintiff.

Permission how obtained.

5. Except as provided in the last preceding rule, a plaint shall not be admitted if subscribed and verified by a person other than the plaintiff, unless the same shall have been so subscribed and verified with the permission of the Court. The mode of obtaining such permission shall be by petition at Chambers. The petition must be verified by affidavit or solemn affirmation, and it must be shewn that the party from his knowledge of the facts is competent to make the verification.

R. COUCH.	CHARLES PONTIFEX.
F. B. KEMP.	W. AINSLIE.
J. B. PHEAR.	E. G. BIRCH.
A. G. MACPHERSON.	G. G. MORRIS.
W. MARKBY.	R. C. MITTER.
F. A. GLOVER.	W. F. McDONELL.

SUMMONS TO APPEAR AND ANSWER.

Form of summons to appear and answer.

6. The summons to a defendant to appear and answer shall be in the form in the Schedule [A] hereunto annexed, with such variations as the circumstances of the case may require.

Summons to require an appearance to be entered.

7. Unless otherwise ordered, every such summons shall require the defendant to appear before the Court at or before the expiration of the time limited by the 9th of these rules, and also to enter an appearance in the Office of the Registrar of this Court within the half of such time.

Summons when returnable.

8. Unless otherwise ordered, every such summons shall be made returnable as follows:—

In the case of defendants residing in Calcutta.

(1).—In cases where all the defendants reside, and the writ is for service within the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of this Court, within one calendar month.

In the case of defendants residing elsewhere within the jurisdiction of the High Court at Calcutta or of the North-Western Provinces.

(2).—In cases where the defendants or any of them reside elsewhere within the jurisdiction of this Court, or of the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces, within two calendar months.

In other cases.

(3).—In all other cases, within three calendar months.

Time how computed.

Return of writ may be extended.

9. Such time shall, in all cases, be computed from the date of the writ, provided, nevertheless, that the time for the return of any such writ may be extended by order of a Judge.

Memoranda to be written at foot of summons.

10. Every such summons shall be issued with memoranda at the foot thereof to the following effect [including or omitting note 2 when a written statement is or is not required from the defendant]:—

Note (1).—"An appearance is to be entered at the office of the Registrar of the Court, on the Original Side, within the time limited. In default thereof, the suit will be liable to be heard *ex parte*.

Note (2).—"The written statement called for must be filed within the time limited, the defendant having first entered an appearance. In default thereof, the suit will be liable to be heard *ex parte*.

Note (3).—"An officer or soldier, who cannot obtain leave of absence, may [under the provisions of section 19 of Act VIII of 1859] authorize any person to appear for him.

Note (4).—"This writ must be returned to the court immediately after the service thereof, or if not served, and the time for the return thereof shall not have been extended by the order of a Judge, on the day of next."

Time for filing written statements to be indicated in the margin of the summons.

11. When a written statement is called for before the summons to appear and answer has been issued, the words "The defendant is required by the Court to file a written statement on or before the day of ," shall be written in the margin of the summons.

Application for fresh summons.

12. A fresh summons to appear and answer shall not be issued without an order to be obtained by petition at Chambers. The costs of obtaining a fresh summons shall not be allowed as costs in the cause, unless so ordered by the Judge on its being shown by affidavit that a *bonâ fide* endeavour has been made on the part of the plaintiff to serve the first or previous writ.

When fresh summons may issue.

13. Unless otherwise ordered, a fresh summons to appear and answer shall not be granted till the return of the first writ.

Suit when to be heard after service of summons.

If the defendant resides in Calcutta.

14. Unless otherwise ordered, no suit for final disposal shall be heard until after eight clear days from the service of the summons, if the defendant resides in Calcutta or within 20 miles thereof.

If beyond 20 and within 100 miles from Calcutta, or within 10 miles from any railway station in Bengal or Behar.

(1).—Or until after 14 clear days from such service, if the defendant resides beyond 20 miles and within 100 miles from Calcutta, or within 10 miles from any railway station in Bengal or Behar.

If beyond 100 miles from Calcutta within certain zillahs, or within 10 miles from any railway station in the North-Western Provinces, &c.

(2).—Or until after 21 clear days from the date of such service, if the defendant resides beyond 100 miles from Calcutta within the zillah of Backergunge, Beerbhoom, Bhagulpore, Chotanagpore, Dacca, East Burdwan, Furreedpore, Gyah, Hazareebaugh, Hooghly, Jessore, Malda, Midnapore, Monghyr, Moorshedabad, Mymensing, Nuddea, Patna, Pubna, Purneah, Rajshahye, Sarun, Shahabad, Tirhoot, or West Burdwan, or within 10 miles from any railway station in the North-Western Provinces, Central Provinces, or Oudh, or of the Delhi station of the East Indian Railway.

If beyond 100 miles from Calcutta, within any other zillah, or more than 10 miles from any railway station in the North-Western and other Provinces, and in the Towns of Madras and Bombay.

(3).—Or until 28 clear days from the date of such service, if the defendant resides beyond 100 miles from Calcutta, in any other zillah or place, subject to the Appellate Jurisdiction of this Court, than those before mentioned; or at any place more than 10 miles from any railway station in the North-Western Provinces, Central Provinces, or Oudh, or within the limits of the Presidency Towns of Madras or Bombay.

If elsewhere within British dominions in India.

(4).—Or within 42 clear days from the date of such service, if the defendant resides elsewhere than is before mentioned within the dominions of Her Majesty in India.

If out of British dominions in India.

(5).—Or within three calendar months from the date of such service, if the defendant resides in England, or elsewhere out of Her Majesty's dominions in India.

SERVICE OF PROCESS.

Proof of service of summons.

15. Unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise order, the service of a summons to appear and answer shall be proved by the production of a certificate of the Registrar of appearance having been entered, or where no appearance has been entered, in manner following:—

On the defendant personally.

(1).—When the summons is served on the defendant personally, the service and the signature of the defendant on the back of the summons or copy, shall be proved by the affidavit of the person who actually made the service, and the identity of the person served, with the person named in the summons, shall be proved by the affidavit of some one personally acquainted with him.

On an agent.

(2).—If the service be made on an agent, it shall be proved by affidavit that the person served was empowered to accept service either by reason of his being one of the class of recognised agents described in Section 17 of Act VIII of 1859, or by virtue of an appointment for that purpose in writing.

On a male member of the defendant's family.

(3).—If the service be made on an adult male member of the defendant's family residing with him, it shall be proved by the affidavit of the officer making the service, and, if necessary, of some other person or persons acquainted with the facts, that the defen-

dant could not be found, and had no agent empowered to accept service, and that the person to whom the summons was delivered was an *adult* male member of the defendant's family, and was actually residing with him at the time of such service.

By fixing a copy on the door of the defendant's dwelling-house.

(4).—If the service be made by fixing a copy of the summons on the outer door of the house in which the defendant is dwelling, it shall, in like manner, be proved that the defendant could not be found, and that there was no agent empowered to accept service, nor any other person on whom the service could be made, and that the defendant *was actually dwelling* in the house, on the outer door of which a copy of the summons was fixed, at the time when it was so fixed.

Under an order for substituted service.

(5).—If the service be made under an order of the Court for substituted service, it shall, in like manner, be proved that the house upon the door of which a copy of the summons was fixed, was the house in which the defendant last resided, and that the service was made in all respects in conformity with the order of the Court.

On an agent in charge of land, or other immoveable property.

(6).—If the service be made on an agent in charge of land, or other immoveable property, it shall, in like manner, be proved that the summons could not be served on the defendant in person, and that he had no agent empowered to accept service, and that the person to whom the summons was delivered was an agent of the defendant in charge of the land, or other immoveable property, forming the subject of the suit.

On a corporation or company.

(7).—If the service be made on a corporation or a company authorized to sue and be sued in the name of an officer or trustees, it shall be proved by affidavit that the summons was left at the *registered* office of the company, or was delivered to any director, secretary, or other principal officer thereof.

When the summons is declined.

(8).—If the summons when tendered be declined by the defendant, or his agent, or a male member of his family, besides the proof required as to identity, &c., as stated above, it shall be proved that the party was informed that the document tendered was a summons, and that he was made acquainted with the nature and contents thereof.

Substituted service.

16. Application for substituted service of a summons to appear and answer shall be by petition at Chambers. The application must be supported by an affidavit of the officer who attempted to make the service, and of such other person or persons as may have accompanied him for the purpose of pointing out the party to be served, stating when, where, and how such service was attempted to be made.

Suit may proceed, though summons not served on some of the defendants.

17. If the plaintiff is unable to serve one or more of the defendants with the writ of summons, he may, with the leave of the Court or a Judge, to be applied for on notice to the defendant or defendants upon whom service has been made, proceed with the suit against such last-mentioned defendant or defendants, without prejudice to the rights of the plaintiff against the other defendants.

Service of notices, &c., on attorneys.

18. All notices given to or process served on the attorney of any party, or left with a clerk in his employ at his place of business, relative to a suit, and whether the same be for the personal attendance of the party or not, shall be presumed to be duly communicated and made known to the party whom the attorney represents, and shall be as effectual for all purposes in relation to the suit as if the same had been given to, or served on, the party in person, unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise order.

Service of notices, &c., on a party who has no attorney.

19. In all cases in which a party to a suit has not appointed an attorney to act for him, all notices and other judicial process shall be served upon such party in like manner as a summons upon a defendant to appear and answer.

Service of notices, &c., to be proved by affidavit.

20. Service of all notices and other judicial process, served under either of the last two preceding rules, shall be proved by affidavit stating when, where, how, upon whom, and by whom such service was made.

Process which may be served by attorneys.

21. Notices to produce documents or writings, summons to witnesses, and all other judicial process issued in the exercise of the ordinary or extraordinary original civil jurisdiction, or matrimonial, or testamentary and intestate jurisdiction, of this Court, except writs of summons to appear and answer and citations and writs of execution, may be served by the attorneys in the suit, or by persons employed by them, unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise order.

Summons to appear and answer, and citations to be delivered to the Sheriff for service.

22. All summons to appear and answer, and all citations issued in the exercise of the testamentary and intestate jurisdiction of this Court, shall be delivered to the Sheriff for service within the local limits of the jurisdiction of this Court, or for transmission for service elsewhere.

Other writs, &c., to be delivered to the Sheriff for service or execution.

23. All writs for the attachment of property, or the arrest of any person in any civil suit within the local limits of the jurisdiction of this Court, all prohibitory orders and all notices of attachment of money or securities, and all other writs and judicial process issued by this Court, for service or execution within the local limits aforesaid, the service of which is not otherwise provided for, shall be delivered to the Sheriff for service or execution, unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise order.

Sheriff to mark date of delivery of writ.

24. The Sheriff, or his Deputy, shall mark at the bottom of every writ, or process, which shall be delivered to him, the day of the month and the year when the same was so delivered to him, and shall endorse on such writ, or process, the true date of the service or execution thereof; and shall mark at the bottom of every warrant which he shall deliver, the name of the party or attorney which is subscribed to the writ, precept, order, notice or process on which the same warrant shall be grounded. And in default of compliance with any of the directions of this rule, the Sheriff shall be liable, in a summary way, to make such compensation for any damages which may result from his neglect as the Court or a Judge shall direct.

And indorse date of execution.

Liability on default, &c.

Writs or process to be served and returned.

25. Every order, writ, notice or process delivered to the Sheriff for service or execution within the local limits of the jurisdiction of this Court, or transmission for service elsewhere, shall be duly served or executed, or transmitted by him, and the same shall be returned by him into the office of the Registrar.

Zenanas not to be entered in execution of civil process without special leave.

26. No Sheriff, or officer of the Sheriff, or any other person executing the process of this Court, in any civil cause whatsoever, before or after decree, shall enter into the zenana or private apartments allotted to the women of any Hindoo or Musulman, except affidavit be made proving to the satisfaction of a Judge of this Court that the effects seizable by such process are secreted in such zenana or private apartments, or for other special cause which in the discretion of the Judge may make it necessary to the due execution of the laws and the attainment of justice, and unless such Judge shall make an order in writing for that purpose. No Sheriff's officer, or other person executing any warrant or other process, before or after judgment, in any criminal proceeding whatsoever, shall enter into the zenana or private apartments allotted to the women of any Hindoo or Musulman, except affidavit be made proving to the satisfaction of a Judge of this Court that such a grave offence has been committed as in the discretion of such Judge may make it necessary that he should be allowed to do so for the purpose aforesaid, and unless such Judge shall make an order to that effect.

Nor in execution of criminal process without order.

Hindoos during Doorga Poojah exempted from arrest on civil process.

27. The Sheriff, or any officer of the Sheriff, or other person, shall not execute the process of this Court in any civil cause whatsoever against the person of any Hindoo during the four days of the Hindoo festival called the Doorga Poojah.

Service of translation.

28. Service of any judicial process on a native shall include a translation thereof in the vernacular language, unless such service be made under the eighteenth of these rules, or the Court or a Judge shall otherwise order.

Original order when to be shown.

29. It shall not be necessary to the regular service of an order that the original order should be shown, unless sight thereof be demanded, or unless it is intended to follow up such service by an attachment.

APPEARANCE.

Appearance where to be entered.

30. An appearance shall be entered by the defendant, or on his behalf, in the office of the Registrar of this Court, on the original side. For this purpose a *præcipe* shall be filled up with the name and place of business of the defendant's attorney, or, if he has no attorney, with the name and residence of himself, or his agent, under Section 19 of Act VIII of 1859.

Præcipe.

In default of appearance.

31. In default of an appearance being entered within the time mentioned in the summons for such appearance, or as hereinafter provided, the suit, as to the defendant or defendants so in default, will be liable to be heard *ex parte*.

Appearance without leave.

32. An appearance shall be accepted, without leave, at any time before the suit has been set down in the undefended board, or after a decree has been made.

With special leave.

33. An appearance shall not be accepted, after the suit has been set down in the undefended board and before the hearing, without special leave, to be applied for by summons in Chambers. If leave be granted, the sum of Rs. 31* shall, unless otherwise ordered, be paid by the applicant to the plaintiff for his costs of the application. The order shall specify a time within which the appearance is to be entered, and shall direct the transfer of the suit to the defended board, on such appearance being entered within the time so to be specified.

	Rs.
*Attending receiving summons ...	2
Attending before the Judge in Chambers	10
Half fee paid to Counsel on *ex parte* brief	17
Attending to fee counsel	2
	31

Transfer of suit to the defended board.

When suit to be set down in the undefended board.

34. If a sole defendant or all the defendants, being *sui juris*, and being duly served with summons to appear and answer, shall fail to enter an appearance on or before the day mentioned in the summons for such appearance, the Registrar shall cause the suit to be set down in the undefended board.

When suit to be set down in the defended board.

35. Where a sole defendant, or any of two or more defendants is an infant, or a person of unsound mind not so found by inquisition, or where an appearance has been duly entered on behalf of a sole defendant or of any defendant, the suit shall be set down in the defended board. This, where written statements have been called for, shall be done after the lapse of the time allowed for filing the same.

Transfer from one board to the other.

36. The Court may at all times for good cause transfer a suit from the one cause board to the other.

Appearance by husband and wife.

37. Where a husband and wife are defendants, the wife, when her legal status is similar to that of a *feme sole*, shall enter a separate appearance for herself. In all other cases she may enter an appearance for herself, or the husband may enter an appearance for both.

38. An appearance shall be entered for an infant [or a person of unsound mind not so found by inquisition] by his guardian *ad litem*.

Appearance for an infant, or person of unsound mind.

R. COUCH.	CHARLES PONTIFEX.
F. B. KEMP.	W. AINSLIE.
LOUIS S. JACKSON.	E. G. BIRCH.
J. B. PHEAR.	G. G. MORRIS.
A. G. MACPHERSON.	R. C. MITTER.
W. MARKBY.	W. F. McDONELL.
F. A. GLOVER.	

WRITTEN STATEMENTS.

39. A defendant's written statement shall contain his answer to the plaint, and state any new matter on which he intends to rely at the hearing.

A defendant's written statement to contain an answer to the plaint.

40. Subject to the foregoing rule, written statements shall be as brief as the nature of the case will admit, and shall not be argumentative, but shall be confined, as much as possible, to a simple narrative of the facts which the party by whom or on whose behalf the written statement is made believes to be material to the case, and which he believes he will be able to prove if called upon by the Court.

Written statements to set forth the material facts.

41. Written statements shall be written on the same quality of paper and in the same manner as plaints with respect to the number of lines and words, and the margin, paragraphs, interlineations and figures, and shall be stitched in the same manner bookwise.

And to be divided into numbered paragraphs.

42. The written statement of a corporation or a company authorized to sue and be sued in the name of an officer or trustees shall be admitted, if subscribed and verified on behalf of the corporation or company by any director, secretary or other principal officer of the corporation or company who may be able to depose to the facts of the case.

Written statement of a corporation or company to be received if verified by a principal officer.

43. The written statement of a plaintiff [other than a corporation or a company] shall be received if subscribed and verified by the person who, with the permission of the Court, shall have subscribed and verified the plaint.

Written statement of any other plaintiff to be received if verified by the person who verified the plaint.

44. Except as provided in the last two preceding rules, a written statement shall not be received, if subscribed and verified by a person other than the plaintiff or defendant, unless the same shall have been so subscribed and verified with the permission of the Court. The mode of obtaining such permission shall be by petition at Chambers without notice. The petition must be verified by affidavit or solemn affirmation, and it must be shown that the party from his knowledge of the facts is competent to make the verification.

Written statement not to be filed if verified, without permission, by a person other than the plaintiff or defendant.

Permission how to be obtained.

45. When a written statement is called for by the Court, the time for filing the same shall be fixed.

Time for filing same to be fixed.

46. The order calling for a written statement, if made at the time of the admission of a plaint, shall be endorsed on the plaint, and signed by the principal officer in attendance.

Order calling for same to be endorsed on plaint.

47. A plaintiff will not be required to file a written statement except on the application of a defendant, to be made by summons at Chambers. The application must be supported by an affidavit stating the special circumstances which make it necessary that the plaintiff should file a written statement. Such order may be made thereon as to costs and otherwise as to the Judge shall seem fit.

Plaintiff not to be required to file a written statement, except on special application.

48. If a plaintiff, being required by the Court to file a written statement, shall fail to do so, any defendant may, but if he is himself required to file a written statement, not until after filing a sufficient written statement, apply by summons at Chambers to have the hearing of the suit adjourned. If the hearing be adjourned, the plaintiff shall, unless otherwise ordered, pay the costs occasioned by such adjournment.

When plaintiff fails to file written statement, hearing may be adjourned.

Costs of adjournment.

49. A defendant, if required by the Court to file a written statement, shall file the same within the time limited for that purpose, or within such further time as may be obtained by him, or thereafter with special leave; but a defendant's written statement, whether called for by the Court or tendered spontaneously, shall not be received, unless the defendant shall have first entered an appearance.

A defendant's written statement to be filed after appearance and within the time limited, or thereafter with special leave.

50. A defendant desiring to claim a set-off, must, if required by the Court to file a written statement, state the particulars of his claim in such written statement. A separate statement containing the particulars of set-off need not be filed, and if filed, the costs thereof shall not be allowed, unless otherwise ordered.

Particulars of set-off to be given in written statement.

Costs of separate particulars not to be allowed.

51. When a written statement is not called for by the Court, a statement containing particulars of set-off, or a voluntary statement, may be filed at any time before a suit has been set down in the undefended board, but not thereafter, without leave, to be applied for at Chambers. A plaintiff may apply for such leave by petition *ex parte*. A defendant may apply for such leave by summons.

Particulars of set-off, and voluntary statement, when to be filed.

When leave necessary, how to be obtained.

52. The costs of a voluntary statement filed by a plaintiff will not be allowed, either as between party and party, or as between attorney and client, unless otherwise ordered.

Costs of voluntary statement.

53. Further time for filing a written statement may be obtained upon summons at Chambers.

Further time for filing written statement.

54. When only the defendant is required to file a written statement, the plaintiff shall be entitled, immediately on the same being filed, to obtain an office copy thereof.

When plaintiff may obtain copy of defendant's written statement.

55. When both the plaintiff and the defendant are required to file written statements, either party, after filing his own written statement, shall be entitled to obtain an office copy of the statement of the other party.

When either party may obtain copy of written statement of other party.

56. When two or more defendants are required to file written statements, a defendant, after filing his own written statement, shall be entitled to obtain an office copy of the statement of a co-defendant.

When a defendant may obtain copy of written statement of co-defendant.

57. Any party, without himself filing a written statement, shall be entitled to obtain an office copy of a voluntary statement filed by any other party.

Copy of voluntary statement.

58. When a defendant shall obtain a copy of a statement of a co-defendant, whether filed spontaneously or in compliance with an order, the costs of obtaining such copy shall, unless otherwise ordered, be borne by himself.

Defendant to bear the costs of obtaining copy of a co-defendant's statement.

59. An infant defendant will not be required to file a written statement, but a voluntary statement may be filed on his behalf, provided a guardian *ad litem* has been assigned to him.

Written statement of an infant.

ISSUES.

60. In the event of a written statement being filed by a defendant, the Court may, upon the application of either party, appoint a day for the settling of issues, and may for that purpose, if necessary, postpone the day of the hearing of the suit for final disposal.

Settlement of issues.

61. The issues so settled may be amended, and additional issues may be framed at any time before final judgment in appeal, if it shall appear to the Court to be necessary for the purpose of determining the real question in controversy between the parties.

Amendment of issues, and additional issues.

62. When issues are settled, a copy of the issues shall be prepared for the use of the Court by the plaintiff's attorney and left with the Registrar. No formal decree or order shall be drawn upon the settlement of issues.

Copy of issues for the Court.

No formal decree or order to be drawn up.

HEARING.

63. Every case in the defended list of causes shall, unless otherwise ordered, come on for hearing in due course, and be heard as a defended case against an infant, or a person of unsound mind not so found by inquisition, and also against every defendant not required to file a written statement, or who, having been required to file a written statement, has complied with the order of the Court; and shall be heard *ex parte* as against every defendant, not being an infant or a person of unsound mind as aforesaid, who, having been required to file a written statement, has failed to comply with the order of the Court.

Case in defended board to be heard as a defended case against person not *sui juris*, or in default.

And *ex parte* against others.

64. When a case is heard *ex parte* against any defendant, such defendant may be allowed to cross-examine *in person* the plaintiff's witnesses, and to address the Court; but [unless the Court otherwise specially orders] evidence will not be received on his behalf, nor will he be allowed the assistance of counsel or attorney.

When heard *ex parte*, defendant may, *in person*, cross-examine plaintiff's witnesses, and address the Court.

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JUDGMENTS, DECREES AND ORDERS.

65. When judgment is given by the Court orally, a note thereof in writing, or short-hand, shall be taken by the principal officer in attendance. On a memorandum of appeal being filed, or if the Judge shall so direct, the note so taken, shall be written out fully by the officer by whom it was taken, and shall be submitted by him to the Judge for correction. The note so submitted shall, when corrected by the Judge, be filed [as corrected] as the judgment of the Court, but if returned by the Judge uncorrected, it shall be filed as the official note [by the officer who took it] of the judgment. After it has been so filed, the parties shall be entitled to obtain office copies in the usual manner.

Judgments.

66. When a decree is pronounced, an accurate note of it in writing shall be taken by the principal officer in attendance, from which a full draft of the decree shall be afterwards prepared, and copies thereof shall be issued to the attorneys of the parties, or to any party who has no attorney and has appeared in person.

Decree.

Copies of full draft to be issued to the parties.

67. When an order is made in Court, or at Chambers, on the application of counsel, a note shall be taken in the minute book by the principal officer in attendance.

Order made in Court, or at Chambers, on application of counsel.

68. When an order is made at Chambers on the application of an attorney, or of a party in person, a note of its purport shall be endorsed on the summons, or petition, and signed by the Judge.

Order made at Chambers on application of attorney or party in person.

69. Decrees shall be drawn up without referring to the evidence, and without any recitals, unless the Court otherwise directs, or the Registrar sees fit to make such short recitals as may seem to him to be necessary.

Decree to be without recitals and not to refer to evidence.

70. Where a money decree only is obtained for the amount secured by a mortgage, a memorandum shall be added at the end of the decree to the effect following:—

"*Note.*—Execution shall not be issued against the property comprised in the mortgage."

Money decree for amount secured by mortgage.

71. Unless the Court shall otherwise order, every decree for partition shall provide—

Decree for partition.

(1). For the payment of money by way of equality of partition.

Owelty.

(2). For the execution by the parties of mutual conveyances.

Conveyances.

(3). For payment by the parties respectively of their own costs of suit up to and including the decree.

Costs.

(4). For payment by the parties respectively of the costs of issuing and executing the commission of partition and confirming the Commissioner's certificate in proportion to the value of their respective shares.

Costs.

72. Unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise direct, every decree or order for payment of money, or delivery of securities, into Court, shall direct such money to be paid, or securities to be endorsed and delivered over, to the Comptroller General of Accounts for the time being of the Government of India, and the Secretary and Treasurer for the time being of the Bank of Bengal [or such other officer or officers as shall for the time being have the custody of the funds of suitors], with the privity of the Accountant General of the Court.

Decree or order for payment of money into Court.

73. Unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise direct, every decree or order for the payment or delivery out of Court of money, or securities for money, deposited in Court in conformity with the last preceding rule, shall direct such money to be paid, or securities to be endorsed and delivered over, by the Comptroller General of Accounts for the time being of the Government of India, and the Secretary and Treasurer for the time being of the Bank of Bengal [or such other officer or officers as shall for the time being have the custody of the funds of suitors], with the privity of the Accountant General of the Court.

Decree or order for payment of money out of Court.

74. Every decree or order for the payment of money out of a fund in Court shall, for the purpose of such payment, authorize the sale and subdivision of the securities for money belonging to the fund, or of a sufficient portion thereof.

Decree or order for payment of money to authorize sale of securities.

75. In every decree or order, money, and securities for money, shall be expressed in words written at length.

Money and securities to be expressed in words.

76. Unless the Court shall otherwise order, every decree for an account in a suit for the administration of the estate of a testator or intestate shall direct—

Usual directions in a decree for an account in an administration suit.

(1).—An inquiry as to what parts, if any, of the personal or moveable estate are outstanding or undisposed of.

Outstanding personal or moveable estate.

(2).—An inquiry as to what incumbrances, if any, affect the real or immoveable estate, or any and what parts thereof.

Incumbrances affecting real or immoveable estate.

(3).—An account of the debts due by the estate.

Debts.

(4).—That the Registrar do cause advertisements to be published in the Government *Gazette* and such other public papers as he shall think fit, to the effect that creditors are to come in and prove their claims within a time to be specified therein, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the decree.

Advertisement for creditors.

(5).—That interest be computed on the deceased's debts as to such of them as carry interest, at the rate they respectively carry interest up to the date of proof thereof respectively, and thereafter at the rate of six per cent. per annum, and as to all others at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the date of proof thereof respectively, and that interest be computed on the legacies given by the will of the deceased at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the end of one year after his death, unless any other time for payment or rate of interest is directed by the will, and in that case according to the will.

Interest on debts and legacies.

77. Unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise direct, every decree or order for the sale of property, with the approbation of the Registrar, shall direct—

Decree or order for sale.

(1).—that the same be sold to the best purchaser that can be got for the same, provided the Registrar shall consider that a sufficient sum has been offered;

(2).—that all proper parties do join in the conveyance as the Registrar shall direct;

(3).—that the conveyance be settled by the Registrar if the parties differ about the same.

78. Unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise order, every decree in a suit for the sale of mortgaged property shall contain a direction that if the money to arise by such sale shall not be sufficient to pay in full the amount of principal, interest and costs payable under the decree, the defendant do pay the amount of the deficiency, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum.

Decree for sale of mortgaged property.

79. Unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise direct, every order, obtained by a mortgagee in a suit for the sale of mortgaged property, for leave to bid for and purchase the property, and if declared the purchaser, to set off the purchase-money *pro tanto* against the amount payable under the decree for principal, interest and costs, shall direct—

Order for leave to bid when obtained by a mortgagee.

(1).—That the applicant do pay the Registrar's commission;

(2).—That if the purchase-money shall exceed the amount payable under the decree, the applicant do pay the amount of the excess to the Comptroller General of Accounts for the time being of the Government of India, and the Secretary and Treasurer for the time being of the Bank of Bengal [or other the officer or officers for the time being entitled to have the custody of the funds of suitors], with the privity of the Accountant General of the Court, to be by them placed to the credit of the suit, subject to the further order of the Court.

80. Unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise direct, every order obtained by a decree-holder, other than a mortgagee, for leave to bid for and purchase the

Order for leave to bid when obtained by a decree-holder other than a mortgagee.

property to be sold in execution of a decree, and if declared the purchaser, to set off the purchase-money *pro tanto* against the amount payable under the decree for principal, interest and costs, shall direct—

(1).—That the applicant do pay the Sheriff's poundage and charges;

(2).—That, if the purchase-money shall exceed the amount payable under the decree, the applicant do pay the amount of the excess to the Sheriff.

81. Every decree or order for the payment of money shall be drawn up for payment of the money to the party or parties who shall be entitled to receive the same, and not to the parties or their attorneys, unless otherwise ordered.

Payment to be ordered to be made to parties only.

82. No decree or order shall be made for payment of money out of Court, except upon a certificate of the Accountant General of the Court as to the state of the accounts between the parties.

Certificate of the Accountant-General.

83. Unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise direct, a party consenting to a decree or order must appear before the Court or a Judge and signify such consent, by attorney, or in person if he has no attorney, or in the cases mentioned in section 19 of Act VIII of 1859 by an agent duly authorized as provided by that section.

How consent to decree or order to be signified.

84. Final foreclosure orders shall be drawn up with full recitals of the decree and the Registrar's report, and shall refer to the other grounds. All other orders shall refer to the grounds, but shall be drawn up without recitals, unless the Court or a Judge otherwise directs, or the Registrar sees fit to make such short recitals as may seem to him to be necessary.

Orders to refer to grounds, but, with one exception, to contain no recitals.

85. When a suit is allowed to be withdrawn, with liberty to bring a fresh suit for the same matter, unless the Court, or a Judge sitting in Chambers, shall otherwise direct, the order shall be drawn up so as to make the payment of the costs of the first suit a condition precedent to the plaintiff's bringing a fresh suit.

When suit withdrawn with leave to bring a fresh suit, order to provide for payment of costs of first suit before institution of fresh suit.

86. When the draft of any decree or order requires to be settled in the presence of the parties, the Registrar shall, by notice in writing, appoint a time for settling the same: and the parties must attend such appointment and produce to the Registrar their briefs and such other documents as may be necessary to enable him to settle the draft. The notice will be sent from the Registrar's office to the attorneys of the parties, with a receipt book in which shall be obtained the signature of the attorney or clerk with whom the notice shall be left.

Settling draft decree or order.

Notice of appointment.

Attendance with briefs and documents.

Service of the notice.

On attorney.

The notice shall be served on the parties who have appeared in person by the party who has the carriage of the decree or order. When so served, the original notice, with a memorandum endorsed thereon of the service of a copy thereof, signed by the party by whom such service was made, must be delivered to the Registrar, who may, if not satisfied that service has been duly made, require such service to be verified by affidavit.

On parties acting in person.

87. If any party fails to attend the Registrar's appointment for settling the draft of a decree or order, or fails to produce his briefs or any documents called for by the Registrar, the Registrar may proceed to settle such draft in his absence, or without the production of the briefs or documents aforesaid, or may require the matter to be mentioned to the Court.

Default in attending appointment with briefs or documents.

88. The Registrar may adjourn any appointment for settling the draft of any decree or order to such time as he may think fit, and the parties who attended the appointment shall be bound to attend the adjournment without further notice.

Adjournment of appointment.

89. If any party is dissatisfied with any decree or order as settled by the Registrar, and intends to mention the matter to the Court, the Registrar if informed of such intention, shall not proceed to complete the decree without allowing such party sufficient time to apply to the Court. The application must be made by motion on notice to the parties who appeared at the hearing.

Time to be allowed to apply to vary decree or order.

Application.

90. When a variation is made by the Court in the draft settled by the Registrar, such variation shall be embodied in the decree or order, and, except when the costs of the application are ordered to be paid, no fresh order need be drawn up.

Variation how made.

91. Where notice to settle a decree is given in consequence of the neglect of any party to return his copy of the decree within a reasonable time, and it shall appear, on the settlement of the decree, that such party has no objection to the decree as drawn, his attorney's costs of appearing on the settlement will not be allowed on taxation.

Costs of settlement when not allowed to a party who fails to return draft decree.

EXECUTION.

92. A mortgagee who has obtained a simple money decree for the debt secured by the mortgage, cannot obtain execution against the property comprised in the mortgage, but if he is willing to join in the sale of the property so as to vest his interest as mortgagee in the purchaser, he may, with the consent of the mortgagor, obtain an order for the sale of the property by the Registrar and the application of the money to arise by the sale *pro tanto* in satisfaction of the decree.

Attachment not to issue against mortgaged property in execution of a money decree for mortgage debt.

How such property may be sold.

93. The Registrar, or other officer, may be ordered to endorse any negotiable instrument or the certificate of any share in any public company or corporation, or to execute such other document as may be necessary for transferring the same, or to execute any conveyance, instead of a Judge, in all cases in which the execution or endorsement by the Court may be required. The endorse-

Endorsement of negotiable instrument, &c., or execution of conveyance.

Form of endorsement.

ment or execution shall be in the following form:—"A. B. by C. D., Registrar of the High Court, Original Jurisdiction, [*or as the case may be*] under an order dated the day of made by the said Court in suit No. of wherein E. F. is plaintiff and G. H. is defendant."

Mode of proceeding against the representative of a deceased person.

94. Except in administration suits, or unless otherwise ordered, the mode of proceeding against the representative of a deceased person, shall be as follows:—

Order nisi.

The holder of a decree, or order, may apply for an order requiring such representative to show cause, within a period to be specified in the order, why he should not account for the property of the deceased, or why execution should not be issued against him.

Grounds.

It must be proved to the satisfaction of the Court, by affidavit, or otherwise, what property of the deceased has come into the possession or power of such representative.

Execution to extent of property unaccounted for.

If he fail to appear, or to satisfy the Court that he has duly applied the property of the deceased, execution may be issued against him to the extent of the property of the deceased which has come into his possession or power, and has not been duly accounted for by him.

Mode of rendering account.

If he appear, he may render an account in the same manner as under a decree for an account.

Execution against surety.

95. Where an application for execution is made against a surety, a notice shall be issued to such surety requiring him to show cause, within a period to be specified in the notice, why the decree or order should not be executed against him.

When application for attachment of immoveable property, what particulars to be given.

96. Every application for the attachment of land, or other immoveable property, shall be accompanied by an inventory or list containing such a description of the property as may be sufficient to identify it, together with a specification of the judgment debtor's share or interest therein to the best of the applicant's belief, and so far as he has been able to ascertain the same, and also containing, as far as practicable, such particulars as are necessary to be stated for the purposes of the registration of a certificate of sale.

Procedure where notice is to be issued before execution.

97. Whenever a decree or order is sought to be executed after the lapse of a year from the date thereof or of the last order made on any previous application for execution, or to be enforced against the heir or representative of an original party to the suit, application must be made for the execution of such decree or order, and not for the issue of a notice. On such application being made, the Court will direct a notice to issue. The application for execution must be renewed after service of the notice. For this purpose, the tabular statement filed on the first application shall be produced in Court, with the notice and proof of the service thereof.

Order for notice and execution to be made on tabular statement.

Costs of more than one application not to be allowed.

98. The order for the issue of a notice, and for execution, shall be made on the same tabular statement, and the costs of more than one application in writing shall not be allowed, unless otherwise ordered.

Memorandum to be added at foot of warrant for attachment of property.

99. A memorandum shall be added at foot of every warrant for the attachment of property to the following effect: "Notice is hereby given that proceedings will be taken, without further notice, for the sale of the property to be attached hereunder, and to have the money to arise by such sale applied in payment of the amount payable to the plaintiff [or defendant] under the decree [or order] made in this suit and dated the day of

Warrant of arrest in execution to specify costs of execution.

	Attorney's fees. Rs.	A.	P.	Court fees. Rs.	A.	P.
Tabular statement ...	10	0	0	0	0	0
Application to Court ...	10	0	0	0	0	0
Filing same and paid ...	1	0	0	9	0	0
Receiving warrant, sealing same and paid ...	2	0	0	7	0	0
Lodging same with sheriff ...	1	0	0	0	0	0
Attending on or writing to client requesting him to point out the person to be arrested...	3	0	0	0	0	0
* Attending, obtaining and handing money to client ...	5	0	0	0	0	0
Rs.	32	0	0	16	0	0

100. Every warrant for the arrest of any person in execution of a decree or order must, in addition to the amount due and payable under the decree or order for principal, interest and costs, specify a sum for the costs of execution, as in the scale in the margin.

Amount to be levied thereunder.

101. Under every such warrant the Sheriff shall levy the sums mentioned therein, and a sufficient sum for interest [where interest is payable], besides his own fees and poundage.

Decree or order of another Court, if sent for execution after the lapse of a year without notice under section 216, to be returned.

102. When a copy of a decree or order of another Court is transmitted to this Court for execution after the lapse of a year from the date thereof, or of the last order made on any application for execution, or after the death of the judgment-debtor, and there is nothing to show that notice has been given under section 216 of Act VIII of 1859, or when the judgment-debtor dies after a copy of any such decree or order has been filed in this Court, the Registrar shall [unless the Court or a Judge shall otherwise order] return the copy of the decree or order to the Court from which it was received, with a request that it may be certified that notice has been given under that section.

When notice to be issued by this Court.

The Registrar shall also return the copy of the decree or order, if the requirements of section 286 of Act VIII of 1859 shall not have been fully complied with. If, after the copy of any decree or order sent to this Court for execution has been filed in this Court, notice to show cause why it should not be executed is required to be issued, such notice may, subject to the foregoing provisions of this rule, be issued by this Court.

Application for execution of a decree or order of another Court.

103. Application to this Court for the execution of a decree or order of another Court shall be made in like manner as for the execution of a decree or order of this Court.

* To be allowed in the first warrant, but not in any subsequent warrant, except when there has been part payment.

Application for possession of immoveable property under a decree or order for possession or sale.

104. In every application for possession of immoveable property under a decree or order for possession or sale, it shall be stated whether the property is in the occupation of a defendant or some other person on his behalf, or of some person claiming under a title created by him subsequently to the institution of the suit, or whether it is in the occupation of tenants or other persons entitled to occupy the same.

Application for possession of immoveable property sold in execution of a decree or order.

105. In every application for possession of immoveable property sold in execution of a decree or order, it shall be stated whether the property is in the occupation of a person whose interest in the property has been sold as aforesaid, or some person on his behalf, or of some person claiming under a title created by him subsequently to the attachment of the property, or whether it is in the occupation of tenants or other persons entitled to occupy the same.

Negotiable securities seized in execution to be held by the Sheriff.

106. When the attachment of negotiable instruments shall be made by actual seizure, such instruments shall, unless otherwise ordered, be held by the Sheriff subject to the further order of the Court.

Decree or order attached in execution not to be sold, but manager to be appointed.

107. When a decree or order of this Court is attached in execution, a sale shall not be ordered, but a manager shall be appointed to realize the amount of the decree or order, subject to such terms as to security and otherwise as the Court or a Judge shall direct.

Person arrested in execution when entitled to discharge.

108. A person arrested under a warrant issued in execution of a decree or order, whereby money is ordered to be paid, shall be entitled to his discharge from such arrest on payment or tender to the execution creditor, or his attorney, or to the Sheriff, of the amount directed to be levied by such writ, together with the Sheriff's fees and poundage.

Order of attorney, or client, when sufficient for discharge.

109. A written order under the hand of the attorney of the execution creditor, or of the execution creditor himself if he has no attorney, shall justify the Sheriff or the Superintendent of the Presidency Jail, or the officer in whose custody the execution debtor may be at the time, in discharging him, provided when the order for discharge is under the hand of the attorney of the execution creditor, the latter shall not have given written notice to the contrary, and also provided there are no other detainers against the execution debtor.

Attorney not to give order for discharge without client's consent.

110. Nothing shall justify an attorney in giving an order for the discharge of a person in custody under any such writ without the consent of his client.

Sheriff may discharge on payment to him of full amount.

111. The payment to the Sheriff of the full amount due on any such writ shall also justify him, or his bailiff, in discharging the execution debtor, while in his custody, provided the execution creditor or his attorney shall not have given written notice to the contrary, and also provided there are no other detainers against the execution debtor.

And shall, in such case, apply the money in satisfaction.

112. In case of such payment to the Sheriff as aforesaid, that officer shall apply the amount deposited with him in satisfaction of the decree or order,

And file an account.

and shall, as soon as possible thereafter, lodge with the Registrar a statement of account, showing what amount was realized, and how the same has been applied.

Whereupon satisfaction to be entered up.

On receipt of the account, the Registrar shall cause satisfaction to be entered in the register of suits.

Procedure on arrest in execution.

113. Every person arrested in execution of a decree or order, and not released under the last preceding rule, shall, as soon as practicable, be brought before the Court, or a Judge sitting in Chambers, and shall, unless sufficient cause be shown for his discharge from custody, be ordered to be committed to prison. Such order shall fix the rate of his diet money. A note of the purport of the order shall be endorsed on the warrant of arrest by the principal officer in attendance, and authenticated by him with his initials. Upon the production in the Registrar's office of the warrant with such endorsement, a separate warrant shall be issued for the commitment of the person, in which the rate of diet money fixed as aforesaid shall be specified.

Defendant arrested before decree to be released, unless brought before the Court after decree.

114. A defendant arrested before decree shall not be detained in prison after a decree has been obtained against him in the suit unless he is brought before the Court or a Judge sitting in Chambers, and his subsistence money fixed in the same way as in the case of an arrest in execution of a decree. For this purpose, the plaintiff must apply by petition at Chambers for a writ of Habeas Corpus *cum causa*.

An insolvent not to be discharged under the Code of Civil Procedure.

115. No order shall be made under section 278 or 280 of Act VIII of 1859, or section 8 of Act XXIII of 1861, for the discharge from custody of a person who shall have filed a petition for the benefit of the Act for the relief of insolvent debtors, or been adjudged an insolvent in respect of any debt or debts incurred by him prior to the filing of such petition or to such adjudication.

Sale after attachment to be conducted by the Sheriff.

116. Unless otherwise ordered, the sale of property attached in execution of a decree or order, within the local limits of the jurisdiction of this Court, shall be conducted by the Sheriff of Calcutta, or his Deputy, or other person authorized by him for that purpose.

Order for sale.

117. The mode of applying for the sale of property so attached in execution shall be by petition at Chambers. The petition must be accompanied by a certificate of the Sheriff, stating—

(1).—Whether the property has been attached before judgment, or in execution of any, and what, decree or order in the suit.

(2).—Whether the property has been attached under any, and what, prior writ or writs.

When no prior attachment.

118. If the property has not been previously attached, the order for sale shall, unless otherwise ordered, be drawn up with a direction that the money to arise by the sale of the pro-

perty be paid into Court to the credit of the suit, and applied in satisfaction *pro tanto* of the decree or order in execution of which the sale has been ordered.

When prior attachment.

119. If the property has been previously attached, the order for sale shall, unless otherwise ordered, be drawn up with a direction that the money to arise by the sale be paid into Court to the credit of the suits in which the property stands attached, subject to the further order of the Court.

Application by second attaching creditor for payment of money realized in execution.

120. Application by a subsequent attaching creditor for payment out of Court of money realized in execution, must be made upon summons or notice to the other attaching creditors, and it must be shown by a certificate of the Sheriff who the other attaching creditors are.

Copy of decree or order required to be executed within the jurisdiction of another Court, to be sent to such Court direct.

121. Unless otherwise ordered, when a copy of a decree or order of this Court is required to be transmitted to another Court for execution, the same, with the certificate of non-satisfaction, &c., shall be forwarded to such Court direct, with a covering letter, and shall not be delivered to the party seeking execution, or his attorney.

Certificate of non-satisfaction to state the amount due for costs.

122. In such certificate shall be specified the costs taxed under the decree or order to be executed, and also a sum for the costs of applying for the transmission of a copy of such decree or order to another Court, as in the scale at foot (*a*).

And, when notice is required to be issued, that it has been issued.

123. When a copy of a decree or order of this Court is transmitted to another Court for execution, after the lapse of a year from the date thereof, or of the last order made on any previous application for execution, or after the death of an original party to the suit, it shall be stated in the certificate of non-satisfaction, that notice has been issued to the person against whom it is intended to apply for execution to show cause why such decree or order should not be executed against him.

Copy decree or order may be sent for execution against property in two or more districts contemporaneously.

124. When a person against whom execution is sought has property in two or more districts, the Court, or a Judge sitting in Chambers, may, on being satisfied of its necessity, cause a copy of the decree or order obtained against such person to be transmitted for execution in some or all of such districts contemporaneously. In the certificate of non-satisfaction, to be sent therewith to the Court of each of such districts, it shall be stated to what other Courts a copy of the decree or order has been sent for execution. At the same time a letter shall be sent to the Judge of one of such Courts, requesting him to attach and sell the property in his district (hereinafter mentioned as district A), or a sufficient portion thereof, and certify the result to this Court: and with such letter shall be sent a copy of the letter sent to the Judge of each of the other Courts. A letter shall also be sent to the Judge of each of the other Courts, requesting him to attach the property in his district but not to sell the same until furnished by this Court with information as to the result of the sale of the property in district A.

Certificate of non-satisfaction to state to what Courts such copy has been sent.

Letter to be sent therewith.

	Atty.'s fees.	Court fees.
	Rs. As.	
(*a*) Petition	5 15	Copy decree certificate.
Application to court	10 0	(Besides amount of postage stamps.)
Attending filing petition (and providing postage stamps)	2 0	
Attending receiving certified copy decree and leading same to client ...	4 0	
[Not to be allowed unless copy ordered to be delivered to the attorney.]		
Paid stamps		Rs. As. 7 0

When insufficient amount realized in execution in the first district.

125. If the amount realized in execution in district A shall not be sufficient to satisfy the decree or order, a certificate stating the result of the sale shall be sent to the Judge of another of such Courts, with a letter requesting him to sell the property under attachment in his district (hereinafter mentioned as district B), or a sufficient portion thereof, and certify the result to this Court.

Also in second, or succeeding district.

126. If the amount realized in execution in district B shall not be sufficient to satisfy the balance payable under the decree or order, the proceeding indicated in the last preceding rule shall be followed: and so on as to each of the other districts successively.

When sufficient amount realized in execution.

127. If the amount realized in execution in district A, or district B, or any other district, except the last, shall be sufficient to satisfy the decree or order, a certificate that such is the case shall be sent to the Court of each district in which property shall at the time be under attachment in execution of the decree or order.

Application relating to execution to be made in Chambers.

Counsel's fee, unless certified, will, as between attorney and client, be in the discretion of the Taxing officer.

128. Every application relating to the execution of a decree or order shall ordinarily be made before the Judge sitting in Court, or by counsel in Chambers. If made in Chambers, his fees will not be allowed, as between party and party, unless the allowance thereof shall be certified by the Judge before whom the application is made, and unless so certified, will, as between attorney and client, be in the discretion of the Taxing officer.

CHAMBERS.

Applications.

One Judge to sit in Chambers.

129. For the more convenient despatch of the business of the Court, one Judge will every day, unless notice to the contrary be previously given, sit in Chambers to dispose of applications which are of course, or of such a nature as not to require legal argument or examination of witnesses, except in support of an application to sue as a pauper. Cases which do not fall within this description will not be taken in Chambers, and in particular, applications or matters of the following kind will not be taken in Chambers, that is to say—

Applications not to be taken in Chambers.

(1). The trial of any suit, or the settlement of issues.

(2). The examination of witnesses whether in a pending suit or proceeding before the hearing, or under a commission or mandamus to the Court.

(3). A motion for, or to dissolve, an injunction for a stay of proceedings, or for affecting in any other way the status of a suit, not being undefended, which is already in the peremptory board of the day for hearing; for the appointment of a receiver; for the attachment before judgment of either the person or property of a defendant; to vary a decree, or to vary or discharge an order, or a certificate or report; also all cases in which cause is shewn against an application of the foregoing class.

(4). An application to take a plaint off the file.

(5). An application for the special leave of the Court to file a plaint when such leave is necessary.

(6). An application for an order to wind up a company, and any proceeding subsequent thereto in the matter of the winding up, except—

(*a*) for leave [under rule 4 of the rules made pursuant to the Indian Company's Act, 1866] for a person other than a petitioner to verify the petition;

(*b*) for an order [under rule 7 of the said rules] to proceed with the winding up and fixing a time for the appointment of an official liquidator;

(*c*) for directions under rules 9, 14, 20, 33, and 50 of the said rules.

(7). Any step or proceeding in lunacy.

(8). An application to take money out of Court, except where it has been realized in execution.

(9). An argument upon a special case.

(10). An application for a review.

The Court may refer any matter to a Judge in Chambers, and a Judge in Chambers may direct matter before him to be brought on in Court.

130. The Court, in its discretion, may at any time direct any matter to be referred to, or disposed of by a Judge sitting in Chambers; and a Judge sitting in Chambers may at any time, if he thinks fit, direct a matter upon which an application is made to him in Chambers to be made in Court by counsel.

Orders made in Chambers.

131. An order made by a Judge sitting in Chambers may be drawn up and signed and sealed in like manner as an order made in Court.

Summons.

132. The mode of proceeding in Chambers, on an application under rule 129, shall, where notice is required to be given, be by summons.

By whom prepared and signed.

Notice of intention to use affidavits to be indorsed on summons.

133. Such summons shall be prepared by the party obtaining it, or his attorney, and be signed by a Judge. When affidavits are intended to be used, notice thereof shall be endorsed on the summons.

Length of service.

134. Unless otherwise ordered, such summons shall be served two clear days before the return thereof. A summons may be made returnable in a shorter time by leave of a Judge, which shall be mentioned in it.

Mode of service.

135. Such summons shall be served in the manner provided by the rules for the service of process.

Copy affidavit to be served with summons.

136. With it there shall be served a copy of every affidavit mentioned in the notice endorsed thereon, except of affidavits used in former proceedings.

Where matter adjourned, parties to attend without further summons.

137. Where, upon the return of a summons, the matter is not disposed of, the parties shall attend without a further summons, at such time or times to which the further consideration of the matter may be adjourned.

Where not adjourned, further summons to issue.

138. Where such consideration is not adjourned to any specified time, a further summons shall be issued.

Costs of abandoned summons when no affidavit.

	Rs.
* Receiving summons ...	2
Attending court thereon ...	10
Total ...	12

139. If a party abandons a summons which has been served without notice of his intention to use any affidavit, he shall pay to the other party, or to each of the other parties entitled to separate costs, the sum of Rs. 12 for costs,* to be certified by the Taxing Officer on production to him of the summons.

Costs of abandoned summons when affidavit.

To be taxed by the Taxing Officer.

140. If a party abandons a summons which has been served with notice of his intention to use any affidavit, he shall pay to the other party, or to each of the other parties, entitled to separate costs, such costs as may be allowed by the Taxing officer, who is required to tax such costs on the production to him of the summons.

Payment if enforced.

141. When it is necessary to enforce the payment of the costs of an abandoned summons payable under either of the last two preceding rules, an order for that purpose may be obtained, without notice, upon a petition supported by the allocatur of the Taxing Officer. The order shall be drawn up with a direction for payment of the costs of obtaining it, and of execution.

Attorneys to be heard in Chambers.

142. Attorneys for the parties will be heard before a Judge sitting in Chambers.

Counsel's fee for appearing in Chambers when taxable.

143. When counsel appears for a party before a Judge sitting in Chambers, his fee shall not be taxed as between party and party, unless the Judge shall certify that the case is fit for counsel, nor as between attorney and client, except with the consent of the client, or it be shown to the satisfaction of the Taxing officer that counsel was employed at the request, or with the consent, of the client.

Application in which Counsel appears to be taken last.

144. Applications before a Judge sitting in Chambers, in which counsel appears on either side, shall be taken after all others.

REFERENCES.

Summons.

145. The mode of proceeding in Chambers before a Judge [or an officer acting as a Commissioner] on a reference to take an account, or to make an inquiry, or for any other purpose shall be by summons.

By whom prepared and signed.

146. Every such summons shall be prepared and signed by the Registrar.

On whom to be served.

147. Unless otherwise ordered, such summons shall be served upon all parties to the suit or proceeding, including those against whom the decree or order has been made *exparte*.

Length of service.

148. Such summons shall be served seven clear days before the return thereof.

By whom to be served.

149. Such summons shall be served upon parties who are represented by attorneys, by the serving clerk in the Registrar's office, and upon parties who are not so represented by the party having the conduct of the reference, or his attorney, in the manner provided by the rules for the service of process.

Proof of service.

150. The service of such summons, when made by the Registrar's clerk, shall be deemed sufficiently proved by his endorsement of service on the summons, and, when otherwise made, shall, if necessary, be proved in like manner as the service of process.

Proceeding on default of party summoned.

151. When any of the parties summoned to attend on a reference fails to attend at the time appointed, the Judge [or officer] may proceed in his absence if, considering the nature of the case, he thinks it expedient to do so.

Reconsideration of proceeding on default.

152. Such proceeding shall not be reconsidered, unless the Judge [or officer] upon a special application made to him for that purpose by the party who was absent, is satisfied that he was not guilty of wilful delay or negligence. In such a case the costs occasioned by his non-attendance shall be in the discretion of the Judge [or officer], who may fix the same at the time, and direct them to be paid by the party or his attorney before he is permitted to have such proceeding reconsidered, or may make such other order as to such costs as to him may seem meet.

Costs.

Costs when proceedings fail for non-attendance.

153. When a proceeding fails by reason of the non-attendance of any party, the Judge [or officer] may direct such an amount of costs [if any] as he shall think reasonable, to be paid to the party attending, by the absent party or parties, or by his or their attorney or attorneys personally; or may make such other order as to costs as to him may seem meet.

When a Judge directs costs to be paid.

154. When a Judge directs costs to be paid under either of the last two preceding rules, and it is necessary to enforce payment, an order for that purpose shall be drawn up by the Registrar on production to him of the minute book in the case. The order shall contain a direction for the payment of the costs of obtaining it and of execution.

When an officer directs costs to be paid.

155. When an officer directs such costs to be paid, and it is necessry to enforce payment, an order for that purpose must be obtained from a Judge sitting in Chambers. An application for it may be made, without notice, by petition, supported by a certificate of the officer. The order shall contain a direction for the payment of the costs of obtaining it and of execution.

Fee to be disallowed for non-attendance of attorney, or a competent person on his behalf.

156. On a reference, when the Judge or Officer is not attended by the attorney for any party, or a competent person on his behalf, the usual fee for the attorney's attendance shall be disallowed, and such disallowance shall be entered in the minute book.

Notice of intention to use affidavit.

157. A party intending to use on a reference any affidavit used in a former proceeding, shall give notice to the other party or parties of his intention.

Minute Book.

158. In a minute book to be kept for that purpose in each case, there shall be entered the time when a copy of the decree or order of reference was received, the proceedings taken thereunder, the time occupied at each meeting, the attendance or non-attendance of the parties, with a short statement of the questions or points decided.

Office copy of decree or order of reference when, where, and by whom to be filed.

159. An office copy of every decree or order of reference, or so much thereof as relates to the reference, shall be left in the Account Department of the Registrar's office by the party having the carriage of the reference, within a week from the filing of the decree or order, or by any other party within a week thereafter.

Summons to consider matter of reference.

160. On such copy being left, the suit or matter shall be entered in a list, to be called "The General Reference List," and a summons shall be issued for an early day to take into consideration the matter of the reference.

General Reference List.

161. The general reference list shall set forth, under appropriate headings, the number and title of the suit or matter, the date on which the copy of the decree or order was received, the name of the attorney for each party and the name of the Judge [or officer] before whom the reference is to be prosecuted.

Directions as to prosecution.

162. Upon the return of the summons to be issued under rule 160, directions shall be given as to the manner in which each of the accounts and inquiries is to be taken or prosecuted, the evidence to be adduced, the parties who are to attend on the several accounts and inquiries, and the time within which each proceeding is to be taken, and a day or days will be appointed for the further attendance of the parties; and all such directions may afterwards be varied or added to, as may be found necessary.

How enforced.

163. Such directions when given by an officer or Commissioner may be enforced by an order to be obtained without summons in Chambers, upon a certificate of the Registrar.

Account to be verified.

164. Unless otherwise directed, every account when filed by the accounting party shall be verified by his affidavit or affirmation, unless such account has been already scheduled to the plaint or written statement, in which case a copy of such scheduled account shall be filed, with a continuation thereof verified by affidavit or affirmation.

Form of.

165. Such account shall be in the form of a debtor and creditor account, and shall truly set forth all sums received by the accounting party.

Taking account.

166. In taking any account directed by any decree or order to be taken, the items on the debit side of the account shall be charged to the accounting party; and, unless otherwise directed, the items on the credit side of the account shall be vouched by receipts or other satisfactory evidence of payment, except of sums not exceeding Rs. 20, provided it shall appear, by the affidavit or affirmation in verification of the account, or other affidavit or affirmation, when, to whom, and for what, such sums were paid.

Objection to account.

167. Every objection to an account, either by way of charge or disallowance, shall be made by a statement, verified by affidavit, or affirmation, setting forth, as far as practicable, the particulars of the amount sought to be charged, or the allowance of which is objected to.

Statement of facts.

168. Unless otherwise directed, when the object of the reference is an inquiry as to matters of fact, a statement of facts shall be filed.

Proposal.

169. Unless otherwise directed, when the object of the reference is the settlement of a scheme, or the appointment of a receiver, or manager, or trustee, a proposal shall be filed.

With statement of facts.

Such proposal shall contain a statement of facts, whenever security is required to be given by the receiver, or manager, with respect to property, the value or income of which it is necessary to ascertain.

Counter-statement.

170. Unless otherwise directed, every objection to a statement of facts shall be made by a counter-statement.

Statement or counter-statement to be verified.

171. Unless otherwise directed, every statement or counter-statement of facts shall be verified by affidavit or affirmation.

Further affidavit.

172. If the affidavit or affirmation, in verification of an account, or statement of facts, be insufficient, a further affidavit or affirmation may be called for.

Costs when objections improperly made.

173. Any party improperly objecting to an account, or a statement of facts, shall be liable to pay, as between attorney and client, the costs occasioned by the subsequent proof, and also such costs for delaying the reference as the Court or a Judge may think fit to order.

Proceedings to be continued consecutively.

174. The proceedings on a reference shall, as far as possible, be continued so as to avoid frequent adjournments after a short attendance.

Rules applicable to references.

175. Rules 137 and 138 shall also apply to references.

Reference before whom to be prosecuted.

176. A reference, unless directed to be prosecuted before an officer or a referee, may be prosecuted before the Judge by whom it was ordered, or before the Judge, for the time being, exercising original jurisdiction.

When prosecuted before the Judge exercising original jurisdiction.

177. Unless otherwise directed, a reference, when prosecuted before the Judge exercising original jurisdiction, shall, for the preliminary directions to be given under rule 162, be brought on before him after the ordinary business in Chambers, and shall, for every other purpose, be entered in the peremptory cause list of the day.

When prosecuted before any other Judge.

178. A reference, when prosecuted before any other Judge, shall be entered in the peremptory reference list, to be prepared under the directions of the Judge, who shall fix the time and place for holding each meeting.

Books of account to be taken as *primâ facie* evidence subject to objection.

179. Where a decree or order directs accounts to be taken, any books of account in which the accounts required to be taken, or any of them, have been kept, shall, unless otherwise ordered, be taken as *primâ facie* evidence of the truth of the matters therein contained, with liberty to the parties interested to take such objections thereto as they may be advised.

Just allowances.

180. In taking any account directed by any decree or order, all just allowances shall be made without any directions for that purpose in such decree or order.

When conduct of reference may be committed to another party.

181. When the party prosecuting a reference does not proceed with due diligence, the prosecution thereof may be committed by the Judge [or officer] to any other party having an interest either as a party to the suit or as a claimant who has come in and established his claim.

Application that the suit be dismissed or discontinued for want of prosecution.

182. If default be made in complying with rule 159, or if, at any stage of a reference, no steps shall be taken to prosecute it for 30 days, any party may apply, by summons, at Chambers, that the suit be dismissed, or discontinued, for want of prosecution, and such order may be made thereon as to costs or otherwise as to the Judge shall seem fit.

Where no application, suit to be struck out of the reference list.

If no such application be made, the suit shall, at the end of 14 days from the time of such default, or of such 30 days, be struck out of the "General Reference List," and be deemed to have been abandoned.

Application to restore suit.

183. No case struck out of the General Reference List, under the last preceding rule, shall be afterwards restored, except upon an application, to be made by summons to all parties, and upon such terms and conditions as to costs or otherwise as the Judge shall direct.

Costs.

CLAIMS.

Advertisement for claims.

184. Every advertisement for creditors, or other persons having any claim upon, or interest in, the distribution of any assets to be administered by the Court, which shall be issued pursuant to any decree or order, shall direct every such creditor, or other person within a time to be thereby fixed, to send to the Registrar his name

and address and the full particulars of his claim, or interest, and a statement of his account, and the nature of the security [if any] held by him. The time for adjudicating on the claims shall be fixed by the advertisement.

To fix time of adjudication.

185. Every such advertisement shall be prepared by the party prosecuting the reference, and shall be settled and signed by the Registrar, and published in such newspapers as he shall direct.

By whom to be prepared, settled and signed.

186. No creditor or other person need make any affidavit, or affirmation, or attend in support of his claim, unless he is served with a notice requiring him to do so.

Affidavit or attendance of claimant unnecessary until notice.

187. Every creditor may produce, or transmit to the Registrar, with the particulars of his claim, any security that he may have, or shall produce the same at such time as shall be specified in the advertisement for that purpose, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims; and every creditor shall also, if required by notice in writing to be given by the Registrar, produce all other deeds and documents necessary to substantiate his claim at such time as shall be specified in such notice, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Creditor to produce security.

Notice to creditor to produce other documents.

188. Every person claiming as heir at law, devisee, next of kin, or legatee, shall, if required by notice in writing to be given by the Registrar, produce any pedigree, or proof mentioned in such notice, at such time as shall be specified therein.

Notice to heir at law, &c., to produce pedigree, and other proof.

189. In case any creditor, or other person, shall neglect or refuse to comply with the two last preceding rules, he shall not be allowed any costs of proving his claim, unless the Judge [or officer] shall otherwise direct.

Disallowance of costs of proving claim.

190. At the time appointed for adjudication upon the debts or claims, the Judge [or officer] shall take evidence orally, or by affidavit, or affirmation, of the executor, administrator or other accounting party, upon such debts or claims, and may thereupon, in his discretion, allow any of such debts, or claims, without further proof, and may direct such investigation of all or any of the debts or claims not allowed, and require such further particulars, information, or evidence relating thereto as he may think fit, and may, if he so thinks fit, require any creditor, or other person, to attend and prove his claim or any part thereof; and the adjudication on such claims as are not then allowed shall be adjourned to a time to be then fixed.

Adjudicating on the claims.

191. Notice of the allowance of claims allowed without proof shall, if necessary, be advertised under the signature and directions of the Registrar.

Notice of allowance of claim.

192. Notice shall be given to every such creditor, or other person, as the Judge [or officer] shall think fit, to attend and prove his claim, or such part thereof as is not allowed, by a time to be named in such notice, not being less than seven days after such notice, and to attend at a time to be therein named, being the time to which the adjudication thereon shall have been adjourned; and in case any creditor shall not comply with such notice, his claim, or such part thereof as aforesaid, shall be disallowed.

Notice to prove claim.

193. A notice to be given under rules 187 and 188, and the last two preceding rules, shall be prepared by the party prosecuting the decree or order, and shall be signed by the Registrar, and served in like manner as process, or as the Judge [or officer] shall direct.

Notice by whom to be prepared and signed.

How served.

194. Any creditor, or other person, who has not sent in the particulars of his claim pursuant to the advertisement, may do so four days previous to any day to which the adjudication is adjourned.

Claims may be sent in previous to adjourned adjudication.

195. No claim shall be received after the time fixed by the advertisement [except as before provided] without special leave, which may be applied for, by summons, at Chambers, at any time before the distribution of the assets to be administered, and may be granted upon such terms and conditions as to costs and otherwise as to the Judge shall seem fit.

When claim not to be received without special leave.

196. When an account of debts is directed to be taken, the plaintiff, if a creditor, may be required by any party having an interest in the estate to prove his debt on the reference, notwithstanding that he may have already given such proof thereof in Court as to establish his right to the decree.

Plaintiff, if a creditor, may be required to prove his claim on the reference.

197. Any party requiring such proof unnecessarily may be ordered to pay the costs thereof.

Costs, if proof unnecessarily required.

198. Unless otherwise ordered, creditors shall be allowed interest, in respect of debts, as to such of them as carry interest, at the rate at which they respectively carry interest, to the date of proof, and subsequent interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, and as to all others, at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the date of proof.

Interest on debts.

199. Interest shall be computed on legacies at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the end of one year from the date of the testator's death, unless otherwise ordered, or a different rate is directed by the will.

Interest on legacies.

200. Unless otherwise ordered, interest shall be computed on a mortgage at the rate mentioned therein, until the end of six months from the date of the decree, or until the end of any further period to which the time may be enlarged. Such interest shall be added to the principal, and thereafter interest shall be computed on the aggregate amount at the rate of six per cent. per annum.

Interest on a mortgage debt.

201. The costs of a creditor who is plaintiff shall not be added to his debt, but shall form part of his costs in the suit. The costs of a creditor [other than a plaintiff] of establishing his claim under a decree or order in a suit, shall be added to the amount of his claim.

Costs of a creditor being plaintiff.

Of other creditor.

202. If, after payment of the costs of the suit, the assets are insufficient to pay the creditors, their principal, interest and costs of proof, in full, any dividend ordered to be paid to them shall be computed on the total amount thereof, including the costs.

Costs of proof where fund deficient.

203. A claimant who fails to prove his claim may be ordered to pay the costs occasioned thereby.

Costs occasioned by unsuccessful claim.

204. Summons under rules 132, 145, and 160, and advertisements under rules 184 and 191, and notices under rules 186, 187, 188, 191, and 192 shall be in the forms in Schedule A., with such variations as the circumstances of the case may require.

Form of summons, &c.

CERTIFICATE OR REPORT.

205. Unless otherwise ordered, the result of proceedings had on a reference shall be stated in the form of a certificate, or report, which shall be drawn up in paragraphs; each paragraph being numbered so as to correspond with the numbered paragraphs of the decree or order.

Result of proceedings to be stated in a certificate or report.

206. The certificate, or report, shall be settled on notice to the parties who have appeared on the reference.

Certificate or report to be settled on notice.

207. On the certificate or report of a Judge being signed, the matter to which it relates will be adjourned into Court for final disposal.

Matter of Judge's certificate or report to be adjourned into Court.

208. No application to discharge or vary a Judge's certificate or report shall be made, except with the permission of the Judge who signed the same.

No application to discharge or vary such certificate or report without permission.

209. A certificate or report of an officer, unless discharged or varied, will be taken as conclusive evidence of the facts found therein.

An officer's certificate or report to be conclusive as to facts, unless discharged or varied.

210. An application to discharge or vary a certificate or report shall be made by motion upon notice to be given within 14 days from the date of the filing thereof, or within such further time as may be obtained for that purpose, but in that case the notice shall mention that it has been given with the leave of the Court. An application for further time may be made by petition in Chambers without notice.

Application to discharge or vary.

Application for further time.

211. When the facts are correctly stated in a certificate or report, questions of law may be raised at the hearing of the suit on further directions. An application to discharge or vary a certificate or report as to such questions need not be made.

Application to vary unnecessary where facts correctly stated.

212. A certificate or report after it has become binding, will not be reopened, except on the ground of fraud, surprise or mistake, or such other special ground as may be allowed by the Court. For this purpose an application may be made to the Court for a *rule nisi* which may afterwards be made absolute, on such terms and conditions as to costs and otherwise as to the Court shall seem fit.

Application to vary after a certificate or report has become binding.

Rule nisi.

Absolute.

213. After a certificate or report of an officer has become binding, the case shall be set down in the peremptory board for final disposal.

After a certificate or report has become binding case to be set down.

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SCHEDULE A.

No. 1.

Form of summons under rule 6.

Suit No. , of 187 .

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

A. B. *Plaintiff.*

and

C. D. *Defendant.*

Victoria, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen Defender of the faith,

to C. D.

Greeting whereas [*enter the name, description, and address of the plaintiff*] has instituted a suit in this Court against you, [*state the particulars of the claim as in the register.*] You are hereby required to cause an appearance to be entered for you in the office of the Registrar of the Court within days from the service upon you of this summons exclusive of the day of such service, and are summoned to appear before this Court at or before the expiration of clear days from the service upon you of this summons, that is to say, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon of the day immediately following the expiration of such last mentioned time in person, or by an Advocate of the Court duly instructed to answer the above named plaintiff, and as the last-mentioned day fixed for your appearance before the Court is appointed for the final disposal of the suit, you must be prepared to produce all your witnesses on that day, and you will bring with you or send by your agent [*Here mention any document, the production of which may be required by the plaintiff*] which the plaintiff desires to inspect, and any document on which you intend to rely in support of your defence. And you are hereby required to take notice that in default of your appearance before the Court on the last-mentioned day, the

The defendant is required by the Court to file a written statement on or before the day of

suit will be heard and determined in your absence. Witness [the Chief Justice's name] Knight, Chief Justice at Fort William aforesaid the day of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy

Attorney.

Registrar.

Note 1.—An appearance is to be entered at the office of the Registrar of this Court, on its Original Side, within the time limited. In default thereof the suit will be liable to be heard *ex parte*.

Note 2.—The written statement called for must be filed within the time limited, the defendant having first entered an appearance. In default thereof, the suit will be liable to be heard *ex parte*.

Note 3.—An officer or soldier who cannot obtain leave of absence may [under the provisions of section 19 of Act VIII of 1859] authorize any person to appear for him.

Note 4.—This writ must be returned to the High Court immediately after the service thereof, or if not served, and the time for the return thereof shall not have been extended by the order of a Judge, on the day of next.

No. 2.

Form of Præcipe under rule 30.

Suit No. of 187 .

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

A. B. *Plaintiff*

Versus

C. D. *Defendant.*

Præcipe for appearance.

Enter an appearance for A. B. to the plaint in the above suit.

Dated this day of 187 .

Name and place of residence of defendant in person

or

Name and place of business of attorney.

No. 3.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction [*or as may be.*]

Number and title of the suit, or title of the matter.

Form of summons for an order in chambers under rule 132.

Let all parties concerned attend before the sitting Judge in Chambers in the Court House, on day of 187 , at o'clock in the forenoon. *If a short return is granted add,* by special leave on the hearing of an application on the part of (*state on whose behalf the application is made (a), and the precise object of the application*). Dated this day of 187 .

This summons was taken out by A and B, attorneys for the applicant. To [*Insert* the names of the attorneys or persons to be served; as *thus,* Mr. C. D., attorney for the plaintiff, or defendant, *or,* petitioner *or,* respondent E. F.]

To the plaintiff—*or,* defendant—*or,* petitioner—*or,* respondent G. H.—*or as may be.*

(a).—The full name, or title of honor, or corporate title, of the party on whose behalf the application is to be made, should be here stated; but if the application is made by a sole plaintiff, or by all the plaintiffs, or by a sole defendant, or by all the defendants, the names need not be set forth. The place of residence and description, or addition of the applicant, should be stated, if he is not shown to be a party to the suit or proceeding. Where the applicant is under disability, and the application is made by his next friend, or guardian, the full name of the next friend, or guardian, should be stated; and if not made in a suit, his place of residence, and description, or addition, should be shown.

No. 4.

Formal parts as in No. 3, *ante.*

Summons to proceed on a reference under Rule 145, or Rule 160.

Let all parties concerned attend before the Honourable Mr. Justice , [*or the Registrar, or other officer conducting the reference*] at the Court House to take into consideration the matter of the reference directed [*or* to proceed with the accounts and inquiries directed to be taken and made] by the decree [*or* order] made in this suit and dated the day of

Dated this day of 187 .

Registrar.

This summons, &c., *as in* No. 3, *ante.*

No. 5.

Advertisement for the creditors of a deceased person to come in with their claims, under Rule 184.

Pursuant to a decree [*or,* an order] of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, made in [*set out the number and title of the suit, or title of the matter*] the creditors of A. B., late of [*residence and addition; as thus;* No. 6, Park Street, in the Town of Calcutta, merchant] who died on or about the month of 187 : are on or before the day of , 187 , to send to the Office of the Registrar of this Court, on its Original Side, their names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities [if any] held by them; or, in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree [*or,* order].

Every creditor, holding any security, may produce or transmit the same to the Registrar with the particulars of his claim, or shall produce the same before the Honourable Mr. Justice , in the Court House on , the day of , 186 , (*a*) at of the clock in the noon: being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

Registrar.

(*a*) Usually three weeks after the expiration of the time for sending the particulars; but a prolonged time will be fixed where necessary.

No. 6.

Formal parts as in No. 3, *ante.*

Notice to claimant to produce documents under rule 187, or rule 188.

You are hereby required to **produce, in support** of the claim **sent in by you,** against the **estate of A. B.** deceased [*or,* **your claim as heir at law or next of kin of A. B. deceased,** *or,* your claim as devisee, **or legatee under the will of A. B.**

deceased] [*describe the documents required to be produced*] before the Honourable Mr. Justice , at the Court House, on , the day of 187 , at of the clock in the noon.

Dated this day of 187 .

Registrar.

To [Name of claimant.]

No. 7.

Formal parts as in No. 3, *ante.*

Notice to creditor to prove his claim under rules 186 and 192.

You are hereby required to prove the claim sent in by you against the estate of A. B. deceased. You are to file such affidavit as you may be advised in support of your claim, and give notice thereof to Mr. , the attorney for the plaintiff, [*or for the party conducting the reference,*] on or before the day of , 187 ; and to attend by your attorney, or in person if you have no attorney, before the Honourable Mr. Justice , at the Court House, on the day of , 187 , at of the clock in the noon: being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claim.

Dated , day of 187 .

Registrar.

To [Name of claimant.]

No. 8.

Formal parts as in No. 3, *ante.*

Notice to creditor of allowance of claim, or part of claim, and to prove residue under rules 191 and 192.

The claim sent in by you against the estate of A. B. deceased, has been allowed at the sum of Rs. , with interest thereon at per cent. per annum from the day of , 187 , and Rs. for costs [*Or,* with costs to be taxed by the Taxing Officer.] *If part only has been allowed, add:* If you claim to have a larger sum allowed, you are hereby required to prove such further claim, and you are to file such affidavit [*continue as in No.* 7, *ante.*]

Dated , day of 187 .

Registrar.

To [Name of claimant.]

No. 9.

Formal parts as in No. 3, *ante.*

Advertisement of allowance of claims under rules 191.

List of claims against the estate of A. B. deceased which have been allowed without proof.

NAMES OF CLAIMANTS.	AMOUNT ALLOWED.		
	Principal.	Interest.	Costs.
A. B.	Rs.	Rs. , at per cent. up to the day of and subsequent interest @ 6 per cent.	Rs. [or to be taxed.]

Dated , day of . 187 .

By Order,

Registrar.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 13*th March* 1875.

No. 55.—Mr. E. A. Boyd, an Assistant Superintendent of the 2nd Grade, is allowed subsidiary leave for fourteen days, with effect from 4th February 1875, under section 18 *(b)* of the Civil Leave Code, to enable him to rejoin appointment on return from leave on private affairs.

R. MURRAY, *Lieut.-Colonel,*

Dy. Director General of Telegraphs in India.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 19*th March* 1875.

Mails for Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America and the Colonies of Queensland and Victoria *viâ* Torres Straits (letters &c., for the latter Colony must be specially superscribed) for transmission per Steamer from Bombay will be closed at the General Post Office on Saturday, the 20th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo, for transmission per Steamer *Mahratta,* will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the **21st instant, at 7 P. M.**

Mails for Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits, for transmission per Steamer *Abyssinia,* will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 21st instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Port Blair and Camorta, for transmission per Steamer *Scotia,* will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 23rd instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 23rd instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras, Ceylon, and the intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer *Canara,* will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 24th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per P. and O. Steamer *Malwa,* will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 24th instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 26th instant.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 25th idem.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M.

M. PERCY,

Post Master of Calcutta.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7769	L 49—52260	50	Babu Horendra Nath Mookerjee.
7770	L 20—87254 to „ —87270	5 each	Babu Khetter Mohun Sandle.
7774	L 66—02348	50	Babu Doorga Dass Ghose.
7775	L 49—99309	50	H. Connors, Esq.
7783	L 47—60820	20	The Offg. Post Master General, Bengal.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7764	A 96—43087 „ —43086	10	The Chief Paymaster, E. I. Railway.
7765	L 43—29072	10	John Botelho, Esq.
7766	A 94—97168 A 93—86218	20	Babu Hem Chunder Paul.
	A 97—28981 „ —28982	10	
	L 9—17458 „ —17455	5	
7767	L 15—75802 „ —75814	5	Messrs. Brown & Co.
7768	A 89—83080	500	The Manager, National Bank of India, Limited.
	L 51—47112	100	
	„ —47113	100	
	„ —47114	100	
	„ —47115	100	
	„ —28475	100	
	„ —03249	100	
	„ —37000	100	
	„ —45226	100	
	„ —45225	100	
	„ —45224	100	
	„ —45223	100	
	„ —41034	100	
	„ —42508	100	
	„ —42581	100	
	„ —42539	100	
	„ —32114	100	
	„ —28454	100	
	„ —45185	100	
	„ —45184	100	
	„ —42540	100	
	„ —42091	100	
	„ —42092	100	
	„ —45081	100	
	„ —45082	100	
	„ —45083	100	
	„ —46951	100	
	„ —42584	100	
	„ —45064	100	
	„ —42543	100	
	„ —42541	100	
	„ —42598	100	
	„ —28863	100	
	„ —12289	100	
	„ —36608	100	
	„ —06632	100	
	„ —06633	100	
	„ —32340	100	
	„ —12246	100	
	„ —30098	100	
	„ —30097	100	
	„ —14572	100	
	„ —32341	100	
	„ —07923	100	
	„ —39249	100	
	„ —41056	100	
	„ —28313	100	
	„ —13849	100	
	„ —33999	100	
	„ —28317	100	
	„ —13682	100	
	„ —34284	100	
	„ —38677	100	
	„ —27413	110	
	„ —27412	100	
	„ —12416	100	

Calcutta Circle—*continued.*

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED—*continued.*

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7768	L 51—34261	100	The Manager, National Bank of India, Limited.
	„ —43022	100	
	„ —35330	100	
	„ —36737	100	
	„ —36739	100	
	„ —36738	100	
	„ —14116	100	
	„ —03747	100	
	„ —30298	100	
	„ —42224	100	
	„ —37626	100	
	„ —39638	100	
	„ —42075	100	
	„ —13505	100	
	„ —36740	100	
	„ —36741	100	
	„ —39625	100	
	„ —39624	100	
	„ —39623	100	
	„ —39622	100	
	„ —38901	100	
	„ —42934	100	
	„ —10280	100	
	„ —13702	100	
7771	L 42—79888 „ —79889	10	The Superintendent of Hooghly Bridge.
7772	L 32—91207	10	Babu Degumber Mitter.
	A 96—39966	10	
	L 14—24638	20	
7773	L 45—68805 „ —68806	20	Babu Murli Dhur.
7776	L 17—45290 „ —45289	5	Babu Gooroodas Chuckerbutty.
	L 33—27632	10	
7777	L 40—16245 „ —16244	10	Alexander Stern, Esq.
7778	L 12—57209 „ —57206	20	Surraj Mull.
	A 69—61022 A 50—03109	10	
7779	L 7—49087 „ —49089	20	Babu Kasinath Goobo.
7780	L 20—29706	5	Abdoorrazag.
	„ —29709	5	
7781	L 15—75122	5	Babu Madhub Kissen Ghose.
7782	A 31—83323 „ —83322	10	Babu Hurrydas Dutt.
	L 17—29648 „ —29649	5	
	L 33—51044	10	
	„ —18491	10	
	L 9—58143	5	
7784	L 9—78167	5	Babu Upendra Nath Sen.
7785	L 37—35375 „ —35376	20	Babu Rakhel Chunder Mitter.
7786	L 36—39706	20	Babu Bussunto Chunder Dass.
7787	L 38—86964 „ —86965	100	Malapooree.

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 19th March 1875.

L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Madras Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
288	B 38—65582	100	Somalinganah, residing in Hanaganahully, Seerah Taluq, Toomkoor District.
330	B 41—43091 „ —43092	10 10	C. Ragava Moodelly, Washermanpettah, Madras.
341	B 32—88145 „ —88146 wrongly joined	50	Mahomed Fareed Saib, Cloth Merchant, Triplicane, Madras.
346	B 39—33182	5	Mahomed Hyoob, Jemadar, 28th Regiment, N. I., Mercara.
	B 34—20794	10	
	B 41—13640	10	
348	B 39—30181 „ —30195 wrongly joined	5	Conductor M. Casey, Ordnance Department, Fort St. George.
349	H 5—02062	20	Patcheamah, Trichinopoly.
355	B 28—63940	500	Mr. H. S. Groves, Lahore.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acctt. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 8th March 1875.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Calicut Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
B 34—55467	10	M. C. Mookoondoo Moodelier, of Madras.
„ —56284	10	P. S. Gurumurthi Iyer, of Madras.
J 6—52548	10	
„ —47702	10	
J 4—49978	50	Inspector of Post Office, Cauddalore Division.
„ —47726	50	

NOTE PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

	Rs.	
J 6—36943	10	Colaram Nandaram, of Goolburja.

CALICUT,—Paper Currency Office; *The 9th March* 1875.

P. A. COLE,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Nagpur Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
F 13—02690*	5	Dr. R. T. Abbott, of Akola, in Berars.
F 10—41858†	100	Captain G. M. Cruickshank, Executive Engineer, Ratnagiri, Bombay.
„ —46588†	100	

NAGPUR,—Paper Currency Office; *The 4th March* 1875.

R. N. RAY,
Asst. to Depy. Acctt. Genl., C. P., in charge of Paper Currency.

* Dated 17th August 1871. † Dated 21st November 1868.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
1874-75.		Rs.	
169	C 90—34776	1,000	Hurzoowun Doolubdas, New Capad Bazar, Bombay.
	„ —34777	1,000	
171	C 70—68866	500	Gordhundas Girdhurbhaee, Banker, Bhootnath, Kesoor Mama's Chuckla, Broach.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

1874-75.			Rs.	
162	C 97—78309		10	Mahadajee Gopal Kuber, Dhywadi District, Sattara.
78 A	M 2—67681	wrongly joined	5	Gopinath Morojee Gaiwady, Bombay.
	„ —67691			
	„ —43190	ditto	5	
	„ —46415			
79 A	C 86—80743	ditto	100	Mohamad Rahim Shirazy Mody, Bay Fort.
	„ —51472			

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 9th March* 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Kurrachee Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
G 10—18685	100	Mr. Munsharam Vattonmul, Mooktyarkar, of Dadoo.
G 9—11620	50	
G 8—22975	20	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

	Rs.		
G 10—16523	100		Dholomul Panjandass, of Kurrachee.
„ —16707	100		
„ —19152	100		
„ —19740	100		
G 10—15228	100	wrongly joined	Mr. Pestonjee Hormusjee, Gudiallee, Kurrachee.
„ —19817			

KURRACHEE,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 9th March* 1875.

W. PATTON,
Asst. Depy. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
47	E 5—84265	20	Basharut ullah, Hospital Assistant, I. V. S. Railway, Nowshera, *viâ* Bhawulpore.
	„ —84266	20	
	„ —84277	20	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
38	E 3—37961	100	Lieutenant D. Macpherson, Meerut.
43	E 6—72403	10	Lala Girdhari Lal, Inspector of Schools, Patiala.
	E 5—13486	20	

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; *The 13th March* 1875.

H. S. GROVES,
Asst. Acctt. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.		Value.	Name of Claimant.
			Rs.	
321	D 7—62368		100	The Agent, Bank of Bengal, Cawnpore.
	„ —62845		100	
	„ —57724		100	
	„ —54869		100	
	„ —59110		100	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

			Rs.	
335	D 11—02882		10	Mr. J. A. Pereira, Cawnpore.
336	D 5—22482	wrongly joined	20	Shoshee Mohun Shaw, Calcutta.
	„ —22472			
337	D 6—83189		10	Captain R. B. McEwen, Meerut.
338	„ —69426		10	Alí Mohomed, Bijnour.
339	D 11—03725	wrongly joined	10	Messrs. Madeley and Co., Calcutta.
	„ —03724			
340	D 4—18070		50	Inayut Rasool Khan, Etawah.

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office; *The 11th March* 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion: Under Assay.	Balance of Bullion: Assayed.	Balance of Bullion: Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
March 8th, 1875...	...	3,17,916	16,93,602	3,30,413	62,78,487
„ 9th „ ...	...	3,29,107	13,84,763	3,32,799	64,93,487
„ 10th „ ...	...	3,17,829	10,86,571	3,12,415	67,28,487
„ 11th „ ...	...	2,08,813	8,90,674	1,99,550	70,48,487
„ 12th „ ...	3,800	3,24,588	5,89,665	3,05,925	71,38,487
„ 13th „ ...	...	3,21,742	2,87,375	2,90,305	73,63,487

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 15th March* 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

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Supdg. Engr., 4th Circle I. W., N. W. Provinces.

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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

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AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.—GENERAL.

Camp Chundawal, the 15*th March* 1875.

No. $\frac{771}{594}$*G.*—LEAVE.—Surgeon L. D. Spencer, in medical charge of the Eastern States Agency, has been granted thirty days' subsidiary leave to enable him to reach the port of embarkation from the 4th April 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Indore Residency, the 17*th March* 1875.

No. 266.—With reference to the Notification No. 86 P, dated 3rd February 1875, Part II, *Gazette of India,* Lieutenant D. W. K. Barr, 1st Assistant Agent, Governor General, for Central India, Deputy Opium Agent in Malwa, and Assistant General Superintendent for the suppression of Thuggee and Dacoity, availed himself of the privilege leave therein granted on the afternoon of the 13th instant.

H. D. DALY, *Major General,*
Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

SURVEYOR GENERAL OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 20*th March* 1875.

Subsidiary leave for one day, *viz.,* the 25th March 1875, under Section 18A of the Civil Leave Code, is granted to Captain R. V. Riddell, R. E., Deputy Superintendent of Survey, on duty at Head Quarters, prior to his departure on furlough.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 20*th March* 1875.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—Captain Fitzherbert Coddington, Deputy Superintendent of Revenue Survey, for ten days' subsidiary leave, under Chapter V, Section 18, Clause 1 of the Civil Leave Code, preparatory to furlough from such date as he may avail himself of it.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 20th March 1875.

Privilege leave from the 8th March, for two months, under medical certificate, is granted to Mr. W. C. G. Barckley, Assistant Surveyor, under the provisions of Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 15th March 1875.

No. 18.—Captain G. T. Plunkett, R. E., Executive Engineer, Peshawur Division, Military Works, is granted three months' privilege leave from 15th May 1875, or such subsequent date as he may be able to avail himself of it.

The 17th March 1875.

No. 22.—With the approval of the Government of India, Public Works Department, Mr. W. H. King, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer, Barrackpore Division, during the absence of Lieutenant Colonel F. J. Davies, Executive Engineer, on privilege leave.

No. 23.—Mr. T. G. Sharpe, Accountant, 4th Grade, Office of Controller of Accounts, Military Works, is granted three days' privilege leave in extension of the leave granted him in Inspector General's Notification No. 10 of 4th February 1875.

No. 24.—Mr. M. R. Lackersteen, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, and Officiating Executive Engineer, Dinapore Division, Military Works, is transferred from 1st to 2nd Circle, Military Works.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

7th Circle.

The 16th March 1875.

No. 864.—Private T. Herlihy, Overseer, 1st Grade, reported his arrival in the 7th Circle, Military Works, on the 20th January 1875, and is posted to the II Chakrata Division, which he joined on the morning of the 9th March 1875.

Æ. PERKINS, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 7th Circle, Military Works.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL'S OFFICE.

NOTICE.—The under-mentioned Estates having come under charge of this Office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the said Estates, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned:—

Thomas Jones, of Sylhet, formerly a Missionary employed by the Welsh Presbyterian Mission at Cherrapoonjee in Assam, died at Sylhet on the 9th July 1874.

George Oram, of Sreekoond, in the Province of Bengal, a Contractor, died at Sreekoond on the 23rd December 1871.

Hugh Wood, a Carriage Inspector in the service of the East Indian Railway Company, died in the Red Sea on the 18th April 1874.

Hugh Henry Healy, a Deputy Assistant Commissary on the Bengal Establishment of the late Hon'ble East India Company, died on the 6th June 1846.

V. Roquiet, of Maharajgunge Indigo Factory, in the district of Azimgurh, Indigo Planter, died at Azimgurh on the 11th December 1874.

John Francis Goodeve Barlow, a Major in the Bengal Infantry, died at Calcutta on the 16th December 1874.

Antonie Fortune Goutiere, of Burhalgunge in the district of Gorruckpore, Indigo Planter, died at Burhalgunge on the 6th March 1874.

James Taylor, a Government Pensioner, formerly of the Office of the Board of Revenue, died in Calcutta on the 14th March 1875.

George Frederick Marrie Phillips, a Major in the Bengal Staff Corps, died at Fyzabad on the 4th January 1875.

John Barnes, a Driver in the Great Indian Peninsular Railway, died at Hurda on the 9th July 1874.

Sophia Maria Stacy, of No. 23, Elliott's Road, Calcutta, a widow, died at Calcutta on the 14th February 1875.

Carl Heyne, in the employ of the Raneegunge Coal Association, died at Nigha in Raneegunge on the 4th July 1873.

Alfred R. Berry, a Tea Planter in the service of the Jorehaut Tea Company, Limited, in Assam, died at the General Hospital, Calcutta, on the 7th December 1874.

HIGH COURT, CAL., *The 20th Mar.* 1875. } F. S. COLLIS, *Offg. Administrator Genl.*

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 19th March 1875.

No. 54.—With reference to Director's Notifications Nos. 14 and 16, dated respectively the 19th and 26th January 1875, Mr. W. Watson resumed charge from Mr. J. G. Furnivall of the office and duties of Store-keeper for State Railways on the 12th March 1875.

No. 55.—Mr. C. A. Bull, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, on return from furlough, reported his arrival at Bombay on the 13th March 1875, and is granted eight days' subsidiary leave.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

SINDIA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Camp Dholepur, the 20th March 1875.

No. 4.—With reference to Notification by Director of State Railways, No. 25, dated 28th January 1875, Mr. H. B. Parry, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, reported his arrival at Agra on the afternoon of the 19th instant, and is temporarily attached to Engineer-in-Chief's Office.

C. J. MEAD, *Major,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 20th March 1875.

No. 33.—Mr. J. Conder, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, is transferred from the office of Engineer-in-Chief, Punjab Northern State Railway, to the Ravi Section, with effect from the forenoon of the 17th March 1875.

No. 34.—Lala Jumna Dass, Accountant, 4th Grade, attached to the office of Controller of Accounts, Punjab Northern State Railway, is allowed one month's privilege leave, with effect from 1st April 1875.

No. 35.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 40, dated 20th February 1875, Mr. C. A. Bull, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, returned to duty from twelve months' leave on medical certificate on the forenoon of the 13th March 1875, and is posted to the Extension Survey Division No. II of the Survey Circle.

No. 36.—In the Notification No. 32, dated 6th March 1875, allowing three months' privilege leave to Mr. Price Jones, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, Jhelum Bridge Division, *for* "with effect from 10th March 1875," *read* "with effect from the afternoon of the 15th March 1875."

No. 37.—In Notification No. 20, dated 27th February 1875, notifying the return to duty of Lala Ram Ditt, Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, from privilege leave, *for* "on the forenoon of the 23rd January 1875," *read* "on the forenoon of the 23rd February 1875."

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

HOLKAR AND NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mhow, the 6th March 1875.

No. 9.—Gunner J. Watson, Overseer, 1st Grade, transferred from the Mhow Division, Holkar State Railway, to the 2nd Division, Neemuch State Railway, for employment on survey work.

The 8th March 1875.

No. 10.—Mr. W. G. Gilchrist, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, transferred from the Nerbudda Division, Holkar State Railway, to the 2nd Division, Neemuch State Railway, in place of Mr. P. W. Dangerfield, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, ordered to proceed on the survey of the extension of Neemuch State Railway beyond Rutlam.

No. 11.—Lieutenant F. N. Hassard, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, transferred from the Ghât Division, Holkar State Railway, to the 2nd Division, Neemuch State Railway, for employment on survey work.

No. 12.—Mr. C. P. O'Rafferty, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, transferred from the 2nd Division, Neemuch State Railway, to the Ghât Division, Holkar State Railway, in place of Lieutenant Hassard.

No. 13.—Mr. B. W. Cantopher, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, transferred from the Mhow Division, Holkar State Railway, to the 2nd Division, Neemuch State Railway, for employment on survey work.

The 18th March 1875.

No. 14.—Mr. H. Mann, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, transferred from the Nerbudda Division, Holkar State Railway, to the Ghât Division, Holkar State Railway, for employment in the Katkote quarries.

The 20th March 1875.

No. 15.—B. V. Soobrow, Overseer, 2nd Grade, reported his return on the 19th February 1875 from the three months' leave on medical certificate granted to him by the Engineer-in-Chief, Neemuch State Railway, in his Notification No. 50, dated 22nd December 1874.

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief,
Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 16th March 1875.

No. 53.—Mr. H. F. Marreco, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Larkhana Division, is granted three days' privilege leave in extension of that granted him in this Office Notification No. 265, dated 9th November 1874.

The 17th March 1875.

No. 55.—Mr. C. D. Hawes, Accountant, 3rd Grade, Kotree Division, was granted privilege leave from 14th December 1874 to 6th January 1875, both days inclusive.

No. 56.—The following transfer has been made by Superintending Engineer, Lower Scinde District:—

Lieutenant H. S. F. Haynes, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, from the Kotree to the Sehwan Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 17th March 1875.

No. 393*E.*—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 49 of 6th March 1875, Lieutenant G. F. O. Boughey, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, made over, and Lieutenant T. Gracey, R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, received, charge of the Agra Division, Rajpootana State Railway, on the afternoon of the 16th March 1875.

The 20th March 1875.

No. 408 *E.*—With reference to the Director of State Railways' Notification No. 5 of 8th January 1875, Lieutenant R. Gardiner, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, attached to the Jeypoor Division of this Railway, left on the afternoon of the 21st ultimo to join the Western Rajpootana State Railway.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

CONSULTING ENGINEER'S OFFICE—GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 22nd March 1875.

Lieutenant W. S. S. Bisset, R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, and Deputy Consulting Engineer to the Government of India for Guaranteed Railways, gave over charge of his duties on this date before noon.

F. S. TAYLOR, *Lieut.-Colonel, R. E.,*
Consg. Engr. to Govt. of India for G. Rys.

NOTICE.

A Record-keeper is required for the Shahabad Collector's Office. He must have a good knowledge of English and be able to submit reports in that language. He must of course be well versed in the vernacular of these parts.

Applications to be forwarded with copies of testimonials by the 15th of April 1875; the latter will not be returned. Salary of the appointment is Rs. 50, rising to Rs. 70.

SHAHABAD COLLECTOR'S OFFICE. } H. W. ALEXANDER, *Collector.*

WANTED.

To fill the post of Assistant to the Superintendent of the Narora Workshops, Lower Ganges Canal, a Mechanical Engineer possessing a thoroughly practical knowledge of the duties of his profession with the capacity for managing work-people. Salary Rs. 350 per mensem.

Application, with full and complete testimonials, to be made to the undersigned, Allahabad.

W. JEFFREYS, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 4th Circle I. W., N. W. Provinces.

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DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
March 15th, 1875...	...	3,50,462	5,099	2,64,020	75,83,487
" 16th " ...	...	1,386	3,795	17,765	77,33,487
" 17th " ...	...	3,763	78	12,955	76,33,487
" 18th " ...	...	...	78	362	76,33,487
" 19th " ...	...	...	78	10,364	75,33,487
" 20th " ...	...	...	78	16,207	74,33,487

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 22nd March* 1875. } H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 25th March 1875.

No. 8223.—Appointments in the Post Office Department made by the Director General of the Post Office:—

POSTAL CIRCLE OF MADRAS.

Mr. J. Bower has been appointed to be Inspector of Post Offices, Coconada Division.

Mr. G. W. Creswell has been appointed to be Inspector of Post Offices, Coimbatore Division.

Mr. W. G. Wright, to officiate as Inspector of Post Offices, Coimbatore Division, from 16th November to 23rd December 1874.

Mr. R. McKillop has been appointed to be Superintendent, Dead Letter Office, Madras.

Mr. J. Dique, to officiate as Inspector of Post Offices, Calicut Division, from 1st to 30th September 1874.

Mr. B. G. A. Boosch, Deputy Post Master, Cannanore, has been appointed from 22nd January 1875, to officiate as Inspector of Post Offices, Calicut Division.

Mr. W. A. Johnson has been appointed from 7th January 1875, to officiate as Inspector of Post Offices, Coconada Division.

Mr. G. Barton Groves has been appointed from the 25th September 1874, to be Inspector of Post Offices, Hyderabad Division.

By order of the Director General,
HUGH A. BROWN,
Pl. Asst. to the Dir. Genl. of the Post Office of India.

The 24th March 1875.

Mails for Chittagong and Akyab, for transmission per Steamer *Sir John Lawrence,* will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 28th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mail for Akyab, for transmission per Steamer *Arabia,* will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 28th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Rangoon and Moulmein (Mails for Port Blair can be sent by this opportunity), for transmission per Steamer *Dacca,* will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 28th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 30th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Ceylon and the intermediate ports, for transmission per Steamer , will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 31st instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Ceylon and the Australian Colonies, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 31st instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 2nd April 1875.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 1st idem.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M.

M. PERCY,
Post Master of Calcutta.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

No. 1540.—*Account of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Government of India for the Month of November* 1874, *as compared with the corresponding period of* 1873.

REVENUE AND RECEIPTS.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Nov. 1873.	April to Nov. 1874.	COMPARISON OF 2 YEARS. Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
I.—Land Revenue ...	21,404,000	10,300,716	10,116,684	...	184,032
II.—Tributes ...	726,000	460,585	430,471	...	30,114
III.—Forest ...	606,000	281,818	276,044	...	5,774
IV.—Excise ...	2,286,000	1,529,375	1,526,551	...	2,824
V.—Assessed Taxes ...	...	18,716	2,485	...	16,231
VI.—Customs ...	2,738,000	1,566,900	1,594,329	27,429	...
VII.—Salt ...	6,079,000	3,937,748	3,887,017	...	50,731
VIII.—Opium ...	7,615,000	5,354,306	5,598,306	244,000	...
IX.—Stamps ...	2,708,000	1,801,472	1,827,278	25,806	...
X.—Mint ...	124,000	10,019	183,988	173,969	...
XI.—Post Office ...	695,000	459,205	470,576	11,371	...
XII.—Telegraph up to September ...	241,200	94,959	109,900	14,941	...
XIII.—Law and Justice ...	333,000	244,686	222,556	...	22,130
XIV.—Marine ...	201,000	117,542	106,822	...	10,720
XV.—Interest ...	447,000	258,284	319,644	61,360	...
XVI.—Pensions ...	584,400	125,454	125,167	...	287
XVII.—Gain by Exchange ...	322,000	182,583	235,472	52,889	...
XVIII.—Miscellaneous ...	187,000	118,503	98,605	...	19,898
	47,296,600	26,862,871	27,131,895	269,024	...
Army Receipts ...	870,000	572,625	546,147	...	26,478
Public Works, Ordinary ...	64,300	46,160	28,819	...	17,341
Irrigation Receipts ...	491,000	255,409	248,850	...	6,559
State Railways ...	95,000	20,466	64,013	43,547	...
Traffic Receipts (Guaranteed Railways) ...	7,387,000	3,959,058	4,953,644	994,586	...
TOTAL ...	56,202,900	31,716,589	32,973,368	1,256,779	...
England, including Army and Public Works ...	167,100	166,664	230,883	64,219	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	56,371,000	31,883,253	33,204,251	1,320,998	...

EXPENDITURE.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Nov. 1873.	April to Nov. 1874.	COMPARISON OF 2 YEARS. Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Interest on Funded and Unfunded Debt ...	2,917,000	1,620,138	1,692,450	72,312	...
2.—Interest on Service Funds ...	359,000	331,076	280,269	...	50,807
3.—Refunds and Drawbacks ...	262,000	165,532	200,133	34,601	...
4.—Land Revenue ...	2,509,400	1,526,384	1,530,152	3,768	...
5.—Forest ...	440,000	253,628	260,416	6,788	...
6.—Excise ...	87,000	86,809	56,027	...	30,782
7.—Assessed Taxes ...	...	2,167	...	...	2,167
8.—Customs ...	186,000	120,657	115,737	...	4,920
9.—Salt ...	490,000	303,607	306,204	2,597	...
10.—Opium ...	2,115,000	1,712,331	2,042,526	330,195	...
11.—Stamps ...	70,500	46,632	43,141	...	3,491
12.—Mint ...	82,000	37,527	157,472	119,945	...
13.—Post Office ...	733,600	489,887	511,339	21,452	...
14.—Telegraph up to September ...	382,100	154,820	160,044	5,224	...
15.—Administration ...	1,191,500	815,333	784,451	...	30,882
16.—Minor Departments ...	283,600	176,094	165,965	...	10,129
17.—Law and Justice ...	2,277,000	1,494,908	1,496,491	1,583	...
18.—Marine ...	383,200	227,140	255,639	28,499	...
19.—Ecclesiastical ...	158,100	102,773	103,690	917	...
20.—Medical Services ...	180,200	117,563	123,205	5,642	...
21.—Political Agencies ...	402,000	181,626	206,202	24,576	...
22.—Allowances and Assignments ...	1,702,600	835,642	812,130	...	23,512
24.—Superannuation, &c. ...	700,000	407,686	474,308	66,622	...
25.—Loss by Exchange ...	746,000	618,722	471,111	...	147,611
26.—Miscellaneous ...	44,800	26,133	58,005	31,872	...
27.—Allotments for Provincial Services ...	5,030,000	3,285,495	3,459,396	173,901	...
28.—Famine Relief ...	2,522,000	...	...	...	...
	26,254,600	15,140,310	15,766,503*	626,193	...
Army Charges ...	11,869,700	7,562,451	7,538,192	...	24,259
Public Works, Ordinary (including Irrigation) ...	2,421,200	1,335,631	1,276,310	...	59,321
Do. do. Extraordinary (including Railways) ...	3,420,000	1,496,245	1,747,639	251,394	...
Land and Supervision ...	129,000	109,261	47,875	...	61,386
Guaranteed Interest paid in India ...	36,000	16,253	18,851	2,598	...
State Railways ...	104,000	46,524	62,148	15,624	...
Working Expenses (Guaranteed Railways) ...	4,085,000	1,691,505	1,988,441	296,936	...
TOTAL ...	48,319,500	27,398,180	28,445,959	1,047,779	...
England, including Army, Guaranteed Interest, Public Works, Ordinary and Extraordinary ...	14,002,500	7,836,264	8,488,607	652,343	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	62,322,000	35,234,444	36,934,566	1,700,122	...

* Exclusive of famine charges.

E. GAY,
Deputy Comptroller General.

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

COMPTROLLER GENL.'S OFFICE; CALCUTTA, *The 25th March* 1875. }

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7788	L 46—39999	20	Rt. Darling, Esq.
7790	L 49—64729	50	Babu Ram Chunder Paul.
7796	A 55—87066	50	Messrs. Gillanders, Arbuthnot & Co.
7797	L 50—76878	100	The Deputy Commissioner, Julpigori.
	„ —89393	100	
7798	L 46—47539	20	The Offg. Post Master General, Bengal.
7805	L 15—72636	5	The Offg. Post Master General, Punjab.
7806	L 43—00378	10	The Offg. Post Master General, Bengal.
7807	L 49—99641	50	Babu Janokey Nath Shaw.
7808	L 45—33996	20	Babu Jodoo Nath Bhattacharjee.
	„ —33998	20	
7809	L 50—74149	100	The Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Julpigori.
7812	A 88—80274	1,000	The Assistant Magistrate, Monghyr.
7815	L 44—29672	10	G. D. Dungerfield, Esq.
7816	L 49—52807	50	C. L. Rickers, Esq.
	„ —52808	50	
	„ —52809	50	
	„ —22238	50	
	„ —22239	50	
	„ —22240	50	
	L 17—32763	5	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7791	L 5—06327	10	Dookhun Lall.
	„ —06326		
	L 16—04163	5	
7792	L 15—63966	5	Babu Madhub Chunder Chutterjee.
7793	L 13—22801	20	Babu Woomesh Chunder Ghose.
	„ —22802		
7794	L 36—06457	20	E. E. Joshua, Esq.
	L 45—02838		
	L 46—01222		
7795	L 45—49901	20	Babu Peary Lal Mookerjee.
	„ —49910		
7799	L 37—84031	20	Babu Kubeer Chunder Shaw.
7800	L 40—09546	10	Muddut Khan, Gunner.
7801	L 37—30177		Babu Purna Chundra Lahuri.
	„ —30178		
7802	L 46—61182	20	Babu Hurry Churn Sein.
	„ —61181	20	
	„ —61180	20	
7803	A 89—86570	500	T. H. Oakes, Esq.
	L 47—81085	20	
	L 20—42420	5	
7809	A 88—98859	1,000	The District Superintendent of Police, Julpigori.
	A 89—80806	500	
	„ —80819	500	
	L 51—28742	100	
	„ —29258	100	
	„ —33706	100	
	„ —38429	100	
	L 50—77616	100	
	L 51—11958	100	
	„ —11959	100	
	„ —11960	100	
7809	L 51—23313	100	The Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Julpigori.
7810	A 6—79320	10	Babu Aubinash Chunder Sein.
	„ —79319		
7811	A 6—29850		Babu Kally Comul Banerjee.
	„ —99094		
7813	L 17—20209	5	Babu Hem Chunder Banerjee.
	„ —20223		
7814	L 15—59205	5	Babu Shama Churn Dass.
	„ —59207		
7817	A 80—91499	10	Babu Kally Kisto Dhur.
	„ —91497		
	A 54—33248		
	„ —32247		
	A 7—76029	10	
	A 8—06933		

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 25th March 1875.

L. BERKELEY,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Madras Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
351	B 38—94870	100	Soobier of Tripachinoor, Villupuram Talook, South Arcot District.
	„ —94891	100	
353	B 32—72208	50	M. V. Senthilvelu Moodalier, 215, Mucki Muthia Moodelly Street, Madras.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
326	B 41—43356	10	T. Veerasawmy Pillai, Deputy Tahsildar, Manaparay, Trichinopoly District.
	B 32—90852	50	
350	B 41—30300	10	P. Seetharamiar, Goomasta, District Munsiff's Court, Peerambalur.
357	B 35—03806 wrongly joined	20	P. Annasawmy Chetty, No. 40, Lingha Chetty Street, Madras.
	„ —03809		
360	B 39—45807 ditto	5	V. Aroonachella Iyer, 139, Coral Merchant Street, Madras.
	B 36—69472		
371	B 29—52623	1,000	A. Veerasawmy Chetty, 179, Govindapa Naick Street, Madras.
372	B 38—64745	100	Hajee Merza Abdool Kareem, S. N. 28, Ungapen Naick Street, Black Town, Madras.
	„ —82824	100	
	„ —83892	100	
	„ —85830	100	
	„ —86023	100	
	„ —87059	100	
	„ —87060	100	
	„ —88385	100	
	„ —89715	100	
	„ —95125	100	
	„ —96772	100	
	„ —97108	100	
	„ —98015	100	
	„ —99117	100	
	B 44—00707	100	
	„ —01099	100	
	„ —01192	100	
	„ —02062	100	
	„ —02720	100	
	„ —02748	100	
	„ —03008	100	
	„ —03037	100	
	„ —03038	100	
	„ —03423	100	
	„ —03424	100	
	„ —03426	100	
	„ —03427	100	
	„ —03428	100	
	„ —04053	100	
	„ —04590	100	
	„ —05424	100	
	„ —05425	100	
	„ —05426	100	
	„ —05427	100	
	„ —05428	100	
	„ —05429	100	
	„ —05430	100	

FORT ST. GEORGE.
Acctt. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 15th March 1875.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Bombay Circle.

NOTE PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
1874-75. 168	C 96—79031	10	The Acting Agent, Bank of Bengal, Bombay.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 16th March 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Kurrachee Circle.

NOTE PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
G 7—53992	10	Teeruth Manoo, Shop-keeper, Camp Kurrachee.

KURRACHEE,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 13th March 1875.

W. PATTON,
Asst. Depy. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
341	D 6—94594	10	Afzulooddeen Ahmud, Goruckpore.
342	D 5—24004 wrongly joined	20	Meer Hossein Shaw, Calcutta.
	„ —24005		
343	D 4—49987	50	H. P. Mulock, Esq., Maniporie.

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office;
The 18th March 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Lahore Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
52	... E 3—68083 ...	100	... Mr. Moir, Superintendent of Horse Breeding, Rawal Pindi.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
35	... E 4—52392 ...	50 ...	Ruttun Sing & Co., Merchants, Kohat.
	„ —58827 ...	50 ...	
	„ —63036 ...	50 ...	
	„ —63038 ...	50 ...	
	„ —63040 ...	50 ...	
48	... E 6—73736 ...	10 ...	Maddut Khan, Gunner, through the Officer Commanding P. M. Battery, Peshawur.
	„ —83823 ...	10 ...	
51	... E 5—71123 } wrongly joined	20 ...	Mahomed Hosain, through F. Fryer, Esq., Jhang.
	„ —71124 }		

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; *The 20th March* 1875.

H. S. GROVES,
Asst. Acctt. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 23rd March 1875.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		16,05,375	13	1
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,34,23,332 A. 1 P. 3	2,97,27,542	3	7
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,63,04,210 2 4			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		2,41,68,422	3	7
Bank Post Bills, &c.		10,92,973	15	11
Sundries		6,66,507	10	4
TOTAL ...		7,92,60,821	14	6

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,64,06,651	9	4
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		77,46,414	0	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		46,52,436	4	3
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,11,45,328	7	11
Dead Stock		10,81,408	14	1
Stamps		12,782	3	11
Balances with other Banks ...		4,28,010	9	3
Sundries		22,149	10	2
Bullion		52,715	6	6
		5,15,47,897	1	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	Rs. 93,94,181 A. 2 P. 4	2,77,12,924	13	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	1,83,18,743 10 9			
TOTAL ...		7,92,60,821	14	6

BANK OF BENGAL; *Calcutta, 25th March* 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors.
R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

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Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

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NOTIFICATION.

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AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Indore, the 20th March 1875.

No. 71.—Baboo Gobind Chunder Ghoshall, Accountant, 4th Grade, returned on the forenoon of the 2nd instant from three weeks' privilege leave granted him in this Administration Notification No. 65 of 20th ultimo, and the unexpired portion of his leave, *viz.*, six days, is cancelled.

A. FRANCIS, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for C. India.

Indore Residency, the 25th March 1875.

No. 309.—With reference to G. O. G. G., No. 364G., dated 22nd February 1875, Captain A. W. Roberts, Political Assistant, 1st Class, and Officiating Political Agent, 3rd Class, received charge of the office of Cantonment Magistrate, Morar, from Captain H. M. B. Burlton, on the forenoon of the 19th March 1875, and Captain H. M. B. Burlton, Political Assistant, 3rd Class, received charge of the office of Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, Morar, from Lieutenant H. O. Woodhouse on the forenoon of the 19th March 1875.

H. D. DALY, *Major General,*
Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.—GENERAL.

Camp Sirohee, the 25th March 1875.

No. $\frac{815}{651}$*G.*—LEAVE.—Captain W. J. W. Muir, Officiating Political Agent, Eastern States, Rajpootana, is granted twelve days' subsidiary leave, with effect from the 19th February 1875.

MILITARY.

The 25th March 1875.

No. $\frac{819}{853}$*G.*—LEAVE.—Lieutenant C. E. Wheeler, Adjutant, Erinpoora Irregular Force, is granted thirty days' privilege leave of absence, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 25th March 1875.

No. 17.—Mr. Benjamin Anderson, Assistant Surveyor, 3rd Grade, passed by the 1st or Lower Standard Vernacular Examination laid down in G. O., Military Department, No. 734, dated 9th September 1864.

J. E. GASTRELL, *Colonel,*
Supdt. of Revenue Surveys, Upper Circle.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 30th March 1875.

No. 56.—In Notification No. 54, dated 13th March 1875, *for* "afternoon of 21st March" as the date of commencement of Mr. J. W. B. Duthy's privilege leave, *read* "forenoon of 25th March 1875."

R. MURRAY, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Dy. Director General of Telegraphs in India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 19th March 1875.

No. 25.—Mr. J. H. Reid, Assistant Engineer, Saugor Division, Military Works, is granted three months' privilege leave from the 25th March 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 27th March 1875.

No. 12.—Mr. E. LeLeevre, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, received over charge of the Fyzabad Division from Colonel Dawson on the forenoon of the 20th March 1875.

The 30th March 1875.

No. 13.—Overseer Mudad Hassien has been transferred from the 2nd to the 3rd Circle, Military Works.

ERRATUM.—In Notification No. 11, dated 12th March 1875, published in the Gazette of 20th March, before the words "Allahabad Division," insert "to 1st."

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdy. Engr., 2nd Circle, Military Works.

3rd Circle.

Meerut, the 30th March 1875.

No. 7.—Mr. O. Hoerule, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, is transferred from the Morar to the Meerut Division, Military Works, which he joined on the forenoon of 6th March 1875.

G. P. deP. FALCONNET, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 3rd Circle, Military Works.

4th Circle.

The 24th March 1875.

No. 2.—With reference to this Office Notification No. 1 of the 4th ultimo, Mr. A. Grant, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, joined the Ferozepore Division, Military Works, on the 13th instant.

J. P. C. ANDERSON,
Supdg. Engr., 4th Circle, Military Works.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 22nd March 1875.

No. 57.—Mr. W. G. T. Stace, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, and Mr. A. S. Knolles, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, are transferred respectively from the Mooltan and Upper Scind Districts to the Lower Scind District.

No. 58.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 96, dated 26th February 1875, Mr. J. P. Doyle, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, reported his departure for British Burmah on the afternoon of the 11th March 1875.

No. 59.—Under instructions from the Director of State Railways, Sergeant J. Owens, Overseer, 1st Grade, was relieved of his duties in the Sutlej Bridge Division, on the 11th March 1875, and left to join his appointment in British Burmah on the following day.

The 27th March 1875.

No. 62.—The following posting and transfer have been made by the Superintending Engineer, Lower Scind District:—

* * * * *

Mr. A. N. Craighead, temporary Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, from the Kotree to the Sehwan Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

HOLKAR STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mhow, the 27th March 1875.

No. 16.—Mr. D. Campbell, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, transferred from the Nizam's State Railway to the Holkar State Railway, reported himself to the Executive Engineer, Nerbudda Division, Holkar State Railway, for employment, on the afternoon of the 17th March 1875.

No. 17.—Mr. G. Sharpe, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, was granted privilege leave for twenty-five days from the 12th February to the 8th March 1875.

No. 18.—Mr. T. Anderson, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, is granted privilege leave for twenty-one days from 12th March to 1st April 1875.

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief,
Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 29th March 1875.

No. 38.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 96, dated 26th February 1875, Mr. J. H. Cochrane, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, was relieved of his duties on the Punjab Northern State Railway on the afternoon of the 17th March 1875, and left the same day for British Burmah.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 25th March 1875.

No. 424*E.*—With reference to this Office Notification No. 384E. dated 15th instant, Mr. J. Lyons, Overseer, 1st Grade, joined the Ajmere Division of this Railway on the forenoon of the 22nd March 1875.

The 29th March 1875.

No. 145*E.*—In consequence of the completion of works on the Jeypore Division, Rajpootana State Railway, this Division has been absorbed into the Agra and Sambur Divisions, the Agra Division being extended to the east points of Basi Station and the Sambur Division being extended from Jeypore eastwards to the same point. This arrangement came into force on the 17th March 1875.

No. 446*E.*—In consequence of the completion of works on the Delhi and Ulwar Divisions, Rajpootana State Railway, the two Divisions will be amalgamated on the 1st proximo under Mr. J. W. Buyers, Executive Engineer, and formed into one called the Delhi Division, Rajpootana State Railway, with head-quarters for the present at Ulwar.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

NORTHERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Parbatipur, the 24th March 1875.

No. 31.—Mr. W. B. Carter, Superintendent of Works, Northern District, availed himself of the leave granted in Notification No. 46 of 26th February 1875 by the Director of State Railways, on the afternoon of the 10th March 1875.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

WESTERN RAJPOOTANA RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th March 1875.

No. 341.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 5, dated 8th January 1875, transferring Lieutenant R. Gardiner, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, to this project, that officer reported his arrival at Ajmere on the forenoon of the 22nd February 1875.

JAMES COLLET,
Engineer-in-Chief.

WANTED

An Inspector of Permanent Way to maintain 60 miles of line. Salary Rs. 200. Apply with copies of testimonials to the Superintendent of Works, Ravi Section, Shahdara *viâ* Lahore.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
March 22nd, 1875...	...	...	76	24,[illegible]	[illegible]
" 23rd " ...	...	...	76	22,[illegible]	[illegible]
" 24th " ...	...	...	76	10,[illegible]	[illegible]
" 25th " ...	...	...	76	5,[illegible]	[illegible]
" 26th " ...	Holidays.				
" 27th " ...					

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 29th March* 1875. } H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

Statement of Transactions of District Savings Banks for the quarter ending 31st March 1875.

Province.	Number of Banks open.	Deposits.		Withdrawals.			Balance.
		No.	Amount.	No.	Amount, Principal.	Amount, Interest.	
			Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Bengal and Assam ...	52	1,441	1,29,957 6 4	742	1,00,844 14 7	785 13 11	7,04,650 15 7
N.-W. Provinces	30	864	47,076 5 3	205	33,225 9 2	490 4 6	2,70,087 13 3
Punjab	20	262	28,009 7 10	75	13,240 1 1	210 0 6	1,97,292 9 10
Oude	12	173	15,242 1 0	67	19,405 10 1	332 1 1	1,26,797 4 3
Central Provinces ...	16	146	18,924 13 7	96	14,774 7 1	84 14 0	1,16,606 2 4
British Burmah	11	199	26,562 5 9	69	14,534 15 6	139 6 11	89,668 7 4
Berar	2	64	3,954 9 0	22	6,441 12 0	4 6 0	31,557 11 6
India	5	157	15,679 3 7	185	21,493 12 1	341 6 1	59,843 10 2
TOTAL ...	148	3,306	2,85,406 4 4	1,461	2,23,961 1 7	2,388 5 0	15,96,454 10 3

CALCUTTA, *The 1st April* 1875. } E. F. HARRISON, *Comptroller General.*

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st March 1875.

PARTICULARS.	4½ PER CENT. LOAN OF 1863-64.	4 PER CENT. LOANS of 1824-25.	of 1829-30.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1864-65.	Transfer of 1865.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	5 PER CENT. LOAN OF 1856-57.	6½ PER CENT. LOAN OF 1859-60.	5 PER CENT. DEBENTURES FOR 10 years. Repayable, June 1877.	5 PER CENT. DEBENTURES FOR 15 years. Repayable, June 1882.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Balance of 16th March 1875	55,600	22,173	2,346	16,14,186	32,10,100	1,65,28,300	1,10,92,800	1,27,11,800	41,02,700	3,45,000	3,25,53,600	94,000	5,17,23,000	34,56,000	35,64,000	14,09,86,805
Add—																
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 31st March 1875	...	...	...	...	5,000	80,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85,000
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 16th and 31st March 1875	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,000	...	...	...	...	6,000	...	...	17,000
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st March 1875	...	...	...	...	1,000	60,300	36,100	58,800	...	8,000	80,000	...	73,500	...	...	3,17,800
	55,600	22,173	2,346	16,14,186	32,16,100	1,66,65,600	1,11,28,900	1,27,81,700	41,02,700	3,53,000	3,26,33,600	94,000	5,18,05,500	34,56,000	35,64,000	14,14,06,405
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	...	...	67,300	26,200	19,000	1,400	...	4,51,500	...	2,69,000	...	...	8,34,600
Balance on 31st March 1875	55,600	22,173	2,346	16,14,186	32,16,100	1,65,98,100	1,11,02,700	1,27,62,700	41,01,300	3,53,000	3,21,82,100	94,000	5,15,36,500	34,56,000	35,64,000	14,05,71,805

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st Jan. 1875, enfaced from India 3,116 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 2,056 lakhs.
" 1st February 1875 to 15th Feb. " 5 " " " 7 "
" 16th " " to 28th Feb. " 10 " " " 2 "
" 1st March " to 15th March " 14 " " " 3 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " 4 " " " 8 "
2,149
2,076
Balance against India ... 73 3,076 lakhs.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL:
Calcutta, 1st April 1875.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7822	L 47—73030	20	Messrs. G. F. Kellner & Co.
	" —73039	20	
	" —83003	20	
	L 48—27652	20	
	L 47—99575	20	
	L 44—36868	10	
	L 42—63416	10	
	" —85116	10	
7823	L 53—06793	1,000	The Offg. Chief Pay Master, E. I. Railway, Calcutta.
	A 89—89489	500	
	" —86061	500	
	" —86577	500	
	" —86729	500	
	L 51—40203	100	
	" —12857	100	
	" —39356	100	
	" —37296	100	
	" —44537	100	
	" —01375	100	
	L 50—85648	100	
	" —85496	100	
	" —67968	100	
	" —63078	100	
	L 49—66686	50	
	L 66—04395	50	
	" —00463	50	
	" —11739	50	
	L 19—88221	50	
7824	A 88—85732	1,000	Babu Ramprotap.
7832	L 51—26621	100	Hurruck Mistree.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7820	L 17—41639	5	Babu Mohesh Chunder Chuckerbutty.
	" —41641		
7821	[illegible]	20	The Officiating Post Master General, Bengal.
7826	L 26—17106	5	Babu Rajanee Kant Singh.
7827	L 19—70769	50	Durianna Mull, Bhola Ram, Bankers.
	" —70779		
	" —70784	50	
	" —70774		
7828	L 17—41561	5	Babu Bissumbhur Chunder.
	" —41543		
7829	L 37—92233	20	Babu Brudjo Mohun Dutt.
	" —92243		
7830	L 37—11246	20	Messrs. Nicholls & Co.
7831	L 1—97371	10	Mohim Shaik.
	" —97369		
7833	L 17—20525	5	Buldeo Dass Ram Rutton.
	L 2—11180	10	
	L 19—98774	50	
	L 38—82896	100	
7834	L 39—11255	10	Mokbool Rohoman.
	" —11252		
7835	L 38—03088	10	Babu Nobadip Chunder Dutt.
	" —03087		

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 2nd April 1875.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Comnr. of Paper Currency.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
344	D 7—49091	100	Lalla Jawahur Lall, Benares.
	" —49126	100	
349	D 10—56135	5	The Post Master General, North-Western Provinces, Allahabad.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
347	D 4—46495	50	Russick Lall Bose, Calcutta.
348	D 4—49358	50	Surgeon Major R. Pringle, Saharunpore.
	" —49359	50	
352	D 11—00966	10	Lieutenant H. A. Graves, Allahabad.
	D 5—58074	20	
	D 4—37929	50	

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office;
The 25th March 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Madras Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
376	B 38—83489	100	Masthy Nagappah, 22, Govindapa Naick Street, Madras.
385	B 29—53083	1,000	C. Causey Chetty, 80, Vurda Mootheapen Street, Madras.
	„ —53233	1,000	
378	B 38—85070	100	M. Soondrum Pillai, Collector's Office, Madura.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
356	B 38—42174	100	Abkaree Vencatacharry, Hassan.
364	B 41—38520	10	Rajah Venganna of Rajampett, Cuddapah District.
	B 35—66405	20	
366	B 35—47383	20	Balliah, Weaver of Ranzipore, Salem District.
368	B 33—85247	100	Ojooda Mull Mookund Lall, Calcutta.
377	B 32—93847	50	M. Soondrum Pillai, Collector's Office, Madura.
	„ —93848	50	
	B 38—85075	100	
	„ —85079	100	
262	B 19—85691	10	Mr. W. H. M. Wylie, Perambalur, Trichinopoly District.
304	B 32—50379 } wrongly joined	50	Mr. C. R. G. Bishop, Trichinopoly.
	„ —50376 }		
311	B 20—36584	10	N. A. Kistnasawmy Iyengar, Wallajapettah.
352	B 32—35882	50	Monsieur Gustave Sice, Pondicherry.
	„ —48653	50	
	„ —63050	50	
	„ —63102	50	
	„ —73460	50	
	„ —73462	50	
	„ —73463	50	
	„ —73790	50	
	„ —75584	50	
	„ —63847	50	
	„ —77095	50	
	„ —81640	50	
	„ —83337	50	
	B 38—49521	100	
	„ —78837	100	
	„ —82759	100	
	„ —83419	100	
367	B 35—31469	20	Goobbe Matharanully Chenapah, Merchant, Big Pettah, Bangalore
	„ —31470	20	
	„ —57118	20	
	„ —57119	20	
	„ —57120	20	
	„ —57121	20	
	„ —57122	20	
	„ —57123	20	
	„ —57124	20	
	„ —57125	20	
	„ —57126	20	
	„ —57127	20	
	„ —57128	20	
	„ —57129	20	
	B 32—92107	50	
369	B 39—04597	5	R. Vencatasa Iyengar, 7, Ramanier Street, Black Town, Madras.
	B 41—49558	10	
	„ —68071	10	
370	B 39—49244	5	B. Terumala Chari, Assistant Master, High School, Bangalore.
375	B 30—75892	20	P. Rajah Row, Relieving Station Master, Madras.
380	B 32—72542	50	Govindji Oodhanji, Mint Street, Madras.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acctt. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 24th March 1875.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acctt. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No. 1874-75.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
158	C 80—70418	100	Gopallabin Hareeba Jadoor, Sudaseo Peit, near late Mamlutdar's Kashiput, Babas Wara, Poona.
	C 93—04298	100	
80	M 2—12640 } wrongly joined	5	Sorabjee Shapoorjee, Esq., Secretary and Treasurer, Bellary Press Company, "Limited," Sassoon Building, Fort.
	„ —12635 }		

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 23rd March 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Calicut Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
B 38—05764	100	Moochi Nagappah, of Madras.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
J 4—47726	50	Monsieur Gustave Sice, of Pondicherry.
„ —49978	50	
J 5—47155 } wrongly joined	20	Mr. John Barton, of Madras.
„ —41352 }		

CALICUT,—Paper Currency Office;
The 24th March 1875.

P. A. COLE,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
53	E 7—04231	5	Burjoorji Framji, Rawal Pindi.
	„ —21275	5	
	„ —31127	5	
	E 4—40781	50	
	„ —41193	50	
57	E 6—67630	10	Moolchand, Jhelum.
59	E 1—21602	1,000	Karim Bux, Lahore.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
49	A 17—34560	10	Captain R. B. McEwen, 92 Highlanders, Meerut.
50	A 26—34674	20	Baboo Sheroda Pershad Dey, Calcutta.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office;
The 25th March 1875.

H. S. GROVES,
Asst. Acctt. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

Nagpur Circle.

MISMATCHED NOTE.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
F 10—45024 }	100	Dadabhai Furdonjee, Bombay.
„ —45025 }		

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
F 11—03399	500	Ojoodha Mull Mookund Lall, Calcutta.
F 8—27367	20	Abdul Aziz, Teacher, Zillah School, Hoshangabad.

NAGPUR,—Paper Currency Office;
The 29th March 1875.

R. N. RAY,
Asst. to Acctt. Genl., C. P., in charge of Paper Currency.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 2nd April 1875.

Mails for Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America and the Colonies of Queensland and Victoria *viâ* Torres Straits (letters, &c., for the latter Colony must be specially superscribed) for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Saturday, the 3rd instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Rangoon, Moulmein and Straits, for transmission per Steamer *Oriental*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 4th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo, for transmission per Steamer *Mahratta*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 4th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 6th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per P. and O. Steamer *Surat*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 7th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras, Ceylon, and the intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer *Socotra*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 7th instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 9th instant, by which mails for Mauritius, St. Denis, Reunion, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, Natal, Cape of Good Hope, the Comoro Islands, and Madagascar, can be forwarded.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 8th idem.

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Mails for France, Foreign Europe *viâ* France the intermediate Ports, Mauritius and China, for transmission per French Mail Steamer *Meinam*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Monday, the 12th instant, at 7 P. M.

M. PERCY,
Post Master of Calcutta.

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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.—GENERAL.

Mount Aboo, the 30th March 1875.

No. $\frac{827}{643}$*G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Colonels J. A. Wright and C. Herbert, respectively, delivered over and received charge of the Meywar Agency Office on the forenoon of the 8th March 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Indore, the 3rd April 1875.

No. 72.—Keshow Mahadeo, Overseer, 1st Grade, returned on the forenoon of the 22nd ultimo from one month's privilege leave granted him in this Administration Notification No. 68 of the 27th February 1875.

A. FRANCIS, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for C. India.

TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 29th March 1875.

Privilege leave for three months is granted to Captain George Strahan, R. E., Deputy Superintendent in charge of the Rajpootana and Simla Topographical Survey, under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, from the 12th April, or from such date as he may avail himself thereof.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 5th April 1875.

No. 18.—Mr. Phillip Ford, Assistant Revenue Surveyor, 1st Grade, passed by the 1st or Lower Standard Vernacular Examination laid down in G. O., Military Department, No. 734, dated 9th September 1864.

J. E. GASTRELL, *Colonel,*
Supdt. of Revenue Surveys, Upper Circle.

The 7th April 1875.

No. 19.—LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—Mr. James O'Toole, Assistant Surveyor, 3rd Grade, for two months and fifteen days, under Chapter VI, Section 21, of the Civil Leave Code, commencing **from the date on which field operations will close during the current month.**

J. E. GASTRELL, *Colonel,*
for *Offg. Supdt. of Revenue Surveys, Lower Circle.*

GREAT TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Dehra Dun, the 1st April 1875.

No. 3.—The following promotion is made, with effect from 1st instant:—

Mr. E. F. Litchfield, Assistant Surveyor, 3rd Grade, to be an Assistant Surveyor of the 2nd Grade.

J. T. WALKER, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Superintendent, G. T. Survey of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 15th March 1875.

No. 19.—Major D. Ward, R. E., Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, reported his arrival at Bombay, on return from furlough to Europe on 16th January 1875, and joined 3rd Circle, Military Works, on 27th idem.

The 25th March 1875.

No. 26.—The unexpired portion, ten days, of the leave granted in Inspector General's Notification No. 9 of 4th February 1875, to Colonel

F. J. Davies, Executive Engineer, Barrackpoor Division, is cancelled at his own request.

The 2nd April 1875.

No. 27.—Major M. Orchard, Barrack Master, Meerut Division, Military Works, is granted three months' privilege leave from 1st April 1875, or such subsequent date as he may be able to avail himself of it.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E., Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.*

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 5th April 1875.

No. 57.—Mr. J. M. Luff, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, is granted six months' special leave, under Section 15 of the Civil Leave Code, and one month's subsidiary leave, from such date as he may avail himself of the same.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E., Director of State Railways.*

NORTHERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Parbatipur, the 25th March 1875.

No. 32.—Mr. J. G. Furnivall reported his arrival and assumed the duties of Principal Storekeeper on the 17th March 1875.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major, R. E., Engineer-in-Chief.*

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 31st March 1875.

No. 458*E.*—Privilege leave of absence for three months is granted to Mr. J. W. Buyers, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, attached to the Delhi Division, Rajpootana State Railway, from the 1st May 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr. E. J. Moore, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, attached to the Delhi Division, is appointed to act for Mr. Buyers during his absence on leave.

The 2nd April 1875.

No. 466*E.*—Pursuant of Government of India, Public Works Department, Railway Branch, Nos. 712—728 E.R., dated 15th September 1873, leave of absence to Europe on medical certificate, under Section 3, Supplement F, of Civil Leave Code, is granted to Mr. S. Riddle, Accountant, 3rd Grade, attached to the Rajpootana State Railway, and under Section 10, Supplement F, of Civil Leave Code, thirty days' subsidiary leave is also granted to Mr. Riddle from the 16th April 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 5th April 1875.

No. 477*E.*—Mr. R. A. Way, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, transferred from the Ajmere to the Agra Division, Rajpootana State Railway, joined the latter division on the 1st April 1875.

W. C. FURNIVALL, *Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.*

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 3rd April 1875.

No. 39.—Mr. W. C. Hennessey, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, Ravee Section, is allowed ten days' privilege leave, with effect from the afternoon of the 27th March 1875.

No. 40.—With reference to Notification No. 35, dated 20th March 1875, Mr. C. A. Bull, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, reported his arrival at Jhelum to the Superintending Engineer, Survey Circle, on the 22nd March 1875, and joined the Extension Survey Division No. II on the forenoon of the 24th March 1875.

No. 41.—Mr. M. McInerney, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, is transferred from the Jhelum Bridge Division to the Ravee Section, with effect from the afternoon of the 17th March 1875.

ALEX. GRANT, *Engineer-in-Chief.*

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 29th March 1875.

No. 64.—Mr. R. Gompertz, Executive Engineer, Mehur Division, is granted three months' leave to study the native languages, fifty days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from the 1st May 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 3rd April 1875.

No. 67.—The following postings and transfers have been made by Superintending Engineer, Lower Sindh District:—

Mr. W. G. T. Stace, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, to the Sehwan Division.

Mr. A. L. Knolles, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, to the Sehwan Division.

Sergeant F. Allen, Overseer, 1st Grade, from the Mehur to the Kotree Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Colonel, R. E., Engineer-in-Chief.*

Report of a Deserter from the 2nd Battalion, 22nd Regiment.

Number, Rank and Name—No. 2662, Private Patrick O. Donnell.	Place of enlistment—Fermoy.
Age—26 years and 7 months.	Parish where born—Tipperary.
Size—5 feet, 10¼ inches.	County—Tipperary.
Color of—Complexion, fresh; hair, dark brown; eyes, grey.	Former Trade or Occupation—Laborer.
Marks—none.	Dress at the time of Desertion—Regimental white clothing and Glengarry cap.
Date of desertion—5th April 1875.	REMARKS—Deserted off Sentry taking with him his waist belt, frog, scabbard and two pouches, containing ten rounds of ammunition in each.
From whence deserted—Shahjahanpur.	
Date of enlistment—14th February 1873.	

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In Alphabetical Order.

Basu, Chandrabhushan	... Calcutta Medical College.
Chattopadhyay, Phakirchandra	... Ditto.
Das, Ramkumar	... Ditto.
„ Sibkrishna	... Ditto.
Datta, Hiralal	... Ditto.
Ghosh, Avinaschandra	... Ditto.
„ Rakhaldas	... Ditto.
Gupta, Devendranath	... Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Kalidas	... Ditto.
„ Kaliprasanna	... Ditto.
„ Matilal	... Ditto.
Ray, Jognesvar	... Ditto.
Saha, Asokkrishna	... Ditto.

FIRST M. B. EXAMINATION.

FIRST DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

1. Sarkar, Natavar	... Calcutta Medical College.
2. Das, Manmohan	... Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

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Fry, J. S.	... Ditto.
Mitra, Mahendranath	... Ditto.
Rudra, Bhagvatichandra	... Ditto.

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In Alphabetical Order.

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Bhattacharyya, Baikuntanath	... Ditto.
Bisvas, Mahendranath	... Ditto.
Chattopadhyay, Adharnath	... Ditto.
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„ Amritalal	... Ditto.
Datta, Dinanath, I	... Ditto.
De, Prasannakumar	... Ditto.
Ghosh, Jogendranath	... Ditto.
„ Nandalal	... Ditto.
„ Syamapada	... Ditto.
Gupta, Bipinvihari	... Ditto.
Haldar, Nityachandra	... Ditto.
Jansz, R.	... Ditto.
Majumdar, Pratapchandra	... Ditto.
Mitra, Nityagopal	... Ditto.
Ray, Sastivar	... Ditto.
Sarkar, Baradáprasád	... Ditto.
„ Gangagovinda	... Ditto.
Sen, Girischandra	... Ditto.
„ Kedarnath	... Ditto.
„ Syamacharan	... Ditto.
Sinha, Sasibhushan	... Ditto.
Tillaimuttu, J. C.	... Ditto.
Van Geyzel, W. C.	... Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE, *The 7th April* 1875.

J. SUTCLIFFE, *Registrar.*

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Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7836	A 88—82799	1,000	Lukaramull and Gundamull.
7847	L 51—10752	100	Captain C. G. Shepherd.
	„ —10753	100	
	L 49—95269	50	
	„ —95270	50	
	„ —95271	50	
	L 47—60649	20	
	„ —60650	20	
	„ —60651	20	
	L 42—78788	10	
7848	L 42—88823	10	Babu Shama Churn Banerjee.
7850	L 66—06485	50	Babu Aughore Nath Halder.
7851	L 40—46367	10	The Post Master General, N. W. P., Allahabad.
7852	L 66—12305	50	J. J. Cassedy, Esq.
7856	L 49—44333	50	Shaik Hubbeeb, Merchant.
7857	L 20—28214	5	Babu Komola Prosunno Ball.
	„ —28216	5	
	„ —28218	5	
	„ —28219	5	
	„ —28220	5	
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	„ —28225	5	
	„ —28226	5	
	„ —28227	5	
	„ —28228	5	
	„ —28229	5	
7858	L 43—69897	10	R. B. McPhun, Esq.
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7840	L 37—77635	20	Babu Chunder Kumar Das.
7841	L 15—88120	5	Babu Shib Chunder Chowdry.
	„ —88118		
7842	L 11—24802	5	Babu Huro Coomer Mookerjee.
7843	L 12—56756	20	Babu Gopaul Chunder Lahoory.
	„ —56755		
	L 9—18319	5	
	„ —18393		
	L 11—06317	5	
	„ —06316		
7844	L 16—31817	5	Babu Kali Mohun Sen.
7845	A 62—48446	10	Babu Sib Chunder Bose.
7846	L 5—99567	10	R. N. Mathewson, Esq.
7853	L 40—12108	10	Babu Surrut Chunder Chuckerbutty.
	L 42—79275	10	
7854	L 13—74006	20	H. G. Bailey, Esq.
7855	L 4—13308	10	Teeluk Dhuree Pershad.
7859	L 13—98318	20	F. R. Lloyd, Esq., M. O. S.
	L 4—36521	10	
7860	L 46—47234	20	Babu Rash Behari Seal.
	„ —47235		
7862	L 50—85419	100	Jigroo Meerda.
	L 49—61030	50	
	L 50—85418	100	
	L 45 86309	20	
	„ —11052	20	
7863	L 36—63310	20	Annee W. Foggo.
	„ —63311	20	
7864	L 42—81641	10	Babu Nundo Lal Dey.
	L 11—88271	5	
7865	L 46—41122	20	Ishan Chunder Banerjee.
	„ —41123	20	
7866	L 41—61268	10	Jugmohun Lall.
	„ —61272		
7867	L 45—87318	20	Abdool Kurrim.
	L 40—74397	10	
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	„ —89073		
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	„ —17847		
	L 14—38444	20	
	„ —38442		
7870	L 53—00019	1000	Babu Obhoy Churn Bagchee.
	„ —01543	1000	
	„ —07163	1000	

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 9th April* 1875.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
1874-75.			
160	C 98—20994	10	Noor Mahomed Damji, No. 2, Sat Tar, Dada Mukba's House, Bombay.
	C 96—03009	10	
	„ —68984	10	
	„ —67768	10	
	C 97—25856	10	
	„ —83037	10	
	„ —72633	10	
	C 92—19433	10	
174	C 98—24803	10	J. D. Inverarity, Esq., Bombay.
	C 84—10395	20	
	C 93—05439	100	
A 82	C 84—49247 wrongly joined	20	Mr. P. S. Menezes, Telegraph Master, Mhow.
	„ —49250		
1875-76.			
173	C 98—03275	10	Captain E. Swetenham, Executive Engineer, Mhow.
180	C 83—90932	10	Mahomed bin Ally Ibrahim, Barbhai Mola, Bombay.
181	C 88—86862 joined to F 7—55751	10	Soorturam Bhuya, Moonabadavir, Bombay.
A 84	C 92—78991 wrongly joined	10	Mahomed Ally bin Ibrahim, Barbhai Mola, Bombay.
	„ —78983		

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 5th April* 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Kurrachee Circle.

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No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
G 7—47759	10	Messrs. E. Thomson and Taylors, Chemists, Bombay.

KURRACHEE,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 12th April* 1875.

W. PATTON,
Asst. Depy. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Lahore Circle.

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Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
60	E 4—33363	50	Meeran Bux of Gujrat, now at Lahore.
	„ —48095	50	
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	„ —57225	50	
	„ —58045	50	
61	E 4—56497	50	The Manager, Agra Bank Limited, Lahore.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
37	E 3—45346	100	Bhoora Mull and Shahzada, Traders, Kangra.
	„ —61145	100	
41	E 5—70418	20	Purtab Chunder Lahery, Meean Meer.
56	A 26—40432	20	Mr. R. W. O'Donnell, Fort Kangra.
58	E 7—34412	5	Chirunji Lall, Lahore.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; *The 3rd April* 1875.

H. S. GROVES,
Asst. Acctt. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 30th March 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...	2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	16,05,375	13	1
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ... (Rs. 1,36,54,053 15 0)	3,06,50,124	4	6
General Treasury Balance at Branches ... (Rs. 1,69,96,070 5 6)			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	2,41,46,967	12	5
Bank Post Bills, &c.	10,63,854	13	4
Sundries	6,95,418	7	8
TOTAL ...	8,01,61,741	3	0

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,63,76,014	1	4
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	78,75,924	0	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	53,97,870	8	8
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches	1,96,27,799	15	11
Dead Stock	10,81,468	14	0
Stamps	12,908	9	11
Balances with other Banks ...	4,28,961	4	11
Sundries	22,204	10	2
Bullion	45,507	10	4
	5,08,68,659	11	3
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... (Rs. 1,07,39,065 12 5)	2,92,93,081	7	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... (Rs. 1,85,54,015 11 4)			
TOTAL ...	8,01,61,741	3	0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL; *Calcutta, 1st April* 1875.

J. GORDON, *Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.*

R. HARDIE, *Secy. & Treasurer.*

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
March 29th, 1875 ...	...	...	78	3,629	69,33,487
" 30th " ...	...	...	78	9,023	68,33,487
" 31st " ...	...	...	23	9,848	67,33,487
April 1st " ...	...	...	23	9,933	66,33,487
" 2nd " ...	...	...	23	7,598	65,33,487
" 3rd " ...	...	24	...	1,677	64,33,487

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 5th April* 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 9th April 1875.

Mails for Chittagong, Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo, Sandoway, Bassein, Tavoy, Mergui, Pakehan, Kopah, Junkseylon, Penang, Malacca and Singapore, for transmission per Steamer *Moulmein*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 11th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Rangoon and Moulmein, for transmission per Steamer *Patna*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 11th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mail for Akyab, for transmission per Steamer *Arabia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 11th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for France, Foreign Europe *viâ* France, the intermediate Ports, Mauritius and China, for transmission per French Mail Steamer *Meinam*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Monday, the 12th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 13th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras, Ceylon, and the intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer *Arcot*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 14th instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 16th instant, by which mails for Mauritius, St. Denis, Reunion, Natal and Cape of Good Hope can be forwarded.

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M. PERCY, *Post Master of Calcutta.*

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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

GAZETTE OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

From the 3rd April next till further notice Parts I, IV, and V of the *Gazette of India*, and the Weather and Crop Report, will be published at Simla. After the 27th instant all Notifications and other matter intended for publication in those Parts, should be addressed to the Officiating Publisher at that station.

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AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER, RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mount Aboo, the 8th April 1875.

No. 978*S*.—The Officiating Agent, Governor General, and Chief Commissioner, is pleased to grant, under Section 5, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, six months' leave on private affairs to Mr. C. Twidale, Assistant Engineer, attached to the Erinpoora Division, from 12th April 1875, or from such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the same.

No. 982*S*.—The Officiating Chief Commissioner of Ajmere and Mhairwarra is pleased to grant three months' privilege leave to Mr. E. Mc. A. Moir, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Ajmere and Mhairwarra, under Section 21, Chapter VI of the Civil Leave Code, from 10th April 1875, or from such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the same.

By order,

A. G. CROMMELIN,
Secy. to the Agent, Govr. Genl., and Chief Commr., in the P. W. D., Rajpootana.

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF AJMERE.

NOTIFICATION.

Aboo, the 7th April 1875.

No. 183.—Leave.—Major H. M. Repton, Deputy Commissioner of Ajmere, is granted three months' privilege leave of absence from the 10th April 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the same.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Chief Commissioner.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

Notice.—Notice is hereby given that Money Orders on Post Offices within the German Empire, or in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg or in the Island of Heligoland, can be obtained through any Money Order Office in India.

Application for Money Orders should be made two days before the day on which the mails for Europe are ordinarily made up.

The scale of charges and the conditions as to limit, &c., will be the same as those in force at the time for Overland Money Orders.

The amounts for which orders are required must be stated in sterling money. The rate at which payments will be made will be determined from time to time by the authorities of the German Post Office.

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

GREAT TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Dehra Dun, the 7th April 1875.

No. 4.—Mr. C. P. Torrens, Assistant Surveyor, 3rd Grade, is granted two months' privilege leave from such date as his services can be spared.

J. T. WALKER, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Superintendent, G. T. Survey of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 5th April 1875.

No. 28.—Mr. F. H. Jewett, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, and Personal Assistant to Superintending Engineer, 2nd Circle, Military Works, is granted one month's privilege leave from 15th April 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 29.—Privilege leave for three days is granted to Mr. J. F. Chew, Accountant, 4th Grade, Office of Controller of Accounts, Military Works, in extension of the leave granted him in Inspector General's Notification No. 15, dated 24th February 1875.

No. 30.—Madad Hoosen, Overseer, is transferred from 2nd to 3rd Circle, and Nundoo Singh, Overseer, from 3rd to 2nd Circle, Military Works.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

1st Circle.

The 13th April 1875.

No. 1217.—Third Grade Assistant Engineer Baboo Callypuddo Sein is transferred from the Barrackpore to the Fort William Division, Military Works; he joined the latter division on the forenoon of 7th instant.

This transfer is ordered for the benefit of the public service.

W. R. TUCKER, *Major, R. E.,*
Offg. Supdg. Engr., 1st Circle, Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 12th April 1875.

No. 14.—The twenty days' privilege leave granted to Sergeant H. McGrow, Overseer, attached to the Lucknow Division, Military Works, in Notification No. 10 of 5th March 1875, is hereby cancelled at his own request.

The 13th April 1875.

No. 15.—With reference to Public Works Department, Military Works, Notification No. 24, dated the 17th ultimo, Mr. M. R. Lackersteen, Assistant Engineer, reported his arrival on the forenoon of the 8th instant, and has been posted to the Lucknow Division, Military Works, which he joined on the same day.

The 14th April 1875.

No. 16.—Sergeant S. Grant, Supervisor, 1st Grade, attached to the II Allahabad Division, Military Works, has been transferred to the I Allahabad Division, Military Works, and Sergeant R. Sullivan, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, from the latter to the former.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Military Works.

5th Circle.

The 9th April 1875.

No. 1.—With the approval of the Inspector General of Military Works, Captain J. H. Crowdy, R. E., Executive Engineer, Lahore Division, is transferred to the 1st Rawulpindee Division.

No. 2.—Mr. A. J. P. Jones, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, Lahore Division, is transferred to the 1st Rawulpindee Division.

The 10th April 1875.

No. 3.—Sergeant D. McCarthy, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, is transferred from the 1st Peshawur to the 1st Rawulpindee Division, Military Works.

C. M. BROWNE, *Major, R. E.,*
Offg. Supdg. Engr., 5th Circle, Mily. Works.

7th Circle.

The 13th April 1875.

No. 1055.—Privilege leave for two months is granted to Lieutenant A. E. Ward, Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, with effect from the 15th May 1875.

Æ. PERKINS, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 7th Circle, Military Works.

8th Circle.

Rawulpindee, the 6th April 1875.

No. 582.—Lieutenant F. Spratt, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, attached to the Dalhousie Division, Military Works, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him per Government of India Gazette Notification No. 327, dated 1st March 1875, on 1st April 1875.

DAVID LIMOND, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 8th Circle, Military Works.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 5th April 1875.

No. 56.—Mr. J. B. Chalmers, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, passed the Departmental Standard Examination on the 13th March 1875.

The 7th April 1875.

No. 58.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 129 of the 19th March 1875, Mr. C. J. Keene, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, is posted to the Punjab Northern State Railway (open line).

The 9th April 1875.

No. 59.—Mr. W. B. Carter, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, is granted leave on medical certificate for eighteen months under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date he may avail himself of it; also subsidiary leave from the 11th March to the 9th April 1875, both days inclusive.

The 12th April 1875.

No. 60.—Mr. C. Thompson, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, Rajpootana State Railway, is transferred to the Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

No. 61.—Mr. G. G. Hiley, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, is transferred to the Rajpootana State Railway.

No. 62.—Mr. R. Baxter, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, passed the colloquial examination in Hindustani on the 6th March 1875.

No. 63.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 162 of the 30th March 1875, Corporal H. Rowe, R. E., Probationary Overseer, 1st Grade, is posted to the Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

No. 64.—Mr. W. Tatlock, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is transferred to the Sindia State Railway.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

NORTHERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 16th April 1875.

The Office of the Controller of Accounts, Northern Bengal State Railway, having been removed to Parbatipur, all communications intended for it should be addressed to that place in future.

F. MOORE,
Controller of Accounts,
Northern Bengal State Railway,
Parbatipur.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 10th April 1875.

No. 42.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 130, dated 20th March 1875, transferring Sergeant W. E. Walker, Accountant, 2nd Grade, from the office of the Controller of Accounts, Punjab Northern State Railway, to the office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, this Accountant was relieved of his duties on this Railway on the afternoon of the 1st April 1875.

No. 43.—Mr. W. C. Hennessey, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, returned to duty from the privilege granted to him by Notification No. 39, dated 3rd April 1875, on the forenoon of the 7th April 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 5th April 1875.

No. 68.—Mr. H. B. Parry, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, reported his departure from the Ghotkee Division to join his appointment on the Sindhia State Railway, on the forenoon of the 1st March 1875.

The 7th April 1875.

No. 69.—Mr. H. P. Edwards, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, Lukkee Depôt, is granted thirty days' leave to enable him to appear before a medical board.

The 9th April 1875.

No. 72.—Mr. F. R. Blake, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, Sutlej Bridge Division, is granted fifteen months' leave on medical certificate together with fifteen days' subsidiary leave, with effect from the date he may have been permitted to avail himself of it.

F. W. PEILE, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

WESTERN RAJPOOTANA RAILWAY SURVEY.

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th March 1875.

No. 343.—Mr. W. H. Parker, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, is granted one month's privilege leave, of which he availed himself on the forenoon of the 20th March 1875.

JAMES COLLET,
Engineer-in-Chief.

HOLKAR AND NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mhow, the 3rd April 1875.

No. 19.—With reference to Neemuch State Railway Notification No. 42, dated 22nd October 1874, Mr. H. C. Woods, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, reported himself at Indore on the 29th February 1875. He is posted to the Second Division, Neemuch State Railway.

The 5th April 1875.

No. 20.—Mr. T. Anderson, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, is granted privilege leave of two months and nine days in addition to the twenty-one days already granted in this office Notification No. 18, dated 27th March 1875.

The 10th April 1875.

No. 21.—Mr. R. Davies, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, attached to the Second Division, Neemuch State Railway, is granted privilege leave for three months from 1st July 1875.

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief,
Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
April 5th, 1875 ...	...	...	...	3,010	62,33,487
" 6th " ...	...	...	...	6,340	60,33,487
" 7th " ...	3,200	...	...	4,819	59,33,487
" 8th " ...	...	...	3,200	17,177	59,33,487
" 9th " ...	...	...	3,200	7,088	58,33,487
" 10th " ...	...	...	3,200	7,036	57,33,487

CALCUTTA MINT,
The 13th April 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Mint Master.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE under-mentioned Candidates have passed the Medical Examinations :—

SECOND L. M. S. EXAMINATION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Basu, Chandrabhushan	... Calcutta Medical College.
Chattopadhyay, Phakirchandra	... Ditto.
Das, Ramkumar	... Ditto.
„ Sibkrishna	... Ditto.
Datta, Hirālal	... Ditto.
Ghosh, Avinaschandra	... Ditto.
„ Rakhaldas	... Ditto.
Gupta, Devendranath	... Ditto.
Mukhopadhyay, Kalidas	... Ditto.
„ Kaliprasanna	... Ditto.
„ Matilal	... Ditto.
Ray, Jognesvar	... Ditto.
Saha, Asokkrishna	... Ditto.

FIRST M. B. EXAMINATION.

FIRST DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

1. Sarkar, Natavar	... Calcutta Medical College.
2. Das, Manmohan	... Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Bandyopadhyay, Amritalal	... Calcutta Medical College.
De, Devendranath	... Ditto.
Fry, J. S.	... Ditto.
Mitra, Mahendranath	... Ditto.
Rudra, Bhagvatichandra	... Ditto.

FIRST L. M. S. EXAMINATION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Wajid	... Calcutta Medical College.
Basu, Chandrabhushan	... Ditto.
„ Suryyanarayan	... Ditto.
Bhattacharyya, Baikuntanath	... Ditto.
Bisvas, Mahendranath	... Ditto.
Chattopadhyay, Adharnath	... Ditto.
„ Paresnath	... Ditto.
„ Upendranath	... Ditto.
Chaudhuri, Khirodchandra	... Ditto.
Dadar Baksh	... Ditto.
Das, Amarnath	... Ditto.
„ Amritalal	... Ditto.
Datta, Dinanath, I	... Ditto.
De, Prasannakumar	... Ditto.
Ghosh, Jogendranath	... Ditto.
„ Nandalal	... Ditto.
„ Syamapada	... Ditto.
Gupta, Bipinvihari	... Ditto.
Haldar, Nityachandra	... Ditto.
Jansz, R.	... Ditto.
Majumdar, Pratapchandra	... Ditto.
Mitra, Nityagopal	... Ditto.
Ray, Sastivar	... Ditto.
Sarkar, Baradáprasád	... Ditto.
„ Gangagovinda	... Ditto.
Sen, Girischandra	... Ditto.
„ Kedarnath	... Ditto.
„ Syamacharan	... Ditto.
Sinha, Sasibhushan	... Ditto.
Tillaimuttu, J. C.	... Ditto.
Van Geyzel, W. C.	... Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 7th April 1875.

J. SUTCLIFFE,
Registrar.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 6th April 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...	2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	16,05,245	13	1
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ... (Rs. 1,29,74,538 1 5) General Treasury Balance at Branches ... (Rs. 1,82,33,210 15 11)	3,12,07,749	1	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	2,20,11,503	14	5
Bank Post Bills, &c.	11,99,663	13	2
Sundries	7,39,089	0	7
TOTAL ...	7,87,63,251	10	7

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,64,35,902	3	4
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	75,20,664	0	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	47,95,598	13	4
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches	1,96,18,208	15	2
Dead Stock	10,81,310	15	7
Stamps	12,969	0	0
Balances with other Banks ...	4,67,320	2	7
Sundries	23,131	3	2
Bullion	44,752	5	3
	4,99,99,857	10	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... (Rs. 1,09,17,492 8 1) Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... (Rs. 1,78,45,901 8 1)	2,87,63,394	0	2
TOTAL ...	7,87,63,251	10	7

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 8th April 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 13th April 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid-up ...	2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	16,05,245	13	1
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ... (Rs. 1,57,89,733 3 4) General Treasury Balance at Branches ... (Rs. 1,78,89,159 13 3)	3,36,78,893	0	7
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	2,22,70,101	5	1
Bank Post Bills, &c.	11,19,350	4	8
Sundries	7,61,927	5	2
TOTAL ...	8,14,35,517	12	7

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,62,03,305	5	4
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	77,38,442	0	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	50,02,242	3	2
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches	2,12,78,884	6	6
Dead Stock	10,77,999	1	10
Stamps	12,943	10	5
Balances with other Banks ...	5,34,582	2	8
Sundries	23,347	2	3
Bullion	65,989	12	4
	5,19,37,687	12	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... (Rs. 1,03,40,793 6 5) Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... (Rs. 1,91,57,036 9 9)	2,94,97,830	0	2
TOTAL ...	8,14,35,517	12	7

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 15th April 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Madras Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
379	B 32—99927	50	J. Sturrock, Esq., C. S., Madras.
	B 43—04405	50	
387	B 44—01624	100	Captain R. N. Hubberty, 89th Regiment, Trichinopoly.
	„ —04474	100	
388	B 44—04208 (wrongly joined)	100	Luxamon Govind, Goods' Clerk, Manwar.
	„ —04205 (wrongly joined)		

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acct. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 5th April 1875.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7878	L 51—70528	100	G. E. Ives, Esq., Inspector.
7879	L 51—31433	100	Dabee Sohoy Misser.
	„ —31434	100	
7880	L 11—80232	5	Babu Koylas Chunder Das Gupta.
	„ —80231	5	
	L 42—80812	10	
	„ —80811	10	
7881	L 50—95150	100	C. D. Rollo, Esq.
7882	L 51—26187	100	Gopaul Singh.
	L 49—94891	50	
	„ —94892	50	
7883	A 91—50633	100	Munnoo.
7887	L 49—94140	50	Babu Gopaul Chunder Chatterjee.
7888	L 41—60718	10	Babu Bhut Nath Chatterjee.
7893	L 66—15163	50	Babu Baney Kunto Banerjee.
7894	L 3—62272	10	Messrs. Francis, Ramsay & Co.
	L 45—92009	20	
	L 47—03182	20	
	L 39—97126	10	
7895	L 49—44833	50	The Post Master General, Allahabad.
7896	A 91—65392	100	Meer Ijutally.
7900	L 39—83452	10	The Jailor of Maldah.
	L 41—62274	10	

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		Rs.	
7871	L 45—11320	20	Dabee Proshad.
7872	L 39—86210	10	Babu Nobin Chunder Boral.
7873	„ —57757	10	Babu Doorga Das Das.
	A 97—16913	10	
7874	A 99—00494, „ —00492	20	Babu Abinash Chunder Sein.
7875	L 16—30117	5	Babu Trilucko Nath Singha.
	„ —30118	5	
7876	L 39—46986, „ —46989	10	Babu Bai Cunto Nath Sein.
7877	L 6—61149, A 95—44945	10	Babu Mutty Lal Ghose.
7884	A 81—29080, A 45—39527	20	Babu Mohendra Nath Ghose.
	A 96—80042, A 95—49687	10	
	L 4—09987, „ —09986	10	
	L 1—97636, „ —97635	10	
7885	L 2—31955	10	Babu Roghoo Nath Mozoomder.
7889	L 45—99619	20	Babu Raj Kissen Pramanic.
7890	L 11—56642, „ —56641	5	Babu Mohima Chundra Sen.
7891	L 20—06521	5	Babu Shib Chunder Das.
7892	L 37—71593, „ —71592	20	The Officiating Chief Pay Master, E. I. Railway, Calcutta.
	L 46—97386, „ —97389	20	
	L 10—08486, „ —08485	5	
	L 17—43950, „ —43952	5	
	L 10—95873, „ —95872	5	
	„ —68870, „ —08301	5	
	L 15—71812, „ —71817	5	
	L 42—81587, „ —81557	10	
	L 32—14286, „ —18482	10	
7897	L 46—34366	20	Messrs. C. Lazarus, and Co.
7898	L 9—95007	5	Babu Khettra Chundra Bose.
	„ —95010	5	
7899	L 9—65178, „ —65177	5	John Lindley, Esq.

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 16th April* 1875.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Akola Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
K 4—14717	100	C. A. W. Davies, Esq., Assistant Commissioner of Currency, Akola.

AKOLA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 8th April* 1875.

C. A. W. DAVIES,
Assistant Commissioner.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
65	E 3—61022	100	The Chief Paymaster, East India Railway, Calcutta.
	E 4—55284	50	
	„ —51734	50	
67	E 3—67130	100	Gholam Hosain, Dera Ismail Khan.
69	E 7—03621	5	Wazir Singh, Jhelum.
	E 6—67587	10	
70	E 6—67160	10	Mr. S. Wilson, Lahore.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
15	E 4—34668	50	Syud Baqer Hosain, Jummoo.
62	E 5—84471	20	Lachman Das, Asst. Surgeon, Taran Taran District, Umritsur.
64	E 5—59074	20	Koober Chundra Shaha, care of Baboo Bejoy Kristo Mokerji, No. 3, Paratola Lane, Calcutta.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; *The 10th April* 1875.

H. S. GROVES,
Asst. Acct. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 16th April 1875.

Mails for Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America, and the Colonies of Queensland and Victoria, *viâ* Torres Straits (letters, &c., for the latter Colony must be specially superscribed), for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Saturday, the 17th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for the Straits and Hong-Kong, for transmission per Steamers *Cassandra* and *China*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Saturday, the 17th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits, for transmission per Steamer *Abyssinia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 18th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Chittagong, Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo, and Sandoway, for transmission per Steamer *Malwatta*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 18th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Port Blair and Camorta, for transmission per Steamer *Himalaya*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 20th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per P. and O. Steamer *Peshawur*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 21st instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 23rd instant.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 22nd idem.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M.

Mails for Ceylon and the Australian Colonies, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 28th instant, at 7 P. M.

M. PERCY,
Post Master of Calcutta.

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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 19*th April* 1875.

No. 20.—LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—Mr. Robert Barclay, Surveyor, 3rd Grade, for three months, from the 8th instant, under Chapter VI, Section 22, Clause I, of the Civil Leave Code.

J. B. GASTRELL, *Colonel,*
Supdt. of Revenue Surveys, Upper Circle.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 20*th April* 1875.

No. 17.—With reference to Notification No. 16, dated the 14th instant, Sergeant R. Sullivan, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, and Sergeant S. W. Grant, Supervisor, 1st Grade, joined 2nd and 1st Allahabad Divisions respectively on the forenoon of the 14th and 15th April 1875.

No. 18.—With reference to Notification No. 25, dated 19th March 1875, by Inspector General of Military Works, Mr. J. H. Reid, Assistant Engineer, Sangor Division, Military Works, availed himself of the three months' privilege leave on the forenoon of 6th instant.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Military Works.

3rd Circle.

Meerut, the 12*th April* 1875.

No. 8.—With reference to Notification No. 30 of 5th April 1875, by the Inspector General of Military Works, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Syud Mudad Hossein is posted to the Meerut Division, Military Works, which he joined on the 25th February 1875.

The 14*th April* 1875.

No. 9.—With reference to Superintending Engineer's Notification No. 6 of 29th January 1875, Barrack Sergeant Sydney James Coleman, Meerut Division, Military Works, availed himself of one month's privilege leave on the forenoon of 10th March 1875, and returned to duty on the 9th April 1875.

G. P. deP. FALCONNET, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 3rd Circle, Military Works.

4th Circle.

The 14*th April* 1875.

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J. P. C. ANDERSON,
Supdg. Engr., 4th Circle, Military Works.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 14*th April* 1875.

Offices opened and closed during the month of March 1875.

Name of Station.	Where situate.	Date.	REMARKS.
Badagara ...	Malabar Coast ...	23rd ...	Opened.
Bhownuggur ...	Kattywar State ..	2nd ...	Ditto.
Dehra ...	N.-W. Provinces	25th ...	Closed.
Kalka ...	Umballa District	15th ...	Opened.
Kurseong ...	Purneah District	4th ...	Ditto.
Matheran ...	Bombay Presy. ..	1st ...	Ditto.

The 17*th April* 1875.

No. 1.—Mr. C. B. P. Gordon, a Superintendent of the 2nd Grade, is allowed subsidiary leave from 25th to 28th March 1875, both days inclusive, under Section 18(*b*) of the Civil Leave Code, to enable him to rejoin appointment on return from furlough.

The 23*rd April* 1875.

No. 2.—Mr. J. F. Bevan, an Assistant Superintendent of the 1st Grade, obtained subsidiary leave from 9th to 12th June 1874, both days inclusive, under Section 18 (*b*) of the Civil Leave Code, to enable him to rejoin appointment on return from furlough.

R. MURRAY, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Dy. Director General of Telegraphs in India.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 13th April 1875.

No. 65.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 125 of the 18th ultimo, Mr. F. M. Weedon, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, is posted to the Western Rajpootana State Railway.

The 15th April 1875.

No. 66.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 165 of the 30th March 1875, Mr. P. D. Barclay, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, is posted to the Rajpootana State Railway (open line). Mr. Barclay joined at Agra on the forenoon of the 23rd March 1875.

The 17th April 1875.

No. 67.—Mr. C. O'Connor, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is transferred to the Sindhia State Railway.

No. 68.—In Director's Notification No. 55, dated 19th March 1875, *for* "13th March 1875" *read* "4th March 1875" and *for* "eight days' subsidiary leave" *read* "nine days' subsidiary leave."

The 19th April 1875.

No. 69.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 171 of the 14th April 1875, Lieutenant G. F. Wilson, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is posted to the Tirhoot State Railway.

No. 70.—In Director's Notification No. 52, dated 13th March 1875, *for* "from the 20th July 1873 to the 1st August 1873" *read* "from the 20th July 1873 to the 31st July 1873."

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

NORTHERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 16th April 1875.

The Office of the Controller of Accounts, Northern Bengal State Railway, having been removed to Parbatipur, all communications intended for it should be addressed to that place in future.

F. MOORE,
Controller of Accounts,
Northern Bengal State Railway,
Parbatipur.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 15th April 1875.

No. 514*E*.—Mr. S. Kiddle, Accountant, 3rd Grade, having been relieved of his duties on the afternoon of the 5th instant, availed himself of the six months' leave on medical certificate granted to him in Notification No. 466E. of 2nd April 1875.

The April 1875.

No. 515*E*.—ERRATUM.—In Notification No. 466E., dated 2nd April 1875, *for* "Mr. S. Riddle," *read* "Mr. S. Kiddle."

The 16th April 1875.

No. 512*E*.—Privilege leave of absence for three months is granted to Baboo Nundun Sing, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, attached to the Delhi Division, Rajpootana State Railway, from the 1st of May 1875, or from such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 17th April 1875.

No. 44.—Baboo Hurrish Chunder Paul, Overseer, 1st Grade, retransferred from the Famine Relief Works, Bengal, to the Punjab Northern State Railway, is reposted to the Chenab Section, which section he joined on the forenoon of the 12th April 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 14th April 1875.

No. 75.—Baboo Issen Chunder Mitter, Accountant, 3rd Grade, Shoojabad Division, is granted ninety-two days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from the 6th May 1875, or such subsequent date as he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

No. 76.—The transfer of Mr. C. O'Connor, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, from the Mooltan to the Upper Scinde District, made in this Office Notification No. 229 of 29th September 1874, is cancelled.

No. 77.—The following transfer has been made by Superintending Engineer, Mooltan District:—

Mr. C. O'Connor, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, from the Bhawulpore to the Shoojabad Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

HOLKAR AND NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mhow, the 10th April 1875.

No. 22.—Mr. F. B. Walker, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, is posted to the 2nd Division, Neemuch State Railway, to relieve Mr. J. P. Vansittart, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, of the charge of the same.

The 15th April 1875.

No. 23.—Mr. W. A. Bell, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, availed himself of three months' privilege leave from the 12th April 1875.

No. 24.—Mr. F. H. Landon, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is transferred from the 1st to the 2nd Division, Neemuch State Railway, and placed in charge of the 6th (Runija) Sub-division.

No. 25.—In supersession of Notification No. 11, dated 8th March 1875, Lieutenant F. N. Hassard, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is directed to report himself to this office for employment in Mhow.

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief,
Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 168.—*Statement of the Monthly Accounts of the several Branches of the Public Works Department received in the Office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, up to the* 31*st March* 1875.

PUBLIC WORKS (BUILDINGS AND ROADS BRANCH AND MILITARY WORKS BRANCH) AND TELEGRAPH.			
Order of receipt.	Accounting offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Controller, Bengal, for Port Blair.	Jan. 1875	Mar. 6, 1875
4	Do., Rajpootana	Ditto ...	Do. 19, „
5	Do., Central Provinces.	Ditto ...	Do. 23, „
6	Do., Central India	Ditto ...	Do. 24, „
7	Do., Hyderabad	Dec. 1874	Feb. 20, „
8	Do., Oudh ...	Ditto ...	Do. 22, „
9	Do., Mysore, for Coorg.	Ditto ...	Do. 22, „
10	Do., Hyderabad, for Berars.	Ditto ...	Do. 25, „
11	Do., Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 26, „
12	Do., British Burmah.	Ditto ...	Do. 26, „
13	Do., N.-W. Provinces.	Ditto ...	Mar. 1, „
14	Do., Military Works.	Ditto ...	Do. 5, „
15	Do., Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Do. 8, „
16	Do., Bombay ...	Ditto ...	Do. 9, „
17	Do., Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 10, „
18	Depy. Contlr., Assam	Ditto ...	Do. 10, „
19	Do., Mysore ...	Nov. 1874	Feb. 22, „
	TELEGRAPHS.		
2	Contlr., Indo-European Telegraph.	Jan. 1875	Mar. 15, 1875
3	Do. do., for Indian Telegraph.	Ditto ...	Do. 15, „

IRRIGATION.			
Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Contlr., Central Provinces.	Jan. 1875	Mar. 6, 1875
2	Do., B. Burmah	Ditto ...	Do. 19, „
3	Do., Rajpootana	Dec. 1874	Feb. 5, „
4	Do., Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 24, „
5	Do., Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Do. 27, „
6	Do., N.-W. P. ...	Ditto ...	Mar. 1, „
7	Do., Bombay ...	Ditto ...	Do. 9, „
8	Do., Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 10, „
9	Do., Mysore ...	Nov. 1874	Do. 4, „
	GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.		
1	Bengal ...	Jan. 1875	Mar. 16, 1875
2	Central Provinces	Ditto ...	Do. 19, „
3	Punjab ...	Dec. 1874	Feb. 26, „
4	Oudh ...	Ditto ...	Do. 26, „
5	Bombay ...	Ditto ...	Mar. 9, „
6	Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 10, „

STATE RAILWAYS (CAPITAL).			
Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Sindia ...	Feb. 1875	Mar. 19, 1875.
2	Western Rajpootana Survey.	Jan. „	Feb. 23, „
3	Wurdah Valley ...	Ditto ...	Mar. 15, „
4	Store-keeper, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Do. 16, „
5	Agra District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 22, „
6	Delhi District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 22, „
7	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley.	Dec. 1874	Feb. 12, „
8	Punjab Northern ..	Ditto ...	Do. 17, „
9	Hyderabad ...	Ditto ...	Do. 18, „
10	Northern Bengal...	Ditto ...	Do. [illegible] „
11	Holkar ...	Ditto ...	Do. [illegible] „
12	Tirhoot ...	Ditto ...	Do. 27, „
13	Neemuch ...	Ditto ...	Mar. 1, „
14	Nizam's ...	Ditto ...	Do. 2, „
15	Hoobjee and Carwar	Ditto ...	Do. 9, „
16	Indus Valley ...	Ditto ...	Do. 9, „
	STATE RAILWAYS (REVENUE).		
1	Wurdah Valley ...	Feb. 1875	Mar. 23, 1875.
2	Calcutta and South-Eastern.	Jan. „	Do. 4, „
3	Nulhatee ...	Ditto ...	Do. 10, „
4	Oomraotee ...	Ditto ...	Do. 17, „
5	Khamgaum ...	Ditto ...	Do. 17, „
6	Nizam's ...	Dec. 1874	Do. [illegible] „
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] „
[illegible]	[illegible]	Ditto ...	[illegible] „
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] „
9	Delhi District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. [illegible] „

The 12th April 1875.

J. J. McLEOD INNES, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Accountant General, P. W. Dept.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 20th April 1875.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		16,05,245	13	1
	Rs. A. P.			
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	1,63,08,039 2 11	3,34,33,628	10	8
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,71,25,589 7 9			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		2,12,41,968	3	3
Bank Post Bills, &c.		6,91,940	5	2
Sundries		8,04,768	0	2
TOTAL ...		7,97,77,551	0	4

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,53,32,708	7	4
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		83,64,178	0	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		63,52,385	14	1
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,10,29,223	1	1
Dead Stock		10,78,364	2	10
Stamps		12,412	10	11
Balances with other Banks ...		4,82,710	12	0
Sundries		23,195	11	2
Bullion		51,703	14	3
		*5,27,26,882	9	8
	Rs. A. P.			
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	1,03,77,177 7 3	2,70,50,668	6	8
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	1,66,73,490 15 5			
TOTAL ...		7,97,77,551	0	4

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 22nd April 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th April 1875.

PARTICULARS.	4½ per cent. Loan of 1855-56.	4 per cent. Loans of 1835-36.	of 1862-63.	of 1864-65.	Transfer of 1865.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	5 per cent. Loan of 1866-67.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1869-70.	5 per cent. Debentures for 10 years. Repayable, June 1877.	5 per cent. Debentures for 15 years. Repayable, June 1882.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Balance of 31st March 1875 ...	55,600	32,178	2,346	1,11,02,700	1,27,62,700	41,01,300	2,53,000	3,21,82,100	94,000	5,15,36,500	34,56,000	35,64,000	14,06,71,905
Add— Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th April 1875 ...	...	...	...	600	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	600
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 1st and 15th April 1875 ...	...	...	...	14,800	53,500	...	27,500	...	5,10,000	...	...	...	6,25,400
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th April 1875 ...	...	18,100	...	10,000	57,800	2,000	...	1,000	...	15,000	...	...	1,63,900
	55,600	32,178	2,346	1,11,28,200	1,28,74,000	41,03,300	2,53,000	3,22,10,600	94,000	5,20,61,500	34,56,000	35,64,000	14,13,61,705
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers ...	...	...	...	23,000	...	50,000	...	23,800	1,000	5,000	...	...	1,63,800
Balance on 15th April 1875 ...	55,600	32,178	2,346	1,11,05,200	1,28,61,000	40,53,300	2,53,000	3,21,86,800	93,000	5,20,56,500	34,56,000	35,64,000	14,11,98,905

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Feb. 1875, enfaced from India 2,121 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 2,063 lakhs.

" 16th February 1875 to 28th Feb.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3 "
" 1st March " to 15th March	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3 "
" 16th " " to 31st "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8 "
" 1st April " to 15th Apl.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1 "
													2,077 lakhs.
Balance against India ...													79

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL:
Calcutta, 16th April 1875.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion: Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
April 12th, 1875 ...	Holiday.				
" 13th " ...	...	...	3,200	6,986	56,33,487
" 14th " ...	...	2,725	12	10,104	55,33,487
" 15th " ...	...	...	12	12,063	54,33,487
" 16th " ...	...	...	12	12,011	53,33,487
" 17th " ...	...	...	12	11,961	52,33,487

CALCUTTA MINT,
The 19th April 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Mint Master.

Report of a Deserter from the 1-18*th Regiment of Foot, dated at Bareilly, this* 13*th day of April* 1875.

Number, Rank and Name,—No. 2103, Private Peter Kenny.
Age,—23 years 5 months.
Size,—5 feet 4½ inches.
Color of—
Complexion, Fresh; Hair, Dark Brown; Eyes, Dark Blue.
Date of Desertion,—11th April 1875.
Place of Desertion,—Moradabad.
Date of Enlistment,—20th December 1870.
At what Place enlisted,—Glasgow.
Parish and County in which born,—Old Monkland, Lanarkshire.
Marks,—Small Whiskers and Moustache.
Trade,—Miner.
Coat or Jacket, Waistcoat, Breeches or Trowsers } Regimentals.
REMARKS.—Taking with him a Rifle, No. 531, and 20 rounds of ball ammunition, 1 Haversack and 1 expense pouch.
Under 5 years' service.

E. L. DILLON, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Commanding 1-18*th R. I. Regiment.*

Report of a Deserter from the 1-18*th Regiment of Foot, dated at Bareilly, this* 13*th day of April* 1875.

Number, Rank, and Name,—No. $\frac{69\ B.}{601}$, Private Thomas Stapleton.
Age,—20 years and 6 months.
Size,—5 feet and 9 inches.
Color of—
Complexion, Fresh; Hair, Dark Brown; Eyes, Hazel.
Date of Desertion,—11th April 1875.
Place of Desertion,—Moradabad.
Date of Enlistment,—8th October 1873.
At what Place enlisted,—Ennis.
Parish and County in which born,—Kilrush, County of Clare.
Marks,—No Whisker, a Moustache, freckled face.
Trade,—Labourer.
Coat or Jacket, Waistcoat, Breeches or Trowsers } Regimentals.
REMARKS.—Took with him a Rifle, No. 541, and 20 rounds of ball ammunition, 1 Haversack and 1 expense pouch.
Under 2 years' service.

E. L. DILLON, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Commanding 1-18*th R. I. Regiment.*

Report of a Deserter from the 73*rd Regiment of Foot, dated at Cawnpore, this* 19*th day of April* 1875.

Number, Rank, and Name,—No. $\frac{60\ Bde.}{296}$, Private James Hodgson.
Age,—23 years 3 months.
Size,—5 feet 5¾ inches.
Color of—
Complexion, Fresh; Hair, Light Brown; Eyes, Grey.
Date of Desertion,—14th April 1875.
Place of Desertion,—Cawnpore.
Date of Enlistment,—5th July 1871.
At what Place enlisted,—Preston.
Parish and County in which born,—Lancaster, Lancashire.
Marks,—Mole close to navel and scar on right knee.
Trade,—Labourer.
Coat or Jacket, Waistcoat, Breeches or Trowsers } Regimentals,—White Clothing and Helmet.
Under 4 years' service.

S. M. WISEMAN CLARKE, *Lt.-Col.,*
Commanding 73rd Regiment.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Madras Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
381	B 35—40591	20	C. Teroovengada Moodelliar, Temporary Superintendent of Vaccination, Cuddapah Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.		Value.	Name of Claimant.
			Rs.	
298	B 34—24528		10	V. Rama Row, Revenue Inspector, Srirungum, Trichinopoly.
358	B 34—29896 } " —34569 }	wrongly joined	10	Syed Abdool Raheem, 88, Vurda Mooteapen Street, Madras.
361	B 41—26513 } " —26521 }	ditto	10	C. Ragavooloo Naidu, Merchant, Munnady Street, Black Town, Madras.
373	B 41—48825		10	Mr. F. N. Hawkins, C. E., Vellore.
389	B 20—02055		10	S. Mahalingam Chockattan, 16, West Masi Street, Madura.
	B 35—59010		20	
1	B 35—54292 } " —54293 }	wrongly joined	20	M. Comarasawmy Chettyar, Partner in the firm of V. Singaravaloo Chetty & Co., Bangalore.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acct. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 12th April 1875.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.		Value.	Name of Claimant.
			Rs.	
1875-76.				
4	C 98—42810		10	Naserwanjee Muncherjee, Bombay.
A2	C 83—15033 } C 96—03047 }	wrongly joined	10	Tayebjee Ibrahamjee, Jackaria Musjid, Bombay.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 13th April 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7907	L 66—10674	50	The District Superintendent of Police, Hooghly.
7910	L 48—66079	20	Baboo Banemadhub Ghose.
	L 57—02767	10	
7916	A 88—74997	1,000	Mohamed Musad Kussim Khan.
7917	L 51—42343	100	Jodadoy Vunna Mull.
	„ —46988	100	
7922	L 17—23172	5	Cooppada Sunniah Naidoo.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7901	L 46—32367	20	F. B. Henslowe, Esq.
7902	L 17—75174	5	Babu Behari Lal Gangooly.
7903	L 5—80576	10	Babu Ram Lal Chuckerbutty.
	L 11—84977	5	
7904	A 88—88365	1,000	Rai Dhunput Singh, Bahadoor.
	„ —88366	1,000	
	„ —88367	1,000	
	„ —88368	1,000	
	„ —88369	1,000	
	„ —88370	1,000	
	„ —88172	1,000	
	„ —88171	1,000	
	„ —88170	1,000	
	„ —88235	1,000	
	„ —88236	1,000	
	„ —88237	1,000	
	„ —88238	1.000	
	„ —87666	1,000	
	„ —83283	1,000	
	„ —87527	1,000	
	„ —74092	1,000	
	„ —74093	1,000	
	„ —84488	1,000	
	„ —81763	1,000	
	„ —81723	1,000	
	„ —77948	1,000	
	„ —36310	1,000	
7906	L 47—83706	20	Babu Sham Chund Paul.
	L 46—85907	20	
	„ —41533	20	
	L 1—37346	10	
	„ —37351	10	
	„ —37347	10	
	„ —37348	10	
	„ —37352	10	
	„ —37349	10	
	„ —37350	10	
	L 42—29686	10	
	L 33—90209	10	
	A 97—27037	10	
7911	L 42—27403	10	Babu Rakhaldas Mozoomdar.
	„ —27404	10	
7912	L 9—40083	5	Babu Dwarka Nath Seal.
	„ —40031		
	„ —86076	5	
	„ —86075		
	L 10—01474	5	
	„ —01470		
7913	L 35—86284	10	Messrs. Colvin, Cowie & Co.
	„ —87705	10	
	„ —87706	10	
	„ —87707	10	
7914	L 42—84311	10	Babu Netro Lall Chundro.
7915	L 49—18189	50	Babu Janki Nath Raha.
	L 40—69475	10	
	„ —69478	10	
7918	L 39—12853	10	Babu Ram Chunder Roy.
7919	L 46—31485	20	L. F. MacLean, Esq.
7920	L 20—85337	5	Babu Komola Prosunno Paul.
7921	L 5—25179	10	Babu Promotho Nath Bose.
	L 4—84019		
7923	L 44—60087	10	H. Collic, Esq.
	„ —60088	10	
	„ —60089	10	
7924	L 36—39466	20	Babu Petumber Sein, for Babu Kader Nath Kur.
	„ —39465		
	A 95—77423	10	
	„ —77422		
	L 10—62718	5	
	L 11—69993		
7925	L 39—74595	10	Babu Mohanundo Nath.
	„ —74596		
7926	L 47—43026	20	Babu Grish Chunder Chuckerbutty.
7862	L 49—61029	50	Jigroo Meerda.
3519	A 74—54006	20	Major D. C. Walker, R. E., Exe. Engineer, Fort William Division.
	„ —54007	20	
	A 68—83841	10	

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.; The 23rd April 1875.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Calicut Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
J 7—20204	5	Acting Inspector of Post Offices, Calicut Division.
J 2—02785	500	N. E. Vishnoo Namboothiry, of Kurumbranall.
J 4—51873	50	
J 6—59275	10	Streenerapa Iyengar, of Salem.
B 38—09920	100	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
J 3—31705	100	K. R. Kristna Memon, of Tellicherry.
J 7—29529	5	T. Mathooranajagem Pillay, of Bangalore.
J 5—35804	20	B. Venkata Rao, of Darapurem.

CALICUT,—Paper Currency Office; The 9th April 1875.

P. A. COLE,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Kurrachee Circle.

NOTE PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
G 13—00290	5	Mahadajee Gopal Kuber, of Sattara.

KURRACHEE,—Paper Currency Dept.; The 12th April 1875.

W. PATTON,
Asst. Depy. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
353	D 4—35424	50	The Chief Pay Master, East Indian Railway, Calcutta.
360	D 10—46068	5	The Post Master General, North-Western Provinces, Allahabad.
366	D 7—66665	100	Gunesh Dass Kishenjee, Sutna.
	„ —66623	100	
367	D 7—67434	100	J. H. Bradley, Esq., Kheree, Oudh.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
354	D 11—14051	10	Ali Mardan Shah, Mooradabad.
358	D 6—67858	10	Kedar Nath Ghose, Howrah.
359	D 5—57802	20	Messrs. T. E. Brooks & Sons, Ajmere.
362	D 6—68435	10	Mr. F. B. Henslowe, Roy Bareilly.
	D 5—72811	20	
	„ —72812	20	
364	D 5—20427 mutilated	20	Azim Khan, Merchant, Allahabad.
365	D 10—12956 wrongly joined	5	Bapoojee Pestonjee, Calcutta.
	„ —12959		
370	D 6—81735	10	Dwarka Nath Chuckerbutty, Allahabad.
371	D 5—38969	20	Kamtha Prosad, Saugor.
374	D 10—66166	5	Nund Kishore, Agra.
	D 6—89258	10	
375	D 10—58249	5	Yasseen Khan, Lalitpore.
	D 11—04479	10	
	„ —04480	10	
	„ —04481	10	
376	D 4—20238	50	Devendro Nath Roy, Ulwar.
377	D 6—79082 wrongly joined	10	Seraj Ahmad & Co., Mooradabad.
	„ —79084		
	D 5—57938 ditto	20	
	„ —57951		
379	D 10—30695	5	Pundit Harihar Nath Kheri, Oudh.
	D 6—64115	10	
	„ —64118	10	
	„ —64119	10	
	„ —64121	10	

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office; The 15th April 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
74	E 5—69778	20	The Executive Commissariat Officer, Mean Meer.
	„ —81211	20	
	E 4—61682	50	
	E 3—49391	100	
	„ —50354	100	
	„ —64449	100	
	„ —64090	100	
75	E 3—26178	100	Captain C. C. Sevenoaks, care of Captain H. Bacon, Rangoon, Burmah.
76	E 3—59411	100	Mahndi Hosain, Chuprasi, Lahore.

NOTE PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
72	E 6—73340	10	Mr. W. R. Gray, Apothecary, H. M.'s 72nd Highlanders, Nowshera.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; The 17th April 1875.

H. S. GROVES,
Asst. Acct. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 23rd April 1875.

Mails for Rangoon and Moulmein (Mails for Port Blair can be sent by this opportunity), for transmission per Steamer *Khandalla*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 25th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Akyab, for transmission per Steamer *Arabia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 25th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 27th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras, Ceylon, and the intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer *Ava*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 28th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Ceylon and the Australian Colonies, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 28th instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 30th instant.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 29th idem.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M.

Mails for Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America, and the Colonies of Queensland and Victoria, *viâ* Torres Straits (letters, &c., for the latter Colony must be specially superscribed), for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Friday, the 30th instant, at 7 P. M.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 21st April 1875.

Baines, J	Lucas & Co., A.
Barnes, Mrs.	Lynch, Miss B.
Battye, D.	Magill, H.
Berrington, E.	Maguire, Mrs.
Bloxam, R. H.	McNeema, J.
Bright, A.	Mills, H. F.
Cassidy, Mrs.	Moncrieff, Miss.
Castello, E. D.	Nazir, C. S.
Clarke, Hon'ble Sir A.	Newman, Miss.
Clarke, Lady.	Phillips, S. R.
Hastaw, G. W.	Pickford, C. E.
Godstein, Mrs. R.	Prior, Major-General.
Gibbs, Col. J. J.	Schwartz, Mrs.
Harrison, J. H. C.	Sebille, S. & Co.
Henly, J. C.	Smith, Surgeon-Major S.
Henriques, Mrs.	Smyth, G. R. C.
Herbert, S.	St. Clair, Miss A.
Holland, H.	Stewart, G.
Joseph, C.	Thacker, J. A. G.
Kings, Mrs. E.	Warren, Thomas.

"Letters marked care of Post Office to be kept till called for."

Alexander, Hon. C.	Mackenzie, J. F.
Anderson.	McLean, W.
Anderson, R.	Mendonea, J.
Argas.	Money, E. M.
Avallore, L.	O'Donoghue, C. R.
Bainbridge, F. C.	Oates, Mrs. A. J.
Barbase, W. C.	Palmer, A. H.
Brewster, J.	Parnham, J. L.
Bunnester, C. H.	Pearse, Mrs. A. J.
Bowhay, Mr.	Pearson, G.
Caw, A.	Perra, T. R.
Chisam, W.	Phipps, C. E.
Connolly, N.	Pinckney, R. R.
Cregan, B.	Rainey, J. R.
Croghan, W.	Ralphs, H. J.
DeBono, L. L. D.	Rayson, P.
Editor, "National Budget."	Rea, Mrs. W.
Elworthy, F.	Reid, E. B.
Ewing, G.	Reid, R.
Fernandez, J. F.	Rhoades, A. H.
Glover, Rev. F. R. A.	Roberts, H.
Good, J. W.	Shearman, J., Driver.
Graham, C.	Scott, E.
Greig, J.	Southorn, R.
Grinshaw, N.	Stephen, C.
Hill, T. S.	Tasserand, Monsr. T.
Hill, H. H.	Temple, G. W.
Hogendorp, Baron.	Templer, G.
Hobbleouse.	Tuson, E.
Holl, C.	Verner, H. H.
Holmes, Miss E.	Wade, A. R.
Jones, J. J.	Watts, F.
Joseph, P.	Whyte, J. B.
Lamm, S.	Williams, W.
Latham, C.	Wilson, E. A. H.
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Luigi, G.	Wright, A.
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NOTIFICATIONS.—GENERAL.

Mount Aboo, the 17*th April* 1875.

No. $\frac{231}{711}$*G.*—LEAVE.—Captain J. W. Ridgeway, Political Assistant, 1st Class, is granted eleven days' subsidiary leave, with effect from the 7th January 1875, to enable him to join his appointment in Rajpootana.

No. $\frac{245}{719}$*G.*—LEAVE.—Lieutenant C. E. Wheeler, Adjutant, Erinpoora Irregular Force, is granted fifteen days' privilege leave of absence in extension of the thirty days' leave granted him in Notification No. $\frac{819}{853}$G., dated 25th March 1875.

No. $\frac{251}{723}$*G.*—LEAVE.—Lieutenant Colonel W. H. Beynon, Political Agent in Jeypore, is granted three months' privilege leave of absence, with effect from the 9th April 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 20*th April* 1875.

No. $\frac{266}{737}$*G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Major C. H. Clay and Colonel J. A. Wright, respectively, delivered over and received charge of the office of the Harrowtee and Tonk Agency on the forenoon of the 24th March 1875.

No. $\frac{274}{755}$*G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Surgeons L. D. Spencer and H. R. S. Compigné, M. D., respectively, delivered over and received medical charge of the Eastern States Agency on the forenoon of the 9th April 1875.

The 22*nd April* 1875.

No. $\frac{285}{740}$*G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. James White, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Rajpootana State Railway, was in charge of the Office of the Political Agent in Jeypoor, from the forenoon of the 19th February to the forenoon of 15th March 1875, and again from the forenoon of the 27th March to the afternoon of the 2nd April 1875.

The 23*rd April* 1875.

No. $\frac{1007}{760}$*G.*—Lieutenant Colonel W. H. Beynon and Colonel J. A. Wright, respectively, delivered over, and received, charge of the Office of the Jeypoor Agency on the forenoon of the 10th April 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Indore, the 12*th April* 1875.

No. 73.—Narain Ram Chunder, Overseer, 2nd Grade, having reported his return from Famine Works in Bengal, has been posted to the Southern Road Division.

No. 74.—Luximon Vishnoo Mahandulay, Overseer, 3rd Grade, has been granted two months' leave on medical certificate from the 26th of March 1875.

W. S. TREVOR, *Lieut. Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for C. India.

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF AJMERE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Aboo, the 17th April 1875.

No. 208.—Captain J. H. Lassalle and Pundit Bhag Ram, respectively, delivered over and received charge of the office of Extra Assistant Commissioner in charge of Treasury, Ajmere, on the forenoon of 16th March 1875.

No. 212.—Pundit Maharaj Kishen, Extra Assistant Commissioner, and Captain Lassalle, Assistant Commissioner, respectively, delivered over and received charge of the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Beawr on the afternoon of the 19th March 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Chief Commissioner.

GREAT TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mussooree, the 22nd April 1875.

No. 6.—Privilege leave of absence for three months is granted to Mr. J. McGill, Officiating Assistant Superintendent, 1st Grade, under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, from such date as he may avail himself thereof.

The 23rd April 1875.

No. 7.—The following promotions are made, with effect from 1st instant:—

Messrs. J. O. Hughes and Irvin Pocock, Assistant Surveyors, 4th Grade, to be Assistant Surveyors of the 3rd Grade.

The 27th April 1875.

No. 8.—Mr. J. A. Bond, Assistant Surveyor, 1st Grade, is granted twenty days' leave on medical certificate from 17th February to 8th March 1875, both days inclusive.

J. T. WALKER, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Superintendent, G. T. Survey of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 8th April 1875.

No. 31.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department Notification No. 113, dated 11th March 1875, Major Perkins, R. E., made over charge of the 7th Circle, Military Works, to Major G. P. deP. Falconnet, R. E., on the forenoon of 11th March 1875.

No. 32.—Honorary Captain D. Oliver, Assistant Engineer, returned from furlough, is posted to 5th Circle, Military Works.

No. 33.—Mr. G. Pettitt, Assistant Engineer, is granted privilege leave for a month and a half from 15th April 1875.

The 13th April 1875.

No. 34.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notifications Nos. 131 and 132, dated 20th and 22nd March 1875, Mr. J. Hopkins made over, and Lieutenant Colonel G. J. Mellis received, charge of the office of Controller of Accounts, Military Works, on forenoon of 1st April 1875.

The 15th April 1875.

No. 35.—With the approval of the Government of India, Public Works Department, Mr. E. LeLievre, Assistant Engineer, is appointed to the temporary charge of the Fyzabad Division during the absence of Colonel Dawson on leave, or until further orders.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Allahabad, the 23rd April 1875.

No. 17.—With reference to Notification No. 16 of 25th ultimo, by the Inspector General of Military Works, Mr. W. R. Barker, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, 1st Allahabad Division, Military Works, availed himself of the three months' privilege leave, on the afternoon of the 17th April 1875.

No. 18.—Mr. J. Purdie, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, has been transferred from 2nd Allahabad Division to 1st Allahabad Division, Military Works, which latter he joined on the 12th instant.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Mily. Works.

3rd Circle.

Meerut, the 21st April 1875.

No. 10.—With reference to Department Public Works Code, Chapter II, Section IV, para. 28, and Standing Order No. 32 of 1872, special leave for three months to study the native languages is granted to Lieutenant S. C. Turner, R. E., Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, Meerut Division, Military Works, with effect from the 15th July 1875, or date on which he may avail himself of it.

G. P. deP. FALCONNET, *Major, R. E.,*
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DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 21st April 1875.

No. 71.—Mr. R. Martin, temporary Overseer, 1st Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, is permitted to resign his appointment in the Public Works Department, with effect from the 17th January 1875.

The 22nd April 1875.

No. 72.—With reference to Government of India, Military Department, Notification No. 348, dated 25th March 1875, Captain R. J. Bond, R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Western Rajputana State Railway, is granted subsidiary leave from the 30th January to the 8th March 1875.

The 23rd April 1875.

No. 73.—Mr. G. Hawkes is temporarily appointed to the Public Works Department as a Supervisor, 1st Grade, and posted to the Northern Bengal State Railway.

No. 74.—Mr. R. H. Froude, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is granted eight months' leave on medical certificate under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 13th October 1874, and subsidiary leave from the 7th to the 12th October 1874, both days inclusive.

The 26th April 1875.

No. 75.—Mr. W. Sargon is temporarily appointed to the Public Works Department as a Supervisor, 1st Grade, and posted to the Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 19th April 1875.

No. 78.—Mr. T. Baron, 1st Class Assistant Apothecary, placed at the disposal of the Engineer-in-Chief, by the Deputy Surgeon General, Lahore Circle, reported his arrival at Mooltan on the forenoon of the 16th instant, and is posted to the medical charge of the Mooltan District.

No. 79.—The transfer of Mr. A. S. Knolles, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, from the Upper to the Lower Scind District, made in this Office Notification No. 57 of 22nd March 1875, is cancelled.

The 21st April 1875.

No. 80.—Mr. J. C. Jowett, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the Upper to the Lower Scind District.

No. 81.—Under instructions from Director of State Railways, Mr. J. W. Henry, Executive Engineer, Kotree Division, received charge of the current duties of the Office of Superintending Engineer, Lower Scind District, from Lieutenant Colonel J. Bonus, R. E., on the afternoon of the 15th instant.

The 23rd April 1875.

No. 82.—Sergeant P. Kearns, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Kotree Division, is granted ninety-two days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from the 1st proximo, or such date as he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

No. 83.—With reference to this Office Notification No. 64, dated 29th March 1875, Mr. J. H. DeRenzie, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer, Mehur Division.

No. 84.—The following posting and transfers have been made by Superintending Engineers:—

Mr. J. C. Jowett, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, to the Sehwan Division.

Mr. A. S. Knolles, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, from the Larkhana to the Ghotkee Division.

Mr. W. Handy, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, from the Larkhana to the Ghotkee Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 24th April 1875.

No. 45.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 48, dated 3rd March 1875, Mr. M. McInerny, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, was relieved of his duties on the Punjab Northern State Railway on the afternoon of the 19th April 1875, on which date he reported his departure to join the Indus Valley State Railway.

No. 46.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 121, dated 15th March 1875, Mr. R. H. Trotter made over, and Mr. T. Moss received, charge of the office of Controller of Accounts, Punjab Northern State Railway, on the afternoon of the 20th April 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

NORTHERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Parbatipur, the 14th April 1875.

No. 35.—Mr. T. L. Tanner, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Officiating Personal Assistant to the Engineer-in-Chief, is posted to No. 3 Rungpore Branch Division from 5th March 1875.

No. 36.—Baboo Hem Chunder Deb, Overseer, 2nd Grade, transferred to the Irrawaddy Valley State Railway under the authority of letter No. 276E., dated 12th February 1875, from the Director of State Railways, left this Railway on the 1st March 1875.

No. 37.—Mr. W. E. Anderson, Surveyor, ordered for British Burmah in letter No. 588E., dated 19th March 1875, from the Director of State Railways, left this Railway on the forenoon of the 29th idem.

No. 38.—Mr. W. W. Shanks, Personal Assistant to the Engineer-in-Chief, reported his return to duty from the extension leave granted him in No. 28 of 22nd February last on the forenoon of 7th April 1875.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

HOLKAR AND NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.

Mhow, the 23rd April 1875.

No. 26.—Mr. C. P. O'Rafferty, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is granted three months' leave to study the native languages, with effect from the 4th April 1875.

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief,
Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

WESTERN RAJPOOTANA RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 10th April 1875.

No. 497.—Mr. W. H. Parke, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, reported his return, on the forenoon of the 10th April 1875, from the privilege leave granted him in Gazette Notification No. 343 of 17th March 1875.

The unexpired portion of his leave, *viz.*, from 10th to 20th April, is cancelled at his request.

The 16th April 1875.

No. 562.—The one month's privilege leave granted to the late Mr. Supervisor Woodroffe, under Gazette Notification No. 2467 of 5th December 1874, is commuted to leave on medical

certificate, with effect from 8th December 1874, to 7th January 1875, and this is extended to 11th February 1875, date of Mr. Woodroffe's decease.

No. 563.—Kour Shyanlal Singh, Accountant, 4th Grade, is granted one month's privilege leave from such date as he may avail himself of the same.

The 17th April 1875.

No. 564.—Baboo Hurrish Chunder Roy Chowdhry, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, availed himself on the forenoon of the 5th April of the privilege leave granted to him in Gazette Notification No. 236 of 27th February 1875.

JAMES COLLET,
Engineer-in-Chief.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 30th April 1875.

No. 3.—Mr. R. C. Laughlin, an Assistant Superintendent of the 1st Grade, is allowed leave for six months on private affairs, with effect from the 1st June 1875, under Section 5, and subsidiary leave for ten days, under Section 10 of Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code.

R. MURRAY, *Lieut. Colonel,*
Dy. Director General of Telegraphs in India.

NOTIFICATION.

Notice is hereby given that, with the sanction of the Chief Commissioner of British Burma, a prize of *One Thousand Rupees* is offered, subject to the conditions herein set forth, to the composer of the best essay in English on the sources and History of Buddhist Law as it prevails in the Province of British Burma.

2. The Judges of the prize will be—

The Judicial Commissioner of British Burma.

A Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner of the Province to be nominated hereafter.

The Director of Public Instruction in British Burma.

The Professor of Law at the Government High School, Rangoon.

3. In the event of an equal division of opinion, the Judicial Commissioner shall have a casting vote.

4. The name of the composer shall not be disclosed on the essay, but the name and address shall be written on a piece of paper together with a motto corresponding with the motto of the essay, and shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope to be sent in with the essay.

5. The essays must be received in the Office of the Judicial Commissioner on or before the 1st day of May 1876.

6. The Judges reserve to themselves the power of withholding the prize should no essay be sent in which is, in their judgment, worthy to receive it.

T. D. SANDFORD,
Judicial Commissioner, British Burma.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion: Under Assay.	Balance of Bullion: Assayed.	Balance of Bullion: Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
April 19th, 1875 ...	...	...	12	11,902	51,33,487
" 20th " ...	...	...	12	11,846	50,33,487
" 21st " ...	...	...	12	10,509	49,33,487
" 22nd " ...	...	...	12	10,456	48,33,487
" 23rd " ...	...	...	12	10,432	46,83,487
" 24th " ...	...	...	12	10,436	45,83,487

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 26th April* 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 27th April 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...	2,20,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	1,50,31,843	1	1
Reserve Fund	16,05,235	13	1	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	75,05,498	0	0
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ... 1,97,61,400 5 5; General Treasury Balance at Branches ... 1,85,91,819 7 1	3,83,53,219	12	6	Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	76,41,337	9	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	2,05,22,879	9	0	Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches	2,13,42,776	12	9
Bank Post Bills, &c.	5,86,080	10	11	Dead Stock	10,78,411	14	10
Sundries	8,38,835	4	9	Stamps	12,813	1	1
				Balances with other Banks ...	5,47,912	4	2
				Sundries	23,272	10	8
				Bullion	51,846	14	3
					5,32,35,712	4	2
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... 1,26,73,293 7 7; Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... 1,79,97,245 6 6	3,06,70,538	14	1
TOTAL ...	8,39,06,251	2	3	TOTAL ...	8,39,06,251	2	3

BANK OF BENGAL; *Calcutta, 29th April* 1875.

J. GORDON, *Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.*

By order of the Directors,

R. HARDIE, *Secy. & Treasurer.*

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
7945	L 49—97803	50	Messrs. F. W. Heilgers, & Co.
7929	L 51—73256	100	Babu Sree Nath Moitro.
	" —73257	100	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
7927	L 33—19935	10	Hudjie Hamed Solomon.
7928	L 33—04146; " — 4149	10	Jugger Nath Ram Protap.
7932	L 4—07134	10	J. R. Napier, Esq.
	L 3—93634	10	
7933	L 50—67624	100	Bahadoor Sing Protap Sing.
7934	L 34—08091	10	J. Needham, Esq.
7935	L 6—15853	20	Babu Kedar Nath Mookeerjee.
7936	L 49—70490	50	Mahomed Abdool Rohomon.
	L 45—53019	20	
	L 46—47653	20	
	L 45—61472	20	
	L 46—47651	20	
	" —47664	20	
	" —47649	20	
	" —01338	20	
	L 45—92379	20	
	L 46—04608	20	
	" —47644	20	
7937	L 41—56374; " —56378	10	Capt. W. A. Roberts, R. H. A.
7938	L 20—08289; " —08296	5	Babu Kedar Nath.
7939	L 50—38624; " —32224	100	Messrs. Ambler & Co.
7940	**L 36—01434; " —06168; L 37—27566**	**20**	**Babu Kassi Nath Paul.**
7941	L 34—26827	10	Hurdoyal Bramun.
7944	A 97—95042; " —95043	10	Babu Nobin Gopaul Roy.
7946	L 4—30007; L 3—03210; A 97 - 99113	10	Ramdhun Dass Roghoonath Dass.
7948	L 11—97947	5	Babu Joykristo Sen.

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 30th April* 1875.

R. A. STERNDALE.
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
1875-76.			
5	C 69—56228	100	Captain C. C. Sevenoaks, No. 14, Phayre Street, Rangoon, Burmah.
7	C 86—64241	100	J. L. Johnstone, Esq., c. s., Rutnaghery.
12	C 91—92696	10	Shridhur Balkrishna, Assistant, Executive Engineer's Office, P. W. D., Oomraotee, Berar.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
1874-75.			
177	C 84—67638	20	Mahadew Wassoodew, Clerk, Collector's Office, Belgaum.
179	M 2—29304	5	George Scott, Esq., Dhoolia.
1875-76.			
8	C 93—35873	100	Rustomjee Fakirjee, Carting Agent's Office, Boree Bunder.
	C 70—81769	500	
10	M 2—47402	5	Francisco deSouza, Dhobitalao.
11	M 16—06605	10	Ardaseer Ruttonjee, Saklathwalla, Secunderabad.
	" —06606	10	
	" —06608	10	
	" —06614	10	
	" —06618	10	
	M 5—23170	50	
A4	M 2—46681 wrongly joined; " —47617	5	Wishwanath Shewshunker, Clerk, Audit Office, Great Indian Peninsula Railway, Bombay.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 20th April* 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Madras Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
20	B 28—68942	500	Womur Saib, 102, Ungapen Naick Street, Madras.
	„ —68953	500	
	„ —69130	500	
	„ —69306	500	
392	B 38—75006	100	M. Subbaroya Pillay, Mirasadar, Neidavasel Village, Sheally Taluq.
	B 44—00550	100	
	„ —00551	100	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
6	B 41—16708 } wrongly joined { „ —16707	10	C. Parthasarathy Naidu, Bill Collector of C. Nummiah Chetty and Sons, Madras.
7	B 41—06633	10	Yalamurthy Achayya, Rajahmundry.
	B 35—56628	20	
15	B 41—75231	10	V. Soobbaroyaloo, 78, Narain Moodelly Street, Black Town, Madras.
	„ —77114	10	
19	B 39—39549 } wrongly joined { „ —39540	5	M. Casavooloo Chetty, No. 38, Mint Street, Madras.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acct. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.; *The 19th April* 1875.

D. TEAGIAH,
Asst. to the Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Coconada Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
I 2—02693	500	P. W. Soobiah, Overseer, P. W. D., Vizagapatam.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

	Rs.	
B 36—35841 } wrongly joined { „ —35840	5	Mr. J. A. Wright, of Coimbatore.
I 6—14966	10	Mr. J. F. Belletty, of Mozufferpore.
„ —16368	10	V. Chelliah, Local Fund Overseer, Golgondah Taluq, Vizagapatam District.
I 5—07518	20	Attaloory Kotylingum, Pleader, Ellore, Godavery District.

COCONADA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 16th April* 1875.

H. RICHARDSON,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Nagpur Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
F 13—16617	5	Inspector of Schools, Northern Circle, Jabálpúr.
F 9—58282	50	E. Crandfield, Esq., Bombay.
F 10—47656	100	Messrs. Grindlay, Groom and Co., Bombay.

NAGPUR,—Paper Currency Office; *The 21st April* 1875.

R. N. RAY,
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Allahabad Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
380	D 10—50727	5	Bhagurit Sarun Lall, Allahabad.
	D 5—52517	20	
385	D 3—03544	100	Mohammed Musod Hossein Khan, Shahjehanpore.
386	D 11—01670	10	Lieutenant Colonel F. Brine, Jhansie.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
381	D 6—74037	10	Baboo Prosonna Coomar Sircar, Calcutta.
383	D 6—69257	10	Keval Kishen, Lahore.
384	D 5—74253 } wrongly joined { „ —74254	20	The Manager, Co-operative Store, S. P. and D. Railway, Lahore.
389	L 49—75099	50	Mr. G. Hedges, Ghazeeabad.

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office; *The 22nd April* 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Lahore Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
80	E 3—52688	100	Madho Ram, Simla.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
54	E 5—72821	20	Mullick Gurditta Mal, Rawul Pindee.
71	E 6—76188 } wrongly joined { „ —07501	10	Narain Chunder Chatterji, Booking Clerk, Bara Banki.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; *The 23rd April* 1875.

T. H. BIGGS,
Offg. Dy. Acct. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

Kurrachee Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
G 8—23050 } wrongly joined { „ —23047	20	Assajee Ujoo, Shop-keeper, Camp Kurrachee.

KURRACHEE,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 19th April* 1875.

W. PATTON,
Asst. Depy. Commr. of Paper Currency.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 30th April 1875.

Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per P. and O. Steamer *Khedive*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Monday, the 3rd proximo, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits, for transmission per Steamer *Oriental*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 2nd proximo, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo, for transmission per Steamer *Mahratta*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 2nd proximo, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 4th proximo, at 7 P. M.

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2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 6th idem.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M.

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List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 30th April 1875.

Baines, J.	Lynch, Miss B.
Barnes, Mrs.	Magill, H.
Battye, D.	Maguire, Mrs.
Berrington, E.	Masson, E. S.
Bloxam, R. H.	McNeema, J.
Bright, A.	Mills, H. F.
Cassidy, Mrs.	Moncrieff, Miss.
Clarke, Hon'ble Sir A.	Newman, Miss.
Clarke, Lady.	Phillips, S. R.
Engledine, Captain.	Pickford, C. E.
Gibbs, Col. J. J.	Prior, Major-General.
Godstein, Mrs. R.	Pugh, H. E.
Harrison, J. H. C.	Sebille, S., and Co.
Henly, J. C.	Smyth, G. R. C.
Herbert, S.	Stewart, G.
Holland, H.	Taeger, W. F.
Hope, Mrs. A.	Thacker, J. A. G.
Joseph, C.	Warren, Thomas.
Lucas and Co., A.	Willoughby and Co.

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Alexander, Hon. C.	Luigi, G.
Avallore, L.	McLean, W.
Bainbridge, F. C.	Miller, H. W.
Barbase, W. C.	Oates, Mrs. A. J.
Bills, Captain J. W.	Palmer, A. H.
Bowhay, Mr.	Parnham, J. L.
Brewster, J.	Pearse, Mrs. A. J.
Brown, Mrs.	Pearson, G.
Chisam, W.	Perra, T. R.
Connolly, N.	Phipps, C. E.
Croghan, W.	Pinckney, R. R.
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Greig, J.	Roberts, H.
Grinshaw, N.	Scott, E.
Groom, S. R.	Scott, Lieut. E. H. C.
Greenwood, H.	Shearman, J., Driver.
Havelock, G. B.	Southorn, R.
Hill, T. S.	Stephen, C.
Hill, H. H.	Tasserand, Monsr. T.
Hogendorp, Baron.	Verner, H. H.
Hobblecuse.	Wade, A. R.
Holl, C.	Watson, W.
Holmes, Miss E.	Watts, F.
Jones, J. J.	Williams, W.
Joseph, P. W.	Williams, Chas.
Lamm, S.	Wright, A.
Latham, C.	Young, F. W.
Levie, D.	

M. PERCY,
Post Master of Calcutta.

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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Indore, the 5th April 1875.

No. 75.—Serjeant L. Stephenson having been re-appointed on probation, to the Public Works Department, under orders from the Government of India, as Supervisor, 1st Grade, has been posted to the Mhow Division, which he joined on the 5th of April 1875.

The 30th April 1875.

No. 76.—Luchmun Pershad, Overseer, 1st Grade, Northern Road Division, has been granted fourteen days' privilege leave from such date as he may avail himself of it.

W. S. TREVOR, *Lieut. Col., V.C., R.E.,*
Offg. Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for C. India.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mount Aboo, the 28th April 1875.

No. $\frac{1061}{797}$ *G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Major C. H. Clay, Commandant, Deolee Irregular Force, received charge of the Harowtee and Tonk Agency, from Colonel J. A. Wright, on the afternoon of the 6th April 1875, and made over the same to Captain W. J. W. Muir on the forenoon of the 15th April 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Ootacamund, the 24th April 1875.

Subsidiary leave from 23rd to 27th October 1874, under the provisions of Chapter V, Section 18*b*, is granted to Major H. H. Godwin-Austen, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Grade, Topographical Survey Department, to enable him to join his appointment.

During the absence on privilege leave of Captain G. Strahan, R. E., Deputy Superintendent, in charge of No. 7, or Rajputana and Simla Topographical Survey, Lieutenant E. P. Leach, R. E., Assistant Superintendent, attached to that Party, will assume temporary charge, with effect from the 16th instant.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 1st May 1875.

No. 21.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. Thomas Campbell, to be Probationary Assistant Surveyor of the 4th Grade.

J. E. GASTRELL, *Colonel,*
Supdt. of Revenue Surveys, Upper Circle.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 1st May 1875.

No. 4.—Mr. H. E. Thompson, a Superintendent of the 2nd Grade, is allowed furlough for two years, with effect from the 14th June 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the same, under section 10 (*a*), and subsidiary leave not exceeding thirty days under 18 (*a*) of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 5.—Mr. A. D. Hill, an Assistant Superintendent of the 3rd Grade, is allowed privilege leave for three months under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the afternoon of the 11th April 1875.

No. 6.—Mr. J. H. Webster, a Sub-Assistant of the 2nd Grade, availed himself, on the forenoon of the 23rd April 1875, of the furlough and subsidiary leave granted to him in Notification No. 53 of the 11th March 1875.

The 7th May 1875.

No. 7.—H. Izaak Walton, recently transferred to the Establishment of this Department as a

Superintendent of the 2nd Grade, availed himself on the 24th April 1875 of the one year's furlough granted to him in Public Works Department Notification No. 133 of the 23rd March last.

R. MURRAY, *Lieut. Colonel,*
Offg. Director General of Telegraphs in India.

HIGH COURT.—Original Side.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 6th May 1875.

Mr. C. T. Davis, Chief Clerk, has obtained privilege leave for one month and twenty-three days from the 3rd instant.

Mr. A. S. Gasper, Assistant Registrar, has obtained leave of absence, on medical certificate, for five months from the 23rd of April 1875.

By order,
R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 27th April 1875.

No. 36.—Mr. J. H. Kenyon, Sub-Engineer, Umballa Division, Military Works, is granted two months' privilege leave from such date as he may be able to avail himself of it.

The 29th April 1875.

No. 37.—Mr. J. Hurst, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, is granted six months' sick leave from 10th March 1875.

No. 38.—Barrack Sergeant E. Dubery is transferred from the 4th to 3rd Circle, Military Works.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 30th April 1875.

No. 19.—Sub-Conductor J. Murray, Barrack Master, has been granted one month's privilege leave of absence, with effect from the 25th ultimo.

No. 20.—With reference to Notification No. 19 of this day, Sub-Conductor J. Murray, Barrack Master, returned from his privilege leave on the 18th instant, the unexpired portion thereof is hereby cancelled.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Mily. Works.

3rd Circle.

Meerut, the 27th April 1875.

No. 11.—With reference to Notification No. 30 of 5th April 1875, by the Inspector General of Military Works, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Nundoo Singh reported his departure from Morar, 3rd Circle, Military Works, on the 20th April 1875, in order to join the 2nd Circle, Military Works.

No. 12.—Sergeant W. Haywood, Overseer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the Agra to the Morar Division, Military Works, which he joined on the 2nd of March 1875.

G. P. deP. FALCONNET, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 3rd Circle, Military Works.

7th Circle.

The 30th April 1875.

No. 1204.—Privilege leave for thirteen days is granted to Mr. I. Calvert, Overseer, 2nd Grade, with effect from 6th April 1875.

G. P. deP. FALCONNET, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 7th Circle, Military Works.

8th Circle.

Rawulpindee, the 29th April 1875.

No. 780.—Privilege leave of absence for three months is granted to Lieutenant J. W. Thurburn, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, attached to the 2nd Rawulpindee Division, Military Works, from the 1st of May, or such date as he may avail himself thereof.

DAVID LIMOND, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 8th Circle, Military Works.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 30th April 1875.

No. 76.—Mr. J. Nicholls is temporarily appointed to the Public Works Department as a Supervisor, 1st Grade, and posted to the Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

The 1st May 1875.

No. 77.—With the sanction of the Government of India, Public Works Department, Mr. W. J. Galwey, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, is granted six months' special leave under Section 15 of the Civil Leave Code, subject to confirmation by Her Majesty's Secretary of State, and fifteen days' subsidiary leave from the date he may avail himself of the same.

The 3rd May 1875.

No. 78.—Mr. H. Clutterbuck, Junior, is temporarily appointed to the Public Works Department as an Overseer, 3rd Grade, with effect from the 10th April 1875, and posted to the Punjab Northern State Railway.

No. 79.—With reference to Government of Bombay, Military Department, Notification No. 269 of the 6th April 1875, Lieutenant Colonel J. Bonus, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is granted fifteen days' subsidiary leave from such date as he may avail himself of it.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Lahore, the 1st May 1875.

No. 47.—Mr. C. E. S. Younghusband, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is transferred from the Office of Engineer-in-Chief to the Jhelum Bridge Division, with effect from the forenoon of the 1st May 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 26th April 1875.

No. 85.—Mr. M. McInerney, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, transferred to this line by the Director of State Railways in his Notification No. 48, dated 3rd March, reported his arrival at Mooltan on the forenoon of this date, and is posted to the Upper Sind District.

No. 86.—Mr. J. E. Greenwood, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, Lower Sind District, is granted three months' leave on medical certificate in extension of that granted him in this Office Notification No. 288 of 12th December 1874.

The 29th April 1875.

No. 88.—This Office Notification No. 209 of 17th August 1874, granting Mr. R. H. Froude, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, forty-five days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave is cancelled.

No. 89.—Major K. A. Jopp, R. E., Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, is transferred from the Engineer-in-Chief's Office to that of the Superintending Engineer, Mooltan District.

No. 90.—The following transfer has been made by Superintending Engineer, Lower Sind District:—

Mr. P. C. Augier, temporary Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, from the Mehur to the Kotree Division.

F. W. PEILE, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

HOLKAR AND NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mhow, the 30th April 1875.

No. 27.—Corporal H. Rowe, R. E., appointed as an Overseer, 1st Grade, in Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 162 of the 30th March 1875, reported his arrival at Khandwa on the 30th April 1875, and is posted to the Nerbudda Division.

The 1st May 1875.

No. 28.—Mr. F. B. Walker, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, assumed charge of the Barnagar Division, from Mr. J. P. Vansittart, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, on the afternoon of the 24th April 1875.

No. 29.—In this Office Notification No. 7, in Part II of the *Gazette of India* of the 6th March 1875, regarding Mr. M. Trodden, read "Sub-Storekeeper, 1st Grade," for "Sub-Storekeeper, 2nd Grade."

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief,
Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 29th April 1875.

No. 558*E.*—Referring to Notification No. 446E of 29th ultimo, Woomesh Chunder Chatterjee, Accountant, 4th Grade, of the late Delhi Division, Rajpootana State Railway, is transferred to the Central Office of Accounts at Agra, which he joined on the forenoon of 26th instant.

No. 559*E.*—Mohumud Dhoomun Khan, Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, is transferred from the Controller's Office to that of the Storekeeper, Rajpootana State Railway, with effect from 16th ultimo.

The 3rd May 1875.

No. 567*E.*—Privilege leave of absence for fifteen days is granted to Overseer Chundee Ram, attached to the Delhi Division, Rajpootana State Railway, and he availed himself of it on the afternoon of the 25th April 1875.

The 4th May 1875.

No. 570*E.*—Referring to Notification (Part I) No. 152, dated 25th March 1875, Mr. E. Marval, Accountant, 1st Grade, was relieved of his duties in the Office of the Controller of Accounts, Rajpootana and Sindia State Railway, on the afternoon of 30th April 1875.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief, Agra District.

NORTHERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Parbatipur, the 27th April 1875.

No. 39.—Mr. T. E. Owen, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, posted to this Railway in Notification No. 45 of 26th February 1875 by the Director of State Railways, reported his arrival at Burrul on the forenoon of the 24th March 1875.

No. 40.—Mr. J. M. Luff, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, availed himself of the subsidiary leave granted by the Director of State Railways in his Notification No. 57 of 5th April 1875 on the afternoon of the 28th March 1875.

No. 41.—Mr. R. T. S. Anderson, Surveyor, ordered for British Burmah in letter No. 588E. of 19th March 1875 from the Director of State Railways, left this Railway on the forenoon of the 9th instant.

No. 42.—Mr. T. L. Tanner, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Rungpore Branch Division, is allowed five months' leave (three months to study the language, and two months' privilege) from 15th June next, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 43.—Mr. E. J. Newville, Accountant, 2nd Grade, attached to the Office of the Controller of Accounts, Northern Bengal State Railway, is granted one year's furlough with subsidiary leave for fifteen days under Sections 7 and 10 respectively, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from 1st April 1875.

No. 44.—Mr. A. Thuey, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, attached to Nator Division, is transferred to No. 2, Jaipur Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 14th April 1875.

No. 45.—Corporal J. Crampton, Overseer, 1st Grade, attached to No. 4, Haldibari Division, transferred to the Irrawaddy Valley State Railway under the authority of letter No. 276E. of 12th February 1875 from the Director of State Railways, was relieved of his charge on the afternoon of the 6th April 1875.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL'S OFFICE.

NOTICE.—The under-mentioned Estates having come under charge of this Office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the said Estates, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned:—

James Stuart Campbell, of Morrelgunge, in the District of Jessore, died at Morrelgunge on the 31st January 1875.

Richard Joseph Dickson Ferris, a Lieutenant Colonel in the Bengal Staff Corps, died at Dehra Doon on the 16th January 1875.

N. J. Jones, a Captain in the Retired List, died at Dehra Ghazee Khan on the 1st June 1874.

Charles Hugh Lushington, formerly of the Bengal Civil Service, died at Thorosby, Nottinghamshire, England, on the 3rd November 1874.

William Watson, formerly of Calcutta, a Member of the Firm of Messrs. Watson & Co., Wine Merchants, died in the year 1856. Transfer of Executorship under Sec. 31, Act II of 1874.

HIGH COURT, CAL., *The 17th April* 1875. } F. S. COLLIS, *Offg. Administrator Genl.*

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SURVEYOR GENERAL'S OFFICE, *Calcutta,* 15*th April* 1875. } J. O. N. JAMES, *Assistant Surveyor General.*

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th April 1875.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 per cent. Loans of 1824-25.	of 1838-39.	of 1839-40.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1866.	4½ per cent. Loans of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	5 per cent. Loan of 1866-67.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	5 per cent. Debentures for 10 years. Repayable, June 1877.	5 per cent. Debentures for 15 years. Repayable, June 1882.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Balance of 16th April 1875	55,600	33,173	2,946	16,14,136	[illegible]	1,11,09,300	1,27,83,300	40,64,000	2,53,000	3,22,21,700	92,000	5,20,23,000	34,46,000	35,65,000	14,11,14,405
Add—															
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 30th April 1875 ...	...	...	...	...	...	27,400	15,500	15,500	...	23,500	10,000	...	...	...	79,100
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 16th and 30th April 1875 ...	...	...	...	...	...	21,000	19,300	...	...	1,900	...	...	...	...	47,700
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th April 1875 ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,08,200	31,500	...	...	10,500	4,000	...	1,000	...	1,64,400
	55,600	33,173	2,946	16,14,136	[illegible]	1,67,74,200	1,11,37,300	40,68,800	2,53,000	3,22,32,700	93,000	5,20,70,500	34,56,000	35,65,000	14,14,90,105
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	...	...	1,64,900	28,000	4,900	...	1,000	1,000	47,500	10,000	...	3,75,700
Balance on 30th April 1875	55,600	33,173	2,946	16,14,136	[illegible]	1,66,09,300	1,11,09,300	40,64,000	2,53,000	3,22,21,700	92,000	5,20,23,000	34,46,000	35,65,000	14,11,14,405

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 28th Feb. 1875, enfaced from India 2,131 lakhs.
" 1st March 1875, to 15th March " " 14 " " " 3 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " 4 " " " 8 "
" 1st April " to 15th April " " 7 " " " 1 "
" 16th " " to 30th " " 2 " " " 3 "
2,159 2,090 ... 79 — 2,090 lakhs.

Balance against India

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL: *Calcutta, 3rd May* 1875 }

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Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 4th May 1875.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		16,05,235	13	1
	Rs. A. P.			
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	1,66,11,525 2 4	3,47,97,889	0	4
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,81,86,363 14 0			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		2,12,63,033	3	2
Bank Post Bills, &c.		5,99,006	3	2
Sundries		8,63,466	14	7
TOTAL ...		8,11,28,631	2	4

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,50,30,766	13	1
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		80,81,662	0	0
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		75,65,719	0	0
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,17,31,050	9	9
Dead Stock		10,77,342	7	1
Stamps		12,623	7	11
Balances with other Banks ...		5,61,184	1	8
Sundries		19,097	1	3
Bullion		16,039	12	3
		5,40,95,485	5	0
	Rs. A. P.			
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	1,09,52,739 8 6	2,70,33,145	13	4
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	1,60,80,406 4 10			
TOTAL ...		8,11,28,631	2	4

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL; *Calcutta, 6th May* 1875.

J. GORDON, *Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.*

R. HARDIE, *Secy. & Treasurer.*

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Madras Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
301	B 39—14620	5	B. Streenevassa Row, Prodatore.
3	B 35—29138	20	Streenevassa Iyengar, Salem.
25	B 38—99654	100	V. Ruthnum Pillay, No. 3, Vellala Street, Pursewalkum, Madras.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

390	B 41—50571	10	Mrs. M. J. Georges, Vellore.
	„ —62412	10	
5	B 28—67491	500	Seikh Amir Chodri, Lahore.
	„ —67984	500	
11	B 41—39434 wrongly joined	10	Shunmooga Moodelly, Paddy Merchant, Big Bazar, Madras.
	„ —39435		
23	B 39—75925 ditto	5	C. Gopal Naidu, Head Peon, Free Church Mission School, Madras.
	„ —75923		

FORT ST. GEORGE, Acct. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.; *The 26th April* 1875.

D. TEAGIAH, *Asst. to the Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.*

Bombay Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
1875-76.			
18	C 93—35905	10	Mr. G. Gonsalves, at Messrs. Treacher and Co., Byculla.
19	C 98—16575	10	Mr. Nursoo Lingoo, at Quarter Master General's Office, Ahmedabad.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

1875-76.			
A4	M 2—46681 wrongly joined	5	Wishwanath Shiwshunker, Great Indian Peninsula Railway. Audit Office, Bombay.
	„ —47617		
A5	C 84—29539 ditto	20	Valley Cassumbhoy, No. 28, Shamjee Hosajee Street, Khojamolla.
	„ —07849		
A6	C 97—02612 ditto	10	Mahamad Ally Khan Ibrahim Khan, No. 86, Jamlee Molla, near Null Bazar, Bombay.
	C 92—86255		
10	M 2—47402	5	Mr. F. DeSouza, Dhobie Talao, Fish Market, Bombay.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 27th April* 1875.

A. R. GORDON, *Assistant Commissioner.*

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
7950	L 15—12954	5	Babu Loknath Bosu.
	„ —11606	5	
7951	L 38—33385	100	Babu Mohesh Chunder Bosu.
2	L 49—77345	50	The Deputy Commissioner of Paper Currency, Allahabad.
3	L 50—54045	100	Messrs. Gopal Chunder Mitter & Co.
4	L 66—19311	50	C. T. Davis, Esq.
	„ —03097	50	
	„ —10099	50	
	„ —13824	50	
	L 49—70959	50	
5	L 41—68807	10	Rev. S. J. Hill.
	„ —68806	10	
6	L 51—61177	100	Babu Lal Behari Shome.
	L 66—16361	50	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
1	A 94—57590	20	Babu Nobin Kristo Bose.
	L 47—07596	20	
	L 48—54038	20	
	„ —54029	20	
	„ —72682	20	
2	L 38—81598	100	Babu Osheedharee Bosu.
3	L 39—08929	10	Babu Kalla Chand Shome.
4	L 40—69368	10	Babu Nocoor Chunder Bysack.
5	L 14—50998	20	Babu Jodoo Nath Banerjee.
6	A 88—89035	1,000	Roy Dhunoput Sing, Bahadoor.
	„ —88054	1,000	
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NOTIFICATIONS.—GENERAL.

Aboo, the 3rd May 1875.

No. 263.—Major H. M. Repton and Mr. J. D. LaTouche, respectively, delivered over and received charge of the Office of Deputy Commissioner, Ajmere, on the afternoon of the 17th April 1875.

The 6th May 1875.

No. 278.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. J. D. LaTouche is appointed, under Section 35 of Act X of 1872, Magistrate of the Ajmere and Mhairwarra District from the date of his assuming charge of the Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Ajmere, and until further orders.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Chief Commissioner.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.—MILITARY.

Aboo, the 6th May 1875.

No. $\frac{1147}{66}$ *M.*—LEAVE.—Lieutenant Colonel T. E. Gordon, C. S. I., Commandant, Meywar Bheel Corps, has been granted one month's preparatory leave from the 12th May 1875, in order to proceed to Bombay for the purpose of appearing before a Medical Board, with a view to obtain furlough to Europe on medical certificate.

The 7th May 1875.

No. $\frac{1169}{71}$*M.*—LEAVE.—Major C. G. Gunning, 2nd in Command, Meywar Bheel Corps, and 2nd Assistant Political Agent, Meywar, availed himself of the three months' privilege leave granted him in Notification No. $\frac{695}{28}$M, dated 1st March 1875, on the forenoon of the 24th April 1875.

GENERAL.

The 6th May 1875.

No. $\frac{1143}{834}$*G.*—LEAVE.—Captain Oliver St. John, Principal of the Mayo College at Ajmere, has been granted subsidiary leave from the 7th to the 24th January 1875, to enable him to join his appointment at Ajmere.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Indore Residency, the 4th May 1875.

No. 538.—Captain J. Homfray, Wing Subaltern of the Bhopal Battalion, is granted sixty days' privilege leave from the date in May on which he may avail himself thereof.

H. D. DALY, *Major General,*
Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Ootacamund, the 30th April 1875.

Lieutenant Gerald Martin, Assistant Superintendent of Survey, is appointed to the temporary charge of the 10th Deccan Topographical Survey from the 29th March 1875.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

GREAT TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mussooree, the 5th May 1875.

No. 9.—Mr. A. Christie, Surveyor, 4th Grade, is granted one month's privilege leave, from such date as his services can be spared.

The 7th May 1875.

No. 10.—Mr. E. P. Wrixon, Assistant Surveyor, 2nd Grade, is granted thirty days' privilege leave from the 12th ultimo to the 11th instant, both days inclusive.

J. T. WALKER, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Superintendent, G. T. Survey of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 4th May 1875.

No. 39.—Captain C. A. Sim, R. E., Executive Engineer, returned from furlough on 14th October 1874, and is posted to the Special Branch, Military Works.

Captain Sim took over charge of the 2nd Chuckrata Division on 26th October 1874.

No. 40.—Captain A. C. Padday, R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, returned from furlough on 28th November 1874, and is posted to 5th Circle, Military Works, which he joined on 12th December 1874.

The 7th May 1875.

No. 41.—Mr. G. de la Hoyde, Accountant, 4th Grade, Dalhousie Division, Military Works, is granted one month's privilege leave from 12th July 1875, or such subsequent date as he may be able to avail himself of it.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 8th May 1875.

No. 21.—With reference to Notification No. 28, dated 5th April 1875, by Inspector General of Military Works, Mr. T. H. Jewett, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, and Personal Assistant to Superintending Engineer, 2nd Circle, Military Works, availed himself of one month's privilege leave therein granted from the 6th May 1875.

No. 22.—With reference to Notification No. 30 of 5th April 1875, by the Inspector General of Military Works, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Nundoo Sing joined the Puchmurree Division, Military Works, on the morning of 3rd instant.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Mily. Works.

4th Circle.

The 4th May 1875.

No. 4.—Ensign F. T. Reilley, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, is transferred from the Ferozepore Division, Military Works, to the Dharmsalla Sub-Division, Jullundur Division, Military Works.

J. P. C. ANDERSON,
Supdg. Engr., 4th Circle, Military Works.

5th Circle.

The 3rd May 1875.

No. 4.—Mr. G. Pettitt, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, 1st Peshawur Division, is transferred to the 1st Rawulpindee Division, Military Works.

C. M. BROWNE, *Lieut. Col., R.E.,*
Offg. Supdg. Engr., 5th Circle, Mily. Works.

8th Circle.

Rawulpindee, the 5th May 1875.

No. 838.—Lieutenant E. H. Cameron, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is transferred from the 2nd Peshawur Division, Military Works, to the office of the Superintending Engineer, 8th Circle, Military Works, as a temporary arrangement. He reported his departure from the former on the 2nd instant, and his arrival at the latter on the 3rd idem.

DAVID LIMOND, *Major, R.E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 8th Circle, Military Works.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 4th May 1875.

No. 80.—Mr. C. Thomson, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Rajputana State Railway, passed the Departmental Standard Examination prescribed in Public Works Code, Chapter II, Section IV, paragraph 22, on the 5th April 1875.

The 7th May 1875.

No. 81.—Mr. W. Mellor, Chief Store-keeper, Punjab Northern State Railway, is granted six months' leave on medical certificate under Section 3, Supplement F. of the Civil Leave Code, and twelve days' subsidiary leave, with effect from the dates he may avail himself of the same.

No. 82.—CORRECTION.—On page 5 of the General Classification of Goods in force on State Railways, opposite the article "Koochla" or "Nux Vomica," *for* class 2 *read* class 1.

No. 83.—Mr. W. Scott, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Western Rajputana Railway, is granted twenty months' furlough under Section 10*a* of the Civil Leave Code, and thirty days' subsidiary leave, with effect from the dates he may avail himself of the same.

The 8th May 1875.

No. 84.—Mr. H. Leonard, Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, availed himself on the 4th May 1874 of the leave on medical certificate granted him in Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 249 of the 27th April 1874.

The 10th May 1875.

No. 85.—Mr. E. P. Woods is temporarily appointed to the Public Works Department as a Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, and posted to the Northern Bengal State Railway.

No. 86.—Baboo Prosonno Coomar Ghose is temporarily appointed to the Public Works Department as a Supervisor, 2nd Grade, and posted to the Northern Bengal State Railway.

No. 87.—Colonel F. W. Peile, R. E., Chief Engineer, 3rd Class, and Engineer-in-Chief, Indus Valley State Railway, is granted eighty-two days' privilege leave from the 15th instant, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 88.—The services of Mr. J. H. Thompson, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Sindhia State Railway, are dispensed with.

No. 89.—Mr. R. Willmot, in medical charge of the Rajpootana State Railway, is granted three months' privilege leave, with effect from the date he may avail himself of the same.

No. 90.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 219 of 4th May 1875, the under-mentioned Upper Subordinates are posted to the Northern Bengal State Railway:—

Sergeant E. Wickens, Supervisor, 2nd Grade.
Mr. F. Wilshaw, Supervisor, 2nd Grade.
Mr. F. Hiles, Overseer, 1st Grade.
Ardaseer Hormusjee, temporary Overseer, 2nd Grade.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 7th May 1875.

Under instructions from the Director of State Railways, the following stations on the Punjab Northern State Railway are opened for the receipt of public telegraph messages between the hours of 6 A. M. and 6 P. M. daily:—

Lahore.	Wazirabad.
Goojranwala.	

The 8th May 1875.

No. 48.—Lalla Jumna Dass, Accountant, 4th Grade, Office of Controller of Accounts, returned to duty from one month's privilege leave granted to him by Notification No. 34, dated 20th March 1875, on the forenoon of 1st May 1875.

No. 49.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 77, dated 1st May 1875, granting six months' special and fifteen days' subsidiary leave to Mr. W. J. Galwey, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, this Officer made over charge of the Jhelum Bridge Division to Mr. F. M. Avern, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, on the afternoon of 8th May 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 4th May 1875.

No. 91.—Mr. R. C. Williams, Engineer Apprentice, Sutlej Bridge Division, is granted three months' leave to study the native languages, together with forty-five days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from the 15th instant, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 92.—Mr. E. B. Medley, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, Sutlej Bridge Division, is granted forty-five days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from the 1st June 1875.

No. 93.—Mr. J. R. Bell, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, on special duty, Engineer-in-Chief's Office, is granted thirty-three days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from the 31st instant, or such subsequent dates as he may avail himself of it.

No. 94.—Lieutenant J. F. Hewson, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Indus Bridge Division, is granted ninety-two days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from the 1st June 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 95.—Mr. V. E. DeBroë, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, Sehwan Division, is granted three months' leave to study the native languages, with effect from the 15th instant, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 96.—Mr. B. A. Maine, Supervisor, 1st Grade, Indus Bridge Division, is granted ninety-two days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from 1st June 1875, or such subsequent date as he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

No. 97.—Lieutenant Colonel J. Bonus, R. E., Superintending Engineer, Lower Sindh District, reported his departure on furlough on the afternoon of the 15th April 1875.

No. 100.—With reference to Military Department Notification No. 440 of 1875, Mr. Apothecary J. Casey was relieved of his duties on this line on the afternoon of the 21st April 1875, making over the medical charge of the Mooltan District to Mr. T. Baron, Assistant Apothecary, on the same date.

The 5th May 1875.

No. 102.—Mr. C. G. C. Davis, Accountant, 3rd Grade, Central Office of Accounts, is granted ninety-two days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from the date he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

The 6th May 1875.

No. 104.—Mr. T. Reid, Overseer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the Mooltan to the Upper Sindh District.

F. W. PEILE, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 5th May 1875.

No. 574*E.*—Referring to Notification No. 458E., dated 31st March 1875, Mr. J. W. Buyers and Mr. E. J. Moore, respectively, made over, and took, charge of the Delhi Division on the afternoon of the 30th April 1875.

Mr. Buyers availed himself of the privilege leave granted him, on the forenoon of the 1st instant.

The 6th May 1875.

No 575*E*.—Baboo Nundun Sing, temporary Supervisor, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in Notification No. 518E., dated 16th April 1875, on the forenoon of the 1st instant.

The 10th May 1875.

No. 588*E*.—Mr. G. G. Hiley, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, transferred under Director of State Railways' Notification No. 61, dated 12th April 1875, reported himself on the forenoon of 10th instant to relieve Mr. C. Thompson, Store-keeper, Rajpootana State Railway, transferred to the Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief.

WESTERN RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 28th April 1875.

No. 662.—Lieutenant Colonel Malcolm George Clerk, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, reported his return to duty at Ajmere, on the forenoon of the 27th April 1875, from the furlough to Europe granted to him in Military Department Notification No. 225, dated 1st March 1873.

The 8th May 1875.

No. 746.—Captain R. J. Bond, R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, reported his departure from Bombay on forenoon of 8th March 1875, on eighteen months' furlough on medical certificate granted to him in Military Department Notification No. 348 of 1875.

JAMES COLLET,
Engineer-in-Chief.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 8th May 1875.

Offices opened and closed during the month of April 1875.

Name of Station.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
Akote ...	Berars ...	30th ...	Closed.
Allahabad City ...	N.-W. Provinces ..	5th ...	Opened.
Badulla ...	Ceylon ...	9th ...	Ditto.
Lucknow Cantonment ...	Oudh ...	1st ...	Ditto.
Wurdah ...	Berars ...	30th ...	Closed.

R. MURRAY, *Lieut. Colonel,*
Offg. Director General of Telegraphs in India.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

Mr. H. Woodrow, M.A., is appointed to officiate as Registrar, *vice* Mr. Sutcliffe resigned.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 14th May 1875.

J. SUTCLIFFE,
Registrar.

Report of a Deserter from the 73rd Regiment of Foot, dated at Cawnpore, this 11th day of May 1875.

Number, Rank, and Name,—$\frac{60 \text{ Bde.}}{\text{No. } 300}$, Private Ernest Nicolle.
Age,—20 years 10 months.
Size,—5 feet 7 inches.
Color of—
Complexion, Fresh; Hair, Brown; Eyes, Grey.
Date of Desertion,—5th May 1875.
Place of Desertion,—Pachmarhi.
Date of Enlistment,—5th December 1873.

At what Place enlisted,—Westminster.
Parish and County in which born,—St. Martins, Jersey, Channel Isles.
Marks,—Scar on left shoulder.
Trade,—Clerk.
Coat or Jacket, Waistcoat, Breeches or Trowsers. } Regimentals.
Under 2 years' service.

S. M. WISEMAN-CLARKE, *Lt.-Col.,*
Commanding 73rd Regiment.

WANTED

For the Kooldana Division, Special Military Works, Murree :—

1 Sub-Overseer, 1st Grade, pay Rs. 50.
1 Sub-Overseer, 2nd Grade, pay Rs. 35.
1 Sub-Overseer, 3rd Grade, pay Rs. 25.

Applicants must possess the qualifications laid down in Public Works Code, and the Sub-Overseer, 1st Grade, must, in addition, be able to read, or write English. Apply to the Executive Engineer, Kooldana Division, at Murree.

WANTED

A Cashier, for the Office of the Executive Engineer, Mhow Division, Holkar State Railway, salary Rs. 50 per mensem.

Application with copies of testimonials to be forwarded to the undersigned not later than the 20th May next.

The successful candidate will be required to lodge Rs. 1,000 as security, in cash or Government paper.

EDWARD JOHNSTON,
Executive Engineer,
Mhow Division,
Holkar State Railway, Mhow.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
May 3rd 1875 ...	...	7	...	8,006	42,63,487
" 4th " ...	...	...	...	8,006	42,63,487
" 5th " ...	...	...	...	8,277	41,63,487
" 6th " ...	...	...	...	9,704	41,25,487
" 7th " ...	...	...	...	9,621	41,25,487
" 8th " ...	...	...	...	9,585	40,25,487

CALCUTTA MINT,
The 10th May 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Mint Master.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Calcutta, the 13th May 1875.

Notice is hereby given that the Bank of Bengal, General Treasury, and Public Debt Office, will be closed on Monday, the 24th instant, in celebration of the anniversary of Her Majesty's Birthday, in conformity with Government Notification No. 3464 of 29th October 1867.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 11th May 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...	2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	16,05,235	13	1
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ... 2,11,50,576 1 1			
General Treasury Balance at Branches ... 1,63,37,312 10 4	3,74,87,888	11	5
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	1,95,10,470	5	5
Bank Post Bills, &c.	2,66,636	0	7
Sundries	8,90,310	1	8
TOTAL ...	8,17,60,541	0	2

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,45,29,854	15	1
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	77,67,871	3	5
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	80,28,271	7	6
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches	2,29,95,289	9	5
Dead Stock	10,76,677	13	11
Stamps	12,035	15	5
Balances with other Banks ...	7,27,799	7	11
Sundries	27,670	6	3
Bullion	62,643	9	9
	5,52,28,114	8	8
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... 97,81,142 6 3 Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... 1,67,51,284 1 3	2,65,32,426	7	6
TOTAL ...	8,17,60,541	0	2

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 13th May 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 218.—*Statement of the Monthly Accounts of the several Branches of the Public Works Department received in the Office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, up to the 30th April* 1875.

PUBLIC WORKS (BUILDINGS AND ROADS BRANCH AND MILITARY WORKS BRANCH) AND TELEGRAPH.

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Controller, Rajpootana.	Feb. 1875	April 5, 1875
2	Do., Bengal, for Port Blair.	Ditto ...	Do. 13, "
5	Do., Oudh ...	Ditto ...	Do. 21, "
6	Do., Hyderabad, for Berars.	Ditto ...	Do. 22, "
7	Do., Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
8	Do., Military Works.	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
9	Do., Central Provinces.	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
10	Do., British Burmah.	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
11	Depy. Contlr., Assam	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
12	Controller. Mysore, for Coorg.	Ditto ...	Do. 27, "
13	Do., Hyderabad	Ditto ...	Do. 29, "
14	Do., Central India	Jan. 1875	Mar. 24, "
15	Do., N.-W. Provinces.	Ditto ...	April 5, "
16	Do., Mysore ...	Ditto ...	Do. 5, "
17	Do., Bombay ...	Ditto ...	Do. 8, "
18	Do., Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 13, "
19	Do., Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Do. 13, "
	TELEGRAPHS.		
4	Contlr., Indo-European Telegraph.	Feb. 1875	April 20, 1875
3	Do. do., for Indian Telegraph.	Ditto ...	Do. 17, "

IRRIGATION.

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Contlr., Central Provinces.	Mar. 1875	April 29, 1875
2	Do., Rajpootana	Feb. "	Do. 5, "
3	Do., B. Burmah	Ditto ...	Do. 19, "
4	Do., Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 23, "
5	Do., N.-W. P. ...	Jan. 1875	Do. 5, "
6	Do., Bombay ...	Ditto ...	Do. 7, "
7	Do., Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Do. 10, "
8	Do., Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 13, "
9	Do., Mysore ...	Dec. 1874	Do. 5, "
	GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.		
1	Punjab ...	Feb. 1875	April 26, 1875
2	Oudh ...	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
3	Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Do. 27, "
4	Central Provinces	Jan. 1875	Mar. 19, "
5	Bombay ...	Ditto ...	April 8, "
6	Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 13, "

STATE RAILWAYS (CAPITAL).

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Controller, Sindia ...	Feb. 1875	Mar. 19, 1875.
2	Do. Nagpoor and Chutteesgurh.	Ditto ...	Apl. 5, "
3	Do. Wurdah Valley.	Ditto ...	Do. 13, "
4	Do. Western Rajpootana Survey.	Ditto ...	Do. 15, "
5	Do. Bengal, for Store-keeper.	Ditto ...	Do. 17, "
6	Do. Delhi District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 19, "
7	Do. Punjab Northern.	Ditto ...	Do. 22, "
8	Do. Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
9	Do. Indus Valley	Ditto ...	Do. 29, "
10	Do. Hyderabad ...	Ditto ...	Do. 29, "
11	Do. Agra District, Rajpootana.	Jan. 1875	Mar. 22, "
12	Do. Holkar ...	Ditto ...	Apl. 5, "
13	Do. Neemuch ...	Ditto ...	Do. 5, "
14	Do. Nizam's ...	Ditto ...	Do. 5, "
15	Do. Tirhoot ...	Ditto ...	Do. 7, "
16	Do. Hooblee and Carwar.	Ditto ...	Do. 8, "
17	Do. Northern Bengal.	Ditto ...	Do. 10, "
	STATE RAILWAYS (REVENUE).		
1	Controller, Wurdah Valley.	Mar. 1875	Apl. 26, 1875.
2	Examiner, Calcutta and South-Eastern.	Feb. 1875	Do. 5, "
3	Do. Nulhatee ...	Ditto ...	Do. 14, "
4	Controller, Oomraotee.	Ditto ...	Do. 19, "
5	Do. Khamgaum...	Ditto ...	Do. 19, "
6	Do. Holkar ...	Ditto ...	Do. 27, "
7	Do. Nizam's ...	Jan. 1875	Do. 5, "
8	Do. Rajpootana...	Ditto ...	Do. 12, "

SIMLA,
The 4th May 1875.

J. J. McLEOD INNES, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Accountant General, P. W. Dept.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

No. 157.—Account of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Government of India for the Month of December 1874, as compared with the corresponding period of 1873.

REVENUE AND RECEIPTS.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Dec. 1873.	April to Dec. 1874.	COMPARISON OF 2 YEARS. Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
I.—Land Revenue ...	21,404,000	12,409,611	12,249,948	...	159,668
II.—Tributes ...	726,000	527,765	484,653	...	43,112
III.—Forest ...	606,000	365,974	326,735	...	39,239
IV.—Excise ...	2,286,000	1,717,928	1,723,342	5,414	...
V.—Assessed Taxes ...	...	19,158	2,550	...	16,608
VI.—Customs ...	2,738,000	1,785,450	1,817,659	32,209	...
VII.—Salt ...	6,079,000	4,499,973	4,510,670	10,697	...
VIII.—Opium ...	7,615,000	6,127,320	6,389,156	261,836	...
IX.—Stamps ...	2,708,000	2,007,024	2,050,736	43,712	...
X.—Mint ...	124,000	13,526	195,384	181,858	...
XI.—Post Office ...	695,000	514,703	550,809	36,106	...
XII.—Telegraph (up to October) ...	241,200	102,921	118,246	15,325	...
XIII.—Law and Justice ...	333,000	273,449	245,852	...	27,597
XIV.—Marine ...	201,000	134,146	121,510	...	12,636
XV.—Interest ...	447,000	264,365	334,082	69,717	...
XVI.—Pensions ...	584,400	141,374	143,513	2,139	...
XVII.—Gain by Exchange ...	322,000	207,170	234,534	27,364	...
XVIII.—Miscellaneous ...	187,000	127,342	117,275	...	10,067
	47,296,600	31,239,199	31,616,649	377,450	...
Army Receipts ...	870,000	658,533	620,309	...	38,224
Public Works, Ordinary ...	64,300	49,463	31,835	...	17,618
Irrigation Receipts ...	491,000	296,555	297,577	1,022	...
State Railways ...	96,000	26,244	78,719	52,475	...
Traffic Receipts (Guaranteed Railways) ...	7,387,000	5,191,648	5,545,182	353,534	...
TOTAL ...	56,203,900	37,461,632	38,190,271	728,639	...
England, including Army and Public Works ...	167,100	184,342	256,735	72,393	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	56,371,000	37,645,974	38,447,006	801,032	...

EXPENDITURE.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Dec. 1873.	April to Dec. 1874.	COMPARISON OF 2 YEARS. Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Interest on Funded and Unfunded Debt ...	2,917,000	1,882,479	1,952,843	70,364	...
2.—Interest on Service Funds ...	359,000	334,639	292,364	...	42,275
3.—Refunds and Drawbacks ...	262,000	190,248	222,663	32,415	...
4.—Land Revenue ...	2,569,400	1,708,649	1,705,304	...	3,345
5.—Forest ...	440,000	279,256	284,600	5,344	...
6.—Excise on Spirits and Drugs ...	87,000	95,610	62,244	...	33,366
7.—Assessed Taxes ...	...	2,180	...	...	2,180
8.—Customs ...	186,000	136,156	130,956	...	5,200
9.—Salt ...	490,000	356,165	351,266	...	4,899
10.—Opium ...	2,115,000	1,730,866	2,068,290	337,424	...
11.—Stamps ...	70,500	51,778	49,127	...	2,651
12.—Mint ...	82,000	42,175	154,100	111,925	...
13.—Post Office ...	733,600	550,026	576,397	26,371	...
14.—Telegraph (up to October) ...	382,100	176,786	188,049	11,263	...
15.—Administration, &c. ...	1,191,500	915,365	883,422	...	31,943
16.—Minor Departments ...	288,600	202,225	184,265	...	17,960
17.—Law and Justice ...	2,277,000	1,692,921	1,697,407	14,486	...
18.—Marine ...	383,200	254,978	288,867	33,889	...
19.—Ecclesiastical ...	158,100	115,382	117,199	1,817	...
20.—Medical Services ...	180,200	132,497	138,576	6,079	...
21.—Political Agencies ...	402,000	208,748	236,218	27,470	...
22.—Allowances and Assignments ...	1,702,600	968,613	940,770	...	27,843
24.—Superannuation, &c. ...	700,000	415,181	524,378	109,197	...
25.—Loss by Exchange ...	746,000	707,103	554,976	...	152,127
26.—Miscellaneous ...	44,800	28,615	73,566	44,951	...
27.—Allotments for Provincial Services ...	5,030,000	3,749,152	3,792,950	43,798	...
28.—Famine Relief ...	2,522,000	...	...	...	...
	26,254,600	16,917,793	17,470,797*	553,004	...
Army Charges ...	11,869,700	8,497,788	8,528,745	30,957	...
Public Works, Ordinary (including Irrigation) ...	2,421,200	1,499,300	1,452,647	...	46,653
Do. do. Extraordinary (including Railways) ...	3,420,000	1,671,530	1,987,994	316,464	...
Land and Supervision ...	129,000	116,314	52,367	...	63,947
Guaranteed Interest paid in India ...	36,000	17,685	18,851	1,166	...
State Railways ...	104,000	52,575	74,931	22,356	...
Working Expenses (Guaranteed Railways) ...	4,085,000	2,612,526	2,577,415	...	35,111
TOTAL ...	48,319,500	31,385,511	32,163,747	778,236	...
England, including Army, Guaranteed Interest, Public Works, Ordinary ...	14,002,500	8,644,020	9,225,717	581,697	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	62,322,000	40,029,531	41,389,464	1,359,933	...

* Exclusive of famine charges.

E. GAY,
Deputy Comptroller General.

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

COMPTROLLER GENL.'S OFFICE;
CALCUTTA,
The 12th May 1875.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
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	„ —38610	5	
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The 14th May 1875.

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1874-75.				
A83	C 97—68008 / „ —68009	wrongly joined	10	Nurharee Kerba Komptee, Shop-keeper, Mahableshwar.
1875-76.				
A1	C 96—85977 / „ —85980	ditto	10	Vishnoo Venayeck, Collector's Office, Poona.
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The 4th May 1875.

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K 1—18057 / —18067	10	Hajee Curreem Janmahomed, of Bombay.

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13	B 36—61304	5	Bava Saw Meah, of Panagoody, Nangoonary Talook, Tinnevelly District.
	„ —61306	5	
	B 34—17811	10	
	„ —27988	10	
	„ —80404	10	
	B 41—00371	10	
	„ —04697	10	
	B 35—42280	20	
	B 38—64467	100	
	„ —92665	100	
	„ —92764	100	
	„ —97839	100	
	B 44—00163	100	
	„ —06426	100	

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7	B 8—89322	10	Ramiah Shanbogue, of Naglapura, Kadaba Talook, Toomkur.
	B 9—66770	20	
16	B 39—49138	5	Mr. W. Marlam, Cavalry Road, Bangalore.
	B 41—38931	10	
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	„ —82414	10	
	„ —82426	10	
	„ —82427	10	
28	B 35—41392	20	T. Ramoo Chetty, 87, Iron Bazaar, Rassapah Chetty Street, Madras.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acct. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 3rd May 1875.

D. TEAGIAH,
Asst. to the Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Allahabad Circle.

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Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
400	D 4—47327	50	Jumna Pershad, Pertabgurh.
406	D 8—21811	500	Motee Ram Sah, Naini Tal.

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401	D 10—44759	5	Ameer Ally, Bharaich.
	D 6—98474	10	
404	D 10—60118	5	Chaida Lall, Todgurh, Ajmere.
	„ —60119	5	

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The 6th May 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
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Lahore Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
87	E 4—60044	50	Mr. A. J. Daniels, Rawulpindi.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office;
The 8th May 1875.

T. H. BIGGS,
Offg. Dy. Acct. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 14th May 1875.

Mails for Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits, for transmission per Steamer *Goa*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 16th instant, at 7 P. M.

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Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per P. and O. Steamer *Thibet*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Monday, the 17th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Port Blair and Camorta, for transmission per Steamer *Himalaya*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 18th instant, at 7 P. M.

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Mails for Madras, Ceylon, and the intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer *Malda*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 19th instant, at 7 P. M.

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Battye, D.	Magill, H.
Berrington, E.	Masson, E. S.
Brame, A.	Pickford, C. E.
Bright, A.	Pugh, H. E.
Clarke, Hon'ble Sir A.	Sebille, S., and Co.
Clarke, Lady.	Smyth, G. R. C.
Floriken, A.	St. Clair, Miss A.
Gibbs, Col. J. J.	Taeger, W. F.
Harrison, J. H. C.	Thacker, J. A. G.
Henly, J. C.	Warren, Thomas.
Holland, H.	Warne, J. C.
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Alexander, Hon'ble C.	Jones, J. J.
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Connolly, N.	Pearse, Mrs. A. J.
Croghan, W.	Pearson, G.
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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Indore Residency, the 14*th May* 1875.

No. 598.—With reference to Notification No. 849G. of the 7th May 1875, Surgeons D. F. Keegan, M.D., and R. Caldecott, delivered over and received medical charge, respectively, of the 2nd Regiment, Central India Horse, and of the Western Malwa Agency, on the forenoon of the 10th May 1875.

H. D. DALY, *Major-General,*
Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER, RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mount Aboo, the 8*th May* 1875.

No. 1251*S.*—Mr. E. McA. Moir, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Ajmere and Mhairwara, availed himself, on the 30th April 1875, of the three months' privilege leave of absence granted him as per Notification No. 982S., dated 8th April 1875, published in the *Gazette of India* dated 17th April 1875, Part II, page 211.

By order,
A. G. CROMMELIN,
Secy. to the Agent, Govr. Genl., and Chief Commr. in the P. W. D., Rajpootana.

TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 17*th May* 1875.

Privilege leave for two months is granted to Mr. C. T. Templeton, Assistant Surveyor, from 6th April 1875, under Section 12, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

Major H. H. Godwin-Austen, Deputy Superintendent, 2nd Grade, recently employed with the Duffla Military Expedition, resumed charge of No. 6, or Khasi and Garo Hills, Topographical Survey, on the afternoon of the 29th April 1875.

2. Captain W. F. Badgley, Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 3rd Grade, is allowed three months' privilege leave, under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, from the afternoon of the 1st May 1875.

Privilege leave for one month, from such date as he may be able to avail himself of it, is granted to H. Horst, Esq., Assistant Superintendent of Survey, under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code.

The privilege leave granted to Mr. W. C. G. Barckley, Assistant Surveyor, in Notification dated 20th March last, is to have effect from the 14th April 1875, instead of from the date therein specified.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 19*th May* 1875.

Captain William Jackson Stewart, Assistant Superintendent of Revenue Survey, for one month, under Chapter VI, Section 21, of the Civil Leave Code, from the 29th April 1875.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

GREAT TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mussooree, the 18*th May* 1875.

No. 11.—Mr. J. O. Hughes, Assistant Surveyor, 3rd Grade, is granted three months' privilege leave from such date as his services can be spared.

J. T. WALKER, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Superintendent, G. T. Survey of India.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 21st May 1875.

No. 8.—Mr. J. S. Lincoln, an Assistant Superintendent of the 1st Grade, is allowed furlough for one year, with effect from 1st June 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it, under Section 7, and subsidiary leave for fifteen days under Section 10 of Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code.

R. MURRAY, *Lieut. Colonel,*
Offg. Director General of Telegraphs in India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 12th May 1875.

No. 42.—Mr. J. Purdie, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, 1st Allahabad Division, is granted two months' leave to study the native languages, and one month's privilege leave in addition, from such date as he may be able to avail himself of it.

The 13th May 1875.

No. 43.—Mr. N. A. R. Chambers, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is transferred from 5th to 2nd Circle, Military Works.

Mr. F. W. Morse, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is transferred from 2nd to 5th Circle, Military Works.

The 14th May 1875.

No. 44.—Mr. W. Browne, Superviser, 2nd Grade, Darjeeling Division, is granted four months' sick leave from 27th February 1875. This cancels Inspector General's Notification No. 145, dated 14th December 1874, granting Mr. Browne three months' privilege leave.

No. 45.—Lieutenant W. L. Greenstreet, R. E., Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, Agra Division, is granted three months' privilege leave, of which he availed himself on the 27th April 1875.

No. 46.—In Inspector General's Notification No. 35, dated 15th April 1875, for the words "Mr. E. LeLievre, Assistant Engineer, is appointed to the temporary charge of the Fyzabad Division," *read* "Mr. E. LeLievre is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer of the Fyzabad Division."

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

8th Circle.

The 14th May 1875.

No. 896.—Lieutenant Thurburn, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Rawalpindi Division, availed himself of the leave granted per Notification No. 780 of the 29th April 1875, on the 12th instant.

DAVID LIMOND, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 8th Circle, Military Works.

HIGH COURT.—Original Side.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 18th May 1875.

Mr. A. S. Gasper, the Assistant Registrar of the Court, having obtained five months' leave of absence, with effect from the 24th of April last, the Hon'ble the Officiating Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council, appointed Mr. E. Warde Jones to officiate for Mr. Gasper so long as may be necessary during his absence on leave.

By order,
R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

It is ordered that the following Rule be read and passed as a rule and order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to take effect from the first day of June 1875 :—

When a case occupies more than one day, the plaintiff shall, every day after the first day, at the sitting of the Court, deliver to the principal officer in attendance a requisition to proceed with the case, with a Court Fee Stamp affixed thereon of the value of Rs. 20 [being the amount of the fee payable to the Court according to item 21 of the first of the schedules of Court Fees, which came into effect on the 9th day of March 1874]. Such fee, if not paid by the plaintiff, may be paid by the defendant, or if there be two or more defendants, by any one or more of them; but if not paid at all, the case may be struck out of the board and treated as having been abandoned. If such fee be paid by the defendant, or any one or more of two or more defendants, the Court may make such order with respect thereto on the final disposal of the suit as to it shall seem fit.

A. G. MACPHERSON.	E. G. BIRCH.
LOUIS S. JACKSON.	G. G. MORRIS.
J. B. PHEAR.	R. C. MITTER.
W. MARKBY.	W. F. McDONELL.
F. A. GLOVER.	H. B. LAWFORD.
CHARLES PONTIFEX.	

The 17th May 1875.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 12th May 1875.

No. 91.—Sergeant R. Colcombe, late Overseer, 1st Grade, Holkar and Neemuch State Railways, is granted leave on medical certificate from the 10th February to the 4th March 1875.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 10th May 1875.

No. 105.—Mr. J. B. Chalmers, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the office of the Engineer-in-Chief to the Mooltan District.

The 13th May 1875.

No. 106.—Mr. J. B. Chalmers, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Shoojabad Division, is granted seventy-nine days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from June 7th, or such subsequent date as he may be able to avail himself of it.

No. 107.—Mr. A. Brereton, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Sutlej Bridge Division, is granted seventy-four days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from June 15th, or such subsequent date as he may be able to avail himself of it.

No. 109.—Mr. H. O'Connor, Accountant, 4th Grade, transferred to this line by Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 206, dated 30th April 1875, reported his arrival at Mooltan on the forenoon of the 12th instant, and is attached to the Central Office of Accounts.

No. 110.—Mr. J. W. Brassington, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Shoojabad Division, is transferred to the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, as a temporary arrangement, for special duty.

No. 111.—The following posting and transfers have been made by Superintending Engineers :—

Mr. J. B. Chalmers, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, to the Shoojabad Division.

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F. W. PEILE, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

SINDIA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Agra, the 18th May 1875.

No. 5.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 64 of 12th April 1875, Mr. W. Tatlock, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, transferred from Indus Valley State Railway, reported his arrival at Agra on the afternoon of the 17th instant.

Mr. Tatlock is posted to No. 1 Survey Party.

C. J. MEAD, *Major,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 7th May 1875.

Under instructions from the Director of State Railways, the following stations on the Punjab Northern State Railway are opened for the receipt of public telegraph messages between the hours of 6 A. M. and 6 P. M. daily :—

Lahore.	Wazirabad.
Goojranwala.	

The 15th May 1875.

No. 50.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 81, dated 7th May 1875, Mr. W. Mellor, Chief Store-keeper, Punjab Northern State Railway, availed himself of the subsidiary leave therein granted on the forenoon of the 8th May 1875.

No. 51.—Subject to the approval of the Director of State Railways, Mr. J. H. L. Patterson, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, Chenab Depôt, is transferred to Lahore, and placed in charge of the Office of Chief Store-keeper, with effect from the forenoon of the 8th May 1875.

No. 52.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 61, dated 12th April 1875, transferring Mr. G. G. Hiley, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, from Punjab Northern State Railway to the Rajputana State Railway, this officer made over charge of the Ravee Section Depôt Stores to Mr. James Smith, Sub-Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, on the forenoon of the 5th May 1875, and left for Agra on the afternoon of the 6th idem.

No. 53.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 77, dated 1st May 1875, granting six months' special and fifteen days' subsidiary leave to Mr. W. J. Galwey, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, Punjab Northern State Railway, this officer made over charge of the Jhelum Bridge Division to Mr. F. M. Avern, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, on the afternoon of the 8th May 1875, and on the same date availed himself of the subsidiary leave.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 15th May 1875.

No. 603*E.*—Mr. S. Kiddle, Accountant, 3rd Grade, availed himself on the 5th April 1875 of the subsidiary leave granted to him in Notification No. 466E, dated 2nd April last, and reported his departure from Bombay, on the 5th instant, for Europe on sick leave for six months, granted to him in above Notification.

This cancels Notification No. 514E., dated 15th April last.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
May 10th 1875 ...	...	...	...	9,547	39,35,487
" 11th " ...	...	...	...	9,190	39,76,487
" 12th " ...	...	...	...	9,150	39,75,487
" 13th " ...	...	...	...	9,129	39,75,487
" 14th " ...	...	...	...	9,099	37,95,487
" 15th " ...	...	...	...	9,091	37,88,487

CALCUTTA MINT,
The 17th May 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Mint Master.

No. 1.

ANNUAL STATEMENT.

Abstract of Operations of the Government Savings Bank from 1st April 1874 to 31st March 1875.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance due to Depositors in 1873-74 ...	...			35,41,722	4	6
Deposits in 1874-75 ...	11,93,428	12	4			
Interest allowed to Depositors in 1874-75 ...	1,18,133	0	3	13,11,561	12	7
				48,53,284	1	1
DEDUCT— Withdrawals in 1874-75	16,80,919	10	9			
Investment in Government Loans ...	62,168	14	7	17,43,088	9	4
BALANCE ...	...			31,10,195	7	9
LIABILITIES. Balance due to Depositors in 1874-75 ...	...			31,10,195	7	9
ASSETS. Due by General Books ...	29,92,062	7	6			
Interest allowed to Depositors in 1874-75 ...	1,18,133	0	3	31,10,195	7	9

BANK OF BENGAL;
GOVT. SAVINGS BANK,
Calcutta, 19th May 1875.

R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th May 1875.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 per cent. Loans												4½ per cent. Loans			5 per cent. Loan of 1866-67.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1869-70.	5 per cent. Debentures for 10 years.	5 per cent. Debentures for 15 years.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
	of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1866.							of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.			Repayable, June 1877.	Repayable, June 1882.	
Balance of 30th April 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	16,14,186	32,42,500	1,66,09,300	1,11,09,300	1,27,83,300						40,64,000	2,53,000	3,22,21,700	92,000	5,20,23,000	34,46,000	35,65,000	14,11,14,405
Add—																					
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th May 1875 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...						...	...	1,500	...	...	...	...	1,500
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 1st and 15th May 1875 ...	...	...	...	6,500	...	6,000	4,000	...						...	...	3,000	...	...	...	...	19,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th May 1875 ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,92,200	22,000	2,75,100						...	...	8,000	...	1,83,000	10,000	...	6,90,3.0
	55,600	33,173	2,346	16,14,186	32,42,500	1,68,07,500	1,11,35,300	1,30,58,400						40,64,000	2,53,000	3,22,34,200	92,000	5,22,06,000	34,56,000	35,65,000	14,18,25,705
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	...	...	...	42,500	16,500						...	...	1,20,000	...	1,80,500	...	...	4,66,100
Balance of 15th May 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	16,14,186	32,42,500	1,67,14,900	1,10,92,800	1,30,41,900						40,64,000	2,53,000	3,21,14,200	92,000	5,20,25,500	34,56,000	35,65,000	14,13,59,605

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th March 1875, enfaced from India 3,145 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 2,068 lakhs.

16th March 1875 to 31st	"	"	8	"
1st April	" to 15th April	"	4	"
16th	" to 30th	"	7	"
1st May	" to 15th May	"	2	"
			7	"
			2,165	
			2,064	
			1 lakh.	
			3 lakhs.	
			4	"
			2,064 lakhs.	

Balance against India ... 81

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 18th May 1875.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 18th May 1875.

LIABILITIES.		Rs. A. P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...		2,20,00,000 0 0
Reserve Fund		16,05,225 13 1
	Rs. A. P.	
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	2,31,82,491 13 3	3,87,77,111 4 10
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,55,94,619 7 7	
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		1,86,68,517 1 4
Bank Post Bills, &c.		2,28,300 9 11
Sundries		9,22,416 10 11
TOTAL ...		8,22,01,571 8 1

ASSETS.		Rs. A. P.
Government Securities		1,41,66,297 8 9
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		79,42,400 13 2
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		82,16,677 13 3
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,33,92,289 6 1
Dead Stock		10,76,198 5 0
Stamps		11,746 14 5
Balances with other Banks ...		7,84,863 1 0
Sundries		27,637 11 9
Bullion		51,526 14 0
		5,56,69,638 7 5
	Rs. A. P.	
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	1,13,54,472 7 0	2,65,31,933 0 8
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	1,51,77,460 9 8	
TOTAL ...		8,22,01,571 8 1

BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 20th May 1875.

J. GORDON,
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Madras Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
2	B 39—55378	5	Seenappah, Mootsuddy, No. 5, Sub-Division, Mysore, Public Works Department, Hassan.
	B 41—37899	10	
30	B 44—18136	100	G. Streenevassa Row, Sheristadar, Sub-Court of Cuddapah, Gooty.
	" —18137	100	
	" —18138	100	
	" —18139	100	
	" —18140	100	
	" —18141	100	
	" —18142	100	
	" —18144	100	
	" —18145	100	
	" —18146	100	
	" —18147	100	
	" —18148	100	
	" —18149	100	
	" —18152	100	
	" —18153	100	
	" —18154	100	
	" —18155	100	
35	B 35—76889	20	Reverend E. J. Heeren, M. A., Arcot Mission House, Coonoor.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acct. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 10th May 1875.

D. TEAGIAH,
Asst. to the Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Calicut Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
B 34—58320	10	Ramaswami Patter, Povang Taluq, Shroff.
I 7—30694	5	
I 3—67681	100	Agent, Oriental Bank, Tellicherry.
B 32—42685	50	Cashier, Madras Railway Company, Madras.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

	Rs.	
B 34—57802	10	B. Luxminarayaniah, of Kadur District.
" —57803	10	

CALICUT,—Paper Currency Office;
The 13th May 1875.

P. A. COLE,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
19	L 51—52302	100	Babu Kooloda Prosad Sen.
20	L 42—18134	10	The Offg. Post Master General, Bengal.
21	L 38—58749	100	H. Cosmon, Esq.
	„ —54052	100	
	„ —25952	100	
	„ —09373	100	
	„ —56470	100	
22	L 50—92158	100	Hakeem Doorga Prosad.
23	L 68—00662	100	G. Groves, Esq.
24	L 49—28332	50	Messrs. King, Hamilton & Co.
25	L 50—78796	100	John Driscoll, Esq.
	„ —42349	100	
26	L 50—77696	100	Sakhi Chand.
	„ —71260	100	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
13	L 17—98733	5	R. C. Perry, Esq.
	„ —98734		
14	L 11—20938	5	Major J. M. Gream.
	„ —20939		
15	L 17—83367	5	Babu Jodoo Nath Pan.
	„ —83364		
16	L 16—90402	5	Brodjo Lall Baj Pie.
	„ —90401		
17	L 36—99386	20	The Treasury Officer, Dharmsalah.
	D 5—67807		
18	A 97—97282	10	Babu Madhub Lall Shaw.
	„ —97283		
19	L 9—51649	5	A. F. Galindo, Esq.
	„ —51749		
20	L 10—25102	5	Savial D'Rozario, Esq.
	„ —25101		
24	L 50—91195	100	Babu Jogo Mohun Sing.
25	L 49—18767	50	Moonshi Showkut Ally.
26	L 43—26541	10	H. H. Davis, Esq.
	L 20—57029	5	
	„ —57036	5	
	„ —57038	5	
	„ —57039	5	
27	L 46—18235	20	Babu Bhola Nath Dey.
	L 45—85262	20	
28	L 43—56285	10	Babu Brodjo Lal Dass.
	„ —56273	10	
	„ —56278	10	
	„ —56282	10	
	„ —56262	10	
29	L 49—63482	50	Messrs. Schoeniman.
30	L 51—70103	100	Babu Mohendro Nath Ghose for Babu Petamber Banerjee.
	„ —74223	100	
	„ —71744	100	
	„ —74222	100	
31	L 40—61919	5	Babu Roghoo Nath Dass.
32	L 40—28222	10	James Augher, Esq.
	L 46—53915	20	
33	L 47—45291	20	T. Curtis, Esq.
34	L 4—67504	10	Babu Jankee Pershad.
35	L 43—26943	10	William Thomas, Esq.
	L 46—32606	20	
36	L 6—50199	10	Babu Sree Nath Chuckerbutty.
37	L 50—16294	100	Babu Loke Nath Poddar.
	L 19—23575	50	
	„ —39958	50	
	L 66—11260	50	
	„ —11268	50	
	L 49—53245	50	
	„ —99394	50	
38	L 33—99484	10	Babu Noro Kanto Borooah.
39	L 35—90154	10	Syed Kasim Ali.

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 21st May* 1875.

R. A. STERNDALE.
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
1874-75.			
175	C 78—23141	20	Dajee Dhondoo, 3rd Class Hospital Assistant, in charge Dispensary, Mandvie, Zillah Surat.
	C 82—30959	10	
1875-76.			
41	C 78—62074	20	Captain E. A. Butler, 83rd Regiment, Mount Aboo.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 11th May* 1875.

A. R. GORDON.
Assistant Commissioner.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
406	D 5—56364	20	Motee Ram Sah, Naini Tal.
413	D 7—58368	100	Jawahir Lall, Hurdwar.
	„ —58369	100	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
407	D 5...50104	20	Lieutenant-Colonel H. C. Anderson, Bhaugulpore.
408	D 5—70030 wrongly joined	20	Jodunath Mookerjee, Allahabad.
	„ —70040		
409	D 5—50791	20	Hanooman Mahajun, Etawah.
410	D 7—61325 wrongly joined	100	Surgeon R. C. Parkinson, M. D., Kussoulie.
	„ —61326		
415	D 6—81666 ditto	10	Surgeon Major J. C. Corbyn, M. B., Bareilly.
	„ —81667		
418	D 10—48164	5	Sergeant I. Fawcet, Banda.

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office; *The 13th May* 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

WANTED

A Draftsman for the present season at Simla in the Public Works Secretariat.

None need apply who do not really draw well with instruments.

Salary according to qualifications.

Copies only of testimonials to be sent, which will not be returned.

Apply to the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, Simla.

WANTED

For the Kooldana Division, Special Military Works, Murree :—

1 Sub-Overseer, 1st Grade, pay Rs. 50.
1 Sub-Overseer, 2nd Grade, pay Rs. 35.
1 Sub-Overseer, 3rd Grade, pay Rs. 25.

Applicants must possess the qualifications laid down in Public Works Code, and the Sub-Overseer, 1st Grade, must, in addition, be able to read, or write English. Apply to the Executive Engineer, Kooldana Division, at Murree.

WANTED

A Cashier, for the Office of the Executive Engineer, Mhow Division, Holkar State Railway, salary Rs. 50 per mensem.

Application with copies of testimonials to be forwarded to the undersigned not later than the 20th May next.

The successful candidate will be required to lodge Rs. 1,000 as security, in cash or Government paper.

EDWARD JOHNSTON,
Executive Engineer,
Mhow Division,
Holkar State Railway, Mhow.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 21st May 1875.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 25th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras, Ceylon, and the intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer , will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 26th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Ceylon and the Australian Colonies, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 26th instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 28th instant.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 27th idem.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M.

Mails for Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America, and the Colonies of Queensland and Victoria, *viâ* Torres Straits (letters, &c., for the latter Colony must be specially superscribed), for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Friday, the 28th instant, at 7 P. M.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 21st May 1875.

Baines, J.	Joseph, C.
Battye, D.	King, J. W.
Berrington, E.	**Lucas, A., & Co.**
Brame, A.	**Magill, H.**
Bright, A.	**Pickford, C. E.**
Browne, Colonel H. A.	**Pugh, H. E.**
Butler, M. L.	**Padday, Captain A. C.**
Clarke, Hon'ble Sir A.	Sebille, S., & Co.
Clarke, Lady.	Smyth, G. R. C.
Daniel, H. F.	St. Clair, Miss A.
Floriken, A.	Taeger, W. F.
Gibbs, Colonel J. J.	Thacker, J. A. G.
Harrison, J. H. C.	Warren, Thomas.
Henly, J. C.	Warne, J. C.
Holland, H.	Willoughby & Co.
Hill, H. H.	Wiseman, Lieutenant N. C.

"Letters marked care of Post Office to be kept till called for."

Alexander, Hon. C.	Luigi, G.
Avallore, L.	MacIntyre, A.
Bainbridge, F. C.	McLean, W.
Barbase, W. C.	Mellis, Col. G.
Bills, Captain J. W.	Masson, E. S.
Bowhay, Mr.	Oates, Mrs.
Brewster, J.	Palmer, A. H.
Brown, W. T.	Parnham, J. L.
Burton, H. J.	Pearson, G.
Chisam, W.	Peppin, Mrs. F.
Connolly, N.	Perra, T. R.
Croghan, W.	Phipps, C. E.
DeBono, L. L. D.	Pinckney, R. R.
DeQueechy, R. H.	Raffin, F. J.
Elworthy, H.	Ralphs, H. J.
Fernandez, J. F.	Ramsden, H.
Graham, C.	Reid, R.
Gréig, J.	Roberts, Mrs. W.
Grinshaw, N.	Rossitto, Mrs. E.
Greenwood, H.	Shearman, J., Driver.
Glennie, P.	Shearman, Mrs. S.
Hazard, W.	Schwartz, Miss O.
Hogendrop, Baron.	Swanson, C. J.
Hobbleouse.	Tasserand, Monsr. T.
Holl, C.	Verner, W. H.
Holmes, Miss E.	Wade, A. R.
Jones, J. J.	Watts, F.
Joseph, W. P.	Williams, W.
Latham, C.	Young, F. W.
Levie, D.	

M. PERCY,
Post Master of Calcutta.

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Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

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HIGH COURT.—Original Side.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 21*st May* 1875.

Mr. C. T. Davis, the Chief Clerk of the Court, having obtained one month and twenty-three days' privilege leave of absence from the 3rd instant, the Honorable the Officiating Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council, made the following appointments:—

Mr. W. R. Fink, Clerk to the Chief Justice, to officiate for Mr. Davis.

Mr. Shirley Tremearne, Head Assistant in the English Department, Appellate Side, to officiate for Mr. Fink.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.—GENERAL.

Mount Aboo, the 22*nd May* 1875.

No. $\frac{1342}{144}$ *G.*—LEAVE.—Mr. Framjee Bheekajee, Assistant Political Agent at Banswara, has been granted three months' privilege leave from 1st June 1875, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the same.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 19*th May* 1875.

No. 47.—Sergeant J. Delaney, R. E., Supervisor, 2nd Grade, is transferred from 4th to 5th Circle, Military Works.

No. 48.—Baboo Gooroodoss Chatterjee, Overseer, Barrackpore Division, Military Works, is granted sick leave from 10th December 1874 to 12th February 1875, both days inclusive, in extension of the leave granted to him by Bengal Government.

The 21*st May* 1875.

No. 49.—Mr. J. W. Wright, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Jullundur Division, Military Works, is granted seventy-five days' privilege leave from 25th May 1875, or such subsequent date as he may be able to avail himself of it.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 25*th May* 1875.

No. 23.—ERRATUM.—In Notification No. 17, dated the 20th April 1875, *for* "Sergeant S. W. Grant, Supervisor," *read* "Mr. S. W. Grant, Supervisor."

WILLIAM B. HOLMES, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Mily. Works.

4th Circle.

The 20th May 1875.

No. 5.—With reference to this Office Notification No. 4 of the 4th current, Ensign F. T. Reilley, Assistant Engineer, joined the Jullundur Division, Military Works, on the morning of the 18th idem.

J. P. C. ANDERSON,
Supdg. Engr., 4th Circle, Military Works.

5th Circle.

The 18th May 1875.

No. 5.—Captain A. C. Padday, R. E., Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, is, with the approval of Inspector General of Military Works, posted to the Lahore Division, Military Works, of which that Officer assumed charge on the 27th April 1875.

C. M. BROWNE, *Lieut. Col., R.E.,*
Offg. Supdg. Engr., 5th Circle, Mily. Works.

8th Circle.

Rawulpindi, the 19th May 1875.

No. 949.—Lieutenant Spratt, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Dalhousie Division, Special Military Works, returned from the privilege leave granted him per Notification No. 327, dated 1st March 1875, on the 14th instant.

DAVID LIMOND, *Major, R.E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 8th Circle, Military Works.

NOTICE.

The Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, Military Works, is prepared to receive sealed tenders accompanied with Rs. 100 as earnest money for the supply of barrack furniture for the official year 1875-76 for the following stations :—

Meerut.	Deyrah.
Delhi.	Landour.
Roorkee.	Chakrata.

The list and standard plans of articles can be seen at Executive Engineer's Office every day between the hours of 10 A. M. and 12 noon.

Tender forms with lists can be supplied on payment of four annas for each, respectively, into the Executive Engineer's Office.

The tenders, which should be superscribed "tender for barrack furniture," should be addressed to the Executive Engineer, in whose office they will be opened at noon on Monday the 7th June.

Executive Engineer does not bind himself to accept the lowest tender.

D. WARD, *Major, R. E.,*
Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, M. W.

TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 24th May 1875.

Privilege leave for two months is granted to Mr. C. Tapsell, Assistant Surveyor, 1st Grade, attached to 7 or Rajpootana and Simla Topographical Survey, commencing from the forenoon of the 10th instant.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

GREAT TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mussooree, the 19th May 1875.

No. 12.—The privilege leave granted to Mr. E. P. Wrixon, Assistant Surveyor, 2nd Grade, in Notification No. 10, dated 7th instant, is extended from the 12th to the 27th instant, both days inclusive.

The 24th May 1875.

No. 13.—Mr. A. H. Bryson, Assistant Surveyor, 3rd Grade, is granted three months' privilege leave from such date as his services can be spared.

The 25th May 1875.

No. 14.—Mr. Harry Duhan, Personal Assistant to the Superintendent, is granted three months' privilege leave, with effect from the forenoon of the 31st instant.

J. T. WALKER, *Colonel, R.E.,*
Superintendent, G. T. Survey of India.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 21st May 1875.

No. 92.—With the consent of Her Majesty's Secretary of State, Mr. S. Flaxington, temporary Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, is granted six months' leave on half pay, from such date as he may avail himself of it.

The 22nd May 1875.

No. 93.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 234 of the 15th May 1875, Mr. L. O'Toole, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is posted to the Holkar and Neemuch State Railways.

No. 94.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 247, dated 21st May 1875, Mr. M. Rayne, Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, took over charge of the Indus Valley State Railway from Colonel F. W. Peile, R. E., on the afternoon of the 17th May 1875.

No. 95.—Mr. T. Anderson, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, Holkar and Neemuch State Railways, is transferred to the Indus Valley State Railway.

No. 96.—Baboo Bhoobun Mohun Bose, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is granted six months' leave on medical certificate in India, under Section 3, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 5th November 1874, and subsidiary leave from the 14th October to the 4th November 1874, both days inclusive.

This cancels Director's Notification No. 77 of the 23rd October 1874.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 17th May 1875.

No. 112.—Colonel F. W. Peile, R. E., Engineer-in-Chief, availed himself of the leave granted him by the Director of State Railways in his Notification No. 87 of 10th instant on the afternoon of the 17th instant, making over charge of his duties to Mr. M. Rayne, Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade.

The 18th May 1875.

No. 114.—Under instructions from the Director of State Railways, Mr. F. L. Dibblee, Executive Engineer, Ghotkee Division, received charge of the current duties of the Superintending Engineer's Office, Upper Scinde District, on the forenoon of this date.

The 21st May 1875.

No. 115.—Major K. A. Jopp, R. E., Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, is granted seventy-eight days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from June 28th, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 116.—With reference to this Office Notification No. 83, dated 23rd April 1875, Mr. J. H. DeRienzie, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, received charge of the Mehur Division from Mr. R. Gompertz, Executive Engineer, on the afternoon of the 5th May 1875.

The 22nd May 1875.

No. 117.—Mr. D. G. Ottley, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, reported his return from furlough at Kurrachee on the forenoon of the 23rd ultimo, and is posted to the Lower Scinde District.

No. 118.—The following postings have been made by Superintending Engineer :—

Mr. M. McInerney, Sub-Engineer, 3rd Grade, to the Rehtee Division.

Mr. T. Reid, Overseer, 1st Grade, to the Ghotkee Division.

Mr. D. G. Ottley, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, to the Kotree Division.

M. RAYNE,
Offg. Engineer-in-Chief.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 7th May 1875.

Under instructions from the Director of State Railways, the following stations on the Punjab Northern State Railway are opened for the receipt of public telegraph messages between the hours of 6 A. M. and 6 P. M. daily :—

Lahore.	Wazirabad.
Goojranwala.	

The 22nd May 1875.

No. 54.—Mr. William Harrie, Sub-Engineer, 1st Grade, is allowed privilege leave for seventy-three days, with effect from the afternoon of the 14th May 1875.

No. 55.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 81, dated 7th May 1875, Mr. W. Mellor, Chief Store-keeper, Punjab Northern State Railway, availed himself of the six months' leave on medical certificate therein granted on the 17th May 1875.

No. 56.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 77, dated 1st May 1875, Mr. W. J. Galwey, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, availed himself of the six months' special leave therein granted on the 17th May 1875.

No. 57.—With reference to Punjab Northern State Railway Notification No. 51, dated 15th May 1875, Mr. J. H. L. Patterson, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, made over charge of the Chenab Depôt Store to Mr. Foster Cunliffe, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, Jhelum Bridge Depôt, on the afternoon of the 13th May 1875.

No. 58.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 185, dated 20th April 1875, permitting Mr. W. D. Wilson, Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, to resign his appointment, this subordinate ceased to belong to this Railway from 1st April 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

TIRHOOT STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Dinapore, the 20th May 1875.

No. 4.—Referring to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 69 of 19th ultimo, Lieutenant G. F. Wilson, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, reported his arrival at Dinapore this day in the forenoon, and is posted to the Durbhunga Division.

C. J. CAMPBELL,
Engineer-in-Chief.

HOLKAR AND NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mhow, the 17th May 1875.

No. 30.—Pundit Girdharee Lall, Accountant, 4th Grade, attached to the Nerbudda Division, is granted privilege leave for five weeks, with effect from 17th May 1875.

The 18th May 1875.

No. 31.—Sergeant R. Colcombe, R. E., Overseer, 1st Grade, on the Barnagar Division, was transferred to the military authorities in Mhow on the 18th May 1875, in pursuance of Government of India's Public Works Department Notification No. 184, dated 20th April 1875, remanding him to military duty at his own request.

No. 32.—Mr. W. Sargon, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, posted to the Holkar and Neemuch State Railways in Director's Notification No. 75, dated 26th April 1875, joined his appointment on the 22nd April 1875.

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief.

CONSULTING ENGINEER'S OFFICE—GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.

Lucknow, the 25th May 1875.

Mr. J. A. Johnson, 4th Grade Accountant, attached to the Audit Office of the Oudh and Rohilkund Railway Accounts, is granted two months' privilege leave from the 15th June 1875, or any other later date when his services can be spared.

R. DEBOURBEL, *Major, R. E.,*
Consg. Engr. to Govt. of India for G. Rys.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 25th May 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...	2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	16,05,225	13	1
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ... (Rs. 2,44,96,217 9 8)	4,18,12,815	6	8
General Treasury Balance at Branches ... (Rs. 1,73,16,597 13 0)			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	1,88,69,787	15	0
Bank Post Bills, &c.	5,78,794	4	3
Sundries	9,56,459	14	10
TOTAL ...	8,58,23,083	5	10

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,41,52,506	14	9
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	77,14,252	13	2
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	77,29,845	1	4
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches	2,23,23,626	0	2
Dead Stock	10,76,472	13	3
Stamps	11,957	14	5
Balances with other Banks ...	7,27,829	7	2
Sundries	27,684	11	3
Bullion	51,526	14	0
	5,38,15,702	9	6
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... (Rs. 1,48,50,946 6 8)	3,20,07,380	12	4
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... (Rs. 1,71,56,434 5 8)			
TOTAL ...	8,58,23,083	5	10

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL; *Calcutta, 27th May* 1875.

J. GORDON, *Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.*

R. HARDIE, *Secy. & Treasurer.*

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29	L 17—06670	5	Babu Bepin Behari Banerjee.
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32	L 66—19376	50	Shaik Nahaeroollah.
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CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 28th May* 1875.

R. A. STERNDALE, *Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.*

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	B 35—21043	20	
9	B 22—39589 wrongly joined	20	Shunmoogum Pillay, Head Shroff, Collector's Office, Tinnevelly.
	„ —39590		
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	„ —69521	500	
	„ —69522	500	
	„ —69523	500	
39	B 2—16081 wrongly joined	10	C. Appiah Chetty, No. 1, Chithoocatee Chinnatumby Moodelly Street, Black Town, Madras.
	„ —26499		
47	B 41—81867	10	N. Narasimma Pillay, writer under Mr. de Morgan, Assistant Engineer, D. P. W., Salem.
50	B 38—92722	100	A. K. L. Karimana Chetty, Cottah Street, Wallajapett.

FORT ST. GEORGE, Acct. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.; *The 22nd May* 1875.

D. KISSEN SING, *Asst. to the Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.*

Calicut Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
J 3—66106	100	Shunmugun Pillay, of Tinnevelly.
B 38—05125	100	A. K. L. Karavana Chetty, of Wallajapett.

CALICUT,—Paper Currency Office; *The 21st May* 1875.

P. A. COLE, *Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.*

Bombay Circle.

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Register No. 1875-76.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
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	C 98—79756	10	
2	C 95—27807	10	Janardhan Bhicaje Khase, care of Balkrishna Ramchundra Ranade, Vakeel, District Court, Rutnagiri.
	C 84—75736	20	
25	C 98—54033	10	Noorbee Aya, Byramje House, Matheran.
27	C 66—71509	20	Bhowanje Thackersey, Bombay.
	„ —02245	20	
	„ —36020	20	
10	C 86—96330 wrongly joined	100	Cawasje Pestanje Cama, No. 10, Barak Bazar, Fort, Bombay.
	„ —65871		
11	M 2—47347 ditto	5	Sorabje Bomanje, care of Sir Charles Forbes & Co.
	„ —47349		

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 18th May* 1875.

A. R. GORDON. *Assistant Commissioner.*

Kurrachee Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
G 7—29785 wrongly joined	10	Mr. Sorabjee Naorajee, clerk, Customs Office, Kurrachee.
„ —32042		

KURRACHEE,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 14th May* 1875.

W. PATTON, *Asst. Depy. Commr. of Paper Currency.*

Nagpur Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
F 8—27367	20	Abdul Aziz, teacher, Zillah School, Hoshangabad.

NOTE MISMATCHED.

F 8—41966	20	Ellahie Bux, Saharanpur.
„ —41967		

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

F 13—17860	5	D. Hopsen, Esq., Assistant Superintendent, Accountant General's Office, Nagpur.
„ —17861	5	

NAGPUR,—Paper Currency Office; *The 21st May* 1875.

R. N. RAY, *Asst. to Acct. Genl., C. P., in charge of Paper Currency.*

Allahabad Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
428	... D 7—49242 ...	100 ...	The Officiating Secretary to the Board of Revenue, North-Western Provinces, Allahabad.
	„ —67086 ...	100 ...	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.		Value.	Name of Claimant.
			Rs.	
419	... D 6—81702 „ —77747	wrongly joined	10 ...	The Superintendent of Jail, Lucknow.
421	D 5—67453 ...		20 ...	Ram Pershad, Bareilly.
423	... D 5—71203 „ —71208	ditto ...	20 ...	The Proprietor, Adelphi Hotel, Calcutta.
424	... D 10—26873 „ —26876	ditto ...	5 ...	Shaikh Habeeb Oollah, Allahabad.
425	... D 11—02728 ..		10 ...	Messrs. Braj B. Das & Co., Benares.

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office; *The 20th May* 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
55	... E 5—42720 ...	20 ...	Messrs. Murray & Co, Lucknow.
	„ —42719 ...	20 ...	
90	... E 6—01359 ...	10 ...	Majiduddeen, Lahore.
	„ —02446 ...	10 ...	

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; *The 22nd May* 1875.

I. C. BOSE.
Asst. to Acct. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
May 17th 1875 ...	...	...	...	9,083	37,85,487
„ 18th „ ...	...	...	...	8,984	37,85,487
„ 19th „ ...	...	...	...	8,953	37,85,487
„ 20th „ ...	...	...	...	8,920	37,45,487
„ 21st „ ...	...	...	...	8,887	37,45,487
„ 22nd „ ...	...	...	...	9,058	37,45,487

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 25th May* 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

Report of a Deserter from the 4th Battalion, Rifle Brigade, dated at Umballa, this 18th day of May 1875.

Number, Rank and Name,—Hospital Apprentice Robert J. Rossiter.
Age,—17 years.
Size,—about 5 feet, 10 inches.
Color of—
Complexion, fair; hair, brown; eyes, grey.
Date of desertion,—13th April 1875.
Place of desertion,—Umballa.
Date of enlistment,—23rd June 1874.
At what place enlisted,—Jullundhur.
Parish and County in which born,—unknown.
Marks,—no special.
Trade,—Railway Ticket-collecter.
Coat or Jacket,—black alpaca coat ...
Waistcoat,—none ...
Breeches or Trowsers,—white drill ...
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REMARKS,—supposed to have gone to Meerut.
On leave.
Under one year.

J. ROSS, *Colonel,*
Comdg. 4th Bn., Rifle Bde.

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POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 28th May 1875.

Mails for Chittagong, Akyab and Kyouk Phyoo, for transmission per Steamer *Arabia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 30th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per P. and O. Steamer *Mongolia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Monday, the 31st instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 1st June 1875, by which mails for Mauritius, St. Denis, Reunion, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, Natal, Cape of Good Hope, the Comoro Islands, and Madagascar can be forwarded.

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List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 28th May 1875.

Baines, J.
Battye, D.
Berrington, E.
Brame, A.
Bright, A.
Browne, Col. H. A.
Butler, M. L.
Daniel, H. F.
Drury, Miss.
Fardy, W.
Fitzgerald, Lieut. C. M.
Floriken, A.
Gibbs, Col. J. J.
Goodfellow, A. F.
Henly, J. C.
Holland, H.
Hill, H. H.
Joseph, C.
King, J. W.
Kingsley, T.
Lucas & Co., A.
Magill, H.
Pickford, C. E.
Pugh, H. E.
Padday, Capt. A. C.
Sebille, S. and Co.
Smyth, G. R. C.
St. Clair, Miss A.
Taeger, W. F.
Thacker, J. A. G.
Warren, Thomas.
Warne, J. C.
Willoughby and Co.
Wiseman, Lieut. N. C.

"Letters marked care of Post Office to be kept till called for."

Alexander, Hon. C.
Anderson, Mrs.
Avallore, L.
Bainbridge, F. C.
Barbase, W. C.
Benier, Emilien.
Bills, Captain J. W.
Bowhay, Mr.
Brewster, J.
Brown, W. T.
Burton, H. J.
Chisam, W.
Connolly, N.
Croghan, W.
DeBono, L. L. D.
DeQueechy, R. H.
Elworthy, H.
Fergus, F. W. W.
Fernandez, J. F.
Graham, C.
Greig, J.
Grinshaw, N.
Greenwood, H.
Glennie, P.
Hazard, W.
Hazell, Lieut (B. N.)
Hogendorp, Baron.
Hobbleouse.
Holl, C.
Jones, C. A.
Jones, J. J.
Joseph, W. P.
Latham, C.
Levie, D.
Luigi, G.
Macauland, N. C. S.
"Madeline."
MacIntyre, A.
McCall, John.
McLean, W.
Palmer, A. H.
Parnham, J. L.
Pearson, G.
Peppin, Mrs. F.
Perra, T. R.
Phippe, C. E.
Pinckney, R. R.
Raffin, J. F.
Ralphs, H. J.
Ramsden, H.
Reid, R.
Roberts, Mrs. W.
Rossitto, Mrs. E.
Shearman, J., Driver.
Shearman, Mrs. S.
Schwartz, Miss O.
Swanson, C. J.
Tasserand, Monsr. T.
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Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

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NOTIFICATION.

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NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Indore, the 22*nd May* 1875.

No. 77.—Mr. W. A. Billings made over, and Mr. J. Robinson received, charge of the office of Controller of Public Works Accounts, Central India, on the afternoon of the 7th May 1875.

The 26*th May* 1875.

No. 78.—Lalla Luchmun Pershaud, Overseer, 1st Grade, returned on the forenoon of the 17th instant from fourteen days' privilege leave, granted him in this Administration Notification No. 76 of 5th idem.

The 28*th May* 1875.

No. 79.—Mr. Luximun Vishnoo Mahendulay, Overseer, 3rd Grade, returned on the forenoon of the 26th instant from two months' leave on medical certificate, granted him in this Administration Notification No. 74, dated 12th April 1875.

W. S. TREVOR, *Lieut. Col., V. C., R. E., Offg. Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.*

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATION.—MILITARY.

Mount Aboo, the 29*th May* 1875.

No. $\frac{1453}{1015}$*M.*—LEAVE.—Lieutenant Colonel T. E. Gordon, C. S. I., Commandant, Meywar Bheel Corps, availed himself of the preparatory leave granted him in Notification No. $\frac{1147}{66}$M, dated 6th May 1875, on the 15th May 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 29*th May* 1875.

Privilege leave for one month is granted to Mr. G. L. Fleming, 4th Grade Probationary Assistant Surveyor, attached to the North-Eastern Division, Central Provinces Topographical Survey, from the forenoon of the 26th May 1875.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 27*th May* 1875.

No. 50.—With the sanction of the Government of India, Public Works Department, Mr. H. Bull, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is appointed

to officiate as Executive Engineer, Agra Division, Military Works, during the absence of Lieutenant Greenstreet, R. E., on privilege leave.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 28th May 1875.

No. 97.—Consignments of Cow Hair will be carried on Indian State Railways at 3rd Class rates. The necessary additions should therefore be made on pages 3 and 4 respectively of the General Classification of Goods in force on State Railways, after the articles "Cowries" and "Haberdashery."

The 31st May 1875.

No. 99.—The twelve months' furlough in India granted in Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 614 of the 20th November 1874, to Mr. A. J. Bell, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, attached to the Engineer Establishment under the Director of State Railways, is commuted into sixteen months and twenty days' leave on medical certificate.

No. 100.—In Director's Notification No. 75, dated 26th April 1875 *for* "Supervisor, 1st Grade," *read* Supervisor, 2nd Grade.

No. 101.—Mr. T. E. Owen, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, on return from furlough, reported his arrival at Bombay on the 4th March 1875, and is granted subsidiary leave from the 4th to the 16th March 1875, both days inclusive.

No. 102.—Mr. R. G. Elwes, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, attached to the Engineer Establishment under Director, has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State nine months' leave on medical certificate in extension of the two years' leave granted him in Resident of Hyderabad's Notification No. 116 of the 7th August 1872.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 27th May 1875.

No. 119.—Leave without allowances for three and half months, is granted to Jogindranath Sircar, Overseer, 3rd Grade, Indus Bridge Division, with effect from July 1st, or such other date as he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

No. 120.—Mr. J. Lloyd, Store-keeper, 1st Grade, is granted eighty-three days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from July 1st, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 121.—Mr. F. N. Gutersloh, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Sutlej Bridge Division, is granted three months' leave to study the native languages, with effect from July 1st, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 122.—Mr. F. E. Robertson, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, Rehtee Division, is granted ninety-two days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from July 1st, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it. Mr. L. H. C. Armstrong, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, will hold charge of the Rehtee Division during Mr. Robertson's absence.

M. RAYNE,
Offg. Engineer-in-Chief.

NORTHERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.—ESTABLISHMENT.

Parbatipur, the 21st May 1875.

No. 46.—Mr. E. J. Newville, Accountant, 2nd Grade, attached to the Office of the Controller, Northern Bengal State Railway, availed himself of the subsidiary leave sanctioned in Notification No. 43 of 27th April last, from the 8th instant.

ADVERTISEMENT.

Atrai, the 29th May 1875.

The Office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Northern Bengal State Railway, will be removed to Darjeeling on 12th June, and letters should be addressed there from that date.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 29th May 1875.

No. 59.—Mr. H. F. Storey, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Chenab Section, is allowed thirty days' privilege leave, with effect from afternoon of 24th May 1875.

No. 60.—Mr. J. Conder, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, is transferred from the Ravee Section to the Office of Engineer-in-Chief, with effect from forenoon of 23rd May 1875.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

SINDIA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 28th May 1875.

No. 6.—With reference to the Notification No. 88, dated 10th May 1875, of the Director of State Railways, the services of Mr. T. H. Thompson, temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, were dispensed with on the 24th idem.

C. J. MEAD, *Major,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

WESTERN RAJPOOTANA RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 11th May 1875.

No. 797.—Mr. W. W. Clarke, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, is granted forty-two days' privilege leave, with effect from the 11th May 1875.

Mr. Clarke availed himself of the leave on the forenoon of the same date.

The 14th May 1875.

No. 818.—With reference to Director of State Railways' No. 83, dated 7th May 1875, granting Mr. W. Scott, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, twenty months' furlough and thirty days' subsidiary leave, that Officer left this Survey on the forenoon of the 1st May 1875.

JAMES COLLET,
Engineer-in-Chief.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 4th June 1875.

No. 9.—Mr. Arthur Hullah, an Assistant Superintendent of the 1st Grade, is allowed privilege leave for three months under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the afternoon of the 20th May 1875.

No. 10.—Mr. J. Ovens, an Assistant Superintendent of the 2nd Grade, is allowed privilege leave for one month under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the forenoon of the 20th May 1875.

R. MURRAY, *Lieut. Colonel,*
Offg. Director General of Telegraphs in India.

NOTICE.

TO THE CREDITORS OF THE FIRM OF MESSRS. HULSE & NEPHEW, (MEDICAL HALL), CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS, ARGA.

Take notice that Henry Marshall and Harry Brutton Willing, representing themselves to be the sole members of the aforesaid Firm, have put in a petition to this Court intimating that they dissolved partnership, and applying that the business of the said Firm may be wound up and the payment of its debts provided for under the provisions of Section 265 of the Indian Contract Act.

You are therefore hereby invited to come forward within three months from this date to assist the Court in preparing a schedule and appointing a manager under Section 92 of Act VIII of 1859.

You are also hereby prohibited from commencing or continuing any other legal proceedings whatsoever in connection with the said Firm till further notice from this Court.

AGRA, JUDGE'S OFFICE,
The 22nd May 1875.

P. WIGRAM,
Officiating Judge.

WANTED

A Draftsman for the present season at Simla in the Public Works Secretariat.

None need apply who do not really draw well with instruments.

Salary according to qualifications.

Copies only of testimonials to be sent, which will not be returned.

Apply to the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, Simla.

WANTED

For the Kooldana Division, Special Military Works, Murree:—

1 Sub-Overseer, 1st Grade, pay Rs. 50.
1 Sub-Overseer, 2nd Grade, pay Rs. 35.
1 Sub-Overseer, 3rd Grade, pay Rs. 25.

Applicants must possess the qualifications laid down in Public Works Code, and the Sub-Overseer, 1st Grade, must, in addition, be able to read or write English. Apply to the Executive Engineer, Kooldana Division, at Murree.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Calcutta, the 3rd June 1875.

NOTICE.—The Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's staff:—

Mr. W. F. Fraser to be Agent at Benares.
Mr. H. T. Balfour, Agent at Benares, to be Agent at Allahabad.
Mr. C. J. Cooke, Agent at Allahabad, to be Agent at Delhi.
Mr. Thomas Taylor, Agent at Delhi, to be Agent at Umritsur.
Mr. D. E. Burne, in charge of the Umritsur Branch, returns to Head Office.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 1st June 1875.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		16,05,225	13	1
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	Rs. 2,44,66,070 7 0	4,28,91,133	7	5
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,84,25,063 0 5			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		1,98,13,882	1	6
Bank Post Bills, &c.		6,13,332	0	0
Sundries		10,14,599	10	11
TOTAL ...		8,79,38,173	0	11

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		1,41,52,506	14	9
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		75,96,925	13	2
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		68,69,436	5	11
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,27,66,332	1	2
Dead Stock		10,75,360	15	4
Stamps		11,805	11	6
Balances with other Banks ...		6,64,187	14	0
Sundries		28,404	0	9
Bullion		3,086	6	6
		5,31,68,046	3	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,69,67,975 2 4	3,47,70,126	13	10
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	1,78,02,151 11 6			
TOTAL ...		8,79,38,173	0	11

BANK OF BENGAL:
Calcutta, 3rd June 1875.

J. GORDON.
Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.

By order of the Directors.
R. HARDIE.
Secy. & Treasurer.

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st May 1875.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 per cent. Loans: of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	4½ per cent. Loans: of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	5 per cent. Loan of 1856-57.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	5 per cent. Debentures for 10 years. Repayable, June 1877.	5 per cent. Debentures for 15 years. Repayable, June 1882.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Balance of 15th May 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	16,14,186	32,35,000	1,67,14,900	1,10,92,800	1,30,41,900	40,64,000	2,53,000	3,21,14,200	92,000	5,20,25,500	34,56,000	35,65,000	14,13,59,605
Add—																
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 31st May 1875	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	500	...	...	...	...	500
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 16th and 31st May 1875	...	...	...	5,973	20,000	2,44,600	6,000	17,500	1,500	...	2,70,000	...	75,000	...	...	6,39,973
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st May 1875	...	...	...	...	...	1,09,300	2,500	39,800	...	...	1,77,300	...	81,000	...	22,000	4,31,900
	55,600	33,173	2,346	16,20,159	32,55,000	1,70,68,200	1,11,01,300	1,30,99,200	40,65,500	2,53,000	3,25,62,000	92,000	5,21,81,500	34,56,000	35,87,000	14,24,31,978
Deduct— Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	35,093	61,000	5,69,600	45,200	79,400	3,500	...	12,000	1,200	86,000	...	...	8,92,993
Balance on 31st May 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,85,066	31,94,000	1,64,98,600	1,10,56,100	1,30,19,800	40,62,000	2,53,000	3,25,50,000	90,800	5,20,95,500	34,56,000	35,87,000	14,15,38,985

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st March 1875, enfaced from India 3,149 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 2,076 lakhs.
" 1st April 1875 to 15th April " " " 7 " " " 1 "
" 16th " " to 30th " " " 2 " " " 3 "
" 1st May " to 15th May " " " 7 " " " 4 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " " 10 " " " 8 "
2,175 — 2,092 lakhs.
2,092
Balance against India ... 83

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE,
BANK OF BENGAL;
Calcutta, 2nd June 1875.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

No. 246.—Account of the Revenue and Expenditure of the Government of India for the Month of January 1875, *as compared with the corresponding period of* 1874.

REVENUE AND RECEIPTS.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Jan. 1874.	April to Jan. 1875.	Comparison of 2 years. Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
I.—Land Revenue ...	21,404,000	15,638,898	15,771,343	132,445	...
II.—Tributes ...	726,000	590,729	559,716	...	31,013
III.—Forest ...	606,000	425,928	366,273	...	59,655
IV.—Excise ...	2,286,000	1,921,656	1,929,150	7,494	...
V.—Assessed Taxes ...	...	19,205	2,594	...	16,711
VI.—Customs ...	2,738,000	2,065,637	2,079,211	13,574	...
VII.—Salt ...	6,079,000	5,035,585	5,058,742	23,157	...
VIII.—Opium ...	7,615,000	6,924,337	7,108,694	184,357	...
IX.—Stamps ...	2,708,000	2,234,545	2,302,264	67,719	...
X.—Mint ...	124,000	18,978	211,003	192,025	...
XI.—Post Office ...	695,000	573,498	613,215	39,717	...
XII.—Telegraph (up to November) ...	241,200	124,284	154,350	30,066	...
XIII.—Law and Justice ...	333,000	300,618	270,209	...	30,409
XIV.—Marine ...	201,000	153,973	142,548	...	11,425
XV.—Interest ...	447,000	298,546	372,865	74,319	...
XVI.—Pensions ...	584,400	159,961	159,682	...	279
XVII.—Gain by Exchange	322,000	250,657	274,069	23,412	...
XVIII.—Miscellaneous ...	187,000	139,568	156,389	16,821	...
	47,296,600	36,876,703	37,532,317	655,614	...
Army Receipts ...	870,000	733,070	679,768	...	53,302
Public Works, Ordinary ...	64,300	53,392	35,797	...	17,595
Irrigation Receipts	491,000	372,374	317,312	...	55,062
State Railways ...	95,000	30,373	92,910	62,537	...
Traffic Receipts (Guaranteed Railways) ...	7,387,000	5,908,347	6,200,028	291,681	...
TOTAL ...	56,203,900	43,974,259	44,858,132	883,873	...
England, including Army and Public Works ...	167,100	197,808	276,335	78,527	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	56,371,000	44,172,067	45,134,467	962,400	...

EXPENDITURE.	Estimates, 1874-75.	April to Jan. 1874.	April to Jan. 1875.	Comparison of 2 years. Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£	£	£	£
1.—Interest on Funded and Unfunded Debt	2,917,000	2,118,489	2,193,931	75,442	...
2.—Interest on Service Funds	359,000	345,541	302,560	...	42,981
3.—Refunds and Drawbacks	262,000	219,099	257,378	38,279	...
4.—Land Revenue	2,509,400	1,941,035	1,939,734	...	1,301
5.—Forest	440,000	305,212	313,447	8,235	...
6.—Excise on Spirits and Drugs	87,000	126,013	68,154	...	57,859
7.—Assessed Taxes	...	2,192	1	...	2,191
8.—Customs	186,000	153,123	145,110	...	8,013
9.—Salt	490,000	397,175	422,083	24,908	...
10.—Opium	2,115,000	1,881,633	2,231,577	349,944	...
11.—Stamps	70,500	56,536	54,906	...	1,630
12.—Mint	82,000	46,715	160,457	113,742	...
13.—Post Office	733,600	612,140	515,227	...	96,913
14.—Telegraph (up to November)	382,100	206,532	220,492	13,960	...
15.—Administration, &c.	1,191,500	1,014,426	977,547	...	36,879
16.—Minor Departments	283,600	225,725	215,012	...	10,713
17.—Law and Justice	2,277,000	1,872,582	1,888,670	16,088	...
18.—Marine	383,200	281,963	319,229	37,266	...
19.—Ecclesiastical	158,100	129,085	131,169	2,084	...
20.—Medical Services	180,200	148,633	153,848	5,215	...
21.—Political Agencies	402,000	237,990	262,619	24,629	...
22.—Allowances and Assignments	1,702,600	1,058,814	1,063,674	4,880	...
24.—Superannuation	700,000	450,405	561,704	111,299	...
25.—Loss by Exchange	746,000	865,424	635,329	...	230,095
26.—Miscellaneous	44,800	32,454	76,619	44,165	...
27.—Allotments for Provincial Services	5,030,000	4,167,316	4,230,570	63,254	...
28.—Famine Relief	2,522,000	...	2,387,637	2,387,637	...
	26,254,600	18,896,252	21,728,704	2,832,452	...
Army Charges	11,869,700	9,535,873	9,526,230	...	9,643
Public Works, Ordinary (including Irrigation)	2,421,200	1,697,984	1,663,924	...	34,060
Do. do. Extraordinary (including Railways)	2,420,000	1,912,410	2,199,498	287,088	...
Land and Supervision	129,000	125,086	58,218	...	66,868
Guaranteed Interest paid in India	36,000	36,374	35,040	...	1,334
State Railways	104,000	58,881	83,374	24,493	...
Working Expenses (Guaranteed Railways)	4,085,000	2,696,734	2,783,728	86,994	...
TOTAL ...	48,319,500	34,959,594	38,078,716	3,119,122	...
England, including Army, Guaranteed Interest, Public Works, Ordinary and Extraordinary	14,002,500	11,759,232	12,363,248	604,016	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	62,322,000	46,718,826	50,441,964	3,723,138	...

COMPTROLLER GENL.'S OFFICE;
CALCUTTA,
The 4th June 1875.

E. GAY,
Deputy Comptroller General.

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
35	A 89—48858	500	Juthi Singh.
37	L 51—45977	100	Lt. A. E. Gordon.
38	L 68—00744	100	Golab Chund Sorejemull.
	„ —00743	100	
	L 50—96323	100	
39	L 51—73142	100	Babu Okhoy Coomer Gupta.
40	L 51—58451	100	E. J. Barton, Esq.
	„ —58452	100	
	„ —58453	100	
	„ —58454	100	
	„ —58455	100	
	„ —58456	100	
	„ —58457	100	
	„ —58458	100	
	„ —58459	100	
	„ —58460	100	
41	A 67—61797	10	The Post Master General, North-Western Provinces, Allahabad.
42	L 38—29399	100	Babu Chundra Coomer Dutta.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
25	L 15—12887	5	Babu Hurry Narain Chunder.
	„ —12886		
	L 10—89696	5	
	„ —89699		
	L 9—83188	5	
	„ —83194		
26	L 41—66833	10	The Officiating Chief Paymaster, E. I. Railway.
	„ —66836		
	L 11—40523	5	
	„ —40522		
	L 45—71625	20	
	„ —71626		
27	L 46—49559	20	Babu Luckhun Chunder Mullick.
	„ —49556		
	L 9—10252	5	
	„ —10251		
	L 20—65846	5	
	„ —65852		
	L 17—38755	5	
	„ —38757		
	L 15—00129	5	
	„ —00130		
28	L 2—16321	10	Messrs. Bennerz & Co.
	L 42—43127		
29	L 40—74164	10	Babu Shewdeen Lall.
	„ —74165		
30	L 17—15436	5	C. P. Laudon, Esq.
	„ —15442		
31	L 9—35443	—	Babu Mohim Chunder Doss.
	„ —90684		
32	A 92—34380	50	L. Barclay, Esq.
	„ —34382		
45	L 46—52836	20	Babu Hera Lal Nundy.
47	L 42—12380	10	Babu Gojadhur Mistree.
48	L 49—96787	50	Babu Radha Lall.
49	L 43—87395	10	C. J. Lazarus, Esq.
	L 41—13925	10	
	L 40—77557	10	
50	L 51—83710	100	Messrs. Steel, McIntosh & Co.
51	L 13—48996	20	Babu Obhoy Churn Roy.
52	L 2—75934	10	Babu Nilmony Banerjee.
53	L 17—94541	5	Babu Ramdhun Roy.
54	L 44—68239	10	P. Daile, Esq.
55	L 49—33293	50	Kishoon Chund.
	„ —09120	50	

CALCUTTA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 4th June* 1875.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

Bombay Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
1875-76. 30	C 93—32725	100	Ramchundra Dhondew, Station Master, Akola.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
1875-76. 20	C 92—56751	10	Gunesh Shridhur, Mamlutdar, Sangale.
	C 95—28113	10	
	C 96—82077	10	
29	C 93—56715	100	Nowrojee Rustomjee, Dhobee Talao, Bombay.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 25th May* 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
436	D 7—11738	100	Bakar Alie, Bithore, Zillah Cawnpore.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
431	D 10—36578 wrongly joined	5	Mr. R. Richardson, Lahore.
	„ —36579		
432	D 7—36225	100	The Agent, Oriental Bank Corporation, Calcutta.
434	D 6—81672	10	Mr. J. R. Serrot, Shahjehanpore.
437	D 5—36953 wrongly joined	20	Mr. J. F. Machon, Bombay.
	„ —36954		

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office; *The 27th May* 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
85	E 4—40136	50	Jussoo Mull, care of Raizada Ramchand, Audit Office, Sind, Punjab, and Delhi Railway, Lahore.
88	E 7—37481	5	Tej Rai, Indus Valley State Railway, Jhelum.
	„ —37483	5	
	„ —47207	5	
	„ —51008	5	
	„ —51013	5	
	„ —51014	5	
	„ —53230	5	
89	E 5—62362 wrongly joined	20	Lance Corporal F. J. Williams, Ferozepore.
	„ —62367		

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; *The 28th May* 1875.

I. C. BOSE.
Asst. to Acct. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

Date.	Silver tendered, estimated value.	Certificates issued for	Balance of Bullion: Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
May 24th 1875 ...	Holiday.				
„ 25th „ ...	...	...	...	10,373	37,45,487
„ 26th „ ...	...	...	...	10,340	37,45,487
„ 27th „ ...	...	...	...	10,310	37,15,487
„ 28th „ ...	...	...	...	13,677	37,15,487
„ 29th „ ...	...	...	...	13,661	37,15,487

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 31st May* 1875.

H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 4th June 1875.

Mails for France, Foreign Europe *viâ* France, the intermediate Ports, Mauritius and China, for transmission per French Mail Steamer *Meinam*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Saturday, the 5th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Straits and Hong-Kong *viâ* Saigon, for transmission per Steamer *Sea Gull*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Saturday, the 5th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 6th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras, Ceylon, and the intermediate Ports, for transmission per Steamer *Africa*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Monday, the 7th instant, at 7 P. M.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Tuesday, the 8th instant, by which mails for Mauritius, St. Denis and Reunion, can be forwarded.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 7th idem.

N. B.—The Letter Box will close at 7 P. M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing extra postage stamp of two (2) annas on each cover, will be received up to 7-30 P. M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four (4) annas on each cover up to 8 P. M.

Mails for Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America, and the Colonies of Queensland and Victoria, *viâ* Torres Straits (letters, &c., for the latter Colony must be specially superscribed), for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Friday, the 11th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Rangoon, Moulmein and Straits, for transmission per Steamer *Himalaya*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Friday, the 11th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Chittagong, Akyab and Kyouk Phyoo, for transmission per Steamer *Arabia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Friday, the 11th instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per P. and O. Steamer *Australia*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Monday, the 14th instant, at 7 P. M.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 4th June 1875.

Baines, J.	King, J. W.
Brame, A.	Magill, H.
Bright, A.	Padday, Capt. A. C.
Butler, M. L.	Pugh, H. E.
Cooke, Mrs. J. E.	Sebille, S. and Co.
Daniel, H. F.	Smyth, G. R. C.
Drury, Miss.	St. Clair, Miss A.
Fardy, W.	Taeger, W. F.
Floriken, A.	Warren, Thomas.
Gibbs, Col. J. J.	Warne, J. C.
Goodfellow, A. F.	Willoughby and Co.

"Letters marked care of Post Office to be kept till called for."

Alexander, Hon. C.	Latham, C.
Anderson, Mrs.	Macauland, N. C. S.
Avallore, L.	"Madeline."
Aspa, H. G.	Macdonald, Mrs. A.
Bainbridge, F. C.	MacIntyre, A.
Benier, Emilien.	Mathold, Mrs. E.
Benjamin, J.	McCall, John.
Bills, Captain J. W.	McLean, W.
Bowhay, Mr.	Moore, Wm.
Brewster, J.	Parnham, J. L.
Brown, W. T.	Parkes, Rev. W.
Burton, H. J.	Pearson, G.
Chisam, W.	Peppin, Mrs. F.
Clarke, J.	Perra, T. R.
Connolly, N.	Phipps, C. E.
Croghan, W.	Pinckney, R. R.
DeBono, L. L. D.	Raffin, F. J.
DeQueechy, R. H.	Ralphs, H. J.
Elworthy, H.	Ramsden, H.
Fergus, F. W. W.	Reid, R.
Fernandez, J. F.	Roberts, Mrs. W.
Graham, C.	Schwartz, Miss O.
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Grinshaw, N.	Shearman, Mrs. S.
Greenwood, H.	Strange, R. P.
Glennie, P.	Swanson, C. J.
Hazard, W.	Tasserand, Monsr.
Hazell, Lieut. (R. N.)	Verner, W. H.
Hobbleouse.	Wade, A. R.
Holl, C.	Wild, A. E.
Jones, J. J.	Williams, W.
Joseph, W. P.	Young, F. W.

M. PERCY,
Post Master of Calcutta.

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Report on the production of Tobacco in India, by J. E. O'Connor. *Price, Re.* 1-8; *packing and postage,* 8 *annas.*

Report on Public Instruction in Mysore for the year 1871-72, with Appendices and Tables. *Price, Re* 1-8; *packing and postage,* 6 *annas.*

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Publications for sale at the Bengal Secretariat Press.

The Bengal Administration Report for 1873-74. *Price, Rs.* 4.

The Bengal Administration Report for 1872-73. *Price, Rs.* 7-8.

Map of Bengal, 1873. *Price, if taken with the Report, Re.* 1.

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Report on the Census of Bengal, 1872. By H. Beverley, Esq., C. S., Registrar General of Bengal *Price, Rs.* 10.

Rules for the Sale of Waste Lands. *Price,* 4 *annas.*

Act VII (B. C.) of 1873 (Labor Districts Emigration), the Government Resolution thereon, and the Rules and Forms under the Act, bound up together in pamphlet form. *Price,* 8 *annas per copy; or, including postage,* 10 *annas.*

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Papers regarding the Tea Industry in Bengal. *Price, Rs.* 3.

Report on the Cultivation of, and Trade in, Jute in Bengal, and on Indian Fibres available for the Manufacture of Paper, with map. By Hem Chunder Kerr, Deputy Magistrate, on special duty. *Price, Rs.* 8.

A Report on the District of Jessore: its Antiquities, its History, and its Commerce. (Second Edition, Revised and Corrected). By J. Westland, Esq., C. S., late Magistrate and Collector of Jessore. *Price, Rs.* 3.

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Selections from Divisional and District Annual Administration Reports, 1872-73, with the Government Resolutions on them. *Price, Rs.* 5.

Progressive Colloquial Exercises in the Lushai Dialect of the Dzo or Kuki Language. With Vocabularies and Popular Tales (notated). By Captain Thomas Herbert Lewin, B.S.C., Deputy Commissioner, Chittagong Hills. *Price, Rs.* 6.

Selections from the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette,* 1871 to 1874. *Price, Rs.* 2-8.

Report on the Effects of Artificial Respiration, Intravenous Injection of Ammonia, and Administration of various Drugs, &c., in Indian and Australian Snake-poisoning; and the Physiological, Chemical, and Microscopical Nature of Snake-Poisons. By the Commission appointed to investigate the subject. *Price, Rs.* 3.

A Manual of Family Medicine for India. By W. J. Moore, Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh; Member of the Royal College of Surgeons of England; Fellow of the University of Bombay; Surgeon-Major H. M. Indian Medical Service, Bombay Establishment; Surgeon to the Rajpootana Political Agency; and Superintendent General of Dispensaries and Vaccination for Rajpootana. *Price—*

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Rules for the Guidance of Officers in the Opium Department. *Published by authority of the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces. Price, Rs.* 3.

The Quarterly Civil List for Bengal, corrected up to the 1st of April 1875. *Price, Rs.* 3; *postage* 8 *annas.*

Apply to E. M. LEWIS, *Bengal Secretariat Press,* 28, *Chowringhee Road, Calcutta.*

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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 5th June 1875.

No. 11.—Mr. A. B. Larkins, an Assistant Superintendent of the 2nd Grade, is allowed privilege leave for ninety-one days under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd April 1875.

No. 12.—Mr. F. G. Maclean, an Assistant Superintendent of the 1st Grade, is allowed furlough on medical certificate for one year under Section 10 (*a*), with effect from 24th May 1875, and subsidiary leave under Section 18 (*a*) of the Civil Leave Code from the 4th to the 23rd May 1875, both days inclusive.

The 8th June 1875.

No. 13.—Mr. W. K. D. Bignell, a Superintendent of the 2nd Grade, is allowed privilege leave for three months under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the afternoon of the 26th May 1875.

The 11th June 1875.

No. 14.—Mr. E. O. Walker, an Assistant Superintendent of the 3rd Grade, is allowed privilege leave for fifty days, under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the forenoon of the 30th April 1875.

R. MURRAY, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Director General of Telegraphs in India.

TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 29th May 1875.

Privilege leave for one month is granted to Mr. G. A. McGill, Surveyor, 1st Grade, attached to the North-Eastern Division, Central Provinces, Topographical Survey, from 1st June next.

The 2nd June 1875.

The unexpired portion of two years' furlough granted in Notification dated 26th September 1873 to Mr. H. J. Bolst, Surveyor, 1st Grade, with effect from the 3rd November 1873, is cancelled, Mr. Bolst having resumed the duties of his appointment from the 1st May 1875.

Mr. G. A. McGill, appointed to officiate as Surveyor, 1st Grade, in Notification dated 3rd January 1874, will revert to Surveyor, 2nd Grade, with effect from the 1st May 1875.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 1st June 1875.

No. 51.—Mr. R. D. Falkiner, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Dugshaie Division, Military Works, is granted two years' furlough to Europe under Chapter III, Section 10 (*a*) of the Civil Leave Code.

Fifteen days' subsidiary leave is also granted to Mr. Falkiner from 1st July 1875, or such subsequent date as he may be able to avail himself of it.

No. 52.—Major G. P. de P. Falconnet, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 3rd Circle, Military Works, made over, and Mr. R. Tyndall, temporary Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, received charge of the Office of Superintending Engineer, 3rd Circle, Military Works, before noon on 20th May 1875.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 3rd June 1875.

No. 24.—Mr. F. W. Morse, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, 1st Allahabad Division, Military Works, availed himself of twenty-three days' privilege leave from 22nd March 1875, and returned to duty on the forenoon of the 14th April 1875.

WILLIAM B. HOLMES, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Mily. Works.

4th Circle.

The 29th May 1875.

No. 6.—Mr. J. H. Kenyon, Sub-Engineer, Umballa Division, Military Works, availed himself, on the 12th April 1875, of the two months' privilege leave granted to him by the Inspector General, Military Works, in his Notification No. 36 of 27th ultimo, and returned therefrom on the morning of the 28th May 1875. The unexpired portion of his leave, *viz.*, fifteen days, is cancelled.

No. 7.—Mr. J. D. Davies, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Ferozepore Division, Military Works, is allowed one month's privilege leave from the 7th June 1875, or such subsequent date as he may be able to avail himself of the same.

J. P. C. ANDERSON,
Supdg. Engr., 4th Circle, Military Works.

5th Circle.

The 29th May 1875.

No. 6.—Captain B. J. Goldie, R. E., Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is transferred from the 1st Rawul Pindee Division, Military Works, to the Office of Superintending Engineer, 5th Circle, Military Works, as a temporary arrangement.

The 4th June 1875.

No. 7.—Sergeant J. Delaney, R. E., Supervisor, 2nd Grade, transferred to this Circle in Inspector General's Notification No. 47 of 19th May 1875, is posted to the 1st Peshawar Division, Military Works.

C. M. BROWNE, *Lieut.-Col., R.E.,*
Offg. Supdg. Engr., 5th Circle, Mily. Works.

COMPTROLLER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

NOTICE.—The rate of exchange chargeable on issue of Overland Money Orders has been raised to 1*s.* 9½*d.* per rupee, as per Schedule 11.

E. F. HARRISON,
Comptroller General.

MONEY ORDER BRANCH,
Calcutta, 8th June 1875.

ADMINISTRATOR GENERAL'S OFFICE.

NOTICE.—The under-mentioned Estates having come under charge of this Office, all persons having claims upon, being indebted to, or holding property belonging to the said Estates, are requested to place themselves in immediate communication with the undersigned:—

William Dixon, of Calcutta, an Officer in the Preventive Service of Government, died at Calcutta on the 13th May 1875.

George Sounders, of Aligurh, in the North-Western Provinces of India, an Indigo Planter, died at Aligurh on the 14th November 1867.

George Inglis, a British subject residing at Sylhet, died at Sylhet on the 9th January 1850.

Esther Young, formerly Esther Moore, of Umballa in the Punjab, died on the 25th September 1874.

HIGH COURT, CAL.,
The 29th May 1875.

F. S. COLLIS,
Offg. Administrator Genl.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 2nd June 1875.

No. 103.—Mr. J. E. P. Lincké, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, Tirhoot State Railway, is granted six months' leave on private affairs under Section 5, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, and fourteen days' subsidiary leave, with effect from the dates he may avail himself of the same.

The 3rd June 1875.

No. 104.—Mr. V. Rigby, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, Tirhoot State Railway, is granted six months' leave, on medical certificate, under Section 3, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 7th April 1875.

The 7th June 1875.

No. 105.—Mr. R. F. Coppin, Assistant Engineer, 3rd Grade, Western Rajputana State Railway, passed on the 17th May 1875 the colloquial examination prescribed in Public Works Code, Chapter II, Section iv, paragraph 21.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

SINDIA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 8th June 1875.

No 7.—With reference to Notification No. 4, dated 20th March 1875, Mr. H. B. Parry, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is transferred from Engineer-in-Chief's Office to No. 1 Survey Party, under H. D. La Touche, Esq., Executive Engineer, with effect from the 1st June 1875.

C. J. MEAD, *Major,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 31st May 1875.

No. 125.—Mr. R. Barrett, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Mehur Division, is granted thirty days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave with effect from the 15th proximo, or such subsequent date as he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

The 1st June 1875.

No. 127.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 233 of 15th ultimo, Mr. W. Conlan, Accountant, 3rd Grade, was relieved of his duties in this Railway on the afternoon of 31st ultimo.

The 3rd June 1875.

No. 129.—Mr. E. Hyde, Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, reported his return from furlough at Mooltan on the forenoon of this date, and is posted to the Sehwan Division, Lower Sind District.

No. 130.—The following transfers and posting have been made by Superintending Engineer, Lower Sind District:—

Mr. J. W. Christison, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, from the Mehur to the Kotree Division.

Mr. R. McH. Melliss, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, from the Kotree to the Mehur Division.

Mr. E. Behrmann, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, from the Mehur to the Sehwan Division.

Mr. H. Moïller, Temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, from the Mehur to the Kotree Division.

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M. RAYNE,
Offg. Engineer-in-Chief.

HOLKAR AND NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mhow, the 5th June 1875.

No. 33.—Babu Deenanath Banerjee, Accountant, 4th Grade, Barnagar Division, is transferred temporarily to the Workshop and Store Depôt Establishment at Khundwa under the Manager (open line), Holkar State Railway.

No. 34.—Mr. G. J. S. Madge, Accountant, 4th Grade, attached to the Office of the Controller, Holkar and Neemuch State Railways, is transferred temporarily to the Barnagar Division.

CHARLES CHEYNE,
Engineer-in-Chief.

NORTHERN BENGAL STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Camp Halulia, the 25th May 1875.

No. 47.—With reference to Notification No. 86 of 10th May 1875, by the Director of State Railways, Baboo Prosono Coomar Ghose, Temporary Supervisor, 2nd Grade, reported his arrival at Halulia on the forenoon of the 17th May 1875.

No. 48.—Mr. T. L. Tanner, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, is granted three months' leave to study the language, and two months' privilege leave, from the 16th June 1875, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 49.—Mr. H. B. Molesworth, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, is granted three months' leave to study the language, and one and half months' privilege leave, from the 16th June 1875, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major, R. E.,*
Engineer-in-Chief.

WESTERN RAJPOOTANA RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 26th May 1875.

No. 899.—Mr. W. Scott, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, reported his departure from Bombay, on the afternoon of the 17th May 1875, on twenty months' furlough granted to him in Director of State Railways' Notification No. 83 of 7th May 1875.

The 1st June 1875.

No. 947.—With reference to Government of India Notification No. 247, of 21st May 1875, transferring Mr. W. H. Parker, Executive Engineer, 1st Grade, on promotion, to the Indus Valley State Railway, that officer reported his departure from this project on the forenoon of the 1st June 1875.

JAMES COLLET,
Engineer-in-Chief.

CALCUTTA AND SOUTH-EASTERN AND NULHATI STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 9th June 1875.

It is notified, with the approval of the Director of State Railways, that on and after the 1st July 1875, the following stations only will be open for the reception of public telegraph messages, and between the hours of 6 A. M. and 6 P. M.:—

Calcutta ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern State Railway.
Sonapur ...	
Canning ...	
Nulhati ...	Nulhati State Railway.
Azimgunge ...	

RAMGOTTY MOOKERJEE,
Manager.

MANAGER'S OFFICE,
No. 3, Sealdah.

NOTICE.

The Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, Military Works, is prepared to receive sealed tenders accompanied with Rs. 100 as earnest money for the supply of barrack furniture for the official year 1875-76 for the following stations:—

Meerut.	Deyrah.
Delhi.	Landour.
Roorkee.	Chakrata.

The list and standard plans of articles can be seen at Executive Engineer's Office every day between the hours of 10 A. M. and 12 noon.

Tender forms with lists can be supplied on payment of four annas for each, respectively, into the Executive Engineer's Office.

The tenders, which should be superscribed "tender for barrack furniture," should be addressed to the Executive Engineer, in whose office they will be opened at noon on Monday the 7th June.

Executive Engineer does not bind himself to accept the lowest tender.

D. WARD, *Major, R. E.,*
Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, M. W.

NOTICE.

TO THE CREDITORS OF THE FIRM OF MESSRS. HULSE & NEPHEW, (MEDICAL HALL), CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS, ARGA.

Take notice that Henry Marshall and Harry Brutton Willing, representing themselves to be the sole members of the aforesaid Firm, have put in a petition to this Court intimating that they dissolved partnership, and applying that the business of the said Firm may be wound up and the payment of its debts provided for under the provisions of Section 265 of the Indian Contract Act.

You are therefore hereby invited to come forward within three months from this date to assist the Court in preparing a schedule and appointing a manager under Section 92 of Act VIII of 1859.

You are also hereby prohibited from commencing or continuing any other legal proceedings whatsoever in connection with the said Firm till further notice from this Court.

AGRA, JUDGE'S OFFICE, *The 22nd May* 1875. } P. WIGRAM, *Officiating Judge.*

WANTED

A Draftsman for the present season at Simla in the Public Works Secretariat.

None need apply who do not really draw well with instruments.

Salary according to qualifications.

Copies only of testimonials to be sent, which will not be returned.

Apply to the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, Simla.

WANTED

For the Kooldana Division, Special Military Works, Murree :—

1 Sub-Overseer, 1st Grade, pay Rs. 50.
1 Sub-Overseer, 2nd Grade, pay Rs. 35.
1 Sub-Overseer, 3rd Grade, pay Rs. 25.

Applicants must possess the qualifications laid down in Public Works Code, and the Sub-Overseer, 1st Grade, must, in addition, be able to read, or write English. Apply to the Executive Engineer, Kooldana Division, at Murree.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
May 31st, 1875 ...	...	...	...	13,200	37,15,487
June 1st " ...	...	...	...	13,169	37,15,487
" 2nd " ...	...	...	...	13,133	36,90,487
" 3rd " ...	...	...	...	15,187	36,90,487
" 4th " ...	...	...	...	15,154	36,90,487
" 5th " ...	...	...	...	15,123	36,90,487

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 7th June* 1875. } H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 264.—*Statement of the Monthly Accounts of the several Branches of the Public Works Department received in the Office of the Accountant General, Public Works Department, up to the* 31*st May* 1875.

PUBLIC WORKS (BUILDINGS AND ROADS BRANCH AND MILITARY WORKS BRANCH) AND TELEGRAPH.

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Controller, Bengal, for Port Blair.	Mar. 1875	May 7, 1875
2	Do., Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 12, "
3	Do., Central Provinces.	Ditto ...	Do. 17, "
5	Do., Mysore for Coorg.	Ditto ...	Do. 22, "
6	Do., Hyderabad.	Ditto ...	Do. 25, "
7	Do., Oudh ...	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
8	Do., Assam ...	Ditto ...	Do. 28, "
9	Do., Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 31, "
10	Do., British Burmah.	Ditto ...	Do. 31, "
12	Do., Hyderabad for Berars.	Feb. 1875	April 23, "
13	Do., Military Works.	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
14	Do., Central India	Ditto ...	May 1, "
15	Do., Mysore ...	Ditto ...	Do. 1, "
16	Do., Bombay ...	Ditto ...	Do. 6, "
17	Do., N.-W. Provinces.	Ditto ...	Do. 7, "
18	Do., Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Do. 12, "
19	Do., Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 22, "
	TELEGRAPHS.		
4	Contlr., Indo-European Telegraph.	Mar. 1875	May 18, 1875
11	Do. do. for Indian Telegraph.	Feb. 1875	April 17, "

IRRIGATION.

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Contlr., Central Provinces.	Mar. 1875	April 29, 1875
2	Do., Rajpootana	Ditto ...	May 5, "
3	Do., Punjab ...	Ditto ...	Do. 25, "
4	Do., B. Burmah	Ditto ...	Do. 25, "
5	Do., Oudh ...	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
6	Do., N.-W. P. ...	Feb. 1875	Do. 3, "
7	Do., Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Do. 4, "
8	Do., Bombay ...	Ditto ...	Do. 10, "
9	Do., Mysore ...	Ditto ...	Do. 21, "
10	Do., Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 22, "
	GUARANTEED RAILWAYS.		
1	Punjab ...	Mar. 1875	May 31, 1875
2	Oudh ...	Ditto ...	Do. 31, "
3	Bengal ...	Feb. 1875	April 27, "
4	Bombay ...	Ditto ...	May 6, "
5	Madras ...	Ditto ...	Do. 22, "
6	Central Provinces	Jan. 1875	Mar. 19, "

STATE RAILWAYS (CAPITAL).

Order of receipt.	Accounting Offices.	Last month for which received.	Date of receipt.
1	Wurdah Valley ...	April 1875	May 27, 1875.
2	Sindia ...	Mar. "	Do. 19, "
3	Western Rajpootana Survey.	Ditto ...	Do. 21, "
4	Punjab Northern...	Ditto ...	Do. 25, "
5	Hyderabad ...	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
6	Store-keeper, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
7	Nizam's ...	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
8	Rangoon and Irrawaddy Valley.	Ditto ...	Do. 31, "
9	Nagpoor and Chutteesgurh.	Feb. 1875	Apl. 5, "
10	Delhi District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 19, "
11	Indus' Valley ...	Ditto ...	Do. 29, "
12	Neemuch ...	Ditto ...	May 1, "
13	Holkar ...	Ditto ...	Do. 3, "
14	Hooblee and Carwar.	Ditto ...	Do. 6, "
15	Agra District, Rajpootana.	Ditto ...	Do. 15, "
16	Tirhoot ...	Ditto ...	Do. 17, "
17	Northern Bengal ...	Ditto ...	Do. 22, "
	STATE RAILWAYS (REVENUE).		
1	Wurdah Valley ...	April 1875	May 20, 1875.
2	Calcutta and South-Eastern.	Mar. "	Do. 4, "
3	Oomraotee ...	Ditto ...	Do. 17, "
4	Khamgaum ...	Ditto ...	Do. 17, "
5	Nulhatee ...	Ditto ...	Do. 22, "
6	Nizam's ...	Ditto ...	Do. 26, "
7	Holkar ...	Feb. 1875	Apl. 27, "
8	Rajpootana ...	Ditto ...	May 6, "

The 4th June 1875. J. J. McLEOD INNES, *Lieut.-Colonel, Accountant General, P. W. Dept.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 8th June 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...		2,20,00,000 0 0
Reserve Fund		16,05,225 13 1
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	2,26,31,847 11 7	4,13,89,407 1 3
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,87,57,559 5 8	
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		1,95,88,868 15 0
Bank Post Bills, &c.		7,69,279 5 10
Sundries		10,39,874 9 11
TOTAL ...		6,63,92,655 13 1

ASSETS.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Government Securities		1,41,41,964 6 9
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		75,82,231 13 2
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		64,30,337 1 1
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,27,90,275 0 3
Dead Stock		10,75,370 12 10
Stamps		11,629 3 5
Balances with other Banks ...		7,02,050 4 9
Sundries		29,090 9 9
Bullion		...
		5,27,62,949 4 0
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	1,66,42,390 11 5	3,36,29,706 9 1
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	1,69,87,315 13 8	
TOTAL ...		8,63,92,655 13 1

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL; *Calcutta, 10th June* 1875. } J. GORDON, *Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.* R. HARDIE, *Secy. & Treasurer.*

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Madras Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.		Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
49	... B 35—56701 " —42522	wrongly joined.	20	... P. Naganna, 41, Gooroovappah Naick Street, Madras.
53	... B 39—75465	...	5	... C. Narasinga Row, Pound Gumastah, Perambalur.
54	... B 39—03020	...	5	... P. Subramanee Iyer, Attender, Sub-Collector's Office, Chingleput
	B 35—59249	...	20	...
	" —75906	...	20	...
55	... B 44—18315	...	100	... Meer Mahomed Ally, 23, Akber Saib's Street, Triplicane, Madras.
	" —18316	...	100	...
	" —18317	...	100	...
57	... B 36—72353 " —72358	wrongly joined.	5	... G. Theroovengadathan Chetty, 239, Davaraya Moodelly Street, Black Town, Madras.
58	... B 35—57147 " —57150	ditto ...	20	... B. Ramiah, Mundy Merchant, Vellore.
62	... B 39—65165 J 7—11314	ditto ...	5	... Messrs. Oakes & Co., Madras.

FORT ST. GEORGE, Acct. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.; *The 31st May* 1875. } D. KISSEN SING, *Asst. to the Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.*

Bombay Circle.

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Register No.	No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
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AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.—MILITARY.

Mount Aboo, the 7th June 1875.

No. $\frac{1515}{1066}$*G.*—LEAVE.—Major C. G. Gunning, 2nd-in-Command, Meywar Bheel Corps, having returned from the privilege leave granted him in Notification No. 695—28M., dated 1st March 1875, on the forenoon of the 22nd May 1875, the unexpired portion of his leave is cancelled.

No. $\frac{1515A}{1066B}$.—APPOINTMENT.—Major C. G. Gunning, 2nd-in-Command, Meywar Bheel Corps, assumed command of the Corps and charge of the Office of the Political Superintendent, Hilly Tracts, Meywar, from Captain A. R. T. McRae, on the forenoon of the 22nd May 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR CENTRAL INDIA.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Indore Residency, the 12th June 1875.

No. 750.—Lieutenant E. L. Durand, Officiating Political Assistant, 1st Class, Officiating 1st Assistant Agent, Governor General, for Central India, is granted thirty days' leave preparatory to proceeding on furlough to Europe.

Lieutenant E. L. Durand availed himself of the above leave on the forenoon of the 11th instant, making over charge of his office to Lieutenant D. W. K. Barr.

No. 751.—With reference to the Notification No. 266, dated 17th March 1875, Part II, *Gazette of India*, Lieutenant D. W. K. Barr, 1st Assistant Agent, Governor General, for Central India, Deputy Opium Agent in Malwa, and Assistant General Superintendent for the suppression of Thuggee and Dacoitee, returned from the privilege leave granted in Notification No. 86P., dated 3rd February 1875, and resumed charge of his duties on the forenoon of the 11th instant, from Lieutenant E. L. Durand.

H. D. DALY, *Major-General,*
Agent, Govr. Genl., for Central India.

ESTABLISHMENT.

Indore, the 12th June 1875.

No. 80.—Mr. W. H. Bonnaud, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, has been granted three months' privilege leave from the forenoon of the 14th May 1875.

No. 81.—Rahmut Ally, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Northern Road Division, returned on the forenoon of the 1st June 1875 from the six months' leave granted him in Notification No. 49 of the 5th January 1875.

No. 82.—Baboo Rampershad, Overseer, 2nd Grade, Southern Road Division, returned on the forenoon of the 30th May 1875 from three months' privilege leave granted him in Notification No. 70 of the 13th March 1875, and the unexpired portion of his leave, *viz.*, five days, is cancelled.

ERRATUM.—In Notification No. 77, dated 22nd May 1875, published in the *Gazette of India* of 5th June 1875, for "the afternoon of the 7th May 1875," read "the afternoon of the 17th May 1875" as the date of Mr. W. A. Billings' relief.

W. S. TREVOR, *Lieut. Col., R.E., V.C.,*
Offg. Secy. to Agent, Govr. Genl., for C. India.

REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 15th June 1875.

No. 22.—PROMOTIONS.—Messrs. George Rae and Samuel Mack Smylie, Surveyors, from the 4th to the 3rd Grade, with effect from the 1st April 1875.

JOHN MACDONALD, *Lieut. Colonel,*
Offg. Supdt. of Revenue Surveys, Lower Circle.

TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 7th June 1875.

ERRATUM.—With reference to Notification dated 17th May 1875, granting two months' privilege leave to Mr. C. T. Templeton, Assistant Surveyor, from 6th April read *6th May* 1875.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 11th June 1875.

Offices opened and closed during the month of May 1875.

Name of Station.	Where situated.	Date.	REMARKS.
Cherat ...	Punjab ...	1st ...	Opened.
Parell ...	Bombay ...	4th ...	Closed.
Rungamutti ...	Bengal ...	1st ...	Ditto.

The 15th June 1875.

No. 15.—Mr. C. E. Horsley, an Assistant Superintendent of the 3rd grade, is allowed privilege leave for one month under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the forenoon of the 24th May 1875.

The 18th June 1875.

No 16.—Mr. S. H. C. Hutchinson, an Assistant Superintendent of the 3rd Grade, is allowed privilege leave for two months, under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the forenoon of the 7th June 1875.

R. MURRAY, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Director General of Telegraphs in India.

INDO-EUROPEAN TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 12th June 1875.

No. 1.—Mr. F. T. B. Daniell, Superintendent, Persian Telegraph, has been granted by the Director, Persian Telegraph, privilege leave, under Section 12 of Supplement F. of the Civil Leave Code, for three months, with effect from 1st June 1875, or from such other date thereabouts as may be more convenient for the Public Service.

W. PALMER,
Controller of Telegraph Accounts.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT—
Military Works.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 9th June 1875.

No. 53.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 262, dated 2nd June 1875, Lieutenant C. A. Crompton, R. E., is posted to the Special Branch, Military Works.

No. 54.—Mr. H. Trott, Probationary Accountant, 4th Grade, is transferred from the 2nd Allahabad Division to the Office of Controller of Accounts, Military Works.

Lalla Matta Pershad, Accountant, 4th Grade (absent on furlough), is transferred from the Puchmurree Division to the 2nd Allahabad Division, Military Works.

No. 55.—The leave granted to Mr. G. Pettitt, Assistant Engineer, in Inspector General's Notification No. 33, dated 8th April 1875, is cancelled at his own request.

C. W. HUTCHINSON, *Colonel, R. E.,*
Offg. Inspr. Genl. of Military Works.

The 7th June 1875.

No. 1.—Captain S. W. Jenner, R. E., Executive Engineer, 4th Grade, is allowed privilege leave for three months with effect from the 4th April 1875.

L. RUSSEL, *Lieut. Col., R. E.,*
Offg. Chief Engineer, Military Works.

2nd Circle.

Lucknow, the 14th June 1875.

No. 25.—With reference to Inspector General, Military Works, Notification No. 43, dated the 13th May 1875, Mr. N. A. R. Chambers, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, reported his arrival and joined the 1st Allahabad Division, Military Works, on the 1st instant; and Mr. F. W. Morse, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, reported his departure on the afternoon of the 8th instant, to join the 5th Circle of Superintendence, Military Works. The unexpired portion of the leave granted to the former is hereby cancelled at his own request.

No. 26.—Mr. T. H. Jewett, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, and Personal Assistant to Superintending Engineer, 2nd Circle, Military Works, returned to duty on the forenoon of 6th instant from the privilege leave granted him, *vide* Inspector General's Notification No. 28 of 5th April 1875.

WILLIAM B. HOLMES, *Major, R. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 2nd Circle, Mily. Works.

3rd Circle.

Meerut, the 9th June 1875.

No. 13.—With reference to Inspector General of Military Works' Notification No. 38 of 29th April 1875, Barrack Sergeant E. Dubery is posted to the Bareilly Division, Military Works, which he joined on the afternoon of 2nd June 1875.

R. TYNDALL, *C. E.,*
Supdg. Engr., 3rd Circle, Military Works.

4th Circle.

The 2nd June 1875.

No. 7.—Barrack Sergeant E. Dubery, transferred to the 3rd Circle, Military Works, by Inspector General, Military Works, in his Notification No. 38 of the 29th April 1875, left the Jullundur Division, Military Works, on the afternoon of the 31st ultimo, to join his new appointment.

J. P. C. ANDERSON,
Supdg. Engr., 4th Circle, Military Works.

DIRECTOR OF STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 10th June 1875.

No. 106.—Mr. A. Thuey, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, is granted six months' leave under Section 9, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date he may avail himself of the same.

The 12th June 1875.

No. 107.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 247 of the 21st May 1875, promoting Mr. J. L. Gallott to temporary Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, and Mr. W. H. Parker to officiate in the same rank and grade, those Officers are posted to the Indus Valley State Railway.

The 14th June 1875.

No. 108.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 256 of the 1st June 1875, Mr. H. P. Edwards, Store-keeper, 2nd Grade, Indus Valley State Railway, is granted subsidiary leave from the 13th April to the 8th May 1875.

E. C. S. WILLIAMS, *Lieut.-Col., R. E.,*
Director of State Railways.

INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 7th June 1875.

No. 131.—Mr. H. C. Graham, Executive Engineer, 2nd Grade, Sutlej Bridge Division, is granted forty-six days' privilege and fifteen days' departmental leave, with effect from August 1st, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

No. 133.—Mr. J. W. Goodsir, Supervisor, 2nd Grade, Shoojabad Division, is granted four months' leave on medical certificate, with effect from the 14th March 1875.

This cancels this Office Notification No. 42 of 23rd February 1875.

The 8th June 1875.

No. 134.—Baboo Azeezoodeen, Overseer, 2nd Grade, reported his return from the Special Famine Relief Works, on the forenoon of this date, and is posted to the Mooltan District.

The 9th June 1875.

No. 135.—Mr. G. A. James, Accountant, 1st Grade, Central Office of Accounts, is granted furlough to Europe for one year, together with preparatory leave for one month, with effect from such date as he may be permitted to avail himself of it.

The 10th June 1875.

No. 137.—Mr. R. H. Froude, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, reported his return from the sick leave granted him in Director of State Railways' Notification No. 74 of 23rd April 1875, at Kurrachee, on the forenoon of the 1st instant, and is posted to the Lower Sind District.

No. 138.—The following posting has been made by Superintending Engineer, Lower Sind District:—

Mr. R. H. Froude, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, to the Sehwan Division.

M. RAYNE,
Offg. Engineer-in-Chief.

TIRHOOT STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Dinapore, the 16th June 1875.

No. 5.—With reference to Director of State Railways' Notification No. 103 of 2nd June 1875, Mr. J. E. P. Lincke, Assistant Engineer, 1st Grade, availed himself of the subsidiary leave granted to him on the afternoon of the 14th June 1875.

C. J. CAMPBELL,
Engineer-in-Chief.

PUNJAB NORTHERN STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Lahore, the 12th June 1875.

No. 16.—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 247, dated 21st May 1875; and under instructions from the Director of State Railways, Mr. J. L. Gallott, temporary Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, was relieved of his duties on this Railway on the afternoon of 5th June 1875.

No. 62.—Mr. James Conder, Executive Engineer, 3rd Grade, transferred to the Office of Engineer-in-Chief, by Notification No. 60, dated 29th May 1875, relieved Mr. J. L. Gallott of his duties as Assistant to Engineer-in-Chief, on the afternoon of the 5th June 1875.

No. 63.—Mr. H. Chutterbuck, appointed to the Public Works Department as a temporary Overseer, 3rd Grade, by Director of State Railways' Notification No. 78, dated 3rd May 1875, is posted to the Ravi Section.

ALEX. GRANT,
Engineer-in-Chief.

RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATION.

Agra, the 10th June 1875.

No. 700*E.*—Privilege leave of absence for seven weeks is granted to Mr. H. Halpin, Temporary Sub-Engineer, 2nd Grade, attached to the Agra Division, Rajpootana State Railway, from the 7th June 1875, or from such date as he may avail himself of the same.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief.

NOTICE.

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AGRA, JUDGE'S OFFICE, *The 22nd May* 1875. } P. WIGRAM, *Officiating Judge.*

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Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
June 7th " ...	...	...	...	15,093	36,70,487
" 8th " ...	...	...	...	15,062	36,70,487
" 9th " ...	...	...	...	15,031	36,70,487
" 10th " ...	...	...	...	15,001	36,70,487
" 11th " ...	...	...	...	14,959	36,70,487
" 12th " ...	...	...	...	14,929	36,70,487

CALCUTTA MINT, *The 14th June* 1875. } H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 17th June 1875.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...		2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		16,04,825	13	1
	Rs. A. P.			
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	2,38,00,020 3 8	4,20,64,669	7	5
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,82,64,649 3 9			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		2,05,30,956	9	10
Bank Post Bills, &c.		7,48,933	2	4
Sundries		10,61,922	5	3
TOTAL ...		8,80,11,307	5	11

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P
Government Securities		1,35,90,489	6	9
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		76,34,623	13	2
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		49 80,366	4	6
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches		2,38,88,548	1	8
Dead Stock		10,73,022	2	4
Stamps		11,285	5	8
Balances with other Banks ...		5,38,486	3	1
Sundries		29,353	9	1
Bullion		...		
		5,17,46,174	14	3
	Rs. A. P.			
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	1,91,30,783 6 4	3,62,65,132	7	8
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	1,71,34,349 1 4			
TOTAL ...		8,80,11,307	5	11

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL; *Calcutta, 17th June* 1875. } J. GORDON, *Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.* R. HARDIE, *Secy. & Treasurer.*

STATEMENT of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest [illegible], under deduction of amount re-transferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th June 1875.

PARTICULARS.	3½ PER CENT. LOAN OF 1863-64.	4 PER CENT. LOANS											5 PER CENT. LOAN OF 1857-67.	5½ PER CENT. LOAN OF 1859-60.	5 PER CENT. DEBENTURES FOR		TOTAL AMOUNT.
		of 1824-25.	of 1829-30.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1843-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1856.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.				10 years.	15 years.	
															Repayable, June 1877.	Repayable, June 1882.	
Balance of 31st May 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,95,000	[illegible]	1,64,98,600	1,10,58,100	1,30,19,800	40,63,000	2,53,000	3,25,50,000	90,800	5,20,95,500	34,56,000	35,87,000	14,15,38,985
Add—																	
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th June 1875	...	...	...	...	[illegible]	...	...	...	3,500	...	...	...	20,000	...	...	23,500
Amount enfaced at Bombay between 1st and 15th June 1875	...	...	...	...	[illegible]	18,300	1,700	10,500	...	...	50,000	...	1,11,000	...	...	1,94,500
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th June 1875	...	...	...	...	[illegible]	1,37,100	6,000	2,36,500	...	1,000	2,860	...	44,300	...	...	4,39,360
	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,95,000	[illegible]	1,63,79,500	1,10,50,400	1,23,93,800	40,65,500	2,54,000	3,26,02,800	80,800	5,22,70,800	34,56,000	35,87,000	14,21,96,285
Deduct—																	
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	...	...	...	[illegible]	2,79,300	49,000	1,86,600	...	...	25,800	...	16,300	...	...	5,66,200
Balance on 15th Jun 1875	55,600	33,173	2,346	15,95,000	[illegible]	1,61,00,200	1,10,20,900	1,30,80,200	40,65,500	2,54,000	3,25,76,500	80,800	5,22,54,500	34,56,000	35,87,000	14,16,30,085

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th April 1875, collect from India 2,166 lakhs.
" 16th April 1875 to 30th " " " 3 " "
" 1st May " to 15th May " " " 2 " "
" 16th " " to 31st " " " 7 " "
" 1st June " to 15th June " " " 4 " "
" " " " " " 10 " "
" " " " " " 8 " "
" " " " " " 6 " "
2,181
2,097
... 84

Balance against India 2,097 lakhs.

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL; *Calcutta, 16th June* 1875.

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CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Madras Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
52	B 41—77472	10	Kota Ramannah, Record-keeper, Revenue Survey Office, Berhampore.
60	B 39—53815	5	A. C. Armoogum Moodeliar, Commissariat Store-Keeper, Bangalore.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
31	B 32—87101	50	Datarazu Narasimham, Adony.
59	B 44—01535	100	Captain F. Kilgour, M. S. C., Madura.
	„ —01536	100	
	„ —01537	100	
	„ —01538	100	
	„ —01539	100	
	„ —01540	100	
61	B 38—83681	100	Mr. T. Burrows, Lovedale, Ootacamund.
64	B 44—04369 } wrongly joined.	100	Yaraballi Papiah, Nellore.
	„ —08459 }		

FORT ST. GEORGE,
Acct. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.;
The 7th June 1875.

D. KISSEN SING,
Asst. to the Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

Calicut Circle.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

J 6—35059 } wrongly joined.	10	Ramiah Chetty, Vellore.
„ —35089 }		

CALICUT,—Paper Currency Office;
The 5th June 1875.

P. A. COLE,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
1875-76.			
40	C 90—47148	1,000	Asur Virjee, Modeekhana, No. 15, Bombay.
	„ —37980	1,000	
	„ —42352	1,000	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

1875-76.			
9	M 16—26136	10	Mr. H. V. Faulconer, Poona.
28	C 85—63888	50	J. Kinlock, Esq., Apothecary, 4th Brigade, R. A., Bulsar.
39	C 78—61055	20	Elizabeth Lindfield, Bombay.

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 8th June 1875.

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
460	D 7—47721	100	Surgeon J. D. Hannah, Nowgong.
	„ —47754	100	
464	D 11—13629	10	The Post Master General, North-Western Provinces.
469	D 7—46439	100	The District Superintendent of Police, Perneah.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

463	D 5—64463	20	Mr. A. Bryson, Hurdui.
	„ —64465	20	
	„ —73059	20	
	L 49—77254	50	
465	D 7—57521	100	Baboo Ashootosh Chatterjee, Calcutta.
466	D 11—15942	10	Lance Sergeant J. C. Bird, Allahabad.
467	D 10—25133	5	The Treasury Officer, Faizabad.
470	D 10—55915	5	Mohumed Abdool Hadee, Banda.
471	D 4—42593	50	Messrs. Bissonauth Law & Co., Calcutta.
472	D 6—89698 mutilated	10	Sergeant E. Foy, Bareilly.

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office;
The 10th June 1875.

C. RIVETT-CARNAC,
Asst. Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Lahore Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
96	E 4—54320	50	Amarnath, 5th Clerk, Commissioner's Office, Dehli.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

58	E 3—45617	100	Bunsi Dhur, care of Nund Ram and Seeta Ram, Bankers, Sirsa.
[illegible]	E 7—18272	5	The Manager, Agra Bank Limited, Calcutta.

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office;
The 15th June 1875.

I. C. BOSE,
Asst. to Acct. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

DARJEELING LINE.

Calcutta, the 16th June 1875.

No. 7586. / *L. M. 6 No. 8.*—During the present season the experiment will be tried of offering the public a less expensive mode of conveyance to Darjeeling.

2. A limited number of wagonettes have been built, which are so constructed as to enable two passengers to lie down at full length. They are provided with cushions and hoods, and drawn by two horses, but they are not sufficiently protected from the weather to make them good for ladies or invalids. These are available at cheaper rates than the ordinary carriages, *viz.*, 4 annas a mile for each passenger, or Rs. 25 for the through journey.

3. A wagonette will start from Karagola every day except Sunday and Monday, leaving on the arrival of the steamer, and will return from Silligoree every day except Monday and Tuesday, starting at 11 A. M.

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T. W. GRIBBLE,
Offg. Postmaster General, Bengal.

The 17th June 1875.

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Mails for Ceylon and the Australian Colonies, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Wednesday, the 23rd instant, at 7 P. M.

Mails for Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America, and the Colonies of Queensland and Victoria, *viâ* Torres Straits (letters, &c., for the latter Colony must be specially superscribed), for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Friday, the 25th instant, at 7 P. M.

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Black, J.	Maynard, Mrs. F.
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Daniel, H. F.	Morgan, Miss L.
Dodgson, Col.	Padday, Capt. A. C.
Drury, Miss.	Percy, Edwin.
Estell, Wm.	Pickford, C. E.
Fardy, W.	Prinsep, H.
Floriken, A.	Pugh, H. E.
Garnham, E.	Rivers, Dr. R.
Gibbs, Col. J. J.	Schoeneman, C. H. T.
Goodfellow, A. F.	Sebille, S., and Co.
Graham, W. F.	Smyth, G. R. C.
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Henly, J. C.	Taeger, W. F.
King, J. W.	Willoughby and Co.

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Anderson, Mrs.	Jones, J. J.
Aspa, H. G.	Jones, W.
Avallore, L.	Joseph, W. P.
Bainbridge, F. C.	Karlton, P.
Benier, Emilien.	Kelly, H.
Benjamin, J.	"Madeline."
Bills, Captain J. W.	Martin, Mrs.
Bowhay, Mr.	Mathold, Mrs. E.
Brewster, J.	McCall, John.
Brown, W. T.	McLean, W.
Burton, H. J.	Parkes, Rev. W.
Carter, W. H.	Parnham, J. L.
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DeQueechy, R. H.	Ralphs, H. J.
Elworthy, H.	Reid, R.
Evangeline, M.	Roberts, Mrs. W.
Fernandez, J. F.	Schwartz, Miss O.
Fluker, J.	Shearman, J., Driver
Glennie, P.	Shearman, Mrs. S.
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Greig, J.	Swanson, C. J.
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PART II.

Notifications by Comptroller General, High Court, &c.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL, FOR RAJPOOTANA.

NOTIFICATIONS.—MILITARY.

Mount Aboo, the 17th June 1875.

No. $\frac{1888}{1118}$*G.*—LEAVE.—Major C. H. Clay, Commandant, Deolee Irregular Force, is granted ninety days' privilege leave of absence from the 5th August next, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the same.

The 18th June 1875.

No. $\frac{1898}{1119}$*G.*—APPOINTMENT.—Surgeon H. D. S. Compigne, M. D., received charge of the Eastern States Agency on the afternoon of the 12th April 1875, and made over charge of the same to Captain H. B. Abbott, on the forenoon of the 1st May 1875.

A. C. LYALL,
Offg. Agent, Govr. Genl., for Rajpootana.

REVENUE SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 18th June 1875.

No. 23.—LEAVE OF ABSENCE.—Mr. John Newland, Assistant Surveyor, 2nd Grade, for one month, under Chapter VI, Section 21, of the Civil Leave Code, from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

JOHN MACDONALD, *Lieut. Colonel,*
Offg. Supdt. of Revenue Surveys, Lower Circle.

The 19th June 1875.

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GREAT TRIGONOMETRICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Mussooree, the 21st June 1875.

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J. T. WALKER, *Colonel, R.E.,*
Superintendent, G. T. Survey of India.

TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEY OF INDIA.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 16th June 1875.

Privilege leave for three months is granted to Mr. M. J. Ogle, Surveyor, 4th Grade, from such date as he may avail himself of it, under Section 12, Supplement F, of the Civil Leave Code.

H. L. THUILLIER, *Colonel,*
Surveyor General of India.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The under-mentioned text books in History for the Entrance Examination, mentioned at page 93 of the Calendar for the present year, will come into use in 1876, and the questions for the History Paper in the Examination of December 1876 will be set from them :—

Lethbridge's History of England.

Lethbridge's Easy Introduction of the History of India.

SENATE HOUSE, *The 23rd June* 1875. } H. WOODROW, M.A.,
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NOTIFICATIONS.

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RAJPOOTANA STATE RAILWAY.

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No. 731*E*.—With reference to this Office Notification No. 588E, dated 10th May 1875, Mr. G. G. Hiley took over charge from Mr. C. Thompson of the Office and Stores connected with this Railway on the forenoon of the 16th instant.

W. C. FURNIVALL,
Engineer-in-Chief.

HOLKAR AND NEEMUCH STATE RAILWAYS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Mhow, the 9th June 1875.

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The 12th June 1875.

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CHARLES CHEYNE,
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INDUS VALLEY STATE RAILWAY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

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No. 139.—Mr. A. Brereton, Assistant Engineer, 2nd Grade, Sutlej Bridge Division, is permitted to avail himself of the leave granted him in this Office Notification No. 107 of 13th May 1875, on the forenoon of this date.

No. 140.—Mr. J. L. Gallott, Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, transferred to this line by Director of State Railways' Notification No. 107, dated 12th June, arrived at Mooltan on the forenoon of the 9th instant, and is posted to the charge of the Upper Sind District.

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The 17th June 1875.

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M. RAYNE,
Offg. Engineer-in-Chief.

Report of a Deserter from the A—11th Brigade, Regiment of Royal Artillery, dated at Barrackpore, this 19th day of June 1875.

Number, Rank, and Name,—5470, Gunner William Welsh.	Parish and County in which born,—Liverpool, Lancashire.
Age,—24 years 6 months.	Marks,—Nil.
Size,—5 feet 7 inches.	Trade,—Laborer.
Color of—Complexion, Fresh; Hair, Dark Brown; Eyes, Grey.	Coat or Jacket,—Regimental.
Date of Desertion,—15th June 1875.	Waistcoat—Nil.
Place of Desertion,—Barrackpore, Bengal.	Breeches or Trowsers,—Regimental.
Date of Enlistment,—15th September 1874.	REMARKS,—Probably gone on boardship;—the man has been a Sailor.
At what Place enlisted,—Barrackpore.	Service up to the time of desertion,—Under 1 year.

P. G. PIPON, *Col.*,
Commanding 11th Bde., R. A.

Report of a Deserter from the 15th Regiment of Hussars, dated at Meerut, this 22nd day of June 1875.

Name,—Frederick Willson.	Place of Enlistment,—Westminster.
Age,—29 years 7 months.	Parish where born,—Barton.
Size,—5 feet 7 inches.	County,—Lincolnshire.
Color of—Complexion, Dark; Hair, Black; Eyes, Hazel.	Former trade or occupation,—Laborer.
Peculiar Marks by which his identity may be ascertained,—Small-pox marks on face and body; mole on front of upper part of right thigh; a molat out on left above.	Dress at the time of desertion,—Coat or Jacket, Waistcoat, Breeches or Trowsers. } Hospital clothing, without Helmet.
Date of Desertion,—16th June 1875.	REMARKS, stating any particular circumstances attending his Desertion,—Broke away from Hospital.
From whence deserted,—Meerut.	
Date of Enlistment,—4th December 1865.	

H. LANGTRY, *Captain*,
Comdg. 15th, (The King's) Hussars.

WANTED

A Draftsman for the present season at Simla in the Public Works Secretariat.

None need apply who do not really draw well with instruments.

Salary according to qualifications.

Copies only of testimonials to be sent, which will not be returned.

Apply to the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, Simla.

NOTICE.

The Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, Military Works, is prepared to receive sealed tenders accompanied with Rs. 100 as earnest money for the supply of barrack furniture for the official year 1875-76 for the following stations:—

Meerut.	Deyrah.
Delhi.	Landour.
Roorkee.	Chakrata.

The list and standard plans of articles can be seen at Executive Engineer's Office every day between the hours of 10 A. M. and 12 noon.

Tender forms with lists can be supplied on payment of four annas for each, respectively, into the Executive Engineer's Office.

The tenders, which should be superscribed "tender for barrack furniture," should be addressed to the Executive Engineer, in whose office they will be opened at noon on Monday the 7th June.

Executive Engineer does not bind himself to accept the lowest tender.

D. WARD, *Major, R. E.*,
Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, M. W.

Weekly Statement of Silver tendered, of Certificates issued, and Silver Balance in the Mint.

DATE.	SILVER TENDERED, ESTIMATED VALUE.	CERTIFICATES ISSUED FOR	BALANCE OF BULLION		
			Under Assay.	Assayed.	Held on account of the Currency Department.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
June 14th, 1875 ...	...	...	...	14,900	36,45,487
„ 15th „ ...	...	...	...	14,871	36,45,487
„ 16th „ ...	...	...	...	14,841	36,45,487
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CALCUTTA MINT, *The 21st June* 1875. } H. HYDE, *Lieut.-Col., Mint Master.*

BANK OF BENGAL.

Calcutta, the 25th June 1875.

Notice is hereby given that the Transfer Books of the Bank will be closed from 1st to 15th July 1875, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
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Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 22nd June 1875.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Proprietors' Capital, paid up ...				2,20,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund				16,04,775	13	1
General Treasury Balance at Head Office ...	2,76,08,281	4	8	4,65,51,208	10	8
General Treasury Balance at Branches ...	1,89,42,927	6	0			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches				1,91,57,454	10	4
Bank Post Bills, &c.				2,49,087	13	1
Sundries				11,16,968	0	3
TOTAL ...				9,06,79,494	15	5

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities				1,29,98,337	6	8
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...				76,97,923	13	2
Accounts of Credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches				58,22,587	0	1
Mercantile Bills discounted at Head Office and Branches				2,26,51,494	15	9
Dead Stock				10,74,069	8	11
Stamps				11,962	10	9
Balances with other Banks ...				6,04,210	9	10
Sundries				29,201	6	11
Bullion				...		
				5,08,89,787	8	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	2,20,19,051	3	6	3,97,89,707	7	4
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	1,77,70,656	3	10			
TOTAL ...				9,06,79,494	15	5

BANK OF BENGAL; *Calcutta, 24th June* 1875. } J. GORDON, *Chief Acctt. & Dy. Secretary.*

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE,
Secy. & Treasurer.

CURRENCY NOTES.

The following Currency Notes of the Government of India are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers. Any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Madras Circle.

NOTE PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
69	B 41—77603	10	Mrs. E. Thomas, High Road, Royapettah, Madras.

FORT ST. GEORGE, Acct. Genl.'s Office, Paper Currency Dept.; *The 14th June* 1875. } D. KISSEN SING, *Asst. to the Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Dept.*

Coconada Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
I 8—10281	5	Kota Romaunah, of Berhampore, Ganjam District.

NOTE PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

	Rs.	
I 5—12870	20	Kuppachi Lakshminarayanappa Puntulu, of Gopaulpore, Ganjam District.

COCONADA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 11th June 1875.*

H. RICHARDSON,
Depy. Collector, in charge of Paper Currency.

Nagpur Circle.

NOTE MUTILATED.

No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
F 13—13497	5	Dinshaw Nussewanji, Bombay.

NOTES MISMATCHED.

F 7—54975 „ —54974	10	Dinshaw Nussewanji, Bombay.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

F 8—41147	20	Balkristna Ramchundra, Local Fund Overseer, Chanda.
F 9—57248	50	
F 8—43378	20	Mahadew Rao, Clerk, Accountant General's Office, Nagpur.
F 9—59930	50	
F 7—48035	10	S. Rungaya, Clerk, Accountant General's Office, Nagpur.
F 8—40983	20	Janardun Gopal Kanheri, Balaghat.
F 8—40998	20	M. Trodden, Esq., Depot Store-keeper, Nerbada Division, Holkar State Railway, Mootukka.

NAGPUR,—Paper Currency Office; *The 17th June 1875.*

R. N. RAY,
Asst. to Acct. Genl., C. P., in charge of Paper Currency.

Bombay Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
1875-76.		Rs.	
43	C 84—67231	20	Sudasheo Bappoojee, Post Master, Rutnagherry.
	M 1—71890	5	
	„ —87564	5	
45	C 90—39785	1,000	Tricumjee Nemidas, Bazar Gate Street, Fort, Bombay.
	„ —41346	1,000	
	„ —42074	1,000	
	„ —44438	1,000	
	„ —45197	1,000	
	„ —45342	1,000	
	„ —46122	1,000	
	C 93—31249	100	
	„ —35289	100	
	„ —37951	100	
	„ —46437	100	
	„ —51729	100	
	„ —54405	100	
	„ —54831	100	
	„ —56600	100	
	„ —61425	100	
	„ —64090	100	
	„ —65183	100	
	„ —65196	100	
	„ —65643	100	
	„ —65654	100	
	„ —68762	100	
	„ —68976	100	
	„ —71956	100	
	„ —72351	100	
	„ —73017	100	
	„ —73042	100	
46	C 95—93131	10	Motee Ramsah, Banker, Nynee Tal.
47	M 3—14368	5	Joohramma, Suddar Bazar, Poona.
	„ —57463	5	

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

1875-76.		Rs.	
36	M 2—14922	5	Dadabhoy Hormusjee Nanawatty, Broach.
44	C 83—39936	10	T. E. D'Cruz, Byculla, Haines Road, near the Tank.
13A	C 85—94202 } wrongly joined M 5—15663 } wrongly joined	50	Mr. J. C. Braganza, Assistant Apothecary, 68th Regiment, L I., Mhow.
14A	C 97—70133 } ditto „ —70136 } ditto	10	Mooljee Nusserwanjee & Co., Victoria Buildings, Bombay.
	C 98—12565 } ditto C 97—81546 } ditto	10	

BOMBAY,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 15th June 1875.*

A. R. GORDON,
Assistant Commissioner.

Akola Circle.

NOTE WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
	Rs.	
K 7—17986	5	Shridhur Sukharam, Karooon, Revenue Survey, Berar.

AKOLA,—Paper Currency Dept.; *The 17th June 1875.*

C. A. W. DAVIES,
Assistant Commissioner.

Allahabad Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
473	D 4—48531	50	The Assistant Commissioner of Kumaun.
475	D 7—58906	100	Lieutenant T. F. Ross, Meean Meer.
481	D 6—60771	10	Mohumed Buksh, Ajmere.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
474	D 11—05662	10	Hafeezoolla Khan, Kherie.
	„ —05664	10	
	„ —05665	10	
476	D 4—37063 } wrongly joined „ —37064 } wrongly joined	50	Narain Doss, Sultanpore.
477	D 4—30412	50	Mr. A. J. Bridge, Calcutta.
478	D 11—12415	10	Girdhari Thakoor, Goruckpore.
480	D 10—37017	5	Sewadeen Dass, Cawnpore.
482	A 18—27736	10	The Deputy Commissioner of Sultanpore.

ALLAHABAD,—Paper Currency Office; *The 17th June 1875.*

F. C. BARNES,
Asst. Acct. Genl., in charge of Paper Currency Office.

Lahore Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Note.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
98	E 5—63064	20	Mir Nasiruddeen, Normal School, Dehli.
101	E 3—49601	100	Baboo Lokenath, Native Doctor, Charitable Dispensary, Multan.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
33	E 3—62448	100	Din Mohammad, Contractor, Chumba.
	„ —62601	100	

LAHORE,—Paper Currency Office; *The 19th June 1875.*

I. C. BOSE,
Asst. to Acct. Genl., in charge of Currency Office.

Calcutta Circle.

NOTES WHOLLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
49	A 84—04086	100	Janeat Rai.
50	L 51—78472	100	Babu Grish Chunder Chuckerbutty.
51	L 40—35691	10	John A. Ricketts, Esq.
52	L 50—20583	100	The Officiating Post Master General, Bengal.
54	L 68—06657	100	Mr. Reid, Instr.
56	L 50—49828	100	The Treasury Officer, Backergunge.
	L 49—46858	50	
60	L 38—31533	100	Babu Ram Churn Surruff.
	L 50—96044	100	
	L 50—62560	100	
61	L 51—65999	100	Babu Haran Chunder Ghose.
	„ —65998	100	
	„ —65622	100	
	„ —53052	100	
	„ —47480	100	
	„ —57699	100	
	„ —65672	100	
	„ —53053	100	
	„ —56665	100	
62	L 63—08775	20	Babu Chunder Mohun Mozoomder.
64	L 66—11180	50	T. L. Hickson, Esq.
66	L 20—36532	5	Meer Nuseeroodeen.
67	L 50—75286	100	Babu Hem Chunder Ghose.
68	L 51—83986	100	J. A. Burnes, Esq.

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED.

		Rs.	
72	L 10—89494	5	Babu Juggessur Chatterjee.
73	L 20—24075	5	Babu Godadhur Shaw.
74	L 36—20939	20	T. Rawden, Esq.
75	L 44—16435	10	Babu Doorga Churn Shaw.
	„ —16432	10	
76	L 16—65447	5	Babu Hurro Nath Mookerjee.
77	L 51—63718	100	Babu Nilcunto Shaw.
	L 40—20251	10	
	„ —20252	10	
	L 17—25338	5	
78	L 11—44695	5	Messrs. K. N. Mitter & Co.
	„ —44694	5	
	L 44—26944	10	
	„ —26945	10	
79	L 46—12928	20	Babu Nobin Chunder Bose.

Calcutta Circle—*continued.*

NOTES PARTIALLY LOST OR DESTROYED—*continued.*

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
80	L 49—94297	50	Babu Nundo Lall Banerjee.
81	L 37—86823	20	J. C. Shaw, Esq.
82	L 15—69893	5	Babu Kissory Mohun Basu.
	L 39—32320	10	
83	A 81—92699	20	Babu Ram Kristo Ghose.
	L 38—46353	100	
84	L 49—65608	50	John A. Ricketts, Esq.
	L 57—30190	10	
85	L 42—54180	10	Babu Gooroodas Mookerjee.
86	L 46—47380	20	Babu Kadernath Mookerjee.
87	L 50—38509	100	Babu Gopi Kantha Roy.
	L 39—39267	10	
88	L 66—28612	50	Thos. Gleeson, Esq.
	" —28805	50	
	L 45—36369	20	
	L 47—75863	20	
90	L 47—46557	20	Hakim Fari-dee-deen.
91	L 44—33583	10	S. J. Rogers, Esq.
	" —33606	10	
	" —33604	10	
97	L 14—75876	20	T. W. Gribble, Esq., C. S.
	L 13—19145	20	
92	L 45—33988	20	Babu Ram Narain Bania.
	L 39—67438	10	
	L 57—26165	10	
93	L 48—24891	20	Elizabeth Martin, Esq.
	L 46—42424	20	
94	L 20—49584	5	Babu Gooroo prosad Moitry.
95	L 43—70184	10	A. C. Tute, Esq.
	L 39—25729	10	
96	L 2—08975	10	Babu Ram Mohun Das.
35	L 36—76918	20	Babu Mohendro Chunder Ghose.
	" —76917		
	L 9—22805	5	
	" —22806		
36	L 7—28162	20	G. F. Kellner & Co.
	" —28163		
37	L 15—49169	5	The Treasurer, Paper Currency Office, Lahore.
	" —49138		
38	L 34—01839	10	Babu Gopal Chunder Ghose.
	L 35—41374		
39	L 42—89636	10	Babu Shib Chunder Ganguly.
	" —89638		
40	L 15—57994	5	Babu Kally Kamal Roy.
	" —57992		
41	A 97—95976	10	Babu Mooraly Dhur Sen.
	" —95975		
42	A 96—21100	10	Babu Kristo Dhun Ghose.
	" —21099		
43	L 45—43125	20	Babu Janokee Nath Banerjee.
	" —43126		
44	L 43—26857	10	R. D. Hime, Esq.
	" —26859		
45	L 1—80783	10	Babu Mutty Lal Mullick.
	" —80782		
46	L 47—82280	20	Messrs. Murray & Co.
	L 46—58680		
47	L 47—44968	20	Shaik Dedar Bux.
	" —44967		

CALCUTTA.—Paper Currency Dept.;
The 25th June 1875.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

POST OFFICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

DARJEELING LINE.

Calcutta, the 16th June 1875.

No. 7586. / *L. M.* 6 *No.* 8.—During the present season the experiment will be tried of offering the public a less expensive mode of conveyance to Darjeeling.

2. A limited number of wagonettes have been built, which are so constructed as to enable two passengers to lie down at full length. They are provided with cushions and hoods, and drawn by two horses, but they are not sufficiently protected from the weather to make them good for ladies or invalids. These are available at cheaper rates than the ordinary carriages, *viz.*, 4 annas a mile for each passenger, or Rs. 25 for the through journey.

3. A wagonette will start from Karagola every day except Sunday and Monday, leaving on the arrival of the steamer, and will return from Silligoree every day except Monday and Tuesday, starting at 11 A. M.

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5. Application for wagonettes should be made in the usual way to Post Master, Purneah, and should state which of the other forms of accommodation the traveller wishes in case a wagonette is not available.

T. W. GRIBBLE,
Offg. Postmaster General, Bengal.

The 25th June 1875.

Mails for Persian Gulf, for transmission per Steamer from Bombay, will be closed at the General Post Office on Sunday, the 27th instant, at 7 P. M.

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Mails for Madras and Ceylon, for transmission per Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steamer *Indus*, will be closed at the General Post Office on Monday, the 28th instant, at 7 P. M.

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2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 28th instant, at 7 P. M.

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M. PERCY,
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PART III.

Advertisements & Notices by Private Individuals & Corporations.

UNCOVENANTED SERVICE FAMILY PENSION FUND.

NOTICE.—The Thirty-seventh Annual General Meeting of Subscribers to the above institution will be held in the Town Hall on Saturday, the **30th January 1875, at 3 P. M., to receive the report of the Directors, and to consider such matters as may then be submitted.**

By order of the Directors,

CALCUTTA,
U. S. F. P. F. OFFICE,
The 30th December 1874.

W. H. RYLAND,
Secretary.

GENERAL FAMILY PENSION FUND.

NOTICE OF MEETING.—The Fifth General Meeting of Subscribers to the *General Family Pension Fund,* will be held at the Office of the Fund, No. 1, Old Court House Lane, Calcutta, at 4-30 P. M., on Tuesday, the 9th February 1875, to receive the report of the Directors, and to consider such other matters as may be brought forward.

By order of the Directors,

CALCUTTA,
G. F. P. F. OFFICE,
The 31st Dec. 1874.

SYKES & Co.,
Secretaries.

PROMISSORY NOTES

Lost

The under-mentioned Government Promissory Note, which last stood in the name of Nowbutroy Jowalanath :—

No. 13788 of 40164, of the five per cent. loan of 1856-57, for Rs. 3,000.

UKHOY CHUNDER DUTT,
Attorney-at-Law.

Lost or Stolen

The Government Promissory Note No. 005806 of the 4½ per cent. loan of 1870, for Rs. 700, originally standing in the name of Bank of Madras, and last endorsed to Lilladhur Juvarechund, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicate in favour of the proprietor.

LILLADHUR JUVARECHUND.

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PART III.

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NOTICE.

The Partnership hitherto existing beween the undersigned, and carried on under the Firm of PLAYFAIR, DUNCAN & Co., ceases this day by effluxion of time, owing to the retirement of the subscriber, Patrick Playfair.

PATRICK PLAYFAIR.
WALTER DUNCAN.
WILLIAM DUNCAN.
EVAN A. JACK.
JOHN HORNE.

CALCUTTA,
The 31st December 1874.

With reference to the above, the Business of the said Firm will from this date be carried on by the undersigned under the Firm of DUNCAN BROTHERS & Co., who will collect all the outstandings, and meet all the obligations of the late Firm.

WALTER DUNCAN.
WILLIAM DUNCAN.
EVAN A. JACK.
JOHN HORNE.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st January 1875.

NOTICE.

The interest and responsibility of Mr. C. F. Burgett in our firm, ceased on 31st December 1874.

Mr. James Lyall, Junior, is admittted a partner from this date.

CALCUTTA,
1st January 1875. } LYALL, RENNIE & Co.

Letters of Administration to the estate of Peter Drummond, late a Colonel on the Retired List of Her Majesty's Bengal Army, who died at Seronge in Central India, on the eighth January last, have been granted by the High Court at Calcutta to Colonel Henry Drummond, R. E., Officiating Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Railway Branch, the brother and one of next-of-kin of the deceased.

All persons having claims against or indebted to the said estate are requested to communicate with the undersigned at their Office No. 1, Hastings Street, on or before the first day of March next, after which date the assets of the estate will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, regard being had to those claims only of which notice shall then have been received.

CHAUNTRELL, KNOWLES & ROBERTS,
Attorneys for the Administrator Col. H. Drummond.

The 16th November 1874.

Probate of the Will of Christopher Lea, late of Modopee Tea Estate, in the District of Assam, Tea Planter, deceased, has been granted by the Court of the Judicial Commissioner of Assam to Richard Lea, of Tezpore, Assam, the sole executor named in the said Will.

All persons having claims against or indebted to the said estate are requested to communicate with the undersigned at their Office No. 1, Hastings Street, on or before the first day of March next, after which date the assets of the estate will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, and regards had to those claims only of which notice shall then have been received.

CHAUNTRELL, KNOWLES & ROBERTS,
Attorneys for the Executor Richard Lea.

ESTATE OF RICHARD CLARKE BELL, deceased.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Pursuant to "the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866," Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased, late a Tea Planter, who died at No. 4, Hungerford Street, Calcutta, on the 16th April 1873, and Probate of whose Will was duly granted to Frederick John Fergusson, of Calcutta, Barrister-at-law, Esquire, sole Executor of the deceased, on the 6th May 1873, by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims to the

undersigned, the solicitors of the said Executor, No. 5, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 15th April 1875, after which date the Executor will distribute the assets of the Estate of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the Executor has then had notice. AND NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the Executor shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 7th day of January 1875.

BERNERS, SANDERSON & UPTON,
Attornies for the said Executor.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost

The under-mentioned Government Promissory Note, which last stood in the name of Nowbutroy Jowalanath :—

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UKHOY CHUNDER DUTT,
Attorney-at-Law.

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HULDA VALLEY TEA ESTATES, CHITTAGONG.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned and Mr. Robert Macalpine, of Chittagong, as proprietors of the Hulda Valley Tea Estates, Chittagong, has ceased on this date, and the business will be carried on in future by the undersigned.

CHITTAGONG, 1st *January* 1875.
GEO. BULLOCH.
JAMES HENDERSON.
JAMES DICKIE.
W. C. FAIRLEY.

NOTICE.

The Partnership hitherto existing beween the undersigned, and carried on under the Firm of PLAYFAIR, DUNCAN & Co., ceases this day by effluxion of time, owing to the retirement of the subscriber, Patrick Playfair.

CALCUTTA, *The* 31st *December* 1874.
PATRICK PLAYFAIR.
WALTER DUNCAN.
WILLIAM DUNCAN.
EVAN A. JACK.
JOHN HORNE.

With reference to the above, the Business of the said Firm will from this date be carried on by the undersigned under the Firm of DUNCAN BROTHERS & Co., who will collect all the outstandings, and meet all the obligations of the late Firm.

CALCUTTA, *The* 1st *January* 1875.
WALTER DUNCAN.
WILLIAM DUNCAN.
EVAN A. JACK.
JOHN HORNE.

NOTICE.

The interest and responsibility of Mr. John Hutcheson Fergusson in our firm ceased as on and from the 31st ultimo.

J. H. FERGUSSON & Co.

4, CLIVE STREET, *The* 11th *January* 1875.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost

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LILLADHUR JUVARECHUND.

Lost or Stolen

The following Government Security, the property of the late Baboo Govind Persaud Pundit, by whom it was never endorsed. Payment of principal and interest of which has been stopped at the Public Debt Office :—

No. 77618 of 1856-57, at 5 per cent., for Rs. 1,000.

BHOOBUN MOHUN SEN,
Agent of Sreemutty Hurosoondory Dabee, Administratrix of the Estate of the late Baboo Govind Persaud Pundit.

Lost or Destroyed

The Government Promissory Note No. 015928 of the 5 per cent. of 1856-57, for Rs. 2,000, originally standing in the name of B. Cardozo, and last endorsed to George Sinclair, Kingston, Taunton, and Matilda, his wife, the proprietors, by

whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicate in favor of the proprietors.

GEORGE SINCLAIR,
Kingston, Taunton, Somerset.

Destroyed by White-ants

The Government Promissory Note No. 013984, of the 4½ per cent. of 1872, for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of Dinnonauth Gangooly, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicate in favor of the proprietor.

DWARKANAUTH CHUCKERBUTTY,
Bálley, in the Town of Hooghly.

Destroyed by White-ants

The Government Promissory Notes Nos. 007068, 032999, 034511, of the 4½ per cent. of 1872, for Rs. 500, 1,000, and 500, respectively, originally standing in the name of Mooktamonee Debee, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Notes and interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicates in favor of the proprietor.

DWARKANAUTH CHUCKERBUTTY,
Bálly, in the Town of Hooghly.

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NOTICE.

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PATRICK PLAYFAIR.
WALTER DUNCAN.
WILLIAM DUNCAN.
EVAN A. JACK.
JOHN HORNE.

CALCUTTA,
The 31st December 1874.

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WALTER DUNCAN.
WILLIAM DUNCAN.
EVAN A. JACK.
JOHN HORNE.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st January 1875.

NOTICE.

The interest and responsibility of Mr. John Hutcheson Fergusson in our firm ceased as on and from the 31st ultimo.

J. H. FERGUSSON & Co.

4, CLIVE STREET,
The 11th January 1875.

ESTATE OF CHARLES JOHN CONNEW, deceased.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Pursuant to "The Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866," notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the Estate of the deceased, late a Broker, residing in Calcutta, but who died at St. John's Wood, in the County of Middlesex, in England, on the 19th day of August 1874, and Letters of Administration of whose Estate were on the 17th day of November 1874 duly granted to Charles Mowbray Connew, of Calcutta, his eldest son, by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the solicitors of the said Administrator at their office, situate at 5 Hastings Street in Calcutta, on or before the 15th day of April 1875, after which date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the Estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice; and notice is hereby further given that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 15th day of January 1875.

BERNERS, SANDERSON, & UPTON,
Attornies for the said Administrator.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost or Stolen

The following Government Security, the property of the late Baboo Govind Persaud Pundit, by whom it was never endorsed, payment of principal and interest of which has been stopped at the Public Debt Office:—

No. 77618 of 1856-57, at 5 per cent., for Rs. 1,000.

BHOOBUN MOHUN SEN,
Agent of Sreemutty Hurosoondory Dabee, Administratrix of the Estate of the late Baboo Govind Persaud Pundit.

Lost or Destroyed

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GEORGE SINCLAIR,
Kingston, Taunton, Somerset.

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DWARKANAUTH CHUCKERBUTTY,
Bálley, in the Town of Hooghly.

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NOTICE.

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J. H. FERGUSSON & Co.

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The 11th January 1875.

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UNCOVENANTED SERVICE FAMILY PENSION FUND.

Abstract Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the 1st quarter ending 31st July 1874, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1873-74.

PARTICULARS.	For the 1st Quarter ending 31st July 1874.	For the 1st Quarter ending 31st July 1873.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance at credit of the Fund in the Government books at the end of the previous quarter ...	46,16,593 12 2	42,81,142 5 11	3,35,451 6 3	.....
ADD RECEIPTS.				
Subscriptions from May to July in the Widows' Fund	84,654 14 0	78,497 3 0	6,157 11 0	.....
Subscriptions from May to July in the Children's Fund	57,209 7 3	54,026 10 3	3,182 13 0	.....
Fees, &c.	503 9 4	704 1 0	.....	200 7 8
Amount transferred from Widows' Fund to Reserve Fund W. F.)	1,19,659 0 0	1,08,346 0 0	11,313 0 0	.....
Amount transferred from Widows' Fund to Interest Reserve Fund (W. F.)	56,059 8 0	51,594 0 0	4,465 8 0	.....
Amount transferred from Children's Fund to Reserve Fund (C. F.)	1,05,221 0 0	1,08,290 0 0	.....	3,069 0 0
Amount transferred from Children's Fund to Interest Reserve Fund (C. F.)	36,368 0 0	31,244 0 0	5,124 0 0	.....
Amount transferred from Reserve Fund, W. F., to Divisible Surplus, W. F.	50,080 0 0	45,238 0 0	4,842 0 0	.....
Amount transferred from Reserve Fund, C. F., to Divisible Surplus, C. F.	20,022 0 0	19,810 0 0	212 0 0	.....
TOTAL ...	5,29,777 6 7	4,97,749 14 3	35,297 0 0	3,269 7 8
TOTAL RECEIPTS ...	51,46,371 2 9	47,78,892 4 2	3,70,748 6 3*a*	3,269 7 8
DEDUCT PAYMENTS.				
Pensions paid to Incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	44,821 6 11	42,470 6 8	2,351 0 3	.....
Pensions paid to Incumbents in the Children's Fund	31,494 6 7	29,315 10 9	2,178 11 10	.....
Cost of Establishment including house-rent and contingencies	10,950 13 7	8,892 13 11	2,057 15 8	.....
Interest on Reserve Fund passed to qualified subscribers over 5 years' standing in the W. F. ...	57,097 8 0	50,152 8 0	6,945 0 0	.....
Interest on Reserve Fund passed to qualified subscribers over 5 years' standing in the C. F. ...	37,310 4 0	32,586 0 0	4,724 4 0	.....
Amount of Divisible surplus passed to qualified subscribers of 3, 6, 9, 12 and 15 years' standing, W. F.	49,300 8 0	44,710 8 0	4,590 0 0	.....
Amount of Divisible surplus passed to qualified subscribers of 3, 6, 9, 12 and 15 years' standing, C. F.	21,543 0 0	18,617 4 0	2,925 12 0	.....
Amount transferred from Widows' Fund to Reserve Fund and Interest Reserve Fund (W. F.) ...	1,75,718 8 0	1,59,940 0 0	15,778 8 0	.....
Amount transferred from Children's Fund to Reserve Fund and Interest Reserve Fund (C. F.) ...	1,41,589 0 0	1,39,534 0 0	2,055 0 0	.....
Amount transferred from Reserve Fund (W. F.) to Divisible Surplus, W. F.	50,080 0 0	45,238 0 0	4,842 0 0	.....
Amount transferred from Reserve Fund, C. F., to Divisible Surplus, C. F.	20,022 0 0	19,810 0 0	212 0 0	.....
TOTAL PAYMENT ...	6,39,927 7 1	5,91,267 3 4	48,660 3 9	.....
NET BALANCE IN FAVOR OF THE FUND EXCLUSIVE OF INTEREST UPON CAPITAL	45,06,443 11 8	41,87,625 0 10	3,22,088 2 6*b*	.....
Proportion of interest on Reserve Fund, payable to subscribers over 5 years' standing	23,601 15 0	20,684 10 0	2,917 5 0	.....
Proportion of interest on Reserve Fund, Divisible Surplus, as per votes of subscribers	17,710 14 0	15,831 15 0	1,878 15 0	.....
TOTAL ...	41,312 13 0	36,516 9 0	4,796 4 0	.....

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund
Number of Subscribers	1,085	717	1,001	682	84	35	...	...
Do. of Incumbents	234	339	224	333	10	6	...	...
Do. of Subscribers sharing in interest Reserve Fund	646	421	545	387	101	34	...	...
Do. of Subscribers sharing in interest Divisible Surplus	747	519	679	469	68	50	...	...

	Rs. A. P.
a Net increase	3,67,478 14 7
b Ditto	3,18,818 10 10

E. W. HOLLINGBERY, E. W. KELLNER, } *Auditors.*

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FUND OFFICE, The 23rd January 1875. } H. ANDREWS, *Accountant and Collector.* W. H. RYLAND, *Secretary.*

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By order of the Directors,

CALCUTTA, G. F. P. F. OFFICE, *The 31st Dec.* 1874. } SYKES & Co., *Secretaries.*

ESTATE OF RICHARD CLARKE BELL, deceased.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Pursuant to "the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866," Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased, late a Tea Planter, who died at No. 4, Hungerford Street, Calcutta, on the 16th April 1873, and Probate of whose Will was duly granted to Frederick John Fergusson, of Calcutta, Barrister-at-law, Esquire, sole Executor of the deceased, on the 6th May 1873, by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the solicitors of the said Executor, No. 5, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 15th April 1875, after which date the Executor will distribute the assets of the Estate of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the Executor has then had notice. AND NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Executor will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the Executor shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 7th day of January 1875.

BERNERS, SANDERSON & UPTON, *Attornies for the said Executor.*

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost

Two 5½ per cent. Government Promissory Notes:—

No. 039697 of 1859-60 for Rs. 800.
„ 039698 of 1859-60 for Rs. 800.

BURN & Co., *No. 7, Hastings Street.*

Destroyed by White-ants.

Component No. 18856 at 4 per cent. loan of 1842-43 for Rs. 500.

ANNADACHURN BHUTTACHARJEE, *Holder.*

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PART III.

Advertisements & Notices by Private Individuals & Corporations.

BENGAL CIVIL FUND.

At a Half-yearly General Meeting of Subscribers to the Bengal Civil Fund, held at the Town Hall, Calcutta, on Wednesday, the 27th January 1875.

PRESENT:—The Hon'ble V. H. Schalch; E. F. Harrison, Esq.; The Hon'ble W. F. McDonell; H. J. Reynolds, Esq.; T. J. C. Grant, Esq.; A. P. Howell, Esq.; J. H. Rivett-Carnac, Esq.; D. Fitzpatrick, Esq.; H. Beverley, Esq.; P. D. Dickens, Esq.; Dr. W. W. Hunter; T. W. Gribble, Esq.; W. H. Grimley, Esq.; W. M. Souttar, Esq.; W. H. Verner, Esq.; H. J. S. Cotton, Esq.; C. J. Lyall, Esq.; T. J. C. Plowden, Esq.; and J. A. Bourdillon, Esq.

H. J. Reynolds, Esq., in the chair.

Read the following Report submitted by the Managers:—

REPORT.

The Managers submit their proceedings for the past half-year for the consideration and sanction of the meeting.

Subject to the approval of Subscribers, they have admitted to the benefits of the Fund the following families:—

Mrs. Carnac	£ 300 0 0	The widow and two sons of the late Mr. W. J. Rivett-Carnac, who died at Nynee Tal on the 9th July last.
Sons	„ 180 0 0	
	£ 480 0 0	
Mrs. McNeile	£ 300 0 0	The widow and three children (one daughter and two sons) of the late Mr. D. J. McNeile, who died in England on the 31st August last.
Children	„ 120 0 0	
	£ 420 0 0	
Less ⅓ under Rule VII	„ 70 0 0	
	£ 350 0 0	
Mrs. Lushington	£ 300 0 0	The widow and five children (four daughters and one son) of the late Mr. C. Hugh Lushington (an annuitant of 1862), who died in England on the 3rd November last.
Children	„ 500 0 0	
	£ 800 0 0	
Mrs. Ward	£ 300 0 0	The widow and daughter of the late Mr. John Ward, who died at Rampore Beauleah on the 22nd of November last.
Daughter	„ 60 0 0	
	£ 360 0 0	
Less ⅓ under Rule VII	„ 60 0 0	
	£ 300 0 0	

The Managers reported at the last meeting that Mrs. Beresford had applied for the continuance of her son John's pension after he attained his majority. She has, in compliance with the requirements of the rules, submitted a certificate from the oculist, Dr. Critchet, who certifies that her son is permanently blind. Subject to the approval of subscribers, Mr. John Beresford's name stands on the list of pensioners.

The Managers have received a memorial from Mrs. Clark to be replaced on the Fund, as she has obtained a judicial separation. She was formerly in the receipt of an allowance of £100 from the Fund, as the daughter of the late Mr. J. C. Brown, and on her marriage to the Revd. F. S. Clark, obtained

the usual donation of £300. She has been informed that her request cannot be complied with, as the rules do not contemplate the re-admission of daughters after marriage. Mrs. Clark has expressed a wish that her case should be laid before the service.

The Managers have received an application from Mr. R. G. Melvill, late of the Bengal Civil Service, for a refund of the subscriptions he had paid to the Civil Fund. They have informed him that under the rules this cannot be allowed.

Mrs. Melvill, the wife of Mr. R. G. Melvill, has applied to the Managers for an allowance from the Fund for herself and four children, on the ground that her husband has been dismissed from the service and has no means to support her and her children. The Managers have replied that this cannot under the rules be sanctioned. The Government have taken Mrs. Melvill's case into consideration, and granted her and her children an allowance.

* The allowances granted from the Fund for the maintenance and education of children, shall be paid in advance quarterly to their guardians or relatives having the care of them, or to such persons as may be entrusted with the disbursement of the sums allotted for them, either by the Managers of the Fund in India or by the Agents of the Fund in England. No advances made under this or the preceding rule shall be liable to be recovered on the death, marriage, or coming of age of any incumbent on the Fund.

Mrs. Cunliffe having applied for the full quarter's pension due to her son, for the quarter in which he attained his majority, the Managers have interpreted article 33* of the rules as requiring a full quarter's pension to be paid in advance at the commencement of the quarter to a son coming of age in the course of the quarter.

An application has been received from Mr. J. B. Lyall for the remission of the fine of Rs. 50 incurred under article 5 of the rules. Mr. Lyall pleads that he reported his marriage, which took place in England on the 28th of November 1874, immediately on arrival in India, and that as he left England ten days after the event, had he reported the marriage within the prescribed month by letter from England, the information would not have reached the Managers sooner than by his report on reaching India. The Managers recommend this case for the consideration of the meeting.

The Managers submit, for the consideration of this meeting, the case of Mr. H. Priestly. Under article 8 of the rules, Subscribers who resign the service and wish to secure to their widows and children the full, the half, or the quarter, benefits of the Fund, must on retirement make up their subscription balance to Rs. 25,000, 12,500, or Rs. 6,250, as the case may be, and must continue their contribution from their annuities at half the rates levied from Subscribers in the Service. Mr. Priestly resigned the service on the 5th of August last, and was informed immediately that £430 was payable to make up his subscription balance to Rs. 6,250. He is anxious to keep up his interest, but finds it difficult to pay up £430 at once, and wishes to know whether he may be allowed to pay by annual instalments of £100 with interest at 8 per cent. The Managers lay the matter before the meeting for consideration.

Dr. Hunter has written to the Managers enquiring whether any communication from the Government, on the subject of the rumoured transfer of appointments hitherto reserved for Covenanted Civil Servants to natives of the country not being members of the Service, has been received by them, and, if not, suggesting that as the change is one which may seriously affect the prospects of the Fund, they should take steps to ascertain whether any such measure is in contemplation. The Managers have accordingly addressed the Government of India, asking whether the Secretary of State has in a recent despatch required the Government to draw up rules for the appointment of natives of India under 33 Victoria, III., 6., to posts hitherto held by members of the Civil Service. The Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department has, in a letter dated the 20th instant, replied that the Governor General in Council is in correspondence with the Secretary of State on the subject of these rules.

It was reported at the last General Meeting that the Managers had written to some members of the Service, asking them for statements of any facts or arguments that might seem to them calculated to throw light upon the subject-matter of the second resolution passed at the meeting of the 28th January 1874. They have since received three memoranda from members, showing grounds for apprehending future decrease in the average gross salaries of Subscribers. These documents have been forwarded to the Actuary, and copies have been circulated to the service at large.

The Managers regret that they are unable to lay before this meeting the Actuary's report on the position of the Fund. They were led by a letter of that gentleman to expect the report in the course of the past half-year, but it has not been received. The delay may be in part due to the further references that have been made.

The accounts of the year 1873-74 are submitted.

Proposed by *Mr. D. Fitzpatrick*, seconded by *Mr. C. J. Lyall*, and carried "that the proceedings of the Managers, in admitting to the benefits of the Fund the families of the late Mr. W. J. Rivett-Carnac, Mr. D. J. McNeile, Mr. C. Hugh Lushington, and Mr. John Ward, be confirmed."

Proposed by *Mr. H. Beverley*, seconded by *Mr. W. M. Souttar*, and carried "that the Managers' action in allowing Mr. John Beresford's name to remain upon the list of pensioners be approved and confirmed."

Proposed by *Mr. T. W. Gribble*, seconded by *Dr. W. W. Hunter*, and carried "that the Managers' refusal to replace Mrs. Clark upon the Fund be affirmed."

Proposed by *Mr. T. J. C. Plowden*, seconded by *Mr. C. J. Lyall*, and carried "that the reply of the Managers to Mr. R. G. Melvill be approved."

Proposed by *Mr. P. D. Dickens*, seconded by *Mr. H. Beverley*, and carried "that the reply of the Managers to Mrs. R. G. Melvill be confirmed."

Proposed by *Mr. P. D. Dickens*, seconded by *Mr. W. H. Grimley*, and carried "that the Managers' interpretation of article 33 be approved and confirmed."

Proposed by the Hon'ble *Mr. W. F. McDonell*, seconded by *Mr. T. J. C. Grant*, and carried "that the fine imposed upon Mr. J. B. Lyall be exacted."

Proposed by *Mr. W. M. Souttar*, seconded by *Mr. P. D. Dickens*, and carried "that in the opinion of this meeting the rules do not admit of Mr. Priestley's being allowed to pay up the balance of £430 by instalments of £100 a year, and that he be informed that he must pay the balance within a time to be fixed by the Managers."

The following correspondence was then read :—

UNITED SERVICE CLUB,
Calcutta, 23rd December 1874.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE CIVIL FUND.

SIR,

It is understood that the Secretary of State in a recent despatch has instructed the Government of India to draw up rules under 33 Vic., III, 6, for the admission of natives of India to appointments which have heretofore been reserved for members of the Civil Service. The question of the employment of natives in these posts is, of course, one which must rest with Government. But a very general impression exists that if the measure is to be carried out, it should be done in such a way as not to involve injustice or pecuniary loss to the Civil Fund; whose members for the most part entered the employment of Government and have paid their subscriptions under the previous state of the law by which these appointments were guaranteed to the body of men who constitute the members of the said Fund, and whose covenants with Her Majesty's Secretary of State rendered those subscriptions compulsory.

A good deal of anxiety is felt on this question by the Up-country subscribers to the Fund, and upon behalf of myself and other members I venture to enquire whether any communication from Government has been received by the Managers of the Fund on the subject; and if so, what steps have been taken by them with a view to watching over or representing the vested interests of the Fund in the change which is said to be now impending.

If no such communication has been received, I venture to suggest, for the consideration of the Managers, whether steps might not be taken by them with a view to ascertaining the facts from Government, and if needful, representing the interests of the members of the Civil Fund.

It is unnecessary to point out that the opening up of posts hitherto guaranteed by law to the body of men who constitute the members of the Fund, and the filling of these appointments by persons who are not subscribers, will diminish the income of the Fund, and possibly affect the basis of calculation on which its estimates have hitherto proceeded.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) W. W. HUNTER.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, HOME DEPARTMENT.

CIVIL FUND OFFICE,
No. 326, *dated 4th January* 1875.

SIR,

I am desired by the Managers of the Bengal Civil Fund to enquire whether the Government of India, in a recent despatch from the Secretary of State, has received instructions to draw up rules under 33 Vic., III, 6, for the admission of natives of India to appointments which have heretofore been held by members of the Bengal Civil Service. The question is one which must greatly affect the prospects of the Civil Fund.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) W. VERNER,
Offg. Secretary.

FROM

ARTHUR HOWELL, ESQ.,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To

THE OFFG. SECY. TO THE BENGAL CIVIL FUND.

Fort William, the 20th January 1875.

SIR,

Home Department (Public), No. 114.

In reply to your letter No. 326, dated 4th instant, I am directed to refer you to Section 6 of 33 Vic., Chapter III, which Act was passed with the object of giving additional facilities for the employment of natives of India of proved merit and ability in the Civil Service of Her Majesty in India.

I am to point out that the wording of this section makes it imperative on the Governor General in Council to frame rules in view to the attainment of this object, and all appointments are to be made subject to such rules when sanctioned by the Secretary of State in Council. I am to inform you that the Governor General in Council is in correspondence accordingly with the Secretary of State on the subject.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) ARTHUR HOWELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

With reference to the correspondence just read, the following Resolution was proposed by *Mr. W. M. Souttar*, and seconded by *Mr. T. W. Gribble*, "that the action of the Managers as guardians of the interests of the Fund in addressing Government be approved; and that as subscribers to the Fund view with apprehension the loss which the filling up of appointments by persons who are not subscribers may entail on its resources, the Managers be directed to continue to watch the matter in the interest of the Fund and to submit a specific representation to Government on the subject."

Carried *nem. con.*, Mr. A. P. Howell declining to vote.

The accounts of the past year were approved.

Messrs. Schalch, Grant, O'Kinealy, Souttar, and Cotton, were elected Managers of the Fund for the ensuing year.

A vote of thanks was passed to the Chairman.

CIVIL FUND OFFICE,
The 27th January 1875.

H. J. REYNOLDS,
Chairman.

Abstract of the Accounts of the Bengal Civil Fund for 1873-74.

	Bearing interest at 8 per cent.			Bearing interest at 5 per cent.		
UNAPPROPRIATED FUNDS.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
By Balance, 1st April 1873 ...	28,63,549	9	11	26,70,674	8	3
„ Interest ...	2,52,507	1	0	1,39,378	13	1
„ Subscription during the year ...	2,52,408	9	9	1,99,826	1	6
„ Payments by 2 Annuitants in India to complete subscription balance to Rs. 6,250 and Rs. 25,000 ...	5,959	2	5	.....		
„ Composition payments by 2 Annuitants in England ...	.....			140	1	4
„ Recredit of ditto by 1 ditto in India ...	.....			582	12	0
„ Contributions by Annuitants in India ...	7,758	0	3	7,464	8	5
„ Ditto paid in England and by absentees on furlough ...	10,956	0	6	9,687	15	6
„ Fine from 17 Subscribers including 6 for unequal age at marriage ...	.....			5,690	3	8
„ Ditto from 3 in England ditto 1 ditto ...	.....			2,758	10	0
„ Transfer from Appropriated Funds of deduction of one-sixth from pensions under Rule 7 ...	15,124	2	7	4,310	0	3
„ Amount granted by Government for the payment of pensions of families of those Subscribers who were killed in the Mutiny ...	28,730	0	0	8,103	5	4
„ Transfer from Government Pension Account late Annuity Fund for 1872-73 and 1873-74 ...	2,250	0	0	1,050	0	0
„ Donation from the Government paid in England ...	25,000	0	0	.....		
	34,64,242	10	5	30,49,616	15	4
DEDUCT—						
To Transfer to Appropriated Funds—						
„ Value of pension of Mrs. A. W. Begbie, widow of A. W. Begbie (Annuitant)...	17,889	4	10	6,064	1	3
„ Ditto of Mrs. V. Irwin and one daughter ...	27,766	7	1	10,865	3	8
„ Ditto of Mrs. D. Cunliffe, widow, one daughter and two sons of D. Cunliffe (Annuitant) ...	30,612	4	4	10,646	3	5
„ Ditto of Mrs. W. P. Palmer, widow, one daughter and one son of W. P. Palmer (Annuitant) ...	33,277	8	6	12,071	4	4
„ Ditto of Mrs. J. S. Carstairs and one son ...	28,975	0	10	10,714	5	4
„ Ditto of Mrs. T. H. H. Shortt ...	22,805	10	3	8,804	6	5
„ Ditto of Mrs. J. G. Robertson, one daughter and two sons ...	40,175	7	4	15,158	3	6
„ Ditto of Mrs. A. Abercrombie, six daughters and two sons ...	71,813	1	9	26,549	7	6
„ Ditto of Mrs. C. R. Tulloh, widow of C. R. Tulloh (Annuitant) ...	21,467	2	7	7,661	15	0
„ Ditto of Mrs. J. H. Ravenshaw ...	23,729	15	0	8,907	5	9
„ Ditto of Mrs. H. Brownlow, widow, five daughters and five sons of H. Brownlow (Annuitant) ...	67,716	7	7	23,899	7	9
„ Interest thereon ...	10,285	5	11	2,355	15	8
„ Transfer to Appropriated Funds on account of pensions payable by Government	28,730	0	0	8,103	5	4
„ Refund of overpaid subscriptions and a fine ...	1,429	4	4	1,290	12	3
„ Establishment, &c. ...	8,354	2	1	2,356	4	7
„ Printing charges ...	1,409	13	3	404	3	10
	4,36,436	15	8	1,55,851	9	7
Balance, 31st March 1874, Rs. ...	30,27,805	10	9	28,93,765	5	9
APPROPRIATED FUNDS.						
By Balance, 1st April 1873 ...	44,90,487	0	0	11,86,923	0	0
„ Interest ...	3,41,345	7	8	59,687	3	0
„ Transfer from Unappropriated Funds, values of pensions granted to the above eleven families within the year ...	3,86,228	6	1	1,41,340	15	11
„ Interest thereon ...	10,285	5	11	2,355	15	8
„ Transfer from Unappropriated Fund, on account of pensions payable by Government ...	28,730	0	0	8,103	5	4
	52,57,076	3	8	13,98,410	7	11
DEDUCT—						
To Pensions paid in England under old Rules ...	1,75,800	0	0	.....		
„ Ditto ditto under new Rules ...	4,00,493	3	9	1,27,449	7	7
„ Ditto in India under new Rules... ...	16,563	9	10	4,892	15	1
„ Transfer to Unappropriated Funds of the deduction of one-sixth from pensions under Rule 7 ...	15,124	2	7	4,310	0	3
	6,07,981	0	2	1,36,652	6	11
Balance, 31st March 1874, Rs. ...	46,49,095	3	6	12,61,758	1	0
TOTAL BALANCE, 31ST MARCH 1874, Rs. ...	76,76,900	14	3	41,55,523	6	9

INVESTMENT OF THE ABOVE BALANCE.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Invested Treasury Notes at 8 per cent. ...	68,01,834	1	9
Uninvested at 8 per cent. (since invested)...	8,75,066	12	6
Ditto at 5 per cent. ...	41,55,523	6	9
TOTAL, Rs. ...	1,18,32,424	5	0

COMPARISON OF THE BALANCE.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance, 31st March 1873 ...	1,12,11,634	2	3
Balance, 31st March 1874 ...	1,18,32,424	5	0
INCREASE, Rs. ...	6,20,790	2	10

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CIVIL FUND OFFICE,
January, 1875.

W. H. VERNER,
Offg. Secretary and Accountant.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost

Two 5½ per cent. Government Promissory Notes :—

No. 039697 of 1859-60 for Rs. 800.
„ 039698 of 1859-60 for Rs. 800.

BURN & Co.,
No. 7, Hastings Street.

Lost.

The Government Promissory Note, No. $\frac{001129}{\text{ct. } 18227}$, of the 4 per cent. of 1842-43, for Rs. 1,000, originally standing in the name of Ram Rutton Bose, and last endorsed to Rudra Kanta Laherie, the proprietor by whom it was never endorsed to and other person. Payment of the above Note any the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicate in favor of the proprietor.

RUDRA KANTA LAHERIE,
Benares, Bangalitola.

Destroyed by White-ants.

Component No. 18856 at 4 per cent. loan of 1842-43 for Rs. 500.

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ESTATE OF CHARLES JOHN CONNEW, deceased.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Pursuant to "The Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866," notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the Estate of the deceased, late a Broker, residing in Calcutta, but who died at St. John's Wood, in the County of Middlesex, in England, on the 19th day of August 1874, and Letters of Administration of whose Estate were on the 17th day of November 1874 duly granted to Charles Mowbray Connew, of Calcutta, his eldest son, by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the solicitors of the said Administrator at their office, situate at 5 Hastings Street in Calcutta, on or before the 15th day of April 1875, after which date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the Estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice; and notice is hereby further given that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 15th day of January 1875.

BERNERS, SANDERSON, & UPTON,
Attornies for the said Administrator.

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RUDRA KANTA LAHERIE,
Benares, Bangalitola.

Lost or Stolen.

Government Promissory Note No. 013163 at 4 per cent. of 1842-43 for Rs. 500 belonging to

HEERA LAUL MITTRA.

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NOTICE.

Lost in February 1874 a certain interest-warrant, No. 005589 for Rs. 1,125, dated 13th February 1874, granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, in favor of Nurayan Rao Khundkay, or order. Application for a duplicate of the same interest-warrant has been made to the Bank of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
No. 65, BURTOLLAH ST.,
The 23rd February 1875.

SUDDASOOK,
WOODOYMULL,
SOBAGMULL.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

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BERNERS, SANDERSON & UPTON,
Attornies for the said Executor.

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Partially destroyed by White Ants.

The Government Promissory Note No. 3297 of the 5 per cent. loan of [illegible]th August 1825 for Sicca Rupees 2,000, issued on last renewal in the name of Armogatha Pillay, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon has been stopped at the Loan Office, and application is about to be made for payment to the undersigned of the principal and interest due.

N. A. DOORASAWMY PILLAY,
Son and legal representative of Armogatha Pillay, deceased.

NEGAPATAM,
The 22nd February 1875.

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ESTATE OF CHARLES JOHN CONNEW, deceased.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Pursuant to "The Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866," notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the Estate of the deceased, late a Broker, residing in Calcutta, but who died at St. John's Wood, in the County of Middlesex, in England, on the 19th day of August 1874, and Letters of Administration of whose Estate were on the 17th day of November 1874 duly granted to Charles Mowbray Connew, of Calcutta, his eldest son, by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the solicitors of the said Administrator at their office, situate at 5 Hastings Street in Calcutta, on or before the 15th day of April 1875, after which date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the Estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which he has then had notice; and notice is hereby further given that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 15th day of January 1875.

BERNERS, SANDERSON, & UPTON,
Attornies for the said Administrator.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost or mislaid

On the 2[illegible] ultimo, on the way from Bhooleswer to the Elphinstone Circle at Bombay, the four per cent. Government Promissory Note No. $\frac{016385}{13095}$ of 1842-43 for Rupees 500 (five hundred.) Due notice thereof has been given to the Public Debt Office, and all persons are hereby cautioned against negotiating this note in any way. Whoever brings the same to the undersigned or gives such information as shall lead to its recovery, will be rewarded.

PRANSHUNKER MAHESHWER,
Care of Gokuldass Kandass, Esq., High Court Pleader, near Bhooleswer.

Partially destroyed by White Ants.

The Government Promissory Note No. [illegible]97 of the 5 per cent. loan of 18th August 1825, for Sicca Rupees 2,000, issued on last renewal in the name of Armogatha Pillay, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon has been stopped at the Loan Office, and application is about to be made for payment to the undersigned of the principal and interest due.

N. A. DOORASAWMY PILLAY,
Son and legal representative of Armogatha Pillay, deceased.

NEGAPATAM,
The 22nd February 1875.

Lost

The following two Government Promissory Notes having been lost, and issue of Duplicates requested by me and my wife Roopwuntee, as proprietors. Any person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is requested to communicate with the undersigned:—

No. of Notes.	Date.	Amount.	What Loan.	Names of proprietors.
		Rs.		
34522	Jan. 16, 1872	500	4½	Roopwuntee.
34523	" "	500	4½	Pundit Hursahai.

PUNDIT HURSAHAI,
1st Grade Munsif of Saharanpur.

SAHARANPUR,
The 26th February 1875.

Stolen in course of transit.

The upper half of the Government Promissory Note No. 7 of the 5½ per cent. loan of 1859-60 for Rs. 500, standing in the name of Miss Emily S. Judge, the original proprietress, by whom it was never endorsed to any one.

The payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicate in favor of the proprietress.

Interest Draft for 14 to 31st ½ years amounting to Rs. 246-15-0 in favor of Miss Emily S. Judge, has also been lost with the above upper half of Note.

For and on account of Emily S. Judge.

J. WINDRAM, *Manager,*
National Bank of India, "Ld."

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NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between James Wilson and John Alfred Parker, carrying on business in Calcutta as Newspaper Proprietors under the name of WILSON and PARKER, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The Interest and Responsibility of the said John Alfred Parker in the said firm ceased and determined as from December 31st, 1874. All debts due to, or owing by, the said firm will be received or paid by the said James Wilson.

JAMES WILSON.
J. A. PARKER, by his Attorney.
C. LAZARUS.

Witness.
THOS. HORACE WILSON,
Solicitor, Calcutta.

Calcutta, 20th March 1875.

NOTICE.

A Practical Hand-book of the Uriya or Ódiyá Language, in the Uriya and Roman Characters, by T. J. Maltby, Esq., Madras C. S. Price Rs. 5, bound in cloth. Apply to Messrs. Wyman & Co., Hare Street, Calcutta.

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Tuesday, the 27th day of July next, has been fixed for the further hearing of this suit.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

CALCUTTA HIGH COURT, *23rd February* 1875.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

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SAHARANPUR,
The 26th February 1875.

Lost or mislaid

On the 28th ultimo, on the way from Bhooleswer to the Elphinstone Circle at Bombay, the four per cent. Government Promissory Note No. 016583/13993 of 1842-43 for Rupees 500 (five hundred.) Due notice thereof has been given to the Public Debt Office, and all persons are hereby cautioned against negotiating this note in any way. Whoever brings the same to the undersigned or gives such information as shall lead to its recovery, will be rewarded.

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UNCOVENANTED SERVICE FAMILY PENSION FUND.

Abstract Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the 2nd Quarter ending 31st October 1874, compared with the corresponding Quarter of the year 1873-74.

Particulars.	For the 2nd quarter ending 31st October 1874.	For the 2nd quarter ending 31st October 1873.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance at credit of the Fund in the Government Books at the end of the last quarter	45,06,143 11 8	41,87,625 0 10	3,18,818 10 10	
ADD RECEIPTS.				
Subscriptions from August to October 1874 in the Widows' Fund	85,873 2 0	79,261 12 0	6,611 6 0	
Subscriptions from August to October 1874 in the Children's Fund	57,867 9 3	54,740 9 3	3,127 0 0	
Entrance Fees, &c., from August to October 1874 ...	445 8 0	445 0 0	...	
Interest on Reserve Fund (W. F.), by a transfer to debt of two subscribers' account	132 12 0	...	132 12 0	...
Divisible surplus (W. F.) by a transfer to debt of two subscribers' account	179 4 0	...	179 4 0	...
TOTAL ...	1,44,498 3 3	1,34,450 5 3	10,050 6 0	2 8 0
TOTAL RECEIPTS ...	46,50,491 14 11	43,22,075 6 1	3,28,869 0 10*a*	2 8 0
DEDUCT PAYMENTS.				
Pensions paid to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	44,518 9 8	42,491 5 3	2,027 4 5	...
Ditto ditto Children's Fund ..	30,092 4 7	29,185 13 3	906 7 4	...
Cost of establishment, including Office-rent and contingencies	9,561 12 11	11,721 5 1	...	2,159 8 2
Divisible surplus (C. F.) by a credit to a subscriber's account	1 8 0	...	1 8 0	...
TOTAL PAYMENTS ...	84,174 3 2	83,398 7 7	2,935 3 9	2,159 8 2
Net balance in favor of the Fund, exclusive of interest upon capital	45,66,767 11 9	42,38,676 14 6	3,25,933 13 1*b*	2,157 0 2
Proportion of interest on Reserve Fund payable to subscribers over five years' standing	23,601 15 0	20,684 10 0	2,917 5 0	...
Proportion of divisible surplus, as per votes of subscribers	17,710 14 0	15,831 15 0	1,878 15 0	...
TOTAL ...	41,312 13 0	36,516 9 0	4,796 4 0	...

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.
Number of subscribers	1,092	721	1,007	697	85	24	...	...
Ditto incumbents	238	348	225	387	13	11	...	...
Ditto subscribers sharing in interest on Reserve Fund	646	421	545	387	101	34	...	...
Ditto subscribers sharing in divisible surplus	747	519	679	469	68	50	...	...

	Rs.	A.	P.
a.—Net increase	3,28,866	8	10
b.—Net increase	3,28,090	13	3

H. ANDREWS,
Accountant and Collector.

E. W. HOLLINGBERY,
E. W. KELLNER, } *Auditors.*

FUND OFFICE,
[illegible] *March* 1875.

Published by order of the Directors,

W. H. RYLAND,
Secretary.

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R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT, ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION,
The 9th April 1875.

J. N. MACKERTICH,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

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NOTICE.

Intending purchasers of the dwelling house and a piece of land north east of the said dwelling house, situated in the Town of Hooghly District, Ghootiabazar, belonging to the deceased Woodhub Chunder Mullick, are hereby warned, that they purchase the Right, Title and Interest of Kylash Chunder Mullick only and not of Mohes Chunder Mullick at present in Rangoon.

RANGOON,
The 2nd April 1875.

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J. N. MACKERTICH,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

HIGH COURT, ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION,
The 9th April 1875.

NOTICE.

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Every creditor holding any security may produce or transmit the same to the Registrar with the particulars of his claims, or shall produce the same before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Markby in the Court House on the twenty-fourth day of July one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

The claims of creditors holding certificates granted by the Administrator General will be submitted as certified by him to the Court together with their proofs in his possession. No such creditor need send in further claims, or be especially represented unless further notice be served upon him requiring him to do or be so.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
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Attorney.

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teenth day of November one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, are, on or before the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, to come in and prove their claims before the Hon'ble Arthur George Macpherson, the Officiating Chief Justice at the Court House, or, in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the said decree. Saturday, the fifteenth day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said High Court, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating on the said claims.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

JUDGE AND GANGOOLY,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Dated this 9th day of April 1875.

NOTICE.

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R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

CHAUNTRELL, KNOWLES & ROBERTS,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

CALCUTTA,
HIGH COURT,—O. J.,
The 7th day of April 1875.

Lost

In transit by post from Monghyr, Interest Draft No. 033808, dated 31st March 1875, for Rs. 110 in favor of Shama Churn Dey.

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J. N. MACKERTICH,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

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NOTICE.

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Every creditor holding any security may produce or transmit the same to the Registrar with the particulars of his claims, or shall produce the same before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Markby in the Court House on the twenty-fourth day of July one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

The claims of creditors holding certificates granted by the Administrator General will be submitted as certified by him to the Court together with their proofs in his possession. No such creditor need send in further claims, or be especially represented unless further notice be served upon him requiring him to do or be so.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

J. B. KNOWLES,
Attorney.

HIGH COURT,—O. J.,
The 9th April 1875.

NOTICE.

Pursuant to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal made in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, in suit No. 284 of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, (wherein Kulleanjee and others are plaintiffs, and Monindronarain Day and others are defendants), and dated the eighteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, the creditors of Brojendronarain Day, late of Soba Bazar, in Calcutta, who died on or about the sixteenth day of November one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, are, on or before the eighth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, to come in and prove their claims before the Hon'ble Arthur George Macpherson, the Officiating Chief Justice at the Court House, or, in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the said decree. Saturday, the fifteenth day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said High Court, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating on the said claims.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

JUDGE AND GANGOOLY,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Dated this 9th day of April 1875.

NOTICE.

Pursuant to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in a certain cause, wherein George Wood and others are plaintiffs, and Augustus Oldemeyer and others are defendants, on and bearing date the twenty-fifth day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, the creditors of Philip Bernhard Wilmans, deceased, who died on the twenty-sixth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, are, on or before the fourth day of September one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, to come in and prove their debts or claims before the Hon'ble William Markby, one of the Judges of the said Court at the Court House, or

in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Saturday, the twenty-seventh day of November, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said High Court, is appointed for the hearing and adjudicating upon the said claims.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

CHAUNTRELL, KNOWLES & ROBERTS,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys.

CALCUTTA,
HIGH COURT,—O. J.,
The 7th day of April 1875.

NOTICE.

Pursuant to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in its Original Civil Jurisdiction, in a suit No. 440 of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (wherein Choongoo Shawoo, Peela Shawoo otherwise called Peelajee Shawoo, Jodh Roy and Purmessur, all of the zillah Raipore in the Central Provinces of India, are Plaintiffs, and Henry M. Plowden of Lahore, in the Punjab Government, Advocate, is Defendant), and dated the tenth day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, the creditors of George Plowden, late a Pleader of the said Court in its Appellate Jurisdiction, who died in London on or about the twenty-seventh day of November one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, are, on or before Saturday, the twenty second day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, to come in and prove their debts or claims before the Honorable Mr. Justice Phear, one of the Judges of the said Court, at the Court House, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree. Saturday, the fifth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the said Court House, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the said claims.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

J. N. MACKERTICH,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

HIGH COURT, ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION,
The 9th April 1875.

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Lost

In transit by post from Monghyr, Interest Draft No. 033808, dated 31st March 1875, for Rs. 110 in favor of Shama Churn Dey.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost

The undermentioned Government Promissory Note which last stood in the name of Chonee Lall Khandelwall, No. 340 of the 5 per cent. loan of 1856-57, for Rs. 500.

UKHOY CHUNDER DUTT, *Attorney-at-Law.*

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CALCUTTA,
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UKHOY CHUNDER DUTT, *Attorney-at-Law.*

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KADUMBINIE DABIE,
Serampore, Hooghly.

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CALCUTTA,
5, *Hastings Street.*

CHAS. SANDERSON,
Executor.

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KADUMBINIE DABIE,
Serampore, Hooghly.

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BENGAL CIVIL FUND.

NOTICE.—The Half-yearly General Meeting of Subscribers will be held at the Town Hall on Wednesday, the 28th July next, at 4-30 P. M.

By order of the Managers,

C. P. L. MACAULAY,
Offg. Secretary.

BENGAL CIVIL FUND,
The 10th May 1875.

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NOTICE.

Pursuant to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in suit No. 1199 of 1865 [wherein Anwar Biswas is plaintiff and Busontocoomar Sircar, &c., are defendants], **and dated the eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, the persons claiming to be the representatives of Alexander Russell, late of England, are, by their Attorneys,** on or before the twenty-seventh day of June next, at the Court House to come in and prove their claim to the Talook Turruff Areakandy, Pergunnah Mahomood Shahee in Zillah Jessore, and the legacy of rupees two thousand in Government Securities which were devised and bequeathed by the Will of the testatrix Anundo Bibee of Old Bytockanna Lane, in the town of Calcutta, to the said Alexander Russell, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefits of the said decree.

Tuesday, the 27th day of July next, has been fixed for the further hearing of this suit.

R. BELCHAMBERS,

CALCUTTA HIGH COURT, *23rd February* 1875. } *Registrar.*

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost

In February 1874, a certain interest warrant, No. 005598 for Rs. 1,125, dated the 13th February 1874, favouring Narayen Rao Khundkay, issued on Notes of the 4½ per cent. loan, Nos. 46082 to 46087. An application for a duplicate of the said interest warrant has been made to the Secretary to the Bank of Bengal, Public Debt Office Department.

SUDDASOOK, WOODOYMULL, & SOHAGMULL,

No. 65, BURTOLLAH ST., *Calcutta, 21st May* 1875. } *Agents.*

Partially Destroyed

The Government Promissory Note No. 1802 of the 4 per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 500, originally standing in the name of Cossenath Mookerjee, and last endorsed to Sreemutty Luckhymonee Dossee, the present proprietress, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Note and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of a duplicate in favor of the proprietress.

SREEMUTTY LUCKHYMONEE DOSSEE,
Aheritolla Street, Calcutta.

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The interest and responsibility of Golab Rai in the firm of Shwe Bux Bullub Doss of Rangoon, and in the firm of M. Bullub Doss of Maulmain, and in the firm of Golab Rai Shwe Bux of Calcutta, ceased from the 25th day of Cheit 1932 Hindoo Era, corresponding with the 15th day of April 1875.

RANGOON, *The 22nd May* 1875.

GOLAB RAI.
MATEE LALL.
SHWE BUX.
BULLUB DOSS.

Estate HENRY BRUGES BUCKLE, C. B., deceased.

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NOTICE.

UNCOVENANTED SERVICE FAMILY PENSION FUND.

Result of Votes received on the Questions submitted in the Circulars No. 1, *dated* 10*th April, and No.* 2, *dated* 16*th April* 1875.

SUBJECT.	For.	Against.
Circular No. 1.		
I.—To divide Rs. 53,400 in the Widows' Branch during the year 1875-76 amongst qualified members of 3, 6, 9, 12, and 15 years' standing, as proposed in paragraph 6	813	15
II.—To divide Rs. 31,202 in the Children's Branch amongst qualified members of 3, 6, 9, 12, and 15 years' standing, as proposed in paragraph 7 ...	771	17
III.—To increase the pay and staff of the establishment, as proposed in paragraphs 9 to 13 and the proposition statement accompanying ...	807	17
IV.—To amend Rule 3, as proposed in paragraphs 14 to 16	796	29
Circular No. 2.		
Whether Mr. F. E. Moore shall be restored to his standing as a subscriber on payment of all arrears of subscription, with interest at six per cent. ...	847	9

By order of the Directors,

W. H. RYLAND,
Secretary.

U S. F. P. F. OFFICE,
Calcutta, 8th June 1875.

NOTICE.

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SUDDASOOK, WOODOYMULL, & SOHAGMULL,
Agents.

No. 65, BURTOLLAH ST.,
Calcutta, 21st May 1875.

Stolen

From the premises of the house during the night of the 29th June 1872, the Government Promissory Note No. 034126 of the 4½ per cent. loan of 1872 for Rs. 4,000, and No. 6979 of 33367 of the 5½ per cent. loan of 1859-60 for

Rs. 3,500, originally standing in the name of Tripasur Venkata Kondala Row of Aska, and last endorsed to Tripasure Sashagheri Row, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person.

Payment of the above Notes and interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Bank of Madras, and by the Treasury Officer, Ganjam, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicates in favor of the proprietor.

ASKA, *6th May* 1875. } TRIPASURE SASHAGHERI ROW.

Partially Destroyed

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PART III.

Advertisements & Notices by Private Individuals & Corporations.

Estate HENRY BRUGES BUCKLE, C. B., deceased.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Pursuant to "the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act 1866," Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of the deceased late Deputy Surgeon General in Her Majesty's Bengal Army, C. B., who died on the 12th December 1874, and Probate of whose Will was granted to the undersigned, the sole executor, on the 28th January 1875, by the High Court, Calcutta, are required to send in writing the particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 1st August 1875, after which date the assets of the estate of the said deceased will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto. Dated this 11th day of May 1875.

CALCUTTA, 5, *Hastings' Street.* } CHAS. SANDERSON, *Executor.*

NOTICE.

The interest and responsibility of Golab Rai in the firm of Shwe Bux Bullub Doss of Rangoon, and in the firm of M. Bullub Doss of Maulmain, and in the firm of Golab Rai Shwe Bux of Calcutta, ceased from the 25th day of Cheit 1932 Hindoo Era, corresponding with the 15th day of April 1875.

RANGOON, *The 22nd May* 1875. } GOLAB RAI. MATEE LALL. SHWE BUX. BULLUB DOSS.

PROMISSORY NOTES.

Lost.

The under-mentioned Government Promissory Note which last stood in the name of Balkissen, deceased:—

No. 33593 of the 5 per cent. loan of 1856-57, for Rs. 2,000.

HEMCHUNDER MITTER,
Attorney-at-Law.

Lost.

The Government Promissory Note No. 050344 of 16th January 1872, and No. 003670 of 15th July 1870, both at 4½ per cent. of Public Debt, for Rs. 500 each, the former originally standing in the name of Babu Chundernauth Banerjee, and the latter in the name of the Executive Engineer, 1st Division, Grand Trunk Road, and last endorsed both the Notes to Radheekapersaud Chatterjee, the proprietor by whom it was never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for the issue of Duplicates in favor of the proprietor.

RADHEEKAPERSAUD CHATTERJEE,
Serampore.

Stolen

From the premises of the house during the night of the 29th June 1872, the Government Promissory Note No. 034126 of the 4½ per cent. loan of 1872 for Rs. 4,000, and No. 6979 of 33367 of the 5½ per cent. loan of 1859-60 for Rs. 3,500, originally standing in the name of Tripasur Venkata Kondala Row of Aska, and last endorsed to Tripasure Sashagheri Row, the proprietor, by whom it was never endorsed to any other person.

Payment of the above Notes and interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Bank of Madras, and by the Treasury Officer, Ganjam, and application is to be made for the issue of duplicates in favor of the proprietor.

ASKA, *6th May* 1875. } TRIPASURE SASHAGHERI ROW.

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UNCOVENANTED SERVICE FAMILY PENSION FUND.

Abstract Statement of Receipts and Disbursements of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the 3rd quarter ending 31st Jany. 1875, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1873-74.

PARTICULARS.	For the 3rd Quarter ending 31st Jany. 1875.	For the 3rd Quarter, ending 31st Jany. 1874.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Balance at credit of the Fund in the Government books at the end of the last quarter ...	45,66,767 11 9	42,38,676 14 6	3,28,090 13 3	
ADD RECEIPTS.				
Subscriptions from November to January in the Widows' Fund	84,827 1 9	81,478 1 0	3,349 0 9	
Subscriptions from November to January in the Children's Fund	57,474 0 3	55,865 11 11	1,608 4 4	
Entrance Fees, &c., from November to January ...	631 12 0	601 9 0	30 3 0	
TOTAL ...	1,42,932 14 0	1,37,945 5 11	4,987 8 1	
GRAND TOTAL ...	47,09,700 9 9	43,76,622 4 5	3,33,078 5 4	
DEDUCT PAYMENTS.				
Pensions paid to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	47,343 4 9	43,766 3 8	3,577 1 1	
Ditto ditto Children's Fund...	31,324 7 2	29,370 9 1	1,953 14 1	
Cost of establishment, including Office-rent and contingencies	9,951 0 1	9,086 4 2	864 11 11	
TOTAL ...	88,618 12 0	82,223, 0 11	6,395 11 1	
Net balance in favour of the Fund, exclusive of interest upon capital	46,21,081 13 9	42,94,399 3 6	3,26,682 10 3	
Proportion of interest on Reserve Fund payable to Subscribers over five years' standing	23,601 15 0	20,684 10 0	2,917 5 0	
Proportion of Divisible Surplus as per votes of Subscribers	17,710 14 0	15,831 15 0	1,878 15 0	
TOTAL ...	41,312 13 0	36,516 9 0	4,796 4 0	

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.
Number of Subscribers	1,102	734	1,034	699	68	35
Ditto of Incumbents	246	360	227	328	19	32
Ditto of Subscribers sharing in interest on Reserve Fund	646	421	545	387	101	34
Ditto of Subscribers sharing in Divisible Surplus	747	519	679	469	68	50

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E. W. HOLLINGBERY, } *Auditors.*
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FUND OFFICE, *The 26th May* 1875. } H ANDREWS, *Accountant and Collector.* W. H. RYLAND, *Secretary.*

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Pursuant to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in suit No. 1199 of 1865 [wherein Anwar Biswas is plaintiff and Busontocoomar Sircar, &c., are defendants], and dated the eighth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, the persons claiming to be the representatives of Alexander Russell, late of England, are, by their Attorneys, on or before the twenty-seventh day of June next, at the Court House to come in and prove their claim to the Talook Turruff Areakandy, Pergunnah Mahomood Shahee in Zillah Jessore, and the legacy of rupees two thousand in Government Securities which were devised and bequeathed by the Will of the testatrix Anundo Bibee of Old Bhattockanna Lane, in the town of Calcutta, to the said Alexander Russell, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefits of the said decree.

Tuesday, the 27th day of July next, has been fixed for the further hearing of this suit.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

CALCUTTA HIGH COURT, *23rd February* 1875. }

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PART IV.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 16th December 1874, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. XVI OF 1874.

An Act for the repeal of certain Obsolete Enactments.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient that the enactments mentioned in the schedule to this Act, which have ceased to be in force otherwise than by express and specific repeal, or have by lapse of time and change of circumstances become unnecessary, or which merely repeal prior enactments, should be expressly and specifically repealed; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Enactments in schedule repealed.

1. The enactments described in the schedule annexed to this Act are hereby repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the same schedule:

Provided that the repeal by this Act of any enactment shall not affect any Statute, Act or Regulation in which such enactment has been applied, incorporated, or referred to:

And this Act shall not affect the validity or invalidity of anything already done or suffered, or any indemnity already granted, or any right or title already acquired or accrued, or any remedy or proceeding in respect thereof, or the proof of any past act or thing:

Nor shall this Act affect any principle or rule of law, or established jurisdiction, form or course of pleading, practice or procedure, or existing usage, custom, privilege, restriction, exemption, office or appointment, notwithstanding that the same respectively may have been in any manner affirmed, recognised, or derived, by, in, or from any enactment hereby repealed:

Nor shall this Act provide or restore any jurisdiction, office, custom, privilege, restriction, exemption, usage or practice not now existing or in force.

Short title. Commencement.

2. This Act may be cited as "The Repealing Act, 1874;" it extends to the whole of British India; and it shall come into force on the passing thereof.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
VIII of 1835 ...	Decrees for Rent ...	So much as has not been repealed.
X of 1836 ...	Indigo Contracts ...	In sections two, three and four, the first six words.
XX of 1836 ...	Quashing Batwáras ...	In section two, the words and figures "And it is hereby enacted that from the said first day of October, 1836." In section three, the words "And it is hereby enacted that."
XXI of 1836 ...	Creation of Zilas ...	The words and figures "It is hereby enacted, that from the first day of October, 1836."
XXVI of 1836 ...	Governor General's Camp-Police.	In section one, the first five words; and in sections two, three and four, the first six words.

PART I.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
III of 1837 ...	Bengal Sadr Courts ...	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1837 ...	Power to acquire land ...	In section one, the first twelve words; and in section two, the first six words.
VI of 1837 ...	Cuttack Málguzárs ...	The first five words.
XXII of 1837 ...	Offences against Revenue Regulations (Madras).	So much as has not been repealed.
XXIX of 1837 ...	Power to prescribe language to be used in judicial proceedings.	The whole Act.
XXXVI of 1837 ...	Criminal jurisdiction (Madras).	In section two, the first six words, and the words "and that."
VII of 1838 ...	Bengal judiciary ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XII of 1838 ...	Treasure trove (Madras)	The words and figures "It is hereby enacted, that from the first day of July 1838."
XVI of 1838 ...	Bombay judiciary ...	Section six; and in each of sections two, three, four and five, the first six words.
XVIII of 1838 ...	Sureties (Bombay) ...	In section one, the first twelve words. In sections two, three, four, five and six, the words "And it is hereby enacted, that."
XIX of 1838 ...	Coasting vessels (Bombay).	In sections two to fourteen (both inclusive), the words "And it is hereby enacted, that;" In section two the words and figures "from the said first day of November 1838" and in section fifteen, the words and figures "And it is hereby enacted, that from the first day of November 1838."
XXII of 1838 ...	Bengal judiciary ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XXIX of 1838 ...	Salt Department (Bengal).	In each of sections two to thirteen, and seventeen to twenty-two (both inclusive), twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, thirty and thirty-three, the words "And it is hereby enacted, that."
IX of 1839 ...	Pauper suits ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XX of 1839 ...	Levy of hakks, &c., (Bombay).	In section one, the first seven words; in sections two and three, the first six words.
XXIV of 1839 ...	Ganjam and Vizagapatam.	In section two, the words and figures "And it is hereby enacted, that from and after the said first day of December 1839." In sections three, four, five, six, seven and eight, the first six words.
VI of 1840 ...	Bills of Exchange ...	In section one, the words and figures "from and after the first day of May, in the year of our Lord 1840." In section two, the first twelve words. In each of the remaining sections, the first six words.
IX of 1840 ...	Damages, &c. ...	In section two, the first six words.
X of 1840 ...	Temple of Jagannáth ...	In sections two and three, the first six words.
XV of 1840 ...	Agents of Foreign Sovereigns (Bombay).	So far as relates to Bombay Regulation XV of 1827.
XVII of 1840 ...	Salt laws (Madras) ...	The words and figures "in modification of Regulation V of 1831, of the Madras Code."
XIX of 1840 ...	Pauper appeals ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XXIII of 1840 ...	Execution of process ...	In sections two, three, four, six and seven, the first six words; in section five, the first five words; and the word 'that' where it first occurs.
I of 1841 ...	Collection of Revenue ...	The whole Act.
VII of 1841 ...	Examination of absent witnesses.	So much as has not been repealed.
VIII of 1841 ...	Interpleader ...	In sections two, three, four, five and seven, the first six words.
X of 1841 ...	Registry of Ships ...	In sections two, three, four, five, six, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen, twenty-one, twenty-three, twenty-four and twenty-five, the first six words. In section eight, the first fourteen words. In section twenty-six, the first eight words.
XI of 1841 ...	Military Courts of Requests.	In sections three to seventeen (both inclusive), the first six words. In section five, the words and figures "of the East India Company, under Act No. VII of 1841," and "pursuant to the provisions of Act No. VII of 1841."

PART I.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		In section fifteen, the words and figures "(for which purpose the provisions of Act No. II of 1840 shall be applicable)."
XII of 1841 ...	Sales of land for arrears of Revenue.	In section two, the first six words, and the words and figures "which shall fall due after the date specified in section XXXV of this Act."
XVIII of 1841 ...	Arms and Ammunition...	In section three, the first six words.
XIX of 1841 ...	Curators ...	In sections two to nineteen (both inclusive), the first six words.
XXIV of 1841 ...	Illusory appointments, &c.	In section two, the first six words and the words "from the first day of January next." In section four, the first forty-three words, and the words "from the first day of January next." In section five, the first six words.
XXVI of 1841 ...	Extension of parts of 3 & 4 Wm. IV., C. 42.	In sections three, four, seven and nine, the first six words. In section eight, the first five words and the word "that."
XXVII of 1841 ...	Unclaimed dividends ...	In section two, the first six words.
IV of 1842 ...	Boat regulations (Madras)	In section one, the first fourteen words. In sections two, three, four, six to nineteen (both inclusive), twenty-one and twenty-four, the first six words. Section twenty. In sections twenty-two and twenty-three, the first seven words.
XII of 1842 ...	Military Bázárs ...	Section two, so far as it relates to Act No. XXVIII of 1841, and the first six words.
XIII of 1842 ...	Collection of Revenue (Bombay).	In section two, the first six words, and the words "that it." In sections three to eight (both inclusive), the first six words.
II of 1843 ...	Appeals ...	The whole Act.
V of 1843 ...	Slavery ...	In section one, the first seven words. In sections two and three, the first eight words. In section four, the first six words.
XI of 1843 ...	Hereditary officers (Bombay).	In section two, the word 'And.' In sections three, four, five and six, eight, ten to fifteen (both inclusive), the first six words. In sections seven and nine, the first seven words.
XII of 1843 ...	Judicial language ...	The whole Act.
VI of 1844 ...	Customs Duties (Madras).	Section six. In sections eight to fifteen (both inclusive), the first six words.
XVI of 1844 ...	Salt Duties (Bombay) ...	The preamble. Section six, down to and including the words "weight and that" and the word "Company's."
VIII of 1845 ...	Security for costs ...	The whole Act.
XXI of 1845 ...	Meriah sacrifices ...	The whole Act.
I of 1846 ...	Pleaders	Sections one, two and three; and in sections four and six to thirteen (both inclusive), the first six words. In section five, the words "nevertheless and it is hereby enacted."
III of 1846 ...	Boundary marks (Bombay)	In sections five and six, the first six words.
XI of 1846 ...	Khándesh and Ahmadnagar.	In sections two, three, four and five, the first six words.
IX of 1847 ...	Assessment of lands gained by alluvion or dereliction.	In sections, two, three, five, six and nine, the first six words. Section four down to and including the words "and that."
XX of 1847 ...	Copyright	In section three, the first six words, and the words "and that." In section five, the first eleven words, and the words "and that." In section six, the first five words, and the words "and that." In section seven, the first five words. In sections eight and nine, the first twelve words.

PART I.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL—*(continued)*.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		In sections ten and eleven, the first six words.
		In sections twelve to sixteen (both inclusive), the first five words.
XIV of 1848 ...	Commissions ...	In section one, the first six words.
IX of 1849 ...	Police Magistrates (Madras).	So much as has not been repealed.
IX of 1850 ...	Presidency Small Cause Courts.	In section six, the words and figures "within the meaning of Act VII of 1841, section VI."
XIX of 1850 ...	Apprentices ...	In sections five and twenty-three, the words "the East" and "Company."
XXXIII of 1850 ...	Sales of Patní tenures ...	In section one, the first six words.
XXXVII of 1850 ...	Inquiries into behaviour of public servants.	In section eight, the words and figures "by Act XXX, 1841."
III of 1852 ...	Spirituous liquors (Bombay).	Section nine.
VII of 1852 ...	Salt Revenue (Madras)	In section four, the words and figures "in the manner prescribed by clause 2, section XXXIII, Regulation XI of 1816, of the Madras Code."
XI of 1852 ...	Title to rent-free estates (Bombay).	Section one from and including the words "and no order" to the end.
XXIII of 1852 ...	Mitigation of Fines ...	The whole Act.
XXX of 1852 ...	Naturalization ...	Section nine.
XVIII of 1853 ...	Sale of spirits in Cantonments.	In section sixteen, the words and figures "shall not come into operation before the 1st day of January 1854, and."
XVIII of 1854 ...	Railways ...	In the preamble, the words "under the superintendence and control of the East India Company," and "in any part of the territories in the possession and under the Government of the said Company."
		In section two, the words "or of the East India Company."
		Sections thirty-two and thirty-three.
XXXI of 1854 ...	Fines and recoveries: tenants in tail and married women.	In the title and preamble, the words "to abolish real actions and also fines and common recoveries, and."
		In section thirteen, the words "the East" and "Company."
		Section nineteen.
XXXIII of 1854 ...	Judicial language ...	The whole Act.
XIV of 1855 ...	Military Bázárs, Madras	The whole Act.
XVIII of 1855 ...	Pardons and Reprieves ...	The whole Act.
XXIII of 1855 ...	Administration of mortgaged estates.	In section one, the first eight words.
XXIV of 1855 ...	Penal Servitude ...	In section one, the first six words and the words "the East" and "Company".
XXXII of 1855 ...	Embankments ...	Section nineteen, and the last seven words of section eighteen.
XI of 1856 ...	European deserters ...	In section two, the words "or for any of the Settlements of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca."
		In section four, the words and figures "Act No. XIV of 1849, or."
XIII of 1856 ...	Presidency Towns Police	In the title and preamble, the words "and the several stations of the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca."
		In section two, the definitions of "station" and "Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature."
		The expressions "and stations" "or station" "or stations" wherever they occur in the Act.
		Section nine.
		In section twenty-two, the words "and within the said Settlement."
		In sections forty-seven, forty-eight and seventy-four, the words "or the East India Company."
		Section fifty-three, from and including the words "or of any" down to and including "1851."
		Section one hundred and eighteen.
XIV of 1856 ...	Improvement of Presidency Towns.	So much as has not been repealed.

PART I.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL—*(continued)*.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
XIX of 1856 ...	Emigration ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XXV of 1856 ...	Municipal rates ...	The whole Act.
IV of 1857 ...	Tobacco (Bombay) ...	In section four, the words and figures "within the meaning of Act XXV of 1836."
XXI of 1857 ...	Suburbs of Calcutta	In the title, the words "of the Suburbs of Calcutta and"; in the preamble, the words "the Suburbs of the said town of Calcutta and of," and the words "Suburbs and" in each of the places where they occur.
		In section one, the words "Suburbs or."
		In section four, the words "or the East India Company."
		In the schedule, the words *"Suburbs of Calcutta and"* and the Part headed "SUBURBS OF CALCUTTA."
XXIX of 1857 ...	Land Customs (Bombay)	In section four, the words "as above provided."
		In section five, the words and figures "and the provisions of sections IV, V and VI of the said Act I of 1852 shall be applicable to the persons so appointed."
I of 1858 ...	Forced labour (Madras)	In section six, the words "or District" in each of the places where they occur, and so much of that section as relates to Madras Regulation VII of 1816.
XXXIV of 1858 ...	Lunacy (Charter Courts)	Section thirty-one, from and including "and shall" down to the end of the section.
XXXVI of 1858 ...	Lunatic Asylums ...	In section six, the words "and the Stations of the Straits Settlement" and "and Stations."
		In section seven, the words "or in any Station of the Straits Settlement."
		In section seventeen, the words and figures "or to affect the provisions of Act IV of 1849, entitled '*An Act for the safe custody of Criminal Lunatics.*'"
XXXVII of 1858 ...	Nawáb of the Carnatic ..	Section three.
I of 1859 ...	Merchant Seamen ...	In section one hundred and twelve, the last eleven words.
III of 1859 ...	Cantonment Joint Magistrates.	Section eleven.
VII of 1859 ...	Customs ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XIII of 1859 ...	Masters and Workmen	In section one, the words "or in any Station of the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca."
XVIII of 1859 ...	Punishment of offences...	Section one.
XXIII of 1859 ...	Land Customs ...	The whole Act.
XXIV of 1859 ...	Police (Madras Presidency).	Section twelve.
		In section fifty-two, the words and figures "in manner provided by Act II of 1839."
VIII of 1860 ...	Telegraphs ...	In section eighteen, the words "or for the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore, and Malacca."
XVI of 1860 ...	Presidency Municipalities	The whole Act.
XXI of 1860 ...	Registration of Societies	In sections one and eighteen, the words and figures "under Act XIX of 1857."
XXII of 1860 ...	Chittagong ...	Section seven.
XXIII of 1860 ...	Abkári (Bengal) ...	In section one, the words and figures "On and after the 21st January 1860," and in section four, the word "said."
XXVII of 1860 ...	Collections of debts on successions.	Section one.
XXXI of 1860 ...	Arms	In section twenty-five, the words "Magistrate, Deputy Magistrate, or Assistant to a Magistrate, or Police Officer, or for any other."
		Sections thirty-seven, thirty-eight and thirty-nine.
		In section forty-one, the words "or Station."
XLVIII of 1860 ...	Presidency Towns Police	In the title, the words "*and the several Stations of the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca.*"

PART I.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		In section four, the words "or in any of the Stations of the Straits Settlement," and "or of the Courts of Judicature of such Stations," and "or in the Court of Judicature."
V of 1861 ...	Police	Section eleven.
XVII of 1861 ...	Customs Duties (North-Western Provinces).	In section one, the words and figures "From and after the ninth day of March 1861."
		Section three.
IV of 1863 ...	Treaty with Burma ...	Section four.
XIX of 1863 ...	Partition	In section two, the words "after the passing of this Act."
XX of 1863 ...	Religious Endowments ...	In the preamble, the words and figures "and whereas it is expedient for that purpose to repeal so much of Regulation XIX. 1810 of the Bengal Code, and Regulation VII. 1817 of the Madras Code, as relate to endowments for the support of mosques, Hindoo Temples, or other religious purposes."
		In section twenty-two, the words "after the passing of this Act."
VI of 1864 ...	Whipping	Sections nine and ten.
VII of 1864 ...	Salt (Central Provinces)	Section four.
XIX of 1864 ...	Mirzápur	Section four.
XXIV of 1865 ...	Warrants of Attorney ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XXX of 1865 ...	Madras Irrigation Company.	Section two.
XXI of 1866 ...	Native Converts' re-marriage.	Section two.
		In section thirty-four, the words and figures "or in Acts Nos. XXV of 1864 and V of 1865" and from and including the words "and no Clergyman" to the end of the section; and section thirty-five, from and including the words "But it may" to the end of the section.
XXV of 1866 ...	Transfer to Government of certain securities.	In the title and preamble, the words "and in the Supreme Court of the Straits' Settlement."
		In section one, the words "or Supreme Court of the Straits' Settlement."
		So much of section two as has not been repealed.
		In section four, the words "or Supreme Court, as the case may be," and the words "and, in the case of proceeds transferred and paid under the second section of this Act by order of the Supreme Court of the Straits' Settlement, be established to the satisfaction of the same Court."
XXVII of 1866 ...	Trustees and Mortgagees	In section two, the words "*to abolish real actions and also fines and common recoveries, and.*"
		Section fifty-five.
XXVIII of 1866 ...	Trustees and Mortgagees' powers.	In section one, the words "and the Supreme Court of Judicature of the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca."
		Section forty-seven.
III of 1867 ...	Public Gambling ...	Section eighteen.
XIII of 1867 ...	Port-dues (Maulmain and Bassein).	In section three, the first eight words.
XIV of 1867 ...	Pándhari (Central Provinces).	Section seven.
XVIII of 1867 ...	Jhánsí Civil Courts ...	In section three, the words "from the date of this Act coming into operation."
		Section twenty-six.
XIX of 1867 ...	Darjeeling	Section one.
XXIII of 1867 ...	Murderous Outrages (Panjáb.)	Section three.
XVIII of 1868 ...	Nílgiri Hills ...	Section four.
XXV of 1868 ...	Coorg Courts ...	The second paragraph of section one.
		Section twenty-five.
XI of 1869 ...	Land Customs (Madras and Bombay).	Section three.

PART I.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		In section four, the words and figures "schedules to the said Act No. XVII of 1867, or any other."
XV of 1869 ...	Prisoners' testimony ...	In sections seven and eight, the words and figures "appointed under Act No. XXI of 1863" and "appointed under the said Act No. XXI of 1863."
XVI of 1869 ...	Bhután Dvárs ...	Section four.
XVIII of 1869 ...	Stamps	In section seventeen, the words and figures "Act No. XXVI of 1867, section six, or under" and "other."
		In section forty-five, the words and figures "or Act No. X of 1862 (*to consolidate and amend the law relating to stamp duties*)."
XX of 1869 ...	Volunteers ...	In section twenty-six, the words and figures "or the said Act No. XXIII of 1857."
V of 1870 ...	Costs of certain petitions	In the preamble, the words "*and in the Supreme Court of the Straits' Settlement, and the proceeds of certain estates in the charge of the Administrator General of Bengal.*"
XXII of 1870 ...	European British subjects	Section five.
XXVI of 1870 ...	Prisons	The third paragraph of section one.
I of 1871 ...	Cattle trespass ...	The third paragraph of section one.
II of 1871 ...	Extension of Prisons' Act to Coorg.	Clause (*b*) of section one.
III of 1871 ...	Paper Currency ...	The third paragraph of section one.
IV of 1871 ...	Coroners	The third paragraph of section one.
V of 1871 ...	Prisoners	The third paragraph of section one.
VI of 1871 ...	Bengal Civil Courts ...	The fourth paragraph of section one.
VII of 1871 ...	Emigration ...	The third paragraph of section one.
X of 1871 ...	Excise	The third paragraph of section one.
		Section eighty-eight.
XII of 1871 ...	Income Tax ...	The whole Act.
XIII of 1871 ...	Customs Duties ...	The third paragraph of section one.
		In section four, the words and figures "affects Act No. XX of 1867, or."
XVI of 1871 ...	Survey of Steamers (Burma).	The third paragraph of section one.
XVII of 1871 ...	Land rates (Oudh) ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XVIII of 1871 ...	Land rates (N. W. P.) ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XX of 1871 ...	Land rates (Panjáb) ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XXI of 1871 ...	Dehrá Dún ...	In the preamble, the words "and to indemnify all officers and other persons who have acted in the said district under the said Regulations and Acts."
XXIV of 1871 ...	Local Public Works loans ...	In section one, the words "and shall come into force upon the passing thereof."
XXV of 1871 ...	Railways ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XXVI of 1871 ...	Land improvement ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XXVII of 1871 ...	Criminal tribes ...	In section one, the words "and it shall come into force on the passing thereof."
XXXII of 1871 ...	Civil Courts (Oudh) ...	Paragraphs three and four of section one.
III of 1872 ...	Marriage in certain cases	In section one, the last nine words.
VII of 1872 ...	Burma Courts ...	The last paragraph of section one.
		Sections three and four.
VIII of 1872 ...	Income Tax ...	The whole Act.
X of 1872 ...	Criminal Procedure ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XI of 1872 ...	Foreign Jurisdiction ...	The last paragraph of section one.
XIII of 1872 ...	Patterns and Designs ...	The last nine words of section one.
XV of 1872 ...	Christian Marriage ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XVIII of 1872 ..	Amending Evidence Act	The second paragraph of section one.
XXI of 1872 ...	Native Military Lunatics	The third paragraph of section one.
XXVII of 1872 ...	Postponing Criminal Procedure Code in Sindh.	The whole Act.
I of 1873 ...	Amending Burma Courts' Act.	The third paragraph of section one.
II of 1873 ...	Burma Ferries ...	The third paragraph of section one.
IV of 1873 ...	Panjáb Municipalities ...	The third paragraph of section one.
V of 1873 ...	Government Savings Banks.	The third paragraph of section one.
VI of 1873 ...	Transhipment ...	The third paragraph of section one.
VIII of 1873 ...	Canals and Drainage ...	The third paragraph of section one.

PART I.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL—(*concluded*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
IX of 1873 ...	Panjáb Appeals ...	The third paragraph of section one.
XI of 1873 ...	Central Provinces Municipalities.	The third paragraph of section one.
XII of 1873 ...	Repealing Act, 1873 ...	The whole Act.
XIII of 1873 ...	Burma Timber ...	Section five.
XIV of 1873 ...	Lunatic Soldiers' property	The third paragraph of section one.
XV of 1873 ...	Municipalities (N. W. P. and Oudh).	The third paragraph of section one.
XVI of 1873 ...	Village Police (N. W. P.)	Section two.
V of 1874 ...	Kullu appeals ...	The preamble and section two.
VI of 1874 ...	Privy Council Appeals...	Section two and the schedule

PART II.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR OF FORT ST. GEORGE IN COUNCIL.

III of 1865 ...	Offences against special and local laws ...	The whole.
I of 1867 ...	Shortening language of Acts ...	Sections six and seven.
III of 1867 ...	Claims against Azím Jah	The whole.
VIII of 1867 ...	Police ...	In section eighty-one, the words and figures "And sections 2 and 4 of Act XXII of 1837 and."
I of 1869 ...	Nilgiri Hills Commissioner	The whole.

PART III.—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY IN COUNCIL.

VII of 1867 ...	District Police ...	Section twelve.
I of 1873 ...	Bombay Port Trust ...	Section one, and Schedule A.
III of 1873 ...	Fees levied under Bombay Act IX of 1863.	The whole.

PART IV.—ACTS OF THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

VII of 1862 ...	Resumption of Revenue	Sections three and four.
VIII of 1868 ...	Partial repeal of Act XXI of 1857.	The whole Act.
II of 1872 ...	Jute Warehouses ...	The last forty-three words of section one.

PART V.—MADRAS REGULATIONS.

III of 1802 ...	Procedure in Zila Courts	Section twenty-one.
IX of 1816 ...	Zila Magistrates ...	So much as has not been repealed.
II of 1819 ...	State Prisoners ...	Section four.
VII of 1822 ...	Rescinding Regulations I of 1809, and V of 1811.	In section three, the words "of the ministerial officers of the Courts of Judicature."
VII of 1832 ...	Military Bázárs ...	The whole.

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS.

II of 1793 ...	A Regulation for abolishing the Courts of Maal Adawlut, &c.	In section four, the words and figures "published in the manner directed in Regulation XLI. 1793." In section eight, clauses *eleventh* and *twelfth*. In section nine, the first three words. In section ten, the words "or dewans." In section fourteen, the words "and the dewan." In sections fifteen and eighteen, the words "or dewan." In section sixteen, the words "dewan or other." Sections twenty-one, twenty-two, twenty-seven, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two, forty-six and forty-seven. In section twenty-four, the words and figures "by a Regulation published in the manner directed in Regulation XLI. 1793, or." In section twenty-five, the words "and the species of rupee in which each payment may be made." In section twenty- six, the last sentence.

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
IV of 1793 ...	A Regulation for receiving, trying, and deciding suits, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
VIII of 1793 ...	A Regulation for re-enacting with modifications, &c.	Sections one, two, three, five to twelve (both inclusive), forty-two, forty-four, forty-five, forty-six, forty-seven, sixty-one and sixty-three. In section seventeen, the second sentence. In section eighteen, the second sentence. Section twenty-one, from and including the words "in the mode" to the end of the section. In section thirty-five, the second sentence. Sections sixty-eight to one hundred and one, both inclusive.
X of 1793 ...	Decennial settlement ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XI of 1793 ...	Inheritance ...	Section two, down to and including the word "Higeree." In section three, the words "subsequent to the period specified in section II." Section four, down to and including the words "and that." Section five, except the first ten words, and in section six, the figure and words "VI. Nor to."
XIV of 1793 ...	Recovery of arrears of revenue.	So much as has not been repealed.
XIX of 1793 ...	Non-bádsháhí lákhiráj grants.	Section eighteen. In section two, clause *Second*, the words and figures "and proceeded in it, as required by section XIV. Regulation III. 1793." In section thirty-five, the words "and also to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the Division" and "and to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the Division," and "Provincial Court of Appeal or." In section forty-two, the second and third sentences. In section forty-three, the first four words. In section ten, the words "to the Provincial Court of Appeal, or from the decision of the Provincial Court," and the words "in the event of their ordering the cause to be appealed to the Provincial Court and of its being given against them therein;" and the words "in both cases." Sections thirteen, twenty-five and thirty-four. In section seventeen, the words "every five years." In section twenty-eight, the words "of the five years." In section thirty, the words "and also to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the division," "and to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the division" and "Provincial Court of appeal or." In section thirty-seven, the last two sentences. In section thirty-nine, the words and figures "which is to be formed in each of the Zillahs in Bengal, Behar and Orissa, at the commencement of the Bengal, Fussily and Willaity year 1207, and at the commencement of every succeeding five years," and the word "five."
XXXVII of 1793 ...	Bádsháhí lákhiráj grants.	
XXXVIII of 1793...	Lending to zamíndárs ...	In section two, the words "and City" and the words "the Judges of the Provincial Courts of Appeal and the Courts of Circuit, and the registers to their respective Courts."
XLVIII of 1793 ...	A Regulation for forming a quinquennial register, &c.	In section two, clause *First*, the words "every five years." In sections ten, eleven, thirteen, sixteen, seventeen, nineteen, twenty-one, twenty-three, twenty-five, twenty-eight, twenty-nine and thirty, the word "quinquennial," wherever it occurs. In section ten, the words 'every' and 'five.' In section sixteen, the word "five."

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		In section eighteen, the words "and also to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the division," "and to the Provincial Court of Appeal of the division in which it may be included," and "Provincial Court of Appeal or."
		In section nineteen, the words "at the end of every five years."
		Section twenty-two.
		In section twenty-four, clause *Second*. In the same section, clause *Fifth*, the words and figures "Regulation XXV. 1793, that Regulation directing that the division and union of all estates are to be made under." In the same section, clause *Seventh*.
		In section twenty-six, the last two sentences.
		Section twenty-seven.
		In section twenty-nine, the words and figures "at the commencement of the Bengal, Fussily and Willaity year 1207, and at the commencement of every succeeding five years."
L of 1793 ...	A Regulation for empowering the Court of Wards, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
III of 1794 ...	A Regulation for exempting proprietors of land, &c.	The whole Regulation, except sections twelve, thirteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen and twenty.
		In section thirteen, the words and figures "by section III. Regulation XIV. 1793."
VIII of 1795 ...	Extending Regulation IV of 1793.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXVII of 1795 ...	Permanent settlement, Benares.	In section ten, the words and figures "and printed and published in the manner prescribed in Regulation XLI. 1793," and "as referred to in Regulation II. 1795."
LV of 1795 ...	Court of Wards. Security from guardians.	So much as has not been repealed.
I of 1799 ...	Frontier of Silhet ...	In section two, the words "natives of the Company's provinces; and to Armenians, Greeks and all other," and the words "not being British-born subjects; as well as to such British-born subjects as may be authorized by a license from Government to reside in the district of Sylhet."
		In section six, from and including the words "in the mode" down to the end of the section.
		Section seven.
V of 1799 ...	Wills and Intestacy ...	In section one, the words and figures "prescribed in section XV of Regulation IV. 1793, viz."
		In section two, the words and figures "Regulation X. 1793, or" and the word "other" before "Regulation;" and from and including the words "under the general rule" to the end of the section.
		In sections one, two, three and seven, the words "and City" and "or City," wherever they occur.
		In section eight, the words and figures "described in Regulation X. 1793" and "by the above or any other Regulation," and the word "the" before "disqualified."
VII of 1799 ...	Realization of rent and revenue.	So much as has not been repealed.
II of 1800 ...	Stone quarries at Chunar	In section two, the words "native inhabitants of the Company's provinces and all other," and from and including the words "not being," down to and including the figures "1793."
		In section eight, the words and figures "which are exempted from the customs by section X. Regulation III. 1795."
		Section nine.
		In section ten, the words "besides an oath, or solemn declaration, for the faithful execution of their respective duties."

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
V of 1800 ...	Extending to Benares Regulation VII of 1799.	The whole Regulation.
VIII of 1800 ...	Pargana Register ...	In section four, the words "at the commencement of every fifth succeeding year."
		In sections five, six, seven, nine, ten, fourteen, sixteen, seventeen, nineteen, the word "quinquennial" wherever it occurs.
		In section five, the words "the interval of five years."
		In section six, the words "in the Persian language;" and the words and figures "appointed under Regulation XXI. 1793 (extended to Benares by Regulation XXXVII. 1795)," and the words ("or by the city judge in the province of Benares)."
		In section eleven, the words "directed to be prepared at the expiration of every five years."
		In section seventeen, the words and figures "appointed under Regulation XXI. 1793," and from and including the words "Such officers shall" to the end of the section.
		Section twenty-two.
I of 1801 ...	Commissioners of Revenue and Circuit, Board of Revenue, &c.	Sections one, two, four, nine and fifteen.
		In section eight, the words and figures "or to alter the provisions made for the correction of error or collusion in such allotments, by section twenty-five, Regulation XXV. 1793, in cases of private divisions of estates; and by clause *Second* of section twenty-nine, Regulation VII. 1799, in cases of public sales."
		In section ten, the words and figures "or of suspicion that the purchase has been made in opposition to the Rules contained in clauses 3 and 4 of section XXIX, Regulation VII. 1799," and "for the orders of the Governor General in Council, as directed in clause *Fourth* of section XXIX, Regulation VII. 1799."
VII of 1801 ...	Duty on Coasting Vessels, &c.	The whole Regulation.
XIII of 1803 ...	Records of Courts, Ceded Provinces.	The whole Regulation.
XLIII of 1803 ...	Fees on institution of suits.	So much as has not been repealed.
XLIX of 1803 ...	Assistant Judges ...	So much as has not been repealed.
V of 1804 ...	Appointment and removal of Native Officers.	So much as has not been repealed.
X of 1804 ...	Punishment of State offences by Courts Martial, &c.	In section four, the words and figures "or before any special court appointed for the trial of such offences, under Regulation IV. 1799, and Regulation XX. 1803."
X of 1805 ...	Sadr Adálat ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XII of 1805 ...	Settlement and Collection of public revenue, Cuttack, &c.	Sections twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen and sixteen.
XIII of 1805 ...	Cuttack Police ...	In section two, the words and figures "formed into one zillah, instead of two zillahs, as prescribed in Regulation IV. 1804, and shall be."
		Section twelve.
VI of 1806 ...	Embankments ...	So much as has not been repealed.
VII of 1806 ...	A Regulation for re-establishing a Court of Civil Judicature in the vicinity of Calcutta, &c.	The whole Regulation.
VIII of 1806 ...	Complaints against Collectors.	So much as has not been repealed.
XI of 1806 ...	Supplies for Troops, &c.	Sections nine, eleven and twelve.
VIII of 1809 ...	Appointment and removal of ministerial officers.	So much as has not been repealed.
X of 1810 ...	A Regulation for abolishing the duties, &c.	The whole Regulation.

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—(*continued*).

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
XX of 1810 ...	Camp-followers, bázárs...	Section five, and in section three, the words, "or the second article of the fifteenth section of the Hon'ble Company's."
IX of 1811 ...	Partition ...	The whole Regulation.
XI of 1811 ...	Revision of jama on divided lands.	Section two.
III of 1812 ...	Criminal Procedure, &c.	So much as has not been repealed.
V of 1812 ...	Collection of Land Revenue.	Section one. Section two, down to and including the words "rescinded; and" Section three, down to and including the words "rescinded: and" Section four, down to and including the words "declared that," and the words and figures "the case to be tried as a summary suit under Regulation VII. 1799." Section twenty-six, from and including the words "provided, however" to the end. Section twenty-seven, from and including the words "and should those authorities" to the end.
XI of 1812 ...	Foreign Immigrants ...	In section five, the words "before the Court of Circuit," in each of the places where they occur, and the words "of circuit."
XV of 1812 ...	Extending parts of Regulation I. 1811.	So much as has not been repealed.
XVIII of 1812 ...	Explaining section 2 of Regulation V. 1812.	Section three, clause *First*.
XXII of 1812 ...	Bandelkhand ...	In section four, the two provisoes.
XIX of 1814 ...	Partition of Revenue-paying estates.	Section two; and in section thirteen, clause *First*. The words "or Board of Commissioners," and "and Board of Commissioners" wherever they occur. In section seventeen, clause *Third*, the second sentence. In section twenty-one, the words "as the case may be" and "respectively."
XXV of 1814 ...	Sadr Díwání Adálat and Provincial Courts.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXVII of 1814 ...	Native Pleaders ...	So much as has not been repealed.
V of 1816 ...	Kánungo, Cuttack ...	In section one, from and including the words "to be in force" to the end of the section. In section three, the words and figures "under the provisions of Regulation V. 1804, and Regulation VIII. 1809."
IX of 1816 ...	The Sunderbuns ...	Section one, from and including the words "to be in force" to the end of the section.
XI of 1816 ...	Succession to certain estates in Cuttack.	Sections four, six, ten and twenty; and in section eighteen, the figures and word 'IV,' 'VI,' 'and X.'
XVII of 1816 ...	Police	So much as has not been repealed.
V of 1817 ...	Hidden Treasure ...	In section five, the words "the Board of Commissioners, or the Commissioner in Behar and Benares, or" In section six, the words and figures "within the period limited by the notification directed in section IV of this Regulation," *** "and deposited it in the Zillah or City Court, as required by section III." In section seven, the words "and deposited." In section eight, the words and figure "in conformity with section IV and make the deposit thereby required;" and "or the Board of Commissioners in the Western Provinces or the Commissioner in Behar and Benares." In section nine, the words "or City," and the last fourteen words. Section ten.
XII of 1817 ...	Patwáris	In the preamble, the words "from the date of their promulgation." Sections two, four, five and six. In section nine, the words and figures "to furnish the Collector with the statement required in section IV, and;" and "sections V and VII of."

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—(*continued*)

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		In section eleven, the words and figures "to furnish the statement required by section IV, or," *** "sections V and VII of," *** "in those sections," and "the Board of Commissioners, or the Commissioner in Behar and Benares, as the case may be." In section twenty-six, the words "before a Court of Circuit," *** "in the Regulations," and "under the provisions of the Regulations." In section twenty-seven, the words "before a Court of Circuit" and "in the Regulations." In section thirty-one, the words "the Board of Commissioners or the Commissioner in Behar and Benares, according as he may be subject to one or other of those authorities," *** "and Commissioner aforesaid." In section thirty-two, the words "Board of Commissioners and Commissioner in Behar and Benares, as the case may be." In section thirty-three, the words "or commissioner." In sections thirty-three and thirty-five, the words "the Board of Commissioners or the Commissioner in Behar or Benares, as the case may be."
XX of 1817 ...	Police	Sections one to eight (both inclusive), ten, eleven, thirty-one, thirty-three and thirty-four. In section twenty-eight, clause *Second*, the words and figures "as directed in section XXIV. Regulation X. 1813." In section twenty-nine, clause *First*, the words "weaver," "engaged in the provision of the Company's investment, or," "commercial," "commercial resident." In clause *Second*, the word "commercial." In clause *Third*, the words "weavers," *** "engaged in the provision of the Company's investment, or," *** "commercial," *** "commercial resident." In clause *Fourth*, the words "weaver," "engaged in the provision of the Company's investment, or," *** "commercial" and "commercial resident." In clause *Fifth*, the words and figures "as required by the *Second* clause of section XI. Regulation VI. 1801," and the words "commercial resident or." In clause *Ninth*, the words and figures "as required by the provisions of Regulation XIII. 1816, which are herein recapitulated for their information and guidance." Clauses *Tenth* and *Eleventh*. In section thirty, clauses *Third* and *Sixth*; and in clause *Second*, the words and figures "in pursuance of section IX. Regulation XI. 1806."
III of 1818 ...	State prisoners ...	In section four, the words "of circuit" wherever they occur. Section eight. In section nine, the words "to the Provincial Court of Appeal and Circuit, and."
II of 1819 ...	Resumption of Revenue	Sections two, twenty-five and twenty-seven. In section six, the words "in the Persian language and character." In section nineteen, clause *First*, from and including the words "conformably with" to the end of the clause. In sections twenty, twenty-one and thirty, the word "Persian." Section twenty-four, clause *Second*. Section twenty-six, clause *First*, except the words "In cases instituted in the Zillah Court * * * an appeal shall be received by the Court of Sudder Dewanny Adawlut." Clause *Second*, down to and including the words "appeals but," and the words "or Provincial Court" and the word "special" wherever it occurs.

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—*(continued.)*

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
		In section thirty, clauses *Fifth* and *Seventh*, the words "or City."
VI of 1819 ...	Ferries	In section two, clause *First*, and the first six words of clause *Second*. In section three, clause *Second*, the words and figures "under the provisions of Regulation XIX. 1816." In section six, clause *Second*, the words "through the channel of the Superintendents of Police." Section fourteen.
VIII of 1819 ...	Patní Taluqs ...	In section two, the words and figures "under the rule of section V. Regulation XLIV. 1793." In section three, clause *Third*, the words and figures "under the rule contained in the seventh clause of section XV. Regulation VII. 1799, for leases conveying a limited interest in the land." In section eight, clause *Second*, the words "to the Civil Court of the District, and a similar one." In section nine, the words "by the register or acting register of the Civil Court, or, in his absence, by the person in charge of the office of Judge, or of Magistrate of the District within which the lands may be situated." In section fifteen, clause *Second*, the word "summary," and the words and figures "brought under the provisions of section XV. Regulation VII. 1799, or in any application to stay process by distraint, under the rules of Regulation V. 1812."
II of 1820 ...	Offences in Chandernagore.	The whole Regulation.
IV of 1821 ...	Collectors' powers ...	In section six, clause *First*, the words "and City," and the whole of clause *Second*. In section seven, the words "or City" wherever they occur. In section eight, clause *Third*, the words "or the Boards of Commissioners," * * * "or Board of Commissioners."
III of 1822 ...	Board of Revenue ...	Sections two and three, and clauses *Second* and *Third* of section four.
VII of 1822 ...	Settlement—Ceded Provinces and Cuttack.	In section two, the first five clauses, and the first fourteen words of clause *Sixth*. In section five, clause *Second*, section six, clause *First*, section seven, clause *First*, section nine, clause *Second*, section twelve, clause *Second*, and section seventeen, the words "of Commissioners." In section fifteen, the words "or Provincial," and "according to the value of the interest at stake." In section sixteen, the words "or Provincial." In section twenty, clause *Second*, the words "or City." In section twenty-three, clause *Third*, the words "or City." In section twenty-nine, clause *Fifth*, the word "Persian." In section thirty, the words "or City," and "or Provincial Court of the Division," and "under the general Regulations for the administration of civil justice." In section thirty-one, clause *Second*, the words "any register, sudder ameen or" and "registers, sudder ameens and." In section thirty-three, clause *First*, the words and figures "shall be guided by the rules contained in Regulation XVI. 1793, and the other corresponding enactments, and in Regulation VI. 1813, in so far as the same may be applicable, and."
VI of 1823 ...	Indigo suits ...	In section three, clause *First*, the words "or city" and "or to a register exercising the powers of Joint Magistrate."

PART VI.—BENGAL REGULATIONS—*(concluded.)*

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of Repeal.
		In section six, the word "summary" (wherever it occurs), "nevertheless" and "by a summary award;" and the passage beginning with "they shall be either" and ending with "under this Regulation."
VII of 1823 ...	Loans to Covenanted Civil Servants.	Section two, clause *Third*. In section three, the words "and city." Section five. In section eight, the words "provincial," * * * "by the Provincial Courts" and "of the Regulations."
VII of 1825 ...	Sales of land in execution of decrees.	So much as has not been repealed.
XIV of 1825 ...	Revenue Authorities ...	Section six, from and including the words "to the Provincial Court" down to and including "pounds sterling." In the same section, the words "or Provincial."
XV of 1825 ...	Customs duties ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XX of 1825 ...	Courts Martial ...	In section four, the words "or City," and the words and figures "under the provisions of Regulation L. 1803."
III of 1827 ...	Ministerial Native Officers	The whole Regulation except section five.
V of 1827 ...	Management of estates under attachment.	In section two, the words and figures "and sections XXVI and XXVII. Regulation V. 1812, and clause *Third*, section V. Regulation VI. 1813." In sections two and three, the words "and City." In section four, the words "or City."
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IV of 1828 ...	Powers of Collectors ...	In section two, clause *Fourth*, before the word "magistrates," the words "the powers vested in;" and the words and figures "by Regulation XV. 1824, shall be suspended in regard to all mehauls of which the settlement may be so in progress; and the said officers".
I of 1829 ...	Commissioners of Revenue.	Sections three and five.
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PART IV.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First Publication.]

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But nothing herein contained applies—

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2. The enactments specified in the second schedule hereto annexed are repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the same schedule.

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All appointments made and securities given under any of the said enactments shall be deemed to be respectively made and given under this Act.

The reference to Act No. VII of 1847 made in Act XXIII of 1850, section three, shall be read as if made to this Act.

3. In this Act, "Court of Small Causes" means the Court of Small Causes for the time being established by law in Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, as the case may be.

"Court of Small Causes" defined.

II. Bailiffs and Appraisers.

4. The Judges of the Court of Small Causes may appoint four or more persons to be bailiffs and appraisers for the purpose of this Act, and may from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, fix such remuneration for the services of such officers as the said Judges think fit, and may suspend or remove them.

Appointment of bailiffs and appraisers.

5. The persons so appointed shall give security to be approved by the said Judges faithfully to discharge the duties of their office, and they shall be deemed to be public servants within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

Security to be given by appointees.

III. Issue of Distress-Warrants.

6. Any person claiming to be entitled to arrears of rent of any house or premises to which this Act extends, or his duly constituted attorney, may apply to any Judge of the Court of Small Causes for such warrant as hereinafter mentioned.

Application for distress-warrant.

The application shall be supported by an affidavit or affirmation to the effect of the form (marked A) in the first schedule hereto annexed.

7. The Judge may thereupon issue a warrant under his hand and seal and returnable within six days, to the effect of the form contained in the same schedule (marked B) addressed to any one of such bailiffs.

Issue of distress-warrant.

The Judge may at his discretion, upon personal examination of the person applying for such warrant, decline to issue the same.

IV. Of the making of Distresses.

8. Every distress under this Act shall be made after sunrise and before sunset, and not at any time.

Time for distress.

9. The bailiff directed to make the distress may force open any stable, out-house, or other building, and may also enter any dwelling-house, the outer door of which may be open and may break open the door of any room in such dwelling-house for the purpose of seizing property liable to be seized under this Act.

What places bailiff may force open.

Provided that he shall not enter or break open the door of any room appropriated for the zanáná or residence of women, which by the usage of the country, is considered private.

10. In pursuance of the warrant aforesaid the bailiff shall seize the moveable property found in or upon the house or premises mentioned in the warrant and belonging to the person from whom the rent is claimed (hereinafter called the debtor), or such part thereof as may in the bailiff's judgment be sufficient to cover the amount of the said rent, together with the costs of the said distress.

Property which may be seized.

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(*a*) things in actual use; or

(*b*) tools and implements not in use; where there is other moveable property in or upon the house or premises sufficient to cover such amount and costs; or

(*c*) the debtor's necessary wearing apparel; or.

(*d*) goods in the custody of the law.

11. The bailiff may impound or otherwise secure the property so seized in or on the house or premises chargeable with the rent.

Impounding distress.

12. On seizing any property under section ten, the bailiff shall make an inventory of such property and shall give a notice in writing to the effect of the Form in the first schedule hereto annexed (marked C) to the debtor, or to any other person upon his behalf in or upon the said house or premises.

Inventory.

Notice of intended appraisement and sale.

The bailiff shall, as soon as may be, file in the Court of Small Causes copies of the said inventory and notice.

Copies of inventory and notice to be filed.

V. Of Applications to discharge Distresses, and of Compensation.

13. The debtor, or any other person alleging himself to be the owner of any property seized under this Act, may, at any time within five days from such seizure, apply to any Judge of the said Court to discharge or suspend the warrant, or to release a distrained article, and such Judge may discharge or suspend such warrant or release such article accordingly, upon such terms as he thinks just,

Application to discharge or suspend warrant.

and any of the Judges of the said Court may in his discretion give reasonable time to the debtor to pay the rent due from him.

Upon any such application the costs attending it and attending the issue and execution of the

warrant shall be in the discretion of the Judge, and shall be paid as he directs.

14. If any claim be made to, or in respect of, any property seized under this Act, or in respect of the proceeds or value thereof, by any person not being the debtor, the Chief Clerk of the Court of Small Causes, upon the application of the bailiff who seized the property, may issue a summons calling before the Court the claimant and the person who obtained the warrant.

Claim to goods distrained made by a stranger.

And thereupon any suit which may have been brought in the High Court in respect of such claim shall be stayed, and any Judge of the High Court, on proof of the issue of such summons and that the property was so distrained, may order the plaintiff to pay the costs of all proceedings in such suit after the issue of such summons.

And a Judge of the Court of Small Causes shall adjudicate upon such claim and make such order between the parties in respect thereof and of the costs of the proceedings as he thinks fit;

and such order shall be enforced as if it were an order made in a suit brought in such Court.

The procedure in Courts of Small Causes in cases under this section shall conform, as far as may be, to the procedure in an ordinary suit in such Courts.

15. In any case under section thirteen or section fourteen the Judge by whom the case is heard may award such compensation by way of damages to the applicant or claimant (as the case may be) as the Judge thinks fit,

Power to award compensation to debtor or claimant.

and may for that purpose make any enquiry he thinks necessary;

and the order of the Judge awarding or refusing such compensation shall bar any suit in respect of injury caused by the distress.

16. In any application under section thirteen or any claim under section fourteen, if the value of the subject-matter in dispute exceeds one thousand rupees, the applicant or claimant may apply to the High Court, to transfer the case to itself, and the High Court on being satisfied that it is expedient that the case should be disposed of by itself, may direct the case to be transferred accordingly, and may thereupon alter or set aside any order passed in the case by a Judge of the Court of Small Causes, and may make such order therein as the High Court thinks fit.

Power to transfer to High Court cases involving more than Rs. 1,000.

Every application under this section shall be made within seven days from the date of the seizure of the subject-matter in dispute.

In granting applications under this section, the High Court may impose such terms as to payment of or giving security for costs or otherwise as it thinks fit.

The procedure in cases transferred under this section, shall conform as far as may be to the procedure in suits before the High Court in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction; and orders made under this section may be executed as if they were made in the exercise of such jurisdiction; and every such order awarding or refusing compensation shall bar any suit in respect of injury caused by the distress which gave rise to the case wherein such order was made.

VI. Appraisement and Sale of Distress.

17. In default of any order to the contrary by a Judge of the Court of Small Causes, or by the High Court, any two of the said bailiffs may, at the expiration of five days from a seizure of property under this Act, appraise the property so seized, and give the debtor notice in writing to the effect of the Form in the first schedule hereto annexed (marked D).

Appraisement.

Notice of sale.

The bailiffs shall file in the same Court a copy of every notice given under this section.

18. In default of any such order to the contrary, the distrained property shall be sold on the day mentioned in such notice, and the said bailiffs shall on realizing the proceeds pay over the amount thereof to the Chief Clerk of the Court of Small Causes, and such amount shall be applied first in payment of the costs of the said distress and then in satisfaction of the debt; and the surplus, if any, shall be returned to the debtor:

Sale.

Application of proceeds.

Provided that the debtor may direct that the sale shall take place in any other manner, first giving security for any extra costs thereby occasioned.

VII. Miscellaneous.

19. No costs of any distress under this Act shall be taken or demanded except those mentioned in the part of the first schedule hereto annexed (marked E).

Costs of distresses.

The Judges of the Court of Small Causes may apply the sum so raised as costs towards the payment of the contingent charges and remuneration of the said bailiffs as appears to the said Judges expedient.

20. The Chief Clerk of the Court of Small Causes shall keep a book in which all sums received as costs upon distresses made under this Act, and all sums paid as remuneration to the said bailiffs, and all contingent charges incurred in respect of such distresses shall be duly entered.

Account of costs and proceeds.

He shall also enter in the said book all sums realized by sale of the property distrained and paid over to landlords under the provisions of this Act.

21. No distress shall be levied for arrears of rent, except under the provisions of this Act;

Bar of distresses except under this Act.

and any person, except a bailiff appointed under section four, levying or attempting to levy any such distress shall, on conviction before a Magistrate of Police, be liable to be punished by fine not exceeding five hundred rupees and imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, in addition to any other liability he may have incurred by his proceedings.

Penalty for making illegal distresses.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

A.

[*See section* 6.]

In the Court of Small Causes for

*A. B.*_____(Plaintiff,)

versus

*C. D.*_____(Defendant.)

A. B. of_____, in the town of_____maketh oath [*or* affirms] and saith that *C. D.*_____, of_____, is justly indebted to_____ in the sum of Rs._____for arrears of rent of the house and premises No._____, situated at_____, in the town of_____, due for_____ month, to wit from_____to_____, at the rate of Rs._____per mensem.

Sworn [*or* Affirmed] before me the_____day of_____187 .

Judge.

B.

[*See section* 7.]

In the Court of Small Causes for

FORM OF WARRANT.

I hereby direct you to distrain the moveable property of *C. D.*, on the house and premises situate at No._____in the Town of_____, for the sum of_____Rs., and the costs of the distress according to the provisions of The Distress Act, 1875. Dated day of

(Signed and sealed)

To *E. F., Bailiff and Appraiser.*

C.

[*See section* 12.]

In the Court of Small Causes for

FORM OF INVENTORY AND NOTICE.

(State particulars of property seized.)

Take notice that I have this day seized the moveable property contained in the above inventory for the sum of_____Rs., being the amount of_____months' rent due to *A. B.* at_____last, and that unless you pay the amount thereof, together with the costs of this distress within five days from the date hereof, or obtain an order from one of the Judges of the Court of Small Causes to the contrary, the same will be appraised and sold pursuant to the provisions of The Distress Act, 1875. Dated the day of 18 .

(Signed) *E. F.,*

Bailiff and Appraiser.

To *C. D.*

D.

[*See section* 17.]

In the Court of Small Causes for

Take notice that we have appraised the moveable property seized on the_____day of _____, under the provisions of The Distress Act, 1875, of which a notice and inventory were duly served upon you [*or* upon_____on your behalf *as the case may be*] under date the_____, and that the said property will be sold on the_____ [*two clear days at least after the date of the notice*] at_____pursuant to the provisions of the said Act. Dated this day of 187 .

(Signed) *E. F.*

G. H.

Bailiffs and Appraisers.

To *C. D.*

E.

[*See section* 19.]

In the Court of Small Causes for

SCALE OF FEES TO BE LEVIED IN DISTRAINTS FOR HOUSE RENT.

Sums sued for.			Affidavit and warrant to distrain.			Order to sell.			Commission.			Total.		
Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1 and under		5	0	4	0	0	8	0	0	8	0	1	4	0
5	,,	10	0	8	0	0	8	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
10	,,	15	0	8	0	0	8	0	1	8	0	2	8	0
15	,,	20	0	8	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	3	8	0
20	,,	25	0	12	0	1	0	0	2	8	0	4	4	0
25	,,	30	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	5	0	0
30	,,	35	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	8	0	5	8	0
35	,,	40	1	0	0	1	8	0	4	0	0	6	8	0
40	,,	45	1	4	0	2	0	0	4	8	0	7	12	0
45	,,	50	1	8	0	2	0	0	5	0	0	8	8	0
50	,,	60	2	0	0	2	0	0	6	0	0	10	0	0
60	,,	80	2	8	0	2	8	0	6	8	0	11	8	0
80	to	100	3	0	0	3	0	0	7	0	0	13	0	0
Upwards of Rs. 100			3	0	0	3	0	0	7 per centum					

The above scale is intended to include all expenses, except in suits where the tenant disputes the landlord's claim, and witnesses have to be subpœnaed, in which case each subpœna for sums under Rs. 40 must be paid for at four annas each, and twelve annas above that amount; and also where peons were kept in charge of property distrained, four annas per day must be paid per man.

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Year and Chapter.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
52 Hen. 3, c. 1	Distress	The whole.
c. 3	Resisting replevins	Ditto.
c. 4	Distress	Ditto.
c. 15	Ditto	Ditto.
c. 21	Replevin	Ditto.
13 Ed. 1, c. 2	Replevins	Ditto.
c. 37	Distress to be by bailiffs ...	Ditto.
Les Estatus del Escheckere between c. 13 and c. 14 of 17 Edw. 2.	Distresses	Ditto.
1 & 2 Phil. & M., c. 12	Impounding distresses	Ditto.
17 Char. 2, c. 7	Distresses	Ditto.
2 Wm. & Mary, c. 5	Sale of distresses	Ditto.

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IX of 1850 ...	Extension of Act VII of 1847 ...	Section eighty-nine.
XXVI of 1864 ...	Extending jurisdiction of Presidency Small Cause Courts.	Section four.

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Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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ACT No. II OF 1875.

An Act to diminish the multitude and improve the quality of Law Reports, and to extend the area of their authority.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to diminish the multitude and expense of the law reports published in British India, and to improve their quality, and to extend the local limits of the authority of properly reported decisions of the High Courts of Judicature established under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, cap. 104:

And whereas with a view to furthering these objects, the Governor General in Council proposes to authorize the publication of reports of cases decided by the said High Courts, to be called the Indian Authorized Law Reports; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Law Reports Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on such day as the Governor General in Council notifies in this behalf in the *Gazette of India*.

Limits of authority of authorized reports extended.

2. Every judgment delivered on or after such day by any of the said High Courts (whether by a Judge sitting alone, or by a Division Court, or by a Full Bench) and reported in the said Indian Authorized Law Reports, shall have the same authority in all subordinate Courts beyond the limits of the appellate jurisdiction of such High Court as independently of this Act it would have within such limits.

Authority given only to authorized reports after passing of Act.

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Authority of judicial decisions.

4. Save as provided by section two, nothing herein contained shall be construed to give to any judicial decision any further or other authority than it would have had if this Act had not been passed.

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And a Judge of the Court of Small Causes shall adjudicate upon such claim and make such order between the parties in respect thereof and of the costs of the proceedings as he thinks fit;

and such order shall be enforced as if it were an order made in a suit brought in such Court.

The procedure in Courts of Small Causes in cases under this section shall conform, as far as may be, to the procedure in an ordinary suit in such Courts.

15. In any case under section thirteen or section fourteen the Judge by whom the case is heard may award such compensation by way of damages to the applicant or claimant (as the case may be) as the Judge thinks fit,

Power to award compensation to debtor or claimant.

and may for that purpose make any enquiry he thinks necessary;

and the order of the Judge awarding or refusing such compensation shall bar any suit in respect of injury caused by the distress.

16. In any application under section thirteen or any claim under section fourteen, if the value of the subject-matter in dispute exceeds one thousand rupees, the applicant or claimant may apply to the High Court, to transfer the case to itself, and the High Court on being satisfied that it is expedient that the case should be disposed of by itself, may direct the case to be transferred accordingly, and may thereupon alter or set aside any order passed in the case by a Judge of the Court of Small Causes, and may make such order therein as the High Court thinks fit.

Power to transfer to High Court cases involving more than Rs. 1,000.

Every application under this section shall be made within seven days from the date of the seizure of the subject-matter in dispute.

In granting applications under this section, the High Court may impose such terms as to payment of or giving security for costs or otherwise as it thinks fit.

The procedure in cases transferred under this section, shall conform as far as may be to the procedure in suits before the High Court in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction; and orders made under this section may be executed as if they were made in the exercise of such jurisdiction; and every such order awarding or refusing compensation shall bar any suit in respect of injury caused by the distress which gave rise to the case wherein such order was made.

VI. Appraisement and Sale of Distress.

17. In default of any order to the contrary by a Judge of the Court of Small Causes, or by the High Court, any two of the said bailiffs may, at the expiration of five days from a seizure of property under this Act, appraise the property so seized, and give the debtor notice in writing to the effect of the Form in the first schedule hereto annexed (marked D).

Appraisement.

Notice of sale.

The bailiffs shall file in the same Court a copy of every notice given under this section.

18. In default of any such order to the contrary, the distrained property shall be sold on the day mentioned in such notice, and the said bailiffs shall on realizing the proceeds pay over the amount thereof to the Chief Clerk of the Court of Small Causes, and such amount shall be applied first in payment of the costs of the said distress and then in satisfaction of the debt; and the surplus, if any, shall be returned to the debtor:

Sale.

Application of proceeds.

Provided that the debtor may direct that the sale shall take place in any other manner, first giving security for any extra costs thereby occasioned.

VII. Miscellaneous.

19. No costs of any distress under this Act shall be taken or demanded except those mentioned in the part of the first schedule hereto annexed (marked E).

Costs of distresses.

The Judges of the Court of Small Causes may apply the sum so raised as costs towards the payment of the contingent charges and remuneration of the said bailiffs as appears to the said Judges expedient.

20. The Chief Clerk of the Court of Small Causes shall keep a book in which all sums received as costs upon distresses made under this Act, and all sums paid as remuneration to the said bailiffs, and all contingent charges incurred in respect of such distresses shall be duly entered.

Account of costs and proceeds.

He shall also enter in the said book all sums realized by sale of the property distrained and paid over to landlords under the provisions of this Act.

21. No distress shall be levied for arrears of rent, except under the provisions of this Act;

Bar of distresses except under this Act.

and any person, except a bailiff appointed under section four, levying or attempting to levy any such distress shall, on conviction before a Magistrate of Police, be liable to be punished by fine not exceeding five hundred rupees and imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, in addition to any other liability he may have incurred by his proceedings.

Penalty for making illegal distresses.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

A.

[*See section* 6.]

In the Court of Small Causes for

*A. B.*_____(Plaintiff,)

versus

*C. D.*_____(Defendant.)

A. B. of_____, in the town of_____maketh oath [*or* affirms] and saith that *C. D.*_____, of_____, is justly indebted to_____ in the sum of Rs._____for arrears of rent of the house and premises No. , situated at_____, in the town of _____, due for_____ month, to wit from_____ to _____, at the rate of Rs._____per mensem.

Sworn [*or* Affirmed] before me the_____ day of _____187 .

Judge.

B.

[*See section* 7.]

In the Court of Small Causes for

FORM OF WARRANT.

I hereby direct you to distrain the moveable property of *C. D.*, on the house and premises situate at No._____in the Town of_____, for the sum of_____Rs., and the costs of the distress according to the provisions of The Distress Act, 1875. Dated day of

(Signed and sealed)

To *E. F., Bailiff and Appraiser.*

C.

[*See section* 12.]

In the Court of Small Causes for

FORM OF INVENTORY AND NOTICE.

(State particulars of property seized.)

Take notice that I have this day seized the moveable property contained in the above inventory for the sum of_____Rs., being the amount of _____months' rent due to *A. B.* at_____last, and that unless you pay the amount thereof, together with the costs of this distress within five days from the date hereof, or obtain an order from one of the Judges of the Court of Small Causes to the contrary, the same will be appraised and sold pursuant to the provisions of The Distress Act, 1875. Dated the day of 18 .

(Signed) *E. F.,*

To *C. D.* _____ *Bailiff and Appraiser.*

D.

[*See section* 17.]

In the Court of Small Causes for

Take notice that we have appraised the moveable property seized on the_____day of _____, under the provisions of The Distress Act, 1875, of which a notice and inventory were duly served upon you [*or* upon_____on your behalf *as the case may be*] under date the_____, and that the said property will be sold on the _____ [*two clear days at least after the date of the notice*] at_____pursuant to the provisions of the said Act. Dated this day of 187 .

(Signed) *E. F.*

G. H.

To *C. D.* *Bailiffs and Appraisers.*

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In the Court of Small Causes for

SCALE OF FEES TO BE LEVIED IN DISTRAINTS FOR HOUSE RENT.

Sums sued for.		Affidavit and warrant to distrain.			Order to sell.			Commission.			Total.		
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1 and under	5.	0	4	0	0	8	0	0	8	0	1	4	0
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15 ,,	20	0	8	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	3	8	0
20 ,,	25	0	12	0	1	0	0	2	8	0	4	4	0
25 ,,	30	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	5	0	0
30 ,,	35	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	8	0	5	8	0
35 ,,	40	1	0	0	1	8	0	4	0	0	6	8	0
40 ,,	45	1	4	0	2	0	0	4	8	0	7	12	0
45 ,,	50	1	8	0	2	0	0	5	0	0	8	8	0
50 ,,	60	2	0	0	2	0	0	6	0	0	10	0	0
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c. 4	Distress	Ditto.
c. 15	Ditto	Ditto.
c. 21	Replevin	Ditto.
13 Ed. 1, c. 2	Replevins	Ditto.
c. 37	Distress to be by bailiffs ...	Ditto.
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1 & 2 Phil. & M., c. 12	Impounding distresses	Ditto.
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IX of 1850 ...	Extension of Act VII of 1847 ...	Section eighty-nine.
XXVI of 1864 ...	Extending jurisdiction of Presidency Small Cause Courts.	Section four.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[Second Publication.]

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ACT No. II OF 1875.

An Act to diminish the multitude and improve the quality of Law Reports, and to extend the area of their authority.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to diminish the multitude and expense of the law reports published in British India, and to improve their quality, and to extend the local limits of the authority of properly reported decisions of the High Courts of Judicature established under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, cap. 104:

And whereas with a view to furthering these objects, the Governor General in Council proposes to authorize the publication of reports of cases decided by the said High Courts, to be called the Indian Authorized Law Reports; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Law Reports Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on such day as the Governor General in Council notifies in this behalf in the *Gazette of India*.

Limits of authority of authorized reports extended.

2. Every judgment delivered on or after such day by any of the said High Courts (whether by a Judge sitting alone, or by a Division Court, or by a Full Bench) and reported in the said Indian Authorized Law Reports, shall have the same authority in all subordinate Courts beyond the limits of the appellate jurisdiction of such High Court as independently of this Act it would have within such limits.

Authority given only to authorized reports after passing of Act.

3. No Court shall be bound to hear cited, or shall receive or treat as an authority binding on it, the report of any case decided by any of the said High Courts on or after the said day, other than a report published under the authority of the Governor General in Council.

Authority of judicial decisions.

4. Save as provided by section two, nothing herein contained shall be construed to give to any judicial decision any further or other authority than it would have had if this Act had not been passed.

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Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IV.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 19th January 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. I OF 1875.

THE DISTRESS ACT, 1875.

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An Act to regulate Distresses for Rents in the Presidency Towns.

Preamble.

FOR the purpose of regulating distresses for rents in the Towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay It is hereby enacted as follows:—

I. Preliminary.

Short title.
Commencement.

1. This Act may be called "The Distress Act, 1875," and it shall come into force at once.

It extends to every place within the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdictions of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay;

Local extent.

But nothing herein contained applies—

(*a*) to any rent due to Government;

(*b*) to any rent which has been due for more than twelve months before the application mentioned in section six.

2. The enactments specified in the second schedule hereto annexed are repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the same schedule.

Enactments repealed.

All appointments made and securities given under any of the said enactments shall be deemed to be respectively made and given under this Act.

The reference to Act No. VII of 1847 made in Act XXIII of 1850, section three, shall be read as if made to this Act.

3. In this Act, "Court of Small Causes" means the Court of Small Causes for the time being established by law in Calcutta, Madras or Bombay as the case may be.

"Court of Small Causes" defined.

II. Bailiffs and Appraisers.

4. The Judges of the Court of Small Causes may appoint four or more persons to be bailiffs and appraisers for the purpose of this Act, and may from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, fix such remuneration for the services of such officers as the said Judges think fit, and may suspend or remove them.

Appointment of bailiffs and appraisers.

5. The persons so appointed shall give security to be approved by the said Judges faithfully to discharge the duties of their office, and they shall be deemed to be public servants within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code.

Security to be given by appointees.

III. Issue of Distress-Warrants.

6. Any person claiming to be entitled to arrears of rent of any house or premises to which this Act extends, or his duly constituted attorney, may apply to any Judge of the Court of Small Causes for such warrant as hereinafter mentioned.

Application for distress-warrant.

The application shall be supported by an affidavit or affirmation to the effect of the form (marked A) in the first schedule hereto annexed.

7. The Judge may thereupon issue a warrant under his hand and seal and returnable within six days, to the effect of the form contained in the same schedule (marked B) addressed to any one of such bailiffs.

Issue of distress-warrant.

The Judge may at his discretion, upon personal examination of the person applying for such warrant, decline to issue the same.

IV. Of the making of Distresses.

8. Every distress under this Act shall be made after sunrise and before sunset, and not at any other time.

Time for distress.

9. The bailiff directed to make the distress may force open any stable, outhouse, or other building, and may also enter any dwelling-house, the outer door of which may be open and may break open the door of any room in such dwelling-house for the purpose of seizing property liable to be seized under this Act.

What places bailiff may force open.

Provided that he shall not enter or break open the door of any room appropriated for the zanánâ or residence of women, which by the usage of the country, is considered private.

10. In pursuance of the warrant aforesaid the bailiff shall seize the moveable property found in or upon the house or premises mentioned in the warrant and belonging to the person from whom the rent is claimed (hereinafter called the debtor), or such part thereof as may in the bailiff's judgment be sufficient to cover the amount of the said rent, together with the costs of the said distress.

Property which may be seized.

Provided that the bailiff shall not seize—

(*a*) things in actual use; or

(*b*) tools and implements not in use; where there is other moveable property in or upon the house or premises sufficient to cover such amount and costs; or

(*c*) the debtor's necessary wearing apparel; or

(*d*) goods in the custody of the law.

11. The bailiff may impound or otherwise secure the property so seized in or on the house or premises chargeable with the rent.

Impounding distress.

12. On seizing any property under section ten, the bailiff shall make an inventory of such property and shall give a notice in writing to the effect of the Form in the first schedule hereto annexed (marked C) to the debtor, or to any other person upon his behalf in or upon the said house or premises.

Inventory.

Notice of intended appraisement and sale.

The bailiff shall, as soon as may be, file in the Court of Small Causes copies of the said inventory and notice.

Copies of inventory and notice to be filed.

V. Of Applications to discharge Distresses, and of Compensation.

13. The debtor, or any other person alleging himself to be the owner of any property seized under this Act, may, at any time within five days from such seizure, apply to any Judge of the said Court to discharge or suspend the warrant, or to release a distrained article, and such Judge may discharge or suspend such warrant or release such article accordingly, upon such terms as he thinks just,

Application to discharge or suspend warrant.

and any of the Judges of the said Court may in his discretion give reasonable time to the debtor to pay the rent due from him.

Upon any such application the costs attending it and attending the issue and execution of the warrant shall be in the discretion of the Judge, and shall be paid as he directs.

14. If any claim be made to, or in respect of, any property seized under this Act, or in respect of the proceeds or value thereof, by any person not being the debtor, the Chief Clerk of the Court of Small Causes, upon the application of the bailiff who seized the property, may issue a summons calling before the Court the claimant and the person who obtained the warrant.

Claim to goods distrained made by a stranger.

And thereupon any suit which may have been brought in the High Court in respect of such claim shall be stayed, and any Judge of the High Court, on proof of the issue of such summons and that the property was so distrained, may order the plaintiff to pay the costs of all proceedings in such suit after the issue of such summons.

And a Judge of the Court of Small Causes shall adjudicate upon such claim and make such order between the parties in respect thereof and of the costs of the proceedings as he thinks fit;

and such order shall be enforced as if it were an order made in a suit brought in such Court.

The procedure in Courts of Small Causes in cases under this section shall conform, as far as may be, to the procedure in an ordinary suit in such Courts.

15. In any case under section thirteen or section fourteen the Judge by whom the case is heard may award such compensation by way of damages to the applicant or claimant (as the case may be) as the Judge thinks fit,

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and may for that purpose make any enquiry he thinks necessary;

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16. In any application under section thirteen or any claim under section fourteen, if the value of the subject-matter in dispute exceeds one thousand rupees, the applicant or claimant may apply to the High Court, to transfer the case to itself, and the High Court on being satisfied that it is expedient that the case should be disposed of by itself, may direct the case to be transferred accordingly, and may thereupon alter or set aside any order passed in the case by a Judge of the Court of Small Causes, and may make such order therein as the High Court thinks fit.

Power to transfer to High Court cases involving more than Rs. 1,000.

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Appraisement.

Notice of sale.

The bailiffs shall file in the same Court a copy of every notice given under this section.

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And whereas with a view to furthering these objects, the Governor General in Council proposes to authorize the publication of reports of cases decided by the said High Courts, to be called the Indian Authorized Law Reports; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Law Reports Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on such day as the Governor General in Council notifies in this behalf in the *Gazette of India*.

Limits of authority of authorized reports extended.

2. Every judgment delivered on or after such day by any of the said High Courts (whether by a Judge sitting alone, or by a Division Court, or by a Full Bench) and reported in the said Indian Authorized Law Reports, shall have the same authority in all subordinate Courts beyond the limits of the appellate jurisdiction of such High Court as independently of this Act it would have within such limits.

Authority given only to authorized reports after passing of Act.

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Authority of judicial decisions.

4. Save as provided by section two, nothing herein contained shall be construed to give to any judicial decision any further or other authority than it would have had if this Act had not been passed.

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And whereas it is expedient in many cases that such investigations shall be made by persons more in number and of more varied qualifications:

And whereas it is also expedient to provide efficient means for enforcing the attendance of witnesses in such investigations and in trials under Act No. XII of 1859 *(to make better provision for the trial of Pilots at the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal for breach of duty)*:

And whereas it is expedient to repeal Act No. XV of 1863 *(to amend Act I of 1859)* and to re-enact certain of its provisions with the amendments hereinafter appearing:

And whereas it is provided by Act No. X of 1841, sections two, fifteen, seventeen and twenty-three, that the persons guilty of the offences therein respectively mentioned shall be liable upon conviction by information by the Advocate General to the penalties therein respectively provided:

And whereas it is expedient to render the said penalties recoverable otherwise than on information by the Advocate General;—

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.—*Preliminary.*

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1875;"

Extent.

It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Repeal of enactments.

2. Sections one hundred, one hundred and one and one hundred and two of Act I of 1859 and the whole of Act XV of 1863, are hereby repealed.

But every enquiry now pending, which has been commenced under any enactment so repealed, shall be deemed to have been commenced under this Act.

CHAPTER II.—*Investigations into Losses of Ships and Charges against Masters, Mates or Engineers.*

Notice of accidents to be given to Local Government.

3. In any of the cases following (namely):—

(*a*) whenever any ship is lost, abandoned or materially damaged on or near the coasts of India;

(*b*) whenever any ship causes loss or material damage to any other ship on or near such coasts;

(*c*) whenever by reason of any casualty happening to or on board of any ship on or near such coasts, loss of life ensues;

(*d*) whenever any such loss, abandonment, damage or casualty happens elsewhere to or on board any ship registered at any port or place in India, under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or under Act X of 1841;

the master, pilot, harbour-master, or other person in charge of the ship, or, in cases under clause (*b*) of this section, of each ship, at the time of the loss, abandonment, damage or casualty, or, where any ship above referred to arrives in British India, the person then in charge of her, shall, on arriving in British India, give immediate notice of such loss, abandonment, damage or casualty to the nearest Magistrate, or, if he arrive at any port, then to such officer as the Local Government appoints in this behalf.

Any person bound to give notice under this section and wilfully failing to give the same shall be liable to fine not exceeding five hundred rupees and, in default of payment, to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months.

The Magistrate or officer receiving such notice shall without delay communicate the same to the Local Government.

Power to appoint special Court of Enquiry.

4. If in any such case a formal investigation appears to the Local Government to be requisite or expedient, the Local Government (whether such notice be given or not) may appoint a special Court, consisting of not less than two nor more than four persons, to make such investigation, and may fix the place for making the same.

One of such persons shall be a Magistrate acting in or near the place where the investigation is made, another shall be some person conversant with maritime affairs. The other or others (if any) shall be conversant with either maritime or mercantile affairs.

Courts authorized to investigate charges against masters, &c.

5. Every Court having admiralty jurisdiction in India, and the principal Court of ordinary criminal jurisdiction at every port of British India where there is no Court having admiralty jurisdiction, is hereby authorized, at the instance of the Local Government, or of such officer as the Local Government may have empowered in this behalf, to investigate charges of incompetency or misconduct on the part of

any master, mate or engineer of any ship, who holds a certificate granted by the Board of Trade, or as to shipwreck or other casualties affecting ships.

Assessor.

Every such Court may, if it think fit, constitute as its assessor for the purposes of the investigation any person conversant with maritime affairs and willing to act as such assessor.

Such person shall attend during the investigation and deliver his opinion in writing to be recorded on the proceedings. But the decision of the case shall rest with the Court.

Communication to Court of grounds for charging Master, &c., with incompetency, &c.

6. If the Local Government has reason to think that there are grounds for charging any master, mate or engineer holding a certificate granted by the Board of Trade with incompetency or misconduct, it shall transmit a statement of such grounds to the Court making the investigation.

Communication of grounds of charge to certificate holder.

7. If the investigation involves a charge of incompetency or misconduct against any person holding such certificate as aforesaid, the Court shall, if practicable, before commencing the investigation cause the holder of such certificate to be furnished with a copy of the statement transmitted by the Local Government as aforesaid.

Powers of special Court.

8. For the purpose of the investigation the special Court, so far as relates to compelling the attendance and examination of witnesses and the production of documents and the regulation of the proceedings, shall have the same powers as if such investigation were a proceeding relating to an offence or cause of complaint upon which the said Magistrate has power to convict.

Procedure on discovery in course of investigation of grounds for charging with incompetency, &c.

9. If, in the course of an investigation under this Act by any of the Courts hereinbefore mentioned, it appears that there are grounds for charging with incompetency or misconduct any holder of such certificate as aforesaid not so charged by the Local Government, the Court may cause a statement of such grounds to be furnished to such holder, and may then commence an investigation into such charge of incompetency or misconduct.

Powers of Court in making investigation.

10. For the purpose of such investigation such Court may summon the master, mate or engineer to appear, and shall give him full opportunity of making a defence, either in person or otherwise,

and may summon and examine witnesses.

Report by Court to Local Government.

11. The Court shall in all cases transmit to the Local Government a full report of the conclusions at which it has arrived.

Statement of decision in open Court.

12. If the Court decide that any such certificate as aforesaid shall be cancelled or suspended, it shall so state in open Court, at the conclusion of the case or as soon afterwards as possible.

Transmission of report and certificate to Board of Trade.

13. When the Court decides to cancel or suspend a certificate, it shall send a full report upon the case with the evidence, and the suspended or cancelled certificate through the Local Government to the Board of Trade.

Preliminaries to cancellation or suspension.

14. Provided that no certificate shall be cancelled or suspended—

(*a*) unless the person holding the certificate has before the commencement of the investigation been furnished with a copy of the statement of the case upon which the investigation has been ordered;

(*b*) if the Court be a Court of Admiralty or of ordinary Criminal Jurisdiction, unless the report be confirmed by the Local Government;

(*c*) if the Court be a Court of Admiralty or of ordinary Criminal Jurisdiction, attended by an Assessor, unless the Assessor expresses his concurrence in the report.

Power to arrest witnesses and cause entry and detention of vessels.

15. If any Court making an investigation under this Act thinks it necessary for obtaining evidence that any person should be arrested, it may issue a warrant for his arrest, and may, for the purpose of effecting such arrest, authorize any officer (subject nevertheless to any general or special instructions from the Local Government) to enter any vessel.

Any officer so authorized to enter a vessel may, for the purpose of enforcing such entry, call to his aid any officers of police or customs, or any other persons, and may seize and detain the vessel for such time as is reasonably necessary to effect the arrest; and every such officer or other person shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, section one hundred and eighty-six.

No person shall be detained by virtue of this section for more than forty-eight hours.

Power to commit for trial.

16. Whenever in course of any investigation under this Act, it appears that any person has committed an offence punishable under any law in force in British India, the Court making the investigation may (subject to such rules consistent with this Act as the High Court may from time to time prescribe) cause him to be arrested, or commit him or hold him to bail to take his trial before the proper Court;

Power to bind over persons to give evidence.

and may bind over any person to give evidence at such trial, and may for the purposes of this section exercise all the powers of a Magistrate of the first class or of a Justice of the Peace:

Depositions.

And whenever in the course of such trial the testimony of any witness is required in relation to the subject-matter, any deposition previously made by him in relation to the same subject-matter before any Court making investigations under this Act shall, if authenticated by the signature of the Magistrate or presiding Judge, be admissible in evidence on proof—

(*a*) that the witness cannot be found within the jurisdiction of the Court before which the trial is held; and

(*b*) that it was made in the presence of the person accused.

A certificate by the Magistrate or presiding Judge that the deposition was made in the presence of the accused shall, unless the contrary be proved, be sufficient evidence that it was so made.

Chapter II applied to charges against holders of certificates from Local Government.

17. All the foregoing provisions of this Chapter, except such as require reports to and communications with the Board of Trade, or relate to the actual cancellation or suspension of certificates, shall be applicable also to charges of incompetency or misconduct against any Master, Mate or Engineer who holds a certificate granted by any Local Government.

CHAPTER III.—*Suspension and Cancellation of Certificates granted by Local Governments.*

Local Government may suspend or cancel certificates—

18. The Local Government may suspend or cancel the certificate (whether of competency or service) granted by such Local Government, or by any other Local Government, to any master, mate or engineer, in the following cases; (that is to say)—

(a) after investigation under this Act.

(*a*) If upon any investigation made under this Act, it is reported that the loss or abandonment of, or serious damage to, any ship, or loss of life, has been caused by his wrongful act or default, or the master, mate or engineer is reported to be incompetent, or to have been guilty of any gross act of drunkenness, tyranny or other misconduct.

(b) after enquiry under Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or by Naval Court.

(*b*) If upon any enquiry made under the provisions of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or the Merchant Shipping Amendment Act, 1862, or upon any enquiry made by a Naval Court constituted as is provided by any law for the time being in force, or upon any enquiry made by any Court or tribunal for the time being authorized in any British possession to enquire into charges of incompetency or misconduct on the part of masters, mates or engineers of ships, it is reported that the loss or abandonment of, or serious damage to, any ship, or loss of life, has been caused by the wrongful act or default of the Master, Mate or Engineer; or that he is incompetent, or has been guilty of any gross act of drunkenness, tyranny or other misconduct.

(c) after supersession.

(*c*) If he has been superseded by the order of any Admiralty Court, or of any Naval Court constituted as provided by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or by any other law for the time being in force.

(d) after conviction of any offence.

(*d*) If he is shown to have been convicted of any offence which, if committed in British India, would be non-bailable, or, if committed in England, would be a felony.

Provided that no certificate shall be suspended or cancelled under clause (*a*) of this section unless the Local Government is satisfied that the holder of the certificate had before, or within a reasonable time after, the commencement of the investigation notice of the nature of the charge made and established against him.

The Local Government may, if it thinks the justice of the case requires it, re-issue and return any certificate which has been cancelled or suspended under this section, or shorten the time for which it has been suspended, or grant a new certificate of the same or any lower grade in place of any certificate which has been cancelled or suspended.

Master, &c., to deliver up certificate.

19. Every master, mate or engineer whose certificate is cancelled or suspended under this Chapter, shall deliver it to the Shipping Master, or to such other person as the Local Government which cancelled or suspended the certificate directs, and in default shall, for each offence, incur a penalty not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Report to other Local Governments.

20. If the Local Government which cancels or suspends a certificate of a Master, Mate or Engineer is not the Local Government that granted the same, the Local Government so cancelling or suspending the certificate shall report the proceedings, and the fact of cancelment or suspension, to the Local Government which granted such certificate.

Report to Board of Trade.

21. Every Local Government cancelling or suspending under this Chapter the certificate of a Master, Mate or Engineer shall, as soon as may be practicable, report to the Board of Trade the fact of such cancellation or suspension.

Whenever it is reported to the Local Government that the loss or abandonment of, or serious damage to, any ship has been caused by the wrongful act or default of a Master, Mate or Engineer holding a certificate from the said Board, or that such Master, Mate or Engineer is incompetent or has been guilty of any gross act of drunkenness, tyranny or other misconduct, the Local Government, if it concur in such report, shall send a copy of the same to the Board of Trade.

Power to revoke cancellation or suspension.

22. Any Local Government may at any subsequent time revoke any order of cancelment or suspension which it may have made under this Act, or

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grant to any person whose certificate it has cancelled under this Act, a new certificate of the same or of any other grade.

Notice of every revocation and of every grant under this section shall, as soon as may be practicable, be reported to the Board of Trade.

Saving of powers conferred on certain Admiralty Courts.

23. Nothing in this Act affects the powers conferred by section two hundred and forty of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or by section eighty of the said Act I of 1859, on Courts having admiralty jurisdiction in India.

Exercise of such powers by chief criminal Courts in Indian Ports.

The said powers may be exercised by the principal Court of ordinary criminal jurisdiction at any port in India where there is no Court having admiralty jurisdiction, if the Master, Mate or Engineer has received his certificate from any Local Government.

CHAPTER IV.—*Agreements with Seamen.*

Masters to enter into agreements with seamen.

24. The master of every ship, except ships of a burden not exceeding three hundred tons employed only in the Home-trade, shall enter into an agreement with every seaman whom he carries to sea from any port in India as one of his crew, in the manner hereinafter mentioned.

Form and contents of agreement.

25. Every such agreement shall be in a form sanctioned by the Governor General in Council, and shall be dated at the time of the first signature thereof, and shall be signed by the master before any seaman signs the same, and shall contain the following particulars as terms thereof; (that is to say)—

(*a*) either the nature and, as far as practicable, the duration of the intended voyage or engagement, or the maximum period of the voyage or engagement and the places or parts of the world, if any, to which the voyage or engagement is not to extend;

(*b*) the number and description of the crew, specifying how many are engaged as sailors;

(*c*) the time at which each seaman is to be on board or to begin work;

(*d*) the capacity in which each seaman is to serve;

(*e*) the amount of wages which each seaman is to receive;

(*f*) a scale of the provisions which are to be furnished to each seaman; and

(*g*) any regulations as to conduct on board, and as to fines, short allowance of provisions, or other lawful punishments for misconduct, which have been sanctioned by Government as regulations proper to be adopted, and which the parties agree to adopt.

And every such agreement shall be so framed as to admit of stipulations to be adopted at the will of the master and seaman in each case (not being inconsistent with the provisions of this Act), as to advance of wages and supply of warm clothing, and may contain any other stipulations which are not contrary to law.

Provision where Lascars are shipped.

26. When it is agreed that the service of any lascar or other Native seaman shall end at any port not in India, the agreement shall, in addition to the particulars specified in section seventeen, contain stipulations for providing for him fit employment on board some other vessel bound to the port at which he was shipped, or such other port as may be agreed on, or for providing for him a passage to some such port as aforesaid free of charge, or on such other terms as may be agreed on; and every such stipulation shall be signed by the owner of the vessel, or by the master on his behalf.

EXPLANATION:—In this section the word 'seaman' includes also a Native of India carried to sea from any port in India as one of the crew of a ship.

Forms for British or Colonial ships.

27. If the master of any ship belonging to the United Kingdom or any British possession has an agreement with his crew, made in due form according to the law of the place to which such ship belongs, or in which her crew were engaged, and engages a single seaman in any port in India, such seaman may sign the agreement so made, and it shall not be necessary for him to sign an agreement under this Act.

CHAPTER V.—*Miscellaneous.*

Sections 3 to 27 to be taken as part of Act I of 1859.

28. Sections three to twenty-seven (both inclusive) shall be read with and taken as part of the said Act No. I of 1859.

Provisions as to examinations, &c., of masters not to apply to certain ships.

29. Sections nine to sixteen (both inclusive) of the said Act No. I of 1859 shall not apply to ships registered under the said Act No. X of 1841 and trading between ports in India and the coasts of Arabia, when such ships are navigated and manned exclusively by Arabs, lascars, or other Asiatic masters and seamen.

Amendment of Act X of 1841, secs. 2, 15, 17 and 23.

30. In the said sections two, fifteen, seventeen and twenty-three of the said Act No. X of 1841, for the words "on information in any Court of Her Majesty or the East India Company by the Advocates General of the respective Presidencies," "by information as aforesaid," "on information as aforesaid," "upon information as aforesaid," in each of the places where they occur, the following words shall be substituted (namely):—"on conviction before a Justice of the Peace or a Magistrate of the first class."

Powers of Pilot Court.

31. The Court conducting a trial under the said Act No. XII of 1859, shall have the same powers to compel the attendance and examination of witnesses as are conferred by this Act on Courts making investigations under section four.

WHITLEY STOKES,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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ACT No. V OF 1875.

An Act to remove doubts as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers.

Preamble.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers who have been enrolled without having been attested, and it is expedient to remove such doubts; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Validation of enlistment of Native soldiers.

1. Every person who has for the space of six months been in the receipt of military pay and been borne on the rolls of any Regiment, Corps, Depôt, Ordnance Establishment, or Department of Her Majesty's Indian Army (of which the last pay statement, if produced, shall be evidence), shall be deemed to have been duly enlisted, enrolled and attested, and shall not be entitled to claim his discharge on the ground of illegality or irregularity in his enlistment, enrolment or attestation, or on any other ground save such as may be recognized by the orders and customs of the service.

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Repeal of enactments.

2. Sections one hundred, one hundred and one and one hundred and two of Act I of 1859 and the whole of Act XV of 1863, are hereby repealed.

But every enquiry now pending, which has been commenced under any enactment so repealed, shall be deemed to have been commenced under this Act.

CHAPTER II.—*Investigations into Losses of Ships and Charges against Masters, Mates or Engineers.*

Notice of accidents to be given to Local Government.

3. In any of the cases following (namely):—

(*a*) whenever any ship is lost, abandoned or materially damaged on or near the coasts of India;

(*b*) whenever any ship causes loss or material damage to any other ship on or near such coasts;

(*c*) whenever by reason of any casualty happening to or on board of any ship on or near such coasts, loss of life ensues;

(*d*) whenever any such loss, abandonment, damage or casualty happens elsewhere to or on board any ship registered at any port or place in India, under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or under Act X of 1841;

the master, pilot, harbour-master, or other person in charge of the ship, or, in cases under clause (*b*) of this section, of each ship, at the time of the loss, abandonment, damage or casualty, or, where any ship above referred to arrives in British India, the person then in charge of her, shall, on arriving in British India, give immediate notice of such loss, abandonment, damage or casualty to the nearest Magistrate, or, if he arrive at any port, then to such officer as the Local Government appoints in this behalf.

Any person bound to give notice under this section and wilfully failing to give the same shall be liable to fine not exceeding five hundred rupees and, in default of payment, to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months.

The Magistrate or officer receiving such notice shall without delay communicate the same to the Local Government.

Power to appoint special Court of Enquiry.

4. If in any such case a formal investigation appears to the Local Government to be requisite or expedient, the Local Government (whether such notice be given or not) may appoint a special Court, consisting of not less than two nor more than four persons, to make such investigation, and may fix the place for making the same.

One of such persons shall be a Magistrate acting in or near the place where the investigation is made, another shall be some person conversant with maritime affairs. The other or others (if any) shall be conversant with either maritime or mercantile affairs.

Courts authorized to investigate charges against masters, &c.

5. Every Court having admiralty jurisdiction in India, and the principal Court of ordinary criminal jurisdiction at every port of British India where there is no Court having admiralty jurisdiction, is hereby authorized, at the instance of the Local Government, or of such officer as the Local Government may have empowered in this behalf, to investigate charges of incompetency or misconduct on the part of

any master, mate or engineer of any ship, who holds a certificate granted by the Board of Trade, or as to shipwreck or other casualties affecting ships.

Assessor.

Every such Court may, if it think fit, constitute as its assessor for the purposes of the investigation any person conversant with maritime affairs and willing to act as such assessor.

Such person shall attend during the investigation and deliver his opinion in writing to be recorded on the proceedings. But the decision of the case shall rest with the Court.

Communication to Court of grounds for charging Master, &c., with incompetency, &c.

6. If the Local Government has reason to think that there are grounds for charging any master, mate or engineer holding a certificate granted by the Board of Trade with incompetency or misconduct, it shall transmit a statement of such grounds to the Court making the investigation.

Communication of grounds of charge to certificate holder.

7. If the investigation involves a charge of incompetency or misconduct against any person holding such certificate as aforesaid, the Court shall, if practicable, before commencing the investigation cause the holder of such certificate to be furnished with a copy of the statement transmitted by the Local Government as aforesaid.

Powers of special Court.

8. For the purpose of the investigation the special Court, so far as relates to compelling the attendance and examination of witnesses and the production of documents and the regulation of the proceedings, shall have the same powers as if such investigation were a proceeding relating to an offence or cause of complaint upon which the said Magistrate has power to convict.

Procedure on discovery in course of investigation of grounds for charging with incompetency, &c.

9. If, in the course of an investigation under this Act by any of the Courts hereinbefore mentioned, it appears that there are grounds for charging with incompetency or misconduct any holder of such certificate as aforesaid not so charged by the Local Government, the Court may cause a statement of such grounds to be furnished to such holder, and may then commence an investigation into such charge of incompetency or misconduct.

Powers of Court in making investigation.

10. For the purpose of such investigation such Court may summon the master, mate or engineer to appear, and shall give him full opportunity of making a defence, either in person or otherwise,

and may summon and examine witnesses.

Report by Court to Local Government.

11. The Court shall in all cases transmit to the Local Government a full report of the conclusions at which it has arrived.

Statement of decision in open Court.

12. If the Court decide that any such certificate as aforesaid shall be cancelled or suspended, it shall so state in open Court, at the conclusion of the case or as soon afterwards as possible.

Transmission of report and certificate to Board of Trade.

13. When the Court decides to cancel or suspend a certificate, it shall send a full report upon the case with the evidence, and the suspended or cancelled certificate through the Local Government to the Board of Trade.

Preliminaries to cancellation or suspension.

14. Provided that no certificate shall be cancelled or suspended—

(*a*) unless the person holding the certificate has before the commencement of the investigation been furnished with a copy of the statement of the case upon which the investigation has been ordered;

(*b*) if the Court be a Court of Admiralty or of ordinary Criminal Jurisdiction, unless the report be confirmed by the Local Government;

(*c*) if the Court be a Court of Admiralty or of ordinary Criminal Jurisdiction, attended by an Assessor, unless the Assessor expresses his concurrence in the report.

Power to arrest witnesses and cause entry and detention of vessels.

15. If any Court making an investigation under this Act thinks it necessary for obtaining evidence that any person should be arrested, it may issue a warrant for his arrest, and may, for the purpose of effecting such arrest, authorize any officer (subject nevertheless to any general or special instructions from the Local Government) to enter any vessel.

Any officer so authorized to enter a vessel may, for the purpose of enforcing such entry, call to his aid any officers of police or customs, or any other persons, and may seize and detain the vessel for such time as is reasonably necessary to effect the arrest; and every such officer or other person shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, section one hundred and eighty-six.

No person shall be detained by virtue of this section for more than forty-eight hours.

Power to commit for trial.

16. Whenever in course of any investigation under this Act, it appears that any person has committed an offence punishable under any law in force in British India, the Court making the investigation may (subject to such rules consistent with this Act as the High Court may from time to time prescribe) cause him to be arrested, or commit him or hold him to bail to take his trial before the proper Court;

Power to bind over persons to give evidence.

and may bind over any person to give evidence at such trial, and may for the purposes of this section exercise all the powers of a Magistrate of the first class or of a Justice of the Peace:

Depositions.

And whenever in the course of such trial the testimony of any witness is required in relation to the subject-matter, any deposition previously made by him in relation to the same subject-matter before any Court making investigations under this Act shall, if authenticated by the signature of the Magistrate or presiding Judge, be admissible in evidence on proof—

(*a*) that the witness cannot be found within the jurisdiction of the Court before which the trial is held; and

(*b*) that it was made in the presence of the person accused.

A certificate by the Magistrate or presiding Judge that the deposition was made in the presence of the accused shall, unless the contrary be proved, be sufficient evidence that it was so made.

Chapter II applied to charges against holders of certificates from Local Government.

17. All the foregoing provisions of this Chapter, except such as require reports to and communications with the Board of Trade, or relate to the actual cancellation or suspension of certificates, shall be applicable also to charges of incompetency or misconduct against any Master, Mate or Engineer who holds a certificate granted by any Local Government.

CHAPTER III.—*Suspension and Cancellation of Certificates granted by Local Governments.*

Local Government may suspend or cancel certificates—

18. The Local Government may suspend or cancel the certificate (whether of competency or service) granted by such Local Government, or by any other Local Government, to any master, mate or engineer, in the following cases; (that is to say)—

(a) after investigation under this Act.

(*a*) If upon any investigation made under this Act, it is reported that the loss or abandonment of, or serious damage to, any ship, or loss of life, has been caused by his wrongful act or default, or the master, mate or engineer is reported to be incompetent, or to have been guilty of any gross act of drunkenness, tyranny or other misconduct.

(b) after enquiry under Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or by Naval Court.

(*b*) If upon any enquiry made under the provisions of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or the Merchant Shipping Amendment Act, 1862, or upon any enquiry made by a Naval Court constituted as is provided by any law for the time being in force, or upon any enquiry made by any Court or tribunal for the time being authorized in any British possession to enquire into charges of incompetency or misconduct on the part of masters, mates or engineers of ships, it is reported that the loss or abandonment of, or serious damage to, any ship, or loss of life, has been caused by the wrongful act or default of the Master, Mate or Engineer; or that he is incompetent, or has been guilty of any gross act of drunkenness, tyranny or other misconduct.

(c) after supersession.

(*c*) If he has been superseded by the order of any Admiralty Court, or of any Naval Court constituted as provided by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or by any other law for the time being in force.

(d) after conviction of any offence.

(*d*) If he is shown to have been convicted of any offence which, if committed in British India, would be non-bailable, or, if committed in England, would be a felony.

Provided that no certificate shall be suspended or cancelled under clause (*a*) of this section unless the Local Government is satisfied that the holder of the certificate had before, or within a reasonable time after, the commencement of the investigation notice of the nature of the charge made and established against him.

The Local Government may, if it thinks the justice of the case requires it, re-issue and return any certificate which has been cancelled or suspended under this section, or shorten the time for which it has been suspended, or grant a new certificate of the same or any lower grade in place of any certificate which has been cancelled or suspended.

Master, &c., to deliver up certificate.

19. Every master, mate or engineer whose certificate is cancelled or suspended under this Chapter, shall deliver it to the Shipping Master, or to such other person as the Local Government which cancelled or suspended the certificate directs, and in default shall, for each offence, incur a penalty not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Report to other Local Governments.

20. If the Local Government which cancels or suspends a certificate of a Master, Mate or Engineer is not the Local Government that granted the same, the Local Government so cancelling or suspending the certificate shall report the proceedings, and the fact of cancelment or suspension, to the Local Government which granted such certificate.

Report to Board of Trade.

21. Every Local Government cancelling or suspending under this Chapter the certificate of a Master, Mate or Engineer shall, as soon as may be practicable, report to the Board of Trade the fact of such cancellation or suspension.

Whenever it is reported to the Local Government that the loss or abandonment of, or serious damage to, any ship has been caused by the wrongful act or default of a Master, Mate or Engineer holding a certificate from the said Board, or that such Master, Mate or Engineer is incompetent or has been guilty of any gross act of drunkenness, tyranny or other misconduct, the Local Government, if it concur in such report, shall send a copy of the same to the Board of Trade.

Power to revoke cancellation or suspension.

22. Any Local Government may at any subsequent time revoke any order of cancelment or suspension which it may have made under this Act, or

Power to grant new certificate.

grant to any person whose certificate it has cancelled under this Act, a new certificate of the same or of any other grade.

Notice of every revocation and of every grant under this section shall, as soon as may be practicable, be reported to the Board of Trade.

Saving of powers conferred on certain Admiralty Courts.

23. Nothing in this Act affects the powers conferred by section two hundred and forty of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or by section eighty of the said Act I of 1859, on Courts having admiralty jurisdiction in India.

Exercise of such powers by chief criminal Courts in Indian Ports.

The said powers may be exercised by the principal Court of ordinary criminal jurisdiction at any port in India where there is no Court having admiralty jurisdiction, if the Master, Mate or Engineer has received his certificate from any Local Government.

CHAPTER IV.—*Agreements with Seamen.*

Masters to enter into agreements with seamen.

24. The master of every ship, except ships of a burden not exceeding three hundred tons employed only in the Home-trade, shall enter into an agreement with every seaman whom he carries to sea from any port in India as one of his crew, in the manner hereinafter mentioned.

Form and contents of agreement.

25. Every such agreement shall be in a form sanctioned by the Governor General in Council, and shall be dated at the time of the first signature thereof, and shall be signed by the master before any seaman signs the same, and shall contain the following particulars as terms thereof; (that is to say)—

(*a*) either the nature and, as far as practicable, the duration of the intended voyage or engagement, or the maximum period of the voyage or engagement and the places or parts of the world, if any, to which the voyage or engagement is not to extend;

(*b*) the number and description of the crew, specifying how many are engaged as sailors;

(*c*) the time at which each seaman is to be on board or to begin work;

(*d*) the capacity in which each seaman is to serve;

(*e*) the amount of wages which each seaman is to receive;

(*f*) a scale of the provisions which are to be furnished to each seaman; and

(*g*) any regulations as to conduct on board, and as to fines, short allowance of provisions, or other lawful punishments for misconduct, which have been sanctioned by Government as regulations proper to be adopted, and which the parties agree to adopt.

And every such agreement shall be so framed as to admit of stipulations to be adopted at the will of the master and seaman in each case (not being inconsistent with the provisions of this Act), as to advance of wages and supply of warm clothing, and may contain any other stipulations which are not contrary to law.

Provision where Lascars are shipped.

26. When it is agreed that the service of any lascar or other Native seaman shall end at any port not in India, the agreement shall, in addition to the particulars specified in section seventeen, contain stipulations for providing for him fit employment on board some other vessel bound to the port at which he was shipped, or such other port as may be agreed on, or for providing for him a passage to some such port as aforesaid free of charge, or on such other terms as may be agreed on; and every such stipulation shall be signed by the owner of the vessel, or by the master on his behalf.

EXPLANATION:—In this section the word 'seaman' includes also a Native of India carried to sea from any port in India as one of the crew of a ship.

Forms for British or Colonial ships.

27. If the master of any ship belonging to the United Kingdom or any British possession has an agreement with his crew, made in due form according to the law of the place to which such ship belongs, or in which her crew were engaged, and engages a single seaman in any port in India, such seaman may sign the agreement so made, and it shall not be necessary for him to sign an agreement under this Act.

CHAPTER V.—*Miscellaneous.*

Sections 3 to 27 to be taken as part of Act I of 1859.

28. Sections three to twenty-seven (both inclusive) shall be read with and taken as part of the said Act No. I of 1859.

Provisions as to examinations, &c., of masters not to apply to certain ships.

29. Sections nine to sixteen (both inclusive) of the said Act No. I of 1859 shall not apply to ships registered under the said Act No. X of 1841 and trading between ports in India and the coasts of Arabia, when such ships are navigated and manned exclusively by Arabs, lascars, or other Asiatic masters and seamen.

Amendment of Act X of 1841, secs. 2, 15, 17 and 23.

30. In the said sections two, fifteen, seventeen and twenty-three of the said Act No. X of 1841, for the words "on information in any Court of Her Majesty or the East India Company by the Advocates General of the respective Presidencies," "by information as aforesaid," "on information as aforesaid," "upon information as aforesaid," in each of the places where they occur, the following words shall be substituted (namely):—"on conviction before a Justice of the Peace or a Magistrate of the first class."

Powers of Pilot Court.

31. The Court conducting a trial under the said Act No. XII of 1859, shall have the same powers to compel the attendance and examination of witnesses as are conferred by this Act on Courts making investigations under section four.

WHITLEY STOKES,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[Second Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 9th February 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. V OF 1875.

An Act to remove doubts as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers.

Preamble.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers who have been enrolled without having been attested, and it is expedient to remove such doubts; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Validation of enlistment of Native soldiers.

1. Every person who has for the space of six months been in the receipt of military pay and been borne on the rolls of any Regiment, Corps, Depôt, Ordnance Establishment, or Department of Her Majesty's Indian Army (of which the last pay statement, if produced, shall be evidence), shall be deemed to have been duly enlisted, enrolled and attested, and shall not be entitled to claim his discharge on the ground of illegality or irregularity in his enlistment, enrolment or attestation, or on any other ground save such as may be recognized by the orders and customs of the service.

WHITLEY STOKES,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART V.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 9th February 1875 :—

No. 1 OF 1875.

A Bill to secure the repayment of a Loan by the Government of India to Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, Baronet.

Preamble. Patent of Baronetcy.

WHEREAS by Letters Patent of Her Majesty dated the sixth day of August, 1858, and by Warrant under the Queen's sign-manual, Her said Majesty conferred upon Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, then of Bombay, Knight, but since deceased, the dignity of Baronet, to hold the same to him and the heirs male of his body.

Trustees under Act XX of 1860.

And whereas by an Act of the Legislative Council of India numbered XX of 1860, and entitled "An Act for settling Promissory Notes of the Government of India producing an annual income of one lákh of Rupees and a Mansion-house and hereditaments called 'Mazagon Castle,' in the Island of Bombay, late the property of Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, Baronet, deceased, so as to accompany and support the title and dignity of a Baronet lately conferred on him and the heirs male of his body by Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, and for other purposes connected therewith," certain officers therein mentioned were constituted Trustees for executing the powers and purposes of such Act.

Government Promissory Notes producing an annual income of one lákh vested in Trustees.

And it was thereby enacted that, immediately after the passing of the said Act, promissory notes of the Government of India producing an annual income of one lákh of rupees should be transferred into the names of the said Trustees upon trust, amongst other things, from time to time to pay and apply the annual income of the said securities unto and for the benefit of the present Baronet, Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, and the person who, as heir male of the body of the said first Baronet, should, for the time being, have succeeded to and be in the enjoyment of the title of Baronet conferred by the said Letters Patent as aforesaid, and in default of heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet to whom the same dignity of Baronet might descend, upon trust for the present Baronet, his executors, administrators and assigns.

Trusts of the income.

Alienation prohibited during the Baronetcy.

And it was by the said Act further enacted that, subject as therein mentioned, so long as the said dignity of Baronet should endure, and until there should be a failure of heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet to whom the said dignity might descend, neither the said present Baronet nor any of the heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet in whose favour trusts were thereinbefore declared of the annual income of the said securities, should convey, charge, or encumber the said securities, or any part thereof, or the annual income thereof, or of any part thereof, for any greater or larger estate or interest than during his natural life, and for such portion thereof only as he should continue to use the names of "Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy," nor should have any power to discontinue or bar the estate of any person or persons for whose benefit trusts were declared by the said Act of the annual income of the said securities, or to prevent any such person or persons from succeeding to the same; nor should the same be held to have vested in any such person as aforesaid for any greater estate or interest than during his life, and only during such portion thereof as he should continue to use the names of "Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy;" and every attempt to make any assurance contrary to the intention of the said Act was thereby declared to be void:

And whereas, immediately after the passing of the said Act, promissory notes of the Government of India producing an annual income of one lákh of rupees were transferred into the names of the said trustees upon the trusts aforesaid:

And whereas, since the said transfer, part of the said promissory notes, producing an annual income of five thousand rupees, has been paid off by the Government of India; and the annual income of the promissory notes vested in the said trustees upon the trusts aforesaid was thereby reduced to ninety-five thousand rupees:

And whereas the said present Baronet has three sons only (namely), Manakjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee, Cowasjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee, and Jamsetjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee who is a minor:

Agreement for loan.

And whereas the said present Baronet recently applied to the Government of India to advance and lend to him the sum of four and a half lákhs of rupees, to be applied to purposes beneficial to himself and his said sons, which the Government of India agreed to do upon having the repayment thereof with interest secured in manner hereinafter mentioned:

Advance of loan.

And whereas, in pursuance of the said agreement, the sum of four and a half lákhs of rupees has been advanced and lent to the said present Baronet:

Concurrence of present Baronet's sons.

And whereas the said Manakjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee and Cowasjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee by themselves, and the said Jamsetjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee by his guardian, have agreed to the arrangement intended to be effected by this Act;—

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Withholding interest on notes in discharge of loan.

1. In consideration of the premises, and notwithstanding anything contained in the said recited Act, the Government of India shall withhold out of said sum of ninety-five thousand rupees, being the interest on the said promissory notes now vested in the said trustees, the annual sum of forty thousand rupees during the term of seventeen years from the date of the passing of this Act, unless the said sum of four and a half lákhs of rupees with interest thereon at five per cent. per annum has been sooner discharged.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The Government of India having lent four and a half lákhs of rupees to Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy of Bombay, Baronet, the object of this Bill is to secure the repayment of the same with interest at five per cent. per annum.

The interposition of the legislature is necessary inasmuch as the security offered was vested in trustees and rendered inalienable by Act No. XX of 1860.

The next heirs of the Baronet have consented to the proposed arrangement.

CALCUTTA,
3rd February 1875. } B. H. ELLIS.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[Second Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 9th February 1875, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in three weeks:—

No. 2 OF 1875.

A Bill to amend the Law relating to Salt in the Presidency of Fort St. George.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to the price of salt sold under the orders of Government in the Presidency of Fort St. George; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Madras Salt Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the territories under the government of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Partial repeal of Act XXIV of 1869.

2. The following portions of Act No. XXIV of 1869 *(to enhance the price of Salt in the Presidency of Fort St. George and the duty on Salt in the Presidency of Bombay)* are hereby repealed, namely,

in the title, the words "the price of salt in the Presidency of Fort St. George and":

in the preamble, the words "the price of salt manufactured and sold in the Presidency of Fort St. George and"; and

in section two, paragraph one and the first word of paragraph two.

Power to impose duty on salt manufactured or sold under orders of Madras Government.

3. The Governor General in Council may from time to time impose a duty on salt manufactured or sold under the orders of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council not exceeding one rupee and thirteen annas for every maund of three thousand two hundred tolas; and the Local Government shall for every such maund sold by or on behalf of Government from time to time fix, by notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, such additional sum as it may deem sufficient to cover, in each district or group of districts, the average cost for the time being of the manufacture, storage, transport, sale and wastage of salt.

When any such additional sum has been fixed for any district or group of districts, it shall not be altered for such district or group until after the expiration of at least three years from the date of such notification.

Price of salt sold by Madras Government.

4. The price to be paid in each district to the Local Government for salt so sold shall, for every such maund, be the total amount of the duty and additional sum so imposed and fixed as aforesaid.

The price at present so paid in each district shall be taken to be the price to be paid under this section until an additional sum is fixed under section three for such district.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

In the Madras Presidency the salt-revenue is almost wholly raised by means of a Government monopoly. Government is the exclusive purchaser, at fixed rates, of all the salt of proper quality made by the persons engaged in the local manufacture, and the salt is then retailed throughout the Presidency at the price of two rupees per maund of 3,200 tolas, which price is fixed by Act XXIV of 1869, section two.

The average cost to Government on the East Coast of the salt so purchased, including all expenses properly appertaining to manufacture and storing, is three annas per Indian maund; and as the salt is sold by Government at two rupees per maund, it follows that the full Government duty of Re. 1-13-0 is secured on every maund of salt sold on the Eastern Coast.

On the Western Coast the systematic manufacture of salt is carried on to a very limited extent in the northern part of South Canara only, and the bulk of the supply required in that district, and the whole of the supply required in Malabar, in order to meet the demands of the local population and for carriage inland, mainly to Mysore, are obtained from Goa and Bombay through contractors.

The manufactured salt of Canara costs about four annas, and the imported salt of Malabar and part of Canara averages over seven annas per maund, and as both are sold by Government at the rate of two rupees per maund, the Government loses one anna on the former and more than four annas on the latter for every maund sold; and the people of these districts, though undoubtedly quite as well able to pay the salt-tax as their brethren on the East Coast, are favoured to the like extent.

The object of this Bill is to enable Government to realize the full duty of Re. 1-13-0 on salt throughout the Madras Presidency, as it does now in all the districts of the Eastern Coast. It empowers the Governor General in Council to impose a duty on salt manufactured or sold under the orders of the Local Government not exceeding Re. 1-13-0 per maund, and it requires the Local Government to fix from time to time such additional sum as may cover in each district the average cost of the manufacture, storage, transport, sale and wastage of salt. The price per maund will be equal to the duty so imposed plus the additional sum so fixed.

B. H. ELLIS.

The 30th January 1875.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following Report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 16th February 1875:—

From Government of Madras, dated 24th April 1874.
" Officiating Registrar, High Court, Calcutta, No. 845, dated 7th July 1874.
" Government of Madras, No. 1187, dated 2nd July 1874.
" " " No. 1416, dated 1st August 1874.
Memorial from British Indian Association, dated 24th November 1874.
From Government of Bengal, No. 4651, dated 7th December 1874.
Note by Mr. P. Dickens, dated 30th December 1874.
" by Hon'ble R. A. Dalyell, dated 27th January 1875.
From Government of Bombay, No. 755, dated 8th February 1875.
" " " No. 790, dated 9th February 1875, and enclosure.
Notes by Mr. H. T. Prinsep, Judge of Hooghly, dated 12th February 1875.

We, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to extend certain parts of the Code of Criminal Procedure to the Courts of the Police Magistrates in the Presidency Towns was referred, have the honour to report that we have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin.

2. We have altered the local extent of the proposed Act so as to make it include the ports of the Presidency Towns.

3. We propose to confer on the Police Magistrates and the Court of Petty Sessions at Bombay the powers of Magistrates of the first class, and to give an appeal from their decisions to the High Court where the sentence involves imprisonment for more than a year or fine of more than Rs. 500. We have declared that cases tried under the proposed Act may be tried summarily, and we have embodied by reference the fourth schedule of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

4. We have carefully revised the first schedule and made some additions to the second.

5. We think that the Bill has been so altered as to require republication.

ARTHUR HOBHOUSE.
B. H. ELLIS.
E. C. BAYLEY.
R. A. DALYELL.

The 16th February 1875.

A Bill to extend certain parts of the Code of Criminal Procedure to the Courts of the Police Magistrates in the Presidency Towns, and to increase the jurisdiction of such Courts.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to extend certain parts of the Code of Criminal Procedure to the Courts of the Magistrates of Police in the Towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, and whereas it is also expedient to increase the jurisdiction of such Courts; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Presidency Police Magistrates Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to all places within the local limits of the ordinary original criminal jurisdiction of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay, and within the limits of the Ports of the said towns and of any navigable river or channel leading thereto as such limits are defined under the law for the time being in force for the regulation of Ports and Port-dues.

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Repeal of enactments.

2. The enactments specified in the second schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the same schedule.

Parts of Criminal Procedure Code to apply to Presidency Police Courts.

3. The parts of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act No. X of 1872 as amended by Act No. XI of 1874) mentioned in the first column of the first schedule hereto annexed shall apply (so far as they are applicable and subject to the modifications shewn in the second column of the same schedule) to the Courts of the Magistrates of Police in the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, and to the Court of Petty Sessions at Bombay.

Nothing in this section shall be deemed to restrict any power conferred by any special or local law.

'Magistrate of District' to include 'Magistrate of Police.'

4. In the parts of the said Code so applied, the expressions 'Magistrate,' 'Magistrate of a District,' 'Magistrate of a Division of a District,' 'Magistrate of the first class,' 'a competent Magistrate,' 'Magistrate having jurisdiction,' and every other expression applicable to a Magistrate of the District, shall be deemed to include a Magistrate of Police and the Court of Petty Sessions at Bombay, and 'District' shall be deemed to mean a Presidency Town as defined in section 4 of the said Code.

'District.'

Powers of Magistrates of Police.

5. The said Magistrates of Police and the Court of Petty Sessions at Bombay shall have the powers of Magistrates of the first class under the said Code, or with which such Magistrates may be invested, except powers under the following sections, (namely) Sections 44 to 47 (both inclusive), 110, 135, 222, 226, 295, 296, 328, 415, 416, 417 and 530.

Appeal.

6. Any person convicted on a trial held by one of the said Magistrates of Police, or by the said Court of Petty Sessions, may appeal to the High Court if the sentence complained of involves imprisonment for a term exceeding one year or a fine exceeding five hundred rupees:

Provided that, where an accused person has been convicted on his own plea, no appeal shall lie except as to the extent or legality of the sentence.

For the purposes of the Indian Limitation Act, all appeals under this section shall be deemed to be appeals under the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Cases may be tried summarily.

7. All cases tried under this Act by Magistrates of Police, or by the said Court of Petty Sessions, may be tried summarily.

Reference to schedule IV to Code of Criminal Procedure.

8. Whether a warrant or summons shall issue in the first instance, whether an offence is bailable or not, and the Court by which the offence is triable under this Act,

shall be deemed to be indicated respectively by the fourth, fifth and seventh columns of the fourth schedule annexed to the Code of Criminal Procedure, and by the explanatory notes prefixed to such schedule.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(See section 3).

Parts of the Code applied.	Modifications.
Chapter I, sections 3 (*Pending cases*) and 4 (*Definitions*):	
Chapter VI (*The place of Inquiry and Trial*), the first sentence of section 63 and the Explanation thereto, and sections 65 to 70, both inclusive:	
Chapter X (*Powers of the Police to investigate*), section 122, except so far as it relates to section 346:	
Chapter XI (*Of Complaints to a Magistrate*):	*Omit* clause (*a*) of section 140. *Omit* the penultimate clause of section 141. In section 143, *for* 'Court of Session,' *read* 'High Court.' *Omit* the second clause of section 144, and the whole of section 146: In section 148, in the last line of clause one, *after* the words "such Magistrate," *insert* the words "as may then be there."

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—continued.

Parts of the Code applied.	Modifications.
Chapter XII (*Of the Summons*):	In section 152, *omit* the words "in duplicate." In section 154, *for* the words "one of the copies," *read* "the original," and *for* the words "the other copy," *read* "a copy."
Chapter XIII (*Of the Warrant*), sections 159 to 174, both inclusive:	Except so far as they relate to the issue of warrants to persons other than Police officers.
Chapter XIV (*Preliminary*):	
Chapter XV (*Of Inquiry into Cases triable by the Court of Session or High Court*):	*Omit*, in section 189, the words 'Court of Session or' To the second clause of section 193, *add* the words 'or false answers.' In section 195, *omit* the words "Court of Session or", and *for* "Chapter XVI, XVII or XVIII," *read* 'Chapter XVI.' *Omit* section 197, and *for* the last three clauses of section 198, *substitute* the following clause (namely) "Such instrument, the record of the original inquiry, and any weapon or other article of property necessary to produce in evidence shall be sent to the Clerk of the Crown or other officer appointed by the High Court." In section 199, *omit* the words 'or translation.' *Omit* section 201, the second clause of section 202 and, in the first clause of the same section, the words "Court of Session or," in each of the places where they occur.
Chapter XVI (*Of the Trial of Summons Cases by Magistrates*):	To be applicable to all cases (whether summons cases or warrant cases) tried and disposed of by the Courts of the Magistrates of Police, or the Court of Petty Sessions at Bombay. In section 203, *for* the words '(coming under this chapter),' *read* 'which he is competent to try and.' *Omit*, in section 206, the last fourteen words.
Chapter XX (*Appeals*), sections 272, 275 to 286:	*Omit*, in section 212, the second clause. *Omit*, in section 276, the words "and in cases tried by jury, of the Judge's charge to the jury," and in section 279, the words "if the appeal be to the Session or High Court."
Chapter XXIII (*Execution*), sections 303, 307 to 318 (both inclusive):	In section 315, *for* "Court of Session," *read* "High Court," and *omit* the proviso.
Chapter XXIV (*Special Rules of Evidence in Criminal Cases*):	In the last paragraph of section 330, *for* the words after "such Magistrate," *read* "may issue a Commission in the manner hereinbefore provided."
Chapter XXV (*Evidence how taken*), sections 331, 340, 342 to 345 (both inclusive), 347 and 349:	*Add* to section 343 the words 'or false answers.' *Omit* the last nineteen words of section 357.
Chapter XXVI (*Of securing the Attendance of Witnesses*):	*Omit*, in section 361, the second and third paragraphs. *Omit* the last sentence of the second paragraph of section 362. *Omit* sections 363 and 364.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—continued.

Parts of the Code applied.	Modifications.
Chapter XXVII (*Of Search Warrants*):	*Omit* section 379 to section 387 (both inclusive).
Chapter XXVIII (*Bail*):	*Omit* section 390, and the last two paragraphs of section 398.
Chapter XXX (*Miscellaneous Provisions*), sections 418, 421 and 422:	
Chapter XXXI (*Lunatics*):	*Omit* the second clause of section 424.
Chapter XXXII (*Contempts of Court*):	*Omit* the third clause of section 436. *Omit* section 438.
Chapter XXXIII (*Of the Charge*):	*Omit* section 451.
Chapter XXXIV (*Of the Judgment, Order and Sentence*), section 461:	
Chapter XXXV (*Prosecutions in certain Cases*):	*Omit* sections 472, 474, 475, 476 and 477.
Chapter XXXVII (*Of Security for keeping the Peace*):	*Omit* the two last clauses of section 489.
Chapter XXXVIII (*Of Security for Good Behaviour*):	*Omit* the last two clauses of section 504. In sections 506, 507, 508, 509 and 512, *for* "Court of Session," *read* 'High Court.' *Omit* the third paragraph of section 515. *Omit* section 517.
Chapter XXXIX (*Local Nuisances*):	
Chapter XL (*Possession*), section 534:	
Chapter XLI (*Of the Maintenance of Wives and Families*):	
Chapter XLII (*Miscellaneous*), section 539.	

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(See section 2.)

Acts.

No. and year.	Title or Subject.	Extent of repeal.
XIII of 1856 ...	Presidency Towns Police	Sections twenty-six to thirty-one, (both inclusive), thirty-seven, forty-one, forty-two, forty-four, ninety-seven, ninety-eight, one hundred, and one hundred and eleven.
XLVIII of 1860	Amending Act XIII of 1856	Sections four, six and ten.
XXI of 1864 ...	An Act for the extension of the jurisdiction of the Magistrates of Police in Calcutta.	Sections two and three.
Madras Act VIII of 1867.	Madras Town Police and Police Magistrates ...	Sections thirteen, fourteen, sixteen, twenty-one, sixty-one, sixty-two, seventy-one, seventy-two and seventy-four.
Bengal Act IV of 1866.	The Calcutta Police Act, 1866	Sections twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, eighty-five, eighty-six, ninety-six, ninety-seven and ninety-eight.
Bengal Act VIII of 1866.	Amending Bengal Act IV of 1866	The whole.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following Report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 16th February 1875:—

We, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to amend the law relating to Probates and Letters of Administration was referred, have considered the papers noted in the margin, and we have the honour to present this further report.

From Secretary to Chief Commissioner of Coorg, No. 684-1, dated 25th January 1875.
From Government, North-Western Provinces, No. 68A, dated 29th January 1875, and enclosure.
From Government of the Panjáb, No. 379, dated 27th January 1875.
From Acting Registrar, High Court, Bombay, No. 97, dated 30th January 1875, and enclosure.
From Government of Bengal, No 523, dated 2nd February 1875.
From Government of Bombay, No. 607, dated 1st February 1875, and enclosures.
From Government of Fort St. George, No. 245, dated 4th February 1875, and enclosures.

2. We have added two clauses, one (founded on 55 Geo. III, c. 184, s. 51) granting relief from Court-fees in certain cases where debts due from a deceased person have been paid out of his estate by his executor or administrator; the other (founded on 48 Geo. III, c. 149, s. 35) declaring that Probates and Letters of Administration shall be valid as to trust-property, though the value thereof is not covered by the Court-fee.

3. We have also added clauses providing for cases where too low a Court-fee has been paid on probates or letters of administration and imposing a penalty on executors and administrators not paying the full Court-fee within six months after the discovery of the under-payment. These clauses are founded on sections 41 to 43 of 55 Geo. III, c. 184.

4. We have made the provisions of the Bill relating to Court-fees on probates and letters of administration apply, *mutatis mutandis*, to certificates under Acts XL of 1858 and XX of 1864.

5. To section 3, clause (*a*), of the Bill as introduced, we have added words providing for the case of the stamp having been already cancelled, and in clause (*c*), we have omitted as useless the words "if the difference be considerable."

6. We have slightly altered the form of the Bill and arranged it so that its enacting parts shall fit into the Indian Succession Act and the Court-fees Act, the two enactments which it proposes to amend.

7. We have made no other changes, and recommend that the Bill thus altered be passed.

8. We think it had better be republished; but that its passing need not be deferred for more than three weeks.

ARTHUR HOBHOUSE.
E. C. BAYLEY.
JOHN INGLIS.
R. A. DALYELL.

The 15th February 1875.

A Bill to amend the law relating to Probates and Letters of Administration.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, under the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the effect of an unlimited grant of probate or letters of administration made by any Court in British India is confined to the Province in which such grant is made: And whereas it is expedient to extend over British India the effect of such grants when made by a High Court; And whereas it is also expedient to amend the Court Fees Act, 1870, as to probates, letters of administration and certificates of administration: It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Addition to Act No. X of 1865, section 242.

1. To section 242 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following proviso shall be added (namely):—

Unlimited grants of probate or letters of administration made by a High Court after 1st April 1875, to take effect throughout British India.

"Provided that probates and letters of administration granted by a High Court after the first day of April, 1875, shall, unless otherwise directed by the grant, have like effect throughout the whole of British India."

2. The following section shall be inserted after the said proviso (namely):—

Transmission of certificate by High Court granting probate, &c., to other Courts.

"242A. Whenever a grant of probate or letters of administration is made by a High Court with such effect as last aforesaid, the Registrar or such other officer as the High Court making the grant appoints in this behalf shall send to each of the other High Courts a certificate to the following effect:—

"I, *A. B.*, Registrar [*or as the case may be*] of the High Court of Judicature at [*or* of the Chief Court of the Panjáb, *or* of the Court of the Judicial Commissioner of] hereby certify that on the day of 187 the High Court of Judicature at [*or as the case may be*] granted probate of the will [*or* letters of administration of the estate] of *C. D.* late of deceased to *E. F.* and *G. H.* of , and that such probate [*or* letters] has [*or* have] effect over all the property of the deceased throughout the whole of British India;"

and such certificate shall be filed by the High Court receiving the same.

3. After section 246 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following section shall be inserted (namely) :—

Addition after section 246 of Act X of 1865.

"246A. Every person applying to a High Court for probate of a will or letters of administration of an estate, intended to have effect throughout British India, shall state in his petition, in addition to the matters respectively required by section 244 and section 246 of this Act, that to the best of his belief no application has been made to any other High Court for a probate of the same will or for letters of administration of the same estate, intended to have such effect as last aforesaid,

Additional statements in petition for probate, &c.

or, where any such application has been made, the High Court by which it was made, the person or persons by whom it was made, and the proceedings (if any) had thereon.

And the High Court to which any application is made under the proviso to section 242 of this Act may, if it think fit, reject the same."

4. After section 277 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following section shall be inserted (namely) :—

Addition after section 277 of Act X of 1865.

"278A. In all cases where it is sought to obtain a grant of probate or letters of administration intended to have effect throughout the whole of British India, the executor, or the person applying for administration after the first day of April, 1875, to the effects, of any person dying in British India and leaving property in more than one Province shall include in the inventory of the effects of the deceased his moveable or immoveable property situate in each of the Provinces:

Inventory may include property in any part of British India.

And the value of such property situate in the said Provinces, respectively, shall be separately stated in such inventory, and the probate or letters of administration shall be chargeable with a fee corresponding to the entire amount or value of the property affected thereby wheresoever situate within British India."

5. After section nineteen of the Court Fees Act, 1870, the following chapter shall be inserted, (namely) :

Addition to Act No. VII of 1870.

"CHAPTER III.

"PROBATES, LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION AND CERTIFICATES OF ADMINISTRATION.

"19A. Where any person on applying for the probate of a will or letters of administration has estimated the property of the deceased to be of greater value than the same has afterwards proved to be, and has consequently paid too high a Court-fee thereon, if within six months after the true value of the property has been ascertained, such person produces the probate or letters to the Chief Controlling Revenue Authority of the Province in which the probate or letters has or have been granted,

Relief where too high a court-fee has been paid.

and delivers to such Authority a particular inventory and valuation of the property of the deceased, verified by affidavit or affirmation,

and if such Authority is satisfied that a greater fee was paid on the probate or letters than the law required,

the said Authority may—

(a) cancel the stamp on the probate or letters, if such stamp has not been already cancelled;

(b) substitute another stamp for denoting the Court-fee which should have been paid thereon; and

(c) make an allowance for the difference between them as in the case of spoiled stamps, or repay the same in money, at his discretion.

"19 B. Whenever it is proved to the satisfaction of such Authority that an executor or administrator has paid debts due from the deceased to such an amount as being deducted out of the amount or value of the estate, reduces the same to a sum which, if it had been the whole gross amount or value of the estate, would have occasioned a less Court-fee to be paid on the probate or letters of administration granted in respect of such estate, than has been actually paid thereon under this Act,

Relief where debts due from a deceased person have been paid out of his estate.

such Authority may return the difference, provided the same be claimed within three years after the date of such probate or letters.

But when, by reason of any legal proceeding, the debts due from the deceased have not been ascertained and paid, or his effects have not been recovered and made available, and in consequence thereof the executor or administrator is prevented from claiming the return of such difference within the said term of three years, the said Authority may allow such further time for making the claim as may appear to be reasonable under the circumstances.

"19 C. Whenever such a grant of probate or letters of administration has been or is made in respect of the whole of the property belonging to an estate, and the full fee chargeable under this Act has been or is paid thereon, no fee shall be chargeable under the same Act when a like grant is made in respect of the whole or any part of the same property belonging to the same estate;

Relief in case of several grants.

Whenever such a grant has been or is made in respect of any property forming part of an estate, the amount of fees then actually paid under this Act shall be deducted when a like grant is made in respect of property belonging to the same estate, identical with or including the property to which the former grant relates.

"19 D. The probate of the will, or the letters of administration of the effects, of any person deceased heretofore or hereafter granted shall be deemed valid and available by his executors or administrators for recovering, transferring or assigning any moveable or immoveable property whereof or whereto the deceased was possessed or entitled, either wholly or partially as a trustee, notwithstanding the amount or value of such property is not included in the amount or value of the estate in respect of which a Court-fee was paid on such probate or letters of administration.

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"19 E. Where any person on applying for probate or letters of administration has estimated the estate of the deceased to be of less value than the same has afterwards proved to be, and has in consequence paid too low a Court-fee thereon, the Chief Controlling Revenue Authority of the Province in which the probate or letters has or have been granted,

Provision for case where too low a Court-fee has been paid on probates, &c.

may, on the value of the estate of the deceased being verified by affidavit or affirmation, cause the probate or letters of administration to be duly stamped on payment of the full Court-fee which ought to have been originally paid thereon in respect of such value and of the further penalty, if the probate or letters is or are produced within one year from the date of the grant, of five times, or if it or they is or are produced after one year from such date, of twenty times, such proper Court-fee, without any deduction of the Court-fee originally paid on such probate or letters:

Provided that if the application be made within six months after the ascertainment of the true value of the estate and the discovery that too low a Court-fee was at first paid on the probate or letters, and if the said Authority is satisfied that such fee was paid in consequence of a mistake or of its not being known at the time that some particular part of the estate belonged to the deceased, and without any intention of fraud or to delay the payment of the proper Court-fee, the said Authority may remit the said penalty, and cause the probate or letters to be duly stamped on payment only of the sum wanting to make up the fee which should have been at first paid thereon.

"19 F. In case of letters of administration on which too low a Court-fee has been paid at first, the said Authority shall not cause the same to be duly stamped in manner aforesaid until the administrator has given such security to the Court by which the letters of administration have been granted as ought by law to have been given on the granting thereof in case the full value of the estate of the deceased had been then ascertained.

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"19 G. Where too low a Court-fee has been paid on any probate or letters of administration in consequence of any mistake or of its not being known at the time that some particular part of the estate belonged to the deceased, if any executor or administrator acting under such probate or letters does not, within six months after the first day of April, 1875, or after the discovery of the mistake or of any effects not known at the time to have belonged to the deceased, apply to the said Authority and pay what is wanting to make up the Court-fee which ought to have been paid at first on such probate or letters, he shall forfeit the sum of one thousand rupees and also a further sum at the rate of ten rupees per cent. on the amount of the sum wanting to make up the proper Court-fee.

Executors, &c., not paying full Court-fee on probates, &c., within six months after discovery of underpayment.

"19 H. The provisions of sections 19 A to 19 G (both inclusive) shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to certificates granted under Act No. XL of 1858 (*for making better provision for the care of the persons and property of Minors in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal*) or Act No. XX of 1864 (*for making better provision for the care of the persons and property of Minors in the Presidency of Bombay*) and to the holders of such certificates."

Sections 19A to 19G applied to certificates under Acts XL of 1858 and XX of 1864.

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PART IV.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 9th February 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. IV OF 1875.

THE INDIAN MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1875.

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Preamble.

WHEREAS Act No. I of 1859 *(for the amendment of the law relating to Merchant Seamen)*, section one hundred, provides that, in the cases of loss, abandonment, damage, or casualty therein mentioned, it shall be lawful for the Local Government, if a formal investigation appears to it to be requisite or expedient, to appoint two persons to make the same, and declares that one of such persons shall be a Magistrate acting in or near the place where the investigation is made, and that the other may be any person conversant with maritime affairs:

And whereas it is expedient in many cases that such investigations shall be made by persons more in number and of more varied qualifications:

And whereas it is also expedient to provide efficient means for enforcing the attendance of witnesses in such investigations and in trials under Act No. XII of 1859 *(to make better provision for the trial of Pilots at the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal for breach of duty)*:

And whereas it is expedient to repeal Act No. XV of 1863 (*to amend Act I of* 1859) and to re-enact certain of its provisions with the amendments hereinafter appearing:

And whereas it is provided by Act No. X of 1841, sections two, fifteen, seventeen and twenty-three, that the persons guilty of the offences therein respectively mentioned shall be liable upon conviction by information by the Advocate General to the penalties therein respectively provided:

And whereas it is expedient to render the said penalties recoverable otherwise than on information by the Advocate General;—

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.—*Preliminary.*

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1875;"

Extent.

It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Repeal of enactments.

2. Sections one hundred, one hundred and one and one hundred and two of Act I of 1859 and the whole of Act XV of 1863, are hereby repealed.

But every enquiry now pending, which has been commenced under any enactment so repealed, shall be deemed to have been commenced under this Act.

CHAPTER II.—*Investigations into Losses of Ships and Charges against Masters, Mates or Engineers.*

Notice of accidents to be given to Local Government.

3. In any of the cases following (namely):—

(*a*) whenever any ship is lost, abandoned or materially damaged on or near the coasts of India;

(*b*) whenever any ship causes loss or material damage to any other ship on or near such coasts;

(*c*) whenever by reason of any casualty happening to or on board of any ship on or near such coasts, loss of life ensues;

(*d*) whenever any such loss, abandonment, damage or casualty happens elsewhere to or on board any ship registered at any port or place in India, under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or under Act X of 1841;

the master, pilot, harbour-master, or other person in charge of the ship, or, in cases under clause (*b*) of this section, of each ship, at the time of the loss, abandonment, damage or casualty, or, where any ship above referred to arrives in British India, the person then in charge of her, shall, on arriving in British India, give immediate notice of such loss, abandonment, damage or casualty to the nearest Magistrate, or, if he arrive at any port, then to such officer as the Local Government appoints in this behalf.

Any person bound to give notice under this section and wilfully failing to give the same shall be liable to fine not exceeding five hundred rupees and, in default of payment, to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months.

The Magistrate or officer receiving such notice shall without delay communicate the same to the Local Government.

Power to appoint special Court of Enquiry.

4. If in any such case a formal investigation appears to the Local Government to be requisite or expedient, the Local Government (whether such notice be given or not) may appoint a special Court, consisting of not less than two nor more than four persons, to make such investigation, and may fix the place for making the same.

One of such persons shall be a Magistrate acting in or near the place where the investigation is made, another shall be some person conversant with maritime affairs. The other or others (if any) shall be conversant with either maritime or mercantile affairs.

Courts authorized to investigate charges against masters, &c.

5. Every Court having admiralty jurisdiction in India, and the principal Court of ordinary criminal jurisdiction at every port of British India where there is no Court having admiralty jurisdiction, is hereby authorised, at the instance of the Local Government, or of such officer as the Local Government may have empowered in this behalf, to investigate charges of incompetency or misconduct on the part of

any master, mate or engineer of any ship, who holds a certificate granted by the Board of Trade, or as to shipwreck or other casualties affecting ships.

Assessor.

Every such Court may, if it think fit, constitute as its assessor for the purposes of the investigation any person conversant with maritime affairs and willing to act as such assessor.

Such person shall attend during the investigation and deliver his opinion in writing to be recorded on the proceedings. But the decision of the case shall rest with the Court.

Communication to Court of grounds for charging Master, &c., with incompetency, &c.

6. If the Local Government has reason to think that there are grounds for charging any master, mate or engineer holding a certificate granted by the Board of Trade with incompetency or misconduct, it shall transmit a statement of such grounds to the Court making the investigation.

Communication of grounds of charge to certificate holder.

7. If the investigation involves a charge of incompetency or misconduct against any person holding such certificate as aforesaid, the Court shall, if practicable, before commencing the investigation cause the holder of such certificate to be furnished with a copy of the statement transmitted by the Local Government as aforesaid.

Powers of special Court.

8. For the purpose of the investigation the special Court, so far as relates to compelling the attendance and examination of witnesses and the production of documents and the regulation of the proceedings, shall have the same powers as if such investigation were a proceeding relating to an offence or cause of complaint upon which the said Magistrate has power to convict.

Procedure on discovery in course of investigation of grounds for charging with incompetency, &c.

9. If, in the course of an investigation under this Act by any of the Courts hereinbefore mentioned, it appears that there are grounds for charging with incompetency or misconduct any holder of such certificate as aforesaid not so charged by the Local Government, the Court may cause a statement of such grounds to be furnished to such holder, and may then commence an investigation into such charge of incompetency or misconduct.

Powers of Court in making investigation.

10. For the purpose of such investigation such Court may summon the master, mate or engineer to appear, and shall give him full opportunity of making a defence, either in person or otherwise,

and may summon and examine witnesses.

Report by Court to Local Government.

11. The Court shall in all cases transmit to the Local Government a full report of the conclusions at which it has arrived.

Statement of decision in open Court.

12. If the Court decide that any such certificate as aforesaid shall be cancelled or suspended, it shall so state in open Court, at the conclusion of the case or as soon afterwards as possible.

Transmission of report and certificate to Board of Trade.

13. When the Court decides to cancel or suspend a certificate, it shall send a full report upon the case with the evidence, and the suspended or cancelled certificate through the Local Government to the Board of Trade.

Preliminaries to cancellation or suspension.

14. Provided that no certificate shall be cancelled or suspended—

(*a*) unless the person holding the certificate has before the commencement of the investigation been furnished with a copy of the statement of the case upon which the investigation has been ordered;

(*b*) if the Court be a Court of Admiralty or of ordinary Criminal Jurisdiction, unless the report be confirmed by the Local Government;

(*c*) if the Court be a Court of Admiralty or of ordinary Criminal Jurisdiction, attended by an Assessor, unless the Assessor expresses his concurrence in the report.

Power to arrest witnesses and cause entry and detention of vessels.

15. If any Court making an investigation under this Act thinks it necessary for obtaining evidence that any person should be arrested, it may issue a warrant for his arrest, and may, for the purpose of effecting such arrest, authorize any officer (subject nevertheless to any general or special instructions from the Local Government) to enter any vessel.

Any officer so authorized to enter a vessel may, for the purpose of enforcing such entry, call to his aid any officers of police or customs, or any other persons, and may seize and detain the vessel for such time as is reasonably necessary to effect the arrest; and every such officer or other person shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code, section one hundred and eighty-six.

No person shall be detained by virtue of this section for more than forty-eight hours.

Power to commit for trial.

16. Whenever in course of any investigation under this Act, it appears that any person has committed an offence punishable under any law in force in British India, the Court making the investigation may (subject to such rules consistent with this Act as the High Court may from time to time prescribe) cause him to be arrested, or commit him or hold him to bail to take his trial before the proper Court; and may bind over any person to give evidence at such trial, and may for the purposes of this section exercise all the powers of a Magistrate of the first class or of a Justice of the Peace:

Power to bind over persons to give evidence.

Depositions.

And whenever in the course of such trial the testimony of any witness is required in relation to the subject-matter, any deposition previously made by him in relation to the same subject-matter before any Court making investigations under this Act shall, if authenticated by the signature of the Magistrate or presiding Judge, be admissible in evidence on proof—

(*a*) that the witness cannot be found within the jurisdiction of the Court before which the trial is held; and

(*b*) that it was made in the presence of the person accused.

A certificate by the Magistrate or presiding Judge that the deposition was made in the presence of the accused shall, unless the contrary be proved, be sufficient evidence that it was so made.

Chapter II applied to charges against holders of certificates from Local Government.

17. All the foregoing provisions of this Chapter, except such as require reports to and communications with the Board of Trade, or relate to the actual cancellation or suspension of certificates, shall be applicable also to charges of incompetency or misconduct against any Master, Mate or Engineer who holds a certificate granted by any Local Government.

CHAPTER III.—*Suspension and Cancellation of Certificates granted by Local Governments.*

Local Government may suspend or cancel certificates—

18. The Local Government may suspend or cancel the certificate (whether of competency or service) granted by such Local Government, or by any other Local Government, to any master, mate or engineer, in the following cases; (that is to say)—

(a) after investigation under this Act.

(*a*) If upon any investigation made under this Act, it is reported that the loss or abandonment of, or serious damage to, any ship, or loss of life, has been caused by his wrongful act or default, or the master, mate or engineer is reported to be incompetent, or to have been guilty of any gross act of drunkenness, tyranny or other misconduct.

(b) after enquiry under Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or by Naval Court.

(*b*) If upon any enquiry made under the provisions of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or the Merchant Shipping Amendment Act, 1862, or upon any enquiry made by a Naval Court constituted as is provided by any law for the time being in force, or upon any enquiry made by any Court or tribunal for the time being authorized in any British possession to enquire into charges of incompetency or misconduct on the part of masters, mates or engineers of ships, it is reported that the loss or abandonment of, or serious damage to, any ship, or loss of life, has been caused by the wrongful act or default of the Master, Mate or Engineer; or that he is incompetent, or has been guilty of any gross act of drunkenness, tyranny or other misconduct.

(c) after supersession.

(*c*) If he has been superseded by the order of any Admiralty Court, or of any Naval Court constituted as provided by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or by any other law for the time being in force.

(d) after conviction of any offence.

(*d*) If he is shown to have been convicted of any offence which, if committed in British India, would be non-bailable, or, if committed in England, would be a felony.

Provided that no certificate shall be suspended or cancelled under clause (*a*) of this section unless the Local Government is satisfied that the holder of the certificate had before, or within a reasonable time after, the commencement of the investigation notice of the nature of the charge made and established against him.

The Local Government may, if it thinks the justice of the case requires it, re-issue and return any certificate which has been cancelled or suspended under this section, or shorten the time for which it has been suspended, or grant a new certificate of the same or any lower grade in place of any certificate which has been cancelled or suspended.

Master, &c., to deliver up certificate.

19. Every master, mate or engineer whose certificate is cancelled or suspended under this Chapter, shall deliver it to the Shipping Master, or to such other person as the Local Government which cancelled or suspended the certificate directs, and in default shall, for each offence, incur a penalty not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Report to other Local Governments.

20. If the Local Government which cancels or suspends a certificate of a Master, Mate or Engineer is not the Local Government that granted the same, the Local Government so cancelling or suspending the certificate shall report the proceedings, and the fact of cancelment or suspension, to the Local Government which granted such certificate.

Report to Board of Trade.

21. Every Local Government cancelling or suspending under this Chapter the certificate of a Master, Mate or Engineer shall, as soon as may be practicable, report to the Board of Trade the fact of such cancellation or suspension.

Whenever it is reported to the Local Government that the loss or abandonment of, or serious damage to, any ship has been caused by the wrongful act or default of a Master, Mate or Engineer holding a certificate from the said Board, or that such Master, Mate or Engineer is incompetent or has been guilty of any gross act of drunkenness, tyranny or other misconduct, the Local Government, if it concur in such report, shall send a copy of the same to the Board of Trade.

Power to revoke cancellation or suspension.

22. Any Local Government may at any subsequent time revoke any order of cancelment or suspension which it may have made under this Act, or

Power to grant new certificate.

grant to any person whose certificate it has cancelled under this Act, a new certificate of the same or of any other grade.

Notice of every revocation and of every grant under this section shall, as soon as may be practicable, be reported to the Board of Trade.

Saving of powers conferred on certain Admiralty Courts.

23. Nothing in this Act affects the powers conferred by section two hundred and forty of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, or by section eighty of the said Act I of 1859, on Courts having admiralty jurisdiction in India.

Exercise of such powers by chief criminal Courts in Indian Ports.

The said powers may be exercised by the principal Court of ordinary criminal jurisdiction at any port in India where there is no Court having admiralty jurisdiction, if the Master, Mate or Engineer has received his certificate from any Local Government.

CHAPTER IV.—*Agreements with Seamen.*

Masters to enter into agreements with seamen.

24. The master of every ship, except ships of a burden not exceeding three hundred tons employed only in the Home-trade, shall enter into an agreement with every seaman whom he carries to sea from any port in India as one of his crew, in the manner hereinafter mentioned.

Form and contents of agreement.

25. Every such agreement shall be in a form sanctioned by the Governor General in Council, and shall be dated at the time of the first signature thereof, and shall be signed by the master before any seaman signs the same, and shall contain the following particulars as terms thereof; (that is to say)—

(*a*) either the nature and, as far as practicable, the duration of the intended voyage or engagement, or the maximum period of the voyage or engagement and the places or parts of the world, if any, to which the voyage or engagement is not to extend;

(*b*) the number and description of the crew, specifying how many are engaged as sailors;

(*c*) the time at which each seaman is to be on board or to begin work;

(*d*) the capacity in which each seaman is to serve;

(*e*) the amount of wages which each seaman is to receive;

(*f*) a scale of the provisions which are to be furnished to each seaman; and

(*g*) any regulations as to conduct on board, and as to fines, short allowance of provisions, or other lawful punishments for misconduct, which have been sanctioned by Government as regulations proper to be adopted, and which the parties agree to adopt.

And every such agreement shall be so framed as to admit of stipulations to be adopted at the will of the master and seaman in each case (not being inconsistent with the provisions of this Act), as to advance of wages and supply of warm clothing, and may contain any other stipulations which are not contrary to law.

Provision where Lascars are shipped.

26. When it is agreed that the service of any lascar or other Native seaman shall end at any port not in India, the agreement shall, in addition to the particulars specified in section seventeen, contain stipulations for providing for him fit employment on board some other vessel bound to the port at which he was shipped, or such other port as may be agreed on, or for providing for him a passage to some such port as aforesaid free of charge, or on such other terms as may be agreed on; and every such stipulation shall be signed by the owner of the vessel, or by the master on his behalf.

EXPLANATION:—In this section the word 'seaman' includes also a Native of India carried to sea from any port in India as one of the crew of a ship.

Forms for British or Colonial ships.

27. If the master of any ship belonging to the United Kingdom or any British possession has an agreement with his crew, made in due form according to the law of the place to which such ship belongs, or in which her crew were engaged, and engages a single seaman in any port in India, such seaman may sign the agreement so made, and it shall not be necessary for him to sign an agreement under this Act.

CHAPTER V.—*Miscellaneous.*

Sections 3 to 27 to be taken as part of Act I of 1859.

28. Sections three to twenty-seven (both inclusive) shall be read with and taken as part of the said Act No. I of 1859.

Provisions as to examinations, &c., of masters not to apply to certain ships.

29. Sections nine to sixteen (both inclusive) of the said Act No. I of 1859 shall not apply to ships registered under the said Act No. X of 1841 and trading between ports in India and the coasts of Arabia, when such ships are navigated and manned exclusively by Arabs, lascars, or other Asiatic masters and seamen.

Amendment of Act X of 1841, secs. 2, 15, 17 and 23.

30. In the said sections two, fifteen, seventeen and twenty-three of the said Act No. X of 1841, for the words "on information in any Court of Her Majesty or the East India Company by the Advocates General of the respective Presidencies," "by information as aforesaid," "on information as aforesaid," "upon information as aforesaid," in each of the places where they occur, the following words shall be substituted (namely):—"on conviction before a Justice of the Peace or a Magistrate of the first class."

Powers of Pilot Court.

31. The Court conducting a trial under the said Act No. XII of 1859, shall have the same powers to compel the attendance and examination of witnesses as are conferred by this Act on Courts making investigations under section four.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[Third Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 9th February 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. V OF 1875.

An Act to remove doubts as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers.

Preamble.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers who have been enrolled without having been attested, and it is expedient to remove such doubts; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Validation of enlistment of Native soldiers.

1. Every person who has for the space of six months been in the receipt of military pay and been borne on the rolls of any Regiment, Corps, Depôt, Ordnance Establishment, or Department of Her Majesty's Indian Army (of which the last pay statement, if produced, shall be evidence), shall be deemed to have been duly enlisted, enrolled and attested, and shall not be entitled to claim his discharge on the ground of illegality or irregularity in his enlistment, enrolment or attestation, or on any other ground save such as may be recognized by the orders and customs of the service.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[First Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 23rd February 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. VI OF 1875.

An Act to secure the repayment of a Loan by the Government of India to Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, Baronet.

Preamble. Patent of Baronetcy.

WHEREAS by Letters Patent of Her Majesty dated the sixth day of August, 1858, and by Warrant under the Queen's sign-manual, Her said Majesty conferred upon Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, then of Bombay, Knight, but since deceased, the dignity of Baronet, to hold the same to him and the heirs male of his body:

Trustees under Act XX of 1860.

And whereas by an Act of the Legislative Council of India numbered XX of 1860, and entitled "An Act for settling Promissory Notes of the Government of India producing an annual income of one lákh of Rupees and a Mansion-house and hereditaments called 'Mazagon Castle,' in the Island of Bombay, late the property of Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, Baronet, deceased, so as to accompany and support the title and dignity of a Baronet lately conferred on him and the heirs male of his body by Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, and for other purposes connected therewith," certain officers therein mentioned were constituted Trustees for executing the powers and purposes of such Act:

Government Promissory Notes producing an annual income of one lákh vested in Trustees.

And it was thereby enacted that, immediately after the passing of the said Act, promissory notes of the Government of India producing an annual income of one lákh of rupees should be transferred into the names of the said Trustees upon trust, amongst other things, from time to time to pay and apply the annual income of the said securities

Trusts of the income.

unto and for the benefit of the present Baronet, Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, and the person who, as heir male of the body of the said first Baronet, should, for the time being, have succeeded to and be in the enjoyment of the title of Baronet conferred by the said Letters Patent as aforesaid, and in default of heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet to whom the same dignity of Baronet might descend, upon trust for the present Baronet, his executors, administrators and assigns:

Alienation prohibited during the Baronetcy.

And it was by the said Act further enacted that, subject as therein mentioned, so long as the said dignity of Baronet should endure, and until there should be a failure of heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet to whom the said dignity might descend, neither the said present Baronet nor any of the heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet in whose favour trusts were thereinbefore declared of the annual income of the said securities, should convey, charge, or encumber the said securities, or any part thereof, or the annual income thereof, or of any part thereof, for any greater or larger estate or interest than during his natural life, and for such portion thereof only as he should continue to use the names of "Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy," nor should have any power to discontinue or bar the estate of any person or persons for whose benefit trusts were declared by the said Act of the annual income of the said securities, or to prevent any such person or persons from succeeding to the same; nor should the same be held to have vested in any such person as aforesaid for any greater estate or interest than during his life, and only during such portion thereof as he should continue to use the names of "Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy;" and every attempt to make any assurance contrary to the intention of the said Act was thereby declared to be void:

And whereas, immediately after the passing of the said Act, promissory notes of the Government of India producing an annual income of one lákh of rupees were transferred into the names of the said trustees upon the trusts aforesaid:

And whereas, since the said transfer, part of the said promissory notes, producing an annual income of five thousand rupees, has been paid off by the Government of India; and the annual income of the promissory notes vested in the said trustees upon the trusts aforesaid was thereby reduced to ninety-five thousand rupees:

And whereas the said present Baronet has three sons only (namely), Manakjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee, Cowasjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee, and Jamsetjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee who is a minor:

Agreement for loan.

And whereas the said present Baronet recently applied to the Government of India to advance and lend to him the sum of four and a half lákhs of rupees, to be applied to purposes beneficial to himself and his said sons, which the Government of India agreed to do upon having the repayment thereof with interest secured in manner hereinafter mentioned:

Advance of loan.

And whereas, in pursuance of the said agreement, the sum of four and a half lákhs of rupees has been advanced and lent to the said present Baronet:

Concurrence of present Baronet's sons.

And whereas the said Manakjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee and Cowasjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee by themselves, and the said Jamsetjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee by his guardian, have agreed to the arrangement intended to be effected by this Act;—

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Withholding interest on notes in discharge of loan.

1. In consideration of the premises, and notwithstanding anything contained in the said recited Act, the Government of India shall withhold out of said sum of ninety-five thousand rupees, being the interest on the said promissory notes now vested in the said trustees, the annual sum of forty thousand rupees during the term of seventeen years from the date of the passing of this Act, unless the said sum of four and a half lákhs of rupees with interest thereon at five per cent. per annum has been sooner discharged.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[First Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 23rd February 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. VII OF 1875.

An Act to regulate Fisheries in British Burma.

Preamble.

WHEREAS the exclusive right of fishing in British Burma in such fisheries as are hereinafter mentioned belongs by the custom of the country to the Government:

And whereas it is expedient to provide for the protection of this right, and for conceding the enjoyment of it to the public or to individuals gratuitously, or in consideration of fees or rent, and subject to suitable restrictions and conditions;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

I.—Preliminary.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Burma Fisheries Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the territories for the time being under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of British Burma;

Commencement.

And it shall come into operation on the first day of April 1875.

Interpretation-clause.

2. In this Act—

"Fish."

"Fish" includes also shell-fish:

"Fishery."

"Fishery" means any collection of water, running or still, tidal or non-tidal, which is itself of a permanent nature, or is connected with some waters of a permanent nature, and in which fish or turtle may be found. It includes the sea:

"To fish."

"To fish" includes to catch turtle or collect their eggs; and

"Fixed engine."

"Fixed engine" means any fixed implement or engine for catching or for facilitating the catching of fish, and includes a net secured by anchors, or otherwise temporarily fixed to the soil.

II.—Rights of Fishery.

Right of fishery.

3. No right to fish in any fishery shall be deemed to have been acquired by the public or by any person, either previously to the passing of this Act or subsequently thereto, except in one of the modes hereinafter described:

Proviso.

But nothing herein contained shall be held, nor shall the giving of any grant, lease, license or permission under this Act be held, to prevent the public from angling with a rod and line only in any fishery:

provided that such angling may, in any case, with the previous sanction of the Chief Commissioner, be forbidden by a proclamation issued by the Deputy Commissioner of the District in which such fishery is situate, for such time as may be fixed by such proclamation:

And nothing herein contained shall prejudice or derogate from any express grant of a right to fish heretofore made by the British Government.

Disposal of right of fishery.

4. The Deputy Commissioner of any District may, subject to such rules, conditions and restrictions as may be prescribed by the Chief Commissioner in this behalf, dispose of the right of fishing in any fishery situate within his District, or specially placed under his charge by the Chief Commissioner, in any one of the following modes, that is to say,

(*a*) he may declare such fishery open to the public, or to the inhabitants of any town or village, or to any other class of persons:

(*b*) he may lease the exclusive right of fishing in such fishery to any person; or

(*c*) he may, where he has not disposed of the right of fishing in any of the foregoing modes, grant licenses to any number of persons to use nets, traps and other implements for fishing in such fishery,

and (subject as aforesaid) he may declare that any fishery shall cease to be a fishery for the purposes of this Act.

All such declarations, leases and licenses made and granted by the British Government before this Act comes into operation and then in force shall be deemed to have been respectively made and granted under this section.

Recovery of fees, rents, &c.

5. All fees, rents and other moneys due to Government in respect of any lease, license or permission granted under this Act, may be recovered in the manner prescribed by the law for the time being in force for the recovery of arrears of revenue.

III.—Erection of Weirs.

Weirs not to be erected without sanction of Deputy Commissioner.

6. No weir or other fixed obstruction, and no fixed engine tending to hinder the movements of fish, or to interfere with the flow of the water, or to impede navigation, shall be erected, placed, maintained, or used in any fishery, or in waters connected with any fishery, by a grantee or lessee, or by any other person whomsoever, without a special permission in that behalf under the hand of the Deputy Commissioner of the District in which such fishery is situate.

IV.—Penalties.

Penalties.

7. Any person who commits any of the following offences, (namely)—

(*a*) fishes in any fishery not having a right to fish therein,

(*b*) erects, places, maintains or uses any fixed obstruction or fixed engine in a fishery, or in waters connected therewith, without being specially permitted to do so under section six,

(*c*) puts or knowingly permits to be put, or causes or knowingly permits to flow, into any fishery, any solid or liquid matter to such an extent as to poison or kill, or to cause the water to poison or kill, fish,

(*d*) interferes with, or makes any demand in consideration of, the lawful use of the water of any fishery for purposes unconnected with the taking of fish,

shall be punished, for a first offence, with imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, or a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees, or both;

and, for a second offence, with imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or both:

And any obstruction or engine erected, placed, maintained or used in contravention of section six, and any fish taken by means of such engine or obstruction, or otherwise in contravention of this Act, or of any rules made hereunder and for the time being in force, shall be forfeited:

And such obstruction or engine may be removed or taken possession of by the Deputy Commissioner or such person as he empowers in this behalf:

And the expense (if any) of such removal may be recovered from the person erecting, placing, maintaining or using the obstruction or engine so removed, as if it was an arrear of revenue.

V.—Subsidiary Rules.

Power to make rules.

8. The Chief Commissioner may, from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, make rules for all or any of the following purposes:—

(*a*) for the survey and demarcation of the limits of fisheries;

(*b*) for determining in which of the modes mentioned in section four, the right to fish in each fishery shall be disposed of;

(*c*) for regulating the conditions on which, and the procedure by which, fisheries may be opened to the public or granted or let on lease to individuals;

(*d*) for fixing the rates at which, and the conditions on which, licenses to use implements for fishing may be granted;

(*e*) for settling the terms and conditions on which permission to erect, place, maintain or use fixed obstructions and engines in fisheries or waters connected therewith may be granted;

(*f*) for making and maintaining free gaps in weirs;

and generally to carry out the purposes of this Act.

Penalty for breach of rules.

9. The Chief Commissioner may, with the like sanction, in making any such rule, attach to the breach of it, in addition to any other consequences that would ensue from such breach, a punishment, on conviction before a Magistrate, not exceeding one month's imprisonment, or two hundred rupees fine, or both.

Publication of rules.

10. All such rules shall be published in the *British Burma Gazette*, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

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PART IV.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

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And whereas by an Act of the Legislative Council of India numbered XX of 1860, and entitled "An Act for settling Promissory Notes of the Government of India producing an annual income of one lákh of Rupees and a Mansion-house and hereditaments called 'Mazagon Castle,' in the Island of Bombay, late the property of Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, Baronet, deceased, so as to accompany and support the title and dignity of a Baronet lately conferred on him and the heirs male of his body by Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, and for other purposes connected therewith," certain officers therein mentioned were constituted Trustees for executing the powers and purposes of such Act:

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And it was thereby enacted that, immediately after the passing of the said Act, promissory notes of the Government of India producing an annual income of one lákh of rupees should be transferred into the names of the said Trustees upon trust, amongst other things, from time to time to pay and apply the annual income of the said securities unto and for the benefit of the present Baronet, Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, and the person who, as heir male of the body of the said first Baronet, should, for the time being, have succeeded to and be in the enjoyment of the title of Baronet conferred by the said Letters Patent as aforesaid, and in default of heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet to whom the same dignity of Baronet might descend, upon trust for the present Baronet, his executors, administrators and assigns:

Trusts of the income.

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And it was by the said Act further enacted that, subject as therein mentioned, so long as the said dignity of Baronet should endure, and until there should be a failure of heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet to whom the said dignity might descend, neither the said present Baronet nor any of the heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet in whose favour trusts were thereinbefore declared of the annual income of the said securities, should convey, charge, or encumber the said securities, or any part thereof, or the annual income thereof, or of any part thereof, for any greater or larger estate or interest than during his natural life, and for such portion thereof only as he should continue to use the names of "Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy," nor should have any power to discontinue or bar the

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Preamble.

WHEREAS the exclusive right of fishing in British Burma in such fisheries as are hereinafter mentioned belongs by the custom of the country to the Government:

And whereas it is expedient to provide for the protection of this right, and for conceding the enjoyment of it to the public or to individuals gratuitously, or in consideration of fees or rent, and subject to suitable restrictions and conditions;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

I.—Preliminary.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Burma Fisheries Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the territories for the time being under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of British Burma;

Commencement.

And it shall come into operation on the first day of April 1875.

Interpretation-clause.

2. In this Act—

"Fish."

"Fish" includes also shellfish:

"Fishery."

"Fishery" means any collection of water, running or still, tidal or non-tidal, which is itself of a permanent nature, or is connected with some waters of a permanent nature, and in which fish or turtle may be found. It includes the sea:

"To fish."

"To fish" includes to catch turtle or collect their eggs; and

"Fixed engine."

"Fixed engine" means any fixed implement or engine for catching or for facilitating the catching of fish, and includes a net secured by anchors, or otherwise temporarily fixed to the soil.

II.—Rights of Fishery.

Right of fishery.

3. No right to fish in any fishery shall be deemed to have been acquired by the public or by any person, either previously to the passing of this Act or subsequently thereto, except in one of the modes hereinafter described:

Angling.

But nothing herein contained shall be held, nor shall the giving of any grant, lease, license or permission under this Act be held, to prevent the public from angling with a rod and line only in any fishery:

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provided that such angling may, in any case, with the previous sanction of the Chief Commissioner, be forbidden by a proclamation issued by the Deputy Commissioner of the District in which such fishery is situate, for such time as may be fixed by such proclamation:

And nothing herein contained shall prejudice or derogate from any express grant of a right to fish heretofore made by the British Government.

Disposal of right of fishery.

4. The Deputy Commissioner of any District may, subject to such rules, conditions and restrictions as may be prescribed by the Chief Commissioner in this behalf, dispose of the right of fishing in any fishery situate within his District, or specially placed under his charge by the Chief Commissioner, in any one of the following modes, that is to say,

(*a*) he may declare such fishery open to the public, or to the inhabitants of any town or village, or to any other class of persons:

(*b*) he may lease the exclusive right of fishing in such fishery to any person; or

(*c*) he may, where he has not disposed of the right of fishing in any of the foregoing modes, grant licenses to any number of persons to use nets, traps and other implements for fishing in such fishery,

and (subject as aforesaid) he may declare that any fishery shall cease to be a fishery for the purposes of this Act.

Declarations made before 1st April 1875.

All such declarations, leases and licenses made and granted by the British Government before this Act comes into operation and then in force shall be deemed to have been respectively made and granted under this section.

Recovery of fees, rents, &c.

5. All fees, rents and other moneys due to Government in respect of any lease, license or permission granted under this Act, may be recovered in the manner prescribed by the law for the time being in force for the recovery of arrears of revenue.

III.—Erection of Weirs.

Weirs not to be erected without sanction of Deputy Commissioner.

6. No weir or other fixed obstruction, and no fixed engine tending to hinder the movements of fish, or to interfere with the flow of the water, or to impede navigation, shall be erected, placed, maintained, or used in any fishery, or in waters connected with any fishery, by a grantee or lessee, or by any other person whomsoever, without a special permission in that behalf under the hand of the Deputy Commissioner of the District in which such fishery is situate.

IV.—Penalties.

Penalties.

7. Any person who commits any of the following offences, (namely)—

(*a*) fishes in any fishery not having a right to fish therein,

(*b*) erects, places, maintains or uses any fixed obstruction or fixed engine in a fishery, or in waters connected therewith, without being specially permitted to do so under section six,

(*c*) puts or knowingly permits to be put, or causes or knowingly permits to flow, into any fishery, any solid or liquid matter to such an extent as to poison or kill, or to cause the water to poison or kill, fish,

(*d*) interferes with, or makes any demand, in consideration of, the lawful use of the water of any fishery for purposes unconnected with the taking of fish,

shall be punished, for a first offence, with imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, or a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees, or both;

and, for a second offence, with imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or both:

For future of obstructions.

And any obstruction or engine erected, placed, maintained or used in contravention of section six, and any fish taken by means of such obstruction or engine, or otherwise in contravention of this Act, or of any rules made hereunder and for the time being in force, shall be forfeited:

Removal of obstructions.

And such obstruction or engine may be removed or taken possession of by the Deputy Commissioner or such person as he empowers in this behalf:

And the expense (if any) of such removal may be recovered from the person erecting, placing, maintaining or using the obstruction or engine so removed, as if it was an arrear of revenue.

V.—Subsidiary Rules.

Power to make rules.

8. The Chief Commissioner may, from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, make rules for all or any of the following purposes:—

(*a*) for the survey and demarcation of the limits of fisheries;

(*b*) for determining in which of the modes mentioned in section four, the right to fish in each fishery shall be disposed of;

(*c*) for regulating the conditions on which, and the procedure by which, fisheries may be opened to the public or granted or let on lease to individuals;

(*d*) for fixing the rates at which, and the conditions on which, licenses to use implements for fishing may be granted;

(*e*) for settling the terms and conditions on which permission to erect, place, maintain or use fixed obstructions and engines in fisheries or waters connected therewith may be granted;

(*f*) for making and maintaining free gaps in weirs;

and generally to carry out the purposes of this Act.

Penalty for breach of rules.

9. The Chief Commissioner may, with the like sanction, in making any such rule, attach to the breach of it, in addition to any other consequences that would ensue from such breach, a punishment, on conviction before a Magistrate, not exceeding one month's imprisonment, or two hundred rupees fine, or both.

Publication of rules.

10. All such rules shall be published in the *British Burma Gazette*, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[First Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 2nd March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. VIII OF 1875.

THE INLAND CUSTOMS ACT, 1875.

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An Act for regulating Inland Customs Duties on Salt and Sugar, and for other purposes.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to the levy of inland customs-duties on salt and sugar, and to the import of salt, the export of sugar, and the manufacture of salt and saltpetre, into, from and in the North-Western Provinces, the Panjáb, Oudh and the Central Provinces; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.—PRELIMINARY.

Short title. Commencement.

1. This Act may be called "The Inland Customs Act, 1875:" and shall come into force on the passing thereof.

Local extent.

This section, section two, and so much of this Act as refers to offences against any of its provisions or against any rules made hereunder, extend to the whole of British India:

The rest of this Act extends to the territories for the time being respectively subject to the Lieutenant-Governors of the North-Western Provinces and the Panjáb, and the Chief Commissioners of Oudh and the Central Provinces;

Power to extend Act.

And any portion of this Act other than the portions specified in the second clause of this section, may be extended, by order of the Governor General in

Council published in the *Gazette of India*, to any part of British India other than the said territories.

Repeal of enactments.

2. The enactments specified in the schedule hereto annexed are repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the said schedule.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"the said territories" means the territories mentioned in the third clause of the first section:

"Collector." "Collector" means a Collector or Assistant Commissioner of Inland Customs, and includes any person invested by the Local Government with the powers of a Collector under this Act:

"Customs-officer." "Customs-officer" means any officer of Inland Customs, and includes any person invested by the Local Government with any of the powers of a customs-officer under this Act:

"Sugar." "Sugar" includes also saccharine produce, sweetmeats and all other articles of which sugar forms a principal ingredient:

"Saltpetre." "Saltpetre" includes rasí, sajjí and all other substances manufactured from saline earth, and *khár-nún*, or Glauber's salt, and every form of sulphate or carbonate of soda; and

"Manufacture of salt." "Manufacture of salt" includes the separation or purification of salt obtained in the manufacture of saltpetre, the separation of salt from earth or other substance so as to produce alimentary salt, and the excavation or removal of natural saline deposits or efflorescence.

CHAPTER II.—OF THE IMPORT OF SALT, AND EXPORT OF SUGAR.

Regulation of the import of salt, and export of sugar.

4. No salt shall be imported into the said territories, and no sugar shall be exported therefrom, except subject to the provisions, payments and rules prescribed by or under this Act.

Power to levy duties.

5. The Governor General in Council may from time to time by rule order the levy of duties not exceeding the following:—

	Per mound of three thousand two hundred tolas.
(a). On salt imported into the said territories	Three rupees,
(b). On refined sugar exported from the said territories ...	One rupee,
(c). On unrefined sugar exported from the said territories ...	Six annas;

and in calculating the amount of any such duty, fractions of quarter maunds may be reckoned as quarter maunds.

The Governor General in Council may from time to time reduce or remit any duty imposed under this section.

The Governor General in Council may, for the purposes of this section, define by rule what shall be deemed refined sugar and what shall be deemed unrefined sugar.

Power to define a customs-zone and establish a customs-line.

6. In order to facilitate the collection of duties imposed under section five, the Governor General in Council may by rule define a zone of country not exceeding fifteen miles in breadth along any portion of the frontier of the said territories, and at such distance within the frontier as he deems expedient,

and may extend such zone so as to include any portion of a railway or canal or navigable river entering the same and the place where dutiable goods are loaded or unloaded into wagons or boats for the purpose of entering or leaving the zone,

and may within such zone establish a chain of customs-posts extending along such zone.

And the establishment of such chain shall be deemed a public purpose within the meaning of the Land Acquisition Act, 1870.

"Customs-zone." "Customs-line." A zone of country defined, and a chain of customs-posts established, under this section, are hereinafter termed respectively a "customs-zone" and a "customs-line."

Effect of establishing a customs-zone and line.

7. When a customs-zone has been defined and a customs-line established under section six along any portion of the frontier of the said territories, the following results shall ensue (namely)—

Salt when imported.

(a) salt crossing such portion of the frontier shall be deemed to have been imported when it enters the customs-zone, and not before:

Sugar when exported.

(b) sugar shall be deemed to be exported when it is brought within half a mile of the inner face of the customs-line, and not before:

Possession of salt within customs-zone.

(c) the Governor General in Council may by rule prohibit any person absolutely, or subject to such conditions as the Governor General in Council thinks fit, from having in his possession any salt within the limits of the customs-zone.

Traffic crossing customs-line.

(d) the Governor General in Council may, by notification or by the erection of a barrier or otherwise, prohibit or prevent the passage of traffic of any description across the customs-line, except at such points as the Commissioner of Inland Customs may determine,

and may by rule control and regulate the passage of traffic at such points, and provide for the searching of all persons and things crossing, or being taken across, the customs-line.

Levy of salt-duty in Central Provinces.

8. The Governor General in Council may by rule direct that the duty leviable under section five, clause (a), shall be levied by way of a mileage-rate on—

(a) salt imported from the Presidency of Bombay into any part of the territories under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, and

(b) salt which, having been so imported, is afterwards moved from one place to another:

And may in like manner fix, for the purposes of this section, the rate per maund per mile which shall be so levied.

Power to regulate collection of duties and import and export of goods.

9. The Governor General in Council may by rule prescribe the manner, time, and place in and at which, and the persons by whom, the duties leviable under this Chapter shall be collected and the dutiable goods be permitted to be imported and exported.

When the rules made under this section allow dutiable goods to be imported or exported without prepayment of duty, all duty payable on such goods so imported or exported shall be deemed to be a first charge on the same, and such goods may be stopped and detained by a customs-officer until the duty is paid.

If such duty is not paid within such period as may be fixed by such rules, the goods in respect of which such duty is payable may be sold by public auction, and the proceeds of the sale shall be applied, first, in discharging the duty payable in respect of such goods, and then in defraying freight and other charges to which they are liable, and the surplus (if any) shall, if not claimed by the owner within two months, be forfeited to Her Majesty.

CHAPTER III.—OF THE MANUFACTURE OF SALT AND REFINING OF SALTPETRE.

Power of Governor General in Council

10. The Governor General in Council may from time to time by rule—

to regulate manufacture and refining of salt and saltpetre;

(*a*) prohibit absolutely, or subject to such conditions as he thinks fit, the manufacture of salt or the manufacture or refining of saltpetre throughout the whole or any portion of the said territories;

to fix fees for licenses;

(*b*) fix fees for the following licenses not exceeding in the case of each such license the amount hereinafter mentioned:—

	Rs.
License to manufacture saltpetre ...	2
License to manufacture and refine saltpetre and to separate and purify salt in the process of such manufacture and refining	100
License to manufacture *khárí-nún* ...	25
License to manufacture other saline substances	2;

to impose a duty on manufacture of salt;

(*c*) impose a duty not exceeding three rupees per maund of three thousand two hundred tolahs on salt manufactured in the said territories, and determine the manner, time, and place in and at which, and the persons by whom, such duty shall be collected;

to reduce or remit duties;

(*d*) reduce or remit any duty so imposed;

to regulate possession of salt in vicinity of saltpetre-manufactories;

(*e*) define an area no point in which shall be more than one hundred yards from the nearest point of any place in which salt is stored or sold by or on behalf of Government, or of any manufactory and its appurtenances in or on which saltpetre is manufactured or refined, and regulate the possession, storage and sale of salt within such area;

to regulate possession of salt in vicinity of places where salt is manufactured.

(*f*) define an area round any other place in which salt is manufactured, and regulate the possession, storage and sale of salt within such area.

CHAPTER IV.—OF OFFENCES AGAINST THE INLAND CUSTOMS REVENUE.

Penalty for contravention of Act or rules.

11. Whoever commits any of the following offences—

(*a*) does anything in contravention of this Act or of any rule made hereunder;

(*b*) evades payment of any duty or charge payable under this Act or any such rule; or

(*c*) attempts to commit or abets within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code the commission of any of the offences mentioned in clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of this section,

shall for every such offence be punishable with a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or with both,

and the convicting Magistrate, on the application of the Collector or customs-officer, may declare to be confiscated all works, materials, and implements constructed or prepared for the purpose of manufacturing or refining salt or saltpetre contrary to the provisions of this Act or any such rule.

Punishment on second and subsequent convictions.

12. Any person convicted of an offence under section eleven, after having been previously convicted of an offence under that section or any enactment hereby repealed,

shall be punished with imprisonment which may extend to six months, in addition to the punishment which may be inflicted for a first offence under section eleven,

and every such person shall, upon every subsequent conviction of an offence under section eleven, be liable to imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, in addition to any term of imprisonment to which he was liable at his last previous conviction.

Charge to be preferred by customs-officer.

13. A charge of an offence under section eleven shall not be entertained except on the complaint of the Collector or other customs-officer not inferior in rank to a Sub-Assistant Patrol,

Limitation of time for complaint.

and no such complaint shall be admitted unless it be preferred within six months after the commission of the offence to which it refers.

Jurisdiction.

An offence under section eleven shall be tried by a magistrate exercising powers not less than those of a magistrate of the second class.

Confiscation of articles in respect of which offence committed.

14. All salt, sugar, or saltpetre in respect of which any offence mentioned in section eleven has been committed, together with the vessels, packages, or coverings in which such salt, sugar, or saltpetre is contained, and the animals and conveyances used in carrying it, shall be liable to confiscation.

When the article seized exceeds five sers in weight, the Commissioner of the Division may,

if satisfied on the report of any customs-officer, or on such enquiry as he deems fit to make, that such offence has been committed, declare such article to be confiscated, or impose such lesser penalty in lieu of confiscation as to him may seem fit.

If the quantity seized does not exceed five sers, the Collector shall possess the same powers in regard to its disposal which by this section are conferred on Commissioners of Division in regard to quantities exceeding five sers, and may also confiscate the vessel, package or covering in which such article is contained.

Whenever a Commissioner of Division declares under this section any article to be confiscated, he may also declare to be confiscated any vessel, package or covering in which such article is contained, and any animal or conveyance used in carrying it.

Power to levy additional duty as a penalty.

15. The Governor General in Council may from time to time by rule direct that any customs-officer not inferior in rank to a Sub-Assistant Patrol, if satisfied in such manner as such rule may prescribe that any offence mentioned or referred to in section eleven has been committed in respect of any dutiable article, shall, instead of preferring a complaint before a magistrate or instituting proceedings with a view to confiscation, impose as a penalty an additional duty on such article not exceeding the duty paid or leviable thereon under chapter II of this Act.

The imposition of every such penalty shall be at once reported, if the article in respect of which the offence has been committed exceeds five sers, to the Commissioner of Division, and if such article does not exceed five sers, to the Collector,

and shall require the sanction of the Commissioner or Collector to whom it is so reported.

Punishment for connivance at offences mentioned in section 11.

16. All zamíndárs and other proprietors of land or their agents, who wilfully connive at any offence mentioned or referred to in section eleven, shall for every such offence be punishable by any magistrate exercising powers not less than those of a magistrate of the second class, with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or with both.

CHAPTER V.—OF THE POWERS OF STOPPAGE, SEIZURE, SEARCH AND ARREST.

Power to detain suspected person and to seize goods liable to confiscation.

17. Any customs-officer may stop and detain any person whom he has reasonable ground to suspect of being liable to punishment under this Act;

and may seize any salt or sugar in respect of which there is reasonable ground to believe that any offence mentioned or referred to in section eleven has been committed or that any duty is payable, together with the vessels, packages or coverings in which such salt or sugar is contained, and the animals and conveyances used in carrying it.

Power to arrest.

18. Any customs-officer may arrest any person whom he has reasonable ground to suspect of having committed any such offence as last aforesaid.

Power to enter and search place of illicit manufacture.

19. Whenever any customs-officer not inferior in rank to a Sub-Assistant Patrol, has reason to believe that salt or saltpetre is being unlawfully manufactured, refined or stored,

such officer shall first record in writing (so far as may be practicable), (*a*) the name, residence and calling of the informant (if any), (*b*) the locality and description of the house, boat or place where the officer believes the salt or saltpetre is being manufactured, refined or stored, (*c*) the name of the person for or by whom the salt or saltpetre is manufactured, refined or stored, and (*d*) the supposed quantity and description of the salt or saltpetre, with the grounds of believing the same to be unlawfully manufactured, refined or stored,

and may then summon in writing the officer in charge of the police-station within whose jurisdiction the house, boat or place to be searched is situate to attend him;

and may then, between sunrise and sunset (but always in the presence of an officer of police not inferior in rank to a head constable), enter and search any house, boat or place in which there is reason to believe that salt or saltpetre is being so manufactured, refined, or stored,

and, in case of resistance, may break open any door, and force and remove any other obstacle to such entry,

and may seize and carry away all salt and saltpetre so unlawfully manufactured, refined or stored, and all materials used in the manufacture or refinement of such salt or saltpetre,

and may also arrest the occupier of the said house, boat or place, together with all persons concerned in the manufacture or refinement or storing of such salt or saltpetre, or in the concealing thereof.

If the place so entered is an apartment in the actual occupancy of a woman, who, according to the customs of the country, does not appear in public, the officer entering the same shall be guided by the rules prescribed in the Code of Criminal Procedure, section 384.

Before conducting a search under this section, the officer conducting it shall call upon two or more respectable inhabitants (if any) of the locality in which the house, boat or place to be searched is situate, to attend and witness the search, and the search shall be made in the presence of such inhabitants (if any), and also (if practicable) of the occupant of the house, boat or place searched.

Whenever it is necessary to cause a woman to be searched, the search shall be conducted with strict regard to the habits and customs of the country.

Failure of police-officer to attend.

20. Any officer in charge of a police-station, who, on application in writing made by a customs-officer to attend for any of the purposes specified in section nineteen, fails so to attend or to depute a subordinate officer not inferior in rank to a head constable so to attend, shall for every such offence be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Report of arrest, seizure or search.

21. Whenever a customs-officer under the rank of Collector arrests any person under this Act,

or seizes any article as liable to confiscation under this Act,

or enters any house, boat or place for the purpose of searching for any such article,

he shall (unless empowered under the next succeeding clause of this section), within forty-eight hours next after such arrest, seizure or entry, make a full report of all the particulars of such arrest, seizure or entry to his official superior for the information of the Collector.

Every officer making any arrest under this section, or his official superior, shall, if generally empowered to do so by the Collector, either send with all convenient despatch the person arrested to the Magistrate having jurisdiction to deal with the case, or order the discharge of such person.

And every officer of police attending any search made under section nineteen shall report the same to his official superior.

Procedure in respect of articles seized.

22. Whenever the Collector is informed of the seizure of any article exceeding five sers in quantity, as liable to confiscation under this Act, he shall, with all convenient despatch, report the circumstances of the case to the Commissioner of the Division, who may thereupon proceed under section fourteen.

If the quantity seized does not exceed five sers, he may dispose of the case himself under the said section.

Procedure on detainer of article subject to additional duty.

23. Any article in respect of which a penalty is imposed under section fifteen may be detained pending the receipt of the order of the Commissioner of the Division or Collector on the report required by the same section:

Provided that, if the owner of any article so detained deposits the amount of such penalty with, and pays all ordinary duty and charges payable on such article to, the customs-officer detaining the same, such article shall be at once released.

When an article is so detained it shall, on the receipt of the said order, be dealt with in accordance with the rules made in this behalf under section twenty-seven.

When an article has been released under the second clause of this section, and the Commissioner or Collector reduces, or declines to sanction, the penalty imposed in respect of such article, the amount refundable to the owner shall be paid to him on his applying therefor to the Collector within six months, to be computed (where the order has been made by the Commissioner) from the day on which the Collector has received such order, and (where the order has been made by the Collector) from the date of such order.

When any penalty the amount of which has been deposited under the second clause of this section, is sanctioned,

or when any sum refundable under this section has not been claimed within the said period of six months,

the amount so in deposit or the sum so refundable shall be forfeited to Her Majesty unless the Commissioner of Inland Customs otherwise directs.

Procedure in respect of person arrested.

24. Whenever the Collector is informed of the arrest of any person, he shall (unless such person has been dealt with under the penultimate clause of section twenty-one), either send, with all convenient despatch, the person arrested to the Magistrate having jurisdiction to deal with the case, or order the immediate discharge of such person.

Officers of police and land-revenue to assist customs-officers.

25. All officers of police and officers of Government engaged in the collection of land-revenue, are empowered and required to assist the customs-officers in the execution of this Act.

Vexatious search, seizure, &c., by customs-officer.

26. Any customs-officer who,

(*a*) without reasonable ground of suspicion, searches or causes to be searched any house, boat or place;

(*b*) vexatiously and unnecessarily seizes the moveable property of any person, on pretence of seizing or searching for any article liable to confiscation under this Act;

(*c*) commits as such officer any other act to the injury of any person, when such officer has not reason to believe that such act is required for the execution of his duty,

shall for every such offence be punishable by a Magistrate exercising powers not less than those of a Magistrate of the second class, with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Any person wilfully or maliciously giving false information and so causing a search to be made under this Act shall be punishable by a Magistrate exercising the same powers with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years, or with both.

Power to regulate seizures and disposal of things seized.

27. The Governor General in Council may make rules to regulate the seizure, disposal, and destruction of things liable to be seized under this Act.

Such rules may among other matters provide—

(*a*) that the owner or person having the charge of any animal seized and detained shall provide from day to day for its keep while detained, and that, if he omits to do so, such animal may be sold by public auction, and the expenses (if any) incurred on account of it defrayed from the proceeds of the sale:

(*b*) that when anything is seized and an order for its release is subsequently passed and the owner does not within a period to be fixed by such rules appear to claim such thing and tender the duties, penalties and charges (if any) due in respect thereof, it may be sold by public auction, and such duties, penalties and charges defrayed from the proceeds of the sale:

(*c*) that the surplus-proceeds of a sale under clause (*a*) or clause (*b*) of this section shall, if not claimed by the owner of the thing seized within a period to be fixed by such rules, be forfeited to Her Majesty.

CHAPTER VI.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Power to prohibit import, export, and transit of salt or sugar.

28. The Governor General in Council may, from time to time by rule prohibit absolutely, or subject to conditions, the transit of salt or of sugar into, out of, or over, the said territories or any part thereof.

Except in the case of a prohibition under this section, nothing in this Act shall affect the importation of salt or exportation of sugar into or from any of the said territories, from or into any other of the said territories, or the Lower Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William.

Further matters for which Governor General may make rules.

29. In addition to the rules which the Governor General in Council is hereinbefore empowered to make, he may from time to time make rules to regulate the following matters, namely:

(*a*) the persons by whom, and the time, place and manner at or in which anything to be done under this Act shall be done;

(*b*) the cases in which, and the officers to whom, and the conditions subject to which, orders given by customs-officers under this Act shall be appealable;

(*c*) the fee to be charged on account of any license, pass, certificate, dákhilá, rawána or other such document issued under this Act;

and generally to carry out the provisions herein contained.

Publication of rules.

30. All rules made under this Act must be consistent herewith and shall be published in the *Gazette of India*, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

Power of Local Government to confer powers of Collector and customs-officers.

31. Subject to the provisions herein contained and to any rules for the time being in force made by the Governor General in Council, the Local Government may invest any person with the powers of a Collector under this Act, or with all or any of the powers hereinbefore conferred on customs-officers.

Saving of existing duties on salt and sugar.

32. All duties now leviable on salt or sugar imported into or exported from, or moved through, or manufactured in, the said territories, shall, until otherwise directed by the Governor General in Council, be deemed to be leviable under this Act.

Existing rules.

Existing customs-line.

33. All rules now in force which might have been made under this Act if it had been in force, shall be deemed to have been issued hereunder, and the existing customs-line shall be deemed to have been defined and protected hereunder.

SCHEDULE.

A.—Acts.

Number and Year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
XIV of 1843	An Act for regulating the levy of Customs Duties, and the manufacture of Salt in the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Bengal.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXXVI of 1855.	An Act to empower Officers of Customs and Land Revenue to search Houses and other enclosed places for contraband Salt in the North-Western Provinces.	The whole.

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A.—Acts—(continued).

Number and Year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
I of 1860 ...	An Act to empower the Governor General in Council to increase the rate of Duty on Salt imported into the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Bengal.	So much as has not been repealed.
XVII of 1861	An Act to amend Act XIV of 1843 (for regulating the Customs Duties in the North-Western Provinces).	So much as has not been repealed.
XXXI of 1861	An Act to regulate the manufacture of Saltpetre and the sale of Salt educed in the refinement thereof.	The whole, but so far only as regards the said territories.
XIX of 1862	An Act to extend to the Province of Oude certain provisions of Acts XIV of 1843 and XXXVI of 1855, relating to the manufacture of contraband Salt, and to amend the last-named Act.	The whole.
VII of 1864	An Act for regulating the importation and manufacture of alimentary Salt in the Territories administered by the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXXIII of 1867.	An Act to amend Act No. XXXI of 1861.	The whole.
XXV of 1869	An Act to provide Rules for the manufacture, storing and sale of Alimentary Salt in the North-Western Provinces, the Panjáb, Oudh and the Central Provinces, and for other purposes.	The whole.
XXV of 1872	An Act to give the force of law to certain Rules relating to Salt in the Panjáb.	The whole.
X of 1874 ...	An Act to amend the Law relating to Salt.	Sections three and four.
XV of 1874...	Laws Local Extent Act ...	So far as it relates to Bengal Regulation I of 1833.

B.—Bengal Regulations.

Number and Year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
XX of 1817	A Regulation for reducing into one Regulation, with Amendments and Modifications, the several Rules which have been passed for the Guidance of Darogahs and other subordinate Officers of Police; for modifying the existing Rules concerning the Resistance or Evasion of Criminal Process, and for requiring further Aid to the Police in certain cases, from Proprietors and Farmers of Land and their Local Managers, as well as from the Munduls and other Heads of Villages.	Section twenty-nine, clauses *fifth*, *sixth*, *seventh*, and *eighth*.

SCHEDULE—*(concluded)*.

B.—Bengal Regulations—(concluded).

Number and Year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
X of 1819 ...	A Regulation for reducing into one Regulation, with Alterations and Amendments, the Rules at present in Force respecting the Manufacture, Adulteration, Importation, Transportation, and Sale of Salt.	So much as has not been repealed.
X of 1826 ...	A Regulation for removing Doubts as to the Application of Section L. Regulation X. 1819, to the District of Goruckpore: for prohibiting the Manufacture within any of the Districts of Bengal, Behar, and Orissa, of Noon-chye, or any Description of Saline Substance used as a condiment with Food, excepting on Account of, or with the Permission of Government: and for providing for the Retail Sale of Salt by Government Officers in certain Cases.	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1832...	A Regulation for declaring and explaining the Meaning and Intention of section XLI. Regulation X. 1819.	The whole.
I of 1833 ...	A Regulation for vesting in the Sudder Board of Revenue at Allahabad the Superintendence of the Customs and Town Duties in the territories to which the Revenue Jurisdiction of that Board extends.	The whole.

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[First Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 2nd March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. IX OF 1875.

An Act to amend the Law respecting the age of majority.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, in the case of persons domiciled in British India, it is expedient to prolong the period of nonage, and to attain more uniformity and certainty respecting the age of majority than now exists; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Majority Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India, and, so far as regards subjects of Her Majesty, to the dominions of Princes and States in India in alliance with Her Majesty;

Commencement and operation.

and it shall come into force and have effect only on the expiration of three months from the passing thereof.

2. Nothing herein contained shall affect—

(*a*) the capacity of any person to act in the following matters (namely),—Marriage, Dower, Divorce, and Adoption;

(*b*) the religion or religious rites and usages of any class of Her Majesty's subjects in India, or

(*c*) the capacity of any person who before this Act comes into force has attained majority under the law applicable to him.

Age of majority of persons domiciled in British India.

3. Subject as aforesaid, every minor of whose person or property a guardian has been or shall be appointed by any Court of Justice, and every minor under the jurisdiction of any Court of Wards, shall, notwithstanding anything contained in the Indian Succession Act (No. X of 1865) or in any other enactment, be deemed to have attained his majority when he shall have completed his age of twenty-one years and not before:

Subject as aforesaid, every other person domiciled in British India shall be deemed to have attained his majority when he shall have completed his age of eighteen years and not before.

Age of majority how computed.

4. In computing the age of any person, the day on which he was born is to be included as a whole day, and he shall be deemed to have attained majority, if he falls within the first paragraph of section three, at the beginning of the twenty-first anniversary of that day, and if he falls within the second paragraph of section three, at the beginning of the eighteenth anniversary of that day.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) Z is born in British India on the first day of January, 1850, and has a British Indian domicile. A guardian of his person is appointed by a Court of Justice. Z attains majority at the first moment of the first day of January, 1871.

(*b.*) Z is born in British India on the twenty-ninth day of February, 1852, and has a British Indian domicile. A guardian of his property is appointed by a Court of Justice. Z attains majority at the first moment of the twenty-eighth day of February, 1873.

(*c.*) Z is born on the first day of January, 1850. He acquires a domicile in British India. No guardian is appointed of his person or property by any Court of Justice, nor is he under the jurisdiction of any Court of Wards. Z attains majority at the first moment of the first day of January, 1868.

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PART IV.

Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 2nd March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

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An Act for regulating Inland Customs Duties on Salt and Sugar, and for other purposes.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to the levy of inland customs-duties on salt and sugar, and to the import of salt, the export of sugar, and the manufacture of salt and saltpetre, into, from and in the North-Western Provinces, the Panjáb, Oudh and the Central Provinces; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.—PRELIMINARY.

Short title. Commencement.

1. This Act may be called "The Inland Customs Act, 1875:" and shall come into force on the passing thereof.

Local extent.

This section, section two, and so much of this Act as refers to offences against any of its provisions or against any rules made hereunder, extend to the whole of British India:

The rest of this Act extends to the territories for the time being respectively subject to the Lieutenant-Governors of the North-Western Provinces and the Panjáb, and the Chief Commissioners of Oudh and the Central Provinces;

Power to extend Act.

And any portion of this Act other than the portions specified in the second clause of this section, may be extended, by order of the Governor General in Council published in the *Gazette of India*, to any part of British India other than the said territories.

Repeal of enactments.

2. The enactments specified in the schedule hereto annexed are repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the said schedule.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"the said territories" means the territories mentioned in the third clause of the first section:

"Collector." "Collector" means a Collector or Assistant Commissioner of Inland Customs, and includes any person invested by the Local Government with the powers of a Collector under this Act:

"Customs-officer." "Customs-officer" means any officer of Inland Customs, and includes any person invested by the Local Government with any of the powers of a customs-officer under this Act:

"Sugar." "Sugar" includes also saccharine produce, sweetmeats and all other articles of which sugar forms a principal ingredient:

"Saltpetre." "Saltpetre" includes rasí, sajjí and all other substances manufactured from saline earth, and *khárí-nún*, or Glauber's salt, and every form of sulphate or carbonate of soda; and

"Manufacture of salt." "Manufacture of salt" includes the separation or purification of salt obtained in the manufacture of saltpetre, the separation of salt from earth or other substance so as to produce alimentary salt, and the excavation or removal of natural saline deposits or efflorescence.

CHAPTER II.—OF THE IMPORT OF SALT, AND EXPORT OF SUGAR.

Regulation of the import of salt, and export of sugar.

4. No salt shall be imported into the said territories, and no sugar shall be exported therefrom, except subject to the provisions, payments and rules prescribed by or under this Act.

Power to levy duties.

5. The Governor General in Council may from time to time by rule order the levy of duties not exceeding the following:—

		Per maund of three thousand two hundred tolas.
(a).	On salt imported into the said territories	Three rupees,
(b).	On refined sugar exported from the said territories ...	One rupee,
(c).	On unrefined sugar exported from the said territories ...	Six annas;

and in calculating the amount of any such duty, fractions of quarter maunds may be reckoned as quarter maunds.

The Governor General in Council may from time to time reduce or remit any duty imposed under this section.

The Governor General in Council may, for the purposes of this section, define by rule what shall be deemed refined sugar and what shall be deemed unrefined sugar.

Power to define a customs-zone and establish a customs-line.

6. In order to facilitate the collection of duties imposed under section five, the Governor General in Council may by rule define a zone of country not exceeding fifteen miles in breadth along any portion of the frontier of the said territories, and at such distance within the frontier as he deems expedient,

and may extend such zone so as to include any portion of a railway or canal or navigable river entering the same and the place where dutiable goods are loaded or unloaded into wagons or boats for the purpose of entering or leaving the zone,

and may within such zone establish a chain of customs-posts extending along such zone.

And the establishment of such chain shall be deemed a public purpose within the meaning of the Land Acquisition Act, 1870.

"Customs-zone." "Customs-line." A zone of country defined, and a chain of customs-posts established, under this section, are hereinafter termed respectively a "customs-zone," and a "customs-line."

Effect of establishing a customs-zone and line.

7. When a customs-zone has been defined and a customs-line established under section six along any portion of the frontier of the said territories, the following results shall ensue (namely)—

Salt when imported.

(a) salt crossing such portion of the frontier shall be deemed to have been imported when it enters the customs-zone, and not before:

Sugar when exported.

(b) sugar shall be deemed to be exported when it is brought within half a mile of the inner face of the customs-line, and not before:

Possession of salt within customs-zone.

(c) the Governor General in Council may by rule prohibit any person absolutely, or subject to such conditions as the Governor General in Council thinks fit, from having in his possession any salt within the limits of the customs-zone.

Traffic crossing customs-line.

(d) the Governor General in Council may, by notification or by the erection of a barrier or otherwise, prohibit or prevent the passage of traffic of any description across the customs-line, except at such points as the Commissioner of Inland Customs may determine,

and may by rule control and regulate the passage of traffic at such points, and provide for the searching of all persons and things crossing, or being taken across, the customs-line.

Levy of salt-duty in Central Provinces.

8. The Governor General in Council may by rule direct that the duty leviable under section five, clause (a), shall be levied by way of a mileage-rate on—

(a) salt imported from the Presidency of Bombay into any part of the territories under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, and

(b) salt which, having been so imported, is afterwards moved from one place to another:

And may in like manner fix, for the purposes of this section, the rate per maund per mile which shall be so levied.

Power to regulate collection of duties and import and export of goods.

9. The Governor General in Council may by rule prescribe the manner, time, and place in and at which, and the persons by whom, the duties leviable under this Chapter shall be collected and the dutiable goods be permitted to be imported and exported.

When the rules made under this section allow dutiable goods to be imported or exported without prepayment of duty, all duty payable on such goods so imported or exported shall be deemed to be a first charge on the same, and such goods may be stopped and detained by a customs-officer until the duty is paid.

If such duty is not paid within such period as may be fixed by such rules, the goods in respect of which such duty is payable may be sold by public auction, and the proceeds of the sale shall be applied, first, in discharging the duty payable in respect of such goods, and then in defraying freight and other charges to which they are liable, and the surplus (if any) shall, if not claimed by the owner within two months, be forfeited to Her Majesty.

CHAPTER III.—OF THE MANUFACTURE OF SALT AND REFINING OF SALTPETRE.

Power of Governor General in Council to regulate manufacture and refining of salt and saltpetre;

10. The Governor General in Council may from time to time by rule—

(a) prohibit absolutely, or subject to such conditions as he thinks fit, the manufacture of salt or the manufacture or refining of saltpetre throughout the whole or any portion of the said territories;

to fix fees for licenses;

(b) fix fees for the following licenses not exceeding in the case of each such license the amount hereinafter mentioned:—

	Rs.
License to manufacture saltpetre ...	2
License to manufacture and refine saltpetre and to separate and purify salt in the process of such manufacture and refining	100
License to manufacture *khárí-nún* ...	25
License to manufacture other saline substances	2;

to impose a duty on manufacture of salt;

(c) impose a duty not exceeding three rupees per maund of three thousand two hundred tolahs on salt manufactured in the said territories, and determine the manner, time, and place in and at which, and the persons by whom, such duty shall be collected;

to reduce or remit duties;

(d) reduce or remit any duty so imposed;

to regulate possession of salt in vicinity of saltpetre-manufactories;

(e) define an area no point in which shall be more than one hundred yards from the nearest point of any place in which salt is stored or sold by or on behalf of Government, or of any manufactory and its appurtenances in or on which saltpetre is manufactured or refined, and regulate the possession, storage and sale of salt within such area;

to regulate possession of salt in vicinity of places where salt is manufactured.

(f) define an area round any other place in which salt is manufactured, and regulate the possession, storage and sale of salt within such area.

CHAPTER IV.—OF OFFENCES AGAINST THE INLAND CUSTOMS REVENUE.

Penalty for contravention of Act or rules.

11. Whoever commits any of the following offences—

(a) does anything in contravention of this Act or of any rule made hereunder;

(b) evades payment of any duty or charge payable under this Act or any such rule; or

(c) attempts to commit or abets within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code the commission of any of the offences mentioned in clauses (a) and (b) of this section,

shall for every such offence be punishable with a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or with both,

and the convicting Magistrate, on the application of the Collector or customs-officer, may declare to be confiscated all works, materials, and implements constructed or prepared for the purpose of manufacturing or refining salt or saltpetre contrary to the provisions of this Act or any such rule.

12. Any person convicted of an offence under section eleven, after having been previously convicted of an offence under that section or any enactment hereby repealed,

Punishment on second and subsequent convictions.

shall be punished with imprisonment which may extend to six months, in addition to the punishment which may be inflicted for a first offence under section eleven,

and every such person shall, upon every subsequent conviction of an offence under section eleven, be liable to imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, in addition to any term of imprisonment to which he was liable at his last previous conviction.

13. A charge of an offence under section eleven shall not be entertained except on the complaint of the Collector or other customs-officer not inferior in rank to a Sub-Assistant Patrol,

Charge to be preferred by customs-officer.

and no such complaint shall be admitted unless it be preferred within six months after the commission of the offence to which it refers.

Limitation of time for complaint.

An offence under section eleven shall be tried by a magistrate exercising powers not less than those of a magistrate of the second class.

Jurisdiction.

14. All salt, sugar, or saltpetre in respect of which any offence mentioned in section eleven has been committed, together with the vessels, packages, or coverings in which such salt, sugar, or saltpetre is contained, and the animals and conveyances used in carrying it, shall be liable to confiscation.

Confiscation of articles in respect of which offence committed.

When the article seized exceeds five sers in weight, the Commissioner of the Division may, if satisfied on the report of any customs-officer, or on such enquiry as he deems fit to make, that such offence has been committed, declare such article to be confiscated, or impose such lesser penalty in lieu of confiscation as to him may seem fit.

If the quantity seized does not exceed five sers, the Collector shall possess the same powers in regard to its disposal which by this section are conferred on Commissioners of Division in regard to quantities exceeding five sers, and may also confiscate the vessel, package or covering in which such article is contained.

Whenever a Commissioner of Division declares under this section any article to be confiscated, he may also declare to be confiscated any vessel, package or covering in which such article is contained, and any animal or conveyance used in carrying it.

15. The Governor General in Council may from time to time by rule direct that any customs-officer not inferior in rank to a Sub-Assistant Patrol, if satisfied in such manner as such rule may prescribe that any offence mentioned or referred to in section eleven has been committed in respect of any dutiable article shall, instead of preferring a complaint before a magistrate or instituting proceedings with a view to confiscation, impose as a penalty an additional duty on such article not exceeding the duty paid or leviable thereon under chapter II of this Act.

Power to levy additional duty as a penalty.

The imposition of every such penalty shall be at once reported, if the article in respect of which the offence has been committed exceeds five sers, to the Commissioner of Division, and if such article does not exceed five sers, to the Collector,

and shall require the sanction of the Commissioner or Collector to whom it is so reported.

16. All zamíndárs and other proprietors of land or their agents, who wilfully connive at any offence mentioned or referred to in section eleven, shall for every such offence be punishable by any magistrate exercising powers not less than those of a magistrate of the second class, with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or with both.

Punishment for connivance at offences mentioned in section 11.

CHAPTER V.—OF THE POWERS OF STOPPAGE, SEIZURE, SEARCH AND ARREST.

17. Any customs-officer may stop and detain any person whom he has reasonable ground to suspect of being liable to punishment under this Act;

Power to detain suspected person and to seize goods liable to confiscation.

and may seize any salt or sugar in respect of which there is reasonable ground to believe that any offence mentioned or referred to in section eleven has been committed or that any duty is payable, together with the vessels, packages or coverings in which such salt or sugar is contained, and the animals and conveyances used in carrying it.

18. Any customs-officer may arrest any person whom he has reasonable ground to suspect of having committed any such offence as last aforesaid.

Power to arrest.

19. Whenever any customs-officer not inferior in rank to a Sub-Assistant Patrol, has reason to believe that salt or saltpetre is being unlawfully manufactured, refined or stored,

Power to enter and search place of illicit manufacture.

such officer shall first record in writing (so far as may be practicable), (*a*) the name, residence, and calling of the informant (if any), (*b*) the locality and description of the house, boat or place where the officer believes the salt or saltpetre is being manufactured, refined or stored, (*c*) the name of the person for or by whom the salt or saltpetre is manufactured, refined or stored, and (*d*) the supposed quantity and description of the salt or saltpetre, with the grounds of believing the same to be unlawfully manufactured, refined or stored,

and may then summon in writing the officer in charge of the police-station within whose jurisdiction the house, boat or place to be searched is situate to attend him;

and may then, between sunrise and sunset (but always in the presence of an officer of police not inferior in rank to a head constable), enter and search any house, boat or place in which there is reason to believe that salt or saltpetre is being so manufactured, refined, or stored,

and, in case of resistance, may break open any door, and force and remove any other obstacle to such entry,

and may seize and carry away all salt and saltpetre so unlawfully manufactured, refined or stored, and all materials used in the manufacture or refinement of such salt or saltpetre,

and may also arrest the occupier of the said house, boat or place, together with all persons concerned in the manufacture or refinement or storing of such salt or saltpetre, or in the concealing thereof.

If the place so entered is an apartment in the actual occupancy of a woman, who, according to the customs of the country, does not appear in public, the officer entering the same shall be guided by the rules prescribed in the Code of Criminal Procedure, section 384.

Before conducting a search under this section, the officer conducting it shall call upon two or more respectable inhabitants (if any) of the locality in which the house, boat or place to be searched is situate, to attend and witness the search, and the search shall be made in the presence of such inhabitants (if any), and also (if practicable) of the occupant of the house, boat or place searched.

Whenever it is necessary to cause a woman to be searched, the search shall be conducted with strict regard to the habits and customs of the country.

20. Any officer in charge of a police-station, who, on application in writing made by a customs-officer to attend for any of the purposes specified in section nineteen, fails so to attend or to depute a subordinate officer not inferior in rank to a head constable so to attend, shall for every such offence be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Failure of police-officer to attend.

21. Whenever a customs-officer under the rank of Collector arrests any person under this Act,

Report of arrest, seizure or search.

or seizes any article as liable to confiscation under this Act,

or enters any house, boat or place for the purpose of searching for any such article,

he shall (unless empowered under the next succeeding clause of this section), within forty-eight hours next after such arrest, seizure or entry, make a full report of all the particulars of such arrest, seizure or entry to his official superior for the information of the Collector.

Every officer making any arrest under this section, or his official superior, shall, if generally empowered to do so by the Collector, either send with all convenient despatch the person arrested to the Magistrate having jurisdiction to deal with the case, or order the discharge of such person.

And every officer of police attending any search made under section nineteen shall report the same to his official superior.

22. Whenever the Collector is informed of the seizure of any article exceeding five sers in quantity, as liable to confiscation under this Act, he shall, with all convenient despatch, report the circumstances of the case to the Commissioner of the Division, who may thereupon proceed under section fourteen.

Procedure in respect of articles seized.

If the quantity seized does not exceed five sers, he may dispose of the case himself under the said section.

23. Any article in respect of which a penalty is imposed under section fifteen may be detained pending the receipt of the order of the Commissioner of the Division or Collector on the report required by the same section:

Procedure on detainer of article subject to additional duty.

Provided that, if the owner of any article so detained deposits the amount of such penalty with, and pays all ordinary duty and charges payable on such article to, the customs-officer detaining the same, such article shall be at once released.

When an article is so detained it shall, on the receipt of the said order, be dealt with in accordance with the rules made in this behalf under section twenty-seven.

When an article has been released under the second clause of this section, and the Commissioner or Collector reduces, or declines to sanction, the penalty imposed in respect of such article, the amount refundable to the owner shall be paid to him on his applying therefor to the Collector within six months, to be computed (where the order has been made by the Commissioner) from the day on which the Collector has received such order, and (where the order has been made by the Collector) from the date of such order.

When any penalty the amount of which has been deposited under the second clause of this section, is sanctioned,

or when any sum refundable under this section has not been claimed within the said period of six months,

the amount so in deposit or the sum so refundable shall be forfeited to Her Majesty unless the Commissioner of Inland Customs otherwise directs.

24. Whenever the Collector is informed of the arrest of any person, he shall (unless such person has been dealt with under the penultimate clause of section twenty-one), either send, with all convenient despatch, the person arrested to the Magistrate having jurisdiction to deal with the case, or order the immediate discharge of such person.

Procedure in respect of person arrested.

25. All officers of police and officers of Government engaged in the collection of land-revenue, are empowered and required to assist the customs-officers in the execution of this Act.

Officers of police and land-revenue to assist customs-officers.

26. Any customs-officer who,

Vexatious search, seizure, &c., by customs-officer.

(*a*) without reasonable ground of suspicion, searches or causes to be searched any house, boat or place;

(*b*) vexatiously and unnecessarily seizes the moveable property of any person, on pretence of seizing or searching for any article liable to confiscation under this Act;

(*c*) commits as such officer any other act to the injury of any person, when such officer has not reason to believe that such act is required for the execution of his duty,

shall for every such offence be punishable by a Magistrate exercising powers not less than those of a Magistrate of the second class, with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Any person wilfully or maliciously giving false information and so causing a search to be made under this Act shall be punishable by a Magistrate exercising the same powers with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years, or with both.

27. The Governor General in Council may make rules to regulate the seizure, disposal, and destruction of things liable to be seized under this Act.

Power to regulate seizures and disposal of things seized.

Such rules may among other matters provide—

(*a*) that the owner or person having the charge of any animal seized and detained shall provide

from day to day for its keep while detained, and that, if he omits to do so, such animal may be sold by public auction, and the expenses (if any) incurred on account of it defrayed from the proceeds of the sale:

(*b*) that when anything is seized and an order for its release is subsequently passed and the owner does not within a period to be fixed by such rules appear to claim such thing and tender the duties, penalties and charges (if any) due in respect thereof, it may be sold by public auction, and such duties, penalties and charges defrayed from the proceeds of the sale:

(*c*) that the surplus-proceeds of a sale under clause (*a*) or clause (*b*) of this section shall, if not claimed by the owner of the thing seized within a period to be fixed by such rules, be forfeited to Her Majesty.

CHAPTER VI.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Power to prohibit import, export, and transit of salt or sugar.

28. The Governor General in Council may, from time to time by rule prohibit absolutely, or subject to conditions, the transit of salt or of sugar into, out of, or over, the said territories or any part thereof.

Except in the case of a prohibition under this section, nothing in this Act shall affect the importation of salt or exportation of sugar into or from any of the said territories, from or into any other of the said territories, or the Lower Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William.

Further matters for which Governor General may make rules.

29. In addition to the rules which the Governor General in Council is hereinbefore empowered to make, he may from time to time make rules to regulate the following matters, namely:

(*a*) the persons by whom, and the time, place and manner at or in which anything to be done under this Act shall be done;

(*b*) the cases in which, and the officers to whom, and the conditions subject to which, orders given by customs-officers under this Act shall be appealable;

(*c*) the fee to be charged on account of any license, pass, certificate, dákhilá, rawána or other such document issued under this Act;

and generally to carry out the provisions herein contained.

Publication of rules.

30. All rules made under this Act must be consistent herewith and shall be published in the *Gazette of India*, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

Power of Local Government to confer powers of Collector and customs-officers.

31. Subject to the provisions herein contained and to any rules for the time being in force made by the Governor General in Council, the Local Government may invest any person with the powers of a Collector under this Act, or with all or any of the powers hereinbefore conferred on customs-officers.

Saving of existing duties on salt and sugar.

32. All duties now leviable on salt or sugar imported into or exported from, or moved through, or manufactured in, the said territories, shall, until otherwise directed by the Governor General in Council, be deemed to be leviable under this Act.

Existing rules.

33. All rules now in force which might have been made under this Act if it had been in force, shall be deemed to have been issued hereunder, and

Existing customs-line.

the existing customs-line shall be deemed to have been defined and protected hereunder.

SCHEDULE.

A.—Acts.

Number and Year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
XIV of 1843	An Act for regulating the levy of Customs Duties, and the manufacture of Salt in the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Bengal.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXXVI of 1855.	An Act to empower Officers of Customs and Land Revenue to search Houses and other enclosed places for contraband Salt in the North-Western Provinces.	The whole.
I of 1860 ...	An Act to empower the Governor General in Council to increase the rate of Duty on Salt imported into the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Bengal.	So much as has not been repealed.
XVII of 1861	An Act to amend Act XIV of 1843 (for regulating the Customs Duties in the North-Western Provinces).	So much as has not been repealed.
XXXI of 1861	An Act to regulate the manufacture of Saltpetre and the sale of Salt educed in the refinement thereof.	The whole, but so far only as regards the said territories.
XIX of 1862	An Act to extend to the Province of Oude certain provisions of Acts XIV of 1843 and XXXVI of 1855, relating to the manufacture of contraband Salt, and to amend the last-named Act.	The whole.
VII of 1864	An Act for regulating the importation and manufacture of alimentary Salt in the Territories administered by the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXXIII of 1867.	An Act to amend Act No. XXXI of 1861.	The whole.
XXV of 1869	An Act to provide Rules for the manufacture, storing and sale of Alimentary Salt in the North-Western Provinces, the Panjáb, Oudh and the Central Provinces, and for other purposes.	The whole.
XXV of 1872	An Act to give the force of law to certain Rules relating to Salt in the Panjáb.	The whole.
X of 1874 ...	An Act to amend the Law relating to Salt.	Sections three and four.
XV of 1874...	Laws Local Extent Act ...	So far as it relates to Bengal Regulation I of 1833.

SCHEDULE—*(continued).*

B.—Bengal Regulations.

Number and Year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
XX of 1817	A Regulation for reducing into one Regulation, with Amendments and Modifications, the several Rules which have been passed for the Guidance of Darogahs and other subordinate Officers of Police; for modifying the existing Rules concerning the Resistance or Evasion of Criminal Process, and for requiring further Aid to the Police in certain cases, from Proprietors and Farmers of Land and their Local Managers, as well as from the Mundals and other Heads of Villages.	Section twenty-nine, clauses *fifth*, *sixth*, *seventh*, and *eighth*.
X of 1819 ...	A Regulation for reducing into one Regulation, with Alterations and Amendments, the Rules at present in Force respecting the Manufacture, Adulteration, Importation, Transportation, and Sale of Salt.	So much as has not been repealed.
X of 1826 ...	A Regulation for removing Doubts as to the Application of Section L. Regulation X. 1819, to the District of Goruckpore: for prohibiting the Manufacture within any of the Districts of Bengal, Behar, and Orissa, of Noon-chye, or any Description of Saline Substance used as a condiment with Food, excepting on Account of, or with the Permission of Government: and for providing for the Retail Sale of Salt by Government Officers in certain Cases.	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1832...	A Regulation for declaring and explaining the Meaning and Intention of section XLI. Regulation X. 1819.	The whole.
I of 1833 ...	A Regulation for vesting in the Sudder Board of Revenue at Allahabad the Superintendence of the Customs and Town Duties in the territories to which the Revenue Jurisdiction of that Board extends.	The whole.

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The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 2nd March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. IX OF 1875.

An Act to amend the Law respecting the age of majority.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, in the case of persons domiciled in British India, it is expedient to prolong the period of nonage, and to attain more uniformity and certainty respecting the age of majority than now exists; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Majority Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India, and, so far as regards subjects of Her Majesty, to the dominions of Princes and States in India in alliance with Her Majesty;

Commencement and operation.

and it shall come into force and have effect only on the expiration of three months from the passing thereof.

2. Nothing herein contained shall affect—

(*a*) the capacity of any person to act in the following matters (namely),—Marriage, Dower, Divorce, and Adoption;

(*b*) the religion or religious rites and usages of any class of Her Majesty's subjects in India, or

(*c*) the capacity of any person who before this Act comes into force has attained majority under the law applicable to him.

Age of majority of persons domiciled in British India.

3. Subject as aforesaid, every minor of whose person or property a guardian has been or shall be appointed by any Court of Justice, and every minor under the jurisdiction of any Court of Wards, shall, notwithstanding anything contained in the Indian Succession Act (No. X of 1865) or in any other enactment, be deemed to have attained his majority when he shall have completed his age of twenty-one years and not before:

Subject as aforesaid, every other person domiciled in British India shall be deemed to have attained his majority when he shall have completed his age of eighteen years and not before.

Age of majority how computed.

4. In computing the age of any person, the day on which he was born is to be included as a whole day, and he shall be deemed to have attained majority, if he falls within the first paragraph of section three, at the beginning of the twenty-first anniversary of that day, and if he falls within the second paragraph of section three, at the beginning of the eighteenth anniversary of that day.

Illustrations.

(*a*.) Z is born in British India on the first day of January, 1850, and has a British Indian domicile. A guardian of his person is appointed by a Court of Justice. Z attains majority at the first moment of the first day of January, 1871.

(*b*.) Z is born in British India on the twenty-ninth day of February, 1852, and has a British Indian domicile. A guardian of his property is appointed by a Court of Justice. Z attains majority at the first moment of the twenty-eighth day of February, 1873.

(*c*.) Z is born on the first day of January, 1850. He acquires a domicile in British India. No guardian is appointed of his person or property by any Court of Justice, nor is he under the jurisdiction of any Court of Wards. Z attains majority at the first moment of the first day of January, 1868.

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Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[Third Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 9th March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

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An Act to regulate the Procedure of the High Courts in the exercise of their original criminal jurisdiction.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to the procedure of the High Courts in the exercise of their original criminal jurisdiction; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The High Courts' Criminal Procedure Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the first day of May 1875.

Repeal of enactments.

2. The enactments mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed are repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the said schedule, but not so as to revive any practice thereby abolished.

And all rules made under any of the said enactments shall be deemed to have been made under this Act, so far as they are consistent herewith.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"High Court."

"High Court" includes all High Courts established or to be established under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, Chapter 104, the Chief Court of the Panjáb, and such other Courts as the Governor-General in Council may, from time to time, declare to be invested with the powers of a High Court under this Act:

"Chief Justice."

"Chief Justice" includes also the Senior Judge of a Chief Court:

"Advocate General."

"Advocate General" includes also a Government Advocate:

"Clerk of the Crown."

"Clerk of the Crown" includes any officer specially appointed by the Chief Justice to discharge the functions given by this Act to the Clerk of the Crown; and

"Magistrate."

"Magistrate" includes also a Police Magistrate in the Towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay:

"European British Subject."

"European British Subject" means—

(*a*) all subjects of Her Majesty born, naturalized or domiciled in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland or in any of the European, American or Australian colonies or possessions of Her Majesty, or in the colonies of New Zealand, the Cape of Good Hope and Natal;

(*b*) the children and grandchildren of any such person by legitimate descent:

"Prosecutor."

"Prosecutor" includes every person conducting a prosecution on behalf of Her Majesty:

"Offence."

"Offence" denotes anything made punishable by any law for the time being in force; and

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CHAPTER II.

OF SESSIONS.

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4. For the exercise of its original criminal jurisdiction, every High Court shall hold sittings on such days and at such convenient intervals as the Chief Justice of such Court from time to time appoints.

Place of holding sittings.

5. The High Court shall hold its sittings at the place at which it now holds them, or at such other place (if any) as the Governor-General in Council in the case of the High Court at Fort William, and as the Local Government in the case of the other High Courts, may direct. But it may, from time to time,

in the case of the High Court at Fort William, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council,

in all other cases, with the consent of the Local Government,

hold sittings at such other places within the local limits of its appellate jurisdiction as the High Court appoints.

Notice of sittings.

Such officer as the Chief Justice directs shall give notice beforehand in the local official Gazette of all sittings intended to be held for the exercise of the original criminal jurisdiction of the High Court.

CHAPTER III.

OF PROCEDURE ON COMMITMENTS.

Cases tried by High Courts to be tried under this Act.

6. The provisions of this Act shall apply to all criminal cases triable by the High Court.

Consideration and amendment of charge.

7. When any person is committed for trial before a High Court, the Clerk of the Crown, or, if there be not a Clerk of the Crown, a Judge of the High Court, shall, on receipt of the charge, peruse and consider it, and may, if it appear necessary or expedient so to do, alter or redraw the same, having regard to the rules as to the form of charges contained in the Code of Criminal Procedure.

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8. If a prisoner is committed to the Court without any charge at all, the Clerk of the Crown, or, if there be not a Clerk of the Crown, a Judge of the High Court, may draw up a charge, having regard to the rules referred to in section seven. If a prisoner is committed upon a charge which the Court, upon reference to the proceedings before the committing Magistrate, considers improper, the Court may draw up a charge for any offence or offences which it considers to be proved by the evidence taken before the committing Magistrate.

Prisoner may apply for amendment.

9. Any accused person may apply to the Court for an amendment of the charge made against him; and in considering whether any error in a charge did in fact mislead the accused person, the Court shall take into account the fact that he did or did not make such an application.

Court may amend charge.

10. The Court may, upon the application of the accused person, or of the prosecutor, or upon its own motion, amend or alter any charge at any stage of the proceedings before the verdict of the jury is delivered. Such amendment shall be explained to the accused person.

When trial may proceed immediately after amendment.

11. If the amendment or alteration is such that proceeding immediately with the trial is not likely, in the opinion of the Court, to prejudice the accused person in his defence, it shall be at the discretion of the Court, after making such amendment or alteration, to proceed with the trial as if the amended charge had been the original charge.

When new trial may be directed or trial suspended.

12. If the amendment or alteration is such that proceeding immediately with the trial is likely, in the opinion of the Court, to prejudice the accused person in his defence, the Court may either direct a new trial, or suspend the trial for such period as may be necessary to

enable the accused person to make his defence to the amended or altered charge; and, after hearing his defence, the Court may, if it thinks fit, further adjourn the trial, to admit of the appearance of any witness whose evidence the Court may consider to be material to the case, or whom the accused person may wish to be summoned in his defence.

Charge to be recorded.

Copy of charge.

13. The charge, with such alterations (if any) as may have been made therein, shall be recorded in the High Court and a copy of such charge shall be given to the person gratis, if he demands it.

Copies of depositions.

The person charged shall also be entitled to a copy of his own examination before the committing Magistrate, and to copies of the examinations of witnesses upon whose depositions he has been committed, and of all documents read and made exhibits as part of such depositions by the committing Magistrate, if the person charged demands them a reasonable time before the case comes on for trial and pays for the same a reasonable sum not exceeding one anna for each folio of ninety words.

The Court may for any special reason remit any such payment.

Entry on unsustainable charge.

14. When any charge, or portion of a charge, recorded as aforesaid appears to a Judge of the High Court, at any time before the commencement of the trial of the person charged, to be clearly unsustainable, such Judge may make on the charge an entry to that effect.

Effect of entry.

Such entry shall have the effect of staying proceedings upon the charge or portion of the charge (as the case may be), but shall not operate as an acquittal of the person charged.

Prosecutor and accused person may recall witnesses.

15. In all cases of amendment or alteration of a charge during the trial, the prosecutor and accused person shall be allowed to recall and examine any witness who may have been examined.

Previous sanction to be obtained if offence in amended charge require it.

16. If the offence stated in the amended or altered charge be one for the prosecution of which previous sanction is necessary, the case shall not be proceeded with until such sanction is obtained; unless sanction has been already obtained for a prosecution on the same facts as those on which the amended or altered charge was founded.

Joinder of Charges.

Separate charges for distinct offences.

17. There must be a separate charge for every distinct offence of which any person is accused, and every such charge must be tried separately, except in the cases hereinafter excepted.

Illustration.

A is accused of a theft on one occasion, and of causing grievous hurt on another occasion. A must be separately charged and separately tried for the theft and the causing grievous hurt.

More offences than one of same kind may be charged within a year of each other.

18. When a person is accused of more offences than one of the same kind, committed within one year of each other, he may be charged and tried at the same time for any number of them not exceeding three.

EXPLANATION.—Offences are said to be of the same kind under this section if they fall within the provisions of section twenty.

Trial of more than one offence.

19. I. If in one series of acts, so connected together as to form the same transaction, more offences than one are committed by the same person, he may be charged with and tried for every such offence at the same time.

One offence falling within two definitions.

II. If the acts alleged constitute an offence falling within two or more separate definitions of any law in force for the time being, by which offences are defined or punished, the person accused of them may be charged with each of the offences so committed; but he must not receive a more severe punishment than could be awarded for any of such offences.

Acts severally constituting more than one offence, but collectively coming within one definition.

III. If several acts, of which one or more than one would by itself constitute an offence, form, when combined, a different offence, the person accused of them may be charged with every offence, or any of the different offences, which he may have committed; but he must not receive for such offences, collectively, a punishment more severe than that which might have been awarded for any one of such offences.

Illustrations.

To paragraph I.

(*a.*) A rescues B, a person in lawful custody, and in so doing causes grievous hurt to C, a constable in whose custody B was. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 225 and 333, Indian Penal Code.

(*b.*) A has in his possession several counterfeit seals with the intention of committing several forgeries. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, the possession of each seal for a distinct forgery under section 473, Indian Penal Code.

(*c.*) A, with intent to cause injury to B, institutes proceedings against him, knowing there is no just or lawful ground for such proceedings. A also, in the course of the proceedings, falsely charges B with having committed an offence. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, two offences under section 211, Indian Penal Code.

(*d.*) A, with intent to injure B, brings a false charge against him of having committed an offence. On the trial, A gives false evidence against B. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 211 and 194 or 195, Indian Penal Code.

(*e.*) A, knowing that B, a female minor, has been kidnapped, wrongfully confines her and detains her as a slave. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 368 (read with 367) and 370, Indian Penal Code.

(*f.*) A, with six others, commits the offences of rioting, grievous hurt to B, and of assaulting C, a public servant engaged in suppressing the riot. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 147, 325 and 152, Indian Penal Code.

(*g.*) A criminally intimidates B, C and D at the same time. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, each of the three offences under section 506, Indian Penal Code.

(*h.*) A intentionally causes the death of three persons by upsetting a boat. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, three offences under section 302, Indian Penal Code.

To paragraph II.

(*i.*) A commits mischief by cutting down a tree in a Government forest. The tree overhangs the bank of a river and falls into the stream. A commits theft by having severed the tree and by floating it down the river to his village, where he sells it. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 426 and 379, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a more severe sentence than if it had convicted him under section 379 only.

(*j.*) A wrongfully strikes B with a cane. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 352 and 323 of the Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a more severe sentence than if it had convicted him under section 323 only.

(*k.*) A wrongfully kills a buffalo worth sixty rupees belonging to B, and then takes away the carcase in a manner amounting to theft. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 429 and 379, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a more severe sentence than if it had convicted him under section 429 only.

(*l.*) Several stolen sacks of corn are made over to A and B, who know they are stolen property. A and B thereupon assist each other to conceal the sacks at the bottom of a grain-pit. A and B may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 411 and 414, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries them may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted them under one of those sections only.

(*m.*) A uses a forged document in evidence, in order to convict B, a public servant, of an offence under section 167. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 471 (read with 466) and 196 of the Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under one of those sections only.

To paragraph III.

(*n.*) A commits house-breaking by day with intent to commit adultery, and commits, in the house so entered, adultery with B's wife. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 454 and 497, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under section 497 only.

(*o.*) A robs B, and, in doing so, voluntarily causes hurt to him. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 328, 392 and 394 of the Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under section 392 or 394 only.

(*p.*) A entices B, the wife of C, away, and then commits adultery with her. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 498 and 497, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under section 497 only.

Where it is doubtful what offence has been committed.

20. If a single act or series of acts is of such a nature that it is doubtful which of several offences the facts which can be proved will constitute, the accused person may be charged with having committed all or any of such offences; and any number of such charges may be tried at once, or he may be charged in the alternative with having committed some one of the said offences.

Illustration.

A is accused of an act which may amount to either theft, receiving stolen property, criminal breach of trust, or cheating. He may be charged separately with theft, criminal breach of trust, and cheating, or he may be charged with having committed either theft or criminal breach of trust, or cheating.

When a person is charged with one offence, he can be convicted of another.

21. If, in the case mentioned in section twenty, one charge only is brought against an accused person, and it appears in evidence that he committed a different offence, for which he might have been charged under the provisions of that section, he may be convicted of the offence which he is shown to have committed, although he was not charged with it.

Illustration.

A is charged with theft. It appears that he committed criminal breach of trust, or receiving stolen goods. He may be convicted of criminal breach of trust, or receiving stolen goods, though he was not charged with it.

When offence proved included in offence charged.

22. When a person is charged with an offence, and part of the charge is not proved, but the part which is proved amounts to a different offence, he may be convicted of the offence which he is proved to have committed, though he was not charged with it.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A is charged, under section 407, Indian Penal Code, with criminal breach of trust in respect of property entrusted to him as a carrier. It appears that he did commit criminal breach of trust under section 406 in respect of the property, but that it was not entrusted to him as a carrier. He may be convicted of criminal breach of trust under section 406.

(*b.*) A is charged with murder. He may be convicted of culpable homicide, or of causing death by negligence.

What persons may be charged jointly.

23. When more persons than one are accused of the same offence, or of different offences committed in the same transaction, or when one person is accused of committing any offence, and another of abetment of, or attempt to commit, such offence, they may be charged and tried together or separately, as the Court thinks proper, and the provisions hereinbefore contained shall apply to all such charges.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A and B are accused of the same murder. A and B may be charged and tried together for the murder.

(*b.*) A and B are accused of a robbery, in the course of which A commits a murder with which B has nothing to do. A and B may be tried together on a charge, charging both of them with the robbery, and A alone with the murder.

(*c.*) A and B are both charged with a theft, and B is charged with two other thefts committed by him in the course of the same transaction. A and B may be both tried together on a charge, charging both with the one theft, and B alone with the two other thefts.

Effect of errors.

24. No error, either in the way in which the offence is stated, or in the particulars required by the Code of Criminal Procedure to be stated, and no omission to state the offence, or to state those particulars, shall be regarded at any stage of the case as material, unless the person accused was in fact misled by such error or omission.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A is charged, under section 242 of the Indian Penal Code, with "having been in possession of counterfeit coin, having known at the time when he became possessed thereof that such coin was counterfeit;" the word "fraudulently" being omitted in the charge. Unless it appears that A was in fact misled by this omission, the error shall not be regarded as material.

(*b.*) A is charged with cheating B, and the manner in which he cheated B is not set out in the charge, or is set out incorrectly. A defends himself, calls witnesses, and gives his own account of the transaction. The Court may infer from this that the omission to set out the manner of the cheating is not material.

(*c.*) A is charged with cheating B, and the manner in which he cheated B is not set out in the charge. There were many transactions between A and B, and A had no means of knowing to which of them the charge referred, and offered no defence. The Court may infer from such facts that the omission to set out the manner of the cheating was, in this case, a material error.

(*d.*) A is charged with the murder of Khodá Baksh on the 21st January. In fact, the murdered person's name was Haidar Baksh, and the date of the murder was the 20th January. A was never charged with any murder but one, and had heard the inquiry before the Magistrate, which referred exclusively to the case of Haidar Baksh The Court may infer from these facts that A was not misled, and that the error in the charge was immaterial.

(*e.*) A was charged with murdering Haidar Baksh on the 20th January, and Khodá Baksn (who tried to arrest him for that murder) on the 21st January. When charged for the murder of Haidar Baksh, he was tried for the murder of Khodá Baksh. The witnesses present in his defence were witnesses in the case of Haidar Baksh. The Court may infer from this that A was misled, and that the error was material.

When irregular commitments may be validated.

25. If any Magistrate, or other authority purporting to exercise powers conferred, but not being actually so empowered, commits an accused person to take his trial before a High Court, the Court may, after perusal of the proceedings, accept the commitment if it considers that the accused person has not been prejudiced, unless objection was made on behalf either of the accused person or of the prosecution to the jurisdiction of the committing Magistrate during the inquiry and before the order of commitment.

If such Court considers that the accused person was prejudiced, or if such objection as aforesaid was so made, it shall quash the commitment, and direct a fresh inquiry by a competent Magistrate.

Custody pending directions as to place of trial.

26. Pending the directions of the Court as to the place of trial, every person committed for trial shall (if not admitted to bail) be committed by the Magistrate for intermediate custody to the criminal jail in which he can be most conveniently confined.

Procedure thereafter.

If the trial be directed to be held at the ordinary place of sitting of the Court, the Magistrate shall bind over the person charged to appear and take his trial at such place of sitting, or shall commit him to the jail at such place.

If the Court direct that the person charged be tried elsewhere than at its ordinary place of sitting, the Magistrate shall bind him over to appear and take his trial at the place so directed, or shall, if necessary, cause him to be removed to the criminal jail at or nearest to the place at which he is directed to be tried.

Intermediate custody of European British subjects.

27. The Court may direct that all European British subjects committed or bailed for trial by it within certain specified districts or during certain specified periods of the year, shall be tried at the ordinary place of sitting of the Court,

or direct that they shall be tried at a particular place named, and may also order that they shall, if not bailed, be committed for intermediate custody to a particular jail, being one of the jails appointed by the Government for the reception of such prisoners.

CHAPTER IV.

OF THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE TRIAL.

Commencement of trial.

28. When the Court is ready to commence the trial, the accused person shall be brought before it, and the charge shall be read and explained to him, and he shall be asked whether he is guilty of the offence charged, or claims to be tried.

Plea of guilty.

29. If the accused person pleads guilty, the plea shall be recorded, and he may be convicted thereon.

Refusal to plead or claim to be tried.

30. If the accused person refuses to, or does not, plead, or if he claims to be tried, the Court shall proceed to choose jurors as hereinafter directed, and to try the case.

Right of accused to be defended.

31. Every person accused of an offence may of right be defended by any advocate of a High Court.

Any such person may, with the permission of the Court (but not otherwise), employ any person not being an advocate, attorney or pleader, to assist him in his defence.

CHAPTER V.

OF JURIES.

(a) Of Juries generally.

Trials to be by jury.

32. All trials under this Act shall be by jury;

and, notwithstanding anything contained in section sixty-four of the Code of Criminal Procedure, in all criminal cases transferred to a High Court under that section or under the Letters Patent of any High Court established under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, Chapter 104, the trial may, if the High Court so direct, be by jury.

Number of jurors.

33. The jury shall consist of nine persons, who shall be chosen by lot from the persons summoned to act as jurors; provided that, in case of a deficiency of such persons, the number required may, with the leave of the Court, be chosen from such other persons as may be present.

Successive trials by same jury.

34. Subject to the right of challenge hereinafter mentioned, the same jury may try as many accused persons successively as the Court thinks fit.

Majority of jurors for trial of European British subjects.

35. If before the first juror is called and accepted, any European British subject charged as aforesaid requires to be tried by a mixed jury, the majority of the jurors shall consist of Europeans or Americans, or both Europeans and Americans.

Trial of European British subject and Native jointly accused.

36. In any case in which a European British subject is accused jointly with a person not being a European British subject, and such European British subject is committed for trial before a High Court, the person so jointly accused shall (if the committing Magistrate thinks that he ought to be tried) also be committed for trial before such High Court, notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Such persons may be tried together, and the procedure on the trial shall be the same as it would have been had the European British subject been tried separately.

Provisions for European British subject requiring majority of Europeans in jury.

37. Provided that, if before the first juror is called and accepted the European British subject requires the majority of the jurors to consist of Europeans or Americans, or both Europeans and Americans, and the person not being a European British subject requires that he shall be tried separately by a jury of which at least five members shall be persons not being Europeans or Americans, the latter person shall be tried separately.

Native may claim separate trial.

(b) Of Juries in the Presidency Towns.

Trials before special jury.

38. Every person tried in Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, shall be tried before a special jury

(*a*) if charged with having committed an offence punishable with death, or

(*b*) if in any other case a Judge of the High Court so directs.

Jurors' book.

39. The jurors' book for the year current when this Act comes into force, shall be taken as containing a correct list of persons liable to serve as jurors under this Act;

and those persons whose names are entered in the said book as being liable to serve on special juries only shall be deemed to be persons privileged and liable to serve only as special jurors under this Act during the year for which the said list has been prepared.

Number of special jurors.

40. The names of not more than two hundred persons shall at any one time be entered in the Special Jurors' list.

Exemption of special jurors.

41. All persons whose names are entered in the special jurors' list shall be exempted from serving on any other than special juries, but so long only as their names are contained in such list.

Lists of common and special jurors.

42. The Clerk of the Crown shall, before the first day of April in each year, and subject to such rules as the High Court from time to time prescribes, prepare

(*a*) a list of all persons liable to serve as common jurors;

(*b*) a list of persons liable to serve as special jurors only.

Regard shall be had, in the preparation of the latter list, to the property, character and education of the persons whose names are entered therein.

No person shall be entitled to have his name entered in the special jurors' list, merely because he may have been entered in the special jurors' list for a previous year.

The Governor General in Council may exempt any salaried officer of Government from serving as a juror.

Discretion of officer preparing lists.

43. The Clerk of the Crown shall, subject to such rules as aforesaid, have full discretion to prepare the said lists as seems to him to be proper, and there shall be no appeal from, or review of, his decision.

Publication of lists.

44. Preparatory lists of persons liable to serve as common jurors and as special jurors, respectively, signed by the officer by whom the same have been prepared, shall be published once in the local official Gazette before the fifteenth day of April next after their preparation.

Revised lists of persons liable to serve as common jurors and special jurors, respectively, signed as aforesaid, shall be published once in the local official Gazette before the first day of May next after their preparation.

Copies of the said lists shall be affixed to some conspicuous part of the Court-house.

Number of jurors to be summoned.

45. Out of the persons named in the revised lists aforesaid, there shall be summoned for each sessions at least twenty-seven of those who are liable to serve on special juries, and fifty-four of those who are liable to serve on common juries.

No person shall be so summoned more than once in six months unless the number cannot be made up without him.

Supplementary summons.

If, during the continuance of any sessions, it appears that the number of persons so summoned is not sufficient, such number as may be necessary of other persons liable to serve as aforesaid shall be summoned for such sessions.

Failure of jurors to attend.

46. Any person summoned under section 45 who without lawful excuse fails to attend as required by the summons, or who having attended departs without having obtained the permission of the Judge, or fails to attend after an adjournment of the Court after being ordered to attend, shall be deemed guilty of a contempt and be liable by order of the Judge to such fine as he thinks fit,

and, in default of payment of such fine, to imprisonment in the civil jail until the fine is paid.

Peremptory challenges.

47. Challenges without cause shown shall be allowed to the number of eight on behalf of the Crown and eight on behalf of the person or all the persons charged.

Challenges on cause.

The following and no others shall be good causes of challenge, whether on behalf of the Crown or by the person or persons charged :—

(*a*) Some personal objection, such as alienage, infancy, old age, or deficiency in the qualification required by any law or rule having the force of law for the time being in force:

(*b*) Some presumed or actual partiality in the juror:

(*c*) A previous conviction of the juror of a non-bailable offence under the Indian Penal Code, or of a similar offence under any other law in force in British India :

(*d*) Inability to understand English when spoken.

Trial of challenges.

48. The Judge before whom a person charged is about to be tried shall try any challenge, other than a challenge without cause shown; and if the Judge allow the challenge, the juror shall be set aside.

The decision of the Judge as to any challenge shall be final.

Powers of Presidency. High Courts as to jurors.

49. Save as herein provided, the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay shall retain all their present powers respecting the summoning, empannelling, qualification, challenging, and service of jurors,

and shall have power to make such rules on these subjects (consistent with the provisions of this Act) as seem to them to be proper.

All rules relating to jurors now in force in the same High Courts shall (so far as they are consistent with this Act) remain in force until repealed or altered by new rules made under this section.

(c) Of Juries in the Mofussil.

Summoning jurors.

50. Whenever a High Court has given notice of its intention to hold sittings at any place (other than the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay) for the exercise of its original criminal jurisdiction, the Court of Session at such place shall, subject to any direction which may be given by the High Court, take and cause to be taken the measures prescribed by sections 407, 409, 410 and 411 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for the summoning of jurors.

Military jurors.

51. In addition to the persons so summoned as jurors, the said Court of Session shall, if it think needful, after communication with the Commanding Officer, cause to be summoned such number of Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers in the military service, resident within ten miles of its place of sitting, as the Court considers to be necessary to make up the juries required for the trial of European British subjects charged with offences before the High Court as aforesaid.

All Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers so summoned shall be liable to serve on such juries notwithstanding anything contained in the Code of Criminal Procedure; but no Commissioned or Non-Commissioned Officer shall be summoned whom his Commanding Officer desires to have excused on the ground of urgent military duty, or for any other special military reason.

Juries for trial of European British subjects.

52. The juries for the trial of European British subjects as aforesaid shall be formed in the manner required by the Code of Criminal Procedure and by this Act from the persons summoned in accordance with sections 50 and 51.

Names of jurors to be called.

53. As each juror is chosen, his name shall be called aloud, and, upon his appearance, the accused person shall be asked if he objects to be tried by such juror.

Objections to jurors.

Objection may then be made to such juror by the accused person, or by the prosecutor, and the grounds of objection shall be stated.

Grounds of objection.

54. Any objection made to a juror on any of the following grounds, if made out to the satisfaction of the Court, shall be allowed :—

(*a*) his holding any office in or under the Court or the local Court of Session;

(*b*) his executing any duties of Police or being entrusted with any Police functions;

(*c*) his having been convicted of any offence against the State, or of any fraudulent or other offence which, in the judgment of the Court, renders him unfit to serve on the jury;

(*d*) his having by habit or religious vows, relinquished all care of worldly affairs;

(*e*) his standing in the relation of husband, master, servant, landlord or tenant, to the person alleged to be injured or attempted to be injured by the offence charged, or to the person accused;

(*f*) his being in the employment of any of such persons;

(*g*) his being plaintiff or defendant in any civil suit against any of such persons;

(*h*) his having complained against, or having been accused by, any of such persons in any criminal prosecution;

(*i*) any circumstance which, in the judgment of the Court, is likely to cause prejudice against, or favour to, any of such persons, or which renders such person improper as a juror.

Decision of objection.

55. Any objection made to a juror shall be decided by the Court, and such decision shall be final.

Supply of place of juror against whom objection allowed.

56. If the objection be allowed, the place of such juror shall be supplied by any other juror attending in obedience to a summons; or, if there be no such other juror present, then by any other person present in the Court whose name is on the list of jurors, or whom the Court considers a proper person to serve on the jury, provided no objection to such other juror or person be made and allowed under section 54.

Juror to understand language in which evidence is given or interpreted.

57. The Judge shall not allow any person to serve on the jury, unless such person understands the language in which the evidence is given or interpreted.

(d) Of the Foreman.

Foreman of jury.

58. When the jury has been completed, they shall appoint one of their number to be foreman.

It shall be the duty of the foreman to preside in the debates of the jury, to deliver the verdict of the jury, and to ask any information from the Court that may be required by the jury or any of the jurors.

If a majority of the jury do not agree in the appointment of a foreman, he shall be appointed by the Court.

CHAPTER VI.

OF THE TRIAL.

Examination of witnesses.

59. The prosecutor shall then open his case, and the witnesses shall be examined, cross-examined and re-examined according to the law for the time being relating to the examination of witnesses.

Examination of accused before Magistrate to be evidence.

60. The examination of the accused person before the committing Magistrate shall be given in evidence at the trial.

Examination of accused.

61. The Court may from time to time, at any stage of the trial, examine the accused person.

Accused not punishable for refusal to answer.

The accused person shall not be liable to any punishment for refusing to answer, or for answering falsely, questions asked under this section, but the Court shall draw such inference as seems just from such refusal or false answer.

No oath or affirmation shall be administered to the accused person.

Defence.

62. When the examination of the witnesses for the prosecution and the examination of the accused person are concluded, the accused person shall be asked whether he means to call witnesses. If he says that he does not, the prosecutor may sum up his case. The Court may then, if it thinks that there are no grounds for proceeding, direct the jury to return a verdict of acquittal.

If the Court considers that there are grounds for proceeding, it shall call on the accused person to state his grounds of defence and produce his witnesses.

The accused person, or his Counsel may then state the case for the defence, and may examine the witnesses, if any, produced for the defence, and at the conclusion of such examination may sum up his case.

Prosecutor's right of reply.

63. If any evidence is adduced on behalf of the accused person, the prosecutor shall be entitled to reply.

View by jury.

64. Whenever, in the opinion of the Court, it is proper and convenient that the jury should view the place in which the offence charged is said to have been committed, or any other place in which any other transaction material to the inquiry in the trial took place, an order shall be made to that effect, and the jury shall be conducted in a body, under the care of an officer of the Court, to such place, which shall be shown to them by a person appointed by the Court. Such officer shall not suffer any other person to speak to, or hold any communication with, any of the jury.

Locking-up jury.

65. The High Court may from time to time make rules as to keeping the jury together during a trial lasting for more than one day, and, subject to such rules, the presiding Judge may order whether and in what manner the jurors shall be kept together under the charge of an officer of the Court, or whether they shall be allowed to return to their respective homes.

Postponement of trial. Adjournment.

66. The Court may, in its discretion, postpone the hearing of the case; and may, from time to time, adjourn the trial, if it considers that such adjournment is proper and will promote the ends of justice.

Jury to attend at adjourned sitting.

67. If a trial is adjourned, the jury shall be required to attend at the adjourned sitting, and at every subsequent sitting, until the conclusion of the trial.

Power to prescribe mode in which evidence shall be taken down.

68. The Court may, if it think fit, from time to time, by general rule prescribe the manner in which evidence shall be taken down in cases coming before the Court in the exercise of its ordinary or its extraordinary original criminal jurisdiction, and the Judges of such Court shall take down the evidence or the substance thereof in accordance with the rule (if any) so prescribed.

Evidence of jurors.

69. If a juryman is personally acquainted with any relevant fact, it is his duty to inform the Judge that such is the case, whereupon he may be examined, cross-examined and re-examined, in the same manner as any other witness.

Interpreter.

70. When the services of an interpreter are required by the Court for the interpretation of any evidence or statement, he shall be bound to state the true interpretation of such evidence or statement.

CHAPTER VII.

OF EVIDENCE.

Evidence of medical witness.

71. The examination of a Civil Surgeon or other medical witness, taken and duly attested by a Magistrate, may be given in evidence in any criminal trial, although the person examined is not called as a witness.

Court may summon medical witness.

The Court may summon such Civil Surgeon or other medical witness, if it sees sufficient cause for doing so.

Report of Chemical Examiner.

72. Any document purporting to be a report from the Chemical Examiner, or Assistant Chemical Examiner to Government, upon any matter or thing duly submitted to him for examination or anaslyis and report, in the course of any criminal

trial, or in any preliminary inquiry relating thereto, may, if it bears his signature, be used as evidence in any criminal trial.

Genuineness of signature may be presumed.

The Court may presume that the signature of any such document is genuine, and that the person signing it held the office which he professed to hold at the time when he signed it.

Admission of accused.

73. If, after the commencement of the trial, the accused person admits before the Court the commission of an offence, the Court may convict him on his own admission, whether such offence is the same as the offence of which he is accused, or not.

Record of evidence in absence of accused.

74. If an accused person abscond, and after due pursuit cannot be arrested, the Court may, in his absence, examine the witnesses (if any) produced on behalf of the prosecution and record their depositions; and any such deposition may, on the arrest of such person, be put in on his trial for the offence with which he is charged if it is not practicable to procure the attendance of the deponent.

Evidence given at preliminary inquiry.

75. When a witness is produced, the evidence (if any) given by him before the committing Magistrate may, in the discretion of the presiding Judge, be treated as evidence in the case, if it was duly taken in the presence of the accused person.

EXPLANATION.—This section shall not authorize the Court to refer to the record of the evidence given by a witness who is absent, except in the cases in which such evidence may be referred to under the Indian Evidence Act, 1872, or other law in force for the time being upon the subject of evidence.

Commissions.

When a commission may issue.

76. Whenever, at any time after the commitment, it appears that the attendance of a witness cannot be procured without an amount of delay, expense or inconvenience which, under the circumstances of the case, would be unreasonable, the Court may dispense with his personal attendance.

Mode of issuing commission.

The Court may direct a commission to the Magistrate of the District, or to a Magistrate of the first class, in whose jurisdiction such witness may be. The Magistrate to whom the commission is directed shall proceed to the place where such witness is, or shall summon such witness before himself. Such Magistrate shall take the evidence of such witness in the same manner, and shall have for this purpose, and may exercise, the same powers as in trials of warrant cases under the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Where witness is in a Native State.

When the witness is in the territories of any Native Prince or State in India in alliance with Her Majesty, the commission may be directed to any Justice of the Peace or other officer in the service of the Crown resident in such territories; and the provisions of the second clause of this section shall apply to such Justice of the Peace or officer.

Where witness is in a Presidency Town.

If the witness is within the local limits of the ordinary original criminal jurisdiction of any of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay, the commission may be directed to any Police Magistrate within such limits, and such Magistrate shall have the like power to compel the attendance and examination of witnesses as he possesses for that purpose in cases pending before him.

Prosecutor and accused may examine witness.

The prosecutor and the accused person may forward interrogatories, upon which the officer to whom the commission is directed shall examine the witness, or the prosecutor may appear personally before the officer to whom the commission is directed, or the prosecutor or accused person may so appear by authorized agent.

Return of commission.

After any commission issued under this section has been duly executed, it shall be returned, together with the deposition of the witness examined thereunder, to the Court out of which it issued; and the commission, the return thereto, and the deposition of such witness may be used as evidence in the case and shall form part of the record.

Tender of Pardon to obtain Evidence.

Court may direct tender of pardon.

77. The Court may, with the view of obtaining on the trial the evidence of any person or persons supposed to have been directly or indirectly concerned in, or privy to, any offence mentioned in column 7 of the fourth schedule annexed to the Code of Criminal Procedure as triable exclusively by the Court of Session, instruct the committing Magistrate to tender, or itself may, at any time before judgment, tender, a pardon to such person or persons, on condition of his or their making a full, true and fair disclosure of the whole of the circumstances, within his or their knowledge, relative to the crime committed and every other person concerned in the perpetration thereof.

Any person accepting a tender of pardon under this section shall be examined as a witness in the case, under the rules applicable to the examination of witnesses.

Such person, if not on bail, shall be detained in custody pending the termination of the trial.

Commitment of person to whom pardon has been tendered.

78. When a pardon has been tendered under section 77, if it appears to the Court that any person who has accepted such tender has not conformed to the conditions under which it was made, either by wilfully concealing anything essential, or by giving false evidence, the Court may commit, or direct the commitment of, such person, for trial for the offence in respect of which the pardon was so tendered, or for any other offence of which he may appear to have been guilty in connection with the same matter.

The statement made by a person under pardon, which pardon has been withdrawn under this section, may be put in evidence against him.

Of securing Attendance of Witnesses and Production of Documents.

Procedure for obtaining attendance of witnesses.

79. The following procedure shall be pursued in order to obtain the attendance of witnesses before the Court.

Power to summon material witness or examine person present.

80. The Court may, at any stage of any proceeding, inquiry or trial, summon any witness, or examine any person in attendance though not summoned as a witness, and it shall be its duty to do so if the evidence of such person appears essential to the just decision of the case.

When warrant of arrest may issue in first instance.

81. If the Court has reason to believe that any witness whose attendance is required will not attend to give evidence without being compelled to do so, it may, instead of issuing a summons, issue a warrant of arrest in the first instance.

Procedure when warrant cannot be served.

82. If such warrant cannot be executed, and the Court considers that the witness is absconding or concealing himself for the purpose of avoiding the service thereof, it may issue a proclamation, requiring his attendance to give evidence at a time and place to be named therein, to be affixed on some conspicuous part of his ordinary place of abode.

If the witness does not attend at the time and place named in such proclamation, the Court may order the attachment of any moveable property belonging to such witness, to such amount as seems reasonable, not being in excess of the amount of costs of attachment and of any fine to which he may be liable under the provisions of the next following section.

Such order shall authorize the attachment of any such moveable property within the jurisdiction of the Court by which the order was made; and if any such moveable property be without the jurisdiction of the said Court, such order when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situated shall authorize the attachment of the property last aforesaid.

Release of attached property of witness appearing and satisfying Court.

83. If the witness appears and satisfies the Court that he did not abscond or conceal himself for the purpose of avoiding the execution of the warrant, and that he had not notice of the proclamation in time to attend at the time and place named therein, the Court shall direct that the property attached be released from attachment, and shall make such order in regard to the costs of the attachment as the Court thinks fit.

Sale of property of witness not appearing or not satisfying Court.

If such witness does not appear, or, appearing, fails to satisfy the Court that he did not abscond or conceal himself for the purpose of avoiding the execution of the warrant, and that he had not such notice of the proclamation as aforesaid, the Court may order the property attached, or any part thereof, to be sold for the purpose of satisfying all costs incurred in consequence of such attachment, together with the amount of any fine which may be imposed upon such witness under the provisions of section 172 of the Indian Penal Code.

If the witness pays to such Court the costs and fine as aforesaid, his property shall be released from attachment.

Arrest of person disobeying summons.

84. If any person summoned to give evidence neglects or refuses to appear at the time and place appointed by the summons, and no reasonable excuse is offered for such neglect or refusal, the Court, upon proof of the summons having been duly served, may issue a warrant under its seal to bring such person before it to testify as aforesaid.

Right of accused as to examination of witness.

85. The accused person shall be allowed to examine as a witness any person in attendance.

Procedure for obtaining production of document required as evidence.

86. Whenever the Court considers that the production of any document is necessary or desirable for the purposes of any investigation or judicial proceeding, the Court may issue a summons to the person in whose possession or power such document is believed to be, requiring him to attend and produce such document at the time and place stated in the summons.

When warrant for search for documents may issue.

87. If there is reason to believe that the person to whom the summons is addressed will not produce the document as directed in the summons, the Court may issue a search-warrant for the document in the first instance.

Power to impound document produced.

88. The Court may, if it thinks fit, impound any document produced before it, or may, at the conclusion of the proceedings, order such document to be returned to the person who produced it.

Procedure in case of refusal to answer or produce documents.

89. If a witness refuses to answer any question which is put to him or to produce any document in his possession or power which the Court requires him to produce, and does not offer any just excuse for such refusal, he shall be deemed guilty of contempt of Court.

CHAPTER VIII.

OF THE CHARGE TO THE JURY.

Charge to jury.

90. When the case for the defence and the prosecutor's reply, if any, are concluded, the Court shall proceed to charge the jury, summing up the evidence for the prosecution and defence, and laying down the law by which the jury are to be guided.

Duty of Judge.

91. It is the duty of the Judge to decide all questions of law, and especially all questions as to the relevancy of facts which it is proposed to prove, the admissibility of evidence, or the propriety of questions asked by parties or their agents, which may arise in the course of the trial; and, in his discretion, to prevent the production of inadmissible evidence, whether it is or is not objected to by the parties;

to decide upon the meaning and construction of all documents given in evidence at the trial;

to decide upon all matters of fact which it may be necessary to prove in order to enable evidence of particular matters to be given;

to decide whether any question which arises is for himself or for the jury; and upon this point his decision shall be final.

The Judge may, if he thinks proper, in the course of his summing up, express to the jury his

opinion upon any question of fact, or upon any question of mixed law and fact, relevant to the proceeding.

Illustrations.

(*a*.) It is proposed to prove a statement made by a person not called as a witness, under circumstances which render evidence of his statement admissible.

It is for the Judge, and not for the jury, to decide whether the existence of those circumstances has been proved.

(*b*.) It is proposed to give secondary evidence of a document, the original of which is alleged to have been lost or destroyed.

It is the duty of the Judge to decide whether the original has been lost or destroyed.

CHAPTER IX.

OF THE VERDICT AND THE DISCHARGE OF THE JURY.

Retirement to consider.

92. After the Judge has finished his charge, the jury may retire to consider their verdict.

Except with the leave of the Court, no person other than a juror shall speak to, or hold any communication with, any member of such jury.

Duty of jury.

93. It is the duty of the jury—

(*a*) to decide which view of the facts is true, and then to return the verdict which under such view ought, according to the direction of the Judge, to be returned;

(*b*) to determine the meaning of all technical terms and words used in an unusual sense, which it may be necessary to determine, whether such words occur in documents or not;

(*c*) to decide all questions which according to law are to be deemed questions of fact;

(*d*) to decide whether general, indefinite expressions do or do not apply to particular cases, unless such expressions refer to legal procedure, or unless their meaning is ascertained by law, in either of which cases it is the duty of the Judge to decide their meaning.

Illustrations.

(1.) A is tried for the murder of B.

It is the duty of the Judge to explain to the jury the distinction between murder and culpable homicide, and to tell them under what views of the facts A ought to be convicted of murder, or of culpable homicide, or to be acquitted.

It is the duty of the jury to decide which view of the facts is true, and to return a verdict in accordance with the direction of the Judge, whether that direction is right or wrong, and whether they do or do not agree with it.

(2.) The question is, whether a person entertained a reasonable belief on a particular point. Whether work was done with reasonable skill, or due diligence.

Each of these is a question for the jury.

Foreman to communicate verdict.

94. When the jury have considered their verdict, the foreman shall inform the Court what is their verdict, or what is the verdict of a majority.

Verdict to be given on each charge.
Judge may question jury.

95. The jury shall return a verdict on all the charges on which the accused is tried, and the Court may ask them such questions as are necessary to ascertain what their verdict is.

Procedure where jury differ.

96. If the jury are not unanimous, the Judge may require them to retire for further consideration. After such a period as the Judge considers reasonable, the jury may deliver their verdict, although they are not unanimous.

Verdict when to be delivered.

97. A verdict of guilty or not guilty, as the case may be, shall be delivered either when the jury are unanimous in their opinion, or when as many as six are of one opinion and the Judge agrees with them.

Discharge of jury in default of unanimity or majority of six with Judge's concurrence.

98. When the jury are satisfied that they will not be unanimous, but six of them are of one opinion, the foreman shall so inform the Judge.

If the Judge disagrees with the majority, he shall then discharge the jury.

If there are not so many as six who agree in opinion, the Judge shall, after the lapse of such time as he thinks reasonable, discharge the jury.

Discharge of jury in case of sickness of juror or prisoner.

99. The Judge may also discharge the jury whenever by reason of illness a juryman becomes incapable of attending through the trial or the prisoner becomes incapable of remaining at the bar.

Re-trial of prisoner after discharge of jury.

100. Whenever the jury is discharged, the prisoner shall be detained in custody or on bail (as the case may be) and shall be tried by another jury unless the Judge considers that he should not be re-tried, in which case the Judge shall make an entry to that effect on the charge, and such entry shall operate as an acquittal.

Power to reserve questions.

101. When any person has in a trial before a Judge of the High Court acting in the exercise of its original criminal jurisdiction, been convicted of an offence, the Judge, if he thinks fit, may reserve for the decision of a Court consisting of two or more Judges of the High Court any question of law which has arisen in the course of the trial of such person and the determination of which would affect the event of the trial.

Procedure when question reserved.

If the Judge reserves any such question, the person convicted shall, pending the decision thereon, be remanded to jail, or, if the Judge think fit, be admitted to bail,

and the High Court shall have power to review the case, or such part of it as may be necessary, and finally determine such question, and thereupon to alter the sentence passed by the Court of original jurisdiction, and to pass such judgment and sentence as to the High Court seem fit.

Withdrawal of remaining charges, on conviction on one of several charges.

102. When more charges than one are preferred against the same person, and when a conviction has been had on one or more of them, the prosecutor may, with the consent of the Court, withdraw, or the Court of its own accord may direct the withdrawal of, the remaining charge or charges. Such withdrawal shall have the effect of an acquittal on such charge or charges.

CHAPTER X.

OF THE SENTENCE.

Form and direction of warrant of commitment.

103. Every warrant for the commitment of a person to custody shall be in writing and signed and sealed by the Judge who issues it.

Provisions of Criminal Procedure Code, ss. 303, 304, 305, applied in Mofussil.

104. In the case of a High Court holding its sittings elsewhere than in the towns of Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, sections 303, 304 and 305, shall apply to the officers therein mentioned.

Levy of fine.

105. Whenever an offender is sentenced to pay a fine, the Court may issue a warrant for the levy of the amount by distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the offender, whether or not the offence be punishable with fine only, and whether or not the sentence direct that, in default of payment of the fine, the offender shall suffer imprisonment.

Such warrant may be executed within the jurisdiction of the Court, and it shall authorize the distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the offender without the jurisdiction of the said Court, when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situate.

Cases to which section applies.

This section shall not apply to cases in which any special procedure is laid down by any special or local law in force for the time being for the recovery of any fine, but shall apply to cases in which no such procedure is laid down, and to all fines not levied when this Act comes into force, but which might have been levied under this section if it had been in force when they were imposed.

Payment of fine in compensation.

106. Whenever the Court imposes a fine under any law in force for the time being, the Court may order the whole or any part of the fine to be paid in compensation,

(*a*) for expenses properly incurred in the prosecution;

(*b*) for the offence complained of, where such offence can, in the opinion of the Court, be compensated by money.

Such payment shall be made, as the Court thinks fit, to or for the benefit of the complainant, or the person injured, or both.

In any subsequent civil proceedings relating to the same matter, the Court shall take into account any sum which may have been awarded under this section.

Imprisonment in default of payment of fine.

107. In every case punishable under any law in force for the time being with imprisonment as well as fine, in which the offender is sentenced to a fine, whether with or without imprisonment, the High Court shall be guided by the provisions of sections 64, 65, 68, 69 and 70 of the Indian Penal Code in awarding the period of imprisonment in default of payment of the fine.

Execution of sentences of whipping.

108. Sentences of whipping shall be executed in manner provided by the Code of Criminal Procedure, sections 311, 312 and 313.

Sentence in cases of simultaneous conviction of several offences.

109. When a person is convicted, at one trial, of two or more offences punishable under the same or different sections of any law for the time being in force, the Court may sentence him, for the offences of which he has been convicted, to the several penalties prescribed by such enactment or enactments, which such Court is competent to inflict; such penalties, when consisting of imprisonment, or transportation, or penal servitude, to commence the one after the expiration of the other:

Maximum term of imprisonment.

Provided that in no case shall such person be sentenced to imprisonment for a longer period than fourteen years.

Currency of sentence on escaped convicts.

110. When sentence of death or whipping is passed on an escaped convict, the Court shall direct the new sentence to take effect without waiting for the expiration of the sentence from which he has escaped.

When any other sentence is passed on an escaped convict severer than the sentence from which he has escaped, the Court shall also direct the new sentence to take effect without waiting for the expiration of the sentence from which he escaped.

When the new sentence is not severer than the sentence from which he has escaped, the Court shall direct the new sentence to take effect after such convict has suffered imprisonment, or transportation, or penal servitude, as the case may be, for a further period equal to that which, at the time of his escape, remained unexpired of his former sentence.

When the former sentence on the escaped convict is or includes transportation or penal servitude for life and the Court does not sentence him to death, the new sentence shall direct that he be, as soon as practicable, sent back to the place from which he escaped.

EXPLANATION.—For the purpose of this section—

(*a*) a sentence of transportation or penal servitude shall be deemed severer than a sentence of imprisonment:

(*b*) a sentence of imprisonment with solitary confinement shall be deemed severer than a sentence of imprisonment without solitary confinement; and

(*c*) a sentence of rigorous imprisonment shall be deemed severer than a sentence of simple imprisonment with or without solitary confinement.

Sentence on offender already sentenced for another offence.

111. When sentence is passed on a person actually undergoing sentence of imprisonment or transportation, and the sentence is for imprisonment or transportation, the Court shall direct such imprisonment or transportation to commence at the expiration of the imprisonment or transportation to which he has been previously sentenced;

or, if he is undergoing a sentence of imprisonment, and the sentence on such subsequent conviction be for transportation or penal servitude, the Court may direct the sentence to commence immediately, or at the expiration of the im-

prisonment to which such person has been previously sentenced:

Proviso.

Provided that nothing in this section shall be held to excuse such person from any part of the punishment to which he is liable upon such former or subsequent conviction.

Confinement of youthful offenders in reformatories.

112. When any person under the age of sixteen years is sentenced to imprisonment for any offence, the Court may direct that such offender, instead of being imprisoned in the criminal jail, shall be confined in any reformatory established by the Local Government as a fit place for confinement, in which there are means of suitable discipline and of training in some branch of useful industry, or which is kept by a person willing to obey such rules as the Government prescribes with regard to the discipline and training of persons confined therein.

All persons confined under this section shall be subject to the rules so prescribed.

Sentence of death.

113. When any person is sentenced to death, the sentence shall direct that he be hanged by the neck till he is dead.

Postponement of capital sentence on pregnant woman.

114. If a woman sentenced to death be found to be pregnant, the High Court shall order the execution of the sentence to be postponed, and may commute the sentence.

Order for disposal of property regarding which offence committed.

115. When the trial is concluded, the Court may make such order as it thinks fit for the disposal of any property produced before it, regarding which any offence appears to have been committed.

Any order under this section may be in the form of a reference to a Magistrate, who shall in such case deal with the property as if it had been seized by the Police and the seizure duly reported to him.

EXPLANATION.—In this section the term 'property' includes not only such property as has been originally in the possession or under the control of any party, but also any property into or for which the same may have been converted or exchanged, and anything acquired by such conversion or exchange, whether immediately or otherwise.

Expenses of complainants and witnesses.

116. Subject to any rules that may be passed by the Local Government with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Court may order payment, on the part of Government, of the reasonable expenses of any complainant or witness attending for the purpose of any trial before such Court under this Act.

CHAPTER XI.

OF PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS OR ACQUITTALS.

Person once convicted or acquitted not to be tried for same offence.

117. A person who has once been tried for an offence and convicted or acquitted of such offence, shall, while such conviction or acquittal remains in force, not be liable to be tried again for the same offence, nor on the same facts for any other offence for which a different charge [illegible] made against him might have been [illegible] section 20, or for which he might have been charged under section 21.

A person convicted or acquitted of any offence may be afterwards tried for any offence for which a separate charge might have been made against him on the former trial under section 19, paragraph I.

A person convicted or acquitted of any offence in respect of any act causing consequences which, together with such act, constituted a different offence from that for which such person was acquitted or convicted, may be afterwards tried for such last-mentioned offence, if the consequences had not happened, or were not known to the Court to have happened, at the time when he was acquitted or convicted.

A person convicted or acquitted of any offence in respect of any facts may, notwithstanding such acquittal or conviction, be subsequently charged with and tried for any other offence which he may have committed in respect of the same facts, if the Court by which he was first tried was not competent to try the offence with which he is subsequently charged.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A is tried upon a charge of theft as a servant and acquitted. He cannot afterwards be charged with the same theft as a servant, or, upon the same facts, with theft simply or with criminal breach of trust.

(*b.*) A is tried upon a charge of murder and acquitted. There is no charge of robbery; but it appears from the facts that A committed robbery at the time when the murder was committed; he may afterwards be charged with, and tried for, robbery.

(*c.*) A is tried for an assault and convicted. The person afterwards dies. A may be tried again for culpable homicide.

(*d.*) A is tried under section 270 of the Indian Penal Code for malignantly doing an act likely to spread the infection of a disease dangerous to life and is acquitted. The act so done afterwards causes a person permanently to lose his eyesight. A may be charged, under section 325, with voluntarily causing grievous hurt to that person.

(*e.*) A is charged before the Court of Session and convicted of the culpable homicide of B. A may not afterwards be tried for the murder of B on the same facts.

(*f.*) A is charged by a Magistrate of the first class with, and convicted by him of, voluntarily causing hurt to B. A may not afterwards be tried for voluntarily causing grievous hurt to B, on the same facts, unless the case comes within paragraph three.

(*g.*) A is charged by a Magistrate of the second class with, and convicted by him of, theft of property from the person of B. A may be subsequently charged with, and tried for, robbery on the same facts.

(*h.*) A, B and C are charged by a Magistrate of the first class with, and convicted by him of, robbing D. A, B and C may afterwards be charged with, and tried for, dacoity, on the same facts.

Previous conviction to be set out in charge.

118. If the accused person has been previously convicted of any offence, and if it is intended to prove such previous conviction for the purpose of affecting the punishment which is to be awarded, the fact of the previous conviction must be stated in the charge. If it is omitted, it may be added at any time before sentence is passed, but not afterwards.

Previous conviction or acquittal how proved.

119. A previous conviction or acquittal may be proved by an extract certified under the hand of the officer having the custody of the records of the Court in which such conviction or acquittal was had, to be a copy of the finding and sentence.

CHAPTER XII.

OF CRIMINAL LUNATICS.

Procedure in case of person committed being lunatic.

120. If any person committed for trial appears at his trial to the Court to be of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence, the Court shall, in the first instance, try the fact of such unsoundness of mind, and if satisfied of the fact, shall give a special judgment that the accused person is of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence; and thereupon the trial shall be postponed.

The trial of the fact of the unsoundness of mind of the accused person shall be deemed to be part of his trial before the Court.

Release of lunatic pending investigation or trial.

121. Whenever an accused person is found to be of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence, the Court, if the offence of which he is accused be bailable, may release him on sufficient security being given that he shall be properly taken care of, and shall be prevented from doing injury to himself or to any other person, and for his appearance when required.

Custody of lunatic.

If the offence be not bailable, or if the required bail be not given, the Court shall report the case to the Local Government, and the accused person shall be kept in safe custody in such place as the Local Government directs.

Resumption of trial.

122. Whenever a trial is postponed under section 120, the Court may at any time resume the trial, and require the accused person, if detained in custody, to be brought before the Court; or, if he has been released on security, may require his appearance.

The surety of such person shall be bound, at any time, to produce him to any officer whom the Court appoints to inspect him; and the certificate of such officer shall have the same effect as the certificate of an Inspector General of Prisons or the Visitors of Lunatic Asylums, granted under section 127.

Procedure on accused appearing before Court.

123. If, when the accused person appears or is again brought before the Court, it appears to such Court that he is in a fit state of mind to make his defence, he shall be put on his trial.

If it appears that the accused person is still of unsound mind, and incapable of making his defence, the Court shall again act according to the provisions of section 121.

Finding in case of acquittal on ground of being lunatic.

124. Whenever any person is acquitted upon the ground that, at the time at which he is charged with having committed an offence, he was, by reason of unsoundness of mind, incapable of knowing the nature of the act charged or that he was doing what was wrong or contrary to law, the finding shall state specially whether such person committed the act or not.

Person so acquitted to be kept in safe custody.

125. Whenever such finding states that the accused person committed the act charged, the Court before which the trial was held shall, if the act charged would, but for the incapacity found, have amounted to an offence, order him to be kept in safe custody, in such place and manner as the Court thinks fit, and shall report the case for the order of the Local Government.

The Local Government may order such person to be kept in safe custody in a Lunatic Asylum or other suitable place of safe custody.

Lunatic prisoners to be visited by Inspector General.

126. When any person is confined under the provisions of section 121 or 125, the Inspector General of Prisons, if such person is confined in a jail, or the Visitors of the Lunatic Asylums or any two of them, if he is confined in a Lunatic Asylum, may visit him in order to ascertain his state of mind; and he shall be visited once at least in every six months by such Inspector General or by two of such Visitors as aforesaid; and such Inspector General or Visitors shall make a special report to the Local Government as to the state of mind of such person.

Procedure where lunatic prisoner is reported capable of making his defence.

127. If such person is confined under section 121 and such Inspector General or Visitors as aforesaid shall certify that, in his or their opinion, such person is capable of making his defence, he shall be taken before the Court, at such time as it appoints, and the Court shall deal with him under the provisions of section 123; and the certificate of such Inspector General or Visitors as aforesaid shall be receivable as evidence.

Procedure where lunatic confined under section 125 is declared capable of being discharged.

128. If such person is confined under the provisions of section 125, and such Inspector General or Visitors as aforesaid shall certify that, in his or their judgment, he may be discharged without danger of his doing injury to himself or to any other person, the Local Government may thereupon either order him to be discharged, or to be detained in custody, or to be transferred to a public Lunatic Asylum, if he has not been already sent to such an Asylum; and may appoint a commission, consisting of a judicial officer and two medical officers, whereof the chief medical officer attached to the Lunatic Asylum shall be one.

The said commission shall make formal inquiry into the state of mind of such person taking such evidence as is necessary, and shall report to the Local Government, who may order his discharge or detention as to it may seem fit.

Delivery of lunatic to care of relative.

129. Whenever any relative or friend of any person detained under the provisions of section 125 is desirous that he shall be delivered over to his care and custody, the Local Government, upon the application of such relative or friend, and on his giving security to the satisfaction of such Government that the person detained shall be properly taken care of and shall be prevented from doing injury to himself or to any other person, may order that the person detained be delivered to such relative or friend.

Whenever such person is so delivered, it shall be upon condition that he shall be subject to be inspected by such officer, and at such times as the Local Government directs.

The provisions of sections 126 and 128 shall apply to persons detained under the provisions of this section; and the certificate of the inspecting officer appointed under this section shall be dealt

with as a certificate of the Inspector General of Prisons or the Visitors of Lunatic Asylums, under the said sections.

Procedure where accused does not understand the proceedings.

130. If an accused person, though not insane, cannot be made to understand the proceedings, the Court may proceed with the trial; and if such trial results in a conviction, the Court shall pass thereon such order as it thinks fit.

CHAPTER XIII.

OF PROSECUTIONS IN CERTAIN CASES.

Prosecutions for offences against the State.

131. A complaint of an offence punishable under chapter VI of the Indian Penal Code, except section 127, or punishable under section 294 A of the said Code, shall not be entertained, unless the prosecution be instituted by order of, or under authority from, the Governor General in Council or the Local Government, or some officer empowered by the Governor General in Council to order or authorize such prosecution, or unless instituted by the Advocate General.

Prosecution of Judges and public servants.

132. A complaint of an offence of which any Judge or any public servant not removeable from his office without the sanction of the Government is accused as such Judge or public servant, shall not be entertained against him, except with the sanction or under the direction of the Government, or of some officer empowered by the Government, or of some Court or other authority to which he is subordinate, and whose power so to sanction or direct such prosecution the Government does not think fit to limit or reserve.

No such Judge or public servant shall be prosecuted for any act purporting to be done by him in the discharge of his duty, unless with the sanction of the Government.

Sanction when to be given.

The sanction must be given before the commencement of the proceedings.

In this section the expression 'Government' means either the Local Government or the Governor General in Council; and the expressions 'Judge' and 'public servant' have the meanings assigned to them respectively by the Indian Penal Code.

Prosecution for contempts of the lawful authority of public servants.

133. A complaint of any offence described in chapter X of the Indian Penal Code, not falling within section 175, 178, 179 or 180 of that Code, shall not be entertained by any High Court, except with the sanction or on the complaint of the public servant concerned, or of his official superior.

Nature of sanction necessary.

134. The sanction referred to in section 133 may be expressed in general terms, and need not name the accused person, and may be given at any time.

EXPLANATION.—In cases under this chapter, the report or application of the public servant shall be deemed sufficient complaint.

Procedure in cases mentioned in section 133.

135. When the Court is of opinion that there is sufficient ground for inquiring into any charge mentioned in section 133, it may, after taking such preliminary inquiry as may be necessary, either commit the case itself, or may send the case for inquiry to any Magistrate having power to try or commit for trial the accused person for the offence charged.

Such Magistrate shall thereupon proceed according to law; and the Court may send the accused person in custody, or take sufficient bail for his appearance before such Magistrate; and may bind over any person to appear and give evidence on such trial or inquiry.

The Magistrate receiving the case may, if he is authorised to make transfers of cases, transfer the inquiry to some other competent Magistrate, instead of completing the inquiry himself.

CHAPTER XIV.

OF BAIL.

Power to direct admission to bail.

136. The Court may in any case direct that an accused person shall be admitted to bail, or that the bail required by a Magistrate be reduced.

Procedure to compel payment of penalty by accused.

137. Whenever, by reason of default of appearance of the person executing the personal recognizance, the Court is of opinion that proceedings should be had to compel payment of the penalty mentioned in the recognizance, it shall proceed to enforce the penalty, by issuing a warrant for the attachment and sale of the moveable property belonging to such person, which may be found within its jurisdiction.

Such warrant may be executed within such limits, and it shall authorize the distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the accused person without such limits, when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situate.

Procedure to compel payment of penalty by sureties.

138. Whenever, by reason of default of appearance by the person bailed, the Court is of opinion that proceedings should be had to compel payment of the penalty mentioned in the recognizance of the surety or sureties, it shall give notice to the surety or sureties to pay the same, or to show cause why it should not be paid.

If such penalty be not paid, and if no sufficient cause for its non-payment be shown, the Court shall proceed to recover the penalty from such surety or sureties, by issuing a warrant for the attachment and sale of any moveable property belonging to him or them which may be found within its jurisdiction.

Such warrant may be executed within such local limits; and it shall authorize the distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the surety or sureties without such limits, when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situate.

If such penalty be not paid and cannot be recovered by such attachment and sale, such surety or sureties shall be liable to confinement, by order of the Court, in the civil jail, during a period not exceeding six months:

Remission of part of penalty.

Provided that the Court may, at its discretion, remit any portion of the penalty mentioned in the recognizance of the party or witness, or of the surety or sureties, and enforce payment in part only:

Court may direct Magistrate to levy sum forfeited.

The Court may direct any Magistrate to levy the amount due on a forfeited bail-bond executed in respect of attendance before such Court.

Deposit instead of bail.

139. When any person is required to give bail, the Court may permit him to deposit a sum of money or Government promissory notes to such amount as it may fix in lieu of such bail.

CHAPTER XV.

OF SECURITY FOR KEEPING THE PEACE.

Personal recognizance to keep the peace in cases of conviction.

140. Whenever a person accused of rioting, assault, or other breach of the peace, or with abetting the same, or with assembling armed men or taking other unlawful measures with the evident intention of committing the same, is convicted of such offence,

and the Court is of opinion that it is just and necessary to require such person to give a personal recognizance for keeping the peace,

the Court may, in addition to any other order passed in the case, direct that the person so convicted be required to execute a formal engagement, in a sum proportionate to his condition in life and the circumstances of the case, for keeping the peace during such period as it may appear proper to fix in each instance, not exceeding three years, with a provision that, if the same be not given, he shall be kept in simple imprisonment for any time not exceeding three years, unless within such period he executes such formal engagement as aforesaid.

If the accused person be sentenced to imprisonment, the period for which he may be required to execute a recognizance, and the imprisonment in default of executing such recognizance, shall commence on the expiration of his sentence.

Security to keep the peace.

141. Whenever it appears necessary to require security for keeping the peace, in addition to the personal recognizance of the party so convicted, the Court empowered to require a personal recognizance may require security in addition thereto, and may fix the amount of the security-bond to be executed by the surety or sureties; with a provision that, if the same be not given, the party required to find the security shall be kept in simple imprisonment for any time not exceeding three years.

Power to restore possession of immoveable property.

142. Whenever a person is convicted of an offence attended with criminal force, and it appears to the Court that, by such criminal force, any person has been dispossessed of any immoveable property, the Court may cause such person to be restored to possession.

No order made for this purpose shall prejudice any right over such immoveable property which any person may be able to show in a civil suit.

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143. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect the Prisoners' Testimony Act, 1869, or the Prisoners Act, 1871.

Advocate General may exhibit informations.

144. The Advocate General may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council or the Local Government, exhibit to the local High Court, against persons subject to the jurisdiction of the said Court, informations for all purposes for which Her Majesty's Attorney-General may exhibit informations on behalf of the Crown in the Court of Queen's Bench or Exchequer.

Such proceedings may be taken upon every such information as may lawfully be taken in case of similar informations filed by Her Majesty's Attorney-General in England, so far as the circumstances of the case and the course and practice of proceeding in the said High Courts respectively will admit.

All fines, penalties, forfeitures, debts and sums of money recovered or levied under or by virtue of any such information shall belong to the Government of India.

Effect of charge preferred by Advocate General.

145. Upon charges preferred by the Advocate-General or by any Magistrate or other officer specially empowered by the Government in this behalf, persons committed to custody or held to bail shall be deemed to have been brought before the High Court in due course of law, and (subject to the provisions herein contained as to the amendment and alteration of charges, and subject also to the provisions of section 24) shall be tried upon the charges so recorded.

Power to enter *nolle prosequi*.

146. At any stage of any proceeding under this Act, before the return of the verdict, the Advocate General may, if he think fit, inform the Court on behalf of Her Majesty that he will not further prosecute the defendant upon the information or charge; and thereupon all proceedings on such information or charge against the defendant shall be stayed, and he shall be discharged of and from the same. But such discharge shall not amount to an acquittal.

Power of Presidency High Court to transfer to itself cases from Police Magistrates.

147. Whenever it appears to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, Madras or Bombay that the direction hereinafter mentioned will promote the ends of justice, it may direct the transfer to itself of any particular case from any criminal court situate within the local limits of its ordinary original criminal jurisdiction, and the High Court shall have power to determine the case so transferred, and to quash or affirm any conviction or other proceeding which may have been had therein, but so that the same be not quashed for want of form, but on the merits only.

Power to issue directions of the nature of a *habeas corpus*.

148. Any of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay may, whenever it thinks fit, direct—

(*a*) that a prisoner, legally committed and within the local limits of its ordinary original criminal jurisdiction, be brought up before it to be bailed:

(*b*) that a person within such limits be brought up before the Court to be dealt with according to law:

(*c*) that a person illegally or improperly detained in public or private custody within such limits be set at liberty:

(*d*) that a prisoner detained in any gaol situate within such limits be brought before the Court to be there examined as a witness in any matter pending or to be inquired into in such Court;

(*e*) that a prisoner detained as aforesaid be brought before a Court Martial or any Commissioners acting under the authority of any commission from the Governor-General in Council, for trial, or to be examined touching any matter depending before such Court Martial or Commissioners respectively;

(*f*) that a prisoner within such limits be removed from one custody to another for the purpose of trial;

(*g*) that the body of a defendant within such limits may be brought in on the Sheriff's return of *cepi corpus* to a writ of attachment;

and neither the High Court nor any Judge thereof shall hereafter issue any writ of *habeas corpus* for any of the above purposes.

Each of the said High Courts shall, as soon as conveniently may be, frame rules to regulate the procedure in cases under this section; and till such rules are framed, the practice of such Courts as to the obtaining, granting and serving of writs of *habeas corpus*, and as to the returns thereto, shall apply in such cases.

Nothing in this section applies to persons detained under Bengal Regulation III of 1818, Madras Regulation II of 1819, or Bombay Regulation XXV of 1827, or the Acts of the Governor-General in Council No. XXXIV of 1850 or No. III of 1858.

Courts and persons before whom affidavits may be sworn.

149. Affidavits and affirmations to be used before any High Court or any officer of such Court, may be sworn and affirmed before such Court or the Clerk of the Crown, or any Commissioner or other person appointed by such Court for that purpose, or any Judge or Commissioner for taking affidavits in any Court of Record in British India, or any Commissioner to administer oaths in Chancery in England or Ireland, or any Magistrate authorised to take affidavits or affirmations in Scotland.

Criminal Courts to be open.

150. Every High Court in the exercise of its original Criminal Jurisdiction shall be deemed an open and public Court, to which the public generally may have access, so far as the same can conveniently contain them.

But the presiding Judge may, if he thinks fit, order that, during the trial of any particular case, no person shall have access to, or be, or remain in, the room or building used by the Court, without the consent or permission of the Court.

Compounding offences.

151. In the case of offences which may lawfully be compounded, injured persons may compound the offence out of Court, or in Court with the permission of the Court.

Such withdrawal from the prosecution shall have the effect of an acquittal of the accused person.

Judges of High Courts to be Justices of the Peace.

152. Every Judge of a High Court shall, by virtue of his office, be a Justice of the Peace within and for the whole of British India.

Pending cases.

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THE SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 2.)

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No. and year.	Subject or Title.	Extent of repeal.
XXXI of 1838.	Supreme Courts, Criminal Law.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXII of 1839.	An Act for enabling persons charged with offences to make their defence more effectually.	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1849	Criminal lunatics ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XVI of 1852.	An Act for further improving the administration of Criminal Justice in Her Majesty's Courts of Justice in the territories of the East India Company.	So much as has not been repealed.
XVIII of 1859.	An Act to amend the law relating to offences declared to be punishable on conviction before a Magistrate.	So much as has not been repealed.
XVIII of 1862.	An Act to repeal Act XVI of 1852 in those parts of British India in which the Indian Penal Code is in force, and to re-enact some of the provisions thereof with amendments, and further to improve the administration of Criminal Justice in Her Majesty's Supreme Courts of Judicature.	Sections 1 to 25 (both inclusive): sections 36 to 46 (both inclusive): and sections 54, 55 and 56.
XIII of 1865.	An Act to amend the procedure of Her Majesty's High Courts of Judicature in the exercise of their original jurisdiction, and to provide for the exercise of such jurisdiction at places other than the Presidency Towns.	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1866	An Act to amend the constitution of the Chief Court of Judicature in the Panjáb and its Dependencies.	Sections 21 to 41 (both inclusive), and section 20, except the first twenty-two words.
XVI of 1866	An Act to relieve the Governor General of India in Council from the duty of signing the commissions mentioned in sections 22 and 44 of the High Courts Criminal Procedure Amendment Act, 1865.	The whole.
XXIV of 1866.	An Act to amend the procedure of the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William.	Sections 2 to 17 (both inclusive).

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No. and year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
XIII of 1869.	An Act further to amend the procedure of the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces.	Sections 1 and 2, and so much of sections 3 and 4 as relates to criminal jurisdiction.
XXII of 1870.	An Act to confirm certain laws affecting European British subjects.	Section three.

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13 Geo. III, c. 63.	An Act for establishing certain Regulations for the better management of the affairs of the East India Company, as well in India as in Europe.	Section 34. In section 38 the words "and the Chief Justice and other Judges of the said Supreme Court of Judicature."
33 Geo. III, c. 52.	*An Act whose title begins with the words* An Act for continuing, *and ends with the words* and Bombay.	Sections 153 and 154.
53 Geo. III, c. 155.	*An Act whose title begins with the words* An Act for continuing, *and ends with the words* Company's Charter.	Sections 100, 102, 108.
9 Geo. IV, c. 74.	An Act for improving the administration of Criminal Justice in the East Indies.	The whole Act except sections one, seven, eight, nine, twenty-five, twenty-six, and fifty-six.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[Third Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 9th March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. XI OF 1875.

An Act to amend the Law relating to Salt in the Presidency of Fort St. George.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to the price of salt sold under the orders of Government in the Presidency of Fort St. George; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Madras Salt Act, 1875."

Local extent.

It extends to the territories under the government of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Power to impose, for any local area, duty on salt manufactured or sold under orders of Government.

2. The Governor General in Council may from time to time, by notification published in the *Gazette of India*, impose, for any local area, a duty on salt manufactured or sold therein under the orders of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council, not exceeding one rupee and thirteen annas for every maund of three thousand two hundred tolas.

Power to impose, for any local area, additional sum to cover cost of salt.

3. Whenever any such notification is published, the enactments mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed in such local area, and the Local Government shall from time to time, by notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, fix as part of the price of every maund of salt so to be sold within such local area, or any part thereof, such additional sum or sums as it may deem sufficient to cover the cost of importation, purchase, manufacture, storage, transport, sale and wastage.

Power to alter additional sum.

4. The Local Government may vary such additional sum or sums for any description of salt, or for any part of such local area, with reference to all or any of the following considerations (namely):—

(*a*) the place in which the salt is sold;

(*b*) the quantity of the salt sold in any transaction;

(*c*) any other circumstances affecting its sale.

Price to be paid in each local area for salt sold.

5. The price to be paid to the Local Government in any part of any local area mentioned in any notification under section three or four shall, for every maund of salt sold in such area or part, be the total amount of the duty and additional sum for the time being so imposed and fixed for such salt as aforesaid.

The price payable in any local area for any description of salt at the date of the publication of any notification under section two, shall be taken to be the price payable under this section for such description of salt until an additional sum is fixed under section three for such area.

SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 3).

The following portions of Act No. XXIV of 1869 (*to enhance the price of Salt in the Presidency of Fort St. George and the duty on Salt in the Presidency of Bombay*), namely,

in the title, the words "the price of salt in the Presidency of Fort St. George and":

in the preamble, the words "the price of salt manufactured and sold in the Presidency of Fort St. George and"; and

in section two, paragraph one and the first word of paragraph two,

and so much of the second Schedule to the Laws Local Extent Act, 1874, as refers to Act No. XXIV of 1869.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[First Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 15th March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

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THE FIRST SCHEDULE.—Ports, vessels chargeable, rate of port-dues, and frequency of payment.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.—Enactments repealed.

An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to Ports and Port-dues.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to Ports and Port-dues; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Ports Act, 1875."

Present local extent.

2. It shall extend—

(a) to the ports mentioned in the first schedule hereto annexed, and to such parts of the navigable rivers and channels leading to such ports respectively, as have been declared to be subject to Act No. XXII of 1855 (*for the regulation of Ports and Port-dues*);

Power to extend this Act.

(b) to the other ports or parts of rivers or channels to which the Local Government, in exercise of the power hereinafter conferred, applies the provisions of this Act.

But nothing herein contained shall—

(c) apply to any vessel belonging to or in the service of Her Majesty or the Government of India, or to any vessel of war belonging to any Foreign Prince or State;

(d) deprive any person of any right of property or other private right except as hereinafter expressly provided; or

(e) affect any law or rule relating to the Customs, or any order or direction lawfully made or given pursuant thereto.

And nothing contained in any of the following sections (namely), thirty-eight, thirty-nine, forty and forty-one, shall apply to any port, river or channel to which such section has not been specially extended by the Local Government.

3. The Acts mentioned in the second schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent specified in the third column thereof.

Repeal of Acts.

Every declaration, appointment or rule made under any such Act and now in force shall be deemed to have been made under this Act.

The references made to any Act or provision of an Act hereby repealed shall be read as if made to this Act or the corresponding provision of this Act, as the case may be.

4. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

Interpretation-clause.

"Vessel" includes anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or of property:

"Vessel."

"Master," when used in relation to any vessel, means any person (except a Pilot or Harbour Master) having for the time being the charge or control of such vessel:

"Master."

"Pilot" means a person for the time being authorized by the Local Government to pilot vessels:

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"Owner" includes also any agent to whom a vessel is consigned:

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"Gunpowder" includes also rockets and other combustible ammunition:

"Gunpowder."

"Magistrate" means a person exercising powers under the Code of Criminal Procedure not less than those of a Magistrate of the Second Class and includes, in the Towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, a Magistrate of Police; and

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"Port" includes also any part of a river or channel in which this Act is for the time being in force.

"Port."

CHAPTER II.

OF THE POWERS OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

5. With the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Local Government may from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette,

Power to extend this Act.

(*a*) extend this Act to any port or to any part of any navigable river or channel leading thereto in which this Act is not in force,

(*b*) extend specially the provisions of any of the following sections (namely), thirty-eight, thirty-nine, forty and forty-one, to any port or to any part of any such river or channel to which such provisions have not been so extended,

Power to extend specially sections 38, 39, 40 and 41.

(*c*) withdraw this Act from any port or any part thereof in which it is for the time being in force:

Power to withdraw this Act.

Provided that every notification under clause (*a*) or clause (*b*) of this section may define the limits of the port, river or channel to which it refers, and that such limits may extend to high-water-mark.

Such limits may include any piers, jetties, landing-places, wharfs, quays, docks, and other works made on behalf of the public for convenience of trade, for safety of vessels, or for the improvement, maintenance and good government of such port river or channel, whether within or without high-water-mark, and (subject to any rights of private property therein) any portion of the shore or bank within fifty yards of such line.

EXPLANATION:—In this section 'high-water-mark' means the highest point reached by ordinary spring-tides at any season of the year.

6. The Local Government may from time to time, with the like sanction, and subject to the rights referred to in section five, alter the limits of any port in which this Act may be in force, and declare or describe, by notification in the official Gazette or by means of maps, posts or otherwise, the precise extent of such limits.

Limits how to be altered.

7. The Local Government may, from time to time, make such rules, consistent with this Act, as it may think necessary for any of the following purposes, namely,—

Local Government empowered to make Port-rules as to—

(*a*) for regulating the time at which, and the manner in which, vessels shall enter into or go out of any port subject to this Act:

entering or leaving Port:

(*b*) for regulating the berths, stations and anchorages to be occupied by vessels in any such port:

berths of vessels:

(*c*) for striking the yards and top-masts, and for rigging-in the booms and yards, of vessels in any such port; and for swinging or taking-in davits, boats and other things projecting from such vessels:

striking yards, &c.:

(*d*) for the removal or proper hanging or placing of anchors, spars, and other things, in or attached to vessels in any such port:

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(*e*) for regulating vessels whilst taking in or discharging ballast or cargo, or any particular kind of cargo, in any such port, and the stations to be occupied by vessels whilst so engaged:

taking in or discharging ballast:

(*f*) for keeping free passages of such width as may be deemed necessary within any such port, and along or near to the piers, jetties, landing-places, wharfs, quays, docks, moorings, and other works in or adjoining to the same; and for marking out the spaces so to be kept free:

keeping free passage:

(*g*) for regulating the anchoring, fastening, mooring, and unmooring of vessels in any such port:

regulating the anchoring:

(*h*) for regulating the moving and warping of all vessels within any such port and the use of warps therein:

moving and warping:

(*i*) for regulating the use of the mooring buoys, chain and other moorings, in any such port:

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signal-lights:

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number of crew:

(*o*) for fixing the limits within which vessels shall be prohibited from having on board in any such port any quantity of gunpowder in excess of such quantity as the Local Government prescribes in this behalf.

possession of gunpowder.

CHAPTER III.

OF PORT OFFICERS, THEIR POWERS AND DUTIES.

8. The Local Government shall appoint some officer or body of persons to be Conservator of every port subject to this Act, and may suspend or remove such officer or body.

Appointment of Conservator.

Subject to any direction by the Local Government to the contrary—

(*a*) in ports where there is a Master Attendant, such Master Attendant shall be the Conservator:

(*b*) in ports where there is no Master Attendant, but where there is a Harbour-Master, such Harbour-Master shall be the Conservator.

Where the Harbour-Master is not Conservator, the Harbour-Master and his Assistants shall be subordinate to, and subject to the control of, the Conservator.

The Conservator shall be subject to the control of the Local Government, or of any intermediate authority which that Government may appoint.

9. The Conservator of any port subject to this Act may, in respect of any vessel within such port, give directions for carrying into effect any port-rule for the time being in force therein.

Conservator empowered to give directions for certain specified purposes.

Whoever wilfully, and without lawful excuse, refuses or neglects to obey any lawful direction of such Conservator, after notice thereof has been given to him, shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and with a further fine which may extend to one hundred rupees for every day on which he wilfully continues to disobey such direction;

Penalty for disobedience to Conservator's orders.

and, in case of such refusal or neglect, the said Conservator may do, or cause to be done, all acts necessary for the purpose of carrying such direction into execution, and may hire and employ proper persons for that purpose; and all reasonable expenses incurred in doing such acts shall be paid by the person so offending.

Expenses caused thereby to be paid by offender.

Any written notice of a direction given under this Act, left for the Master of any vessel with any person employed on board thereof, or affixed on a conspicuous place on board of such vessel, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to have been given to the Master thereof.

Service of written notice.

10. The Conservator of any such port may, in case of urgent necessity, cut, or cause to be cut, any warp, rope, cable or hawser, endangering the safety of any vessel in such port or at or near to the entrance thereof.

Power to cut warps, ropes, &c.

11. The Conservator may remove or cause to be removed, any timber, or obstruction, raft, or other thing floating or being in any part of any such port, which obstructs or impedes the free navigation thereof; or anything which obstructs or impedes the lawful use of any pier, jetty, landing-place, wharf, quay, dock, mooring, or other work, on any part of the shore or bank which has been declared to be within the limits of such port, and is not private property;

Power to remove floating timber, &c., or obstruction on shore within limits of Port.

and the owner of any such timber or raft or other thing shall be liable to pay the reasonable expenses of such removal;

Expenses of removal.

and if such owner or any other person has without lawful excuse caused any such obstruction or impediment, or causes any public nuisance affecting or likely to affect such navigation, he shall also be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalties for causing obstruction or public nuisance.

And the Conservator or any Magistrate having jurisdiction over the offence may cause such nuisance to be abated.

12. If the owner of any such timber or raft, or the person who has caused any such obstruction, impediment, or public nuisance as is mentioned in section eleven, neglects to pay the expense of the removal thereof, within one week after demand, or within fourteen days after such removal has been notified in the official Gazette or in such other manner as the Local Government by general or special order directs, such expenses may be recovered in the same manner as any fine under this Act;

Recovery of expenses of removal.

and the Conservator may cause such timber, raft, or other thing, or the materials of any nuisance or obstruction so removed, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be sold by public auction;

Power to sell timber, &c.

and may retain all the expenses of such removal and sale out of the proceeds of such sale; and shall pay the surplus of such proceeds or deliver so much of the said timber or other materials as may remain unsold, to the person entitled to receive the same;

Proceeds how dealt with.

and, if no such person appear, shall cause the same to be kept and deposited in such manner as the Local Government directs;

and may, if necessary, from time to time, realize the expenses of keeping the same, together with the expenses of such sale, by a further sale of so much of the said timber or other materials as may remain unsold.

13. If any obstruction or impediment to the navigation of any port subject to this Act has been lawfully made, or has become lawful by reason of the long continuance of such obstruction or impediment, or otherwise, the Conservator shall report the same for

Removal of obstructions lawfully made.

the information of the Local Government and shall, with the sanction of such Government, cause the same to be removed or altered, making to the person suffering damage by such removal or alteration reasonable compensation for the same.

Compensation how determined.

Every dispute arising concerning such compensation, shall be determined according to the law relating to like disputes in the case of land required for public purposes.

Notice to Conservator, if vessel fouls Government moorings.

14. If any vessel hook or get foul of any of the buoys or moorings laid down by or by the authority of the Local Government in any such port, the Master of such vessel shall not, nor shall any other person, except in the case of emergency, lift such buoy or mooring for the purpose of unhooking or getting clear from the same without the assistance of the Conservator, and the Conservator, immediately on receiving notice of such accident, shall assist and superintend the clearing of such vessel;

Expense of clearing vessel.

and the Master of such vessel shall, upon demand, pay such reasonable expense as may be incurred in clearing the same.

Penalty.

Any Master offending against the provisions of this section shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Power to raise wreck, &c., impeding navigation within the port.

Expense how recoverable.

15. If any vessel be wrecked, stranded or sunk, in any such port, so as to impede or be likely to impede the navigation thereof, the Conservator may cause the same to be raised, removed, or destroyed;

and may recover the same on behalf of the Local Government in the manner provided by section forty-four.

Power to board vessels.

16. The Conservator or any of his Assistants may, whenever he suspects that any offence has been, or is about to be, committed contrary to this Act, or whenever it is necessary for him so to do in the discharge of any duty hereby imposed upon him;

and the Collector of Customs, or other officer appointed to collect any port-dues or other charges payable in respect of any vessel under this Act, may, whenever it is necessary so to do, for the performance of any duty hereby imposed upon such Collector or other officer,

either alone or with any other person, board any vessel, or enter any building or place, within the limits of any port subject to this Act.

If the Master of such vessel, or if any person in possession or occupation of any such building or place, without lawful excuse refuse to allow any officer or other person to board or enter such vessel, building or place for the performance of any duty imposed upon him by this Act, he shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Power to require crews to prevent or extinguish fire.

17. For the purpose of preventing or extinguishing fire in any port subject to this Act, the Conservator may require the Master of any ship within the port to place at his disposal such number as he requires, not exceeding three-fourths, of the crew then under the orders of such Master.

Any Master refusing or neglecting to comply with such requisition shall be punished with a fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, and any seaman then under his orders who after being directed by the Master to obey the Conservator's orders for the purpose aforesaid refuses to obey such orders shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty-five rupees.

Powers of Conservator may be exercised by Harbour-Master.

18. All acts, orders or directions by this Act authorized to be done or given by any Conservator may, subject to his control, be done or given by any Harbour-Master or any Assistant of such Conservator or Harbour-Master,

and any person hereby authorized to do any act may call to his aid such assistance as may be necessary.

Indemnity to Government against default of Harbour-Master, &c.

19. The Government shall not be answerable for any act or default of any Master Attendant, Harbour-Master, or other Conservator of any port subject to this Act; or of any Pilot; or of any Deputy or Assistant of any of the officers above-mentioned; or of any person acting under the authority or direction of any such Officer or Assistant, done within the limits of such port;

nor for any damage sustained by any vessel in consequence of any defect in any of the moorings, hawsers, or other things belonging to Government, within the said limits, which may be used by such vessel.

Proviso.

Provided that nothing in this section shall protect the Secretary of State for India in Council from a suit in respect of any act done by or under the express order or sanction of Government.

CHAPTER IV.

RULES FOR THE SAFETY OF SHIPPING AND THE PRESERVATION OF PORTS.

Injuring buoys, &c.

20. No person shall without lawful excuse lift, injure, loosen, or set adrift any buoy, beacon, or mooring fixed or laid down by or by the authority of the Local Government in any port subject to this Act.

Whoever offends against the provisions of this section shall, for every such offence, be liable, in addition to the payment of the amount of damage done, to fine which may extend to two thousand rupees, or to imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years.

Wilfully loosening vessel from moorings.

21. Whoever wilfully and without lawful excuse loosens or removes from her moorings any vessel within any such port without leave or authority from the owner or Master of such vessel, shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months.

Improperly discharging ballast.

22. No ballast or rubbish, and no other thing likely to form a bank or shoal, or to be detrimental to navigation, shall, without lawful excuse, be cast or thrown into any such port or into or upon any place on shore, from which the same is liable to be washed into any such port, either by ordinary or high tides, or by storms or land-floods.

Whoever by himself or another so casts or throws the same, and the Master of any vessel from which the same is cast or thrown, shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees over and above any expenses which may be incurred in removing the same. If after receiving notice from the Conservator of the port to desist casting or throwing any such ballast or other thing, any Master continues so to cast or throw it, he shall also be liable to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months.

Nothing in this section applies to any case in which such ballast or other thing is cast or thrown into any such port with the consent in writing of the Conservator, or within any limits within which such act may be authorized by the Local Government.

Graving, &c., vessel within prohibited limits.

23. If any person grave, bream, or smoke any vessel in any such port, contrary to the directions of the Conservator, or at any time or within any limits at or within which such act is prohibited by any order of the Local Government, such person, and also the Master of such vessel, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Boiling pitch, &c., on board vessel within prohibited limits.

24. If any person boil or heat any pitch, tar, resin, dammer, turpentine, oil, or other such combustible matter on board any vessel within any such port, or at any place within its limits where such act is prohibited by the Local Government, or contrary to the order or directions of the Conservator, such person, and also the Master of any vessel on board which such offence is committed, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Drawing spirits by unprotected artificial light.

25. If any person, by an unprotected artificial light, draws off spirits on board any vessel within any port subject to this Act, such person, and also the Master of every such vessel, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Warping.

26. Every Master of a vessel in any port subject to this Act shall, when required so to do by the Conservator, permit warps to be made fast to such vessel for the purpose of warping any other vessel in the port, and shall not allow any such warp to be let go until required so to do.

Any Master offending against the provisions of this section shall be punished for every such offence with a fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Leaving out hawser, &c., after sun-set.

27. No Master of any vessel shall cause or suffer any warp or hawser attached to his vessel to be left out in any port subject to this Act, after sun-set, in such a manner as to endanger the safety of any boat or other vessel navigating in such port.

Any Master offending against the provisions of this section shall be punished for every such offence with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Gunpowder.

Place of deposit for gunpowder.

28. The Local Government shall appoint a proper place in which gunpowder in excess of the quantity allowed by rule under section seven, clause (*o*), for any ship in any port subject to this Act, shall be deposited; and shall also appoint an officer to receive the same.

Government to fix time and manner of landing and shipping powder, &c.

29. The Local Government may in such case by order fix the times at or within which, and the manner in which, such gunpowder, shall be landed and deposited by any vessel inward-bound, and also the times at or within which, and the manner in which, the same shall be taken on board any vessel from such place of deposit.

Master to make declaration.

30. The Master of such vessel shall, upon such gunpowder being deposited, make and sign a declaration in writing that there is not then, to his knowledge or belief, on board such vessel any gunpowder exceeding the quantity allowed by the rule last aforesaid.

Officer to give receipt and to account for powder deposited.

31. The officer with whom such gunpowder is deposited shall give a receipt for the same to the Master or other person making the deposit, and he shall be accountable to such Master or other person for the re-delivery of the same.

If by stress of weather powder is not landed, notice to be given.

32. If any vessel be prevented by stress of weather from landing or depositing such gunpowder, in excess of the quantity allowed as aforesaid, the master or owner of such vessel shall, so soon as the weather permits, land and deposit the same at the place so appointed as aforesaid, or shall forthwith give notice to the Conservator, or other officer named for that purpose by any order of the Local Government, of his having such gunpowder on board, and shall obey his directions relating to the same.

Time, &c., for vessels outward-bound to take in powder.

33. The Local Government may also, in respect to such port, by order, fix the times and places at which, and the manner in which, vessels outward-bound, requiring to take in any gunpowder, exceeding the quantity abovementioned, shall take in the same, whether such gunpowder has been previously landed from such vessel or not.

34. The Master of any vessel having on board any gunpowder, contrary to the provisions of this Act, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees;

Penalties for having prohibited powder on board.

and all gunpowder on board any vessel contrary to the provisions of this Act, shall be forfeited to Government, and may be seized by the Conservator, or by any Collector of Customs, or by any Custom-house officer, or other officer authorized in that behalf by the Local Government, within the limits of their respective jurisdictions.

35. Whoever, without lawful excuse, discharges any gun, musket, or other fire-arm in any port subject to this Act, or on or from the landing-places, piers, wharfs, or quays thereof, except a gun loaded only with gunpowder for the purpose of making a signal of distress, or for such other purpose as may be allowed by the Local Government, shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Guns not to be discharged in port.

Exception.

Penalty.

Extinguishment of Fires.

36. The Master of any vessel in which fire takes place while lying in any port, who wilfully omits to take order to extinguish such fire, shall be punished with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

Penalty on Master omitting to take order to extinguish fire.

Inflammable Oil.

37. The Local Government may from time to time make rules for regulating

Power to make rules for prevention of fire from inflammable oil.

(*a*) the prevention of injury from fire in ports and places at which vessels entering port with inflammable oil on board are to be moored,

(*b*) the mode in which such oil shall be landed from or shipped on board of such vessels.

Explanation.—"Inflammable oil" includes petroleum, benzole, kerosine and any oil or product of oil that gives off an inflammable vapour at a temperature of less than one hundred degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer.

Special Rules.

38. No vessel of the burden of two hundred tons or upwards, shall be moved in any port to which this section has been specially extended without having a Pilot, Harbour-Master, or Assistant of the Master Attendant or Harbour-Master on board; and no vessel of any burden less than two hundred tons and exceeding one hundred tons shall be moved in any such port without having on board a Pilot, Harbour-Master, or Assistant of the Master Attendant or Harbour-Master, unless authority in writing so to do has been obtained from the Conservator or some officer empowered by him to give such authority.

Vessels in certain cases not to be moved without having a pilot, &c., or permission of Harbour-Master.

If any vessel, except in case of urgent necessity, be moved contrary to the provisions of this section, the Master of such vessel shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, unless upon application to the proper officer the Master be unable to procure a Pilot, Harbour-Master or Assistant of the Master Attendant or Harbour-Master to go on board the said vessel.

39. Every vessel exceeding the burden of two hundred tons and lying in any such port shall be provided with a proper force-pump, hose and appurtenances, for the purpose of extinguishing any fire that may occur on board.

Vessels above 200 tons to be provided with force-pump, &c.

The Master of every such vessel who, having been required by the Conservator to comply with the provisions of this section, without lawful excuse neglects or refuses so to do for the space of seven days after such requisition, shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

40. No person, unless duly authorized by the Conservator, shall creep or sweep in any such port for anchors, cables or other stores lost or supposed to be lost therein.

Unauthorized person not to search for lost stores.

Whoever offends against the provisions of this section shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

41. No person shall, without the permission of the Conservator, remove or carry away any rock, stones, shingle, gravel, or soil, or any artificial protection from any part of the bank or shore of any such port;

Removing stones, &c., or injuring shores of port prohibited.

and no person shall sink or bury in any part of such bank or shore, whether the same be public or private property, any mooring-post, anchor or any other thing, or do any other thing which is likely to injure or to be used so as to injure such bank or shore, except with the permission of the said Conservator, and with the aid or under the inspection of such person (if any) as he may appoint to take part in or overlook the performance of such work.

Whoever offends against the provisions of this section shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and shall pay the expenses of repairing the injury (if any) done by him to such bank or shore.

Publication of Orders.

42. Every declaration, order and rule of a Local Government, made in pursuance of this Act, shall be published in the official Gazette; and a copy thereof shall be fixed up in some conspicuous place in the office of the Conservator of every port to which such order relates and in the Custom-house, if any, of every port subject to this Act.

Publication of orders of Local Government.

Whoever disobeys any such order or rule shall be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees for every such offence.

Penalty for disobedience to rules.

And in the case of disobedience to any rule made under section thirty-seven the owner or Master of the vessel concerned shall also be punished with a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees for each day during which such rule is disobeyed.

CHAPTER V.

OF SALVAGE IN PORTS.

43. If any anchors, wreck, stores, or other property be recovered by any officer employed by the Local Government for that purpose, from the surface, bed or shore of any port subject to this Act, the Local Government shall be entitled to receive a reasonable sum for salvage, having regard to the place of recovery.

Salvage payable for wreck, &c.

A register shall be kept of all property so recovered, in such manner and at such place as the Local Government may direct.

Register to be kept.

It shall contain a description of such property, and of the times and places where the same has been recovered;

and it shall be open to public inspection at reasonable office-hours, except on Sundays and such holidays as the Local Government may direct.

44. If the property recovered under the last preceding section, or by a Conservator acting under section fifteen, is unclaimed,

Property recovered may, in certain cases, be sold.

or if the person claiming the same fails to pay the amount due to the Local Government in respect thereof,

such property may be sold by public auction, if of a perishable nature, forthwith; and if not of a perishable nature, at any period not less than six months after the recovery thereof;

and on the realization of the proceeds, the amount due to the Local Government for salvage, or for the expenses incurred under section fifteen, shall be deducted therefrom, and credited to the Local Government, and the balance shall be paid to the person entitled to the property recovered, or, if no such person appear and claim the same, shall be held in deposit for payment, without interest, to any person thereafter establishing his right to the same:

Proceeds how applied.

Provided that he makes his claim within one year from the date of the sale.

CHAPTER VI.

OF PORT-DUES AND CHARGES.

45. In each of the ports mentioned in the first schedule hereto annexed, such port-due not exceeding the amount specified for such port in the third column of the same schedule as the Local Government from time to time directs shall be levied on vessels entering the same port and described in the second column of the same schedule, but not oftener than the time fixed for such port in the fourth column of the same schedule.

Levy of port-dues.

Whenever the Local Government with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council has declared or hereafter declares any port to be subject to this Act, it may, with the like sanction, by the same or any subsequent declaration, further declare—

(*a*) the maximum amount of dues to be levied on vessels entering such port;

(*b*) the conditions and modifications under which such dues shall be levied;

and may also, from time to time, with the like sanction, vary such conditions and modifications; and such dues shall be levied accordingly.

All port-dues now leviable in any of the said ports shall continue to be so leviable until it is otherwise declared in exercise of the powers conferred by this section.

No port-dues or fees shall hereafter be levied in any port except under the authority of this Act.

No order increasing or imposing port-dues under this section shall take effect until the expiration of sixty days from the day on which such order has been published in the local official Gazette.

46. The Local Government may, from time to time, exempt the vessels entering any port subject to this Act from the levy of port-dues and cancel such exemption, or it may from time to time vary the rate at which port-dues shall be levied in any such port, in such manner as, having regard to the receipts and charges on account of that port, it thinks expedient, by reducing or raising the dues, or any of them;

Local Government may vary port-dues.

Provided that the rates shall not in any case exceed the amount authorized to be taken by this Act.

Proviso.

47. For every port at which port-dues are levied under this Act, a distinct account, to be called the Account of the Port Fund of the port to which it relates, shall be kept by such officer as the Local Government may appoint for that purpose.

Accounts of port-dues.

This account shall show in complete detail the receipts and charges of the port; and an abstract statement of every such account shall be published annually, as soon after the first of May of each year as may be practicable, in which statement the balance at the close of the year at the credit or debit of the port shall be shown.

If, for any of the purposes of this Act, an advance of money has been or shall be made by Government on account of any port subject to this Act, simple interest upon that advance, or upon so much of it as remains or shall remain unrepaid, at such rate as the Governor General in Council may determine, shall be charged in the Port Fund Account thereof.

All expenses, including the pay and allowances of all persons upon the establishment of the port, the cost of buoys, beacons, lights and all other works maintained chiefly for the benefit of vessels being in, or entering, or leaving the port, or passing through the rivers or channels leading thereto, but excluding receipts and expenses on account of pilotage, incurred for the sake of every such port, shall be charged in the Port Fund Account of that port.

And all money, including salvage-money, proceeds of waifs, and fines, received under this Act, at or on account of every such port, shall be credited in the Port Fund Account of that port.

The Local Government may direct that for the purposes of this section any number of ports shall be regarded as constituting a single port; and thereupon all sums received on account of port-dues at any of the same ports shall form a common fund which shall be available for the payment of all charges incurred on account of any of the same ports, and such balance as may remain after payment of such expenses may be temporarily invested in such manner as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

48. The Collector of Customs at every such port, or such other officer as the Local Government appoints in this behalf, shall collect the port-dues above-mentioned.

Collection of port-dues.

The officer to whom any such port-dues are paid, shall grant to the person paying the same a proper voucher in writing under his hand, describing the name of his office, the port or place at which the port-dues are paid, and the name, tonnage and other proper description of the vessel in respect of which such payment is made.

Voucher to be given.

49. Within twenty-four hours after the arrival within the limits of any port subject to this Act of any vessel liable to the payment of port-dues under this or any subsequent Act, the Master of such vessel shall report such arrival to the Conservator of such port.

Master to report arrival.

Any Master without lawful excuse failing to make such report within the time aforesaid shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Nothing in this section applies to tug-steamers, ferry-steamers or river-steamers plying in any of the ports subject to this Act.

50. If any vessel liable to the payment of port-dues is in any such port without proper marks on the stem and stern-posts thereof for denoting her draught, the Conservator may cause the same to be ascertained by means of the operation of hooking, and the Master of such vessel shall be liable to pay the expenses of such operation.

Conservator may in certain cases ascertain draught, and charge expense to Master.

51. In order to ascertain the tonnage of any vessel liable to pay port-dues the following rules shall be observed :—

Tonnage of vessel liable to port-dues how ascertained

(*a*).—If such vessel be a British registered vessel, or a vessel registered under Act No. X of 1841, or Act No. XI of 1850, or under the laws for the time being in force for the registration of vessels in India, the Conservator may require the owner or Master of such vessel, or any person having possession of her register, to produce such register for inspection. If any such owner, Master, or other person neglect or refuse to produce such register, or otherwise to satisfy the Conservator as to what is the true tonnage of the vessel in respect of which such port-dues are payable, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and the Conservator may cause such vessel to be measured, and the tonnage thereof to be ascertained; and in such case the owner or Master of such vessel shall also be liable to pay the expenses of such measurement.

if registered;

(*b*.)—If such vessel be not a British registered vessel, or a vessel registered under Act No. X of 1841, or Act No. XI of 1850, or under the laws for the time being in force for the registration of vessels in India, and the owner or Master thereof fail to satisfy the Conservator as to what is her true tonnage according to the mode of measurement prescribed by the law in force for the time being for regulating the measurement of British registered vessels, the Conservator shall cause such vessel to be measured and the tonnage thereof, according to the mode aforesaid, to be ascertained; and in such case, the owner or Master of such vessel shall be liable to pay the expenses of such measurement.

if not registered.

52. If the Master of any vessel, in respect of which any port-dues or charges are payable under this Act refuses or neglects to pay the same on demand, the Collector of Customs, or other person authorized to collect such port-dues, fees or charges, may distrain or arrest such vessel, and the tackle, apparel and furniture belonging thereto, or any part thereof, and detain the same until the amount due is paid;

On refusal to pay port-dues, &c., the Collector may distrain and sell.

and in case any part of the said port-dues or charges, or of the costs of the distress or arrest, or of the keeping of the same, remains unpaid for the space of five days next after any such distress or arrest so made, the Collector of Customs, or other such person as aforesaid, may cause the vessel or other thing so distrained or arrested to be sold, and with the proceeds of such sale may satisfy the port-dues, charges, and costs, including the costs of sale remaining unpaid, and shall render the surplus (if any) to the Master of such vessel upon demand.

53. The Officer of Government, whose duty it is to grant a port-clearance for any vessel, shall not grant such clearance—

No port-clearance to be granted until dues, &c., are paid.

(*a*) until her owner or Master, or some other person, has paid or secured to the satisfaction of such officer the amount of all port-dues, fees and charges, and of all fines, penalties and expenses to which such vessel or her owner or Master is liable under this Act;

(*b*) until all expenses, which by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, section 228, are to be borne by her owner, incurred since her arrival in the Port from which she seeks clearance, have been duly paid.

54. If the Master of any vessel in respect of which any port-dues or charges are payable causes her to leave any port without having discharged such dues, fees, or charges, the Collector of Customs or other officer authorized to collect the same may require in writing the Collector of Customs or other Officer as aforesaid, in any other port in British India to which she may proceed or in which she may be, to levy such dues or charges.

Port-dues, &c., payable in one port recoverable by Collector at any other port.

Every Collector or other officer to whom such requisition shall be directed shall proceed to levy such dues or charges in the manner prescribed in section fifty-two; and a certificate purporting to be made and signed by the Collector of Customs or other officer as aforesaid of the port where the port-dues or charges became payable, stating the amount so payable, shall be sufficient *primâ facie* proof of such amount in any proceeding under the said section, and also (in case the amount payable is disputed) in any subsequent proceeding under section seventy.

55. If the Master of any such vessel evades the payment of any port-dues or charges payable under this Act, he shall be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding five times the amount so payable.

Penalty for evading payment of port-dues, &c.

In any proceeding before a Magistrate for the adjudication of such penalty, any such certificate as is mentioned in section fifty-four stating that the Master has evaded such payment, shall be sufficient *primâ facie* proof of the evasion, unless the Master shows to the satisfaction of the Magistrate that

the departure of the vessel without having discharged the dues or charges payable was caused by stress of weather, or that there was lawful or reasonable ground for such departure.

Any Magistrate having jurisdiction under this Act in any port to which the vessel may proceed or in which she may be found, shall be deemed to have jurisdiction in any proceeding under this section.

56. Vessels entering any port subject to this Act (other than the ports in British Burma) in ballast and not carrying passengers, shall be charged with a port-due not exceeding three-fourths of the port-due with which they would otherwise be chargeable.

Port-due on vessels in ballast.

57. When any vessel enters any port subject to this Act, but does not discharge or take in any cargo or passenger therein (with the exception of such unshipment and reshipment as may be necessary for purposes of repair), the port-due chargeable in respect of such vessel shall be at a rate equal to one-half the rate chargeable in respect of other vessels:

Port-due on vessels not discharging or taking in cargo.

Provided that no vessel entering any of the ports subject to the Governor of Fort St. George in Council and leaving the same within forty-eight hours without discharging or taking in any passengers or cargo, shall be charged with any port-dues.

58. No port-due shall be chargeable in respect of any vessel which, having left any port, is compelled to re-enter it by stress of weather or in consequence of having sustained any damage.

Port-dues not chargeable on vessels re-entering from stress of weather.

Hospital Port-Dues.

59. The Local Government may, from time to time, by notification in the official *Gazette*, order that there shall be paid in respect of every ship entering any port subject to this Act, within a reasonable distance of which there may be a public hospital or dispensary suitable for the reception or relief of seamen requiring medical aid, such further port-dues not exceeding one anna per ton as the Local Government thinks fit.

Power to impose hospital port-dues.

Such port-dues shall be called hospital port-dues.

No order imposing or increasing hospital port-dues shall take effect until the expiration of sixty days from the day on which such order has been published in the Official Gazette.

Whenever the Local Government is satisfied that proper provision has been made by the owners or agents of any ship or class of ships for giving medical aid to the seamen employed on board such ship or class of ships, it may, by notification in the Official *Gazette*, exempt such ship or class of ships from any payment under this section. The Local Government may, by like notification, withdraw any such exemption.

60. Such hospital port-dues shall be applied, as the Local Government may direct, to the support of any such hospital or dispensary as aforesaid or otherwise for providing sanitary superintendence and medical aid for the shipping in such port and for the seamen belonging to such ships, whether such seamen are ashore or afloat.

Application of hospital port-dues.

Fees for certain Services.

61. Within any port subject to this Act, fees may be charged for pilotage, hauling, mooring, remooring, hooking, measurin[illegible] and other services rendered to vessels, at such rates as the Local Government may, from time to time, direct:

Fees for pilotage, hauling, mooring, &c.

Provided that, in the case of fees for pilotage, the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council has been obtained.

The fees now chargeable for such services shall continue to be chargeable unless and until they are altered in exercise of the power conferred by the former part of this section.

CHAPTER VII.

OF HOISTING SIGNALS.

62. The master of every inward or outward-bound vessel, on arriving within signal-distance of any signal-station established within the limits of the river Hugli or within the limits of any part of a river or channel subject to this Act shall, on the requisition of the pilot in charge of the vessel, signify the name of the vessel by hoisting the number by which she is known, or by adopting such other means to this end as may be practicable and usual, and shall keep the signal flying until it is answered from the signal-station.

Master to hoist number of vessel.

63. Any master of a vessel arriving as aforesaid, who refuses or neglects to conform to the above rule, shall be liable on conviction, for each instance of such refusal or neglect, to a fine not exceeding one thousand rupees.

Penalty for not hoisting signal.

64. Every pilot in charge of a vessel shall require the number of the vessel of which he is in charge to be duly signalled as provided under section sixty-two.

Pilot to require master to hoist signal.

When, on a requisition from the pilot to that effect, the master of a vessel refuses to hoist the number of a vessel, or to adopt such other means of making her name known as may be practicable and usual, the pilot in charge of such vessel may, on arrival at the first place of safe anchorage, anchor the vessel and refuse to proceed on his course until the requisition has been complied with.

And if master refuses to do so, pilot may anchor.

65. Any pilot in charge of a vessel who disobeys, or abets within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code disobedience to, any of the provisions of this chapter, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five hundred rupees for each instance of such disobedience or abetment, and in addition shall be liable to dismissal from his appointment.

Punishment of pilot disobeying provisions of this chapter

CHAPTER VIII.

OF PENALTIES.

66. All offences against this Act shall be triable by a Magistrate. And any Magistrate may, by warrant under his hand, cause the amount of any such penalty imposed upon the owner or Master of any vessel, for any offence committed on board of such vessel, or the management thereof, or otherwise in relation thereto, whereof such owner or Master is convicted, to be levied by distress and sale of such vessel, and the tackle, apparel and furniture thereof, or so much thereof as is necessary.

Offences how triable, and penalties how recovered.

67. In case of any conviction under this Act, the convicting Magistrate may order the offender to pay the costs of such conviction, in addition to any fine or expenses to which he may be liable.

Costs of conviction.

Such costs may be assessed by the Magistrate, and may be levied and recovered in the same manner as any fine under this Act.

Damages, &c., payable under this Act, how ascertained and recovered.

68. Whenever any person is liable, under the provisions of this Act, to pay any sum of money, damages, or expenses not exceeding one thousand rupees, the same may be recovered and levied in the same manner as any fine under this Act, and, if necessary, the amount thereof may be fixed and assessed by the Magistrate before whom the case is tried.

Costs of distress.

69. Whenever any fine, damages or expenses is or are levied under this Act, by distress and sale, the costs of such distress and sale may be levied in addition to such fine, damages or expenses, and in the same manner.

Magistrate to determine the amount to be levied in case of dispute.

70. If any dispute arise concerning the amount leviable by any distress or arrest under this Act, or the charges or costs payable under the last preceding section, the person making such distress or using such arrest may detain the goods distrained or arrested, or the proceeds of the sale thereof, until the amount to be levied has been determined by a Magistrate, who, upon application made to him for that purpose, may determine such amount, and award such costs to be paid by either of the parties to the other of them as he thinks reasonable; and payment of such costs, if not paid on demand, shall be enforced in the same manner as any penalty under this Act.

Jurisdiction over offences beyond local limits of jurisdiction.

71. Any person offending against the provisions of this Act, in any port, river or channel subject to this Act, shall be punishable by any Magistrate having jurisdiction over any district or place adjoining such port, river or channel, or adjoining either side of that part of the river or channel in which such offence is committed.

Such Magistrate may exercise all the powers of a Magistrate under this Act, in the same manner and to the same extent as if the offence had been committed locally within the limits of his jurisdiction, notwithstanding the offence may not have been committed locally within such limits; and in case any such Magistrate exercise the jurisdiction hereby vested in him, the offence shall be deemed, for all purposes, to have been committed locally within the limits of his jurisdiction.

Conviction to be quashed on merits only.

72. No conviction, order, or judgment of any Magistrate under this Act shall be quashed for error of form or procedure, but only on the merits;

Form of conviction.

and it shall not be necessary to state, on the face of the conviction, order or judgment, the evidence on which it proceeds.

If no jurisdiction appears on the face of the conviction, order or judgment, but the depositions shall supply that defect, the conviction, order or judgment shall be aided by what so appears in such depositions.

CHAPTER IX.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Hoisting unlawful colours in Port.

73. If any vessel belonging to any of Her Majesty's subjects, or sailing under British colours, hoist, carry, or wear, within the limits of any port subject to this Act, any flag, jack, pendant or colours, the use whereof on board such vessel has been prohibited by the Statute 17th & 18th of Victoria, chapter 104, or any other Statute now or hereafter to be in force, or by any proclamation made or to be made in pursuance of any such Statute, or by any of Her Majesty's Regulations in force for the time being, the Master of such vessel shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Such fine shall be in addition to any other penalty recoverable under the said Statute or any future Statute to be made in that behalf.

Any officer of Her Majesty's Navy within the limits of such port, or the Conservator of such Port, may enter on board any such vessel, and seize and take away any flag, jack, pendant or colour so unlawfully hoisted, carried, or worn on board the same.

Foreign Deserters.

74. Any Magistrate, upon an application being made to him by the Consul of any Foreign Power to which the Foreign Deserters' Act, 1852, has by an order of Her Majesty in Council been, or shall hereafter be, declared to be applicable, or by the representative of such Consul, and upon complaint on oath of the desertion of any seaman, not being a slave, from any ship of such Foreign Power, may, until a revocation of such Order in Council has been publicly notified, issue his warrant for the apprehension of any such deserter;

and, upon due proof of the desertion, may order him to be conveyed on board the vessel to which he belongs, or, at the instance of the Consul, to be detained in custody till the vessel is ready to sail, or, if the vessel has sailed, for a reasonable time not exceeding one month:

Provided that a deposit be first made of such sum as the Magistrate deems necessary for the subsistence of the deserter during such detention;

Provided also that the detention of such deserter shall not be continued beyond twelve weeks.

Application of sections 11 and 22.

75. The provisions contained in sections eleven and twenty-two shall be applicable to all ports heretofore or hereafter declared by the Local Government to be ports for the shipment and landing of goods, but not otherwise subject to this Act, and may be enforced by any Magistrate to whose ordinary jurisdiction any such port is subject.

Any penalties imposed by him, and any expenses incurred by his order under the said provisions, shall be recoverable respectively in the manner provided in sections sixty-six and sixty-eight.

In any of the said ports for the shipment and landing of goods the consent referred to in section twenty-two may be given by the principal officer of customs at such port or by any other officer appointed in that behalf by the Local Government.

Disputes concerning amount due under section 15 or section 43.

76. Any dispute arising concerning the amount due under section fifteen or section forty-three shall be determined by a Magistrate upon application made to him for that purpose by either of the disputing parties.

Amendment of Act XIII of 1867.

77. Act No. XIII of 1867, section one, shall be read as if for the words "and such port-due" the following words were substituted (namely),—"The port-due leviable under the Indian Ports Act, 1875, in either of the ports of Maulmain and Bassein."

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(See section 2.)

PART I.—BRITISH BURMA.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Maulmain ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards, but less than twenty-five tons.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once in sixty days.
	Sea-going vessels of twenty-five tons and upwards.	Not exceeding five annas six pie per ton.	Ditto.
Rangoon ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Not exceeding six annas per ton.	Ditto.
Kyook Phyoo ...	Ditto ...	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Ditto.
Akyab ...	Ditto.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Bassein ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards, but less than twenty-five tons.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
	Sea-going vessels of twenty-five tons and upwards.	Not exceeding five annas six pie per ton.	Ditto.

PART II.—THE LOWER PROVINCES.

Chittagong ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four and a half annas per ton.	Once in sixty days.
Port Canning ...	Sea-going vessels of twenty tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four annas per ton; provided that in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, the rate shall be one-half the rate chargeable in respect of other vessels.	Whenever the vessel enters the port, except in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, which shall not be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in ninety days.
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers belonging to Port Canning.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June, and once between the 1st July and the 31st December in each year.
Calcutta ...	Sea-going vessels of twenty tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four annas per ton; provided that in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, the rate shall be one-half the rate chargeable in respect of other vessels.	Whenever the vessel enters the port, except in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, which shall not be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in sixty days.
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June, and once between the 1st July and 31st December in each year.
Cuttack Ports,—namely, Balasore, Chúráman, Laichhunpur, Chánua, Subarnrekha, Dhámra and Sartha.	Sea-going vessels of three hundred maunds and upwards.	Not exceeding six annas per hundred maunds.	Whenever the vessel enters the port.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART III.—THE MADRAS PRESIDENCY.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Eastern Group—			
1. Ganjam ...	Sea-going vessels of fifteen tons and upwards.	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that in the case of vessels employed in the coasting trade, not being steamers, the rates shall be one-half the rates chargeable in respect of other vessels: provided also that any steamer engaged in the coasting trade, when it enters any of the ports of the Eastern and Western Groups, shall pay the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of such group and an addition of half of such highest rate.	(*a.*) No coasting steamer having paid port-dues at any port shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or at any other port of the same group within thirty days. (*b.*) No coasting vessel other than a coasting steamer shall be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in sixty days. (*c.*) No vessel other than a coasting vessel or a coasting steamer shall be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in ninety days. In the above rules the expression "coasting vessel" means any vessel which at any port discharges cargo exclusively from, or takes in cargo exclusively for, any port on the Continent of India or in the Island of Ceylon.
2. Gopalpur ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
3. Calingapatam	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
4. Bimlipatam...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
5. Vizagapatam..	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
6. Coconada ... / 7. Coringa * ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
8. Masulipatam..	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
9. Madras ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
10. Cuddalore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
11. Porto Novo ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
12. Tranquebar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
13. Negapatam ... / 14. Nagore * ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
15. Tuticorin ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
Western Group—			
1. Mangalore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
2. Cannanore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
3. Tellicherry ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
4. Calicut ... / 5. Beypore * ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
6. Cochin ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	

NOTE.—As regards the levy of port-dues, each of the following pairs of ports (namely)—Coconada and Coringa, Negapatam and Nagore, Calicut and Beypore—shall be treated as if it were only one port; every vessel in respect of which such dues have been charged and taken at one of any of the said pairs being exempted from the charge on entering the other of the same pair.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Bombay ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding four annas per ton, and not less than two annas per ton for each class of vessels, as the Trustees incorporated under the Bombay Port Trust Act, 1873, may direct.	Once in the same month.
	Tug-steamers, Ferry-steamers and River-steamers.	Ditto ...	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June and once between the 1st July and 31st December in each year.
Northern Group of Ports.			
1. Gogo ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
2. Bávliári ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
3. Khun ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
4. Tankária ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
5. Dehegám ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
6. Dehej ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
7. Broach ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
8. Bhagwá ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
9. Surat ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
10. Matwád ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
11. Bulsar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
12. Umarsári ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
13. Kolak ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
14. Kálai ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
15. Maroli ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
16. Umbargám ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—*continued.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Northern Group of Ports.—continued.			
17. Gholwad ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
18. Dáhánu creek ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
19. Tárápur ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
20. Alivárá Navápur	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21. Sátpáti creek ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
22. Máhim (Kelva) ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
23. Kelva ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
24. Dántivra ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
25. Arnála ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Southern Group of Ports.			
1. Bandora ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
2. Veráva ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
3. Manori ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
4. Utan ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
5. Bassein ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
6. Bhiwandi ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
7. Kallian ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—*continued.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Southern Group of Ports.—continued.			
8. Tanna ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
9. Trombay ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
10. Panwel ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
11. Karanja ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
12. Rewas ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
13. Nagothna ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
14. Thal ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
15. Alibág ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
16. Revdandá ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17. Talkhári ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
18. Bánkot ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
19. Kelsi ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
20. Harnai ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21. Anjanwel ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
22. Boryá ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
23. Jaygarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
24. Ratnágiri ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
25. Purnagarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
26. Yeshwantgarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
27. Viziádurg ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
28. Devgarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
29. Áchara ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*concluded.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—*concluded.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Southern Group of Ports.—continued:			
30. Málwan ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
31. Nivti ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
32. Vengorla ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
33. Reri ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
34. Tirekhol ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
35. Karwar including Baitkhol.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
36. Chendya ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
37. Ankola ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
38. Gangawali ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
39. Tadri ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
40. Honáwar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
41. Shiráli ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
42. Coomta ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
43. Murdheshwar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
44. Bhatkal ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Karáchi	Ditto ...	Four annas per ton	Once in three months.
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers.	Ditto ...	Once between the 1st January and the 30th day of June and once between the 1st July and the 31st December in each year.
Aden	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Three annas per ton	Once a month.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(See section 3.)

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
Act XIII of 1839 ...	Port duties.	So much as has not been repealed.
Act XXII of 1855 ...	Ports and Port-dues.	Ditto.
Act XIII of 1856 ...	Police in Presidency Towns.	Section 117.
Act XXX of 1857 ...	Port-dues and Fees (Calcutta).	The whole.
Act XXXI of 1857 ...	Port-dues and Fees (Bombay).	Ditto.
Act XXXV of 1857 ...	Port-dues and Fees (Maulmain, Rangoon, &c.)	Ditto.
Act II of 1858 ...	Port-dues and Fees in certain Ports in the Province of Cuttack.	Ditto.
Act VIII of 1858. ...	Port-dues and Fees (Karáchi).	Ditto.
Act XV of 1858 ...	Port-dues and Fees (Port of Aden).	Ditto.
Act XVIII of 1858 ...	Port-dues and Fees (certain Madras Ports.)	Ditto.
Act XIX of 1860 ...	Amending Act XXII of 1855.	Ditto.
Act XXV of 1860 ...	Bassein.	Ditto.
Act XIII of 1867 ...	Amending Act XXV of 1860.	In the title, the words "*for the levy of enhanced Port-dues in the Ports of Moulmain and Bassein, and*" The preamble down to and including the words "mentioned; And" Section one down to and including the word "Bassein."
Act VII of 1873 ...	Burma Port-dues.	The whole.
Bengal Act I of 1862 ...	Hoisting Signals.	Ditto.
Bengal Act I of 1863 ...	Port-dues and Fees in the Port of Canning on the River Mutlah.	Ditto.
Bengal Act III of 1865 ...	Fire in Ports.	Sections 3 and 4. Section 8, clauses 1 and 2. Section 10.
Bengal Act IV of 1866 ...	Amending Act XIII of 1856.	Section 103.
Bengal Act III of 1867 ...	Ships in Ports.	Sections 7, 11, 12 and 13.
Bengal Act III of 1872 ...	Amending Bengal Act V of 1870 and Act XXII of 1855.	Section 5.
Madras Act I of 1864 ...	Extension of parts of Act XXII of 1855.	The whole.
Madras Act VII of 1867 ...	Port-dues.	Ditto.
Madras Act VIII of 1867 ...	Madras Police.	Section 80.
Bombay Act IV of 1863 ...	Amending Act XV of 1858 (Port-dues, Aden).	The whole.
Bombay Act XI of 1866 ...	Port-dues.	Ditto.
Bombay Act I of 1873 ...	Bombay Port Trust Act, 1873.	Section 75.

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[First Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 15th March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XIII OF 1875.

An Act to amend the law relating to Probates and Letters of Administration.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, under the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the effect of an unlimited grant of probate or letters of administration made by any Court in British India is confined to the Province in which such grant is made: And whereas it is expedient to extend over British India the effect of such grants when made by a High Court: And whereas it is also expedient to amend the Court Fees Act, 1870, as to probates, letters of administration and certificates of administration: It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Addition to Act No. X of 1865, section 3.

1. To section 3 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following words shall be added (namely) :— "and for the purposes of sections 242, 242A, 246A and 277A, shall include the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon."

Addition to Act No. X of 1865, section 242.

2. To section 242 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following proviso shall be added (namely) :—

Effect of unlimited probates, &c., granted by High Court.

"Provided that probates and letters of administration granted by a High Court after the first day of April, 1875, shall, unless otherwise directed by the grant, have like effect throughout the whole of British India."

Addition to Act No. X of 1865.

3. The following section shall be inserted after the said proviso (namely) :—

Transmission of certificate by High Court granting probate, &c., to other Courts.

"242A. Whenever a grant of probate or letters of administration is made by a High Court with such effect as last aforesaid, the Registrar or such other officer as the High Court making the grant appoints in this behalf shall send to each of the other High Courts a certificate to the following effect :—

I, *A. B.*, Registrar [*or as the case may be*] of the High Court of Judicature at [*or as the case may be*], hereby certify that on the day of 187 the High Court of Judicature at [*or as the case may be*] granted probate of the will [*or* letters of administration of the estate] of *C. D.*, late of deceased, to *E. F.* of and *G. H.* of , and that such probate [*or* letters] has [*or* have] effect over all the property of the deceased throughout the whole of British India;

and such certificate shall be filed by the High Court receiving the same."

Addition after section 246 of Act X of 1865.

4. After section 246 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following section shall be inserted (namely) :—

Additional statements in petition for probate, &c.

"246A. Every person applying to a High Court for probate of a will or letters of administration of an estate, intended to have effect throughout British India, shall state in his petition, in addition to the matters respectively required by section 244 and section 246 of this Act, that to the best of his belief no application has been made to any other High Court for a probate of the same will or for letters of administration of the same estate, intended to have such effect as last aforesaid,

or, where any such application has been made, the High Court to which it was made, the person or persons by whom it was made, and the proceedings (if any) had thereon.

And the High Court to which any application is made under the proviso to section 242 of this Act may, if it think fit, reject the same."

Addition after section 277 of Act X of 1865.

5. After section 277 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following section shall be inserted (namely) :—

Inventory may include property in any part of British India.

"277A. In all cases where it is sought to obtain a grant of probate or letters of administration intended to have effect throughout the whole of British India, the executor, or the person applying for administration after the first day of April, 1875, to the effects of any person dying in British India and leaving property in more than one Province shall include in the inventory of the effects of the deceased his moveable or immoveable property situate in each of the Provinces:

And the value of such property situate in the said Provinces, respectively, shall be separately stated in such inventory, and the probate or letters of administration shall be chargeable with a fee corresponding to the entire amount or value of the property affected thereby wheresoever situate within British India."

Addition to Act No. VII of 1870.

6. After section nineteen of the Court Fees Act, 1870, the following chapter shall be inserted, (namely) :—

"CHAPTER III A.

"PROBATES, LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION AND CERTIFICATES OF ADMINISTRATION.

Relief where too high a Court-fee has been paid.

"19A. Where any person on applying for the probate of a will or letters of administration has estimated the property of the deceased to be of greater value than the same has afterwards proved to be, and has consequently paid too high a Court-fee thereon, if within six months after the true value of the property has been ascertained, such person produces the probate or letters to the Chief Controlling Revenue Authority of the Province in which the probate or letters has or have been granted,

and delivers to such Authority a particular inventory and valuation of the property of the deceased, verified by affidavit or affirmation,

and if such Authority is satisfied that a greater fee was paid on the probate or letters than the law required,

the said Authority may—

(*a*) cancel the stamp on the probate or letters, if such stamp has not been already cancelled;

(*b*) substitute another stamp for denoting the Court-fee which should have been paid thereon; and

(*c*) make an allowance for the difference between them as in the case of spoiled stamps, or repay the same in money, at his discretion.

Relief where debts due from a deceased person have been paid out of his estate.

"19 B. Whenever it is proved to the satisfaction of such Authority that an executor or administrator has paid debts due from the deceased to such an amount as, being deducted out of the amount or value of the estate, reduces the same to a sum which, if it had been the whole gross amount or value of the estate, would have occasioned a less Court-fee to be paid on the probate or letters of administration granted in respect of such estate than has been actually paid thereon under this Act,

such Authority may return the difference, provided the same be claimed within three years after the date of such probate or letters.

But when, by reason of any legal proceeding, the debts due from the deceased have not been ascertained and paid, or his effects have not been recovered and made available, and in consequence thereof the executor or administrator is prevented from claiming the return of such difference within the said term of three years, the said Authority may allow such further time for making the claim as may appear to be reasonable under the circumstances.

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"19 C. Whenever such a grant of probate or letters of administration has been or is made in respect of the whole of the property belonging to an estate, and the full fee chargeable under this Act has been or is paid thereon, no fee shall be chargeable under the same Act when a like grant is made in respect of the whole or any part of the same property belonging to the same estate;

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Provided that if the application be made within six months after the ascertainment of the true value of the estate and the discovery that too low a Court-fee was at first paid on the probate or letters, and if the said Authority is satisfied that such fee was paid in consequence of a mistake or of its not being known at the time that some particular part of the estate belonged to the deceased, and without any intention of fraud or to delay the payment of the proper Court-fee, the said Authority may remit the said penalty, and cause the probate or letters to be duly stamped on payment only of the sum wanting to make up the fee which should have been at first paid thereon.

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Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 15th March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

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An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to Ports and Port-dues.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to Ports and Port-dues; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Ports Act, 1875:"

Present local extent.

2. It shall extend—

(a) to the ports mentioned in the first schedule hereto annexed, and to such parts of the navigable rivers and channels leading to such ports respectively, as have been declared to be subject to Act No. XXII of 1855 (*for the regulation of Ports and Port-dues*);

Power to extend this Act.

(b) to the other ports or parts of rivers or channels to which the Local Government, in exercise of the power hereinafter conferred, applies the provisions of this Act.

But nothing herein contained shall—

(c) apply to any vessel belonging to or in the service of Her Majesty or the Government of India, or to any vessel of war belonging to any Foreign Prince or State;

(d) deprive any person of any right of property or other private right except as hereinafter expressly provided; or

(e) affect any law or rule relating to the Customs, or any order or direction lawfully made or given pursuant thereto.

And nothing contained in any of the following sections (namely), thirty-eight, thirty-nine, forty and forty-one, shall apply to any port, river or channel to which such section has not been specially extended by the Local Government.

Repeal of Acts.

3. The Acts mentioned in the second schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent specified in the third column thereof.

Every declaration, appointment or rule made under any such Act and now in force shall be deemed to have been made under this Act.

The references made to any Act or provision of an Act hereby repealed shall be read as if made to this Act or the corresponding provision of this Act, as the case may be.

Interpretation-clause.

4. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Vessel."

"Vessel" includes anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or of property:

"Master."

"Master," when used in relation to any vessel, means any person (except a Pilot or Harbour-Master) having for the time being the charge or control of such vessel:

"Pilot."

"Pilot" means a person for the time being authorized by the Local Government to pilot vessels:

"Owner."

"Owner" includes also any agent to whom a vessel is consigned:

"Gunpowder."

"Gunpowder" includes also rockets and other combustible ammunition:

"Magistrate."

"Magistrate" means a person exercising powers under the Code of Criminal Procedure not less than those of a Magistrate of the Second Class and includes, in the Towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, a Magistrate of Police; and

"Port."

"Port" includes also any part of a river or channel in which this Act is for the time being in force.

CHAPTER II.

OF THE POWERS OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Power to extend this Act.

5. With the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Local Government may from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette,

(a) extend this Act to any port or to any part of any navigable river or channel leading thereto in which this Act is not in force,

Power to extend specially sections 38, 39, 40 and 41.

(b) extend specially the provisions of any of the following sections (namely), thirty-eight, thirty-nine, forty and forty-one, to any port or to any part of any such river or channel to which such provisions have not been so extended,

Power to withdraw this Act.

(c) withdraw this Act from any port or any part thereof in which it is for the time being in force:

Provided that every notification under clause (a) or clause (b) of this section may define the limits of the port, river or channel to which it refers, and that such limits may extend to high-water-mark.

Such limits may include any piers, jetties, landing-places, wharfs, quays, docks, and other works made on behalf of the public for convenience of traffic, for safety of vessels, or for the improvement, maintenance and good government of such port, river or channel, whether within or without high-water-mark, and (subject to any rights of private property therein) any portion of the shore or bank within fifty yards of such line.

EXPLANATION:—In this section 'high-water-mark' means the highest point reached by ordinary spring-tides at any season of the year.

Limits how to be altered.

6. The Local Government may from time to time, with the like sanction, and subject to the rights referred to in section five, alter the limits of any port in which this Act may be in force, and declare or describe, by notification in the official Gazette or by means of maps, posts or otherwise, the precise extent of such limits.

Local Government empowered to make Port-rules as to—

7. The Local Government may, from time to time, make such rules, consistent with this Act, as it may think necessary for any of the following purposes, namely,—

entering or leaving Port:

(a) for regulating the time at which, and the manner in which, vessels shall enter into or go out of any port subject to this Act:

berths of vessels:

(b) for regulating the berths, stations and anchorages to be occupied by vessels in any such port:

striking yards, &c.:

(c) for striking the yards and top-masts, and for rigging-in the booms and yards, of vessels in any such port; and for swinging or taking-in davits, boats and other things projecting from such vessels:

removal of anchors, &c.:

(d) for the removal or proper hanging or placing of anchors, spars, and other things, in or attached to vessels in any such port:

(*e*) for regulating vessels whilst taking in or discharging ballast or cargo, or any particular kind of cargo, in any such port, and the stations to be occupied by vessels whilst so engaged:

taking in or discharging ballast:

(*f*) for keeping free passages of such width as may be deemed necessary within any such port, and along or near to the piers, jetties, landing-places, wharfs, quays, docks, moorings, and other works in or adjoining to the same; and for marking out the spaces so to be kept free:

keeping free passage:

(*g*) for regulating the anchoring, fastening, mooring, and unmooring of vessels in any such port:

regulating the anchoring:

(*h*) for regulating the moving and warping of all vessels within any such port and the use of warps therein:

moving and warping:

(*i*) for regulating the use of the mooring buoys, chain and other moorings, in any such port:

use of mooring buoys:

(*j*) for fixing from time to time the rates to be paid for the use of such moorings when belonging to Government, or of any boat, hawser, or other thing belonging to Government:

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(*k*) for licensing and regulating cargo and other boats, and catamarans plying for hire in any such port:

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(*l*) for regulating the use of fires and lights within any such port:

fires and lights:

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signal-lights:

(*n*) for regulating the number of the crew which must be on board any vessel afloat within the limits of any such port:

number of crew:

(*o*) for fixing the limits within which vessels shall be prohibited from having on board in any such port any quantity of gunpowder in excess of such quantity as the Local Government prescribes in this behalf.

possession of gunpowder.

CHAPTER III.

OF PORT OFFICERS, THEIR POWERS AND DUTIES.

8. The Local Government shall appoint some officer or body of persons to be Conservator of every port subject to this Act, and may suspend or remove such officer or body.

Appointment of Conservator.

Subject to any direction by the Local Government to the contrary—

(*a*) in ports where there is a Master Attendant, such Master Attendant shall be the Conservator:

(*b*) in ports where there is no Master Attendant, but where there is a Harbour-Master, such Harbour-Master shall be the Conservator:

Where the Harbour-Master is not Conservator, the Harbour-Master and his Assistants shall be subordinate to, and subject to the control of, the Conservator.

The Conservator shall be subject to the control of the Local Government, or of any intermediate authority which that Government may appoint.

9. The Conservator of any port subject to this Act may, in respect of any vessel within such port, give directions for carrying into effect any port-rule for the time being in force therein.

Conservator empowered to give directions for certain specified purposes.

Whoever wilfully, and without lawful excuse, refuses or neglects to obey any lawful direction of such Conservator, after notice thereof has been given to him, shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and with a further fine which may extend to one hundred rupees for every day on which he wilfully continues to disobey such direction;

Penalty for disobedience to Conservator's orders.

and, in case of such refusal or neglect, the said Conservator may do, or cause to be done, all acts necessary for the purpose of carrying such direction into execution, and may hire and employ proper persons for that purpose; and all reasonable expenses incurred in doing such acts shall be paid by the person so offending.

Expenses caused thereby to be paid by offender.

Any written notice of a direction given under this Act, left for the Master of any vessel with any person employed on board thereof, or affixed on a conspicuous place on board of such vessel, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to have been given to the Master thereof.

Service of written notice.

10. The Conservator of any such port may, in case of urgent necessity, cut, or cause to be cut, any warp, rope, cable or hawser, endangering the safety of any vessel in such port or at or near to the entrance thereof.

Power to cut warps, ropes, &c.

11. The Conservator may remove or cause to be removed, any timber, or obstruction, raft, or other thing floating or being in any part of any such port, which obstructs or impedes the free navigation thereof; or anything which obstructs or impedes the lawful use of any pier, jetty, landing-place, wharf, quay, dock, mooring, or other work, on any part of the shore or bank which has been declared to be within the limits of such port, and is not private property;

Power to remove floating timber, &c., or obstruction on shore within limits of Port.

and the owner of any such timber or raft or other thing shall be liable to pay the reasonable expenses of such removal;

Expenses of removal.

and if such owner or any other person has without lawful excuse caused any such obstruction or impediment, or causes any public nuisance affecting or likely to affect such navigation, he shall also be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalties for causing obstruction or public nuisance.

And the Conservator or any Magistrate having jurisdiction over the offence may cause such nuisance to be abated.

12. If the owner of any such timber or raft, or the person who has caused any such obstruction, impediment, or public nuisance as is mentioned in section eleven, neglects to pay the expense of the removal thereof, within one week after demand, or within fourteen days after such removal has been notified in the official Gazette or in such other manner as the Local Government by general or special order directs, such expenses may be recovered in the same manner as any fine under this Act;

Recovery of expenses of removal.

and the Conservator may cause such timber, raft, or other thing, or the materials of any nuisance or

Power to sell timber, &c.

obstruction so removed, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be sold by public auction;

and may retain all the expenses of such removal and sale out of the proceeds of such sale; and shall pay the surplus of such proceeds or deliver so much of the said timber or other materials as may remain unsold, to the person entitled to receive the same;

Proceeds how dealt with.

and, if no such person appear, shall cause the same to be kept and deposited in such manner as the Local Government directs;

and may, if necessary, from time to time, realize the expenses of keeping the same, together with the expenses of such sale, by a further sale of so much of the said timber or other materials as may remain unsold.

13. If any obstruction or impediment to the navigation of any port subject to this Act has been lawfully made, or has become lawful by reason of the long continuance of such obstruction or impediment, or otherwise, the Conservator shall report the same for the information of the Local Government and shall, with the sanction of such Government, cause the same to be removed or altered, making to the person suffering damage by such removal or alteration reasonable compensation for the same.

Removal of obstructions lawfully made.

Every dispute arising concerning such compensation, shall be determined according to the law relating to like disputes in the case of land required for public purposes.

Compensation how determined.

14. If any vessel hook or get foul of any of the buoys or moorings laid down by or by the authority of the Local Government in any such port, the Master of such vessel shall not, nor shall any other person, except in the case of emergency, lift such buoy or mooring for the purpose of unhooking or getting clear from the same without the assistance of the Conservator, and the Conservator, immediately on receiving notice of such accident, shall assist and superintend the clearing of such vessel;

Notice to Conservator, if vessel fouls Government moorings.

and the Master of such vessel shall, upon demand, pay such reasonable expense as may be incurred in clearing the same.

Expense of clearing vessel.

Any Master offending against the provisions of this section shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalty.

15. If any vessel be wrecked, stranded or sunk, in any such port, so as to impede or be likely to impede the navigation thereof, the Conservator may cause the same to be raised, removed, or destroyed;

Power to raise wreck, &c., impeding navigation within the port.

and may recover the same on behalf of the Local Government in the manner provided by section forty-four.

Expense how recoverable.

16. The Conservator or any of his Assistants may, whenever he suspects that any offence has been, or is about to be, committed contrary to this Act, or whenever it is necessary for him so to do in the discharge of any duty hereby imposed upon him;

Power to board vessels.

and the Collector of Customs, or other officer appointed to collect any port-dues or other charges payable in respect of any vessel under this Act, may, whenever it is necessary so to do, for the performance of any duty hereby imposed upon such Collector or other officer,

either alone or with any other person, board any vessel, or enter any building or place, within the limits of any port subject to this Act.

If the Master of such vessel, or if any person in possession or occupation of any such building or place, without lawful excuse refuse to allow any officer or other person to board or enter such vessel, building or place for the performance of any duty imposed upon him by this Act, he shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

17. For the purpose of preventing or extinguishing fire in any port subject to this Act, the Conservator may require the Master of any ship within the port to place at his disposal such number as he requires, not exceeding three-fourths, of the crew then under the orders of such Master.

Power to require crews to prevent or extinguish fire.

Any Master refusing or neglecting to comply with such requisition shall be punished with a fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, and any seaman then under his orders who after being directed by the Master to obey the Conservator's orders for the purpose aforesaid refuses to obey such orders shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty-five rupees.

18. All acts, orders or directions by this Act authorized to be done or given by any Conservator may, subject to his control, be done or given by any Harbour-Master or any Assistant of such Conservator or Harbour-Master, and any person hereby authorized to do any act may call to his aid such assistance as may be necessary.

Powers of Conservator may be exercised by Harbour-Master.

19. The Government shall not be answerable for any act or default of any Master Attendant, Harbour-Master, or other Conservator of any port subject to this Act; or of any Pilot; or of any Deputy or Assistant of any of the officers above-mentioned; or of any person acting under the authority or direction of any such Officer or Assistant, done within the limits of such port;

Indemnity to Government against default of Harbour-Master, &c.

nor for any damage sustained by any vessel in consequence of any defect in any of the moorings, hawsers, or other things belonging to Government, within the said limits, which may be used by such vessel.

Provided that nothing in this section shall protect the Secretary of State for India in Council from a suit in respect of any act done by or under the express order or sanction of Government.

Proviso.

CHAPTER IV.

RULES FOR THE SAFETY OF SHIPPING AND THE PRESERVATION OF PORTS.

20. No person shall without lawful excuse lift, injure, loosen, or set adrift any buoy, beacon, or mooring fixed or laid down by or by the authority of the Local Government in any port subject to this Act.

Injuring buoys, &c.

Whoever offends against the provisions of this section shall, for every such offence, be liable, in addition to the payment of the amount of damage done, to fine which may extend to two thousand rupees, or to imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years.

Wilfully loosening vessel from moorings.

21. Whoever wilfully and without lawful excuse loosens or removes from her moorings any vessel within any such port without leave or authority from the owner or Master of such vessel, shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months.

Improperly discharging ballast.

22. No ballast or rubbish, and no other thing likely to form a bank or shoal, or to be detrimental to navigation, shall, without lawful excuse, be cast or thrown into any such port or into or upon any place on shore, from which the same is liable to be washed into any such port, either by ordinary or high tides, or by storms or land-floods.

Whoever by himself or another so casts or throws the same, and the Master of any vessel from which the same is cast or thrown, shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees over and above any expenses which may be incurred in removing the same. If after receiving notice from the Conservator of the port to desist casting or throwing any such ballast or other thing, any Master continues so to cast or throw it, he shall also be liable to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months.

Nothing in this section applies to any case in which such ballast or other thing is cast or thrown into any such port with the consent in writing of the Conservator, or within any limits within which such act may be authorized by the Local Government.

Graving, &c., vessel within prohibited limits.

23. If any person grave, bream, or smoke any vessel in any such port, contrary to the directions of the Conservator, or at any time or within any limits at or within which such act is prohibited by any order of the Local Government, such person, and also the Master of such vessel, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Boiling pitch, &c., on board vessel within prohibited limits.

24. If any person boil or heat any pitch, tar, resin, dammer, turpentine, oil, or other such combustible matter on board any vessel within any such port, or at any place within its limits where such act is prohibited by the Local Government, or contrary to the order or directions of the Conservator, such person, and also the Master of any vessel on board which such offence is committed, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Drawing spirits by unprotected artificial light.

25. If any person, by an unprotected artificial light, draws off spirits on board any vessel within any port subject to this Act, such person, and also the Master of every such vessel, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Warping.

26. Every Master of a vessel in any port subject to this Act shall, when required so to do by the Conservator, permit warps to be made fast to such vessel for the purpose of warping any other vessel in the port, and shall not allow any such warp to be let go until required so to do.

Any Master offending against the provisions of this section shall be punished for every such offence with a fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Leaving out hawser, &c., after sun-set.

27. No Master of any vessel shall cause or suffer any warp or hawser attached to his vessel to be left out in any port subject to this Act, after sun-set, in such a manner as to endanger the safety of any boat or other vessel navigating in such port.

Any Master offending against the provisions of this section shall be punished for every such offence with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Gunpowder.

Place of deposit for gunpowder.

28. The Local Government shall appoint a proper place in which gunpowder in excess of the quantity allowed by rule under section seven, clause (*o*), for any ship in any port subject to this Act, shall be deposited; and shall also appoint an officer to receive the same.

Government to fix time and manner of landing and shipping powder, &c.

29. The Local Government may in such case by order fix the times at or within which, and the manner in which, such gunpowder, shall be landed and deposited by any vessel inward-bound, and also the times at or within which, and the manner in which, the same shall be taken on board any vessel from such place of deposit.

Master to make declaration.

30. The Master of such vessel shall, upon such gunpowder being deposited, make and sign a declaration in writing that there is not then, to his knowledge or belief, on board such vessel any gunpowder exceeding the quantity allowed by the rule last aforesaid.

Officer to give receipt and to account for powder deposited.

31. The officer with whom such gunpowder is deposited shall give a receipt for the same to the Master or other person making the deposit, and he shall be accountable to such Master or other person for the re-delivery of the same.

If by stress of weather powder is not landed, notice to be given.

32. If any vessel be prevented by stress of weather from landing or depositing such gunpowder, in excess of the quantity allowed as aforesaid, the master or owner of such vessel shall, so soon as the weather permits, land and deposit the same at the place so appointed as aforesaid, or shall forthwith give notice to the Conservator, or other officer named for that purpose by any order of the Local Government, of his having such gunpowder on board, and shall obey his directions relating to the same.

Time, &c., for vessels outward-bound to take in powder.

33. The Local Government may also, in respect to such port, by order, fix the times and places at which, and the manner in which, vessels outward-bound, requiring to take in any gunpowder, exceeding the quantity abovementioned, shall take in the same, whether such gunpowder has been previously landed from such vessel or not.

Penalties for having prohibited powder on board.

34. The Master of any vessel having on board any gunpowder, contrary to the provisions of this Act, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees;

and all gunpowder on board any vessel contrary to the provisions of this Act, shall be forfeited to Government, and may be seized by the Conservator, or by any Collector of Customs, or by any Custom-house officer, or other officer authorized in that behalf by the Local Government, within the limits of their respective jurisdictions.

Guns not to be discharged in port.

35. Whoever, without lawful excuse, discharges any gun, musket, or other fire-arm in any port subject to this Act, or on or from the landing-places, piers, wharfs, or quays thereof, except a gun loaded only with gunpowder for the purpose of making a signal of distress, or for such other purpose as may be allowed by the Local Government, shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Exception.

Penalty.

Extinguishment of Fires.

Penalty on Master omitting to take order to extinguish fire.

36. The Master of any vessel in which fire takes place while lying in any port, who wilfully omits to take order to extinguish such fire, shall be punished with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

Inflammable Oil.

Power to make rules for prevention of fire from inflammable oil.

37. The Local Government may from time to time make rules for regulating

(*a*) the prevention of injury from fire in ports and places at which vessels entering port with inflammable oil on board are to be moored,

(*b*) the mode in which such oil shall be landed from or shipped on board of such vessels.

Explanation.—"Inflammable oil" includes petroleum, benzole, kerosine and any oil or product of oil that gives off an inflammable vapour at a temperature of less than one hundred degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer.

Special Rules.

Vessels in certain cases not to be moved without having a pilot, &c., or permission of Harbour-Master.

38. No vessel of the burden of two hundred tons or upwards, shall be moved in any port to which this section has been specially extended without having a Pilot, Harbour-Master, or Assistant of the Master Attendant or Harbour-Master on board; and no vessel of any burden less than two hundred tons and exceeding one hundred tons shall be moved in any such port without having on board a Pilot, Harbour-Master, or Assistant of the Master Attendant or Harbour-Master, unless authority in writing so to do has been obtained from the Conservator or some officer empowered by him to give such authority.

If any vessel, except in case of urgent necessity, be moved contrary to the provisions of this section, the Master of such vessel shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, unless upon application to the proper officer the Master be unable to procure a Pilot, Harbour-Master or Assistant of the Master Attendant or Harbour-Master to go on board the said vessel.

Vessels above 200 tons to be provided with force-pump, &c.

39. Every vessel exceeding the burden of two hundred tons and lying in any such port shall be provided with a proper force-pump, hose and appurtenances, for the purpose of extinguishing any fire that may occur on board.

The Master of every such vessel who, having been required by the Conservator to comply with the provisions of this section, without lawful excuse neglects or refuses so to do for the space of seven days after such requisition, shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Unauthorized person not to search for lost stores.

40. No person, unless duly authorized by the Conservator, shall creep or sweep in any such port for anchors, cables or other stores lost or supposed to be lost therein.

Whoever offends against the provisions of this section shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Removing stones, &c., or injuring shores of port prohibited.

41. No person shall, without the permission of the Conservator, remove or carry away any rock, stones, shingle, gravel, or soil, or any artificial protection from any part of the bank or shore of any such port;

and no person shall sink or bury in any part of such bank or shore, whether the same be public or private property, any mooring-post, anchor or any other thing, or do any other thing which is likely to injure or to be used so as to injure such bank or shore, except with the permission of the said Conservator, and with the aid or under the inspection of such person (if any) as he may appoint to take part in or overlook the performance of such work.

Whoever offends against the provisions of this section shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and shall pay the expenses of repairing the injury (if any) done by him to such bank or shore.

Publication of Orders.

Publication of orders of Local Government.

42. Every declaration, order and rule of a Local Government, made in pursuance of this Act, shall be published in the official Gazette; and a copy thereof shall be fixed up in some conspicuous place in the office of the Conservator of every port to which such order relates and in the Custom-house, if any, of every port subject to this Act.

Penalty for disobedience to rules.

Whoever disobeys any such order or rule shall be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees for every such offence.

And in the case of disobedience to any rule made under section thirty-seven the owner or Master of the vessel concerned shall also be punished with a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees for each day during which such rule is disobeyed.

CHAPTER V.

OF SALVAGE IN PORTS.

Salvage payable for wreck, &c.

43. If any anchors, wreck, stores, or other property be recovered by any officer employed by the Local Government for that purpose, from the surface, bed or shore of any port subject to this Act, the Local Government shall be entitled to receive a reasonable sum for salvage, having regard to the place of recovery.

A register shall be kept of all property so recovered, in such manner and at such place as the Local Government may direct.

Register to be kept.

It shall contain a description of such property, and of the times and places where the same has been recovered;

and it shall be open to public inspection at reasonable office-hours, except on Sundays and such holidays as the Local Government may direct.

44. If the property recovered under the last preceding section, or by a Conservator acting under section fifteen, is unclaimed, or if the person claiming the same fails to pay the amount due to the Local Government in respect thereof,

Property recovered may, in certain cases, be sold.

such property may be sold by public auction, if of a perishable nature, forthwith; and if not of a perishable nature, at any period not less than six months after the recovery thereof;

and on the realization of the proceeds, the amount due to the Local Government for salvage, or for the expenses incurred under section fifteen, shall be deducted therefrom, and credited to the Local Government, and the balance shall be paid to the person entitled to the property recovered, or, if no such person appear and claim the same, shall be held in deposit for payment, without interest, to any person thereafter establishing his right to the same:

Proceeds how applied.

Provided that he makes his claim within one year from the date of the sale.

CHAPTER VI.

OF PORT-DUES AND CHARGES.

45. In each of the ports mentioned in the first schedule hereto annexed, such port-due not exceeding the amount specified for such port in the third column of the same schedule as the Local Government from time to time directs shall be levied on vessels entering the same port and described in the second column of the same schedule, but not oftener than the time fixed for such port in the fourth column of the same schedule.

Levy of port-dues.

Whenever the Local Government with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council has declared or hereafter declares any port to be subject to this Act, it may, with the like sanction, by the same or any subsequent declaration, further declare—

(*a*) the maximum amount of dues to be levied on vessels entering such port;

(*b*) the conditions and modifications under which such dues shall be levied;

and may, also, from time to time, with the like sanction, vary such conditions and modifications; and such dues shall be levied accordingly.

All port-dues now leviable in any of the said ports shall continue to be so leviable until it is otherwise declared in exercise of the powers conferred by this section.

No port-dues or fees shall hereafter be levied in any port except under the authority of this Act.

No order increasing or imposing port-dues under this section shall take effect until the expiration of sixty days from the day on which such order has been published in the local official Gazette.

46. The Local Government may, from time to time, exempt the vessels entering any port subject to this Act from the levy of port-dues and cancel such exemption, or it may from time to time vary the rate at which port-dues shall be levied in any such port, in such manner as, having regard to the receipts and charges on account of that port, it thinks expedient, by reducing or raising the dues, or any of them;

Local Government may vary port-dues.

Provided that the rates shall not in any case exceed the amount authorized to be taken by this Act.

Proviso.

47. For every port at which port-dues are levied under this Act, a distinct account, to be called the Account of the Port Fund of the port to which it relates, shall be kept by such officer as the Local Government may appoint for that purpose.

Accounts of port-dues.

This account shall show in complete detail the receipts and charges of the port; and an abstract statement of every such account shall be published annually, as soon after the first of May of each year as may be practicable, in which statement the balance at the close of the year at the credit or debit of the port shall be shown.

If, for any of the purposes of this Act, an advance of money has been or shall be made by Government on account of any port subject to this Act, simple interest upon that advance, or upon so much of it as remains or shall remain unrepaid, at such rate as the Governor General in Council may determine, shall be charged in the Port Fund Account thereof.

All expenses, including the pay and allowances of all persons upon the establishment of the port, the cost of buoys, beacons, lights and all other works maintained chiefly for the benefit of vessels being in, or entering, or leaving the port, or passing through the rivers or channels leading thereto, but excluding receipts and expenses on account of pilotage, incurred for the sake of every such port, shall be charged in the Port Fund Account of that port.

And all money, including salvage-money, proceeds of waifs, and fines, received under this Act, at or on account of every such port, shall be credited in the Port Fund Account of that port.

The Local Government may direct that for the purposes of this section any number of ports shall be regarded as constituting a single port; and thereupon all sums received on account of port-dues at any of the same ports shall form a common fund which shall be available for the payment of all charges incurred on account of any of the same ports, and such balance as may remain after payment of such expenses may be temporarily invested in such manner as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

48. The Collector of Customs at every such port, or such other officer as the Local Government appoints in this behalf, shall collect the port-dues above-mentioned.

Collection of port-dues.

The officer to whom any such port-dues are paid, shall grant to the person paying the same a proper voucher in writing under his hand, describing the name of his office, the port or place at which the port-dues are paid, and the name, tonnage and other proper description of the vessel in respect of which such payment is made.

Voucher to be given.

49. Within twenty-four hours after the arrival within the limits of any port subject to this Act of any vessel liable to the payment of port-dues under this or any subsequent Act, the Master of such vessel shall report such arrival to the Conservator of such port.

Master to report arrival.

Any Master without lawful excuse failing to make such report within the time aforesaid shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Nothing in this section applies to tug-steamers, ferry-steamers or river-steamers plying in any of the ports subject to this Act.

50. If any vessel liable to the payment of port-dues is in any such port without proper marks on the stem and stern-posts thereof for denoting her draught, the Conservator may cause the same to be ascertained by means of the operation of hooking, and the Master of such vessel shall be liable to pay the expenses of such operation.

Conservator may in certain cases ascertain draught, and charge expense to Master.

51. In order to ascertain the tonnage of any vessel liable to pay port-dues the following rules shall be observed:—

Tonnage of vessel liable to port-dues how ascertained

(*a*).—If such vessel be a British registered vessel, or a vessel registered under Act No. X of 1841, or Act No. XI of 1850, or under the laws for the time being in force for the registration of vessels in India, the Conservator may require the owner or Master of such vessel, or any person having possession of her register, to produce such register for inspection. If any such owner, Master, or other person neglect or refuse to produce such register, or otherwise to satisfy the Conservator as to what is the true tonnage of the vessel in respect of which such port-dues are payable, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and the Conservator may cause such vessel to be measured, and the tonnage thereof to be ascertained; and in such case the owner or Master of such vessel shall also be liable to pay the expenses of such measurement.

if registered;

(*b*).—If such vessel be not a British registered vessel, or a vessel registered under Act No. X of 1841, or Act No. XI of 1850, or under the laws for the time being in force for the registration of vessels in India, and the owner or Master thereof fail to satisfy the Conservator as to what is her true tonnage according to the mode of measurement prescribed by the law in force for the time being for regulating the measurement of British registered vessels, the Conservator shall cause such vessel to be measured and the tonnage thereof, according to the mode aforesaid, to be ascertained; and in such case, the owner or Master of such vessel shall be liable to pay the expenses of such measurement.

if not registered.

52. If the Master of any vessel, in respect of which any port-dues or charges are payable under this Act refuses or neglects to pay the same on demand, the Collector of Customs, or other person authorized to collect such port-dues, fees or charges, may distrain or arrest such vessel, and the tackle, apparel and furniture belonging thereto, or any part thereof, and detain the same until the amount due is paid;

On refusal to pay port-dues, &c., the Collector may distrain and sell.

and in case any part of the said port-dues or charges, or of the costs of the distress or arrest, or of the keeping of the same, remains unpaid for the space of five days next after any such distress or arrest so made, the Collector of Customs, or other such person as aforesaid, may cause the vessel or other thing so distrained or arrested to be sold, and with the proceeds of such sale may satisfy the port-dues, charges, and costs, including the costs of sale remaining unpaid, and shall render the surplus (if any) to the Master of such vessel upon demand.

53. The Officer of Government, whose duty it is to grant a port-clearance for any vessel, shall not grant such clearance—

No port-clearance to be granted until dues, &c., are paid.

(*a*) until her owner or Master, or some other person, has paid or secured to the satisfaction of such officer the amount of all port-dues, fees and charges, and of all fines, penalties and expenses to which such vessel or her owner or Master is liable under this Act;

(*b*) until all expenses, which by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, section 228, are to be borne by her owner, incurred since her arrival in the port from which she seeks clearance, have been duly paid.

54. If the Master of any vessel in respect of which any port-dues or charges are payable causes her to leave any port without having discharged such dues, fees, or charges, the Collector of Customs or other officer authorized to collect the same may require in writing the Collector of Customs or other Officer as aforesaid, in any other port in British India to which she may proceed or in which she may be, to levy such dues or charges.

Port-dues, &c., payable in one port recoverable by Collector at any other port.

Every Collector or other officer to whom such requisition shall be directed shall proceed to levy such dues or charges in the manner prescribed in section fifty-two; and a certificate purporting to be made and signed by the Collector of Customs or other Officer as aforesaid of the port where the port-dues or charges became payable, stating the amount so payable, shall be sufficient *primâ facie* proof of such amount in any proceeding under the said section, and also (in case the amount payable is disputed) in any subsequent proceeding under section seventy.

55. If the Master of any such vessel evades the payment of any port-dues or charges payable under this Act, he shall be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding five times the amount so payable.

Penalty for evading payment of port-dues, &c.

In any proceeding before a Magistrate for the adjudication of such penalty, any such certificate as is mentioned in section fifty-four stating that the Master has evaded such payment, shall be sufficient *primâ facie* proof of the evasion, unless the Master shows to the satisfaction of the Magistrate that the departure of the vessel without having discharged the dues or charges payable was caused by stress of weather, or that there was lawful or reasonable ground for such departure.

Any Magistrate having jurisdiction under this Act in any port to which the vessel may proceed or in which she may be found, shall be deemed to have jurisdiction in any proceeding under this section.

56. Vessels entering any port subject to this Act (other than the ports in British Burma) in ballast

Port-due on vessels in ballast.

and not carrying passengers, shall be charged with a port-due not exceeding three-fourths of the port-due with which they would otherwise be chargeable.

Port-due on vessels not discharging or taking in cargo.

57. When any vessel enters any port subject to this Act, but does not discharge or take in any cargo or passenger therein (with the exception of such unshipment and reshipment as may be necessary for purposes of repair), the port-due chargeable in respect of such vessel shall be at a rate equal to one-half the rate chargeable in respect of other vessels:

Provided that no vessel entering any of the ports subject to the Governor of Fort St. George in Council and leaving the same within forty-eight hours without discharging or taking in any passengers or cargo, shall be charged with any port-dues.

Port-dues not chargeable on vessels re-entering from stress of weather.

58. No port-due shall be chargeable in respect of any vessel which, having left any port, is compelled to re-enter it by stress of weather or in consequence of having sustained any damage.

Hospital Port-Dues.

Power to impose hospital port-dues.

59. The Local Government may, from time to time, by notification in the official *Gazette*, order that there shall be paid in respect of every ship entering any port subject to this Act, within a reasonable distance of which there may be a public hospital or dispensary suitable for the reception or relief of seamen requiring medical aid, such further port-dues not exceeding one anna per ton as the Local Government thinks fit.

Such port-dues shall be called hospital port-dues.

No order imposing or increasing hospital port-dues shall take effect until the expiration of sixty days from the day on which such order has been published in the official Gazette.

Whenever the Local Government is satisfied that proper provision has been made by the owners or agents of any ship or class of ships for giving medical aid to the seamen employed on board such ship or class of ships, it may, by notification in the official *Gazette*, exempt such ship or class of ships from any payment under this section. The Local Government may, by like notification, withdraw any such exemption.

Application of hospital port-dues.

60. Such hospital port-dues shall be applied, as the Local Government may direct, to the support of any such hospital or dispensary as aforesaid or otherwise for providing sanitary superintendence and medical aid for the shipping in such port and for the seamen belonging to such ships, whether such seamen are ashore or afloat.

Fees for certain Services.

Fees for pilotage, hauling, remooring, &c.

61. Within any port subject to this Act, fees may be charged for pilotage, hauling, mooring, remooring, hooking, measuring, and other services rendered to vessels, at such rates as the Local Government may, from time to time, direct:

Provided that, in the case of fees for pilotage, the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council has been obtained.

The fees now chargeable for such services shall continue to be chargeable unless and until they are altered in exercise of the power conferred by the former part of this section.

CHAPTER VII.

OF HOISTING SIGNALS.

Master to hoist number of vessel.

62. The Master of every inward or outward-bound vessel, on arriving within signal-distance of any signal-station established within the limits of the river Hugli or within the limits of any part of a river or channel subject to this Act shall, on the requisition of the pilot in charge of the vessel, signify the name of the vessel by hoisting the number by which she is known, or by adopting such other means to this end as may be practicable and usual, and shall keep the signal flying until it is answered from the signal-station.

Penalty for not hoisting signal.

63. Any Master of a vessel arriving as aforesaid, who refuses or neglects to conform to the above rule, shall be liable on conviction, for each instance of such refusal or neglect, to a fine not exceeding one thousand rupees.

Pilot to require Master to hoist signal.

64. Every pilot in charge of a vessel shall require the number of the vessel of which he is in charge to be duly signalled as provided under section sixty-two.

And if Master refuses to do so, pilot may anchor.

When, on a requisition from the pilot to that effect, the Master of a vessel refuses to hoist the number of a vessel, or to adopt such other means of making her name known as may be practicable and usual, the pilot in charge of such vessel may, on arrival at the first place of safe anchorage, anchor the vessel and refuse to proceed on his course until the requisition has been complied with.

Punishment of pilot disobeying provisions of this chapter

65. Any pilot in charge of a vessel who disobeys, or abets within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code disobedience to, any of the provisions of this chapter, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five hundred rupees for each instance of such disobedience or abetment, and in addition shall be liable to dismissal from his appointment.

CHAPTER VIII.

OF PENALTIES.

Offences how triable, and penalties how recovered.

66. All offences against this Act shall be triable by a Magistrate. And any Magistrate may, by warrant under his hand, cause the amount of any such penalty imposed upon the owner or Master of any vessel, for any offence committed on board of such vessel, or in the management thereof, or otherwise in relation thereto, whereof such owner or Master is convicted, to be levied by distress and sale of such vessel, and the tackle, apparel and furniture thereof, or so much thereof as is necessary.

Costs of conviction.

67. In case of any conviction under this Act, the convicting Magistrate may order the offender to pay the costs of such conviction, in addition to any fine or expenses to which he may be liable.

Such costs may be assessed by the Magistrate, and may be levied and recovered in the same manner as any fine under this Act.

Damages, &c., payable under this Act, how ascertained and recovered.

68. Whenever any person is liable, under the provisions of this Act, to pay any sum of money, damages, or expenses not exceeding one thousand rupees, the same may be recovered and levied in the same manner as any fine under this Act, and, if necessary, the amount thereof may be fixed and assessed by the Magistrate before whom the case is tried.

Costs of distress.

69. Whenever any fine, damages or expenses is or are levied under this Act, by distress and sale, the costs of such distress and sale may be levied in addition to such fine, damages or expenses, and in the same manner.

Magistrate to determine the amount to be levied in case of dispute.

70. If any dispute arise concerning the amount leviable by any distress or arrest under this Act, or the charges or costs payable under the last preceding section, the person making such distress or using such arrest may detain the goods distrained or arrested, or the proceeds of the sale thereof, until the amount to be levied has been determined by a Magistrate, who, upon application made to him for that purpose, may determine such amount, and award such costs to be paid by either of the parties to the other of them as he thinks reasonable; and payment of such costs, if not paid on demand, shall be enforced in the same manner as any penalty under this Act.

Jurisdiction over offences beyond local limits of jurisdiction.

71. Any person offending against the provisions of this Act, in any port, river or channel subject to this Act, shall be punishable by any Magistrate having jurisdiction over any district or place adjoining such port, river or channel, or adjoining either side of that part of the river or channel in which such offence is committed.

Such Magistrate may exercise all the powers of a Magistrate under this Act, in the same manner and to the same extent as if the offence had been committed locally within the limits of his jurisdiction, notwithstanding the offence may not have been committed locally within such limits; and in case any such Magistrate exercise the jurisdiction hereby vested in him, the offence shall be deemed, for all purposes, to have been committed locally within the limits of his jurisdiction.

Conviction to be quashed on merits only.

72. No conviction, order, or judgment of any Magistrate under this Act shall be quashed for error of form or procedure, but only on the merits;

Form of conviction.

and it shall not be necessary to state, on the face of the conviction, order or judgment, the evidence on which it proceeds.

If no jurisdiction appears on the face of the conviction, order or judgment, but the depositions taken supply that defect, the conviction, order or judgment shall be aided by what so appears in such depositions.

CHAPTER IX.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Hoisting unlawful colours in Port.

73. If any vessel belonging to any of Her Majesty's subjects, or sailing under British colours, hoist, carry, or wear, within the limits of any port subject to this Act, any flag, jack, pendant or colours, the use whereof on board such vessel has been prohibited by the Statute 17th & 18th of Victoria, chapter 104, or any other Statute now or hereafter to be in force, or by any proclamation made or to be made in pursuance of any such Statute, or by any of Her Majesty's Regulations in force for the time being, the Master of such vessel shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Such fine shall be in addition to any other penalty recoverable under the said Statute or any future Statute to be made in that behalf.

Any officer of Her Majesty's Navy within the limits of such port, or the Conservator of such Port, may enter on board any such vessel, and seize and take away any flag, jack, pendant or colour so unlawfully hoisted, carried, or worn on board the same.

Foreign Deserters.

74. Any Magistrate, upon an application being made to him by the Consul of any Foreign Power to which the Foreign Deserters' Act, 1852, has by an order of Her Majesty in Council been, or shall hereafter be, declared to be applicable, or by the representative of such Consul, and upon complaint on oath of the desertion of any seaman, not being a slave, from any ship of such Foreign Power, may, until a revocation of such Order in Council has been publicly notified, issue his warrant for the apprehension of any such deserter;

and, upon due proof of the desertion, may order him to be conveyed on board the vessel to which he belongs, or, at the instance of the Consul, to be detained in custody till the vessel is ready to sail, or, if the vessel has sailed, for a reasonable time not exceeding one month:

Provided that a deposit be first made of such sum as the Magistrate deems necessary for the subsistence of the deserter during such detention;

Provided also that the detention of such deserter shall not be continued beyond twelve weeks.

Application of sections 11 and 22.

75. The provisions contained in sections eleven and twenty-two shall be applicable to all ports heretofore or hereafter declared by the Local Government to be ports for the shipment and landing of goods, but not otherwise subject to this Act, and may be enforced by any Magistrate to whose ordinary jurisdiction any such port is subject.

Any penalties imposed by him, and any expenses incurred by his order under the said provisions, shall be recoverable respectively in the manner provided in sections sixty-six and sixty-eight.

In any of the said ports for the shipment and landing of goods the consent referred to in section twenty-two may be given by the principal officer of customs at such port or by any other officer appointed in that behalf by the Local Government.

Disputes concerning amount due under section 15 or section 43.

76. Any dispute arising concerning the amount due under section fifteen or section forty-three shall be determined by a Magistrate upon application made to him for that purpose by either of the disputing parties.

Amendment of Act XIII of 1867.

77. Act No. XIII of 1867, section one, shall be read as if for the words "and such port-due" the following words were substituted (namely),—"The port-due leviable under the Indian Ports Act, 1875, in either of the ports of Maulmain and Bassein."

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(See section 2.)

PART I.—BRITISH BURMA.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Maulmain ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards, but less than twenty-five tons.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once in sixty days.
	Sea-going vessels of twenty-five tons and upwards.	Not exceeding five annas six pie per ton.	Ditto.
Rangoon ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Not exceeding six annas per ton.	Ditto.
Kyook Phyoo ...	Ditto ...	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Ditto.
Akyab ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Bassein ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards, but less than twenty-five tons.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
	Sea-going vessels of twenty-five tons and upwards.	Not exceeding five annas six pie per ton.	Ditto.

PART II.—THE LOWER PROVINCES.

Chittagong ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four and a half annas per ton.	Once in sixty days.
Port Canning ...	Sea-going vessels of twenty tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four annas per ton; provided that in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, the rate shall be one-half the rate chargeable in respect of other vessels.	Whenever the vessel enters the port, except in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, which shall not be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in ninety days.
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers belonging to Port Canning.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June, and once between the 1st July and the 31st December in each year.
Calcutta ...	Sea-going vessels of twenty tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four annas per ton; provided that in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, the rate shall be one-half the rate chargeable in respect of other vessels.	Whenever the vessel enters the port, except in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, which shall not be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in sixty days.
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June, and once between the 1st July and 31st December in each year.
Cuttack Ports,—namely, Balasore, Chúráman, Laichhunpur, Chánua, Subarnrekha, Dhámra and Sartha.	Sea-going vessels of three hundred maunds and upwards.	Not exceeding six annas per hundred maunds.	Whenever the vessel enters the port.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART III.—THE MADRAS PRESIDENCY.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Eastern Group—			
1. Ganjam ...	Sea-going vessels of fifteen tons and upwards.	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that in the case of vessels employed in the coasting trade, not being steamers, the rates shall be one-half the rates chargeable in respect of other vessels: provided also that any steamer engaged in the coasting trade, when it enters any of the ports of the Eastern and Western Groups, shall pay the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of such group and an addition of half of such highest rate.	(*a.*) No coasting steamer having paid port-dues at any port shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or at any other port of the same group within thirty days. (*b.*) No coasting vessel other than a coasting steamer shall be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in sixty days. (*c.*) No vessel other than a coasting vessel or a coasting steamer shall be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in ninety days. In the above rules the expression "coasting vessel" means any vessel which at any port discharges cargo exclusively from, or takes in cargo exclusively for, any port on the Continent of India or in the Island of Ceylon.
2. Gopalpur ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
3. Calingapatam	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
4. Bimlipatam...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
5. Vizagapatam..	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
6. Coconada ... / 7. Coringa * ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
8. Masulipatam..	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
9. Madras ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
10. Cuddalore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
11. Porto Novo ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
12. Tranquebar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
13. Negapatam ... / 14. Nagore * ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
15. Tuticorin ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
Western Group—			
1. Mangalore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
2. Cannanore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
3. Tellicherry ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
4. Calicut ... / 5. Beypore * ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
6. Cochin ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	

NOTE.—As regards the levy of port-dues, each of the following pairs of ports (namely)—Coconada and Coringa Negapatam and Nagore, Calicut and Beypore—shall be treated as if it were only one port; every vessel in respect of which such dues have been charged and taken at one of any of the said pairs being exempted from the charge on entering the other of the same pair.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Bombay ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding four annas per ton, and not less than two annas per ton for each class of vessels, as the Trustees incorporated under the Bombay Port Trust Act, 1873, may direct.	Once in the same month.
	Tug-steamers, Ferry-steamers and River-steamers.	Ditto ...	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June and once between the 1st July and 31st December in each year.
Northern Group of Ports.			
1. Gogo ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
2. Bávliári ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
3. Khun ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
4. Tankária ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
5. Dehegám ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
6. Dehej ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
7. Broach ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
8. Bhagwá ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
9. Surat ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
10. Matwád ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
11. Bulsar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
12. Umarsári ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
13. Kolak ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
14. Kálai ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
15. Maroli ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
16. Umbargám ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—*continued.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Northern Group of Ports.—continued.			
17. Gholwad ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
18. Dáhánu creek ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
19. Túrápur ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
20. Alivárá Navápur	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21. Sátpáti creek ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
22. Máhim (Kelva) ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
23. Kelva ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
24. Dántivra ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
25. Arnála ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Southern Group of Ports.			
1. Bandora ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
2. Veráva ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
3. Manori ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
4. Utan ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
5. Bassein ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
6. Bhiwandi ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
7. Kallian ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—*continued.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Southern Group of Ports.—continued.			
8. Tanna ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
9. Trombay ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
10. Panwel ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
11. Karanja ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
12. Rewas ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
13. Nagothna ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
14. Thal ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
15. Alibág ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
16. Revdandá ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17. Talkhári ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
18. Bánkot ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
19. Kelsi ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
20. Harnai ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21. Anjanwel ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
22. Boryá ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
23. Jaygarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
24. Ratnágiri ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
25. Purnagarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
26. Yeshwantgarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
27. Viziádurg ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
28. Devgarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
29. Achara ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*concluded.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—*concluded.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Southern Group of Ports.—continued.			
30. Málwan ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
31. Nivti ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
32. Vengorla ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
33. Reri ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
34. Tirekhol ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
35. Karwar including Baitkhol.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
36. Chendya ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
37. Ankola ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
38. Gangawali ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
39. Tadri ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
40. Honáwar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
41. Shiráli ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
42. Coomta ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
43. Murdheshwar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
44. Bhatkal ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Karáchi	Ditto ...	Four annas per ton	Once in three months.
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers.	Ditto ...	Once between the 1st January and the 30th day of June and once between the 1st July and the 31st December in each year.
Aden	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Three annas per ton	Once a month.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(See section 3.)

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
Act XIII of 1839 ...	Port duties.	So much as has not been repealed.
Act XXII of 1855 ...	Ports and Port-dues.	Ditto.
Act XIII of 1856 ...	Police in Presidency Towns.	Section 117.
Act XXX of 1857 ...	Port-dues and Fees (Calcutta).	The whole.
Act XXXI of 1857 ...	Port-dues and Fees (Bombay).	Ditto.
Act XXXV of 1857 ...	Port-dues and Fees (Maulmain, Rangoon, &c.)	Ditto.
Act II of 1858 ...	Port-dues and Fees in certain Ports in the Province of Cuttack.	Ditto.
Act VIII of 1858. ...	Port-dues and Fees (Karáchi).	Ditto.
Act XV of 1858 ...	Port-dues and Fees (Port of Aden).	Ditto.
Act XVIII of 1858 ...	Port-dues and Fees (certain Madras Ports.)	Ditto.
Act XIX of 1860 ...	Amending Act XXII of 1855.	Ditto.
Act XXV of 1860 ...	Bassein.	Ditto.
Act XIII of 1867 ...	Amending Act XXV of 1860.	In the title, the words *"for the levy of enhanced Port-dues in the Ports of Moulmain and Bassein, and"* The preamble down to and including the words "mentioned; And" Section one down to and including the word "Bassein."
Act VII of 1873 ...	Burma Port-dues.	The whole.
Bengal Act I of 1862 ...	Hoisting Signals.	Ditto.
Bengal Act I of 1863 ...	Port-dues and Fees in the Port of Canning on the River Mutlah.	Ditto.
Bengal Act III of 1865 ...	Fire in Ports.	Sections 3 and 4. Section 8, clauses 1 and 2. Section 10.
Bengal Act IV of 1866 ...	Amending Act XIII of 1856.	Section 103.
Bengal Act III of 1867 ...	Ships in Ports.	Sections 7, 11, 12 and 18.
Bengal Act III of 1872 ...	Amending Bengal Act V of 1870 and Act XXII of 1855.	Section 5.
Madras Act I of 1864 ...	Extension of parts of Act XXII of 1855.	The whole.
Madras Act VII of 1867 ...	Port-dues.	Ditto.
Madras Act VIII of 1867 ...	Madras Police.	Section 80.
Bombay Act IV of 1863 ...	Amending Act XV of 1858 (Port-dues, Aden).	The whole.
Bombay Act XI of 1866 ...	Port-dues.	Ditto.
Bombay Act I of 1873 ...	Bombay Port Trust Act, 1873.	Section 75.

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[Second Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 15th March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. XIII OF 1875.

An Act to amend the law relating to Probates and Letters of Administration.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, under the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the effect of an unlimited grant of probate or letters of administration made by any Court in British India is confined to the Province in which such grant is made: And whereas it is expedient to extend over British India the effect of such grants when made by a High Court: And whereas it is also expedient to amend the Court Fees Act, 1870, as to probates, letters of administration and certificates of administration: It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Addition to Act No. X of 1865, section 3.

1. To section 3 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following words shall be added (namely):— "and for the purposes of sections 242, 242A, 246A and 277A, shall include the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon."

Addition to Act No. X of 1865, section 242.

2. To section 242 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following proviso shall be added (namely):—

Effect of unlimited probates, &c., granted by High Court.

"Provided that probates and letters of administration granted by a High Court after the first day of April, 1875, shall, unless otherwise directed by the grant, have like effect throughout the whole of British India."

Addition to Act No. X of 1865.

3. The following section shall be inserted after the said proviso (namely):—

Transmission of certificate by High Court granting probate, &c., to other Courts.

"242A. Whenever a grant of probate or letters of administration is made by a High Court with such effect as last aforesaid, the Registrar or such other officer as the High Court making the grant appoints in this behalf shall send to each of the other High Courts a certificate to the following effect:—

I, *A. B.*, Registrar [*or as the case may be*] of the High Court of Judicature at [*or as the case may be*], hereby certify that on the day of 187 the High Court of Judicature at [*or as the case may be*] granted probate of the will [*or* letters of administration of the estate] of *C. D.*, late of deceased, to *E. F.* of and *G. H.* of , and that such probate [*or* letters] has [*or* have] effect over all the property of the deceased throughout the whole of British India;

and such certificate shall be filed by the High Court receiving the same."

Addition after section 246 of Act X of 1865.

4. After section 246 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following section shall be inserted (namely):—

Additional statements in petition for probate, &c.

"246A. Every person applying to a High Court for probate of a will or letters of administration of an estate, intended to have effect throughout British India, shall state in his petition, in addition to the matters respectively required by section 244 and section 246 of this Act, that to the best of his belief no application has been made to any other High Court for a probate of the same will or for letters of administration of the same estate, intended to have such effect as last aforesaid,

or, where any such application has been made, the High Court to which it was made, the person or persons by whom it was made, and the proceedings (if any) had thereon.

And the High Court to which any application is made under the proviso to section 242 of this Act may, if it think fit, reject the same."

Addition after section 277 of Act X of 1865.

5. After section 277 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following section shall be inserted (namely):—

Inventory may include property in any part of British India.

"277A. In all cases where it is sought to obtain a grant of probate or letters of administration intended to have effect throughout the whole of British India, the executor, or the person applying for administration after the first day of April, 1875, to the effects of any person dying in British India and leaving property in more than one Province shall include in the inventory of the effects of the deceased his moveable or immoveable property situate in each of the Provinces:

And the value of such property situate in the said Provinces, respectively, shall be separately stated in such inventory, and the probate or letters of administration shall be chargeable with a fee corresponding to the entire amount or value of the property affected thereby wheresoever situate within British India."

Addition to Act No. VII of 1870.

6. After section nineteen of the Court Fees Act, 1870, the following chapter shall be inserted, (namely):—

"CHAPTER III A.

"PROBATES, LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION AND CERTIFICATES OF ADMINISTRATION.

Relief where too high a Court-fee has been paid.

"19A. Where any person on applying for the probate of a will or letters of administration has estimated the property of the deceased to be of greater value than the same has afterwards proved to be, and has consequently paid too high a Court-fee thereon, if within six months after the true value of the property has been ascertained, such person produces the probate or letters to the Chief Controlling Revenue Authority of the Province in which the probate or letters has or have been granted,

and delivers to such Authority a particular inventory and valuation of the property of the deceased, verified by affidavit or affirmation,

and if such Authority is satisfied that a greater fee was paid on the probate or letters than the law required,

the said Authority may—

(*a*) cancel the stamp on the probate or letters, if such stamp has not been already cancelled;

(*b*) substitute another stamp for denoting the Court-fee which should have been paid thereon; and

(c) make an allowance for the difference between them as in the case of spoiled stamps, or repay the same in money, at his discretion.

Relief where debts due from a deceased person have been paid out of his estate.

"19 B. Whenever it is proved to the satisfaction of such Authority that an executor or administrator has paid debts due from the deceased to such an amount as, being deducted out of the amount or value of the estate, reduces the same to a sum which, if it had been the whole gross amount or value of the estate, would have occasioned a less Court-fee to be paid on the probate or letters of administration granted in respect of such estate than has been actually paid thereon under this Act,

such Authority may return the difference, provided the same be claimed within three years after the date of such probate or letters.

But when, by reason of any legal proceeding, the debts due from the deceased have not been ascertained and paid, or his effects have not been recovered and made available, and in consequence thereof the executor or administrator is prevented from claiming the return of such difference within the said term of three years, the said Authority may allow such further time for making the claim as may appear to be reasonable under the circumstances.

Relief in case of several grants.

"19 C. Whenever such a grant of probate or letters of administration has been or is made in respect of the whole of the property belonging to an estate, and the full fee chargeable under this Act has been or is paid thereon, no fee shall be chargeable under the same Act when a like grant is made in respect of the whole or any part of the same property belonging to the same estate;

Whenever such a grant has been or is made in respect of any property forming part of an estate, the amount of fees then actually paid under this Act shall be deducted when a like grant is made in respect of property belonging to the same estate, identical with or including the property to which the former grant relates.

Probates declared valid as to trust-property though not covered by Court-fee.

"19 D. The probate of the will, or the letters of administration of the effects, of any person deceased heretofore or hereafter granted shall be deemed valid and available by his executors or administrators for recovering, transferring or assigning any moveable or immoveable property whereof or whereto the deceased was possessed or entitled, either wholly or partially as a trustee, notwithstanding the amount or value of such property is not included in the amount or value of the estate in respect of which a Court-fee was paid on such probate or letters of administration.

Provision for case where too low a Court-fee has been paid on probates, &c.

"19 E. Where any person on applying for probate or letters of administration has estimated the estate of the deceased to be of less value than the same has afterwards proved to be, and has in consequence paid too low a Court-fee thereon, the Chief Controlling Revenue Authority of the Province in which the probate or letters has or have been granted, may, on the value of the estate of the deceased being verified by affidavit or affirmation, cause the probate or letters of administration to be duly stamped on payment of the full Court-fee which ought to have been originally paid thereon in respect of such value and of the further penalty, if the probate or letters is or are produced within one year from the date of the grant, of five times, or if it or they is or are produced after one year from such date, of twenty times, such proper Court-fee, without any deduction of the Court-fee originally paid on such probate or letters:

Provided that if the application be made within six months after the ascertainment of the true value of the estate and the discovery that too low a Court-fee was at first paid on the probate or letters, and if the said Authority is satisfied that such fee was paid in consequence of a mistake or of its not being known at the time that some particular part of the estate belonged to the deceased, and without any intention of fraud or to delay the payment of the proper Court-fee, the said Authority may remit the said penalty, and cause the probate or letters to be duly stamped on payment only of the sum wanting to make up the fee which should have been at first paid thereon.

Administrator to give proper security before letters stamped under section 19 E.

"19 F. In case of letters of administration on which too low a Court-fee has been paid at first, the said Authority shall not cause the same to be duly stamped in manner aforesaid until the administrator has given such security to the Court by which the letters of administration have been granted as ought by law to have been given on the granting thereof in case the full value of the estate of the deceased had been then ascertained.

Executors, &c., not paying full Court-fee on probates, &c., within six months after discovery of underpayment.

"19 G. Where too low a Court-fee has been paid on any probate or letters of administration in consequence of any mistake, or of its not being known at the time that some particular part of the estate belonged to the deceased, if any executor or administrator acting under such probate or letters does not, within six months after the first day of April, 1875, or after the discovery of the mistake, or of any effects not known at the time to have belonged to the deceased, apply to the said Authority and pay what is wanting to make up the Court-fee which ought to have been paid at first on such probate or letters, he shall forfeit the sum of one thousand rupees and also a further sum at the rate of ten rupees per cent. on the amount of the sum wanting to make up the proper Court-fee.

Sections 19A to 19G applied to certificates under Acts XL of 1858 and XX of 1864.

"19 H. The provisions of sections 19 A to 19 G (both inclusive) shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to certificates granted under Act No. XL of 1858 (*for making better provision for the care of the persons and property of Minors in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal*) or Act No. XX of 1864 (*for making better provision for the care of the persons and property of Minors in the Presidency of Bombay*) and to the holders of such certificates."

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PART V.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 15th March 1875, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in six weeks:—

No. 4 OF 1875.

A Bill to amend the law relating to certain Courts and Offices in the Panjáb.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to certain Courts and Offices in the Panjáb; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Panjáb Administration Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to all the territories for the time being under the government of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the passing thereof.

Repeal of Act XIX of 1865, s. 20.

2. Section twenty of the Panjáb Courts Act, 1865, is repealed in so far as it relates to the powers of a Deputy Commissioner.

The Local Government may confer powers of a Tahsíldár,

3. The Local Government may invest any person with all or any of the powers conferred by the said Act or by any other enactment for the time being in force,

(a) on a Tahsíldár exercising civil or revenue jurisdiction or in any other capacity; or

of a Deputy Commissioner, or

(b) on a Deputy Commissioner exercising civil jurisdiction; or

of a principal civil Court.

(c) on a principal civil Court of original jurisdiction.

Such powers where and in what cases to be exercised.

4. Any person invested with powers under section three shall exercise such powers in such District or Districts, or in such portion of a District, as the Local Government may from time to time appoint in this behalf, and in such cases or classes of cases as the Deputy Commissioner of the District may from time to time, subject to any rules prescribed in this behalf by the Local Government, by general or special order direct.

Persons exercising such powers to be deemed to be Tahsíldárs or Deputy Commissioners.

5. Any person exercising any of the said powers shall, for the purposes of the law relating to appeals and for all other purposes connected with the exercise of such powers, be deemed to be a Tahsíldár or Deputy Commissioner, as the case may be.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

This Bill is intended to give effect to the scheme which has recently been sanctioned for strengthening the judicial and executive administrations of the Panjáb.

Among the leading points of that scheme are—

1st.—a proposal to appoint, in every District where it may be found necessary, a Judicial Assistant who will relieve the Deputy Commissioner of the bulk of his civil judicial business:

2ndly.—a proposal to appoint, in each tahsíl, an officer to be called a Munsif who, as a general rule, will take the judicial business of the tahsíl, but whose services will likewise be available for any other duties ordinarily performed by a Tahsíldár, on which it may at times be found convenient to employ him. The powers conferred by section 20 of Act XIX of 1865 and by Act III of 1868 being deemed insufficient to enable the Local Government fully to carry out these proposals, fresh legislation has become necessary.

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Acts of the Governor General's Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 15th March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. XII OF 1875.

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An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to Ports and Port-dues.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to Ports and Port-dues; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Ports Act, 1875:"

Present local extent.

2. It shall extend—

(*a*) to the ports mentioned in the first schedule hereto annexed, and to such parts of the navigable rivers and channels leading to such ports respectively, as have been declared to be subject to Act No. XXII of 1855 (*for the regulation of Ports and Port-dues*);

Power to extend this Act.

(*b*) to the other ports or parts of rivers or channels to which the Local Government, in exercise of the power hereinafter conferred, applies the provisions of this Act.

But nothing herein contained shall—

(*c*) apply to any vessel belonging to or in the service of Her Majesty or the Government of India, or to any vessel of war belonging to any Foreign Prince or State;

(*d*) deprive any person of any right of property or other private right except as hereinafter expressly provided; or

(*e*) affect any law or rule relating to the Customs, or any order or direction lawfully made or given pursuant thereto.

And nothing contained in any of the following sections (namely), thirty-eight, thirty-nine, forty and forty-one, shall apply to any port, river or channel to which such section has not been specially extended by the Local Government.

Repeal of Acts.

3. The Acts mentioned in the second schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent specified in the third column thereof.

Every declaration, appointment or rule made under any such Act and now in force shall be deemed to have been made under this Act.

The references made to any Act or provision of an Act hereby repealed shall be read as if made to this Act or the corresponding provision of this Act, as the case may be.

Interpretation-clause.

4. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Vessel." "Vessel" includes anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or of property:

"Master." "Master," when used in relation to any vessel, means any person (except a Pilot or Harbour-Master) having for the time being the charge or control of such vessel:

"Pilot." "Pilot" means a person for the time being authorized by the Local Government to pilot vessels:

"Owner." "Owner" includes also any agent to whom a vessel is consigned:

"Gunpowder." "Gunpowder" includes also rockets and other combustible ammunition:

"Magistrate." "Magistrate" means a person exercising powers under the Code of Criminal Procedure not less than those of a Magistrate of the Second Class and includes, in the Towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, a Magistrate of Police; and

"Port." "Port" includes also any part of a river or channel in which this Act is for the time being in force.

CHAPTER II.

OF THE POWERS OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Power to extend this Act.

5. With the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Local Government may from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette,

(*a*) extend this Act to any port or to any part of any navigable river or channel leading thereto in which this Act is not in force,

Power to extend specially sections 38, 39, 40 and 41.

(*b*) extend specially the provisions of any of the following sections (namely), thirty-eight, thirty-nine, forty and forty-one, to any port or to any part of any such river or channel to which such provisions have not been so extended,

Power to withdraw this Act.

(*c*) withdraw this Act from any port or any part thereof in which it is for the time being in force:

Provided that every notification under clause (*a*) or clause (*b*) of this section may define the limits of the port, river or channel to which it refers, and that such limits may extend to high-water-mark.

Such limits may include any piers, jetties, landing-places, wharfs, quays, docks, and other works made on behalf of the public for convenience of traffic, for safety of vessels, or for the improvement, maintenance and good government of such port, river or channel, whether within or without high-water-mark, and (subject to any rights of private property therein) any portion of the shore or bank within fifty yards of such line.

EXPLANATION:—In this section 'high-water-mark' means the highest point reached by ordinary spring-tides at any season of the year.

Limits how to be altered.

6. The Local Government may from time to time, with the like sanction, and subject to the rights referred to in section five, alter the limits of any port in which this Act may be in force, and declare or describe, by notification in the official Gazette or by means of maps, posts or otherwise, the precise extent of such limits.

Local Government empowered to make Port-rules as to—

7. The Local Government may, from time to time, make such rules, consistent with this Act, as it may think necessary for any of the following purposes, namely,—

entering or leaving Port:

(*a*) for regulating the time at which, and the manner in which, vessels shall enter into or go out of any port subject to this Act:

berths of vessels:

(*b*) for regulating the berths, stations and anchorages to be occupied by vessels in any such port:

striking yards, &c.:

(*c*) for striking the yards and top-masts, and for rigging-in the booms and yards, of vessels in any such port; and for swinging or taking-in davits, boats and other things projecting from such vessels:

removal of anchors, &c.:

(*d*) for the removal or proper hanging or placing of anchors, spars, and other things, in or attached to vessels in any such port:

(*e*) for regulating vessels whilst taking in or discharging ballast or cargo, or any particular kind of cargo, in any such port, and the stations to be occupied by vessels whilst so engaged:

taking in or discharging ballast:

(*f*) for keeping free passages of such width as may be deemed necessary within any such port, and along or near to the piers, jetties, landing-places, wharfs, quays, docks, moorings, and other works in or adjoining to the same; and for marking out the spaces so to be kept free:

keeping free passage:

(*g*) for regulating the anchoring, fastening, mooring, and unmooring of vessels in any such port:

regulating the anchoring:

(*h*) for regulating the moving and warping of all vessels within any such port and the use of warps therein:

moving and warping:

(*i*) for regulating the use of the mooring buoys, chain and other moorings, in any such port:

use of mooring buoys:

(*j*) for fixing from time to time the rates to be paid for the use of such moorings when belonging to Government, or of any boat, hawser, or other thing belonging to Government:

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fires and lights:

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signal-lights:

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number of crew:

(*o*) for fixing the limits within which vessels shall be prohibited from having on board in any such port any quantity of gunpowder in excess of such quantity as the Local Government prescribes in this behalf.

possession of gunpowder.

CHAPTER III.

OF PORT OFFICERS, THEIR POWERS AND DUTIES.

8. The Local Government shall appoint some officer or body of persons to be Conservator of every port subject to this Act, and may suspend or remove such officer or body.

Appointment of Conservator.

Subject to any direction by the Local Government to the contrary—

(*a*) in ports where there is a Master Attendant, such Master Attendant shall be the Conservator:

(*b*) in ports where there is no Master Attendant, but where there is a Harbour-Master, such Harbour-Master shall be the Conservator.

Where the Harbour-Master is not Conservator, the Harbour-Master and his Assistants shall be subordinate to, and subject to the control of, the Conservator.

The Conservator shall be subject to the control of the Local Government, or of any intermediate authority which that Government may appoint.

9. The Conservator of any port subject to this Act may, in respect of any vessel within such port, give directions for carrying into effect any port-rule for the time being in force therein.

Conservator empowered to give directions for certain specified purposes.

Whoever wilfully, and without lawful excuse, refuses or neglects to obey any lawful direction of such Conservator, after notice thereof has been given to him, shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and with a further fine which may extend to one hundred rupees for every day on which he wilfully continues to disobey such direction;

Penalty for disobedience to Conservator's orders.

and, in case of such refusal or neglect, the said Conservator may do, or cause to be done, all acts necessary for the purpose of carrying such direction into execution, and may hire and employ proper persons for that purpose; and all reasonable expenses incurred in doing such acts shall be paid by the person so offending.

Expenses caused thereby to be paid by offender.

Any written notice of a direction given under this Act, left for the Master of any vessel with any person employed on board thereof, or affixed on a conspicuous place on board of such vessel, shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to have been given to the Master thereof.

Service of written notice.

10. The Conservator of any such port may, in case of urgent necessity, cut, or cause to be cut, any warp, rope, cable or hawser, endangering the safety of any vessel in such port or at or near to the entrance thereof.

Power to cut warps, ropes, &c.

11. The Conservator may remove or cause to be removed, any timber, or obstruction, raft, or other thing floating or being in any part of any such port, which obstructs or impedes the free navigation thereof; or anything which obstructs or impedes the lawful use of any pier, jetty, landing-place, wharf, quay, dock, mooring, or other work, on any part of the shore or bank which has been declared to be within the limits of such port, and is not private property;

Power to remove floating timber, &c., or obstruction on shore within limits of Port.

and the owner of any such timber or raft or other thing shall be liable to pay the reasonable expenses of such removal;

Expenses of removal.

and if such owner or any other person has without lawful excuse caused any such obstruction or impediment, or causes any public nuisance affecting or likely to affect such navigation, he shall also be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalties for causing obstruction or public nuisance.

And the Conservator or any Magistrate having jurisdiction over the offence may cause such nuisance to be abated.

12. If the owner of any such timber or raft, or the person who has caused any such obstruction, impediment, or public nuisance as is mentioned in section eleven, neglects to pay the expense of the removal thereof, within one week after demand, or within fourteen days after such removal has been notified in the official Gazette or in such other manner as the Local Government by general or special order directs, such expenses may be recovered in the same manner as any fine under this Act;

Recovery of expenses of removal.

and the Conservator may cause such timber, raft, or other thing, or the materials of any nuisance or

Power to sell timber, &c.

obstruction so removed, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be sold by public auction;

and may retain all the expenses of such removal and sale out of the proceeds of such sale; and shall pay the surplus of such proceeds or deliver so much of the said timber or other materials as may remain unsold, to the person entitled to receive the same;

Proceeds how dealt with.

and, if no such person appear, shall cause the same to be kept and deposited in such manner as the Local Government directs;

and may, if necessary, from time to time, realize the expenses of keeping the same, together with the expenses of such sale, by a further sale of so much of the said timber or other materials as may remain unsold.

13. If any obstruction or impediment to the navigation of any port subject to this Act has been lawfully made, or has become lawful by reason of the long continuance of such obstruction or impediment, or otherwise, the Conservator shall report the same for the information of the Local Government and shall, with the sanction of such Government, cause the same to be removed or altered, making to the person suffering damage by such removal or alteration reasonable compensation for the same.

Removal of obstructions lawfully made.

Every dispute arising concerning such compensation, shall be determined according to the law relating to like disputes in the case of land required for public purposes.

Compensation how determined.

14. If any vessel hook or get foul of any of the buoys or moorings laid down by or by the authority of the Local Government in any such port, the Master of such vessel shall not, nor shall any other person, except in the case of emergency, lift such buoy or mooring for the purpose of unhooking or getting clear from the same without the assistance of the Conservator, and the Conservator, immediately on receiving notice of such accident, shall assist and superintend the clearing of such vessel;

Notice to Conservator, if vessel fouls Government moorings.

and the Master of such vessel shall, upon demand, pay such reasonable expense as may be incurred in clearing the same.

Expense of clearing vessel.

Any Master offending against the provisions of this section shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalty.

15. If any vessel be wrecked, stranded or sunk, in any such port, so as to impede or be likely to impede the navigation thereof, the Conservator may cause the same to be raised, removed, or destroyed;

Power to raise wreck, &c., impeding navigation within the port.

and may recover the same on behalf of the Local Government in the manner provided by section forty-four.

Expense how recoverable.

16. The Conservator or any of his Assistants may, whenever he suspects that any offence has been, or is about to be, committed contrary to this Act, or whenever it is necessary for him so to do in the discharge of any duty hereby imposed upon him;

Power to board vessels.

and the Collector of Customs, or other officer appointed to collect any port-dues or other charges payable in respect of any vessel under this Act, may, whenever it is necessary so to do, for the performance of any duty hereby imposed upon such Collector or other officer,

either alone or with any other person, board any vessel, or enter any building or place, within the limits of any port subject to this Act.

If the Master of such vessel, or if any person in possession or occupation of any such building or place, without lawful excuse refuse to allow any officer or other person to board or enter such vessel, building or place for the performance of any duty imposed upon him by this Act, he shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

17. For the purpose of preventing or extinguishing fire in any port subject to this Act, the Conservator may require the Master of any ship within the port to place at his disposal such number as he requires, not exceeding three-fourths, of the crew then under the orders of such Master.

Power to require crews to prevent or extinguish fire.

Any Master refusing or neglecting to comply with such requisition shall be punished with a fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, and any seaman then under his orders who after being directed by the Master to obey the Conservator's orders for the purpose aforesaid refuses to obey such orders shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty-five rupees.

18. All acts, orders or directions by this Act authorized to be done or given by any Conservator may, subject to his control, be done or given by any Harbour-Master or any Assistant of such Conservator or Harbour-Master, and any person hereby authorized to do any act may call to his aid such assistance as may be necessary.

Powers of Conservator may be exercised by Harbour-Master.

19. The Government shall not be answerable for any act or default of any Master Attendant, Harbour-Master, or other Conservator of any port subject to this Act; or of any Pilot; or of any Deputy or Assistant of any of the officers above-mentioned; or of any person acting under the authority or direction of any such Officer or Assistant, done within the limits of such port;

Indemnity to Government against default of Harbour-Master, &c.

nor for any damage sustained by any vessel in consequence of any defect in any of the moorings, hawsers, or other things belonging to Government, within the said limits, which may be used by such vessel.

Provided that nothing in this section shall protect the Secretary of State for India in Council from a suit in respect of any act done by or under the express order or sanction of Government.

Proviso.

CHAPTER IV.

RULES FOR THE SAFETY OF SHIPPING AND THE PRESERVATION OF PORTS.

20. No person shall without lawful excuse lift, injure, loosen, or set adrift any buoy, beacon, or mooring fixed or laid down by or by the authority of the Local Government in any port subject to this Act.

Injuring buoys, &c.

Whoever offends against the provisions of this section shall, for every such offence, be liable, in addition to the payment of the amount of damage done, to fine which may extend to two thousand rupees, or to imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years.

Wilfully loosening vessel from moorings.

21. Whoever wilfully and without lawful excuse loosens or removes from her moorings any vessel within any such port without leave or authority from the owner or Master of such vessel, shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months.

Improperly discharging ballast.

22. No ballast or rubbish, and no other thing likely to form a bank or shoal, or to be detrimental to navigation, shall, without lawful excuse, be cast or thrown into any such port or into or upon any place on shore, from which the same is liable to be washed into any such port, either by ordinary or high tides, or by storms or land-floods.

Whoever by himself or another so casts or throws the same, and the Master of any vessel from which the same is cast or thrown, shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees over and above any expenses which may be incurred in removing the same. If after receiving notice from the Conservator of the port to desist casting or throwing any such ballast or other thing, any Master continues so to cast or throw it, he shall also be liable to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months.

Nothing in this section applies to any case in which such ballast or other thing is cast or thrown into any such port with the consent in writing of the Conservator, or within any limits within which such act may be authorized by the Local Government.

Graving, &c., vessel within prohibited limits.

23. If any person grave, bream, or smoke any vessel in any such port, contrary to the directions of the Conservator, or at any time or within any limits at or within which such act is prohibited by any order of the Local Government, such person, and also the Master of such vessel, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Boiling pitch, &c., on board vessel within prohibited limits.

24. If any person boil or heat any pitch, tar, resin, dammer, turpentine, oil, or other such combustible matter on board any vessel within any such port, or at any place within its limits where such act is prohibited by the Local Government, or contrary to the order or directions of the Conservator, such person, and also the Master of any vessel on board which such offence is committed, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Drawing spirits by unprotected artificial light.

25. If any person, by an unprotected artificial light, draws off spirits on board any vessel within any port subject to this Act, such person, and also the Master of every such vessel, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Warping.

26. Every Master of a vessel in any port subject to this Act shall, when required so to do by the Conservator, permit warps to be made fast to such vessel for the purpose of warping any other vessel in the port, and shall not allow any such warp to be let go until required so to do.

Any Master offending against the provisions of this section shall be punished for every such offence with a fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Leaving out hawser, &c., after sun-set.

27. No Master of any vessel shall cause or suffer any warp or hawser attached to his vessel to be left out in any port subject to this Act, after sun-set, in such a manner as to endanger the safety of any boat or other vessel navigating in such port.

Any Master offending against the provisions of this section shall be punished for every such offence with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Gunpowder.

Place of deposit for gunpowder.

28. The Local Government shall appoint a proper place in which gunpowder in excess of the quantity allowed by rule under section seven, clause (*o*), for any ship in any port subject to this Act, shall be deposited; and shall also appoint an officer to receive the same.

Government to fix time and manner of landing and shipping powder, &c.

29. The Local Government may in such case by order fix the times at or within which, and the manner in which, such gunpowder, shall be landed and deposited by any vessel inward-bound, and also the times at or within which, and the manner in which, the same shall be taken on board any vessel from such place of deposit.

Master to make declaration.

30. The Master of such vessel shall, upon such gunpowder being deposited, make and sign a declaration in writing that there is not then, to his knowledge or belief, on board such vessel any gunpowder exceeding the quantity allowed by the rule last aforesaid.

Officer to give receipt and to account for powder deposited.

31. The officer with whom such gunpowder is deposited shall give a receipt for the same to the Master or other person making the deposit, and he shall be accountable to such Master or other person for the re-delivery of the same.

If by stress of weather powder is not landed, notice to be given.

32. If any vessel be prevented by stress of weather from landing or depositing such gunpowder, in excess of the quantity allowed as aforesaid, the master or owner of such vessel shall, so soon as the weather permits, land and deposit the same at the place so appointed as aforesaid, or shall forthwith give notice to the Conservator, or other officer named for that purpose by any order of the Local Government, of his having such gunpowder on board, and shall obey his directions relating to the same.

Time, &c., for vessels outward-bound to take in powder.

33. The Local Government may also, in respect to such port, by order, fix the times and places at which, and the manner in which, vessels outward-bound, requiring to take in any gunpowder, exceeding the quantity abovementioned, shall take in the same, whether such gunpowder has been previously landed from such vessel or not.

Penalties for having prohibited powder on board.

34. The Master of any vessel having on board any gunpowder, contrary to the provisions of this Act, shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees;

and all gunpowder on board any vessel contrary to the provisions of this Act, shall be forfeited to Government, and may be seized by the Conservator, or by any Collector of Customs, or by any Custom-house officer, or other officer authorized in that behalf by the Local Government, within the limits of their respective jurisdictions.

Guns not to be discharged in port.

35. Whoever, without lawful excuse, discharges any gun, musket, or other fire-arm in any port subject to this Act, or on or from the landing-places, piers, wharfs, or quays thereof, except a gun loaded only with gunpowder for the purpose of making a signal of distress, or for such other purpose as may be allowed by the Local Government, shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Exception.

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Extinguishment of Fires.

Penalty on Master omitting to take order to extinguish fire.

36. The Master of any vessel in which fire takes place while lying in any port, who wilfully omits to take order to extinguish such fire, shall be punished with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both.

Inflammable Oil.

Power to make rules for prevention of fire from inflammable oil.

37. The Local Government may from time to time make rules for regulating

(*a*) the prevention of injury from fire in ports and places at which vessels entering port with inflammable oil on board are to be moored,

(*b*) the mode in which such oil shall be landed from or shipped on board of such vessels.

Explanation.—"Inflammable oil" includes petroleum, benzole, kerosine and any oil or product of oil that gives off an inflammable vapour at a temperature of less than one hundred degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer.

Special Rules.

Vessels in certain cases not to be moved without having a pilot, &c., or permission of Harbour-Master.

38. No vessel of the burden of two hundred tons or upwards, shall be moved in any port to which this section has been specially extended without having a Pilot, Harbour-Master, or Assistant of the Master Attendant or Harbour-Master on board; and no vessel of any burden less than two hundred tons and exceeding one hundred tons shall be moved in any such port without having on board a Pilot, Harbour-Master, or Assistant of the Master Attendant or Harbour-Master, unless authority in writing so to do has been obtained from the Conservator or some officer empowered by him to give such authority.

If any vessel, except in case of urgent necessity, be moved contrary to the provisions of this section, the Master of such vessel shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, unless upon application to the proper officer the Master be unable to procure a Pilot, Harbour-Master or Assistant of the Master Attendant or Harbour-Master to go on board the said vessel.

Vessels above 200 tons to be provided with force-pump, &c.

39. Every vessel exceeding the burden of two hundred tons and lying in any such port shall be provided with a proper force-pump, hose and appurtenances, for the purpose of extinguishing any fire that may occur on board.

The Master of every such vessel who, having been required by the Conservator to comply with the provisions of this section, without lawful excuse neglects or refuses so to do for the space of seven days after such requisition, shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Unauthorized person not to search for lost stores.

40. No person, unless duly authorized by the Conservator, shall creep or sweep in any such port for anchors, cables or other stores lost or supposed to be lost therein.

Whoever offends against the provisions of this section shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Removing stones, &c., or injuring shores of port prohibited.

41. No person shall, without the permission of the Conservator, remove or carry away any rock, stones, shingle, gravel, or soil, or any artificial protection from any part of the bank or shore of any such port;

and no person shall sink or bury in any part of such bank or shore, whether the same be public or private property, any mooring-post, anchor or any other thing, or do any other thing which is likely to injure or to be used so as to injure such bank or shore, except with the permission of the said Conservator, and with the aid or under the inspection of such person (if any) as he may appoint to take part in or overlook the performance of such work.

Whoever offends against the provisions of this section shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and shall pay the expenses of repairing the injury (if any) done by him to such bank or shore.

Publication of Orders.

Publication of orders of Local Government.

42. Every declaration, order and rule of a Local Government, made in pursuance of this Act, shall be published in the official Gazette; and a copy thereof shall be fixed up in some conspicuous place in the office of the Conservator of every port to which such order relates and in the Custom-house, if any, of every port subject to this Act.

Penalty for disobedience to rules.

Whoever disobeys any such order or rule shall be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees for every such offence.

And in the case of disobedience to any rule made under section thirty-seven the owner or Master of the vessel concerned shall also be punished with a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees for each day during which such rule is disobeyed.

CHAPTER V.

OF SALVAGE IN PORTS.

Salvage payable for wreck, &c.

43. If any anchors, wreck, stores, or other property be recovered by any officer employed by the Local Government for that purpose, from the surface, bed or shore of any port subject to this Act, the Local Government shall be entitled to receive a reasonable sum for salvage, having regard to the place of recovery.

A register shall be kept of all property so recovered, in such manner and at such place as the Local Government may direct.

Register to be kept.

It shall contain a description of such property, and of the times and places where the same has been recovered;

and it shall be open to public inspection at reasonable office-hours, except on Sundays and such holidays as the Local Government may direct.

44. If the property recovered under the last preceding section, or by a Conservator acting under section fifteen, is unclaimed, or if the person claiming the same fails to pay the amount due to the Local Government in respect thereof,

Property recovered may, in certain cases, be sold.

such property may be sold by public auction, if of a perishable nature, forthwith; and if not of a perishable nature, at any period not less than six months after the recovery thereof;

and on the realization of the proceeds, the amount due to the Local Government for salvage, or for the expenses incurred under section fifteen, shall be deducted therefrom, and credited to the Local Government, and the balance shall be paid to the person entitled to the property recovered, or, if no such person appear and claim the same, shall be held in deposit for payment, without interest, to any person thereafter establishing his right to the same:

Proceeds how applied.

Provided that he makes his claim within one year from the date of the sale.

CHAPTER VI.

OF PORT-DUES AND CHARGES.

45. In each of the ports mentioned in the first schedule hereto annexed, such port-due not exceeding the amount specified for such port in the third column of the same schedule as the Local Government from time to time directs shall be levied on vessels entering the same port and described in the second column of the same schedule, but not oftener than the time fixed for such port in the fourth column of the same schedule.

Levy of port-dues.

Whenever the Local Government with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council has declared or hereafter declares any port to be subject to this Act, it may, with the like sanction, by the same or any subsequent declaration, further declare—

(*a*) the maximum amount of dues to be levied on vessels entering such port;

(*b*) the conditions and modifications under which such dues shall be levied;

and may also, from time to time, with the like sanction, vary such conditions and modifications; and such dues shall be levied accordingly.

All port-dues now leviable in any of the said ports shall continue to be so leviable until it is otherwise declared in exercise of the powers conferred by this section.

No port-dues or fees shall hereafter be levied in any port except under the authority of this Act.

No order increasing or imposing port-dues under this section shall take effect until the expiration of sixty days from the day on which such order has been published in the local official Gazette.

46. The Local Government may, from time to time, exempt the vessels entering any port subject to this Act from the levy of port-dues and cancel such exemption, or it may from time to time vary the rate at which port-dues shall be levied in any such port, in such manner as, having regard to the receipts and charges on account of that port, it thinks expedient, by reducing or raising the dues, or any of them;

Local Government may vary port-dues.

Provided that the rates shall not in any case exceed the amount authorized to be taken by this Act.

Proviso.

47. For every port at which port-dues are levied under this Act, a distinct account, to be called the Account of the Port Fund of the port to which it relates, shall be kept by such officer as the Local Government may appoint for that purpose.

Accounts of port-dues.

This account shall show in complete detail the receipts and charges of the port; and an abstract statement of every such account shall be published annually, as soon after the first of May of each year as may be practicable, in which statement the balance at the close of the year at the credit or debit of the port shall be shown.

If, for any of the purposes of this Act, an advance of money has been or shall be made by Government on account of any port subject to this Act, simple interest upon that advance, or upon so much of it as remains or shall remain unrepaid, at such rate as the Governor General in Council may determine, shall be charged in the Port Fund Account thereof.

All expenses, including the pay and allowances of all persons upon the establishment of the port, the cost of buoys, beacons, lights and all other works maintained chiefly for the benefit of vessels being in, or entering, or leaving the port, or passing through the rivers or channels leading thereto, but excluding receipts and expenses on account of pilotage, incurred for the sake of every such port, shall be charged in the Port Fund Account of that port.

And all money, including salvage-money, proceeds of waifs, and fines, received under this Act, at or on account of every such port, shall be credited in the Port Fund Account of that port.

The Local Government may direct that for the purposes of this section any number of ports shall be regarded as constituting a single port; and thereupon all sums received on account of port-dues at any of the same ports shall form a common fund which shall be available for the payment of all charges incurred on account of any of the same ports, and such balance as may remain after payment of such expenses may be temporarily invested in such manner as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

48. The Collector of Customs at every such port, or such other officer as the Local Government appoints in this behalf, shall collect the port-dues above-mentioned.

Collection of port-dues.

The officer to whom any such port-dues are paid, shall grant to the person paying the same a proper voucher in writing under his hand, describing the name of his office, the port or place at which the port-dues are paid, and the name, tonnage and other proper description of the vessel in respect of which such payment is made.

Voucher to be given.

49. Within twenty-four hours after the arrival within the limits of any port subject to this Act of any vessel liable to the payment of port-dues under this or any subsequent Act, the Master of such vessel shall report such arrival to the Conservator of such port.

Master to report arrival.

Any Master without lawful excuse failing to make such report within the time aforesaid shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Nothing in this section applies to tug-steamers, ferry-steamers or river-steamers plying in any of the ports subject to this Act.

50. If any vessel liable to the payment of port-dues is in any such port without proper marks on the stem and stern-posts thereof for denoting her draught, the Conservator may cause the same to be ascertained by means of the operation of hooking, and the Master of such vessel shall be liable to pay the expenses of such operation.

Conservator may in certain cases ascertain draught, and charge expense to Master.

51. In order to ascertain the tonnage of any vessel liable to pay port-dues the following rules shall be observed:—

Tonnage of vessel liable to port-dues how ascertained

(*a*).—If such vessel be a British registered vessel, or a vessel registered under Act No. X of 1841, or Act No. XI of 1850, or under the laws for the time being in force for the registration of vessels in India, the Conservator may require the owner or Master of such vessel, or any person having possession of her register, to produce such register for inspection. If any such owner, Master, or other person neglect or refuse to produce such register, or otherwise to satisfy the Conservator as to what is the true tonnage of the vessel in respect of which such port-dues are payable, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and the Conservator may cause such vessel to be measured, and the tonnage thereof to be ascertained; and in such case the owner or Master of such vessel shall also be liable to pay the expenses of such measurement.

if registered;

(*b*).—If such vessel be not a British registered vessel, or a vessel registered under Act No. X of 1841, or Act No. XI of 1850, or under the laws for the time being in force for the registration of vessels in India, and the owner or Master thereof fail to satisfy the Conservator as to what is her true tonnage according to the mode of measurement prescribed by the law in force for the time being for regulating the measurement of British registered vessels, the Conservator shall cause such vessel to be measured and the tonnage thereof, according to the mode aforesaid, to be ascertained; and in such case, the owner or Master of such vessel shall be liable to pay the expenses of such measurement.

if not registered.

52. If the Master of any vessel, in respect of which any port-dues or charges are payable under this Act refuses or neglects to pay the same on demand, the Collector of Customs, or other person authorized to collect such port-dues, fees or charges, may distrain or arrest such vessel, and the tackle, apparel and furniture belonging thereto, or any part thereof, and detain the same until the amount due is paid;

On refusal to pay port-dues, &c., the Collector may distrain and sell.

and in case any part of the said port-dues or charges, or of the costs of the distress or arrest, or of the keeping of the same, remains unpaid for the space of five days next after any such distress or arrest so made, the Collector of Customs, or other such person as aforesaid, may cause the vessel or other thing so distrained or arrested to be sold, and with the proceeds of such sale may satisfy the port-dues, charges, and costs, including the costs of sale remaining unpaid, and shall render the surplus (if any) to the Master of such vessel upon demand.

53. The Officer of Government, whose duty it is to grant a port-clearance for any vessel, shall not grant such clearance—

No port-clearance to be granted until dues, &c., are paid.

(*a*) until her owner or Master, or some other person, has paid or secured to the satisfaction of such officer the amount of all port-dues, fees and charges, and of all fines, penalties and expenses to which such vessel or her owner or Master is liable under this Act;

(*b*) until all expenses, which by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, section 228, are to be borne by her owner, incurred since her arrival in the port from which she seeks clearance, have been duly paid.

54. If the Master of any vessel in respect of which any port-dues or charges are payable causes her to leave any port without having discharged such dues, fees, or charges, the Collector of Customs or other officer authorized to collect the same may require in writing the Collector of Customs or other Officer as aforesaid, in any other port in British India to which she may proceed or in which she may be, to levy such dues or charges.

Port-dues, &c., payable in one port recoverable by Collector at any other port.

Every Collector or other officer to whom such requisition shall be directed shall proceed to levy such dues or charges in the manner prescribed in section fifty-two; and a certificate purporting to be made and signed by the Collector of Customs or other Officer as aforesaid of the port where the port-dues or charges became payable, stating the amount so payable, shall be sufficient *primâ facie* proof of such amount in any proceeding under the said section, and also (in case the amount payable is disputed) in any subsequent proceeding under section seventy.

55. If the Master of any such vessel evades the payment of any port-dues or charges payable under this Act, he shall be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding five times the amount so payable.

Penalty for evading payment of port-dues, &c.

In any proceeding before a Magistrate for the adjudication of such penalty, any such certificate as is mentioned in section fifty-four stating that the Master has evaded such payment, shall be sufficient *primâ facie* proof of the evasion, unless the Master shows to the satisfaction of the Magistrate that the departure of the vessel without having discharged the dues or charges payable was caused by stress of weather, or that there was lawful or reasonable ground for such departure.

Any Magistrate having jurisdiction under this Act in any port to which the vessel may proceed or in which she may be found, shall be deemed to have jurisdiction in any proceeding under this section.

56. Vessels entering any port subject to this Act (other than the ports in British Burma) in ballast

Port-due on vessels in ballast.

and not carrying passengers, shall be charged with a port-due not exceeding three-fourths of the port-due with which they would otherwise be chargeable.

Port-due on vessels not discharging or taking in cargo.

57. When any vessel enters any port subject to this Act, but does not discharge or take in any cargo or passenger therein (with the exception of such unshipment and reshipment as may be necessary for purposes of repair), the port-due chargeable in respect of such vessel shall be at a rate equal to one-half the rate chargeable in respect of other vessels:

Provided that no vessel entering any of the ports subject to the Governor of Fort St. George in Council and leaving the same within forty-eight hours without discharging or taking in any passengers or cargo, shall be charged with any port-dues.

Port-dues not chargeable on vessels re-entering from stress of weather.

58. No port-due shall be chargeable in respect of any vessel which, having left any port, is compelled to re-enter it by stress of weather or in consequence of having sustained any damage.

Hospital Port-Dues.

Power to impose hospital port-dues.

59. The Local Government may, from time to time, by notification in the official *Gazette*, order that there shall be paid in respect of every ship entering any port subject to this Act, within a reasonable distance of which there may be a public hospital or dispensary suitable for the reception or relief of seamen requiring medical aid, such further port-dues not exceeding one anna per ton as the Local Government thinks fit.

Such port-dues shall be called hospital port-dues.

No order imposing or increasing hospital port-dues shall take effect until the expiration of sixty days from the day on which such order has been published in the official Gazette.

Whenever the Local Government is satisfied that proper provision has been made by the owners or agents of any ship or class of ships for giving medical aid to the seamen employed on board such ship or class of ships, it may, by notification in the official *Gazette*, exempt such ship or class of ships from any payment under this section. The Local Government may, by like notification, withdraw any such exemption.

Application of hospital port-dues.

60. Such hospital port-dues shall be applied, as the Local Government may direct, to the support of any such hospital or dispensary as aforesaid or otherwise for providing sanitary superintendence and medical aid for the shipping in such port and for the seamen belonging to such ships, whether such seamen are ashore or afloat.

Fees for certain Services.

Fees for pilotage, hauling, remooring, &c.

61. Within any port subject to this Act, fees may be charged for pilotage, hauling, mooring, remooring, hooking, measuring, and other services rendered to vessels, at such rates as the Local Government may, from time to time, direct:

Provided that, in the case of fees for pilotage, the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council has been obtained.

The fees now chargeable for such services shall continue to be chargeable unless and until they are altered in exercise of the power conferred by the former part of this section.

CHAPTER VII.

OF HOISTING SIGNALS.

Master to hoist number of vessel.

62. The Master of every inward or outward-bound vessel, on arriving within signal-distance of any signal-station established within the limits of the river Hugli or within the limits of any part of a river or channel subject to this Act shall, on the requisition of the pilot in charge of the vessel, signify the name of the vessel by hoisting the number by which she is known, or by adopting such other means to this end as may be practicable and usual, and shall keep the signal flying until it is answered from the signal-station.

Penalty for not hoisting signal.

63. Any Master of a vessel arriving as aforesaid, who refuses or neglects to conform to the above rule, shall be liable on conviction, for each instance of such refusal or neglect, to a fine not exceeding one thousand rupees.

Pilot to require Master to hoist signal.

64. Every pilot in charge of a vessel shall require the number of the vessel of which he is in charge to be duly signalled as provided under section sixty-two.

And if Master refuses to do so, pilot may anchor.

When, on a requisition from the pilot to that effect, the Master of a vessel refuses to hoist the number of a vessel, or to adopt such other means of making her name known as may be practicable and usual, the pilot in charge of such vessel may, on arrival at the first place of safe anchorage, anchor the vessel and refuse to proceed on his course until the requisition has been complied with.

Punishment of pilot disobeying provisions of this chapter

65. Any pilot in charge of a vessel who disobeys, or abets within the meaning of the Indian Penal Code disobedience to, any of the provisions of this chapter, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five hundred rupees for each instance of such disobedience or abetment, and in addition shall be liable to dismissal from his appointment.

CHAPTER VIII.

OF PENALTIES.

Offences how triable, and penalties how recovered.

66. All offences against this Act shall be triable by a Magistrate. And any Magistrate may, by warrant under his hand, cause the amount of any such penalty imposed upon the owner or Master of any vessel, for any offence committed on board of such vessel, or in the management thereof, or otherwise in relation thereto, whereof such owner or Master is convicted, to be levied by distress and sale of such vessel, and the tackle, apparel and furniture thereof, or so much thereof as is necessary.

Costs of conviction.

67. In case of any conviction under this Act, the convicting Magistrate may order the offender to pay the costs of such conviction, in addition to any fine or expenses to which he may be liable.

Such costs may be assessed by the Magistrate, and may be levied and recovered in the same manner as any fine under this Act.

Damages, &c., payable under this Act, how ascertained and recovered.

68. Whenever any person is liable, under the provisions of this Act, to pay any sum of money, damages, or expenses not exceeding one thousand rupees, the same may be recovered and levied in the same manner as any fine under this Act, and, if necessary, the amount thereof may be fixed and assessed by the Magistrate before whom the case is tried.

Costs of distress.

69. Whenever any fine, damages or expenses is or are levied under this Act, by distress and sale, the costs of such distress and sale may be levied in addition to such fine, damages or expenses, and in the same manner.

Magistrate to determine the amount to be levied in case of dispute.

70. If any dispute arise concerning the amount leviable by any distress or arrest under this Act, or the charges or costs payable under the last preceding section, the person making such distress or using such arrest may detain the goods distrained or arrested, or the proceeds of the sale thereof, until the amount to be levied has been determined by a Magistrate, who, upon application made to him for that purpose, may determine such amount, and award such costs to be paid by either of the parties to the other of them as he thinks reasonable; and payment of such costs, if not paid on demand, shall be enforced in the same manner as any penalty under this Act.

Jurisdiction over offences beyond local limits of jurisdiction.

71. Any person offending against the provisions of this Act, in any port, river or channel subject to this Act, shall be punishable by any Magistrate having jurisdiction over any district or place adjoining such port, river or channel, or adjoining either side of that part of the river or channel in which such offence is committed.

Such Magistrate may exercise all the powers of a Magistrate under this Act, in the same manner and to the same extent as if the offence had been committed locally within the limits of his jurisdiction, notwithstanding the offence may not have been committed locally within such limits; and in case any such Magistrate exercise the jurisdiction hereby vested in him, the offence shall be deemed, for all purposes, to have been committed locally within the limits of his jurisdiction.

Conviction to be quashed on merits only.

72. No conviction, order, or judgment of any Magistrate under this Act shall be quashed for error of form or procedure, but only on the merits;

Form of conviction.

and it shall not be necessary to state, on the face of the conviction, order or judgment, the evidence on which it proceeds.

If no jurisdiction appears on the face of the conviction, order or judgment, but the depositions taken supply that defect, the conviction, order or judgment shall be aided by what so appears in such depositions.

CHAPTER IX.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Hoisting unlawful colours in Port.

73. If any vessel belonging to any of Her Majesty's subjects, or sailing under British colours, hoist, carry, or wear, within the limits of any port subject to this Act, any flag, jack, pendant or colours, the use whereof on board such vessel has been prohibited by the Statute 17th & 18th of Victoria, chapter 104, or any other Statute now or hereafter to be in force, or by any proclamation made or to be made in pursuance of any such Statute, or by any of Her Majesty's Regulations in force for the time being, the Master of such vessel shall, for every such offence, be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Such fine shall be in addition to any other penalty recoverable under the said Statute or any future Statute to be made in that behalf.

Any officer of Her Majesty's Navy within the limits of such port, or the Conservator of such Port, may enter on board any such vessel, and seize and take away any flag, jack, pendant or colour so unlawfully hoisted, carried, or worn on board the same.

Foreign Deserters.

74. Any Magistrate, upon an application being made to him by the Consul of any Foreign Power to which the Foreign Deserters' Act, 1852, has by an order of Her Majesty in Council been, or shall hereafter be, declared to be applicable, or by the representative of such Consul, and upon complaint on oath of the desertion of any seaman, not being a slave, from any ship of such Foreign Power, may, until a revocation of such Order in Council has been publicly notified, issue his warrant for the apprehension of any such deserter;

and, upon due proof of the desertion, may order him to be conveyed on board the vessel to which he belongs, or, at the instance of the Consul, to be detained in custody till the vessel is ready to sail, or, if the vessel has sailed, for a reasonable time not exceeding one month:

Provided that a deposit be first made of such sum as the Magistrate deems necessary for the subsistence of the deserter during such detention;

Provided also that the detention of such deserter shall not be continued beyond twelve weeks.

Application of sections 11 and 22.

75. The provisions contained in sections eleven and twenty-two shall be applicable to all ports heretofore or hereafter declared by the Local Government to be ports for the shipment and landing of goods, but not otherwise subject to this Act, and may be enforced by any Magistrate to whose ordinary jurisdiction any such port is subject.

Any penalties imposed by him, and any expenses incurred by his order under the said provisions, shall be recoverable respectively in the manner provided in sections sixty-six and sixty-eight.

In any of the said ports for the shipment and landing of goods the consent referred to in section twenty-two may be given by the principal officer of customs at such port or by any other officer appointed in that behalf by the Local Government.

Disputes concerning amount due under section 15 or section 43.

76. Any dispute arising concerning the amount due under section fifteen or section forty-three shall be determined by a Magistrate upon application made to him for that purpose by either of the disputing parties.

Amendment of Act XIII of 1867.

77. Act No. XIII of 1867, section one, shall be read as if for the words "and such port-due" the following words were substituted (namely),—"The port-due leviable under the Indian Ports Act, 1875, in either of the ports of Maulmain and Bassein."

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(See section 2.)

PART I.—BRITISH BURMA.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Maulmain ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards, but less than twenty-five tons.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once in sixty days.
	Sea-going vessels of twenty-five tons and upwards.	Not exceeding five annas six pie per ton.	Ditto.
Rangoon ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Not exceeding six annas per ton.	Ditto.
Kyook Phyoo ...	Ditto ...	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Ditto.
Akyab ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Bassein ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards, but less than twenty-five tons.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
	Sea-going vessels of twenty-five tons and upwards.	Not exceeding five annas six pie per ton.	Ditto.

PART II.—THE LOWER PROVINCES.

Chittagong ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four and a half annas per ton.	Once in sixty days.
Port Canning ...	Sea-going vessels of twenty tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four annas per ton; provided that in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, the rate shall be one-half the rate chargeable in respect of other vessels.	Whenever the vessel enters the port, except in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, which shall not be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in ninety days.
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers belonging to Port Canning.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June, and once between the 1st July and the 31st December in each year.
Calcutta ...	Sea-going vessels of twenty tons and upwards.	Not exceeding four annas per ton; provided that in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, the rate shall be one-half the rate chargeable in respect of other vessels.	Whenever the vessel enters the port, except in the case of *dhonis* and country vessels employed in the coasting trade, which shall not be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in sixty days.
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers.	Not exceeding four annas per ton.	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June, and once between the 1st July and 31st December in each year.
Cuttack Ports,—namely, Balasore, Chúráman, Laichhunpur, Chánua, Subarnrekha, Dhámra and Sartha.	Sea-going vessels of three hundred maunds and upwards.	Not exceeding six annas per hundred maunds.	Whenever the vessel enters the port.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART III.—THE MADRAS PRESIDENCY.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Eastern Group—			
1. Ganjam ...	Sea-going vessels of fifteen tons and upwards.	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that in the case of vessels employed in the coasting trade, not being steamers, the rates shall be one-half the rates chargeable in respect of other vessels: provided also that any steamer engaged in the coasting trade, when it enters any of the ports of the Eastern and Western Groups, shall pay the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of such group and an addition of half of such highest rate.	(*a.*) No coasting steamer having paid port-dues at any port shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or at any other port of the same group within thirty days. (*b.*) No coasting vessel other than a coasting steamer shall be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in sixty days. (*c.*) No vessel other than a coasting vessel or a coasting steamer shall be chargeable with port-dues at the same port more than once in ninety days. In the above rules the expression "coasting vessel" means any vessel which at any port discharges cargo exclusively from, or takes in cargo exclusively for, any port on the Continent of India or in the Island of Ceylon.
2. Gopalpur ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
3. Calingapatam	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
4. Bimlipatam ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
5. Vizagapatam..	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
6. Coconada ... / 7. Coringa * ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
8. Masulipatam..	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
9. Madras ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
10. Cuddalore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
11. Porto Novo ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
12. Tranquebar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
13. Negapatam ... / 14. Nagore * ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
15. Tuticorin ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
Western Group—			
1. Mangalore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
2. Cannanore ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
3. Tellicherry ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
4. Calicut ... / 5. Beypore * ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
6. Cochin ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	

NOTE.—As regards the levy of port-dues, each of the following pairs of ports (namely)—Coconada and Coringa Negapatam and Nagore, Calicut and Beypore—shall be treated as if it were only one port; every vessel in respect of which such dues have been charged and taken at one of any of the said pairs being exempted from the charge on entering the other of the same pair.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY.

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Bombay ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding four annas per ton, and not less than two annas per ton for each class of vessels, as the Trustees incorporated under the Bombay Port Trust Act, 1873, may direct.	Once in the same month.
	Tug-steamers, Ferry-steamers and River-steamers.	Ditto ...	Once between the 1st January and the 30th June and once between the 1st July and 31st December in each year.
Northern Group of Ports.			
1. Gogo ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
2. Bávliári ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
3. Khun ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
4. Tankária ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
5. Dehegám ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
6. Dehej ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
7. Broach ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
8. Bhagwá ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
9. Surat ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
10. Matwád ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
11. Bulsar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
12. Umarsári ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
13. Kolak ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
14. Kálai ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
15. Maroli ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
16. Umbargám ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—*continued.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Northern Group of Ports.—continued.			
17. Gholwad ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
18. Dáhánu creek ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
19. Tárápur ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
20. Alivárá Navápur	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21. Sátpáti creek ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
22. Máhim (Kelva) ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
23. Kelva ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
24. Dántivra ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
25. Arnála ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Southern Group of Ports.			
1. Bandora ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
2. Veráva ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
3. Manori ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
4. Utan ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
5. Bassein ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
6. Bhiwandi ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
7. Kallian ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*continued.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—*continued.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Southern Group of Ports.—continued.			
8. Tanna ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
9. Trombay ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
10. Panwel ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
11. Karanja ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
12. Rewas ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
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14. Thal ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
15. Alibág ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
16. Revdandá ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17. Talkhári ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
18. Bánkot ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
19. Kelsi ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
20. Harnai ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
21. Anjanwel ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
22. Boryá ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
23. Jaygarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
24. Ratnágiri ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
25. Purnagarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
26. Yeshwantgarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
27. Viziádurg ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
28. Devgarh ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
29. Áchara ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*concluded.*

PART IV.—THE BOMBAY PRESIDENCY—*concluded.*

Name of port.	Vessels chargeable.	Rate of port-dues.	Due how often chargeable in respect of same vessel.
Southern Group of Ports.—continued.			
30. Málwan ...	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards (except fishing boats).	Not exceeding three annas per ton: provided that a coasting steamer whenever it enters any port shall be chargeable with the highest rate of port-dues leviable at any port of the group to which such port belongs and an addition of one-half of such highest rate.	Once in thirty days at the same port. Provided that no coasting vessel or coasting steamer, having paid port-dues at any port, shall be chargeable with port-dues again at the same or any other port of the same group within thirty days.
31. Nivti ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
32. Vengorla ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
33. Reri ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
34. Tirekhol ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
35. Karwar including Baitkhol.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
36. Chendya ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
37. Ankola ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
38. Gangawali ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
39. Tadri ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
40. Honáwar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
41. Shiráli ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
42. Coomta ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
43. Murdheshwar ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
44. Bhatkal ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Karáchi	Ditto ...	Four annas per ton	Once in three months.
	Tug-steamers and river-steamers.	Ditto ...	Once between the 1st January and the 30th day of June and once between the 1st July and the 31st December in each year.
Aden	Sea-going vessels of ten tons and upwards.	Three annas per ton	Once a month.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(See section 3.)

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
Act XIII of 1839 ...	Port duties.	So much as has not been repealed.
Act XXII of 1855 ...	Ports and Port-dues.	Ditto.
Act XIII of 1856 ...	Police in Presidency Towns.	Section 117.
Act XXX of 1857 ...	Port-dues and Fees (Calcutta).	The whole.
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Act II of 1858 ...	Port-dues and Fees in certain Ports in the Province of Cuttack.	Ditto.
Act VIII of 1858. ...	Port-dues and Fees (Karáchi).	Ditto.
Act XV of 1858 ...	Port-dues and Fees (Port of Aden).	Ditto.
Act XVIII of 1858 ...	Port-dues and Fees (certain Madras Ports.)	Ditto.
Act XIX of 1860 ...	Amending Act XXII of 1855.	Ditto.
Act XXV of 1860 ...	Bassein.	Ditto.
Act XIII of 1867 ...	Amending Act XXV of 1860.	In the title, the words *"for the levy of enhanced Port-dues in the Ports of Moulmain and Bassein, and"* The preamble down to and including the words "mentioned; And" Section one down to and including the word "Bassein."
Act VII of 1873 ...	Burma Port-dues.	The whole.
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Bengal Act I of 1863 ...	Port-dues and Fees in the Port of Canning on the River Mutlah.	Ditto.
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[Third Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 15th March 1875, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. XIII OF 1875.

An Act to amend the law relating to Probates and Letters of Administration.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, under the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the effect of an unlimited grant of probate or letters of administration made by any Court in British India is confined to the Province in which such grant is made: And whereas it is expedient to extend over British India the effect of such grants when made by a High Court: And whereas it is also expedient to amend the Court Fees Act, 1870, as to probates, letters of administration and certificates of administration: It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Addition to Act No. X of 1865, section 3.

1. To section 3 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following words shall be added (namely):— "and for the purposes of sections 242, 242A, 246A and 277A, shall include the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon."

Addition to Act No. X of 1865, section 242.

2. To section 242 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following proviso shall be added (namely):—

Effect of unlimited probates, &c., granted by High Court.

"Provided that probates and letters of administration granted by a High Court after the first day of April, 1875, shall, unless otherwise directed by the grant, have like effect throughout the whole of British India."

Addition to Act No. X of 1865.

3. The following section shall be inserted after the said proviso (namely):—

Transmission of certificate by High Court granting probate, &c., to other Courts.

"242A. Whenever a grant of probate or letters of administration is made by a High Court with such effect as last aforesaid, the Registrar or such other officer as the High Court making the grant appoints in this behalf shall send to each of the other High Courts a certificate to the following effect:—

I, *A. B.*, Registrar [*or as the case may be*] of the High Court of Judicature at [*or as the case may be*], hereby certify that on the day of 187 the High Court of Judicature at [*or as the case may be*] granted probate of the will [*or* letters of administration of the estate] of *C. D.*, late of deceased, to *E. F.* of and *G. H.*, of , and that such probate [*or* letters] has [*or* have] effect over all the property of the deceased throughout the whole of British India;

and such certificate shall be filed by the High Court receiving the same."

Addition after section 246 of Act X of 1865.

4. After section 246 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following section shall be inserted (namely):—

Additional statements in petition for probate, &c.

"246A. Every person applying to a High Court for probate of a will or letters of administration of an estate, intended to have effect throughout British India, shall state in his petition, in addition to the matters respectively required by section 244 and section 246 of this Act, that to the best of his belief no application has been made to any other High Court for a probate of the same will or for letters of administration of the same estate, intended to have such effect as last aforesaid,

or, where any such application has been made, the High Court to which it was made, the person or persons by whom it was made, and the proceedings (if any) had thereon.

And the High Court to which any application is made under the proviso to section 242 of this Act may, if it think fit, reject the same."

Addition after section 277 of Act X of 1865.

5. After section 277 of the Indian Succession Act, 1865, the following section shall be inserted (namely):—

Inventory may include property in any part of British India.

"277A. In all cases where it is sought to obtain a grant of probate or letters of administration intended to have effect throughout the whole of British India, the executor, or the person applying for administration after the first day of April, 1875, to the effects of any person dying in British India and leaving property in more than one Province shall include in the inventory of the effects of the deceased his moveable or immoveable property situate in each of the Provinces:

And the value of such property situate in the said Provinces, respectively, shall be separately stated in such inventory, and the probate or letters of administration shall be chargeable with a fee corresponding to the entire amount or value of the property affected thereby wheresoever situate within British India."

Addition to Act No. VII of 1870.

6. After section nineteen of the Court Fees Act, 1870, the following chapter shall be inserted, (namely):—

"CHAPTER III A.

"PROBATES, LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION AND CERTIFICATES OF ADMINISTRATION.

Relief where too high a Court-fee has been paid.

"19A. Where any person on applying for the probate of a will or letters of administration has estimated the property of the deceased to be of greater value than the same has afterwards proved to be, and has consequently paid too high a Court-fee thereon, if within six months after the true value of the property has been ascertained, such person produces the probate or letters to the Chief Controlling Revenue Authority of the Province in which the probate or letters has or have been granted,

and delivers to such Authority a particular inventory and valuation of the property of the deceased, verified by affidavit or affirmation,

and if such Authority is satisfied that a greater fee was paid on the probate or letters than the law required,

the said Authority may—

(*a*) cancel the stamp on the probate or letters, if such stamp has not been already cancelled;

(*b*) substitute another stamp for denoting the Court-fee which should have been paid thereon; and

(*c*) make an allowance for the difference between them as in the case of spoiled stamps, or repay the same in money, at his discretion.

Relief where debts due from a deceased person have been paid out of his estate.

"19 B. Whenever it is proved to the satisfaction of such Authority that an executor or administrator has paid debts due from the deceased to such an amount as, being deducted out of the amount or value of the estate, reduces the same to a sum which, if it had been the whole gross amount or value of the estate, would have occasioned a less Court-fee to be paid on the probate or letters of administration granted in respect of such estate than has been actually paid thereon under this Act,

such Authority may return the difference, provided the same be claimed within three years after the date of such probate or letters.

But when, by reason of any legal proceeding, the debts due from the deceased have not been ascertained and paid, or his effects have not been recovered and made available, and in consequence thereof the executor or administrator is prevented from claiming the return of such difference within the said term of three years, the said Authority may allow such further time for making the claim as may appear to be reasonable under the circumstances.

Relief in case of several grants.

"19 C. Whenever such a grant of probate or letters of administration has been or is made in respect of the whole of the property belonging to an estate, and the full fee chargeable under this Act has been or is paid thereon, no fee shall be chargeable under the same Act when a like grant is made in respect of the whole or any part of the same property belonging to the same estate;

Whenever such a grant has been or is made in respect of any property forming part of an estate, the amount of fees then actually paid under this Act shall be deducted when a like grant is made in respect of property belonging to the same estate, identical with or including the property to which the former grant relates.

Probates declared valid as to trust-property though not covered by Court-fee.

"19 D. The probate of the will, or the letters of administration of the effects, of any person deceased heretofore or hereafter granted shall be deemed valid and available by his executors or administrators for recovering, transferring or assigning any moveable or immoveable property whereof or whereto the deceased was possessed or entitled, either wholly or partially as a trustee, notwithstanding the amount or value of such property is not included in the amount or value of the estate in respect of which a Court-fee was paid on such probate or letters of administration.

Provision for case where too low a Court-fee has been paid on probates, &c.

"19 E. Where any person on applying for probate or letters of administration has estimated the estate of the deceased to be of less value than the same has afterwards proved to be, and has in consequence paid too low a Court-fee thereon, the Chief Controlling Revenue Authority of the Province in which the probate or letters has or have been granted, may, on the value of the estate of the deceased being verified by affidavit or affirmation, cause the probate or letters of administration to be duly stamped on payment of the full Court-fee which ought to have been originally paid thereon in respect of such value and of the further penalty, if the probate or letters is or are produced within one year from the date of the grant, of five times, or if it or they is or are produced after one year from such date, of twenty times, such proper Court-fee, without any deduction of the Court-fee originally paid on such probate or letters:

Provided that if the application be made within six months after the ascertainment of the true value of the estate and the discovery that too low a Court-fee was at first paid on the probate or letters, and if the said Authority is satisfied that such fee was paid in consequence of a mistake or of its not being known at the time that some particular part of the estate belonged to the deceased, and without any intention of fraud or to delay the payment of the proper Court-fee, the said Authority may remit the said penalty, and cause the probate or letters to be duly stamped on payment only of the sum wanting to make up the fee which should have been at first paid thereon.

Administrator to give proper security before letters stamped under section 19 E.

"19 F. In case of letters of administration on which too low a Court-fee has been paid at first, the said Authority shall not cause the same to be duly stamped in manner aforesaid until the administrator has given such security to the Court by which the letters of administration have been granted as ought by law to have been given on the granting thereof in case the full value of the estate of the deceased had been then ascertained.

Executors, &c., not paying full Court-fee on probates, &c., within six months after discovery of underpayment.

"19 G. Where too low a Court-fee has been paid on any probate or letters of administration in consequence of any mistake, or of its not being known at the time that some particular part of the estate belonged to the deceased, if any executor or administrator acting under such probate or letters does not, within six months after the first day of April, 1875, or after the discovery of the mistake, or of any effects not known at the time to have belonged to the deceased, apply to the said Authority and pay what is wanting to make up the Court-fee which ought to have been paid at first on such probate or letters, he shall forfeit the sum of one thousand rupees and also a further sum at the rate of ten rupees per cent. on the amount of the sum wanting to make up the proper Court-fee.

Sections 19A to 19G applied to certificates under Acts XL of 1858 and XX of 1864.

"19 H. The provisions of sections 19 A to 19 G (both inclusive) shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to certificates granted under Act No. XL of 1858 (*for making better provision for the care of the persons and property of Minors in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal*) or Act No. XX of 1864 (*for making better provision for the care of the persons and property of Minors in the Presidency of Bombay*) and to the holders of such certificates."

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PART V.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 15th December 1874, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in six weeks:—

No. 17 OF 1874.

THE INLAND CUSTOMS BILL, 1875.

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SCHEDULE.

A Bill for regulating Inland Customs Duties on Salt and Sugar, and for other purposes.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to the levy of inland customs-duties on salt and sugar, and to the import of salt, the export of sugar and the manufacture of salt and saltpetre into, from and in the North-Western Provinces, the Panjáb, Oudh and the Central Provinces; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

I.—PRELIMINARY.

Short title. Commencement.

1. This Act may be called "The Inland Customs Act, 1875": and shall come into force on the passing thereof.

Local extent.

This section, section two, and so much of this Act as refers to offences against any of its provisions or any rules made hereunder extend to the whole of British India:

The rest of this Act extends to the territories for the time being respectively subject to the Lieutenant-Governors of the North-Western Provinces and the Panjáb, and the Chief Commissioners of Oudh and the Central Provinces;

Power to extend Act.

And any part of this Act other than the parts specified in the second clause of this section, may be extended, by order of the Governor General in Council published in the *Gazette of India*, to any part of British India other than the said territories.

Repeal of enactments.

2. The enactments specified in the schedule hereto annexed are repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the said schedule.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

the expression "the said territories" means the territories mentioned in the third clause of the first section:

"Collector."

the term "Collector" means a Collector or Assistant Commissioner of Inland Customs, and includes any revenue officer on whom the Local Government confers the powers of a Collector under this Act:

"Magistrate."

the term "Magistrate" means any Magistrate exercising powers not less than those of a Magistrate of the second class:

"Customs line."

the term "Customs line" means a space of ground, to be declared under section ten, clause (*b*), into out of or across which salt or sugar cannot be legally taken without payment of the duty prescribed by this Act, and unless covered by a current protective document in such manner as may for the time being be prescribed under the same section:

"Imported."

the term "Imported," as applied to salt, means brought into the customs line from the direction of the frontier of the said territories, and salt removed from Government depôt or Stores, or from Bonded Warehouses; and the term

"Exported."

"exported," as applied to sugar, means brought into the customs line from the opposite direction:

"Sugar."

the term "Sugar" includes also saccharine produce, sweetmeats and all other articles of which sugar forms a principal ingredient, and which may be declared, by a rule under section ten, to be liable to duty under this Act:

"Saltpetre."

the term "Saltpetre" includes rasí, sajjí and all other substances manufactured from saline earth, and khárínún, or Glauber's salt, and every form of sulphate or carbonate of soda; and

"Manufacture of salt."

the expression "Manufacture of salt" includes the separation or purification of salt obtained in the manufacture of saltpetre, the separation of salt from earth or other substance so as to produce alimentary salt, and the excavation or removal of natural deposits or of efflorescence of salt.

II.—OF THE IMPORT OF SALT, EXPORT OF SUGAR AND MANUFACTURE OF SALT.

Regulation of the import of salt, export of sugar, and manufacture of salt and saltpetre.

4. No salt shall be imported into the said territories, and no sugar shall be exported therefrom, and no salt or saltpetre shall be manufactured or refined therein, except subject to the conditions and payments and in accordance with the provisions of this Act and the rules for the time being prescribed hereunder.

Proviso.

Provided that nothing in this Act shall affect the importation of salt or exportation of sugar into or from any of the said territories from or into any other of the said territories or the Lower Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William.

Power to levy duties.

5. The Governor General in Council may order the levy of the following duties:—

		Per maund of three thousand two hundred tolas.
(*a*).	On salt imported into the said territories	Three rupees.
(*b*).	On refined sugar exported from the said territories ...	One rupee.
(*c*).	On unrefined sugar exported from the said territories ...	Six annas.
(*d*).	On salt manufactured in the said territories ...	Three rupees.

Levy of salt-duty in Central Provinces.

6. The duty leviable under section five, clause (*a*) may be levied by way of a mileage rate on—

(*a*.) salt imported from the Presidency of Bombay into any part of the territories under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces and

(*b*.) salt which having been so imported is afterwards moved from one place to another.

And the Governor General in Council may from time to time fix, for the purposes of this section, the rate per maund per mile, which shall be levied as aforesaid.

Power to reduce or remit duties.

7. The Governor General in Council may from time to time, by order published in the *Gazette of India*, reduce or remit in the whole or any part of the said territories all or any of the duties ordered to be levied under section five.

Saving of existing duties on salt and sugar.

8. All duties now leviable on salt or sugar imported into or exported from the said territories, shall, until otherwise directed by the Governor General in Council, be deemed to be leviable under this Act.

Power to prohibit import of salt or export of sugar.

9. The Governor General in Council may by order published in the *Gazette of India* prohibit the import of salt or the export of sugar into or from the whole or any part of the said territories.

Power to make rules.

10. The Governor General in Council may from time to time make rules relating to the following matters (namely)—

(*a*) the manner, time, and place in and at which, and the persons by whom, the duties leviable under this Act shall be collected and the dutiable goods be permitted to be imported and exported;

(*b*) the position and extent of the customs lines, and the mode in which such lines shall be defined and protected;

(*c*) the manufacture, storage and sale of salt;

(*d*) what shall be deemed refined and what unrefined sugar;

(*e*) the manufacture and refinement of saltpetre;

(*f*) the form of licenses to be granted under this Act, the period for and the conditions on which such licenses shall be in force, and the fee to be paid in respect of them;

(*g*) the seizure, disposal or destruction of things liable to be seized or destroyed under this Act;

(*h*) the manner in which fines levied, and the proceeds of sales of articles confiscated, under this Act, shall be distributed.

(*i*) and generally to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Publication of rules.

Such rules shall be published in the *Gazette of India*, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

Existing rules.

Till otherwise directed, the rules now in force regarding the above-mentioned subjects, so far as they are not inconsistent with this Act, shall be deemed to have been issued under this Act, and the existing customs line shall be deemed to have been defined and protected under this Act.

III.—OF THE POWERS OF OFFICERS.

Power to detain suspected person and to seize goods liable to confiscation.

11. Any officer of Inland Customs may stop and detain any person whom he has reasonable ground to suspect of carrying any salt or sugar liable to confiscation under this Act;

and may search for and seize any such salt or sugar together with the vessels, packages or coverings in which it is contained, and the animals and conveyances used in carrying it;

and may also arrest the person in whose possession such salt or sugar is found.

Power to arrest.

12. Any officer of Inland Customs may arrest any person whom he has reasonable ground to suspect to be liable to punishment under this Act.

Power to enter and search place of illicit manufacture.

13. Whenever any officer of Inland Customs or land-revenue, not being below the grade of a Sub-Assistant Patrol or Náib Tahsíldár, has reason to believe from information given by any person and taken down in writing, that salt or saltpetre is being unlawfully manufactured or stored,

such officer may, between sunrise and sunset (but always in the presence of an officer of police not being under the grade of a Head Constable), enter any house, boat, or place, in which there is reason to believe that salt or saltpetre is being so manufactured or stored,

and, in case of resistance, may break open any door, and force and remove any other obstacle to such entry,

and may seize and carry away all materials used in the manufacture of such salt or saltpetre,

and may also arrest the occupier of the said house, boat, or place, together with all persons concerned in the manufacture of such salt or saltpetre, or in the keeping and concealing thereof.

Report of arrest, seizure or search.

14. Whenever an officer of Inland Customs or land-revenue under the rank of Collector arrests any person under this Act,

or seizes any articles as liable to confiscation under this Act,

or enters any house, boat, or place for the purpose of searching for any such articles,

he shall (unless empowered under the next succeeding clause of this section), within forty-eight hours next after such arrest, seizure or entry, make a full report of all the particulars of such arrest, seizure or search, to his official superior for the information of the Collector.

Any officer making any arrest under this section, or his official superior, shall, if generally empowered to do so by the Collector, either send with all convenient despatch the person arrested to the Magistrate, or order the discharge of such person.

Procedure in respect of articles seized.

15. Whenever the Collector is informed of the seizure of any article exceeding five sers in quantity, liable to confiscation under this Act, he shall, with all convenient despatch, report the circumstances of the case to the Commissioner of land-revenue, who may—

declare the article to be confiscated, or

impose such lesser penalty in lieu thereof as to him may seem fit, or

order the immediate release of such article.

If the quantity seized does not exceed five sers, the Collector shall possess the same powers in regard to its disposal which by this section are conferred on Commissioners of land-revenue in regard to quantities exceeding five sers.

Whenever a Commissioner of land-revenue declares under this section any article to be confiscated, he may also declare to be confiscated any vessel, package or covering in which such article is contained, and any animal or conveyance used in carrying it.

Procedure in respect of person arrested.

16. Whenever the Collector is informed of the arrest of any person, he shall (unless such person has been dealt with under the last clause of section fourteen), make such inquiry as he thinks necessary, and either send, with all convenient despatch, the person arrested to the Magistrate, or order the immediate discharge of such person.

Officers of Police and land-revenue to assist Customs officers.

17. All officers of police and officers of Government engaged in the collection of land-revenue, are empowered and required to assist the officers of the Inland Customs Department in the execution of this Act.

IV.—OF PENALTIES.

18. Whoever commits any of the following offences—

Evading duties or manufacturing without license.

(*a*) evades payment of any of the duties imposed by this Act,

(*b*) without a license under this Act, or in contravention of the terms and conditions of any such license, manufactures or refines salt or saltpetre,

(*c*) attempts, or abets, or, being a proprietor, farmer, tahsíldár, gumáshta or other manager of land, connives at any such evasion or manufacture,

(*d*) wilfully does anything in contravention of this Act, or of any rule for the time being prescribed under section ten,

shall, for every such offence, be punishable with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees;

and all salt, sugar, or saltpetre in respect of which the offence has been committed, together with the vessels, packages, or coverings in which such salt, sugar, or saltpetre is contained, and the animals and conveyances used in carrying it, shall be liable to confiscation;

and the works, materials and implements constructed or prepared for the purpose of such illicit manufacture shall be also liable to confiscation and may be destroyed.

19. Any police officer who, without lawful excuse, neglects or refuses to assist as provided in section seventeen,

Neglect or refusal by Police officer to assist.

and any chief constable or other officer in charge of a police station, who, on application made by an officer of Inland Customs or Land-Revenue to attend for any of the purposes specified in section thirteen, fails so to attend or to depute a subordinate officer, not being below the grade of head constable, so to attend,

shall for every such offence be punished with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

20. Whoever maliciously gives false information against any person as being engaged in the unlawful manufacture of salt or saltpetre, or as having in his possession any salt or saltpetre or sugar, in contravention of this Act, and so procures that such person be arrested, or that any house, boat, or place be searched, shall for every such offence be punishable with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or with both.

Maliciously causing arrest or search.

The officer imposing such fine may direct that it or any part thereof be paid to the person injured by such malicious information.

21. Any officer of Inland Customs who commits any of the following offences—

Vexatious search, seizure or arrest by customs officer.

(*a*) without reasonable ground of suspicion, searches or causes to be searched any house, boat or place;

(*b*) vexatiously and unnecessarily seizes the moveable property of any person, on pretence of seizing or searching for any article liable to confiscation under this Act;

(*c*) vexatiously and unnecessarily arrests any person;

(*d*) commits any other act to the injury of any person, when such act is not required for the execution of the officer's duty,

shall for every such offence be punishable with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Such fine, or any part thereof, may, if the Magistrate imposing it so direct, be paid to the person aggrieved.

22. Any officer of Inland Customs unlawfully releasing or conniving at the escape of any person arrested under this Act, or acting in any manner inconsistent with his duty, for the purpose of enabling any person to do any thing whereby any of the provisions of this Act may be evaded or broken, or the revenue defrauded, shall for every such offence be punishable with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Unlawful release or connivance at escape.

23. All fines leviable for offences against this Act, shall be adjudged by the Magistrate on the information of the Collector or any officer of Inland Customs.

Adjudication of fine and confiscation.

Provided that no such information shall be necessary in any case of complaint preferred to a Magistrate under section nineteen, twenty, twenty-one or twenty-two.

On the application of the Collector or any officer of Inland Customs, the convicting Magistrate may declare to be confiscated all works, materials and implements constructed or prepared for the purpose of manufacturing or refining salt or saltpetre contrary to the provisions of this Act.

24. In all cases in which complaint or information is preferred to a Magistrate of offences committed against this Act, not being cases in which persons are sent in custody by a Collector or officer of Inland Customs or Land-Revenue, the Magistrate shall issue a summons requiring the attendance of the person accused.

Cases in which summons to issue.

The rules contained in the Code of Criminal Procedure, for the trial of cases before a Magistrate and for appeal against orders passed by a Magistrate, shall apply to trials under this Act:

Rules of Criminal Procedure Code to apply to trials.

Provided that no complaint or information of an offence against this Act shall be admitted, unless it be preferred within six months after the commission of the offence to which the complaint or information refers.

Limitation of time for complaint.

25. Whenever any person is convicted of an offence against this Act, after having been previously convicted of an offence, against this Act or any enactment hereby repealed,

Punishment on second and subsequent convictions.

a term of imprisonment not exceeding six months may be imposed on such person in addition to the punishment which may be inflicted for a first offence against this Act;

and every such person shall, upon every subsequent conviction of an offence against this Act, be liable to six months' imprisonment in addition to any term of imprisonment to which he was liable at his last previous conviction.

26. All fines imposed under section eighteen, and the proceeds from sale of all confiscated articles, shall be employed in accordance with the rules that may from time to time be prescribed in that behalf by the Governor General in Council.

Appropriation of fines and proceeds of goods confiscated.

SCHEDULE.

A.—Acts.

Number and Year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
XIV of 1843	An Act for regulating the levy of Customs Duties, and the manufacture of Salt in the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Bengal.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXXVI of 1855.	An Act to empower Officers of Customs and Land Revenue to search Houses and other enclosed places for contraband Salt in the North-Western Provinces.	The whole.
I of 1860 ...	An Act to empower the Governor General in Council to increase the rate of Duty on Salt imported into the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Bengal.	So much as has not been repealed.
XVII of 1861	An Act to amend Act XIV of 1843 (for regulating the Customs Duties in the North-Western Provinces).	So much as has not been repealed.
XXXI of 1861	An Act to regulate the manufacture of Saltpetre and the sale of Salt educed in the refinement thereof.	The whole.
XIX of 1862	An Act to extend to the Province of Oude certain provisions of Acts XIV of 1843 and XXXVI of 1855, relating to the manufacture of contraband Salt, and to amend the last-named Act.	The whole.
VII of 1864	An Act for regulating the importation and manufacture of alimentary Salt in the Territories administered by the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXXIII of 1867.	An Act to amend Act No. XXXI of 1861.	The whole.
XXV of 1869	An Act to provide Rules for the manufacture, storing and sale of Alimentary Salt in the North-Western Provinces, the Panjáb, Oudh and the Central Provinces, and for other purposes.	The whole.
XXV of 1872	An Act to give the force of law to certain Rules relating to Salt in the Panjáb.	The whole.
X of 1874 ...	An Act to amend the Law relating to Salt.	Sections three and four.

SCHEDULE—*(continued).*

B.—Bengal Regulations.

Number and Year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
XIX of 1812	A Regulation for making certain Alterations in the Rules before established for the Collection of the Government Customs and Town Duties.	So much as has not been repealed.
XX of 1817	A Regulation for reducing into one Regulation, with Amendments and Modifications, the several Rules which have been passed for the Guidance of Darogahs and other subordinate Officers of Police; for modifying the existing Rules concerning the Resistance or Evasion of Criminal Process, and for requiring further Aid to the Police in certain cases, from Proprietors and Farmers of Land and their Local Managers, as well as from the Munduls and other Heads of Villages.	Section twenty-nine, clauses *fifth*, *sixth*, *seventh*, and *eighth*.
X of 1819 ...	A Regulation for reducing into one Regulation, with Alterations and Amendments, the Rules at present in Force respecting the Manufacture, Adulteration, Importation, Transportation, and Sale of Salt.	So much as has not been repealed.
X of 1826 ...	A Regulation for removing Doubts as to the Application of Section L. Regulation X. 1819, to the District of Goruckpore: for prohibiting the Manufacture within any of the Districts of Bengal, Behar, and Orissa, of Noon-chye, or any Description of Saline Substance used as a condiment with Food, excepting on Account of, or with the Permission of Government: and for providing for the Retail Sale of Salt by Government Officers in certain Cases.	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1832...	A Regulation for declaring and explaining the Meaning and Intention of section XLI. Regulation X. 1819.	The whole.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

1. The primary object of this Bill is to consolidate and simplify the law relating to Inland Customs Duties. That law is now scattered over no less than eleven Acts and five Regulations. These Regulations are quite obsolete, and though most of them have been expressly repealed for the Lower Provinces of Bengal by Act VII of 1864 of the Bengal Council, they are still nominally in force in the North-Western Provinces.

Besides these legislative enactments, there are numerous orders of the Government of India and of the Local Governments of the Panjáb, North-Western Provinces and Central Provinces, which, whether they have in all cases the force of law or not, govern the practice of the Inland Customs Department as if they had the force of law. With respect to the sugar duties levied in the Panjáb beyond the old North-Western Provinces line, and perhaps in the Central Provinces south of the old Ságar Division, it seems, to say the least, doubtful whether the orders under which they are levied are legal. The Bill will remove this doubt.

2. The opportunity has been taken to make a few alterations in the law, which may be briefly stated as follows:—

3. *Section* 1, *clause* 2.—The question has been raised whether Magistrates in parts of India to which the present Inland Customs Acts have not been extended should try offences under

those Acts. For instance, a Bombay trader books and despatches by railway for the Central Provinces salt under some other name for the purpose of evading the Inland Customs Duty. It is clear that he has committed an offence under Act XIV of 1843 as extended by Act VII of 1864 to the Central Provinces. Should a Bombay Magistrate hear the charge? The Bill sets this point at rest.

4. *Section* 3. *Definitions.*—These definitions settle many doubtful points in the present law and are in accordance with actual practice.

5. *Section* 4. *Proviso.*—This is a mere extension of Act XVI of 1848, so as to free from duty sugar exported from the Upper Provinces to the Lower Provinces of Bengal. No such duty has ever been levied, but under the law as it stands it is leviable.

6. *Section* 7.—This section is new, but in practice it has been always acted on. For instance, although the duty on salt imported into the Central Provinces is by law three rupees per maund, a deduction has always been allowed of the amount of duty paid in Madras or Bombay on salt imported from these presidencies. Again, until recently no duty was levied on sugar exported across the Customs Line on the Indus, and even now it is not levied in the northern portion of that line.

7. *Section* 9.—The only provision of the present law corresponding with this is section 1 of Act XIV of 1871, and it is doubtful whether that section applies to articles taken from one part of British India to another. No salt is allowed to be imported into the Panjáb across any part of the Customs Line north of the Satlaj, even on payment of duty. This is very necessary, as if trans-Indus salt (Kohat) were permitted to be imported cis-Indus, the difficulties in suppressing smuggling would be much increased. The trans-Indus salt is easily distinguishable from cis-Indus salt, and if found anywhere on the east of the Indus is known at once to have been smuggled.

8. *Section* 10.—This section is a reproduction, with the additions and modifications expressed in clauses (*d*), (*f*), (*g*), (*h*) and (*i*), of Acts XIV of 1843, section 3; XXXI of 1861, sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 10, and XXV of 1869, section 1. The additions and modifications just referred to are as follows:—

Clause (*d*.) Disputes arise as to what is refined and what unrefined sugar; the line between each it is often difficult to draw. The Bill empowers the executive to determine such disputes.

Clause (*f*.) Under the present law (Act XXXI of 1861, sections 1 to 4 and section 11), the licenses for manufacturing and refining saltpetre and the other substances mentioned are required to be granted by the Local Government; the period of the license and the limits of the license-fees are fixed. In practice the licenses are issued by the Inland Customs officers subject to the control of the Local Governments. This clause will empower the Government of India to determine the limits of the license-fees.

Clauses (*g*), (*h*) and (*i*) are formal. Orders on the matters with which they deal have always been issued by the Executive Government. It is desirable that such orders should have the force of law.

9. *Section* 13.—The powers of officers to search houses, &c., and the precautions under which these powers are to be exercised, are prescribed in Acts XXXVI of 1855 and XIX of 1862. Section 13 of the Bill is drafted on the model of analogous sections in the Excise Act, X of 1871.

10. *Section* 14, *last clause.*—The officers of the Inland Customs are often stationed at great distances from the Collector. It would cause great delay if, on making an arrest, seizure or search, it were necessary to await the Collector's orders. Under this clause Collectors will be able to empower their subordinates to bring the person arrested before the Magistrate or discharge him at once. The present state of the law on this point is rather uncertain.

11. *Section* 15.—Under the present law the only authority (except at the Panjáb Mines) who can deal with articles seized as liable to confiscation is the Commissioner of Land Revenue, however small the quantity seized may be. On the Frontier Customs Line the law is strictly followed, but in the case of seizures made under Act XXXI of 1861 it seems to have been misapprehended, and the Customs Officers have been in the habit of disposing of seizures on their own authority. At the mines, seizures not exceeding five sers are dealt with by the Collector under rule 16 of the rules to which the force of law was given by Act XXV of 1872. It is now proposed to make this rule universal throughout the department, making a reference to the Commissioner of Land Revenue necessary only in the case of seizures exceeding five sers.

12. *Section* 20.—The penalty for maliciously causing search by false information is, under the present law (Act XXXVI of 1855, section 7), a fine of Rs. 500 and imprisonment for a period of two years. The present section is drafted so as to assimilate the punishment to that for the same offence under the Excise Act X of 1871, section 70.

13. The remaining sections are borrowed with slight modifications from the Excise Act, to which the Inland Customs Law is in many respects analogous.

CALCUTTA;
The 2nd December 1874.

B. H. ELLIS.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[Second Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 22nd December 1874, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in six weeks:—

No. 18 OF 1874.

A Bill for the better administration of law in the Panjáb.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Panjáb Laws Act, 1872, and thereby to provide for the establishment of Rural Police and for the more efficient administration of law in the Panjáb; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title. Commencement.

1. This Act may be called "The Panjáb Laws Amendment Act, 1874:". It shall come into force on the passing thereof:

Construction.

And it shall be read with and taken as part of the Panjáb Laws Act, 1872.

Addition to Act IV of 1872.

2. The said Panjáb Laws Act shall be read as if the following sections were inserted next after section thirty-nine thereof:—

Power to establish village-watchman system and to make rules.

"39A. The Local Government may establish a system of village-watchmen in any part of the territories under its administration and not comprised within the limits of a municipality, and in furtherance of this object may from time to time make rules to provide for the following matters:—

(*a*) the definition of the limits of watchmen's beats;

(*b*) the determination of the several grades of watchmen, and the number of each grade to be appointed to each beat;

(*c*) the appointment, suspension, dismissal and resignation of watchmen of each grade;

(*d*) the equipment and discipline of, and the control and supervision over, such watchmen;

(*e*) the conferring upon them and the exercise by them of any powers and the enjoyment by them of any protection or privilege, which may be exercised and enjoyed by a police officer under any Act for the time being in force;

(*f*) the performance by them of such duties as to the Local Government may seem fit, whether duties of the nature ordinarily imposed by law on police officers, or duties connected with the public health or the collection of information in any branch of administration;

(*g*) the exercise of authority over, and the rendering of aid to, such watchmen, by the headmen of the villages comprised in their respective beats;

(*h*) the performance, by the headmen of the villages comprised in the beat, of any of the duties of a village-watchman in aid of or substitution for such watchman;

(*i*) the exercise, by such village-headmen, of any of the powers, and the enjoyment by them of any privilege or protection, of a village-watchman for the purposes referred to in clauses (*g*) and (*h*) of this section;

(*j*) the determination of the rate at which, and the mode in which, watchmen shall be paid, and of the mode in which their pay, the expenses of their equipment, and other charges connected with the village-watchman system shall be provided for, whether out of cesses or funds already leviable or available in the villages comprised in the beat, or by a special tax in money or grain to be imposed on any class of persons residing or owning property in or resorting to such villages or partly in one of these ways and partly in the other;

(*k*) the collection with or without the aid of the village-headmen, and by any process available for the realization of the land-revenue, of any tax imposed under clause (*j*) of this section, and the application of, and the mode of accounting for, the same;

(*l*) the efficient working of the village-watchman system generally.

"Provided—

1*st.*, that the rules to be made regarding the appointment of village-watchmen shall allow to the headmen of the village comprised in the beat to which such a watchman is to be appointed a power of nomination to be exercised in such manner and subject to such reasonable conditions as may be prescribed by such rules,

2*ndly*, that the rules to be made under clause (*j*) of this section shall include provisions for ascertaining and placing on record, and, as far as conveniently may be, giving effect to, the views and opinions of the headmen of such beat on the matters therein referred to.

Obligation to assist watchmen and headmen.

"39B. Every person is bound to render to a village-watchman or village headman discharging the duties of a police officer under the rules made hereunder all the assistance which he is bound to render to a police officer.

Person obstructing watchman or headman may be arrested without warrant.

"Any person who obstructs such watchman or headman in the discharge of such duties may be arrested without warrant by a police officer or by any village-headman or watchman empowered in this behalf by the Local Government.

Power to direct local taxation for payment of police enrolled under Act V of 1861.

"39C. Whenever it seems to the Local Government expedient that the duties of watch and ward and other internal police service of any town or village not comprised within the limits of a municipality or within the limits of a village-watchman's beat as defined under the power conferred by section thirty-nine A, should be performed by police officers enrolled under Act V of 1861, the Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, direct that the said service shall be so performed and that the charges for the time being fixed by such Government on account of such service shall be defrayed by taxes to be levied in such town or village.

Issue of notice of taxes proposed to be levied.

"39D. When the Local Government has, under section thirty-nine C, directed that taxes shall be levied in any town or village, the Deputy Commissioner may from time to time issue a public notice in such town or village explaining the nature of the taxes he proposes to levy.

Objections to taxation.

"Any inhabitant of such town or village objecting to the taxation thus proposed may, within fifteen days from the publication of such notice, send his objection in writing to the Deputy Commissioner,

"After the expiry of fifteen days from the publication of the notice, the Deputy Commissioner may submit to the Local Government a report of the proposal made by him, the objections (if any) urged thereto and his opinion on such objections, and no such tax shall be levied until it has, upon such report, been approved by the Local Government.

Procedure thereon.

"39 E. When any such tax has been so approved by the Local Government, the Deputy Commissioner may from time to time, subject to such rules consistent with this Act as the Local Government may from time to time prescribe, determine the rates at which it is to be levied.

Power to fix rates of tax.

"39 F. The Local Government may from time to time make rules to provide for the collection of such taxes by any process available for the realization of the land-revenue, and to regulate the application and mode of accounting for the same.

Power to make rules for collection of taxes.

"39 G. All taxes and collections which have been hitherto levied for the purposes of village and town police shall be deemed to have been levied in accordance with law."

Indemnity-clause.

3. Section 50 of the said Panjáb Laws Act is repealed and in lieu thereof there shall be read the following:—

Substitution of new section for section 50.

"50. The Local Government may issue rules as to the matters mentioned in sections forty-three to forty-nine inclusive, and may from time to time cancel or alter any such rules.

Power to make rules regarding matters mentioned in sections 43 to 49.

"All existing rules upon such matters shall, unless and until the Local Government otherwise direct, be deemed to have been issued under and in conformity with this section.

"50 A. No rules made by the Local Government under any power conferred by this Act shall be valid unless—

Conditions of validity of rules made under this Act.

(a) they are consistent with the laws for the time being in force in the Panjáb;

(b) they are published in the Local Gazette;

(c) previous to such publication they are sanctioned by the Governor General in Council.

"50 B. The Local Government may, in making any rule under any of the powers conferred by this Act, attach to the breach of it, in addition to any other consequences that would ensue from such breach, a punishment on conviction before a Magistrate not exceeding six months' imprisonment or 300 rupees fine, or both."

Penalties for breach of such rules.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

From correspondence which has recently taken place between the Government of India and the Government of the Panjáb, it has become apparent that the position of the village chaukídár in the Panjáb, as regards his duties, powers, pay, appointment, dismissal and punishment, rests upon practice and that there is no sufficient legal power to mould the system according to the exigencies of time and place.

The main object of the present Bill is to place on a legal basis a system which has existed and has in the main worked efficiently, and to the satisfaction of all concerned from our first occupation of the province.

The definition of the position and functions of the village-watchman involves of necessity the definition of the police-duties of the village-headman, whose nominee and servant he virtually is, and in subordination to whom, if the village-police system is to be efficient, he must always work. The duties which the present Bill goes to impose on village-headmen are, perhaps, in some particulars more extensive than those which at this moment can legally be required of them; but they are, it is believed, little, if at all, in excess of what the general opinion of the country would expect from men in their position, and what, as a matter of fact, the best of them at this moment undertake.

The present opportunity has been taken to provide for the raising of funds to defray the charges of police in certain *kasbahs* or towns which have outgrown the village-system, and yet are not sufficiently advanced to be formed into municipalities.

Here, again, the Bill does no more than put an existing and long-established system on a legal footing.

A. HOBHOUSE.

The 23rd April 1874.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[Second Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 22nd December 1874, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in a month:—

No. 19 OF 1874.

A Bill to remove doubts as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers who have been enrolled without having been attested, and it is expedient to remove such doubts; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Preamble.

1. Every person who has for the space of six months been in the receipt of military pay and been borne on the rolls of any Regiment, Corps, Depôt, Ordnance Establishment, or Department of Her Majesty's Indian Army (of which the last pay statement, if produced, shall be evidence), shall be deemed to have been duly enlisted, enrolled and attested, and shall not be entitled to claim his discharge on the ground of illegality or irregularity in his enlistment, enrolment or attestation, or on any other ground save such as may be recognised by the orders and customs of the service.

Validation of enlistment of Native soldiers.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

It has lately been discovered that certain men now serving in the Native Army were not duly attested on enlistment, and doubts have consequently been raised as to their rights and liabilities.

The present Bill, which is framed on the model of section 59 of the English Mutiny Act, has accordingly been prepared. It simply declares that every soldier who has for six months received pay and been borne on the rolls, shall be deemed to have been duly enlisted, enrolled and attested.

H. W. NORMAN.

The 10th December 1874.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 15th March 1875, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in six weeks:—

No. 4 OF 1875.

A Bill to amend the law relating to certain Courts and Offices in the Panjáb.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to certain Courts and Offices in the Panjáb; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Preamble.

1. This Act may be called "The Panjáb Administration Act, 1875:"

Short title.

It extends to all the territories for the time being under the government of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb;

Local extent.

And it shall come into force on the passing thereof.

Commencement.

2. Section twenty of the Panjáb Courts Act, 1865, is repealed in so far as it relates to the powers of a Deputy Commissioner.

Repeal of Act XIX of 1865, s. 20.

3. The Local Government may invest any person with all or any of the powers conferred by the said Act or by any other enactment for the time being in force,

The Local Government may confer powers

(a) on a Tahsíldár exercising civil or revenue jurisdiction or in any other capacity; or

of a Tahsíldár,

(b) on a Deputy Commissioner exercising civil jurisdiction; or

of a Deputy Commissioner, or

(c) on a principal civil Court of original jurisdiction.

of a principal civil Court.

4. Any person invested with powers under section three shall exercise such powers in such District or Districts, or in such portion of a District, as the Local Government may from time to time appoint in this behalf, and in such cases or classes of cases as the Deputy Commissioner of the District may from time to time, subject to any rules prescribed in this behalf by the Local Government, by general or special order direct.

Such powers where and in what cases to be exercised.

5. Any person exercising any of the said powers shall, for the purposes of the law relating to appeals and for all other purposes connected with the exercise of such powers, be deemed to be a Tahsíldár or Deputy Commissioner, as the case may be.

Persons exercising such powers to be deemed to be Tahsíldárs or Deputy Commissioners.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

This Bill is intended to give effect to the scheme which has recently been sanctioned for strengthening the judicial and executive administrations of the Panjáb.

Among the leading points of that scheme are—

1st.—a proposal to appoint, in every District where it may be found necessary, a Judicial Assistant who will relieve the Deputy Commissioner of the bulk of his civil judicial business:

2ndly.—a proposal to appoint, in each tahsíl, an officer to be called a Munsif who, as a general rule, will take the judicial business of the tahsíl, but whose services will likewise be available for any other duties ordinarily performed by a Tahsíldár, on which it may at times be found convenient to employ him. The powers conferred by section 20 of Act XIX of 1865 and by Act III of 1868 being deemed insufficient to enable the Local Government fully to carry out these proposals, fresh legislation has become necessary.

The 6th March 1875. D. FORSYTH.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART V.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 22nd December 1874, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in six weeks:—

No. 18 OF 1874.

A Bill for the better administration of law in the Panjáb.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Panjáb Laws Act, 1872, and thereby to provide for the establishment of Rural Police and for the more efficient administration of law in the Panjáb; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Panjáb Laws Amendment Act, 1874."

Commencement.

It shall come into force on the passing thereof:

Construction.

And it shall be read with and taken as part of the Panjáb Laws Act, 1872.

Addition to Act IV of 1872.

2. The said Panjáb Laws Act shall be read as if the following sections were inserted next after section thirty-nine thereof:—

Power to establish village-watchman system and to make rules.

"39A. The Local Government may establish a system of village-watchmen in any part of the territories under its administration and not comprised within the limits of a municipality, and in furtherance of this object may from time to time make rules to provide for the following matters:—

(a) the definition of the limits of watchmen's beats;

(b) the determination of the several grades of watchmen, and the number of each grade to be appointed to each beat;

(c) the appointment, suspension, dismissal and resignation of watchmen of each grade;

(d) the equipment and discipline of, and the control and supervision over, such watchmen;

(e) the conferring upon them and the exercise by them of any powers and the enjoyment by them of any protection or privilege, which may be exercised and enjoyed by a police officer under any Act for the time being in force;

(f) the performance by them of such duties as to the Local Government may seem fit, whether duties of the nature ordinarily imposed by law on police officers, or duties connected with the public health or the collection of information in any branch of administration;

(g) the exercise of authority over, and the rendering of aid to, such watchmen, by the headmen of the villages comprised in their respective beats;

(h) the performance, by the headmen of the villages comprised in the beat, of any of the duties of a village-watchman in aid of or substitution for such watchman;

(i) the exercise, by such village-headmen, of any of the powers, and the enjoyment by them of any privilege or protection, of a village-watchman for the purposes referred to in clauses (g) and (h) of this section;

(j) the determination of the rate at which, and the mode in which, watchmen shall be paid, and of the mode in which their pay, the expenses of their equipment, and other charges connected with the village-watchman system shall be provided for, whether out of cesses or funds already leviable or available in the villages comprised in the beat, or by a special tax in money or

grain to be imposed on any class of persons residing or owning property in or resorting to such villages or partly in one of these ways and partly in the other;

(*k*) the collection with or without the aid of the village-headmen, and by any process available for the realization of the land-revenue, of any tax imposed under clause (*j*) of this section, and the application of, and the mode of accounting for, the same;

(*l*) the efficient working of the village-watchman system generally.

"Provided—

1*st.*, that the rules to be made regarding the appointment of village-watchmen shall allow to the headmen of the village comprised in the beat to which such a watchman is to be appointed a power of nomination to be exercised in such manner and subject to such reasonable conditions as may be prescribed by such rules,

2*ndly*, that the rules to be made under clause (*j*) of this section shall include provisions for ascertaining and placing on record, and, as far as conveniently may be, giving effect to, the views and opinions of the headmen of such beat on the matters therein referred to.

Obligation to assist watchmen and headmen.

"39B. Every person is bound to render to a village-watchman or village headman discharging the duties of a police officer under the rules made hereunder all the assistance which he is bound to render to a police officer.

Person obstructing watchman or headman may be arrested without warrant.

"Any person who obstructs such watchman or headman in the discharge of such duties may be arrested without warrant by a police officer or by any village-headman or watchman empowered in this behalf by the Local Government.

Power to direct local taxation for payment of police enrolled under Act V of 1861.

"39 C. Whenever it seems to the Local Government expedient that the duties of watch and ward and other internal police service of any town or village not comprised within the limits of a municipality or within the limits of a village-watchman's beat as defined under the power conferred by section thirty-nine A, should be performed by police officers enrolled under Act V of 1861, the Local Government may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, direct that the said service shall be so performed and that the charges for the time being fixed by such Government on account of such service shall be defrayed by taxes to be levied in such town or village.

Issue of notice of taxes proposed to be levied.

"39 D. When the Local Government has, under section thirty-nine C, directed that taxes shall be levied in any town or village, the Deputy Commissioner may from time to time issue a public notice in such town or village explaining the nature of the taxes he proposes to levy.

Objections to taxation.

"Any inhabitant of such town or village objecting to the taxation thus proposed may, within fifteen days from the publication of such notice, send his objection in writing to the Deputy Commissioner.

Procedure thereon.

"After the expiry of fifteen days from the publication of the notice, the Deputy Commissioner may submit to the Local Government a report of the proposal made by him, the objections (if any) urged thereto and his opinion on such objections, and no such tax shall be levied until it has, upon such report, been approved by the Local Government.

Power to fix rates of tax.

"39 E. When any such tax has been so approved by the Local Government, the Deputy Commissioner may from time to time, subject to such rules consistent with this Act as the Local Government may from time to time prescribe, determine the rates at which it is to be levied.

Power to make rules for collection of taxes.

"39 F. The Local Government may from time to time make rules to provide for the collection of such taxes by any process available for the realization of the land-revenue, and to regulate the application and mode of accounting for the same.

Indemnity-clause.

"39 G. All taxes and collections which have been hitherto levied for the purposes of village and town police shall be deemed to have been levied in accordance with law."

Substitution of new section for section 50.

3. Section 50 of the said Panjáb Laws Act is repealed and in lieu thereof there shall be read the following:—

Power to make rules regarding matters mentioned in sections 43 to 49.

"50. The Local Government may issue rules as to the matters mentioned in sections forty-three to forty-nine inclusive, and may from time to time cancel or alter any such rules.

"All existing rules upon such matters shall, unless and until the Local Government otherwise direct, be deemed to have been issued under and in conformity with this section.

Conditions of validity of rules made under this Act.

"50 A. No rules made by the Local Government under any power conferred by this Act shall be valid unless—

(*a*) they are consistent with the laws for the time being in force in the Panjáb;

(*b*) they are published in the Local Gazette;

(*c*) previous to such publication they are sanctioned by the Governor General in Council.

Penalties for breach of such rules.

"50 B. The Local Government may, in making any rule under any of the powers conferred by this Act, attach to the breach of it, in addition to any other consequences that would ensue from such breach, a punishment on conviction before a Magistrate not exceeding six months' imprisonment or 300 rupees fine, or both."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

From correspondence which has recently taken place between the Government of India and the Government of the Panjáb, it has become apparent that the position of the village chaukídár in the Panjáb, as regards his duties, powers, pay, appointment, dismissal and punishment, rests upon practice and that there is no sufficient legal power to mould the system according to the exigencies of time and place.

The main object of the present Bill is to place on a legal basis a system which has existed and has in the main worked efficiently, and to the satisfaction of all concerned from our first occupation of the province.

The definition of the position and functions of the village-watchman involves of necessity the definition of the police-duties of the village-headman, whose nominee and servant he virtually is, and in subordination to whom, if the village-police system is to be efficient, he must always work.

The duties which the present Bill goes to impose on village-headmen are, perhaps, in some particulars more extensive than those which at this moment can legally be required of them; but they are, it is believed, little, if at all, in excess of what the general opinion of the country would expect from men in their position, and what, as a matter of fact, the best of them at this moment undertake.

The present opportunity has been taken to provide for the raising of funds to defray the charges of police in certain *kasbahs* or towns which have outgrown the village-system, and yet are not sufficiently advanced to be formed into municipalities.

Here, again, the Bill does no more than put an existing and long-established system on a legal footing.

A. HOBHOUSE.

The 23rd April 1874.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[Third Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 22nd December 1874, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in a month:—

No. 19 OF 1874.

A Bill to remove doubts as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers.

Preamble.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers who have been enrolled without having been attested, and it is expedient to remove such doubts; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Validation of enlistment of Native soldiers.

1. Every person who has for the space of six months been in the receipt of military pay and been borne on the rolls of any Regiment, Corps, Depôt, Ordnance Establishment, or Department of Her Majesty's Indian Army (of which the last pay statement, if produced, shall be evidence), shall be deemed to have been duly enlisted, enrolled and attested, and shall not be entitled to claim his discharge on the ground of illegality or irregularity in his enlistment, enrolment or attestation, or on any other ground save such as may be recognised by the orders and customs of the service.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

It has lately been discovered that certain men now serving in the Native Army were not duly attested on enlistment, and doubts have consequently been raised as to their rights and liabilities.

The present Bill, which is framed on the model of section 59 of the English Mutiny Act, has accordingly been prepared. It simply declares that every soldier who has for six months received pay and been borne on the rolls, shall be deemed to have been duly enlisted, enrolled and attested.

H. W. NORMAN.

The 10th December 1874.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following Report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 5th January 1875:—

We, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to regulate the Procedure of the High Courts in the exercise of their original criminal jurisdiction was referred, have considered the papers noted in the margin, and we have the honour to present this further report.

From C. C. Macrae, Esq., Clerk of the Crown, dated 24th March 1874.
" Home Department, No. 453 J, dated 25th March 1874, and enclosures.
" Acting Registrar, High Court, Bombay, dated 31st March 1874, and enclosures.
" Financial Department, No. 2170, dated 31st March 1874, and enclosures.
Minute by Mr. Justice Bayley, dated 28th March 1874.
Ditto by Mr. Justice Marriott, dated 31st March 1874.
Note by J. Pitt Kennedy, Esq.
From Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association, dated 6th April 1874, and enclosures.
Opinion by Mr. Justice Markby, dated 1st June 1874.
From Pitt Kennedy, Esq., dated 15th June 1874.
" Government, Panjáb, No. 2535, dated 6th July 1874, and enclosure.
Note by Chief Justice Sir R. Couch, dated 11th July 1874.
From Officiating Registrar, High Court, Calcutta, No. 918 A, dated 16th July 1874.
" Government, North-Western Provinces, No. 1113 A, dated 15th July 1874, and enclosures.
" Government, Madras, No. 1510, dated 15th August 1874, and enclosures.
Endorsement, Home Department, No. 147 J, dated 21st September 1874, forwarding memorial from British Indian Association.
From Government of Bombay, No. 7082, dated 14th December 1874, and enclosures.

2. In compliance with the wishes of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William and Bombay, we have reproduced in the Bill itself the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure to which as introduced it merely referred. We have thus, we hope, made the Bill a complete Code of that branch of the law to which it relates. The Bill as now amended is divided into sixteen chapters, relating respectively to the following subjects:—

CHAPTER I.—Preliminary.
" II.—Of Sessions.
" III.—Of Procedure on Commitments.
" IV.—Of the Commencement of the Trial.
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" XII.—Of Criminal Lunatics.
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" XVI.—Miscellaneous.

In Chapter I, we have defined "Advocate General" to include a Government Advocate, and we have added definitions of 'Prosecutor,' "European British subject" and "Offence." We have also declared that words referring to acts done shall include illegal omissions.

In Chapter III, we have empowered the Court to amend the charge on the application of the prosecutor.

We think that irregular commitments should not be validated when, during the enquiry, the prosecutor has objected to the jurisdiction of the committing Magistrate.

We think that the person committed should not be entitled to a copy of the depositions unless he demands it a reasonable time before the case comes on for trial.

In Chapter V, Section 36 (as to the trial of European British subjects and Natives jointly charged), we have provided that the Native shall be committed only when the committing Magistrate thinks that he ought to be tried.

We have declared (in accordance with Act X of 1872, Section 407) that in the Presidency towns no person shall be summoned as a juror more than once in six months, unless the number cannot be made up without him. And we have provided for summoning supplemental jurors when, during the continuance of the session, it appears that a sufficient number has not been summoned. We have, we hope, made it clear that the total number of peremptory challenges on behalf of the accused shall never exceed eight, whatever may be the number of persons charged. We have required the foreman to ask from the Court information required by any juror.

We have empowered the High Court to make rules as to locking-up juries, and provided that, subject to such rules, the presiding Judge may order whether the jurors shall be kept together under the charge of an officer or allowed to return to their respective homes.

We think that the jury should decide all questions which according to law, whether written or unwritten, are questions of fact, and we have altered accordingly the clause of the Bill which corresponds with section 257 of the Code.

In the section relating to the issue of commissions to take evidence, we have supplied a defect in the Code of Criminal Procedure, which does not provide for the case of the witness being in a Native State.

In the clause relating to the conviction of the accused on his own admission, we have provided that such conviction may be had, whether the offence admitted is the offence charged or not.

We have omitted the direction that the Court shall question the accused after the close of the case for the prosecution.

We have endeavoured to make the section of the Bill, which corresponds with the section of the Code as to sentences on escaped convicts, express what we believe to have been the intention of the legislature.

We have expressly saved the provisions of the Prisoners' Act, 1871.

We have authorised the Advocate General to enter up a *nolle prosequi*.

We have made several verbal amendments in the sections transferred from the Code.

In the schedule of repeals we have inserted Act XVIII of 1859 (*to amend the law relating to offences declared to be punishable on conviction before a Magistrate*), and we propose to repeal the whole of 9 Geo. IV, c. 74, except the preamble and Sections 1, 7, 8, 9, 25, 26 and 56.

We think that the Bill should be republished with this report.

A. HOBHOUSE.
B. H. ELLIS.
E. C. BAYLEY.
R. A. DALYELL.

The 31st December 1874.

THE HIGH COURTS' CRIMINAL PROCEDURE BILL, 1875.

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[AS AMENDED BY THE SELECT COMMITTEE.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to the procedure of the High Courts in the exercise of their original criminal jurisdiction; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The High Courts' Criminal Procedure Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the *first* day of *March* 1875.

Repeal of enactments.

2. The enactments mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed are repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the said schedule, but not so as to revive any practice thereby abolished.

And all rules made under any of the said enactments shall be deemed to have been made under this Act, so far as they are consistent herewith.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"High Court."

"High Court" includes all High Courts established or to be established under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, Chapter 104, the Chief Court of the Panjáb, and such other Courts as the Governor-General in Council may, from time to time, declare to be invested with the powers of a High Court under this Act:

"Chief Justice."

"Chief Justice" includes also the Senior Judge of a Chief Court:

"Advocate General."

"Advocate General" includes also a Government Advocate:

"Clerk of the Crown."

"Clerk of the Crown" includes any officer specially appointed by the Chief Justice to discharge the functions given by this Act to the Clerk of the Crown; and

"Magistrate."

"Magistrate" includes also a Police Magistrate in the Towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

"European British Subject."

"European British Subject" means—

(*a*) all subjects of Her Majesty born, naturalized or domiciled in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland or in any of the European, American or Australian colonies or possessions of Her Majesty, or in the colonies of New Zealand, the Cape of Good Hope and Natal;

(*b*) the children and grandchildren of any such person by legitimate descent.

"Prosecutor."

"Prosecutor" includes every person conducting a prosecution on behalf of Her Majesty.

"Offence."

"Offence" denotes anything made punishable by any law for the time being in force; and

words which refer to acts done extend also to illegal omissions.

CHAPTER II.

OF SESSIONS.

Time of holding sittings.

4. For the exercise of its original criminal jurisdiction, every High Court shall hold sittings on such days and at such convenient intervals as the Chief Justice of such Court from time to time appoints.

Place of holding sittings.

5. The High Court shall hold its sittings at the place at which it now holds them, or at such other place (if any) as the Governor General in Council in the case of the High Court at Fort

William, and as the Local Government in the case of the other High Courts, may direct. But it may, from time to time,

in the case of the High Court at Fort William, with the consent of the Governor General in Council,

in all other cases, with the consent of the Local Government,

hold sittings at such other places within the local limits of its appellate jurisdiction as the High Court appoints.

Notice of sittings.

Such officer as the Chief Justice directs shall give notice beforehand in the local official Gazette of all sittings intended to be held for the exercise of the original criminal jurisdiction of the High Court.

CHAPTER III.

OF PROCEDURE ON COMMITMENTS.

Cases tried by High Courts to be tried under this Act.

6. All cases committed to the High Court and tried by it shall be tried subject to the provisions of this Act.

Consideration and amendment of charge.

7. When any person is committed for trial before a High Court, the Clerk of the Crown, or if there be not a Clerk of the Crown, a Judge of the High Court, shall, on receipt of the charge, peruse and consider it, and may, if it appear necessary or expedient so to do, alter or redraw the same, having regard to the rules as to the form of charges contained in the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Charge to be recorded.

Copy of charge.

The charge, with such alterations (if any), shall be recorded in the High Court, and a copy of such charge shall be given to the person gratis, if he demands it.

Copies of depositions.

8. The person charged shall also be entitled to a copy of his own examination before the committing Magistrate and to copies of the examinations of witnesses upon whose depositions he has been committed, and of all other depositions (if any) taken against him and returned into the High Court, if he demands them a reasonable time before the case comes on for trial and pays for the same a reasonable sum not exceeding one anna for each folio of ninety words.

The Court may for any special reason remit any such payment.

How Court may deal with charge.

9. If a prisoner is committed to the Court without any charge at all, the clerk of the crown, or if there be not a clerk of the crown a judge of the High Court, may draw up a charge having regard to the rules referred to in section seven. If a prisoner is committed upon a charge which the Court, upon reference to the proceedings before the committing Magistrate, considers improper, the Court may draw up a charge for any offence or offences which it considers to be proved by the evidence taken before the committing Magistrate.

Prisoner may apply for amendment.

10. Any accused person may apply to the Court for an amendment of the charge made against him; and in considering whether any error in a charge did in fact mislead the accused person, the Court shall take into account the fact that he did or did not make such an application.

Court may amend charge.

11. The Court may, upon the application of the accused person, or of the prosecutor, or upon its own motion, amend or alter any charge at any stage of the proceedings before the verdict of the jury is delivered. Such amendment shall be explained to the accused person.

When trial may proceed immediately after amendment.

12. If the amendment or alteration is such that proceeding immediately with the trial is not likely, in the opinion of the Court, to prejudice the accused person in his defence, it shall be at the discretion of the Court, after making such amendment or alteration, to proceed with the trial as if the amended charge had been the original charge.

When new trial may be directed or trial suspended.

13. If the amendment or alteration is such that proceeding immediately with the trial is likely, in the opinion of the Court, to prejudice the accused person in his defence, the Court may either direct a new trial, or suspend the trial for such period as may be necessary to enable the accused person to make his defence to the amended or altered charge; and, after hearing his defence, the Court may, if it thinks fit, further adjourn the trial, to admit of the appearance of any witness whose evidence the Court may consider to be material to the case, or whom the accused person may wish to be summoned in his defence.

Prosecutor and accused person may recall witnesses.

14. In all cases of amendment or alteration of a charge during the trial, the prosecutor and accused person shall be allowed to recall and examine any witness who may have been examined.

Previous sanction to be obtained if offence in amended charge require it.

15. If the offence stated in the amended or altered charge be one for which previous sanction is necessary, the case shall not be proceeded with until such sanction is obtained; unless sanction has been already obtained for a prosecution on the same facts as those on which the amended or altered charge was founded.

Joinder of Charges.

Separate charges for distinct offences.

16. There must be a separate charge for every distinct offence of which any person is accused, and every such charge must be tried separately, except in the cases hereinafter excepted.

Illustration.

A is accused of a theft on one occasion, and of causing grievous hurt on another occasion. A must be separately charged and separately tried for the theft and the causing grievous hurt.

More offences than one of same kind may be charged within a year of each other.

17. When a person is accused of more offences than one of the same kind, committed within one year of each other, he may be charged and tried at the same time for any number of them not exceeding three.

EXPLANATION.—Offences are said to be of the same kind under this section if they fall within the provisions of section nineteen.

Trial of more than one offence.

18. I. If in one series of acts, so connected together as to form the same transaction, more offences than one are committed by

the same person, he may be charged with and tried for every such offence at the same time.

One offence falling within two definitions.

II. If the acts alleged constitute an offence falling within two or more separate definitions of any law in force for the time being, by which offences are defined or punished, the person accused of them may be charged with each of the offences so committed; but he must not receive a more severe punishment than could be awarded for any of such offences.

Acts severally constituting more than one offence, but collectively coming within one definition.

III. If several acts, of which one or more than one would by itself constitute an offence, form, when combined, a different offence, the person accused of them may be charged with every offence which he may have committed; but he must not receive for such offences, collectively, a punishment more severe than that which might have been awarded for any one of such offences, or for the offence formed by their combination.

Illustrations.

To paragraph I.

(*a.*) A rescues B, a person in lawful custody, and in so doing causes grievous hurt to C, a constable in whose custody B was. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 225 and 333, Indian Penal Code.

(*b.*) A has in his possession several counterfeit seals with the intention of committing several forgeries. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, the possession of each seal for a distinct forgery under section 473, Indian Penal Code.

(*c.*) A, with intent to cause injury to B, institutes proceedings against him, knowing there is no just or lawful ground for such proceedings. A also, in the course of the proceedings, falsely charges B with having committed an offence. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, two offences under section 211, Indian Penal Code.

(*d.*) A, with intent to injure B, brings a false charge against him of having committed an offence. On the trial, A gives false evidence against B. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 211 and 194 or 195, Indian Penal Code.

(*e.*) A, knowing that B, a female minor, has been kidnapped, wrongfully confines her and detains her as a slave. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 368 (read with 367) and 370, Indian Penal Code.

(*f.*) A, with six others, commits the offences of rioting, grievous hurt to B, and of assaulting C, a public servant engaged in suppressing the riot. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, offences under sections 147, 325 and 152, Indian Penal Code.

(*g.*) A criminally intimidates B, C and D at the same time. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, each of the three offences under section 506, Indian Penal Code.

(*h.*) A intentionally causes the death of three persons by upsetting a boat. A may be separately charged with, convicted of, and punished for, three offences under section 302, Indian Penal Code.

To paragraph II.

(*i.*) A commits mischief by cutting down a tree in a Government forest. The tree overhangs the bank of a river and falls into the stream. A commits theft by having severed the tree and by floating it down the river to his village, where he sells it. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 426 and 379, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a more severe sentence than if it had convicted him under section 379 only.

(*j.*) A wrongfully strikes B with a cane. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 352 and 323 of the Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a more severe sentence than if it had convicted him under section 323 only.

(*k.*) A wrongfully kills a buffalo worth sixty rupees belonging to B, and then takes away the carcase in a manner amounting to theft. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 429 and 379, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a more severe sentence than if it had convicted him under section 429 only.

(*l.*) Several stolen sacks of corn are made over to A and B, who know they are stolen property. A and B thereupon assist each other to conceal the sacks at the bottom of a grain-pit. A and B may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 411 and 414, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries them may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted them under one of those sections only.

(*m.*) A uses a forged document in evidence, in order to convict B, a public servant, of an offence under section 167. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 471 (read with 466) and 196 of the Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under one of those sections only.

To paragraph III.

(*n.*) A commits house-breaking by day with intent to commit adultery, and commits, in the house so entered, adultery with B's wife. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 454 and 497, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under section 497 only.

(*o.*) A robs B, and, in doing so, voluntarily causes hurt to him. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 323, 392 and 394 of the Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under section 392 or 394 only.

(*p.*) A entices B, the wife of C, away, and then commits adultery with her. A may be separately charged with, and convicted of, offences under sections 498 and 497, Indian Penal Code; but the Court which tries him may not inflict a severer sentence than if it had convicted him under section 497 only.

Where it is doubtful what offence has been committed.

19. If a single act or series of acts is of such a nature that it is doubtful which of several offences the facts which can be proved will constitute, the accused person may be charged with having committed all or any of such offences; and any number of such charges may be tried at once, or he may be charged in the alternative with having committed some one of the said offences.

Illustration.

A is accused of an act which may amount to either theft, receiving stolen property, criminal breach of trust, or cheating. He may be charged separately with theft, criminal breach of trust, and cheating, or he may be charged with having committed either theft, or criminal breach of trust, or cheating.

When a person is charged with one offence, he can be convicted of another.

20. If, in the case mentioned in section nineteen one charge only is brought against an accused person, and it appears in evidence that he committed

a different offence, for which he might have been charged under the provisions of that section, he may be convicted of the offence which he is shown to have committed, although he was not charged with it.

Illustration.

A is charged with theft. It appears that he committed criminal breach of trust, or receiving stolen goods. He may be convicted of criminal breach of trust, or receiving stolen goods, though he was not charged with it.

21. When a person is charged with an offence, and part of the charge is not proved, but the part which is proved amounts to a different offence, he may be convicted of the offence which he is proved to have committed, though he was not charged with it.

When offence proved included in offence charged.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A is charged, under section 407, Indian Penal Code, with criminal breach of trust in respect of property entrusted to him as a carrier. It appears that he did commit criminal breach of trust under section 406 in respect of the property, but that it was not entrusted to him as a carrier. He may be convicted of criminal breach of trust under section 406.

(*b.*) A is charged with murder. He may be convicted of culpable homicide, or of causing death by negligence.

22. When more persons than one are accused of the same offence, or of different offences committed in the same transaction, or when one person is accused of committing any offence, and another of abetment of, or attempt to commit, such offence, they may be charged and tried together, or separately, as the Court thinks proper, and the provisions hereinbefore contained shall apply to all such charges.

What persons may be charged jointly.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A and B are accused of the same murder. A and B may be charged and tried together for the murder.

(*b.*) A and B are accused of a robbery, in the course of which A commits a murder with which B has nothing to do. A and B may be tried together on a charge, charging both of them with the robbery, and A alone with the murder.

(*c.*) A and B are both charged with a theft, and B is charged with two other thefts committed by him in the course of the same transaction. A and B may be both tried together on a charge, charging both with the one theft, and B alone with the two other thefts.

23. No error, either in the way in which the offence is stated, or in the particulars required by the Code of Criminal Procedure to be stated, and no omission to state the offence, or to state those particulars, shall be regarded at any stage of the case as material, unless the person accused was in fact misled by such error or omission.

Effect of errors.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A is charged, under section 242 of the Indian Penal Code, with "having been in possession of counterfeit coin, having known at the time when he became possessed thereof that such coin was counterfeit;" the word "fraudulently" being omitted in the charge. Unless it appears that A was in fact misled by this omission, the error shall not be regarded as material.

(*b.*) A is charged with cheating B, and the manner in which he cheated B is not set out in the charge, or is set out incorrectly. A defends himself, calls witnesses, and gives his own account of the transaction. The Court may infer from this that the omission to set out the manner of the cheating is not material.

(*c.*) A is charged with cheating B, and the manner in which he cheated B is not set out in the charge. There were many transactions between A and B, and A had no means of knowing to which of them the charge referred, and offered no defence. The Court may infer from such facts that the omission to set out the manner of the cheating was, in this case, a material error.

(*d.*) A is charged with the murder of Khodá Baksh on the 21st January. In fact, the murdered person's name was Haidar Baksh, and the date of the murder was the 20th January. A was never charged with any murder but one, and had heard the inquiry before the Magistrate, which referred exclusively to the case of Haidar Baksh. The Court may infer from these facts that A was not misled, and that the error in the charge was immaterial.

(*e.*) A was charged with murdering Haidar Baksh on the 20th January, and Khodá Baksh (who tried to arrest him for that muder) on the 21st January. When charged for the murder of Haidar Baksh, he was tried for the murder of Khodá Baksh. The witnesses present in his defence were witnesses in the case of Haidar Baksh. The Court may infer from this that A was misled, and that the error was material.

24. When any charge, or portion of a charge, recorded as aforesaid appears to a Judge of the High Court, at any time before the commencement of the trial of the person charged, to be clearly unsustainable, he may make on the charge an entry to that effect.

Entry on unsustainable charge.

Such entry shall have the effect of staying proceedings upon the charge or portion of the charge (as the case may be), but shall not operate as an acquittal of the person charged.

Effect of entry.

25. If any Magistrate, not being empowered by law, commits an accused person to take his trial before a High Court, the Court may, after perusal of the proceedings, accept the commitment if it considers that the accused person has not been prejudiced, unless objection was made on behalf either of the accused person or of the prosecution to the jurisdiction of the committing Magistrate during the inquiry and before the order of commitment.

When irregular commitments may be validated.

If such Court considers that the accused person was prejudiced, or if such objection as aforesaid was so made, it shall quash the commitment, and direct a fresh inquiry by a competent Magistrate.

26. Pending the directions of the Court as to the place of trial, every person committed for trial shall (if not admitted to bail) be committed by the Magistrate for intermediate custody to the criminal jail in which he can be most conveniently confined.

Custody pending direction as to place of trial.

If the trial be directed to be held at the ordinary place of sitting of the Court, the Magistrate shall bind over the person charged to appear and take his trial at such place of sitting, or shall commit him to the jail at such place.

Procedure thereafter.

If the Court direct that the person charged be tried elsewhere than at its ordinary place of sitting, the Magistrate shall bind him over to appear and take his trial at the place so directed, or shall, if necessary, cause him to be removed to the criminal jail at or nearest to the place at which he is directed to be tried.

27. The Court may direct that all European British subjects committed or bailed for trial by it within certain specified districts or during certain specified periods of the year, shall be tried at the ordinary place of sitting of the Court,

Intermediate custody of European British subjects.

or direct that they shall be tried at a particular place named, and may also order that they shall, if not bailed, be committed for intermediate custody to a particular jail, being one of the jails appointed by the Government for the reception of such prisoners.

CHAPTER IV.

OF THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE TRIAL.

28. When the Court is ready to commence the trial, the accused person shall be brought before it, and the charge shall be read and explained to him, and he shall be asked whether he is guilty of the offence charged, or claims to be tried.

Commencement of trial.

29. If the accused person pleads guilty, the plea shall be recorded, and he may be convicted thereon.

Plea of guilty.

30. If the accused person refuses to, or does not, plead, or if he claims to be tried, the Court shall proceed to choose jurors as hereinafter directed, and to try the case.

Refusal to plead or claim to be tried.

31. Every person accused of an offence may of right be defended by any advocate of a High Court.

Right of accused to be defended.

Any such person may, with the permission of the Court (but not otherwise), employ any person not being an advocate, attorney or pleader, to assist him in his defence.

CHAPTER V.

OF JURIES.

(a) Of Juries generally.

32. All trials under this Act shall be by jury;

Trials to be by jury.

and, notwithstanding anything contained in section sixty-four of the Code of Criminal Procedure, in all criminal cases transferred to a High Court under that section or under the Letters Patent of any High Court established under the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth of Victoria, Chapter 104, the trial may, if the High Court so direct, be by jury.

33. The jury shall consist of nine persons, who shall be chosen by lot from the persons summoned to act as jurors.

Number of jurors.

34. Subject to the right of challenge hereinafter mentioned, the same jury may try as many accused persons successively as the Court thinks fit.

Successive trials by same jury.

35. If before the first juror is called and accepted, any European British subject charged as aforesaid requires to be tried, by a mixed jury, the majority of the jurors shall consist of Europeans or Americans, or both Europeans and Americans.

Majority of jurors for trial of European British subjects.

36. In any case in which a European British subject is accused jointly with a person not being a European British subject, and such European British subject is committed for trial before a High Court, the person so jointly accused shall (if the committing Magistrate thinks that he ought to be tried), also be committed for trial before such High Court, notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Trial of European British subject and Native jointly accused.

Such persons may be tried together, and the procedure on the trial shall be the same as it would have been had the European British subject been tried separately.

37. Provided that if before the jury is empannelled the European British subject requires the majority of the jurors to consist of Europeans or Americans, or both Europeans and Americans, and the person not being a European British subject requires that he shall be tried separately by a jury of which at least one-half shall consist of persons not being Europeans or Americans, the latter person shall be tried separately.

Provisions for European British subject requiring majority of Europeans in jury.

Native may claim separate trial.

(b) Of Juries in the Presidency Towns.

38. Every person tried in Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, shall be tried before a special jury

Trials before special jury.

(*a*) if charged with having committed an offence punishable with death, or

(*b*) if in any other case a Judge of the High Court so directs.

39. The jurors' book for the year current when this Act comes into force, shall be taken as containing a correct list of persons qualified and liable to serve as jurors under this Act;

Jurors' book.

and those persons whose names are entered in the said book as being privileged to serve on special juries only shall be deemed to be persons privileged and liable to serve only as special jurors under this Act during the year for which the said list has been prepared.

40. The names of not more than two hundred persons shall at any one time be entered in the Special Jurors' list.

Number of special jurors.

41. All persons whose names are entered in the special jurors' list shall be exempted from serving on any other than special juries, but so long only as their names are contained in such list.

Exemption of special jurors.

42. The Clerk of the Crown shall, before the first day of April in each year, and subject to such rules as the High Court from time to time prescribes, prepare

Lists of common and special jurors.

(*a*) a list of all persons qualified and liable to serve as common jurors;

(*b*) a list of persons qualified and liable to serve as special jurors only.

Regard shall be had, in the preparation of the latter list, to the property, character and education of the persons whose names are entered therein.

No person shall be entitled to have his name entered in the special jurors' list, merely because he may have been entered in the special jurors' list for a previous year.

The Governor General in Council may exempt any salaried officer of Government from serving as a juror.

Discretion of officer preparing lists.

43. The Clerk of the Crown shall, subject to such rules as aforesaid, have full discretion to prepare the said lists as seems to him to be proper, and there shall be no appeal from, or review of, his decision.

Publication of lists.

44. Preparatory lists of persons qualified or liable to serve as common jurors and as special jurors, respectively, signed by the officer by whom the same have been prepared, shall be published once in the local official Gazette before the fifteenth day of April next after their preparation.

Revised lists of persons qualified or liable to serve as common jurors and special jurors, respectively, signed as aforesaid, shall be published once in the local official Gazette before the first day of May next after their preparation.

Copies of the said lists shall be affixed to some conspicuous part of the Court-house.

Number of jurors to be summoned.

45. Out of the persons named in the revised lists aforesaid, there shall be summoned for each sessions at least twenty-seven of those who are qualified and liable to serve on special juries, and fifty-four of those who are qualified and liable to serve on common juries.

No person shall be so summoned more than once in six months unless the number cannot be made up without him.

Supplementary summons.

If, during the continuance of any sessions, it appears that the number of persons so summoned is not sufficient, such number as may be necessary of other persons qualified and liable to serve as aforesaid shall be summoned for such sessions.

Failure of jurors to attend.

46. Any person so summoned who without lawful excuse fails to attend as required by the summons, or who having attended departs without having obtained the permission of the Judge, or fails to attend after an adjournment of the Court after being ordered to attend, shall be deemed guilty of a contempt and be liable by order of the Judge to such fine as he thinks fit, and, in default of payment of such fine, to imprisonment in the civil jail until the fine is paid.

Peremptory challenges.

47. Challenges without cause shown shall be allowed to the number of eight on behalf of the Crown and eight on behalf of the person or all the persons charged.

Challenges on cause.

The following and no others shall be good causes of challenge, whether on behalf of the Crown or by the person or persons charged:—

(*a*) Some personal objection, such as alienage, infancy, old age, or deficiency in the qualification required by any law or rule having the force of law for the time being in force:

(*b*) Some presumed or actual partiality in the juror:

(*c*) A previous conviction of the juror of a non-bailable offence under the Indian Penal Code, or of a similar offence under any other law in force in British India:

(*d*) Inability to understand English when spoken.

Trial of challenges.

48. The Judge before whom a person charged is about to be tried shall try any challenge, other than a challenge without cause shown; and if the Judge allow the challenge, the juror shall be set aside.

The decision of the Judge as to any challenge shall be final.

Powers of Presidency High Courts as to jurors.

49. Save as herein provided, the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay shall retain all their present powers respecting the summoning, empannelling, qualification, challenging, and service of jurors, and shall have power to make such rules on these subjects (consistent with the provisions of this Act) as seem to it to be proper.

All rules relating to jurors now in force in the same High Courts shall (so far as they are consistent with this Act) remain in force until repealed or altered by new rules made under this section.

(c) Of Juries in the Mofussil.

Summoning jurors.

50. Whenever a High Court has given notice of its intention to hold sittings at any place (other than the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay) for the exercise of its original criminal jurisdiction, the Court of Session at such place shall, subject to any direction which may be given by the High Court, take and cause to be taken the measures prescribed by sections 407, 409, 410 and 411 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for the summoning of jurors.

Military jurors.

51. In addition to the persons so summoned as jurors, the said Court of Session shall, if it think needful, after communication with the Commanding Officer, cause to be summoned such number of Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers in the military service, resident within ten miles of its place of sitting, as the Court considers to be necessary to make up the juries required for the trial of European British subjects charged with offences before the High Court as aforesaid.

All Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers so summoned shall be liable to serve on such juries notwithstanding anything contained in the Code of Criminal Procedure; but no Commissioned or Non-Commissioned Officer shall be summoned whom his Commanding Officer desires to have excused on the ground of urgent military duty, or for any other special military reason.

Juries for trial of European British subjects.

52. The juries for the trial of European British subjects as aforesaid shall be formed in the manner required by the Code of Criminal Procedure and

by this Act from the persons summoned in accordance with sections 50 and 51.

Names of jurors to be called.

53. As each juror is chosen, his name shall be called aloud, and, upon his appearance, the accused person shall be asked if he objects to be tried by such juror.

Objections to jurors.

Objection may then be made to such juror by the accused person, or by the prosecutor, and the grounds of objection shall be stated.

Grounds of objection.

54. Any objection made to a juror on any of the following grounds, if made out to the satisfaction of the Court, shall be allowed:—

(*a*) his holding any office in or under the Court or the local Court of Session;

(*b*) his executing any duties of Police or being entrusted with any Police functions;

(*c*) his having been convicted of any offence against the State, or of any fraudulent or other offence which, in the judgment of the Court, renders him unfit to serve on the jury;

(*d*) his having by habit or religious vows, relinquished all care of worldly affairs;

(*e*) his standing in the relation of husband, master, servant, landlord or tenant, to the person alleged to be injured or attempted to be injured by the offence charged, or to the person accused;

(*f*) his being in the employment of any of such persons;

(*g*) his being plaintiff or defendant in any civil suit against any of such persons;

(*h*) his having complained against, or having been accused by, any of such persons in any criminal prosecution;

(*i*) any circumstance which, in the judgment of the Court, is likely to cause prejudice against, or favour to, any of such persons, or which renders such person improper as a juror.

Decision of objection.

55. Any objection made to a juror shall be decided by the Court, and such decision shall be final.

Supply of place of juror against whom objection allowed.

56. If the objection be allowed, the place of such juror shall be supplied by any other juror attending in obedience to a summons; or, if there be no such other juror present, then by any other person present in the Court whose name is on the list of jurors, or whom the Court considers a proper person to serve on the jury, provided no objection to such other juror or person be made and allowed under section 54.

Juror to understand language in which evidence is given or interpreted.

57. The Judge shall not allow any person to serve on the jury, unless such person understands the language in which the evidence is given or interpreted.

(d) Of the Foreman.

Foreman of jury.

58. When the jury has been completed, they shall appoint one of their number to be foreman.

It shall be the duty of the foreman to preside in the debates of the jury, to deliver the verdict of the jury, and to ask any information from the Court that may be required by the jury or any of the jurors.

If a majority of the jury do not agree in the appointment of a foreman, he shall be appointed by the Court.

CHAPTER VI.

OF THE TRIAL.

Examination of witnesses.

59. The prosecutor shall then open his case, and the witnesses shall be examined, cross-examined and re-examined according to the law for the time being relating to the examination of witnesses.

Examination of accused before Magistrate to be evidence.

60. The examination of the accused person before the committing Magistrate shall be given in evidence at the trial.

Examination of accused.

61. The Court may from time to time, at any stage of the trial, examine the accused person.

Accused not punishable for refusal to answer.

The accused person shall not be liable to any punishment for refusing to answer, or for answering falsely, questions asked under this section, but the Court shall draw such inference as seems just from such refusal or false answer.

No oath or affirmation shall be administered to the accused person.

Defence.

62. When the examination of the witnesses for the prosecution and the examination of the accused person are concluded, the accused person shall be asked whether he means to call witnesses. If he says that he does not, the prosecutor may sum up his case. The Court may then, if it thinks that there are no grounds for proceeding, direct the jury to return a verdict of acquittal.

If the Court considers that there are grounds for proceeding, it shall call on the accused person to state his grounds of defence and produce his witnesses.

The accused person, or his Counsel may then state the case for the defence, and may examine the witnesses, if any, produced for the defence, and at the conclusion of such examination may sum up his case.

Prosecutor's right of reply.

63. If any evidence is adduced on behalf of the accused person, the prosecutor shall be entitled to reply.

View by jury.

64. Whenever, in the opinion of the Court, it is proper and convenient that the jury should view the place in which the offence charged is said to have been committed, or any other place in which any other transaction material to the inquiry in the trial took place, an order shall be made to that effect, and the jury shall be conducted in a body, under the care of an officer of the Court, to such place, which shall be shown to them by a person appointed by the Court. Such officer shall not suffer any other person to speak to, or hold any communication with, any of the jury.

Locking-up jury.

65. The High Court may from time to time make rules as to keeping the jury together during a trial lasting for more than one day, and, subject to such rules, the presiding Judge may order whether and in what manner the jurors shall be kept together under the charge of an officer of the Court, or whether they shall be allowed to return to their respective homes.

66. The Court may, in its discretion, postpone the hearing of the case; and may, from time to time, adjourn the trial, if it considers that such adjournment is proper and will promote the ends of justice.

Postponement of trial. Adjournment.

67. If a trial is adjourned, the jury shall be required to attend at the adjourned sitting, and at every subsequent sitting, until the conclusion of the trial.

Jury to attend at adjourned sitting.

68. The Court may, if it think fit, from time to time, by general rule prescribe the manner in which evidence shall be taken down in cases coming before the Court in the exercise of its ordinary or its extraordinary original criminal jurisdiction, and the Judges of such Court shall take down the evidence or the substance thereof in accordance with the rule (if any) so prescribed.

Power to prescribe mode in which evidence shall be taken down.

69. If a juryman is personally acquainted with any relevant fact, it is his duty to inform the Judge that such is the case, whereupon he may be examined, cross-examined and re-examined, in the same manner as any other witness.

Evidence of jurors.

70. When the services of an interpreter are required by the Court for the interpretation of any evidence or statement, he shall be bound to state the true interpretation of such evidence or statement.

Interpreter.

CHAPTER VII.

OF EVIDENCE.

71. The examination of a Civil Surgeon or other medical witness, taken and duly attested by a Magistrate, may be given in evidence in any criminal trial, although the person examined is not called as a witness.

Evidence of medical witness.

The Court may summon such Civil Surgeon or other medical witness, if it sees sufficient cause for doing so.

Court may summon medical witness.

72. Any document purporting to be a report from the Chemical Examiner, or Assistant Chemical Examiner to Government, upon any matter or thing duly submitted to him for examination or analysis and report, in the course of any criminal trial, or in any preliminary inquiry relating thereto, may, if it bears his signature, be used as evidence in any criminal trial.

Report of Chemical Examiner.

The Court may presume that the signature of any such document is genuine, and that the person signing it held the office which he professed to hold at the time when he signed it.

Genuineness of signature may be presumed.

73. If, after the commencement of the trial, the accused person admits before the Court the commission of an offence, the Court may convict him on his own admission, whether such offence is the same as the offence of which he is accused, or not.

Admission of accused.

74. If an accused person abscond, and after due pursuit cannot be arrested, the Court may, in his absence, examine the witnesses (if any) produced on behalf of the prosecution and record their depositions; and any such deposition may, on the arrest of such person, be put in on his trial for the offence with which he is charged if it is not practicable to procure the attendance of the deponent.

Record of evidence in absence of accused.

75. When a witness is produced, the evidence (if any) given by him before the committing Magistrate may, in the discretion of the presiding Judge, be treated as evidence in the case, if it was duly taken in the presence of the accused person.

Evidence given at preliminary inquiry.

EXPLANATION.—This section shall not authorize the Court to refer to the record of the evidence given by a witness who is absent, except in the cases in which such evidence may be referred to under the Indian Evidence Act, 1872, or other law in force for the time being upon the subject of evidence.

Commissions.

76. Whenever it appears that the attendance of a witness cannot be procured without an amount of delay, expense or inconvenience which, under the circumstances of the case, would be unreasonable, the Court may dispense with his personal attendance.

When a commission may issue.

The Court may direct a commission to the Magistrate of the District, or to a Magistrate of the first class, in whose jurisdiction such witness may be. The Magistrate to whom the commission is directed shall proceed to the place where such witness is, or shall summon such witness before himself. Such Magistrate shall take the evidence of such witness in the same manner, and shall have for this purpose, and may exercise, the same powers as in trials of warrant cases.

Mode of issuing commission.

When the witness is in the territories of any Native Prince or State in India in alliance with Her Majesty, the commission may be directed to any Justice of the Peace or other officer in the service of the Crown resident in such territories; and the provisions of the second clause of this section shall apply to such Justice of the Peace or officer.

Where witness is in a Native State.

If the witness is within the local limits of the ordinary original criminal jurisdiction of any of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay, the commission may be directed to any Police Magistrate within such limits, and such Magistrate shall have the like power to compel the attendance and examination of witnesses as he possesses for that purpose in cases pending before him.

Where witness is in a Presidency Town.

The prosecutor and the accused person may forward interrogatories, upon which the officer to whom the commission is directed shall examine the witness, or the prosecutor may appear personally before the officer to whom the commission is directed, or the prosecutor or accused person may so appear by authorized agent.

Prosecutor and accused may examine witness.

After any commission issued under this section has been duly executed, it shall be returned, together with the deposition of the witness examined thereunder, to the Court out of which it issued; and the commission, the return thereto, and the deposition of such witness may be used as evidence in the case and shall form part of the record.

Return of commission.

Tender of Pardon to obtain Evidence.

77. The Court may, with the view of obtaining on the trial the evidence of any person or persons supposed to have been directly or indirectly concerned in, or privy to, any offence mentioned in column 7 of the fourth schedule annexed to the Code of Criminal Procedure as triable exclusively by the Court of Session, instruct the committing Magistrate to tender, or itself may, at any time before judgment, tender, a pardon to such person or persons, on condition of his or their making a full, true and fair disclosure of the whole of the circumstances, within his or their knowledge, relative to the crime committed and every other person concerned in the perpetration thereof.

Court may direct tender of pardon.

Any person accepting a tender of pardon under this section shall be examined as a witness in the case, under the rules applicable to the examination of witnesses.

Such person, if not on bail, shall be detained in custody pending the termination of the trial.

78. When a pardon has been tendered under section 77, if it appears to the Court that any person who has accepted such tender has not conformed to the conditions under which it was made, either by wilfully concealing anything essential, or by giving false evidence, the Court may commit, or direct the commitment of, such person, for trial for the offence in respect of which the pardon was so tendered, or for any other offence of which he may appear to have been guilty in connection with the same matter.

Commitment of person to whom pardon has been tendered.

The statement made by a person under pardon, which pardon has been withdrawn under this section, may be put in evidence against him.

Of securing the Attendance of Witnesses and the Production of Documents.

79. The following procedure shall be pursued in order to obtain the attendance of witnesses before the Court.

Procedure for obtaining attendance of witnesses.

80. The Court may, at any stage of any proceeding, inquiry or trial, summon any witness, or examine any person in attendance though not summoned as a witness, and it shall be its duty to do so if the evidence of such person appears essential to the just decision of the case.

Power to summon material witness or examine person present.

81. If the Court has reason to believe that any witness whose attendance is required will not attend to give evidence without being compelled to do so, it may, instead of issuing a summons, issue a warrant of arrest in the first instance.

When warrant of arrest may issue in first instance.

82. If such warrant cannot be executed, and the Court considers that the witness is absconding or concealing himself for the purpose of avoiding the service thereof, it may issue a proclamation, requiring his attendance to give evidence at a time and place to be named therein, to be affixed on some conspicuous part of his ordinary place of abode.

Procedure when warrant cannot be served.

If the witness does not attend at the time and place named in such proclamation, the Court may order the attachment of any moveable property belonging to such witness, to such amount as seems reasonable, not being in excess of the amount of costs of attachment and of any fine to which he may be liable under the provisions of the next following section.

Such order shall authorize the attachment of any such moveable property within the jurisdiction of the Court by which the order was made; and if any such moveable property be without the jurisdiction of the said Court, such order when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situated shall authorize the attachment of the property last aforesaid.

83. If the witness appears and satisfies the Court that he did not abscond or conceal himself for the purpose of avoiding the execution of the warrant, and that he had not notice of the proclamation in time to attend at the time and place named therein, the Court shall direct that the property attached be released from attachment, and shall make such order in regard to the costs of the attachment as the Court thinks fit.

Release of attached property of witness appearing and satisfying Court.

If such witness does not appear, or, appearing, fails to satisfy the Court that he did not abscond or conceal himself for the purpose of avoiding the execution of the warrant, and that he had not such notice of the proclamation as aforesaid, the Court may order the property attached, or any part thereof, to be sold for the purpose of satisfying all costs incurred in consequence of such attachment, together with the amount of any fine which may be imposed upon such witness under the provisions of section 172 of the Indian Penal Code.

Sale of property of witness not appearing or not satisfying Court.

If the witness pays to such Court the costs and fine as aforesaid, his property shall be released from attachment.

84. If any person summoned to give evidence neglects or refuses to appear at the time and place appointed by the summons, and no reasonable excuse is offered for such neglect or refusal, the Court, upon proof of the summons having been duly served, may issue a warrant under its seal to bring such person before it to testify as aforesaid.

Arrest of person disobeying summons.

85. The accused person shall be allowed to examine any witness not previously named by him, if such witness be in attendance; but he shall not, except as provided in section thirteen, be entitled of right to have any witness summoned other than the witnesses summoned by the Magistrate by whom he was committed or held to bail for trial.

Right of accused as to examination and summoning of witness.

86. Whenever the Court considers that the production of any document is necessary or desirable for the purposes of any investigation or judicial proceeding, the Court may issue a summons to the person in whose possession or power such document is believed to be, requiring him to attend and produce such document at the time and place stated in the summons.

Procedure for obtaining production of document required as evidence.

When warrant for search for documents may issue.

87. If there is reason to believe that the person to whom the summons is addressed will not produce the document as directed in the summons, the Court may issue a search-warrant for the document in the first instance.

Power to impound document produced.

88. The Court may, if it thinks fit, impound any document produced before it, or may, at the conclusion of the proceedings, order such document to be returned to the person who produced it.

Procedure in case of refusal to answer or produce documents.

89. If a witness refuses to answer any question which is put to him or to produce any document in his possession or power which the Court requires him to produce, and does not offer any just excuse for such refusal, he shall be deemed guilty of contempt of Court.

CHAPTER VIII.

OF THE CHARGE TO THE JURY.

Charge to jury.

90. When the case for the defence and the prosecutor's reply, if any, are concluded, the Court shall proceed to charge the jury, summing up the evidence for the prosecution and defence, and laying down the law by which the jury are to be guided.

Duty of Judge.

91. It is the duty of the Judge to decide all questions of law, and especially all questions as to the relevancy of facts which it is proposed to prove, the admissibility of evidence, or the propriety of questions asked by parties or their agents, which may arise in the course of the trial; and, in his discretion, to prevent the production of inadmissible evidence, whether it is or is not objected to by the parties;

to decide upon the meaning and construction of all documents given in evidence at the trial;

to decide upon all matters of fact which it may be necessary to prove in order to enable evidence of particular matters to be given;

to decide whether any question which arises is for himself or for the jury; and upon this point his decision shall be final.

The Judge may, if he thinks proper, in the course of his summing up, express to the jury his opinion upon any question of fact, or upon any question of mixed law and fact, relevant to the proceeding.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) It is proposed to prove a statement made by a person not called as a witness, under circumstances which render evidence of his statement admissible.

It is for the Judge, and not for the jury, to decide whether the existence of those circumstances has been proved.

(*b.*) It is proposed to give secondary evidence of a document, the original of which is alleged to have been lost or destroyed.

It is the duty of the Judge to decide whether the original has been lost or destroyed.

CHAPTER IX.

OF THE VERDICT AND THE DISCHARGE OF THE JURY.

Retirement to consider.

92. After the Judge has finished his charge, the jury may retire to consider their verdict.

It shall be the duty of an officer of the Court not to suffer any person other than a juror to speak to, or hold any communication with, any member of such jury.

Duty of jury.

93. It is the duty of the jury—

(*a*) to decide which view of the facts is true, and then to return the verdict which under such view ought, according to the direction of the Judge, to be returned;

(*b*) to determine the meaning of all technical terms and words used in an unusual sense, which it may be necessary to determine, whether such words occur in documents or not;

(*c*) to decide all questions which according to law are to be deemed questions of fact;

(*d*) to decide whether general, indefinite expressions do or do not apply to particular cases, unless such expressions refer to legal procedure, or unless their meaning is ascertained by law, in either of which cases it is the duty of the Judge to decide their meaning.

Illustrations.

(1.) A is tried for the murder of B.

It is the duty of the Judge to explain to the jury the distinction between murder and culpable homicide, and to tell them under what views of the facts A ought to be convicted of murder, or of culpable homicide, or to be acquitted.

It is the duty of the jury to decide which view of the facts is true, and to return a verdict in accordance with the direction of the Judge, whether that direction is right or wrong, and whether they do or do not agree with it.

(2.) The question is, whether a person entertained a reasonable belief on a particular point. Whether work was done with reasonable skill, or due diligence.

Each of these is a question for the jury.

Foreman to communicate verdict.

94. When the jury have considered their verdict, the foreman shall inform the Court what is their verdict, or what is the verdict of a majority.

Verdict to be given on each charge.
Judge may question jury.

95. The jury shall return a verdict on all the charges on which the accused is tried, and the Court may ask them such questions as are necessary to ascertain what their verdict is.

Procedure where jury differ.

96. If the jury are not unanimous, the Judge may require them to retire for further consideration. After such a period as the Judge considers reasonable, the jury may deliver their verdict, although they are not unanimous.

Verdict when to be delivered.

97. A verdict of guilty or not guilty, as the case may be, shall be delivered either when the jury are unanimous in their opinion, or when as many as six are of one opinion and the Judge agrees with them.

Discharge of jury in default of unanimity or majority of six with Judge's concurrence.

98. When the jury are satisfied that they will not be unanimous, but six of them are of one opinion, the foreman shall so inform the Judge.

If the Judge disagrees with the majority, he shall then discharge the jury.

If there are not so many as six who agree in opinion, the Judge shall, after the lapse of such time as he thinks reasonable, discharge the jury.

Discharge of jury in case of sickness of juror or prisoner.

99. The Judge may also discharge the jury whenever by reason of illness a juryman becomes incapable of attending through the trial or the prisoner becomes incapable of remaining at the bar.

Re-trial of prisoner after discharge of jury.

100. Whenever the jury is discharged, the prisoner shall be detained in custody or on bail (as the case may be) and shall be tried by another jury unless the Judge considers that he should not be re-tried, in which case the Judge shall make an entry to that effect on the charge, and such entry shall operate as an acquittal.

Power to reserve questions.

101. When any person has in a trial before a Judge of the High Court acting in the exercise of its original criminal jurisdiction, been convicted of an offence, the Judge, if he thinks fit, may reserve for the decision of a Court, consisting of two or more Judges of the High Court, any question of law which has arisen in the course of the trial of such person and the determination of which would affect the event of the trial.

Procedure when question reserved.

If the Judge reserves any such question, the person convicted shall, pending the decision thereon, be remanded to jail, or, if the Judge think fit, be admitted to bail,

and the High Court shall have power to review the case, or such part of it as may be necessary, and finally determine such question, and thereupon to alter the sentence passed by the Court of original jurisdiction, and to pass such judgment and sentence as to the High Court seem fit.

Withdrawal of remaining charges, on conviction on one of several charges.

102. When more charges than one are preferred against the same person, and when a conviction has been had on one or more of them, the prosecutor may, with the consent of the Court, withdraw, or the Court of its own accord may direct the withdrawal of, the remaining charge or charges.

CHAPTER X.

OF THE SENTENCE.

Form and direction of warrant of commitment.

103. Every warrant for the commitment of a person to custody shall be in writing and signed and sealed by the Judge who issues it.

Provisions of Criminal Procedure Code, ss. 303, 304, 305 applied in Mofussil.

104. In the case of a High Court holding its sittings elsewhere than in the towns of Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, sections 303, 304 and 305 shall apply to the officers therein mentioned.

Levy of fine.

105. Whenever an offender is sentenced to pay a fine, the Court may issue a warrant for the levy of the amount by distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the offender, whether or not the offence be punishable with fine only, and whether or not the sentence direct that, in default of payment of the fine, the offender shall suffer imprisonment.

Such warrant may be executed within the jurisdiction of the Court, and it shall authorize the distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the offender without the jurisdiction of the said Court, when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situate.

Cases to which section applies.

This section shall not apply to cases in which any special procedure is laid down, by any special or local law in force for the time being for the recovery of any fine, but shall apply to cases in which no such procedure is laid down, and to all fines not levied when this Act comes into force, but which might have been levied under this section if it had been in force when they were imposed.

Payment of fine in compensation.

106. Whenever the Court imposes a fine under any law in force for the time being, or confirms in appeal or on revision a sentence of such fine, or a sentence of which such fine forms a part, the Court may order the whole or any part of the fine to be paid in compensation,

(*a*) for expenses properly incurred in the prosecution;

(*b*) for the offence complained of, where such offence can, in the opinion of the Court, be compensated by money.

Such payment shall be made, as the Court thinks fit, to or for the benefit of the complainant, or the person injured, or both.

In any subsequent civil proceedings relating to the same matter, the Court shall take into account any sum which may have been awarded under this section.

Imprisonment in default of payment of fine.

107. In every case punishable under any law in force for the time being with imprisonment as well as fine, in which the offender is sentenced to a fine, whether with or without imprisonment, the High Court shall be guided by the provisions of sections 64 and 65 of the Indian Penal Code in awarding the period of imprisonment in default of payment of the fine.

Execution of sentences of whipping.

108. Sentences of whipping shall be executed in manner provided by the Code of Criminal Procedure, sections 311, 312 and 313.

Sentence in cases of simultaneous conviction of several offences.

109. When a person is convicted, at one trial, of two or more offences punishable under the same or different sections of any law for the time being in force, the Court may sentence him, for the offences of which he has been convicted, to the several penalties prescribed by such enactment or enactments, which such Court is competent to inflict; such penalties, when consisting of imprisonment or transportation, to commence the one after the expiration of the other:

Maximum term of imprisonment.

Provided that in no case shall such person be sentenced to imprisonment for a longer period than fourteen years.

Currency of sentence on escaped convicts.

110. When sentence of death or whipping is passed on an escaped convict, the Court shall direct the new sentence to take effect without waiting for the expiration of the sentence from which he has escaped.

When any other sentence is passed on an escaped convict severer than the sentence from which he has escaped, the Court shall also direct the new sentence to take effect without waiting for the expiration of the sentence from which he escaped.

When the new sentence is not severer than the sentence from which he has escaped, the Court shall direct the new sentence to take effect after such convict has suffered imprisonment or transportation, as the case may be, for a further period equal to that which, at the time of his escape, remained unexpired of his former sentence.

When the former sentence on the escaped convict is or includes transportation for life and the Court does not sentence him to death, the new sentence shall direct that he be, as soon as practicable, sent back to the place from which he escaped.

EXPLANATION.—For the purpose of this section—

(*a*) a sentence of transportation shall be deemed severer than a sentence of imprisonment:

(*b*) a sentence of imprisonment with solitary confinement shall be deemed severer than a sentence of imprisonment without solitary confinement; and

(*c*) a sentence of rigorous imprisonment shall be deemed severer than a sentence of simple imprisonment with or without solitary confinement.

Sentence on offender already sentenced for another offence.

111. When sentence is passed on a person actually undergoing sentence of imprisonment or transportation, and the sentence is for imprisonment or transportation, the Court shall direct such imprisonment or transportation to commence at the expiration of the imprisonment or transportation to which he has been previously sentenced;

or, if he is undergoing a sentence of imprisonment, and the sentence on such subsequent conviction be for transportation, the Court may direct the sentence to commence immediately, or at the expiration of the imprisonment to which such person has been previously sentenced:

Proviso.

Provided that nothing in this section shall be held to excuse such person from any part of the punishment to which he is liable upon such former or subsequent conviction.

Confinement of youthful offenders in reformatories.

112. When any person under the age of sixteen years is sentenced to imprisonment for any offence, the Court may direct that such offender, instead of being imprisoned in the criminal jail, shall be confined in any reformatory established by the Local Government as a fit place for confinement, in which there are means of suitable discipline and of training in some branch of useful industry, or which is kept by a person willing to obey such rules as the Government prescribes with regard to the discipline and training of persons confined therein.

All persons confined under this section shall be subject to the rules so prescribed.

Sentence of death.

113. When any person is sentenced to death, the sentence shall direct that he be hanged by the neck till he is dead.

Postponement of capital sentence on pregnant woman.

114. If a woman sentenced to death be found to be pregnant, the High Court shall order the execution of the sentence to be postponed, and may commute the sentence.

Order for disposal of property regarding which offence committed.

115. When the trial is concluded, the Court may make such order as it thinks fit for the disposal of any property produced before it, regarding which any offence appears to have been committed.

Any order under this section may be in the form of a reference to a Magistrate, who shall in such case deal with the property as if it had been seized by the Police and the seizure duly reported to him.

EXPLANATION.—In this section the term 'property' includes not only such property as has been originally in the possession or under the control of any party, but also any property into or for which the same may have been converted or exchanged, and anything acquired by such conversion or exchange, whether immediately or otherwise.

Expenses of complainants and witnesses.

116. Subject to any rules that may be passed by the Local Government with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, the Court may order payment, on the part of Government, of the reasonable expenses of any complainant or witness attending for the purpose of any trial before such Court under this Act.

CHAPTER XI.

OF PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS OR ACQUITTALS.

Person once convicted or acquitted not to be tried for same offence.

117. A person who has once been tried for an offence and convicted or acquitted of such offence, shall, while such conviction or acquittal remains in force, not be liable to be tried again for the same offence, nor on the same facts for any other offence for which a different charge from the one made against him might have been made under section 19, or for which he might have been convicted under section 20.

A person convicted or acquitted of any offence may be afterwards tried for any offence for which a separate charge might have been made against him on the former trial under section 18, paragraph I.

A person convicted or acquitted of any offence in respect of any act causing consequences which, together with such act, constituted a different offence from that for which such person was acquitted or convicted, may be afterwards tried for such last-mentioned offence, if the consequences had not happened, or were not known to the Court to have happened, at the time when he was acquitted or convicted.

A person convicted or acquitted of any offence in respect of any facts may, notwithstanding such acquittal or conviction, be subsequently charged with and tried for any other offence which he may have committed in respect of the same facts, if the Court by which he was first tried was not competent to try the offence with which he is subsequently charged.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) A is tried upon a charge of theft as a servant and acquitted. He cannot afterwards be charged with the same theft as a servant, or, upon the same facts, with theft simply or with criminal breach of trust.

(*b.*) A is tried upon a charge of murder and acquitted. There is no charge of robbery; but it appears from the facts that A committed robbery at the time when the murder was committed; he may afterwards be charged with, and tried for, robbery.

(*c.*) A is tried for an assault and convicted. The person afterwards dies. A may be tried again for culpable homicide.

(*d.*) A is tried under section 270 of the Indian Penal Code for malignantly doing an act likely to spread the infection of a disease dangerous to life and is acquitted. The act so done afterwards causes a person permanently to lose his eyesight. A may be charged, under section 325, with voluntarily causing grievous hurt to that person

(*e.*) A is charged before the Court of Session and convicted of the culpable homicide of B. A may not afterwards be tried for the murder of B on the same facts.

(*f.*) A is charged by a Magistrate of the first class with, and convicted by him of, voluntarily causing hurt to B. A may not afterwards be tried for voluntarily causing grievous hurt to B, on the same facts, unless the case comes within paragraph three.

(*g.*) A is charged by a Magistrate of the second class with, and convicted by him of, theft of property from the person of B. A may be subsequently charged with, and tried for, robbery on the same acts.

(*h.*) A, B and C are charged by a Magistrate of the first class with, and convicted by him of, robbing D. A, B and C may afterwards be charged with, and tried for, dacoity, on the same facts.

Previous conviction to be set out in charge.

118. If the accused person has been previously convicted of any offence, and if it is intended to prove such previous conviction for the purpose of affecting the punishment which is to be awarded, the fact of the previous conviction must be stated in the charge. If it is omitted, it may be added at any time before sentence is passed, but not afterwards.

Previous conviction or acquittal how proved.

119. A previous conviction or acquittal may be proved against an accused person by an extract certified under the hand of the officer having the custody of the records of the Court in which such conviction or acquittal was had, to be a copy of the finding and sentence.

CHAPTER XII.

OF CRIMINAL LUNATICS.

Procedure in case of person committed being lunatic.

120. If any person committed for trial appears at his trial to the Court to be of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence, the Court shall, in the first instance, try the fact of such unsoundness of mind, and if satisfied of the fact, shall give a special judgment that the accused person is of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence; and thereupon the trial shall be postponed.

The trial of the fact of the unsoundness of mind of the accused person shall be deemed to be part of his trial before the Court.

Release of lunatic pending investigation or trial.

121. Whenever an accused person is found to be of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence, the Court, if the offence of which he is accused be bailable, may release him on sufficient security being given that he shall be properly taken care of, and shall be prevented from doing injury to himself or to any other person, and for his appearance when required.

Custody of lunatic.

If the offence be not bailable, or if the required bail be not given, the Court shall report the case to the Local Government, and the accused person shall be kept in safe custody in such place as the Local Government directs.

Resumption of trial.

122. Whenever a trial is postponed under section 120, the Court may at any time resume the trial, and require the accused person, if detained in custody, to be brought before the Court; or, if he has been released on security, may require his appearance.

The surety of such person shall be bound, at any time, to produce him to any officer whom the Court appoints to inspect him; and the certificate of such officer shall have the same effect as the certificate of an Inspector General of Prisons or the Visitors of Lunatic Asylums, granted under section 128.

Procedure on accused appearing before Court.

123. If, when the accused person appears or is again brought before the Court, it appears to such Court that he is in a fit state of mind to make his defence, the inquiry shall proceed, or he shall be put on his trial, as the case may require.

If it appears that the accused person is still of unsound mind, and incapable of making his defence, the Court shall again act according to the provisions of section 121.

Finding in case of acquittal on ground of being lunatic.

124. Whenever any person is acquitted upon the ground that, at the time at which he is charged with having committed an offence, he was, by reason of unsoundness of mind, incapable of knowing the nature of the act charged, or that he was doing what was wrong or contrary to law, the finding shall state specially whether such person committed the act or not.

Person so acquitted to be kept in safe custody.

125. Whenever such finding states that the accused person committed the act charged, the Court before which the trial was held shall, if the act charged would, but for the incapacity found, have amounted to an offence, order him to be kept in safe custody, in such place and manner as the Court thinks fit, and shall report the case for the order of the Local Government.

The Local Government may order such person to be kept in safe custody in a Lunatic Asylum or other suitable place of safe custody.

Lunatic prisoners to be visited by Inspector General.

126. When any person is confined under the provisions of section 121 or 125, the Inspector General of Prisons, if such person is confined in a jail, or the Visitors of the Lunatic Asylums or any two of them, if he is confined in a Lunatic Asylum, may visit him in order to ascertain his state of mind; and he shall be visited once at least in every six months by such Inspector General or by two of such Visitors as aforesaid; and such Inspector General or Visitors shall make a special report to the Local Government as to the state of mind of such person.

Procedure where lunatic prisoner is reported capable of making his defence.

127. If such person is confined under section 122 and such Inspector General or Visitors as aforesaid shall certify that, in his or their opinion, such person is capable of making his defence, he shall be taken before the Court, at such time as it appoints, and the Court shall deal with him under the provisions of section 123; and the certificate of such

Inspector General or Visitors as aforesaid shall be receivable as evidence.

Procedure where lunatic confined under section 125 is declared capable of being discharged.

128. If such person is confined under the provisions of section 125, and such Inspector General or Visitors as aforesaid shall certify that, in his or their judgment, he may be discharged without danger of his doing injury to himself or to any other person, the Local Government may thereupon either order him to be discharged, or to be detained in custody, or to be transferred to a public Lunatic Asylum, if he has not been already sent to such an Asylum; and may appoint a commission, consisting of a judicial officer not below the grade of a Sessions Judge and two medical officers, whereof the chief medical officer attached to the Lunatic Asylum shall be one.

The said commission shall make formal inquiry into the state of mind of such person, taking such evidence as is necessary, and shall report to the Local Government, who may order his discharge or detention as to it may seem fit.

Delivery of lunatic to care of relative.

129. Whenever any relative or friend of any person detained under the provisions of section 125 is desirous that he shall be delivered over to his care and custody, the Local Government, upon the application of such relative or friend, and on his giving security to the satisfaction of such Government that the person detained shall be properly taken care of and shall be prevented from doing injury to himself or to any other person, may order that the person detained be delivered to such relative or friend.

Whenever such person is so delivered, it shall be upon condition that he shall be subject to be inspected by such officer, and at such times as the Local Government directs.

The provisions of sections 126 and 128 shall apply to persons detained under the provisions of this section; and the certificate of the inspecting officer appointed under this section shall be dealt with as a certificate of the Inspector General of Prisons or the Visitors of Lunatic Asylums, under the said sections.

Procedure where accused does not understand the proceedings.

130. If an accused person, though not insane, cannot be made to understand the proceedings, the Court may proceed with the trial; and if such trial results in a conviction, the Court shall pass thereon such order as it thinks fit.

CHAPTER XIII.

OF PROSECUTIONS IN CERTAIN CASES.

Prosecutions for offences against the State.

131. A complaint of an offence punishable under chapter VI of the Indian Penal Code, except section 127, or punishable under section 294 A of the said Code, shall not be entertained, unless the prosecution be instituted by order of, or under authority from, the Governor General in Council or the Local Government, or some officer empowered by the Governor General in Council to order or authorize such prosecution, or unless instituted by the Advocate General.

Prosecution of Judges and public servants.

132. A complaint of an offence of which any Judge or any public servant not removeable from his office without the sanction of the Government is accused as such Judge or public servant, shall not be entertained against him, except with the sanction or under the direction of the Government, or of some officer empowered by the Government, or of some Court or other authority to which he is subordinate, and whose power so to sanction or direct such prosecution the Government does not think fit to limit or reserve.

No such Judge or public servant shall be prosecuted for any act purporting to be done by him in the discharge of his duty, unless with the sanction of the Government.

Sanction when to be given.

The sanction must be given before the commencement of the proceedings.

In this section the expression 'Government' means either the Local Government or the Governor General in Council; and the expressions 'Judge' and 'public servant' have the meanings assigned to them respectively by the Indian Penal Code.

Prosecution for contempts of the lawful authority of public servants.

133. A complaint of any offence described in chapter X of the Indian Penal Code, not falling within section 435 or 436 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, shall not be entertained in any Criminal Court, except with the sanction or on the complaint of the public servant concerned, or of his official superior.

The prohibition contained in this section shall not apply to the offences described in sections 189 and 190 of the Indian Penal Code.

Prosecution for certain offences against public justice.

134. A complaint of an offence against public justice, described in section 193, 194, 195, 196, 199, 200, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211 or 228 of the Indian Penal Code, when such offence is committed before or against a High Court, shall not be entertained in any Criminal Court, except with the sanction of the Court before or against which the offence was committed.

Prosecution for certain offences relating to documents given in evidence.

135. A complaint of an offence relating to documents, described in section 463, 471, 475 or 476 of the Indian Penal Code, when the document has been given in evidence in any proceedings in any High Court, shall not be entertained against a party to such proceedings, except with the sanction of the Court in which the document was given in evidence.

Nature of sanction necessary.

136. The sanction referred to in sections 133, 134 and 135 may be expressed in general terms, and need not name the accused person.

Such sanction may be given at any time, and a sanction under any one of the three last preceding sections shall be deemed sufficient authority for the Court to amend the charge to one of an offence coming within either of the two remaining sections, if the facts disclose such offence.

EXPLANATION.—In cases under this chapter, the report or application of the public servant or Court shall be deemed sufficient complaint.

Procedure in cases mentioned in sections 133, 134 and 135.

137. When the Court is of opinion that there is sufficient ground for inquiring into any charge mentioned in sections 133, 134 and 135, such Court, after making such preliminary inquiry as may be necessary, may either commit the case itself, or may send the case for inquiry to any Magistrate having power to try or commit for trial the accused person for the offence charged.

Such Magistrate shall thereupon proceed according to law; and the Court may send the accused person in custody, or take sufficient bail for his appearance before such Magistrate; and may bind over any person to appear and give evidence on such trial or inquiry.

The Magistrate receiving the case may, if he is authorised to make transfers of cases, transfer the inquiry to some other competent Magistrate, instead of completing the inquiry himself.

Prosecution for adultery.

138. A complaint of an offence under section 497 of the Indian Penal Code shall not be instituted, except by the husband of the woman, or by any person under whose care she was living at the time when the adultery was committed.

Prosecution for enticing away a married woman.

139. A complaint of an offence under section 498 of the Indian Penal Code shall not be instituted, except by the husband of the woman, or by the person having care of such woman on behalf of her husband.

CHAPTER XIV.

OF BAIL.

Power to direct admission to bail.

140. The Court may in any case direct that an accused person shall be admitted to bail, or that the bail required by a Magistrate be reduced.

Procedure to compel payment of penalty by accused.

141. Whenever, by reason of default of appearance of the person executing the personal recognizance, the Court is of opinion that proceedings should be had to compel payment of the penalty mentioned in the recognizance, it shall proceed to enforce the penalty, by issuing a warrant for the attachment and sale of the moveable property belonging to such person, which may be found within the local limits of its ordinary original jurisdiction.

Such warrant may be executed within such limits, and it shall authorize the distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the accused person, without such limits, when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situate.

Procedure to compel payment of penalty by sureties.

142. Whenever, by reason of default of appearance by the person bailed, the Court is of opinion that proceedings should be had to compel payment of the penalty mentioned in the recognizance of the surety or sureties, it shall give notice to the surety or sureties to pay the same, or to show cause why it should not be paid.

If such penalty be not paid, and if no sufficient cause for its non-payment be shown, the Court shall proceed to recover the penalty from such surety or sureties, by issuing a warrant for the attachment and sale of any moveable property belonging to him or them which may be found within the local limits of the ordinary original jurisdiction.

Such warrant may be executed within such local limits; and it shall authorize the distress and sale of any moveable property belonging to the surety or sureties without such limits, when endorsed by the Magistrate of the District in which such property is situate.

If such penalty be not paid and cannot be recovered by such attachment and sale, such surety or sureties shall be liable to confinement, by order of the Court, in the civil jail, during a period not exceeding six months:

Remission of part of penalty.

Provided that the Court may, at its discretion, remit any portion of the penalty mentioned in the recognizance of the party or witness, or of the surety or sureties, and enforce payment in part only:

Court may direct Magistrate to levy sum forfeited.

The Court may direct any Magistrate to levy the amount due on a forfeited bail-bond executed in respect of attendance before such Court.

Deposit instead of bail.

143. When any person is required to give bail, the Court may permit him to deposit a sum of money or Government promissory notes to such amount as it may fix in lieu of such bail.

CHAPTER XV.

OF SECURITY FOR KEEPING THE PEACE.

Personal recognizance to keep the peace in cases of conviction.

144. Whenever a person accused of rioting, assault, or other breach of the peace, or with abetting the same, or with assembling armed men or taking other unlawful measures with the evident intention of committing the same, is convicted of such offence,

and the Court is of opinion that it is just and necessary to require such person to give a personal recognizance for keeping the peace,

the Court may, in addition to any other order passed in the case, direct that the person so convicted be required to execute a formal engagement, in a sum proportionate to his condition in life and the circumstances of the case, for keeping the peace during such period as it may appear proper to fix in each instance, not exceeding three years, with a provision that, if the same be not given, he shall be kept in simple imprisonment for any time not exceeding three years, unless within such period he executes such formal engagement as aforesaid.

If the accused person be sentenced to imprisonment, the period for which he may be required to execute a recognizance, and the imprisonment in default of executing such recognizance, shall commence when he is released on the expiration of his sentence.

Security to keep the peace.

145. Whenever it appears necessary to require security for keeping the peace, in addition to the personal recognizance of the party so convicted, the Court empowered to require a personal recognizance may require security in addition thereto, and may fix the amount of the security-bond to be executed by the surety or sureties; with a provision that, if the same be not given, the party required to find the security shall be kept in simple imprisonment for any time not exceeding three years.

146. Whenever a person is convicted of an offence attended with criminal force, and it appears to the Court that, by such criminal force, any person has been dispossessed of any immoveable property, the Court may order such person to be restored to possession.

Power to restore possession of immoveable property.

No such order shall prejudice any right over such immoveable property which any person may be able to show in a civil suit.

CHAPTER XVI.

MISCELLANEOUS.

147. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect the Prisoners' Testimony Act, 1869, or the Prisoners Act, 1871.

Saving of Acts XV of 1869, and V of 1871.

148. The Advocate General may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council or the Local Government, exhibit to the local High Court, against persons subject to the jurisdiction of the said Court, informations for all purposes for which Her Majesty's Attorney-General may exhibit informations on behalf of the Crown in the Court of Queen's Bench or Exchequer.

Advocate General may exhibit informations.

Such proceedings may be taken upon every such information as may lawfully be taken, in case of similar informations filed by Her Majesty's Attorney-General in England, so far as the circumstances of the case and the course and practice of proceeding in the said High Courts respectively will admit.

All fines, penalties, forfeitures, debts and sums of money recovered or levied under or by virtue of any such information shall belong to the Government of India.

149. Upon charges preferred by the Advocate-General or by any Magistrate or other officer specially empowered by the Government in this behalf, persons committed to custody or held to bail shall be deemed to have been brought before the High Court in due course of law, and (subject to the provisions herein contained as to the amendment and alteration of charges, and subject also to the provisions of section 24) shall be tried upon the charges so recorded.

Effect of charge preferred by Advocate General.

150. At any stage of any proceeding under this Act, before the return of the verdict, the Advocate General may, if he think fit, inform the Court on behalf of Her Majesty that he will not further prosecute the defendant upon the information or charge; and thereupon all proceedings on such information or charge against the defendant shall be stayed, and he shall be discharged of and from the same. But such discharge shall not amount to an acquittal.

Power to enter *nolle prosequi*.

151. Whenever it appears to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, Madras or Bombay that the direction hereinafter mentioned will promote the ends of justice, it may direct the transfer to itself of any particular case from any criminal court situate within the local limits of its ordinary original criminal jurisdiction, and the High Court shall have power to determine the case so transferred, and to quash or affirm any conviction or other proceeding which may have been had therein, but so that the same be not quashed for want of form, but on the merits only.

Power of Presidency High Court to transfer to itself cases from Police Magistrates.

152. Every High Court in the exercise of its original Criminal Jurisdiction shall be deemed an open and public Court, to which the public generally may have access, so far as the same can conveniently contain them.

Criminal Courts to be open.

But the presiding Judge may, if he thinks fit, order that, during the trial of any particular case, no person shall have access to, or be, or remain in, the room or building used by the Court, without the consent or permission of the Court.

153. In the case of offences which may lawfully be compounded, injured persons may compound the offence out of Court, or in Court with the permission of the Court.

Compounding offences.

Such withdrawal from the prosecution shall have the effect of an acquittal of the accused person.

154. Every Judge of a High Court shall, by virtue of his office, be a Justice of the Peace within and for the whole of British India.

Judges of High Courts to be Justices of the Peace *virtute officii*.

155. Cases pending, when this Act comes into force, in any High Court in the exercise of its original criminal jurisdiction shall be decided, as far as may be, according to the procedure provided in this Act.

Pending cases.

THE SCHEDULE.

(*See section* 2.)

ACTS.

No. and year.	Subject or Title.	Extent of repeal.
XXXI of 1838.	Supreme Courts, Criminal Law.	So much as has not been repealed.
XXII of 1839.	An Act for enabling persons charged with offences to make their defence more effectually.	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1849	Criminal lunatics ...	So much as has not been repealed.
XVI of 1852.	An Act for further improving the administration of Criminal Justice in Her Majesty's Courts of Justice in the territories of the East India Company.	So much as has not been repealed.
XVIII of 1859.	An Act to amend the law relating to offences declared to be punishable on conviction before a Magistrate.	So much as has not been repealed.
XVIII of 1862.	An Act to repeal Act XVI of 1852 in those parts of British India in which the Indian Penal Code is in force, and to re-enact some of the provisions thereof with amendments, and further to improve the administration of Criminal Justice in Her Majesty's Supreme Courts of Judicature.	Sections 1 to 46 (both inclusive), and sections 54 to 57 (both inclusive).

THE SCHEDULE—*continued.*

ACTS,—*concluded.*

No. and year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
XIII of 1865.	An Act to amend the procedure of Her Majesty's High Courts of Judicature in the exercise of their original jurisdiction, and to provide for the exercise of such jurisdiction at places other than the Presidency Towns.	So much as has not been repealed.
IV of 1866	An Act to amend the constitution of the Chief Court of Judicature in the Panjáb and its Dependencies.	Sections 21 to 41 (both inclusive), and section 20, except the first twenty-two words.
XVI of 1866	An Act to relieve the Governor General of India in Council from the duty of signing the commissions mentioned in sections 22 and 44 of the High Courts Criminal Procedure Amendment Act, 1865.	The whole.
XXIV of 1866.	An Act to amend the procedure of the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William	Sections 2 to 17 (both inclusive).
XIII of 1869.	An Act further to amend the procedure of the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces.	Sections 1 and 2, and so much of sections 3 and 4 as relates to criminal jurisdiction.
XXII of 1870	An Act to confirm certain laws affecting European British subjects.	Section three.

THE SCHEDULE—*concluded.*

STATUTES.

No. and year.	Title or abbreviated Title.	Extent of repeal.
13 Geo. III, c. 63.	An Act for establishing certain Regulations for the better management of the affairs of the East India Company, as well in India as in Europe.	Section 34. In section 38 the words "and the Chief Justice and other Judges of the said Supreme Court of Judicature."
33 Geo. III, c. 52.	*An Act whose title begins with the words* An Act for continuing, *and ends with the words* and Bombay.	Sections 153 and 154.
53 Geo. III, c. 155.	*An Act whose title begins with the words* An Act for continuing, *and ends with the words* Company's Charter.	Sections 100, 102, 103.
9 Geo. IV, c. 74.	An Act for improving the administration of Criminal Justice in the East Indies.	The whole Act except the preamble and sections one, seven, eight, nine, twenty-five, twenty-six and fifty-six.

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PART V.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 9th February 1875 :—

No. 1 OF 1875.

A Bill to secure the repayment of a Loan by the Government of India to Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, Baronet.

Preamble. Patent of Baronetcy.

WHEREAS by Letters Patent of Her Majesty dated the sixth day of August, 1858, and by Warrant under the Queen's sign-manual, Her said Majesty conferred upon Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, then of Bombay, Knight, but since deceased, the dignity of Baronet, to hold the same to him and the heirs male of his body.

Trustees under Act XX of 1860.

And whereas by an Act of the Legislative Council of India numbered XX of 1860, and entitled "An Act for settling Promissory Notes of the Government of India producing an annual income of one lákh of Rupees and a Mansion-house and hereditaments called 'Mazagon Castle,' in the Island of Bombay, late the property of Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, Baronet, deceased, so as to accompany and support the title and dignity of a Baronet lately conferred on him and the heirs male of his body by Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, and for other purposes connected therewith," certain officers therein mentioned were constituted Trustees for executing the powers and purposes of such Act.

Government Promissory Notes producing an annual income of one lákh vested in Trustees.

And it was thereby enacted that, immediately after the passing of the said Act, promissory notes of the Government of India producing an annual income of one lákh of rupees should be transferred into the names of the said Trustees upon trust, amongst other things, from time to time to pay and apply the annual income of the said securities unto and for the benefit of the present Baronet, Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, and the person who, as heir male of the body of the said first Baronet, should, for the time being, have succeeded to and be in the enjoyment of the title of Baronet conferred by the said Letters Patent as aforesaid, and in default of heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet to whom the same dignity of Baronet might descend, upon trust for the present Baronet, his executors, administrators and assigns.

Trusts of the income.

Alienation prohibited during the Baronetcy.

And it was by the said Act further enacted that, subject as therein mentioned, so long as the said dignity of Baronet should endure, and until there should be a failure of heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet to whom the said dignity might descend, neither the said present Baronet nor any of the heirs male of the body of the said first Baronet in whose favour trusts were thereinbefore declared of the annual income of the said securities, should convey, charge, or encumber the said securities, or any part thereof, or the annual income thereof, or of any part thereof, for any greater or larger estate or interest than during his natural life, and for such portion thereof only as he should continue to use the names of "Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy," nor should have any power to discontinue or bar the estate of any person or persons for whose benefit trusts were declared by the said Act of the annual income of the said securities, or to prevent any such person or persons from succeeding to the same; nor should the same be held to have vested in any such person as aforesaid for any greater estate or interest than during his life, and only during such portion thereof as he should continue to use the names of "Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy;" and every attempt to make any assurance contrary to the intention of the said Act was thereby declared to be void:

And whereas, immediately after the passing of the said Act, promissory notes of the Government of India producing an annual income of one lákh of rupees were transferred into the names of the said trustees upon the trusts aforesaid:

And whereas, since the said transfer, part of the said promissory notes, producing an annual income of five thousand rupees, has been paid off by the Government of India; and the annual income of the promissory notes vested in the said trustees upon the trusts aforesaid was thereby reduced to ninety-five thousand rupees:

And whereas the said present Baronet has three sons only (namely), Manakjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee, Cowasjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee, and Jamsetjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee who is a minor:

Agreement for loan.

And whereas the said present Baronet recently applied to the Government of India to advance and lend to him the sum of four and a half lákhs of rupees, to be applied to purposes beneficial to himself and his said sons, which the Government of India agreed to do upon having the repayment thereof with interest secured in manner hereinafter mentioned:

Advance of loan.

And whereas, in pursuance of the said agreement, the sum of four and a half lákhs of rupees has been advanced and lent to the said present Baronet:

Concurrence of present Baronet's sons.

And whereas the said Manakjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee and Cowasjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee by themselves, and the said Jamsetjee Cursetjee Jamsetjee by his guardian, have agreed to the arrangement intended to be effected by this Act;—

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Withholding interest on notes in discharge of loan.

1. In consideration of the premises, and notwithstanding anything contained in the said recited Act, the Government of India shall withhold out of said sum of ninety-five thousand rupees, being the interest on the said promissory notes now vested in the said trustees, the annual sum of forty thousand rupees during the term of seventeen years from the date of the passing of this Act, unless the said sum of four and a half lákhs of rupees with interest thereon at five per cent. per annum has been sooner discharged.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The Government of India having lent four and a half lákhs of rupees to Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy of Bombay, Baronet, the object of this Bill is to secure the repayment of the same with interest at five per cent. per annum.

The interposition of the legislature is necessary inasmuch as the security offered was vested in trustees and rendered inalienable by Act No. XX of 1860.

The next heirs of the Baronet have consented to the proposed arrangement.

CALCUTTA,
3rd February 1875.

B. H. ELLIS.

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The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 9th February 1875, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in three weeks:—

No. 2 OF 1875.

A Bill to amend the Law relating to Salt in the Presidency of Fort St. George.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to the price of salt sold under the orders of Government in the Presidency of Fort St. George; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Madras Salt Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to the territories under the government of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Partial repeal of Act XXIV of 1869.

2. The following portions of Act No. XXIV of 1869 *(to enhance the price of Salt in the Presidency of Fort St. George and the duty on Salt in the Presidency of Bombay)* are hereby repealed, namely,

in the title, the words "the price of salt in the Presidency of Fort St. George and":

in the preamble, the words "the price of salt manufactured and sold in the Presidency of Fort St. George and"; and

in section two, paragraph one and the first word of paragraph two.

Power to impose duty on salt manufactured or sold under orders of Madras Government.

3. The Governor General in Council may from time to time impose a duty on salt manufactured or sold under the orders of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council not exceeding one rupee and thirteen annas for every maund of three thousand two hundred tolas; and the Local Government shall for every such maund sold by or on behalf of Government from time to time fix, by notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, such additional sum as it may deem sufficient to cover, in each district or group of districts, the average cost for the time being of the manufacture, storage, transport, sale and wastage of salt.

When any such additional sum has been fixed for any district or group of districts, it shall not be altered for such district or group until after the expiration of at least three years from the date of such notification.

Price of salt sold by Madras Government.

4. The price to be paid in each district to the Local Government for salt so sold shall, for every such maund, be the total amount of the duty and additional sum so imposed and fixed as aforesaid.

The price at present so paid in each district shall be taken to be the price to be paid under this section until an additional sum is fixed under section three for such district.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

In the Madras Presidency the salt-revenue is almost wholly raised by means of a Government monopoly. Government is the exclusive purchaser, at fixed rates, of all the salt of proper quality made by the persons engaged in the local manufacture, and the salt is then retailed throughout the Presidency at the price of two rupees per maund of 3,200 tolas, which price is fixed by Act XXIV of 1869, section two.

The average cost to Government on the East Coast of the salt so purchased, including all expenses properly appertaining to manufacture and storing, is three annas per Indian maund; and as the salt is sold by Government at two rupees per maund, it follows that the full Government duty of Re. 1-13-0 is secured on every maund of salt sold on the Eastern Coast.

On the Western Coast the systematic manufacture of salt is carried on to a very limited extent in the northern part of South Canara only, and the bulk of the supply required in that district, and the whole of the supply required in Malabar, in order to meet the demands of the local population and for carriage inland, mainly to Mysore, are obtained from Goa and Bombay through contractors.

The manufactured salt of Canara costs about four annas, and the imported salt of Malabar and part of Canara averages over seven annas per maund, and as both are sold by Government at the rate of two rupees per maund, the Government loses one anna on the former and more than four annas on the latter for every maund sold; and the people of these districts, though undoubtedly quite as well able to pay the salt-tax as their brethren on the East Coast, are favoured to the like extent.

The object of this Bill is to enable Government to realize the full duty of Re. 1-13-0 on salt throughout the Madras Presidency, as it does now in all the districts of the Eastern Coast. It empowers the Governor General in Council to impose a duty on salt manufactured or sold under the orders of the Local Government not exceeding Re. 1-13-0 per maund, and it requires the Local Government to fix from time to time such additional sum as may cover in each district the average cost of the manufacture, storage, transport, sale and wastage of salt. The price per maund will be equal to the duty so imposed plus the additional sum so fixed.

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Power to impose duty on salt manufactured or sold under orders of Madras Government.

3. The Governor General in Council may from time to time impose a duty on salt manufactured or sold under the orders of the Governor of Fort St. George in Council not exceeding one rupee and thirteen annas for every maund of three thousand two hundred tolas; and the Local Government shall for every such maund sold by or on behalf of Government from time to time fix, by notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, such additional sum as it may deem sufficient to cover, in each district or group of districts, the average cost for the time being of the manufacture, storage, transport, sale and wastage of salt.

When any such additional sum has been fixed for any district or group of districts, it shall not be altered for such district or group until after the expiration of at least three years from the date of such notification.

Price of salt sold by Madras Government.

4. The price to be paid in each district to the Local Government for salt so sold shall, for every such maund, be the total amount of the duty and additional sum so imposed and fixed as aforesaid.

The price at present so paid in each district shall be taken to be the price to be paid under this section until an additional sum is fixed under section three for such district.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

In the Madras Presidency the salt-revenue is almost wholly raised by means of a Government monopoly. Government is the exclusive purchaser, at fixed rates, of all the salt of proper quality made by the persons engaged in the local manufacture, and the salt is then retailed throughout the Presidency at the price of two rupees per maund of 3,200 tolas, which price is fixed by Act XXIV of 1869, section two.

The average cost to Government on the East Coast of the salt so purchased, including all expenses properly appertaining to manufacture and storing, is three annas per Indian maund; and as the salt is sold by Government at two rupees per maund, it follows that the full Government duty of Re. 1-13-0 is secured on every maund of salt sold on the Eastern Coast.

On the Western Coast the systematic manufacture of salt is carried on to a very limited extent in the northern part of South Canara only, and the bulk of the supply required in that district, and the whole of the supply required in Malabar, in order to meet the demands of the local population and for carriage inland, mainly to Mysore, are obtained from Goa and Bombay through contractors.

The manufactured salt of Canara costs about four annas, and the imported salt of Malabar and part of Canara averages over seven annas per maund, and as both are sold by Government at the rate of two rupees per maund, the Government loses one anna on the former and more than four annas on the latter for every maund sold; and the people of these districts, though undoubtedly quite as well able to pay the salt-tax as their brethren on the East Coast, are favoured to the like extent.

The object of this Bill is to enable Government to realize the full duty of Re. 1-13-0 on salt throughout the Madras Presidency, as it does now in all the districts of the Eastern Coast. It empowers the Governor General in Council to impose a duty on salt manufactured or sold under the orders of the Local Government not exceeding Re. 1-13-0 per maund, and it requires the Local Government to fix from time to time such additional sum as may cover in each district the average cost of the manufacture, storage, transport, sale and wastage of salt. The price per maund will be equal to the duty so imposed plus the additional sum so fixed.

B. H. ELLIS.

The 30th January 1875.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following Report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 16th February 1875:—

We, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to extend certain parts of the Code of Criminal Procedure to the Courts of the Police Magistrates in the Presidency Towns was referred, have the honour to report that we have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin.

From Government of Madras, dated 24th April 1874.
" Officiating Registrar, High Court, Calcutta, No. 848, dated 7th July 1874.
" Government of Madras, No. 1187, dated 2nd July 1874.
" " " No. 1416, dated 1st August 1874.
Memorial from British Indian Association, dated 24th November 1874.
From Government of Bengal, No. 4651, dated 7th December 1874.
Note by Mr. P. Dickens, dated 30th December 1874.
" by Hon'ble R. A. Dalyell, dated 27th January 1875.
From Government of Bombay, No. 755, dated 8th February 1875.
" " " No. 790, dated 9th February 1875, and enclosure.
Notes by Mr. H. T. Prinsep, Judge of Hooghly, dated 12th February 1875.

2. We have altered the local extent of the proposed Act so as to make it include the ports of the Presidency Towns.

3. We propose to confer on the Police Magistrates and the Court of Petty Sessions at Bombay the powers of Magistrates of the first class, and to give an appeal from their decisions to the High Court where the sentence involves imprisonment for more than a year or fine of more than Rs. 500. We have declared that cases tried under the proposed Act may be tried summarily, and we have embodied by reference the fourth schedule of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

4. We have carefully revised the first schedule and made some additions to the second.

5. We think that the Bill has been so altered as to require republication.

ARTHUR HOBHOUSE.
B. H. ELLIS.
E. C. BAYLEY.
R. A. DALYELL.

The 16th February 1875.

A Bill to extend certain parts of the Code of Criminal Procedure to the Courts of the Police Magistrates in the Presidency Towns, and to increase the jurisdiction of such Courts.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to extend certain parts of the Code of Criminal Procedure to the Courts of the Magistrates of Police in the Towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, and whereas it is also expedient to increase the jurisdiction of such Courts; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Presidency Police Magistrates Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to all places within the local limits of the ordinary original criminal jurisdiction of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay, and within the limits of the Ports of the said towns and of any navigable river or channel leading thereto as such limits are defined under the law for the time being in force for the regulation of Ports and Port-dues.

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Repeal of enactments.

2. The enactments specified in the second schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the same schedule.

Parts of Criminal Procedure Code to apply to Presidency Police Courts.

3. The parts of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act No. X of 1872 as amended by Act No. XI of 1874) mentioned in the first column of the first schedule hereto annexed shall apply (so far as they are applicable and subject to the modifications shewn in the second column of the same schedule) to the Courts of the Magistrates of Police in the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, and to the Court of Petty Sessions at Bombay.

Nothing in this section shall be deemed to restrict any power conferred by any special or local law.

'Magistrate of District' to include 'Magistrate of Police.'

4. In the parts of the said Code so applied, the expressions 'Magistrate,' 'Magistrate of a District,' 'Magistrate of a Division of a District,' 'Magistrate of the first class,' 'a competent Magistrate,' 'Magistrate having jurisdiction,' and every other expression applicable to a Magistrate of the District, shall be deemed to include a Magistrate of Police and the Court of Petty Sessions at Bombay, and 'District' shall be deemed to mean a Presidency Town as defined in section 4 of the said Code.

'District.'

Powers of Magistrates of Police.

5. The said Magistrates of Police and the Court of Petty Sessions at Bombay shall have the powers of Magistrates of the first class under the said Code, or with which such Magistrates may be invested, except powers under the following sections, (namely) Sections 44 to 47 (both inclusive), 110, 135, 222, 226, 295, 296, 328, 415, 416, 417 and 530.

Appeal.

6. Any person convicted on a trial held by one of the said Magistrates of Police, or by the said Court of Petty Sessions, may appeal to the High Court if the sentence complained of involves imprisonment for a term exceeding one year or a fine exceeding five hundred rupees:

Provided that, where an accused person has been convicted on his own plea, no appeal shall lie except as to the extent or legality of the sentence.

For the purposes of the Indian Limitation Act, all appeals under this section shall be deemed to be appeals under the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Cases may be tried summarily.

7. All cases tried under this Act by Magistrates of Police, or by the said Court of Petty Sessions, may be tried summarily.

Reference to schedule IV to Code of Criminal Procedure.

8. Whether a warrant or summons shall issue in the first instance,

whether an offence is bailable or not, and

the Court by which the offence is triable under this Act,

shall be deemed to be indicated respectively by the fourth, fifth and seventh columns of the fourth schedule annexed to the Code of Criminal Procedure, and by the explanatory notes prefixed to such schedule.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(See section 3.)

Parts of the Code applied.	Modifications.
Chapter I, sections 3 (*Pending cases*) and 4 (*Definitions*):	
Chapter VI (*The place of Inquiry and Trial*), the first sentence of section 63 and the Explanation thereto, and sections 65 to 70, both inclusive:	
Chapter X (*Powers of the Police to investigate*), section 122, except so far as it relates to section 346:	
Chapter XI (*Of Complaints to a Magistrate*):	*Omit* clause (*a*) of section 140. *Omit* the penultimate clause of section 141. In section 143, *for* 'Court of Session,' *read* 'High Court.' *Omit* the second clause of section 144, and the whole of section 146: In section 148, in the last line of clause one, *after* the words "such Magistrate," *insert* the words "as may then be there."

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—continued.

Parts of the Code applied.	Modifications.
Chapter XII (*Of the Summons*):	In section 152, *omit* the words "in duplicate." In section 154, *for* the words "one of the copies," *read* "the original," and *for* the words "the other copy," *read* "a copy."
Chapter XIII (*Of the Warrant*), sections 159 to 174, both inclusive:	Except so far as they relate to the issue of warrants to persons other than Police officers.
Chapter XIV (*Preliminary*):	
Chapter XV (*Of Inquiry into Cases triable by the Court of Session or High Court*):	*Omit*, in section 189, the words 'Court of Session or'
	To the second clause of section 193, *add* the words 'or false answers.'
	In section 195, *omit* the words "Court of Session or", and *for* "Chapter XVI, XVII or XVIII," *read* 'Chapter XVI.'
	Omit section 197 and the last sentence of the first clause of section 198, and *for* the last three clauses of section 198, *substitute* the following clause (namely) "Such instrument, the record of the original inquiry, and any weapon or other article of property necessary to produce in evidence shall be sent to the Clerk of the Crown or other officer appointed by the High Court."
	In section 199, *omit* the words 'or translation.'
	Omit section 201, the second clause of section 202 and, in the first clause of the same section, the words "Court of Session or," in each of the places where they occur.
Chapter XVI (*Of the Trial of Summons Cases by Magistrates*):	To be applicable to all cases (whether summons cases or warrant cases) tried and disposed of by the Courts of the Magistrates of Police, or the Court of Petty Sessions at Bombay.
	In section 203, *for* the words '(coming under this chapter),' *read* 'which the Magistrate is competent to try and.'
	Omit, in section 206, the last fourteen words.
Chapter XX (*Appeals*), sections 272, 275 to 286:	*Omit*, in section 212, the second clause.
	Omit, in section 276, the words "and in cases tried by jury, of the Judge's charge to the jury," and in section 279, the words "if the appeal be to the Session or High Court."
Chapter XXIII (*Execution*), sections 303, 307 to 318 (both inclusive):	In section 315, *for* "Court of Session," *read* "High Court," and *omit* the proviso.
Chapter XXIV (*Special Rules of Evidence in Criminal Cases*):	In the last paragraph of section 330, *for* the words after "such Magistrate;" *read* "may issue a Commission in the manner hereinbefore provided."
Chapter XXV (*Evidence how taken*), sections 331, 340, 342 to 345 (both inclusive), 347 and 349:	*Add* to section 343 the words 'or false answers.'
Chapter XXVI (*Of securing the Attendance of Witnesses*):	*Omit* the last nineteen words of section 357.
	Omit, in section 361, the second and third paragraphs.
	Omit the last sentence of the second paragraph of section 362.
	Omit sections 363 and 364.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—continued.

Parts of the Code applied.	Modifications.
Chapter XXVII (*Of Search Warrants*):	*Omit* section 379 to section 387 (both inclusive).
Chapter XXVIII (*Bail*):	*Omit* section 390, and the last two paragraphs of section 398.
Chapter XXX (*Miscellaneous Provisions*), sections 418, 421 and 422:	
Chapter XXXI (*Lunatics*):	*Omit* the second clause of section 424.
Chapter XXXII (*Contempts of Court*):	*Omit* the third clause of section 436.
	Omit section 438.
Chapter XXXIII (*Of the Charge*):	*Omit* section 451.
Chapter XXXIV (*Of the Judgment, Order and Sentence*), section 461:	
Chapter XXXV (*Prosecutions in certain Cases*):	*Omit* sections 472, 474, 475, 476 and 477.
Chapter XXXVII (*Of Security for keeping the Peace*):	*Omit* the two last clauses of section 489.
Chapter XXXVIII (*Of Security for Good Behaviour*):	*Omit* the last two clauses of section 504.
	In sections 506, 507, 508, 509 and 512, *for* "Court of Session," *read* 'High Court.'
	Omit the third paragraph of section 515.
	Omit section 517.
Chapter XXXIX (*Local Nuisances*):	
Chapter XL (*Possession*), section 534:	
Chapter XLI (*Of the Maintenance of Wives and Families*):	
Chapter XLII (*Miscellaneous*), section 539.	

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(See section 2.)

Acts.

No. and year.	Title or Subject.	Extent of repeal.
XIII of 1856 ...	Presidency Towns Police	Sections twenty-six to thirty-one, (both inclusive), thirty-seven, forty-one, forty-two, forty-four, ninety-seven, ninety-eight, one hundred, and one hundred and eleven.
XLVIII of 1860	Amending Act XIII of 1856	Sections four, six and ten.
XXI of 1864 ...	An Act for the extension of the jurisdiction of the Magistrates of Police in Calcutta.	Sections two and three.
Madras Act VIII of 1867.	Madras Town Police and Police Magistrates ...	Sections thirteen, fourteen, sixteen, twenty-one, sixty-one, sixty-two, seventy-one, seventy-two and seventy-four.
Bengal Act IV of 1866.	The Calcutta Police Act, 1866	Sections twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, eighty-five, eighty-six, ninety-six, ninety-seven and ninety-eight.
Bengal Act VIII of 1866.	Amending Bengal Act IV of 1866	The whole.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[First Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 23rd February 1875, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in two months:—

No. 3 OF 1875.

THE BURMA LAND AND REVENUE BILL, 1875.

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SCHEDULE.—Towns in which land-rate in lieu of capitation-tax is levied.

A Bill to declare the law relating to interests in land and to regulate the assessment and collection of land-revenue, capitation-tax, and other taxes in British Burma.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to declare the law relating to the acquisition by private persons of rights in land in the province of British Burma;

And whereas it is expedient also to consolidate and amend the law relating to the assessment and collection of land-revenue, capitation-tax, and other taxes in the said province; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Burma Land and Revenue Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to all the territories under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of British Burma except the Hill District of Arakan;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on such date as the Chief Commissioner, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council may, by a notification in the local official *Gazette*, direct.

Repeal.

2. On and from the date on which this Act comes into force, Act XXXV of 1852 (*for the abolition of the Poll-tax within the towns of Akyab and Kyouk Phyoo, in the province of Arracan, and for levying a tax on lands covered by dwelling-houses within those towns*), and all Regulations and rules (if any) relating to the several matters provided for by this Act, and then having the force of law, shall be repealed.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there is something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Possession."

"Land in the possession" of any person includes also—

(a.) land in the occupation of his servant, agent, tenant, or mortgagee, or of any other person holding under him;

(b.) land on which he or some person holding under him has paid the revenue which fell due during the last preceding year of assessment as fixed under section forty-one.

(c.) land left fallow in the ordinary course of husbandry if when last cultivated it was cultivated by him or by some person holding under him:

Provided that no person shall be deemed to be in possession merely on the grounds mentioned in the second or third clause of this definition of any land which is occupied by a person not holding under him, or of any land which he has relinquished by a notice in writing presented to a revenue officer.

"Revenue officer."

"Revenue officer" means any person whom the Chief Commissioner may appoint by name or by office to do—

(a.) anything required by this Act to be done by a revenue officer;

(b.) anything to be done by a Government officer under this Act or under any rule made under this Act, and for the doing of which no agency is specially provided by this Act.

"Notification."

"Notification" means a notification published in the *British Burma Gazette*.

PART II.—OF RIGHTS OVER LAND.

Lands excluded from the operation of Part II.

4. Nothing contained in this part shall apply to the following:—

Reserved forests.

(a.) *Land included in any Government forest reserved under the law for the time being in force:*

Fisheries.

(b.) Land included in any fishery demarcated under the Burma Fisheries Act, 1875:

Public roads, &c.

(c.) The soil of any public road, canal, drain or embankment:

Towns.

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(g.) Land included in any civil station:

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(h.) Land pertaining at the time when this Act comes into force to any monastery, pagoda or other sacred building or to any school.

Power to exclude other land.

The Chief Commissioner may from time to time by notification exclude any other land from the operation of this Part.

5. When the boundaries of any lands exempt or excluded from the operation of this Part under section four need definition for the purposes of that section and no other mode of defining them is provided by law, the Chief Commissioner shall cause them to be defined by the revenue officer.

Power to define boundaries of excluded lands.

If, pending their definition, any question arises as to whether any land is included within them, such question shall be decided by the revenue officer, whose decision, subject to appeal and review as hereinafter provided, shall be final.

6. No right of any description has been or shall be acquired by any person over any land except the following :—

Rights which may be acquired over land.

(*a*) rights created by any grant or lease made by or on behalf of the British Government ;

(*b*) rights acquired under sections twenty-seven and twenty-eight of the Indian Limitation Act, 1871 ;

(*c*) rights created or originating in any of the modes hereinafter in that behalf specified ;

(*d*.) rights legally derived from any right mentioned in clauses (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) of this section.

7. Except as provided in section twenty-two, any person having been in possession of any culturable land for twelve years continuously, and having during that period regularly paid the revenue due thereon or held the same under an express exemption from revenue, shall be deemed to have, upon the expiration of that period, acquired the status of a landholder in respect of such land :

Status of landholder how acquired.

Provided that such status shall not be deemed to have been acquired by any possession which terminated more than twelve years prior to the date on which this Act comes into force.

Explanation 1.—When any person succeeds immediately to the possession of another, by transfer or succession, the possession is deemed to be continuous, and the person so succeeding may, in reckoning his length of possession, add the possession of his predecessor to his own.

Explanation 2.—When any revenue has been paid by any person holding under the person in possession, it shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to have been paid by the person in possession.

8. A landholder shall have a permanent heritable and transferable right of use and occupancy subject only—

Landholders' rights defined.

(*a*) to the payment of all such revenue, taxes, cesses and rates as may from time to time be imposed under any law for the time being in force ;

(*b*) to the reservation in favour of Government of all mines of metal and coal, of all gold washings and other valuable mineral products, and of all buried treasure, with full liberty to work and search for the same, paying to the landholder only compensation for surface damage as estimated by the revenue officer.

9. Any person who having acquired the status of a landholder in respect of any land before the date of this Act coming into force, and having been out of possession of such land on the said date, does not within two years of the said date or within twelve years from the date on which he was last in possession, whichever first expires, resume possession or institute a suit for recovering possession, shall forfeit his status of landholder in respect of such land.

Landholders out of possession when this Act comes into force.

10. Any landholder who, except as provided in section twelve, voluntarily relinquishes the possession of any land within the two years next following the date on which this Act comes into force, and does not, before the expiry of the said two years, resume possession or institute a suit for recovering possession, shall forfeit his status of landholder in respect of such land.

Landholders relinquishing possession within two years from this Act coming into force.

11. Any landholder who, except as provided in section twelve, voluntarily relinquishes the possession of any land after the expiry of two years from the date on which this Act comes into force, shall at once forfeit his status of landholder in respect of such land.

Landholders relinquishing possession after two years from the Act coming into force.

12. When after the date on which this Act comes into force any person in possession of land, and claiming the status of a landholder in respect thereof, desires temporarily to relinquish the possession of the same, he may present a petition to the revenue officer, requesting him to take over such land.

Right of landholder to make over land temporarily to revenue officer,

The revenue officer on receipt of such petition, if it appears to him on such enquiry as he may think fit to make that the petitioner is entitled to the status of a landholder, shall cause a notice to be published in such manner as the Chief Commissioner may by rule prescribe, declaring that he has taken over the land, and the land shall thereupon be at his disposal to be let on lease or otherwise dealt with, subject to the rights of any third parties over the land and to the right of the petitioner next hereinafter reserved.

13. The petitioner may, at any time within twelve years from the date on which the land has been taken over by the revenue officer, apply to the revenue officer to reinstate him in possession of the same.

and to recover possession within twelve years.

On receiving such application, the revenue officer shall eject any person who may be in occupation under him, and shall put the applicant in possession of the land :

Provided that no person shall be ejected under this section from any land which, before receiving notice from the revenue officer of the applicant's demand for possession, he has in any way prepared for cultivation, until he has gathered his crop :

Provided also that no person shall be so ejected from any land which he has planted, drained, embanked or otherwise permanently improved, until he has been paid by the applicant the value of his improvements at the date of ejectment as estimated by the revenue officer.

14. If any person applies for possession of land under section thirteen, alleging that he is the successor in interest of the petitioner by whom such land was made over to the revenue officer, it shall be in the discretion of the revenue officer either to proceed on such application under section thirteen as if it were an application by the said petitioner, or to postpone proceeding until the applicant has obtained a declaration of title in a civil suit.

Applications to recover possession by persons claiming as succeeding to the rights of the petitioner.

15. Any person being in possession of any land and asserting that he himself, or any other person through whom he claims, acquired the status of a landholder in respect of such land in the manner provided by section seven, may apply to the revenue officer to record, in a register to be provided for this purpose, a declaration of such status having been so acquired. And the revenue officer if it appears to him, after a notice of such application has been published for such period and in such manner as the Chief Commissioner may by rule prescribe, and after such enquiry as he may think fit to make, that such status was so acquired, shall record a declaration to that effect, and furnish the applicant with a certificate of the same having been recorded.

Declaration and record of original acquisition of landholder's status

16. If within five years from the date on which a declaration has been recorded under section fifteen, the revenue officer is satisfied that it is erroneous, he may cancel it.

Cancellation of such declarations and records.

Provided that no such declaration shall be so cancelled until a notice of the intention to cancel it has been published for such period and in such manner as the Chief Commissioner may by rule direct.

While any declaration remains on the register uncancelled, no fresh declaration inconsistent therewith shall be recorded.

Fresh declarations.

17. Whenever a question arises before any civil Court as to whether any person acquired the status of a landholder in respect of any land in the manner provided by section seven, and it appears that a declaration of the fact of such status having been acquired by him has been made under section fifteen and is still uncancelled, the Court, unless it sees reason to doubt the correctness of such declaration, shall decide in accordance therewith.

Questions as to original acquisition or as to the loss of landholder's status how to be dealt with by civil Courts.

Whenever any such question arises and the Court sees reason to doubt the correctness of such declaration or it appears that no such declaration has been made,

and whenever any question arises whether the status of a landholder having been acquired has been subsequently lost,

the Court shall refer such question to the revenue officer, and shall give judgment in accordance with his decision thereon :

Provided that where any party desires to prefer an appeal from the decision of the revenue officer to whom the question was referred, to a revenue officer of higher grade empowered to hear such appeal by the rules for the time being in force, the Court shall, subject to any conditions as to the furnishing of security or to such other conditions as it deems fit to impose, defer its judgment so as to admit of such appeal being preferred, and in the event of a decision being given in appeal different from that given by the revenue officer to whom the question was originally referred, shall give judgment in accordance with the decision pronounced in appeal.

18. The Chief Commissioner may from time to time make rules for the disposal by way of grant or otherwise of any land over which no person has a right of either of the classes specified in clauses (*a*) and (*c*) of section six.

Power to make rules for the disposal of available lands.

Such rules may provide among other matters for the following :—

(*a*) the amount or kind of interest to be created in such land,

(*b*) the mode in which grants and other dispositions may be made,

(*c*) the total or partial exemption of the land from revenue for a term of years or for any life or lives,

(*d*) the realization of any money payable in consideration of the grant as if it were an arrear of revenue due on the land by the grantee, his legal representatives, or assigns.

19. The Chief Commissioner may also from time to time make rules to regulate the temporary occupation of such land as last aforesaid, and may empower any revenue officer to eject any person taking possession of such land in contravention of such rules.

Temporary occupation of available land.

20. The Chief Commissioner shall, from time to time as occasion requires, make rules for the allotment from such land of grazing grounds to the inhabitants of any village in the neighbourhood standing in need of such allotment, and for regulating and controlling the enjoyment of the grazing grounds so allotted by those permitted to resort to the same.

Allotment of grazing grounds.

21. The Chief Commissioner shall also make rules from time to time as occasion requires—

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for the allotment from such land, for the use of tribes or families practising Toungya cultivation of areas suitable for such cultivation of sufficient extent and situated in localities reasonably convenient for the purposes of those to whom they are allotted,

and for regulating and controlling the enjoyment of lands so allotted by those permitted to resort to the same.

22. No person shall acquire, by length of occupancy or otherwise, any right over lands allotted under section twenty or section twenty-one beyond that which is given by the rules made under the said sections respectively.

Bar to acquisition of rights over lands allotted under sections 20 and 21.

PART III.—OF REVENUE AND TAXES.

A.—Of Land-revenue.

23. All culturable land and all land which is culturable when this Act comes into force, but which subsequently becomes unculturable in consequence of the erection of buildings or otherwise by the act of man,

Land liable to land-revenue assessment.

shall be liable to be assessed to land-revenue.

But nothing in this section shall apply to—

(*a*) land which, at the time this Act comes into force, belongs to any monastery, pagoda or other sacred building or to any school ;

(*b*) land exempt from assessment under the express terms of any grant made by or on behalf of the British Government ;

(*c*) land in respect of which a Toungya tax is imposed under section thirty-three.

Mode and amount of assessment.

24. The assessment shall be either—

(*a*) by annual rates on each acre or part of an acre of cultivation and fallow or on each square foot rendered unculturable in the manner specified in section twenty-three, or

(*b*) by annual rates on trees growing on the land.

The Chief Commissioner shall make rules for fixing such rates and determining under what circumstances each description of rate is to be imposed.

Subject to such rules, the nature and amount of the assessment shall be in the discretion of the revenue officer:

Provided that no assessment shall be made in derogation of the terms of any grant made by or on behalf of the British Government.

Rates may be altered.

25. Except as provided in sections twenty-eight and forty-two, the rates payable in respect of any land may be altered from time to time as the Chief Commissioner may direct.

Right to a settlement.

26. Any person in possession of any culturable land which is liable to be assessed to land-revenue, may apply to the revenue officer to make a settlement with him of such land.

If such person appears to have a permanent heritable and transferable right of use and occupancy in the land, the revenue officer shall offer him a settlement of the nature hereinafter described.

If such person does not appear to have such a right, it shall be in the discretion of the revenue officer to treat with him or not.

Nature of settlement.

27. The settlement offered to the applicant may be either—

(*a*)—a settlement of a single annual sum payable in respect of the whole land, or

(*b*)—a settlement of certain annual acreage rates on cultivation and fallow respectively.

In either case the settlement may provide that, for any additional land situated within certain local limits which the applicant may cultivate, he shall not be required to pay any revenue or any revenue in excess of certain rates.

The Chief Commissioner shall by rule determine the cases in which each description of settlement shall be offered and the general principles on which the amount or rate of the revenue payable thereunder shall be fixed.

Subject to such rules the nature and conditions of the settlement to be offered in each case shall be in the discretion of the revenue officer.

Rights conferred by settlement.

28. When a settlement of any land offered under sections twenty-six and twenty-seven has been accepted, neither the person on whose application such settlement has been made nor any person succeeding him in possession of the land by transfer or succession, nor any person holding under him or under a person so succeeding him shall, during the term of such settlement, be held liable to pay any revenue in respect of such land beyond that fixed by the settlement.

But no person shall be deemed to have acquired any right to or over any land, as against any other person claiming rights to or over the same land merely on the ground that a settlement of such land has been made on his application, or on the application of some person through whom he claims.

Term of settlement.

29. The settlement shall be made for such term as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time by rule direct.

The settlement of any land shall terminate at the close of any year of assessment prescribed under section forty-one if the person in possession of such land and entitled under section twenty-eight to the benefit of such settlement—

(*a*) at any time before the close of such year voluntarily relinquishes possession of such land, or

(*b*) not less than months before the close of such year presents to the revenue officer a notice in writing declaring that he desires to rescind such settlement.

Continuance of expired settlement until new settlement is made.

30. If the term for which any settlement of land has been made elapses before a new settlement is made, any person who was entitled to the benefit of the expired settlement at the time of its expiration and continues in possession of such land, and any person holding under him, shall be entitled to the benefit of, and be bound by, the conditions of the expired settlement until a new settlement of such land is made.

Provided that the said conditions shall cease to be in force at the close of any year of assessment as aforesaid if the person in possession, not less than months before the close of such year, presents to the revenue officer a notice in writing requiring that they should so cease.

B.—Of the five per cent. cess.

A five per cent cess to be levied.

31. On all lands assessed to land-revenue there shall be levied, in addition to the land-revenue assessed thereon, an annual cess of five per cent. on the amount of such revenue.

Nothing in this section applies to lands included in towns to which the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, has been extended.

How to be applied.

32. The cess so levied in each district shall form a fund to be called the "Five per cent. Cess Fund," and shall be appropriated in that district, in such proportions as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time by notification direct, to all or any for the following local objects, namely,—

the construction and maintenance of district roads;

the promotion of education;

the maintenance of a local postal service;

the maintenance of a village police.

C.—Of the Toungya tax.

Toungya tax.

33. The Chief Commissioner may direct that, in lieu of the revenue assessable on any land under Toungya cultivation, there shall be collected an annual tax either on each male person who has completed his age of eighteen years or on each family of persons, cultivating such land.

The rates of such tax may be fixed from time to time by the Chief Commissioner, but shall not exceed the following, that is to say,—

On each male cultivator, two rupees.

On each family of cultivators, two rupees.

D.—Of the Capitation-tax and the Land rate in lieu thereof.

Capitation-tax.

34. A capitation-tax shall be payable by all males between the ages of eighteen and sixty years at

such rates as the Chief Commissioner may, from time to time by notification, direct:

Provided that such rates shall not exceed the following, that is to say,—

On married men, five rupees a year.

On men who have no wives, two rupees eight annas a year.

Provided also that this tax shall not be payable—

(*a*) by the residents of any of the towns mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed;

(*b*) by the residents of any other town on which the Chief Commissioner may impose a land rate under section thirty-five.

Land rate in lieu of capitation-tax.

35. In the towns mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed, and in such other towns as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time by notification direct, there shall be levied instead of the capitation-tax an annual rate upon land, to be fixed from time to time by the Chief Commissioner by notification, but not to exceed the following, that is to say,—

On land covered with buildings, one pie and a half per square foot.

On land not covered with buildings, three rupees per acre.

The boundaries of the towns in which such rate is leviable, shall be fixed from time to time, for the purposes of this section, by the Chief Commissioner by notification, and may be so fixed as to include any suburbs of such towns.

Explanation.—The rate leviable on any land under this section shall be in addition to any land-revenue payable thereon.

Exemption from capitation-tax and land rate.

36. The Chief Commissioner may, by notification,

(*a*) exempt any person or class of persons, or the residents of any particular locality from the payment of capitation-tax;

(*b*) exempt any lands or any class of lands throughout the province or in any part thereof from land rate in lieu of capitation-tax;

(*c*) revoke any such exemption.

E.—Of personal liability for certain Revenue and Taxes.

Personal liability for land-revenue, 5 per cent. cess, and land rate in lieu of capitation-tax.

37. The amount payable on account of revenue, five per cent. cess, or land rate in lieu of capitation-tax on any land for any year, shall be due jointly and severally from all persons who have been in possession of such land at any time during such year, and all persons who have held under them.

Personal liability for tax on families.

38. When a tax per family of cultivators of any land is imposed, the amount due for any year from each family shall be due jointly and severally from all males of such family who at any time during such year being then above the age of 18 years took any part in the cultivation of such land.

F.—Of the manufacture of Salt, and of licenses to prepare and collect Cutch, Beeswax, &c.

Power to make rules for—

licensing salt-manufacture;

39. The Chief Commissioner may from time to time make rules—

(*a*) for granting licenses to manufacture salt;

imposing salt-duty;

(*b*) for imposing on all salt manufactured a duty at a rate not exceeding the rate of customs-duty for the time being payable on salt imported by sea;

composition with licences.

(*c*) for compounding with any holder of a license for the payment by him of an annual sum assessed upon the plant employed by him in lieu of the duty which would be payable by him under clause (*b*) on the salt produced with the aid of such plant.

Penalty for manufacturing salt without a license.

Any person who without a license for the time being in force,—

(*a*) engages in the manufacture of salt;

(*b*) owns works for the manufacture of salt; or

(*c*) stores salt;

shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. , and to a further fine of Rs. for every day after a first conviction under this section in which he continues such manufacture or storage.

Power to make rules regarding collection and preparation of cutch, beeswax, &c.

40. The Chief Commissioner may from time to time make rules—

(*a*) for granting licenses to prepare or collect, or farms of the right of preparing or collecting, cutch, beeswax, honey, lac, cardamums and other forest-produce or edible birds' nests upon land over which no person has a right of either of the classes specified in clauses (*a*) and (*c*) of section six.

(*b*) for fixing the amount of fees to be charged in respect of such licenses or farms.

G.—Miscellaneous.

Year of assessment.

41. The year of assessment of any revenue cess, rate, tax or fee leviable under this part shall commence on such day of the calendar year as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time by rule prescribe.

When increase of rates takes effect.

42. Notwithstanding anything contained in this part, no enhancement made in any such revenue, rate, tax or fee shall take effect until the commencement of the year of assessment following that in the course of which it is made.

PART IV.—OF ARREARS AND THE MODE OF RECOVERING THEM.

Revenue, &c., when due, where and to whom payable.

43. Every sum payable under this Act on account of any revenue, tax, cess, rate, fee, duty or composition, shall fall due on such date, and shall be payable at such place and to such person, as the Chief Commissioner may by rule direct.

"Arrear" and "defaulter" defined.

44. When any such sum has fallen due, and a written notice of demand for it has been served on any one of the persons liable for it or published in such manner as the Chief Commissioner may by rule prescribe, and ten days have elapsed from the service or publication of such notice without such sum having been paid, such sum shall be deemed to be an arrear of revenue; and every person liable for it shall be deemed to be a defaulter.

45. An arrear of revenue may be realized as if it was the amount of a decree passed against the defaulter in favour of any revenue officer whom the Chief Commissioner may appoint by name or office on this behalf.

Proceedings against defaulters for recovery o arrear

Proceedings with a view to its realization may be instituted by such officer before any other revenue officer whom the Chief Commissioner may appoint by name or by office on this behalf, and except in so far as the Chief Commissioner may otherwise by rule direct, such other officer may exercise all the powers conferred on and shall conform to all rules of procedure prescribed for a court executing a decree by the Code of Civil Procedure:

Provided that—

except when execution is applied for against a defaulter who has absconded or who is reasonably believed to be about to abscond,

the officer before whom proceedings are instituted under this section shall, before issuing any process of execution against a defaulter, cause a notice to be served on him in the manner prescribed for the service of summons on defendants in civil suits requiring him either to pay the amount of the arrear or to appear on a day fixed in the notice, and show cause why such amount should not be realized from him.

If on the day so fixed, such amount has not been paid and the defaulter does not appear, or appearing, fails to show cause as aforesaid, the said officer may order the process to issue forthwith.

46. Instead of, or in addition to, the proceedings which may be instituted under section forty-five, a revenue officer empowered thereunto by the Chief Commissioner may, when the arrear is one of land-revenue, five per cent. cess or land rate in lieu of capitation-tax, proceed against the land on which such arrear has accrued as next hereinafter provided.

Proceedings against the land.

47. If such officer finds on enquiry that there exists any permanent heritable and transferable right of use and occupancy in the land, he may sell by public auction such right in the whole of the land or in such portion thereof as he may deem sufficient for the realization of the arrear.

Where there is a permanent heritable and transferable right in such land.

The proceeds of such sale shall be applied in the first place in liquidation of the arrear, and in the event of there being any surplus remaining, the revenue officer shall, if he is satisfied as to the right of any person claiming such surplus, pay the amount thereof to such person, and if he is not so satisfied, shall hold the amount in deposit for the person who may ultimately succeed in due course of law in establishing his title thereto.

48. The purchaser at a sale held under section forty-seven shall be deemed to have acquired the right offered for sale as it existed at its inception free from all encumbrances created over it and from all subordinate interests derived from it, except such as may be expressly reserved by the revenue officer at the time of sale.

Title conferred by purchase at the sale under section 47.

49. If the revenue officer proceeding against the land finds on enquiry that no permanent heritable and transferable right of use and occupancy exists therein, he may, by proclamation published on the land, in such manner as the Chief Commissioner by rule directs, declare that he has taken possession of such land on behalf of the Government and may summarily eject any person found in occupation thereof.

Proceedings against the land where no permanent heritable and transferable right exists.

50. When a proclamation is published under section forty-nine in respect of any land over which any rights of any description exist, such land shall be deemed to have been from the date of such proclamation vested in the Government free from all such rights as have not been expressly reserved by the terms of such proclamation.

Effect of proclamation published under section 49.

51. All costs of any proceeding for the recovery of an arrear may be recovered as if they formed part of such arrear.

Costs of proceedings for recovery of arrears.

52. If a revenue officer has reason to believe that a revenue officer subordinate to him who has collected any sum due under this Act is about to abscond without accounting for such sum, he may issue a warrant for the apprehension of such subordinate officer and proceed against him or cause proceedings to be instituted against him as if he were a defaulter in the amount so collected.

Proceedings against defaulting revenue officers.

53. Any person who has become liable for any amount as security for a defaulter or revenue officer may be proceeded against as if he himself were a defaulter in such amount.

Proceedings against sureties of defaulters and revenue officers.

PART V.—MISCELLANEOUS.

54. A revenue officer may, by a notice in writing, require any person liable for the revenue of any land or entitled to hold such land free of revenue to erect boundary-marks sufficient for defining the limits of such land, or to repair any such boundary-marks already existing, and if such person fails to comply with his requisition within a period to be specified in the notice, may cause the work to be done, and recover the cost thereof as if it were an arrear of revenue due in respect of the land.

Erection and repair of boundary-marks.

55. Appeals shall lie from orders and decisions given under any provision of this Act in such cases to such officers and subject to such conditions as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time by rule determine.

Appeals.

Provided that the following matters shall not be made determinable in the last resort by an officer of a grade lower than that of a Commissioner of a division:

(*a*) matters disposed of by revenue officers under section five and sections twelve to seventeen inclusive,

(*b*) claims to occupy or resort to lands under sections nineteen, twenty and twenty-one, and disputes as to the use or enjoyment of such lands between persons permitted to occupy or resort to the same,

(*c*) questions as towhether any land or any person is liable to be assessed to any revenue, cess, tax or rate,

(*d*) questions as to the mode or principle of assessment of any revenue, cess, tax or rate, or as to the amount assessed,

(*e*) questions as to the right to a settlement of land-revenue or the nature or term of the settlement to be offered,

(*f*) questions as to the validity or effect of any settlement, or as to whether the conditions of any settlement are still in force,

(*g*) questions as to the liability of any person under sections thirty-seven and thirty-eight,

(*h*) questions as to whether any revenue, cess, tax or rate is in arrear,

(*i*) questions as to the legality of any process issued under section forty-five,

(*j*) questions as to the validity of a sale under section forty-seven, or of a proclamation under section forty-eight:

Provided also that there shall in all cases be reserved to the Chief Commissioner a power to call for the proceedings if he thinks fit to do so and pass such order thereon consistent with the provisions of this Act as he may deem fit.

56. No civil Court shall exercise jurisdiction as to any of the following matters:

Bar to jurisdiction of civil Courts.

(*a*) matters mentioned in the first proviso to section fifty-five;

(*b*) claims to any office connected with the revenue administration or to any emolument appertaining to such office or in respect of any injury caused by exclusion, suspension, or removal therefrom;

(*c*) claims to have allotments made under section twenty or section twenty-one;

(*d*) claims to a remission or refund of any revenue, cess, tax, rate, fee, duty or composition payable or paid under this Act.

57. The Chief Commissioner may, subject to any restrictions imposed by the Governor General in Council, invest any revenue officer by name or by office with any of the following powers in addition to the powers directly conferred on revenue officers by this Act to be exercised by him in any part of British Burma or in any class of cases:

Additional powers which may be conferred on revenue officers.

(*a*) power to enter upon any land and to survey, demarcate or make a map of the same;

(*b*) power to cut and thresh the crop on any land and weigh the grain with a view to estimating the capabilities of the soil;

(*c*) any power exercised by a civil Court in the trial of suits;

(*d*) power to delegate the exercise of any power or the performance of any duty to a subordinate revenue officer;

(*e*) power to review any decision or order given by him which is not open to appeal or from which if open to appeal no appeal has been preferred;

(*f*) power to call for the proceedings of any subordinate officer and review any order or decision given therein which is not open to appeal or from which if open to appeal no appeal has been preferred.

58. In addition to the other matters for which the Chief Commissioner is empowered to make rules by this Act, he may from time to time make rules,

Additional power to make rules.

(*a*) for the assessment and collection of all revenue and of every cess, tax, rate, fee, duty and composition leviable under this Act;

(*b*) to determine the person by whom the time, place and manner at or in which anything to be done under this Act and for which no express provision is made in these respects, shall be done; and generally to regulate the procedure of revenue officers in all cases;

(*c*) to provide for the investigation by the higher revenue officers of charges of misconduct preferred against revenue officers of lower grade;

(*d*) to determine the fees to be charged for the service of process issued under this Act and to regulate the costs in all proceedings before revenue officers, and

(*e*) generally to carry out the provisions of this Act.

59. The Chief Commissioner may, in making any rule under this Act attach to the breach of it, in addition to any other consequences that would ensue from such breach, a punishment, on conviction before a Magistrate, not exceeding one month's imprisonment, or two hundred rupees fine, or both.

Penalty for breach of rules.

60. All rules made by the Chief Commissioner under this Act shall, when sanctioned by the Governor General in Council, be published in the *British Burma Gazette*, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

Publication of rules.

Force of rules.

61. The Chief Commissioner shall at least once in every three years cause all rules still in force to be arranged in some convenient order, according to their subject-matter, consolidated, and, where necessary, amended.

Consolidation and re-publication of rules.

The rules so arranged, consolidated and amended shall, after being sanctioned by the Governor General in Council, be published in the *British Burma Gazette*, and upon such publication all previous rules shall cease to be in force.

SCHEDULE.

Towns in which land-rate in lieu of capitation-tax is levied.—(*See sections* 34 *and* 35.)

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

1. The law relating to interests in land and that relating to the assessment and collection of revenue in British Burma, at this moment exist in the shape of rules which derive their force to a considerable extent from long usage and general acceptance. The object of the present Bill is to state those rules in clear and definite terms, and to place them on a more secure legal basis. The opportunity has been taken to introduce certain amendments of the law, but those amendments are confined to matters of detail, the main object being to supply an accurate and authoritative declaration of the existing law.

2. Whatever theories may prevail as to the ownership of land elsewhere in India, it has been established by recent enquiries, in the course of which the principal local officers, both European and Native, were consulted, that in British Burma the State is acknowledged to be the proprietor, the cultivators of such portions of the soil as have already been brought under the plough having an interest which, though little short of that of a proprietor, is nevertheless regarded as being of a subordinate nature.

3. The persons possessing this peculiar interest in the land are in the Bill termed "landholders," and the second part of the Bill is devoted chiefly to defining the nature of their rights and the mode in which those rights may be acquired and lost. The sections of the Bill relating to these points speak for themselves, and it is enough to observe, here, that the status of a landholder in respect of any land can be acquired by occupying such land continuously for twelve years; that when acquired, it confers all the powers of a proprietor, subject only to the payment of revenue at varying rates assessed from time to time and to the reservation in favour of the Government of minerals and buried treasure; and that it is lost by abandoning possession of the land unless certain simple formalities are observed.

4. It is believed that it is on this last point only that any change worth noticing is proposed. At present it is understood to be the right of a landholder who has abandoned his land to demand possession of it from any one he may find in occupation at any time within twelve years from the date on which he abandoned it. This right it is not proposed to withhold; but inasmuch as it has been found, in its present unconditional form, to offer a formidable obstacle to the cultivation and improvement of land, and to lead to perplexing disputes between persons in occupation of land and old landholders returning after a long absence to claim the same, it has been thought necessary to make it a condition of the landholder's right to get back his land on his return, that he should have, when leaving, made it over to a revenue-officer to be farmed out to others; further, that he should on his return compensate the person in occupation for certain improvements (if any) made by the latter in his absence.

5. From what has been said as to the tenure of land in British Burma, it will be seen that any settlement of the land-revenue in that province must be in the strictest sense ryotwári. The provisions of the Bill regarding settlements are in consequence comparatively simple, and the only point calling for notice is, that while the Government is bound by a settlement for the full period for which it may be concluded, the landholder may withdraw from it whenever he pleases and require his land to be re-assessed.

The unusual concession thus made has been thought necessary in order to encourage the landholders to enter into settlements, which they at present are, and probably for some time will continue to be, reluctant to do.

6. In explanation of the provisions regarding Toungya taxation in section 33, it may be stated that, in certain portions of the Hills of British Burma as in some other parts of India, there prevails a primitive system of tillage known (in Burma) as Toungya cultivation. A patch of forest is selected and cleared; the undergrowth of timber is burned on the land, and a crop is sown in the ashes. When this crop is cut, the land is abandoned and is not again taken up until, in the lapse of years, the jungle has attained a sufficient growth to admit of the operation being repeated. It is clear that no ordinary principles of assessment would apply here, and it has therefore been determined to retain the tax per head or family of cultivators, which has been long established and which is in accordance with the ideas of the Toungya-cutters themselves.

7. The remaining taxes provided for by the Bill are at present collected, are found to answer well, and seem to call for no remark.

8. The law for the recovery of arrears, as laid down in Part IV, is based on existing practice. It resembles that in force in the older provinces, but owing to the simple nature of the land-tenure in Burma, it is much less complicated. It is, moreover, considerably less stringent. Arrears of revenue are almost unknown in British Burma, and severe measures are in consequence not called for.

9. The provisions regarding the jurisdiction of the Civil Courts are in part new. They are based on the similar enactments recently passed for the Panjáb and the North-Western Provinces and have yet to be considered by the local authorities.

10. It will be observed that large powers for making rules on matters of detail are conferred on the Chief Commissioner, but from section 60 it will be seen that the sanction of the Governor General in Council must be obtained to all such rules before they are put in force.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 23rd February 1875, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in two months:—

No. 3 OF 1875.

THE BURMA LAND AND REVENUE BILL, 1875.

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SCHEDULE.—Towns in which land-rate in lieu of capitation-tax is levied.

A Bill to declare the law relating to interests in land and to regulate the assessment and collection of land-revenue, capitation-tax, and other taxes in British Burma.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to declare the law relating to the acquisition by private persons of rights in land in the province of British Burma;

And whereas it is expedient also to consolidate and amend the law relating to the assessment and collection of land-revenue, capitation-tax, and other taxes in the said province; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Burma Land and Revenue Act, 1875:"

Local extent.

It extends to all the territories under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of British Burma except the Hill District of Arakan;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on such date as the Chief Commissioner, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council may, by a notification in the local official *Gazette*, direct.

Repeal.

2. On and from the date on which this Act comes into force, Act XXXV of 1852 (*for the abolition of the Poll-tax within the towns of Akyab and Kyouk Phyoo, in the province of Arracan, and for levying a tax on lands covered by dwelling-houses within those towns*), and all Regulations and rules (if any) relating to the several matters provided for by this Act, and then having the force of law, shall be repealed.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there is something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Possession."

"Land in the possession" of any person includes also—

(*a.*) land in the occupation of his servant, agent, tenant, or mortgagee, or of any other person holding under him;

(*b.*) land on which he or some person holding under him has paid the revenue which fell due during the last preceding year of assessment as fixed under section forty-one.

(*c.*) land left fallow in the ordinary course of husbandry if when last cultivated it was cultivated by him or by some person holding under him:

Provided that no person shall be deemed to be in possession merely on the grounds mentioned in the second or third clause of this definition of any land which is occupied by a person not holding under him, or of any land which he has relinquished by a notice in writing presented to a revenue officer.

"Revenue officer."

"Revenue officer" means any person whom the Chief Commissioner may appoint by name or by office to do—

(*a.*) anything required by this Act to be done by a revenue officer;

(*b.*) anything to be done by a Government officer under this Act or under any rule made under this Act, and for the doing of which no agency is specially provided by this Act.

"Notification."

"Notification" means a notification published in the *British Burma Gazette*.

PART II.—OF RIGHTS OVER LAND.

Lands excluded from the operation of Part II.

4. Nothing contained in this part shall apply to the following:—

Reserved forests.

(*a.*) *Land included in any Government forest reserved under the law for the time being in force:*

Fisheries.

(*b.*) Land included in any fishery demarcated under the Burma Fisheries Act, 1875:

Public roads, &c.

(*c.*) The soil of any public road, canal, drain or embankment:

Towns.

(*d.*) *Land included within the limits of any town:*

Dwelling-places of villages.

(*e.*) *Land appropriated to the dwelling-places of any village:*

Cantonments.

(*f.*) Land included in any cantonment:

Civil stations.

(*g.*) Land included in any civil station:

Endowment-lands.

(*h.*) Land pertaining at the time when this Act comes into force to any monastery, pagoda or other sacred building or to any school.

Power to exclude other land.

The Chief Commissioner may from time to time by notification exclude any other land from the operation of this Part.

Power to define boundaries of excluded lands.

5. When the boundaries of any lands exempt or excluded from the operation of this Part under section four need definition for the purposes of that section and no other mode of defining them is provided by law, the Chief Commissioner shall cause them to be defined by the revenue officer.

If, pending their definition, any question arises as to whether any land is included within them, such question shall be decided by the revenue officer, whose decision, subject to appeal and review as hereinafter provided, shall be final.

Rights which may be acquired over land.

6. No right of any description has been or shall be acquired by any person over any land except the following:—

(*a*) rights created by any grant or lease made by or on behalf of the British Government;

(*b*) rights acquired under sections twenty-seven and twenty-eight of the Indian Limitation Act, 1871;

(*c*) rights created or originating in any of the modes hereinafter in that behalf specified;

(*d.*) rights legally derived from any right mentioned in clauses (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) of this section.

Status of landholder how acquired.

7. Except as provided in section twenty-two, any person having been in possession of any culturable land for twelve years continuously, and having during that period regularly paid the revenue due thereon or held the same under an express exemption from revenue, shall be deemed to have, upon the expiration of that period, acquired the status of a landholder in respect of such land:

Provided that such status shall not be deemed to have been acquired by any possession which terminated more than twelve years prior to the date on which this Act comes into force.

Explanation 1.—When any person succeeds immediately to the possession of another, by transfer or succession, the possession is deemed to be continuous, and the person so succeeding may, in reckoning his length of possession, add the possession of his predecessor to his own.

Explanation 2.—When any revenue has been paid by any person holding under the person in possession, it shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to have been paid by the person in possession.

Landholders' rights defined.

8. A landholder shall have a permanent heritable and transferable right of use and occupancy subject only—

(*a*) to the payment of all such revenue, taxes, cesses and rates as may from time to time be imposed under any law for the time being in force;

(*b*) to the reservation in favour of Government of all mines of metal and coal, of all gold washings and other valuable mineral products, and of all buried treasure, with full liberty to work and search for the same, paying to the landholder only compensation for surface damage as estimated by the revenue officer.

Landholders out of possession when this Act comes into force.

9. Any person who having acquired the status of a landholder in respect of any land before the date of this Act coming into force, and having been out of possession of such land on the said date, does not within two years of the said date or within twelve years from the date on which he was last in possession, whichever first expires, resume possession or institute a suit for recovering possession, shall forfeit his status of landholder in respect of such land.

Landholders relinquishing possession within two years from this Act coming into force.

10. Any landholder who, except as provided in section twelve, voluntarily relinquishes the possession of any land within the two years next following the date on which this Act comes into force, and does not, before the expiry of the said two years, resume possession or institute a suit for recovering possession, shall forfeit his status of landholder in respect of such land.

Landholders relinquishing possession after two years from the Act coming into force.

11. Any landholder who, except as provided in section twelve, voluntarily relinquishes the possession of any land after the expiry of two years from the date on which this Act comes into force, shall at once forfeit his status of landholder in respect of such land.

Right of landholder to make over land temporarily to revenue officer,

12. When after the date on which this Act comes into force any person in possession of land, and claiming the status of a landholder in respect thereof, desires temporarily to relinquish the possession of the same, he may present a petition to the revenue officer, requesting him to take over such land.

The revenue officer on receipt of such petition, if it appears to him on such enquiry as he may think fit to make that the petitioner is entitled to the status of a landholder, shall cause a notice to be published in such manner as the Chief Commissioner may by rule prescribe, declaring that he has taken over the land, and the land shall thereupon be at his disposal to be let on lease or otherwise dealt with, subject to the rights of any third parties over the land and to the right of the petitioner next hereinafter reserved.

and to recover possession within twelve years.

13. The petitioner may, at any time within twelve years from the date on which the land has been taken over by the revenue officer, apply to the revenue officer to reinstate him in possession of the same.

On receiving such application, the revenue officer shall eject any person who may be in occupation under him, and shall put the applicant in possession of the land:

Provided that no person shall be ejected under this section from any land which, before receiving notice from the revenue officer of the applicant's demand for possession, he has in any way prepared for cultivation, until he has gathered his crop:

Provided also that no person shall be so ejected from any land which he has planted, drained, embanked or otherwise permanently improved, until he has been paid by the applicant the value of his improvements at the date of ejectment as estimated by the revenue officer.

Applications to recover possession by persons claiming as succeeding to the rights of the petitioner.

14. If any person applies for possession of land under section thirteen, alleging that he is the successor in interest of the petitioner by whom such land was made over to the revenue officer, it shall be in the discretion of the revenue officer either to proceed on such application under

section thirteen as if it were an application by the said petitioner, or to postpone proceeding until the applicant has obtained a declaration of title in a civil suit.

Declaration and record of original acquisition of landholder's status.

15. Any person being in possession of any land and asserting that he himself, or any other person through whom he claims, acquired the status of a landholder in respect of such land in the manner provided by section seven, may apply to the revenue officer to record, in a register to be provided for this purpose, a declaration of such status having been so acquired. And the revenue officer if it appears to him, after a notice of such application has been published for such period and in such manner as the Chief Commissioner may by rule prescribe, and after such enquiry as he may think fit to make, that such status was so acquired, shall record a declaration to that effect, and furnish the applicant with a certificate of the same having been recorded.

Cancellation of such declarations and records.

16. If within five years from the date on which a declaration has been recorded under section fifteen, the revenue officer is satisfied that it is erroneous, he may cancel it.

Provided that no such declaration shall be so cancelled until a notice of the intention to cancel it has been published for such period and in such manner as the Chief Commissioner may by rule direct.

Fresh declarations.

While any declaration remains on the register uncancelled, no fresh declaration inconsistent therewith shall be recorded.

Questions as to original acquisition or as to the loss of landholder's status how to be dealt with by civil Courts.

17. Whenever a question arises before any civil Court as to whether any person acquired the status of a landholder in respect of any land in the manner provided by section seven, and it appears that a declaration of the fact of such status having been acquired by him has been made under section fifteen and is still uncancelled, the Court, unless it sees reason to doubt the correctness of such declaration, shall decide in accordance therewith.

Whenever any such question arises and the Court sees reason to doubt the correctness of such declaration or it appears that no such declaration has been made,

and whenever any question arises whether the status of a landholder having been acquired has been subsequently lost,

the Court shall refer such question to the revenue officer, and shall give judgment in accordance with his decision thereon:

Provided that where any party desires to prefer an appeal from the decision of the revenue officer to whom the question was referred, to a revenue officer of higher grade empowered to hear such appeal by the rules for the time being in force, the Court shall, subject to any conditions as to the furnishing of security or to such other conditions as it deems fit to impose, defer its judgment so as to admit of such appeal being preferred, and in the event of a decision being given in appeal different from that given by the revenue officer to whom the question was originally referred, shall give judgment in accordance with the decision pronounced in appeal.

Power to make rules for the disposal of available lands.

18. The Chief Commissioner may from time to time make rules for the disposal by way of grant or otherwise of any land over which no person has a right of either of the classes specified in clauses (*a*) and (*c*) of section six.

Such rules may provide among other matters for the following:—

(*a*) the amount or kind of interest to be created in such land,

(*b*) the mode in which grants and other dispositions may be made,

(*c*) the total or partial exemption of the land from revenue for a term of years or for any life or lives,

(*d*) the realization of any money payable in consideration of the grant as if it were an arrear of revenue due on the land by the grantee, his legal representatives, or assigns.

Temporary occupation of available land.

19. The Chief Commissioner may also from time to time make rules to regulate the temporary occupation of such land as last aforesaid, and may empower any revenue officer to eject any person taking possession of such land in contravention of such rules.

Allotment of grazing grounds.

20. The Chief Commissioner shall, from time to time as occasion requires, make rules for the allotment from such land of grazing grounds to the inhabitants of any village in the neighbourhood standing in need of such allotment, and for regulating and controlling the enjoyment of the grazing grounds so allotted by those permitted to resort to the same.

Allotments to Toungya cutters.

21. The Chief Commissioner shall also make rules from time to time as occasion requires—

for the allotment from such land, for the use of tribes or families practising Toungya cultivation of areas suitable for such cultivation of sufficient extent and situated in localities reasonably convenient for the purposes of those to whom they are allotted,

and for regulating and controlling the enjoyment of lands so allotted by those permitted to resort to the same.

Bar to acquisition of rights over lands allotted under sections 20 and 21.

22. No person shall acquire, by length of occupancy or otherwise, any right over lands allotted under section twenty or section twenty-one beyond that which is given by the rules made under the said sections respectively.

PART III.—OF REVENUE AND TAXES.

A.—Of Land-revenue.

Land liable to land-revenue assessment.

23. All culturable land and all land which is culturable when this Act comes into force, but which subsequently becomes unculturable in consequence of the erection of buildings or otherwise by the act of man,

shall be liable to be assessed to land-revenue.

But nothing in this section shall apply to—

(*a*) land which, at the time this Act comes into force, belongs to any monastery, pagoda or other sacred building or to any school;

(*b*) land exempt from assessment under the express terms of any grant made by or on behalf of the British Government;

(*c*) land in respect of which a Toungya tax is imposed under section thirty-three.

Mode and amount of assessment.

24. The assessment shall be either—

(*a*) by annual rates on each acre or part of an acre of cultivation and fallow or on each square foot rendered unculturable in the manner specified in section twenty-three, or

(*b*) by annual rates on trees growing on the land.

The Chief Commissioner shall make rules for fixing such rates and determining under what circumstances each description of rate is to be imposed.

Subject to such rules, the nature and amount of the assessment shall be in the discretion of the revenue officer:

Provided that no assessment shall be made in derogation of the terms of any grant made by or on behalf of the British Government.

Rates may be altered.

25. Except as provided in sections twenty-eight and forty-two, the rates payable in respect of any land may be altered from time to time as the Chief Commissioner may direct.

Right to a settlement.

26. Any person in possession of any culturable land which is liable to be assessed to land-revenue, may apply to the revenue officer to make a settlement with him of such land.

If such person appears to have a permanent heritable and transferable right of use and occupancy in the land, the revenue officer shall offer him a settlement of the nature hereinafter described.

If such person does not appear to have such a right, it shall be in the discretion of the revenue officer to treat with him or not.

Nature of settlement.

27. The settlement offered to the applicant may be either—

(*a*)—a settlement of a single annual sum payable in respect of the whole land, or

(*b*)—a settlement of certain annual acreage rates on cultivation and fallow respectively.

In either case the settlement may provide that, for any additional land situated within certain local limits which the applicant may cultivate, he shall not be required to pay any revenue or any revenue in excess of certain rates.

The Chief Commissioner shall by rule determine the cases in which each description of settlement shall be offered and the general principles on which the amount or rate of the revenue payable thereunder shall be fixed.

Subject to such rules the nature and conditions of the settlement to be offered in each case shall be in the discretion of the revenue officer.

Rights conferred by settlement.

28. When a settlement of any land offered under sections twenty-six and twenty-seven has been accepted, neither the person on whose application such settlement has been made nor any person succeeding him in possession of the land by transfer or succession, nor any person holding under him or under a person so succeeding him shall, during the term of such settlement, be held liable to pay any revenue in respect of such land beyond that fixed by the settlement.

But no person shall be deemed to have acquired any right to or over any land, as against any other person claiming rights to or over the same land merely on the ground that a settlement of such land has been made on his application, or on the application of some person through whom he claims.

Term of settlement.

29. The settlement shall be made for such term as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time by rule direct.

The settlement of any land shall terminate at the close of any year of assessment prescribed under section forty-one if the person in possession of such land and entitled under section twenty-eight to the benefit of such settlement—

(*a*) at any time before the close of such year voluntarily relinquishes possession of such land, or

(*b*) not less than months before the close of such year presents to the revenue officer a notice in writing declaring that he desires to rescind such settlement.

Continuance of expired settlement until new settlement is made.

30. If the term for which any settlement of land has been made elapses before a new settlement is made, any person who was entitled to the benefit of the expired settlement at the time of its expiration and continues in possession of such land, and any person holding under him, shall be entitled to the benefit of, and be bound by, the conditions of the expired settlement until a new settlement of such land is made.

Provided that the said conditions shall cease to be in force at the close of any year of assessment as aforesaid if the person in possession, not less than months before the close of such year, presents to the revenue officer a notice in writing requiring that they should so cease.

B.—Of the five per cent. cess.

A five per cent cess to be levied.

31. On all lands assessed to land-revenue there shall be levied, in addition to the land-revenue assessed thereon, an annual cess of five per cent. on the amount of such revenue.

Nothing in this section applies to lands included in towns to which the British Burma Municipal Act, 1874, has been extended.

How to be applied.

32. The cess so levied in each district shall form a fund to be called the "Five per cent. Cess Fund," and shall be appropriated in that district, in such proportions as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time by notification direct, to all or any for the following local objects, namely,—

the construction and maintenance of district roads;

the promotion of education;

the maintenance of a local postal service;

the maintenance of a village police.

C.—Of the Toungya tax.

Toungya tax.

33. The Chief Commissioner may direct that, in lieu of the revenue assessable on any land under Toungya cultivation, there shall be collected an annual tax either on each male person who has completed his age of eighteen years or on each family of persons, cultivating such land.

The rates of such tax may be fixed from time to time by the Chief Commissioner, but shall not exceed the following, that is to say,—

On each male cultivator, two rupees.

On each family of cultivators, two rupees.

D.—Of the Capitation-tax and the Land rate in lieu thereof.

Capitation-tax.

34. A capitation-tax shall be payable by all males between the ages of eighteen and sixty years at

such rates as the Chief Commissioner may, from time to time by notification, direct:

Provided that such rates shall not exceed the following, that is to say,—

On married men, five rupees a year.

On men who have no wives, two rupees eight annas a year.

Provided also that this tax shall not be payable—

(*a*) by the residents of any of the towns mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed;

(*b*) by the residents of any other town on which the Chief Commissioner may impose a land rate under section thirty-five.

Land rate in lieu of capitation-tax.

35. In the towns mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed, and in such other towns as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time by notification direct, there shall be levied instead of the capitation-tax an annual rate upon land, to be fixed from time to time by the Chief Commissioner by notification, but not to exceed the following, that is to say,—

On land covered with buildings, one pie and a half per square foot.

On land not covered with buildings, three rupees per acre.

The boundaries of the towns in which such rate is leviable, shall be fixed from time to time, for the purposes of this section, by the Chief Commissioner by notification, and may be so fixed as to include any suburbs of such towns.

Explanation.—The rate leviable on any land under this section shall be in addition to any land-revenue payable thereon.

Exemption from capitation-tax and land rate.

36. The Chief Commissioner may, by notification,

(*a*) exempt any person or class of persons, or the residents of any particular locality from the payment of capitation-tax;

(*b*) exempt any lands or any class of lands throughout the province or in any part thereof from land rate in lieu of capitation-tax;

(*c*) revoke any such exemption.

E.—Of personal liability for certain Revenue and Taxes.

Personal liability for land-revenue, 5 per cent. cess, and land rate in lieu of capitation-tax.

37. The amount payable on account of revenue, five per cent. cess, or land rate in lieu of capitation-tax on any land for any year, shall be due jointly and severally from all persons who have been in possession of such land at any time during such year, and all persons who have held under them.

Personal liability for tax on families.

38. When a tax per family of cultivators of any land is imposed, the amount due for any year from each family shall be due jointly and severally from all males of such family who at any time during such year being then above the age of 18 years took any part in the cultivation of such land.

F.—Of the manufacture of Salt, and of licenses to prepare and collect Cutch, Beeswax, &c.

Power to make rules for—licensing salt-manufacture;

39. The Chief Commissioner may from time to time make rules—

(*a*) for granting licenses to manufacture salt;

(*b*) for imposing on all salt manufactured a duty at a rate not exceeding the rate of customs-duty for the time being payable on salt imported by sea;

imposing salt-duty;

(*c*) for compounding with any holder of a license for the payment by him of an annual sum assessed upon the plant employed by him in lieu of the duty which would be payable by him under clause (*b*) on the salt produced with the aid of such plant.

composition with licences.

Penalty for manufacturing salt without a license.

Any person who without a license for the time being in force,—

(*a*) engages in the manufacture of salt;

(*b*) owns works for the manufacture of salt; or

(*c*) stores salt;

shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. , and to a further fine of Rs. for every day after a first conviction under this section in which he continues such manufacture or storage.

Power to make rules regarding collection and preparation of cutch, beeswax, &c.

40. The Chief Commissioner may from time to time make rules—

(*a*) for granting licenses to prepare or collect, or farms of the right of preparing or collecting, cutch, beeswax, honey, lac, cardamoms and other forest-produce or edible birds' nests upon land over which no person has a right of either of the classes specified in clauses (*a*) and (*c*) of section six.

(*b*) for fixing the amount of fees to be charged in respect of such licenses or farms.

G.—Miscellaneous.

Year of assessment.

41. The year of assessment of any revenue cess, rate, tax or fee leviable under this part shall commence on such day of the calendar year as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time by rule prescribe.

When increase of rates takes effect.

42. Notwithstanding anything contained in this part, no enhancement made in any such revenue, rate, tax or fee shall take effect until the commencement of the year of assessment following that in the course of which it is made.

PART IV.—OF ARREARS AND THE MODE OF RECOVERING THEM.

Revenue, &c., when due, where and to whom payable.

43. Every sum payable under this Act on account of any revenue, tax, cess, rate, fee, duty or composition, shall fall due on such date, and shall be payable at such place and to such person, as the Chief Commissioner may by rule direct.

"Arrear" and "defaulter" defined.

44. When any such sum has fallen due, and a written notice of demand for it has been served on any one of the persons liable for it or published in such manner as the Chief Commissioner may by rule prescribe, and ten days have elapsed from the service or publication of such notice without such sum having been paid, such sum shall be deemed to be an arrear of revenue; and every person liable for it shall be deemed to be a defaulter.

Proceedings against defaulters for recovery of arrear.

45. An arrear of revenue may be realized as if it was the amount of a decree passed against the defaulter in favour of any revenue officer whom the Chief Commissioner may appoint by name or office on this behalf.

Proceedings with a view to its realization may be instituted by such officer before any other revenue officer whom the Chief Commissioner may appoint by name or by office on this behalf, and except in so far as the Chief Commissioner may otherwise by rule direct, such other officer may exercise all the powers conferred on and shall conform to all rules of procedure prescribed for a court executing a decree by the Code of Civil Procedure:

Provided that—

except when execution is applied for against a defaulter who has absconded or who is reasonably believed to be about to abscond,

the officer before whom proceedings are instituted under this section shall, before issuing any process of execution against a defaulter, cause a notice to be served on him in the manner prescribed for the service of summons on defendants in civil suits requiring him either to pay the amount of the arrear or to appear on a day fixed in the notice, and show cause why such amount should not be realized from him.

If on the day so fixed, such amount has not been paid and the defaulter does not appear, or appearing, fails to show cause as aforesaid, the said officer may order the process to issue forthwith.

Proceedings against the land.

46. Instead of, or in addition to, the proceedings which may be instituted under section forty-five, a revenue officer empowered thereunto by the Chief Commissioner may, when the arrear is one of land-revenue, five per cent. cess or land rate in lieu of capitation-tax, proceed against the land on which such arrear has accrued as next hereinafter provided.

Where there is a permanent heritable and transferable right in such land.

47. If such officer finds on enquiry that there exists any permanent heritable and transferable right of use and occupancy in the land, he may sell by public auction such right in the whole of the land or in such portion thereof as he may deem sufficient for the realization of the arrear.

The proceeds of such sale shall be applied in the first place in liquidation of the arrear, and in the event of there being any surplus remaining, the revenue officer shall, if he is satisfied as to the right of any person claiming such surplus, pay the amount thereof to such person, and if he is not so satisfied, shall hold the amount in deposit for the person who may ultimately succeed in due course of law in establishing his title thereto.

Title conferred by purchase at the sale under section 47.

48. The purchaser at a sale held under section forty-seven shall be deemed to have acquired the right offered for sale as it existed at its inception free from all encumbrances created over it and from all subordinate interests derived from it, except such as may be expressly reserved by the revenue officer at the time of sale.

Proceedings against the land where no permanent heritable and transferable right exists.

49. If the revenue officer proceeding against the land finds on enquiry that no permanent heritable and transferable right of use and occupancy exists therein, he may, by proclamation published on the land, in such manner as the Chief Commissioner by rule directs, declare that he has taken possession of such land on behalf of the Government and may summarily eject any person found in occupation thereof.

Effect of proclamation published under section 49.

50. When a proclamation is published under section forty-nine in respect of any land over which any rights of any description exist, such land shall be deemed to have been from the date of such proclamation vested in the Government free from all such rights as have not been expressly reserved by the terms of such proclamation.

Costs of proceedings for recovery of arrears.

51. All costs of any proceeding for the recovery of an arrear may be recovered as if they formed part of such arrear.

Proceedings against defaulting revenue officers.

52. If a revenue officer has reason to believe that a revenue officer subordinate to him who has collected any sum due under this Act is about to abscond without accounting for such sum, he may issue a warrant for the apprehension of such subordinate officer and proceed against him or cause proceedings to be instituted against him as if he were a defaulter in the amount so collected.

Proceedings against sureties of defaulters and revenue officers.

53. Any person who has become liable for any amount as security for a defaulter or revenue officer may be proceeded against as if he himself were a defaulter in such amount.

PART V.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Erection and repair of boundary-marks.

54. A revenue officer may, by a notice in writing, require any person liable for the revenue of any land or entitled to hold such land free of revenue to erect boundary-marks sufficient for defining the limits of such land, or to repair any such boundary-marks already existing, and if such person fails to comply with his requisition within a period to be specified in the notice, may cause the work to be done, and recover the cost thereof as if it were an arrear of revenue due in respect of the land.

Appeals.

55. Appeals shall lie from orders and decisions given under any provision of this Act in such cases to such officers and subject to such conditions as the Chief Commissioner may from time to time by rule determine.

Provided that the following matters shall not be made determinable in the last resort by an officer of a grade lower than that of a Commissioner of a division:

(*a*) matters disposed of by revenue officers under section five and sections twelve to seventeen inclusive,

(*b*) claims to occupy or resort to lands under sections nineteen, twenty and twenty-one, and disputes as to the use or enjoyment of such lands between persons permitted to occupy or resort to the same,

(*c*) questions as towhether any land or any person is liable to be assessed to any revenue, cess, tax or rate,

(*d*) questions as to the mode or principle of assessment of any revenue, cess, tax or rate, or as to the amount assessed,

(*e*) questions as to the right to a settlement of land-revenue or the nature or term of the settlement to be offered,

(*f*) questions as to the validity or effect of any settlement, or as to whether the conditions of any settlement are still in force,

(*g*) questions as to the liability of any person under sections thirty-seven and thirty-eight,

(*h*) questions as to whether any revenue, cess, tax or rate is in arrear,

(*i*) questions as to the legality of any process issued under section forty-five,

(*j*) questions as to the validity of a sale under section forty-seven, or of a proclamation under section forty-eight:

Provided also that there shall in all cases be reserved to the Chief Commissioner a power to call for the proceedings if he thinks fit to do so and pass such order thereon consistent with the provisions of this Act as he may deem fit.

Bar to jurisdiction of civil Courts.

56. No civil Court shall exercise jurisdiction as to any of the following matters:

(*a*) matters mentioned in the first proviso to section fifty-five;

(*b*) claims to any office connected with the revenue administration or to any emolument appertaining to such office or in respect of any injury caused by exclusion, suspension, or removal therefrom;

(*c*) claims to have allotments made under section twenty or section twenty-one;

(*d*) claims to a remission or refund of any revenue, cess, tax, rate, fee, duty or composition payable or paid under this Act.

Additional powers which may be conferred on revenue officers.

57. The Chief Commissioner may, subject to any restrictions imposed by the Governor General in Council, invest any revenue officer by name or by office with any of the following powers in addition to the powers directly conferred on revenue officers by this Act to be exercised by him in any part of British Burma or in any class of cases:

(*a*) power to enter upon any land and to survey, demarcate or make a map of the same;

(*b*) power to cut and thresh the crop on any land and weigh the grain with a view to estimating the capabilities of the soil;

(*c*) any power exercised by a civil Court in the trial of suits;

(*d*) power to delegate the exercise of any power or the performance of any duty to a subordinate revenue officer;

(*e*) power to review any decision or order given by him which is not open to appeal or from which if open to appeal no appeal has been preferred;

(*f*) power to call for the proceedings of any subordinate officer and review any order or decision given therein which is not open to appeal or from which if open to appeal no appeal has been preferred.

Additional power to make rules.

58. In addition to the other matters for which the Chief Commissioner is empowered to make rules by this Act, he may from time to time make rules,

(*a*) for the assessment and collection of all revenue and of every cess, tax, rate, fee, duty and composition leviable under this Act;

(*b*) to determine the person by whom the time, place and manner at or in which anything to be done under this Act and for which no express provision is made in these respects, shall be done; and generally to regulate the procedure of revenue officers in all cases;

(*c*) to provide for the investigation by the higher revenue officers of charges of misconduct preferred against revenue officers of lower grade;

(*d*) to determine the fees to be charged for the service of process issued under this Act and to regulate the costs in all proceedings before revenue officers, and

(*e*) generally to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Penalty for breach of rules.

59. The Chief Commissioner may, in making any rule under this Act attach to the breach of it, in addition to any other consequences that would ensue from such breach, a punishment, on conviction before a Magistrate, not exceeding one month's imprisonment, or two hundred rupees fine, or both.

Publication of rules.

60. All rules made by the Chief Commissioner under this Act shall, when sanctioned by the Governor General in Council, be published in the *British Burma Gazette*, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

Force of rules.

Consolidation and re-publication of rules.

61. The Chief Commissioner shall at least once in every three years cause all rules still in force to be arranged in some convenient order, according to their subject-matter, consolidated, and, where necessary, amended.

The rules so arranged, consolidated and amended shall, after being sanctioned by the Governor General in Council, be published in the *British Burma Gazette*, and upon such publication all previous rules shall cease to be in force.

SCHEDULE.

Towns in which land-rate in lieu of capitation-tax is levied.—(*See sections* 34 *and* 85.)

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

1. The law relating to interests in land and that relating to the assessment and collection of revenue in British Burma, at this moment exist in the shape of rules which derive their force to a considerable extent from long usage and general acceptance. The object of the present Bill is to state those rules in clear and definite terms, and to place them on a more secure legal basis. The opportunity has been taken to introduce certain amendments of the law, but those amendments are confined to matters of detail, the main object being to supply an accurate and authoritative declaration of the existing law.

2. Whatever theories may prevail as to the ownership of land elsewhere in India, it has been established by recent enquiries, in the course of which the principal local officers, both European and Native, were consulted, that in British Burma the State is acknowledged to be the proprietor, the cultivators of such portions of the soil as have already been brought under the plough having an interest which, though little short of that of a proprietor, is nevertheless regarded as being of a subordinate nature.

3. The persons possessing this peculiar interest in the land are in the Bill termed "landholders," and the second part of the Bill is devoted chiefly to defining the nature of their rights and the mode in which those rights may be acquired and lost. The sections of the Bill relating to these points speak for themselves, and it is enough to observe, here, that the status of a landholder in respect of any land can be acquired by occupying such land continuously for twelve years; that when acquired, it confers all the powers of a proprietor, subject only to the payment of revenue at varying rates assessed from time to time and to the reservation in favour of the Government of minerals and buried treasure; and that it is lost by abandoning possession of the land unless certain simple formalities are observed.

4. It is believed that it is on this last point only that any change worth noticing is proposed. At present it is understood to be the right of a landholder who has abandoned his land to demand possession of it from any one he may find in occupation at any time within twelve years from the date on which he abandoned it. This right it is not proposed to withhold; but inasmuch as it has been found, in its present unconditional form, to offer a formidable obstacle to the cultivation and improvement of land, and to lead to perplexing disputes between persons in occupation of land and old landholders returning after a long absence to claim the same, it has been thought necessary to make it a condition of the landholder's right to get back his land on his return, that he should have, when leaving, made it over to a revenue-officer to be farmed out to others; further, that he should on his return compensate the person in occupation for certain improvements (if any) made by the latter in his absence.

5. From what has been said as to the tenure of land in British Burma, it will be seen that any settlement of the land-revenue in that province must be in the strictest sense ryotwári. The provisions of the Bill regarding settlements are in consequence comparatively simple, and the only point calling for notice is, that while the Government is bound by a settlement for the full period for which it may be concluded, the landholder may withdraw from it whenever he pleases and require his land to be re-assessed.

The unusual concession thus made has been thought necessary in order to encourage the landholders to enter into settlements, which they at present are, and probably for some time will continue to be, reluctant to do.

6. In explanation of the provisions regarding Toungya taxation in section 33, it may be stated that, in certain portions of the Hills of British Burma as in some other parts of India, there prevails a primitive system of tillage known (in Burma) as Toungya cultivation. A patch of forest is selected and cleared; the undergrowth of timber is burned on the land, and a crop is sown in the ashes. When this crop is cut, the land is abandoned and is not again taken up until, in the lapse of years, the jungle has attained a sufficient growth to admit of the operation being repeated. It is clear that no ordinary principles of assessment would apply here, and it has therefore been determined to retain the tax per head or family of cultivators, which has been long established and which is in accordance with the ideas of the Toungya-cutters themselves.

7. The remaining taxes provided for by the Bill are at present collected, are found to answer well, and seem to call for no remark.

8. The law for the recovery of arrears, as laid down in Part IV, is based on existing practice. It resembles that in force in the older provinces, but owing to the simple nature of the land-tenure in Burma, it is much less complicated. It is, moreover, considerably less stringent. Arrears of revenue are almost unknown in British Burma, and severe measures are in consequence not called for.

9. The provisions regarding the jurisdiction of the Civil Courts are in part new. They are based on the similar enactments recently passed for the Panjáb and the North-Western Provinces and have yet to be considered by the local authorities.

10. It will be observed that large powers for making rules on matters of detail are conferred on the Chief Commissioner, but from section 60 it will be seen that the sanction of the Governor General in Council must be obtained to all such rules before they are put in force.

A. EDEN.

The 19*th February* 1875.

WHITLEY STOKES,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following Report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 16th February 1875 :—

From Chief Commissioner, British Burma, dated 3rd February 1875.
" Messrs. Chauntrell, Knowles and Roberts, No. 782, dated 6th February 1875.

We, the undersigned, the Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill for the further amendment of the Burma Courts Act, 1872, and for other purposes, was referred, have the honour to report that we have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin.

2. In compliance with the desire of the local authorities, we propose to repeal and re-enact the Burma Courts Act, 1872, and the amending Act of 1873, and to introduce the first and third of the amendments which the Bill proposed to make, together with several other amendments, of which the following are the most important:—

(*a*.) We have empowered the Chief Commissioner to transfer to the Judicial Commissioner the criminal jurisdiction of any Commissioner.

(*b*.) We have provided more fully for the removal and suspension of the ministerial officers of the Courts.

(*c*.) We have enabled the Judicial Commissioner to constitute assessors of his Court.

(*d*.) We have enabled the Recorder to try suits in which the cause of action has arisen within the local limits of his jurisdiction.

(*e*.) We have enabled him to exercise all the powers of a High Court in respect of the proceedings of the Magistrates in Rangoon.

(*f*.) We have also defined his jurisdiction as to European British subjects and persons charged jointly with them.

(*g*.) We have conferred on him admiralty jurisdiction within three sea-miles of low-water-mark, with an appeal to the High Court at Fort William.

(*h*.) We have also conferred upon him, within Rangoon, Maulmain and Akyab, so much of the jurisdiction of the High Courts under the Indian Insolvency Act (11 & 12 Vic., c. 21) as our legislative powers enable us to grant. Here the appeal will lie to the Special Court.

(*i*.) We have given the Special Court the powers of a High Court under the Indian Divorce Act.

(*j*.) We have empowered the Governor General in Council to appoint a permanent second Judge of the Small Cause Court in Rangoon.

(*k*.) We have empowered the Chief Commissioner to direct that all the appeals to the Special Court shall be received and filed by such officer as he shall appoint, and that then they shall be presented in that Court.

(*l*.) We have, lastly, extended to British Burma the provisions of the following enactments :—

Bengal Regulation V of 1799, section 7—Intestacies of Natives.
" V of 1817—Hidden treasure.
" III of 1818—State Prisoners.

3. We think that the Bill has been so altered as to require republication, and that its further consideration should for the present be postponed.

CALCUTTA,
The 15*th February* 1875.

A. EDEN.
A. HOBHOUSE.
JOHN INGLIS.
R. A. DALYELL.

THE BURMA COURTS BILL, 1875.

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A Bill to consolidate and amend the Law relating to the Courts in British Burma.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to the Courts in British Burma; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Burma Courts Act, 1875:"

Extent.

It extends to all the territories for the time being under the administration of the Chief Commissioner of British Burma;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the passing thereof.

Repeal of Acts.

2. Acts VII of 1872 (*to consolidate and amend the law relating to the Courts in British Burma*) and I of 1873 (*to amend the Burma Courts Act*, 1872) are repealed. But all rules made, directions given and powers conferred under either of the said Acts shall be deemed to have been respectively made, given and conferred hereunder.

And nothing herein contained shall render invalid the trials mentioned in section fourteen of the latter Act.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act—

"Chief Commissioner."

"Chief Commissioner" means the Chief Commissioner of British Burma:

"High Court."

"High Court" means the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal:

"Judicial Commissioner."

"Judicial Commissioner" means the Judicial Commissioner of British Burma.

CHAPTER II.

LAW TO BE ADMINISTERED.

Certain decisions to be according to Native law.

4. Where, in any suit or proceeding, it is necessary for any Court under this Act to decide any question regarding succession, inheritance, marriage or caste, or any religious usage or institution,

the Buddhist law in cases where the parties are Buddhists,

the Muhammadan law in cases where the parties are Muhammadans, and

the Hindú law in cases where the parties are Hindús,

shall form the rule of decision, except in so far as such law has, by legislative enactment, been altered or abolished, or is opposed to any custom having the force of law in British Burma.

In cases not provided for by the former part of this section or by any other law for the time being in force, the Court shall act according to justice, equity and good conscience.

Law to be administered in Court of Recorder of Rangoon.

5. Except as provided in section four all questions arising in suits before the Recorder of Rangoon shall be dealt with and determined according to the law for the time being administered by the High Court in the exercise of its ordinary original civil jurisdiction.

CHAPTER III.

OF THE COURT OF THE JUDICIAL COMMISSIONER AND THE COURTS SUBORDINATE THERETO.

(*a*). *Grades of Courts.*

Grades of Courts.

6. Besides the Courts of Small Causes, the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon and the Special Court hereinafter mentioned, there shall be six grades of Civil Courts in British Burma, (namely):—

(*a*) the Court of the Extra Assistant Commissioner of the third class:

(*b*) the Courts of the Extra Assistant Commissioner of the second class, the Extra Assistant Commissioner of the first class, and the Assistant Commissioner:

(*c*) the Court of the Deputy Commissioner:

(*d*) the Court of the Judge of the Town of Maulmain:

(*e*) the Court of the Commissioner; and

(*f*) the Court of the Judicial Commissioner.

Confirmation of existing Courts and presiding officers.

7. All existing Courts, corresponding to the Courts so mentioned, and the presiding officers and the local limits of the jurisdiction thereof, respectively, shall be deemed to have been respectively established, appointed and fixed under this Act.

(*b*). *Number and local Jurisdiction of Courts.*

Power to vary number of Courts.

8. The Governor General in Council, may from time to time vary the number of Courts of each grade established under this Act.

Chief Commissioner may vary local jurisdiction of Courts of grades (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*), (*e*) and (*f*)

9. The Chief Commissioner may, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, from time to time vary the local limits of the jurisdiction of any Court mentioned in section six, clauses (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*), (*e*) and (*f*).

10. Every such Court shall—

Place for holding Court.

(*a*) be held at such place or places as may from time to time be directed by the Chief Commissioner; or, in the absence of any such direction, at any place within the local limits of the Court's jurisdiction which the presiding officer thinks fit, and

Seal to be used.

(*b*) use a seal of such form and dimensions as are for the time being prescribed by the Chief Commissioner.

Superintendence over Courts.

11. The general superintendence over all the Courts mentioned in section six, clauses (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*) and (*e*) is vested in, and the said Courts shall be subordinate to, the Judicial Commissioner; and, subject to such general superintendence, the Commissioner shall control the Courts of the Deputy Commissioners within his Division: and the Deputy Commissioner shall control the Courts of grades (*a*) and (*b*) within his district.

(*c*). *Civil Jurisdiction.*

Civil jurisdiction of Courts.

12. The Courts mentioned in the first column of the subjoined table shall ordinarily have such civil jurisdiction respectively, for the adjudication of suits as is specified in the second column thereof:—

Name and grade of Court.	Extent of Jurisdiction.
(*a*). The Court of the Extra Assistant Commissioner of the third class.	Powers of a Civil Court where the amount or value of the subject-matter of the suit does not exceed five hundred rupees.
(*b*). The Court of the Extra Assistant Commissioner of the second class, the Court of the Extra Assistant Commissioner of the first class, and the Court of the Assistant Commissioner.	Powers of a Civil Court where the amount or value of the subject-matter of the suit does not exceed three thousand rupees.

Name and grade of Court.	Extent of Jurisdiction.
(c). The Court of the Deputy Commissioner.	Powers of a Civil Court in all suits, whatever be the amount or value of the subject-matter thereof. Powers of a District Judge. Power to hear appeals from decrees and orders in original suits and proceedings of the Courts of grades (a) and (b), where such appeal is allowed by law. Power to direct the business in the Courts of grades (a) and (b) to be distributed among such Courts in such way as he thinks fit.
(d). The Court of the Judge of the Town of Maulmain.	Powers of a District Judge. Powers of a Civil Court, whatever be the amount or value of the subject-matter of the suit. Powers of a Court of Small Causes, where the amount or value of the subject-matter of the suit does not exceed one thousand rupees.
(e). The Court of the Commissioner.	Power to withdraw any suit or appeal instituted in any Court within the local limits of his jurisdiction, except a Court of Small Causes or the Court of the Judge of the Town of Maulmain, and try such suit or appeal himself or refer it for trial to any Subordinate Court of competent jurisdiction as to the amount or value of the subject-matter thereof. Power to hear appeals from decrees and orders in original suits and proceedings of the Court of grade (c), where such appeal is allowed by law.
(f). The Court of the Judicial Commissioner.	Powers of a High Court, in relation to all Courts in British Burma, including Small Cause Courts, except the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon, and the Court of Small Causes of Rangoon. Power to remove and try any suit, appeal or other proceeding instituted in any Subordinate Court except a Court of Small Causes, or to refer it to any Court of competent jurisdiction as to the value or amount of the subject-matter thereof. Power to hear appeals from decrees and orders in original suits and proceedings of the Court of the Commissioner, where such appeal is allowed by law.

Provided that, where a Small Cause Court is established within the local limits of the jurisdiction of any Court of the said grade (a), (b) or (c), such Court shall not take cognizance of any suit cognizable by the Court of Small Causes so established.

(d). *Criminal Jurisdiction.*

Criminal Jurisdiction—(a) of Judicial Commissioner,

13. The Judicial Commissioner shall be deemed to have and to have had the powers of a High Court under the Code of Criminal Procedure in criminal matters in relation to all Courts in British Burma, except that of the Recorder of Rangoon, and except those of Magistrates within the local limits of the ordinary civil jurisdiction of the said Recorder:

(b) of Commissioner,

The Commissioner shall be deemed to have and to have had the powers of a Sessions Judge:

(c) of Judge of Maulmain.

The Judge of the Town of Maulmain shall have the powers of a Sessions Judge.

Power of Chief Commissioner to transfer jurisdiction.

14. The Chief Commissioner may direct that the criminal jurisdiction of any Commissioner shall be transferred to the Judicial Commissioner either wholly or in respect of a particular case or class of cases, and either for a specified time or until further orders. The Chief Commissioner may also at any time direct that any jurisdiction so transferred shall revert to the Commissioner from whom it was transferred.

(e). *Special Jurisdiction.*

Chief Commissioner may give special jurisdiction.

15. The Chief Commissioner may invest any Assistant Commissioner, or Extra Assistant Commissioner of the first or second class, with power to try suits, the subject-matter of which does not exceed in amount or value five thousand rupees.

Chief Commissioner may invest certain Courts with powers of Judge of Court of Small Causes.

16. The Chief Commissioner may invest any presiding officer of the Courts of grades (a) and (b) mentioned in section six with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes, to hear and determine suits of a nature cognizable by a Court of Small Causes, and the subject-matter of which is of such amount or value as the Chief Commissioner thinks fit, not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Any Court so invested shall, in the exercise of the powers so conferred, be governed by the provisions of the law for the time being in force regulating the procedure of Courts of Small Causes outside the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

Power to extend Small Cause jurisdiction to Rs. 1,000.

17. The Chief Commissioner may extend the jurisdiction of any Court of Small Causes to suits of a nature cognizable by such Courts of which the subject-matter does not exceed in amount or value one thousand rupees.

Exercise by one Court within limits of another of same class, of powers of latter.

18. The Chief Commissioner may empower the presiding officer of any Court mentioned in section six, clauses (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e), to exercise the powers which might be exercised by the presiding officer of any other Court of the same grade, within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the latter Court.

Power to confer powers of Deputy Commissioner's Court.

19. The Chief Commissioner may confer upon the officer in chief executive charge of any District the powers which might be exercised within such District by the Court of a Deputy Commissioner.

(f). *Procedure.*

Procedure when subject-matter of suit is situate within jurisdiction of different Courts.

20. Where a suit is brought for immoveable property situate within the local limits of the jurisdictions of different Courts included in the same Division, application for authority to proceed with the same shall be made to the Commissioner of the Division:

If the said Courts belong to different Divisions, the application shall be made to the Judicial Commissioner through the Commissioner of the Division in which the Court wherein the suit was instituted is included:

If either of the said Courts is the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon, the application shall be made to the Chief Commissioner.

Presiding officer of Court not to try suit or appeal in which he is interested;

21. No presiding officer of any Court mentioned in section six, clause (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) or (f) shall, unless with the consent of the parties or by the direction of the Chief Commissioner, try any suit or appeal in which he is a party or personally interested, or any appeal against a decree or order passed by himself; or shall adjudicate upon any proceeding connected with, or arising out of, such suit or appeal:

but in case of Courts subordinate to Judicial Commissioner, to transfer to superior Court;

When any such suit, appeal or proceeding comes before the presiding officer of any Court subordinate to the Judicial Commissioner, he shall forthwith, unless the parties apply that he proceed with the case himself, transmit the record to the Court to which he is immediately subordinate, with a report of the circumstances of such transmission:

Procedure thereon.

Such Court shall thereupon try the case itself, or transfer it for trial to any subordinate Court of competent jurisdiction as to the amount or value of the subject-matter.

Appeal to Judicial Commissioner from order passed by him in other capacity or in which he is interested.

In the event of an appeal being preferred to the Judicial Commissioner from a judgment or order passed by him in any other capacity, or in which he has any personal interest, he shall, unless the parties apply that he proceed with the case himself, report the fact to the Chief Commissioner, who shall either direct the Judicial Commissioner to try the case himself or transfer it to the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon.

Power to distribute business.

22. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Code of Civil Procedure, section six, every Deputy Commissioner may direct suits to be instituted in the Courts subordinate to him, according to such rules as to the description of the suits and the amount or value of their subject-matter as he from time to time, with the sanction of the Judicial Commissioner, prescribes in this behalf,

and may also, with the like sanction, direct the business of the said Courts to be distributed among them in such way as he thinks fit:

provided that no Court shall try any suit where the amount or value of the subject-matter exceeds its proper jurisdiction.

Language of plaints and record of evidence.

Notwithstanding any thing contained in the same Code, sections twenty-six and one hundred and seventy-two, plaints may be written and evidence may be taken down in such language or languages as the Chief Commissioner from time to time directs in this behalf.

(g.) *Civil Appeals.*

Appeals to lie from Courts of original jurisdiction.

23. Subject to any express provision to the contrary contained in any Act for the time being in force, an appeal shall lie from the decrees and orders of the Courts of original civil jurisdiction in British Burma to the Courts empowered by this Act to hear appeals from such decrees and orders.

All such appeals presented between the fifth day of April 1872 and the passing of this Act, shall be deemed to have been presented under this section.

Time allowed for presenting appeals to Commissioner.

24. The memorandum of appeal must, when the appeal lies to the Commissioner, be presented within six weeks, the period being reckoned from and exclusive of the day on which the decision or order appealed against was passed, and also exclusive of such time as may be requisite for obtaining a copy of such decision or order.

Transfer of civil appellate jurisdiction to Judicial Commissioner.

25. The Chief Commissioner may direct that the civil appellate jurisdiction of any Commissioner shall be transferred to the Judicial Commissioner, either wholly or in respect of a particular suit or class of suits, and either for a specified time or until further orders.

The Chief Commissioner may also at any time direct that any appellate jurisdiction which has been so transferred to the Judicial Commissioner shall revert to the Commissioner from whom it was so transferred.

Application of Acts VII of 1870 and IX of 1871 to certain petitions to Judicial Commissioner.

26. When the civil appellate jurisdiction of any Commissioner has, under section twenty-five, been transferred to the Judicial Commissioner,

(a.) all petitions and other documents presented to the Judicial Commissioner in the exercise of the jurisdiction so transferred shall, for the purposes of the Court Fees Act, 1870, be deemed to have been presented to the Commissioner: and

(b.) all appeals and applications presented of the Judicial Commissioner in the exercise to the jurisdiction so transferred shall, for the purposes of the Indian Limitation Act, 1871, be deemed to have been presented to him in the exercise of his ordinary jurisdiction.

Confirmation of decision of Lower Court without summoning respondent.

27. The Appellate Court may confirm the decision of the Lower Court without summoning the respondent, if upon perusal of the judgment of the Lower Court and of the petition of appeal in the presence of the appellant or his pleader, there appear to the Appellate Court to be no reason to alter the decision appealed from.

Reference to Judicial Commissioner.

28. When in the trial of any civil appeal the Appellate Court entertains a doubt in regard to a question of law or usage having the force of law, or as to the construction of a document, or as to the admissibility of any evidence affecting the merits of the case, such Court may draw up a statement of the point as to which it is in doubt, and refer it, with the Court's own opinion thereon for the decision of the Judicial Commissioner.

Procedure on such reference.

29. The Judicial Commissioner shall, after considering the point so referred, send a ruling thereon to the Court by which the reference was made; and such Court shall, on the receipt of

such ruling, proceed to dispose of the case in conformity therewith.

Costs of reference.

The costs, if any, consequent on any such reference to the Judicial Commissioner, shall be costs in the appeal out of which the reference arose.

When Judicial Commissioner may receive second appeal.

30. If in any suit the decision of the Deputy Commissioner or of the Commissioner, passed in appeal, reverse or modify the decision of the Court of original jurisdiction, the Judicial Commissioner may receive a second appeal, if, on a perusal of the grounds of appeal and of copies of the judgments of the Subordinate Courts, a further consideration of the case appears to him to be requisite for the ends of justice.

When decision of first Appellate Court to be final.

31. If the Court of first appeal confirms the decision of the Court of original jurisdiction on a matter of fact, such decision shall be final.

Reference to Judicial Commissioner when decision of Lower Court confirmed on certain points.

32. If the Court of first appeal confirms the decision of the Court of original jurisdiction on a question of law or custom having the force of law, or the construction of any document, or the admissibility of any evidence affecting the merits of the case, the party aggrieved by such decision may apply to such Court to draw up a statement of the point as to which he considers such Court to have made an incorrect ruling and to submit it to the Judicial Commissioner, or to be allowed to appeal on the same point to the Judicial Commissioner.

Such application or appeal shall not be admitted, unless it is made within the period prescribed by law for petitions of appeal. And if the statement is drawn up or the appeal is allowed, the applicant shall be chargeable with the fee prescribed by law for petitions of appeal.

In the case of an application to draw up a statement, if the Court consider that there is a question of law or custom having the force of law, or as to the construction of a document or admissibility of evidence affecting the merits of the case, it shall make a statement of the same and of such facts only of the case as are necessary to explain it, and shall submit such statement, together with the record of the case, to the Judicial Commissioner.

If the Court refuses to make such statement, it shall record in writing its reasons for so refusing, and a certified copy of such reasons shall, on application to the Court, be furnished to any party to the suit.

The costs of a statement drawn up under this section shall be costs in the case. The costs of an application under this section to be allowed to appeal shall, if the appeal be allowed, be disposed of by the Court of appeal.

Procedure of Judicial Commissioner thereupon.

33. The Judicial Commissioner shall, with as little delay as possible, proceed to try the case referred, as if it were an appeal instituted in his Court, except that it shall not be necessary for the parties to be present:

The Judicial Commissioner shall send a copy of his judgment to the Court by which the case was submitted, and the said Court shall dispose of the case in conformity with such judgment.

Reference by Judicial Commissioner to High Court.

34. When the Judicial Commissioner entertains any doubt as to the decision to be passed on any appeal made or case referred under this Act, he may make a reference to the High Court and shall send the record of the said appeal or case and all the proceedings connected therewith to the said Court.

Procedure thereupon.

The procedure prescribed by section thirty-three shall *mutatis mutandis* be followed by the High Court in the disposal of references made under this section.

Provision as to costs.

35. The costs, if any, consequent on such reference shall be disposed of by the Judicial Commissioner

Assessors for trial of civil appeals.

36. For the trial of any civil appeal under this Act, the Judicial Commissioner may constitute two or more persons assessors of his Court. Such persons shall attend during the trial and shall deliver their opinions in writing to be recorded on the proceedings. But the decision of the case shall rest with the Judicial Commissioner.

No officer of the Judicial Commissioner's Court shall be appointed an assessor under this section.

Power to call for record.

37. In any case in which a Court of first appeal has, in the opinion of the Judicial Commissioner, wrongly refused to submit a statement or allow an appeal under section thirty-two,

the Judicial Commissioner may call for the record of the case,

and may, on receipt of such record, proceed to try the case as if it were an appeal instituted in his own Court.

And in any case in which a Court of first appeal has submitted such a statement, but, in the opinion of the Judicial Commissioner, the statement is unduly limited, or justice cannot be done without re-hearing the case,

the Judicial Commissioner may proceed to try the case as if it were an appeal instituted in his own Court.

The Judicial Commissioner shall send to the Court of first appeal a copy of his judgment in any case tried under this section, and the said Court shall dispose of the case in conformity with such judgment.

(*h*). *Appointment and removal of Officers.*

Appointment of officers.

38. The presiding officers of all the Courts except that of the Extra Assistant Commissioner of the third class shall be appointed by the Governor General in Council.

The Extra Assistant Commissioner of the third class shall be appointed and may be removed by the Chief Commissioner.

Suspension and removal of presiding officers.

39. The presiding officer of any Court under this Act may, for any misconduct, be suspended or removed by the Governor General in Council.

The presiding officer of any Court except the Courts of the Judicial Commissioner and the Recorder of Rangoon may, for any misconduct, be suspended by the Chief Commissioner, but shall not be removed without the sanction of the Governor General in Council.

Appointment of ministerial officers of Courts (*a*) and (*b*) mentioned in section 6.

40. The ministerial officers of the Courts of grades (*a*) and (*b*) mentioned in section six shall be appointed by the Deputy Commissioner within whose local jurisdiction such Courts are situate.

The ministerial officers of all other Courts shall be appointed by the presiding officers thereof;

provided that the appointment of every ministerial officer of a Court subordinate to the Judicial Commissioner, whose monthly salary exceeds fifty rupees, shall be subject to the sanction of the Judicial Commissioner.

Power to fine, suspend or remove such officers.

41. Every Court of the grades (*a*) and (*b*) mentioned in section six may fine in an amount not exceeding one month's salary any of its ministerial officers who is guilty of misconduct or neglect in the performance of the duties of his office.

The Deputy Commissioner, subject to the general control of the Commissioner, may on appeal or otherwise reverse or modify any such order; and may of his own motion remove, suspend from office, or fine up to the amount of one month's salary, any ministerial officer of a Court subordinate to him.

The presiding officer of any of the Courts of grades (*c*), (*d*), (*e*) and (*f*) mentioned in section six and of any Court of Small Causes, may remove or suspend the ministerial officers of his Court, or fine them in an amount not exceeding one month's salary; but in the case of Courts subordinate to the Judicial Commissioner, every such removal, suspension or fine shall be subject to review by him.

Recovery of fines.

42. Any fine imposed under this chapter shall, if the order imposing it so directs, be recovered from the offender's salary.

Chief Commissioner's control over appointments, &c., of ministerial officers.

43. The Chief Commissioner shall have a power of general control over all appointments and removals of ministerial officers under this Act.

(*i*). *Holidays.*

List of holidays.

44. Subject to the orders of the Chief Commissioner, the Judicial Commissioner shall prepare a list of days to be observed in each year as close holidays in his Court and the Courts subordinate to him.

Such list shall be published in the *British Burma Gazette*, and the days therein mentioned shall be observed accordingly.

CHAPTER IV.

COURT OF THE RECORDER OF RANGOON.

(*a*). *The Recorder.*

The Court of the Recorder of Rangoon.

45. There shall continue to be a Court, to be called the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon.

Appointment of Recorder.

The Recorder shall be appointed by the Governor General in Council, and shall be a Barrister of not less than five years' standing, and shall hold his office during the pleasure of the Governor General in Council.

Place of holding Court.

He shall hold his Court ordinarily in the Town of Rangoon; but the Chief Commissioner may direct him on any particular occasion to hold his Court either at Maulmain or Akyab for the trial of Civil suits or appeals transferred to him, or of criminal cases in which European British subjects are concerned.

Seal to be used.

The Recorder shall use a seal of such form and dimensions as are for the time prescribed in this behalf by the Chief Commissioner.

Provision for discharge of duties of Recorder in case of vacancy in his office.

46. Upon the occurrence of any vacancy in the office of Recorder of Rangoon and during any absence of the Recorder, the Chief Commissioner may direct the Judicial Commissioner or any Commissioner to perform the duties of the Recorder; and the Judicial Commissioner or the Commissioner so directed shall thereupon be authorized to preside in the Court of the Recorder, and to exercise the jurisdiction of the Recorder until some person has been appointed by the Governor General in Council to fill or officiate in the office of the Recorder, and has entered upon the discharge of the duties of such office, or until the Recorder resumes his duties.

(*b*). *Recorder's Civil Jurisdiction.*

Local limits of ordinary civil jurisdiction of Recorder.

47. The present local limits of the jurisdiction of the Recorder of Rangoon shall be the local limits of the ordinary civil jurisdiction of the Recorder appointed under this Act; but the Chief Commissioner may from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, vary such limits.

Civil jurisdiction of Recorder.

48. The Court of the Recorder shall have jurisdiction in the adjudication of suits of every description, except those which are cognizable by a Court of Small Causes, if, in the case of immovable property, the subject-matter of the suit is situate, or if, in all other cases, the cause of action has arisen or the defendant at the time of the commencement of the suit dwells or carries on business or personally works for gain, within the limits mentioned to in section forty-seven.

Where such immovable property is situate partly within the local jurisdiction of the Recorder's Court and partly within the jurisdiction of some other Court, the Chief Commissioner shall determine by which of such Courts the suit shall be tried and the suit shall be tried accordingly.

No appeal from Recorder's Court in certain cases.

49. There shall be no appeal from the decree or order of the Recorder passed in any original suit or proceeding, where the amount or value of the subject-matter does not exceed three thousand rupees.

When appeal lies to High Court.

Where such amount or value exceeds three thousand rupees, and is less than the amount for which an appeal lies to Her Majesty in Council under the law for the time being in force regulating such appeals, an appeal shall lie to the High Court.

Assessors in civil suits.

50. For the trial of civil suits the Recorder may constitute one or more persons assessor or assessors of the Court. Such person or persons shall attend

during the trial of the suit, and shall deliver his or their opinion or opinions in writing, to be recorded on the proceedings. But the decision of the case shall rest with the Recorder. No officer of the Recorder's Court shall be appointed an assessor under this section.

Remuneration to assessor appointed at desire of suitor.

If any such assessor is appointed at the desire of the parties to a suit or any of them, such parties or party shall deposit such sum as the Recorder decides to be reasonable compensation to such assessor for his time and trouble. Such sum shall be recoverable as costs in the case.

Miscellaneous jurisdiction.

51. The Recorder shall, within the local limits of his ordinary civil jurisdiction, exercise the powers of a District Judge; and he shall also exercise the powers of a District Judge under Act No. IV of 1869 *(The Indian Divorce Act)* throughout British Burma.

Recorder's powers in respect of Small Cause Court, Rangoon.

52. The Recorder shall, in respect of the Court of Small Causes in Rangoon, exercise the powers of a High Court.

Grant of new trial.

53. The Recorder may, if he thinks fit, grant a new trial in any suit tried by him, if, in suits relating to land or other immovable property, such new trial be applied for within three months from the date of the decision, and, in all other cases, if it be applied for within thirty days from the date of the decision.

Review of judgment.

Provided that nothing hereinbefore contained shall interfere with the power of the Recorder to allow a review of judgment under the Code of Civil Procedure, if such review be applied for within the period allowed for making such applications.

Security from applicant for either.

Provided also that, the Recorder may, if he thinks fit, before granting a new trial or a review, require the party applying for the same to give sufficient security for the due compliance with the terms of the decree or order which it is sought to set aside or review.

Reference to High Court.

Power to state case for decision of High Court.

54. If in any suit any question of law or usage having the force of law, or the construction of a document affecting the merits of the decision, arises, on which the Recorder entertains any doubt, he may, either of his own motion, or on the application of the parties to the suit or either of them, draw up a statement of the case, and refer such statement, with his own opinion, for the decision of the High Court.

Decree contingent thereon.

55. The Recorder may proceed in the case notwithstanding a reference to the High Court, and may pass a decree contingent upon the opinion of the High Court on the point referred; but no execution shall be issued in any case in which a reference has been made to the High Court, until the receipt of its decision on such reference.

Full bench to deal with cases referred.

56. Cases referred under section fifty-four for the decision of the High Court shall be dealt with by a bench of two or more Judges of that Court.

Procedure on reference.

57. The parties to the case may appear and be heard in the High Court in person, or by an Advocate or Pleader; but they shall not be bound so to appear; and the High Court, when it has heard and considered the case, shall transmit a copy of its decision, under the seal of the Court and the signature of the proper officer of the Court, to the Recorder, who shall, on the receipt thereof, proceed to dispose of the case conformably to the decision of the High Court.

Costs of reference to High Court.

Costs, if any, consequent on the reference of a case for the opinion of the High Court, shall be costs in the suit.

Transfer of suits to Recorder's Court.

Transfer of suits to Recorder's Court.

58. The Chief Commissioner may direct the transfer to the Recorder's Court of any suit or appeal which may have been instituted in any other Court in British Burma.

Trial of such suits.

Every case so transferred shall be tried and determined by the Recorder in the same manner as if he had originally had jurisdiction in such case and it had been instituted in his Court.

Suits in which Recorder is personally interested.

Disposal of suit where Recorder is interested.

59. When any suit or proceeding comes before the Recorder of Rangoon, to or in which he is a party or personally interested, he shall, unless the parties apply that he proceed with the case himself, report the fact to the Chief Commissioner, who shall either direct the Recorder to try the case himself, or transfer it to the Court of the Judicial Commissioner.

Jurisdiction of Judicial Commissioner in cases transferred.

The Judicial Commissioner shall have the same jurisdiction in the adjudication of cases so transferred, as the Recorder has in suits and proceedings cognizable by him under this Act, and the provisions of sections fifty-three to fifty-seven inclusive shall *mutatis mutandis* apply to such cases.

(c). Recorder's Criminal Jurisdiction.

Recorder to exercise powers of Session Court.

60. The Recorder shall exercise the powers of a Court of Session, as defined in the Code of Criminal Procedure, within the local limits of his ordinary civil jurisdiction:

Provided that sentences of death passed by him as a Court of Session, shall be subject to the confirmation of the Special Court.

Power to revise proceedings of Magistrates.

61. The Recorder shall have the powers of a High Court under the Code of Criminal Procedure in respect of the proceedings of Magistrates within the local limits of his ordinary civil jurisdiction.

Jurisdiction as to European British subjects and persons charged jointly with them.

62. The Recorder shall have the powers of a High Court under the Code of Criminal Procedure for the trial of, and otherwise with reference to, European British subjects and persons charged jointly with European British subjects; and all commitments of European British subjects and of persons charged jointly with European British subjects, on charges of offences committed within British Burma, which would according to the law of Criminal Procedure for the time being in force be made to a High Court, shall be made to his Court.

Procedure.

63. The proceedings on trials held by the Recorder for the trial of European British subjects, shall be regulated by the Code of Criminal Procedure:

Liability of Military officers to serve as jurors.

Provided that European officers in the Military Service, Commissioned and Non-Commissioned, resident within ten miles of the place of sitting of the Court, shall be liable to serve as jurors for the trial of European British subjects.

List of officers liable to serve.

The officer commanding the station where the Court of Session is about to be held shall, when required, send in to the Court a list containing the names of all officers so liable to serve.

Officer summoned not excusable except for urgent military duty.

The summons to any such officer to serve as a juror shall be sent through the officer commanding the station; but no officer shall be excused from attendance, unless the officer commanding the station shall certify in writing to the Court that the presence of the officer summoned is required elsewhere on urgent military duty: and in such certificate the commanding officer shall supply the name of some other officer for service upon the jury.

Sentence of death to be referred to High Court.

64. Sentences of death passed in the exercise of the powers conferred by section sixty-two shall not be carried out without the confirmation of the High Court, to which such sentences shall be referred.

(d). Admiralty Jurisdiction.

Admiralty jurisdiction of Recorder.

65. Throughout British Burma, including the territorial waters thereof, the Recorder shall have and exercise all such civil jurisdiction and maritime jurisdiction of a civil nature as may now be exercised by the High Court as a Court of Admiralty or of Vice-admiralty, and also such jurisdiction for the trial and adjudication of prize-causes and other maritime questions as may now be exercised by the said High Court.

The procedure in cases brought before the Recorder in the exercise of such jurisdiction shall be regulated, as far as may be, by the Code of Civil Procedure; and in all such cases to which the rules contained in the said Code are not applicable, the procedure shall be in accordance with the rules for the time applicable to like cases in the High Court.

An appeal shall lie to the High Court from any sentence or decree of the Recorder under this section subject to the laws, rules and orders for the time being in force regarding appeals to the High Court under the Code of Civil Procedure.

(e). Insolvent Jurisdiction.

Insolvent jurisdiction of Recorder.

66. Within the Towns of Rangoon, Maulmain and Akyab, the Recorder shall have and exercise such powers and authorities with respect to insolvent debtors and their creditors as are for the time being exerciseable with respect to such debtors and creditors by the High Court or a Judge thereof.

The procedure in cases brought before the Recorder in the exercise of such jurisdiction shall be, as far as may be practicable, in accordance with the procedure prescribed by the 11th & 12th of Victoria, chapter twenty-one.

The Recorder shall, with the previous sanction of the Chief Commissioner, appoint a person to be official assignee in all insolvencies to be prosecuted in the Court of the Recorder; and the provisions of the said Statute relating to official assignees shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to the assignee so appointed.

Every order made by the Recorder in the exercise of the jurisdiction conferred by this section shall have the same force throughout British India as if it had been made by the High Court or a Judge thereof,

and all the provisions of the said Statute relating to the persons or property of insolvents shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to insolvents applying for relief under this section.

Any person thinking himself aggrieved by any adjudication, order or proceeding of the Court of the Recorder under this section may present, within one month thereafter, a petition to the Special Court; and such Court shall enquire into the matter of the petition and make such order thereon as it thinks just, and such order shall be final and conclusive on all parties, and shall be binding on the Court of the Recorder.

The Recorder may, from time to time, with the previous sanction of the Chief Commissioner, make rules consistent with this Act for facilitating within his jurisdiction the relief intended to be hereby given; and such rules, on being published in the *British Burma Gazette*, shall have the force of law.

No conveyance, letter-of-attorney, or other instrument executed under any order of the Recorder in exercise of the jurisdiction conferred by this section, shall be chargeable with stamp-duty.

(f). Rules and Registers.

Power to make rules of practice.

67. The Recorder may make and issue general rules for regulating the practice and procedure of his Court, and may prescribe forms for every proceeding therein for which he thinks that a form should be provided, and may from time to time alter any such rule or form; and the rules so made, and the forms so framed, shall be published in the *British Burma Gazette*, and after being so published shall be observed and used in the said Court:

Provided that such rules and forms shall be consistent with the Codes of Civil or Criminal Procedure or any other law for the time being in force, and shall, before they are so published, have received the sanction of the Chief Commissioner.

Rules for service and execution of process.

68. The Recorder may, with the previous sanction of the Chief Commissioner, make, and from time to time alter, rules to regulate the service and execution of the processes of his Court within the local limits of his jurisdiction; and may from time to time settle tables of fees to be allowed to the persons employed in such service or execution.

Table of fees.

All such rules and tables shall be published in the *British Burma Gazette* and shall thenceforth have the force of law.

Publication of rules and tables.

Rules heretofore made to regulate the service and execution of process under Act No. XXI of 1863 (*to constitute Recorders' Courts for the Towns of Akyab, Rangoon and Moulmein, in British Burmah; and to establish Courts of Small Causes in the said Towns*), or Act No. III of 1866 (*to confer certain increased powers on the Registrars of the Recorders' Courts in British Burmah and for other purposes*) and now in force shall continue in force until superseded by rules made under this Act.

Rules now in force.

69. The Recorder shall keep such registers and books and accounts, and submit to the Chief Commissioner such statements and returns as may, subject to the approval of the Governor General in Council, be prescribed by the Chief Commissioner. The Recorder shall also comply with such requisitions for information as are made by the Chief Commissioner, and generally, in matters not judicial, shall be subject to the control of the Chief Commissioner.

Registers and returns.

(*g*). *Ministerial officers.*

70. The ministerial officers of the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon shall be appointed by the Recorder, who may also remove or suspend them, or fine them in an amount not exceeding one month's salary; but the suspension or removal of any officer drawing a salary of one hundred rupees or upwards shall be subject to the orders of the Chief Commissioner.

Appointment and removal of ministerial officers.

(*h*). *Holidays.*

71. The Recorder shall, at the commencement of each year, draw up a list of holidays and vacations to be observed in his Court, and shall submit the same for the sanction of the Chief Commissioner.

Such list, when it has received such sanction, shall be published in the *British Burma Gazette*, and the said holidays and vacations shall be observed accordingly.

Holidays and vacations.

CHAPTER V.

THE SPECIAL COURT.

72. The Special Court under this Act shall ordinarily be constituted by the Judicial Commissioner and the Recorder of Rangoon sitting together; but the Chief Commissioner may direct any Commissioner to sit in the Court as an additional Judge. Such Commissioner shall record his opinion in the case, and in case of a difference of opinion, the opinion of the majority shall be the decision of the Court.

Constitution of special Court.

When the Judicial Commissioner and Recorder sit together as a Special Court, the senior officer, according to priority of appointment, shall have the precedence in the Court so formed.

Precedence in Special Court.

The Special Court shall ordinarily be held in the town of Rangoon; but the Chief Commissioner may direct it to be held at any other place in British Burma.

Place of holding Special Court.

The Special Court shall use a seal of such form and dimensions as the Chief Commissioner from time to time directs.

Seal to be used.

74. The Judicial Commissioner and the Recorder of Rangoon may from time to time with the previous sanction of the Chief Commissioner,

Rules and fees for Special Court.

(*a*) frame rules of practice for regulating the times and places of the sittings of the Special Court;

(*b*) make rules to regulate the service and execution of the process of the Special Court;

(*c*) settle a table of fees to be allowed to persons employed in such service or execution.

Such rules and table shall be published in the *British Burma Gazette*, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

The Judicial Commissioner and Recorder may also appoint, suspend or remove the ministerial officers of the Special Court: Provided that the suspension or removal of any officer drawing a salary of one hundred rupees and upwards shall be subject to the orders by the Chief Commissioner.

Ministerial officers.

Provided also that in case the Judicial Commissioner and Recorder differ in opinion as to any matter mentioned in this section, such matter shall be referred to the Chief Commissioner, whose order thereon shall be final.

75. Appeals from orders and decrees passed by the Judge of the town of Maulmain in civil suits and proceedings shall, where an appeal is allowed by law, be heard and determined by the Special Court.

Appeals from Judge of Maulmain.

Such appeals shall be presented in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner.

76. Sentences of death passed by the Judicial Commissioner in the exercise of any jurisdiction transferred to him under this section shall be subject to the confirmation of the Special Court.

Confirmation of sentences of death.

Any person convicted on a trial held by the Judicial Commissioner in the exercise of such jurisdiction may, where an appeal is allowed by law, appeal to the Special Court. Such appeal shall be presented in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner.

77. If in any civil suit or appeal, or in any criminal case or appeal, pending in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner or in the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon, the one Court wishes to obtain the opinion of the other on any question of fact or law, or usage having the force of law, or the construction of a document, or wishes to obtain the assistance of the other for the determination of the case pending before it, such Court shall record a memorandum to that effect; and after the receipt of a copy of such memorandum by the other Court, the Judicial Commissioner and the Recorder of Rangoon shall sit together as soon as may be convenient, and shall form a Special Court for the disposal of the said question or for the determination of the case so pending.

Judicial Commissioner and Recorder may sit as Special Court at the request of either.

78. The Chief Commissioner may direct that any civil suit or appeal, or any criminal case or appeal, pending in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner or of the Recorder of Rangoon, shall be tried before the Special Court.

Chief Commissioner may direct cases to be tried by Special Court.

79. Any decree or sentence passed by a Special Court as above constituted on a memorandum recorded under section seventy-seven or in a case tried under section seventy-eight shall issue as, and be deemed to be, a decree or sentence of the Court from which the case was referred to the Special Court.

Decree of Special Court to be deemed a decree of original Court.

80. Any person convicted on a trial held by the Recorder of Rangoon as a Court of Session may, where an appeal is allowed by law, appeal to the Special Court.

Such appeal shall be presented in the Court of the said Recorder.

Appeals from Recorder of Rangoon in criminal cases.

81. The Special Court shall exercise the powers, exerciseable by a High Court as a Court of reference, in respect of sentences of death passed by the Recorder of Rangoon, in cases tried by him as a Court of Session.

Powers of Court of reference exerciseable by Special Court.

82. In the Indian Divorce Act, section three clause (1), for the words "in British Burma the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal," the following words shall be substituted (namely) "in British Burma, the Special Court under the Burma Courts Act, 1875."

Divorce Jurisdiction of Special Court.

83. Whenever, in cases tried by the Judicial Commissioner and Recorder of Rangoon sitting together as a Special Court without a Commissioner, a difference of opinion arises, the following rules shall be observed:—

Rules as to finding of Special Court in case of difference of opinion.

(*a*). In criminal cases, the point shall be referred to the High Court with a similar statement of opinion.

(*b*). In other cases, if either the Judicial Commissioner or Recorder of Rangoon concur in the ruling of the Court from whose decision the appeal has been made, such ruling shall be upheld. Provided that if the difference of opinion arise as to some point of law, or custom having the force of law, or the admissibility of evidence or construction of a document affecting the merits of the case, and if either the Judicial Commissioner or the Recorder of Rangoon be of opinion that the point should be referred to the High Court, they shall state the point as to which they differ, and forward such statement with their respective opinions thereon to the High Court.

84. Where such reference is made in a civil suit, the Special Court may proceed in the case notwithstanding such reference, and may determine the suit contingently on the opinion of the said High Court on the point referred; but no final execution shall be issued in any civil case in which a reference is made, until the receipt of such opinion.

Decree contingent on opinion of High Court.

85. The High Court shall proceed to determine the point referred as if it were an appeal instituted in such Court, except that it shall not be necessary for the parties to appear either personally or by agent. A copy of the determination of the High Court shall be sent to the Court from which the case was referred to the Special Court, and such Court shall dispose of the case accordingly.

Procedure of High Court on reference.

The costs, if any, consequent on the reference of the case for the opinion of the High Court, shall be costs in the suit or appeal.

Costs of reference.

86. In the interval between the presentation of an appeal, under section seventy-five and the hearing thereof by the Special Court, the appeal and all applications relating thereto shall be dealt with by the Judicial Commissioner as if it were an appeal presented in his own Court.

Appeals to Special Court.

Notwithstanding anything contained in sections seventy-five, seventy-six and eighty, whenever the Special Court has in the judgment of the Chief Commissioner been provided with a sufficient staff of officers, the appeals mentioned in those sections to the Special Court shall be presented therein and dealt with for all purposes thereby.

87. For the purposes of the Court Fees Act, 1870, the Special Court shall be deemed to be a High Court in the exercise of its jurisdiction as a Court of Appeal or as a Court of Reference, as the case may be.

Special Court to be deemed a High Court under Acts VII of 1870 and IX of 1871.

For the purposes of the Indian Limitation Act, 1871, appeals and applications to the Special Court shall be deemed to be, respectively, appeals and applications to a High Court under the Code of Civil Procedure or under the Code of Criminal Procedure, as the case may be.

CHAPTER VI.

OF ADVOCATES.

(*a*). *In the Court of the Recorder.*

88. No person shall be permitted to appear or act as the Advocate of any suitor in the Court of the Recorder, unless such person has been licensed thereto by the Recorder, either generally or specially.

Licensing of Advocates.

The Recorder may make rules for the qualification and admission of proper persons to act as Advocates in his Court, and may from time to time cancel, vary or add to, any such rules:

Rules regarding qualifications and admission.

Provided that nothing in this section contained shall be deemed to prevent any person from appearing or acting as the agent for the Secretary of State for India in Council, or to prevent any suitor from appearing, pleading, or acting on his own behalf or on behalf of a co-suitor:

Saving of agent for Secretary of State, &c.

Provided also that any person, who for the time being is an Advocate, Vakíl, or Attorney-at-law of any of the High Courts of Judicature in India, shall be entitled, without any such license, to act as an Advocate for any suitor in the Court of the Recorder.

Advocates, &c., of High Courts.

The Recorder may, for any sufficient reason, suspend or withdraw any license granted under this section. Any person aggrieved by such suspension or withdrawal may appeal to the High Court.

License may be suspended or withdrawn.

89. The fees to be received by any Advocate, whether generally or specially licensed by the Recorder, or entitled to act in his Court as an Advocate for another person without a license, under section eighty-eight, shall at all times be subject to the control and taxation of the said Recorder, and no fees shall be recoverable by any Advocate except fees allowed on taxation by the Recorder or such officer as he appoints in this behalf.

Fees liable to taxation.

(b). In the Court of the Judicial Commissioner and the Courts subordinate thereto.

90. No person shall be permitted to appear, plead or act as the advocate of any suitor, or of any appellant, complainant or accused person, in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner, or in any Court, whether civil or criminal, subordinate thereto, unless such person is licensed thereto by the Judicial Commissioner, either generally or specially.

Licensing of advocates.

The Judicial Commissioner may from time to time make rules—

Rules for their qualification and admission.

(*a*) for the qualification, admission and enrolment of proper persons to appear, plead or act as aforesaid; and

(*b*) for the suspension or dismissal of any such persons who are guilty of fraudulent or grossly improper conduct.

All such rules shall be published in the *British Burma Gazette.*

Any person appearing, pleading or acting in contravention of any such rule, shall be liable, by order of the Court, to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

91. Notwithstanding anything contained in section ninety or in any rule made thereunder,

Saving of agents of Government, suitors, co-suitors, and advocates of High Courts.

any person may appear, plead or act as the agent for the Crown or for the Secretary of State for India in Council,

and any suitor may appear, plead or act on behalf of himself or a co-suitor;

and any person who for the time being is an advocate, vakíl or attorney-at-law of any High Court may appear, plead or act as the advocate of any suitor in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner or any Court subordinate thereto.

And nothing contained in section ninety or in any rule made thereunder shall be deemed to affect the second clause of section 186 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

92. The fees to be received by any advocate, for business done in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner or in any Court subordinate thereto, shall at all times be subject to the control and taxation of the presiding Judge; and no such fees shall be recoverable unless they have been allowed on taxation by the said Judge, or such officer as he appoints in this behalf.

Fees liable to taxation.

The Judicial Commissioner may from time to time make rules regulating the control and taxation of costs in such subordinate Courts.

(*c*). *In the Special Court.*

All persons for the time being licensed to appear, plead or act in the Court of the Recorder or the Court of the Judicial Commissioner, shall be also entitled to appear, plead or act (as the case may be) in the Special Court.

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CHAPTER VII.

MISCELLANEOUS.

94. Instead of the last paragraph of section 7 of the Prisoners' Testimony Act, 1869, the following shall be read:—

Amendment of section 7, Act XV of 1869.

"For the purposes of this Act, every jail in British Burma shall be deemed to be situate within the local limits of the appellate jurisdiction of the Judicial Commissioner; and the Recorder of Rangoon may issue orders, under this section or sections three or four, and may also issue commissions under Part III of this Act, in any town in British Burma."

95. Notwithstanding anything contained in Act No. XI of 1865, section fifteen, the Government of India shall have, and be deemed to have had, power from time to time to invest any person with the powers of a Judge of the Court of Small Causes, in the town of Rangoon or elsewhere in British Burma, without specifying any time during which he shall exercise such powers. And all persons so invested shall be deemed to have been duly invested under the same section.

Powers of Small Cause Court Judge in Rangoon.

96. The unrepealed parts of the following Regulations of the Bengal Code shall, *mutatis mutandis*, be deemed to extend to British Burma, namely:—

Regulations extended to British Burma.

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" V of 1817—Hidden treasure; and
" III of 1818—State Prisoners.

97. Notwithstanding any repeal effected by the Burma Courts Act, 1872, section five, the following Acts, namely,

Saving of Acts XIX of 1841, XL of 1858, IX of 1861, as regards British Burma,

Act No. XIX of 1841 (*for the protection of movable and immovable property against wrongful possession in case of successions*); and

Act No. XL of 1858 (*for making better provision for the care of the persons and property of minors in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal*),

are hereby declared to be, and from the fifteenth day of January 1863 to have been, in force throughout British Burma:

And Act No. XIV of 1859 (*to provide for the limitation of suits*), as amended by Act No. XIV of 1862, shall be deemed to have been in force throughout the Province of Pegu from the same day down to and including the thirty-first day of March 1873.

and of Act XIV of 1859 as regards Pegu.

98. The Judge of the town of Maulmain shall, for the purposes of the European British Minors Act, 1874, sections 2 and 8, be deemed to be a Deputy Commissioner: provided that appeals from his orders under that Act shall lie to the Special Court.

Application of Act No. XIII of 1874.

99. Save as otherwise provided by this Act, the Code of Civil Procedure shall be, and shall, on and from the fifth day of April 1872, be deemed to have been, in force throughout British Burma.

Civil Procedure Code applied to British Burma.

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PART V.

Bills introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations, or published under Rule 22.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First Publication.]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 15th March 1875, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to make their report thereon in six weeks:—

No. 4 OF 1875.

A Bill to amend the law relating to certain Courts and Offices in the Panjáb.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to certain Courts and Offices in the Panjáb; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Preamble.

1. This Act may be called "The Panjáb Administration Act, 1875:"

Short title.

It extends to all the territories for the time being under the government of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb;

Local extent.

And it shall come into force on the passing thereof.

Commencement.

2. Section twenty of the Panjáb Courts Act, 1865, is repealed in so far as it relates to the powers of a Deputy Commissioner.

Repeal of Act XIX of 1865, s. 20.

3. The Local Government may invest any person with all or any of the powers conferred by the said Act or by any other enactment for the time being in force,

The Local Government may confer powers

(*a*) on a Tahsíldár exercising civil or revenue jurisdiction or in any other capacity; or

of a Tahsíldár,

(*b*) on a Deputy Commissioner exercising civil jurisdiction; or

of a Deputy Commissioner, or

(*c*) on a principal civil Court of original jurisdiction.

of a principal civil Court.

4. Any person invested with powers under section three shall exercise such powers in such District or Districts, or in such portion of a District, as the Local Government may from time to time appoint in this behalf, and in such cases or classes of cases as the Deputy Commissioner of the District may from time to time, subject to any rules prescribed in this behalf by the Local Government, by general or special order direct.

Such powers where and in what cases to be exercised.

5. Any person exercising any of the said powers shall, for the purposes of the law relating to appeals and for all other purposes connected with the exercise of such powers, be deemed to be a Tahsíldár or Deputy Commissioner, as the case may be.

Persons exercising such powers to be deemed to be Tahsíldárs or Deputy Commissioners.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

This Bill is intended to give effect to the scheme which has recently been sanctioned for strengthening the judicial and executive administrations of the Panjáb.

Among the leading points of that scheme are—

1*st.*—a proposal to appoint, in every District where it may be found necessary, a Judicial Assistant who will relieve the Deputy Commissioner of the bulk of his civil judicial business:

2*ndly.*—a proposal to appoint, in each tahsíl, an officer to be called a Munsif who, as a general rule, will take the judicial business of the tahsíl, but whose services will likewise be available for any other duties ordinarily performed by a Tahsíldár, on which it may at times be found convenient to employ him. The powers conferred by section 20 of Act XIX of 1865 and by Act III of 1868 being deemed insufficient to enable the Local Government fully to carry out these proposals, fresh legislation has become necessary.

The 6th March 1875. D. FORSYTH.

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of—of the words "Madras and Bombay presidencies" for the words "Bombay presdy. 55; rule 6, under sec. 18 B of—cancelled 68; orders the following to be added to clause C, rule 1, under sec. 16 (*b*) of suppt. F to—"It is not necessary that the applicant for leave should appear in person before the depy. surg. genl., unless that offr. calls upon him so to appear. The depy. surg. genl. should only call upon an applicant from a distant station to appear for very special reasons" 89; directs that the example under sec. 2, clause (*b*) of suppt. E to the—be cancelled, and that the following be added as rule (*c*) under sec. 5 of said suppt. Note.—The furlough of a chaplain is strictly limited to a period of three years at one time, and cannot be extended even without allowances, but the secy. of state for India reserves to himself the power of allowing a chaplain to remain in Europe beyond three years, should special and exceptional circumstances require a modification of this rule 89; sanctions the insertion of the following note under rule 4, under sec. 27 of—"*this rule applies to mily. offrs. in civil employ*" 98; directs that the words "(the rules in this chapter apply to comd. mily. offrs. in civil employ)" be inserted in chapter VII of—below the heading "exmn. leave of absence;" further directs that the following be inserted as a footnote under rule 4 of sec. 25 of—"applies to a comd. mily. offr. in civil employ" 131; directs that the following sec. be inserted in suppt. F. to the—in the part exmn. leave—Sec. 18A.—The master of a govt. school in Bengal in receipt of a salary not exceeding two hundred rupees a month, while absent from his office with the object of studying to qualify himself as a teacher of surveying, is considered to be absent on duty or on special depn., provided that such period of absence shall not exceed three months 145; directs the addn. of the following para. to rule 3 under sec. 26(A) of—"The proper stamp duty upon bonds executed under this rule is that chargeable upon indemnity bonds according to article 9 of the first schedule of the genl. stamp act XVIII of 1869," 166; sanctions the insertion in—of the following foot-note to the second sentence in rule 4 in chapter VIII of that code—whichever calculation would entitle him to the less joining time 2. H. E. in Council is also pleased to decide, in supersession of existing rules on the subject, that for the purpose of calculating travelling allowance, the distance between two stations shall be held to be the length of the shortest of two or more practicable routes between them, or the cheapest of such routes as may be equally short, and that the shortest route is that by which the traveller can most speedily reach his destination by the ordy. modes of travelling 231; directs that the following be substituted for the note under rule 4 of sec. 27 of the—Note. This rule applies to a mily. offr. in civil employ, but in his case the permission to retn. to duty must be obtained from the local govt. 231; in supersession of former orders directs the addition of the following rule under chapter VIII of— :—9. When with the consent of the heads of both the offices concerned,

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His Excellency will first proceed to Delhi, where he will remain in camp till the 29th.

His Excellency will afterwards visit Puttiala, and will arrive at Simla about the 2nd April 1875.

His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General will hold a Levée in Camp at Delhi on Wednesday, the 17th March 1875, at 5 P. M.

All civil and military officers are invited to attend.

His Excellency will also be glad to receive other gentlemen who should submit their names previously to the Commissioner of Delhi.

All officers and gentlemen attending the Levée are requested to bring with them two cards with their names very legibly written upon them. One card will be given at the door of the tent, the other at the moment of presentation.

Gentlemen entitled to the private Entrée at Government House will assemble in the drawing-room tent.

Officers and gentlemen wearing uniform will appear in full dress.

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EAST.—The western borders of the circle of the Aphyouk in the Henzada District; of the circles of Eing-galoung, Bhawlay, Htan-tabeng, Kyunnoo, Panhlaing, Twantay, Eandabhooya Lawadee, Htanmaneing Motkyun, in the Rangoon District.

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The powers which were vested in, or exercisable, by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal under and by virtue of Sections 2, 5, 11, 14, 21, 25, 37, 41, and 92 of Bengal Act VI of 1868 (to provide for the better regulation of Police in towns and for the conservancy and improvement thereof).

The powers of the Local Government under Sections 6 and 25 of Act VII of 1868 (for the recovery of arrears of Land Revenue and Public Demands recoverable as arrears of Land Revenue).

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II.—A Town Fund—to be assessable on all persons dwelling or personally working for gain, or carrying on business, within the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, any part of whose income is derived from any source other than agriculture.

Provided that no person whose estimated income is less than two hundred rupees a year shall be assessed to the above tax; that no person shall be assessed to the said tax at a rate exceeding one per centum on his estimated income, and that no person shall be assessable to the said tax at a sum exceeding five hundred rupees per annum 54

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269.—*Erratum*—In Notification No. 2 (Statistics), dated 5th January 1875, publishing in the *Gazette of India* (Part I) of the 9th idem a list of names of places in the Punjab and its Dependencies, the names under the fourth head (Rivers) should terminate at the word *Nainsukh*, and the following heading should be inserted before the name *Kashmir* and those following it:—

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FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

PROCLAMATION.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

BE IT KNOWN that *Whereas* an attempt has been made at Baroda to poison Colonel R. Phayre, C. B., the late British Resident at the Court of His Highness the Guikwar, and evidence has been adduced to the effect that His Highness Mulhar Rao Guikwar instigated the said attempt to administer poison to Colonel Phayre;

And Whereas to instigate such attempt would be a high crime against Her Majesty the Queen and a breach of the condition of loyalty to the Crown under which Mulhar Rao Guikwar is recognized as ruler of the Baroda State, and moreover such an attempt would be an act of hostility against the British Government, and it is necessary fully and publicly to enquire into the truth of the charge and to afford His Highness Mulhar Rao Guikwar every opportunity of freeing himself from the grave suspicion which attaches to him;

And Whereas in consequence thereof it is necessary to suspend Mulhar Rao Guikwar from the exercise of power and to make other arrangements for the administration of the Baroda State:

It is hereby notified that from this date the Viceroy and Governor General of India in Council temporarily assumes the administration of the Baroda State, and delegates all the powers necessary for the conduct of the administration to the Agent to the Governor General and Special Commissioner at Baroda. The administration will be conducted as far as possible in accordance with the usages, customs, and laws of the country.

All Sirdars, Inamdars, Zemindars, and inhabitants of the Baroda territories, and all officers and persons whatsoever in the civil and military service of the Baroda State, or liable to be called upon for such service, are hereby required to submit to the authority of, and render obedience to, the said Agent to the Governor General and Special Commissioner during such time as the State may be under the administration of the British Government.

In accordance with the gracious intimation made to the Princes and Chiefs of India,

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that it is the desire of Her Majesty the Queen that their Governments should be perpetuated, and the Representation and Dignity of their Houses should be continued, a Native Administration will be re-established in such manner as may be determined upon after the conclusion of the enquiry and after consideration of the results which such enquiry may elicit.

By Order of the Viceroy and Governor General of India in Council.

C. U. AITCHISON,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
The 13th January 1875.

No. 114 *C. P.*

ORDERED, that the foregoing Proclamation be published in the *Gazette of India*, and that a copy be furnished to all Departments of the Government of India; and to all Local Governments and Administrations, and Agents to the Governor General and Political Officers under the Government of India, for communication to the Princes and Rulers of Native States with whom they respectively have to do.

F. HENVEY,

Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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appoint in that behalf) for offences committed by them within the territories aforesaid;

And whereas the Governor General in Council has, as aforesaid, jurisdiction to investigate and decide within the said territories civil suits between British subjects and between Siamese subjects as plaintiffs and British subjects (holding passports as aforesaid) as defendants;

And whereas it is expedient to delegate the said powers in manner hereinafter appearing: The Governor General in Council, in the exercise of the powers vested in him by Sections 4 and 5 of Act XI of 1872 (*The Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act*, 1872) hereby notifies as follows:

The Officer for the time being in charge of the Salween District may, within the said territories of Chiengmai, Lakon, and Lampoonchi, exercise, for the trial and punishment of the persons aforesaid, the powers of a Deputy Commissioner under Section 36 of Act X of 1872 (*The Code of Criminal Procedure*).

Within the said territories, and subject to the rules regulating civil procedure for the time being in force in British India, so far as they may be applicable, such Officer may investigate and decide all civil suits between the parties aforesaid.

The Commissioner of the Tenasserim Division for the time being may exercise over the proceedings of such Officer, under the powers above delegated to him, the same powers of appeal, superintendence, and revision as he may exercise over the proceedings of the Officer for the time being in charge of the Salween District, and the Judicial Commissioner of British Burmah may exercise similar powers of appeal, superintendence, and revision over the proceedings of the Commissioner of the Tenasserim Division.

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No. 1 OF 1875.

(*Regulation to amend the Ajmere Courts Regulation*, 1872.)

No. 37 *J.*—The following Regulation, having been proposed by the Chief Commissioner of Ajmere to His Excellency the Governor General of India in Council, has been by His Excellency taken into consideration and approved, and is now published as having acquired the force of law under Section 1 of the Statute, 33 Victoria, Cap. 3:—

I.—This regulation may be called "the Ajmere Courts Regulation, 1875."

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II.—"The Ajmere Courts Regulation, 1872," shall be read as if at the end of the third column of the table subjoined to Section 11 of that Regulation, after the words "All powers conferred by any Act on the highest Court of Appeal" the following words were inserted, namely, "Provided that references under Sections 22 and 32 of Act XI of 1865 (An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to Courts of Small Causes beyond the local limits of the ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction of the High Courts of Judicature), shall be made not to the Chief Commissioner, but to the High Court of the North-Western Provinces;" and the provisions applicable to a reference to the High Court contained in Sections 22 to 26 (both inclusive) of the said Act shall apply to references under this Regulation ... 144

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No. 6 *R.*—The following Regulation is published for general information:—

Punjab Frontier Regulation, No. 12.

Whereas it is expedient to permit certain assignees of land revenue in the Trans-Indus Districts of the Punjab to continue to collect the land revenue in kind instead of in cash:

And whereas a draft of the following Regulation, together with the reasons for proposing the same, has been proposed to the Governor General in Council by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab, and has been considered and approved by the Governor General in Council, such Regulation is now published for general information, as having the force of law under Statute 33 of Victoria, Chap. III., Section 1.

1.—This Regulation may be called the Punjab Frontier Jaghire Revenue Collection Regulation, 1874. It extends to the districts of Peshawur, Kohat, Bannu, Dera Ishmael Khan, and Dera Ghazi Khan.

2. The said Lieutenant-Governor may, by order, permit any assignee of land revenue in any part of the above named districts to collect the whole or any specified part of the land revenue assigned to him in kind instead of in cash from the proprietary cultivators in his jaghire estates, provided that such assignee of land revenue has heretofore been permitted to collect in kind the whole or such part as aforesaid of the said revenue.

3. The permission mentioned in the last section may be granted, irrespective of the acquiescence of the said proprietary cultivators. But the share of the produce so to be collected by the jaghirdar shall be specified by the order granting the permission, and shall be the estimated equivalent of the cash assessment fixed on the principles of assessment of the land revenue prescribed for the time being in the districts above named.

4. The said Lieutenant-Governor may at any time, at his discretion, cancel any permission granted under Section 2.

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5. No Court shall take cognizance of any claim to set aside any order for the time being in force permitting an assignee of land revenue to collect revenue in kind, or specifying the share of the crop which he may collect as such assignee 39

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But the Secretary of State in Council reserves to himself full liberty to make any change in the arrangement thus notified that he may consider expedient in the interests of the public service 26

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"I have to acquaint you that the rate of exchange for the adjustment of financial transactions between the Imperial and Indian Governments for the year 1875-76 has been fixed, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, at one shilling and ten pence farthing (1*s.* 10¼*d.*) the rupee, and I have to request that you will give the necessary instructions for the due observance of this rate in respect of all transactions to which it is applicable." ... 145

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R. B. CHAPMAN,
Secretary to the Govt of India. 166

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Obverse.

No.

Last Pay Certificate of
of the proceeding to
to join the appointment of to
officiate as on duty

He has drawn pay as
at the rate of Rs. per month and
acting allowance as at the rate of
Rs. per month, less the deductions
shown below up to the . He
made over charge of the office of
on the noon of the
of

No recoveries (*or* the recoveries noted on the reverse) are to be made from the pay of this Officer.

Deductions.

Rs. A. P.

Acctt. (or Depy. Acctt.) Genl.

Reverse.

Details of recoveries.

Nature of recovery

Amount Rs.

How to be recovered (in one sum or in what instalments) ... 26

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No. 1004.—Cancels Rule 6 under Section 18 B of the Civil Leave Code 68

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"It is not necessary that the applicant for leave should appear in person before the Deputy Surgeon General, unless that officer call upon him so to appear. The Deputy Surgeon General should only call upon an applicant from a distant station to appear for very special reasons." 89

No. 1165.—Directs that the example under Section 2, Clause (*b*) of Supplement E to the Civil Leave Code be cancelled, and that the following be added as Rule (*c*) under Section 5 of the said Supplement :—

NOTE.—The furlough of a Chaplain is strictly limited to a period of three years at one time, and cannot be extended even without allowances. But the Secretary of State for India reserves to himself the power of allowing a Chaplain to remain in Europe beyond three years, should special and exceptional circumstances require a modification of this rule 89

No. 1348.—Sanctions the insertion of the following note under rule 4 under Section 27 of the Civil Leave Code :—

"*This rule applies to Military Officers in Civil employ.*" 98

No. 1709.—Directs that the words "(The rules in this chapter apply to Commissioned Military Officers in Civil employ)" be inserted in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, below the heading "Examination leave of absence."

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No. 1711.—Sanctions the substitution of the following for Section 25 of the Acting Allowance Code, and the rules under that Section :—

Section 25.—When an Officer is appointed to be in charge of the current duties of an office, and the charge, in the opinion of the local Government, entails a substantial increase of responsibility and some additional work, he is entitled to a charge allowance, to be fixed by the local Government, not exceeding one-tenth of the pay of the office. If the office is open to, and may in practice be held by, a Covenanted Civil Servant or a Commissioned Officer of the Army, the allowance shall not be less than Rs. 100 a month.

Exceptions—(1.)—When a subordinate Judicial Officer is placed in charge of a district Judge's Office, the charge allowance is fixed at Rs. 150 a month.

(2).—An Officer of the Engineer Establishment of the Public Works Department, appointed without being relieved of his own duties, to be in charge of the current duties of an office of higher class than his own, may, subject to the confirmation of the Government of India, be permitted to draw a charge allowance of one-tenth of the pay of higher class.

(3).—An Executive Eugineer in charge of two divisions may, as a special and temporary arrangement, subject to the confirmation of the Government of India in the Public Works Department, receive a charge allowance of Rs. 100 a month.

(4).—A Sub-Assistant Patrol of the Inland Customs Department, when placed in charge of a beat owing to the absence on leave of a Patrol or an Assistant Patrol, is entitled to a charge allowance of Rs. 15 a month.

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Section 13*A*.—The master of a Government school in Bengal in receipt of a salary not exceeding two hundred rupees a month, while absent from his office with the object of studying to qualify himself as a teacher of surveying, is considered to be absent on duty or on special deputation; provided that such period of absence shall not exceed three months 145

No. 33.—Directs the addition of the following paragraph to Rule 3 under Section 26 (*a*) of the Civil Leave Code :—

"The proper stamp duty upon bonds executed under this rule is that chargeable upon indemnity bonds according to article 9 of the First Schedule of the General Stamp Act XVIII of 1869" 166

No. 406.—Sanctions the following addition to section 36 of the Acting Allowance Code :—

Probationary Assistant to the Collector of Salt Revenue in Bombay :

	Rs.
On first appointment	200
On passing first examination ...	250
On passing second examination ...	300

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No. 562.—Sanctions the insertion of the following rules under section 4 of the Acting Allowance Code :—

(2) A substantive appointment may be made under this section for a time only in the place of a Military Officer in Civil employ whose appointment would be forfeited under Military furlough rules but for the operation of Rule II of the rules published with the General Order of the Government of India in the Military Department, No. 171, dated the 25th February 1874.

(3) Full pay is not to be drawn under this section as a matter of course, or unless the Officer claiming it is by proper authority formally appointed to the office substantively *for* a time 208

No. 820.—Sanctions the insertion in the Civil Leave Code of the following foot-note to the second sentence in Rule 4 in Chapter VIII of that Code :—

* Whichever calculation would entitle him to the less joining time.

2. His Excellency in Council is also pleased to decide, in supersession of existing rules on the subject, that for the purpose of calculating travelling allowance, the distance between two stations shall be held to be the length of the shortest of two or more practicable routes between them or the cheapest of such routes as may be equally short, and that the shortest route is that by which the traveller can most speedily reach his destination by the ordinary modes of travelling 231

No. 835.—Directs that the words "of which the pay is progressive" be inserted after "lower class" in the proviso to Section 27 of the Acting Allowance Code 231

No. 845.—Directs that the following be substituted for the note under Rule 4 of Section 27 of the Civil Leave Code :—

Note.—This rule applies to a Military Officer in Civil employ; but in his case, the permission to return to duty must be obtained from the Local Government 231

No. 895.—In supersession of the orders of the Government of India, in the Financial Department, No. 590, dated 26th January 1874, No. 3999, dated 26th June 1874, No. 4000, dated 26th June 1874, and No. 4132, dated 30th June 1874, directs the addition of the following rule under Section 44 of the Civil Pension Code, clause *e* under this section being cancelled :—

When, with the consent of the heads of both the offices concerned, or under the orders of competent authority, a ministerial officer is transferred from service in one office to service in another office, the period occupied in the change of office is not a break in the continuity of service within the meaning of this section.

Also of the following rule under chapter VIII of the Civil Leave Code :—

9. When, with the consent of heads of both the offices concerned, or under the orders of competent authority, a ministerial officer is transferred from service in one office to service in another office, on grounds of public convenience only, and not at his own request, for his own advantage, or in consequence of any fault on his part, the rules in this chapter apply to his case.

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No. 1712.—In supersession of the notification of the Government of India, Financial Department, No. 5495, dated 8th September 1874, directs that the following be inserted as Rule 2 (*a*) in Chapter XI of the Civil Leave Code :—

(2*a*). A Military Officer in civil employ proceeding on furlough cannot obtain a last pay certificate until he procures from Military Department of the Presidency to which he belongs, and submits to the Accountant General of the Province in which he is employed, a memorandum shewing the period for, and terms on, which his leave may be extended or commuted, and if the leave cannot be extended or commuted, stating the fact 338

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No. 503.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 16 of the General Stamp Act XVIII of 1869, remits the whole of the duties leviable on Bonds executed by the sureties of middlemen (lambardárs or khattadárs) taking advances for the cultivation of the poppy within the limits of the Benares and Patna Opium Agencies ... 47

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No. 77.—Directs that the following be inserted as Rule 4 under Section 41 of the Civil Pension Code :—

4. When an Officer is deputed out of India on duty, the whole period of his absence from India counts. When an Officer on leave out of India is detained on duty, the period of such detention counts.

The Governor General in Council also directs that the following be inserted as (*g*) under Section 2 of Supplement A to the Civil Pension Code, and as (7) under (*a*) in Section 7 of the Civil Leave Code, respectively :—

Period of absence from India in the case of an Officer deputed out of India on duty. Also, when an Officer on leave out of India is detained on duty, the period of such detention 27

No. 86.—Directs that the following rule be added as Section 7 A to the Civil Pension Code :—

7 A. Two Officers may not count service for pension simultaneously in respect to one office.

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Example.—An Officer appointed to an office substantively *pro-tempore* in place of an Officer deputed temporarily to fill a non-pensionable office, may not count his service in such appointment for pension. unless the deputed Officer vacates for the time his claim to pension in respect to his own office 27

No. 1874.—Directs that heading 11 of Form E in Appendix A to the Civil Pension Code may be separated as follows:—

By death or non-appearance for six months. } *a* Known to be dead. *b* Others.

and that the following be added to the notes at foot of the form:—

"11 *b*—diminished by the number under heading 6 might be taken roughly as the number of unreported or unknown deaths 145

No. 70.—Directs the substitution, for the peresent clause (*b*) in rule 1, Section 39 of the Civil Pension Code, of the words "Artificers, Assistant Artificers, Mounted Artificers, and Linemen in the Telegraph Department" 166

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No. 404.—Directs that the following be substituted for Rule 2 under section 17 of the Civil Pension Code:—

An officer officiating in an office which is vacant, or of which the permanent incumbent does not draw any part of the pay, may, if he is confirmed without break of continuity, and if the permanent incumbent is not at the time counting service in the office for pension, count service as if he had held the office substantively ... 198

No. 523.—Directs that the following note be inserted under section 4 (*b*) of the Civil Pension Code:—

(NOTE.—An Engineer engaged under covenant in England, before the abolition of the Indian Navy, who elects the rules in this Code and the leave rules in force for uncovenanted servants generally, does not forfeit the rights in other respects secured to him by his covenant) 208

No. 595.—Directs that the following be substituted for the two first sentences of Rule 1 under Section 29 of the Civil Pension Code:—

When part of the pensionable service of an Officer has been paid from the general revenues and part from local funds, his pension or gratuity is paid according to the rule of proportions. The pensionable local fund service may not be neglected, and a pension or grutuity awarded solely for the service paid from general revenues" ... 221

No. 739.—Directs that the following be inserted as Rule 7 (*a*) under Section 35 of the Civil Pension Code:—

The salary of an officer transferred in the manner described in Section 34 for service under a Native State, Municipality or other body, shall be borne by the Native State, Municipality or other body from the date on which he is relieved from his duty under the British Government to the date on which he is relieved from his duty under the Native State, Municipality or other body 231

No. 1550.—Directs that the following be added to Section 64 of the Civil Pension Code:—

A gratuity on the superior scale under this section is calculated upon the emoluments which the officers draw when last in superior service. A gratuity on the inferior scale is calculated upon the pay (whether on the superior or inferior scale) which he drew immediately before retirement from service 325

No. 1624.—Directs that the following be added to the end of Exception 4 under Section 6 of the Civil Pension Code:—

A Native soldier employed in the Public Works Department, if he takes his discharge from the army before the end of the calendar year 1875, may count his whole departmental service 338

No. 1635.—Directs that for Rule 1 (*a*) under Section 4 of Supplement A to the Civil Pension Code, the following be substituted:—

1 (*a*) An Officer of the Bengal Civil Service serving immediately under the Government of India, if he be in India, shall submit his application for permission to resign the service, and to obtain an annuity, to the Government of India in the Department under which he is serving, and the Department receiving the application will forward it, with any remarks that may be necessary, to the Home Department. Any other Officer of the Bengal Civil Service, if he be in India, shall submit his application through the local Government under which he may be serving, and the local Government will forward the application to the Government of India in the Home Department together with a "no-demand" certificate from the Accountant General and with such observations as may be necessary. An Officer of the Madras or the Bombay Civil Service shall submit his application to the Government of Madras or Bombay, as the case may be. If an Officer be in Europe, the application for permission to resign the service, and to receive an annuity, may be submitted to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India 338

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No. 67.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 2 of Act VIII of 1874, and Section 2 of Act XII of 1874, delegates to the Chief Commissioner of Assam the powers which were exercisable by the Government of Bengal under Sections 2, 3 and 11 of Act VIII of 1862, of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council (an Act to improve the system of Zemindary Dawks in the Provinces subject to the Government of Bengal) 166

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No. 258.—Consequent upon certain alterations in the exchange of Mails between India and France and Countries served through France, or by means of the French Mail packets, declares the rates and conditions of postage to be applicable to correspondence for the countries and by the routes mentioned with effect from the 1st May 1875 179

No. 259.—Consequent upon certain alterations in the exchange of Mails between India and Italy and Countries served through Italy, declares the rates and conditions of postage to be applicable to correspondence for the countries and by the routes mentioned with effect from the 1st May 1875 181

No. 1462.—Notice is hereby given that on and after the 1st July 1875, parcels posted in India for transmission to the United Kingdom by the Overland Parcel Post will be chargeable at the rate of 8 annas per lb. (40 tolas), fractions of a lb. being charged as a whole lb. in lieu of the present rate of 3 annas per 10 tolas. Full prepayment will, as heretofore, be compulsory. From the same date revised arrangements for the transmission of parcels from the United Kingdom will come into force, the main feature of the new arrangement being the reduction of the rate of charge between London and the place of destination in India from 1*s*. 4*d*. to 1*s*. per lb.

Notice is also given that on and after the same date (1st July 1875) parcels prepaid at the same rate (8 annas per lb.) will be received for transmission to any place in Germany, or to any place in the following countries served through Germany, *viz*., Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Switzerland, France, the Netherlands and Belgium. In the case of parcels addressed to Germany, the above-mentioned prepayment will carry them to destination without any additional charge, and in the case of those addressed to the other countries mentioned, there will be charged on delivery an additional local rate representing the cost of transit beyond the German frontier. Simultaneously with the commencement of the transmission of parcels from India, parcels will be received for transmission to India by the Post Offices of Germany and the several countries served through Germany as enumerated above.

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No. 188.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is adviced that an instrument of divorce is not a "release" within the meaning of the General Stamp Act XVIII of 1869, directs the publication of the following Notification:—

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 16 of the said Act, cancels so much of the Notification No. 2201, dated 2nd April 1874, as declares that the proper stamp on an instrument of divorce is one rupee ... 40

No. 855.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 35 of the Court Fees Act, 1870, makes the following remission:—

Whenever upon payment of the full fee chargeable uuder the said Act, a certificate of administration has been granted under Act XL of 1858, or Act XX of 1864, and a fresh certificate is for any reason subsequently granted in respect of the same estate, no fees shall be chargeable upon the fresh certificate so granted 62

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1. From and after the 1st of April 1875, the fees chargeable under the above-mentioned Act shall be denoted only by adhesive stamps bearing the words "Court Fees."
2. Should the amount of the fee in any case involve a fraction of an anna, such fraction shall be remitted 121

No. 179.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 16 of the General Stamp Act XVIII of 1869, directs that the stamp duty chargeable upon instruments of gift of immovable property, when the value thereof does not exceed fifteen hundred rupees, shall be the stamp duty which would be chargeable under Schedule I of the said Act on a conveyance, the consideration money set forth in which is the same as the value of the immovable property given ... 182

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No. 1039.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 16 of the General Stamp Act XVIII of 1869, remits within the limits of the Secunderabad Cantonment, the whole of the duties chargeable under the above-mentioned act on the instruments mentioned below:—

Bill of Exchange payable otherwise than on demand.

Promissory Note payable otherwise than on demand.

Bill of Exchange, Promissory Note, Cheque or order for the payment on demand of an amount exceeding twenty Rupees.

Receipt or discharge given for or upon the payment of money, or delivery of goods in satisfaction of a debt, the amount or value of which money or goods exceeds twenty rupees 293

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No. 1243.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 16 of the General Stamp Act 18 of 1869, remits the Stamp duty chargeable under the above-mentioned Act on Title-deeds (Sunnuds) granted by the Government to Bhoomias in Ajmere 299

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

No. 1.—The following notice received from the Colonial Secretary at Colombo, is published for general information and guidance :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Notice is hereby given of the existence of a coral reef and rock on the west coast of Ceylon, which are not marked on the Admiralty Chart. Particulars as follows:—

Reef.—About ¾ of a mile long running parallel with the shore, and ¼ mile broad, with soundings on it of 3½, 4, 4½, and 5½ fathoms, 8½ fathoms close inshore of it, and 9 fathoms close outside of it. The 3½ fathoms patch, which is on its southern end, bears from Kalutara Fort W. ¼ S. distant 2¼ miles.

Rock—lies 2¼ miles from Barberyn Island, with 3½ fathoms water on it, and 13 fathoms close to it. From it Barberyn Island bears E 22° S, and Beach hill E 34° N. 32

No. 7.—The following notice to Mariners received from the Government of Bombay is published for general information :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

DIRECTION FOR THE KURRACHEE HARBOUR LIGHT-HOUSE.

Latitude of light-house on Manora Point ...	24°	47′	21″	N.
Longitude ...	66°	58′	15″	E.

The light is a fixed one, 120 feet above the sea-level, visible in clear weather ... 16 miles.

In hazy weather, prevalent during the south-west monsoon, about... 7 miles.

Present light very inferior. A dioptric light of the 2nd order recommended.

TIDES.

	H.	M.
High Water, full and change ...	10	30
	Ft.	In.
Average rise and fall, Spring tides	9	6
Ditto ditto Neap tides ...	3 to 4 feet.	

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Depth of water in Entrance Channel at High Water—

Spring tides ... ... 29 feet.
Neap tides ... ... 24 to 26 feet.

DRAUGHT OF VESSELS ENTERING OR LEAVING PORT.

Vessels with a draught not exceeding 21½ feet can now enter and leave the Port without difficulty or delay during all seasons of the year.

During the fair season, from October to 15th May, vessels with a draught not exceeding 24 feet can now enter and leave the harbour.

Fixed moorings are placed for such vessels.

TIME OF TIDE FOR ENTERING PORT.

Sailing vessels should enter Port on the ebb tide.

Steamers can enter either flood or ebb, and stand at once into Port.

Masters of Ships should not, under any circumstances, attempt to enter the harbour without a Pilot.

HARBOUR IMPROVEMENTS.

Among the extensive works executed, a break-water* has been built, running out from Manora Point in a south-by-east direction to a distance of 1,500 feet into 6 fathoms of water; this affords complete shelter to the Entrance Channel during the south-west monsoon; also a channel has been opened through the bar with a depth of 20 feet at low water spring-tides 500 feet in breadth; the channel is marked by buoys, and these on entering should be kept on the port side about 150 feet.

* A red-light is exhibited at the outer extremity of the break-water.

Note.—A Mail Steamer arriving off the port at night and requiring a Pilot should fire two guns.

APPROACHING THE PORT.

COAST OF SIND.

Indus Banks.

The Coast of Sind below the parallel of 24° north latitude should be approached with great caution; too much attention cannot be paid to the lead, more especially in passing the banks of the Indus.†

† Banks of the Indus have extended about 10 miles to the southward since 1856.

No sailing vessel should come nearer this coast than 20 fathoms by night, or in rough weather, or under 12 fathoms by day in fine weather.

The tides during the springs are strong, the flood sets south-east and ebbs to the north-west.

From February to the end of the monsoon a strong south-easterly current is experienced, running at a rate of from 15 to 40 miles a day.

During the south-west monsoon, sailing vessels should make Ras Muari (Cape Monze), which is 18 miles west-half-north from Manora Light-house, and keep to windward

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of the port, if the weather is thick, or if the tide does not suit for entering the harbour. Allowance must also be made for a strong set to the south-east, which prevails more or less during the south-west monsoon.

Do not bring Manora Point to the southward-of-east, or go under 15 fathoms near Cape Monze.

Masters of ships should endeavour to make the port at daylight, and can with safety approach into 8 fathoms to about 2 miles distance from the light-house, keeping it, in any bearing, from north-east to north, and heave to for a Pilot.

ANCHORAGE IN THE ROADS.

From June to the middle of September, ships should not on any account anchor, but stand off and on, keeping the light-house bearing from north-by-east to north-east, 1 to 2 miles distant, until boarded by a Pilot or directed by signal.

September to end of March.

Anchorage light-house north-by-east to north-north-east, distant 1 mile, 7 fathoms.

April and May.

Light-house north-north-east to north-east, distant half a mile, 8 fathoms.

GEORGE C. PARKER, *Lieut., I. N.,*
Actg. Master Attendant, Kurrachee.

MASTER ATTENDANT'S OFFICE, MANORA,
The 21st February 1875. ... 194

No. 8.—The following notice, received from the Acting Colonial Secretary at Hong-kong, is published for general information :—

NOTICE.

HONGKONG.

Cape d'Aguilar Light.

Notice is hereby given that a light will be exhibited on *Cape d' Agailar* on and after the 16th of April next.

The illuminating apparatus *is fixed Dioptric of the First Order*, showing a *white light* on the following bearings, which are *magnetic* and taken from *seaward*:—

1. From S. 45° ½ W. to N. 53° ½ W. Between these bearings the light is obscured by the islets of the *Nine Pine*, and the islet just *south of Waglan.*

The light is then obscured by *Soonkong Island.*

2. From N. 21° ½ W. to N. 42° W.

The light is then obscured by the *Lema Islands* and the *Islands to the southward of them.*

3. From N. 33° E. to N. 69° E. Between these bearings the light is obscured to vessels to the *south-westward of Ling Ting Island* and the *Islands of the Samoun Group.*

4. The *Tathong Channel*, with the exception of a small portion obscured by *Shicko Head.*

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The focal plane of the light is 200 feet above mean sea level, and in clear weather it should be seen at a distance of 23 nautical miles.

The tower is round, of stone, 30 feet high, with a total height from its base to the lantern vane of 57 feet.

The dwellings and boundary walls are painted white.

The Lighthouse is in latitude 22° 12′ 14″ N. longitude 114° 15′ 44″ E.

HARBOUR DEPT., HONGKONG;
The 19th March 1875.
H.G. THOMSETT, R.N., *Harbour Master, &c.* ... 225

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

No. 1230.—Notifies that Officers proceeding on leave to Europe, the Colonies, or elsewhere, beyond the limits of their own Presidencies, whether under the Furlough Rules of 1796, 1854 or 1868, are permitted to draw their furlough pay through their Agents in India, on the latter furnishing a satisfactory guarantee for the refund of over-payments.

2. The guarantee must be attached to the application of the Officer for permission to draw his pay in India, which must be submitted through the Pay Master to the Controller of Military Accounts, who will grant the authority to the Agent to draw the pay monthly as it becomes due.

3. The guarantee must in every case be stamped to the extent prescribed in the annexed extract, as per margin, from Schedule I of the General Stamp Act XVIII of 1869, or in accordance with the provisions of the Stamp Act which may be in force at the time; the value of the stamps to be determined on the aggregate furlough pay of the Officer to be drawn during the period of his authorized absence.

When such sum does not exceed	Proper Stamp duty.		When such sum does not exceed	Proper Stamp duty.	
Rs.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	Rs.	A.
2,000	10	0	14,000	60	0
2,500	12	8	15,000	62	8
3,000	15	0	16,000	65	0
3,500	17	8	17,000	67	8
4,000	20	0	18,000	70	0
4,500	22	8	19,000	72	8
5,000	25	0	20,000	75	0
5,500	27	8	21,000	77	8
6,000	30	0	22,000	80	0
6,500	32	8	23,000	82	8
7,000	35	0	24,000	85	0
7,500	37	8	25,000	87	8
8,000	40	0	26,000	90	0
8,500	42	8	27,000	92	8
9,000	45	0	28,000	95	0
9,500	47	8	29,000	97	8
10,000	50	0	30,000	100	0
11,000	52	8	40,000	112	8
12,000	55	0	50,000	125	0
13,000	57	8			

4. The following form of guarantee, as prescribed in G. G. O. No. 90, dated 23rd January 1867, will be required from the Agents of Officers proceeding on leave under the Furlough Rules of 1796:—

We _____

Agents of _____

do hereby engage, in the event of our being permitted to draw the pay and allowances of our constituent during his authorized absence from the Presidency, to repay such part of the amount as he may not be entitled to in case of death, as also such sums, with retrospective effect, as our constituent

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may become liable for by his bringing himself upon furlough pay from the date of quitting his own Presidency by any of the following acts:—

1st.—By overstaying the leave to sea for two years on medical certificate, or for six months on private affairs, which he may have obtained under the old Furlough Rules of 1796.

2nd.—By proceeding to England from the leave aforesaid under old Furlough Rules of 1796, without having returned to his own Presidency.

5. On account of leave taken under the Furlough Rules of 1854 or 1868, the form of guarantee from the Agents of Officers will be as follows:—

We_____

Agents of_____

do hereby engage, in the event of our being permitted to draw the furlough pay of our constituent during his authorized absence from the Presidency, to repay to Government through its constituted Officer such part of the amount as he may not be entitled to, owing either to his death, or to vacation of appointment by abolition, resignation or any other way 3

No. 1247.—It is notified for general information and guidance, that the spelling of the names of the following Cantonments and Military stations in the Bengal Presidency and of the Hyderabad Contingent, which has been approved, should be strictly adhered to in future:—

Allahabad Division.

1. Allahabad.
2. Cawnpore.
3. Dinapore.
4. Benares.
5. Segowlie.
6. Chunar.

Lahore Division.

7. Lahore.
8. Meean Meer.
9. Kangra.
10. Ferozepore.
11. Moultan.
12. Amritsar.
13. Govindgarh.
14. Dharmsála.
15. Bhágsu.
16. Dalhousie.
17. Bakloh.
18. Bani Khet.

Meerut Division.

19. Meerut.
20. Fatehgarh.
21. Agra.
22. Muttra.
23. Dehra Dún.
24. Delhi.
25. Landour.
26. Roorkee.
27. Chakráta.

Oudh Division.

28. Lucknow.
29. Sitapur.
30. Fyzabad.
31. Gorakhpur.

Rawul Pindi Division.

32. Rawul Pindi.
33. Attock.
34. Murree.
35. Jhelum.
36. Sialkot.
37. Talagang.
38. Campbellpore.

Sirhind Division.

39. Umballa.
40. Jullundur.
41. Kasauli.
42. Phillour.
43. Ludhiána.
44. Subáthu.
45. Dagshai.
46. Jutogh.
47. Simla.

Eastern Frontier District.

48. Shillong.
49. Dacca.
50. Jalpáiguri.
51. Cachar.
52. Baxa.
53. Gauháti.
54. Dibrugarh.
55. Sadiya.
56. Golághát.
57. Tezpur.
58. Pubamukh.
59. Jaipur.
60. Jowai.
61. Sylhet.
62. Chargola.
63. Alinagar.
64. Monier Khál.
65. Noarband.

Eastern Frontier District—contd.

66. Cherra Poonjee.
67. Nowgong.
68. Manipur.
69. Gohpur.

Gwalior District.

70. Gwalior.
71. Morar.
72. Jhansi.
73. Lalitpur.
74. Sipri.

Peshâwar District.

75. Peshâwar.
76. Michni.
77. Nowshera.
78. Abazai.
79. Mackeson.
80. Shabkadar.
81. Cherat.

Presidency District.

82. Fort William.
83. Alipore.
84. Dum-Dum.
85. Barrackpore.
86. Berhampore.
87. Hazáribágh.
88. Doranda.
89. Bhágalpur.
90. Darjeeling.

Rohilcund District.

91. Bareilly.
92. Moradabad.
93. Almora.
94. Shâhjahánpur.
95. Naini Tal.
96. Pithorágarh.
97. Ránikhet.

Saugor District.

98. Jubbulpore.
99. Saugor.
100. Bánda.
101. Nagode.
102. Nowgong.
103. Pachmarhi.

Punjab Frontier Force.

104. Abbottabad.
105. Dera Gházi Khan.
106. Dera Ismail Khan.
107. Edwardesabad.
108. Kohát.
109. Mardán.
110. Rájanpur.

Hyderabad Contingent.

111. Aurangabad.
112. Bolarum.
113. Elichpur.
114. Hingoli.
115. Jálna.
116. Lingsugúr.
117. Mominabad. 5

No. 1. With reference to G. G. O. No. 656 of the 25th June 1874, and with the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, notifies that:—

I. During the year 1875, ninety (90) officers of the Staff Corps, and Cavalry and Infantry of the Indian Army, will be permitted to retire from the service, receiving, in addition to the pension to which they may be entitled by length of service under existing regulations, not exceeding the full pay pension of a Colonel (£456-5-0 per annum), an annuity representing the estimated value of their prospective claim to the Colonel's allowance, or its capitalized value, as they may prefer.

II. This offer is restricted to substantive Lieutenant Colonels who shall have completed 28 years' service, from the date of first commission, on or before the date from which they apply to retire, who may either, 1st, have been appointed to one of the Staff Corps on or before the 12th September 1866, and can claim the Colonel's allowance under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, or 2ndly, may be entitled, under G. O. G. G. of the 12th September 1862, to the Colonel's allowance after 12 years' service in the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

III. The number allowed to retire under these conditions will be distributed as follows:—

For Bengal	... ...	40
„ Madras	... ...	30
„ Bombay	... ...	20
TOTAL	...	90

In the event of the whole of the retirements allotted to a particular Presidency not be-

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ing taken up in that Presidency, those remaining will be distributed in such manner as may be determined by the Government of India.

IV. Applications to retire will be considered and disposed of successively according to priority of proposed dates of retirement until the number of retirements allotted to the service shall have been accomplished, when retirements under this order will cease for the year. In the event of its becoming necessary to select one from among two or three applicants for retirement on the same day, preference will be given according to seniority from the date of first commission.

V. Officers wishing to retire under the terms of this order must, whether in or out of India, submit their applications to the Office of Adjutant-General of their respective Presidencies, naming prospective dates for their retirements, such date not to be earlier than the 1st April 1875.

VI. Officers whose applications are accepted, will be gazetted out from the dates named by themselves, but will continue to perform their duties and receive the pay and allowances of their positions until officially informed of their removal from the effective list, either by direct communication, or by publication in the Gazette at the station at which they may be serving.

VII. Officers retiring under this arrangement will forego both the good service pension, if they are in receipt thereof, and all claim to bonus compensation under the terms of the despatch of the 8th of August 1866,* No. 160.

* G. G. O. No. 808 of 26th September 1866.

VIII. Applicants to retire must state:—

1st.—Their rank and service.

2nd—Their age (supported by a certificate of birth, or in its absence, by a formal declaration).

3rd—Whether they wish to receive commutation for their prospective allowances in the shape of an annuity, or to capitalize its value. Officers who desire to receive the capitalized value of the annuity must attach to their applications a certificate in the form given in Appendix A. In the case of officers retiring out of India, the health certificate required will be called for and furnished under instructions from the India Office in London.

4th—Whether they desire to receive payment, wholly or in part, in India, or in England.

IX. The Table given in Appendix B shows the rates at which the expectation of the Colonel's allowance will be calculated in carrying this order into effect in the case of officers of various ages and service.

X. For the purpose of arriving at the amount payable in each case, whether as an annuity or in a single payment, officers' ages will be calculated from their birthday next succeeding the date from which they propose to retire, and the number of years they have to serve before becoming entitled to the Colonel's allowance will be calculated from the date of the proposed retirement. When the preriod to serve contains a fraction of a year, the fraction, if it be six months or under six months, will be excluded altogether; if it exceeds six months, it will be reckoned as a complete year.

XI. Payments of the *Capitalized value* of the annuity made in India under this order will be at the rate of 1*s.* 10½*d.* for the rupee.

XII. Officers who elect to receive an annuity in preference to the capital sum, will not, after their retirements have appeared in the Gazette, be allowed to capitalize such annuity under the provisions of this order; **and it is to be understood that no separate applications of individual officers to retire after the present retirements have been allotted will be entertained on the basis of this order.**

XIII. Officers of the half-pay list of the Staff Corps will be permitted, if disposed to retire from the service, to avail themselves of this scheme of retirement provided they are eligible thereto by the fulfilment, previously to their transfer to the half-pay list, of all the conditions required. The time passed by an officer on the half-pay list of the Staff Corps will not count towards the 12 years in the grade of Lieutenant Colonel required to qualify for promotion to the Colonel's allowance.

XIV. No application from officers to cancel their retirement or to change the rate of such retirement will be entertained after it has been announced in the official Gazette of the Presidency to which they belong.

APPENDIX A.

FORM OF MEDICAL CERTIFICATE IN THE CASE OF AN OFFICER IN INDIA APPLYING FOR THE CAPITALIZED VALUE OF THE ANNUITY.

I certify that I have examined Lieutenant Colonel_____of the_____and find him to be in a state of health which affords the prospect of an average duration of life.

Station and date. *Surgeon.*

N. B.—The certificate to be in the handwriting of, and signed in India by, the Medical Officer in charge of the Regiment; or if the officer who applies to capitalize his annuity is not serving with a Regiment, then by some other Civil or Military Medical Officer not under the rank of Surgeon Major.

APPENDIX B.

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TABLE FOR THE VALUATION OF PROSPECTIVE COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

Years to serve.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2 Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.
	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.
12	2,310	42	176 10	2,231	43	172 13	2,160	44	169 9	2,095	45	166 17	2,037	46	164 16	1,984	47	163 6
11	2,508	43	194 5	2,425	44	190 5	2,351	45	187 4	2,285	46	184 16	2,226	47	183 5	2,174	48	182 6
10	2,726	44	213 17	2,640	45	210 4	2,564	46	207 8	2,496	47	205 10	2,439	48	204 11	2,390	49	204 9
9	2,967	45	236 6	2,879	46	232 18	2,801	47	230 12	2,735	48	229 8	2,682	49	229 8	2,640	50	230 9
8	3,236	46	261 15	3,145	47	258 19	3,069	48	257 8	3,008	49	257 5	2,962	50	258 11	2,930	51	261 6
7	3,536	47	291 1	3,446	48	289 1	3,375	49	288 14	3,321	50	289 19	3,288	51	293 4	3,244	52	295 8
6	3,874	48	324 18	3,790	49	324 4	3,727	50	325 7	3,687	51	328 16	3,640	52	331 9	3.583	53	333 5
5	4,260	49	364 8	4,185	50	365 7	4,137	51	368 19	4,081	52	371 13	4,012	53	373 18	3,949	54	375 3
4	4,704	50	410 14	4,646	51	414 6	4,580	52	417 1	4,508	53	419 6	4,431	54	421 19	4,353	55	421 14
3	5,222	51	465 14	5,148	52	468 6	5,058	53	470 10	4,969	54	472 1	4,876	55	473 4	4,775	56	473 11
2	5,781	52	526 8	5,680	53	528 7	5,576	54	529 14	5,467	55	530 12	5,358	56	531 7	5,243	57	531 7
1	6,385	53	593 18	6,261	54	594 17	6,135	55	595 8	6,008	56	595 17	5,883	57	596 5	5,760	58	595 18
0	7,038	54	668 12	6,890	55	668 12	6,742	56	668 12	6,597	57	668 12	6,452	58	668 12	6,302	59	668 12
	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.			
12	1,935	48	162 6	1,888	49	161 11	1,849	50	161 8	1,817	51	162 1	1,779	52	162 19			
11	2,128	49	182 0	2,085	50	182 1	2,052	51	183 0	2,012	52	183 4	1,965	53	182 15			
10	2,349	50	205 2	2,315	51	206 9	2,271	52	206 17	2,222	53	206 13	2,165	54	205 14			
9	2,608	51	232 12	2,562	52	233 7	2,509	53	233 7	2,449	54	232 13	2,383	55	231 5			
8	2,887	52	262 18	2,830	53	263 5	2,766	54	263 15	2,695	55	261 11	2,619	56	259 13			
7	3,189	53	296 12	3,120	54	296 8	3,043	55	295 7	2,962	56	293 14	2,875	57	291 7			
6	3,515	54	333 19	3,438	55	333 3	3,344	56	331 13	3,252	57	329 11	3,153	58	326 15			
5	3,868	55	375 7	3,773	56	374 2	3,672	57	372 3	3,566	58	369 11	3,456	59	366 13			
4	4,251	56	421 10	4,142	57	419 16	4,027	58	417 6	3,909	59	414 13	3,789	60	411 18			
3	4,667	57	472 19	4,542	58	471 15	4,414	59	468 5	4,285	60	465 17	4,157	61	464 2			
2	5,118	58	530 8	4,979	59	528 4	4,839	60	526 1	4,701	61	524 13	4,555	62	523 11			
1	5,610	59	595 3	5,458	60	593 9	5,309	61	592 0	5,152	62	592 2	4,995	63	591 4			
0	6,150	60	668 12	5,980	61	668 12	5,818	62	668 12	5,639	63	668 12	5,456	64	668 12			

DIRECTIONS FOR THE USE OF THE TABLE.

Find in the marginal column to the left of the Table the number of the years the officer has to serve before becoming entitled to the Colonel's allowance, and then in the same line of the Table the officer's age—(in column 2.)

The figure in the same line to the right of his age (in column No. 3, "Annuities") shews the annuity, and the figure to the left of his age (under column No. 1, "Values") shews the capitalized value of the annuity offered to him under this order.

EXAMPLE.—Lieutenant Colonel A. applies to retire on the 1st April 1875. He will be 49 years of age on the 4th May 1875. He will become entitled to the Colonel's allowance on the 1st August 1880. For the purpose of making the calculation his age is 49, and the time he has to serve for the Colonel's allowance being five years and four months; the time he has to serve for the purpose of the calculation under para. X of the order, is five years. The annuity offered to him is £ 364-8-0, and its capitalized value is £4,260.

No. 4.—Declares that the five right flank cells of the garrison prison at Aden shall be deemed and taken to be a military prison under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1004, dated the 18th October 1870 27

No. 41.—It is hereby notified that the designation of "Colour Sergeant" in the corps of Royal Engineers has been altered to "Company Sergeant Major" as prescribed in paragraph 26 of clause 2 of the Royal Warrant of the 2nd December 1872 40

No. 56.—With a view to the assimilation of equipment in British Infantry Regiments serving in India, authorises the publication of equipment tables for British Infantry, and directs their adoption throughout the three Presidencies.

2. No alteration in the scale of equipment now laid down is to be made without the sanction of the Government of India, and all changes which may be made applicable to India will, from time to time, be published either in General Orders by the Government, or in those of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, with the sanction of the Government.

3. Copies of the equipment tables will be distributed to Corps and Departments in the Bengal Presidency by the Inspector General of Ordnance, Bengal, under the orders of the Government of India, and to Corps and Departments in the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay under the orders of the Governments of those Presidencies. 6

4. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies 41

No. 71.—With the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, notifies that from the 1st April 1875, the following rates of pay will be allowed to all Majors of Royal Artillery and Engineers serving in India, and that from the same date, the special command allowances of Rs. 250 and Rs. 100 per mensem now given to officers commanding Heavy and Garrison Batteries will cease.

2. Majors of Horse and Foot Artillery, with their batteries, will draw Rs. 929-6-4 and Rs. 759-3-0, respectively, per mensem. This, in assimilation with the rule in force out of India, will include a battery command allowance, which is fixed at Rs. 50 per mensem.

3. When absent from their batteries, except upon privilege leave, Majors of Artillery will cease to draw this command money, which will be drawn by the Officer actually in command of the battery.

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4. These rates of pay will cover the command and charge of any armament to which the battery may be attached, whether of Horse, Field, Heavy, Mountain, or Siege Artillery, or the armament of a fort.

5. Majors with Field, Heavy, and Mountain batteries, will draw horse allowance in addition as at present.

6. Majors of Royal Engineers, when not in receipt of any staff salary or command money, will draw Rs. 709-3 per mensem, (the same as Majors of Foot Artillery, less the command allowance), and when in receipt of a consolidated pay, with pay proper, will draw for the latter Rs. 182-10 per mensem instead of Rs. 140 as at present.

7. Majors of Royal Artillery and Engineers in receipt of staff salaries, will draw Rs. 640-14 per mensem, as allowed to Majors of other branches who draw staff salaries ... 48

No. 72. In continuation of G. G. O. No. 71 of 19th January 1875, notifies that, with the approval of Her Majesty's Government, the following contract allowances hitherto drawn with Head Quarters of Brigades and all Batteries of Royal Artillery serving in India, Horse, Field, Garrison, Heavy and Mountain, British and Native, will cease from the 1st April 1875, from which date the supply and repairs of all articles of equipment hitherto provided for by these allowances will be effected in accordance with the practice in force in Her Majesty's service in England and in the Colonies; *viz.*, allowances for repair of guns and wagons, cots, harness, saddlery, leather, ammunition and store boxes, lascar pals, medicines and stable requisites, gun, contingent allowance, shoeing and line-gear, grampots, cavessons, petty stores.

2. Materials for repairs will be issued by the Ordnance Department, the repairs being executed by the battery artificers without extra payment, and any sums expended for petty supplies locally procured, for fuel and other contingencies, will be charged in monthly contingent bills.

3. Detailed instructions for the future regulation of these services will be issued hereafter.

4. The following sums will be allowed monthly for stationery and repairs of arms:—

Garrison Batteries ...	... Rs. 45
Field, Heavy, and Mountain Batteries...	„ 50
Batteries of Horse Artillery ...	„ 55

5. An allowance of * per mensem will be given for shoeing each horse attached to batteries and head-quarters of brigades. For mountain batteries, in which few of the mules are regularly shod, there will be no allowance, and the amount expended in shoeing will be recovered in contingent bills.

6. The repairs of tent with batteries, in which an allowance is now drawn for this purpose, will be effected in accordance with G. G. O. No. 1085 of 1873.

7. Country veterinary medicines will be supplied by the Commissariat Department half-yearly on indents countersigned by the inspecting veterinary surgeon.

8. An allowance of 1½ annas per maund for grinding gram, barley, or other grain, issued to horses and mules, will be given to cover all petty charges incurred in preparing the food.

9. Officers commanding native field and mountain batteries of the Punjab Frontier Force, the field batteries of the Hyderabad Contingent, the Scinde and Guzerat Mountain Trains, will receive a staff salary of 250 rupees a month in addition to staff corps pay of rank; Officers commanding the garrison battery of the Punjab Frontier Force, and the garrison battery at Aden, will receive a staff salary of 150 rupees a month in addition to staff corps pay of rank. Officers commanding native batteries of any description will be required to vacate their appointments on promotion to the substantive rank of Major 49

No. 77.—Directs the formation of an army reserve of one thousand (1,000) horses, which for the present will be kept at the Saharunpore and Haupper Stud Depôts.

Horses invalided from corps and batteries under the provisions of paragraph 824B of the "Bengal Army Regulations," will be sent to the former depôt if quartered at and above Umballa, and to the latter when stationed below it, under such instructions as may be issued from time to time by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief ... 49

No. 81.—It having been determined that an establishment of seven European Officers for each Native Regiment of Cavalry and Infantry should, as a rule, be present in India, and that the places of certain absentees, though in India, should also be temporarily filled as if they were on furlough in Europe, notifies that qualified Officers may be appointed as probationers for the Indian Staff Corps temporarily to fill vacancies in Native Regiments, which may be caused by the absence of any of the permanent establishment including the 2nd Wing Subaltern, under the following circumstances, *viz.*:—

I.—On furlough on private affairs, or medical certificate, out of India (furlough without pay or under Rule XI of the furlough rules of 1868 excepted), unless when Officers are already away on furlough, and one is expected to rejoin within six months;

II.—Officiating in an appointment, Civil or Military, when it is known that the Officer will not return to his regiment;—or

III.—Officiating *on probation* in a Civil or Departmental appointment; when the Officer's confirmation in the appointment merely depends on his passing the prescribed tests on completion of the regular period of probation.

2. But whenever the services of an unemployed Officer are available to fill the

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vacancy, no fresh appointment to the Staff Corps on probation can, of course, be made 49

No. 105.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 1332 of 1872 and No. 81, dated the 22nd January 1875, it is hereby notified that a Captain holding the appointment of 2nd Wing or Squadron Subaltern will no longer be required to vacate the appointment when proceeding on furlough... 56

No. 109.—It is hereby notified that the period of duration, *viz.*, eight years, for "Carbines, Royal Artillery and Cavalry," "Muskets, Rifle, with Bayonet," "Pistols, Cavalry, rifled," and "Rifles, short, with swords," laid down in G. O. No. 13 of 1873, applies only to the arms of non-interchangeable pattern; and that, in accordance with the rule in force out of India, it is considered unnecessary to assign any period of duration to arms of the interchangeable pattern, whether muzzle loaders or breech loaders, and of whatever description, as they are capable of being kept in a serviceable condition for a very considerable period by the substitution of new parts for such as show wear.

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2. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies 56

No. 126.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 802 of the 10th August 1874, it is notified that for detachments of recovered men returning from convalescent depôts, one lascar will be allowed for every two tents 58

No. 127.—Under the authority of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, it is hereby notified that for the future the service for pension of such Officers of the Royal Artillery, Royal Engineers, and New Line Regiments, as formerly belonged to the Indian Service, who may at any time be ordered for duty out of India under the Imperial Government, will be regulated on the same terms as apply to other Officers of the British Army, that is to say, the periods of full pay service entitling them to pension will be held to include all leave granted to them subsequently to their having been ordered for duty out of India of such a nature as would be allowed to count towards full pay retirement under British rules 58

No. 157.—The following list of tools is to be substituted for that in Form No. 157 (Ordnance), under head Fixtures for shoeing-sheds, published with G. G. O. No. 303, dated 21st March 1872:—

Articles.	Proportion allowed by Regulations.		Surplus to be kept up by Regiments.
Fixtures for shoeing-sheds.			
Anvils, 2½ cwt.	3	Per regiment of European Cavalry at stations where regular shoeing sheds have been authorized by Government.	None.
Bellows, smith, Europe, large	3		
Hammers, hand, from 2 to 3 lbs.	6		
„ sledge, medium, 7 lbs.	6		
Tongs, fire, large size, pairs	6		
„ shoe, turning	12		
Stamps, horse-shoe	9		
Pritchels	18		
Pokers, 3 feet long	3		
Shovels	3		
Vices, medium, 70 lbs.	3		
Anvil, 2½ cwt.	1	This scale applies to shoeing-sheds of Royal Artillery.	None.
Bellows, smith, Europe, large	1		
Hammers, hand, from 2 to 3 lbs.	2		
„ sledge, medium, 7 lbs.	2		
Tongs, fire, large size, pairs	2		
„ shoe, turning	2		
Pritchels	4		
Poker, 3 feet long	1		
Shovel	1		
Vice, medium, 70 lbs.	1		

The proportion given for a British Cavalry Regiment is for three shoeing-sheds.

The scale for the Royal Artillery is per battery, and is in addition to its field forge. Space should be provided in each shed, so that the battery forge, when removed from the forge wagon, can be set up for use in the shed when required 70

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No. 166.—The following Act, No. V of 1875, regarding the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers, is re-published for general information:—

ACT No. V OF 1875.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

(RECEIVED THE ASSENT OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL ON THE 9TH FEBRUARY 1875.)

An Act to remove doubts as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers.

Preamble.

Whereas doubts have arisen as to the rights and liabilities of certain Native Soldiers who have been enrolled without having been attested, and it is expedient to remove such doubts: It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Validation of enlistment of Native Soldiers.

1. Every person who has for the space of six months been in the receipt of military pay and been borne on the rolls of any Regiment, Corps, Depôt, Ordnance Establishment, or Department of Her Majesty's Indian Army (of which the last pay statement, if produced, shall be evidence), shall be deemed to have been duly enlisted, enrolled and attested, and shall not be entitled to claim his discharge on the ground of illegality or irregularity in his enlistment, enrolment or attestation, or on any other ground save such as may be recognized by the orders and customs of the service 90

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No. 191.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 1211, dated 23rd December 1874, and in modification of G. G. O. No. 96 of 29th January 1874, the following table of rates of pay admissible in India to Pay Master Sergeants and Orderly Room Sergeants of Her Majesty's British Forces, is published for information.

2. Orderly Room Sergeants of Field Brigades of Artillery, who may have been appointed to the service prior to the 16th February 1874, will continue to receive the rates of pay now in force.

Rank.	For a Month of			
	28 days. Gross Pay.	29 days. Gross Pay.	30 days. Gross Pay.	31 days. Gross Pay.
Royal Horse Artillery.				
Regimental Orderly Room Sergeant	43 8 11	45 1 9	46 10 8	48 3 7
After 3 years' uninterrupted service in the rank	51 0 4	52 13 6	54 10 8	56 7 10
After 5 years' uninterrupted service in the rank	53 8 2	55 6 9	57 5 4	59 3 11
Field and Garrison Artillery.				
Regimental Orderly Room Sergeant	41 1 1	42 8 6	44 0 0	45 7 6
After 3 years' uninterrupted service in the rank	48 8 6	50 4 3	52 0 0	53 11 9
After 5 years' uninterrupted service in the rank	51 0 4	52 13 6	54 10 8	56 7 10
Cavalry.				
Pay Master Sergeant and Regimental Orderly Room Sergeant	33 9 7	34 12 10	36 0 0	37 3 2
After 3 years' uninterrupted service in the rank	41 1 1	42 8 6	44 0 0	45 7 6
After 5 years' uninterrupted service in the rank	43 8 11	45 1 9	46 10 8	48 3 7
Infantry.				
Pay Master Sergeant and Regimental Orderly Room Sergeant	28 9 11	29 10 4	30 10 8	31 11 0
After 3 years' uninterrupted service in the rank	36 1 5	37 6 1	38 10 8	39 15 3
After 5 years' uninterrupted service in the rank	38 9 3	39 15 3	41 5 4	42 11 5

NOTE.—The new rates will be subject to the prescribed grocery and hospital stoppages to prevent any possible misapprehension. 99

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No. 206.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 72 of 19th January 1875, notifies that the shoeing allowance referred to in para. 5 will be twelve annas per mensem for each horse, and that rupees five per mensem will be granted for fuel, &c., for carriage work. These allowances will be paid to the Farrier Sergeants of Batteries.

2. The following rules for the supply and repair of harness, saddlery, and line gear for batteries of Royal Horse and Field Artillery, will take effect from the 1st April 1875.

3. The equipments of the Royal Artillery in India, and materials of all kinds for keeping them in serviceable condition, will be supplied at the expense of the State. Each battery of artillery will indent on the Arsenal on which it is dependent for the supplies necessary to complete its authorized proportion of Ordnance Stores and materials for repair.

4. Indents from batteries in the Bengal Presidency to complete equipment will be prepared in the form and on the dates laid down in G. O. No. 358 of 1870, and those for materials for repair in the form and on the dates given in this order, and from batteries in the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay in the forms and on the dates to be determined on by the Governments of those Presidencies.

5. In the Bengal Presidency all indents, other than emergent, will be forwarded for sanction to the Ordnance Office, Fort William, addressed to the Assistant to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, whence they will be sent for compliance to the Arsenal on which the battery is dependent.

6. The rules for emergent indents in Bengal are fully detailed in paras. 2834 to 2840, Revised Army Regulations.

7. Such stores as are authorized by this order to be obtained in the local market, will be purchased by officers commanding batteries, and contingent bills for the cost incurred, supported by the station price current of materials and labor, under the signature of the officer in charge of the principal sudder bazar, will be forwarded to the Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, for adjustment.

8. Officers commanding batteries will account, in the half-yearly returns submitted to the Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, for all stores thus obtained either on indent or by local purchase.

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9. All stores in use, the property of officers commanding batteries, which have been obtained by them on payment from Arsenals or the local market, on their present contract allowances, will be taken over by Government at a valuation to be decided on by a Committee of Officers.

10. Special Committees will be convened on an early date at each station to report on the condition of the entire equipment of Royal Horse Artillery and Field Batteries. These Committees will be assembled in Bengal under the orders of his Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, and in Madras and Bombay by direction of the Governments of those Presidencies. All deficiencies of component parts are to be brought to notice, and any and every article of equipment not in serviceable condition, or that requires repair, should be carefully noted and reported on.

11. The periods during which the various articles of equipment have been in use will be taken into consideration, and the Committee will record their opinion whether they will last the full time of service, or not. In the latter case, the Committee will state the reasons, whether from use or otherwise, which, as far as can be ascertained, will lead to their earlier condemnation. Articles of line gear must be of a suitable description and in serviceable condition.

12. Materials for repair, and surplus stores of suitable description which are in hand, the property of officers commanding batteries, will be carefully examined, weighed, counted or measured in the presence of the Committee. The value of the articles will be noted, and to enable the Committee to arrive at a just valuation, a certificate will be furnished signed by the officer commanding the battery, showing the actual cost incurred for all such materials obtained by him locally.

13. Stores supplied by the Ordnance Department will be rated by the Examiner, Ordnance Accounts—the actual payments made by officers being refunded for all stores thus obtained which are reported to be serviceable.

14. Bills supported by the proceedings of such Committees will be forwarded to the Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, for adjustment.

15. Materials for the repair of saddle-trees, and repair and preservation of harness and saddlery, will be issued in the following proportions :—

REPAIR OF SADDLE-TREES.

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			Annual Supply for Repair of			
			8	12	20	40
			Saddle-trees.	Saddle trees.	Saddle-trees.	Saddle-trees.
For Universal Saddle-trees.						
Arches, wood	Front		1	1	1	3
	Hind		1	1	1	3
Bars, wood, side	Near		1	1	1	3
	Off		1	1	1	3
Bars, iron, with rivet and roller			1	1	1	3
Glue, common		ozs.	2	3	5	12
Oil, linseed, raw		pints	¾	⅛	1/16	⅛
Paper, glass		sheets	...	½	¾	1¼
Plates, iron	Fan — Near		1	1	1	3
	Fan — Off		1	1	1	3
	Front		1	1	1	3
	Gullet		1	1	1	3
	Top and ring		1	1	1	3
Screws, iron, midding	1¾ inch		1	2	2	6
	1¼ "		1	2	2	6
	¾ "		1	2	2	6
Staples, iron	Cloak and plate		1	2	2	6
	Crupper		1	1	1	3
	Front		1	1	1	3
	Girth		1	2	2	6
	Holster or cloak		1	1	1	3
Tongues, wood			1	1	1	3
Wedges, wood			1	2	2	6
Wire, iron, for rivet No. 7, W. G.		ozs.	2	3	5	12

			Annual Supply for Repair of							
			8		12		20		40	
			Saddle-trees.		Saddle-trees.		Saddle-trees.		Saddle-trees.	
			Lug-gage.	Drivers.	Lug-gage.	Drivers.	Lug-gage.	Drivers.	Lug-gage.	Drivers.
For Luggage and Driving Saddle-trees.										
Arches, wood	Front		1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Hind		1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Bars, wood, side	Near		1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Off		1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Plates, iron	Crupper		1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Front — Inside		1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Front — Outside		1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Gullet		1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
	Top		...	1	...	1	...	1	...	3
	Top and hook		1	...	1	...	1	...	3	...
Rings	With bolts		1	...	2	...	2	...	6	...
	With staples		1	...	2	...	3	...	7	...
Screws, iron, middling	1¾ inch		1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
	1¼ "		1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
	¾ "		1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
Staples, iron	Crupper		1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
	Flank		2	2	2	2	3	3	8	8
	Front		1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
	Girth		2	2	2	2	3	3	8	8
	Wallet — Inside		1	1	2	2	3	3	8	8
	Wallet — Outside		1	1	2	2	3	3	8	8
Tongues, wood			1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3
Troughs, iron, back band			1	...	1	...	1	...	2	...
Wedges, wood			1	1	2	2	2	2	6	6
Wire, iron, for rivets No. 7 W. G.		oz.	2	2	3	3	5	5	12	12

Materials for the repair of saddle-trees for six months are carried in the store limber wagon.

MATERIALS FOR REPAIR AND PRESERVATION OF HARNESS AND SADDLERY.

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		Annual Supply of Material for repair of					
		5	8	12	20	50	
		Sets of Saddlery.					
For Universal Saddlery.							
Basils	Black	¼	⅜	½	1	2	
	Brown Strained	½	½	¾	1¼	3	
Bits, Bridoon		1	1	1	2	3	
Bosses, brass	Bit	1	1	1	2	3	
	Breast-plate and crupper	1	1	1	2	3	
Buckles, iron, roller.	Barred, 1¼ inch	1	1	1	2	5	
	Barred, ⅞ "	2	2	3	5	12	
	Barred, 1 "	1	1	1	2	5	
	Single, 1¼ "	1	1	1	2	5	
	Stirrup leather, 1¼ inch	1	1	1	2	5	
Buckles, iron, tinned, inlet ¾ inch		1	1	1	1	3	For Numnahs.
Chains, curb		1	1	1	2	5	
Dubbing	lbs.	6	9	13½	23	56	
Hair, horse	"	1⅓	2¼	3½	6	14	
Hides, buffaloe	"	3	5	6	10	20	Pieces of new or part worn leather are issuable in lieu of hides, weight for weight.
Hides, cow	"	1	1	1	2	3	
Hooks, curb		1	1	1	2	5	
Ink for marking	pints	⅛	¼	¼	½	1	
Linen, brown, for lining	yds.	¼	¼	¼	½	1	
Nails, iron tacks, Flemish black, No. 83,	lbs.	⅛	¼	⅜	½	1¼	
Numnah	Cuttings "	1	1¼	2	3	7	Both cuttings and felt not supplied.
	or Felt yds.	⅛	¼	⅜	½	1¼	
Rings, iron, 1¾ inch		1	1	1	1	2	
Saddle fittings	Burr's iron, galvanized	2	3	5	8	18	
	Flaps pairs.	1	1	1	1	2	
	Girths, leather, O. P.	1	1	1	2	4	
	Rivets, copper, Long	2	2	3	5	12	
	Rivets, copper, Short	2	3	5	8	18	
	Screws for flaps, ⅝ inch	4	6	9	15	36	
	Seats	1	1	1	2	3	
	Tabs	1	1	1	2	3	
	Thongs, lacing	2	2	2	4	10	
Serge, milled, 40-inch	yds.	1	1¼	2	3	8	
Soap, soft		45	72	108	180	450	¾ lb. monthly per set of saddlery, or ½ lb. of hard soap.
Squares, head-collar, iron		1	1	1	2	5	
Studs, brass, wallets or head-stall		2	2	3	5	12	
Thread	Black lbs.	1/16	⅛	¼	¼	½	
	Flax "	¼	3/16	⅜	¼	2	
	Whited brown "	1/16	⅛	¼	¼	½	
Twine, quilting	"	⅛	3/16	¼	¼	1	
Wax	Bees "	1/16	1/16	1/16	¼	¼	
	Black "	¼	3/16	¼	¼	1	
Web	Diaper, 2-inch yds.	¾	1	1½	2½	6	
	Straining, 3-inch "	⅛	½	¾	1¼	3	
		Double sets of Harness.					
Basils, brown, unstrained		5	8	12	20	48	
Bits, T. bridoon		1	1	2	3	6	
Bosses, brass bit		1	1	2	3	6	
Buckles, iron, roller.	Barred ¾ inch	1	1	2	3	7	
	Barred ⅞ "	3	5	7	10	24	
	Barred 1 "	2	2	2	4	10	
	Barred 1¼ "	2	2	2	4	10	
	Barred 1½ "	3	5	7	10	24	
	Barred 2¼ " back and belly band	2	2	2	2	4	
	Single ⅝ inch	2	2	2	4	10	
	Single 1¼ "	2	2	3	5	12	
	Single 2 "	1	2	2	3	7	
	Stirrup leather, 1¼ inch	1	1	2	3	7	

MATERIALS FOR REPAIR AND PRESERVATION OF HARNESS, &c.—*continued.*

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		Annual Supply of Materials for Repair of					
		5	8	12	20	50	
		Double sets of Harness N. P.					
Buckles, iron, tinned, inlet ¾ inch		1	1	2	3	7	
Chains	Curb	2	2	2	4	9	
	Trace, single, Lead	...	...	...	1	2	
	Trace, single, Wheel	...	...	...	1	2	
Cord-whip	lbs.	¾	1	1½	2½	6	
Cordage, white for traces, 3-inch	fathoms	1¾	2¾	4	6½	16	
Couples for traces		2	3	4	7	16	
Dubbing	lbs.	3	4½	6¾	11¼	28	
Fittings for Saddle-trees	Burrs, iron, galvanized	4	6	9	15	36	
	Cases, cloak	1	1	1	2	3	
	Flaps, pair, Drivers'	1	1	1	1	2	
	Flaps, pair, Luggage	1	1	1	1	2	
	Rivets, copper, Long	4	6	9	15	36	
	Rivets, copper, Short	4	8	12	20	48	
	Screws for flaps, ⅝ inch	10	16	24	39	96	
	Seats, saddle, Drivers'	1	1	1	1	3	
	Seats, saddle, Luggage	1	1	1	1	3	
Hair, horse	lbs.	3	4½	7	12	28	
Hides	Buffalo "	50	75	100	150	350	
	Cow No.	1	1½	2	2½	6	
	" white "	1/16	1/16	⅛	¼	¾	
Hooks	Curb "	2	2	2	4	10	
	Trace	...	...	1	2	4	
Ink for marking	pints	1/16	⅛	¼	½	1	
Nails, iron, tacks, Flemish black, No. 83	lbs.	¼	½	¾	1¼	2¼	
Numnah	Cuttings, or "	2	2	4	6	14	Both cuttings and felt not supplied.
	Felt yds.	¼	½	¾	1	2½	
Oil, sweet	gallons	1¾	2¾	4	6½	16	
Paint, prepared	Black, lamp lbs.	1/16	⅛	¼	½	1	
	Zinc, white "	1/16	1/16	⅛	¼	½	
Pans, tin, for oil		1	1	1	2	4	
Rings, iron	1 inch	1	1	2	3	7	
	1¾ "	2	2	2	3	7	
Serge, milled, 40-inch	yds.	2	2½	4	6½	16	
Soap, soft	lbs.	90	144	216	360	900	¾ lb. monthly per single set of harness, or ½ lb. of hard soap.
Squares, head collar, iron		2	2	2	4	10	
Studs, brass, wallet or head collar		3	5	7	10	24	
Thread	Black, 3-cord lbs.	⅛	¼	⅜	½	1	
	Collar "	⅜	9/16	¾	1¼	3	
	Flax, Coarse "	½	⅝	1¼	2½	5	
	Flax, Fine "	½	⅝	1¼	2½	5	
	Whited brown "	⅛	¼	⅜	½	1	
Twine, quilting	"	⅜	9/16	¾	1¼	3	
Wax	Bees "	⅛	3½	¼	7/16	1	
	Black "	⅛	1	¼	2	5	
Web	Diaper, 2-inch yds.	1¼	2	3	5	12	
	Straining, 3-inch "	¾	1	1½	2½	6	

16. Materials for the repair and preservation of harness and saddlery sufficient for six months' supply are to be carried in the store wagon.

17. In addition to the materials already detailed, the following will be kept as a reserve to be brought into use only should a sudden emergency arise. The officer commanding the battery will be held responsible that this reserve is always maintained, and that the articles are in good and serviceable condition.

18. With this view, stores should not be allowed to remain in reserve from year to year, as they would in course of time deteriorate; but on receipt of new articles, those longest in possession should be brought into use, and the new stores transferred to the reserve.

			Quantity. Field. Battery.	Quantity. R. H. A. Battery.	Page.
Ghynee or cow hides specially prepared for lining collars			3	3	
Buckles, iron, roller	Barred	¾ inch	4	6	
		⅞ "	4	6	
		1 "	4	6	
		1¼ "	4	6	
		1½ "	4	6	
		2¼ " back band	2	2	
		2½ " belly band	2	2	
	Single	⅞ "	2	3	
		1¼ "	4	6	
		2 "	4	6	
Chains, curb			3	4	
Cord, whip		lbs.	½	¾	
Hair, horse, or wool		"	2	3	
Hides	Buffalo, heavy		½	½	
	Ditto, light		1½	1¾	
Hooks, curb			3	4	
Numnahs, old for repairs			2	3	
Rings, iron	1 inch		4	6	
	1¾ "		4	6	
Rope, white, for traces, 3 inch		fathoms	3	3	
Saddle fittings	Bars, iron, galvanized		6	9	
	Flaps	Pairs, Cavalry pairs	...	1	
		Luggage "	1	1	
		Driver "	1	1	
	Girths, leather		1	2	
	Rivets, copper	Long	4	8	
		Short	6	12	
	Screws for flaps		12	24	
	Seats	Saddle	1	2	
		Luggage	1	1	
Serge		Yds.	6	9	
Squares, iron, for head collar			2	3	
Thread	Collar	lbs.	1	1	
	Hemp	"	3	4½	
	White	"	¼	½	
Twine, quilting		"	½	½	
Wax	Bees'	"	¼	½	
	Black	"	½	¼	
Web, straining		yds.	2	3	
Arches, wood	Cavalry	Front	1	2	
		Hind	1	2	
	Harness, driving	Front	1	1	
		Hind	1	1	
Bars, Wood, Side	ry	Near	1	2	
		Off	1	2	
	Harness, driving	Near	1	1	
		Off	1	1	
Screws, iron, middling		1¾ inch	6	12	
		1¼ "	6	12	
		¾ "	6	12	

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19. Indents for materials for repair of saddlery, harness and saddle-trees are to be submitted on 1st February, and 1st August, in the following form, in duplicate :—

INDENT FOR MATERIALS FOR THE REPAIR OF SADDLERY, HARNESS AND SADDLE-TREES REQUIRED BY THE

DATE_____

	Established proportion (six months' supply).	In Store, last return.	Since received.	Total.	Expended: For making new Articles.	Expended: For repairs.	Remaining in Store, 1st.	Now indented for.

I certify that the whole of the articles shewn in the column as expended have been used in making repairs to harness and saddlery, the property of the public; and further, that all articles made from these materials have been duly brought on the returns of the battery.

Commanding.

20. These materials are issued solely for the repair of harness and saddlery, and not for the manufacture of new component portions.

21. Components can be obtained only on indents supported by proceedings of a Special Committee, which should state that repairs cannot be effected, and for what reasons.

22. Should the manufacture of any components be absolutely necessary, the work may be carried out, but a return of such articles made must accompany the half-yearly demand for materials, and the necessity for their manufacture be fully explained. In such cases the damaged articles will be sold by auction, or be returned into store, to the nearest arsenal, under instructions from the Ordnance Office.

23. All repairs to saddlery, harness and saddle-trees are to be carried out by the artificers attached to the battery.

24. The iron work of condemned harness and saddlery is invariably to be returned into store for utilization, as far as possible, in future manufacture, under instructions from the Inspector General of Ordnance.

25. The following stamps will be allowed for making harness and saddlery :—

Stamps — iron, for — iron, for ⅛ inch.; wood or leather, 3/16 inch.
Stamps — copper inlaid — ⅜ inch.

26. The following are supplied of each of the above descriptions of stamp to every Royal Horse and Field Battery :—

Letter (according to distinguishing letter of the battery)	...	2
Royal Horse Artillery or Royal Artillery	...	2
Figures 0 to 8	... sets	2

27. Leather work will be marked with 3/16" iron stamp, care being taken that the leather is not cut, but only bruised.

28. The iron work will be marked with ⅛" iron stamps, the Portsmouth bit in front of the foot, the bridoon bit on top of the mouth-piece, and the stirrup irons on the bottom.

29. The following is the list of materials for repair of carriages, wagons, carts, &c., issued with equipment, and such as are expended are to be replaced half-yearly by indent on the Ordnance Department :—

	Batteries. Rifled. B. L. 12-pr	9-pr.	Rifled. M. L. 9-pr.	S. B. 9-pr.	S. B. 6-pr.	Remarks.
Ordnance.						
Iron work spare for Carriage.						
Bands, Axletree	2	2	2	...	...	
Bolts, Carriage	24	24	...	...	...	
Wheel — Nave	...	...	12	...	...	
Wheel — Tire, with collars	50	50	12	...	...	
Bolts with nuts. Carriages and Wagons. — Round or Boss headed 7/8" dr. 7¾" long	...	...	1	...	...	
Do. 7/8" „ 10⅝" „	...	...	2	...	...	
Hexagonal head 3/8" „ 6¾" „	...	...	2	...	...	
Hexagonal head 7/8" „ 1¾" „	...	...	3	...	...	
Hexagonal head ½" „ 4⅝" „	...	...	3	...	...	
Hexagonal head 3/8" „ 3½" „	...	...	11	...	...	
Flat Counter-sunk 3/8" „ 4½" „	...	...	4	...	...	
Capesquares	2	2	2	...	...	
Chains, Drag or Skid	2	2	2	2	2	
Drift Pin Steel	2	2	...	2	2	
Eyes — Perch plate ammunition wagon	1	1	1	1	1	Including skid chain loop and 2 bolts.
Eyes — Trail carriage	1	1	1	1	1	Including skid chain loop shoe, handspike with pin and chain.
Handles trail	2	2	2	...	...	
Hooks limber with key and chain	1	1	1	1	1	Including 3 bolts.
Irons handspike	1	1	...	...	...	
Iron 3′ 8½″ long (pieces) — Angle for trail 2″ × 2″ × 3/8″	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron 3′ 8½″ long (pieces) — Flat 2″ × ¼″	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron 3′ 8½″ long (pieces) — Flat 1½″ × ½″	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron 3′ 8½″ long (pieces) — Flat 1″ × 3/8″	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron 3′ 8½″ long (pieces) — Plate ¼″ × 6″ wide	...	...	1	...	...	
Iron 3′ 8½″ long (pieces) — Round 7/8″	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron 3′ 8½″ long (pieces) — Round ¾″	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron 3′ 8½″ long (pieces) — Round 5/8″	...	...	2	...	...	
Iron 3′ 8½″ long (pieces) — T for Futchells 3′ × 2″ × 3/16″	...	...	2	...	...	
Keys Capsquares with chains	4	4	6	...	...	
Lever traversing with pawl	...	...	1	...	...	
„ „ Screw	1	...	...	...	...	
Nut-headed Screws	2	2	...	...	...	
Plates — Jack — Carriage	2	2	...	...	...	
Plates — Jack — Wagon or Limber	2	2	...	...	...	
Plates — Locking 7½″ × 6″ × ½″	2	2	...	...	...	
Rivets — Flat Counter sunk-head. 3/8″ dr. 2½″ long	...	...	6	...	...	
Rivets — Iron 1¼″	...	...	12	...	...	
Rivets — Round or Boss-headed. ½″ × 1½″	...	...	10	...	...	
Rivets — Round or Boss-headed. 7/16″ + 2″	...	...	50	...	...	
Rivets — Round or Boss-headed. ¼″ + 1″	...	...	6	...	...	
Rivets	4	4	...	...	...	
Screws, hexagonal head for limber screw	...	..	1	...	..	
Skid hooks	2	2	...	2	2	
Sponge iron or shoe	1	1	1	1	1	
Staples — Lashing	42	42	12	20	20	
Staples — Round crowned — Large 3/8″	9	9	3	...	...	
Staples — Round crowned — Small ¼″	12	12	6	...	...	
Staples — With screws for Ammn. box. — Double	...	...	2	...	...	
Staples — With screws for Ammn. box. — Single	...	...	8	...	...	
Staples — With screws for Ammn. box. — Treble	...	...	2	...	...	
Steel prepared pieces — Eyes Perch plate	...	...	6	...	...	
Steel prepared pieces — Limber hooks	...	...	6	...	...	
Trunnion Plates	2	2	...	...	...	
Yoke hooks or bands, with plates and nuts	2	2	2	...	...	

	Batteries. Rifled. B. L. 12-pr	9-pr.	Rifled. M. L. 9-pr.	S. B. 9-pr.	S. B. 6-pr.	Page. Remarks.
Ordnance—*continued.*						
Naves, metal, field, in 3 pieces	...	...	1	...	...	
Saddles, metal, carriage, travelling, Rifled B. L.	1	...	...	...	...	
Screws, iron, traversing, with nuts	1	...	...	...	...	
Screws, iron, elevating, carriage, field, with nuts	1	1	1	1	1	
Wheel, hand, for traversing screw	1	...	...	...	...	
Miscellaneous.						
Glue — lbs.	3	3	3	3	3	
Grease and tar mixed — „	6	6	6	6	6	For each pair of wheels.
Iron, wrought — Bolt or round ⅝″ — „	28	28	...	...	...	
Iron, wrought — Flat 1½″ × ½″ — „	28	28	...	...	...	
Iron, wrought — Flat 1″ × ½″ — „	28	28	...	...	...	
Iron, wrought — Hoop 1¼″ 17 W. G.	28	28	...	...	...	
Iron, wrought — Square 1″ „	56	56	...	...	...	
Iron, wrought — Square ⅜″ „	28	28	...	...	...	
Nails — Copper, wrought, tack No. 236 ½″ — lbs.	...	...	¼	...	...	
Nails — Iron — Brad, wrought „ 123. 1¼″ — „	2	2	½	...	...	
Nails — Iron — Clasp, fine „ 35 1½″ — „	...	...	2	...	...	
Nails — Iron — Clasp, fine „ 36 2″ — „	3	3	3	...	...	
Nails — Iron — Clasp, fine „ 37 2½″ — „	3	3	...	...	...	
Nails — Iron — „ strong „ 41 2¼″ — „	1½	1½	3	...	...	
Nails — Iron — „ „ „ 44 3⅛″ — „	3	3	...	...	...	
Nails — Iron — Clout, strong 65 1⅛″ — „	2	2	¼	...	...	
Nails — Iron — Clout, strong 66 1½″ — „	6	6	1½	...	...	
Nails — Iron — Clout, strong 70 2½″ — „	8	8	¼	...	...	
Nails — Iron — Clout, strong 72 3¾″ — „	8	8	...	...	...	
Nails — Iron — Tacks, clout, Saddler No. 87 ¾″ — „	...	...	⅓	...	...	
Rivets, copper, 1½ inch	...	...	24	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Fine 1½ inch	24	24	...	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Fine 1 „	50	50	...	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Middling 2 „	...	...	14	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Middling 1¼ „	66	66	14	66	66	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Middling 1 „	24	24	18	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Middling ¾ „	14	14	72	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Middling 5/8 „	106	106	106	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong 3½ „	...	...	6	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong 3 „	12	12	12	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong 2½ „	12	12	...	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong 2 „	68	68	6	68	68	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong 1½ „	18	18	18	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong 1 „	...	...	72	...	...	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Strong ¾ „	66	66	144	66	66	
Screws, iron — Flat-head Nettle-folds. Round head, middling 1¼ „	74	74	24	...	...	
Screws brass — for locks 1 „	1	1	...	...	...	
Screws brass — for locks ¾ „	4	4	...	...	...	
Screws brass — 1½ inch	...	...	12	...	...	
Steel, Blister, flat 2″ × ½″ — lbs.	10	10	...	...	...	
Timber, half-wrought — Nave	1	1	...	1	1	
Timber, half-wrought — Fellows for wheels	6	6	6	6	6	
Timber, half-wrought — Spokes for „	12	12	12	12	12	

30. Indents for materials for repair of carriages, wagons, carts, &c., are to be submitted on 1st April of each year in the usual form.

31. Materials for petty repairs can be purchased locally, contingent bills, supported by a copy of the order authorizing the purchase, and a station price current being submitted to the Examiner Ordnance Accounts for audit.

32. Plank, however, for extensive repair, such as that of ammunition boxes, framings, &c., is to be obtained when necessary by indent on the Ordnance Department, commanding officers being allowed a discretionary power to purchase material on the spot if urgently required, and when it cannot be obtained from the public stores in sufficient time.

33. When two or more batteries are stationed together, the senior officer of artillery will cause their artificers to unite for the purpose of executing any heavy work that may be required, such as setting up wheels, repairing axles, limber hooks, &c.

34. The sums expended in repairs, extra labor, or other contingencies not already provided for, will be charged in monthly contingent bills, duly attested on honor, which, after being countersigned by the officer commanding the Artillery Division, will be forwarded for audit to the Examiner of Ordnance Accounts.

35. Articles of line gear and materials for their repairs will be supplied by the Ordnance Department in the following proportions:—

Names of Articles.	Proportion.		Required per Horse Artillery Battery.			Required per Field Artillery Battery.			Period of duration of each article.	Remarks.
	No.	Per.	Total.	As per centage, spare.	Grand Total.	Total.	As per centage, spare.	Grand Total.		
Head stalls	1	Horse	178	9	187	110	5	115	3 years.	
Bridles, watering	1	Ditto	178	9	187	110	5	115	Rein 1 year. Bit till worn out.	
Ropes. head with loop and hook (length 7′ exclusive of loop).	1	Ditto	178	18	196	110	11	121	4 months.	
Ropes. heel (length 15′ exclusive of loop).	1	Ditto	178	18	196	110	11	121	4 months.	
Loops, heel rope, of leather.	1	Ditto	178	18	196	110	11	121	9 months.	
Rollers with pad (the latter made of leather).	1	Ditto	178	9	187	110	5	115	2 years.	
Combs, Curry, country-made.	1	Ditto	178	9	187	110	5	115	5 years "tentative."	
Blankets	1	Ditto	178	...	178	110	...	110	2 years	Or 2 per horse according to climate, if deemed necessary by the Officer Commanding the brigade, district or division of the army. These will be in addition to the blankets now authorized for horses without stables, and for Waler remounts that have not been a year in the country.
Buckets, wooden, water, small.	6	Sub-Division H. A.	36	...	36	24	...	24	2 years.	
	4	Sub-Division F. A.	...	...	...	...	...	...	To be supplied repaired and renewed locally.	
Brushes, country-made	1	Ditto	178	9	187	110	5	115	1 year.	
Bags, Nose. Canvas	1	Ditto	178	...	178	110	...	110	To be repaired or replaced as required.	
Bags, Nose. Leather	1	Ditto	178	...	178	110	...	110	3 years.	
Fringes, Eye	1	Ditto	178	...	178	110	...	110	2 years "tentative."	
Dusters	2	Ditto	356	...	356	220	...	220	6 months.	
Bags, gunny. for head stalls, head ropes, eye fringes, and watering bridles.	2	Sub-Division.	12	...	12	12	...	12	4 years.	
Bags, gunny. for heel ropes and loops.	2	Ditto	12	...	12	12	...	12	4 years.	
Bags, gunny. for gram	1	Ditto	6	...	6	6	...	6	4 years.	
Bags, gunny. for leather nose bags	1	Ditto	6	...	6	6	...	6	4 years.	
Bags, gunny. for pegs and mallets	1	Ditto	6	...	6	6	...	6	4 years.	
Pegs, wooden (babool)	3	Horse	534	...	534	330	...	330	To be repaired or renewed as required.	
Mallets for driving pegs	4	Sub-Division.	24	...	24	24	...	24	Ditto.	
Ropes, picketting. of 2″ English tarred rope, each 25 yards long.	3	Ditto	18	1	19	...	...	...	3 years.	
Ditto ditto ditto	2	Ditto	...	...	...	12	1	13	3 years.	
Posts, picketing wooden, 2″ 6″, iron shod, of Home pattern.	6	Sub Division.	36	1	37	...	...	...	To be repaired or renewed locally as required.	
Ditto ditto	4	Ditto	...	...	...	24	1	25	To be repaired or renewed locally as required.	
Materials for Repair.										
Hides	As required, to be obtained locally.									
Thread	As required, to be obtained locally.									
Cloth, Canvas Yds.	8	Horse Artillery Battery.	8	.	8	...	...	...		
Ditto "	6	Field do.	...	...	...	6	...	6		
Cloth, Gunny, double "	10*	Battery	10	...	10	10	...	10	...	* Or equivalent to 30 superficial feet.

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36. The repairs necessary to line gear are to be effected by officers commanding batteries, such materials as may be absolutely needed being obtained locally, and their cost recovered by quarterly contingent bills* submitted to the Examiner, Ordnance Accounts, supported by the necessary vouchers.

* 1st April, „ July, „ October, „ January

37. Well ropes and water-bags will be provided locally by officers commanding batteries, and their cost recovered in contingent bills, repairs being effected under the rules which apply to articles of line gear.

38. Instructions for the supply of mountain battery equipments and of materials for their repair, will be notified hereafter; in the interim, any actual expenditure necessarily incurred can be met by contingent bills.

39. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies 101

217.—Notifies that the following Royal Warrant issued as clause 1, Army Circulars, dated 1st January 1875, is made applicable to India:—

Finance.

Royal Warrant—Relative Rank of Sub-Inspectors of Army Schools.

Victoria R.

Clause 1.—Whereas by the 113th Article of our Warrant of the 27th December 1870, we did prescribe the relative Army Rank to be held by Officers of our Staff and Departments of our Army.

Our will and pleasure now is that the Relative Army Rank of a Sub-Inspector of Army Schools shall be that of Lieutenant, and we do hereby direct that this addition be made to the Article of our said Warrant above quoted.

Given at our Court at Windsor, this 5th day of December 1874, in the 38th year of our reign 112

By Her Majesty's Command,

GATHORNE HARDY.

No. 248.—The following despatch from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, which is in reply to an enquiry relating to Officers who held saleable Commissions on the 1st November 1871, is published for general information:—

MILITARY. INDIA OFFICE;

No. 21. LONDON, 28*th January* 1875.

To His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

MY LORD,—In reply to your letter No. 225, dated 20th November 1874, I have, after communication with His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief, to inform you that—

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1.—An Officer exchanging to the Staff Corps after 1st November 1871, would, on retirement otherwise than upon a pension, be entitled to the full value (Regulation and over Regulation) of the Commission held by him on 1st November 1871.

2.—An Officer so exchanging and eventually retiring from the Staff Corps upon a pension, would be entitled to the over Regulation value of the Commission held on 1st November 1871, in the same manner as if he retired to full or half pay from the regiment from which he was transferred.

3.—An Officer transferred from a non-purchase regiment would receive the compensation for loss of bonus belonging to the position which he occupied on 1st November 1871.

I have, &c.,

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No. 268.—Under instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, declares the provisions of G. G. O. No. 374, dated 1st April 1873, applicable to Royal Engineer Officers returning to England after the expiration of their tour of service, in supersession of the ruling promulgated in G. O. C. C. No. 123, dated the 24th June 1871.

2. Such Officers when on English pay will receive it at the rates laid down for foreign stations in the Royal Warrants regulating their pay.

3. Servant's allowance will also be issuable under the same regulations 132

272.—With reference to the orders noted in the margin, directs that on the transfer of men of the mounted branches of the service from one corps or Battery to another serving in India, the unexpended allowance granted for their knee boots is to be transferred with them to their new corps or Battery.

G. G. O. No. 780, of 4th Aug. 1874.
G. G. O. No. 837, of 21st Aug. 1874.

2. This order in applicable to the three Presidencies 132

No. 294.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 1 of 1st January 1875, it is notified, in order to remove some misapprehension which appears to exist on the subject, that, as noted in the order, all applications to retire under its provisions will be dealt with by priority of date of retirement, and not by priority of dates of application.

For example—if an Officer applies on the 1st April to retire from the 1st August, his retirement cannot be sanctioned till, on the arrival of the latter date, it is found that the number of retirements allowed has not been completed by retirements from an earlier date. An officer applying on the 15th June to retire on the 31st July would have a prior claim to be accepted.

The 1st April was merely fixed as the earliest date from which any retirement would be accepted in order to give officers out of India full time for consideration 145

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No. 328.—In modification of clause 1 of G. G. O. No. 131, dated 8th February 1872 and of clause 4, in so for as it affects the mounted branches of the British Army, it is hereby notified that, when so required, the materials for clothing will be issued in bulk, uncut and untrimmed, but that in such cases Commanding Officers will be required to show, in their annual returns of clothing received and issued, the surplus from cuttings and savings at the end of each year; such surplus being deducted from their next year's indent for clothing materials.

2. This arragement will apply to all Mounted corps now in India and arriving hereafter, and paragraph 6 of the Government General Order above cited will be understood to be modified accordingly.

3. The provision contained in paragraph 5 of the Order, as regards the Native Army, is also modified to this extent, *viz.*, that the materials for Native Commissioned Officers, and for one Havildar, and five rank and file per troop or company, shall be issued in bulk, uncut and untrimmed, if so required.

4. The existing rates for making up the clothing at regimental head-quarters will continue in force.

5. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies, and will have effect with respect to the clothing which will be due on the 1st April 1876, and to all subsequent issues 152

No. 341.—With a view to the assimilation of equipment in Native Infantry Regiments serving in India, it is hereby notified that Equipment Tables for the Native Infantry have been published for adoption throughout the three Presidencies.

2. No alteration in the scale of Equipment now laid down is to be made without the sanction of the Government of India, and all changes which may be made applicable to India will, from time to time, be published either in General Orders by the Government, or in those of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief with the sanction of the Government.

3. Copies of the Equipment Tables will be distributed to corps and departments in the Bengal Presidency by the Inspector General of Ordnance, Bengal, under the orders of the Government of India, and to corps and departments in the presidencies of Madras and Bombay under the orders of the Governments of those Presidencies.

4. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies 153

No. 375.—Publishes for general information letter from Quarter-Master General of the Army, forwarding final despatch from Brigadier General W. Stafford, C.B., reporting the close of the operations carried on by the troops under his command in the Duffla country during the past cold season 183

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No. 376.—The difference between the Indian and English scales of clothing for the Infantry of the Line having caused numerous references on the subject of the clothing to be issued to British Infantry soldiers on arrival in India, publishes the following rules for guidance.

2. All ranks should, on arrival in India, conform to the clothing regulations in this country. Accordingly men who received in England in 1873-74—

a tunic,
a kersey frock,
a pair tweed trowsers,
a „ serge „

should receive on arrival in India for 1874-75 the Indian scale of clothing, *viz.*:—

a tunic, or compensation in lieu,
a pair cloth trowsers,
a „ serge „ or compensation.

Those men who received in England in 1874-75:—

a kersey frock,
a pair tweed trowsers,

should receive on arrival in India for 1875-76 the Indian scale of clothing for that year, *viz.*:—

a serge frock, or compensation, with difference between tunic and serge frock.
a pair serge trowsers, or compensation, with difference between cloth and serge trowsers.

3. In the event of a Regiment of British Infantry arriving in India with *cloth* clothing, two years in wear, in a year in which serge is issued, the issue of cloth clothing will be made to such extent as may be required, on the understanding that no compensation will be admissible for the difference between cloth and serge clothing, which is only recognized to be due under G. G. O. No. 549 of 17th May 1872, in the second year of clothing, when the issue consists of serge frock and serge trowsers.

4. When desired by Commanding Officers of British Infantry Regiments, the Clothing Department is authorized to issue, as far as is conveniently practicable, serge frocks and trowsers up to the value of the compensation admissible under the provisions of paragraph 2 of the General Order.

5. This order is applicable to the three Presidencies 191

No. 391.—Decides that Officers Commanding Native Regiments shall submit a Statement quarterly in the annexed form, of all public monies received, paid, and remaining unexpended in their hands at the end of each year.

The Returns are to accompany the Pay Lists for the months of March, June, September and December of each year.

This order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

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Return of Regimental Funds for the quarter ending

Description.*	Balance on 1st.	Received during the quarter.	Paid during the quarter.	Balance on 30th.	Why not adjusted.
Pay of men on command or on leave.					
Unissued pay and allowances					
Advances for recruiting service					
Compensation for clothing ...					
Donation batta ...					
Hurting money ...					
Gratuities unclaimed ...					
Deserters' pay and effects ...					
Estates of deceased non-commissioned Officers and men.					
Total ...					

* All monies which, in the event of their remaining unclaimed, would be credited to the State, are to be included in the lists.

N. B.—Any other public money not specified above, should be duly entered under the proper head.

I hereby certify that I have personally enquired into and ascertained the above to be a true and correct account of all Government monies remaining in regimental charge this day, and of the reason for their non-adjustment.

Station..... ..... *Colonel*,
Date..... *Commanding*..... *Regiment*. 193

No. 408.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 126, of the 29th January 1875, it is notified that one tent lascar will be allowed to each tent occupied by medical subordinates and commissariat sergeants on the line of march 200

No. 420.—It is hereby notified with reference to para. 19 of G. G. O. No. 550 of 1868, that in future, apothecaries and assistant apothecaries of the 2nd class who may attain to the 1st class of their respective grades after completing the prescribed period of 5 years' service in the lower class, will be required to show that they have not only kept up, but added to, their professional knowledge before they can be permitted to draw the increased pay of a 1st class apothecary, or assistant apothecary, as the case may be.

2. Under existing rules, medical committees are required to assemble on the 15th January and 15th July of each year for the purpose of examining assistant apothecaries who may be desirous of qualifying for promotion to the grade of apothecary; and under the terms of G. G. O. No. 555 of 1874, committees will likewise assemble on the 1st May and 1st November of each year for the purpose of testing the progress made by hospital apprentices. After completing 4 years of service as 2nd class assistant apothecaries, subordinates of that rank may appear for examination before committees which may assemble on any of the above-mentioned dates.

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3. Rules for the examination of assistant apothecaries are laid down at page 65. of the Medical Code of 1851, and every subordinate of that grade will be required to pass the test therein prescribed before he can be allowed to draw the pay of a 1st class assistant apothecary, even though he may have been advanced to the position of one. Position, as heretofore, will be dependent on service; pay hereafter on qualifications.

4. The names of successful examinees will be reported, as at present, to Army Head Quarters, and published in General Orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, which will be sufficient authority for the admission of the higher rate of pay, provided, of course, that the condition of 5 years' service in the 2nd class shall have been fulfilled.

5. With the view of ensuring that none but qualified and efficient subordinates are promoted to the grade of apothecary, assistant apothecaries will be required, after serving 5 years in the 1st class to undergo further examination for the purpose of showing that they have maintained their professional knowledge. If unfavorably reported on, a 1st class assistant apothecary, who may stand first in the list for promotion, will be liable to supersession on the occurrence of vacancies in the next higher grade until he passes a satisfactory examination and is reported fit for advancement.

6. Second class apothecaries will come under the operation of the above rules, the object being to prove that they are deserving of the higher pay, as well as the superior position of a 1st class apothecary. The names of those who may be reported as qualified will be published in G. O. C. C., and the increased rate of pay passed on their completing 5 years' service in the 2nd class of the apothecary grade.

7. Proceedings of Examining Committees should be sent direct to the Surgeon General, Indian Medical Service, Calcutta, who will take such action as may be necessary in each case. Results of the examinations to be held under paragraphs 3 and 6 should be prepared *in duplicate* to admit of one copy being transmitted to Army Head-Quarters in view of the publication of the names of successful examinees in General Orders by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

8. Promotion of Apothecaries to a higher grade, whilst on furlough, will be conditional on passing a professional examination after return to duty 201

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435.—The following scale of baggage to be taken by Officers and others on ordinary movements or on relief is published for general information and guidance, in supersession of the scale included in the last column of the table in paragraph 2314 of the Revised Military Regulations:—

Scale of Baggage permitted to be taken by Officers and others at their own expense on march on ordinary movements or on relief.

RANK, &c.		Scale, not including weight of tents which are either carried free by Government, or for which carriage is kept up by officers out of their tentage.	REMARKS.
		Mds.	
* General Officers Commanding Forces		...	Discretional.
* Do. do. Divisions		80	
* Do. do. Brigades		65	
* Colonels, Lieut.-Colonels, and Majors in Command		45	
* Majors not in Command		25	
* Captains in Command		25	
* Captains not in Command		15	
* Subalterns		10	
Warrant Officers (2nd class)		5	Including Medical Subordinates.
Schoolmasters or Schoolmistresses, married or unmarried, when moving with or without Troops		†...	
Hospital Apprentices (unpassed)		2½	
Departmental Non-Commissioned Officers and Men		5	Commissariat, Ordnance, &c.
Non-Commissioned Officers, Rank and File of British Troops ...		§	
Native Commissioned Officers		‡5	
Hospital Assistants		‖2½	
Havildars, Naicks and Native Medical pupils		‡1	
Drummers or Buglers and Sepoys		‡½	
Band property		36	
Orderly-Room		18	
Quartermaster's Office		5	
Paymaster's Office		10	
Armourer's Shop		18	
Treasure Chest		12	
MESSES.			
Regiment of British Cavalry or Infantry	Officers ...	170	
	Sergeants ...	10	
Wing of British Cavalry or Infantry with Head-Quarters	Officers ...	140	
	Sergeants ...	8	
Do. do. without do.	Officers ...	90	
	Sergeants ...	5	
Troop of British Cavalry	Officers ...	70	
Company of Royal Engineers or Sappers and Miners ...			
Ditto British Infantry	Sergeants ...	5	
Head-Quarters of Royal Artillery Brigades ...	Do. ...	5	
Battery of Royal Artillery	Officers ...	70	
	Sergeants ...	5	
Regiment of Native Cavalry or Infantry	Officers ...	70	
Wing of Native Cavalry or Infantry	Do. ...	50	
BAZARS.			
Per Troop or Company of British or Native Cavalry, Infantry, Sappers, or Garrison Battery of Artillery...		5	
Battery Horse Artillery		10	
Do. Field Do.		7	
Do. Native Do.		10	

* Including Departmental Officers, Warrant Officers holding honorary commissions, and others according to relative rank.

† Schoolmasters and Schoolmistresses are allowed carriage for baggage at the public expense according to the following scale, which includes professional books:—

	Schoolmasters. Mds.	Srs.	Schoolmistresses. Mds.	Srs.
Married or unmarried, when moving with troops	4	8	4	8
Married, without troops, if accompanied by wife	8	0	...	
Ditto ditto not so accompanied	6	0	...	
Ditto ditto Schoolmistresses moving without troops	...		6	0
Unmarried, without troops	4	8	4	8

‡ The scale of carriage here laid down for Native Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers and men, respectively, applies to Regiments entitled to marching batta. In other Regiments carriage at the public expense is supplied according to the following scale:—

Commissioned Officers	60 Seers.
Non-commissioned Officers	30 „
Drummers or Buglers and Sepoys	15 „

§ These ranks are allowed carriage at the public expense at the rate of 2½ maunds or half camel load for Regimental and Battery Sergeant Majors, Quartermaster Sergeants, Band Master Sergeants, and Sergeant Instructors of Musketry and Fencing of all arms. Other Non-Commissioned Officers and men of Horse and field Artillery 18 seers each, or 11 men per camel; Cavalry 17½ seers each or 12 men per camel; if dismounted, 1 maund each, or 5 men per camel; Gunners of Field Artillery 29 seers each, or 7 men per camel; Garrison Artillery and Infantry 33 seers each, or 6 men per camel.

‖ This is applicable to Hospital Assistants drawing marching batta. When carriage at the public expense is supplied, 1½ maund is allowed 210

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No. 436.—Notifies with reference to the statement of camp equipage, carriage, and establishment allowed for the different branches of the British forces on field service, published in G. G. O. No. 901 of 16th September 1874, that when pack bullocks are supplied for British troops on field service for the conveyance of the baggage in place of camels, two bullocks shall be considered equal to one camel.

2. The scale for Native troops will be published hereafter 211

No. 438.—In modification of G. G. O. No. 1271 of 18th December 1873, publishes for information and guidance in the three Presidencies, the subjoined table showing the total and monthly value of compensation admissible to the British Army in India, based on the rates prescribed in the Royal Clothing Warrant of 1865, except on account of knee-boots and riding pantaloons for the mounted branches of the service, the rates for which articles, as laid down in Appendix D to clause 2 of Army Circulars of 1st January 1874, have been adopted, and on account of the serge coat and trousers for Royal Engineers and British Sappers and Miners.

2. On account of biennial issues one-half the value of the articles will be payable after the close of the first year and proportionally for broken periods of that year; the remaining half compensation being payable after the close of the second year and proportionally for broken periods thereof.

3. The amount of all compensation sanctioned and paid to non-commissioned officers and men may be expended in articles for their benefit at the discretion of commanding officers.

Table showing the total and monthly value of compensation admissible to the British Army in India.

CORPS.	ARTICLES.	STAFF SERGEANTS. Total Value.	STAFF SERGEANTS. Monthly Value.	SERGEANTS. Total Value.	SERGEANTS. Monthly Value.	RANK AND FILE. Total Value.	RANK AND FILE. Monthly Value.	REMARKS.
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
DRAGOON GUARDS AND DRAGOONS.	Tunic	40 0 0	3 5 4	13 0 0	1 1 4	11 0 0	0 14 8	
	Riding Pantaloons ...	10 0 0	0 13 4	8 8 0	0 11 4	8 0 0	0 10 8	
	Trousers*	13 8 0	0 9 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Boots, Wellington, pair* ...	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Knee-boots*	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	
	Gloves	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	4 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	
HUSSARS	Tunic	56 0 0	4 10 8	14 0 0	1 2 8	10 8 0	0 14 0	
	Riding Pantaloons ...	10 0 0	0 13 4	8 8 0	0 11 4	8 0 0	0 10 8	
	Trousers*	13 8 0	0 9 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Boots, Wellington, pair* ...	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Knee-boots*	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	
	Gloves	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	
LANCERS	Tunic	32 0 0	2 10 8	14 8 0	1 3 4	12 8 0	1 0 8	
	Riding Pantaloons ...	10 0 0	0 13 4	8 8 0	0 11 4	8 0 0	0 10 8	
	Trousers*	13 8 0	0 9 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Boots, Wellington, pair* ...	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Knee-boots*	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	
	Gloves	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	
ROYAL ARTILLERY HORSE BRIGADE.	Dress Jacket ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	Undress Jacket ...	28 0 0	1 14 8	15 0 0	1 4 0	7 0 0	0 9 4	
	Riding Pantaloons ...	8 8 0	0 11 4	8 8 0	0 11 4	7 8 0	0 10 0	
	Trousers*	14 0 0	0 9 4	8 8 0	0 5 8	6 8 0	0 4 4	
	Boots, Wellington, pair* ...	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	
	Knee-boots*	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	
	Gloves	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	
ROYAL ARTILLERY, FIELD AND GARRISON BRIGADES.	Tunic	34 4 0	2 13 8	23 8 0	1 14 0	9 12 0	0 13 0	
	Jacket, Undress ...	23 0 0	1 14 8	11 0 0	0 14 8	6 12 0	0 9 0	
	Riding Pantaloons ...	8 8 0	0 11 4	8 8 0	0 11 4	7 8 0	0 10 0	Annual issue to mounted men only.
	Cloth Trousers‡ ...	14 0 0	1 2 8	8 12 0	0 11 8	6 13 0	0 9 0	Annually for dismounted and biennially for mounted men; but in the 1st year the dismounted men are allowed 2 pairs, i. e., 1 pair in kind and compensation for another biennial pair if not issued in kind.
	Boots, Wellington, pair* ...	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	7 8 0	0 5 0	Biennially for mounted and dismounted men.
	„ Knee, pair* ...	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	12 0 0	0 8 0	Biennial issue to mounted men only.
	„ Ankle „ ...	5 0 0	0 6 8	5 0 0	0 6 8	5 0 0	0 6 8	Annual issue to dismounted men only, who are however allowed 2 pairs in the 2nd year, for which 13 annas 4 pie per mensem, or Rs. 10 per annum, are admissible as compensation if the boots are not issued in kind.
	Gloves	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	1 0 0	0 1 4	Annual issue to mounted men only.
INFANTRY BATTALION, FUSILIERS AND RIFLE REGIMENTS.	Tunic	23 0 0	1 14 8	9 2 0	0 12 2	8 4 0	0 11 0	
	Trousers, Cloth, pair ...	9 2 0	0 12 2	5 8 0	0 7 4	4 6 0	0 5 10	
	Serge Frock	7 14 0	0 10 6	4 2 0	0 5 6	4 0 0	0 5 4	
	Trousers, Tartan or Serge*	7 12 0	0 5 2	3 8 0	0 2 4	3 8 0	0 2 4	
	Boots, pair‡	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	
HIGHLAND REGIMENTS WEARING KILT AND TREWS.	Coat	30 0 0	2 [illegible] 0	11 2 0	0 14 10	9 0 0	0 12 0	
	White Jacket	12 8 0	1 0 8	6 4 8	0 8 4	3 2 0	0 4 2	
	Kilt	18 0 0	1 8 0	8 8 0	0 11 4	6 8 0	0 8 8	
	Trews, pair†	12 0 0	1 0 0	8 4 0	0 11 0	6 12 0	0 9 0	One pair issued annually. One ditto biennially, i. e., in the 2nd year 2 pairs.
	Shoes, pair‡	3 12 0	0 10 0	3 12 0	0 10 0	3 12 0	0 10 0	
	Boots „ ‡	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	
	Plaid „ §	6 6 0	0 2 10	2 4 0	0 1 0	1 14 0	0 0 10	
	Gaiters „	0 12 0	0 1 0	0 12 0	0 1 0	0 12 0	0 1 0	
ROYAL ENGINEERS AND BRITISH SAPPERS AND MINERS.	Tunic	42 8 0	3 8 8	25 8 0	2 2 0	9 14 0	0 13 2	
	Trousers, Fatigue ...	9 0 0	0 12 0	6 12 0	0 9 0	5 4 0	0 7 0	
	Boots, pair‡	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	4 4 0	0 11 4	
	Serge Coat	7 2 0	0 9 6	7 2 0	0 9 6	5 4 0	0 7 0	
	„ Trousers ...	3 8 0	0 4 8	3 8 0	0 4 8	3 8 0	0 4 8	

* These articles being issued biennially, the monthly rates of compensation are calculated at 1-24th of the total value.

† When the articles are issued triennially, the compensation should be calculated at one-half the above monthly rates for annual issues.

‡ These being issued one pair in every half-year, the total value of only one pair is exhibited, and the monthly value, calculated on the half-yearly issue, is the 1-6th amount of such total value.

§ This being a triennial issue, the monthly value is calculated at 1-36th the total value. 212

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No. 439.—Under the authority of the Secretary of State for India, notifies that horse allowance at Rs. 30 per mensem will, from the date of this order, be passed to Captains of British Infantry Regiments, Staff Corps, or of Her Majesty's Indian Forces, having higher rank by Brevet, whenever they may be placed on the roster for duty as Field Officers in the Garrison or Camp in which they may be quartered.

The continuance of this grant is limited, however to the periods during which such officers, may be in personal performance of the duties of Field Officers.

This order is applicable to the three Presidencies 213

No. 457.—It is hereby notified that the Garrison Cells in the Fortress of Gwalior shall be deemed and taken to be a military prison under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1004, dated the 18th October 1870 222

No. 463.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 1070, dated 15th October 1872, authorizes an allowance of annas 2 and pies 8 for making up and sewing on facings, under regimental arrangements, to each serge frock of British Infantry, including fixing numerals 222

No. 500.—In supersession of all previous orders on the subject, directs the adoption of the following rules regarding the treatment of Native insanes in India:—

INSANE.

1. When a Native soldier is pronounced by a committee to be insane, he may be sent to a lunatic asylum under a military escort.

2. The following documents will be forwarded to the medical officer in charge of the asylum,—a certificate of the date to which he is paid, a statement of all unadjusted claims, such as clothing or prize-money, and a descriptive roll in duplicate, giving every particular which may affect his claim to pension, wounds received, and the names of his nearest relatives or heirs.

SOLDIERS OF SHORT SERVICE.

3. An insane soldier who may not be entitled from length of service to a pension, will be paid up and struck off his regiment from date of departure, and an allowance of two annas a day for the period occupied on the journey may be drawn in advance and made over to the escort for the patient's subsistence on the road.

4. The paymaster of the military circle within which any such asylum is situated, will pay to the officer in charge of the asylum the expense of the lodging, maintenance, clothing and medicine of a Native soldier so received and detained, until he is discharged from the asylum, or in the case of a man incurably afflicted, for a period of two years only, after which the expense will be treated as an ordinary civil medical charge.

5. In cases where the family of such an insane may require support owing to the allowances of soldiers ceasing on their admission to a lunatic asylum, a special representation may be submitted containing full information for the consideration and orders of the Government of the presidency concerned.

6. When a Native soldier is discharged from a lunatic asylum as cured, and is permitted to re-join his corps as a supernumerary if no vacancy exists, he will be re-enrolled and his pay will re-commence from the date of his re-joining; his previous service up to the date on which he was struck off will also be restored to him.

7. When a Native soldier is discharged from a lunatic asylum as partially cured and pronounced *permanently* unfit to contribute to his own livelihood, but fit to be entrusted to the care of his friends, he will be transferred to the pension establishment on an allowance of Rs. 3 per mensem from date of discharge from the asylum. The stipend will be payable to his friends or relatives on production of the usual life-certificate.

SOLDIERS ENTITLED TO PENSION.

8. A Native soldier who at the time of his removal to a lunatic asylum may, by length of service, be entitled to the benefit of the invalid pension establishment, will be transferred to that establishment on the pension to which he is entitled, and so much of the pension as will cover the cost of his maintenance [illegible] subject to the condition that where there is a family dependent on him, they shall be allowed at least a moiety of it. The pension will be drawn monthly by the officer in charge of the asylum from the paymaster or pension paymaster of the circle in which the asylum is situated.

9. Should a pensioner be discharged and pronounced fit to be entrusted to his friends, he will be entitled, should he not have had a family dependent upon him, to any balance of his pension that may remain after deducting the cost of his maintenance whilst in the asylum.

10. In all cases of recovered men discharged and sent to their homes, the medical officer in charge of the asylum will transmit to the paymaster of the circle in which the man wishes to reside and draw his pension, the duplicate copy of the descriptive roll received from the corps and the discharge certificate, also in the case of pensioners, a last payment certificate, &c. 233

No. 529.—The Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council, having received a report of the excellent conduct of the small detachment of the 28th Regiment, Punjab Infantry which accompanied the late mission to Western China, when it was attacked in force on the 22nd February 1875, desires to mark the sense entertained by the Government of India of the gallant and good service rendered by all the party on that occasion under very trying circumstances, and especially by the Havildar and two Naicks, who are reported to have carried out all the orders they received with intelligence and in a prompt and ready manner.

28th *Punjab Native Infantry.*
Havildar Mana Singh.
Naick Warriam Singh.
" Dewa Singh.
Sepoy Jhanda Singh.
" Sham Singh.
" Pertab Singh.
" Bhagwan Singh.
" Jhanda Singh.
" Maheswa Singh.
" Tahal Singh.
" Havalia Singh.
" Hakim Singh.
" Mehtab Singh.
" Bishen Singh.
" Jawund Singh.

His Excellency in Council is pleased, therefore, to direct the promotions of Havildar Mana Singh, Naick Warriam Singh and Naick Dewa Singh to the next higher grades, and their admission specially to the Third Class of the Order of Merit, in the rank they held prior to promotion.

The promotions and admissions to the Order of Merit will take effect from the 22nd February 1875, and they will remain supernumerary in their new grades until their turn for promotion comes in ordinary course.

Each Sepoy of the detachment is granted a donation of one year's batta 287

No. 539.—Under authority of Her Majesty's Government it is hereby notified that consequent on the abolition of the rank of Ensign, Officers promoted from the ranks to unattached commissions will be granted, in the first instance, the rank of Sub Lieutenant, promotion to the grade of Lieutenant being given after one year's approved service.

Warrant Officers entitled to honorary commissions will at once receive the rank of Lieutenant, but will be considered junior of that grade for one year. They will retain that rank until promoted or to Deputy Commissaries 293

No. 570.—His Excellency the Governor General in Council, on the recommendation of the Right Hon'ble the Commander-in-Chief, is pleased to lay down the following rules to govern the grant of the allowances of officers withdrawn from their appointments and regiments, whether in the camp or elsewhere, to perform staff duties in camps of exercise:—

1. A general officer attached to a camp of exercise situated within the limits of his division or district command will continue to exercise his division or district command, and the Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster General will perform their divisional duties as well as the staff duties of the camp.

2. Any general officer commanding, or officer commanding an artillery division or district detached from his division, district, brigade, or artillery division or district, will continue to exercise his command, from the camp of exercise to which he may be attached, or such command may, at the discretion of the Commander-in-Chief, be exercised without any additional pay or allowances by the senior officer of the command.

3. Any commanding or staff officer, general, station or regimental, whether permanent or officiating, ordered by the Commander-in-Chief in any special or exceptional case to join a camp of exercise, will continue to receive his staff and other pay and allowances as if present at his post, and arrangements are to be made at the station or corps for the performance of his duties without extra cost to the State.

4. Staff officers of one Presidency ordered to join a camp of exercise in another Presidency will continue to draw their full staff salaries, and arrangements are to be made at the station or corps for the performance of their duties without extra cost to the State.

5. No allowances whatever will be granted to officers holding temporary appointments of any kind at a camp of exercise, with the exception of that of provost marshal, to which a staff salary of Rs. 100 a month, in addition to regimental pay and allowances, will be attached.

6. When an officer commanding a regiment, whether quartered in the camp or at another station, is placed in command of a brigade, or appointed to any other duty in connection with the camp, the command of the regiment will be exercised by the next senior officer without any additional allowance.

7. All other officers nominated to staff duties whose posts are purely temporary with the camp, such as orderly officers and others, and who are not in receipt of any staff or horse allowance, will be allowed the use of troop horses for the performance of their staff duties when such horses are available, or if in possession of suitable horses themselves, horse allowance for the number of the chargers sanctioned for the appointment will be granted to them.

8. In like manner, officers not already in receipt of horse allowance, acting for staff or mounted officers withdrawn from their appointments or commands, will be entitled to be supplied with Government horses, or to draw the authorized horse allowance if in possession of suitable horses.

9. All officers not belonging to or proceeding with troops ordered to join a camp of exercise, whether holding staff appointments or not, will be allowed free conveyance to the camp and back, and also conveyance by rail for the prescribed number of servants and charges for their baggage, and also for their camp equipage when public camp equipage is not provided for them with the camp. Officers of other Presidencies are supplied with camp equipage and are allowed free passages for themselves and four servants, and also conveyance by rail for the regulated number of chargers should they bring their own horses with them, or the use of two troop horses each.

10. All officers not provided with public camp equipage are required to keep up their marching establishments and carriage so

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long as the camp continues formed, and till they return to their proper stations.

11. The troops being in the field, though not *on active service, the field allowance is* admissible to medical subordinates, batta to troops and establishments entitled to it, and horse allowance to Quartermasters of British Infantry and to 2nd class Warrant Officers.

12. The pay of Electric Telegraph establishments specially sanctioned from the army for camp purpose will be regulated by the rules now in force for the remuneration of soldier-signallers.

13. The rules regarding the grant of compensation for loss of allowances to officers detached on duty *do not* apply to officers withdrawn to join camps of exercise. ... 300

No. 571.—Under the authority of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the staff salaries of the Chief Inspectors of Musketry (Assistant Adjutants General) in the three Presidencies will be increased—

In Bengal, from Rs. 600 to Rs. 800 per month;

In Madras and Bombay, from Rs. 400 to Rs. 600 per month.

2. This increase will take effect from 1st April 1875 300

No. 574.—Directs the publication for general information, correspondence regarding the operations recently carried out in the Naga Hills in consequence of an attack made by Nagas on one of the Survey parties employed in those Hills ... 301

No. 580.—With the approval of Her Majesty's Government, directs the publication of the following rules for the examination of Surgeons of the Indian Medical Service previous to their promotion to the rank of Surgeon-Major under the provisions of clause 2 of the Royal Warrant of the 10th May 1873, published in G. G. O. No. 673 of the 1st July 1873.

This order is applicable to the three Presidencies:—

Rules for the examination of Surgeons previous to promotion to the rank of Surgeon-Major.

This examination is intended as a test for promotion, and may be taken at any time after the surgeon has served nine or more years.

When surgeons have served the requisite time, they will be examined in the following manner:—

A series of printed questions prepared by an Examining Board, consisting of the Principal of the Medical College and any two or more of the Professors he may associate with himself for the purpose, will be sealed and sent by the Surgeon-General to the principal medical officers of stations where surgeons may be eligible for examination. It will be the duty of the principal medical officer of the station to deliver these sealed questions to the surgeons, and to see that they are answered without the assistance [illegible] communication with any other person. The answers are to be signed and delivered, sealed, to the principal medical officer, who is to send them, unopened, *to the Surgeon-General*, together with a declaration from the surgeon himself, or certificate from a superior medical officer, if there is one, that he has availed himself of every opportunity of practising surgical operations on the dead body.*

* The surgeon may see this certificate before it is sent to the surgeon-General.

The surgeon is also required to transmit, together with his answers to the Surgeon-General, a medico-topographical account of the station where he may happen to be at the time, or of some other station where he may have been resident sufficiently long to enable him to collect the necessary information for such a report. Failing this, he will send a medico-statistical report of his charge for a period of at least twelve months.

If the Examining Board is satisfied with the replies to the questions, and the Surgeon-General is satisfied with the certificates and with the medico-topographical or statistical report, the surgeon will be held qualified for promotion 308

No. 588.—In continuation of Government General Orders Nos. [illegible] clause 3 of Army Circulars of the 1st January 1875, is published for general information:—

Gratuities to Soldiers on discharge.

Clause 3.—The Secretary of State has decided that, for the year from 1st January to 31st December 1875, the gratuities to well-conducted soldiers on discharge from the Army shall be issued at the rates laid down in clause 12 Army Circulars, 1874 ... 318

No. 605.—Under instructions from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the following Regulations regarding the grant of passages to General Officers of the British and Indian Services, who may be appointed to Divisional Commands and Army Staff appointments in India, are promulgated for general information:—

I.—All British officers and all officers of the Staff Corps and Indian Army, including those of the Royal (late Indian) Artillery and Engineers, appointed while residing out of India to Divisional Commands in India, will be entitled to passages for themselves and their families on proceeding to India to take up their commands, and on returning to England at the expiration of their tour of service.

II.—All Officers, whether of the British or Indian Service, residing in India at the time of such appointment and holding the rank of General Officers, and also those officers, if they belong to the British Service, who would, although not General Officers, necessarily return to England at the expiration of their tour of duty, will be entitled to a passage home.

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III.—The Adjutant General and Quartermaster-General in India, though they may be General Officers, *ex-officio* only, will, on being relieved of their appointments, be entitled to the privileges of General Officers as regards passage when such officers belong to the British Service and would necessarily return home on the expiration of their tours of duty.

IV.—A General Officer proceeding to or returning from India on duty, unaccompanied by his family, will be entitled to reserved accommodation as for a single gentleman by a Peninsular and Oriental Company's steamer to Southampton, or a reserved cabin, as for married couples, for himself and wife if accompanied by her, with a first class passage for each child not accommodated in the same cabin: such reserved accommodation will always be provided for such officer whenever he may signify his wish to have a passage secured for himself, instead of receiving a money allowance under the provisions of the Royal Passage Warrant.

V.—If an allowance in lieu of reserved accommodation is given, the amount payable by Government will be the Peninsular and Oriental Company's charge to Southampton, less the authorized deduction for messing; but it will be optional with a General Officer either to receive the passage allowance or to be provided with the prescribed accommodation. In the former case, he is not of necessity bound to proceed by a Peninsular and Oriental Company's steamer, or to Southampton; but he will be at liberty to make his own arrangements to travel by any route.

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Military Officers (other than Royal Engineers) now in the Department, who entered before 7th October 1870, may have the option of remaining on their present conditions as to staff and maximum salaries, or of accepting the new scale of salaries, the declaration of choice being made at once. Officers who entered the Department on 7th October 1870, or subsequently, will remain on the consolidated scale 59

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It should be understood that the emoluments (exclusive of pay proper, Rs. 182-10) of Majors of Royal Artillery and Engineers in receipt of staff salaries in the Public Works Department are still subject to the maximum limits laid down in Appendix D of the Public Works Code.

Extract from Military Department G. G. O. No. 71, dated 19th January 1875.

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Classification of offices.

Rule II as revised.—Telegraph stations are divided into three classes: 1st, those performing permanent day and night duty; 2nd, those performing full day duty: 3rd, those performing limited day duty.

Office hours.

Stations of the 1st class are open day and night for the reception and transmission of messages.

Stations of the 2nd class are open from 7 A. M. till 9 P. M. (local time).

Stations of the 3rd class are open from 10 A. M. till 5 P. M., and on Sundays and the holidays enumerated in Rule III from 7 to 8 A. M. and from 4 to 6 P. M. (local time).

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Rule III as revised.—All offices, except those of the 1st class, will be closed to the public between the hours of 8 A. M, and 4 P. M. (local time) on Sunday, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Good Friday and the Queen's Birthday.

Charges on service messages.

Rule XVI as revised.—Service messages from all public functionaries must be paid for in cash or in stamps prior to despatch; the rates are the same for service messages as those charged to private individuals.

(This rule will be relaxed in cases of great emergency. Whenever a State message is tendered for despatch under this permission, the sender must certify to its urgency and to the necessity for its immediate despatch without prepayment, and must take the necessary steps to ascertain the charges on it, and pay them into the Telegraph Office within 24 hours).

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Notice is hereby given that, with the sanction of the chief comr. of —, a prize of *One Thousand Rupees* is offered, subject to the conditions herein set forth, to the composer of the best essay in English on the sources and history of Buddhist law as it prevails in the province of British Burma.

2. The judges of the prize will be—
The judicial comr. of British Burmah.
A comr. or depy. comr. of the Province to be nominated hereafter.
The Dir. of public instruction in British Burma.
The professor of law at the govt. high school, Rangoon.

3. In the event of an equal division of opinion, the judicial comr. shall have a casting vote.

4. The name of the composer shall not be disclosed on the essay, but the name and address shall be written on a piece of paper together with a motto corresponding with the motto of the essay, and shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope to be sent in with the essay.

5. The essays must be received in the office of the judicial comr. on or before the 1st day of May 1876.

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It is expected that about eight express dâks can be supplied daily, and the charge per dâk will be Rs. 30.

From the 8th Mar. two ordinary vans carrying mails will leave the Umballa post office; one in the morning at or about 6 A. M., and the other in the evening at or about 6 P. M. In each of these vans four seats will be available for passengers (if the weight of the mails admit) at a charge of Rs. 6 per seat.

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