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No. 27. Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, (Public,) to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Simla, 1st June 1870, No. 2665 :—

Referring to the Notification of the Government of India, Home Department, No. 794. dated 25th January 1865, I am directed to forward, for information, the accompanying copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State, No. 36, dated 20th April, approving of the discontinuance, in future, of the reference to him in cases in which it is desired to retain the services of gazetted Uncovenanted Officers who have attained the age of fifty-five years.

Despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor-General of India in Council, dated India Office, London, 20th April 1870, No. 36, (Public.)

The Despatch of your Excellency in Council, dated the 23rd of February, No. 22 of 1870, proposing the discontinuance of the reference to the Secretary of State in cases in which it is desired to retain the services of Uncovenanted Officers who have attained the age of fifty-five years, has been considered by me in Council.

2. In reply I have to express my approval of the proposed discontinuance of the reference.

No. 28. ORDER THEREON, 16th June 1870, No. 272.

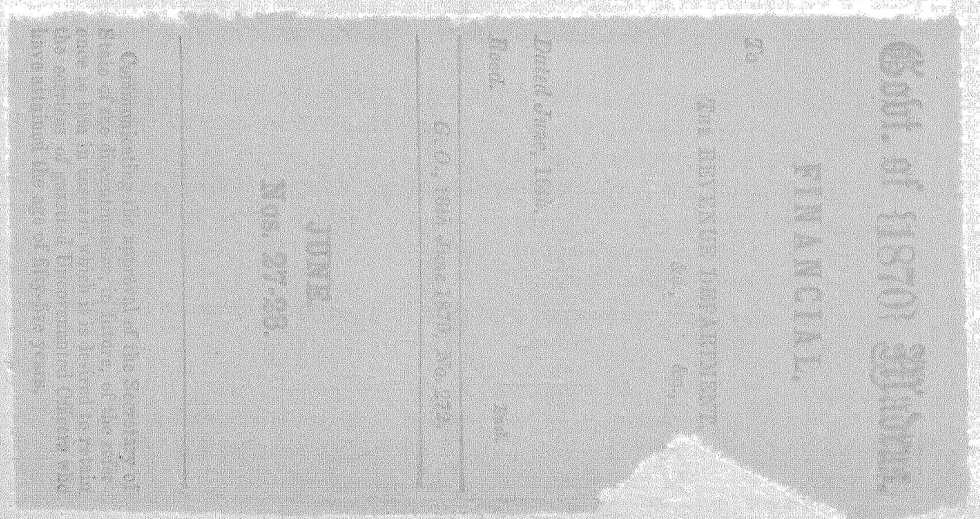
Ordered that the foregoing letter, and its accompaniment, be published in the *Fort Saint George Gazette* for general information, and that copies of the papers be furnished to the Revenue, Military, and Public Works Departments.

(True Extract.)

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
,, Military do.
,, Public Works do.
,, Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Wright.



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No. 36.

INDIA OFFICE;
London, the 20th April 1870.

To His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

MY LORD,—The despatch of your Excellency in Council, dated the 23rd of February, No. 22 of 1870, proposing the discontinuance of the reference to the Secretary of State in cases in which it is desired to retain the services of Uncovenanted Officers who have attained the age of 55 years, has been considered by me in Council.

2. In reply I have to express my approval of the proposed discontinuance of the reference.

I have the honor to be,
MY LORD,
Your Lordship's most obedient, humble Servant,
ARGYLL.

No. 2053

FROM

E. C. BAYLEY, Esq.,

Secretary to the Govt. of India,

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras

Home Dept.

Public.

SIMLA, *the* 1 *June* 1870.

SIR,

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I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

E. C. Bayley

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No 272. - 16 June 70.

Ordered that the foregoing Letter and
it accompaniment be published in the
Hong Kong Gazette for general information
and that copies of the papers be furnished
to the Revenue, Education & Public Works
Departments -

To the Revenue Department
" " Education " Do -
" " Public Works " Do -
" Accountant General

Public Works Office
16th June 1870.

Sir,

I am directed by His Excellency the Commander of the Forces to transmit to you for the information of the Colonial Secretary a Letter addressed to His Excellency by the Secretary of State for War, with its enclosures, on the subject of the Volunteer Force in the Colony, and to request that you will be good enough to cause the necessary steps to be taken for the publication of the Letter and its enclosures in the Hong Kong Gazette.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient
humble Servant,
[illegible]
Secretary to Government

The Hon'ble
The Colonial Secretary
&c &c &c

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Communicating the approval of the Secy: of State of the discontinuance, on failure of the reference to them in cases in which it is desired to retain the services of Gazetted Officers, as Local Officers who have attained the age of

fifty five years.