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No. 51. Read the following letter from Major W. J. WILSON, Acting Commissioner of Police ; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 7th November 1859, No. 148.

With reference to your demi-official communication of the 4th Instant, I have the honor to inform you that the eight men specified in the margin, and who were undergoing their sentences in the Penitentiary, having volunteered for Her Majesty's Navy, I caused them to be put on board Her Majesty's Steam Frigate *Retribution* yesterday morning, having previously ascertained from the Master Attendant, that they were clear of their respective ships ; I, therefore, request you will be good enough to send me the usual official order at your convenience.

John Jenkins.
John O'Brien.
Hannaud Garrold.
James Smith.
Henry Martin.
William Billman.
Peter Arrow.
Bernard Handlen.

No. 52. ORDER THEREON, 16th November 1859, No. 1558.

Under the provisions of Act XVIII, 1855, the Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to remit the unexpired portion of the sentence of imprisonment in the case of each of the eight individuals named in the foregoing letter, in consideration of their having taken service on board Her Majesty's Steam Frigate *Retribution*

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Fred. E. Cartledge.

No. 1558 - 16th November 1859.

Under the provisions of Act XVIII - 1855, the Honble the Governor in Council has been pleased to permit the unexpired portion of the sentence of imprisonment in the case of each of the right individuals named in the foregoing letter having in consideration of their saving service on board H. M.'s Steam Frigate "Retribution."

The Commissioner of Police.
" Master Attendant.