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No. 176. Read the following letter from J. R. BOYSON, Esq., Government Solicitor, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated August 21st, 1860, No. 761.

Dated 21st April 1860, *No.* 478, *Judicial Department.*
Dated 26th May 1860, *No.* 651, *Judicial Department.*

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the Proceedings of Government noted in the margin.

2. I wrote to Mr. Ritchie, the present Administrator General, on the 1st of June last, requesting him to inform me whether, in the event of the Government of India consenting to grant a new Note (in lieu of the missing one for 1,500 Rupees referred to in the Proceedings above noted,) the necessary Bond of Indemnity would be executed by himself, or by the Sureties of the late Administrator General, Mr. Teed, observing that I presumed it would be executed by him (Mr. Ritchie) as the party in whose favor the new Note would be issued and to whom it would be delivered. Mr. Ritchie replied to my letter by stating that, under existing circumstances, he declined to grant the required Bond of Indemnity and referred me to the Gentleman who was holding the office of Administrator General at the time the Note was lost, or his Sureties.

3. I thereupon (on the 8th June) addressed Messrs. G. G. K. Richardson and J. S. S. Richardson, Mr. Teed's Sureties, on the subject, and they consented to execute the required Bond.

4. I then prepared and forwarded the necessary Bond for execution by the Messrs. Richardsons who have this day returned it duly executed, and I have since forwarded it to the Accountant General with a copy of this communication.

No. 177. ORDER THEREON, 24th August 1860, No. 1,072.

In Proceedings, 21st April 1860, *No.* 478.

The Accountant General will, in reference to his letter, 23rd February last, No. 1838, to the Administrator General, forward to Government the Indemnity Bond referred to in this letter.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

No. 1072 — 24th August 1860.

The Acct. General will, in preference to his letter, Sw Proc. 21st April 1860, No. 478 23rd Febry. last, No. 1838, to the Administrator General, forward to Govt. the Indemnity Bond referred to in this letter.

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The Acct. Genl.
" Govt. Solicitor. } Sent 24th