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READ—the following paper :—

Resolution of the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department
(Accounts and Finance—Political), dated Calcutta, the 24th December 1894,
No. 6255-A.

The Government of India have recently had occasion to notice a case in which certain payments due to a Native State on account of the value of some military stores were made by means of a cheque on a Government treasury in favour of an officer of the State. The payment of this cheque through the agents of that officer appears to have facilitated the perpetration of a fraud, and it is therefore considered desirable to avoid as far as possible this mode of payment in future.

2. The Governor-General in Council is accordingly pleased to decide that (in cases not otherwise specially arranged for), instead of direct cash payments being made by disbursing officers of Government, the Account Officer whose duty it is to audit and pass any payment to a Native State should request the Civil Accountant-General of the Government with which the State is in political relation to make the payment (or give the credit) and debit it to him.

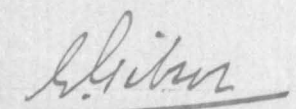
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(Signed) H. J. McINTOSH,
Offg. Under-Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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