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[Despatch Abstract.]

SALUTE TO NATIVE CHIEFS

Communicating to Political officers and to the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces letter from the Government of India regarding the salute fired on the occasion of the installation of a Native Chief.

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12TH SEPTEMBER 1895, No. 617, POLITICAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From H. DALY, Esq., Officiating Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Simla, 23rd August 1895, No. 2774-I.

A royal salute of thirty-one guns has sometimes been fired on the occasion of the installation of a Native Chief, apparently at the moment when the installation is considered to be complete, as when a letter of recognition from His Excellency the Viceroy has been read or when the Chief has taken his seat upon the *gadi* or *masnad*.

2. Such a procedure is irregular. The general rule is that a royal salute should not be fired at these ceremonies unless the Viceroy is present in person, and then only on the arrival and departure of His Excellency, as the salute to which the Viceroy is entitled.

3. It is another general rule that any salute fired during the ceremony, to celebrate the completion of the installation, should be that of the Chief himself, fired in his honour and limited to the number of guns constituting his dynastic or personal salute.

4. If any member of the British Royal Family is expected to be present at an installation ceremony, the question of the salutes to be fired should be referred for special orders.

ORDER—dated 12th September 1895, No. 617, Political.

Communicated to Political Officers and to the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces.

(True Extract.)

For Chief Secretary.

To the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces.

- " Resident in Travancore and Cochin.
- " Political Agent, Pudukkottai.
- " " Sandur.
- " " Banganapalle.
- " Paymaster, Carnatic Stipends.

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FROM

THE DEPUTY SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

TO

The Chief Secretary to the

Government of Fort St. George.

CHIEF SECRETARY
11. SEP 1895
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Simla, the 23rd August 1895.

FOREIGN DEPT. SIR,

A ROYAL salute of 31 guns has sometimes been fired on the occasion of the installation of a Native Chief, apparently at the moment when the installation is considered to be complete, as when a letter of recognition from His Excellency the Viceroy has been read or when the Chief has taken his seat upon the *gadi* or *masnad*.

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I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

A. Daly.

Officiating Deputy Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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" " Sandur
" " Banganapalle
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