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INDIA OFFICE,
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To His Excellency The Most Honourable The Governor General of India
in Council.

MY LORD MARQUIS,—I transmit, for the information of your Excellency, a copy of a letter addressed on the 4th instant to Mr. Thomas Jones, Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Calcutta, from which you will observe that he has been detained in this country for a short time in order that he may be examined by the Select Committee of the House of Commons, which has been appointed to enquire into the alleged grievances of the Uncovenanted Civil Servants.

2. Mr. Jones and any officers who may be similarly detained are not to be considered as being placed on duty, and no charge must be imposed on the revenues of India through their detention, beyond that which would have been incurred if they had returned to their duty on the expiration of their leave. Should they, however, be kept from arriving in India before that date, and consequently be without pay under the ordinary rules, I leave your Government to determine in each case whether they may be permitted to receive any balance of pay that may be available, if the whole sum is not drawn by the officers acting for them. It will, of course, be understood that under no circumstances are they to be paid at a higher rate than would have been admissible if they had been placed on duty, and that the period of their detention will not reckon towards either leave or pension.

I have the honour to be,

My Lord Marquis,

Your Lordship's most obedient humble Servant,

CROSS.

No. 2850-F, dated India Office, 4th July 1890.

From—HORACE G. WALPOLE, Esq., C.B., Assistant Under-Secretary of State for India,
To—THOMAS JONES, Esq., 34 Anerley Road, S.E.

I AM directed by the Secretary of State for India in Council to acquaint you that, at the request of Mr. King, M.P., a member of the Select Committee of the House of Commons to enquire into the grievances of Uncovenanted Civil Servants in India, you will be detained in England for a short time, in order to give evidence respecting the position of Uncovenanted Civil Servants.

A communication on the subject will be made to the Government of India, who will determine whether any pay can be allowed to you during the period of your detention, it being understood that no charge must be imposed