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No. 23. Read the following letter from the Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department [(Judicial)], to the Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort William, 24th December 1872, No. 2294 :—

An instance having recently occurred in which a petition for pardon, addressed to the Secretary of State, was withheld by the Local Government under Clause 5, Rule XIII., * of the Rules for the transmission of Memorials to the Home Government, I am directed to explain that the intention of the rule quoted was not to authorize a Government and Administration to withhold the transmission of a petition for pardon, which cannot strictly be called an appeal from a judicial decision; and to request that the distinction may be carefully observed.

No. 24. ORDER THEREON, 9th January 1873, No. 21.
Communicated to all Departments of the Secretariat.
(True Extract.)


Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department. ✓
„ Military do.
„ Public Works do.
„ Petition do.

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To THE REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

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Communicating a letter from the Government of India, explaining that the intention of Rule XIX of the Rules for the transmission of Memorials to the Home Government was not to authorize a Local Government to withhold the transmission of a petition for pardon, which cannot strictly be called an appeal from a judicial decision, and requesting that the distinction may be carefully observed.

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6 To the O.S.D. of the Home Government