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G. O., 21st December 1868, No. 4963.

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DECEMBER.
Nos. 616-617.

Communicating docket from the Government of India, forwarding copy of despatch from the Home Government, sanctioning, with reference to the cases of Lieutenant-Colonels Stainforth and Smith, the payment of the difference between the consolidated salary of the appointment and the substantive military pay of an Officer, when the latter exceeds the former.

With order
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Comms to the
Board of Revenue.
Dir: of Rev. Settlement.
Dir: of Rev. Survey.
Off: Gen. of Forests.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Military Department,
21st December 1868.*

Read the following papers :—

No. 616. From the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council; dated India Office, London, 14th October 1868. No. 358.

I have considered in Council your letter, dated the 28th of July last, No. 279, bringing to notice the cases of Lieutenant-Colonels Stainforth and Smith, who, by the operation of the rule laid down in the Secretary of State's despatch of the 8th of October 1863, No. 352, have, on obtaining promotion, resigned their appointments in the Public Works and Police Departments, respectively, in consequence of the salary of their appointments being less than the pay of their substantive military rank.

2. As instances of this kind will rarely occur, I sanction the adoption of the rule proposed by your Government, that in any such exceptional case, the difference between the consolidated salary of the appointment and the substantive military pay of the Officer should be paid to him and treated as a military charge.

3. Should your Excellency find no difficulty in re-placing Lieutenant-Colonels Stainforth and Smith in the appointments which they have vacated, I shall not object to your assigning a retrospective date to the operation of this order for that purpose.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT, FORT WILLIAM, THE 3RD DECEMBER 1868.

No. 135.

Copy of the above forwarded to the Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, Military Department, for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

(By order.)

(Signed) B. E. BACON, Lieut.-Colonel,
Offg. Deputy Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 617. ORDER THEREON, 21st December 1868, No. 4963.

Communicated to the Controller of Military Accounts and Departments concerned.

(True Extract.)

W. Marshall Major General,

Secretary to Government.

To the Controller of Military Accounts.

- .. Adjutant General.
- .. Public Works Department.
- .. Judicial Department.
- .. Revenue Department.
- .. Examiner of Claims, for information.

Exd. J. E. Cashart.