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RETURN, with Index, to an Address of the Honourable The House of Commons,  
dated 17 March 1896;—for,

“RETURN setting out (1) WARS and MILITARY OPERATIONS on or beyond the BORDERS of BRITISH INDIA in which the GOVERNMENT of INDIA has been engaged since 1849, in chronological order; (2) the causes of such WARS or OPERATIONS; (3) the locality in which troops operated; (4) the results obtained; (5) the numbers approximately of troops employed; (6) the cost of such WARS or OPERATIONS where shown separately in the ACCOUNTS of the GOVERNMENT of INDIA; and (7) the amount of any contributions towards such cost from the BRITISH TREASURY.”

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ARTHUR GODLEY,  
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(*Mr. John Morley.*)

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## STATEMENT showing the WARS and MILITARY OPERATIONS on or beyond the BORDERS of

| Date.   | War or Expedition.                         | Locality in which the Troops operated.    | The Causes of the War or Operations.   |
|---------|--|---|--|
| 1849    | Villages of British and independent Bazai. | Yusafzai Border                           | Refusal of the British villages to pay revenue, and their preparations, aided by villagers from independent territory, to resist by force the lawful demand of British officers. |
| 1850    | Kohat Pass Afridi                          | Kohat Pass                                | Attack by Afridis on a party of sappers engaged in road-making; nearly all the sappers were killed or wounded.   |
| 1851    | Miranzai                                   | British Miranzai                          | Disturbed state of the country owing to the entry of Afghan troops into the Miranzai villages.   |
| 1851-52 | Mohmand                                    | Mohmand Border                            | Constant raids and robberies by Mohmands in British territory.   |
| 1852    | Mohmand (affair at Panjpaot).              | Mohmand Border                            | Threatening attitude assumed by the Mohmands, and their firing into a British village.   |
| 1852    | Ranizais                                   | Ranizai Border                            | Constant forays on British villages, culminating in an attack on a detachment of the "Guides."   |
| 1852    | Utman Khel                                 | Utman Khel Border                         | Acts of aggression on British villages   |
| 1852    | Umarzai Waziris                            | Hills north of Bannu                      | Constant raids into British territory  |
| 1852-53 | Hassanzais                                 | Black Mountain                            | Some of the tribesmen crossed into British territory and murdered two British officers; the whole tribe approved of the murder and sheltered the murderers.                      |
| 1852-53 | Second Burmese War                         | Burma                                     | Ill-treatment of some European merchants at Rangoon, and insults offered to the captain of a British frigate who was sent to remonstrate.  |
| 1853    | Hindustani Fanatics                        | Amb territory                             | They co-operated with the Hassanzais in creating disturbance in British territory.   |
| 1853    | Shiranis                                   | Shirani Country; Dera Ismail Khan Border. | Numerous raids into British territory  |
| 1853    | Kasranis                                   | Dera Ghazi Khan District Border.          | Constant depredations in British territory   |
| 1853    | Jowaki Afridis                             | Bori Valley, north-east of Kohat.         | Raids into British territory, and the giving of asylum to criminals from the Peshawar and Rawalpindi districts.  |
| 1854    | Michni Mohmands                            | North of Peshawar                         | Constant raids into the Peshawar district.   |
| 1855    | Aka Khel Afridis                           | South-west of Peshawar                    | Frequent cattle thefts and robberies near the Kohat Pass, and an attack on a British camp.   |
| 1855    | Miranzai                                   | British Miranzai                          | Non-payment of revenue, and generally disturbed state of the country.  |

## BRITISH INDIA in which the GOVERNMENT of INDIA have been engaged since the Year 1849.

| The Number, approximately, of Troops employed. | The Results obtained.   | The Cost of the War or Operations (where shown separately in the Accounts of the Government of India). | The Amount of any Contribution towards such Cost from the British Treasury. |
|--|---|--|---|
| 2,300  | The refractory villagers and their abettors were punished.  | Rx.  | \$  |
| 3,200  | The troops traversed the country, and the Afridis were punished.  |  |   |
| 2,050  | British troops traversed the country, order was re-established, and hostages were taken for the good behaviour of the tribe.  |  |   |
| 1,597  | The Mohmand villages immediately on the British border were destroyed, and the tribesmen, after a crushing defeat, made their submission.   |  |   |
| 600  | The enemy were dispersed, and the Halimzai clan made complete submission.   |  |   |
| 3,270  | The tribesmen were punished, and order and security on this part of the frontier were restored.   |  |   |
| 2,200  | British troops traversed their country, and their chief villages were completely destroyed. Their punishment had a wholesome effect for several years.  |  |   |
| 1,500  | Troops traversed the Umarzai country, and the tribe was thoroughly humbled.   |  |   |
| 3,800  | British troops traversed their country, destroying the Hassanzai villages and grain, &c. After this lesson the Hassanzais for a time remained quiet, and no overt act of hostility was committed by them. |  |   |
| 13,100   | Annexation of Pega.   |  |   |
| 2,000  | British troops traversed their settlements without opposition.  |  |   |
| 2,795  | Their country was overrun by British troops, and their principal villages were destroyed. After this expedition the conduct of the Shiranis occasioned comparatively little trouble.                      |  |   |
| 964  | Troops traversed their country, destroying their property. After this expedition, raids for the most part ceased.   |  |   |
| 1,740  | British troops entered their country and defeated them in several engagements. Bori, their stronghold, was destroyed, after which the tribesmen made their submission.                                    |  |   |
| 1,782  | British troops traversed the country and destroyed their principal villages. The tribe then submitted unconditionally.  |  |   |
| 1,500  | British troops entered their country and inflicted severe punishment on the tribe. The tribe made their submission, consenting to pay a fine of Rs. 2,170.  |  |   |
| 3,766  | British troops traversed their country, bearing down all opposition. Satisfactory settlement was then arrived at.   |  |   |

## STATEMENT showing the Wars and Military Operations on or beyond the Borders of British

| Date.   | War or Expedition.                       | Locality in which the Troops operated.  | The Causes of the War or Operations.  |
|---------|--|---|---|
| 1855    | Rabbia Khel Orakzais                     | Miranzai Valley, west of Hangu.         | Attack and plunder of the British village of Shahu Khel.  |
| 1856    | Turis                                    | Kurram Valley                           | Raids on British territory  |
| 1856-57 | Persian War                              | Persian Gulf (Bushire and Muhammarah).  | Insults offered to the British Envoy at Teheran. Capture of Herat, in violation of agreement.   |
| 1856-57 | Chinese War                              | West River Valley                       | General ill-treatment of foreigners, culminating in the carrying off of the crew of the British lorcha "Arrow."   |
| 1857    | Bozdars                                  | North-west of Dera Ghazi Khan District. | Raids on British territory  |
| 1857    | British villages on the Yusufzai Border. | Buner Border                            | Disaffection towards the ruling authorities and refusal to pay revenue.   |
| 1858    | Khuda Khel and Hindustani Fanatics.      | Eastern portion of the Yusufzai Border. | Attack on the camp of Lieutenant J. C. Horne, Assistant Commissioner of Yusufzai. All his baggage was taken and five of his servants were killed.   |
| 1859-60 | Kabul Khel Waziris                       | Kurram Valley, below Thall.             | The Kabul Khel gave shelter to the murderers of Captain Meham.  |
| 1860    | Mahaud Waziris                           | Waziristan                              | Raids on British territory  |
| 1860    | China War                                | North China                             | Opposing the return of the British representative to exchange the ratifications of the Treaty of Tientsin, and resisting the advance of the British and French troops up the Peiho River on the 24th June 1859. |
| 1862-63 | Khasia and Jaintia                       | Khasia and Jaintia Hills, Assam.        | Opposition to the imposition of the income tax.   |
| 1863    | Ambela                                   | Buner Country                           | Depredations in British territory by the Hindustani Fanatics who had settled down at Malka.   |
| 1864    | Mohmand                                  | Mohmand Border                          | Unprovoked aggressions  |
| 1864    | Bhutan                                   | Bhutan                                  | Ill-treatment of the British Mission to Bhutan.   |
| 1866    | Naga                                     | Naga Hills, Assam                       | Raids on British territory  |
| 1867-68 | Abyssinia                                | Abyssinia                               | Imprisonment and torture of British subjects by King Theodore.  |
| 1868    | Bizoti Orakzais                          | Ublan Pass, Konat Border                | The clans attacked some police posts in British territory.  |
| 1868    | Black Mountain                           | Black Mountain, Hazara Border.          | Attack on a British police post at Ogli in the Agror Valley.  |
| 1869    | Lushai and Kuki                          | Sylhet and Cachar Border, Assam.        | Raids on British territory  |

India in which the Government of India have been engaged since the Year 1849—*continued.*

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|  |  | Rx.  | £  |
| 2,457  | British troops traversed their country, inflicting considerable loss on the tribe. The tribe immediately submitted and entered into an engagement for future good conduct, to which they adhered for some years. |  |  |
| 4,896  | British troops traversed their country, and the tribe then made their submission and entered into an engagement for future good conduct.   |  |  |
| 14,900   | Treaty of Paris of 4th March 1857  |  | Half the extraordinary charges borne by British Treasury.  |
| 5,787  | Capture of Canton and Treaty of Tientsin, 26th June 1858.  |  | Ordinary and extraordinary expenditure borne by the British Treasury.  |
| 2,755  | British troops traversed their country and compelled the tribe to accept the terms offered to them.  |  |  |
| 3,015  | Troops were sent against them and the villagers were punished.   |  |  |
| 4,877  | British troops traversed their country, destroying their villages.   |  |  |
| 5,372  | An expedition was sent against the tribe, but arrangements having been made with them and other clans implicated for the capture and surrender of the murderers, the expedition was withdrawn without bloodshed. |  |  |
| 6,786  | British troops traversed the country of the tribe, inflicting on them severe loss.   |  |  |
| 11,000   | Capture of Peking, Treaty of Peking, 24th October 1860.  |  | All ordinary and extraordinary expenditure, except expenses of Indian Navy vessels, borne by British Treasury. |
| 870  | The rebel leaders surrendered and the pacification was completed.  |  |  |
| 9,000  | All opposition by the Hindustanis and their allies was borne down, and Malka was destroyed.  |  |  |
| 1,801  | The tribesmen, while threatening the fort of Shabkadar, were met and defeated by British troops.   |  |  |
| 3,700  | Surrender of all British Kuch Behar and Sikkim subjects. Extradition of criminals, free trade, British arbitration in disputes with Kuch Behar and Sikkim, and the cession of the Duars.                         |  |  |
| 200  | Subjugation of the country.  |  |  |
| 12,000   | Capture of Magdala and release of the captives.  |  | All extraordinary charges borne by British Treasury.   |
| 970  | A blockade was established against them, and they suffered considerably in an engagement with British troops.  |  |  |
| 12,544   | British troops entered the country and the tribe made submission.  |  |  |
| 1,251  | The tribes were punished.  |  |  |

## STATEMENT showing the Wars and Military Operations on or beyond the Borders of British

| Date.           | War or Expedition.                   | Locality in which the Troops operated.   | The Causes of the War or Operations.   |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1869            | Bizoti Oraksais - -                  | Kohat Border - -                         | Attack on a police post at the foot of the Kohat <i>kotal</i> , killing one policeman who resisted, and carrying off of three others.          |
| 1871-72         | Lushai - - - -                       | Lushai Hills, Assam - -                  | Raids on British territory and capture of Miss Winchester.   |
| 1872            | Dawaris - - - -                      | Dawar Valley - - - -                     | Refusal to pay fine inflicted for sheltering and assisting Muhammad Khel Waziris who were in rebellion against the British Government.         |
| 1872-73         | Garo Hills - - - -                   | Garo Hills, Assam - -                    | Raids perpetrated by independent tribesmen on villages under British protection.   |
| <del>1874</del> | Daphla - - - -                       | Assam - - - -                            | Seizure of some Daphlas residing in the plains below the Daphla Hills.   |
| 1875            | Naga - - - -                         | Naga Hills, Assam - -                    | Traacherous attack on survey party; Lieutenant Holcombe and 80 men killed; Captain Badgely and 50 men wounded.                                 |
| 1875-76         | Perak - - - -                        | Perak - - - -                            | Murder of British Resident (Mr. Birch)   |
| 1876            | Naga - - - -                         | Arakan Hill Tracts - -                   | Raid on the village Langajoke; eight people carried off, two wounded and one killed.   |
| 1877            | Naga - - - -                         | Naga Hills, Assam - -                    | Raid on the village of Gumaighju; six killed and two wounded.  |
| 1877            | Jowaki Afridis - -                   | Jowaki Hills, north of Kohat.            | Cutting telegraph wire and raiding into British territory.   |
| 1877-78         | Jowaki Afridis - -                   | Jowaki Hills, north of Kohat.            | A series of outrages against British territory.  |
| 1878            | Utman Khels - - -                    | Utman Khel Border, north-west of Mardan. | Wanton raid on a gang of unarmed Muhammadan coolies working on the Swat Canal near Abazai.   |
| 1878            | Ranizais - - - -                     | Ranizai Border - - -                     | The Ranizai village of Shakot was harbouring outlaws, and had proved otherwise troublesome and disobedient.                                    |
| 1878            | Utman Khels - - -                    | Utman Khel Border, north-west of Mardan. | Punishment of certain sections of Utman Khels who did not submit to Government terms after the Abazai outrage ( <i>see above</i> ).            |
| 1878            | Zakka Khel Afridis -                 | Bazar Valley - - - -                     | Hostile attitude towards the British troops advancing towards Afghanistan during the second Afghan War. Repeated depredation by the tribesmen. |
| 1878            | Malta - - - -                        | Malta - - - -                            | Russo-Turkish War and political situation in the Mediterranean.  |
| 1878-79         | Second Afghan War (first phase).     | Afghanistan - - - -                      | Reception by Amir Sher Ali of a Russian Mission in Kabul, and his refusal to allow a British Mission to enter Afghanistan.                     |
| 1879-81         | Second Afghan War (second phase).    | Afghanistan - - - -                      | Massacre at Kabul of nearly all the British Residency staff and establishment by mutinous regiments in the Amir's service.                     |
| 1879            | Suliman Khel Powindahs (and others). | Mouth of the Gumal Pass                  | Raids into British territory - - -   |
| 1879            | Zakka Khel Afridis -                 | Bazar Valley - - - -                     | Misconduct during the second Afghan War.   |
| 1879            | Mohmands - - - -                     | Mohmand Country - -                      | Hostile attitude during the second Afghan War.   |
| 1879            | Zaimukhts - - - -                    | Zaimukht Country, Kohat Border.          | Hostile attitude during the Afghan War, and a series of offences on the Thal-Kurram Road and the Miranzai Border.                              |

India in which the Government of India have been engaged since the Year 1849—*continued.*

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|--|---|--|---|
|  |   | Rt.  |   |
| 2,080  | The tribesmen made their submission. They agreed to pay a fine of Rs. 1,200 and to give nine of their principal headmen as hostages for their future good behaviour.                                      |  |   |
| 3,344  | Many chiefs submitted and Miss Winchester was given up.   | 210,869  |   |
| 1,826  | The tribesmen made their submission and paid the fine. They also entered into an agreement with Government.   |  |   |
| 500<br>(Armed police.)                         | Submission of the independent villages concerned in the raids.  |  |   |
| 1,000  | The prisoners were released and the tribe submitted.  | 48,446   |   |
| 308  | Destruction of villages implicated, recovery of arms and plunder taken from survey party.   | 1,080  |   |
| 1,250  | Defeat of Ismail Sultan; establishment of British supremacy in Perak.   | 41,194   | All extraordinary charges borne by Colonial Government.                     |
| 120  | The village of Khainoon was burned.   |  |   |
| 400  | The village of Mywar was burned.  |  |   |
| 1,750  | British troops traversed their country and destroyed property of considerable value by way of punishment.   |  |   |
| 7,400  | The tribe made their submission and accepted Government terms.  |  |   |
| 280  | Certain sections of the tribe submitted to the terms imposed by Government.   |  |   |
| 860  | They complied with the Government terms, which demanded, among others, the expulsion of the outlaws.  |  |   |
| 875  | The tribesmen made their submission, and agreed to pay a fine of Rs. 1,000.   |  |   |
| 2,500  | British troops traversed their country, and the tribesmen eventually made their submission.   |  |   |
| 6,060  | - - - - -   |  | All ordinary and extraordinary expenditure borne by British Treasury.       |
| 44,056   | British troops forced their way into Afghanistan, and after the flight and subsequent death from natural causes of Amir Sher Ali, a treaty was made with his son, Yakub Khan, who was recognised as Amir. | 17,516,254   |   |
| 71,726   | Military occupation of Afghanistan, followed by the installation of Sardar Abdur Rahman Khan as the Amir of Afghanistan.  |  | 6,000,000   |
| 640  | They were severely punished, and a sum of nearly Rs. 60,000 was levied as fine and compensation.  |  |   |
| 3,750  | After suffering some loss the tribesmen made their submission.  |  |   |
| 600  | The tribesmen were punished.  |  |   |
| 3,226  | The Zaimukht Hills were traversed, and this was soon followed by the submission of the tribe.   |  |   |



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| Date.   | War or Expedition.      | Locality in which the Troops operated. | The Causes of the War or Operations.  |
|---------|-------------------------|--|---|
| 1879-80 | Naga                    | Naga Hills, Assam                      | Murder of Mr. Damant, Political Officer.  |
| 1880    | Mohmands                | Mohmand Country                        | Hostile attitude of the tribe during the second phase of the second Afghan War.   |
| 1880    | Bhittanis               | Jandula                                | The Bhittanis of Jandula, under the excitement caused by the preaching of a Mulla, were giving trouble, and failed to supply information about certain raiders when it was demanded.            |
| 1880    | Marris                  | Dera Ghazi Khan Border                 | Numerous serious instances of misconduct on the part of the Marris, and specially their attack on a railway convoy and the plunder of a considerable amount of treasure.                        |
| 1880    | Malik Shahi Waziris     | Kurram Valley, below Thall.            | Non-payment of fines inflicted on the Kabul Khel and Malik Shahi Waziris, chiefly for minor offences during the second Afghan War.  |
| 1881    | Mahsud Waziris          | Waziristan                             | Commission of serious outrages in British territory.  |
| 1882    | Egyptian                | Egypt                                  | Rebellion of Arabi Pasha  |
| 1883    | Aka                     | Aka Hills, Assam                       | Misconduct of a section of the Aka tribe on the Northern Assam Frontier, who had raided across the border and taken away captive some Native British subjects.                                  |
| 1883    | Naga                    | Naga Hills, Assam                      | Raid on Chingaki, a Lhota village in British territory, where two boys were killed.   |
| 1883    | Takht-i-Suliman         | Takht-i-Suliman Mountain.              | Opposition to a survey party on the Takht-i-Suliman Mountain.   |
| 1884    | Zhub Valley             | Zhub Valley                            | A series of outrages against the British Government, its subjects and its servants, committed by the Kakar and Musakel tribes, culminating in an attack on some coolies in the Duki cantonment. |
| 1885-86 | Soudan                  | Suakim                                 | Operations against the dervishes under Osman Digna round Suakim.  |
| 1885-91 | Third Burmese War       | Burma                                  | Arbitrary fine of ruinous amount upon the Bombay-Burma Trading Corporation, Limited. Misconduct of King Thebaw.   |
| 1886    | Naga                    | Naga Hills, Assam                      | Raid committed by the Ao village of Merangkhang (Nadgaon) upon the neighbouring village of Deka Haimong.  |
| 1887    | Naga                    | Naga Hills, Assam                      | Raids by Mezami Nagas on some of the Eastern Angami villages.   |
| 1888    | First Hazara Expedition | Black Mountain                         | Constant raids by the tribes of the Black Mountain on villages in British territory, culminating in an attack on a small British detachment, in which two English officers were killed.         |

Expenditure which the Government of India have been engaged since the Year 1849 — *continued.*

| The Number, approximately, of Troops employed. | The Results obtained.  | The Cost of the War or Operations (where shown separately in the Accounts of the Government of India). | The Amount of any Contribution towards such Cost from the British Treasury. |
|--|--|--|---|
|  |  | Rs.  | £   |
| 1,440  | Khonoma was destroyed, fines levied, and fire-arms seized.   | 175,223  |   |
| 2,330  | The tribesmen were severely punished.  |  |   |
| 721  | A detachment of troops was sent to punish them, and they soon submitted.   |  |   |
| 3,074  | General C. M. MacGregor marched through the Marri country. The Marri chiefs submitted and accepted the terms laid down by Government. The tribe was fined Rs. 2,00,000 in all, of which Rs. 1,25,000 was realised. Approved hostages were taken for the future good behaviour of the clan.   |  |   |
| 800  | The whole fine of Rs. 13,200 was realised, and Rs. 6,000 taken as security for future good conduct.  |  |   |
| 8,531  | British troops traversed their country, and the tribe made their submission.   | 99,121   |   |
| 7,000  | Suppression of the rebellion in Lower Egypt.   | 1,249,578  | 500,000   |
| 860  | Submission of the Aka chiefs   | 18,517   |   |
| 71   | The village of the leader of the raid was occupied and burnt; the heads of the victims were recovered.   |  |   |
| 1,700  | About 300 Kidderzai Shiranis who opposed the expedition were dispersed.  |  |   |
| 4,850  | A small force was entrenched at Zandra for some months, which prevented further outrage. Sir R. Sandemat with other officers afterwards marched through the country. The chiefs submitted and engaged to prevent their tribesmen from raiding on British territory. They acknowledged the supremacy of the British Government, agreed to pay a fine of Rs. 20,000, the whole of which was realised, and acknowledged the right of Government to station troops in Zhob and Bori. | 60,818   |   |
| 3,000  |  |  | All extraordinary expenditure borne by British Treasury.                    |
| 24,600   | Upper Burma was annexed  | 4,704,787  |   |
| 120  | The villagers were punished, and some of the ringleaders were surrendered.   |  |   |
| 120  | Protection of the Eastern Angami villages from further aggression by the Mezamis, and the establishment of our influence among the Semas.  |  |   |
| 12,771   | British troops traversed the country of the tribes and severely punished them. Punishments also inflicted on the Hindusta. Fanatics of   | 117,010  |   |

## STATEMENT showing the Wars and Military Operations on or beyond the Borders of India

| Date.   | War or Expedition.           | Locality in which the Troops operated.      | The Causes of the War or Operations.   |
|---------|------------------------------|---|--|
| 1888-90 | Sikkim Expedition -          | Sikkim -                                    | Occupation by the Tibetans of the Lingtu fort in Sikkim territory.   |
| 1888-89 | Lushai Expedition -          | Lushai Hills, Assam -                       | Raid committed by Shendor Lushais in the Chittagong Hill Tracts.   |
| 1889-91 | Chin and Lushai Expeditions. | Chin Hills, Burma, and Lushai Hills, Assam. | Raids by the Siyin and Kanhow Chin tribes.<br>Raid by Lushais into the Chengri Valley on the Chittagong Frontier.  |
| 1890    | Somaliland -                 | Somaliland -                                | Attack by the Mamasan section of the white Esa tribe on the port of Bulbar.  |
| 1890    | Zhob -                       | Zhob -                                      | Turbulence of the Khidarzais, a section of the Sherani tribe.  |
| 1890-91 | Lushai -                     | Eastern Lushai Hills, Assam.                | Murder of Captain Browne, Political Officer, Lushai Hills.   |
| 1891    | Manipur -                    | Manipur -                                   | Murder of British officers and rebellion against the Government of India.  |
| 1891    | First Miranzai -             | Miranzai -                                  | The Orakzai clans near the Miranzai Valley refused to pay fines due on account of numerous raids and outrages, and were insolent to messengers sent to them. |
| 1891    | Second Miranzai -            | Miranzai Border of Orakzai Country.         | Non-payment of fines by two principal sections of the Samil clans and certain other tribesmen, and their gross misconduct.                                   |
| 1891    | Second Hazara -              | Black Mountain -                            | The tribes on the slopes of the Black Mountain fired on a British Agent at British limits.   |
| 1891    | Hanza -                      | Hanza and Nagar -                           | The hostile and defiant attitude of the Hunza and Nagar towards the British Agent at Gilgit.   |
| 1891-92 | Wuntho -                     | Burma -                                     | Refusal to receive British officials.  |

India in which the Government of India have been engaged since the Year 1849—*continued.*

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|--|---|--|---|
| 2,100  | Expulsion of the Tibetans from Lingtu, and the conclusion of a convention between Great Britain and China, defining the boundary between Sikkim and Tibet, admitting the protectorate of the British Government over Sikkim, and agreeing to trade facilities across the Sikkim-Tibet Frontier.                           | Rr.<br>278,396   | £   |
| 1,282  | Two important villages were destroyed and a strong fortified post was established.  | 76,612   |   |
| 3,380  | Captives were recovered, villages were destroyed, and certain clans punished. Measures were also taken to induce the Chins into complete submission. The villages of Lengpunga, Nikama, and Lunglena were destroyed, and the posts of Aijal, and Changsil occupied.   | 671,616  |   |
| 369  | The enemy were driven out of their country and suffered considerable loss by the destruction and abandonment of their animals, and the exclusion of the tribe from their pasture grounds for an entire season. The tribe engaged not to attack Zaila and Bulhar, to protect caravans, and to restore Government property. |  |   |
| 3,989  | The whole of the Slerani tribe made submission, and the country lying between the Zheb and Kunder rivers was explored and mapped.   | 47,110   |   |
| 421  | Complete pacification of the Northern Lushai villages, west of the Souai River, and the unconditional surrender of all but one of the chiefs implicated in the rising.  |  |   |
| 1,934  | Manipur was captured, some of the leaders of the rebellion were hanged and others deported. Native rule was re-established, provision being made for the complete subordination of the state to Government.   | 322,112  |   |
| 5,261  | British troops traversed the country without opposition. The tribesmen then accepted the Government terms, which were payment of fines, the location of posts on the Samana Range, the acceptance of tribal responsibility for offences, and the payment of revenue on lands on the south side of the Samana.             | 190,359 (a)  |   |
| 8,402  | The tribesmen made their submission and accepted the Government terms.  | Included in (a) above.   |   |
| 7,289  | British troops traversed the country of the tribes. The tribesmen made their submission and entered into an agreement with Government to preserve the peace of the border.  | 177,148  |   |
| 1,183  | Hunza and Nagar were occupied, the Chief of Nagar was reinstated on making his submission, and the half brother of the Raja of Hunza was installed as Chief in the place of his brother.  |  |   |
| 1,800  | The direct administration of the State was taken over.  | 45,257   |   |

## STATEMENT showing the Wars and Military Operations on or beyond the Borders of British

| Date.   | War or Expedition.       | Locality in which the Troops operated. | The Causes of the War or Operations.  |
|---------|--------------------------|--|---|
| 1862    | Isazai - - - -           | Trans-Indus Isazai Country             | Certain sections of the tribe, contrary to their agreement with Government, allowed Hashim Ali, an outlaw, to settle in their country, and, when asked, refused to surrender him. |
| 1892-93 | Kachin - - - -           | Kachin Hills - - - -                   | Attack by Kachins on military police proceeding to Sima to establish a post.  |
| 1892-93 | Chin - - - -             | Chin Hills - - - -                     | The Chins committed a treacherous attack on a Burmese Myook, who was going, with an escort, to meet the Kaptial Chief.  |
| 1893-94 | Bor Abor - - - -         | Bor Abor Country, Assam                | Murder of military police sepoy in British territory.   |
| 1894    | Bor Abor - - - -         | Border of ditto - - - -                | Treacherous murder of two small patrols.  |
| 1893-94 | Siyin Operations - - - - | North Chin Hills - - - -               | Troops were sent to collect the fines and to disarm the country on account of the previous rebellion.   |
| 1894    | Waziristan - - - -       | Waziristan - - - -                     | Attack on the British camp at Wano -  |
| 1894-95 | Chin - - - -             | Chin Hills - - - -                     | Raids committed by the Thetta Clan of Baungshe Chins.   |
| 1895    | Chitral - - - -          | Swat, Bajaur, Chitral, &c.             | Anarchy in Chitral. Advance of Umbra Khan and Sher Afzal into Chitral, where they besieged the British Agent at Gilgit and a party of officers and Native troops.                 |
| 1895-96 | Kachin - - - -           | Kachin Hills - - - -                   | Raids on British territory by the Sana Kachins.   |
| 1895-96 | Lushai - - - -           | North Lushai Hills - - - -             | Persistent refusal of the Chief of Kairuma and the other Chiefs of his group to meet the Political Officer, and to comply with demands for labour.                                |
| 1896    | Egypt - - - -            | Suakim - - - -                         | Advance of the Egyptian Army for the reconquest of the Soudan. Indian troops lent to garrison Suakim.   |
| 1896    | East Africa - - - -      | Mombasa - - - -                        | Raids by the Arab Chief Mbaruk on Malindi and other places on the Mombasa Coast.  |
| 1897    | Somra - - - -            | Manipur Border - - - -                 | Raid on the Tangkhul Naga village of Shorafunghi, in which one man and three women were killed, and the heads of two of the latter were carried off.                              |
| 1897    | East Africa - - - -      | Uganda, Africa - - - -                 | Mutiny of the Soudanese troops in the Uganda Protectorate.  |
| 1897    | Tochi - - - -            | Tochi Valley - - - -                   | Treacherous attack on Mr. Gee, the Political Officer in the Tochi, and his escort, in which many officers and men were killed and wounded.  |

India which the Government of India have been engaged since the Year 1849—*continued.*

| The Number of Troops employed. | The Results obtained.  | The Cost of the War or Operations (where shown separately in the Accounts of the Government of India). | The Amount of any Contribution towards such Cost from the British Treasury. |
|--------------------------------|--|--|---|
| 6,997                          | British troops entered their country and destroyed the defences.   | Rs.<br>33,512  |   |
| 1,200                          | Submission of all the hostile Kachin villages, except two, which were destroyed.   | 4,803  |   |
| 2,250                          | The villages implicated were destroyed, and a large number of guns were withdrawn from the tribes as a punishment.   | 42,940   |   |
| 600                            | The villages concerned in the murder, and also all other villages that opposed the expedition in any way, were destroyed.  | 1,544  |   |
| 100                            | Punishment of the tribes - - -   |  |   |
| 500                            | The fines were collected and the country disarmed.   | 3,451  |   |
| 10,983                         | British troops traversed the country of the tribes, and their towers, &c. were destroyed.  | 251,137  |   |
| 300                            | Thetta and the surrounding villages were disarmed.   |  |   |
| 13,399                         | British troops marched into the country and raised the siege; Umra Khan fled, and Sher Afzal was taken prisoner. Chitral has since been occupied by British Indian troops, though the country is administered by the Mehtar, aided by a Council of Chitrali Adamzadas. | 1,683,915  |   |
| 700                            | The tract was visited by military police and the offending tribes punished.  |  |   |
| 800                            | Complete subjugation of the villages.  |  |   |
| 2,444                          | Recapture of the Soudan up to Abu Hamed.   | 230,905<br>(Account not yet closed)  | Borne by Her Majesty's Imperial Government.                                 |
| 737                            | Defeat of Mbaruk and pacification of the country.  |  |   |
| 200                            | The raiders' village was burnt, large quantities of grain and property were destroyed, and three of the raiders were arrested.   |  |   |
| 1,121                          | Mutiny quelled.  |  |   |
| 7,123                          | British troops traversed the country of the tribesmen, destroying fortified hots. The sections concerned subsequently made their submission and agreed to Government terms. Certain ringleaders surrendered and were imprisoned.                                       | 384,533  |   |

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| Date. | War or Expedition.        | Locality in which the Troops operated. | The Causes of the War or Operations.  |
|-------|---------------------------|--|---|
| 1897  | Malakand - - -            | Swat and Bajaur - -                    | Fanatical outbreak in the Swat Valley. Attack on the British positions at Malakand and Chakdarra.   |
| 1897  | Mohmand - - -             | Mohmand Country - -                    | Unprovoked aggression by the tribe. Attack on a British frontier post.  |
| 1897  | Utman Khel - - -          | Utman Khel Country -                   | The tribe joined in the attack on the Malakand.   |
| 1897  | Buner - - -               | Buner Country - - -                    | Many Bunerwals took part in the Malakand rising.  |
| 1897  | Kohat-Kurram - - -        | Kurram Valley - - -                    | Unprovoked aggression. Attacks on British posts.  |
| 1897  | Tirah - - -               | Tirah - - -                            | Unprovoked aggression by the Afridis and Orakzais. Destruction of the Khyber posts, in violation of agreement.  |
| 1895  | Makran - - -              | Makran - - -                           | A column was despatched to India by sea, owing to the rebellion of Makran against the authority of the Khan of Kalat, and an attempt by some Makran chiefs on a British survey party. |
| 1898  | Juba River, East Africa - | East Africa - - -                      | Rebellion of the Ogaden Somalis -   |

Which the Government of India have been engaged since the Year 1849—*continued.*

|        | The Results obtained.  | The Cost of the War or Operation (where shown separately in the Accounts of the Government of India). | The Amount of any Contribution towards such Cost from the British Treasury. |
|--------|--|---|---|
|        |  | Rx.   | £   |
| 11,826 | The insurgents were defeated, and the fanatical gatherings were dispersed. Large fines were taken in money and arms.   |   |   |
| 6,799  | British troops traversed the country of the tribesmen, inflicting severe punishment. Fines of money and arms were recovered.   |   |   |
| 3,200  | The tribe made complete submission, and gave in the arms demanded.   |   |   |
| 7,315  | The British troops traversed the country of the tribe, who were reduced to submission, and paid up the fines demanded.   |   |   |
| 11,231 | British troops traversed the country and the tribesmen were severely punished.   | 4,471,610<br>(Approximate figure;<br>accounts not yet finally<br>closed.)                             |   |
| 43,703 | British troops traversed the country of the tribes, inflicting severe loss on the tribesmen, who were ultimately reduced to submission; they paid large fines in money and arms and friendly relations have since been restored. |   |   |
| 600    | Some of the rebels were fined and the property of others was confiscated. The country was traversed and pacified, and many of the Makran forts were demolished.  | 17,171<br>(Probable cost).  |   |
| 450    | Suppression of the rebellion.  |   |   |



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