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NOTIFICATION.

Bombay Castle, 4th August 1831.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council having sanctioned the publication of a weekly paper to be styled the BOMBAY GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, notice is hereby given, that after this day all advertisements and other public papers of the government, will be printed in the BOMBAY GOVERNMENT GAZETTE only; and all orders or other public notices, appearing in that paper, under the signature of the secretaries, or other public officers of the government, are hereby ordered and directed to be conformed to and obeyed accordingly. It is not intended that public intelligence, or private advertisements, and notifications should be inserted in the government gazette.

Bombay Castle, 18th January 1832.

When official notifications from the government are inserted in the BOMBAY GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, no communication on the same subject will be made in writing to any department concerned; but all public officers are required to take notice of such official notifications in the same manner as if they had been directly communicated to them by letter from the secretary's office, and as heads of offices alone will be furnished by government with the BOMBAY GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, they will be expected to communicate to their subordinate officers all orders which may in any manner concern them.

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Published by order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council
JOHN BAX. Secy. to Govt.

Legislative Department.

FORT WILLIAM.

THE 14th JANUARY, 1839.

The following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 14th of January, 1839.

ACT No. — of 1839.

I. It is hereby enacted, that from the day of Section XXIII. Regulation XXVIII. of 1802, of the Madras Code, shall be repealed, and all Commissions whereby Commissioners for the sale of distrained property may have been appointed under the provisions of that Section shall be annulled.

II. And it is hereby enacted, that from the said day all Tahseeldars within the Territories subject to the Presidency of Fort St. George shall be vested with the powers of Commissioners for the sale of property distrained for arrears of rent or of revenue, and shall be subject to all rules and provisions to which by any Law or Regulation such Commissioners are subject.

III. Provided always, that in respect of the exercise of those powers Tahseeldars shall be subject to the controul and superintendence of the Collector, and shall not be subject to the authority of the Zillah Judge, except in the case of any Judicial proceedings.

IV. Provided also, that Tahseeldars shall be subject to the same liabilities, in respect of the exercise of the said powers, to which they are subjected by Section X. Regulation IX. of 1822 of the Madras Code in cases in which they conduct sales under the provisions of that Regulation.

V. Provided also, that Tahseeldars shall not be entitled to any fee or Commission for selling such distrained property; but that all fees or commission which may be now lawfully taken by Commissioners for the sale of such distrained property, shall be taken and carried to the account of Government.

VI. And it is hereby enacted, that Tahseeldars shall have authority, subject to the orders of the Collector, to delegate the powers vested in them by the second Clause of this Act to any public servants placed under their authority; and that the provisions of three last preceding Clauses of this Act shall apply to all public servants to whom those powers shall have been so delegated, in the same manner as they apply to Tahseeldars.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 14th day of March next.

J. P. GRANT,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Legislative Department.

FORT WILLIAM.

THE 14th JANUARY, 1839.

The Hon'ble the Court of Directors having confirmed the selection of Mr. Daniel Elliott, of the Madras Civil Service, to be a Member of the India Law Commission, The Hon'ble the President of the Council of India in Council has this day been pleased to appoint that Gentleman to be a Member of the said Commission.

J. P. GRANT,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Notice.

Verbal tenders will be received at the Superintending Engineer's office, on Monday the twenty fifth day of February 1839, for the execution by contract of the annual and special repairs to the buildings and works in the civil and military branches of this department. In the undermentioned lots: reports and estimates of the quantities of labour and materials to be expended, will remain open for inspection until the abovementioned date, at the Superintending Engineer's office, where copies

of the reports and estimates as completed, may be taken, and any additional information obtained.

Military branch.

- Lot 1 Annual repairs to the buildings and works in Fort George.
- Lot 2 ditto..... ditto..... ditto in the Castle.
- Lot 3 ditto..... ditto..... ditto in the Garrison.
- Lot 4 ditto..... ditto..... ditto in Colabah.
- Lot 5 ditto..... ditto..... ditto on the Esplanade.
- Lot 6 ditto..... ditto..... ditto at out-posts.

Special Repairs to the buildings and works in Lots as above.

Civil Branch.

Annual Repairs to buildings and works in the General Department, in four lots.

Annual repairs to buildings and works in the Territorial Department, in three lots.

Annual repairs to buildings and works in the Judicial Department, in two lots.

Annual repairs to buildings and works in the Marine Department, in four lots.

Special repairs to buildings and works in the General Department, in one lot.

Special repairs to buildings and works in the Territorial Department, in one lot.

Special repairs to buildings and works in the Judicial Department, in one lot.

Special repairs to buildings and works in the Marine Department, in one lot.

Annual repairs to the Government buildings at Parell, in one lot.

Annual repairs to the Government buildings at Malabar Point, in one lot.

Special repairs to the Government buildings at Parell, in one lot.

Special repairs to the Government buildings at Malabar Point, in one lot.

C. WADDINGTON, Major,
Superintending Engineer.

Bombay, 16th January 1839.

ખ દર ના મુ

એવુજે શીવીલ તથા મીલીટરી ખાતાં માહિલી જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની દર વરશની તથા નવી મરાંમતો નીચાં લ ખેલા લાટો એટલે લાગોની જખરાથી કરવા ને મુખ્યબાંની અરજ શુપરીએનટેનડીંગ ઇનજનીઅર શાહિબની હાકીશમાં તારીખ ૨૫ માહે ફેવરવારી શને ૧૮૩૯ શીમવારને દીને શાંભલી લેશે તથા એ કામમાં જે શા માંન તથા મનુરી લાગશે તેની જમાદદા શત તથા શુમાર શાહિબ મોવશુખની હાકી શમો કૂપર લખેલી તારીખ શુધી ખેવાને મલ શે તથા તે કૂપર લખેલી જમાદદાશત તથા શુમાર તજમાર ફરેલીકે તેની નફલ ફરી ને લેવા દેવા દેશે તથા બીજી કાંજ પુકુડુ હશે તે ફેરશે *

મીલીટરી ખાતામાહિલી

૧ લાટ પેહલો ફોરદ ખરજ એટલે કુગરી કીલામાં જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની દર વરશની મરાંમત *

૨ લાટ બીજે કાલા કીલા માહિલી જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની દર વરશની મરાંમત *

૩ લાટ તીજે ગીઆરીશંન માહિલી જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની દર વરશની મરાંમત *

૪ લાટ ચોથો કુલાખા માહિલી જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની દર વરશની મરાંમત

૫ લાટ પાંચમો કાંપ કૂપરની જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની દર વરશની મરાંમત *

૬ લાટ છઠો ખાહારના ઠેકાંણા માહિલી જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની દર વરશની મરાંમત *

કૂપર લખેલા લાટોની જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની નવી મરાંમત *
શીવીલ ખાતા માહિલી

જંનરાલ ખાતામાં જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની ચાર લાટોની દર વરશની મરાંમત તેના લાટ ચાર ૪ *

ટેરીટોરીઅલ ખાતા માહિલી જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની દર વરશની મરાંમત તેના લાટ ૩ *

બુડીશીઆલ ખાતા માહિલી જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની દર વરશની મરાંમત તેના લાટ ૨ *

મરીન ખાતા માહિલી જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની દર વરશની મરાંમત તેના લાટ ૪ *

જંનરાલ ખાતા માહિલી જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની નવી મરાંમત તેનો લાટ ૧

ટેરીટોરીઅલ ખાતા માહિલી જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની નવી મરાંમત તેનો એ ક લાટ *

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મરીન ખાતામાહિલી જમારતોની તથા બીજાં કાંમોની નવી મરાંમત તેનો લાટ ૧ *
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વાહાલફેશવર માહિલી શરકારી જમારતોની દર વરશની મરાંમત તેનો લાટ ૧ *

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वाहालफेशवर माहेली शरकारी इमारती
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नीशाएली

थारलीश बांडीगटन—मेहेवर

शुपरीमेनटेनडीग घनछनीअर

ता. १५ माहे अनीवारी शनि १८३८

अशाची मुा. मुआध *

W. S. BOYD, Actg. Secy.

आहोर कामा

ऐसाजे सिविल व मिलटारी खात्यांतोल इमा
रतीची व इतर कामाची दरसालीना व नवीन म
रामत खाली लिहिलेले लाट न्हणजे भागानो म
न्वाने करण्याकरितां मुखजवानी अर्ज सुपरीनड
डाग इजनेर साहेब चचे हफिसांत तारीख २५ फे
ब्रवारी सन १८३८ सोमवारचे रोजीं ऐकुन घे
वोळ व याकामास जे सामान व मजुरी लागेलत्या
च्या चादो व आकार साहेब मौसुफ चांचे हफि
सांत सदरज तारखे पर्यंत पाहावयास मिळतीलव
त्यो सदरहू चादी व आकार तयार केले आहेत
त्याच्या नकला करून घेउदेतील व दुसरे कांही प
सणे असल्यास सांगतील

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सदरज लाटाचे इमारतीची व इतर कामाची न
वीन मरामत

सिविल खात्याकडिल

जनराल खात्याकडे इमारतीची व इतर कामा
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निशाणी

थारलिस वाडोंगटन

मेजर सुपरीनेटेंडोंग इजनेर

तारीख १६ माहेजोनेवारी सन १८३८ इसवी मुा.
मुंबद

W. S. BOYD, Acting Secy.

Notice

Is hereby given, that verbal tenders will be received at this Office, from 2 till 3 o'clock P. M. on Friday the 15th February next, for the supply of any quantity of good cleaned Gram, that may be required at Poona, and Kirkee, for the term of one year, from the 1st March 1839.

The bidding to be in the Company's Rupee, and no person will be allowed to bid who has not previously deposited the sum of Rupees (500) five hundred, in that currency, to be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion or refusal to execute the necessary deed of contract.

The Gram to be unexceptionable and of the quality and description generally used by the mounted corps at Poona and Kirkee, and to be delivered free of all expense to Government, on account of carriage &c. at the Commissariat Stores at those stations, and in case of any dispute, the opinion of a Committee to decide the point and to be final.

A supply of at least one month's consumption during the fair season, and of three months during the monsoon, to be constantly kept up at the Commissariat Stores above-mentioned,

To prevent disputes hereafter, it is to be distinctly borne in mind, that the provisions of the contract are only intended to extend to the demands made at Poona and Kirkee, but in the event of any of the cavalry marching, it will be optional with the Commis-

ariat Officer, to take one month's supply of Gram or not for their use while on march, and the contractor will not be liable for any greater demand.

The contractor will be held personally bound for the due fulfilment of his contract in the penal sum of Company's Rupees (1,000) one thousand, and must also furnish unexceptionable bonded security to the amount of (10,000) ten thousand Company's Rupees on the same account.

Payment for supplies according the quantity issued in the preceding month, will be made in the following month, on the requisite vouchers being produced.

No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any offer.

Further particulars will be made known on application at this Office, every day, from 10 till 4 o'clock, Sundays excepted.

H. C. TEASDALE, Capt.
In charge Commt. Dept.

Poona, 22nd January 1839,

जाहीर नामा

हेसाजे पुणे व खडकी येथे चोगले साफ केले ले चणे जितके सागतील तितके तारीख १ मार्चस न १८३९ पासुन एकवर्ष पर्यंत देण्याची ज्या लोका ची खुषी असेल त्याणी मुखजवानो अर्ज करावे त अर्ज पुणे येथिल असिष्ट ट कमिसारी जनराल साहेबाचे इपिसांत तारीख १५ फेब्रुवारी शुक्रवारचे रोजीं देानप्रहरचे देान वाजतां पासुन तीनवाज त तों पर्यंत ऐकुन घतील

लेलावांत कंपनीचे रुपयानी बॅलावे जो प्रकस पहिल्यानी कंपनीचे पंचशे रुपये अमानत ठेवणा र नाही त्याजला लेलावात बॅला देणार नाही व मत्वाची कागद करुन देण्यास ढील करील व टा काटाळ करील अगर नाही म्हणेल तर सदर रू पो चणे रुपये सरकार दाखल हातील

चणे उतम जातीचे असावे व पुणे व खडकी ये थे तुरुपाचे घोड्यास ज्या जातीचे व ज्यात ह्जे चे ह मेशा देतात त्याप्रमाणे असावे आणि त चणे स रकारास गाडीचा वगैरे खर्च न पडतो वर लिहि लेले ठिकोणी कमिसारीचे वखारींत पें ह्जवावे व जर काही तंटा पडेल तर क्यासेटी करुन तीक्या मेटो जें ठरवितिल ते फिरणार नाही

उन्हाळ्यात एक महिन्याचे बेगमीचे चणे व पाव षाळात तीन महिन्याचे बेगमीचे चणे याप्रमाणे ह मेशां वर लिहिलेले ठिकोणांतील कमिसारीचे व खारींत ठेवत जावे

पुढकाही तंटा न पडावा यासाठी साफलक्षीत ठेवावे की यामत्वाचा असण करार आहेकों पुणे व खडकी येथे जितके चणे सागतील तीतके चणेमात्र पुरववे परंतु जर तुरुपखार बाहेर जातील तर त्याचे खर्चासाठी एक महिन्याचे बेगमीचे चणे व

रोबर घ्यावे कीवा न घ्यावे हें कमिसारी एट ह्जि सर यांचे खुबिवर आहे परंतु त्या पेक्षां अधीकच णे सक्तेदारापाशी मागणार नाहीत
सक्तेदारांनी आपला करार चांगले रीतिने पा र पुन देण्याकरितां स्वतां कंपनीचे एक हजार रुपयं मु न्हे गारी लेझन घ्यावी व कंपनीचे दाहा हजार रुप याचे मातबर जामे नाचे खत लिझन घ्याव

सागले महिन्यांत जितके चणे दिले असतील त्याप्रमाणे ज्यांस चणे दिले असतील त्यांच्या पा वत्या वगैरे ह्जजर केव्हावर दुसरे महिन्यांत त्या चा एवज मिळेल

अर्ज नाकबुल करतील त्याचे कारणसांगणार गाहीत

यविशोचा आणखी तपशिल सदरीं लिहिलेले इपिसांत अदितवार खेरीज करुन दररोज दाहा कल कापासुन चार कळाक पधेत पुढलें अफती योंगतील

निशाणी

हजरी . दो . टिखुडेल

कपतान इजच्याज कमिसारी एट डिपार्टमेंट पुणे तुरुडो

तारीख २२ जानेवारी सन १८३९ इसवी मुकाम न णे असिष्ट ट कमिसारी जनरालच ह्जिप

W. S. BOYD, Acting Secy.

Notice

Is hereby given, that verbal tenders will be received at this office, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of Saturday the 16th proximo, for the undermentioned supplies, for the term of one year, from the 1st March next, lists of which may be seen, and every other information obtained by application at this office, every day, from 10 till 4 o'clock, sundays excepted.

- No. 1 Hospital Clothing....
- No. 2 Ditto..Provisions...
- No. 3 Ditto..country Me-
- dicines &ca.....

The contracts will be applicable to any Department, Civil or Military requiring these articles at the several Stations of this Division, with the exception of Ahmednuggur.

Persons desirous of obtaining the contracts will be required to bid a per-centage in the Company's Rupee, below the rates exhibited in the Lists abovementioned, without any exception, and on the understanding, that the articles are to be delivered free of all charges to the departments requiring them, at Poona and Kirkee, while those required for the Outstations of the Division, are to be delivered at the Commissariat Stores, Poona.

The contractor will be required to comply with demands without delay or demur, and all articles tendered to be unexceptionable and of the quality and description generally used by the departments requiring them, and in failure of either of these conditions, they will

be purchased wherever procurable at his risk and loss: any point in dispute to be decided by a committee of officers,

No person will be allowed to bid for any of the contracts unless he has previously deposited in this office the sums stated opposite to the lists respectively, vizt.

For list No. 1, Hospital Clothing, 200 Company's Rupees.

For list No. 2, Hospital Provisions, 200 Company's Rupees.

For list No. 3, Hospital Country Medicines &c. 100 Company's Rupees.

Which sums will be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion or refusal to execute the necessary deed of contract, and the person whose offer may be accepted, must be prepared to give unexceptionable bonded security, to the further amount of Company's rupees (400) four hundred, which together with the abovementioned deposits, will be held as security for the due fulfilment of every part of the contracts respectively.

No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any offer.

H. C. FEASDALE, Capt.

In charge Commy. Dept.

Poona, 23rd January 1839.

जाहीर नामा

ऐसाजे खाली लिहिलेले सामान तारीख १ मा
सन १८३८ पासून एकवर्ष पर्यंत पुरविण्या करि
तां मुखजवानो अजे यते महिन्यांचो तारीख १६
शनवारचे राजीसकाळच अकरा वाजती पुणे ये
थिल अशिश्टे ट कमिषारी जनराल साहब यचेइ
पिसांत ऐकुन घेतोल त्यासामानाच्या यदो सदर
इपिसांत दरराजभदितवार खेरीजकहन दा
इकलाकापासून चार कलाक पर्यंत विचारोले
असतां पाहावयास मिळतोल व दुमर कांही पुष
ले असतां तें हो मालुम हादइ

नंवर १ अजारी लोकां अहमदनगर खेरीज क
सकपडे पुरवण्याचा रुन पुणतुकडिचेसर्वीठ
नंवर २ अजारी लोकां काणो इकणत गंव
स खुराखो सामान पुर खोत्यास व लष्करी खा
विण्याचा त्यास ह्याजिनसा पुरवि
नंवर ३ अजारी लोकां ष्याविशीच मक्ता आहे
स ग वठी औषध वगैरे असं जाणाव
पुरविण्याचा

सदरइ मक्ता घेण्याविशीं ज्यालेकांचो खुशी
असेल त्याणे सदरइ यादीत दर लिहिले आहेत
त्यादरापक्षां कांही सामान खरोजन करतां कंप
नीच रुपयनी क्तिोएक क्रमो दूरान दतांज तोद
र बोलावा व असं समजविं कां कांहीएक खच नप
हतां सदरइ सामान पुणे व खडको येथे ज्याखा
त्यांत मागतोल तिथे पाचउन घाव व व हरोल
ठिकाणो मागोतले असतां पुणे यथिय कमिषारी
चे वखारींत पंचउन घाव

सदरइ पैकीं जेंजें सामान मागतोल तें मक्ते दा

राने विलंब अथवा हेगद नकरितां घावे व तें सर्व
सामान उतम जातीचे हप्रैशा सदरइ खात्यांत ख
पांत येते त्याप्रमाणं चंगडें असावे व ह्याकारारांत
चुक केजोतर तें सामान जये मिळत तेंथुन विकत
घेतोल त्याचं जाखांव व नुकसान मक्तेदाराचे मा
यां पडेल व क हो तंटा पडला असतां इफिसर ला
कांचो क्य सेटी कहन निव डा करतल

खाली लिहिलेले नंवरच यदी समार ऐवज
लिहिला आहे त्याप्रमाणे जा अगाधर टेवणार
नाहो त्यास सदरइ मक्तातुन कोणत हो मक्ता घे
ण्याकरितां लेल वंत वानुदेणार नाहो

यदो नंवर १ अजारी ला अमानतीचे कंपनी
कांस कपडे पुरविण वदल चेरुपये दोनशें
यादो नंवर २ अजारी ला अमानतीचे कंपनी
कांस खुराखो सामान दे चेरुपये दोनशे
ण्या वदल

यदो नंवर ३ अजारी ला अमानतीचे कंपनी
कांस गंवठी औषधे वगैरे चेरुपये शंभर
पुरविण वदल

मक्ताचा कागद कहन देण्यास हेगद कोवा वि
लंब कोवा नाकतुल जाळ्यास सदरइ अमानतीचे
रुपये सरकार द खड होतोतु व ज्याचा अज कुब
ल होदल त्याणे दुमर कंपनीचे च्यारशे रुपयाचे
मातबर जामिनाच खत लिङ्गन घावे तें रुपय व
सदरइ अमानतीचे रुपय सुध्दां मक्ता चांगले रो
तिने पोर पाडुन देण्याकरितां जामिनको वद
ल तांरण टेवीतील

ज्याचा अर्ज नाकतुल होदल त्याचे कारण
सांगणार नाहोत

निशाणी

हेनरी. सो. टीसडेल

कपतान इनच्यार्ज कमिषारीएट डिपार्टमेंट

पुणे तुकडो

तारीख २३ माहे ज्यानेवारी सन १८३८ इसवीस

काम पुणे अशिश्टे ट कमिषारी जनरालचे इफिस

W. S. BOYD, Actg. Secy.

Notice

Is hereby given, that persons desirous of entering into a Contract, for supplying this Department, with articles of Iron Mongery, for two years from the 1st of March next, may, on application at this office, from 10 A. M. till 5. P. M. daily, Sundays excepted, obtain a list thereof, with the prices affixed, and such other information relating thereto, as they may require.

Verbal offers for the Contract will be received at this Office at 12 o'clock on Saturday the sixteenth Proximo, when Persons will be required to bid a per-centage below the prices specified in the list above adverted to, at which they will undertake to furnish the whole of the articles embraced therein, of unexceptionable quality, to the Departments requiring them, in such numbers or quantity, as may from time to time be demanded.

The Contractor will be required to comply immediately with all emergent demands for the articles alluded to, and others less urgent he must complete within the period stated in the supply notes; on his failing to do so, the articles, or such others as may be required in their behalf, will be purchased at his risk and loss, and in all such cases a fine of ten per cent upon the amount of expenses incurred, including costs and charges, will be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of Contract, as often as the same may occur.

No person will be allowed to tender for the Contract, unless he previously deposits in this office rupees two hundred, which will be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal to execute the deed of contract, should his offer be accepted, in which case he will be required to furnish unexceptionable bonded security for the further sum of (800) eight hundred Rupees, as security for the due performance of the engagement.

All further particulars will be communicated at the time of bidding, and no reason will be assigned for rejecting any offer.

G. POPE, Capt.

Depy. Assst. Commy. Genl. in charge.

Bombay, 26th January 1839.

ખહર ના મુ

એવુજે તારીખ ૧ માર્ચે મારચ શને ૧૮૩૯ થી બે વરશ શુધી કમીશારી ખાતામાં લે હોડા કાંમ આપવાનો જખરો લેવાની જેલો કોની ખુશી હોશે તેણાએએ કીપુટી કમી શારી જનરાલ શાહિબના હાફીશમાં આદી તવાર શીવાએ હરરોજ શવારનાં દશ કલા ક થીતે શાંજનાં પાંચ કલાક શુધી પુઠાથી એ શામાનનાં દરોની અખાદદશત મલરો તથા તે બાબત બીજી કાંજ પુઠુ હશે તે પંણ માલુમ થરો *

હુપર લખેલા જખરા બાબતની મુખજી બાની અરજ હુપર લખેલી હાફીશમાં ૫૧ રીખ ૧૬ માર્ચે ફેવરવારી શને ૧૮૩૯ શની વારને દીને બાર કલાકે શાંતલી લેરો તે બ ખત હુપર લખેલી અખાદદશતમાં લખેલા દર કરતા કલેલા દકા ઓઠાથી તે અખાદદ શતમાં લખેલો શંધો શામાન હુતમ ખતનો જેજે ખાતાએએ માગરો તે ખાતામાં જેજે વખતે જેલો જેલો માગરો તેલો તે લો

આપવાને કખુલ કરશે તે દકા બોલવા *
એ શામાનમાંથી જે શામાન થણી જરુરી થી માગરો તે જખરદારે જલદીથી આપવે અને કોડી જરુરીનો હશે તે શપલ જની ચી ડીમા લંખેલી મુદતમાં આપવો એમાં યુકશે તો તે શામાન અથવા તેને ખદલે જે લાગશે તે બાહારથી ખરીદ કરશે તેનુ બેખમ તથા નુકશાંત જખરદારને માંથે પડતો અને એવો શામાન ખરીદ કરવાને જે ખરચ બેશશે તે હુપર દર શેકડે દકા દશ પરમાંણે જલેજે ડંડ લેરો તે પરમાંણે જેટલી વખત યુકરો તેટલી વખત તે મુખજી ડંડ લેશે *

જે શખશ હુપર લખેલી હાફીશમાં અગા હુથી રૂ. ૨૦૦ અંકે ખરો અમાનત નહી રાખશે તેને જખરા બાબત અરજ કરવા દે શે નહી અને જેનો અરજ કખુલ થરો તેણે જખરાનો કાગલ કરી આપવાને ઠીલ કરે અથવા આનાંકાંની કરે અથવા નામકર જ એતો હુપર લખેલો અમાનતનો જલેજ શરૂ કાર દાખલ થરો અને અરજ કખુલ થઆજ ઠી જખરદારે ખોતાનો કરાર શારીપઠે પાર પાડી આપવા શારૂ બીબ રૂ. ૮૦૦ આદ શીનુ મોતખર જખીનખત આપવુ *

બીજી શંધી તકશીલ લીલાહુની વખતે ખહર કરામાં આવશે અને જેનો અરજ ના કખુલ થરો તેનુ કારણ ફેરો નહી *
નીશાણી

જ-પોપ-કપતાંન
કીપુટી આશીશોદંટ કમીશારી
જનરાલ જન ચારજ

તા. ૨૮ માર્ચે બનીવારી શને ૧૮૩૯
જશલી મુ. મુબાજ કીપુટી કમીશા
રી જનરાલ શાહિબની હાફીશ *
W. S. BOYD, Acting Secy.

Notification.

Tonnage is required for the conveyance of 5 packages of the undermentioned dimensions and weight, to England, vizt.

Case No.	Gross weight.	Length.		Breadth.		Depth.	
		F.	I.	F.	I.	F.	I.
1	4 3	8	8	8 1/2	13		
2	4 3	8	8	8 1/2	8 1/2		
3	20	4 4	4 2 1/2	1 2			
4	20	4 4	4 2 1/2	1 2			
5	6 3	4 4	4 4	1			

By order.
A. H. NOTT,
Asst. Supt. I. N.

Bombay, 5th February 1839.

Notice

Is hereby given, that persons desirous of entering into a Contract, for supplying labourers, &c. during either day or night, and performing the Hamallage duties of the Indian Naval and Steam Departments for three years from the 1st of March next, may on application at this office, from 10 o'clock A. M. to 5 P. M. daily, (sundays excepted) obtain statements of the duties, with the rates affixed and such other information as they may require.

Verbal offers for the Contract will be received at 12 o'clock on Monday the 18th instant, when persons will be required to bid a percentage below the rates specified in the lists above adverted to, at which they will undertake to supply all such labourers, &c. as may be required, and perform the whole of the duties embraced therein, in a prompt and satisfactory manner.

The Contractor will be bound to furnish immediately all such labourers, and to perform promptly all such duties, as may from time to time be required, or in failing to do so, the former will be hired and the latter performed at his risk and loss, and in all such cases a fine of (30) thirty per cent upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine of fifty Rupees, at the option of the executive officer, will be levied as liquidated damages for each and every breach of Contract, as often as the same may occur.

No person will be allowed to tender for the Contract unless he previously deposits in this office one thousand Rupees, which will be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion or refusal to execute the deed of Contract, and the person whose offer may be accepted, must be prepared to deposit Rupees (10,000) ten thousand in Company's paper, as security for the due and punctual performance of the engagement.

All further particulars will be communicated at the time of bidding, and no reason will be assigned for rejecting any offer.

G. POPE, Captain,
Depy. Assist. Comy. Genl. in charge.
Bombay, 1st February 1839.

ખહર ના મું

એવુજે આવતા મારચ મહીનાની તારીખ ૧ થી તરંણ વરશ શ્રુધી મનુરો વગેરે દીશના તથા રાતનાં આપવાને તથા અંતડી આંન નેવલ તથા હશટીમ ખાતામાં હમાલી નુ કામ કરવાનો જખરો લેવાની જે લોકોની ખુરી હેશે તેને આદીતવાર શીવાએ હરોજ શવારના દશ કલાકથી તે શખનાં પાંચ કલાક શ્રુધી ડીપુટી કમીચારી જનરાલ શાહખની હાપ્રીશમાં પુઠાથી તેની જખાદ દાશતો દર શ્રુધાંની મલશે તથા તે બાબત બીજુ કાંઈ પુઠુ હશે તેપંણ તાંહંથીજ મા ખુમ થશે *

હુપર લખેલા જખરા બાબત મુખબુખાની અરજ ચાલતા મહીનાની તારીખ ૧૮ શોમવારને દીને બાર કલાકે શાંતલી લેશે તે વખત લોકોએ હુપર લખેલી જખાદદાશ તમાં લખેલા દર કરતાં દર શેકડે ફેટલા ૮ કા ઓઠાથી તે મનુરો વગેરે જેટલા માંગશે તે આપવાને તથા હમાલીનુ શંધુ કામ તે જખ દદાશતમાં લખેલુ જલદીથી તથા મન પતીને તેવી રીતે કરી આપવાને કહુન કરશે તે ટકા બાલવા *

જખરદરે જેને વખતે જેટલા મનુરો માંગશે તેટલા જલદીથી આપવા તથા જેને હમાલીનુ કામ કરમાંવશે તે જલદીથી કરી આપવુ અગર એનાં ચુકરોતો મનુરો બાહુ રથી કરી લેશે અને હમાલીનુ કામ બાહુ રથી કરાવી લેશે તેનુ બેખંમ તથા નુકશાન થશે તે જખરદારને માંખે પડશે અને તે હુપર જે ખરચ થશે તે હુપર દર શેકડે ૮ કા ૩૦ તીશ પરમંણે જખેજ ડંડ લેશે અથવા રૂ. ૫૦ ડંડ લેશે એ એક લીટીકુટીલ હાપ્રીશરની ખુરી હુપરકે એ પરમંણે જેટલી વખત ચુકરો તેટલી વખત ડંડ લેશે *

જે શખરા આગલથી રૂ. ૧૦૦૦ અંકે એક હુપર હુપર લખેલી હાપ્રીશમાં અમંનત નહીં રાખશે તેને એ જખરો લેવા બાબત અરજ કરવા દેશે નહીં એ જખરાનો કાગલ કરી આપવાને ઠીલ કરે અથવા આનાકાંની કરે અથવા નામકર જખેતો અમંનત નો જખેજ શરકાર દાખલ થશે અને જેનો અરજ કહુન થશે તેણે પેતાનો કરાર શરી પઠે પારપાડી આપવાની બખીનગી બાબત રૂ. ૧૦૦૦૦ દશ હુપરની કુપનીની નોટો અમંનત રાખવી *

બંબે શંચો તખશીલ લીલાહુની વખતે ખહર કરામાં આવશે અને જેનો અરજ ના કહુન થશે તેનુ કારંણ ફેહરો નહીં *

નીશાણી
જી-પોપ-કપતાન

ડીપુટી આશીશદેટ કમીચારી જનરાલ તા. ૧ માહ ફેવરવારી શને ૧૮૩૯ હ શવી મુ. મુબાહ ડીપુટી કમીચારી જનરાલ શાહખની હાપ્રીશ *

GENERAL ORDERS.**MILITARY DEPARTMENT:**

BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

BOMBAY CASTLE, 9th FEBRUARY 1839.

No. 92 of 1839.—The Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the Station of Dapoolee be annexed to the Poona Division of the Army, until further orders.

Bombay Castle, 11th February 1839.

No. 93 of 1839.—The Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, that the following regulation taken from the Bengal Code, applicable to Officers of Foot Artillery, serving with Horse Field Batteries, should be in force under this Presidency, from the 1st November last, vizt.

To Captain,.....2-Horses.

,, Subalterns,.....1 Horse.

Officers of Horse Field Batteries, are only entitled thereto when present with their Companies.

The above is not admissible to the Medical Officer in charge of a Company of Foot Artillery, having a Horse Field Battery attached.

No. 94 of 1839.—Captain G. P. LeMessurier, 14th Regiment Native Infantry, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Quarter Master General on the establishment, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the appointment of Assistant Quarter Master General Lieutenant Delhoste, to the Scinde reserve.

No. 95 of 1839.—The Garrison order dated the 21st instant, directing Assistant Surgeon R. H. Manley, M. D. of the 47th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, to relieve Surgeon Montgomery, from the medical charge of the civil Department at Dharwar, is confirmed.

No. 96 of 1839.—The following promotion is made.—

*Medical Establishment.**Date of Rank.*

Assistant Surgeon R. B. Owen, M. D. to be Surgeon, vice Hathway, retired. 30th Jany. 1839.

No. 97 of 1839.—The following Native promotions are made:—

2nd Regiment Light Cavalry.

Jemadar Mahomed Khan to be Subedar, and Standard Havildar Raja Mahomed to be Jemadar, in succession to Purnasserrah, pensioned.....	} 1st January 1839.
Standard Havildar Sewdeen Sing to be Jemadar, vice Jemadar and Bahadoor Shaik Muctoom, pensioned.....	

.....	} Ditto.....ditto.
.....	

3th Regiment Native Infantry.

Color Havildar Shaik Ahmed to be Jemadar, vice Balljee Chowan, pensioned..... Ditto.....ditto.

No. 98 of 1839.—With reference to the 8th paragraph of the General Order dated the 16th of May 1835, the Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to fix the several sums specified against their respective appointments, as follows, to be taken from the Officers that may be nominated to such Offices, vizt.

Sub-Assistant Commissary General..... Rupees 5,000

First Class Agent..... Rupees 4,000

Second Class Agent..... Rupees 2,500

Bombay Castle, 12th February 1839.

No. 99 of 1839.—Owing to the peculiar nature of the present service of the Army, in the field, the Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased *especially* to sanction the following extract from the General Orders by the Commander in Chief, dated Camp Tatta, 8th January 1839.

Officers are recommended to provide themselves as soon as possible with Camels or Tattoos, for the carriage of their private baggage, as no assistance can be given to them by the Commissariat Department, from the cattle in charge, for purposes of the public service.

In order to give every facility to Officers in equipping themselves with baggage animals, the Commander in Chief will authorize an advance of money for that purpose, to be made to Paymasters, on a requisition signed by themselves and by the Commanding Officers of Corps. The advance not to exceed one month's pay, and to be recovered by monthly instalments, in three months, commencing from the next issue of pay.

Commanding Officers of Corps, will immediately furnish to Captain Swanson, the Pay Master of the Force, for the information of the Commander in Chief, a statement of the sums which they may deem to be required as advance, for the purpose abovementioned.

No. 100 of 1839.—The following temporary arrangement is confirmed:—

Ensign H. Feunio, of the 21st Regiment Native Infantry, to act as Quarter Master and Interpreter to that Regiment, during the period Lieutenant Stevens may remain in temporary charge of the Poona Pay Office.

No. 101 of 1839.—Ensign S. W. Brown, of the 26th Regiment Native Infantry, is allowed a furlough to Europe for three years, for the benefit of his health.

Bombay Castle, 13th February 1839.

No. 102 of 1839.—Lieutenant W. Paley, of the Bengal Artillery, is allowed a furlough to Europe for three years, for the benefit of his health.

No. 103 of 1839.—The following temporary arrangements in the Scinde Field Force, made by the Officer Commanding H. M. 4th Regiment Light Dragoons, are confirmed.

Lieutenant Janvrin, to Act as Quarter Master and Interpreter, and Lieutenant Scudamore, as Adjutant to the Detachment of H. M. 4th Light Dragoons, with the Scinde Field Force, from the 4th November last.

By order of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council,

E. M. WOOD, Lieut. Col. Secy. to Govt.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.*Bombay Castle, 8th February 1839.*

No. 9 of 1839.—Captain John Pepper is appointed Senior Naval Officer at Surat, in succession to Captain E. W. Harris, whose period of service has expired.

Bombay Castle, 11th February 1839.

No. 10 of 1839.—Mr. Henry Oceanus Cook, is admitted to the service in conformity with his appointment by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, as a volunteer in the Indian Navy from the 5th instant, the date of his arrival at Bombay.

By order of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council,

E. M. WOOD, Lieut. Col. Secy. to Govt.

PACKETS.

The Post Master General has the honor to notify, that Packets for the reception of letters for dispatch by the following vessels are open at this office.

Names of Vessels.	Agents.	Date of intended Departure.	To what port.	Touching where.
H. C. S. Beruice.....	Superintendent Indian Navy.....	25th instant..	Suez.....	
A Steamer	Do. Ditto.....	5th March..	Ditto.....	
Lady East	Messrs. Edmond Ribby.....	To-day..	London.....	
Balfour.....	Do. Diron Carter.....	16th instant..	Liverpool..	
Ellora	Do. Skinner & Co.....	20th Ditto ..	Ditto.....	
Cambridge.....	Do. Diron Carter.....	25th Ditto ..	Canton.....	
Mermaid.....	Do. Foster & Co.....	24th Ditto ..	London.....	Cape.
Berkshire.....	Do. Remington & Co.....	Do. do.....	Ditto.....	Cape.
Cancaster.....	Do. Higginson & Cardwell.....	26th do.....	Liverpool..	Cape.

As a general rule, the Packets for sailing Ships will be closed on the evening before the date of dispatch.

Bombay, Genl. Post Office, 14th February 1879.

E. E. ELLIOT,
Post Master General.

Advertisement.

Tenders for the conveyance of the Public Mails, and expresses on Horses or by wheeled conveyances for a period of 3 years between Bombay and Corebunder, to and from, will be received at this office till 12 o'clock on Thursday the 7th proximo, when all tenders which may have been received will be opened by the Post Master General; parties interested are invited to attend in person, or by deputy, to witness the opening of the tenders.

The average daily weight of the Mail outwards and inwards is 25 lbs. and contractors will be required to convey double that weight on the arrival of the overland mails.

No tender will be received at a lower rate of travelling than 6 miles an hour, and no reward will be given for conveying the mail in less time than is agreed on.

Contractors will subject themselves to penalties as follows, for exceeding the time, vizt.

- 1 Hour..... 2 Rupees.....
- 2 Ditto..... 5 ditto.....
- 3 Ditto..... 10 ditto.....
- 4 Ditto..... 15 ditto.....
- 5 Ditto..... 25 ditto..... and if

more, the contractor will be liable to forfeiture at the discretion of the Post Master General.

The tenders received will be submitted for the final orders of Government, and will be liable to rejection without assigning reasons.

Contractors wishing to resign their contract, must give 2 months previous notice to the Post Master General.

Contractors will be required to deposit Cash, or Company's paper to such amount as may be deemed requisite by the Post Master General, and a portion, or the whole will be liable to forfeiture in case of non-fulfilment of engagement, at the discretion of Government.

Contractors will be at liberty to manage their own contract, but will be held responsible for the due fulfilment of all engagements whether they retain them in their own hands or sub-let them to others.

Any further information on the subject may be obtained on application to the Post Master General.

E. E. ELLIOT,
Post Master Genl.

Bombay, Genl. Post Office,
7th February 1879.

ખ હ ર ના મુ

એવુજે મુખાજથી થોડાંદર તથા થોડાંદર
રથી મુખાજમાં તરંણ વરરા શુ રી શરકારી
ડાંક તથા જલદીની ડાક થે ડા હૂપર અથ
વા ગાડીમાં લજાવાનો જખરો કરવાની અ
રજીઓ આવતા મહીનની તારીખ ૭ ભેશ
તવ રને દીને ખાર કલાક શુ રી અંતરાલ પો
શદ હાકીશમાં લેરો તે વેલા જે અરજીઓ
આવી હુરો તે પોશદ માશતર અંતરાલ શા
દુખ હુગાડરો તે વખત અરજદારોએ પોતે
ખતે હાજર થવુ અથવ પોતાની તરફથી
ફાઇ માંદશને મોકલવુ *

હરરોજ ડાક આને તથા ખએ તેવુ શરા
શરા વખંત પચીશ રતલ થરો તથા વીલાઈ
તાની ડાકતા કાગલ કલકતે ખએકે તથા
તં હાંધી આપેય તે વખત જખરદારને હૂપર
લખેલાથી ખમલુ વખંત લજાવુ ખએકે *

હરએક કલ કમાં ડાક ૭ મેલ ચલાવવી
એથી ઓઠી ચાલની અરજ લેરો નહી
તથા કરાર કરેલા વખતથી જલદી ડાક લા
વરો તેવુ જનામ મલનાર નહી *

જખરદાર ખરે વધારે વખતે ડાક લાએવો
તો તેની પારો ડંડ લેરો તેની વીગત *

- ૧ એક કલાક થઆતો બે રૂપેઆ ડંડ *
- ૨ બે કલાક થઆતો પાંચ રૂપેઆ ડંડ *
- ૩ તંણ કલાક થઆતો દશ રૂપેઆ ડંડ *
- ૪ ચાર કલાક થઆતો પંદર રૂપેઆ ડંડ *
- ૫ પંચ કલાક થઆતો પચીશ રૂપેઆ ડંડ

તથા એવી વધારે વખત લાગશેતો જખ
રો બંધ કરરો તેની મુખતીઆરી પોશદ મા
શતર જનરાલ શાહુખ પારેકે *

એ જખરા ખાખતની અરજીઓ શરકાર

भां मंन्युर धवा शास्त्र मोक्षलशे अने जे अ
रुण नाकपुत्र करणे तेनु कारंण फेरे नरी
अभरदार पीतानी अणरो मुकयाने पुःनी
होशेती पोशट माशतर नंतरालने जे मडी
ना पेशतर अणर आपवी *

पोशट माशतर नंतराल नेटली अरुण अ
एशे तेवला पैशला अथवा शरकारी नोट
अभरदारे अमानत मुकयी पडते तथा कर
रमां युक्त थोशेती ते अमानतना अनेअमां
थी फंअ लज अथवा शरये अनेअ शरकार
दापल थोशे अे आगत शरकार मुपतीअ
रठे *

अभरदारे पीताना अणरानो वडीवाट पो
तानी पुशरी होशे तीरो करणे पंअ ते अण
रानो वडीवाट पोते अते करे अथवा पीता
नां पीतामां जीअ फेअने आपशे तीने कर
र शारीपठे पारपाडी अणरानो अमे अण
रदारना अथा कूपरठे *

जे आगत आण्यु फंअ पुठु होशेती ते
पोशट माशतर नंतराल शाहजने पुठायी
मालुम थरो *

नाशाणी

अ-अ-अेलीअेट

पोशट माशतर नंतराल

ता० ७ महे फेअरवारी शने १८३६

धशयी मु० मुआअ नंतराल

पोशट हाकीश *

W. S. BOYD, Actg. Secy.

जाहोरनामा

ऐमाजे म्बइहन घाडेदर स व घाडबंदराड
ममवइम तीन व से परोयंत सरकारी डांक व ज
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मक्ता करण्याविशोच्य अरज्या यते भहोन्याचोता
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हवउघडतील तममयो अर्जदाराने खातयं ह
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स पाठव वे

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न २५ रतल हादल व विलाएच डांकच कागद
कलकत्य म जातते वंयुन यतते त्य वळंम मक्ता

दार याम सदरज्जे दपटवजन न्यवेलागेळ
दरकलाकास डांक माहामैल चालावो थापे
क्षां कमी चलोचो अरजो घणारनाहों व करार
केलेले वेळापक्षां लोकर डांक नलो अमतां देना
ममिळगार नाहो

मक्ते दारानो जर अधीक वेळ लावीलातरत्या
पासुन दंड घतील त्याचा तपणोल

- १ एककलाक जाडतर दांत रूपये दंड
- २ दानकलाक जलतर पंचहायं दंड
- ३ तीन कलाक जालंतर दाह रूपय दंड
- ४ चारकलाक जालतर पंधरा रूपये दंड
- ५ पांचकलाकजालेतर पंचवोष रूपये दंड

व याजपक्षां ज्याजतोवेळ लागला तर मक्ता
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ल याजकडे आहे

झामत्याविशोच्या अरज्या सरकारांत मंजुर
होण्याकरीता पाठवोतील व ज्या अरज्यानाकमु
ल करतील त्य चे कारण सागगार नाहोत

मक्तेदर आपला मक्ता साडण्याम खुशोअस
ल्यास पाठमास्तर जनराल सहवयांस आगाड
देवमहोनें खवर द्यावी

पाठमास्तर जनराल याम जोतका जहरवांटे
ल तोतकापैका अथवा सरकारोनाट मक्ते दारया
सअमानत ठवावो ल गल व कारांत चुकजालो
तर त्या अमानत ऐवजापैको कंहीभाग अथवा स
वैऐवज सरकार दाखल हेईलयाविशो सरकारम
खत्यार आहेत

मक्तेदारानी आपले मत्तचो व्होवाट खुशो
असेलतसो करावो परंतु त्यामत्तयाचीवहोव टआ
पण स्वतांकरतील अथवा आपलपेय्यांत दुसरे को
णा सदेतील त्य चा करार चागलरोतीने पारपाड
न देण्य चा जावसाल मक्तेदाराच माथरा होळ

थावावे आणखी कंही पुमण असल्यास पाठ
मास्तर जनराल याजकडे पुसले अमता मालुम
हेईल

निशाणी

इ इ एलोएट

पाठमास्तर जनराल

ता० ७ म हे जाने वारोसन १८३६ द० न० मुं १६ ज
नराल पठ हफोस

W. S. BOYD, Actg. Secy.

Notification.

Passage is required for the conveyance of (6) six European convicts to the Isle of France, Calcutta, or direct to New South Wales.

By order.
A. H. NOTT,
Assist. Supt. I. N.

Bombay, 13th February 1839.

Notice

Is hereby given, that the invitation of verbal offers for making contract for the supply of plank and timber, for the service of the gun carriage department, made in my notification of the 19th ultimo, and published in the Government Gazette, is cancelled, and no offer on that account will be received.

F. P. LESTER, Major,
Agent for gun carriages.

Bombay, 9th February 1839.

अज्ञेयनामु

अज्ञेय गंतकीयारीयेनतां मातामां पाटी
मा तथा लाकडं आपवानो ज्ञेयरो लेखाभा
जत मुपज्जुभांती अरज करवी माटे तारी
म १८ माहे ज्ञेयारी शने १८३८ मु अ
ज्ञेयनामु ज्ञेयमेनेट ज्ञेय मधे पराट थळ
ज्ञेय ते रद करुके अने ते ज्ञेय अरज
शांतलशे नडी *

नीशाणी

अज्ञेय-पी-नेराट-नेर
गंतकीयारीअजना अज्ञेय

ता. ८ माहे फेब्रुवारी शने १८३८
अज्ञेयी मु. मुंजाअ गंतकी
यारीअजनी ज्ञेयश

W. S. BOYD, Acting Secy.

जाहोर नामा

दिमाजे गनकारोएजचे खात्यान रुज्जों व लंक
छे पुरवोण्य चा मका कार्याविर्माणं मुवत्रानो अ
रज कराव न्हणुनता १८ ज्य नवारो मनेर १८३८
चा जाहोरनामा गवरमट ग्य त्रोट तत्र हारव भा
हे नेरदकलाअसे व त्याबावद अरज घगर ना
हीत

निघणो

जे पो लछर

मेजर गनकारोएजचे एजेट

ता. ८ माहे फेब्रुवारी मनेर १८३८ इ। मु। मुंबद

गनकारोएजचे हफीस

W. S. BOYD, Actg. Secy.

Notice.

Wanted for the service of Government 655 cwt. of good pig lead, sealed tenders for the same will be received at this office on Saturday the 16th instant.

G. POPE, Capt.
Deputy Assist. Commr. Genl. in charge.
Bombay, 12th February 1839.

अज्ञेयनामु

अज्ञेय शरकारनां काम शास्त्र १५५५ इंडरवटे
शारा शीराना लहा ज्ञेययेय ते ज्ञेयत मे
ज्ञेयमे अरज्जो यालता मदीनानी तारीम
१९ शनवारने हीने डीपुटी ज्ञेयारी जंतरा
य शाहेजनी ज्ञेयशामं लेरो *

नीशाणी

ज्ञेय-पी-अपतान

डीपुटी आशीराटे ज्ञेयशारी

जंतराल जन यारज

ता. १२ फेब्रुवारी शने १८३८

अज्ञेयी मु. मुंजाअ डीपुटी ज्ञेयी
शारी जंतराल शाहेजनी ज्ञेयश

W. S. BOYD, Acting Secy.

Opium memorandum.

BOMBAY.

Passes granted up to the 6th instant.....Chests 1,213
Chests 1,213

MALWA.

Passes granted up to the 24th ultimoChests.. 18,259
Ditto from the 25th ultimo to the 6th instant..... 173
Chests 18,432

IMPORTED.

From the 16th October 1838 to the 5th instant ... Chests 17,504
Ditto from the 6th to the 12th instant....., 125
Total 17,629

EXPORTED.

From the 8th November 1838 to the 5th instant.....Chests 8,012
Total 8,012

F. BOURCHIER,
Opium Agent.

Bombay, 13th February 1839.

First Lottery of 1839, for the improvement of
the City of Calcutta.

Third Day's Drawing; Saturday, January 19,
1839.

PRIZES.

No. 293 Prize of 10,000 Company's Rupees.
No. 3687 Prize of 5,000 Company's Rupees.
Nos. 3889 and 3448 Prizes of 2,000 Company's
Rupees each.
No. 2657 Prize of 1,000 Company's Rupees.
Nos. 2055 and 1812 Prizes of 500 Company's
Rupees each.

Entitled a Ticket for the last day on paying
50 Rupees.

4125	3117	2455	1094	298	2453	1829	3830
2295	76	894	2714	1801	422	4296	2086
3363	2399	4092	2745	902	1592	1767	68
2003	1247	4119	3847	1043	891	2450	4290
1298	3692	4375	487	3436	1237	1615	3179
3551	4410	3565	712	1950	3112	241	247
3514	1720	3171	490	2466	3582	1102	4312
3769	1465	788	1028	3314	4114	2936	2462
3948	3784	3865	566	126	3164	1791	4329
1049	472	3307	1661	3691	2489	657	3522
3479	4069	1845	1249	2647	127	4489	877
4165	3261	670	1140	3670	2971	2292	172
2756	3762	1335	2226	1896	1154	1463	3306
1944	817	1152	4057	1173	3232	517	1272
807	3091	2684	464	3531	1290	3839	2655

Fourth Day's Drawing; Wednesday, January 20,
1839.

PRIZES.

No. 27 Prize of 2,000 Company's Rupees.
Nos. 1784 and 730 Prizes of 1,000 Company's
Rupees each.
Nos. 2076 2805 3796 and 3870. Prizes of
500 Company's Rupees each.

Entitled to a Ticket each by paying 50 Ru-
pees for the last day.

3820	3755	2725	4274	2618	1013	3403	1244	
2446	1784	2461	742	1516	2390	3138	4207	
4023	1071	755	32	2475	997	4412	1697	
1759	100	1340	4283	3710	145	3951	4084	
2336	2985	1312	4147	2809	1911	2774	2983	
4167	1800	1095	983	2619	4	10	588	858
1943	1464	3964	378	639	792	2686	3328	
3017	963	439	3025	496	2280	971	3149	
4314	2272	1537	1847	2197	1092	666	9	
1185	3626	223	1898	4051	1595	3767	2938	
782	1978	2676	3947	4321	632	2105	1867	
3666	1169	4189	1891	2227	507	1253	1630	
7	4028	2805	2060	4337	2442	1507	3663	
3765	1605	3970	3793	3323	2551	2627	3028	
3743	3425	4080	2261	1935	1032	2613	3908	

Fifth Day's Drawing; Monday, January
28, 1839.

PRIZES.

Nos. 3152 and 4202 Prizes of 1,000 Com-
pany's Rupees each.
Nos. 1550 773 and 4151 Prizes of 500 Com-
pany's Rupees each.

Entitled to a Ticket each by paying 50 Rupees
for the last day.

1550	3530	2858	2407	2367	118	3893	908
1365	2445	4284	3273	773	3135	3750	1336
2837	874	1197	4196	4260	1161	4421	1726
1580	4121	2670	282	1692	1045	2450	134
3955	3604	2040	2950	3740	1476	3127	1323
2600	4267	910	1637	3791	4451	1792	2245
1967	1561	302	2720	1490	795	1429	3819
855	4449	2860	3159	3352	1625	1150	2133
4320	4088	1719	2219	2185	3723	1090	2803
306	3152	78	2253	627	2449	3655	419

1123	3529	2660	1631	292	4302	690	3000
1779	578	770	772	177	697	342	1825
513	2476	1418	513	461	529	284	2605
4426	4183	2431	393	2408	4384	1029	3776
3161	372	4495	215	277	3736	3488	2758

Sixth Day's Drawing; Anniversary,
January 31, 1839.

PRIZES.

No. 344 Prize of 2,000 Company's Rupees.
No. 1059 Prize of 1,000 Company's Rupees.
Nos. 3939 18 6 and 1917 Prizes of 500 Com-
pany's Rupees each.

Entitled to a Ticket for the last day by paying
50 Rupees.

4242	3243	2960	1547	503	1263	2218	2798	
3111	2831	2131	4033	2894	1609	4400	2761	
1761	22	1	4104	1614	1243	2297	4221	2810
3372	4233	3097	2816	2737	261	2457	3753	
1015	3252	3572	3167	2312	2361	4153	2694	
3295	134	607	3612	4244	261	1683	2244	
2022	3797	111	912	3543	2164	452	1735	
3388	1691	3789	3266	1428	3290	4317	2103	
1413	551	768	3737	474	671	3035	2251	
2480	4453	2061	863	1054	2007	317	1372	
2282	1373	1353	2470	2895	260	4379	2382	
3722	1575	2321	1030	3055	3543	1538	2044	
256	3869	95	1256	886	1420	4076	1876	
3734	2121	3595	1226	2639	1917	787	752	
949	1691	319	1172	2072	937	3839	2705	

The annexed is published for the informa-
tion of the Session Judges.

Section xiii. On a reference being made
Clause 5th, Re- on the subject of the powers to
gulation xiii. be exercised by Session Judges
of 1827. in reviewing criminal trials by

Assistant Judges, it was declared, that the
Session Judge is not empowered to confirm
the sentences of his Assistants which exceed
two years imprisonment.

By order of the Sudder
Foujdaree Adawlut, 13th
February 1839.

C. SIMS,
Acting Register.

Steam Department.

Notice is hereby given, that it is the inten-
tion of the Honorable the Governor in Council
to dispatch a Steamer for Suez, on Monday
the 25th of March next.

By order of the Honorable
the Governor in Council,
E. M. WOOD, Lieut. Col.
Secy. to Govt.

Bombay Castle, 25th January 1839.

Civil Appointments, &c.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 13th February 1839.

The Reverend R. Y. Keays, returned to his duty
as Chaplain on this establishment, by the Ship Wal-
mer Castle, on the 6th instant.

By order of the Hon'ble
the Governor in Council,
W. S. BOYD,
Actg. Secy. to Govt.

TERRITORIAL DEPARTMENT.

REVENUE.

Bombay Castle, 9th February 1839.

Mr. J. S. Law, first assistant to the collector of Sho-
lapore, is allowed leave, under section xvi, of the ab-

sentee regulation, for two days by which he exceeded the period allowed for travelling from Belgium to Saalpoore.

Bombay Castle, 12th February 1839.

Mr. W. Wilson, under-secretary assistant to the collector of Customs at the presidency, is allowed leave of absence for two months, to proceed to the Coast, for the benefit of his health.

*By order of the Hon'ble
the Governor in Council.
L. R. REID,
Acty. Chief Secy.*

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 11th February 1839.

The leave of absence on sick certificate, granted to Mr. E. H. Briggs, 2nd assistant to the political commissioner for Guzerat, and resident at Baroda, under date the 9th ultimo, is extended to the 1st proximo.

Lieutenant H. Aston, acting 2nd assistant, has been appointed acting 1st assistant to the political agent in Kattewater, from the date of his joining that agency, until further orders.

*By order of the Hon'ble
the Governor in Council,
J. P. WILLOUGHBY,
Secy. to Govt.*

Military

Arrivals and Departures.

ARRIVALS.

- Feb'y. 6th—Capt. J. E. Deene, R. M. 41st R. from Poona.
- Do. do.—Lieut. Wyllie, 8th R. N. I. from Europe.
- Do. 7th—Surgeon A. Montgomery, from Diarwar.
- Do. do.—Assist. surgeon A. Arnott, 2nd R. H. B. from Deesa.
- Do. 8th—Capt. A. Bradford, B. R. N. I. from Surat.
- Do. 11th—Ensign E. Glennie, 25th R. from Poona.
- Do. 13th—Major Moore, mil'y. secy. from Hyderabad.

DEPARTURES.

- Feb'y. 4th—Ensign Hughes, 4th R. to Poona.
- Do. 6th—Capt. Harris, engineers, to Scinde.
- Do. do.—Surg. Makell, 9th R. to Ahmedabad.
- Do. 7th—Lieut. Rees, M. E. R. to Europe.
- Do. 8th—Major genl. Kennett.
- Do. 9th—Assist. surg. J. Doig, to Ahmedabad.
- Do. 11th—Lieut. and adyt. Hughes, G. P. B. to Kaira.
- Do. 12th—Col. Bagnold, to Aurangabad.
- Do. do.—Surg. W. Carstairs, 21st R. to Poona.

Town Major's Office, 13th Feb'y. 1839.

Shipping Intelligence.

ARRIVALS.

11th Feb'y.—Grab Ship Caudry, Hajee Conjee Pokar, macoda, from Penang, 15th December 1838, and Allepie, 5th January 1839.

Passengers.—4 natives.

Do. do.—H. M. Brig Algerine, lieut. W. S. Thomas, commander, from Carrachie, 6th instant.

12th do.—Brig Robert Sparkie, Cowasjee Shapoorjee, macoda, from Rauzoon, 10th January 1839.

Do. do.—Brig Warwick, R. Jeffes, master, from Liverpool, 24th September 1838.

13th do.—Ship Hannah, D. McGregor, master, from Carrachie, 10th instant.

DEPARTURES.

7th Feb'y.—Ship Stalkart, G. Jellicoe, master, to Sea. *Passengers.*—Capt. Harris, B. N. I.—Lieut. C. Sharp, I. N.—and conductor Deen.

Do. do.—Ship Lady Feversham, G. Webster, master, to Cape and London.

Passengers.—Mrs. col. Stevenson, and 2 children—Mrs. major Forbes and 3 children—Mrs. Coghlan and 3 children—Mrs. Ramsay—Mrs. Sykes—major Forbes—capt. Lumley, H. M. 6th F.—Lieut.

Rees, M. N. 1.—2 European and 2 native servants. Do. do.—Ship Shaw Allam, E. Evans, master, to Calcutta.

Passengers.—Mrs Crawford—Mrs. Evans—master Crawford—Mrs. Estridge—Lt. Carruthers, M. L. C.—Dr. Forbes, and 5 Natives.

11th do.—Frig E. I. C. Shipowner Emily, Mr. H. Blowers, in charge, to Persian Gulph. *Passengers.*—Mr. Ommenay, clerk.

**D. ROSS,
Master Attendant.**

Bombay, 13th February 1839.

Unclaimed Letters.

SHIP LETTERS.

- 1 Lieutenant Col. F. Aphorpe K. I. C. 20th Regt. B. N. I. care of Messrs. Wooler and Co. Bombay.
- 1 Mrs. Elizabeth Harrison do.
- 1 Edward de Costa, Prentice do.
- 1 Captain Petrie, Ship Emigrant do.
- 1 Mrs. Bristow, in the lines of H. M. Regt. do.
- 1 H. S. L. Amour Esquire, care of Mr. Donaldson, Pilot. do.
- 1 Mr. Thomas Cloke do.
- 1 Captain Morris, Commg. Recruit Depôt. do.
- 1 Assist. Apothecary James Healy, of the subordinate Medical Dept. Bengal Army do.
- 1 Captain Lloyd, Queen's Royals. do.
- 1 Lieut. H. Pownall, Artillery. do.
- 1 T. S. Cahill Esq. Surgeon do.
- 1 Mr. Joseph Maria Carlos, 1st Apprentice on the 6th Regt. N. I. do.
- 1 Cowasjee Framjee, Marker do.
- 1 Mary Ann Cruce, care of Mrs. Rooke. do
- 1 Kaytan Frasis Dissoi, servt. of A. D. Boswell School Master do.
- 1 Damiao Prato, servt. of Captain Facat. do.
- 1 The Revd. Mr. Farrar. do.
- 1 A Sra. Joquina, Ayah of Mr. Bennett. do.
- 1 Shaik Freed, servt. of Colonel Vans Kennedy. do.
- 1 Virjee Yobershe do.
- 1 Lieut. J. Burrows, 14th Regt. N. I. do.
- 1 Dr. Wilkinson. do.
- 1 Bappoo Wittojee Prabhoe. do.
- 1 Messrs. Gopalllass Buoyehund & Co. do.
- 1 Jannadass Goozer, Camp Follower 16th Regt. N. I. do.
- 1 Gooriahshoy Hamal do.
- 1 Nagoo Pudajee, tent Lascar, Arsenal. do.
- 1 Framjee Nanabhoj, Parsee, Military Store Lane. do.
- 1 Pestonjee Heerajee do.
- 1 Baowa Bossalla, care of Mr. W.

**E. E. ELLIOT,
Post Master General.**

Bombay, 13th February 1839.

High water in the harbour after the following dates.

1839.	A.		M.		P.		M.	
	h.	u.	h.	u.	h.	u.	h.	u.
Feb'y. 14th Thursday.	11	42	0	03				
.. 15th Friday.	00	1	0	19				
.. 16th Saturday.	09	36	0	32				
.. 17th Sunday	1	8	1	23				
.. 8th Monday.	1	41	2	3				
.. 19th Tuesday.	2	23	2	43				
20th Wednesday	3	8	3	34				

It is requested, that advertisements and the translations, of any length, may be sent to this office on Tuesday evening, and those of a few lines only, by noon of Wednesday.



SUPPLEMENT TO THE
BOMBAY GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

Published by authority.

THURSDAY, 14TH FEBRUARY 1839.

Legislative Department.

FORT WILLIAM.

THE 28TH JANUARY, 1839.

The following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 28th January, 1839.

ACT No. of 1839 A.

I. The existing Charter of the Bank of Bengal having been found in many respects inconvenient and imperfect, the Members of the said Corporation have by their Directors applied to the Governor General of India in Council for the amendment thereof, by a new Charter or Act of Incorporation, tendering the surrender thereupon of the said Charter, and the Governor General in Council having assented to such surrender, and to the continuance of the said Corporation as hereinafter declared;—It is hereby enacted, that from the 1st day of May next after the passing of this Act the Charter of the said Bank of Bengal, bearing date the 29th May 1823, and the Acts No. XIX. of 1836 and No. XXIV. of 1838 relating thereto, shall respectively cease to have effect; and the same are hereby from that day cancelled, save as to such particulars as are herein mentioned or referred to.

II. And it is hereby enacted, that the persons who at the time of the determination of the said Charter and Act aforesaid shall, under the provisions of the said Charter and Acts, be the Proprietors of the Capital Stock of the said Bank of Bengal, shall notwithstanding the determination of the said Charter and Acts continue to be a corporation, body corporate and politic by the name of the Bank of Bengal with perpetual succession to them and their successive Proprietors for the time being of the said Bank as hereinafter mentioned, and to possess and enjoy all the rights, privileges and immunities incident by law to a corporation aggregate.

III. And it is hereby enacted, that all property and securities for property, claims and demands whatsoever now vested in, or held by the said Bank of Bengal, under and by virtue of the said Charter and Acts, shall immediately on the determination of the said Charter, devolve on and become vested and continued in the Bank of Bengal, so continued and incorporated by this Act as aforesaid, and that the said Bank of Bengal so continued and incorporated as aforesaid shall be subject to all debts, demands, claims and liabilities outstanding against the said Bank at the time of such determination of its said Charter as aforesaid, and that no suit or proceeding at Law or in Equity then pending shall cease or abate in consequence of such determi-

nation of the said present Charter, and of such renewal and continuance of the said Bank by virtue of this Act

IV And it is hereby enacted, that the said Bank so renewed and continued shall, and may sue and be sued by its corporate name aforesaid, and shall and may have and use such common seal as the Directors of the said Bank shall from time to time appoint, and shall be competent to acquire and hold either absolutely or conditionally, for a term or in perpetuity, any description of property whatever, and to transfer and convey the same

V. And it is hereby enacted, that the Capital Stock of the said Bank as constituted under the said present Charter and Acts, shall on the determination of the same by virtue of this Act continue to be the Capital Stock of the said Bank so renewed and continued as aforesaid, provided however, that it shall be in the power of the Governor General of India in Council from time to time, by resolution notified in the *Calcutta Gazette*, to authorize the said Capital Stock to be increased, and to make such order and direction for the opening of subscriptions towards such increase of capital as to him may seem fit, giving due notice thereof to the Proprietors of the said Bank for the time being, and allowing to them a period of not less than twelve months to fill up such subscription themselves, and likewise to prescribe in what manner and form the Proprietors shall subscribe and pay into the said Bank the proportions of new Stock to which they may respectively be entitled, and to make such order and direction as to him, the said Governor General in Council may seem fit for the disposal of the amount of new Stock that may not be subscribed for and paid up in the manner and form so prescribed.

VI. And whereas the Capital Stock of the said Bank which by the said Act No XIX. of 1836, was fixed at 75 lakhs of Rupees, divided into 1,375 Shares of 4,000 Rupees each, has by the Resolution of the President of the Council of India in Council, issued and notified to the Proprietors on the 17th October 1838, in conformity with Act No. XXIV. of 1838, been ordered to be increased by one-half, and whereas a book is now open for subscriptions, and payment is now being made of such increased capital in the manner and under the terms and conditions authorized in the said Act No. XXIV of 1838, and prescribed in the said order and notice of the President in Council, it is therefore hereby enacted, that the Capital Stock of the said Bank shall on the said 1st May next, when this Act shall take effect for the re-incorporation of the said Bank, consist of the said sum

of seventy five lakhs of Company's Rupees, together with such further amount as shall on that date have been subscribed and paid into the Bank of Bengal under the order and notice referred to, and the further subscriptions and payments of Capital authorized and ordered as above mentioned shall continue to be received in the manner provided in the said order and notice of the President in Council, and shall be added to the Capital Stock of the Bank as received, accordingly as is prescribed in the said order passed under the authority of the said Act, and the Capital Stock held by the Bank of Bengal on the said 1st May next, together with the further Capital that may be subscribed and paid up as above after that date, shall be divided into shares of 4,000 Rupees each, or into quarter shares of 1,000 Rupees each in the manner declared and provided by Act No. XIX. of 1836, and the shares of the said Capital that may be then registered in the name of the Governor General of India in Council, shall be the property of the said Governor General of India in Council for the time being on behalf of the East India Company, together with any new shares or quarter shares for which subscription may be made on account thereof, under the option reserved to the said Governor General of India in Council to that effect in the said order and notice, and the shares and quarter shares registered as belonging to individual Proprietors shall continue to be the property of such Proprietors, and the said Proprietors shall respectively be in the proportion of their several interests Proprietors of the Bank of Bengal as re-incorporated by this Act, and shall hold and enjoy in respect to their several shares and interests the same precise rights and privileges, as regards the subscription to fresh Stock under the order and notice referred to, as they would have done if the Bank of Bengal had continued under the Charter and Acts referred to, the re-incorporation of the said Bank by this Act notwithstanding.

VII. And it is hereby enacted, that no Proprietor shall be allowed to increase his share in the Capital Stock of the said Bank beyond the amount of one lakh and sixty thousand Rupees, excepting on occasion of any increase being made to the Capital Stock of the said Bank under the authority of the Governor General in Council, in the manner prescribed in Section V. in which case any Proprietor holding Stock to the full amount of one lakh and sixty thousand Rupees, shall notwithstanding be entitled to subscribe to the increased Capital Stock in a rateable proportion; and excepting any addition to his interest in the said Capital Stock arises from succession, bequest or marriage.

VIII. And it is hereby enacted, that a certificate signed by three Directors of the said Bank shall be delivered to the Proprietor or Proprietors of all the said shares of the Capital Stock of the said Bank, upon demand made by the holder of such share, and that any person who is a Proprietor of more than one such share, may at his option demand a certificate for each of his shares, or one certificate for all his shares, or several certificates, each of which may be for any number of his shares.

IX. And it is hereby enacted, that the said share or shares of the Capital Stock of the said Bank shall be of the nature of personal estate of the Proprietors thereof respectively, and that the same shall be transferable by endorsement to be made on such certificates thereof respectively, under the hand of the Proprietor or Proprietors, or

his, her, or their Attornies duly authorized, which endorsement shall specify the name of the person or persons to whom the said transfer shall be made, provided that no such endorsement shall be effectual to transfer any such share or shares until such endorsement shall have been registered at the Bank of Bengal, and such registration shall have been noted on such endorsement under the hand of an Officer appointed for that purpose by the Directors of the said Bank.

X. And it is hereby enacted, that the said corporate body, so renewed and continued as aforesaid, shall consist and be composed of the registered Proprietors for the time being of the said shares of the Capital Stock of the said Bank, and of no other person or persons whatsoever.

XI. And it is hereby enacted, that the business of the said Bank shall be managed by nine Directors, of whom three shall be appointed and removable by the Governor General of India in Council, and the remaining six shall be elected by a General Meeting of the Proprietors of the said Bank, and removable by vote of the majority of a General Meeting of the said Proprietors.

XII. And it is hereby enacted, that the persons who, at the time of such determination of the said present Charter and Acts as aforesaid, shall be Directors of the said Bank, shall thereafter continue to be Directors of the said Bank so renewed and continued as aforesaid.

XIII. And it is hereby enacted, that two of the six Directors elected and to be elected by the said Proprietors, shall in rotation go out of office on the second Monday in the month of December in every year, on which day in every year a General Meeting of Proprietors shall be held for the election of two Directors in their stead—provided always, that any Director going out by rotation as aforesaid may not be re-elected at the election which takes place thereupon—provided also, that the rotation existing at the time of such determination as aforesaid of the said present Charter and Acts, shall continue to be observed.

XIV. And it is hereby enacted, that in case of the death, resignation, or absence from Calcutta for more than three months, or removal as aforesaid of any Directors elected or to be elected by the said Proprietors, the Directors shall call a General Meeting of the Proprietors to be held within fifteen days, for the purpose of choosing a successor, and such successor shall come into the same place in the rotation above mentioned in which the Director was.

XV. And it is hereby enacted, that no person shall be capable of serving as a Director by election of the said Proprietors who shall not be Proprietor in his own right, and unnumbered of three shares or 12,000 Rupees of the Capital Stock of the Bank of Bengal, or who shall be a Director of any other Bank issuing notes payable on demand within the Town or Suburbs of Calcutta.

XVI. And it is hereby enacted, that at General Meetings of the Proprietors every election and other matter in question shall be decided by a majority of votes, and that no person shall be allowed to vote at any such Meeting in respect of any share of the said Capital Stock acquired by transfer, or purchase or otherwise than by act of law, unless such transfer shall have been completed six months at the least before the time of tendering such vote.

XVII. And it is hereby enacted, that at all such General Meetings the Proprietors shall

vote according to the following scale.

1	Square of 4,000 Rs.	shall entitle to	1	vote.
5	"	"	2	"
10	"	"	3	"
15	"	"	4	"
20	"	"	5	"
30	"	"	6	"
40	"	"	7	"

and no Proprietor shall be entitled to more than seven votes.

XVIII. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor General of India in Council to give a proxy in writing, signed by one of the Secretaries to Government, to any person whom the Governor General may appoint to attend any General Meeting of the Proprietors, and that the holder of such proxy shall be entitled to give seven votes upon all matters or questions that may be submitted to such Meeting, excepting upon the election or removal of such Directors as are elected by the said Proprietors.

XIX. And it is hereby enacted, that any Proprietor or Proprietors entitled to vote at any General Meeting may give a proxy in writing, either General or Special, under his, her, or their hand, or the hand of his, her, or their attorney, duly authorized, to any other Proprietor, and that such proxy shall be produced at the time of voting, and that such proxy shall entitle the person to whom it is given to vote on such matters as shall be authorized by the tenor of such proxy.

XX. And it is hereby enacted, that at the first Meeting of the Directors in every year, they shall choose a President from among themselves, and if the office of President shall become vacant, they shall at their next Meeting choose a successor for the remainder of the current year, and that during any vacancy or in the absence of the President, the senior Director shall be Vice-President for the time, and that such President or Vice-President shall have the casting vote in all cases of an equal division of votes at Meetings either of Directors or Proprietors.

XXI. And it is hereby enacted, that the presence of at least three Directors shall be necessary to form a board for the transaction of business, and the said Directors shall establish a weekly rotation among themselves, so that not less than three Directors may attend every Meeting of Directors, provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be held to preclude any Director from attending any Meeting of Directors.

XXII. And it is hereby enacted, that all accounts of the said Bank, and all instruments not under seal, whereby the said Bank can in any manner be bound, except the Cash Notes of the Bank, shall be signed by three Directors and shall be of no validity unless so signed, and that the seal of the said Bank shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of three Directors who shall sign their names in the instrument in token of their presence, and that such signing shall be independent of the signing of any person who may sign the instrument as a witness, and that unless so signed by three Directors such instrument shall be of no validity.

XXIII. And it is hereby enacted, that the said Directors shall have power to appoint such Officers as may be necessary to conduct the business of the said Bank, and to remove any Officer of the said Bank, and to fix the salaries of such Officers, provided that the whole expense of the establishment of the said Bank shall not in any one year exceed 60,000 Rupees, with-

out previous authority from the General Meeting of the Proprietors.

XXIV. And it is hereby enacted, that no person who shall hold the office of Secretary, Treasurer, Head Accountant or Khazanchoe of the Bank of Bengal, shall engage in any other commercial business either on his own account, or as Agent for any other person or persons, or act as a Broker for the sale or purchase of Government Securities; and that every person appointed to any one or more of the said offices shall give security to the Directors for the faithful discharge of his duty in the sum of 50,000 Rupees.

XXV. And it is hereby enacted, that the said Bank of Bengal shall not be engaged in any kind of business except the kinds of business hereinafter specified, that is to say:

1. The Discounting of Negotiable Securities,
2. The keeping of Cash Accounts.
3. Buying and Selling of Bills of Exchange payable in India.
4. The lending of Money on short loans.
5. The Buying and Selling of Bullion.
6. The receiving of Deposits.
7. The issuing and circulating of Cash Notes and Bank Post Bills.
8. The selling of Property or Securities deposited in the Bank as security for loans and not redeemed, or of Property or Securities recovered by the Bank, in satisfaction of debts and claims.

XXVI. And it is hereby enacted, that the Directors of the said bank shall discount no Negotiable Security, and make no loan unless the amount of cash in possession of the said Bank and immediately available, shall be equal to at least one-fourth of all the claims against the said Bank, outstanding for the time being, and payable on demand.

XXVII. And it is hereby enacted, that the Directors of the said Bank of Bengal shall not discount any Negotiable Securities which shall have a longer period to run than three months, or lend any money for a longer period than three months, and that they shall make no loan or advance on any Bank Share or Certificate of Shares, nor on mortgage, or in any other manner on the security of any Lands, Houses, or immoveable property, nor on any Negotiable Security of any individual or partnership firm, which shall not carry on it the several responsibilities of at least two persons or firms unconnected with each other in general partnership, nor be in advance at one and the same time to any individual or partnership firm, either by way of discount, loan, or in any other manner (saving by loans upon the disposal of Government Securities) or Goods not perishable as hereinafter mentioned) beyond the amount of three Lakhs of Company's Rupees. Provided always, that advances upon Bills of Exchange accepted by the Government, or upon other Government Obligations shall not be considered as an advance within the meaning of this restriction.

XXVIII. And it is hereby enacted, that the Directors of the said Bank shall make no loan other than such loans as are described in the clause next preceding, except on deposit of Public Securities to the full amount of the loan, and which Public Securities shall be so endorsed as to put them at the absolute disposal of the said Bank of Bengal, or on deposit of Goods, not of a perishable nature, and of estimated value exceeding the amount of the loan by at least one-fourth.

XXIX. And it is hereby enacted, that the said Bank shall not be at any time in advance to the Government more than seven Lakhs and a half of Company's Rupees, provided always that the holding of Government Securities or of Bills of Exchange drawn upon the Government, or of other Government Acceptances or Obligations derived to the said Bank from individuals and not overdue, shall not be construed as being in advance to the Government within the meaning of this clause.

XXX. And it is hereby enacted, that the Directors of the said Bank of Bengal shall not suffer any person or persons, or body corporate, keeping cash with the said Bank of Bengal to overdraw his, her, or their account.

XXXI. And it is hereby enacted, that the said Bank of Bengal may issue Promissory Notes, payable either on demand or at a date not exceeding thirty days after sight, which Notes shall, and may be signed on behalf of the said Bank by such persons as the Directors of the said Bank may appoint or authorize in that behalf, provided always, that the total amount of such Notes in circulation at any one time shall not exceed two Crores of Rupees, and provided also that no such Note shall be for a smaller amount than ten Rupees.

XXXII. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall not be lawful for the said Bank to make, issue or negotiate any Note, Bill or other instrument containing any promise, undertaking or order for the payment of money elsewhere than within the limits of India.

XXXIII. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Directors of the said Bank of Bengal to receive in deposit Goods not of a perishable kind, and to contract for the safe keeping of the same.

XXXIV. And it is hereby enacted, that the Directors of the said Bank shall cause the books of the said Bank to be balanced on the 30th day of June, and the 31st of December in every year, and that a settlement of the balance on every such day, signed by a majority of the said Directors, shall be forthwith transmitted to one of the Secretaries to the Governor General of India in Council, and that the Governor General of India in Council shall at all times be entitled to require of the said Directors any information touching the affairs of the Bank, and the production of any documents of the said Bank, and that the said Directors shall comply with every such requisitions.

XXXV. And it is hereby enacted, that an account of the profits of the said Bank shall be taken half yearly on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July in every year, and that a dividend thereof shall be made so soon thereafter as conveniently may be, and that the amount of such dividend shall be determined by the Directors of the said Bank, on the ground of the actual profits made by the said Bank during the six calendar months preceding the day up to which such half yearly account shall be taken, provided that the said Directors, subject to the control and sanction of the Proprietors at their General Meetings, shall have power when they see fit to set apart from such profits a sum not exceeding five per cent on the Capital Stock of the Bank as a reserve against contingencies.

XXXVI. And it is hereby enacted, that on the first Monday of the month of August in every year, a General Meeting of the Proprietors of the Capital Stock of the said Bank shall be held,

at which the Directors of the said Bank shall submit to the said Proprietors a statement of affairs of the said Bank, made up to the preceding 30th of June, and such General Meeting shall be competent to pass resolutions, and frame rules and directions relative to the affairs and conduct of the said Bank, which shall be binding on the Directors and Officers of the Bank, and on the Proprietors thereof, until rescinded or modified respectively by any subsequent General Meeting.

XXXVII. And it is hereby enacted, that any three Directors of the said Bank, or any ten Proprietors of the Capital Stock of the said Bank, may at any time convene a General Meeting of the Proprietors upon giving fifteen days previous notice of such Meeting, and of the purpose or purposes for which the same shall be convened, as well to the Directors of the said Bank for the time being, as also by public advertisement in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

XXXVIII. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Bank of Bengal, with the sanction of the Governor General of India in Council, to establish Branch Banks at such places and under such rules and restrictions as shall be determined by the Proprietors at their General Meetings, provided however, that such Branch Banks when so established, besides being subject to the rules and restrictions that may be imposed by the Proprietors, and to the control and orders of the Directors of the Bank at Calcutta, shall be bound by the same rules as to the description of business in which they are to engage, and the manner of conducting such business; and likewise in respect to the issue of notes payable on demand and the retention of cash to meet the same, and in all transactions and matters herein above referred to, as are prescribed for the Bank of Bengal by this Act.

XXXIX. And it is further enacted, that if any of the said Proprietors shall become indebted to the said Bank, it shall be lawful for the said Bank to withhold payment of the dividends on the share or shares of such Proprietor registered as his or her own property, and not as held in trust, or as executor, or administrator, until payment of such debt, and to apply such dividends towards payment thereof, and that after demand and default of payment and notice in that behalf given either to such Proprietor or his or her constituted Agent, or by public advertisement in the *Calcutta Gazette*, it shall be lawful for the said Bank to refuse registration of the transfer of any such share or shares of such Proprietor, until payment of such debt, and if the same shall remain unpaid for the space of six months after such notice, to advertise for public sale, and to sell such share or shares or so many as may be necessary, and to apply the proceeds thereof towards payment of such debt with interest, at the rate of six per cent per annum, paying over the surplus, if any, to such Proprietors or to his or her lawful representative.

XI. And it is further enacted, that the said Bank shall continue as hereby constituted until the 1st day of May, which will be in the Year of Our Lord 1846, and shall thereafter continue in like manner until duly dissolved or modified, provided however, that after the said 1st day of May 1846, the said Bank shall not, except upon the application or by the consent of the said Bank be dissolved, or anywise modified without previous notice of twelve months at the least being given to the Directors of the said Bank for the time

being of such intended dissolution or modification, provided also, that in the event of the said Bank at any time suspending any cash payments, the benefits granted to the said Bank by the present Act of incorporation shall be thenceforth forfeited.

Ordered, that the Draft, now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 12th day of March next.

J. P. GRANT,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Legislative Department.

FORT WILLIAM,

THE 28TH JANUARY, 1839.

Whereas it has been ordered by the Hon'ble Court of Directors of the East India Company, that an Act shall be prepared for incorporating a Bank at Bombay, on the same principles, and in the same form and manner as have been approved and sanctioned by the said Court, for the re-incorporation of the Bank already established at Calcutta, and called the Bank of Bengal, with a difference only in the amount of Capital Stock to be subscribed for and paid up by the Government and by the Proprietors respectively; and whereas it is further ordered and declared by the said Court of Directors, that when the provisions of the said Act shall have been adopted by the Proprietors to be incorporated thereby, and on condition that the amount of Capital be duly paid up, the Government of India is empowered and required without further reference to the said Court to carry the said Act into effect for incorporation of the said Bank at Bombay.

Resolved, that the following Draft of a proposed Act be published for general information.

ACT NO.—OF 1839. B.

I. It is hereby enacted, that from the 1st May next ensuing, in the year of our Lord 1839, provided that before that date a sufficient number of persons shall have subscribed and signed their acceptance of the terms of incorporation specified and declared by this Act, and provided that the amount of Capital Stock subscribed by them respectively, and to be subscribed by the Government of Bombay, on behalf of the East India Company, shall have been paid up, or such proportion thereof shall have been realized as is hereinafter prescribed—the persons so subscribing, accepting and paying up their subscriptions shall, together with the Governor in Council, for the time being of the Island and Presidency of Bombay, be a corporation, body corporate and politic, by name of the Bank of Bombay, with perpetual succession to them and their successors as Proprietors, for the time being of the said Bank as hereafter mentioned and provided, and shall possess and enjoy all the rights, privileges, and immunities incident by Law to a corporation aggregate—and if the conditions above stated be not fulfilled and completed on the said 1st May next ensuing, after the date of the passing of this Act, then it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, of the Presidency of Bombay, so soon as it shall be certified to him that a sufficient number of persons have subscribed and signed their acceptance of the terms and conditions hereinunder prescribed, and that the proportion of the Capital Stock required is paid up and realized, to notify the same by public notice in

the *Bombay Gazette*, and the said persons so subscribing and paying as above, together with the Governor in Council shall, from the date of such notification be incorporated, and be a body corporate as above described, and the several provisions of this Act shall from the said 1st May or from such date of incorporation as may be so notified, take full effect and be in force for the establishment of the said Bank of Bombay.

II. And it is hereby enacted, that the Capital Stock of the said Bank of Bombay shall be Fifty Lakhs of Rupees, whereof the Governor in Council of Bombay for the time being shall on behalf of the East India Company be Proprietor of three lakhs of Rupees, provided however, that it shall be in the power of the Governor General of India in Council from time to time, by an order duly published in the *Gazettes of Calcutta* and of Bombay, to authorize the said Capital Stock to be increased, and to make such order and direction for the opening of subscriptions towards such increase of Capital as to him may seem fit, giving due notice thereof to the Proprietors of the said Bank for the time being, and allowing to them a period of not less than twelve months to fill up such subscription themselves, and likewise to prescribe in what manner and form the Proprietors shall subscribe and pay into the said Bank the proportion of new Stock to which they may respectively be entitled, and also to make such order and direction as to him the said Governor General in Council may seem fit for the disposal of the amount of new Stock that may not be subscribed for and paid up by the Proprietors in the manner and form that may be so prescribed.

III. And it is hereby enacted, that the Capital Stock of the Bank of Bombay shall so long as it shall consist of fifty lakhs of Rupees be divided into 1250 shares of 4000 Rupees each, which shall be numbered from 1 to 1250, and seventy five of the said shares numbered from No. 1 to 75 shall be the property of the Governor in Council of Bombay, and the remainder numbered from No. 76 to 1250 shall be the property of the Proprietors who may subscribe and pay the same, and each of the said shares may be divided into quarter shares of 1000 Rupees each, but no separate interest or share in the Stock of the said Bank of less amount than 1000 Rupees shall be created or held by any Proprietor, and if at any time the Capital of the said Bank shall be increased, the new Stock added thereto shall in like manner be divided into shares of 4000 Rupees each, divisible into quarter shares of 1000 Rupees, and no Proprietor shall be entitled to claim a share of such new Stock of less amount than one thousand Rupees.

IV. And it is hereby enacted, that for taking the subscriptions of intending Proprietors of the said Bank of Bombay a day shall be fixed and notified to the public by the Governor in Council of Bombay, being not less than 20 days before the 1st of May 1839, whereon the privilege of subscribing for the Stock of the said Bank shall be publicly sold by an Officer of the Government of Bombay in the manner following.

First—The amount of 47 lakhs of Rupees which is the proportion of the Capital Stock to be subscribed for by Proprietors being divided into 1175 lots corresponding with 1175 shares of the Stock of the said Bank, each of 4000 Rupees, and being numbered from 76 to 1250 as above ordered, shall be put up in successive lots to be bid for at public auction by all persons desirous of

taking the same and the privilege of subscribing for each of the said shares shall be given to the highest bidder for the same, provided that he shall forthwith pay to the Officer conducting the sale the amount so bid by him, and provided he shall sign in the presence of the said Officer an acknowledgment of his acceptance of the terms and conditions prescribed by this Act for the incorporation for the said Bank, and likewise an engagement binding himself to pay up the proportions of capital due on such share on or before the dates, and in the manner herein under prescribed, and to perform the other obligations and conditions of his purchase.

Second.—When a purchaser shall have paid the amount bid by him as a consideration for the privilege of subscribing for any share or shares, he shall receive for each share so purchased a certificate in the form following, which certificate shall entitle the said purchaser, or the person or persons to whom he may by endorsement assign the same to subscribe and pay the amount of Capital therein stated on the dates mentioned, and to become by reason of such subscription and payment a Proprietor and Shareholder of the Bank of Bombay when it shall be incorporated under this Act.

Form of Certificate of Purchase.

Certified, that A. B. purchaser of Lot No. ——— at the public sale held ——— at Bombay on this day ——— is entitled to subscribe for the sum of four thousand Rupees of the Capital Stock of the Bank of Bombay, to be incorporated under Act No. — of this year, and to become a Proprietor and Shareholder of the said Bank on the following terms and conditions.

The said amount of Stock must be paid to the person who may be appointed Secretary and Treasurer of the said Bank on the following dates: 1000 Rupees on or before the 1st May 1839—1000 Rupees on or before the 1st June 1839—1000 Rupees on or before the 1st July 1839, and the last 1000 Rupees on or before the 1st August 1839—and each payment as made shall be certified and inscribed on this certificate with the receipt of the said Secretary of the Bank of Bombay; provided however, that in the event of non-payment of any one of the said amounts on or before the date stated the right to subscribe for the share No. — of the Stock of the said Bank represented by this certificate shall be forfeited, together with any premium or purchase money paid for the same, and the privilege shall be resold in such manner, and on such date as may be ordered by the Governor in Council of Bombay. The purchaser at such resale after making good the amount of any Capital that may have been paid into the Secretary of the Bank of Bombay up to the date of resale, for refund to the original holder shall be entitled to subscribe and to become Proprietor in his room of the Capital Stock represented by this certificate.

(Signed) C. D. Accountant General,
(According to the Office held by the person making the Sale).

Third. The purchaser of any one lot at the sale held in the manner and form above described shall be entitled to claim and take nine other lots at the same price, provided that the total number purchased by him shall not exceed forty lots, that being the limit fixed by this Act of the quantity of Stock that may be held by one and the same person.

V. And it is hereby enacted, that upon the said 1st May 1839, if one-fourth of the Capital Stock of fifty Lakhs be then paid up, or so soon thereafter as it shall be notified as above provid-

ed that the sum of twelve Lakhs and fifty thousand Rupees, being one-fourth of the Capital Stock of the Bank has been realized, the Bank of Bombay being incorporated as above provided shall be opened for the transaction of all manner of business authorized by this Act, and the said Bank shall and may sue and be sued by its corporate name, and shall and may use such common seal as the Directors of the said Bank shall from time to time appoint, and shall be competent to acquire and hold either absolutely or conditionally, for a term, or in perpetuity, any description of property whatsoever, and to transfer and convey the same.

VI. And it is hereby enacted, that after payment shall have been made of the entire sum of 4,000 Rupees on account of any share, the certificate of the Officer of the Government of Bombay, given to the purchaser of the right to subscribe for such share in the manner provided in Section IV. of this Act shall be cancelled, and a certificate signed by three Directors of the Bank of Bombay shall be delivered to the Proprietor of such share, and the same shall be divisible as above provided into four quarter shares, and any person who is a Proprietor of more than one such share of the Capital Stock upon which the whole amount has been paid up, may at his option demand a certificate for each of his shares or quarter shares, or one certificate for all his shares on several certificates, each of which may be for any number of his shares or quarter shares.

VII. And it is hereby enacted, that the said share or shares of the Capital Stock of the said Bank shall be of the nature of personal estate of the Proprietors thereof respectively and that the same shall be transferable by endorsement to be made on the certificates thereof respectively under the hand of the Proprietor, or Proprietors, or his, her, or their Attorney duly authorized, which endorsement shall specify the name of the person or persons to whom the said transfer shall be made, provided that no such endorsement shall be effectual to transfer any such share or shares until such endorsement shall have been registered at the Bank of Bombay, and such registration shall have been noted on such endorsement under the hand of an Officer appointed for that purpose by the Directors of the said Bank.

VIII. And it is hereby enacted, that the said corporate body of the Bank of Bombay, shall consist and be composed of the registered Proprietors for the time being of the said shares of the Capital Stock of the said Bank, and of no other person or persons whatsoever.

IX. And it is hereby enacted, that the business of the said Bank shall be managed by nine Directors, of whom three shall be appointed and removable by the Governor in Council of Bombay, and the remaining six shall be elected by a General Meeting of the Proprietors of the said Bank and removable by vote of the majority of a General Meeting of the said Proprietors.

X. And it is hereby enacted, that the first Directors of the said Bank of Bombay shall be such three persons as may be appointed by the Governor in Council of Bombay to be Directors of the Bank, together with six persons being purchasers of the privilege of subscribing for shares in the Bank of Bombay who shall be elected by the purchasers on some date subsequent to the day of the sale ordered in Section IV. of this Act, and prior to the 1st May 1839, and the election shall be made by the said purchasers as if they were Proprietors to all intents and purposes of the shares for which

they are entitled to subscribe, and they shall vote according to the number of shares to which they are entitled in like manner as if they were Proprietors of the said shares. And the Directors so appointed shall appoint Officers and take all necessary steps for opening the Bank when this Act shall take effect for its incorporation, and the rotation amongst the six Directors first appointed under the next preceding Section, shall be established according to the number of votes; the two Directors elected by the fewest votes first vacating, and the next two in the year following, and so in succession in the third year.

XI. And it is hereby enacted, that two of the six Directors elected by the said purchasers, and to be elected by the Proprietors, shall in rotation go out of office on the second Monday in the month of December in every year, on which day in every year a General Meeting of Proprietors shall be held for the election of two Directors in their stead, provided always that any Director going out by rotation as aforesaid may not be re-elected at the election which takes place thereupon.

XII. And it is hereby enacted, that in case of the death, resignation or absence from Bombay for more than three months, or removal as aforesaid of any Directors elected by the said purchasers, or to be elected by the Proprietors after the incorporation of the Bank of Bombay, the Directors shall call a General Meeting of the Proprietors to be held within fifteen days, for the purpose of choosing a successor, and such successor shall come into the same place in rotation abovementioned in which the Director was.

XIII. And it is hereby enacted, that no person shall be capable of serving as a Director by election of the said purchasers, or of the Proprietors who shall not be Proprietor in his own right, and unnumbered of three shares or 12,000 Rupees of the Capital Stock of the Bank of Bombay, or who shall be a Director of any other Bank issuing Notes payable on demand within the Town or Suburbs of Bombay.

XIV. And it is hereby enacted, that at General Meetings of the Proprietors every election and other matter in question shall be decided by a majority of votes, and that no person shall be allowed to vote at any such Meeting in respect of any share of the said Capital Stock, acquired by transfer or purchase, or otherwise than by act of law, unless such transfer shall have been completed six months at the least before the time of tendering such vote.

XV. And it is hereby enacted, that at all such General Meetings the Proprietors shall vote according to the following scale :

1 Share of 4000 Rs. shall entitle to 1 Vote.	
5	2 ..
10	3 ..
15	4 ..
20	5 ..
30	6 ..
40	7 ..

and no Proprietors shall be entitled to more than seven votes.

XVI. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council of Bombay to give a proxy in writing, signed by one of the Secretaries to Government, to any person whom the Governor of Bombay may appoint to attend any General Meeting of the Proprietors, and that the holder of such proxy shall be entitled to give seven votes upon all matters or

questions that may be submitted to such Meeting excepting upon the election or removal of such Directors as are elected by the said Proprietors.

XVII. And it is hereby enacted, that any Proprietor or Proprietors entitled to vote at any General Meeting may give a proxy in writing either general or special, under his, her or their hand, or the hand of his, her or their Attorney, duly authorized, to any other Proprietor, and that such proxy shall be produced at the time of voting, and that such proxy shall entitle the person to whom it is given to vote on such matter only as shall be authorized by the tenor of such proxy.

XVIII. And it is hereby enacted, that at the first Meeting of the Directors in every year they shall choose a President from among themselves, and if the office of President shall become vacant, they shall at their next Meeting choose a successor for the remainder of the current year, and that during any vacancy, or in the absence of the President, the Senior Director shall be Vice President for the time, and that such President or Vice President shall have the casting vote in all cases of an equal division of votes at Meetings either of Directors or Proprietors.

XIX. And it is hereby enacted, that the presence of at least three Directors shall be necessary to form a board, for the transaction of business, and the said Directors shall establish a weekly rotation among themselves so that not less than three Directors may attend every Meeting of Directors, provided always that nothing therein contained shall be held to preclude any Director from attending any Meeting of Directors.

XX. And it is hereby enacted, that all accounts of the said Bank, and all instruments, not under seal, whereby the said Bank can in any manner be bound, except the Cash Notes of the Bank, shall be signed by three Directors and shall be of no validity unless so signed, and that the seal of the said Bank shall not be fixed to any instrument except in the presence of three Directors, who shall sign their names on the instrument in token of their presence, and that such signing shall be independent of the signing of every person who may sign the instrument as a witness, and that unless so signed by three Directors such instruments shall be of no validity.

XXI. And it is hereby enacted, that the said Directors shall have power to appoint such Officers as may be necessary to conduct the business of the said Bank, and to remove any Officer of the said Bank, and to fix the salaries of such Officers, provided that the whole expense of the establishment of the said Bank shall not in any one year exceed 60,000 Rupees, without previous authority from the General Meeting of the Proprietors.

XXII. And it is hereby enacted, that no person who shall hold the Office of Secretary, Treasurer, Head Accountant or Khazanchee of the Bank of Bombay, shall engage in any other commercial business either on his own account, or as Agent for any other person or persons, or act as a Broker for the sale or purchase of Government Securities, and that every person appointed to any one or more of the said Offices shall give security to the Directors for the faithful discharge of his duty in the sum of 50,000 Rupees.

XXIII. And it is hereby enacted, that the

said Bank of Bombay shall not be engaged in any kind of business except the kind of business hereinafter specified, that is to say—

1. The discounting of Negotiable Securities.
2. The keeping of Cash Accounts.
3. Buying and Selling of Bills of Exchange payable in India.
4. The lending of Money on short loans.
5. The buying and selling of Bullion.
6. The receiving of Deposits.
7. The issuing and circulating of Cash Notes and Bank Post Bills.

8. The selling of Property or Securities deposited in the Bank as security for loans and not redeemed, or of Property or Securities recovered by the Bank in satisfaction of debts and claims.

XXIV. And it is hereby enacted, that the Directors of the said Bank shall discount no Negotiable Security and make no loan unless the amount of cash in possession of the said Bank, and immediately available, shall be equal to at least one fourth of all the claims against the said Bank outstanding for the time being and payable on demand.

XXV. And it is hereby enacted, that the Directors of the said Bank of Bombay shall not discount any Negotiable Securities which shall have a longer period to run than three months, or lend any money for a longer period than three months, and that they shall make no loan or advance on any Bank share or certificate of shares, nor on mortgage, or in any other manner on the security of any Lands, Houses, or immovable property, nor on any Negotiable Security, of any individual or partnership firm, which shall not carry on it the several responsibilities of at least two persons or firms unconnected with each other in general partnership, nor be in advance at one and the same time to any individual or partnership firm, either by way of discount, loan, or in any other manner (saving by loans upon the deposit of Government Securities or Goods not perishable as hereinafter mentioned) beyond the amount of three lakhs of Co.'s Rupees. Provided always, that the advances upon Bills of Exchange accepted by the Government, or upon other Government Obligations shall not be considered as an advance within the meaning of this restriction.

XXVI. And it is hereby enacted, that the Directors of the said Bank shall make no loan other than such loans as are described in the clause next preceding, except on deposit of Public Securities to the full amount of the loan, and which Public Securities shall be so endorsed as to put them at the absolute disposal of the said Bank of Bombay, or on deposit of Goods not of a perishable nature, and of estimated value exceeding the amount of the loan by at least one-fourth.

XXVII. And it is hereby enacted, that the said Bank shall not be at any time in advance to the Government more than seven lakhs and a half of Company's Rupees, provided always that the holding of Government Securities or of Bills of Exchange drawn upon the Government, or of other Government Acceptances or Obligations derived to the said Bank from individuals and not overdue, shall not be construed as being in advance to the Government within the meaning of this Clause.

XXVIII. And it is hereby enacted, that the Directors of the said Bank of Bombay shall not suffer any person or persons, or body corporate keeping cash with the said Bank of Bombay, to overdraw his, her or their account.

XXIX. And it is hereby enacted, that the said Bank of Bombay may issue promissory notes payable either on demand or at a date not exceeding thirty days after sight, which notes shall and may be signed on behalf of the said Bank by such person as the Directors of the

said Bank may appoint or authorize in that behalf, provided always, that the total amount of such notes in circulation at any one time shall not exceed two crores of Rupees, and provided also that no such note shall be for a smaller amount than ten Rupees.

XXX. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall not be lawful for the said Bank to make, issue or negotiate any note, bill or other instrument containing any promise, undertaking, or order for the payment of money elsewhere than within the limits of Bombay.

XXXI. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Directors of the said Bank of Bombay to receive in deposit goods not of a perishable kind and to contract for the safe keeping of the same.

XXXII. And it is hereby enacted, that the Directors of the said Bank shall cause the books of the said Bank to be balanced on the 30th day of June and the 31st of December in every year, and that a settlement of the balance on every such day, signed by a majority of the said Directors, shall be forthwith transmitted to one of the Secretaries to the Governor in Council of Bombay, and that the Governor in Council of Bombay shall at all times be entitled to require of the said Directors any information touching the affairs of the said Bank and the production of any documents of the said Bank, and that the said Directors shall comply with every such requisition.

XXXIII. And it is hereby enacted, that an account of the profits of the said Bank shall be taken half yearly on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July in every year, and that a dividend thereof shall be made so soon thereafter as conveniently may be, and that the amount of such dividend shall be determined by the Directors of the said Bank on the ground of the actual profits made by the said Bank during the six calendar months preceding the day up to which such half yearly account shall be taken, provided that the said Directors, subject to the control and sanction of the Proprietors at their General Meetings, shall have power when they see fit to set apart from such profits a sum not exceeding five per cent, on the Capital Stock of the Bank as a reserve against contingencies.

XXXIV. And it is hereby enacted, that on the 1st Monday of the month of August in every year, a General Meeting of the Proprietors of the Capital Stock of the said Bank shall be held at which the Directors of the said Bank shall submit to the said Proprietors a statement of the affairs of the said Bank, made up to the preceding 30th of June, and such General Meeting shall be competent to pass resolutions, and frame rules and directions relative to the affairs and conduct of the said Bank which shall be binding on the Directors and Officers of the Bank, and on the Proprietors thereof, until rescinded or modified respectively by any subsequent General Meeting.

XXXV. And it is hereby enacted, that any three Directors of the said Directors of the said Bank, or any ten Proprietors of the Capital stock of the said Bank, may at any time convene a General Meeting of the Proprietors upon giving fifteen days previous notice of such Meeting, and of the purpose or purposes for which the same shall be convened, as well to the Directors of the said Bank for the time being, as also by public advertisement in the *Government Gazette*.

XXXVI. And it is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Bank of Bombay, with the sanction of the Governor in Council of Bombay, to establish Branch Banks at such places, and under such rules and restrictions as shall be determined by the Proprietors at their General Meetings; provided however, that such Branch

Banks when so established, besides being subject to the rules and restrictions that may be imposed by the Proprietors, and to the control and orders of the Directors of the Bank at Bombay, shall be bound by the same rules as to the description of business in which they are to engage, and the manner of conducting such business, and likewise in respect to the issue of notes payable on demand, and the retention of the cash to meet the same, and in all transactions and matters herein above referred to, as are prescribed for the Bank of Bombay by this Act.

XXXVII. And it is further enacted, that if any of the said Proprietors shall become indebted to the said Bank, it shall be lawful for the said Bank to withhold payment of the dividends, or the share or shares of such Proprietor registered as his, or her own property, and not as held in trust, or as executor or administrator, until payment of such debt, and to apply such dividends towards payment thereof, and that after demand and default of payment and notice in that behalf given, either to such Proprietor, or his, or her constituted agent, or by public advertisement in the *Government Gazette*, it shall be lawful for the said Bank to refuse registration of the transfer of any such share or shares of such Proprietor until payment of such debt, and if the same shall remain unpaid for the space of six months after such notice, to advertise for public sale and to sell such share or shares for so many as may be necessary, and to apply the proceeds thereof towards payment of such debt without interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, paying over the surplus, if any, to such Proprietor, or his or her lawful representative.

XXXVIII. And it is further enacted, that the said Bank shall continue as hereby constituted until the 1st day of May, which will be in the year of our Lord 1846, and shall thereafter continue in like manner until duly dissolved or modified, provided however that after the said 1st day of May 1846, the said Bank shall not except upon the application or by the consent of the said Bank be dissolved or anywise modified without previous notice of twelve months at the least being given to the Directors of the said Bank for the time being of such intended dissolution or modification. Provided also, that in the event of the said Bank at any time suspending any cash payments, the benefits granted to the said Bank by the present Act of incorporation shall be thenceforth forfeited.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 12th day of March next.

J. P. GRANT,

Offg. Secy to the Govt. of India.

Legislative Department.

FORT WILLIAM,

THE 28TH JANUARY 1839.

The following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 28th January 1839.

ACT No. — OF 1839. C.

I. It is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for any Magistrate, or Justice of the Peace of the Settlement of Prince of Wales Island, Singapore and Malacca, to grant a Warrant or Warrants to any Peace or Revenue Officer or Officers of the said Settlement, empowering him or them by day or by night (but if between the hours of eleven o'clock at night and five in the morning, then the Warrant to be executed by or in the presence of a Peace Officer) to enter and search any Dwelling House, Shop or other building in any case in which there shall appear to such Magistrate or Justice of the Peace, upon the oath of any party, good and sufficient cause to believe that in any such Dwelling House, Shop or other building there is deposited or

concealed any article or articles, the exclusive privilege of preparing or selling which has been farmed out to any party or parties whatsoever by the East India Company under Regulations No. II. III. IV. and V. of 1830, passed by the late Governor in Council of the said Settlement of Prince of Wales Island, Singapore and Malacca, and also under Regulation IV. of 1831, passed by the Vice President in Council on the 18th of October 1831, and also under Regulations X. and XI. of 1833, respectively passed by the Governor General in Council on the 9th of September 1833, and to seize and take possession of any such article or articles as may be found so deposited or concealed therein, and it shall be lawful for any Officer to whom any such Warrant shall be granted, and he is hereby authorized in case of resistance, to break open any door and to force and remove any other impediment or obstruction to such entry, search or seizure and removal as aforesaid.

II. And it is hereby enacted, that any person or persons found committing any act in contravention of any of the provisions of the said Regulations may be immediately searched without a Warrant by any Peace or Revenue Officer, provided always, that the person to be searched may demand to be taken before some neighbouring Magistrate or Justice of the Peace, who shall determine, if there be reasonable grounds of suspicion, and every such Officer or Officers as aforesaid is hereby authorized and required to take such person upon demand before a neighbouring Magistrate or Justice of the Peace, detaining such person in the meantime. And if any person shall obstruct any such Officer or Officers in making any such search as aforesaid, every such person shall be subject, on conviction before a Magistrate or Justice of the Peace, to a fine not exceeding 100 rupees, such fine to be commuted, in case of non-payment, to imprisonment for any period not exceeding three calendar months.

III. And it is hereby enacted, that if any Peace or Revenue Officer shall maliciously and without reasonable grounds apprehend or detain any person or persons on the plea that such person or persons have infringed any of the provisions of any of the said Regulations, it shall be competent for any Magistrate or Justice of the Peace to hear the complaint, and if necessary to adjudge the offending Officer or Officers to pay a fine not exceeding 100 Rupees, such fine to be commuted, in case of non-payment, to imprisonment for any period not exceeding three calendar months.

IV. And it is hereby enacted, that in case any Officer committed under the preceding Section, shall have paid the sum adjudged to be paid by him, or shall have suffered the imprisonment awarded for non-payment thereof, every such Officer shall be released from all further or other proceedings from the same cause.

V. And it is hereby enacted, that no Peace or Revenue Officer of the said Settlement shall be competent to act under the provisions of this Act, unless appointed specially so to do in writing by the Resident Councillor of the station where such Peace or Revenue Officers may reside, which authority shall be duly registered at the Police Office of the said station, and liable to be annulled at the pleasure of the said Resident Councillor.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 12th day of March next.

J. P. GRANT,

Officiating Secy. to the Govt. of India.



BOMBAY GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

EXTRAORDINARY.

Published by authority.

WEDNESDAY, 20TH FEBRUARY 1839.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 19th February 1839.

The following copies of dispatches received from Commander Haines, of the Indian Navy, on a Political Mission to Aden; from His Excellency Rear Admiral Sir Frederick Maitland, K. C. B.; and Major Bailie, Commanding the Military Force sent to Aden, reporting the capture of that place on the 19th ultimo, are published for general information.

*By order of the Hon'ble
the Governor in Council.*

J. P. WILLOUGHBY,
Secy. to Govt.

To,

J. P. WILLOUGHBY Esquire,
Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you, for the information of Government, that during the many Skirmishes which have taken place between the Boats of the Hon'ble Company's Sloop of War "Coote" and the Shore; the Crew of that vessel assisted by Lieutenant Evans of the Bombay European Regiment, Lieutenant Western of the Bombay Engineers, and the Detachment of the former Officer's Regiment, have behaved with great gallantry, in every instance, and it is wonderful that only two Men of the "Coote" were wounded.

In the last Skirmish of the 11th of January, under the command of Lieutenant Johnstone, they were assisted by the "Mahi" Schooner, and the Mortar Boat "Choki." The action lasted for three or four hours, doing the Enemy considerable damage by destroying about twelve feet of their Battery without injury to themselves.

I have the honor to be &c.
(Signed) S. B. HAINES,

Aden, 15th January 1839.

To,

J. P. WILLOUGHBY Esquire,
Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you, for the information of the Honorable the Governor in Council, that the Force for the occupation of Aden arrived on the 16th January, when I immediately dispatched a letter into the Town, addressed to all the Chieftains. The answer was frivolous and unsatisfactory, and with it I received a message saying, they only wanted time to obtain Bedowins, and they were preparing the great Guns for service.

In consequence of the above information, I considered it advisable to lose no time in capturing it, more particularly as we had but few days water for the Troops and a Major Bailie to that effect.

Captain Smith accepted my services in taking his Ship in, and I feel proud to say, that he was pleased with the position I gave her.

I could not but admire the splendid fire from the shipping and Mortar vessel, and the behaviour of the little Mahi drew the admiration of every person.

Nothing could have been more regular than the landing; the Men were steady to a degree, and they stormed the place gallantly. But what is still more to be admired, and a greater proof of their discipline is, that after landing, neither male, female, or property was molested.

The loss on the side of the British, as will be seen by Major Bailie's letter, which I have the honor to forward, was very trivial until the unfortunate insurrection of the Prisoners from Seerah. The whole loss in killed and wounded including Navy and Army, is "fifteen," eight of which occurred after the place was in our possession. The loss of the Enemy has been very severe: One hundred and thirty nine are now said to be missing, besides many wounded inland, and we have twenty-five Men too severely wounded to return inland, among them one Chieftain Sheik Raggeeb Hazzabee, and Ali Salaam, a Nephew of the Sultan.

I have supplied the unfortunate sufferers with food and every thing, to make them as comfortable as circumstances will admit of, and they receive kind Medical attention from Doctor Malcolmson of the 24th Regiment; I have also given a few Dollars for the support of their families.

It would appear like presumption, in me to point out peculiar instances of merit. I therefore leave it to the Senior Naval and Military Officers to do it, and merely state, that it is my firm conviction that British Soldiers and Sailors could not have behaved better.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) S. B. HAINES.

Aden, 25th January 1839.

To,

The Honorable JAMES FARISH Esq.
Governor in Council &c.

Bombay.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith, copy of a dispatch which I yesterday received from Captain Smith, of Her Majesty's ship Volage, dated the 22nd of last month, by which your Honor in Council will be informed of the arrival of the Expedition under his charge to Aden on the 16th, and of his having under the circumstances, and with the Force mentioned in his letter, successfully attacked and captured that place on the 19th of January.

The accompanying Plan of Aden being an original paper, and required for transmission to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, I have to request, that I may be favored by its being returned to me for that purpose.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) F. L. MAITLAND,
Rear Admiral & Commander in Chief.

Wellesley, at Bombay, 16th February 1839.

To,

His Excellency Rear Admiral

Sir F. L. MAITLAND, K. C. B.

Commander in Chief, &c.

East Indies.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform your Excellency, that the Expedition under my command against this place anchored in the afternoon of the 16th instant:—The same evening I received a letter from the Political Agent, informing me, that all negotiation on his part had failed, and that Hostilities had already commenced. On receipt of this Letter I communicated with Major Bailie, the Officer Commanding the Troops, and we determined, to lose no time in attacking the place.

The 17th was spent in drawing up the Plan of attack, and in making the necessary prepa-

rations. On the morning of the 18th I weighed with the Squadron.

Her Majesty's.... Ship.... Volage,

Ditto..... Cruizer,

Hon'ble Company's Ship.... "Coote"

Ditto..... "Mahi"

Transport..... "Lowjee Family"

Ditto..... "Ernaad"

Ditto..... "Ann Crichton"

to proceed to the front of the Town, which I reached in the afternoon, in company with the Cruizer (towing a Mortar Boat) and "Mahi" Schooner. On standing in towards the Island of Seerah, a fire was opened on the Ship with Musketry and several large Guns, when I commenced a partial attack. The "Coote" (Corvette) and Transports, not having come up, I hauled off and anchored for the night.

On the morning of the 19th the whole Force having arrived, I made the signal to prepare to attack, and the Troops to be held in readiness for landing in two divisions: At half past nine the "Volage" anchored, with a spring on her small Bower Cable, in four fathom water, at about three hundred yards distance from the Tower Battery on the Island of Seerah, at the same time the Mahi took up her position to the Southward of the Island.

On standing in, the Enemy opened a fire of great Guns and Musketry on us, but the Ship being laid so close to the shore, the Guns on the heights were rendered useless, their shot passing over us: at ten the "Cruizer" anchored and was of essential service in destroying the flank of the Battery. During this period a heavy firing was kept up, but in a short time two of the Guns, in the lower Battery were dismounted, and most of the people were driven from the remainder: they however took shelter behind the ruins of the Battery, and kept up an incessant fire of Musketry on the Ship, and although the lower Battery was almost knocked to pieces, still we had great difficulty in dislodging the Men. At this period, I directed the fire to be opened on the round Tower and Batteries on the heights, which were filled with Men armed with Matchlocks, and in the course of one hour, I had the satisfaction to see this Tower (though sixty feet high and strongly built) a mass of Ruins; at eleven the 'Coote' anchored with the second Division of the Troops to the Southward of the Island, and opened her fire upon the Town. Finding the firing had not ceased from the lower Battery, I directed the Mahi Schooner to proceed to the end of it and endeavour to drive out the Men from behind it by Musketry; This service was performed by her Commander Lieutenant Daniels, in a most gallant manner, but I regret to say, that Mr. Nesbitt, Midshipman, was severely wounded.

The firing having now almost totally ceased, I gave directions for the Boats of both divisions to land. Lieutenant Dobree, who had charge of the first Division, Mr. Rundle, Mate, and a Quarter Master of this Ship were the first on Shore, and made for a sixty eight Pounder which had been fired at us several times, when a Matchlock was fired at the Quarter Master by a Man behind the Gun, who was immediately cut down by him, and the first British Flag was planted by Mr. Rundle.

So completely were the Enemy driven from all points (with the exception of the Island) by the fire of the Ships, that the whole of the Troops landed with the loss of only two Men killed and three wounded.

A partial firing was still kept up from the Island, when I directed Lieutenant Dobree, (who had returned with two Mates) Messrs. Stewart and Rundle, with a Party of Seamen, and Lieutenant Ayles, with the Marines, (amounting altogether to fifty) to land and take possession of it, this was gallantly accomplished, the party ascending the heights, spiking, and dismounting the Guns, taking the Flag which had been flying from the Tower, and making Prisoners of one hundred and thirty nine armed Arabs, who were conducted from the Island to the main by the Party and given over into the charge of Major Osborne. In an attempt to disarm the Prisoners (made by the Military) they made a most formidable resistance, and I regret to say, that several lives were lost on both sides.

Mr. Nesbitt, a Midshipman of the "Mahi" was the only person hurt on board the Squadron, and on the part of the Military sixteen were killed and wounded, most of them dangerously, and one Serjeant has since died.

The enemy's Guns were served badly and fired irregularly, they appearing to have most confidence in their Matchlocks, and there can be no doubt, that if it had not been for the total destruction of their defences by the Squadron, the Troops would not have been able to have accomplished their landing without a very serious loss.

I have not been able to ascertain the number of armed Men that defended the Town, but from what I can learn, there must have been upwards of one thousand, nor can I come at the exact number that were killed or wounded, twenty five dead bodies were found on the island of Seerah alone, several in the Town, and at this moment there are twenty five wounded lying in the Mosque, amongst whom is the Sultan's Nephew who defended the island. I beg to recommend to your notice the gallant Services of Lieutenant Dobree, and Messrs. Stewart and Rundle (Mates) nor can I omit mentioning the assistance I received from Captain Haines, the Political Agent, who from his local knowledge piloted the Ship in which enabled me to take up so effective a position.

I herewith transmit to your Excellency a Plan of the attack and a list of the Ordnance Stores captured.

Lieutenant Dobree is now employed with a party of Men, in endeavouring to get off the three large brass Turkish Guns, which it is the wish of the captors, should be presented to Her Most Gracious Majesty.

I have &c,

(Signed) H. SMITH, Capt.
Commdg. the Expedition.

Her Majesty's ship Vo-
lage, Aden Back Bay,
22nd January 1839.

Return of Brass and Iron Ordnance, captured at Aden, on the 19th January 1839.

No.	Description of Ordnance	Calibre.	Remarks.
1	Brass Gun on Carriage.	85 Prs.	In Battery.
1	Brass...do...do	68 Prs.	In Battery.
1	Brass...do...do	32 Prs.	In Battery dismounted by fire of the Squadron.
4	Iron Guns...do	18 do..	In Battery dismounted by fire of the Squadron.
2	Iron Guns...do	12 do..	In Battery.
5	Iron Guns...do	9 do..	In Battery dismounted and thrown into the Sea by sailors.
5	Iron do...do	6 do..	In Battery.
1	Iron do...do	4 do..	In Battery.
5	Iron do...do	3 do..	In Battery.
25	Not in Battery.		
1	Brass Gun...do	89 Prs.	
6	Iron...do	6 do..	
1	Iron...do	4 do..	
33	Guns.		
	Powder.....do	3000	
	Shot of Sizes...do	1200	85 Stones.
	Grape.....do	88	
	Lead.....do	2 Pigs.	
114	Matchlocks.....do	114	

(Signed) J. M. WILLOUGHBY, Capt.
Commanding Artillery Aden Force.

To,

COMMANDER HAINES.
Political Agent.

SIR,

I have the pleasure to state, for the information of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council of Bombay, that the combined Force under Captain Smith, R. N. and myself, have succeeded in capturing the fortified Island, Town, and Pass of Aden, with, I am happy to say, a comparatively small loss of life.

2nd. This unfortunate result would have been still more satisfactory, had it not been for an affray, which took place in attempting to disarm one hundred and thirty nine Arab Prisoners, sent by Lieutenant Dobree, of Her Majesty's Frigate Volage, who effected their escape, after having killed three, and wounded five Men, with their Creases, with a loss on their part of five killed and seven mortally wounded, having only succeeded, in previously depriving them of their Matchlocks.

3rd. The Town is now in such a state of quiet, the Inhabitants returning daily to their Houses, that I think you may take up your abode in the Town, or any other place you may choose to fix on.

4th. The Officer on Picquet, at the Pass on the Northern side, leading to the interior, has orders to permit all unarmed people to pass out, but I have given orders that no one shall be admitted except people with supplies, without an express order from myself.

5th. I shall be most happy to afford you every assistance in my power, connected with my Military duties here.

6th. The Pierzadeh at the Tomb of the Patron Saint of the Mahomedans of Aden, had taken charge of the inhabitants, Male and Female, and on my advance, immediately sent a flag of Truce, which was respected, and their privacy not intruded on in any way. He has sent me a few Matchlocks, but no Creases, and has pledged himself, that there are no more Arms, left amongst the few Arabs, belonging to Aden, at present in the Town.

7th. I have not met with any of the Chiefs mentioned by you in your letter of the 17th instant; should you obtain any intelligence, of the proceedings in the interior, I shall feel much obliged for any communication; and any assistance you can afford the Commissariat, in provisioning the Troops, will be of the greatest Public Service, as it will enable the Officer in charge, to husband his Bombay Stock.

I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) T. BAILIE, Major,
Commanding at Aden.

Aden, 22nd January 1839.

Secret Department.

To,

J. P. WILLOUGHBY, Esquire,
Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you, for the information of the Hon'ble the Governor in Council, that my first endeavours after obtaining the confidence of the usual occupations, and in giving them confidence; in this I have been quite successful, I also immediately wrote to Sultan M. Houssain, and Hamed, and to the Chieftains of the Hazzabee Sullanee subdivisions H. Agrabee and Honshabee Tribes and others, offering to give their wounded, medical assistance, and to permit them to have free and friendly intercourse with the Town.

2nd. This had the desired effect, and the Chieftains all expressed a wish to be on terms of Peace and Friendship, and to shew they were sincere, sent in supplies and Camels to as-

sist in landing Government Stores.

3rd. I also wrote letters to the different Ports on the Coast, informing the Governors, that Aden was free for trade, being now a British Port.

I have &c.

(Signed) S. B. HAINES,

J. P. WILLOUGHBY,
Secy. to Govt.

Aden, 28th January 1839.

GENERAL ORDER BY THE HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Bombay Castle, 19th February 1839.

The Hon'ble the Governor in Council experiences the highest gratification in offering to Captain Smith, Her Majesty's Ship Volage, Commanding the Naval part of the Expedition; to Commander Haines, of the Indian Navy, the Political Agent, who volunteered his Services in that Frigate, and to the several Commanders and Officers of the Vessels engaged on this duty the cordial thanks of Government for their gallant, zealous and effective services. The spirited conduct of Lieutenant Daniells and the Hon'ble Company's Schooner Mahi is deserving of special notice.

To Major Bailie and to the Military part of the Expedition under his Command, the Honorable the Governor in Council feels it his duty to express his warm acknowledgments for the steady and Soldierlike behaviour observed by all ranks, European and Native, during the attack, and after the capture.

The high discipline of the Troops was displayed in an exemplary manner by their cheerfully enduring the great privation of food to which they were unavoidably exposed, and particularly, in their abstaining from all violence to the inhabitants, and respecting the Families of the Natives, conduct which reflects honor on themselves and on their country.

*By order of the Hon'ble the Governor
in Council.*

J. P. WILLOUGHBY,
Secy. to the Govt.

Bombay Castle, 19th February 1839.

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