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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.

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.

The Bombay Government Gazettes furnished by Government to public offices are to be lodged with the records, and are not to be removed from the office.

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

## NOTICE.

The Government Printing and Lithographing Departments having been transferred to the BOMBAY EDUCATION SOCIETY, all Printing and Lithographing required by any Department should be sent to the Office at Bycullah.

Bombay, 5th April 1848.

J. G. LUMSDEN, Secy. to Govt.

## MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council is pleased to notify that the Monthly Mails to Suez, and Mid-monthly Mails to Aden, are intended to be despatched on the undermentioned dates, viz:—

- On the 28th April to Suez.
- On the 10th May to Aden.
- On the 23rd May to Suez.
- On the 20th June to Suez.
- On the 20th July to Suez.
- On the 30th August to Suez.
- On the 10th September to Aden.

By Order of the Right Hon'ble the Governor in Council,

P. M. MELVILL, Lieut. Col.,  
Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 12th March 1853.

## PROCLAMATION.

**BOMBAY TO WIT.**—By virtue of a Precept to me directed, I hereby proclaim and give notice, that the Session of Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery, will be holden before the Supreme Court of Judicature at Bombay, at the Court House, on Tuesday the 5th day of July next, at Eleven o'clock in the Forenoon, for the trial of all Treasons, Murders, and other Felonies, Perjuries, Trespases, and other Crimes and Misdemeanors, had, done, or committed within the Town and Island of Bombay, and the Limits thereof, and the Factories subordinate thereto; and

also to inquire, hear, and determine in like manner, all Treasons, Murders, Felonies, Forgeries, Perjuries, Crimes, Extortions, Misdemeanors, Trespases, Wrongs, Oppressions, had, done, or committed by any of Her Majesty's British Subjects in any of the Territories which now are subject to, or dependent upon, the said Government of Bombay, or within any of the Dominions of the Native Princes of India in alliance with the said Government.

And also, that at the same time and place will be holden a Session of Admiralty, for the trial of all Treasons, Murders, Piracies, Robberies, Trespases, Misdemeanors, and other Crimes and Offences, had, done, perpetrated, or committed on the High Seas.

And I hereby give notice to all persons bound to prosecute and give evidence at the above Sessions, or in any way concerned therein, that they are to attend at the time and place above mentioned, and not to depart without leave of the Court.

And I hereby give notice to all Justices of the Peace, Coroners, Escheators, and also all Chief Constables and Bailiffs of the Town and Island of Bombay and the Limits thereof, that they be then and there in their own persons, with their Rolls, Records, Indictments, and other Remembrances, to do those things which to their offices in that behalf appertain to be done.—Dated this 15th day of June 1853, and in the Sixteenth year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria.

H. E. LEEKE,  
Sheriff.



## Notice

Is hereby given, that persons desirous of entering into contracts for supplying such good and wholesome articles, embraced in the following Schedules, as may be required by the Commissariat Department in Upper Scinde, for the use of the Troops, Hospitals, and Indus Flotilla, &c., to commence from the 1st of the month succeeding that in which the sanction of the Military Board is received, unless specially ordered to the contrary, and to terminate on the 31st January 1854, may, on application at this Office, from 10 A. M. till 5 P. M. daily (Sundays excepted), obtain copies of the Schedules or Lists of Prices, and such other information relating thereto as they may require:—

- Schedule No. 1, For Bread and Biscuits. One separate offer for the articles comprised in Schedule No. 1.
- ” 2, For Fresh Meat. Do. do. No. 2.
- ” 3, Coffee, Sugar, and Tea
- ” 4, Rice, Salt, and Wood.
- ” 5, Liquor, Beer, &c....
- ” 6, Hospital Clothing...
- ” 7, Medical Comforts...
- ” 8, Country Medicine, & Hospital Provisions.
- ” 9, Hospital and Office Furniture.....
- ” 10, Stationery.....
- ” 11, Provisions.....
- ” 12, Miscellaneous Articles.
- ” 13, Tinning Cooking-Vessels.....
- ” 14, Grain. One separate offer for the articles comprised in Schedule No. 14.
- ” 15, Puckaulie Bullocks. Do. do. No. 15.

One separate offer for the articles comprised in Schedules Nos. 3 to 13, inclusive.

dissatisfied with the decision of the above Officers, or either of them; it being understood that the decision of such Committee is to be final, and binding on all parties.

3. No persons will be allowed to bid for the contracts unless they previously deposit in this office, in cash, the sums exhibited opposite to each of the following Schedules, which sums will be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal on the part of the contractors to execute the necessary deeds of contract whenever required to do so, on their offers being accepted; in which latter case they must be prepared to give unexceptionable bonded securities, to the further amount as shown opposite each Schedule, which, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as guarantee for the due fulfilment of their contracts:—

Schedule No.	Rs.	Deposit in Cash.	Bonded Security.
1.....	16		65
” 2.....	13		53
” 3.....	62		249
” 4.....	55		221
” 5.....	45		183
” 6.....	9		38
” 7.....	2		5
” 8.....	53		211
” 9.....	33		130
” 10.....	15		59
” 11.....	16		66
” 12.....	12		47
” 13.....	4		15
” 14.....	327		1307
” 15.....	151		605

4. Contractors must comply immediately with all emergent demands, and meet others of less urgency within the periods stated in the requisitions made upon them, in failure whereof, or if any supply be condemned by a Committee of Officers as aforesaid, the articles, or such others as may be required in lieu thereof, shall be purchased by this Department without delay, at their risk and cost, if it be considered expedient to do so; and in all such cases thirty per cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine of Rupees (50) fifty, at the option of the executive Commissariat Officer, will be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of contract; it being understood that the simple condemnation of any article by a Committee constitutes such a breach of contract, whether the rejected articles be replaced by the contractors or by this Department; in every such case, also, it is to be understood that the contracts may be cancelled at the discretion of the Commissary General, and that if the contracts be so cancelled, the cash deposits mentioned in paragraph 3 of this Notice will be forfeited to Government.

5. It is also to be understood, that any negligence, evasion, or refusal on the part of contractors to make supplies or obey orders, or any attempt on their part, or that of their agents, to pass off articles of an inferior quality in lieu of those they are bound to supply, or any neglect to deliver them at the time and place ordered, will subject them in every instance to be fined to the extent of twenty-five Rupees, at the option of the executive Commissariat Officer; from whose order an appeal may be made to the Commissary General, whose decision is to be final; but in cases when it may be deemed fit to exact any of the penalties provided

Sealed tenders for the contracts will be received at this Office on Monday the 27th June next, at 2 o'clock precisely, and will be opened in the presence of such parties as are in attendance on the day and hour specified, and no tenders can be received afterwards.

Parties willing to undertake the contract for Liquor, Beer, &c. are required to send in two tenders for the same, viz. one on the usual terms, and the other on the condition of receiving empty Bottles not required for the use of the Commissariat Department in Upper Scinde, at the following rates:—

- Quart Bottles at 4 (four) annas per dozen.  
Pint ditto at 6 (six) annas per dozen.

When intending contractors will be required to bid a per-centage above or below the prices exhibited in above lists at which the supply will be made, on the understanding that the articles supplied are to be of unexceptionable quality, or of the sort usually supplied, and are to be delivered, in the first instance at the Commissariat Stores if required, and afterwards to the indenting Departments, in good condition, free of all charges beyond the stipulated price, in such numbers or quantities as may from time to time be demanded, and that the same are liable to examination and rejection by the executive Commissariat Officer, or by the indenting or receiving Officer; or by a Committee of Officers appointed on the part of Government, in the event of the contractors being



for in the preceding Clause, no further penalty shall be leviable under this Clause.

6. It is further to be understood, that the contractors, or accredited agents on their part; approved of by the executive Commissariat Officer, are to attend at this Office during the usual hours of business, *i. e.* from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. daily (Sundays excepted), also at such other time or place as may be indicated by the executive Commissariat Officer, when he may consider it desirable for the public service to require such attendance.

7. Parties desirous to undertake the contracts are required to submit with their tenders certificates from parties of unexceptionable character and sufficient means as their sureties for the amount specified opposite each Schedule, but in case any of the sureties are not approved of by the Civil or Bazar Authorities at this Station, others to be immediately substituted, or otherwise the contracts will be resold at their risk and loss, and in that case the decision of the Commissary General is final.

8. Bills for articles supplied under the contracts above stated must be preferred within one month from the date of the delivery of the articles, in default of which the contractors will forfeit the full value of the supplies for which bills have not been so preferred, unless it clearly appears, to the satisfaction of the Commissary General, that the delay was unavoidable.

9. The amount of retrenchments made by the Military Board on contractors' bills will be recovered from the first bills preferred for payment, but in the event of such retrenchments, or any portion thereof, being remitted, the amount remitted will be refunded.

10. Parties who, after offering for the contracts, fail to furnish the necessary security, as provided for in Clause 7 of this Notice, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions, unless they produce a certificate from individuals of unexceptionable character and sufficient means, guaranteeing the due execution and performance of the contracts on their offers being accepted.

11. The annual outlay on the above contracts is estimated as follows :—

Schedule No.	Rs.	a.	p.
1.....	327	12	5
2.....	266	10	8
3.....	1245	3	1
4.....	1109	6	0
5.....	915	0	0
6.....	190	6	1
7.....	28	12	0
8.....	1059	11	7
9.....	654	0	0
10.....	297	4	0
11.....	330	12	10
12.....	236	15	8
13.....	75	0	0
14.....	6535	1	5
15.....	3024	0	0

12. No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any tender.

J. G. MILLAR, Lieutenant,  
Sub-Assistant Commissary General.

Sukkur, Commissariat Office,  
1st January 1853.

## Notice

Is hereby given, that persons desirous of entering into a Contract for supplying Grain, &c. to the European Troops at the Presidency, Indian Naval Department, House of Correction, and County Gaol, and for such other purposes as may from time to time be required, by the Commissariat Department, for the service of Government, for the term of one year from the 1st day of July next, may, on application at this Office, from 11 A. M. till 5 P. M. daily (Sundays excepted), obtain copies of the Schedule or List of Prices, and such information relating thereto as they may require.

2. Sealed tenders for the contract will be received at this Office on Friday the 24th instant, at 2 P. M. precisely. These must specify, both in words and figures, the rates per cent. above or below the prices exhibited in the above list at which the supply will be made, on the understanding that the articles supplied are to be of unexceptionable quality, according to musters which may be seen in this office, or of the sort usually supplied; and are to be delivered, in the first instance at the Commissariat Stores, if required, and afterwards to the indenting Departments, in good condition, free of all charges beyond the stipulated price, in such quantities as may from time to time be demanded; and that the same are liable to examination and rejection by the executive Commissariat Officer, or by the indenting or receiving Officer; or by a Committee of Officers, appointed on the part of Government, in the event of the contractor being dissatisfied with the decision of the above Officers, or either of them; it being understood that the decision of such Committee is to be final and binding on all parties.

3. No tender will be received unless accompanied by a deposit, in cash, of the sum of Rupees (1,460) one thousand four hundred and sixty, which sum will be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal on the part of the contractor to execute the necessary deed of contract, whenever required to do so, on his tender being accepted; in which latter case he must be prepared to give unexceptionable bonded security to the further amount of Rupees (5,842) five thousand eight hundred and forty-two, which, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due fulfilment of his contract.

4. A contractor must comply immediately with all emergent demands, and meet others of less urgency within the periods stated in the requisitions made upon him; in failure whereof, or if any supply be condemned by a Committee of Officers as aforesaid, the articles, or such others as may be required in lieu thereof, shall be purchased by this Department without delay, at his risk and cost, if it be considered expedient to do so; and in all such cases thirty per cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine of from Rupees (50) fifty, to (300) hundred, at the option of the executive Commissariat Officer, will be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of contract; it being understood that the simple condemnation of any article by a Committee constitutes such a breach of contract, whether the rejected articles be replaced by the contractor or by this Department; in every such case, also, it is to be understood that the contract may be cancelled, at the discretion of the Commissary General, and



that if the contract be so cancelled, the cash deposit of Rs. (1,460) one thousand four hundred and sixty, mentioned in para. 3 of this Notice, will be forfeited to Government.

5. It is also to be understood that any negligence, evasion, or refusal on the part of a contractor to make supplies, or obey orders, or any attempt on his part, or that of his agents, to pass off articles of an inferior quality in lieu of those he is bound to supply, or any neglect to deliver them at the time and place ordered, will subject him, in every instance, to be fined to the extent of twenty-five Rupees, at the option of the executive Commissariat Officer, from whose order an appeal may be made to the Commissary General, whose decision is to be final; but in cases when it may be deemed fit to exact any of the penalties provided for in the preceding Clause, no further penalty shall be leviable under this Clause.

6. It is further to be understood that the Contractor, or an accredited Agent on his part, approved of by the executive Commissariat Officer, is to attend at this office during the usual hours of business, *i. e.* from 10. A. M. to 5 P. M. daily, Sundays excepted, also at such other time or place as may be indicated by the executive Commissariat Officer, when he may consider it desirable for the public service to require such attendance.

7. Any party whose tender is accepted will be required to produce his sureties for the approval of the Hon'ble Company's Solicitor, within 15 days from the date of the acceptance of his tender, or the contract will be resold; no reason will be stated for rejecting any security offered.

8. Bills for articles supplied under this contract must be preferred within one month from the date of the delivery of the articles, in default of which the contractor will forfeit the full value of the supplies for which bills have not been so preferred, unless it clearly appear, to the satisfaction of the Commissary General, that the delay was unavoidable.

9. The amount of retrenchments made by the Military Board on the contractors' bills will be recovered from the first bills preferred for payment; but in the event of such retrenchments, or any portion thereof, being remitted, the amount remitted will be refunded.

10. Any party who, after tendering for the contract, fails to furnish the necessary security, as provided for in Clause 7 of this Notice, will be interdicted from tendering on future occasions, unless he produces a certificate from individuals of unexceptionable character and sufficient means, guaranteeing the due execution and performance of the contract on his offer being accepted.

11. The annual outlay on the above contract is estimated at Rupees 29,210.

12. No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any tender.

J. RAMSAY, Captain,  
Acting Deputy Commissary General.

Bombay, Depy. Commy. Genl.'s Office,  
7th June 1853.

### Notice.

1. Government having authorized the Collector of Tanna to allot Building Sites on the

Hill of Matheran, applicants are hereby requested to mark out the situations selected by them, in communication with the Collector, or the District Deputy Collector Rao Bahadour Wamnajee Paudoorung Bapat, in the Nusrapoor Talooka.

2. Applicants are informed that the yearly rent for Building Sites on Matheran will be at the rate of five (5) Rupees an Acre per year, and the form of Lease now in use for Estates at Mahableshwar will be adopted.

3. No allotment is to exceed Five Acres. No one must obstruct, by fence or buildings, the road to, or enclose, any surface Spring.

H. P. MALET,  
Collector.

Tanna, Collector's Circuit Cutchery,  
Sondewaree, 28th May 1853.

### जाहिरनामा.

१. सरकाराने ठाण्याचे कलेक्टर यांशी माथेरानाचे डोंगरावरील घरबंदिस्तीच्या जागा देण्याकरितां अखत्यार दिल्यावरून अर्ज करणारे यांजला कळविलें जातें कीं त्याहीं ज्या जागा निवडलेल्या आहेत त्या ठिकाणास कलेक्टर अथवा दिस्त्रिक्ट डिप्युटी कलेक्टर राव बाहादूर वामनाजी पांडुरंग वापट नसरापूर तालुक्यांत आहेत यांचे विद्यमाने खुणा कराव्या.

२. अर्ज करणारे यांस कळविलें जातें कीं माथेरान येथील घरबंदिस्तीचे जागेचा दरसाल धारा रुपये ५ पांच रुपये दर एकरास ठराविला आहे व कौल जसा हालीं महाबळेश्वर येथील जमीनीचा देण्यांत येतो त्या मसुद्याप्रमाणे देण्यांत येईल.

३. दरएक ठिकाण पांच एकरापेक्षां जाजती मिळवायाचें नाहीं. पाण्यावर जाण्याचा रस्ता अथवा हरएक पाण्याचें ठिकाण कुण किंवा इमारती बांधून अडकू नये.

तारीख २८ माहे मे सन १८५३ मुकाम  
सोडवाडि.

H. P. MALET,  
Collector.

### BANK OF BOMBAY.

#### DISCOUNT.

On Government Bills..... 3 per cent.  
On Private Bills at or within 3 }  
Months ..... } 6 ditto.

#### INTEREST.

On Fixed Loans on Government }  
Notes ..... } 4 ditto.  
On Cash Credits and Loans on }  
Government Notes..... } 5 ditto.  
On Loans and deposit of Goods, &c. 6 ditto.

The rate of advance on deposit of 5 per cent. Government Notes is 100 per cent., on 4 per cent. Government Notes, 90 per cent., and on Goods, three-fourths the approved value.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

J. STUART,  
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bombay, 3rd February 1853.



FORT WILLIAM,  
HOME DEPARTMENT,  
LEGISLATIVE,  
The 20th May 1853.

The following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 20th May 1853 :—

ACT No. — of 1853.

*An Act relating to the Registry of Coasting and Fishing Vessels, and Harbour Craft, in the Presidency of Bombay.*

Whereas it is expedient to amend the laws relating to the registry of coasting and fishing vessels and harbour craft in the Presidency of Bombay, It is hereby enacted as follows :

I. From the day of Act XIX. of 1838 is hereby repealed, except so far as it repeals any part of any Regulation, and except as to any act or offence which shall have been done or committed, or to any money which shall have become due, or to any fine or penalty which shall have been incurred, or to any proceedings which shall have been commenced on or before the said day of

II. This Act shall extend to the following vessels or craft belonging to any of Her Majesty's subjects residing within the Presidency of Bombay :—

1. Vessels employed on the Coasts of the territories subject to the Government of Bombay, or in the conveyance of goods or passengers from any part of such territories to any other part of the territories under the Government of the East India Company, or from any part of the said territories under the Government of the East India Company to any part of the territories subject to the Government of Bombay, and vessels so employed shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be coasting vessels.

2. Vessels employed in fishing on any part of the Coasts of the territories subject to the Government of Bombay.

3. Any craft employed in any harbour subject to the Government of Bombay.

III. The name and number of every such vessel and craft, also her burthen, and the name or names of the owner or owners thereof, shall be registered in a book to be kept for that purpose by the persons hereinafter directed to register such vessels and craft, and it shall also be stated in the book whether such vessel is intended to be used as a coasting vessel, or as a fishing vessel or harbour craft.

IV. The Collectors of Customs under this Presidency are hereby appointed registering officers to register such vessels and craft, and the said Collectors are hereby severally authorized to appoint any subordinate officers on their respective establishments to perform the duties of registration at the several ports of registry within the limits of their respective Collectories.

V. The following are appointed as ports for the registration of the aforesaid vessels and craft :—

1. Bombay.	8. Tannah.
2. Gogo.	9. Carranja.
3. Broach.	10. Allibaug.
4. Surat.	11. Mahar.
5. Omergaum.	12. Rutnagherry.
6. Tarapoor.	13. Rajapoor.
7. Bassain.	14. Vingorla.

VI. Every vessel and craft to which this Act applies is hereby required to be registered at one or other of the places above specified once in every five years.

VII. Whenever any change shall take place in the burthen of any such vessel or craft, or in the owner or owners, or any of the owners thereof, such registry shall be renewed, the former being at the same time cancelled.

VIII. Whenever it shall be necessary to have such vessel or craft registered, or to have the register thereof

renewed, the owner or owners of such vessel or craft shall apply, in the form appended hereto, marked A, or to the like effect, to the person authorized to make such registry, or to renew the same as aforesaid.

IX. The several Collectors of Customs shall exchange every three months an extract from the registers kept by them, showing the numbers, names, and burthens of the vessels and craft from time to time registered by them, as also the port and date of registry, and the names of the owner or owners of each vessel or craft.

X. Every vessel or craft which shall be so registered, shall be marked with the name of the port at which she shall be registered, and also with the number assigned to her in the register, and such name and number shall be painted in black paint upon a white ground on each quarter of such vessel or craft, in English figures and letters, each figure and letter being at least six inches in length, and it shall be the duty of the master or owner of such vessel or craft to keep such letters and figures clear and legible, by repainting or otherwise.

XI. The duty of marking and of ascertaining the burthen of such vessels and craft shall be performed by the Collectors of Customs, or by such other persons as shall be appointed by them at the ports of registry within the limits of their respective Collectories.

XII. The owner or owners of every vessel or craft, when registered as aforesaid, shall be furnished with a certificate of registry by the person who shall register the same, and such certificate shall be in the form appended hereto (marked B), or to the like effect.

XIII. The owners of any vessel registered under this Act, except fishing vessels and harbour craft, shall, upon every such registry, and before they shall receive such certificate, pay to the person authorized to make such registry a fee at the rate following, that is to say—

For a vessel not exceeding the burthen of 4 tons, one Rupee.

Exceeding 4 tons, and not exceeding 20 tons, five Rupees.

Exceeding 20 tons, and not exceeding 80 tons, seven Rupees.

Exceeding 80 tons, for each ton 2 annas, which fees shall be carried to the credit of the Government of Bombay.

XIV. If any such certificate shall be lost or destroyed, a renewed certificate may be granted on payment of one-half of the fee above prescribed.

XV. The certificates of registry shall be sealed with the seal of the East India Company, and shall be signed by the person authorized to make such registry.

XVI. The owner or owners, or master, or person having the management and control of every such vessel or craft, shall produce, on demand thereof by any Officer of the Customs, within the said territories under the Government of Bombay, or by any Officer of the Indian Navy, the certificate of registry furnished to vessels or craft as hereinbefore provided.

XVII. Nothing in this Act shall render it necessary for the owner of any vessel or craft, registered before the passing of this Act, to renew the registry thereof before the expiration of five years from the time of the last registry thereof, unless there has been any change in the burthen or ownership of such vessel or craft since the last registry thereof, or unless there shall hereafter be any change in the ownership or burthen thereof within the said period of five years.

XVIII. If any such vessel or craft shall be used or employed as aforesaid, without being so marked or branded in all respects as hereinbefore directed, or after the name and number of any such vessel or craft shall have ceased to be clear and legible, or before the owner or owners thereof shall have been furnished with such certificate as hereinbefore specified, or in case the owner or owners, or master, or person having the management of



any such vessel or craft, so employed as aforesaid, fishing vessel, or craft, shall not produce such certificate on demand thereof as hereinbefore directed, or if any vessel registered as a fishing vessel or harbour craft shall be employed as a coasting vessel, the owner or owners, or master, or other person having the control of every such vessel or craft, shall, for every such offence, be subject to a fine not exceeding ten times the amount of the fees payable upon such registry as aforesaid, if the same be a vessel upon the registry of which any fee is payable, or to a fine not exceeding ten rupees if such vessel or craft be a fishing vessel or harbour craft, and such fine may be recovered, on conviction before any Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, or person exercising the powers of a Magistrate, having jurisdiction within the said territories, and if not paid on conviction may be levied by distress and sale of such vessel or craft, her furniture, ammunition, tackle, and apparel, by warrant of such Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, or person exercising the powers of a Magistrate.

XIX. And it is hereby enacted, that the Governor of Bombay in Council may direct compensation for trouble and diligence in seizing such vessel or harbour craft, furniture, tackle, ammunition, and apparel, as last mentioned, to be made out of such fine to the person or persons who shall have seized the same, to such amount, in such manner, and in such shares or proportions, as to the said Governor in Council shall seem meet.

XX. If any person shall wilfully and without lawful excuse alter or obliterate the mark or brand hereby required to be marked or branded on any such ship or vessel, or shall wilfully make any false statement in his application for any such registry, such person shall, for every such offence, forfeit a sum not exceeding one hundred rupees, and such offence shall be punishable by a Magistrate, Joint Magistrate, or person lawfully exercising the powers of a Magistrate, or by a Justice of the Peace.

XXI. This Act shall come into operation on the day of

APPENDIX A.

To the Collector of Customs of

SIR,

I the undersigned (insert occupation) inhabitant of beg you will have the goodness to grant a certificate of registry for the vessel named under Act of 1853.

The above-named vessel was built at of is [or are] the owner [or owners] thereof (insert the name and address of the owner or owners).

The vessel is believed to be of the burthen of and is intended to be employed as a coasting vessel (or fishing vessel, or harbour craft,) in the Harbour of (as the case may be).

If the vessel has been previously registered, state the time and place of the last preceding registry as follows:—The above-named vessel was registered at on or about the day of and is numbered

If the burthen of such vessel has not been altered since the last registry, state the fact as follows:—

The burthen of the above-named vessel has not been altered since the last registry thereof.

APPENDIX B.

This is to certify that (here enter the names, occupation, and residence of the owners,) having declared that he (or they) are sole owner or owners of the vessel called the (name) which is of the burthen of (number of tons), and that the said vessel was built at (place), in the year the said vessel has been duly registered

at the port of (name), to be used as a coasting vessel, (or as a fishing vessel or harbour craft, as the case may be).

Certified under my hand this day of (enter month and year).

(Signature of the Officer.)

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 20th of August next.

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

FORT WILLIAM,  
HOME DEPARTMENT,  
LEGISLATIVE,

The 27th May 1853.

The following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 27th May 1853:—

ACT No. — of 1853.

*An Act Supplemental to Act No. III. of 1853, relating to the Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company in the Presidency of Bombay.*

Whereas by Act No. III. of 1853 certain offences are made punishable by penalties or forfeitures, and doubts have arisen whether such offences are punishable by Magistrates of Police in the Islands of Bombay and Colaba, and it is expedient to remove such doubts, and also to define by what officers such offences shall be punishable; It is enacted as follows:—

I. Any person who shall be guilty of any offence for which, according to the provisions of the said Act, such person shall be liable to any fine, penalty, or forfeiture, shall be punishable by any Magistrate of Police in the Islands of Bombay or Colaba, or by any Justice of the Peace, Magistrate, Joint Magistrate, or person lawfully exercising the powers of a Magistrate, within the local limits of whose jurisdiction such offence shall be committed.

II. Any Deputy or Assistant Magistrate, and any district or joint Police Officer, may, to the extent of the powers conferred upon him by the general Regulations of the Bombay Code, and by the Acts of the Governor General of India in Council, exercise the powers conferred upon a Magistrate by this Act, coupled with Act No. II. of 1839.

III. Payment of any fare to which any passenger not producing or delivering up his ticket shall be liable under Section I. of the said Act, may be enforced in the same manner as any penalty under this Act.

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 July next.

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

FORT WILLIAM,  
HOME DEPARTMENT,  
LEGISLATIVE,

The 27th May 1853.

The following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 27th May 1853:—

ACT No. — of 1853.

*An Act to raise Funds by Assessment and Taxes for Municipal Purposes, throughout the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca.*

I. It is hereby enacted that from the day of 185, Act No. IX. of 1848 is repealed, except as to anything done or omitted to be done under



or according to the directions of the said Act, and except as to any assessment which shall have been made, or to any money which shall have become due, under the said Act, or as to any proceedings already commenced, or hereafter to be commenced, for the recovery thereof, or in respect of anything done or omitted as aforesaid. Provided that nothing in this Act contained shall revive Act No. XII. of 1839, or Act No. XII. of 1840.

II. From the day of 185 , an assessment, at a rate not exceeding ten per cent., to be fixed and determined from time to time as hereinafter mentioned, shall be levied either quarterly or half-yearly in advance upon the actual rent (in cases where rent is paid or payable), and upon the estimated rent (in cases where no rent is paid or payable) of all houses, shops, and other buildings, within the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca, to be paid by the tenant or tenants, or occupier or occupiers, of such houses, shops, or other buildings charged; and all houses, shops, or other buildings which shall have been used or occupied thirty days during any one quarter, or sixty days during any half-year, shall be liable to be assessed at the rate aforesaid for the whole of that quarter or half-year, as the case may be; and such assessment may be levied and demanded, and shall be payable at any time before the expiration of the quarter or half-year for which the same shall be charged, in the same manner as if the same had been demanded in advance.

III. Provided always that the following buildings shall be exempted from assessment under this Act:—

1. Any house, shop, or other building, of which the actual or estimated rent per annum shall be less than six dollars, if it shall be the sole assessable property of the person or persons charged therewith.
2. Places of public worship.
3. Charitable institutions recognized by the Government of the said Settlement.
4. Mills, drying and boiling houses, and laborers' huts attached to plantations.
5. Barracks, cantonments, lines for soldiers and sepoys, and officers' quarters situated therein.
6. Police offices and stations.
7. Jails and convict lines.
8. Public buildings.
9. Schools not used as private residences.

IV. From the day of 185 , an assessment, at a rate not exceeding five per cent., to be fixed and determined from time to time as hereinafter mentioned, shall be levied half-yearly or annually upon the actual rent (in cases where rent is actually paid or payable), or on the estimated rent (in cases where no rent is paid or payable) of all lands situated within the said Settlement, and also of all lands situated in Province Wellesley, a dependency of Prince of Wales' Island aforesaid, to be paid by the proprietor or his agent, or by the person or persons in charge of such lands; Provided always, that no assessment shall be levied on any land of which the actual or estimated rent per annum shall be less than six dollars, if it shall be the sole assessable property of the person or persons charged, nor on any land belonging to, claimed by, or in the possession or occupation of, the East India Company, nor on any quit rent paid to the said Company.

V. From and after the day of 185 , a tax shall be levied, either quarterly or half-yearly in advance, on all carriages, waggons, carts, horses, ponies, mares, mules, asses, and elephants, which are or may be kept or used in the said Settlement and its dependencies, to be paid by the owners or persons in charge of the same, at the following rates per annum, namely:—

For every four or three wheeled carriage ..	Sp. Drs.	10	0
For every two wheeled carriage .....	"	8	0
For every waggon drawn by man or beast ..	"	8	0
For every cart drawn by any description of	"	6	0
cattle .....	"	4	0
For every cart drawn by man .....	"	4	0
For every horse, pony, mare, mule, or ass ..	"	2	0
For every elephant .....	"	12	0

and such taxes, or any of them, may be levied and demanded, and shall be payable at any time during the quarter or half-year for which the same shall be charged.

Provided always, that no horses, ponies, or mares, or any carriages or other vehicles, shall be liable to be taxed under this Act, which shall have been imported into the said Settlement for sale, and not in use; provided, that the same shall be in the hands of the importer thereof, or his agent.

VI. It is provided further, that the several vehicles and animals hereinafter mentioned shall be exempted from taxation under this Act, namely:—

1. Waggons and carts belonging to Government, and employed exclusively in the public service.
2. Waggons and carts kept exclusively within estates of plantations, not used upon the public highways, having the name of the owner painted upon some conspicuous part thereof, in letters not less than two inches in length, and registered at the office of the Collector of Assessment and Taxes.
3. Hearses kept only for the removal of corpses.
4. Brood mares, foals, and elephants kept within estates or plantations, and not brought or used upon the public roads or bridges.

VII. For the purposes of this Act, the dependency of Province Wellesley shall be considered as part and parcel of the station of Prince of Wales' Island, and every matter and thing in this Act contained in any wise relating to the said station of Prince of Wales' Island, not otherwise specially provided for, shall be held to include and apply to the dependency of Province Wellesley aforesaid.

VIII. There shall be a Committee, to consist of five persons, for executing such of the powers of this Act as are not otherwise provided for, at each of the stations of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca; two of the Members of each Committee shall be appointed by the Chief Civil Authority for the time being of the said Settlement, and the other three Members thereof shall be elected at each of the said stations, in manner hereinafter mentioned, and each such Committee, when so constituted, shall be styled the "Municipal Committee."

IX. Every person residing in the said Settlement, whose annual payment of assessment on lands and houses, under this Act, shall amount to the sum of twenty dollars and upwards, shall be entitled to vote in the election of the said three last mentioned Members of the Municipal Committee, and shall be qualified to be a Member of the Municipal Committee of the station at which he shall at the time of election be residing.

X. All elections under this Act shall be under the management of the Sheriff of the said Settlement, who shall appoint a deputy to act for him at each of the stations of the said Settlement at which he shall not himself be present, and every such deputy, while so acting for the Sheriff, shall have the same powers and duties as the Sheriff, with respect to the station in which he shall be acting.

XI. The elective Members of the Municipal Committees shall be chosen on any day within the first week of December in each year, such day to be appointed by the Sheriff or his deputies; of which day, and also of the place of election, the said Sheriff or his deputy shall give public notice thirty days at least before the day of election.

XII. The Sheriff or his deputies shall cause to be prepared in each year correct lists of the persons qualified to vote at each of the stations of the said Settlement, which lists shall be published, and shall be open for public inspection at the office of the Sheriff or his deputies, between the hours of ten in the morning and three in the afternoon on every day, Sundays excepted, between the 31st day of October and the day of election, when the said lists shall be taken to the place of election, for the use of the said Sheriff or his deputies. Provided always, that the said lists shall or may be revised or amended by the Court of Judicature of the



said Settlement on the application of any person qualified to vote at any such election, provided that such application be made at least five days before the day of election. For the purpose of preparing such lists, it shall be lawful for the said Sheriff or his deputies at any time or times to inspect all assessment books, accounts, records, and papers kept by or in the custody or control of the Collector of Assessment and Taxes appointed under this Act.

XIII. At the time and place appointed for the election, the Sheriff or his deputy shall attend with a closed box, with an opening for the reception of voting tickets. Every voting ticket shall bear the signature of the voter, and the names of the persons for whom he shall vote, in the following form, namely:—I, the undersigned, being a rate-payer and voter, duly qualified, do hereby give my vote for \_\_\_\_\_ as a Member of the Municipal Committee for the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

XIV. Every voter, having written on his voting ticket the names of the persons for whom he wishes to vote, and having signed the same, shall personally attend at the place of election, and shall deliver his voting ticket to the Sheriff or his deputy, who, on being satisfied of the identity of the person tendering the voting ticket with the person whose signature it bears, shall deposit such voting ticket in the said closed box.

XV. As soon as the election is completed, the Sheriff or his deputy, in the presence of the voters, or such of them as shall be present, shall ascertain the number of votes given for each person, and the Sheriff or his deputy shall thereupon publicly declare the names of the three persons for whom the greatest number of votes has been given, and shall declare such persons to be duly elected Members of the Municipal Committee of the Station at which such election took place.

XVI. In case the persons so elected, or any of them, shall refuse to serve as Members of the Municipal Committee, the Sheriff or his deputies shall, immediately after such refusal, declare the name or names of the person or persons for whom the next greatest number of votes has been given, and shall declare such last mentioned person or persons to be duly elected a Member or Members of the said Municipal Committee, in the place of such person or persons first elected, who shall refuse to serve as aforesaid. Provided always, that no person shall be competent to be elected a Member of the Municipal Committee of either of the said stations unless the number of votes given in his favor shall exceed ten.

XVII. The names of the persons elected at every election shall be certified by the Sheriff or his deputies to the Chief Civil Authority of the said Settlement, who shall cause notice thereof, together with the names of the Members appointed by the said Chief Civil Authority, to be given in a newspaper at such of the said stations in which a newspaper is published, and at such of the stations in which no newspaper is published, in such public manner as the said Chief Civil Authority shall think fit.

XVIII. In case it shall be found impracticable to obtain three elective Members to serve upon the Municipal Committee at any of the said stations, from refusal to act, failure of election, or otherwise, or if any vacancy from any cause whatever shall happen before the month of December in any one year, in any of the said Municipal Committees, it shall be lawful for the Chief Civil Authority of the said Settlement at the station at which he shall then happen to be present, and at the other stations for the Resident Councillors thereof respectively, to nominate and appoint such other person or persons, being rate-payers, to be a Member or Members of the Municipal Committee, at each such station, and such appointment shall be as valid and effectual as if the person or persons so appointed had been elected in manner hereinbefore provided for.

XIX. The Municipal Committee at each of the said stations shall enter upon their office on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ of each year, and shall hold their office

regularly for one year, or until their successors shall be duly constituted.

XX. Of the two Members of each of the said Municipal Committees to be appointed by the Chief Civil Authority of the said Settlement under Section VIII. of this Act, one shall be the Resident Councillor of the station at which such Committee shall be constituted, and such Resident Councillor shall be the President of such Committee. In the absence of the President such other Member of the said Committee as shall be chosen by the Members present shall act as Chairman of the Meeting of the Committee. On all questions on which the Members of the Committee present are equally divided in opinion, the President, or, in his absence, the Chairman, shall have a second or casting vote. Three Members shall be necessary to constitute a Meeting.

XXI. The Municipal Committee at each of the said stations shall fix and determine, at such time as they shall think fit, the rate or rates of assessment on houses and lands provided for in Sections II. and IV. of this Act, to be levied during each year, and the rate or rates so fixed and determined by them shall be published for general information, and shall be the rate of assessment for the year indicated.

XXII. For the purpose of assessment under this Act, the Municipal Committee at each of the said stations shall fix the amount of the estimated rent of all houses, shops, and other buildings, and of all lands situated within the said settlement, in all cases where no rent is paid or payable.

XXIII. The Municipal Committee at each of the said stations shall have power to remit or refund any part or portion of any assessment paid by any person on any house, shop, or other building, levied under authority of this Act, in any case of partial occupancy in which it shall appear to such Committee expedient or desirable so to do.

XXIV. In order to enable the Municipal Committee to arrive at a fair valuation of the estimated rent of any lands liable to assessment under this Act, it shall be lawful for the said Municipal Committee to require the proprietor, agent, or person in charge of any lands, to furnish them with such returns of the nature, extent, and expense of cultivation of such lands, and of the quantity and value of all produce derived therefrom, including sugar, rum, and molasses, but not including minerals, as the said Municipal Committee shall think fit; and for the like purpose it shall be lawful for the said Municipal Committee, or any Member or Members thereof, or any person or persons appointed by them for that purpose, at any time, to enter on and inspect such lands, after having given two days previous notice of such their intention to the proprietor, or person or persons in charge of such lands; and any proprietor or agent, or person in charge of any such lands, who shall refuse or shall fail to furnish any such return for the space of one month from the day on which he shall have been required so to do, or who shall knowingly make a false or incorrect return, and any person who shall hinder, obstruct, or prevent any Member of the Municipal Committee, or any person appointed by the said Municipal Committee as aforesaid, from entering upon, or inspecting any such land, shall be liable, on conviction before two Justices of the Peace, to pay a fine, not exceeding two hundred dollars.

XXV. In case the proprietor, agent, or person in charge of any land, or the tenant or occupier of any house, shop, or other building, shall feel himself aggrieved by the valuation or amount of the estimated rent fixed by the Municipal Committee of any property for the assessment whereof he shall be chargeable under this Act, it shall be lawful for the said Municipal Committee, with the consent of the person so feeling himself aggrieved, to refer the matter in dispute to the decision of three indifferent persons, one to be appointed by the said Municipal Committee, one by the person so aggrieved, and the third by the two persons so chosen, and the decision of a majority of such persons shall be



final and binding on the said Municipal Committee, and also on the person so feeling himself aggrieved as aforesaid.

XXVI. The Municipal Committee at each of the said stations shall appoint an officer under them, who shall be called the "Collector of Assessment and Taxes," and such other officers as they may deem necessary for collecting or levying the assessment and taxes herein mentioned, and may assign such duties to such collector or other officers, and may prescribe such rules, and take such security for the due execution of the duties of such collector or other officers, as they may deem expedient; and such collector and other officers shall receive such salary or remuneration, to be paid out of the said assessment and taxes, as the said Municipal Committee shall, from time to time, appoint. And the said Collector shall keep a register of all houses, shops, and other buildings, and also of all lands liable to assessment under this Act, showing the road, street, or district, wherein the same are situated, the number, and name of the owner or occupier thereof, and the amount of the actual or estimated rent thereof respectively, with such other information as the Municipal Committee may direct; and such register shall be open to the inspection of any rate-payer, on such days, and at such times, as the Municipal Committee shall fix and determine. The said Municipal Committee shall have power to compound with the proprietor, agent, or person in charge of any lands, and with the tenant or occupier of any house, shop, or other building, for any assessment to which the same may be liable under this Act, and also to compound with any proprietor or person in charge of any vehicle or horse kept for the purpose of being let out to hire, for the payment of any tax to which such person may be liable under this Act.

XXVII. All monies levied, collected, or received under and by virtue of this Act at the said stations, shall form a fund, which shall be called the "Municipal Fund" of the station at which the same shall have been so levied, collected, or received, and the same shall be under the direction, management, and control of the Municipal Committee of such station; and such Municipal Fund shall be applied at the said stations respectively, and to any dependency thereof, to the following purposes, namely, to the payment of the salaries of the collector of assessment and taxes, and the other officers appointed for the collection of such assessment and taxes; to the payment and maintenance of an efficient Police; to the payment of the Office Establishments of the sitting magistrate and superintendent of Police (but not including the salary of any such sitting magistrate); to the constructing, renewing, repairing, cleansing, and upholding all public roads, streets, and other public thoroughfares, and public drains, wells, tanks, canals, channels and water-courses, and all public bridges, jetties, landing-places, quays, aqueducts, sluices, sewers and sluice gates; to the lighting and watching of the said stations; and to such other purposes as may be considered by the said Municipal Committee to be of public utility, or necessary to the comfort, security, protection, and well-being of the inhabitants. Provided always, that all roads and bridges leading to any Government building, or to any public building in the use or occupation of the Government of the said Settlement, or to any place of public worship or charitable institution recognized by Government, shall be deemed to be public roads and bridges within the meaning of this Act.

XXVIII. The Municipal Committee at each of the said stations shall have power to call upon all persons residing therein to furnish them, at such time or times as they shall think fit, with a return or returns of the number of vehicles and animals specified in Section V. of this Act, belonging to such persons, or in their possession, or kept or used by them, whether liable to be taxed or not, during any quarter or half-year for which such return shall be required; and any person who shall refuse, neglect, or omit to make such return, or who

shall knowingly give an incorrect or false return, shall, on conviction thereof before a Justice of the Peace, be liable to pay a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars.

XXIX. Every proprietor of any carriage, palanquin, buggy, waggon, cart, or other vehicle, intended or kept for the purpose of being let to hire at any of the said stations, shall, between the first and fifteenth day of January, and between the first and fifteenth day of July of each year, attend with their respective vehicles at the office of the Collector of Assessment and Taxes, for the purpose of having such vehicle registered and numbered, and of receiving a license to let out the same to hire; and the said Collector is hereby required to grant a license for every such vehicle, and to register the same, and to cause a number to be painted in legible figures on some conspicuous part of such vehicle; and any person who shall neglect to appear and cause such vehicle to be so registered, and any person who shall let out any vehicle to hire without first obtaining such license, and any person who shall remove, alter, deface, or destroy such number from any such vehicle, without the consent and authority of such Collector, shall, on conviction thereof before a Justice of the Peace, on the complaint of the Collector, for every such offence, be liable to pay a fine, not exceeding twenty dollars.

XXX. Any person who shall sell, transfer, or dispose of, or pledge or mortgage to another, and any person who shall receive in pledge or mortgage any license to let out any vehicle to hire, granted under the authority of this Act, shall, on conviction thereof before a Justice of the Peace, be liable to pay a fine not exceeding twenty dollars.

XXXI. Whenever any person, being the proprietor of any vehicle intended or kept for the purpose of being let out to hire, shall sell or dispose of any such vehicle, such person shall report the same, and deliver up his license to the Collector of Assessment and Taxes, and shall, together with the purchaser, attend to have such sale or transfer registered by such Collector; and no sale or transfer of any such vehicle shall be recognized or admitted in any Court of Justice, unless the same shall have been so registered.

XXXII. It shall be lawful for the Collector of Assessment and Taxes to grant a license to any proprietor of any vehicle intended or kept for the purpose of being let out to hire, and to register and number the same, at any time after the fifteenth day of January and fifteenth day of July in any year, on the application of the proprietor thereof; provided the tax to which such vehicle may be liable shall have been first paid.

XXXIII. It shall be lawful for the Collector of Assessment and Taxes to refuse to grant a license, and to refuse to register and number any vehicle intended to be let out to hire, until the proprietor or person in charge thereof shall have paid the amount of taxes due by such person, either for the said or any other vehicle or animal liable to be taxed under this Act.

XXXIV. When payment of any assessment or tax leviable under this Act shall not be duly made, the Collector of Assessment and Taxes may certify the same in writing to any Justice of the Peace, who shall thereupon summon the person or persons so in default to appear before him to answer such charge, and if upon such person or persons appearing, or failing to appear after having been duly summoned, such Justice shall be satisfied that due diligence has been used to obtain payment of such assessment or tax, and that the same has been improperly withheld, then such Justice shall or may issue a warrant under his hand for levying the amount of such assessment or tax, together with the costs of such proceedings, by seizure and sale of the goods and chattels of the person or persons so making default, or of any goods or chattels found in the house, shop, or building charged, and any growing crops or produce, or any goods or chattels found upon the land charged, to whomsoever belonging; and in all such cases the overplus, if any, after deducting the amount adjudged, and the expenses of such seizure and sale,



shall be paid to the person or persons in whose possession such goods, chattels, growing crops or produce, shall have been found.

XXXV. It shall be lawful for the Collector of Assessment and Taxes, under authority of the Municipal Committee, in lieu of proceeding against defaulters by warrant as aforesaid, to sue any such defaulters in his own name as such Collector, for the recovery of any assessment or taxes, in any Court or Courts of Justice to which such defaulters shall or may be amenable.

XXXVI. The Municipal Committee at each of the said stations shall, at the end of every year, draw up a statement, showing the nature and amount of the receipts and disbursements of the Municipal Fund for that year, and such statement shall be published for general information.

XXXVII. In consideration of the services to be performed by the Municipal Committee at each of the said stations, each elective Member thereof shall be exempted from the payment of assessment on the dwelling-house in his immediate occupation, and from the payment of all taxes under this Act for the year during which he shall serve as a Member of such Committee.

XXXVIII. In case any person shall feel himself aggrieved by any charge or demand for assessment or tax made upon him under authority of this Act, or by any act or proceeding of the Municipal Committee or Collector of Assessment and Taxes, or by any decision or order of any Justice of the Peace, for anything alleged to be done or omitted to be done by such person, in pursuance of this Act, such person shall be at liberty to appeal to the Court of Judicature of the said Settlement, by petition, stating shortly the grounds of his appeal, to be verified by affidavit, and the said Court shall allow or refuse such appeal, or proceed therein in such summary way, as it shall deem meet. Provided always, that no appeal shall be allowed by the said Court against any demand or charge for assessment or tax, unless the amount of such assessment or tax shall have been first paid; nor shall an appeal be allowed in any case, unless the appellant shall have satisfied the said Court that he has given ten days' previous notice of his intention to appeal, to the person or persons against whose demand, charge, act, or decision such appeal is preferred; and provided also that no appeal shall be heard by the said Court unless the same shall have been prosecuted within six months from the date on which such notice shall have been given.

XXXIX. In case of the non-payment of any fine imposed by any Justice of the Peace, in any case of conviction under this Act, it shall be lawful for such Justice, in his discretion, either to issue a warrant under his hand for levying the amount of such fine, by seizure and sale of the goods and chattels of the person so convicted, or to commit such person to her Majesty's Jail, there to be kept and imprisoned for any period not exceeding six calendar months.

XL. No charge or demand of assessment or tax made under authority of this Act shall be impeached, affected, set aside, or quashed, by reason of any mistake in the name of any person liable to pay the same, or of anything chargeable with assessment or tax, or of any mistake in the amount of assessment or tax charged, provided the directions of this Act be in substance and effect complied with, and no proceedings, or other matter or thing had or done under this Act shall be quashed or set aside for want of form in any Court or Courts of Justice.

XLI. No proceedings by seizure and sale of goods, chattels, growing crops or produce, under authority of this Act, shall be deemed unlawful, nor shall any party making the same be deemed a trespasser on account of any defect or want of form in the notice, schedule, summons, notice of demand, warrant, inventory, or other process relating thereto, nor shall he be deemed a trespasser from the beginning on account of any irregularity afterwards committed by such party.

XLII. All fines and forfeitures imposed, and all

fees and poundage levied by the Court of Quarter Session, and by or before any Justice of the Peace of the said settlement, shall be paid by the proper officer or officers receiving the same, to the Collector of Assessment and Taxes of the station at which the same shall have been imposed, levied, or received, to be carried to the credit of the Municipal Fund of such station, and to be applied and used for the general purposes of this Act.

XLIII. This Act shall come into operation on the day of 18 ; but the acts and proceedings of the Municipal Committee and the Collector of Assessments at each of the said stations, appointed under Act No. IX. of 1848, shall nevertheless be good and valid, and they shall continue in office until their respective successors shall be constituted or appointed under the provisions of this Act.

XLIV. In construing this Act all words used in the singular number shall be held to include several persons and things, and words in the plural number shall be held to include the singular number; and all words importing the masculine gender shall extend and be applied to females as well as males, unless there is something in the context inconsistent with such construction.

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

Ordered, that the said Draft be reconsidered at the first meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 27th day of August next.

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

PORT WILLIAM,  
HOME DEPARTMENT,  
LEGISLATIVE,  
The 27th May 1853.

The following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 27th of May 1853:—  
ACT No. — of 1853.

*An Act relating to the Police of the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca.*

Whereas it is expedient to consolidate and amend divers Rules and Regulations, which have been made in the said Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca, by Justices of the Peace in Quarter Sessions assembled, under the Charter of Her Majesty's Court of Judicature; It is enacted as follows:—

I. All the Rules, Ordinances, and Regulations that have heretofore been passed in the Settlement of Prince of Wales' Island, Singapore and Malacca, by the Justices of the Peace in Quarter Sessions assembled, are hereby repealed.

II. If any person within the said Settlement, having sufficient means or employment, shall not duly maintain his wife, or his legitimate or illegitimate children, and shall be thereof convicted before a Justice of the Peace, upon his own confession, or the oath of one or more credible witnesses, the said Justice may make an order upon such person for the maintenance of such wife and children, or any of them, at such monthly rate as to the Justice seems reasonable, and upon non-compliance with the said order for any one month, or longer period, any Justice, by warrant under his hand and seal, may commit the person so convicted to the common jail of the station without labour, or to the house of correction to hard labour, for any time not exceeding two calendar months.

III. Every person who shall be brought before a Justice of the Peace, charged with having in his possession, or in his premises with his knowledge, or with conveying in any manner, anything which may be

Persons convicted of having or conveying stolen goods, liable to penalty.



reasonably suspected of being stolen, or unlawfully obtained, and who shall not give an account to the satisfaction of such Justice how he came by the same, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof before such Justice, should be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred rupees, or, in the discretion of the said Justice, to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any time not exceeding three calendar months.

IV. When any person shall be brought before a Justice of the Peace, charged with having in his possession, or in his premises, with his knowledge, or with conveying anything stolen or unlawfully obtained, and shall declare that he received the same from some other person, or that he was employed as a carrier, agent, or servant, to convey the same for some other person, such Justice shall cause every such person, and also, if necessary, every former and pretended purchaser, or other person through whose possession the same shall have passed, to be brought before him and examined, and shall examine witnesses upon oath touching the same; and if it shall appear to such Justice that any person shall have had possession of such thing, and had reasonable cause to believe the same to have been stolen, or unlawfully obtained, such person shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be liable to a penalty, not exceeding one hundred rupees, or, in the discretion of the Justice, may be imprisoned, with or without hard labour, for any time not exceeding three calendar months. Every such person shall be deemed to have had possession of such thing at the time and place when and where the same shall have been found or seized, and the possession of a carrier, agent, or servant, shall be deemed to be the possession of the person who shall have employed such carrier, agent, or servant, to keep or convey the same.

V. If information shall be given, on oath, to a Justice of the Peace, that there is reasonable cause for suspecting that anything stolen, or unlawfully obtained, is concealed or lodged in any dwelling-house, building, or other place, such Justice, by special warrant under his hand, directed to any police officer or constable, may cause such dwelling-house, building, or other place, to be entered and searched at any time of the day, or by night if power for that purpose be given by such warrant, and the said Justice, if it shall appear to him necessary, may empower such police officer, or constable, with such assistance as may be found necessary (such constable having previously made known his authority), to use force for the effecting of such entry, whether by breaking open doors or otherwise; and if upon search thereupon made any such thing shall be found, then to convey the same before a Justice, or to guard the same on the spot, until the offenders are taken before a Justice, or otherwise dispose thereof in some place of safety, and moreover to take into custody, and carry before the said Justice, every person found in such house or place, who shall appear to have been privy to the deposit of any such thing, knowing or having reasonable cause to suspect the same to have been stolen, or otherwise unlawfully obtained.

VI. If information shall be given to any superintendent or head constable, belonging to the police, that there is reasonable cause for suspecting that any stolen property is concealed or lodged in any dwelling-house or other place, and the said superintendent, or head constable, shall have good grounds for believing that, by reason of the delay in obtaining a search warrant, the property is likely to be removed, the said superintendent, or head constable, in virtue of his office, may search for specific articles alleged to have been stolen in the houses and places specified; Provided always, that a list of the articles stolen or missing be delivered

and taken down in writing, with a declaration stating that the robbery has been committed, and that the informant has good ground to believe that the property is deposited in such house or place; and provided further, that the person who lost the goods, or his representative, accompany the officer in the search.

VII. All persons charged with the commission of any of the offences specified in Acts XXI. of 1839, and III. of 1842, to cases in which property stolen does not exceed fifty Rupees in value. Acts XXI. of 1839, and III. of 1842, and XIV. of 1850, may be tried by any Justice of the Peace for the said Settlement, provided the value of the property which the prisoner is charged with having stolen does not, according to the belief of such Justice, exceed fifty rupees, anything in the said Acts to the contrary notwithstanding, and all the powers by Act XXI. of 1839 (except Section VIII. aforesaid), and Act III. of 1842, and Act XIV. of 1850, given or reserved to any such Justice, for the trial, conviction, and sentence of parties charged with having stolen property not exceeding twenty rupees in value, and all the provisions of the said Acts (except as aforesaid) shall extend and be applicable to the trial, conviction, and sentence of parties charged with having stolen property, not exceeding, according to the belief of the Justice, fifty rupees in value.

VIII. Every person charged with the offence of feloniously receiving goods or money, knowing the same to be stolen, may be tried by any Justice of the Peace; provided that the value of the property stolen or received does not, according to the belief of the Justice, exceed fifty rupees; and every such person, on conviction of any such offence, shall be liable, at the discretion of the Justice, to be imprisoned, with or without hard labour, for any term not exceeding six calendar months; and all the powers and provisions of Act III. of 1842, and Act XXI. of 1839, except Section VIII. aforesaid, and of Act XIV. of 1850, shall apply, so far as they may be applicable, to the trial, conviction, and sentence of any person charged under this Section with the offence of feloniously receiving goods or money, knowing the same to be stolen; provided always, that if it shall appear to the said Justice that such person has been previously convicted of, or is in the habit of receiving stolen goods, knowing the same to be stolen, the said Justice shall commit such person for trial before the Court of Judicature.

IX. Every person who is accessory, before or after the fact, to any felony which is punishable on summary conviction before any Justice, is liable to be tried and convicted summarily before such Justice, on his own confession, or the oath of one or more credible witnesses, and the convicting Justice shall have power to sentence any such accessory to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any time not exceeding six calendar months, or in his or their discretion, instead of trying him, to commit him for trial to the Court of Judicature, or other Court having authority to try him.

X. Whenever any boy under the age of sixteen years is convicted before a Justice of the Peace, either of simple larceny under the said Acts XXI. of 1839 and XIV. of 1850, or under this Act, of feloniously receiving goods or money, knowing the same to be stolen, or of being an accessory to any felony which is punishable on summary conviction before any Justice, or of the offences enumerated in the next succeeding clause of this Act, the said Justice, if he thinks fit, may sentence him to receive corporal punishment, not exceeding fifteen stripes of a light rattan, instead of sentencing him to imprisonment.

XI. Any person who shall commit any assault, forcible entry, or other injury, Cases of assault, for- accompanied with force, not being

Persons in whose possession stolen goods are found to be examined, &c.

Extension of Acts XXI. of 1839, and III. of 1842, to the offence of receiving stolen property, when the value of the property does not exceed fifty Rupees.

Summary conviction of persons accessory to the commission of certain felonies.

Power to search houses for stolen property without a warrant in certain cases.



cible entry, or other felony, within the said Settlement, injury, not being against the person or property of felony. any person whatsoever, shall be liable, on conviction thereof before a Justice of the Peace, to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, and the said Justice may award the whole, or any part of such fine, to the party or parties aggrieved, by way of satisfaction for such injury, or, in the discretion of such Justice, such person shall be imprisoned, with or without hard labour, for any time not exceeding four calendar months.

XII. Any superintendent or head constable of police may take into custody, or authorize a constable to take into custody, without warrant, any person who, within the said Settlement, shall be charged by any other person with committing an aggravated assault, in every case in which such superintendent of police shall have good reason to believe that such assault has been committed, although not within view of such superintendent, and that by reason of the recent commission of the offence a warrant could not have been obtained for the appearance of the offender.

XIII. If complaint shall be made before any Justice that any person within the said Settlement has unlawfully taken, or caused to be taken away, against her will, any woman, or has unlawfully taken, or caused to be taken, or enticed away, any female child under the age of sixteen years, out of the possession or protection, and against the will of the husband, father, mother, guardian, or other person who has the lawful order, keeping, education, or government of such child, for the purpose of living in adultery with such woman or child, or for purposes of prostitution, or of deflowering, or disposing of her in marriage, it shall be lawful for the said Justice to make an order for the immediate restoration of such woman to her liberty, or of such female child to her husband, father, mother, guardian, or such other person as aforesaid, as the case may be, and to compel compliance with such order; and if it be necessary to use force for that purpose, any superintendent or constable of police, duly authorized by the Justice in that behalf, with such assistants as he may deem necessary, may break open doors, or otherwise compel compliance with the same, and the said Justice may commit any person charged with taking, or causing to be taken, or enticing any woman or female child as aforesaid, for any of the purposes aforesaid, for trial before the Court of Judicature.

XIV. Every person who, under the provisions of Act XIV. of 1851, shall have or keep any house, shop, room, or place of public resort or entertainment, within the said Settlement, wherein provisions, liquors, or refreshments of any kind shall be sold or consumed (whether the same shall be kept or retailed therein, or procured elsewhere,) and who shall knowingly or wilfully permit drunkenness or other disorderly behaviour in such house, shop, room, or place, or who shall knowingly suffer any unlawful games or any gaming whatsoever therein, or who shall knowingly permit prostitutes, or persons of notoriously bad character, to meet or remain therein, or who shall wilfully harbour or conceal any seaman or apprentice who shall have deserted, knowing or having reason to believe such seaman or apprentice so harboured or concealed to be a deserter, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred rupees, and shall be liable to forfeiture of his license, in addition to any other penalty or punishment that shall be imposed on him.

XV. Any superintendent or constable of police may at any time of the day or night enter such licensed houses, shops, rooms, or places of public resort

ed houses, or places of amusement, and, if necessary, public resort. may use force for the purpose of effecting such entry, whether by breaking open doors or otherwise.

XVI. Every person who shall take or throw, or attempt to take or throw, into any jail or house of correction of the Taking spirits, &c. into the Jail. Settlement, any quantity of spirituous liquors, wine, or intoxicating drugs, without the license or consent of the jailor, or keeper of such jail or house of correction, respectively, shall be liable for every such offence, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, to a penalty not exceeding fifty rupees, or, at the discretion of the said Justice, to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any period not exceeding two months.

XVII. Every person who shall have been committed to any jail or house of correction, or who shall be in custody at any Breaking Jail. police office or station, and who shall unlawfully break or escape from such jail, house of correction, police office, or station, shall be liable, for every such offence, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any period not exceeding three months, and such imprisonment shall commence and take effect from and after the expiration of any other sentence of imprisonment under which such person may be imprisoned at the time of committing the offence aforesaid.

XVIII. Every person who shall be found drunk and incapable of taking care of himself, in any street or public Rioteous or indecent behaviour. thoroughfare, or who shall be guilty of any riotous or indecent behaviour in any street, public thoroughfare, police office, or station, shall be liable, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, to a penalty not exceeding twenty rupees for every such offence, or, at the discretion of the said Justice, to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any period not exceeding fourteen days, and any constable or other officer of police may take into custody, and lodge in the nearest station house, any such person so found drunk, or incapable of taking care of himself, and such person may be retained in such custody until recovered from drunkenness, when he shall be brought before a Justice of the Peace.

XIX. Any constable or peace officer may take into custody, without a warrant, any Rogues and vagabonds. person who shall be found between sunset and sunrise, armed with any dangerous or offensive instrument whatsoever, with intent to break or enter into any house or other building whatsoever, or any loose, idle, or disorderly persons whom he shall find disturbing the public peace, or whom he shall have good cause to suspect of having committed, or being about to commit, any felony, misdemeanor, or breach of the peace, or any reputed thief, whom he shall find between sunset and sunrise on board any boat in the river, or lying, or loitering in any bazar, street, road, yard, thoroughfare, or other place, and not giving a satisfactory account of himself, or any person having in his possession without lawful excuse (the proof of which excuse shall lie on such person) any picklock, Key, crow, jack, bit, or other implement of house-breaking, or any person found between sunset and sunrise having his face blackend, or otherwise disguised, with intent to commit any felony, or any person who shall be found between sunset and sunrise in any dwelling-house or other building whatsoever, with intent to commit any felony therein, and every such offender, on conviction before a Justice, either on his own confession, or on the evidence of one or more credible witnesses, shall be liable, at the discretion of the said Justice, to be imprisoned, with or without hard labour, for any term not exceeding four calendar months.

XX. Every person who shall beg or apply for alms or relief in any public road, street, or thoroughfare, or who shall expose or exhibit any sores, wounds,

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bodily ailment, or deformity, in such roads, streets, or public thoroughfares, with the object of exciting charity, or of obtaining alms or relief, or who shall seek for or obtain alms or relief by means of any false statements or pretences, or who shall cause, aid, or abet any such person as aforesaid in the commission of any of the said offences, shall, for every such offence, on conviction before a Justice, be liable to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any period not exceeding two calendar months.

XXI. Every person who shall drive or ride furiously in any of the said streets or public thoroughfares, shall for every such offence, on conviction thereof before a Justice, be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty rupees, or, in default of payment thereof, to imprisonment for any period not exceeding one calendar month.

XXII. Every person who shall drive any vehicle of any description, at any time between one hour after sunset and one hour before sunrise, without having a lighted lamp affixed to such vehicle, shall, for every such offence, on conviction thereof before a Justice, be liable to a penalty of not more than fifty rupees, or, in default of payment thereof, to imprisonment for any period not exceeding one calendar month.

XXIII. All persons who deal in any articles by retail by weight or measure, and who have, in or about their shops or premises, or otherwise in their possession, any false or deficient weight, measure, beam, or scale, shall be liable, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, to a penalty not exceeding twenty rupees, or, at the discretion of the said Justice, to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any period not exceeding one calendar month; and every such false and defective weight, measure, beam, or scale, shall be forfeited, and the said Justice shall cause the same to be destroyed; and it shall be lawful for the superintendent of police from time to time to issue public notices at the police office and thannahs, and such places as to him appear suitable, of the exact weight and measure of just weights and measures, and to keep at the police office and thannahs standard weights and measures, for the information of the public.

XXIV. Any Justice of the Peace may issue his warrant, directing any superintendent or head constable of police to enter into any shop or other place where articles are bought and sold by retail, and to search for and to examine the weights and measures therein, and seize all such as he may suspect to be forfeited as false and deficient in weight.

XXV. If any seaman, whether British or Foreign, shall wilfully, and without leave or lawful excuse, absent himself from his vessel, any Justice of the Peace, upon complaint upon oath, and at the instance of any of the officers of the said vessel, may issue his warrant to apprehend and detain the seaman, and convey him on board of his vessel, and whenever any seaman shall have been imprisoned, it shall be lawful for any Justice of the Peace, on the release of such seaman from imprisonment, to cause him to be conveyed on board of the vessel to which he may belong, and all *bond file* expenses incurred in so doing shall be made good by the Commander of such vessel, and in failure of paying the bill for the same on presentation, the said Justice of the Peace may issue his warrant to levy the amount of the same by distress on the said vessel, in the manner laid down in Section XXXIX. of this Act.

XXVI. The superintendent of police at each station, from time to time, and as occasion may require, may make

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public ghauts and landing stairs, and for the route to be observed in the public streets and places by all carts, carriages, palanquins, hackeries, and other vehicles, and by all horses, cattle, and persons, and as to the times during which they may take the said routes, and for preventing obstruction of the streets and thoroughfares within the town on all times of public processions and native holidays, as also during the time of Divine Service, and also may give directions to the constables and other peace officers for keeping order, and for preventing any obstruction of the thoroughfares in the immediate neighbourhood of any place of public resort, and in any case when the ghauts, landing stairs, streets, or thoroughfares may be thronged, or may be liable to be obstructed, and every person opposing, or not obeying the orders so issued by the superintendent of police at each station, shall be liable to be arrested and detained by the police, and, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, shall be liable to a penalty of one hundred rupees.

XXVII. Any police officer or constable who shall ask for or take any bribe, or un-authorized reward, in consideration of his doing or omitting to do any act in his official capacity, shall be liable, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, to a penalty, not exceeding five hundred rupees, or, at the discretion of the said Justice, to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any time not exceeding three months.

XXVIII. Any person who shall, within the limits of the said settlement, manufacture gunpowder or gun-cotton, or who shall, without a license for that purpose being first had and obtained from the sitting Magistrate of the station, have in his possession, in any house, shop, warehouse, or other building, at any one time, a greater quantity of gunpowder or gun-cotton, for sale or otherwise, than ten pounds, shall, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, be liable to a forfeiture of all such gunpowder or gun-cotton so manufactured or possessed, together with the vessel or receptacle in which it may be seized, and also to a fine not exceeding in amount the sum of rupees five hundred.

XXIX. It shall be lawful for the sitting Magistrate to grant to any person (whom he shall deem fit and proper) a license for the sale or keeping in deposit, within the limits of the said Settlement, any quantity of imported or Indian manufactured gunpowder not exceeding fifty pounds, or any quantity of gun-cotton not exceeding twenty pounds, on such conditions as shall be specified in the license, and any person who shall be guilty of a breach of any of such conditions, shall, on conviction before a Justice of the Peace, be liable to forfeiture of his license, and of all gunpowder or gun-cotton so kept in deposit contrary thereto, and also to a fine not exceeding rupees two hundred.

XXX. Every such license as is mentioned in the preceding Section shall be in force for a period of one year only, and no longer, but shall be renewable by the said sitting Magistrate at his discretion, on the same or any other terms and conditions, and such license shall also provide for the transit and carrying of gunpowder from one place to another within the limit of the said Settlement, in such manner and in such quantity as shall be deemed advisable for the safety of the inhabitants and of property within the said Settlement; and every person offending against such provisions shall be liable to a fine not exceeding rupees fifty.

XXXI. Any Justice of the Peace, on credible information laid before him on oath or solemn affirmation, that gunpowder or gun-cotton, or mixed



materials for making the same, contrary to the provisions of this Act, are suspected to be stored, kept, or possessed by any person, may issue his warrant, authorizing any police officer to search in the day time any house, shop, magazine, or other building or place, in which he has reasonable ground to suspect any gunpowder or gun-cotton to be manufactured, sold, or kept, or any boat, carriage, cart, or other vehicle, in which any gunpowder or gun-cotton, or materials for manufacturing the same, may be suspected to be carried, or any person suspected of carrying the same contrary to such license, or to the provisions of this Act; and all gunpowder, gun-cotton, or materials for manufacturing the same, found on such search, shall, together with the vessels or receptacles in which they may be stored, be immediately seized, and brought before a Justice of the Peace, with whom the same shall be kept till it shall be adjudged whether the same shall be forfeited.

XXXII. The four last preceding Sections shall not extend to any Government Magazine, or store or building for the making or deposit of gunpowder or gun-cotton, under the authority, or for the use of the Government, or to any gunpowder, or gun-cotton, for the use of Her Majesty's or the East India Company's Troops, or otherwise for the Service of Government, or to any of Her Majesty's vessels of war, or the vessels of the Indian Navy, or of the East India Company's Marine, or to any other Vessel within the ports of the station laden with gunpowder for importation or exportation.

XXXIII. Commanders of vessels entering any of the ports of the said Settlement shall, within hours after anchoring, deposit in a Magazine, or place of deposit duly licensed for the purpose, all gunpowder that may be on board such vessel, exceeding the quantity of fifty pounds, whether intended for sale, or for the use of the vessel, and such gunpowder shall remain in such Magazine until the sailing of the said vessel, unless sold for exportation, when a written application shall be made to the sitting Magistrate of the station for permission to remove the same, which permission shall be given, except where the exportation of ammunition shall require, under Act XVIII. of 1841, a license from a public officer, when the said license must accompany the application; and for every act done or omitted to be done contrary to the provisions of this Section by the Commander of any merchant vessel in the ports of the Settlement, the Commander aforesaid shall, on conviction thereof before any Justice of the Peace, be liable to a penalty, not exceeding two hundred rupees; and the Harbour Master of the port is hereby empowered to search for any quantity of gunpowder which he may have reason to believe to be on board a merchant vessel in such port, contrary to the provisions of this Act, and to seize and detain it as forfeited to Government, to be dealt with as the Governor of the Straits Settlement shall think right to direct.

XXXIV. Every officer belonging to the police is hereby authorized to arrest, without a warrant, any person committing in his view any offence against this Act, and every person taken into custody without warrant by any officer of the police shall be forthwith taken to the station-house to which the officer belongs, in order that such person may be detained until he can be brought before a Justice of the Peace, to be dealt with according to law, or in order that such person may give bail for his appearance before a Justice of the Peace, if the superintendent, or constable at the station, shall deem it prudent to take bail, in the manner hereinafter mentioned, which he is hereby authorized to do.

XXXV. Whenever any person is brought to the station-house as aforesaid, charged with misdemeanor, assault, or

nizances at station-house or police lock-up on certain charges. with having carelessly done any hurt or damage, or whenever any superintendent or constable in charge of a police lock-up shall deem it probable that any person so brought is falsely or maliciously charged with having committed a felony, and any such person as aforesaid shall be, without the warrant of a Magistrate, in the custody of any constable of the police, it shall be lawful for the superintendent of police, if he shall deem it prudent, to enlarge such person on his own recognizance, with or without sureties, conditioned as hereinafter mentioned.

XXXVI. Every Condition of recognizance. without fee or reward, and shall be conditioned for the appearance of the person thereby bound before a Justice of the Peace at his next sitting, and the time and place of appearance, and the sum thereby acknowledged (not exceeding one thousand rupees), shall be specified in the said recognizance or the condition thereof, and the officer taking the recognizance shall enter into a book to be kept for the purpose the name, residence, and occupation of the party, and his surety or sureties (if any) entering into such recognizance, together with the condition thereof, and the sum thereby acknowledged, and shall return every such recognizance to the Justice present at the time and place, and when and where the party is bound to appear, and the said recognizance may be in either of the forms as the case may be in Schedule (A) to this Act annexed, or to the like effect.

XXXVII. In every case in which any person shall be given in charge to a constable, or in which any information or complaint of any offence shall be laid or made before any Justice of the Peace, and it shall appear to the Justice by whom the case shall be heard that there was no sufficient ground for making the charge, it shall be lawful for such Justice, at his discretion, to award such a-mends, not more than the sum of fifty rupees, to be paid by the informer to the party informed or complained against for his loss of time and expenses in the matter, as to the Justice shall seem meet.

XXXVIII. Every Justice of the Peace shall be empowered summarily to hear and determine every complaint of an offence committed against this Act, and to convict any person charged with any such offence on the oath of one or more witnesses, or by his own confession, and to award the penalty or punishment herein provided for such offence.

XXXIX. Upon any information or complaint to be laid or made before any Justice of the Peace (which complaint need not be made upon oath) of any matter which such Justice is authorized to hear and determine, either under this or any other Act or Regulation, he may summon the party charged, and if such party shall not appear according to the tenor of the summons, the Justice, upon proof of the service of the summons, may proceed, in all cases which are not of a criminal nature, if no sufficient cause shall be shown for the non-appearance of the party, to hear and determine the case in the absence of the party, and in all criminal cases shall issue his warrant for apprehending and bringing such party before him, or some other Justice, in order that the said information and complaint may be heard and determined.

XL. Every such summons may be served by delivering it, or a copy thereof, to the party, or to his wife, servant, or some inmate of his dwelling, or by delivering it at, or affixing it to, the door or wall of his usual place of abode.

XLI. A Justice of the Peace may, without issuing any summons, forthwith issue his warrant for the apprehension

Act not applicable to Government powder, &c.

As to vessels arriving at the ports in the Straits with powder on board.

Amends may be awarded for false or malicious charges.

Offences how to be tried.

Justices may proceed by summons, and if party does not appear may issue warrant.

How summons may be served.

Power to take recog-



warrant without summons. of any person charged with any offence cognizable before him, either under this or any other Act or Regulation, whenever good grounds for so doing shall be stated on oath before him.

**XLII.** Any Justice may summon any witness to appear and give evidence upon the matter of any offence cognizable before him, either under this or any other Act or Regulation, with which any person shall be charged before him, at a time and place appointed for hearing the information or complaint, and, by warrant under his hand and seal, may require any person to be brought before him, who shall neglect or refuse to give evidence at the time and place appointed on such summons, proof upon oath being first given of personal service of the summons upon the person against whom such warrant shall be granted; and such Justice may commit any person coming or brought before him, who shall refuse to give evidence, to the common jail of the station, for any time not exceeding fourteen days, or until such person shall sooner submit himself to be examined, and in case of such submission the order of such Justice shall be a sufficient warrant for the discharge of such person.

**XLIII.** When any Justice of the Peace is desirous of examining any prisoner confined in the jail or house of correction as a witness or defendant with respect to any charge, case, or proceeding pending before him, it shall be lawful for such Justice to issue an order in the form contained in Schedule (B) to this Act annexed, or to the like effect, addressed to the keeper or governor of the said jail or house of correction, requiring him to bring such prisoner in proper custody, at a time to be therein named, to the police office for examination, and the keeper or governor of the said jail or house of correction, on the receipt of such order, shall act in accordance therewith, and shall take care for the safe custody of the prisoner during his absence from prison for the purpose aforesaid.

**XLIV.** If any person when under examination upon oath or solemn affirmation, before any Justice of the Peace, shall prevaricate, or wilfully conceal the truth, it shall be lawful for such Justice of the Peace then and there, in a summary manner, in open court, to adjudge the person so offending to forfeit a penalty not exceeding fifty rupees, or to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any period not exceeding one month; and the sentence awarding such penalty or imprisonment shall set forth the nature of such offence in general terms only.

**XLV.** In cases of contempt of court, or of resisting or obstructing the officers of the law, when in attendance at any police court, or other open court presided over by a Justice of the Peace, it shall be lawful for the Justice of the Peace presiding, of his own motion, summarily, and without complaint or information made or laid, to adjudge the person so offending to forfeit a penalty not exceeding fifty rupees, or to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for any period not exceeding one month, and the sentence awarding such penalty or imprisonment shall set forth the nature of such offence in general terms only.

**XLVI.** No person, not being a soldier or sailor in the service of the Queen, or the East India Company, or a constable belonging to the police of the Settlement, shall be entitled to carry any sword, spear, gun, or other offensive weapon, in any street, thoroughfare, or public place, unless by leave of the sitting Magistrate, or other head of the police; and any person offending against this enactment

shall be liable to be disarmed by any constable or other person acting under such instructions as shall be from time to time given by the sitting Magistrate, or other head of the police, and the weapons so seized shall be taken before the sitting Magistrate or other head of the police, and forfeited to the Government, if the sitting Magistrate, or other head of the police, in his discretion, shall think fit to declare them forfeited.

**XLVII.** All penalties and forfeitures, and other sums of money imposed, awarded, or ordered to be paid, by any Justice of the Peace, under the authority of this Act, and all sums of money which any person is bound to pay under any recognizance taken before a Justice of the Peace, or an officer of police empowered to take recognizances by this Act, and afterwards forfeited, in case of non-payment thereof, may be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender or person liable to pay the same, by warrant under the hand of any Justice of the Peace, and in case any such penalty or forfeiture, or sum of money, shall not be forthwith paid, any Justice may order the party to be detained in safe custody until the return can be conveniently made to such warrant of distress, unless such party shall give security, to the satisfaction of such Justice, for his appearance at such place and time as shall be appointed for the return of the warrant of distress, and the Justice may take such security, by way of recognizance or otherwise; and if upon the return of such warrant it shall appear that no such sufficient distress could be had whereon to levy the said penalty or forfeiture, or sum of money, and the same shall not be forthwith paid, or in case it shall appear to the satisfaction of the Justice, by the confession of the party or otherwise, that he has not sufficient goods and chattels whereupon such penalty, forfeiture, or sum of money could be levied if warrant of distress should be issued, the Justice, by warrant under his hand, may commit such party to the common jail of the station, there to remain for any time not exceeding two calendar months.

**XLVIII.** No conviction, order, or judgment of any Justice of the Peace shall be quashed for error of form or procedure, but only on the merits, and it shall not be necessary to state on the face of the conviction, order, or judgment, the evidence on which it proceeds, but the depositions taken, or a copy of them, shall be returned with the conviction, order, or judgment, in obedience to any writ of *certiorari*; and if no jurisdiction appears on the face of the conviction, order, or judgment, but the depositions taken supply that defect, the conviction, order, or judgment shall be aided by what so appears in such depositions.

**XLIX.** In the construction of this Act the following words and expressions shall have the several meanings hereby assigned to them, unless there be something in the context or subject repugnant to such construction, that is to say:—

Words importing the singular number only shall include the plural, and words importing the plural number only shall include the singular.

Words importing the masculine gender only shall include females.

The word "Justice," or "Justices of the Peace," shall mean the Justices of the Peace for the time being, acting within and for the several stations of the Settlement of the Straits of Malacca.

The word "oath" shall mean any oath or solemn affirmation in lieu of an oath.

**SCHEDULE A.**

**FORM I.**

Town of } Be it remembered that on the day of  
 of } in the year  
 and E. F., of } and C. D., of  
 personally



came before me, *G. H.*,  
and acknowledged themselves to owe to our Sovereign Lady the Queen, that is to say, the said *A. B.* the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ and the said *C. D.* and *E. F.* each the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ separately, of good and lawful money of British India, to be made and levied of their Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements respectively, to the use of our said Lady the Queen, her Heirs and Successors, if the said *A. B.* shall make default in the condition herein under written.

Acknowledged before me,  
*G. H.*,

The condition of the above-written recognizance is such, that if the said *A. B.* shall appear before *J. P.*, Justice of the Peace, at 10 o'clock in the morning of the day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year \_\_\_\_\_ at the \_\_\_\_\_ then the said recognizance to be void, or else to stand in full force and virtue.

FORM 2.

Town of \_\_\_\_\_ } Be it remembered that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year \_\_\_\_\_ *A. B.*, of \_\_\_\_\_ personally came before me, *G. H.*, and acknowledged himself to owe to our Sovereign Lady the Queen the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ of good and lawful money of British India, to be made and levied of his Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements, to the use of our said Lady the Queen, her Heirs and Successors, if he, the said *A. B.*, shall fail in the condition hereinunder written.

Acknowledged before me,  
*G. H.*,

The condition of the above-written recognizance is such that if the said *A. B.* shall appear before *J. P.*, Justice of the Peace, at 10 o'clock in the morning of the day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year \_\_\_\_\_ at the \_\_\_\_\_ then the said recognizance to be void, or else to stand in full force and virtue.

SCHEDULE B.

FORM OF ORDER.

To *A. B.*, Keeper of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Bring before me in safe custody on the day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year \_\_\_\_\_ *C. D.*, a prisoner now in the ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) in order that the said *C. D.* may be examined by me as a (witness or defendant) with respect to (here state the charge, case, or proceeding in respect of which the evidence of the prisoner is required).

*E. F.*,  
Justice of the Peace.

NOTE.—The words and figures in Italics in these Schedules to be filled up as the case may be.

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

Ordered, that the said Draft be reconsidered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 27th day of August next.

*J. P. GRANT*,  
Secy. to the Government of India.

FORT WILLIAM,  
HOME DEPARTMENT,  
LEGISLATIVE,  
The 3rd June 1853.

The following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 3rd of June 1853 :—

ACT No. — OF 1853.

An Act for the better Assessment of the Tax upon Shops and Stalls in Bombay, and for facilitating the Collection thereof.

It is hereby enacted, that from and after the passing of this Act, the powers of assessing and collecting the Assessment on Shops and Stalls, which under Act XI. of 1845, Section V., are vested in the Collector of Land Revenue of Bombay, and persons appointed by him, shall and may be exercised by any person or persons whom the Governor in Council of Bombay may from time to time appoint to assess and collect the same, and his and their appointees; and that wherever in the said Section of the said Act, the words "Collector of Land Revenue," or the word "Collector," are used, such words shall hereafter be deemed to mean the person or persons so to be appointed by the said Governor in Council.

II. Sections XIV. and XV. of Regulation XIX. of 1827 of the Bombay Code shall be held to be applicable to any Assessment under Section V. Act XI. of 1845 aforesaid, and to any Assessment hereafter to be made under the provisions of the said Section and of this Act, and also to be applicable to the recovery and levying of any arrears of any such assessment as in this Section is above mentioned, which shall be demanded after the passing of this Act, and to the commitment of any defaulter in the same manner and to the same extent in all respects as if any such Assessment hereinbefore mentioned had become due by virtue of the said Regulation, save and except that any Justice of the Peace at Bombay, whether he be the Collector of Land Revenue or not, may act under the Provisions of those Sections, although the Collector of Land Revenue may be a Justice of the Peace; and that the word "Collector" in Section XV. of the said Regulation shall be construed to mean the person or persons to be appointed by the Governor in Council as aforesaid, or any appointee or appointees of such person or persons, and except that in the form of warrant in Appendix F to the said Regulation the word "Act" shall be substituted for the word "Regulation," and that the words "as prescribed by Section \_\_\_\_\_ Regulation XIX. A. D. 1827" shall be omitted from the said form, and that any warrant to be issued under this Act for levying by distress and sale may be to the effect contained in the said Appendix F.

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 3rd day of September next.

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

Advertisement.

The undermentioned Maps and Books are on sale at the Quarter Master General's Office in Bombay :—

- A Route Map of the Bombay Presidency..... Rs. 15
- A Route Book do. do. " 15
- Map of the Hyderabad Collectorate, mounted on Cloth, scale 2 miles to an inch ..... " 30
- Map of the Kurrachee do. do. " 15

The money must be paid into the Office of the Presidency Pay Master, and the Receipt presented at the Office of the Quarter Master General, before the Maps or Books can be issued.

*W. S. ADAMS*, Major,  
Deputy Quarter Master General.

Quarter Master General's Office,  
Bombay, 25th April 1853.



STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS made at the General Treasury at Bombay, on account of the Estates of deceased European Commissioned, Warrant, and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers, and Seamen, of the East India Company's Service, during the Month of May 1853.

Date of Deposits.	On whose Account.	Rank.	Corps.	General No.	Date of Decease.	Amount deposited.
MILITARY.						<i>Rs. a. p.</i>
1853						
May 6th	Thomas Pearce .....	Corporal .....	Ordnance Department .....		April 3rd, 1853	78 13 2
" 9th	John Donovan .....	Serjeant .....	Sappers and Miners .....		March 24th .....	221 11 10
" 14th	John Davis .....	Gunner .....	2nd Co. 2nd Batt. Arty. ....	1786	Dec. 6th, 1852	500 11 5
" "	Henry Loudon .....	Do. ....		2737	March 13th, 1853	84 5 5
" "	E. P. Berthen .....	Ensign .....	2nd Bo. Eur. Regt. L. I. ....		" 6th .....	743 13 0
" 23rd	Charles Birch .....	Bombardier .....	4th Troop H. B. ....	744	January 26th .....	8 1 11
" "	John Edward .....	Gunner .....	Ditto .....	2329	April 8th .....	58 6 8
" 24th	Frederick B. Salmon .....	Ensign .....	9th Regt. N. I. ....		January 17th .....	768 4 7
MARINE.						
May 9th	William Johnson .....	Able Seaman .....	H. C. S. V. "Semiramis". ..	3396	Jan. 12th, 1853	141 14 4
" "	Thomas Holloway .....	Gunner's Mate .....	H. C. S. V. "Zenobia" .....	3034	August 7th, 1852	41 13 8
" "	George Price .....	Able Seaman .....	Ditto .....	3608	September 4th ..	7 10 8
" "	Thomas Ruth .....	Ordinary Seaman .....	Ditto .....	3260	" 6th .....	79 9 0
" "	John Cleary .....	Able Seaman .....	Ditto .....	3617	" 13th .....	189 9 2
" "	James Callender .....	Do. ....	Ditto .....	3152	October 30th .....	46 11 5
" "	William Ferrand .....	Do. ....	Ditto .....	203	December 13th ..	142 11 10
" "	John Berry .....	Ordinary Seaman .....	Ditto .....	2625	March 2nd .....	191 2 0

Claims against the above Estates are to be preferred to the Secretary to Government in the Military Department, within twelve months from the date of the death of the party, after which period all payments will cease to be made in India.

J. G. LUMSDEN,  
Secretary to Government.



*GENERAL REGISTER of Sums deposited in the Military Department on Account of the Estates of Deceased Native Officers and Sepoys, &c.  
(under the General Orders of Government dated 3rd July 1823,) from 1st November 1852 to 30th April 1853.*

When deposited.	By whom deposited.	Where deposited.	On account of whose Estate.	Of what Troop or Company.	Of what Regiment.	When Died.	Amount.	Total.	Grand Total.
			<i>Half Year ending 30th April 1853.</i>						
1852							<i>Rs. a. p.</i>	<i>Rs. a. p.</i>	<i>Rs. a. p.</i>
Nov. 30th	Captain H. Prescott, Commanding Detachment Native Veteran Battalion.	Presidency Pay Office..	Private Heera Sing .....	2d Company.	N. V. Battalion.	Oct. 9th 1851.	.....	144 0 3	
Dec. 11th	Lieut. A. Becher, Acting Paymaster 8th Regiment Native Infantry.	Ditto ..	" Bhola Coonbee.. ..	4th "	8th Regt. N. I.	Dec. 29th "	85 12 0	153 14 2	
			" Peerajie Sinda .. ..	6th "		" 30th "	11 1 8		
			" Buldee Moorai .. ..	6th "	May 3rd 1852.	17 14 0			
			" Bhicajie Cuddum .. ..	6th "	" 30th "	10 9 1			
			" Gungadeen Misser. ..	5th "	April 13th "	18 15 4			
			Havildar Ram Sing .....	5th "	Oct. 4th "	9 10 1			
			Mason Mohunlall Heerasing..	.....		25 5 1			
			" Sumseen Abraham .. ..	.....		2 13 3			
			Miner Rumbra Bapkur .. ..	.....		59 11 2			
			" Wagoo Jadow .....	.....		15 5 0			
			" Wittoo Purvaree .. ..	.....		15 0 0			
			" Nana Arjoon .. ..	.....		5 4 9			
			Biggaree Dhondee Sutownac.	.....		21 15 1			
			" Sewajee Zenda .. ..	.....		15 5 3			
			" Luxumon Ruttala .. ..	.....		12 10 5			
			" Balloo Gowdah .. ..	.....		12 9 6			
			" Raghoo Gowdah .. ..	.....		9 8 1			
			" Gouria bin Eassor	.....		9 5 7			
			" Temker .. ..	.....		8 2 7			
			" Sewram Dewoo .. ..	.....		7 13 7			
			" Appa Jadow .. ..	.....		6 5 8			
			" Cassinath Gungaram ..	.....		6 3 10			
			" Sewpall Prawn .. ..	.....		5 8 9			
			" Gungajee Gowlie .. ..	.....		5 4 0			
			" Balloo Cassar .. ..	.....		4 5 9			
			" Condappa Sewa Bhooyee	.....		3 11 3			
			" Dhondee Sumnac .. ..	.....		3 7 5			
			" Hurreeba Dessayee. ..	.....		3 6 3			
			" Hurry Nalowda .. ..	.....	of Public Works.				
" 12th	Captain J. J. F. Cruickshank, Garrison Engineer and Civil Architect.	Ditto ..							







When deposited.	By whom deposited.	Where deposited.	On account of whose Estate.	Of what Troop or Company.	Of what Regiment.	When Died.	Amount.	Total.	Grand Total.
1853 Jan. 14th	Ensign T. H. Blair, Acting Paymaster 19th Regiment N. I.	Pay Office Southern D. A.	Private Mucca Sing... .. " Daveedeen Oopadhyee. " Owseree Khoombhar..	2d Gr. Company 7th " 1st "	19th Regt. N. I.	Brought forward Aug. 2nd 1849. Nov. 1850. Oct. 8th 1851.	<i>Rs. a. p.</i> ..... 18 0 0 4 13 9 9 11 5	<i>Rs. a. p.</i> 142 11 10  32 9 2	<i>Rs. a. p.</i> 832 14 9  175 5 0
1852 Nov. 16th	Lieut. Henderson, Paymaster 3rd Battalion Artillery.	Paymaster Poona D.A.	" Jowaher Bhatt, No. 5. " Lalla Tewarree, No. 796 Driver Mahadoo, No. 71..	5th " 3rd " 5th "	3rd B. Artillery " " " "	Unknown. " "	218 14 0 382 15 9 3 15 6	605 13 3	
1853 Jan. 6th	Lieut. Taylor, Paymaster 22nd Regiment N. I.	Ditto ..	Private Binda Patuck .. " Ragae Purub ..	7th " 5th "	22nd Regt. N. I. " "	Dec. 5th 1851. " 15th "	26 12 2 14 8 0	41 4 2	
Feb. 15th	Ditto ditto.....	Ditto ..	Naique Dhockul Sing .. Private Juggunnath Lalla ..	6th " 8th "	" " " "	Jan. 1st 1852. " 18th "	84 1 3 36 6 2	120 7 5	
Mar. 11th	Ditto ditto.....	Ditto ..	" Luxumon Tewaree .. Naique Hurdass Budyee .. Private Saboo Davelee ..	2nd " 6th " Gr. "	" " 27th " " "	Nov. 1st " April 16th " Oct. 12th 1848.	..... 21 9 11 4 11 6	11 5 0	
April 6th	Major G. Liddell, Commanding 27th Regt. N. I.	Ditto ..	" Baboo Sootar .. " Rumjan Khan .. " Shaik Shapoodeen .. " Rajaram Thorat.. " Chub Lall .. Carpenter Bunjanjie.. Recruit Shaik Peer Bux.. Carpenter Goormook Sing .. Private Ramdeen ..	8th " 5th " 1st " 4th " " " " " " " " " 3rd "	" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	Nov. 20th 1852. April 20th 1844. July 30th 1848. Jan. 2nd 1849. May 31st " Mar. 5th 1850. April 30th " June 6th " Dec. 4th " Jan. 1st 1851. " 2nd " June 1st " " 27th " Jan. 16th 1852. May 7th " Aug. 14th "	66 12 6 5 0 0 1 7 7 8 2 1 12 0 0 2 15 0 60 0 0 7 15 2 11 15 7 3 11 3 8 8 5 12 0 9 11 0 0 26 14 6 0 6 0 15 13 6	102 11 3	
" 7th	Lieut. T. Gillespie, Paymaster Sappers and Miners.	Ditto ..	" Luxumon Chawan. " Dun Sing .. " Makun Tewarree.. " Shaik Emam .. " Khundoo Salooka.. Recruit Ramdeen Bhylia.. Private Chowree .. " Jewaheer Misseer ..	4th " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	Dec. 4th " Jan. 1st 1851. " 2nd " June 1st " " 27th " Jan. 16th 1852. May 7th " Aug. 14th "	11 15 7 3 11 3 8 8 5 12 0 9 11 0 0 26 14 6 0 6 0 15 13 6	187 13 10	
								187 13 10	1069 6 11



Jan. 5th	Lieut. Scott, Adjutant 13th Regt. N.I. in charge deceased Estates.	Pay Office Northern D. A.	"	Buctawar .. .. .	Lt. "	13th Regt. N. I.	Dec. 28th "	.....	14 10 9
" 13th	Major James Pope, Commanding 17th Regiment N. I. ....	Ditto ..	"	Buchun Sing .. .. .	2nd "	17th "	" 23rd 1851.	.....	44 12 4
" 29th	Captain McGregor, Commanding 21st Regiment N. I.	Ditto ..	"	"	Cassee Bhosla .. .. .	8th "	21st Regt. N. I.	Aug. 18th 1850.	19 5 2
				"	Chutooree Tellee .. .. .	4th "		Sept. 7th "	27 14 3
				"	Beerall Bhoojwa .. .. .	7th "		Dec. 17th "	38 7 3
				"	Gooman Sing 2nd .. .. .	2nd "		July 7th "	41 6 0
				"	Bhuldee Telle .. .. .	6th "		May 3rd 1851.	61 3 5
				"	Davee Mochee .. .. .	8th "		Aug. 23rd "	27 14 7
			"	Adjoodia Ahier .. .. .	3rd "		Nov. 8th 1845.	6 3 2	
			"	Khooshall Passee .. .. .	8th "		Sept. 14th 1851.	16 6 9	238 12 7
Mar. 9th	Major J. Cooper, Commanding 17th Regt. N. I. .. .. .	Ditto ..		Subedar Moonga Sing .. .. .		7th Regt. N. I.	Oct. 4th "	.....	41 10 8
" 10th	Captain W. G. Arrow, Commanding 28th Regt. N. I. .. .. .	Ditto ..		Musician Minguel Francis .. .. .	3rd Company	28th "	Feb. 12th 1849.	.....	10 15 3
" 15th	Captain F. F. Taylor, Commanding 3rd Regt. Light Cavalry. . .	Ditto ..		Trooper Mendon Sing .. .. .	5th Troop.	3rd Regt. Lt. Cy.	Oct. 23rd 1852.	.....	79 15 0
April 21st	Lieut. Col. H. James, Commanding 18th Regt. N. I. .. .. .	Ditto ..		Private Mungall Sing .. .. .	7th Company	18th Regt. N. I.	Mar. 16th "	.....	7 6 7
1852									438 3 2
Nov. 5th	Lieut. Col. St. John, Commanding 22nd Regt. N. I.	Pay Office Scinde D. A.	"	Ragojee Yadow .. .. .	3rd "	22nd "	Nov. 1st "	.....	11 11 4
" "	Captain Arrow, Commanding 28th Regiment N. I.	Ditto ..	"	"	Gunnoo Wanee .. .. .	" "	28th Regt. N. I.	Oct. 8th 1851.	20 10 0
				"	Sewdeen Lode .. .. .	5th "		Jan. 2nd 1852.	50 0 1
				"	Duryow Sing .. .. .	2nd "		May 5th "	0 13 0
				"	Naique Heera Sing .. .. .	Gr. "		" 2nd "	96 8 7
				"	Private Ittoo Sawunt .. .. .	5th "		" 27th "	40 4 9
				"	Gopall Misser .. .. .	3rd "		Sept. 6th "	14 14 6
									223 2 11
1853	Jan. 6th Lieut. Gordon, Pay Master 1st Grenadier Regt. N. I.	Ditto ..	"	"	Kissow Sookul .. .. .	7th "	1st or Gr. Regt. N. I.	April 27th "	127 4 3
				"	Nunda Coonbee .. .. .	7th "		Died on Furlough.	15 4 6
				"	Bhowanee Bannia .. .. .	6th "		April 29th 1852.	134 13 8
				"	Appoo .. .. .	" "		June 23rd "	38 13 2
				"	Thakoor Persad Doobey .. .. .	5th "		April 27th "	152 14 8
									469 2 3
Feb. 22nd	The Pay Master 6th Regt. N. I.	Ditto ..	"	Emaum Khan .. .. .	"	6th Regt. N. I.	Oct. 17th 1851.	10 10 5	
			"	Cullian Loade .. .. .	"	"	" 20th "	46 3 2	56 13 7
									760 14 1

Bombay Castle, Military Accountant's Office, 10th June 1853.

Rupees.... 3276 11 11

(Errors excepted)

F. F. ELLIOT, Accountant General, for Military Accountant.



**Insolvent Debtors' Court.**

Notice is hereby given, that Petitions of the several persons hereunder named and described have been presented to the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, Bombay, praying, respectively, for the benefit of the Act made and passed in the Eleventh year of Victoria, Chapter XXI:—

Names.	Profession.	Denomination.	Place of Residence in Bombay.	Dates of Petitions filed.		
				Day.	Month.	Year.
George William Thompson.	None.	European.	Without the Fort, at Lower Colaba.	9th	June	1853.
Balcrustna Rungnathjee.	Late a Clerk in the Office of the Indian Naval Store-keeper, and now a Pensioner.	Hindoo.	Without the Fort, on the Girgaum Road.	13th	"	"
Pooteebae, Woman, and Jeeva, Woman.	Tailors.	Hindoos.	Without the Fort, at Witulwady.	15th	"	"
William Natchell.	Press Reader.	Indo-Briton.	Without the Fort, at Oomercaree.	17th	"	"
Dwarkanath Wisswanath.	Clerk in the Military Accountant's Office.	Hindoo.	Without the Fort, on the Calbadavce Road.	20th	"	"

Orders in the matters of the above-named Insolvents' Petitions, that the real and personal Estates and Effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honorable Court, under Clause VII. of the said Act, have been duly made.

*Days appointed for Hearing the Petitions of the undermentioned Insolvents.*

Names.	Time.		
	Day.	Month.	Hour.
Balcrustna Rungnath	3rd Monday	July next	11 o'clock.
Dwarkanath Wisswanath	Ditto.	Ditto.	Ditto.
Balcrustna Runsordjee	Ditto.	Ditto.	Ditto.

Opposing Creditors must file their Claims, verified by Affidavit, and pay the usual Fees, at my Office, at least three days before the Hearing. The above-named Insolvents have filed Schedules of their Debts, Estates, and Effects, in my Office.

J. A. MCKENZIE, Clerk of the Court.

*Clerk of the Court's Office, Fort, Bombay, this 21st day of June 1853.*

નાદાર દેવાદારોની કોર્ટ મદદ.

બહુર ખપર એ બીપરથી આપવાનાં આવે છે, ને નાન પચાનશાયે નીચે શમશે લખીયા છે, તેએ મુંબઈની નાદાર દેણદાર લોકોનાં છુટકા કરનારી કોર્ટને અરજીઓ આપી છે, કે વીકટોરી ના અગીઆરને વરસે ને ધારો બનાવી પચાર કરીએ છે, તેના એકવીશનાં બાબ પરનાં છે કીરપા ને હુનેને દાદને પોહુંઆડો.

નામ.	ધંધો.	બંદ.	રહેવાનું ઠેકાણું મુંબઈ મદદ.	અરજીઓ દાખલ કરીઆની તારીખ.		
				જાન્ય.	માસ.	વરસ.
ન વીલીઅંન રામ કઈનઈ.		ઈરોપી અંન.	કોટપાર નાહાના કુલાયા.	૯	જુન.	૧૮૫૩
કમણ રગનાથજી.	આગલ ઈનડીઅંનને વલ ઈશ્ટોર કીપરની હાકીશનાંને લખનારો ને હાલનાં પેનશીન માનાર.	હોંદુ.	કોટપાર ગીરગાં નના રશતા બી પર.	૧૩	એન	એન
પુતીયાઈ તથા દરજી.		હોંદુ.	કોટપાર વીઠલ વાડી.	૧૫	એન	એન
અંન નાએલ.	છાપા માનાનાં વાંચનારો.	ઈનડોપી રીટંન.	કોટપાર બીનર માડી આગલ.	૧૭	એન	એન
રકાનાથ થ.	વીશવ નીલોટારી અકાબિનટેનટની હાકી શના લખનારો.	હોંદુ.	કોટપાર કાલકા દેવીના રશતા બીપર.	૨૦	એન	એન



ॐपर ल भेला नादार देवादारोनी व्यायतनां शीरशता परनांछे दुर्कंन थया छि, के ॐपर ल भेला धा रानो शातनी कलन परनांछे नादार देवादार नळकुरोनी शथापर तथा नंगन नीलकत तथा औनवशत आ नानदार कोरटनां आक्षीशीआल आशाओनीना तापानां आपे \*

नीये ल भेला देणदार लोकानी अरओओ शंभलवागाइ इरावेला दीवश \*

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	दीवश.	ना.श.	कलाकं.
पालकशण रगुनाथ. . . . .	३	ना शोमवार.	आपतो शुद्धां.
दुवारकानाथ वीशयनाथ. . . . .	३	ओन	ओन
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आडा आपनार देणदारोये, थोडानां थोडा शंभलवाना तण दाडडा अगाओ, शोगणनांभाथी श पीत कीषेला पोताना दावा डनारी आक्षीशनां दामल करवा नांछे, तथा शीरशता परनांछे क्षी आपव नांछे. ॐपर ल भेला नादार देवादारोये पोतानां देवानी, तथा नालनीलकतनी, रीपो डनारी आक्षीश नां दामल करावी छे \*

श्रीभुंयधंन कोरनधे, कोरटना कलारकनी आक्षीशनां,  
 लभी तारी म २१ नी शुन शने १८५३.

न.—ओ.—नकेनछ,  
 कोरटनां कलारक शडी.

(True Translation)

R. X. MURPHY, Chief Translator.

**Notice**

Is hereby given, that the Farm of the Revenue derivable from the Wheel Crane now standing on the Town Custom House Bunder, from the 1st proximo to the 30th June 1854, will be let by Public Auction at this Office, on Tuesday the 28th instant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

The rates to be charged for the use of the Wheel Crane, and other particulars, will be made known on application at the Office of the Collector of Customs, or at the time of sale.

RICHARD SPOONER,  
 Acting Collector of Customs.

Bombay, Custom House,  
 15th June 1853.

**आहुरनांभु.**

ओहेवुन कोरनाहेली नांडवी अंदर ॐपर डाल रेहेटनी आरीछे तेनी पेदाशने धंन रो तारी म १ की शुद्धे शने १८५३ थी ते तारी म ३० नी शुन शने १८५४ शुधी आ लता नडीनानी तारी म २८ नी मंगलवार ने हीने पार ॐपर तरण वागते कशटंनना क लेकटरनी कयेरीनां आहुर लीलांन करीने वयवानां आवशे.

रेहेटनी आरी ॐपरथी ॐतारवानो इर देवानो ते तथा थिशु कांछे पुष्टुं डुंते ते

कशटंनना कलेकटरनी कयेरीनां अथवा वे आंछेनी व.म.ते पुछेथी नादंन थामे.

नीशांशी.

रीअरड. धंशयुनर,

कशटंनने आकरोंग कलेकटर.

तारी म १६ नी नाडे शुन

शने १८५३ धंशवी युकां

न भुंयधं नांडवी.

A. RICHARDSON, Depy. Secy. to Govt.

**जाहिरनामा.**

ऐसाजे कोटातील मांडवी बंदरावर हालीं राहाटाचीं यारी आहे तींचे उमत्राचा इजारा तारिख १ माहे जुलई सन १८५३ इसवी पासून तारिख ३० माहे जून सन १८५४ इसवी पावेतो चालते महिन्याची तारिख २८ मंगळवारचे दिवशीं वारावर तीन वाजतां कटमचे कालेकटरचे कचेरींत जाहीर ललांव करून विकला जाईल.

राहाटाचे यारी वरून उतरण्या बद्दल दर घ्यावयाचे ते व दुसरे कांहीं पुरसणे असेल ते कटमचे कालेकटरचे कचेरींत अथवा विकरीचे वेळेस विचारिलें असतां मालुम होईल.

नीशाणी.

रिचार्ड. सुनर,

कटमचे अकरोंग कालेकटर.

तारिख १६ माहे जून सन १८५३

इसवी मुकाम मुंबई मांडवी.

A. RICHARDSON, Depy. Secy. to Govt.



**Great Indian Peninsula Railway.****ALTERATION in the HOURS of DEPARTURE and ARRIVAL of TRAINS.**

The Public are respectfully informed that on SUNDAY the 1st of May, and from that date UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, the Trains will depart from, and arrive at, the several Stations at the Hours named in the annexed Table, viz :—

**WEEK-DAY TRAINS.**

BOMBAY TO TANNAH.			TANNAH TO BOMBAY.		
	FIRST TRAIN.	SECOND TRAIN.		FIRST TRAIN.	SECOND TRAIN.
	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.
Bombay . . . . . Departure	6 30	4 0	Tannah . . . . . Departure	8 45	6 5
Bycullah . . . . . "	6 43	4 13	Bhandoop . . . . . "	9 1	6 21
Sion . . . . . "	7 5	4 35	Sion . . . . . "	9 25	6 45
Bhandoop . . . . . "	7 29	4 59	Bycullah . . . . . "	9 47	7 7
Tannah . . . . . Arrival	7 45	5 15	Bombay . . . . . Arrival	10 0	7 20

  

BOMBAY TO MAHIM.			MAHIM TO BOMBAY.		
	FIRST TRAIN.	SECOND TRAIN.		FIRST TRAIN.	SECOND TRAIN.
	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.	P. M.
Bombay . . . . . Departure	7 45	5 20	Mahim . . . . . Departure	9 0	6 20
Bycullah . . . . . "	8 0	5 35	Bycullah . . . . . "	9 25	6 45
Mahim . . . . . Arrival	8 25	6 0	Bombay . . . . . Arrival	9 40	7 0

**SUNDAY TRAINS.**

The FORENOON TRAINS on Sundays will depart and arrive at the same hours as those on week-days.

The AFTERNOON SUNDAY TRAINS will depart and arrive at the hours below named, viz :—

BOMBAY TO TANNAH.		TANNAH TO BOMBAY.	
	SECOND TRAIN.		SECOND TRAIN.
	P. M.		P. M.
Bombay . . . . . Departure	2 30	Tannah . . . . . Departure	5 30
Bycullah . . . . . "	2 43	Bhandoop . . . . . "	5 46
Sion . . . . . "	3 5	Sion . . . . . "	6 10
Bhandoop . . . . . "	3 29	Bycullah . . . . . "	6 32
Tannah . . . . . Arrival	3 45	Bombay . . . . . Arrival	6 45

  

BOMBAY TO MAHIM.		MAHIM TO BOMBAY.	
	SECOND TRAIN.		SECOND TRAIN.
	P. M.		P. M.
Bombay . . . . . Departure	4 0	Mahim . . . . . Departure	5 40
Bycullah . . . . . "	4 15	Bycullah . . . . . "	6 5
Mahim . . . . . Arrival	4 40	Bombay . . . . . Arrival	6 20

*Double Tickets.*—First Class will be issued to and from the Terminal Stations, (available to return the same day, and not transferable,) at three-fourths of the ordinary double Fare.

*Children.*—Infants in arms will be carried free; Children under 10 years of age will be charged half fares.

*Luggage.*—100 lbs. of personal Baggage (not Merchandize) will be carried free for each First Class Passenger, 40 lbs. for each Second Class, and 20 lbs. for each Third Class Passenger. All excess over these specified allowances will be charged for.

Further information may be had at the several Stations.

(By order)

D. M. ROCHE, Traffic Manager.

Bombay, April 26th, 1853.



## Notice

Is hereby given, that persons desirous of entering into a contract for supplying good wholesome Biscuit and Flour to this Department, for the term of one year from the 1st day of August next, may, on application at this office from 11 A. M. till 5 P. M. daily, (Sundays excepted,) obtain copies of the Schedule or List of Prices; and such information relating thereto as they may require.

2. Verbal offers for the contract will be received at this office on Wednesday the 13th proximo, at 2 P. M. precisely, when intending contractors will be required to bid a per-centage above or below the prices exhibited in the above list at which the supply will be made, on the understanding that the articles supplied are to be of unexceptionable quality, according to musters which may be seen in this office, or of the sort usually supplied, and are to be delivered, in the first instance at the Commissariat Stores, if required, and afterwards to the indenting Departments, in good condition, free of all charges beyond the stipulated price, in such quantities as may from time to time be demanded, and that the same are liable to examination and rejection by the executive Commissariat Officer, or by the indenting or receiving Officer; or by a Committee of Officers appointed on the part of Government, in the event of the contractor being dissatisfied with the decision of the above Officers, or either of them; it being understood that the decision of such Committee is to be final, and binding on all parties.

3. No person will be allowed to bid for the contract unless he previously deposits in this office, in cash, the sum of Rupees (487) four hundred and eighty-seven, which sum will be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal on the part of the contractor to execute the necessary deed of contract, whenever required to do so, on his offer being accepted, in which latter case he must be prepared to give unexceptionable bonded security to the further amount of Rupees (1,950) one thousand nine hundred and fifty, which, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due fulfilment of his contract.

4. A contractor must comply immediately with all emergent demands, and meet others of less urgency within the periods stated in the requisitions made upon him; in failure whereof, or if any supply be condemned by a Committee of Officers as aforesaid, the articles, or such others as may be required in lieu thereof, shall be purchased by this Department without delay, at his risk and cost, if it be considered expedient to do so; and in all such cases thirty per cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine of from Rupees (30) thirty to (200) two hundred, at the option of the executive Commissariat Officer, will be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of contract; it being understood that the simple condemnation of any article by a Committee constitutes such a breach of contract, whether the rejected articles be replaced by the contractor or by this Department; in every such case, also, it is to be understood that the contract may be cancelled, at the discretion of the Commissary General, and that if the contract be so cancelled, the cash deposit of Rupees (487) four hundred and eighty-seven, mentioned in paragraph 3 of this Notice, will be forfeited to Government.

5. It is also to be understood that any negligence, evasion, or refusal on the part of a contractor to make supplies, or obey orders, or any attempt on his part, or that of his agents, to pass off articles of an inferior quality in lieu of those he is bound to supply, or any neglect to deliver them at the time and place ordered, will subject him, in every instance, to be fined to the extent of twenty-five rupees, at the option of the executive Commissariat Officer, from whose order an appeal may be made to the Commissary General, whose decision is to be final; but in cases when it may be deemed fit to exact any of the penalties provided for in the preceding clause, no further penalty shall be leviable under this Clause.

6. The party whose offer may be accepted must take the Honorable Company's Bakery, with its appurtenances, situated in Bake House Lane, at a monthly rent of Company's Rupees 130, the occupant renewing the Salt required to be kept in the ovens of the said Bakery as often as it may be deemed necessary by the executive Commissariat Officer, during the continuance of the contract, the annual repairs being made at the expense of Government.

7. It is further to be understood that the contractor, or an accredited agent on his part, approved of by the executive Commissariat Officer, is to attend at this office during the usual hours of business, *i. e.* from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. daily, (Sundays excepted,) also at such other time or place as may be indicated by the executive Commissariat Officer, when he may consider it desirable for the public service to require such attendance.

8. Any party whose offer is accepted will be required to produce his sureties for the approval of the Honorable Company's Solicitor, within fifteen days from the date of the acceptance of his offer, or the contract will be resold. No reason will be stated for rejecting any security offered.

9. Bills for articles supplied under this contract must be preferred within one month from the date of the delivery of the articles, in default of which the contractor will forfeit the full value of the supplies for which bills have not been so preferred, unless it clearly appear, to the satisfaction of the Commissary General, that the delay was unavoidable.

10. The amount of retrenchments made by the Military Board on the contractors' bills will be recovered from the first bills preferred for payment; but in the event of such retrenchments, or any portion thereof, being remitted, the amount remitted will be refunded.

11. Any party who, after offering for the contract, fails to furnish the necessary security, as provided for in Clause 8 of this Notice, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions, unless he produces a certificate from individuals of unexceptionable character and sufficient means, guaranteeing the due execution and performance of the contract, on his offer being accepted.

12. The annual outlay on the above contract is estimated at Rupees 9,752.

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

J. RAMSAY, Captain,  
Acting Deputy Commissary General.

Deputy Commissary General's Office,  
Bombay, 21st June 1853.



**BOMBAY PRICE CURRENT**

OF MEAT, POULTRY, FRUIT, BREAD, FLOUR, ROLONG, SAGO, BUTTER, MILK, FIREWOOD, OIL, CANDLES, SOAP, GHEE, SUGAR, GRAIN, &c. &c.—QUOTED BY THE DEALERS.

ARTICLES.		PRICES.	ARTICLES.		PRICES.	ARTICLES.		PRICES.
BEEF.		R a. p.	PORK, FRESH & SALT (continued).		R a. p.	SUGAR OF SORTS.		R a. p.
Prime pieces.....	1st sort 8lbs.	1	Trotters, small	per four.	2	Sugar, Pinfa.....	per md. of 28 lbs	8
"	2nd do. 10	1	Pig's Liver & Heart.....	8 lbs	1	" Candy, 1st sort.....	" "	8
"	3rd do. 16	1	Pork, salt, country.....	8 lbs	1	" " 2nd do.....	" "	5
Brisket and Round.....	1st sort 12	1	POULTRY.			" " 3rd do.....	" "	4
"	2nd do. 14	1	Geese.....	each	3	" soft, 1st do.....	" "	4
"	3rd do. 16	1	Turkey cock, Bombay.....	"	3	" 2nd do.....	" "	3
Meat for Soup.....	16	1	" hen, .....	"	2	" brown.....	" "	2
Shin.....	large each.	3 6	" cock, Goa.....	"	2	Jagree.....	" "	1 12
"	small .....	3	" lan, .....	"	1	GHEE OF SORTS.		
Ox Tails.....	"	8	Fowls, large, Surat.....	"	1	Ghee, Kurrachee, per md. of 28 lbs.	"	4 12
Tongue.....	large .....	3 6	" small, .....	"	8	" Surat.....	"	6 2
"	small .....	3	" large, Bombay.....	"	6	" Blowunggur.....	"	5 4
Heart.....	large .....	3	" small, .....	"	8	" Balhanty.....	"	4 12
"	small .....	2	Ducks, large.....	"	6	" Ghanty.....	"	4 8
Marrow-bone.....	"	9	" small.....	"	12	" Rajapoor.....	"	4 8
Ox Palates.....	"	4	Chickens, large.....	per dozen.	3	" Jaffrabad.....	"	7 12
Feet.....	four.....	4	" small.....	"	3	GRAIN OF SORTS.		
Suet.....	per lb.	4	Hens' Eggs.....	each.	3	Wheat, Hansia.....	{ pr.Cdy.of	32
Tongues (salted, dry), Poona.....	each.	4	Ducks' .....	"	3	" " 8 pharas.	"	2
" (pickled) Bombay.....	"	5	FRUITS OF SORTS.			" Jambooseer, 1st sort.....	"	18
VEAL, SMALL.			Pine-apples, Bombay, large.....	each.	12	" " 2nd do.....	"	17
Hind Quarter.....	1st sort 4 lbs.	1	" " small, .....	"	8	" Bhowunggur, 1st do.....	"	15
"	2nd do. 5	1	" " Gon..... large, .....	"	3	" " 2nd do.....	"	14
"	3rd do. 6	1	" " small .....	"	2	" Ghantee.....	"	13 8
Fore Quarter.....	1st do. 4 1/2	1	Pomelos.....	large, .....	12	" Sindce.....	"	12 8
"	2nd do. 5 1/2	1	" " small, .....	"	8	" Jambooseer.....	"	17
"	3rd do. 6 1/2	1	Guavas.....	large, .....	8	" Ghogaree, new.....	"	16
VEAL, LARGE.			" " small, .....	"	6	" " old.....	"	15 8
Hind Quarter.....	1st sort 4 lbs.	1	Oranges.....	large, .....	6	" Ghantee, new.....	"	15
"	2nd do. 5	1	" " small, .....	"	6	" " old.....	"	14
"	3rd do. 6	1	Grapes, black.....	common.....	6	" Bengal.....	"	14
Fore Quarter.....	1st do. 5	1	" green.....	per seer	1	Wooreed, Ghantee.....	"	12 8
"	2nd do. 6	1	Melons, water, large.....	each.	1	" Malabar.....	"	12
"	3rd do. 7	1	" " small .....	"	1	" Cutch.....	"	13
Head.....	1st do. each.	12	" Musk, large.....	"	1	" Ghogaree.....	"	13
"	2nd do. "	10	" " small .....	"	1	" " 2nd do.....	"	12 8
"	3rd do. "	8	Plantains, red, large.....	"	8	" Ghantee.....	"	12
Feet.....	four.....	4	" " small .....	"	6	" Cutch.....	"	12
Liver & Heart.....	each.....	1	" yellow, large.....	"	4	Mugg.....	"	18
MUTTON FOR EUROPEANS.			" " small.....	"	3	" Ghogaree.....	"	13
Saddle.....	1st sort per lb.	3 6	Limes, sweet.....	"	1	Bazaree, Ghantee.....	"	12
"	2nd do. "	2 6	" sour.....	"	1	" Bhowunggur, 1st sort.....	"	15
"	3rd do. "	2	Potatoes, Neigherries, large, per seer.	"	1	" " 2nd do.....	"	14 8
Leg, Loin, Neck, and Shoulder.....	1st do. "	2 6	" " small .....	"	1	" Rajapoor.....	"	13
"	2nd do. "	2	" Mahabeshwur, large.....	"	8	Barley.....	new.....	11
"	3rd do. "	1 2	" " small.....	"	6	" " old.....	"	9
Breast.....	1st do. "	2	" Poona, large.....	"	4	Toor.....	1st sort.....	15
"	2nd do. "	1 6	" " small.....	"	3	" " 2nd do.....	"	12
"	3rd do. "	1	" Surat, large.....	"	4	Joaree.....	"	11
Tongue, Sheep's.....	each.....	1 6	" " small.....	"	3	Nacheny.....	"	10
Brauns.....	"	2	Yams, white.....	"	6	Vattana.....	"	14
Head.....	"	2	" red.....	"	6	Chowley.....	per phara	2 12
Liver and Heart.....	"	4	Onions.....	"	2	Dall, Broach.....	"	2 12
Kidneys.....	"	4	Ginger.....	"	4	" Surat.....	"	3
Feet.....	four.....	4	DRIED FRUITS OF SORTS.			UNBOILED RICE OF SORTS.		
Suet.....	per lb.	4	Plums, fine.....	per seer weight.	2	Rice, Putney.....	per phara.	2 2
MUTTON FOR NATIVES.			" coarse.....	"	1 6	" Sindey, red.....	"	1 14
First sort.....	10 lbs.	1	Currants, fine.....	"	10	" raw.....	"	1 12
Second ".....	12	1	" coarse.....	"	8	" red.....	"	1 12
Third ".....	16	1	Prunes, new.....	"	3	BEATEN RICE OF SORTS.		
KID, SMALL.			" old.....	"	2	Rice, Jerusalem, 1st sort.....	per phara	3 8
Hind Quarter.....	1st sort 3 lbs.	1	Almonds, sweet.....	"	1 4	" " 2nd do.....	"	3 4
"	2nd do. 4	1	" bitter.....	"	1 0	" Vergole, 1st do.....	"	2 12
"	3rd do. 5	1	" " BREAD, &c.	"	1 0	" " 2nd do.....	"	2 8
Fore Quarter.....	1st do. 4	1	A loaf, 1st sort.....	13 oz. each.	1 4	" Sindy ratra.....	"	3 12
"	2nd do. 5	1	" 2nd do.....	13 oz. "	1	" Segundee.....	"	2 8
"	3rd do. 6	1	" brown.....	32 oz. "	2	" Putney.....	"	2 8
Head, Feet, Liver, & Heart.....	each.....	4 6	" " 16 oz. "	"	1	" raw.....	"	2 4
KID, LARGE.			Flour, wheat.....	per seer measure	3 4	MANGALORE RICE OF SORTS.		
Hind Quarter.....	1st sort 4 lbs.	1	Rolong.....	"	1 6	Rice, unboiled, 1st sort.....	per robin.	2 12
"	2nd do. 4 1/2	1	Sago, fine.....	" weight.	1 3	" " 2nd do.....	"	2 8
"	3rd do. 5 1/2	1	" coarse.....	"	2	" boiled, 1st do.....	"	2 8
Fore Quarter.....	1st do. 5	1	Arrowroot, best.....	"	2	" " 2nd do.....	"	2 4
"	2nd do. 5 1/2	1	" coarse.....	"	1 6	BENGAL RICE OF SORTS.		
"	3rd do. 6	1	MILK AND BUTTER.			Rice, unboiled, 1st sort.....	{ per bag of	6 14
LAMB, SMALL.			Cows' milk.....	per seer measure.	1 6	" " 2nd do.....	{ 168 lbs.	6 12
Hind Quarter.....	1st sort 4 lbs.	1	" butter.....	per cup of 2 oz.	1 2	" boiled, 1st do.....	"	4 12
"	2nd do. 5	1	Buffaloes' milk.....	per seer measure	1 2	" " 2nd do.....	"	4 8
"	3rd do. 6	1	" butter.....	per cup of 2 oz.	1	BHATT.		
Fore Quarter.....	1st do. 6	1	FIREWOOD.			Bhatt, Putney, permoora of 35 pharas	"	23
"	2nd do. 5 1/2	1	Babool, per candy of 28 mds. 784 lbs.	"	3 4	" raw.....	"	21
"	3rd do. 6 1/2	1	Khair.....	"	2 8	" red.....	"	20
LAMB, LARGE.			Ainc.....	"	2 8	SUNDRIES.		
Hind Quarter.....	1st sort 4 1/2 lbs.	1	Karmell.....	"	3	Saltpetre, Europe, per md. of 28 lbs.	"	2 8
"	2nd do. 5	1	OILS, CANDLES, AND SOAP.			" Bengal.....	"	3 8
"	3rd do. 6	1	Cocunut oil, 1st sort, pr. md. of 28 lbs.	"	2 8	" Rajapoor.....	"	1 8
Fore Quarter.....	1st do. 5	1	Jeenglee.....	"	2 7	Pepper, black, 1st sort.....	per seer.	1 6
"	2nd do. 5 1/2	1	" Ghantee.....	"	2 3	" " 2nd do.....	"	1 3
"	3rd do. 6 1/2	1	Erundia, or Castor Oil.....	"	2	" white.....	"	3
PORK, FRESH AND SALT.			Candles, Europe.....	"	18	Garlick, large.....	"	6
Pork, fresh.....	10 lbs.	1	" Goa.....	"	17	" small.....	"	4
Pig, roasting, large size.....	each.	1 4	" Cochin.....	"	7 8	Camphor.....	per pound.	8
" small do.....	"	1	Soap, country.....	"	1 8	Salt, table.....	per seer	1 4
Pig's Head.....	20 lbs.	1	" Europe, yellow.....	"	3 8	" common, white.....	pylee.	1 3
Sausages.....	4	1	" white.....	"	3 6	" black.....	"	1
Trotters, large.....	per four.	1 4	Fish and Vegetables generally sold according to the quantity in the Market, and the choice of them.					

Bombay measures by which the articles are sold:—4 Seers are one Pice—17 Pyles are one Phara—8 Pharas are one Candy—25 Pharas are one Moora.  
 A Robin of Rice averages about 15 Pyles.  
 Bombay weights by which the articles are sold:—1 Seer is 11 ozs. and 4 drs.—40 Seers are 1 Maund.—1 Maund is 28 English pounds.



**POST OFFICE NOTICES.****OVERLAND MAIL,***Viâ Marseilles, and Southampton.*

The Overland Mail, *viâ Marseilles*, and Southampton, per H. C. Steamer "SEMIRAMIS," will be closed on WEDNESDAY the 20th proximo, at 1 o'clock P.M. precisely.

An After-packet will be kept open, for Bearing Letters only, until 2 o'clock P.M., on the usual terms.

**OVERLAND MAIL,***Viâ Madras.*

An Overland Mail *viâ Madras*, to meet the Calcutta Steamer on her way to Suez, will be despatched from this Office on the 30th instant, at 5 P.M. precisely.

An Overland Express will be despatched on the 1st proximo, at 5 P.M. precisely, and the following rates of Express Postage (from which there is no exemption, and which includes the Inland Postage) will be charged:—

On a Letter not exceeding  $\frac{1}{2}$  Tola . . . . . Rs. 1  
 Ditto exceeding  $\frac{1}{2}$  and not exceeding 1 Tola . . . . . 2  
 Ditto ditto 1 ditto ditto 2 Tolas . . . . . 5

No Letter exceeding 2 Tolas will be received for despatch by Express.

*Bombay, Genl. Post Office, 22nd June 1853.*

DUNCAN DAVIDSON,  
 Post Master General.

**POSTAL NOTICE.**

The following Sections of the Post Office Rules of 30th August 1837 are published for general information:—

"XXIV. Whatever Postage is marked on a Letter, Paper, or Parcel, must be paid at once, on delivery," &c.

"XXXI. The Servants at the several Post Offices are not bound to give Change to parties sending or receiving Letters, in any case."

No Letters will be delivered except on immediate payment of the Postage, and parties sending for their Overland Letters are particularly requested to bear this Rule in mind.

DUNCAN DAVIDSON,  
 Post Master General.

*Bombay, General Post Office,  
 21st May 1853.*

**POSTAL NOTICE.**

The following Section is published for general information:—

"XLIV.—All Public Despatches are to be made up in the most compact form possible, and whenever two or more Letters are despatched from any Office to the same individual by the same day's post, they are to be put up under one cover, provided they do not in the aggregate exceed 12 tolas weight."

A. K. CORFIELD,  
 Post Master General.

*Bombay, General Post Office,  
 28th February 1853.*

**POSTAL NOTICE.**

With reference to the Postal Notice dated the 16th August last, Steam Postage must be prepaid on all Letters for the Cape of Good Hope, super-scribed to go *viâ Ceylon* by the Steamers belonging to the General Screw Steam Shipping Company.

A. K. CORFIELD,  
 Post Master General.

*Bombay, General Post Office,  
 15th December 1852.*

**POSTAL NOTICE.**

A Post Office has been established on Mount Aboo, (subordinate to the Erinpoora Post Office,) 45 miles north of Deesa.

W. BLOWERS,  
 Deputy Post Master General.

*Bombay, General Post Office,  
 16th March 1853.*

**POSTAL NOTICE.**

It is hereby notified that the Monthly Overland Mail Steamers to Suez, and the Mid-Monthly Mail Steamers to Aden, will be despatched on the undermentioned dates, viz:—

On the 28th April, to Suez.  
 On the 10th May, to Aden.  
 On the 23rd May, to Suez.  
 On the 20th June, to Suez.  
 On the 20th July, to Suez.  
 On the 30th August, to Suez.  
 On the 10th September, to Aden.

Each Steamer will take two Mails—one *viâ Marseilles*, and one *viâ Southampton*, as likewise the usual Packets for Egypt and Foreign Europe. Letters for the United Kingdom *viâ Southampton* may be prepaid, or not, at the option of the sender.

W. BLOWERS,  
 Deputy Post Master General.

*Bombay, General Post Office,  
 21st March 1853.*

**POSTAL NOTICE.**

A Post Office has been established at Dewass, on the Agra and Indore road, 22 miles North of Indore.

W. BLOWERS,  
 Deputy Post Master General.

*Bombay, General Post Office,  
 6th April 1853.*

**POSTAL NOTICE.**

Mails for Khandeish, and for Indore, Agra, and other places in the N. W. Provinces, and the Punjaub, will, from and after the 15th instant, be closed daily on week-days at 3 P.M., for despatch by the afternoon Railway Train.

Letters, Papers, &c. may be posted until 3-30 P.M., on payment of the established Fee of Half a Rupee each.

On Sundays the Mails will be closed at 2 o'clock P.M.

All Letters, &c. for the above-mentioned places, posted after 3 P.M. on week-days, and after 2 P.M. on Sundays, will be detained for the following day's despatch.

DUNCAN DAVIDSON,  
 Post Master General.

*Bombay, General Post Office,  
 12th May 1853.*



**Postal Notice.**

From and after the 1st instant, printed Books, Magazines, Reviews, and Pamphlets, whether British, Colonial, or Foreign, posted in the East Indies addressed to the United Kingdom, or posted in the United Kingdom addressed to the East Indies, may be transmitted by the Post between any part of the East Indies and the United Kingdom, subject to the following Rules, and rates of Postage :—

		s. d.	Rs. as.
For a single volume, not exceeding ½ lb. in weight .....		0 6	or 0 4
Ditto ditto exceeding ½ and not exceeding 1 lb. in weight.....		1 0	or 0 8
Ditto ditto exceeding 1 and not exceeding 2 lbs. in weight.....		2 0	or 1 0
Ditto ditto exceeding 2 lbs. and not exceeding 3 lbs. in weight. . .		3 0	or 1 8

The above rates of Postage, which must be prepaid, will free the Books from all further charge, whether in the East Indies or in the United Kingdom.

No Packet will be received in the Post Office for transmission if it exceeds three pounds in weight, or contains more than one printed Book; or printed Pamphlet, (the several sheets or parts of which, when more than one, shall be sewed or bound together,) or any paper or thing besides a printed Book or Pamphlet; or which, in length, breadth, width, or depth, shall exceed the dimensions of two feet.

Every Packet may be sent without a cover, or in a cover or envelope which must be open at the ends or sides, but it must not contain any writing or marks upon the envelope, or upon or within any part of the contents, other than the name and address of the party for whom the Packet is intended.

W. BLOWERS,

Deputy Post Master General, in charge.

Bombay, General Post Office, 4th May 1853.

**Notice**

Is hereby given, that sealed Tenders will be received by the Deputy Commissary General for the conveyance to Madras of the following Military Stores :—

11 (Eleven) Barrels, containing Experimental Gunpowder, the tonnage of which (calculated by measurement at 50 feet per ton) is about 41 feet and 1.174 inches, less or more, consigned to the Principal Commissary of Ordnance at Madras.

Further particulars may be learnt on application at this Office from 11 A. M. till 5 P. M. daily (Sundays excepted).

G. POPE, Major,  
Deputy Commissary General.

Bombay, Depy. Commy. Genl.'s Office,  
14th December 1852.

**Advertisement.**

Tenders are hereby invited for the conveyance of

- (7) Native Convicts and (3) time-expired Native Convicts to Singapore, of
- (10) Native Convicts to Penang, and of
- (1) European Convict, either to Calcutta, Madras, or direct to Van Dieman's Land.

By Order of the Commander in Chief Indian Navy,  
F. G. BONE, Secretary.

Commodore's Office, Bombay,  
22nd June 1853.

**Notice**

Is hereby given, that the Commander in Chief of the Indian Navy will be prepared to receive Tenders for Coals fit for Steam purposes, for the service of Government.

2. The Coal is to be all of the best quality, and certificates of the quality and description of the Coals are to be forwarded with the Tender.

3. The rate tendered must include all charges till the Coals are delivered into the Government Stores, properly screened there, if required, at the expense of the tenderer, through a screen 1½-inch mesh.

4. The Coal shall be subjected to the inspection of a Committee of Government Officers, and be at the risk of the tenderer until their actual delivery into the Government Stores.

5. The Form of Tender below given must be adopted without alteration, and Government reserves to itself the right to reject, without assigning reason, any Tender, although it may appear to be the lowest.

*Form of Tender.*

To the Commander in Chief of the Indian Navy.  
Sir,

With reference to the Government Notification dated the 30th June 1852, we hereby tender for the service of Government Coals of the undermentioned descriptions, and at the price hereunto annexed :—

Description of Coals.	Per what Ship.	No. of Tons.	Price per Ton of 20 cwt, including all Charges.	Amount in Words.
			Rs. a. p.	

We agree to each and all of the conditions contained in the Government Notification above referred to.

Bombay (date).

We are, &c.

By Order of the Commander in Chief Indian Navy,  
F. G. BONE, Secretary.

Commodore's Office, Bombay,  
30th June 1852.



# General Orders.

## MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

*Bombay Castle, 16th June 1853.*

No. 398 of 1853.—The Honorable the Court of Directors have granted the undermentioned Officers extensions of leave for the periods specified, viz:—

Lieutenant Colonel E. W. Jones .....	} 6 months.
Major Samuel Landon .....	
Captain C. J. Bruce .....	
Lieutenant G. L. Lyc, till August next.	} 6 months.
Lieutenant R. F. Wren .....	
Lieutenant A. W. Sibthorpe .....	
Lieutenant W. L. Cahusac .....	
Ensign A. Hawthorn .....	
Assistant Surgeon J. M. Mackenzie.....	

2. The Honorable Court have permitted the undermentioned Officers to retire from the Service, from the dates specified:—

Captain Charles Halkett, from the 10th February 1853.  
Lieutenant E. G. Clifton, from the 25th November 1852.

No. 399 of 1853.—Joseph McCracken, an Out-pensioner of Chelsea Hospital, has been permitted to reside and receive his Pension under this Presidency.

No. 400 of 1853.—Lieutenant W. Walker, of the 1st Grenadier Regiment N. I., is allowed leave to England for three years, on Medical certificate.

*Bombay Castle, 17th June 1853.*

No. 401 of 1853.—The undermentioned Documents will be forwarded to the Honorable the Court of Directors by the next Overland Mail:—

- 1st. General Rolls, for the Quarter ending 30th April 1853, of Family Remittances of Commissioned Officers of Her Majesty's Forces serving under this Presidency, from the 78th Highlanders, 8th, 64th, 83rd, and 86th Regiments of Foot.
- General Roll from the Commissioned Officers of H. M.'s Regiment of Foot, on account of Commission Fees.
- 2nd. General Roll on account of Passage Money from New South Wales of an Officer of Her Majesty's 64th Regiment of Foot.
- 3rd. General Rolls, for the Quarter ending 30th April 1853, of Family Remittances of Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers in Her Majesty's Forces serving under this Presidency, from the 78th Highlanders, 10th Royal Hussars, 8th, 64th, 83rd, and 86th Regiments of Foot.
- 4th. General Rolls, for the Quarter ending 30th April 1853, of Effects and Credits of deceased Commissioned Officers in Her Majesty's Forces serving under this Presidency, from the 78th Highlanders and 64th Regiment of Foot.
- 5th. General Rolls of Effects and Credits of deceased Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's 10th Royal Hussars, 78th Highlanders, 8th, 64th, 83rd, and 86th Regiment of Foot.
- 6th. General Rolls, for the Quarter ending 30th April 1853, of Remittances on account of Regimental Necessaries of Her Majesty's Regiments serving under this Presidency, from the 10th Royal Hussars, 78th Highlanders, 8th, 64th, 83rd, and 86th Regiments of Foot.
- 7th. General Rolls, for the Quarter ending 30th April 1853, of Remittances on account of Regimental Necessaries of the Honorable Company's Troops.
- 8th. General Roll, for the Quarter ending 30th April 1853, of Remittances of Commissioned and Warrant Officers of the Honorable Company's Service.
- 9th. General Rolls, for the Quarter ending 30th April 1853, of Family Remittances of Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates of the Honorable Company's Regiments.
- 10th. General Rolls, for the Quarter ending 30th April 1853, of Family Remittances of Invalids and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's Forces, from the 86th Regiment of Foot.
- 11th. General Rolls, for the Quarter ending 30th April 1853, of Family Remittances of Invalids and Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers of the Honorable Company's Troops.

*Bombay Castle, 20th June 1853.*

No. 402 of 1853.—The undermentioned Officer is ranked from the dates specified opposite his name, and posted to the Regiment of Artillery:—

	Rank as 2nd Lieut. in the	
	Regiment.	Army.
Thomas Nelson Holberton .....	21st May 1853.	12th June 1852.

No. 403 of 1853.—The following promotion is made:—

	<i>Ordnance Department.</i>	<i>Date of Rank.</i>
Acting Sub-Conductor J. Kavanagh to be Sub-Conductor, vice Bulger, pensioned.....		9th May 1853.



No. 404 of 1853.—The following Native promotion is made:—

*25th Regiment N. I.*

*Date of Rank.*

Havildar Shaik Boodeen to be Jemedar, vice Balluckram Tewaree, deceased..... 5th June 1853.

No. 405 of 1853.—Assistant Surgeon G. Sandwith, of the 1st European Regiment (Fusiliers), is placed at the disposal of the Commander in Chief of the Indian Navy, for duty in that branch of the Service, and directed to join forthwith.

*Bombay Castle, 21st June 1853.*

No. 406 of 1853.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to republish the following General Order by the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council, dated Fort William, 26th of May 1853, No. 439:—

The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to publish the following extract from a letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, No. 37, dated the 23rd March 1853, regarding the right of Officers of Her Majesty's Service to supersede, on arrival in India, a junior Officer of that Service who may be holding a Brigade or Divisional Command:—

"In our letter to the Government of Bombay dated the 5th April 1853, we observed as follows:—

"We concur with His Excellency the Commander in Chief, that it is in conformity with our Orders of the 11th December 1839, that the senior local Major Generals are in preference to be employed on the Brigade Staff, and which necessarily involves the removal of the junior, should any such be in Command of a Brigade on the senior's arrival, as in the case of local Major General McNeil.

"This decision applies to all Officers of Her Majesty's Army holding temporarily Divisional or Brigade Commands; and the General Commanding in Chief has given it as his opinion that, so far as Her Majesty's Officers are concerned, the system of seniority in all cases of Military Command should continue, as heretofore, to be maintained."

(Signed) R. J. H. BIRCH, Lieut. Colonel,

Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of India, in the Military Department.

*Bombay Castle, 22nd June 1853.*

No. 407 of 1853.—The following exchange of appointments is ordered:—

Captain Tremenheere to be Executive Engineer, Central Scinde Division, vice Wemyss, and to act as Joint Secretary to the Military Board, during the absence of Captain Marriott, or until further orders.

Captain F. Wemyss to be Engineer to the Dock Yard, vice Tremenheere.

No. 408 of 1853.—Lieutenant Colonel D. G. Duff is, at his own request, transferred to the Invalid Establishment, from this date.

No. 409 of 1853.—Major G. Wilson, of the 26th Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to retire from the Hon'ble Company's Service, on the pension of his rank, from the 1st July next.

No. 410 of 1853.—Surgeon B. White is appointed to officiate as Superintending Surgeon, during the absence of Superintending Surgeon Don on sick leave to the Cape of Good Hope and Sea, or until further orders.

*By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,*

J. G. LUMSDEN,

*Secretary to Government.*

## M A R I N E D E P A R T M E N T.

*Bombay Castle, 16th June 1853.*

No. 91 of 1853.—Mr. May, Midshipman, is allowed leave of absence from the 20th June to the 20th July 1853, to proceed to the Deccan, on Medical certificate.

No. 92 of 1853.—Lieutenant F. E. Manners is permitted to proceed to Europe, with leave of absence for three years, on Medical certificate.

*Bombay Castle, 17th June 1853.*

No. 93 of 1853.—The following temporary arrangements and appointments are confirmed, viz:—

*By Commodore Sir Henry J. Leeke, K. H., Commander in Chief of the Indian Navy.*

Commander W. C. Barker, late Commanding the "Ajdaha," having returned from Mahableshwur, whither he had been on sick certificate, to resume the Command of that vessel, from the 25th May 1853.

Mr. Lamb, Provisional Mate, of the "Sesostris," to reside on shore for the benefit of his health, from the 22nd May 1853.

Mr. George Howes, Acting 1st Class 2nd Master, of the "Hastings," to the "Ajdaha," as Acting Master, on the 1st June 1853.

Mr. Henry Lamb, Provisional Mate, of the "Sesostris," to be Store Accountant of that vessel, from the 24th February 1852 to 31st March 1853, there being no other Officer available.

*Burmah Squadron Orders.*

By direction of Captain Tarleton, of Her Majesty's Ship "Fox," the undermentioned Officers, whilst awaiting opportunity to join their respective vessels, to be accommodated with a passage on board the "Zenobia," at the Midshipmen's Mess, from the 16th January, 1853:—

Mr. F. Channon, 2nd Officer of the H. C. Steam-vessel "Spy."

Mr. Eckley, 3rd Officer of the H. C. Vessel "Kristna."



The undermentioned Officers, proceeding from Rangoon, en route to Bombay, on Medical certificate, to be accommodated with a passage on board the "Zenobia," at the Gun-room Mess :—

Assistant Surgeon Stewart, from the 4th June to 8th July 1852.

Assistant Surgeon Welsh, from the 27th November to 2nd December 1852.

Commander J. Rennie, Commanding the "Zenobia," proceeding on duty up the Bassein River, to be accommodated with a passage on board the H. C. Steam-vessel "Nemesis," at the Commander's Table, from the 21st January 1853.

The undermentioned Officers, proceeding on duty up the Bassein River, to be accommodated with a passage on board the H. C. Steam-vessel "Nemesis," from the 21st February 1853 :—

Commander J. W. Rennie, at the Commander's Table.

Mr. Wood, Mate, at the Officers' Mess.

Dr. Stevenson, of the H. C. Steam-vessel "Nemesis," to afford Medical aid to the Officers and Crew of the "Zenobia," during the absence of Assistant Surgeon Crawford, employed on special duty, from the 21st March to the 19th April 1853.

#### *Indus Flotilla Order.*

The undermentioned Engineers, proceeding on duty from Kurrachee to Kotree, to be accommodated with a passage on board the "Satellite," at the Engineers' Mess, from 4th to 19th May 1853 :—

Mr. R. Morris, Superintending Engineer.

Mr. T. Colley, 2nd Class Naval Trained Engineer.

Mr. T. G. Clark, 3rd Class Engineer.

Mr. R. Dickie, 3rd Class Engineer.

Mr. T. Smith, 3rd Class Engineer.

#### *Bombay Castle, 20th June 1853.*

No. 94 of 1853.—Assistant Surgeon G. Sandwith, of the 1st European Regiment (Fusiliers), is placed at the disposal of the Commander in Chief of the Indian Navy, for duty in that branch of the Service, and directed to join forthwith.

No. 95 of 1853.—The following temporary arrangements and appointments are confirmed, viz :—

#### *By Commodore Sir H. J. Leeke, K. H., Commander in Chief of the Indian Navy.*

Mr. Nash, Acting Master, of the "Ajdah," to the "Hastings," as Store Accountant, from the 14th May 1853.

Mr. Hunt, Acting Master, of the "Hastings," to the "Ajdah," as Store Accountant, from the 14th May 1853.

Mr. Kennelly, Acting Master, of the "Palinurus," to the "Acbar," as Store Accountant, from the 14th May 1853.

Mr. Mignon, Clerk in Charge, of the "Acbar," to the "Ajdah," as Clerk in Charge, from the 14th May 1853.

Mr. Wilson, Clerk in Charge, of the "Ajdah," to the "Acbar," as Clerk in Charge, from the 14th May 1853.

Assistant Surgeon Mills, of the Indus Flotilla, to reside on shore for the benefit of his health, from the 10th May 1853.

Mr. Fendall, Midshipman, of the "Hastings," proceeding to Aden to join the "Elphinstone," to be accommodated with a passage on board the "Acbar," at the Officers' Mess, from the 23rd May 1853.

The undermentioned Officers, of the "Palinurus," to reside on shore, at the Naval Sanatorium, for the benefit of their health, from the 20th May 1853 :—

Mr. A. C. Cattley, Midshipman.

Mr. E. R. May, Midshipman.

Mr. L. G. Lewis, Midshipman.

Mr. J. B. Bewsher, Midshipman.

The Port Surgeon to afford Medical aid to the Officers and Crew of the "Ajdah," from the 17th May 1853.

#### *Burmah Squadron Orders.*

Mr. Douglas, Provisional Mate, of the "Medusa," to proceed, on Medical certificate, from Martaban to Amherst, from the 7th April 1853.

Commander H. A. Drought to the Command of the "Sesostris," from the 5th April 1853.

By permission of Captain Tarleton, R. N., at Rangoon, Assistant Surgeon Crawford, proceeding on duty from Rangoon to Bassein, to rejoin the "Zenobia," to be accommodated with a passage on board the "Annie," tender to H. M.'s ship "Fox," from the 1st April 1853.

Surgeon Hosken to be accommodated with a passage on board the "Moozuffer," at the Ward-room Mess, whilst awaiting an opportunity to join the "Zenobia," from the 8th April 1853.

Lieutenant Robinson, of the "Moozuffer," to the temporary Charge of the "Berenice," from the 8th April 1853, vice Lieutenant Nesbitt, on sick leave.

Lieutenant Nesbitt, Commanding the "Berenice," proceeding on sick certificate from Rangoon to Calcutta, to be accommodated with a passage on board the "Berenice," at the Mess of the Lieutenant Commanding, from the 8th April 1853.

Mr. W. Eastwood, 2nd Class Engineer, of the "Moozuffer," proceeding on duty from Rangoon to Calcutta, to be accommodated with a passage on board the "Berenice," from the 8th April 1853, at the Engineers' Mess.

The Officers below named, having passed the required Examination in Seamanship, are promoted to the rank of Provisional Mate, from the 18th March 1853 :—

Mr. Midshipman H. H. Davis.

Mr. Midshipman J. A. Turner.

No. 96 of 1853.—Commander F. Jones, I. N., is allowed leave of absence for one year, from the 1st May last, to proceed to Europe, on Medical certificate.



*Bombay Castle, 22nd June 1853.*

No. 97 of 1853.—The following exchange of appointments is ordered :—  
 Captain Tremenhære to be Executive Engineer, Central Scinde Division, vice Wemyss, and to act as Joint Secretary to the Military Board, during the absence of Captain Marriott, or until further orders.  
 Captain F. Wemyss to be Engineer to the Dock Yard, vice Tremenhære.

*By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,*  
 J. G. LUMSDEN,  
*Secretary to Government.*

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## Civil Appointments, &c.

### POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

*Bombay Castle, 17th June 1853.*

Mr. T. C. Hope is permitted to proceed to Poona, for the purpose of there prosecuting his studies in the Hindoostance language.

*Bombay Castle, 22nd June 1853.*

Captain D'Oyly Compton received charge of the office of Political Agent in the Mahee Kanta, from Mr. A. K. Forbés, on the 1st instant.

### TERRITORIAL DEPARTMENT,

#### REVENUE.

*Bombay Castle, 16th June 1853.*

Mr. Alexander Gray to be Acting Sub-Collector and Joint Magistrate of Colaba.

*Bombay Castle, 20th June 1853.*

Mr. N. A. Dalzell, Uncovenanted Assistant to the Collector of Customs, Bombay, assumed charge of his duties on the 6th instant.

*Bombay Castle, 21st June 1853.*

Mr. W. J. Turquand has been allowed a further extension, up to the 1st proximo, of the leave of absence on Medical certificate granted to him under date the 19th March last.

*Bombay Castle, 22nd June 1853.*

Mr. W. T. A. Spry, Deputy Collector and Magistrate of Kaira, assumed charge, on the 24th ultimo, of the duties of Head Quarter Assistant.

### TERRITORIAL DEPARTMENT,

#### FINANCE.

*Bombay Castle, 21st June 1853.*

Mr. H. W. Reeves to be Acting Sub-Treasurer, General Pay Master, Superintendent of Stamps, and Secretary to the Government Savings' Bank.

*By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,*  
 A. MALET, *Chief Secretary.*

### GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

*Bombay Castle, 21st June 1853.*

Assistant Surgeon Ballingall assumed charge of the duties of Curator of the Grant Medical Collage, on the 30th ultimo.

Assistant Surgeon Forbes, Civil Surgeon at Dharwar, having resumed charge of his duties on the 31st ultimo, the unexpired portion of the leave of absence granted to him on the 25th idem is cancelled.

### JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

*Bombay Castle, 16th June 1853.*

Under the provisions of Act XIV. of 1835, Ensign Alexander Bell, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is appointed an Assistant Magistrate in the Sub-Collectorate of Nassick. Under Section IV. of Act IV. of 1851, he is also vested with the full powers of a Magistrate, excepting the powers to flog and to review.



Bombay Castle, 20th June 1853.

Mr. T. Thornton has been appointed Second Magistrate of Police, vice Mr. Rivett, deceased; and Mr. N. Oliver has been confirmed in the office of Third Magistrate.

Bombay Castle, 21st June 1853.

The leave of absence, on Medical certificate, granted under date the 2nd March last to Mr. J. Warden, Puisne Judge of the Sudder Adawlut, is further extended till the 1st November next.

Bombay Castle, 22nd June 1853.

Lieutenant W. Pirie, Officiating Lieutenant of Hyderabad Police, in Scinde, is allowed leave of absence, on private affairs, for one month from the 20th September next, to proceed to Bombay and Mahableshwar.

Azum Ragavendra Row Ramajee, Moonsiff of Khanapoor, in the Sattara Territory, is to be considered as having been on leave from the 30th September to the 5th October last, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,  
J. G. LUMSDEN, Secretary to Government.

## PACKETS.

It is hereby notified, for general information, that Packets are open at this Office for the reception of Letters for despatch by the following Vessels:—

NAMES OF VESSELS.	AGENTS' NAMES.	DATE OF INTENDED DEPARTURE.	TO WHAT PORT.	WHERE TOUCHING.
Semiramis .....	Commander in Chief of the Indian Navy.	20th proximo .....	Suez .....	Aden.
A Steamer .....	Ditto ditto ditto.	30th August .....	Ditto .....	Ditto.
John Cooper .....	Messrs. Grey & Co. ....	23rd instant .....	Siam .....	Singapore.
Borderer .....	" Remington & Co. ....	Ditto .....	China.	
Chancellor .....	" Ritchie, Steuart & Co. ....	30th ditto .....	Liverpool.	
Arundel .....	" Ewart, Latham & Co. ....	Immediately .....	Do.	
Centurion .....	" Leckie & Co. ....	Despatch .....	China.	
Great Britain .....	" Ritchie, Steuart & Co. ....	Ditto .....	Do. ....	Tuticorin.
Ann .....	" W. Nicol & Co. ....	Ditto .....	London.	
Chiefstain .....	" Robert Strong & Co. ....	Ditto .....	Do.	
Ellen .....	" Dirom, Hunter & Co. ....	Ditto .....	Liverpool.	
North Star .....	" Ewart, Latham & Co. ....	Ditto .....	Do.	
Borneo .....	Do. do. ....	Ditto .....	Marseilles.	
John Bunyan .....	" W. and A. Graham & Co. ....	Ditto .....	Liverpool.	
Tulloch Castle .....	" Lancaster & Co. ....	Ditto .....	London.	

As a general rule, the Packets for Sailing Vessels will be closed the evening before the date of departure.

DUNCAN DAVIDSON,  
Post Master General.

Bombay, General Post Office, 22nd June 1853.

### Notice.

Verbal offers will be received at this Office, at noon precisely on Monday next, the 27th instant, for the supply of the undermentioned articles, and of such others as this Department may be required to supply during the intermediate period, viz:—

- 20 Shears, Wool.
- 1 Soap.
- 1 Ladle.
- 1 Press, Medicine, large.
- 1 Net Sieve requires repair.
- 13 Chairs, Blackwood, require general repair.
- 6 Tin Trays, as per muster.
- 2 Gauges, Glass, Barometer, 32 by  $\frac{3}{4}$  inches.
- 1 Bar Steel, Cast, square, 2 inches.
- 1 Bar ditto, ditto,  $1\frac{3}{4}$  inch.
- 1 Pair Scales, capable of weighing Rupees 4,000 at one time, with Chains, &c., complete.
- 20 Iron Bars, Scrap,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  by 1 inch.
- 5 Cwt. ditto ditto,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  by  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches.
- 5 Locks, Pad, Brass Bramah,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, by 2 inches broad.
- 2 Dozens Files, Saw, 8 inches.
- 1 Basin, (China), as per muster.
- 1 Cup and Saucer, as per muster.

An immediate deposit of ten per cent. on the amount of his offer (and where the amount of the offer falls short of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  Rupees, of 4 Annas)

must be made by the lowest bidder for the supply of any article.

When an offer is accepted for making supplies within a specified period, and the tenderer fails to fulfil his agreement, the cash deposit made at the time of sale will be forfeited to Government; but when circumstances render it necessary to receive the articles from him after the stipulated period, a deduction of five per cent. will be made from the amount of the bill for the same.

Bills for articles supplied must be preferred within one month from the date of the delivery of the articles, in default of which dealers will be liable to forfeit the full value of the supplies for which bills have not been so preferred, unless it clearly appear that the delay was unavoidable.

All further particulars may be learnt on application at this Office, from 10 A. M. till 5 P. M. daily, Sunday excepted.

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

J. RAMSAY, Captain,  
Acting Deputy Commissary General.

Bombay, Depy. Commy. Genl.'s Office,  
22nd June 1853.



OPIMUM MEMORANDUM for the Week ending Tuesday, 21st June 1853.

YEARS.	PASSES GRANTED		IMPORTED INTO BOMBAY		EXPORTED BY SEA		Balance unaccounted for.
	Up to the 14th June 1853.	From 15th to 21st June 1853.	Total.	Up to the 14th June 1853.	From 15th to 21st June 1853.	Total.	
For 1846-47. .... Chests	19,521	19,492	19,521	19,481	19,481	19,481	104
" 1847-48. .... "	15,801	15,800	15,801	15,854	15,854	15,854	52
" 1848-49. .... "	16,801	16,800	16,801	16,854	16,854	16,854	144
" 1849-50. .... "	15,978	15,970	15,978	15,890	15,890	15,890	791
" 1850-51. .... "	24,062	24,044 & 45 lbs.	24,062 & 24,044 & 45 lbs.	24,031	24,031	24,031	121 & 45 lbs.
" 1851-52. .... "	20,047	20,041	20,047	20,047	20,047	20,047	63
" 1852-53. .... "	20,003	20,429	20,255	20,481	20,481	20,481	8,728

Details of Exports from 15th to 21st June 1853.

OF THE SEASON 1852-53.

Per Steamer "Pottinger" ..... Chests 62  
 Ship "Bordeaux" ..... " 25  
 Total..... Chests 87

RICHARD SPOONER,  
 Acting Opium Agent.

Bombay, Opium Agent's Office, 22nd June 1853.

Advertisement.

Passage to London is required for a Gunner of Artillery, also for his Wife, and for (2) two unfit Seaman of the Indian Navy.

By Order of the Commander in Chief Indian Navy,  
 F. G. BONE, Secretary.

Commodore's Office, Bombay,  
 22nd June 1853.

Notice

Is hereby given, that persons desirous of entering into a contract for supplying Europe Cloth to this Department, for the term of one year from the 1st day of August next, may, on application at this Office, from 11 A. M. till 5 P. M. daily, (Sundays excepted,) obtain copies of the Schedule, or List of Prices, and such information relating thereto as they may require.

2. Verbal offers for the contract will be recieved at this Office on Tuesday the 12th proximo, at 2 P. M. precisely, when intending contractors will be required to bid a per-centage above or below the prices exhibited in the above list at which the supply will be made, on the understanding that the articles supplied are to be of unexceptionable quality, according to musters which may be seen in this Office, or of the sort usually supplied; and are to be delivered, in the first instance at the Commissariat Stores if required, and afterwards to the indenting Departments, in good condition, free of all charges beyond the stipulated price, in such quantities as may from time to time be demanded; and that the same are liable to examination and rejection by the executive Commissariat Officer, or by the indenting or receiving Officer; or by a Committee of Officers appointed on the part of Government, in the event of the contractor being dissatisfied with the decision of the above Officers, or either of them; it being understood that the decision of such Committee is to be final, and binding on all parties.

3. No person will be allowed to bid for the contract unless he previously deposits in this Office, in cash, the sum of Rupees (214) two hundred and fourteen, which sum will be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal on the part of the contractor to execute the necessary deed of contract, whenever required to do so, on his offer being accepted, in which latter case he must be prepared to give unexceptionable bonded security to the further amount of Rupees (856) eight hundred and fifty-six, which, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due fulfilment of his contract.

4. A contractor must comply immediately with all emergent demands, and meet others of less urgency within the periods stated in the requisitions made upon him; in failure whereof, or if any supply be condemned by a Committee of Officers as aforesaid, the articles, or such others as may be required in lieu thereof, shall be purchased by this department, without delay, at his risk and cost, if it be considered expedient to do so; and in all such cases (30) thirty per cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine of Rupees (30) thirty to (120) one hundred and twenty, at the option of the executive Commissariat Officer, will be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of contract; it being understood that



the simple condemnation of any article by a Committee constitutes such a breach of contract, whether the rejected articles be replaced by the contractor or by this department; in every such case, also, it is to be understood that the contract may be cancelled at the discretion of the Commissary General, and that if the contract be so cancelled, the cash deposit of Rupees (214) two hundred and fourteen, mentioned in para. 3 of this Notice, will be forfeited to Government.

5. It is also to be understood that any negligence, evasion, or refusal on the part of a contractor to make supplies, or obey orders, or any attempt on his part, or that of his agents, to pass off articles of an inferior quality in lieu of those he is bound to supply, or any neglect to deliver them at the time and place ordered, will subject him, in every instance, to be fined to the extent of (25) twenty-five Rupees, at the option of the executive Commissariat Officer, from whose order an appeal may be made to the Commissary General, whose decision is to be final; but in cases where it may be deemed fit to exact any of the penalties provided for in the preceding clause, no further penalty shall be leviable under this clause.

6. It is further to be understood that the Contractor, or an accredited Agent on his part, approved of by the executive Commissariat Officer, is to attend at this Office during the usual hours of business, i. e. from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. daily (Sundays excepted), also at such other time or place as may be indicated by the executive Commissariat Officer, when he may consider it desirable for the Public Service to require such attendance.

7. Any party whose offer is accepted will be

required to produce his sureties for the approval of the Honorable Company's Solicitor, within fifteen days from the date of the acceptance of his offer, or the contract will be resold; no reason will be stated for rejecting any security offered.

8. Bills for articles supplied under this contract must be preferred within one month from the date of the delivery of the articles, in default of which the contractor will forfeit the full value of the supplies for which bills have not been so preferred, unless it clearly appear to the satisfaction of the Commissary General that the delay was unavoidable.

9. The amount of retrenchments made by the Military Board on the contractor's bills will be recovered from the first bills preferred for payment; but in the event of such retrenchments, or any portion thereof, being remitted, the amount remitted will be refunded.

10. Any party who, after offering for the contract, fails to furnish the necessary security, as provided for in Clause 7th of this Notice, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions, unless he produces a certificate from individuals of unexceptionable character and sufficient means, guaranteeing the due execution and performance of the contract, on his offer being accepted.

11. The annual outlay on the above contract is estimated at Rupees (4,282).

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

J. RAMSAY, Captain,  
Acting Deputy Commissary General.

Bombay, Depy. Commy. Genl's Office,  
21st June 1853.

STATEMENT OF THE FUNDS OF THE SIR JAMSETJEE JEJEEBHOY'S  
PARSEE BENEVOLENT INSTITUTION ON THE 31ST DECEMBER 1852.

	Rs.	a.	p.
Cash deposited with Government.. .. .	Rs. 3,00,000	0	0
55 Shares in the Bank of Bengal, par value Rupees 4,000 each, but costing with premium on an average Rupees 7,000 each .. .. .	3,85,000	0	0
Government Promissory Notes of Rupees 39,000, but costing with premium .. .. .	41,866	6	3
Surplus of the Income for 1849-50 and 1851 in the hands of the Sub-Treasurer .. .. .	250	0	7
		7,27,116	6 10
Cash Balance unexpended in the Bank of Bombay.. .. .		512	2 1
Due by Government for Interest, from 1st July to 31st December 1852 .. .. .		9,000	0 0
Due by Government for Dividend of the Shares of the Bank of Bengal, from 1st July to 31st December 1852 .. .. .		5,500	0 0
Due for Interest on Government Promissory Notes of Rupees 39,000 .. .. .		1,075	0 0
Amount of Donation Fund invested in Government Promissory Notes of Rupees 10,100, but costing with premium .. .. .		10,743	6 6
Due for Interest on ditto, from 1st July to 31st December 1852 .. .. .		252	8 0
Outstandings .. .. .		5,729	11 11
Total.... Rupees		7,59,929	3 4

(Signed) JAMSETJEE JEJEEBHOY,  
President of the Panchayet.

Published by order of the Panchayet,

PESTONJEE MANOCKJEE, Secretary.



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	Rs.	a.	p.
To Amount of Balance on the 1st July 1852, as per last Account, published in the Government Gazette of the 11th November 1852.	28,648	12	4
	Rupees		
	28,648	12	4
To Balance	13,130	3	10
„ Amount of Interest on the Capital, Rs. 3,00,000, from 1st July to 31st December 1852, at 6 per cent., received from Government.	Rs. 9,000	0	0
„ Amount of Dividend on 55 Shares in the Bank of Bengal, from 1st July to 31st December 1852, at 5 per cent.	5,500	0	0
„ Amount of Interest on Government Promissory Notes of Rs. 4,000, from 1st January to 31st December 1852, at 5 per cent.	200	0	0
„ Amount of Interest on Government Promissory Notes of Rs. 35,000, from 1st July to 31st December 1852, at 5 per cent.	875	0	0
	1,075	0	0
	15,575	0	0
DEDUCT GENERAL CHARGES AS UNDER, VIZ:—			
To Amount of Monthly Establishment, from 1st July to 31st December 1852.	Rs. 1,512	0	0
„ Amount for advertising the Accounts of the Institution, from 1st January to 30th June 1852.	157	0	0
	1,669	0	0
	13,906	0	0
„ Amount for the distribution into 400 Shares, at Rs. 34½ each.	13,906	0	0
„ Amount drawn from the last six months' unexpended Balance, to meet the deficiency caused in the Boys' and Girls' Schools of Bombay, and for the maintenance of the Poor and Indigent Parsee Inhabitants of Bombay, Nowsary, and Broach.	1,294	15	4

	Rs.	a.	p.
By Amount paid to the Sub-Treasurer for investment, as per letter to Government dated 22nd July 1852.	Rs. 14,223	9	2
„ Amount paid to meet the deficiency caused in the Boys' and Girls' Schools of Bombay, and for the maintenance of the Poor and Indigent Parsee Inhabitants of Bombay, Nowsary, and Broach...	1,294	15	4
„ Balance			
	15,518	8	6
	13,130	3	10
	Rupees		
	28,648	12	4

			Amount of Shares.	Amount Expended.	Balance Unexpended.
			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
AT BOMBAY.					
By 180 Shares for the Boys' and Girls' Schools, at Rs. 34½ per Share...	6,255	0	0		
Amount drawn from the last six months' unexpended Balance for ditto	1,011	15	0		
„ 20 Shares for maintaining Poor and Indigent disabled Parsees	695	0	0	7,266	15
Amount drawn from the last six months' unexpended Balance for ditto	178	8	4		
„ 20 Shares for marrying the Daughters of Poor Indigent Parsees	695	0	0	873	8
„ 10 Shares for defraying the Funeral Expenses of Poor Indigent Parsees.	347	8	0	873	8
				275	0
				112	8
					0
					235
					0
AT SURAT.					
„ 35 Shares for the Boys' and Girls' Schools	1,216	4	0	595	10
„ 30 Shares for maintaining and providing for Poor and Indigent Parsees.	1,042	8	0	975	0
„ 10 Shares for marrying the Daughters of Poor Indigent Parsees	347	8	0		
„ 5 Shares for defraying the Funeral Expenses of Poor Indigent Parsees.	173	12	0		
					173
					12
					0
AT OODEYPOOR.					
„ 20 Shares for the Boys' and Girls' Schools	695	0	0	276	2
„ 10 Shares for maintaining and providing for Poor and Indigent Parsees	347	8	0	325	0
„ 7 Shares for marrying the Daughters of Poor Indigent Parsees.	243	4	0		
„ 3 Shares for the Funerals of Indigent Parsees	104	4	0	41	0
					60
					4
					0
AT NOWSARY.					
„ 10 Shares for the Boys' and Girls' Schools	347	8	0	230	11
					0
					116
					13
					0

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	10 Shares for maintaining Poor and Indigent disabled Parsees .. .. .	347 8 0			
	Amount drawn from the last six months' unexpended Balance for ditto .. .. .	79 8 0			
	7 Shares for marrying the Daughters of Poor Indigent Parsees .. .. .		427 0 0	427 0 0	....
	3 Shares for the Funerals of Indigent Parsees .. .. .		243 4 0	....	243 4 0
	AT BROACH.				
	5 Shares for the Boys' and Girls' Schools .. .. .		104 4 0	44 0 0	60 4 0
	8 Shares for maintaining and providing for Poor and Indigent Parsees .. .. .	278 0 0			
	Amount drawn from the last six months' unexpended Balance for ditto .. .. .	25 0 0			
	4 Shares for marrying the Daughters of Poor Indigent Parsees .. .. .		173 12 0	97 0 0	76 12 0
	3 Shares for the Funerals of Indigent Parsees .. .. .		303 0 0	303 0 0	....
	Amount of difference in making distribution into Shares .. .. .		139 0 0	....	139 0 0
			104 4 0	....	104 4 0
			6 0 0	....	6 0 0
	Total Rupees....		15,200 15 4	11,845 6 11	3,355 8 5
	Balance unexpended from 1st January to 30th June 1852, Rupees 13,130-3-10, and from 1st July to 31st December 1852, Rupees 3,355-8-5 .. .. .		Total.... Rupees	16,485 12 3	
Total... Rupees	28,331 3 2		Total... Rupees	28,331 3 2	

BALANCE, viz :-

In the Bank of Bombay .. .. .	Rs.	512 2 1
Due by Government for Interest on 3,00,000 Rupees .. .. .		9,000 0 0
Due by Government on account of the Dividend of the Shares of the Bank of Bengal.		5,500 0 0
Due for Interest on Government Promissory Notes of Rupees 39,000, deposited with the Accountant General and Sub-Treasurer. . . . .		1,075 0 0
Due for Interest on Government Promissory Notes of Rupees 10,100 .. .. .		252 8 0
Amount invested in Government Promissory Notes .. .. .		10,743 6 6
Outstandings.. .. .		5,729 11 11
		<u>32,812 12 6</u>
Deduct Balance of Donation Account .. .. .		16,327 0 3
Net Balance... Rupees		16,485 12 3

We do hereby declare that we have examined this Account, and found it correct.—20th April 1853.

(Signed) BOMANJEE JEJEEBHAY, } Auditors.  
 ,, PESTONJEE JEHANGEER, }

(Signed) JAMSETJEE JEJEEBHAY,  
 President of the Punchayet.

Donation Account from 1st July to 31st December 1852.

To Balance up to 1st July 1852.. .. .	Rs.	15,263 8 3	By Fee paid for depositing the Government Promissory Notes of Rupees 6,000 in the Bank of Bombay .. .. .	Rs.	4 0 0
„ Amount of Donation from 1st July to 31st Dec. 1852.	815 0 0		„ Balance .. .. .		16,327 0 3
„ Amount of Interest on Government Promissory Notes of Rs. 10,100 .. .. .	252 8 0				
		1,067 8 0			
	Rupees	16,331 0 3		Rupees	16,331 0 3

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**MILITARY  
ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.**

- 1853 ARRIVALS.  
18th June.—Major W. Reynolds, Pension Pay Master Poona Division, from Poona.  
20th " Lieutenant P. H. Dun, 33rd Regiment Madras N. I., from Mhow.
- 1853 DEPARTURES.  
16th June.—Surgeon W. Pitcairn, M. D., Medical Staff, to Cape of Good Hope.  
" " Captain W. F. Cormack, Superintendent of Police, Dharwar, to Sea and Australia.  
" " Lieutenant W. S. Ranson, Deputy Commissary of Ordnance, Madras Establishment, to Madras.  
" " Lieutenant T. B. Webster, 15th Regiment N. I., to Cape of Good Hope.  
" " Ensign T. J. Holland, 13th Regiment N. I., to Poona.  
20th " Lieutenant W. Walker, 1st Grenadier Regiment N. I., to Europe.  
" " Lieutenant J. D. Williams, 28th Regiment N. I., to Europe.  
" " Lieutenant P. A. Elphinstone, 18th Regiment N. I., to Europe.  
" " Cornet R. S. Sherwood, 1st Lancers, to Europe.  
" " Captain W. D. Aitken, Artillery, to Europe.  
" " Assistant Surgeon J. F. Steinhäuser, Medical Establishment, to Aden.

*Bombay, Town Major's Office,  
22nd June 1853.*

**SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.**

- 1853 ARRIVALS.  
15th June.—Ship John Moore, Robert Ellis, from Newcastle 19th September.  
" " Ship Nussa Musjoed, J. Fairweather, from Mauritius 29th May.  
*Passengers*—Mrs. Fairweather, 2 Children, and 2 Servants.
- 1853 DEPARTURES.  
15th June.—Margaretta, William Winteringham, to Liverpool.  
16th " H. C. Steamer Queen, Commander J. W. Young, to Kurrachee.  
" " P. and O. Co.'s Steamer Pottinger, J. R. Stead, to Galle, Penang, Singapore, and Hong-Kong.  
*Passengers*—For Galle: Dr. Don; Mr. A. Stewart; Mr. P. Ravageo; Dr. Pitcairn; Lieutenant Webster. For Madras: Lieutenant Williamson. For Southampton: Mrs. Williamson, and Infant; Mr. C. H. West; Mrs. Welby, and two Children; Captain J. S. Field; and Lieutenant de Lisle, R. N. For Calcutta: Messrs. Thomas, Carrigan, Pierce, Ebram, Sorabjee, and Baxter, Engineers, I. N.; Mr. Pollard, and Mr. MacCartney.  
20th " H. C. Steamer Ajdaha, W. C. Barker, Esq., Commander, to Aden and Suez.  
*Passengers*—To Suez: Captain W. D. Aitken; Lieutenant Elphinstone, and a Native Servant; John Scott, Esq.; Lieutenant J. D. Williams 28th Regt.; Cornet R. S. Sherwood, 1st Lancers; Dr. and Mrs. Buist, and 2 Children; Major G. Jackson, Madras Retired List; Joze Narcigo Ferreira de Passos, Esq., and 2 European Servants; Lieutenant W. Walker, 1st Grenadier Regt.; Lieutenant A. J. Tuke; G. D. Phillips, Esq. *Second Class*: Lieutenant H. R. Edlin; Mr. M. L. Dovellet. To Aden: Lieutenant and Mrs. E. Bode; Captain R. Drummond Hay, H. M.'s 78th, Highlanders, and a Native Servant; Miss Butler; J. A. Blount, Esq. *Second Class*: Hamed Ameen; Shaik Hamed bin Abdulla Bucker, and Child; Husson Ali Deverto; Isaac Jacob; one Native Servant of Dr. Buist's.

A. K. CORFIELD,  
Senior Magistrate of Police.

*Bombay, Police Office, 22nd June 1853.*

NOTICE.—A Quarterly General Meeting of the Subscribers to the Bombay Civil Fund will be held at the Town Hall, on Thursday the 30th instant, at half-past 4 o'clock p. m.

By order of the Trustees,  
G. J. BLANE,  
Secretary Civil Fund.

*Bombay, Civil Fund Office,  
18th June 1853.*

**ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.**

WITH reference to the Oriental Bank's Advertisement dated 10th Feb. 1851, the undermentioned Notes of the Bank of Bombay (*payment of which has been stopped*) are still unrecovered.

It is requested that any person to whom any of these may be tendered, will give information thereof at the Police Office, Fort.

	Rs. 1000.	Rs. 500.	Rs. 50.
	2148	4512	347
	2363	4563	3623
	2425	4587	3767
	2492	4635	4016
	2657	4686	4035
	4032	4720	
	4188	4786	
	4209	4834	
	4215	4854	
	4331	5108	
	4343	5139	
	4350	5170	
	4354	6001	
	4398	6114	
	4461	6318	
	4464	6441	
	4466	6715	
	4499	6927	
	4508		
			6815
			7154
			7910
			8065
			8115
			8472
			8710
			8751
			8828
			8840
			9224
			9231
			9256
			9268
			9273
			9618
			9693
			10083
			11022
			11461
			11486
			11631

*Bombay, 1st January 1853.*

**ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.**

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

BOMBAY AGENCY.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Deposits repayable on demand .....	2 per cent. per ann.
On do. do. { $\frac{3}{4}$ } at 3 month's notice	3 do.
On do. do. { $\frac{1}{2}$ } at 6 do.	4 do.

N. B.—No Interest is allowed on Deposits under Rs. 1,000 or above Rs. 50,000.

**INTEREST AND DISCOUNT CHARGED.**

On Government Bills .....	} Not exceeding 3 months.	3 per cent. per ann.
" Private Bills .....		7 " "
" Private Bills secured by Govt. Paper .....		6 " "
" Private Bills secured by Goods, &c. ....		7 " "

Rebate on uncovered Bills is allowed at Government Bill rate only.

**RATES OF EXCHANGE.**

On London at 6 months' sight .....	2s. 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per Rupee.
" " 3 " " .....	2s. 0 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. "
" " 2 " " .....	2s. 0 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. "
" " 1 " " .....	2s. 0 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. "
" " 1 day's " .....	2s. 0 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. "
On Scotland 1 " " .....	
On Ireland 1 " " .....	
Circular Notes payable throughout Europe .....	1s. 11 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. "



N.B.—The Corporation does not draw at six months' sight for sums under £50; nor for sums under £20, except at one day's sight. No Drafts are issued for less than £5; but small sums are remitted by advice.

For the convenience of parties not resident in Bombay, the Corporation undertakes to remit to Europe, by its own Drafts, at the Current Exchange, and without any charge for Commission, on receiving the Equivalent.

Parties are requested to make all Orders or Hoondies payable to "The Oriental Bank Corporation, or Order"; and to state as distinctly as possible the name and address of the party to whom the remittance is to be made, and the sight at which the Bills are to be drawn.

**COMMISSION.**

The rate of COMMISSION charged by this Agency on the purchase or sale of Government and other Securities, negotiable in Bombay, is one-half per cent. on the amount invested or realized; and on the collection of Bills one per cent., and Postage.

Bombay, 22nd June 1853.

**INDIA AND LONDON LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.**

14, Waterloo Place, and  
79, King William Street, London.

Capital, £250,000, in 5,000 Shares, of £50 each.

**DIRECTORS.**

*Chairman.*—The Chisholm, Erchless Castle, Inverness-shire, and Chapel Street, Grosvenor Place, London.

*Deputy Chairman.*—Richard Hartley Kennedy, Esq. (late Physician General, Bombay,) Resington Lodge, Notting Hill.

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J. William Deacon, Esq.  
H. George Gordon, Esq.  
H. Allan Harrison, Esq.

John Inglis Jerdein, Esq.  
Frederick Jones, Esq.  
James John Kinloch, Esq.  
Henry Lawson, Esq.  
R. F. Power, Esq., M. D.

*Manager.*—A. R. IRVINE, Esq., 13, Waterloo Place.  
AGENTS at CALCUTTA.—Messrs. ALLAN, DEFFELL & Co.

„ at MADRAS.—Messrs. AMALNIC & Co.  
AT BOMBAY.

AGENTS.—Messrs. GREY & Co.

MEDICAL REFEREE.—H. J. CARTER, Esq.,  
H. C. S.

SOLICITOR.—J. JEFFERSON, Esq.

This Company assures the Lives of healthy persons, in any part of the world, at as low rates of premium as can be taken consistently with perfect security.

NATIVE LIVES Assured for any amount from Rs. 500 and upwards.

ANNUITIES granted—both deferred and reversionary.

Extract from the Tables of Annual Premiums required for an Assurance of 1000 Rupees or £100.

Ago.	CIVILIANS.			MILITARY AND NAVAL.		
	One year.	Seven years.	Whole life.	One year.	Seven years.	Whole life.
	Co.'s Rs.	Co.'s Rs.	Co.'s Rs.	Co.'s Rs.	Co.'s Rs.	Co.'s Rs.
18	20	21	29	30	31	38
25	23	24	33	33	35	42
30	25	27	37	36	37	45
35	28	30	42	39	41	50
40	32	34	47	42	44	55
45	36	39	54	46	49	62

Parties returning to reside in Europe, will be admitted to Europe Rates of Premium.

Prospectuses, and every requisite information obtained, on application to the Agents of the Company.

GREY & Co., Agents, Bombay.