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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 conform'd to and obey'd 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 Byculla.

Bombay, 5th April 1848.

J. G. LUMSDEN, Secy. to Govt.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to notify, that the MONTHLY MAIL PACKETS to SUEZ, during the ensuing season, will be despatched from September to April inclusive on the 28th of each month, and the INTERMEDIATE MAIL PACKETS to ADEN in September on the 12th, and in each subsequent month, till April, on the 14th, and in May on Saturday the 13th.

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

R. WALLACE,

Deputy Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 30th July 1853.

Notice

Is hereby given, that verbal offers will be received at this Office, at 12 o'clock precisely on Wednesday the 1st February next, for SUPPLYING CLEANED GRAM and MUTT to the Commissariat Department at Poona and Kirkee, from 1st March 1854 to the 28th February 1855.

The grain must be of unexceptionable quality, of the description usually furnished to this Department, and delivered daily, free of expense beyond the stipulated price, into the Commissariat Stores, or at the Cavalry or Horse Artillery Lines at Poona and Kirkee, as may be ordered. If any grain tendered is considered objectionable by the executive Commissariat Officer, or the indenting Officers, and is not immediately exchanged by the

contractor, the required quantity will be purchased by this Department, without delay, at his risk and cost; and in all such cases (30) thirty per cent. upon the amount of the 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 quantity of grain by a Committee constitutes such breach of contract, whether the rejected grain 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 below mentioned will be forfeited to Government.

The contract will only extend to Poona and Kirkee, but in the event of any of the Mounted Corps or Public Cattle moving, the contractor must supply one month's grain for use on the march, if required, as well as for any Troops temporarily stationed at the above Stations.

Biddings for the contract will be in the Company's Rupees. No person will be permitted to bid who has not previously deposited in this Office Rupees (3,575) three thousand five hundred and seventy-five, which sum will be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal on the part of any bidder to execute the necessary deed of contract when required to do so, in the event of his offer being accepted. Bonded security to the further amount of Company's Rupees (14,300) fourteen thousand and three hundred, in addition

to the above mentioned deposit, will also be required previous to the execution of the contract, and the whole will be held as a guarantee for its due fulfilment.

Any parties whose offers are accepted will be required to produce their sureties for the approval of the Civil or Bazar Authorities, as necessary, within (15) fifteen days from the date of the acceptance of their offers, or the contract will be resold. No reason will be stated for rejecting any securities offered.

Sums retrenched by the Military Board will be recovered from the first bill subsequently presented for payment by the contractor; if such retrenchments are eventually remitted, the amount will be refunded to him.

The annual outlay on account of the contract is estimated at Rupees (71,500) seventy-one thousand and five hundred, viz :—

For Gram, Rupees (69,100) sixty-nine thousand and one hundred.

For Mutt, Rupees (2,400) two thousand four hundred.

Persons who, after offering for the contract, fail to furnish the necessary security, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions.

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

Further particulars will be made known on application at this Office, any day from 10 to 5 o'clock (Sundays excepted).

T. G. FRASER, Major,

Assistant Commissary General P. D. A.

Poona, Commissariat Office,
23rd December 1853.

Notice

Is hereby given, that sealed tenders for the exclusive privilege of ~~SELLING~~ COUNTRY LIQUOR and ~~TODDY~~, and ~~INTOXICATING~~ DRUGS, Ganza, Bhang, Churrus, Opium and Poppy-head, and Mahajum, &c. to the Troops and Followers composing the Brigade at Neemuch, will take place at this Office at 12 o'clock on Monday the 23rd January next; and sealed tenders will be also received at the Commissary General's Office, Bombay, at the above-mentioned hour and date.

2. Persons to state in their tenders the amount in Company's Rupees to be given per mensem for 12 months, commencing from 1st May 1854 up to the 30th April 1855.

3. The Troops composing the Neemuch Brigade are as follows, viz :—

	Strength.
One Regiment Native Light Cavalry	348
One Regiment of Native Infantry	740
One Company of Native Artillery with Light Field Battery attached	146
Neemuch Cantonment, Followers, &c.	8,000

4. At the time of giving in the tenders a deposit of the sum of Rupees (100) one hundred for the contract for Country Liquor, and Rupees (20) twenty for the contract for Drugs, will be required from each tenderer, and which will be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal to execute the necessary deeds of contract, should their tenders be accepted; in which case they will be required to complete the sum equal to one month's amount of their respective contracts on signing the

agreements, which will be retained as security for the due fulfilment of their engagements; besides which two unexceptionable securities to be furnished by the contractors, who are to bind themselves as securities for the regular fulfilment of the terms of the said contracts, and to make good all deficiencies in the payment of the same.

5. Further, the contractors are to make the monthly payment of their contracts in advance, on the 1st of each month, commencing from 1st May 1854.

6. No deduction will be allowed, except for Troops who may leave the Station.

7. Detachments of 500 Men moving or stationed within the Command are to be supplied with Liquor and Drug Shops by the contractors, but all other Detachments are to obtain their Spirits and Drugs from the Shops licensed by the Civil Authorities, wherever stationed.

8. Troops moving from the Division or Station to be supplied with Liquor and Drug Shops by the contractors, which are to remain until replaced by others from the Division or Station they halt at.

9. The arrival in or the departure out of the Command of 200 Men, or under, to have no effect on these contracts; all alterations above that number to be adjusted agreeably to the preceding proportion.

10. Cavalry to be charged for on the same proportion as Europeans.

11. The contractors to remain always with the Bazar Departments.

12. No drawback will be allowed to the contractors for any scarcity which may occur during the existence of the contracts; and no reason will be assigned for the rejection of any tenders.

13. The contractors will be bound to defray the expenses of maintaining a Preventive Police, when and wherever it may be found necessary by Commanding Officers, for suppressing the clandestine sale of Spirits to European Troops.

14. Further particulars will be made known to any person or persons on application at the Superintendent Sudder Bazar Office, every day from 10 A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M., Sundays excepted.

R. T. GOODWIN, Lieut.,

1st Class Commissariat Agent,

In charge of Sudder Bazar.

Sudder Bazar Office, Camp Neemuch,
14th December 1853.

Notice

Is hereby given, that verbal offers will be received at this Office, on Monday the 23rd January 1854, for SUPPLYING by contract, commencing from the date of receipt at this Station of the Board's sanction to the tender, up to 31st December 1854, to the Commissariat Department at Belgaum, the following ARTICLES, viz :—

- Coolty.
- Grass.
- Gram or Chuna, cleaned.
- Straw, Paddy.
- Jawary.
- Kurbee.
- Moong.
- Ragee Straw.
- Oil Cake.

required for the use of the Horse Battery and Public Cattle. The market rates, and every other

information relating thereto, may be obtained at this Office.

Persons desirous of obtaining the contract will be required to bid a per-centage in Company's Rupees above or below the rates shown in the Schedule, on the understanding that the Articles supplied are to be of unexceptionable quality, and to be delivered, free of all expense, to the Corps or Departments requiring them, at such hour daily as may be appointed. The Gram, &c. to be produced daily at the Commissariat Stores, for the necessary inspection and approval, and the same will be liable to examination and rejection by the executive Commissariat Officer, or Committee of Officers appointed on the part of Government.

No person will be allowed to bid for the contract unless he previously deposits in this Office the sum of Company's Rupees 413, which will be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal on the part of the contractor to execute the deed of contract when required to do so on

their offers being accepted; in which latter case they must be prepared to give unexceptionable bonded security for the further amount of Rupees 2,065, which, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due fulfilment of the contract in question.

It is further intimated, that the same course will be pursued in every particular in carrying out this contract as notified in the subsequent clauses of the Notice dated 27th October 1853, inviting tenders for the supply of Provisions, &c. to this Department, relative to inflicting of fines, executing of contract bonds, recovery of retrenchments, &c.

No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any offer, and no offers will be received at this Office after the day and hour of the sale fixed in the Notice.

J. B. DUNSTERVILLE, Captain,
Deputy Assist. Commy. Genl. S. D. A.
Commissariat Office, S. D. A.,
Belgaum, 30th December 1853.

Great Indian Peninsula Railway.

TIME TABLE,

For the Month of October 1853, and until further notice.

BOMBAY TO TANNAH.

Miles.		WEEK DAYS.				SUNDAYS.		FARES.					
		1st.		2nd.		1st.	2nd.	1st Class.		2nd Class.		3rd Class.	
		A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
	Bombay Departure	7 0	4 0	7 0	2 30			0 6 0	0 2 6	0 1 0			
2½	Byculla	7 10	4 10	7 10	2 40			0 12 0	0 5 0	0 2 0			
5½	Mahim Road	7 20	4 17	7 20	2 45			1 4 0	0 8 3	0 2 6			
9½	Sion	7 35	4 30	7 35	3 5			2 2 0	0 14 3	0 4 3			
16¾	Bhandoop	8 0	4 55	8 0	3 30			2 10 0	1 1 6	0 5 3			
20½	Tannah	8 15	5 15	8 15	3 45								

TANNAH TO BOMBAY.

Miles.		WEEK DAYS.				SUNDAYS.		FARES.					
		1st.		2nd.		1st.	2nd.	1st Class.		2nd Class.		3rd Class.	
		A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
	Tannah	9 15	6 5	9 15	5 30			0 8 0	0 3 3	0 1 0			
3¾	Bhandoop	9 30	6 20	9 30	5 45			1 8 0	0 10 0	0 3 0			
11	Sion	9 55	6 45	9 55	6 10			1 14 0	0 12 6	0 3 9			
15	Mahim Road	10 10	6 55	10 10	6 20			2 6 0	1 0 0	0 4 9			
18½	Byculla	10 20	7 10	10 20	6 35			2 10 0	1 1 6	0 5 3			
20½	Bombay	10 30	7 20	10 30	6 45								

BOMBAY TO MAHIM.

Miles.		WEEK DAYS.				SUNDAYS.		FARES.					
		1st.		2nd.		1st.	2nd.	1st Class.		2nd Class.		3rd Class.	
		A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
	Bombay	7 45	5 20	7 45	3 0			0 6 0	0 2 6	0 1 0			
2½	Byculla	7 55	5 30	7 55	3 10			0 12 0	0 5 0	0 2 0			
5½	Mahim Road	8 5	5 40	8 5	3 20			1 0 0	0 6 9	0 2 0			
8	Mahim	8 30	6 0	8 30	3 45								

MAHIM TO BOMBAY.

Miles.		WEEK DAYS.				SUNDAYS.		FARES.					
		1st.		2nd.		1st.	2nd.	1st Class.		2nd Class.		3rd Class.	
		A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
	Mahim	9 0	6 20	9 0	5 40			0 6 0	0 2 6	0 1 0			
2½	Mahim Road	9 25	6 45	9 25	6 5			0 12 0	0 5 0	0 2 0			
5½	Byculla	9 35	6 55	9 35	6 15			1 0 0	0 6 9	0 2 0			
8	Bombay	9 45	7 5	9 45	6 25								

(By Order)

Bombay, October 11th, 1853.

D. M. ROCHE, Traffic Manager.

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.... 6 ditto.

The rate of advance on deposit of Government Notes is 95 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, 29th September 1853.

Notice

Is hereby given, that sealed tenders will be received at this Office until 12 o'clock on Monday the 23rd instant, for SUPPLYING during the ensuing year the undermentioned ARTICLES for the use of the Mint; separate tenders must be made for each description of supply:—

- 1st, Miscellaneous Articles.
- 2nd, Clarified Tallow.
- 3rd, Firewood (Aynee or Khairee).
- 4th, Charcoal, Babool, large and small.
- 5th, Copper Annealing Tubes and Pans.
- 6th, Iron and Steel.
- 7th, Files of, sorts and sizes.
- 8th, Litharge.
- 9th, For removing Ashes and Rubbish.

The tenders for Miscellaneous Articles must specify a rate per cent. above or below a list of prices, which will be shown in this Office, at which the contractor will undertake to supply the whole of the articles enumerated. The remaining tenders must state the rates at which each separate article will be supplied; and the sum of Rupees (200) two hundred must be deposited for each tender that may be accepted, to be forfeited in the event of evasion or delay in entering into the necessary recognizances. Samples of the articles required may be seen, and other information regarding the contract obtained, on application at this Office daily from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Security will be required for the due performance of each contract, and no reason will be assigned for the rejection of any tenders.

J. H. BURKE, Captain,
Mint Master.

*Bombay, Mint Engineer's Office,
4th January 1854.*

Notice

Is hereby given, that verbal offers will be received at this Office, at 12 o'clock precisely on Monday the 13th proximo, for SUPPLYING CLEANED GRAM, MUTT, and BADJREE, to the Commissariat Department at Ahmednuggur, from 1st March 1854 to the 28th February 1855.

The Grain must be of unexceptionable quality, of the description usually furnished to this Department, and delivered daily, free of expense beyond the stipulated price, into the Commissariat Stores,

or at the Artillery Horse Lines at Ahmednuggur as may be ordered. If any Grain tendered is considered objectionable by the executive Commissariat Officer, or the indenting Officers, and is not immediately exchanged by the contractor, the required quantity will be purchased by this Department, without delay, at his risk and cost; and in all such cases (30) thirty per cent. upon the amount of the 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 quantity of Grain by a Committee constitutes such breach of contract, whether the rejected Grain 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 below mentioned will be forfeited to Government.

The contract will only extend to Ahmednuggur, but in the event of any of the Mounted Corps or Public Cattle moving, the contractor must supply one month's Grain for use on the march, if required, as well as for any Troops temporarily stationed at the above Stations.

Biddings for the contract will be in the Company's Rupee. No person will be permitted to bid who has not previously deposited in this Office Rupees (254) two hundred and fifty-four, which sum will be forfeited in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal on the part of any bidder to execute the necessary deed of contract when required to do so, in the event of his offer being accepted. Bonded security to the further amount of Company's Rupees (1,016) one thousand and sixteen, in addition to the above-mentioned deposit, will also be required previous to the execution of the contract, and the whole will be held as a guarantee for its due fulfilment.

Any parties whose offers are accepted will be required to produce their sureties for the approval of the Civil or Bazar Authorities, as necessary, within (15) fifteen days from the date of the acceptance of their offers, or the contract will be resold. No reason will be stated for rejecting any securities offered.

Sums retrenched by the Military Board will be recovered from the first bill subsequently presented for payment by the contractor; if such retrenchments are eventually remitted, the amount will be refunded to him.

The annual outlay on account of the contract is estimated, for Gram Rupees (5,028) five thousand and twenty-eight, and for Mutt and Badjree uncertain.

Persons who, after offering for the contract, fail to furnish the necessary security, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions.

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

Further particulars will be made known on application at this Office, any day from 10 to 5 o'clock (Sundays excepted).

H. HOLLAND, Lieutenant,
Sub-Assistant Commissary General.

*Ahmednuggur, Commissariat Office,
14th January 1854.*

FORT WILLIAM,
HOME DEPARTMENT,
LEGISLATIVE,

The 2nd December 1853.

The following Act, passed by the Governor General of India in Council on the 2nd December 1853, is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. XIX. OF 1853.

An Act to amend the Law of Evidence in the Civil Courts of the East India Company in the Bengal Presidency.

Whereas the law of evidence administered by the Civil Courts of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, and the rules for the attendance and examination of witnesses and the production of documents in such Courts, require amendment, It is enacted as follows:

I. Sections XXXIII. and LXXIII. Regulation XXIII. 1814, of the Bengal Code, so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this Act, Section XI. Regulation XXIV. 1814, of the same Code, except so far as it relates to the signing and issuing of any process of Court to which the signature of the Judge may not be specially required, and Section I. Act VI. 1843, so far as it authorises the examination of witnesses according to the rules established by Section XI. Regulation XXIV. 1814, aforesaid, are hereby repealed.

II. In any regular or summary suit, appeal, or proceeding in any of the Civil Courts of the East India Company, and also in any summary suit, or other proceeding of a civil nature before any Court, Officer, or other person having by law or by consent of parties authority to examine witnesses, any party to such suit, appeal, or proceeding shall be competent and entitled to give evidence as a witness either on his own behalf, or on behalf of any other party to the suit, appeal, or proceeding, in the same manner as if he were not a party to the same. Provided that no party to a suit, appeal, or proceeding, who shall offer himself as a witness therein, shall, without the consent of all parties thereto, be examined otherwise than in open Court, in such manner as the Court may direct, having regard to the usages and customs of the country, unless such examination shall be taken under and subject to the Rules prescribed by Section XXXII. or XXXVIII. of this Act.

III. No person shall, by reason of any interest in the result of any suit or of any interest connected therewith, or by reason of relationship to any of the parties thereto, be incompetent to give evidence in any such suit.

IV. A husband or wife shall be competent to give evidence for or against the other, provided that the examination shall take place in open Court, in such manner as the Court may direct, having regard to the usages and customs of the country, or that it be taken and read under and subject to the Rules prescribed in Section XXXII. or XXXVIII. of this Act; provided also that any communication made by husband or wife to the other during their marriage shall be deemed a privileged communication, and shall not be disclosed without the consent of the person making the same, unless such communication shall relate to a matter in dispute in a suit pending between such husband and wife.

V. Any party to a suit may be compelled to give evidence as a witness therein, and also to produce any document in his possession or power, in the same manner, by the same process, and subject to the same rules as if he were not a party to the suit, except so far as is otherwise provided by this Act. Provided that no Court need to compel the attendance of any

party to such suit, for the purpose of giving evidence therein, if such party shall satisfy the Court that he has no personal knowledge of any material subject of inquiry in the suit, and that he cannot give any material evidence therein. Nothing in this Clause shall exempt any party to a suit from being summoned to produce a document.

VI. After the parties in a suit in which, according to the practice of the Court, a day is fixed for the hearing, shall have filed their exhibits and lists of witnesses, the Court shall, by an order in writing, appoint a day, not less than fifteen days after the date thereof, for the examination of witnesses and the hearing of the suit.

VII. The list of witnesses required to be furnished in any suit shall include the names of all the witnesses, whether parties to the suit or not, whom the party filing the list may intend to call as witnesses, or whom he may require to be summoned to give evidence or produce any document, also a list of the documents which he may require to be produced.

VIII. If any party to a suit shall require the attendance of any other party thereto as a witness to be enforced, he shall by himself or his pleader make a special application to the Court for an order for a summons to compel the attendance of the party, and shall show to the satisfaction of the Court sufficient grounds in support of such application, otherwise a summons shall not be issued. In cases in which, according to the practice of the Court, a day is fixed for the hearing, the application shall be made before such day shall be fixed.

IX. The Court, upon the application of the pleader of any party to a suit whose attendance as a witness is required, or without such application, if the Court think fit so to do, may, before making such order, cause notice to be given to the party or his pleader, fixing a day for such party to show cause why he should not attend and give evidence, and may also, from time to time, if necessary, for good and sufficient cause, enlarge the time for such purpose.

X. *Clause 1.* In support of the cause shown, the Court shall receive a declaration in writing of the party, if signed by him, and delivered into the Court by himself or his pleader.

Clause 2.—If the party making such declaration shall wilfully and corruptly make any false statement therein, he shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and shall be proceeded against, and upon conviction punished accordingly.

XI. If no sufficient cause be shown on the day fixed or upon any subsequent day to which the Court shall enlarge the time for that purpose, the Court shall cause a summons to be issued for compelling the party to attend and give evidence.

XII. The Court, on the requisition of any party to a suit, or his pleader, may cause a summons to be issued to every person who shall be required to produce any material document. Previously to the issuing of any summons for the attendance of any person to give evidence or produce a document, the party requiring the same shall pay into Court such sum as shall appear to the Court to be reasonable, to defray the travelling and other expenses of such person in passing to and from the Court in which he may be required to attend and give evidence, and for one day's attendance thereat. In fixing the sum to be paid into Court, regard shall be had to the rules, if any, established by the Court or Board, if any, to which such Court shall be subordinate. The sum so paid into Court shall be tendered to the witness at the time of serving the summons, if it can be served personally. In addition to the sum so paid into Court, the Court before whom any person who may attend in pursuance of a summons or proclamation to give evidence or produce any document may order such further sum to be paid to the person so

attending by the person causing the summons or proclamation to be issued, as may appear to be necessary to defray his travelling and other expenses, and also the expenses of his detention under the summons or proclamation, and in case of default in payment, may order such sum to be levied by attachment and sale of the goods of the person ordered to pay the same; and the witness shall not be bound to give evidence or produce any document until such sum shall be paid.

XIII. Every summons for the attendance of a witness to give evidence, or to produce a document, shall require the intended witness to attend at a time and place to be named in the summons, and shall also state whether the attendance of the witness is required for the purpose of giving evidence, or producing a document, or for both purposes. If a witness, whether a party to the suit or not, is required to attend, and to produce before the Court any document alleged by the party summoning him to be in his possession or power, a direction to attend the Court with such document shall be inserted in the summons, and the document which the witness may be so called upon to produce shall be described in the summons with convenient certainty.

XIV. Every such summons shall, if possible, be served personally upon the person thereby required to attend, by showing the original to such person, and at the same time delivering or tendering to him a copy thereof.

XV. Such service must be made a sufficient time before the time specified therein for his attendance, to allow the witness a reasonable time for preparation, and for travelling to the place at which his attendance is required.

XVI. Any person, whether a party to the suit or not, may be summoned to produce a document without being summoned to give evidence, and any person summoned merely to produce a document shall be deemed to have complied with the summons if he cause such document to be produced, instead of attending personally to produce the same.

XVII. Any person who shall be summoned to appear and give evidence shall be bound to attend at the time and place named for that purpose.

XVIII. Any person attending to produce a document may be called upon to produce the same without being sworn or examined as a witness.

XIX. A witness not a party to the suit or proceeding in which he is summoned shall not be bound to produce his own title deeds, unless he shall have agreed in writing with the party requiring the production thereof, or with some person through whom he claims to produce such deeds.

XX. A witness, whether a party or not, shall not be bound to produce any document relating to affairs of State, the production of which would be contrary to good policy, nor any document held by him for any other person who would not be bound to produce it if in his own possession.

XXI. A witness being a party to the suit shall not be bound to produce any document in his possession or power which is not relevant or material to the case of the party requiring its production, nor any writing or correspondence which may have passed between him and any legal professional adviser. If any party, however, offer himself as a witness, he shall be bound to produce any such writing or correspondence in his custody, possession, or power, if relevant or material to the case of the party requiring its production.

XXII. Every witness summoned to produce a document shall, if the same be in his custody, possession, or power, be bound to produce it, or cause it to be produced to the Court, although there be a valid objection to the right of the party calling for it to compel its production, or to the reading, or putting it in as evidence,

or to the disclosure of the contents thereof; the validity of any such objection made by the person producing the document shall be determined by the Court, and for the better determination thereof it shall be lawful for the Court to receive any admissible evidence which the person producing the document may give respecting it, and it shall also be lawful for the Court to inspect the document, and if necessary to call to its assistance any person whom it may appoint to interpret the same. Such person, however, shall be previously sworn truly to interpret the same to the Court alone, and not to disclose the contents thereof except to the Court, unless the Court shall order the document to be given in evidence. If the Court shall be of opinion that such document should not be produced, the Court shall not disclose the contents thereof to the parties, or take any note, or make any mention of the contents or effect thereof in its judgment or proceedings, but shall return the document at once to the party producing the same, having previously marked the same for the purpose of identification, and shall record in its proceedings that a document, identifying it by the mark put upon it, was called for by the person, naming him, who shall call for its production, that the person having the possession of the document, naming him, objected to its production, and the reasons, if any, for such objection, together with the reasons of the Court for refusing to compel its production. If the Court shall refuse to enforce the production of a document, or to receive the same in evidence, the Court of appeal may, upon a regular appeal, compel the production of such document, and if such Court shall think that the production of the same ought to have been enforced, or that it ought to have been received in evidence, may themselves enforce its production, and receive it in evidence, and decide the case upon such document, coupled with the other evidence given in the suit.

XXIII. A barrister, attorney, or vakeel shall not, without the consent of his client, disclose any communication made by the client to him in the course of his professional employment, nor any advice given by him professionally to his client, nor the contents of any document of his client, the knowledge of which he shall have acquired in the course of his professional employment. The privilege, however, is that of the client, and if any party to a suit shall give evidence therein at his own instance, he shall be deemed thereby to have waived his privilege, and to have consented to the disclosure by such barrister, attorney, or vakeel of any such matter as aforesaid, which may be relevant, and which the barrister, attorney, or vakeel would have been bound to disclose but for the privilege of his client, and the barrister, attorney, or vakeel shall be bound, upon examination, to disclose any such matter.

XXIV. If any witness, whether a party to a suit or not, to whom any summons to give evidence or produce a document shall have been personally delivered, shall, without lawful excuse, fail to comply with such summons as required by this Act, or attending, or being present in Court, shall, without lawful excuse, refuse to give evidence, or to subscribe his deposition, or to produce any document in his custody or possession named in such summons as aforesaid, upon being required by the Court so to do, the Court shall have full power and authority to issue an order in writing to the nazir to apprehend and bring the witness before the Court; or, if he be already before the Court, to take him into custody. And such Court may impose on such witness a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees for his default, or refusal, realizable by attachment and sale of his property, and may commit him to close custody until he shall consent to give his evidence, or to sign his deposition, or to produce the document, and any such fine as aforesaid shall be levied and recovered by attachment and sale of the property of such person. Provided that no fine imposed under the provisions of this section shall exceed the amount of the property in dispute in the suit. If any such person shall abscond, or keep out of the way, so that he cannot be seized or brought before the Court, his property

shall be liable to attachment and sale in the same manner as is provided by Section XXVII. of this Act, with respect to a witness on whom the service of a summons cannot be effected. If such person shall be a party to the suit, the Court, instead of proceeding in the manner above pointed out, may, if the witness be a plaintiff, appellant, or petitioner, dismiss the complaint, appeal, or petition, with costs against such party, or if such party be a defendant or respondent, may hear and decide the case against such defendant or respondent *ex parte*. If any such complaint, appeal, or petition shall be dismissed for such cause, the complainant or petitioner shall be debarred from preferring any other petition, appeal, or complaint in respect of the same matter.

XXV. Any person present in Court, whether a party or not, may be called upon and compelled by the Court to give evidence, and produce any document then and there in his actual possession, or in his power, in the same manner and subject to the same rules as if he had been summoned to attend and give evidence, or to produce such document, and may be punished in like manner for any refusal to obey the order of the Court.

XXVI. Any person, whether a party to the suit or not, to whom a summons to attend and give evidence, or produce a document, shall be personally delivered, and who shall, without lawful excuse, neglect or refuse to obey such summons, or who shall be proved to have absconded, or kept out of the way to avoid being served with such summons, and any person who, being in Court, and upon being required by the Court to give evidence, or produce a document in his possession, shall, without lawful excuse, refuse to give evidence, or sign his deposition, or to produce a document in his possession, shall, in addition to any proceedings under this Act, be liable to the party at whose request the summons shall have been issued, or at whose instance he shall be required to give evidence, or produce the document, for all damages which he may sustain in consequence of such neglect or refusal, or of such absconding or keeping out of the way as aforesaid, to be recovered in a civil action.

XXVII. If a person, whether a party to a suit or not, for whose attendance either to give evidence or produce a document a summons shall be issued, cannot, after diligent search, be certified by a return of the nazir, be found, the Court upon proof that the evidence of such witness, or the production of the document is material, and that the witness absconds or keeps out of the way to avoid being served with a summons, and that he could not, after diligent search, be found or served with the summons, may cause a proclamation requiring the attendance of such person to give evidence or produce the document at a time and place to be named therein, to be affixed, in the presence and with the attestation of two respectable householders, in some conspicuous place upon or near to his house or place of abode, and if such person shall not attend at the time and place to be named in such proclamation, and it be proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the witness cannot be found, his property, real and personal, to such amount as the Court shall deem reasonable, (but subject to the same limitation as to the articles exempt from attachment as in case of attachment for arrears of rent,) shall be liable, under an order of the Court, to attachment and sale. Provided always, that when the order for attachment and sale shall have been issued by any Court subordinate to the Court of Sudder Dewaany Adawlut, a summary appeal shall lie within one month from the date of the order of the subordinate Court to the Court to which its orders are generally appealable; and that the Rules for the time being in force in regard to sales made in execution of decrees, as to the mode and period of attachment and the place or manner of sale, and as to claims of third parties to property attached and notified for sale, shall be held applicable to such sales.

XXVIII. *Clause 1.*—The cost of the attachment

shall be borne in the first instance by the party applying for it, and the Court issuing the summons and attachment shall not proceed to sale of the property, but shall order the same to be released from attachment if the witness shall appear and satisfy the Court that he did not abscond, or keep out of the way to avoid service of a summons, and that he had not notice of the proclamation in time to attend at the time and place named therein. Upon the appearance of such witness, the Court shall make such order in regard to the costs of the attachment as it shall deem fit. If the witness appearing shall fail to satisfy the Court that he did not abscond or keep out of the way to avoid service of a summons, and that he had not such notice of the proclamation as aforesaid, it shall be in the discretion of the Court to order the property attached or any part thereof to be forfeited and sold for the purpose of satisfying all costs incurred in consequence of such default, absconding, or keeping out of the way, and such fine not exceeding the amount in dispute in the suit as the Court may deem fit to impose upon the witness, having regard to all the circumstances of the case, and the condition in life of the witness, or the Court may order the property to be released from attachment upon payment of such costs and fine as aforesaid.

Clause 2.—An order made in pursuance of this Section shall be subject to appeal in the same manner and within the same period as an appeal against an order for attachment and sale under the last preceding Section of this Act.

XXIX. All orders as to fines, or the levying thereof, or as to imprisonment under this Act, shall be subject to a similar appeal within one month from the date of the order.

XXX. It shall not be necessary to postpone the hearing or decision of a case for the non-production of a document, or for the evidence of a witness who may neglect or refuse to attend, or who shall abscond or keep out of the way, or who cannot be served with a summons, beyond such period as shall appear proper to the Court, having regard to all the circumstances of the case; provided that when a summons shall have been issued for the attendance of a plaintiff or appellant in a suit to give evidence, or produce a document, the Court shall, at the request of the defendant or respondent, unless there be good reason to the contrary, postpone the hearing or decision until the plaintiff or appellant can be personally summoned, or shall attend and give evidence, or produce the document required, and that where a summons shall have been issued for the attendance of a defendant or respondent to give evidence or produce a document, the hearing or decision shall, upon the application of the plaintiff or appellant, be postponed in like manner, unless there be good reason to the contrary, until the defendant or respondent can be personally summoned, or shall attend and give evidence, or produce the document required.

XXXI. On the day appointed for the hearing the evidence of the attending witnesses shall be taken orally in open Court, in the presence and hearing, and under the personal direction and superintendence of the Judge. The evidence of each witness given upon such examination shall be taken down in writing, by or in the presence and under the superintendence of the Judge, not ordinarily by question and answer, but in the form of a narrative, and when completed shall be read over to the witness, and signed by him in the presence of the Judge and of the parties to the suit or their vakeels, or such of them as may think fit to attend. In case the witness shall refuse to sign the deposition, the Judge shall sign the same, and record the reason, if any, given by the witness for such refusal, together with such remarks thereon as the Judge shall think fit to make. It shall be in the discretion of the Judge to take down, or cause to be taken down, any particular question and answer if there shall appear any special reason for doing so, or any party, or his vakeel, shall require it. If any ques-

tion put to a witness be objected to by either of the parties, or their vakeels, and the Court shall allow the same to be put, the question and answer shall be taken down, and the objection and the name of the party making it shall be noticed in taking down the depositions, together with the decision of the Court upon the objection. The Judge shall also record such remarks as he may think material respecting the demeanor of any witness whilst under examination.

XXXII. In cases where the evidence is needed of females who, according to the custom of the country, ought not to be compelled to appear as witnesses in a Court of Justice, and in which the Court shall be of opinion that the ends of justice require and justify it, such Court may issue a commission to any Officer of the Court or other person, to be named in such commission, for the examination of such females in the hearing of the parties to the suit, or their vakeels, in such manner as the Court may direct, having regard to the custom and usage of the country, and with liberty to the parties or their vakeels to cross-examine, anything in Section V. Act VII. 1811 to the contrary notwithstanding.

XXXIII. On or before the day appointed for trial, the Court may, for any sufficient reason, such as the unavoidable absence of any material witness, or for other good cause, on the application of either party, postpone the hearing to another day, to be named, on such terms as to the payment to the opposite party of his costs occasioned by the postponement and otherwise as to the Court shall seem reasonable. In such case notice in writing shall be given to each of the witnesses to attend and give evidence, or to produce a document on the substituted day, instead of the day mentioned in their summonses, if there be time to do so, and the Judge shall so order. The notice shall be served in the same manner as a summons. The service of such notice shall have the same effect as if the substituted day had been originally named in such summons as the day for the appearance in Court to give evidence or produce a document, and all the provisions in this Act relating to summonses to give evidence or produce documents shall extend to such notices in the same manner as if such notices had been expressly mentioned in such provisions. If the application be too late to serve such notices, the Court may order that the examination of any witness who may be present, or shall attend in pursuance of a summons, shall be proceeded with, and that the further hearing of the case, after the examination of such witness, shall alone be postponed.

XXXIV. Unless the hearing be postponed in manner aforesaid, it shall commence on the day appointed, or as soon afterwards as the business which may be pending before the Court and may be entitled to priority will allow, and the recording of evidence on the trial of any suit when begun under the rules above enacted, shall, unless there be good and sufficient reason to the contrary, (which reason shall be recorded,) continue on the same day, or on consecutive business days, until the whole of the evidence of the witnesses present shall be heard. The parties or such of them as desire it shall then be heard, either by themselves or their pleaders, orally, on the merits of the cases a regards the issues both of fact and law, and, after considering the argument and evidence, the Judge shall record his judgment under Act XII. 1843.

XXXV. If the Court, after the evidence of all the witnesses shall have been heard, and before hearing the pleaders or recording the judgment, shall think it necessary for the ends of justice to inspect any document, or to examine any party to the suit, or any other person whose evidence may appear to be material, the Court, of its own accord, may cause such party or person to be summoned to attend as a witness, to give evidence, or to produce such document, if in his possession, on a day to be appointed, and may examine such party or person as a witness in open Court, or in such other manner as the Court may direct, upon any question which the party or wit-

ness may be bound to answer, and the Court may think necessary, and may also compel the production of any document mentioned in such summonses, which any such person may have in his possession or power, and be bound to produce. Any witness so called shall be subject to the cross-examination of either party, or his vakeel. If such person, whether a party or not, shall be a female who, according to the custom of the country, ought not to be compelled to appear as a witness in a Court of Justice, the Court may order such person to be examined in the manner provided by Section XXXII. of this Act, upon such questions as it may direct. The Commissioner or other person authorised to take the examination in such case may put such further questions as in his judgment may be necessary, or may arise out of the answers to be given to the questions directed by the Court.

XXXVI. The Judge may cause public notice to be given in Court, either before or during the examination of any witness, requiring all or any other witnesses, whether parties or not, who have been summoned or inserted in the list of witnesses in the same cause, to leave and to remain out of Court until further order. Any witness in a cause who without lawful excuse shall wilfully remain in, or come into Court, contrary to such notice, shall be punishable in the same manner as for a contempt of Court in open Court. Whenever such notice shall be given, the consequence of disobedience thereto shall be publicly explained at the time of giving the notice.

XXXVII. Any party to a suit, appeal, or proceeding, who may be examined as a witness therein, shall, except as otherwise provided by this Act, be examined according to the rules for the time being in force as to the examination of witnesses not being parties to the suit, and shall be punishable for any false evidence given by him in the same manner as if he were not a party.

XXXVIII. The words "witness" and "witnesses" in Act VII. 1811 shall respectively include any party or parties to a suit, and the said Act shall be read as if the words "or party" "or parties" had been used in such Act in conjunction with the words "witness" or "witnesses" respectively. Provided that the deposition of a party taken under the provisions of this Section at the instance of any opposite party may be read in evidence by or on behalf of such last-mentioned party, without the proof required by Section V. of the said Act. Provided also that no deposition of any party taken under the provisions of this Section shall be read or used in evidence unless taken and read at the instance of some opposite party, or unless it shall be proved that the deponent is unable, from sickness or infirmity, to attend to be personally examined, or is, without collusion, or any reference to the suit, at so great a distance from the Court, that, in the judgment of the Court, it would be unreasonable to require his personal attendance in Court for the purpose of giving such evidence, in which last-mentioned case it shall be discretionary with the Court, having regard to the nature of the case and of the evidence given, either to allow or to refuse such deposition to be read.

XXXIX. No appeal shall lie from any order or decision of a Judge with respect to summoning or examining any party to a suit, or as to allowing a deposition to be read under the Section next preceding.

XL. If any party to any such suit as aforesaid shall, in any pleading or statement, refer to any document in his possession or power, as a material proof or document in support of his claim or defence, he shall file such document with the pleading or statement, unless the Court shall, for good and sufficient cause, extend the time for filing the same; and any adverse party shall be entitled, by himself or his vakeel, to inspect and take a copy of the document.

XLI. In the construction of this Act, unless where it is otherwise expressly provided, or there is something

in the subject or context repugnant to such construction, or which would render such construction inapplicable to the case, the word "Court" shall mean any Civil Court of the East India Company, and shall include any Judge or other Officer or person mentioned in Section II. of this Act; the word "Judge" shall be understood to mean the chief judicial authority presiding in any such Court, and shall include any Officer or person having, by law, or consent of parties, authority to examine witnesses, and to act judicially; the word "suit" shall be deemed to mean and include any suit, appeal, or proceeding mentioned in Section II.; the word "witness" shall include all persons competent and liable to give evidence, whether parties to any suit or proceeding or not. Words importing the masculine gender or singular number shall include the feminine gender or plural number, and *vice versa*.

XLII. This Act shall extend only to Civil proceedings, and to the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, and shall not include any of Her Majesty's Supreme Courts of Judicature,

XLIII. The provisions of Sections IX. X. and XI. of this Act shall not extend to the Zillah of Chittagong or Sylhet.

XLIV. This Act shall come into operation on the 1st day of January 1854.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Notice.

Tenders will be received by the Officer in charge of the Stationery Department, at his Office, until the 28th January 1854, for the SUPPLY of WOOLLENS, in such quantities as may be from time to time required during a period of twelve months, commencing from the 1st of August 1854.

Tenders to be forwarded to this Office in sealed envelopes, superscribed "Tenders for the Supply of Woollens"; and they will be opened at 12 o'clock on the 28th January 1854.

The tenders are required to show the lowest rate at which each article will be supplied, of the best quality, for prompt payment.

The tenders must be accompanied by a deposit of Rupees 200, which will be forfeited in the event of delay or evasion in executing the agreement; and a deposit of Rupees 2,000 will be required from the person whose tender is accepted, for the due performance of the agreement.

No reason will be given for the rejection of any tender.

The form of agreement to be entered into, with lists of the articles required, can be seen, and any other particulars can be ascertained, at this Office, daily, Sundays excepted.

F. HUTCHINSON,
Collector of Bombay,
In Charge Stationery Department.

Bombay, 9th January 1854.

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 at Hyderabad, in 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, and to terminate on the 31st January 1855, may, on application at this

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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, Biscuit, &c. for Troops, &c. in Garrison, and during the line of march.
- " No. 2, for Rice, Salt, and Wood.
 - " No. 3, for Coffee and Sugar.
 - " No. 4, for Liquor, Beer, &c.
 - " No. 5, for Medical Comforts.
 - " No. 6, for Country Medicines and Hospital Provisions.
 - " No. 7, for Hospital Clothing.
 - " No. 8, for Hospital and Office Furniture.
 - " No. 9, for Stationery.
 - " No. 10, for Provisions.
 - " No. 11, for Miscellaneous Articles.
 - " No. 12, for Bhoosa and Kurbee.
 - " No. 13, for Tin Ware.
 - " No. 14, for Tinning Cooking Utensils.
 - " No. 15, for Puckaulie Bullocks, with Drivers complete, for Troops, &c. in Garrison, and for marching.
 - " No. 16, for Batley, Gram, &c.

2. Sealed tenders for the contracts will be received at this Office, as also at the Office of the Acting Assistant Commissary General at Kurra- chee, on Saturday the 28th January 1854, at 2 P. M. precisely, and will be opened in the presence of such parties as are in attendance on the day and hour specified; and no tender will be received after that hour.

The particular attention of parties willing to undertake the contracts for Bread and Biscuit is requested, to give strict adherence to the following rules prescribed by Government in the General Orders No. 613, dated 10th October 1853, page 246, paragraphs 2 and 3, in order to obviate the necessity for the constant examination and rejection of articles of the nature above described, which frequently occurs when supplies of inferior quality are tendered by contractors; and should there be any deviation from the rules prescribed on the part of suppliers, a severe fine, at the option of the Commissariat Officer at this Station, will be inflicted on them as often as the same may happen.

Those who may submit tenders for Bread, Biscuit, &c. are required to permit Non-Commissioned or Warrant Officers employed under the orders of the executive Commissariat Officer at this Station to act as Baker Serjeants, to overlook their Bakeries, to see that that they are kept clean, and that all the stipulations of the contract, particularly as to the quality of the materials used, are properly observed.

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 at Hyderabad, in Scinde, at the following rates:—

- Quart Bottles, 1 rupee per 3 dozens.
- Pint ditto, 1 rupee per 2½ dozens.

When intending contractors will be required to specify in their tenders, both in words and in figures, the rates per cent. above or below the prices exhibited in the foregoing lists at which the supply will be made, on the understanding that the articles supplied are to be of an unexceptionable quality, or of the sort usually supplied, and to be delivered in the first instance at the Commissariat Stores, if required, and afterwards to the indent-

ing 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 parties; or by a Committee of Officers appointed on the part of Government, in the event of the contractors 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 persons will be allowed to submit their tenders, or 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 farther amount 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.	Deposit in Cash.	Bonded Security.
1.....	Rs. 1,950	Rs. 7,798
" No. 2.....	531	2,123
" No. 3.....	467	1,867
" No. 4.....	343	1,372
" No. 5.....	12	49
" No. 6.....	67	267
" No. 7.....	108	432
" No. 8.....	98	390
" No. 9.....	39	157
" No. 10.....	527	2,107
" No. 11.....	158	631
" No. 12.....	183	732
" No. 13.....	4	14
" No. 14.....	16	63
" No. 15.....	137	548
" No. 16.....	217	866

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 (30) per cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine of Rupees (50) fifty, or a sum exceeding that amount, shall be levied, (in proportion to the importance of the service contracted for by them, and to the extent of any injury likely to result from a breach of it, as causing inconvenience to the Public Service, in not immediately complying with emergent requisitions,) at the option of the executive Commissariat Officer, 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 distinctly 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, will subject them in every instance to be fined to the extent of Rupees (25) twenty-five, 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 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 of 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 7th 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 contract, on their offers being accepted.

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

Schedule	No.	Rs.	A.	P.
"	1.....	38,990	1	8
"	2.....	10,616	1	3
"	3.....	9,333	5	7
"	4.....	6,860	0	5
"	5.....	243	10	8
"	6.....	1,333	11	1
"	7.....	2,160	0	0
"	8.....	1,950	3	0
"	9.....	786	2	0
"	10.....	10,535	14	10
"	11.....	3,156	10	1

Schedule No.	Rs.	A.	P.
No. 12	3,659	6	0
No. 13	71	11	0
No. 14	317	8	0
No. 15	2,740	0	0
No. 16	4,331	5	4

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

W. LODWICK, Captain,
Sub-Assistant Commissary General.
Hyderabad, Commissariat Office,
15th November 1853.

Wanted.

A DRAFTSMAN, for service in the Southern Mahratta Country. Information regarding the nature of duty to be performed, and amount of Monthly Pay, can be obtained on application at this Office.

J. J. F. CRUICKSHANK, Captain,
Garrison Engineer,
And Civil Architect at the Presidency.
Garrison Engineer and Civil Architect's Office,
Bombay, 14th January 1854.

Insolvent Debtors' Court.

Notice is hereby given, that the 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.
Dama Oomersey	Former a Dealer in Firewood.	Hindoo.....	Lately without the Fort, in Hunooman Lane (and at present in the Bombay Gaol).	4th	Jan.	1854.
Keroba Socajee	Head Clerk in the Indian Navy Pay Office.	Hindoo.....	Without the Fort, in Navy Waddy Lane.	5th	"	"
Charles B. Davis	An Engineer, unemployed.	Indo-Briton..	Without the Fort, at Calcadavee.	4th	"	"
John Arvin	A Bookbinder in the Secretary's Office.	Portuguese ..	Without the Fort, at Oomercary.	14th	"	"
John Zacharia Hewett.	A Corrector in the Bombay Times Office.	Indo-Briton..	Without the Fort, in Old Hunooman Gullee, on the Calcadavee Road.	16th	"	"

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.
Damjee Oomersey	1st Monday.....	February next	11 o'clock.
Keroba Socajee	3rd ditto	Ditto	Ditto.
Sewraj Sing Duncasing	Ditto	Ditto	Ditto.
John Zacharia Hewett.....	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.

Dividend payable in the undermentioned Estate.

Wisswanath Govindjee, 1st Monday in February next, of 10 per cent.

W. BROOKFIELD,
Acting Clerk of the Court.

Clerk of the Court's Office, Fort, Bombay, this 17th day of January 1854.

नादार देवादारानी कोरटनेचे

जुहेर मयर ये छपरथी आपवानां आवेछे, न वीगत शथे येनी हेडल न शममेना नांमो लमेलां छे, तेन्नाये खुंयथेनी नादार देणदार दोकोनां छुटका करनारी कोरटने अर छये आपीछे, के वीकटोरीआना अगीआरमे परमे न धारो यनापी पमार करीये छे, तेना येकवीशनां पाय परनांछे कीरपा करीने छेने दाने पोहोआडो.

Memorandum.

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 of the Bombay Presidency .. " 15
Map of the Hydrabad Collectorate, mounted on Cloth, scale 2 miles to an inch .. " 30
Map of the Kurrachee Collectorate, ditto .. " 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, 17th January 1854.

Notice.

With reference to the Notification dated 10th October 1853, and published in the Government Gazette of the 13th idem, No. 41, page 1707, all parties who have selected or wish to select BUILDING SITES on the HILL of MATHERAN are hereby requested to take steps for having their Compounds defined by the Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General, now encamped on Matheran.

The Collector's Department will not be responsible for any difficulty or delay in obtaining Sites that may result from neglect of this notice.

J. N. ROSE,
Acting Collector.

Tanna, Collector's Office,
14th January 1854.

Insolvent Debtors' Court.

Notice is hereby given, that the following Petitions have been filed, and the following Adjudications have been pronounced thereon, and which are published as required by the Act made and passed in the Eleventh Year of Victoria, Chapter XXI. Clause LXXXII:—

Nos. of Proceedings.	NAMES OF INSOLVENTS.	Dates of Petitions.	Dates of Adjudications.	Dates of Confirmations.
		1853	1853	1853
921	Hormusjee Dadabhoy	8th July	11th July	10th Oct.
924	Balerustna Hurrychund, and Woomabayee, Widow of the late Hurrychund Buchajee	21st "	21st "	" "
936	William Hardy, McDonald	4th August	4th August	" "
937	Meeajee Allybhoy, and his Wife Annabayee	5th "	5th "	" "
940	Crustnath Madhrowrow	12th "	12th "	" "
944	Husson Madar	15th "	15th "	" "
948	Baba Cassam, otherwise Memon Ebrahim Cassam	11th "	17th "	" "
955	Rutnee Naiqueen and Duttee Naiqueen	31st "	31st "	" "
959	Ardaseer Muncherjee Moose	3rd Sept.	3rd Sept.	" "
931	Bhawoo Cassinathjee	29th July	29th July	17th Oct.
933	Ruttonjee Dadabhoy	2nd August	2nd August	" "
934	Poonja Prajjee	3rd "	3rd "	" "
942	Vemayeck Wittojee	12th "	12th "	" "
945	Shreedhur Morojee	16th "	16th "	" "
947	Meejee Goculdass and Girdhur Goculdass	16th "	16th "	" "
951	Hurrychund Raghoonathjee	26th "	26th "	" "
941	Cazee Mahomed Syed Chilmaee	12th "	12th "	7th Nov.
943	Madhowjee Jairam	15th "	15th "	" "
949	Raghowannud Sowmitre	23rd "	23rd "	" "
952	Purshotum Wittoba Sett	29th "	29th "	" "
958	Shunker Annunt	2nd Sept.	2nd Sept.	" "
961	Mooljee Tharea	20th "	20th "	21st "
966	Trimbeck Ramchunder	3rd Oct.	3rd Oct.	" "
967	Narayan Ragoba	12th "	13th "	" "
892	Bhungsally Hurgovundass Nanabhoy and Wittuldass Nanabhoy	30th April	30th April	12th Dec.
899	Cassewjee Mooratjee	26th May	27th May	" "
973	Sadasew Ragoonath	24th Oct.	25th Oct.	" "
976	Wittuldass Sobharam	" "	29th "	" "
960	Abdool bin Shaik Esmal	7th Sept.	7th Sept.	19th "
964	Mehraz Jugdis	1st Oct.	1st Oct.	" "
968	Rama Balloo	17th "	17th "	" "
969	Dhunjeebhoy Eduljee	" "	" "	" "
974	Blowsar Khooshall Luckmichund	25th "	25th "	" "

W. BROOKFIELD,
Acting Clerk of the Court.

Bombay, Clerk of the Court's Office,
Forbes Street, Fort, this 17th day of January 1854.

Advertisement.

PASSAGE TO LONDON IS REQUIRED for (9) Nine Unfit Seamen of the Indian Navy.

By Order of the Commander in Chief Indian Navy,

F. G. BONE, Secretary.

Commodore's Office, Bombay,
17th January 1854.

Notice

Is hereby given, that persons desirous of entering into a contract for SUPPLYING FLOUR and WHEAT, according to Schedule No. 3, as may be required by the Commissariat Department at Aden, for the term of (10) ten months, commencing from the 1st day of April next, may, on application at this Office, from 10 A. M. till 5 P. M. daily, (Sundays excepted,) obtain such information relating thereto as they may require, and inspect the Schedule or list of prices appertaining to the same.

2. Sealed tenders for the contract will be received at this Office on Friday the 27th instant, at 2 P. M. precisely. These must specify, both in words and figures, the rate per cent. above or below the prices exhibited in the above list at which they will undertake the supply, 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 at Aden, 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 by that Department, and that the same are liable to examination and rejection by the executive Commissariat Officer at Aden, 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 (1,582) one thousand five hundred and eighty-two, 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 (6,330) six thousand three hundred and thirty, 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 the Commissariat Department at Aden, 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 fifty to five hundred, at the option of the executive Commissariat Officer at Aden, 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 the Commissariat Department at Aden; 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 (1,582) one thousand five hundred and eighty-two, 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 at Aden, 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 at Aden, is to attend at that 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 at Aden, 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 Honorable Company's Solicitor, within fifteen 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 tendered.

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 so 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 tender being accepted.

11. The annual outlay on the above contract is estimated at Rupees 31,654.

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

F. P. MIGNON, Lieutenant,
For Acting Deputy Commissary General.
Bombay, Depy. Commy. Genl.'s Office,
18th January 1854.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.**OVERLAND MAIL.**

The OVERLAND MAIL, *via* Marseilles, and *via* Southampton, per Hon. Company's Steamer "VICTORIA," will be closed on SATURDAY the 28th instant, at 2 o'clock P. M.

An AFTER-PACKET will be kept open, for Bearing Letters only, until 3 o'clock P. M., on the usual terms.

Packets per Steamer "BOMBAY," for KURRACHEE and SCINDE, will be closed 12 hours after the arrival of the next Overland Mail.

DUNCAN DAVIDSON,
Post Master General.

Bombay, General Post Office,
18th January 1854.

POSTAL NOTICE.

The SCINDE MAILS, per Bombay Steam Navigation Company's Steamers, will in future be despatched on the following dates:—

From Bombay.

4th, 14th, and 24th of every month.

The first and last named despatches contingent on arrival of Overland Mails from Aden, and to be 12 hours thereafter.

From Kurrachee.

10th, 20th, and 30th of every month.

DUNCAN DAVIDSON,
Post Master General.

Bombay, General Post Office,
17th January 1854.

By COMMAND OF THE POST MASTER GENERAL,
LONDON.

**Notice to the Public,
AND INSTRUCTIONS TO ALL POST
MASTERS.**

London, General Post Office, October 1853.

In consequence of the great difficulty and expense attending the transmissiion of heavy Packets across the Isthmus of Suez, it has become necessary to rescind the Regulations under which Printed Books, Magazines, Reviews, and Pamphlets addressed to the East Indies, Ceylon, Mauritius, and New South Wales are at present forwarded *via* Egypt, and to restrict the conveyance of such Books, &c. to the direct Mail Packets proceeding to those places.

In future, therefore, all Books and other Printed Publications, addressed to India, Ceylon, or Mauritius, intended to be forwarded through the Post, under the privileges of the Colonial Book Post, will be conveyed by the Contract Mail Packets *via* the Cape of Good Hope, leaving Plymouth on the 15th of each month, and Books, &c. for New South Wales will be sent by the Contract Packets despatched from this country once in two months, of the sailing of which notice is issued from time to time.

With reference to the above, the Post Master General hereby notifies, that Printed Books, &c.

for the United Kingdom, posted on the terms published on the 4th May last, will be forwarded *via* Ceylon and the Cape of Good Hope after the 14th April 1854, up to which date they will be despatched, as at present, Overland.

DUNCAN DAVIDSON,
Post Master General.

Bombay, General Post Office, 26th December 1853.

POSTAL NOTICE.

The MAILS despatched hence on the 27th ultimo for the undermentioned Stations having been ROBBED between Jaulna and Karinja, DUPLICATES of all Paid Letters posted here on that date will be forwarded FREE OF POSTAGE:—

Oomravuttee.	Nagpore.
Mominabad.	Ellichpore.
Hingolee.	Dinapore.
Karinja.	Meeypapore.
Kamptee.	Calcutta.

DUNCAN DAVIDSON,
Post Master General.

Bombay, General Post Office,
19th December 1853.

POSTAL NOTICE.

The MAILS for the KHANDESH and GUZERAT POST LINES will in future be CLOSED on SUNDAYS at 1-45 and 2 P. M. respectively, instead of the hours mentioned in the Postal Notice of the 15th September last.

W. BLOWERS,
Deputy Post Master General.

Bombay, General Post Office,
1st November 1853.

Advertisement.

There will be SOLD by AUCTION, on the 1st February, at the Bunder of Sowta, and adjacent places in the Talook of Sunjan, Collectorate of Tanna, about Five Thousand Pieces of TEAK WOOD, chiefly Rafters, small Beam Pieces, &c.

Credit for four months will be given on the production of adequate security.

A. GIBSON,
Conservator of Forests.

Camp Oomreh, Penn Districts,
9th January 1854.

जाहिरनामा.

कंपनी सरकार इंग्रज बाहादूर विद्यमान डाक्टर गिवसन साहेब बाहादूर कानसरवेटर आफ फारिस्ट.

सर्व लोकांस कळावे कीं मौजे सावठे बैंगेर गांवी तालुके संज्याण जिन्हा ठाणे येथे सालमजकुरी सागवानी वांस पांच हजार पावेतो तोडले आहेत त्यांचा लिलाव तारीख १ महिने फेब्रवारी सन १८५४ इसवी रोजी अम्ही खुद व तालुक्यातील अमल दार हे येउन होईल तर सदर माल घेण्याची ज्यांची खुषी असेल त्यांणी नेमले तारिखेस हाजर ज्हांतें म्हणजे जे जास्ती बोलतील त्यांजला माल मिळेल व सदर पैशास मामलेदार याचे खातरीचा जामिन दिन्हा म्हणजे निमे पैसा दोन महिन्यानी व निमे राहील तो च्यार महिन्यानी या प्रमाणे मुदत मिळेल हे समजून खुषी असेल त्यांणी सदर माल घेण्यास यावे.

तारीख १ महिने ज्यानेवारी सन १८५४ इसवी.

A. GIBSON,
Conservator of Forests.

General Orders.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

BY THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Bombay Castle, 11th January 1854.

No. 34 of 1854.—The following Gentlemen are admitted to the Service, in conformity with their appointments by the Honorable the Court of Directors, as a Cadet of Infantry and as an Assistant Surgeon on this Establishment. The Cadet for the Infantry to be promoted to Ensign, leaving the dates of their Commissions for future adjustment:—

	<i>Infantry.</i>	<i>Date of Arrival at Bombay.</i>
No. 950, Mr. Henry Phillippis.....		30th December 1853.

Medical Establishment.

No. 806, Mr. Frederick Savignac Stedman..... 30th December 1853.

The undermentioned Officers have returned to their duty, without prejudice to their rank, by permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors:—

	<i>Date of Arrival at Bombay.</i>
Captain J. Ash, Regiment of Artillery.....	} 30th December 1853.
Captain D. H. Jameson, 8th Regt. N. I.....	
Captain W. L. Cahusac, 11th Regt. N. I.....	
Assistant Surgeon W. J. Stuart, Medical Establishment.....	

No. 35 of 1854.—The following promotion is made:—

Corps of Engineers.

Date of Rank.

2nd Lieutenant J. W. Playfair to be 1st Lieutenant, vice Chapman, deceased.... 22nd December 1853.

The undermentioned Officer is ranked from the dates specified opposite his name, and posted to the Corps of Engineers, vice Playfair, promoted:—

	<i>Rank as 2nd Lieutenant in the</i>	
	} <i>Regiment.</i>	<i>Army.</i>
Richard Edward Forbes Cotgrave.....	22nd December 1853.	8th June 1849.

No. 36 of 1854.—The following Native promotion is made:—

7th Regiment N. I.

Date of Rank.

Havildar Ranjee Chowan to be Jemedar, vice Munnajee Curroo, deceased.... 30th December 1853.

Bombay Castle, 12th January 1854.

No. 37 of 1854.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the promotion in the Medical Establishment, consequent on the recent augmentation in the European Infantry of this Presidency, announced in General Order No. 733, dated the 14th December last, be cancelled.

Bombay Castle, 13th January 1854.

No. 38 of 1854.—Captain Marriott, Secretary to the Military Board, returned from leave of absence on the 4th instant, and resumed charge of his duties from Captain Tremenhoe, officiating Secretary, on the 6th instant.

No. 39 of 1854.—Lieutenant Younghusband, of the 8th Regt. N. I., was examined by a Special Committee appointed at Dhera Ismael Khan, in January 1851, according to the rules prescribed by the Regulations of this Presidency, and reported qualified as "Interpreter" in the Hindoostanee language.

No. 41 of 1854.—Mr. John Henry Sylvester is admitted to the Service, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, as an Assistant Surgeon on this Establishment, leaving the date of his Commission for future adjustment. Date of arrival at Bombay, 9th January 1854.

The undermentioned Officers have returned to their duty, without prejudice to their rank, by permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors:—

	<i>Date of Arrival at Bombay.</i>
Lieutenant Colonel Commandant C. Waddington, C.B., of the Engineer Corps.....	} 9th January 1854.
Major A. Shephard, 24th Regt. N. I.....	
Lieutenant W. Kendall, Corps of Engineers.....	

No. 42 of 1854.—Lieutenant Colonel Commandant C. Waddington, C.B., is appointed Chief Engineer.

No. 43 of 1854.—The services of Assistant Surgeon J. M. Knapp are placed at the disposal of the Government of India.

Bombay Castle, 14th January 1854.

No. 44 of 1854.—The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to republish the following General Order by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council, No. 1082, dated Fort William, 21st December 1853:—

The following Notification issued in the Home Department is published in General Orders:—

No. 907, dated 16th December 1853.—The Honorable the President in Council is pleased to direct that all Officers, Civil and Military, who may take charge of the effects of a Chelsea Pensioner dying in the Mofussil, shall report, when forwarding the proceeds to the Office of the Administrator General, or elsewhere, that the deceased was a Chelsea Pensioner, in order that the effects of all such Pensioners who may die in India without any legal heirs or representatives may be credited to the Crown, to be appropriated in liquidation of the expenses incurred for the funerals of Insolvent Pensioners.

(Signed) R. J. H. BIRCH, Lieutenant Colonel,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India in the Military Department.

No. 45 of 1854.—Captain C. N. Treasure, of the Invalid Establishment, is allowed to reside and receive his Pay at the Neilgherry Hills.

Bombay Castle, 16th January 1854.

No. 46 of 1854.—Assistant Surgeon J. Donaldson, of the Madras Establishment, is allowed a furlough to Europe for three years, on Medical certificate.

Bombay Castle, 17th January 1854.

No. 47 of 1854.—With reference to G. G. O. No. 15, of the 5th instant, Major Lucas, of the Artillery, is appointed to perform the duties of Pay Master Northern Division of the Army, during Captain Eyre's absence, and on his responsibility, in the place of Lieutenant Hewett, of the 28th Regt. N. I.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,
T. MAUGHAN, Lieutenant Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

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

Bombay Castle, 12th January 1854.

No. 4 of 1854.—The undermentioned Officers are allowed an extension of leave to remain at Mahableswhur till the 1st proximo:—

Commander H. H. Hewett.
Lieutenant Dickson.

Bombay Castle, 14th January 1854.

No. 5 of 1854.—Captain F. T. Powell and Mr. T. McLaughlin, 1st Class Engineer, of the Indian Navy, returned to their duty by the Steam-packet "Victoria," on the 9th instant, with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors.

Bombay Castle, 16th January 1854.

No. 6 of 1854.—Mr. W. L. Searle, Mate, returned to his duty, with the permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors, on the 2nd ultimo, by the Ship "Earl Balcarras."

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,
T. MAUGHAN, Lieutenant Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

Civil Appointments, &c.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 13th January 1854.

The leave of absence for three months granted to Lieutenant Colonel W. Lang, Political Agent in Kattywar, under Section XII. of the Absentee Rules, on the 4th November last, is cancelled, from the expiration of the leave for one month granted to that Officer, under Section XI. of those Rules, on the same date.

Bombay Castle, 14th January 1854.

Captain D'Oyly Compton received charge of the office of Acting Political Agent in the Mahee Kanta, from Major H. W. Trevelyan, on the 5th instant.

Captain W. F. Leeson, Commanding the Guzerat Irregular Horse, is allowed leave of absence to visit the Presidency on private affairs, for twelve days in the latter part of the current month, under Government General Order No. 541, of the 26th August 1846.

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

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 12th January 1854.

Mr. D. C. R. Leighton, Acting Judicial Assistant to the Commissioner at Sattara, is allowed leave of absence for a period not to exceed twenty days, from the 29th ultimo, under Section XII. of the Absentee Rules, to proceed to the Presidency, on urgent private affairs.

Bombay Castle, 16th January 1854.

Mr. T. C. Hope, Assistant to the Collector and Magistrate of Tanna, has been examined in the Regulations, and found qualified for the transaction of public business.

The Judges of the Sudder Dewance Adawlut have reported the following appointment:—

Azum Ardaseer Pestonjee Merjee to be Extra Moonsiff of Colaba, in the Concan Zillah.

First Grade Apprentice Shaik Russool, attached to the Jail Hospital at Tanna, is allowed leave of absence till the 1st of April next, to proceed to Ahmedabad, on private affairs.

Rao Bahadoor Pandoorang Moreshwar, Principal Sudder Ameen of Tanna, is allowed leave of absence for one month, from the 23rd instant, on urgent private affairs.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

C. J. ERSKINE, *Acting Secretary to Government.*

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT,

POLICE.

Bombay Castle, 13th January 1854.

Under the provisions of Act XIV. of 1835, and Section IV. of Act IV. of 1851, Major G. Malcolm, Acting Superintendent of Police, Dharwar, is appointed an Assistant Magistrate in the Dharwar Zillah, and vested with the full powers of a Magistrate, excepting the powers to flog and to review.

Bombay Castle, 16th January 1854.

The leave of absence granted to Mr. C. Forjett, Superintendent of Police, Belgaum, on the 27th ultimo, to visit Bombay, on private affairs, will date from the 6th instant, instead of from the 10th ultimo.

Bombay Castle, 17th January 1854.

The leave of absence granted to Lieutenant Harpur, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Tanna, on the 12th December 1853, is cancelled.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

C. J. DAVIES, *Deputy Secretary to Government.*

TERRITORIAL DEPARTMENT,

REVENUE.

Bombay Castle, 13th January 1854.

Mr. G. Scott, First Assistant Collector of Rutnagherry, has been allowed an extension for one month of the leave of absence granted to him under date the 16th November 1853.

Khan Bahadoor Hussun Mahomed Furreed, District Deputy Collector of Rutnagherry, has been allowed leave of absence for one month, to visit Tanna, on private affairs.

Lieutenant W. D. Dickson, Deputy Collector, Hyderabad in Scinde, has been allowed leave of absence for one month, under Section XI., and for fifteen days under Section XII. of the Absentee Regulations, to proceed to the Presidency, preparatory to applying for a furlough to Europe.

Mr. E. P. Robertson, Acting Second Assistant to the Collector of Surat, has been allowed leave of absence for one month, under Section VI. of the Absentee Regulations, to proceed to the Presidency, on Medical certificate.

Bombay Castle, 18th January 1854.

Lieutenant A. Phillips, 29th Regt. N. I., has been appointed Supernumerary Assistant to the Superintendent of the Revenue Survey and Assessment, Rutnagherry.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

RAILWAY BRANCH.

Bombay Castle, 12th January 1854.

Captain J. H. G. Crawford, Superintending Engineer, Railway Department, is about to proceed on duty into the interior, and during his absence Captain J. J. F. Cruickshank is to conduct such of the duties connected with the Department as have to be performed at the Presidency.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

H. E. GOLDSMID, *Secretary to Government.*

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 16th January 1854.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon Anunta Chundroba has been attached to the Grant Medical College and Jamsétjee Jejeebhoy Hospital.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 17th January 1854.

The Reverend J. T. Boys, Assistant Chaplain, Nusseerabad, is allowed leave of absence for one month from the 1st proximo, on private affairs, in conformity with Section XXV. (amended) of the Civil Absentee Regulations.

Bombay Castle, 18th January 1854.

The Reverend E. N. Dickenson to be Acting Chaplain of Hyderabad, visiting Sukkur and Shikarpoor twice in the year.

By Order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,
C. J. ERSKINE, Acting Secretary to Government.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to publish the following letter (No. 52), dated 7th December last, from the Honorable the Court of Directors:—

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

No. 52 OF 1853.

Our Governor in Council at Bombay.

We have appointed James Grant Lumsden, Esquire, Provisional Member of Council at your Presidency.

We are, &c.

(Signed) R. ELLICE,

" J. OLIPHANT,

And other Directors.

London, the 7th December 1853.

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

A. MALET,

Chief Secretary.

Bombay Castle, 14th January 1854.

TERRITORIAL DEPARTMENT,

REVENUE.

Government much regret the loss of an Officer whose services and character have elicited the following highly favorable testimony from his official superior, Mr. Frere:—

No. 513 OF 1853.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

From the Commissioner in Scinde,

To the Right Hon'ble Lord VISCOUNT FALKLAND,
Governor and President in Council, Bombay.

Dated 26th December 1853.

MY LORD,

It is with sincere regret that I have to report the decease, on the 23rd instant, of Mr. John Macleod, late Deputy Collector of Customs at Kurrachee. In him Government have lost one of the most zealous, experienced, and, in every respect, efficient Officers they had in the Province. The poor and distressed of every creed and nation have lost a friend, on whose generous aid they could always rely with a certainty of receiving sympathy, and, as far as he could afford it, relief. This characteristic was of more importance than might be at first supposed to his efficiency as a

public servant, for it was one of the causes of a degree of popularity among all classes of Natives which I have rarely known enjoyed by any European to the same extent as by Mr. Macleod.

I have the honor to be, &c.,

(Signed) H. B. E. FRERE,

Commissioner in Scinde.

Commr.'s Office, Camp Moelakutyar,
26th December 1853.

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

H. E. GOLDSMID,

Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 18th January 1854.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that Civil Officers residing or having their Offices in a Military Cantonment, though specially excluded from Cantonment limits, shall conform to the general and Cantonment rules in regard to cleanliness, order, and safety from fire in houses and grounds, as laid down for all other residents.

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

C. J. ERSKINE,

Acting Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 17th January 1854.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

Whereas it is provided by Act No. XXVI. of 1850 that whenever any application shall be made to the Government for putting the said Act in force in any Town or Suburb, notice thereof shall be given in the Government Gazette of the Presidency or place, and also by Proclamation within such Town or Suburb, setting forth the purposes of the application, and giving reasonable time for all Inhabitants of such Town or Suburb to declare themselves for or against the adoption of the said Act therein, for such purposes, or any of them; and whereas application has been made to the Government that the said Act No. XXVI. of 1850 may be put in force within the Town of Tattah, for the purpose of making better provision for

making, repairing, cleaning roads, drains, and tanks, and for improving the said Town, and preventing any nuisances arising therein; Notice of the application aforesaid is hereby given, and all Inhabitants of the said Town of Tattah are hereby informed that such of them as are minded to declare themselves for or against the adoption of Act No. XXVI. of 1850 in the Town of Tattah, for the purposes described in the application aforesaid, or any of them, may declare themselves accordingly, before H. B. E. FRERE, Esq., Commissioner in Scinde, at any time during the usual Office hours, within two months from this date.

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

C. J. ERSKINE,

Acting Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 17th January 1854.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

Whereas it is provided by Act No. XXVI. of 1850, that whenever any application shall be made to the Government for putting the said Act in force in any Town or Suburb, notice thereof shall be given in the Government Gazette of the Presidency or place, and also by Proclamation within such Town or Suburb, setting forth the purposes of the application, and giving reasonable time for all Inhabitants of such Town or Suburb to declare themselves for or against the adoption of the said Act therein, for such purposes, or any of them; and whereas application has been made to the Government that the said Act No. XXVI. of 1850 may be put in force within the Town of Sunkeshwur, for the purpose of making better provision for making, repairing, cleaning roads, drains, and tanks, and for improving the said Town, and preventing any nuisances arising therein; Notice of the application aforesaid is hereby given, and all Inhabitants of the said Town of Sunkeshwur are hereby informed that such of them as are minded to declare themselves for or against the adoption of Act No. XXVI. of 1850 in the Town of Sunkeshwur, for the purposes described in the application aforesaid, or any of them, may declare themselves accordingly, before J. D. INVERARITY, Esq., the Magistrate of Belgaum, at any time during the usual Office hours, within two months from this date.

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

C. J. ERSKINE,

Acting Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 17th January 1854.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

Whereas it is provided by Act No. XXVI. of 1850 that whenever any application shall be made to the Government for putting the said Act in force in any Town or Suburb, notice thereof shall be given in the Government Gazette of the Pre-

sidency or place, and in such Town or Suburb, of the application, and giving all Inhabitants of such Town or themselves for or against the adoption therein, for such purposes, or and whereas application has been made to the Government that the said Act No. XXVI. may be put in force within the Kusba of Kuppurwunj, for the purpose of making better provision for making, repairing, cleaning roads, drains, and tanks, and for improving the said Kusba, and preventing any nuisances arising therein; Notice of the application aforesaid is hereby given, and all Inhabitants of the said Kusba of Kuppurwunj are hereby informed that such of them as are minded to declare themselves for or against the adoption of Act No. XXVI. of 1850 in the Kusba of Kuppurwunj, for the purposes described in the application aforesaid, or any of them, may declare themselves accordingly, before Mr. A. ELPHINSTON, the Magistrate of Kaira, at any time during the usual Office hours, within two months from this date.

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

C. J. ERSKINE,

Acting Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 17th January 1854.

TERRITORIAL DEPARTMENT, REVENUE.

Vishnoo Hurree Ketkur, Acting Mamlutdar of Anjunwell, Zillah Rutnagherry, to be 3rd Class Mamlutdar of Rajpooree, in the Tanna Collectorate, vice Abdool Guffoor, transferred to Vizian-droog, of the Rutnagherry Collectorate.

E. G. FAWCETT,

Revenue Commissioner N. D.

*Revenue Commissioner's Office,
Camp Dhoolia, 14th January 1854.*

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, CIVIL.

Assistant Vaccinator Diabhaic Pursadraic, of the North-Western Division of Guzerat, is discharged the Service.

By Order of the Medical Board,

F. MANISTY, Assistant Surgeon,

Secretary Medical Board.

*Bombay, Medical Board Office,
16th January 1854.*

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, CIVIL.

The undermentioned Assistant Vaccinators, serving in the North-West Division of Guzerat, are discharged the Service:—

Nowelraie Lallajee.

Urjoonlall Hennatlal.

Kewul Bechurdass.

By order of the Medical Board,

F. MANISTY, Assistant Surgeon,

Secretary Medical Board.

*Bombay, Medical Board Office,
18th January 1854.*

Notice.

ed Letters and Papers are lying in the General Post Office on account of Ship and stage, which must be prepaid :—

Sub-Assistant Sur Hospital.	To whom addressed.	Destination.	Amount of Postage to be paid.
			<i>Rs. a. p.</i>
Th	Major Thornton, Austrian Lloyd & Company.....	Trieste.....	0 8 0
1st 1	Mrs. Anne Bastable, care of Robert Cain, New Zealand Feucible, Howick, near Auckland.....	New Zealand.....	0 8 0
2	Miss Glynn, care of J. McClelland, Esq., Officiating Commissioner of Teak Forest.....	Rangoon.....	1 7 0
1	A. D'Zarate, Esq., Messrs. Ker & Co.....	Manila.....	0 8 0
1	Messrs. Wallace & Co., Rangoon.....	Pegu.....	0 15 0
1	Lieutenant H. F. Disbrowe, Assistant Resident, Persian Gulf.....	Bushire.....	0 1 0
1	Elam Ludington, Esq., in care of Sargent McCune.....	Rangoon.....	0 8 0
1	Captain Gimblett, Ship "Seringapatam," Cape Town.....	Cape of Good Hope.....	0 8 0
1	A. Duns, Esq.....	Hong-Kong.....	0 0 9
1	Nacooda Hajee Mahamed Thaer Neckwana.....	Rangoon.....	0 8 0
1	Aga Mahamed Cazin Nimajee.....	Rangoon.....	0 8 0
1	Cooverjee Cowasjee Oomerigur.....	Canton.....	0 8 0
1	Mahamed Sahib Gorsaray.....	Mauritius.....	0 1 0
2	Ardascer Dhunjeebhoy Wadia, Esq.....	Rangoon.....	1 0 0

DUNCAN DAVIDSON,
Post Master General.

Bombay, General Post Office, 18th January 1854.

P A C K E T S .

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.
Victoria.....	Commander in Chief of the Indian Navy.	28th instant.....	Suez.....	Aden.
A Steamer.....	Ditto ditto ditto.	14th proximo.....	Aden.	
Acbar.....	Ditto ditto ditto.	About 29th instant.....	Kurrachee.	
Bombay.....	Bombay Steam Navigation Company..	12 hours after the arrival of the Overland Mail	Ditto.	
Taken.....	Messrs. Forbes & Co.....	30th instant.....	London.	
Arabian.....	Edward Bates & Co.....	30th ditto.....	Liverpool.	
Francis.....	Ditto ditto.....	20th ditto.....	Ditto.	
Euphemus.....	Cardwell, Parsons & Co.....	23rd ditto.....	London.	
David Melvor.....	Dirom, Hunter & Co.....	31st ditto.....	Liverpool.	
Tinto.....	Ewart, Latham & Co.....	21st ditto.....	London.	
Primula.....	Wm Nicol & Co.....	10th proximo.....	Ditto.	
Vernon.....	Wallace & Co.....	1st March.....	Ditto.	
Coromandel.....	Ditto ditto.....	Despatch.....	Ditto.	
Merse.....	Leckie & Co.....	Ditto.....	Whampoa.	

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, 18th January 1854.

Notice

Is hereby given, that sealed tenders will be received at this Office on Tuesday next, the 24th instant, until 2 o'clock P. M. (any delivered after that hour will be rejected), for the SUPPLY of the under-mentioned ARTICLES, viz :—

1,000 Yards Cloth, Canvas (Europe), common, of Nos. 1 to 4.

4,527 lbs. Tallow (Country), clarified.

No tenders will be received unless accompanied by a cash deposit of 10 per cent. on the value of the articles tendered by the party, which will be forfeited in the event of refusal or delay in making the supply within the limited time.

The tenders must specify, both in words and figures, the rates at which the party or parties will undertake to make the supply, as also the period

in which the articles can be supplied to this Department.

The supply to be subject to examination, and rejection if not approved of, by the receiving Departments.

The tenders must be superscribed "Tender for Canvas (Europe), Common," or "Tallow (Country), Clarified," as the case may be.

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 tender.

F. P. MIGNON, Lieutenant,
For Acting Deputy Commissary General.
Bombay, D. py. Commy. Genl.'s Office,
18th January 1854.

OPIUM MEMORANDUM for the Week ending Tuesday, 17th January 1854.

YEARS.	PASSENGRANTED AT INDORE				IMPORTED INTO BOMBAY				EXPORTED BY SEA			
	Up to the 10th Jan. 1854.	From 11th to 17th January 1854.	Total.		Up to the 10th Jan. 1854.	From 11th to 17th January 1854.	Total.	Balance unaccounted for.				
For 1850-51. Chests	24,052 & 45 lbs.	24,044 & 45 lbs.	24,052 & 45 lbs.	8	24,044	24,044	45 lbs.					
" 1851-52. "	26,047	26,041	26,025	6	26,025	26,025	15					
" 1852-53. "	27,955	27,949	27,955	6	27,949	27,955	538					
" 1853-54. "	6,156	4,239	6,888	14	2,370	3,031	1,746					

Detail of Exports from 11th to 17th January 1854.

OF THE SEASON 1852-53.
Per Steamer " Malta" Chests 84
OF THE SEASON 1853-54.
Per Steamer " Malta" " 600
Total Chests 714

N.B.—In the Column headed " Detail of Exports," of the Opium Memorandum dated 11th and published in the Government Gazette of the 12th Instant, page 67, read as follows:—
Of the Season 1852-53, for " Chests 1051" read " Chests 15"
Of the Season 1853-54, for " Chests 15" read " Chests 1051"

H. YOUNG,
Opium Agent.

Bombay, Opium Agent's Office, 18th January 1854.

Notice

Is hereby given, that sealed received at this Office, on Wednesday, instant, until 2 o'clock p. m. (any de that hour will be rejected), for the SUP undermentioned ARTICLES:—

- 3 Tents, Subaltern, lined with Chintz.
- 8 Ditto, European Soldiers', Regulation.
- 9 Ditto, Native Infantry, Regulation.
- 1 Ditto, Beechova, lined with Chintz.
- 1 Ditto, Necessary, Regulation.
- 1 Ditto, Captain, lined with Blue.
- 4 Ditto, European Soldier, ditto.

Musters of the materials proposed to be used in the manufacture of the Tents should accompany the tenders, in which must be stated the period by which they will be made up, with the rates in words as well as in figures for the same.

No tenders will be received unless accompanied by a cash deposit of ten per cent. on the value of the Tents tendered by the party, which will be forfeited in the event of refusal or delay in making the supply within the limited time mentioned in the tender, or in the event of Tents being prepared of materials inferior to the musters.

These Tents are to be subject to the approval of a Committee of Officers.

The dimensions of the Tents, and 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 rejecting any offer.

F. P. MIGNON, Lieutenant,
For Acting Deputy Commissary General.
Bombay, Deputy Comm. Genl's Office,
18th January 1854.

Notice

Verbal offers will be received at this Office, at noon precisely on Monday next (18th inst), for the SUPPLY of the undermentioned ARTICLES, and of such others as this Department may be required to supply during the intermediate period, viz:—

- 1 Pffes, Teakwood, height 6 feet 2 inches, breadth 4 feet, and depth 2 feet.
- 6 Yards Oiled Cloth.
- 36 Thermometers, in Tin Cases, 8-inch.
- 229 lbs. Lace, Cotton, Tent, narrow, 1 1/4 inch broad.
- 1 Table, Writing, Teak, or Blackwood, 3 feet long, and 2 feet broad.
- 1 Cylinder, Pole, Tent, Native Infantry.
- 1 Pole Ridge, Tent, Native Infantry.
- 1 Pole, Tent, Shamiana.
- 1 Pole, Tent, Native Infantry.

An immediate deposit of ten per cent. on the amount of his offer (and where the amount of the offer falls short of 2 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

full value of the supplies for it been so preferred, unless it at the delay was unavoidable.

Sub-Assistants to be subject to examination and Hospital. Not approved of both by this and the Departments.

Plans may be seen, and all particulars learnt, 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.

F. P. MIGNON, Lieutenant,
For Acting Deputy Commissary General.

Bombay, Depy. Commr. Genl.'s Office,
18th January 1854.

Advertisement.

Tenders are hereby invited for the CONVEYANCE of (2) two Native Convicts to Singapore, and of (1) one European Convict either to Calcutta, Madras, or direct to Western Australia.

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

Commodore's Office, Bombay,
17th January 1854.

Notice

It 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 quantity 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.

List of Letters on which Steam Postage is due, and which are now lying unclaimed in the General Post Office, Bombay.

- 1 Bajeeba Kotwal Taboornekur, Bombay.
- 1 Messrs. Banjee and Nusserwanjee & Co., Bombay.
- 1 Eduljee Cursetjee, Esq., Eldest Son of the late Cursetjee Manockjee, Esq., near Mr. Candy's School, Sonapore.
- 1 Mr. Thomas Eales, Bombay; to be kept at the General Post Office till called for, East India.
- 2 Henry Fitzroy, Esq., D. P. W. Sealcode.
- 1 Mr. Forsyth, Superintendent Locomotive Department, Bombay Railway, Bombay.
- 1 Lieutenant R. Freer, H. M.'s 60th Rifles, Bombay.
- 1 Charles P. Georges, Esq., Indian Navy, Post Office, Bombay.
- 1 Mr. William Grant, No. 4 Company H. M.'s 86th Royal, Bombay.
- 1 Hawkes, Esq., Bombay.
- 1 Mrs. T. B. Harrison; care of T. B. Harrison, Esq., Adjutant to the 10th Bengal Cavalry, Post Office, Bombay.
- 1 The Inspector of Soldiers' Health, Hon'ble E. I. Company's House, Bombay.
- 1 Captain Jelly, Bombay, (Forbes & Co.)
- 1 Right Reverend Archbishop Kiriollus Yeeva Keem, Convent of St. Thomas, Bombay.
- 1 John Macfarlane, Seaman on board the H. E. I. Company's Schooner "Mahi," Bombay.
- 1 Sheik Mohamed and Ahmed, Sons of Sheik Abo Baker Youseff, Bombay.
- 1 Sergeant George Milton, Sub-Assistant Overseer, Executive Office, Engineer, Aden.
- 1 Lieutenant John Moore, 1st Bombay Grenadiers, Poona, Bombay.
- 2 William McGregor, on board the H. C. S. F. "Moozuffer."
- 1 Meerja Abdoolhosain, Esq., Bombay.
- 1 Charles E. Norton, Esq., H. C. Flag Ship "Hastings," Bombay.
- 1 Mrs. Ellen Phillipps, care of E. Phillipps, Esq., Engineer Department, Tanna.
- 1 Edward Watson Perry, Esq., Bombay.
- 2 Reverend William Strickland, Bombay.
- 2 Superjee Manockjee, Esq., Bombay.
- 1 Lieutenant Alexander F. Taylor, Bengal Artillery, Peshawar.
- 1 John and Mary Tensey, Hyderabad (Southampton Depot).
- 1 Reverend Mr. Vass, Nagpore.
- 2 Robert Wright, Esq., Bombay.

DUNCAN DAVIDSON,
Post Master General.

Bombay, General Post Office,
18th January 1854.

MILITARY ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

- 1854
- ARRIVALS.
- 12th Jan.—Lieutenant G. E. Horne, 1st Fusiliers, to join, from Poona.
- 13th " Lieutenant G. G. Murray, 3rd European Regt., on duty, from Baroda.

13th Jan.—Officiating Superintending Surgeon Kays, Poona Division of the Army, Medical Department, on leave, from Poona.
 14th " Lieutenant R. G. Rogers, 6th Bengal N. I., to join, from Surat.
 17th " Captain Peacocke, Staff, on duty, from Matheran.
 " " Lieutenant S. M. Arthur, 3rd Cavalry, on leave, from Nusseerabad.
 " " Captain Mackenzie, 3rd Cavalry, on leave, from Nusseerabad.
 18th " Superintending Surgeon Boyd, Staff, to join, from Tanna.
 " " Lieutenant C. T. Palin, 10th Regt. N. I., on leave, from Poona.

1854 DEPARTURES.

12th Jan.—Ensign F. T. Cornewall, 12th Regt. N. I., on leave, to Bandora.
 " " Ensign A. Hawthorn, 9th Regt. N. I., to join, to Surat.
 " " Captain S. Thacker, 9th Regt. N. I., to join, to Surat.
 " " Ensign Jervis, 9th Regt. N. I., to join, to Surat.
 " " Lieutenant H. F. Bolton, 12th Regt. N. I., on private affairs, to the Deccan.
 13th " Captain R. J. Shaw, Staff, to join, to Deesa.
 " " Ensign A. Hawthorn, 9th Regt. N. I., on duty, to Poona.
 " " Assistant Surgeon F. S. Stedman, 1st Fusiliers, to certificate, to England.
 " " Superintending Surgeon J. Boyd, Medical Department, on duty, to Tanna.
 " " Captain F. C. Wells, 15th Regt. N. I., on leave, to Egypt and Syria.
 16th " Captain G. H. Robertson, 25th Regt. N. I., to join, to Ahmedabad.
 " " Ensign A. Soppitt, 10th Regt. N. I., to rejoin, to Nusseerabad.
 17th " Ensign F. J. Stubbs, 27th Regt. N. I., to rejoin, to Poona.
 18th " Lieutenant R. G. Rogers, 6th Regt. Bengal N. I., to join, to Jumalpoore.
 " " Assistant Surgeon J. Donaldson, M.D., Madras Army, on sick certificate, to Europe.
 " " Lieutenant F. G. Steuart, 9th Regt. N. I., on duty, to Belgaum.
 " " Lieutenant H. Gillmore, A. D. C., 78th Highlanders, on duty, to Poona.
 " " Lieutenant R. Wallace, 5th Regt. N. L. I., to rejoin, to Marwar.
 " " Lieutenant F. G. Nownham, 23rd Regt. N. L. I., Bheel Agent, to rejoin, to Khandeish.

Bombay, Town Major's Office,
 18th January 1854.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

1854 ARRIVALS.

12th Jan.—Steamer Victoria, C. Menesse, from Surat 11th instant.
Passengers—22 Natives.
 " " Steamer Sir J. R. Carnac, J. Browne, from Surat 11th instant.
Passengers—12 Natives.
 13th " Ship Mobile, H. Ponsonby, from Port Philip 20th November.
 14th " French Barque Union, A. Landoy, from Bordeaux 30th August.
Passengers—Mrs. Landon; Mrs. Bonnal; and Mr. Riche.
 " " Steamer Phlox, F. M. Ellis, from Surat 13th instant.
Passengers—Lieutenant Rogers; and 35 Natives.

14th Jan.—Grab Brig Dadaloy, Goo 13th instant.
Passengers—4 Natives.
 15th " Barque William Shaud, H. M. Gow 17th August.
 17th " H. C. Steamer Acbar, W. C. Barker, 16th instant.

1854 DEPARTURES.

9th Jan.—Ship Thos. Campbell, T. Clark, to London.
 10th " Steamer Phlox, F. M. Ellis, to Surat.
Passengers—302 Natives.
 11th " Ship Burlington, H. C. Gamble, to Canton.
Passenger—Mrs. Gamble.
 " " H. M. Ship Fox, Captain J. W. Tarleton, to Point de Galle.
 " " Ship Cressy, J. D. Bell, to China.
 12th " American Ship Arabella, W. H. Cobbs, to Calcutta.
Passengers—Mr. Everett, and Servant.
 " " Steamer G. R. Clerk, J. Clark, to Surat.
Passengers—W. H. Harrison, Esq.; and 199 Natives.
 " " Ship Argaum, H. FitzMorris, to Liverpool.
 " " Ship Ann Mitchell, John Darroch, to Liverpool.
 13th " Eleanor, C. M. Starks, to London.
 14th " Barque Portesque, J. McKay, to Port Philip.
Passengers—Messrs. Scott, Rutterford, Tuohy, Phillip, Harrison, and Sanson. *Steerage*: 15 Men, 2 Women, and 4 Children.
 " " Ship Digby, R. J. Hilton, to Liverpool.
 " " Steamer J. R. Carnac, J. Browne, to Surat.
Passengers—28 Natives.
 " " Ship ~~...~~ Salaam, H. Jones, to Penang and Singapore.
Passengers—73 Convicts, 23 Guards, and 15 Natives.
 " " H. C. Steamer Semiramis, J. Frushard, Esq., Commander, to Aden.
Passengers—Mrs. Crispin, and European Servant; Mrs. Leighton, 2 Children, and European Servant; Commodore Lambert, R. N.; M. de Bresillac; Lieutenant Ewart, 16th Regt. M. N. I.; Lieutenant Robson, 20th Regt. M. N. I.; S. Coop, Esq.; Lieutenant W. T. Bowen, 16th Regt. N. I.; Captain Wells, 15th Regt. N. I.; Captain C. Yates; Captain Wrixon, and F. W. Rumble, Esq.
 15th " Ship Margaret, C. H. Barber, to London.
 16th " Steamer Victoria, C. Menesse, to Kurrachee.
Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Wood; Miss Baillie; and 15 Natives.
 " " Steamer Phlox, F. M. Ellis, to Surat.
Passengers—277 Natives.

A. K. CORFIELD,
 Senior Magistrate of Police.

Bombay, Police Office, 17th January 1854.

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