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PART I.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS TO THE PUBLIC.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

The following Statement, showing the GROSS and NET COLLECTIONS on account of LICENSE TAX and STAMP REVENUE of the BOMBAY PRESIDENCY (including the General and Political Treasuries subordinate thereto), during the month of December 1867, is published for general information:—

LICENSE TAX.		STAMP REVENUE.	
	Rs.		Rs.
Gross Collections	1,07,445	Gross Collections	3,57,316
Refunds	2,744	Refunds	7,814
Net Collections	<u>1,04,701</u>	Net Collections.....	<u>3,49,502</u>

By order,

E. W. RAVENSCROFT,
Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 15th February 1868.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

The following letter from the Government of India is published for general information :—

“No. 633.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA—FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Pensions and Gratuities.

To the ACTING CHIEF SECRETARY to the GOVERNMENT of BOMBAY.

Fort William, the 31st January 1868.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 30th December 1867, No. 1587, submitting the recommendation of the Government of Bombay, that under the existing rules for pensions to Uncovenanted Servants, service in acting appointments may be allowed to count towards pension.

2. The Governor General in Council observes, that as a person on a permanent establishment who may be appointed to act in another situation is entitled, by virtue of his substantive appointment, to count towards pension the period of employment in the acting situation, an alteration of rule is unnecessary for this class of servants. With regard again to servants who may be appointed to act in offices higher than their own at any time during the last five years of their service, it would, owing to the frequency of acting appointments, be exceedingly inconvenient to allow them to reckon their pension upon the higher allowances received during the period of acting employment, especially as the permanent holder also would compute his pension upon the substantive pay of the appointment.

3. But persons not permanently enrolled on any Government establishment who act for absent Uncovenanted Servants in eligible grades, and others employed in ineligible grades who may be appointed to act in eligible grades, may count for pension, the period of officiating service, provided that they are subsequently confirmed, and that the absentees are not allowed to count towards pension the period of their absence, whether as regards allowances on retirement, or the period of qualifying service.

I have the honour to be, &c.,

(Signed) E. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.”

By order,

E. W. RAVENSCROFT,
Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 17th February 1868.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Under the provisions of Section 33 of Act VI. of 1863, it is hereby notified for general information that the following Stations at each of the Ports and Rivers within the limits of the Northern Division have been fixed as those beyond which it shall not be lawful for any Vessel, arriving from any Foreign Port, to pass, until the Master or Commander thereof shall have delivered to the Officer of Customs a Report or Manifest :—

At Kolach.

The landing-place near the Custom-house.

At Oomersarec.

The landing-place near the Custom-house.

At Bulsar.

The Bunder at Bhaugra.

At Mutwar.

The landing-place near the Custom-house.

At Surat.

The Nowree or Steamer Bunder.

At Bugwa.

The landing-place near the Custom-house.

At Broach.

The landing-place near Byramshaw's Cotton Ginning House.

At Delh.

The landing-place near the Custom-house.

At Tankaria.

The Wharf at the Bunder.

At Dehgaum.

The landing-place near the Custom-house.

At Gogo.

The Custom-house Chowkee at the Bunder.

At Bowleearce.

The landing-place near the Custom-house.

At Khoon.

The site of the post of the Harbour Light at the Bunder.

By order,

E. W. RAVENSCROFT,
Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 19th February 1868.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

The following Notification by the Government of India is republished:—

"The 7th February 1868.

No. 607.

The undermentioned Specifications of Inventions have been filed, under the provisions of Act XV. of 1859, in the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. Copies have been sent to one of the Secretaries to each of the Governments of Bengal, Fort St. George, Bombay, and the North-eastern Provinces. A copy of every Specification is open, at all reasonable hours, at the Office of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department at the Presidency, to public inspection, upon payment of a fee of one Rupee. A certified copy of any Specification will be given to any person requiring the same, on payment of the expense of copying:—

No. 336.—Mr. W. Edwards, Assistant Engineer, Mysore, Department of Public Works, Hassan Division, for Hydrostatic Sluice Gate.

No. 360.—Mr. R. MacKenzie, Engineer, Bombay, for fastening Bales of Cotton, Wool, or other goods with hoop iron.

No. 361.—Lieutenant Colonel E. Money, of Chittagong, for an economical production of burning Gas applicable to lighting and heating purposes."

By order,

E. W. RAVENSCROFT,
Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 19th February 1868.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Under Clause 26 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts' Act of 1863, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Officers, on the dates specified, were received in the Military Department during the month of January 1868:—

Corps or Department.	Rank and Names.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.
Her Majesty's 33rd Regiment.	Captain J. C. Smythe	23rd December 1867	Hospital Ship lying off Abyssinia.
Bombay Invalid Establishment	Captain P. Cowley	8th January 1868 ..	At Agra.
H. M.'s 45th Regiment ...	Captain P. Barlow	27th " " ..	" " Bombay.

W. F. MARRIOTT, Colonel,

Bombay Castle, 19th February 1868.

Secretary to Government.

GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

NOTIFICATION BY THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

The Honourable the Chief Justice and Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature at Bombay have issued a Sunnud, dated 18th February 1868, to Mr. Madhuvrao Ramchundr (late a Pleader in the Dharwar District), authorising him to practise as a Pleader in the Kulladghee District.

KHANDERAO C. BEDARKAR,
Deputy Registrar.

*Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature,
Bombay, 19th February 1868.*

GENERAL ORDERS

BY THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 19th February 1868.

No. 114 of 1868.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 4th February 1868, No. 108, is republished:—

“No. 108 of 1868.—It is hereby notified that Officers proceeding by Government Transports, whether steamers or sailing vessels, by Government River Steamers or by Rail, on duty of a nature likely to render the use of Camp Equipage necessary, will, when practicable, be allowed free conveyance for such Camp Equipage within the regulated scale* according to the Officer's rank, or as may be in each case specially

* Government General Order No. 1129 of 1862. ordered; the necessity for taking Camp Equipage being decided by the authorities sanctioning the passage.

The Camp Equipage of Officers proceeding with Troops or to join a Field Force by steamer, sailing vessel, river steamer, or other mode of conveyance belonging to private individuals or Companies, will be conveyed, at the public expense.

(Signed) H. W. NORMAN, Colonel,
Secretary to the Government of India.”

No. 115 of 1868.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 5th February 1868, No. 113, is republished:—

“No. 113 of 1868.—The Right Honourable the Governor General in Council is pleased to authorize the issue to European Non-Commissioned Officers and Soldiers, in Departmental or Staff employ, of the ordinary Soldier's ration in kind at Stations where there is an Executive Commissariat Officer or Agency for the supply of British Troops, whenever they prefer such issue to the receipt of ration money.

2. This arrangement to have effect from 1st April 1868.

3. As frequent changes in the nature of such issues would tend to inconvenience and loss, the election once made must continue in force for the remainder of the official year.

4. Application for the issue of rations for the ensuing year should be made on or prior to 15th March annually or in the case of Non-Commissioned Officers newly appointed, or removed from one Station to another, within 15 days from date of joining.

5. The principles of this order are applicable to the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay.

(Signed) H. W. NORMAN, Colonel,
Secretary to the Government of India.”

No. 116 of 1868.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th February 1868, No. 115, is republished:—

“No. 115 of 1868.—As it is desirable that the practice in India should conform to that adopted by the War Office in regard to the mode of carrying out Article 10 of the Good Conduct Pay Regulations, as notified in General Orders, Queen's Troops, of 8th March 1861, subsequently modified in General Orders, Queen's Troops, of 11th May following, His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the period of good service necessary to entitle a Soldier to the grant or restoration of Good Conduct Pay, should count from the date of offence when minor punishments, not involving imprisonment, are inflicted, but that in cases where imprisonment is awarded, the qualifying period of good service should be reckoned from the date only of release, and not of offence.

2. Attention is also directed to the distinction between cases wherein a Soldier, after forfeiting all his Good Conduct Pay, is again entered in the Regimental Defaulter's Book and those of ordinary restoration, as set forth in Clauses 10 and 11 of the Good Conduct Regulations above referred to.

(Signed) H. W. NORMAN, Colonel,
Secretary to the Government of India.”

No. 117 of 1868.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th February 1868, No. 116, is republished:—

“No. 116 of 1868.—With reference to Government General Order No. 782 of the 7th August 1867, publishing a despatch from the Secretary of State laying down that portion of Colonel Maxwell's column, and that portion only, which crossed the Jumna, and took part in the reduction of Calpee, is to be held to have established a right to share in the Prize Money taken by the Central India Field Force, it is hereby notified that the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India has since decided that all Officers and men who can be shown, on whichever bank placed, to have taken an active part in the reduction of Calpee, will be admitted to share in the prize above referred to.

(Signed) H. W. NORMAN, Colonel,
Secretary to the Government of India.”

No. 118 of 1868.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 6th February 1868, No. 118, is republished:—

“No. 118 of 1868.—The following promotions are made, subject to Her Majesty’s approval :—

Brevet.

Rank, Name, and Corps.	To what rank promoted.	From what Date.	In succession to
Major William Abercrombie Dick, Bombay Staff Corps.	Lieut. Colonel.	9th Dec. 1867.	Lieutenant General C. Godby, C.B., Bengal Infantry, deceased.”
* * * * *	*	*	* *

No. 119 of 1868.—The following Orders by Major General Sir Charles Staveley, dated 28th December 1867, are confirmed:—

Captain Ellis, Royal Artillery, to act as Bazaar Master at Zoulla, with effect from the 10th idem.

Lieutenant Holt, 4th Foot, to officiate as Provost Marshal at Zoulla.

Errata.—With reference to G. G. O., No. 18 of 1868, for “Havildar Ramdeen Agnihotree” read “Havildar Ramdeen Aginhotree;” for “Havildar Dajee Talooka,” read “Havildar Dajee Salooka;” for “Jemedar Babajee Gourd,” read “Jemedar Babajee Gowra.”

No. 120 of 1868.—The following General Orders by His Excellency Sir Robert Napier, G.C.S.I., K.C.B., Commanding Abyssinian Field Force, dated Head Quarters, Camp Zoulla, 20th January 1868, are republished:—

“XXXI. The complete establishment of Tent Lascars for the Force not having arrived, and the services of these men being required in the Ordnance Department here, the following proportion of Lascars will be allowed to all Corps, European or Native, using Native Soldiers’ Tents:—

Two Lascars to 112 Commissioned and Non-Commissioned Officers and Rank and File.

XXXII. The undermentioned Medical Officers, serving on board the Hospital Ships “Golden Fleece,” “Mauritius,” and “Queen of the South,” are reported to have arrived at Aden, en route for Abyssinia, on the dates specified:—

Ship ‘Golden Fleece.’

Staff Surgeon Roch, Staff Assistant Surgeon Murphy—7th December 1867.

Ship ‘Mauritius.’

Staff Surgeon Woodward, Assistant Surgeon Fairland—18th December 1867.

Ship ‘Queen of the South.’

Staff Surgeon Chartres, Staff Assistant Surgeon Wheeler—22nd December 1867.

XXXIII. Captain J. G. Watts, Bombay Staff Corps, has been appointed Extra Aide-de-Camp to Major General Malcolm, C.B., subject to confirmation.

XXXIV. The undermentioned Officer is attached to the Land Transport Train, as a Subaltern of Division, and will report himself accordingly to Major Warden:—

Lieutenant H. R. Abadie, 11th Hussars.

XXXV. His Excellency the Commander in Chief is pleased to notify that the whole road from Zoulla to Senafe is under the direction of the Commanding Engineer, who will duly communicate with the respective General and other Officers commanding as to what assistance in working parties he may require.

Captain Willoughby, Assistant Commissary General, will return to Suez, by the first opportunity, and resume charge of the Commissariat (Abyssinian Expeditionary Force) in Egypt, from Major Stansfield, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, who will remain in Egypt to assist Captain Willoughby.

Lieutenant Luckhardt, 109th Foot, attached to the Land Transport Train, is transferred to the Commissariat Department as an Acting Sub-Assistant Commissary General, 1st Class, and is attached as assistant to Captain Willoughby until further orders.

XXXVI. The undermentioned Officers of the Royal Navy, having been placed by Commodore Heath, C.B., at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander in Chief, are appointed Assistant Field Engineers, from the dates specified below:—

Lieutenant S. C. Darwin, R.N., H.M.S. “Satellite,” from the 29th October 1867, to date of relief, for the purpose of superintending the water supply.

Lieutenant Pounds, R.N., H.M.S. “Octavia,” is appointed Assistant Field Engineer from such date as he may receive charge of the watering arrangements from Lieutenant Darwin, the latter Officer’s services being required with H. M. S. “Satellite.”

Lieutenant A. S. Phillpots, R.N., H.M.S., “Satellite,” from the 1st January 1868, for the purpose of conducting the duties of Traffic Manager, Railway Department.

This cancels so much of G. O. C. No. IX. of the 8th instant as relates to Lieutenant Phillpots.

By order of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

(Signed) W. E. MACLEOD, Lieut. Colonel,

Acting Deputy Adjutant General.”

No. 121 of 1868.—The following General Orders by His Excellency Sir Robert Napier, G.C.S.I., K.C.B. Commanding Abyssinian Field Force, dated Head Quarters, Camp Zoulla, 23rd January 1868, are republished :—

“XL. The undermentioned Officers are attached, as Subalterns of Division, to the Land Transport Corps :—

Captain J. R. Strutt, 3rd N. I.
 Captain G. S. Stevens, Bombay Staff Corps.
 Captain Seton, 102nd Foot.
 Lieutenant W. J. Holt, 1-4th Foot, when relieved of his present duties.
 Lieutenant P. C. Storey, 26th Foot.
 Lieutenant E. J. Lugard, 1-4th Foot.
 Lieutenant F. T. Goad, 45th Foot.
 Ensign D. Barr, 33rd Foot.
 Ensign W. C. Harrison, 1-4th Foot.

XLI. The undermentioned Officers are reported to have arrived at Suez, en route for Abyssinia, on the dates specified :—

Ensign Turner, 1-4th Foot, 7th November 1867.
 Ensign Irving, do. do.
 Lieutenant Vidal, do. 23rd November 1867.
 Captain Kittoe, do. 30th December 1867.
 Captain Trent, 33rd Foot, do.
 Captain Fawcett, do. do.
 Lieutenant Goring, do. do.
 Ensign Wright, 45th Foot, do.

XLII. The following scale shows the amount of Camp Equipage, Carriage, Sick Carriage, and Native Followers allowed for every Regiment and Battery composing this Force :—

Camp Equipage.

1	Bell Tent	for each Commanding Officer.
1	do.	for every 2 other officers to Senafe, and for 3 beyond Senafe.
1	do.	(single cloth) for every 5 Staff Serjeants or Warrant Officers.
1	do.	do. for every 4 Native Commissioned Officers.
1	do.	do. for 12 European Non-Commissioned rank and file.
1	do.	do. for 14 Native Non-Commissioned rank and file.
1	do.	do. for Guards for each Regiment or Battery.
1	do.	do. for Stores for each Regiment.
1	do.	do. for Hospital Establishment for Regiment or Battery.
1	do.	do. for Hospital Necessary for each Regiment.
2	Tents, Native Soldiers'	double poled, for Hospital for each Regiment.
1	do.	do. for Hospital for each Battery.
1	Bell Tent,	for Hospital for a Company of Royal Engineers.
1	do.	do. for a Company of Native Sappers (when detached).
1	do.	do. for a Battery of Native Artillery.
1	Mule	for every 2 Bell Tents.
3	do.	for every 2 Native Soldiers' double-poled Tents.
1	do.	for the conveyance of each Officer's personal baggage.
1	do.	do. of the Mess Kit of every 3 Officers.
1	do.	do. of the baggage of every 3 Staff Serjeants.
1	do.	do. of the baggage of every 4 European Non-Commissioned rank and file.
1	do.	do. of the baggage of every 3 Native Officers.
1	do.	do. of the baggage of every 5 Native Non-Commissioned rank and file.
5	do.	do. of the cooking utensils of a British Regiment.
1	do.	do. of the cooking utensils of a Battery Royal Artillery.
2	do.	do. of the Quarter Master's Stores of a British Infantry Regiment.
1	do.	do. of the Quarter Master's Stores of a Battery.
1	do.	do. of the Quarter Master's Stores of a Native Regiment.
1	do.	do. of Office Books of each Regiment and Battery.
1	do.	do. of Armourer's Stores of each Regiment.
8	do.	do. of the Entrenching Tools of each Regiment.
13	do.	do. of the Hospital Stores of a British Regiment.
6	do.	do. of the Hospital Stores of a Native do.
3	do.	do. of the Hospital Stores of a Battery, Royal Artillery.
1	do.	do. of the Hospital Stores of a Native Battery, or Company of Sappers.
2	do.	do. of the Hospital Stores of a Company, Royal Engineers.
22	do.	do. of the spare Ammunition of a British Regiment.
20	do.	do. of the spare Ammunition of a Native Regiment.
6	do.	do. of the spare Ammunition of a Company, Royal Engineers, or a Company of Sappers.

Sick Carriage.

Dandies (with 4 bearers each) will be issued at the rate of 1 for every 20 European Non-Commissioned rank and file, and for every 100 Native Non-Commissioned rank and file.

1 Dooly with 6 bearers will be allowed to each Regiment.

Followers.

The only Native Followers, Public or Private, allowed to proceed with the Troops, will be as follows : and no extra Carriage will be permitted for the conveyance of their baggage :—

26 Cooks for each British Regiment.
 6 do. for a Field Battery of Artillery.
 5 do. for a Mountain Train Battery.
 3 do. for a Company of Royal Engineers.

- Puckaul Bheesties according to existing regulations.
 Hand Bheesties do do.
 1 Servant for the Mess Kit of every 3 Officers.
 1 Grass Cutter for each Officer's Horse.
 1 Syce or Grass Cutter for each Battery Horse of a Field Battery.
 25 Muleteers for each Mountain Train Battery Royal Artillery.
 1 Grass Cutter for every 2 Mules of a Mountain Train Battery of Royal or Native Artillery.
 47 Muleteers for a Battery of Native Artillery.
 3 Artificers for each Battery of Royal Artillery and 7 for Native Artillery.

The strength of Hospital Establishments for Field and Regimental Hospitals will be published hereafter.

Regimental and Battery Officers are allowed each a Soldier Servant.

XLIII. The undermentioned Officer on the Staff of the Abyssinian Expeditionary Force, arrived at Suez on the 11th January 1868.

Colonel the Honourable F. A. Thesiger, 95th Foot, Deputy Adjutant General.

By order of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

(Signed) F. THESIGER, Colonel,
 Deputy Adjutant General."

No. 122 of 1868.—The following appointment in the Abyssinian Field Force, by His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir Robert Napier, G.C.S.I., and K.C.B., is confirmed :—

Colonel the Honorable F. A. Thesiger, 95th Regiment, to be Deputy Adjutant General of the Force, in room of Colonel Kirby, appointed Adjutant General of the Bombay Army.

No. 123 of 1868.—Captain A. A. Gordon, of the 1st Regiment Madras Light Cavalry, is allowed leave of absence for six months on private affairs.

No. 124 of 1868.—The undermentioned Out-pensioner of Chelsea Hospital, having been permitted to reside and draw his stipend in this Presidency, payment of pension is to be made and charged accordingly :—

Name.	Late		Amount of pension per diem.	Proportion of pension chargeable to the Indian and Imperial Revenues.		Date of commencement of pension.
	Rank.	Regiment.		Indian.	Imperial.	
Thomas Corbett	Gunner	21st Brigade Royal Artillery.	1s.	$\frac{2}{3}$ ths.	$\frac{1}{3}$ ths.	From the date on which he ceases to draw Regimental Pay or Allowances.

No. 125 of 1868.—The following Native promotion is made :—

Corps.	Rank and Name.	To what rank promoted.	From what Date.	In whose room.
6th Regt. N. I. . .	Subedar Shaik Wullee Mahomed.	Subedar Major	1st Jan. 1868 . .	Subedar Major Bahadour Syed Currim, pensioned.

Corrigendum.—In G. G. O. No. 75 of 1868,* republishing G. O. G. I. No. 69 of 1868, in Scale of Rates for

* Published at pages 80 and 81 of Bombay Government Gazette of 30th January 1868. "Furlough and Invalid Pay, Retired and Wound Pensions," under column for "Invalid Monthly Pay" and opposite "Conductors" for "Rs. 130" read "Rs. 100."

W. F. MARRIOTT, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

CIVIL APPOINTMENTS, &c.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 15th February 1868.

The Honourable the Chief Justice and Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature have sanctioned the closing, for six weeks, from the 20th April next, of the Civil Courts in the Canara District.

Messrs. F. Birkbeck and E. G. Sharkey, Supernumerary Assistants to the Collector of Surat, are invested with the powers of Subordinate Magistrates of the Second Class in that district.

Bombay Castle, 18th February 1868.

Mr. R. E. Candy, Second Assistant to the Collector of Canara, is invested with the powers contemplated in Act XIII. of 1859 in the Canara District.

Showkiram Nundiram, Mooktyarkar of Kurrachee, is invested with the powers of a Subordinate Magistrate of the First Class in the Kurrachee District.

Assunmull Jeshunmull Head Moonshee at Beyla, is invested with the powers of a Subordinate Magistrate of the Second Class in the Kurrachee District.

Bombay Castle, 19th February 1868.

Mr. I. Dracup, Hoozoor Deputy Collector of Dharwar, is invested with the powers of a Magistrate in that district.

Mr. A. H. Plunkett, Hoozoor Deputy Collector of Tanna, is invested with the powers of a Magistrate in that district.

By order of the Right Honourable the Governor in Council,

C. GONNE,
Secretary to Government.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 14th February 1868.

Mr. Narrayen Bullal, Sub-Deputy Conservator of Forests, Tanna, acted for Mr. Williams, as Deputy Conservator, from the 14th November 1867 to the 6th January 1868.

Bombay Castle, 17th February 1868.

Mr. Dracup is transferred to Dharwar as Hoozoor Deputy Collector, and confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. Plunkett is transferred as Hoozoor Deputy Collector from Dharwar to Tanna.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 15th February 1868.

The undermentioned Covenanted and Uncovenanted Officers have been granted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India extensions of leave for the periods specified :—

Covenanted.

Mr. F. R. S. Wyllie..... Two months, on sick certificate.

Uncovenanted.

Mr. J. C. V. Johnson Six months. } On sick certificate.
,, A. C. Cumming ,, }

2. The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Secretary of State to return to their duties :—

Covenanted.

Mr. T. Bosanquet..... On 5th January 1868, *via* Marseilles.

Uncovenanted.

Lieutenant T. C. R. Carpendale, late I. N.. On expiration of leave.
Mr. J. E. C. Pryce Ditto.

By order,

E. W. RAVENSCROFT,
Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 19th February 1868.

Professor J. P. Hughlings, B. A., availed himself of the sick leave for twelve months granted to him under the Government Notification dated the 29th January last, from the 1st instant.

By order of the Right Honourable the Governor in Council,

C. GONNE,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION BY THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL.

No. 64.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

The following Circular from the Controller General of Accounts is published for the information and guidance of Officers in charge of Treasuries:—

“FINES AND PENALTIES IMPOSED BY JUDICIAL OFFICERS UNDER THE ABKAREE AND STAMP ACTS TO BE CREDITED TO LAW AND JUSTICE.

*Office of Controller General of Accounts, Central Accounts Branch;
Calcutta, the 5th February 1868.*

CIRCULAR No. 67.

From the CONTROLLER GENERAL OF ACCOUNTS,
To all ACCOUNTANTS GENERAL.

Sir,—Under orders of the Government of India in the Financial Department, No. 359, dated 17th ultimo, I have the honour to request that you will credit under Law and Justice, from 1868-69, all realizations of fines and penalties imposed by Judicial Officers under the Abkaree and Stamp Acts.

I have the honour, &c.,

(Signed) E. F. HARRISON,
Controller General of Accounts.”

C. E. CHAPMAN,
Deputy Accountant General.

Bombay, Accountant General's Office, 13th February 1868.

NOTIFICATION BY THE REVENUE AND POLICE COMMISSIONER.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

The following transfer and appointment on the G. I. P. Railway Police are sanctioned:—
Third Class Inspector Abdool Feerooz to be transferred from Nassick to Sholapoor.
Sheoram Pandoprun, Chief Constable, to be Third Class Inspector at Nassick.

A. F. BELLASIS,
Officiating Police Commissioner, S.D.

Camp Sholapoor, 14th February 1868.

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE COMMISSIONER IN SIND.

The following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Municipality of Kurrachee under Class III:—

Motano Mull, son of Atmaran, vice Khemchund.
Ramdass, son of Bhanjee, vice Soonderjee Beragjee.

Commissioner's Office, Kurrachee, 8th February 1868.

Assistant Surgeon J. Ffolliott, Acting Civil Surgeon at Hyderabad, has passed an Interpreter's Examination in the Sindhee language.

The following Native gentlemen have been appointed Members of the Municipality of Oomercote:—

Jogeedass wulud Dhara Ooswar, vice Koja Ooswar, deceased.
Heera wulud Takooriah Keerar, vice Vcendo Keerar, deceased.

Commissioner's Office, Camp Kotree, 14th February 1868.

W. H. HAVELOCK,
Commissioner in Sind.

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE REGISTRAR GENERAL OF ASSURANCES.

Cazee Oomed Ali and Major F. Phillips respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of the Registrar of Assurances, Hyderabad, in the forenoon of the 24th January 1868.

J. MOORE,
Branch Registrar General in Sind.

Kurrachee, Branch General Registry Office, 8th February 1868.

The following Officers have respectively delivered over and received charge of Sub-Registry Offices on the dates specified:—

District.	Sub-District.	Names of Officers delivering over charge.	Names of Officers receiving charge.	Date of the same.	Time.
Ahmednuggur	Kopergaon ..	Mr. Pandoorang Raghoo-nath.	Mr. Harry Sakharam ..	3rd Feb. 1868	In the after-noon.
Poona	Poona	Mr. Cashinath Ramchun-dra.	Mr. Madhaorao Mulhar.	15th do. ..	In the fore-noon.
Alibaug	Mhar	Mr. Gunpatrao Atma-ram.	Mr. Sakharam Gopall ..	6th do. ..	In the after-noon.
Ahmedabad ..	Dholka	Mr. Nubhoolal Nahana-lal.	Azum Madhaolal Bap-poojee Mamlutdar.	6th do. ..	In the fore-noon.

F. F. ARBUTHNOT,

Bombay, General Registry Office, 19th February 1868.

Registrar General.

NOTIFICATIONS UNDER THE REGISTRATION ACT, 1866.

STATEMENT of Appointments made under Section 12 of Act XX. of 1866 between the 13th and 19th February 1868.

No.	Persons appointed.	To what duties.	At what place.
1	Mr. Vinayek Pandoorung	Officiating Sub-Registrar.	Egutpoora, in the Ahmednuggur District.
2	Hurry Sakharam	Do. do.	Kopergaon ditto ditto.
3	Azum Madhaolal Bappoojee Mamlut-dar	Do. do.	Dholka, in the Ahmedabad District.

F. F. ARBUTHNOT,

Bombay, General Registry Office, 19th February 1868.

Registrar General.

STATEMENT of Appointments made under Sections 9, 10, 11, and 12 of the Registration Act XX. of 1866, by the Branch Registrar General in Sind, during the week ending the 8th February 1868.

No.	Person appointed.	For what duties.	At what place.	REMARKS.
1	Chundoo Mull	Sub-Registrar.	Dadoo, in the Kur-rachee District.	From 10th January 1868, vice Soorutram, proceeding on six months' leave.

J. MOORE,

Branch Registrar General in Sind.

Branch Registrar General's Office, Kurrachee, 8th February 1868.

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE INSPECTOR GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL DEPT.

No. 16.—Sub-Assistant Surgeon Girdhurlal Rutunlal, attached to the Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy Hospital, is directed to proceed to Kurrachee, and assume charge of the Charitable Dispensary at that Station, during the absence on leave of Sub-Assistant Surgeon Abdool Kurcem Lookmanjee.

No. 17.—The following transfers are ordered :—

		<i>From</i>		<i>To</i>
2nd Grade Apprentice,	Moona Lal (No. 637) ..	Raepore Dispensary ..	Civil Hospital, Ahmedabad.	
“	“	Ramayah (No. 698)	9th Regt. N. I.....	Raepore Dispensary.

By order of the Inspector General Indian Medical Department,

T. B. JOHNSTONE, M.D.,

Surgeon Major, Secretary.

Bombay, 19th February 1868.

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

Changes of Address.—All communications on the Subject should be made to the **POST MASTER** of Bombay, or other **POST MASTERS**, and not to the **POST MASTER GENERAL**. The name of the Post Town to which letters will be found addressed should be stated in the application.

No request for alteration in the destination of letters can be attended to in the Bombay Post Office after the Overland Mail is signalled.

Complaints from Residents of Bombay requiring redress as to surcharge of postage, missending, or delay in the delivery of letters, &c., should be made to the Post Master, accompanied by the envelopes of the letters referred to.

Similar complaints in the Mofussil should be made to the Inspecting Post Master of the Division, also accompanied by the envelope.

An appeal against the decision of the Post Master of Bombay, or of the Inspecting Post Master, can always be made to the Post Master General.

Overland Mails.—The two next Overland Mails per P. and O. Company's Steam Packet will be closed at the dates and hours below named:—

Saturday, 29th February 1868, 2 P.M. After Packet until 5 P.M.

Saturday, 7th March do. Do, do.

After-Packet Letters will not be forwarded unless an 8-anna stamp is affixed to the letter in addition to the postage.

Registered Letters will be received until 1 P.M.

The latest hour for posting Overland Covers at the several Branch Post Offices is 1 P.M.

China Mail.—The Post Office Packets for CEYLON, PENANG, SINGAPORE, and HONGKONG, per P. & O. Company's Steamer, will be closed on Saturday, the 29th February 1868, at 6 o'clock P.M. A Packet for late Letters will be kept open, on payment of the usual fee, until 7 A.M. on the 1st proximo.

Postal Guide.—The Bombay Postal Guide, with Postal Map of the Bombay Postal Circle, corrected up to the 1st May 1867, can now be had on application at the Post Office.—*Price 1 Rupee.*

DESPATCH OF MAILS FROM BOMBAY.

MAILS.	Latest hour for Posting.		
	At General Post Office.		At Branch Post Offices.
	Ordinary Letters and Papers.	After Packet Letters.	
For Post Towns on the N. E. Line of the G. I. P. Railway, <i>i.e.</i> for Khandeish, Malwa, Berar, Central Provinces, Punjab, N. W. Provinces, and Bengal	4-30 P.M.	5 P.M.	3-30 P.M.
For Post Towns on the S. E. Line of the G. I. P. Railway, <i>i.e.</i> for Poona, the Deccan, S. M. Country, and Madras Presidency	1 P.M.	2 P.M.	0-30 P.M.
For Post Towns on the S. E. Line of the G. I. P. Railway, <i>i.e.</i> for Stations on the Railway Line as far as Poona	8 A.M.	{ 5 P.M. of previous day. 5 P.M. of previous day.
For Post Towns on the B. B. and C. I. Railway, <i>i.e.</i> for Post Offices on the Railway Line, Guzerat, Scinde, Kattiawar, and Kutch	4-30 A. M.	5 A.M.	

Registered Letters and Banghy Parcels for despatch by all Mails will be received, except on Sundays, from 7 to 8 A.M. and from 12 (noon) to 5 P.M.

Overland Mails.—In continuation of this Office Postal Notice, dated the 26th instant, the following Table, showing the dates of departure of Overland Mail Steamers from Bombay during the year 1868, is published for general information.

It will be noticed that, *during the monsoon months*, the P. & O. Co.'s weekly Contract Steamers will quit Bombay on *Tuesdays*.

Leave Bombay on			Leave Bombay on		
Month.	Day.	At 5 P.M.	Month.	Day.	At 5 P.M.
January 1868	Tuesday	14	July 1868	Tuesday	21
Ditto	Wednesday	29	Ditto	"	28
February	Friday	14	August	"	4
Ditto	Saturday	29	Ditto	"	11
March	"	7	Ditto	"	18
Ditto	"	14	Ditto	"	25
Ditto	"	21	September	"	1
Ditto	"	28	Ditto	"	8
April	"	4	Ditto	"	15
Ditto	"	11	Ditto	"	22
Ditto	"	18	Ditto	"	29
Ditto	"	25	October	"	6
May	"	2	Ditto	"	13
Ditto	"	9	Ditto	"	20
Ditto	Tuesday	12	Ditto	Saturday	31
Ditto	"	19	November	"	7
Ditto	"	26	Ditto	"	14
June	"	2	Ditto	"	21
Ditto	"	9	Ditto	"	28
Ditto	"	16	December	"	5
Ditto	"	23	Ditto	"	12
Ditto	"	30	Ditto	"	19
July	"	7	Ditto	"	26
Ditto	"	14			

China Mails.—In supersession of Postal Notices Nos. 57 and 6, dated 28th December 1867 and 27th ultimo, the subjoined Table, showing dates of departure of China and Australian Mail Steamers from Bombay during the year 1868, is published for general information:—

CHINA MAILS.		AUSTRALIAN MAILS.	
Months and Dates.		Months and Dates.	
January 1868	9 A. M.	January 1868	9 A. M.
Ditto	15	February	15
February	30	March	15
March	15		Noon
March	1	April	"
Ditto	15	May	15
Ditto	27	June	12
Ditto	17	July	10
May	1	August	7
Ditto	15	September	4
Ditto	29	October	2
June	12	Ditto	30
Ditto	26	November	27
July	10	December	25
Ditto	24	January 1869	22
August	7		
Ditto	21		
September	4		
Ditto	18		
October	2		
Ditto	16		
Ditto	30		
November	13		
Ditto	27		
December	11		
Ditto	25		
January 1869	8		
Ditto	22		

Arrangements having been made for the establishment of an Indian Post Office in connection with the Abyssinian Expeditionary Force, the public are hereby informed that Letters and other articles addressed to Abyssinia, for transmission *viâ* Aden by British or French Mail Packets, will be subject to the same conditions and rates of postage as if addressed to Aden.

2. Letters and other articles posted in Abyssinia, for transmission *viâ* Aden by British or French Mail Packets, will be subject to the same conditions and rates of postage as if posted in Aden.

3. Letters and other articles conveyed by Indian Post from one part of Abyssinia to another, or between Abyssinia and Aden, will be subject to the conditions and rates of the Indian Inland Post.

List of Books now lying at the Dead Letter Office without addresses.

- 2 Griffith Gaunt, Vols. I. and II.
- 2 Friends in Council, Vols. I. and II.
- 1 Short Studies on Great Subjects, Vol. II.
- 2 A Troubled Stream, Vols. II. and III.
- 2 Weighed in the Balance, Vols. I. and II.
- 1 Field Exercise, 1867.
- 1 Packet containing Photographic Views.
- 1 The Army List.
- 1 Bundle containing Illustrated London News and other papers.
- 1 The Retrospect of Medicine, by W. Braithwaite, M.D.
- 1 Children's Prize 1867.
- 1 The Christmas Eve Dream.
- 1 Sutton's Amateur's Guide.
- 1 Packet of Patterns of Muslin.
- 1 Do. of Blank Cards.
- 1 Do. of small Pamphlets.
- 2 Army Lists for *January* 1868.
- 1 Gentleman's Washing Book.
- 1 Leather Pocket Book, without pencil.
- 1 Packet containing sample of coloured Woollen Cloth.

Book Post.—Consequent on an alteration of the postage rates on packets of Books and Patterns or Samples of Merchandize forwarded through the German Postal Union, the following reduced rates will be chargeable on Packets of the above description posted in India, and addressed *viâ* the United Kingdom to those places* in Turkey, Moldavia, or Wallachia, at which Austrian Post Offices have been established, viz:—

For a Packet.

Not exceeding 2 ozs.	Exceeding 2 ozs. and not exceeding 4 ozs.	Exceeding 4 ozs. and not exceeding 8 ozs.	Exceeding 8 ozs. and not exceeding 1 lb.	Every additional $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.
Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
0 3 8	0 6 4	0 12 8	1 9 4	0 12 8

No packet of patterns or samples must exceed 8 ozs. in weight, and no book packet must exceed 3 lbs. in weight.

The above rates include the Indian inland postage of one anna per 4 ozs.

* Adrianople, Alexandretta, Aativari, Bakan, Berlad, Beyrout, Boluschany, Bourgas, Bucharest, Caifa, Candia, Canea, Cavalla, Chio (Ichesme), Constantinople, Dardanelles, Durazzo, Fookschan, Galatz, Gallipole, Guirgevo, Ibruila, Ineboli, Jaffa, Janina, Jassy, Jerusalem, Kustendjee, Lagos, Larnaka, Latakia, Mersina, Mitylene, Philippopol, Piatra, Plojeshte, Prevesa, Retimo, Rhodes, Reman, Rutshuk, Salonica, Samsoun, Seres, Sinope, Smyrna, Sofia, Sulina, Tchernavoda, Tenedos, Trebiyond, Tripoli, Tultscha, Valona, Varna, Volo.

Book Post.—The following reduced rates of Postage will be payable on Book and Pattern Packets posted in India and addressed to the United Kingdom *via* Southampton and Marseilles:

For a Packet.

	Via Southampton.			Via Marseilles.		
	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
Not exceeding 4 oz.	0	2	8	0	4	0
Exceeding 4 oz. and not exceeding 8 oz.	0	5	4	0	8	0
Do. 8 oz. do. 12 oz.	0	8	0	0	12	0
Do. 12 oz. do. 1 lb.	0	10	8	1	0	0
	And so on, adding 2 annas 8 pies for every additional 4 oz.			And so on, adding 4 annas for every additional 4 oz.		

NOTE.—No packets exceeding 5 lbs. in weight will be received. The above rates include Indian-Inland Postage.

Bombay, General Post Office, 19th February 1868.

C. A. STUART,

Post Master.