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PART I.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS TO THE PUBLIC.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Whereas in consequence of the conduct of the inhabitants of the Villages of the Gangur Talooka, in the District of Ahmedabad, it has been deemed expedient to increase the Police Force in the said Talooka, in accordance with the provisions of Section 16 of the "Bombay District Police Act 1867," it is hereby notified that the Right Honourable the Governor in Council, under the power vested in him by that Section, has been pleased to direct: that an additional force, as mentioned below, be quartered in the said Talooka until further orders:—

1 Head Constable.
4 Constables.

By order of the Right Honourable the Governor in Council,

C. GONNE.

Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1868.
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RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The following MAXIMUM RATES for Passengers and Goods, for the Bombay and Sind Railways, sanctioned by Government, are published for general information:—

Passengers.

| | | | |
|-----------|---------|-------|------------------------|
| 1st Class | pics 24 | ..... | per Mile. |
| 2nd | " " | 12 | " |
| 3rd | " " | 8 | " |
| 4th | " " | 3 | " on G. I. P. Railway. |

The Fourth Class rate will become imperative on the B. B. and C. I. and Sind Railways, whenever the 3rd Class rate exceeds 4 pies per mile.

Luggage.

Maximum rate 4 pies per maund per mile.

The following scale of free luggage to be allowed:—

| | | | |
|-----------|-------|----|--------|
| 1st Class | ..... | 60 | Seers. |
| 2nd | " | 30 | " |
| 3rd | " | 10 | " |
| 4th | " | 10 | " |

Carriages.

Maximum Rate 48 pies per mile.

Minimum Charge Rupees 4.

Horses.

Maximum Rate 24 pies per mile.

Minimum Charge Rs. 2-8-0.

The Railway Companies will not be responsible for more than Rs. 400 as the value of any horse, unless insured at special rates.

Dogs.

Maximum Rate 8 annas per fifty miles.

Parcels.

Maximum charge for parcels under 7 Seers for the first fifty miles, not to exceed 6 annas. Maximum rate for every fifty miles beyond the first fifty to be 3 pies per Seer.

Maximum Goods Rates.

| | | |
|-----------------|-------|------------------------|
| | | Pies per ton per mile. |
| 1st Class Goods | ..... | 12 |
| 2nd | " | 18 |
| 3rd | " | 24 |
| 4th | " | 36 |
| 5th | " | 54 |
| For Food, Grain | ..... | 12 |
| Coal | ..... | 10 |

Terminal Charges.

Rupees 5 per ton at Bombay and Kurrachee.

Rupees 2-8-0 at up-Country Stations.

Insurance Rates.

The maximum rate for most precious articles to be 3 per cent.

M. K. KENNEDY, Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

The Right Honourable the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of Section 31 of the "Bombay District Police Act, 1867," to the undermentioned Towns and places in the District of Poona:—

| | |
|-------------|---------------------|
| Malee.... | } Suburbs of Poona. |
| Mooujeree. | |
| Erowda. | |
| Kirkec. | |
| Bhambordeh. | |
| Parbuttee. | |
| Wanowree. | |
| Ghorpurec. | |

By order of the Right Honourable the Governor in Council,

C. GONNE,

Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 25th April 1868.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

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

“ No. 2464.

FORT WILLIAM, FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

The 20th April 1868.

SEPARATE REVENUE.—ASSESSED TAXES.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor General of India in Council, in accordance with the authority given him under Section 35 of Act IX. of 1863, is pleased to prescribe the following rules for the guidance of Officers in matters connected with the enforcement of the said Act.

1. Owing to the exemption of all persons whose annual profits are less than Rs. 500, the number of persons required to take out certificates under Act IX. of 1868, will be about one-fifth the number required to take out licences under Acts XXI. and XXIX. of 1867. The work performed and the experience gained under the License Tax Act will greatly diminish the labour and difficulty of carrying out the Certificate Act. The Governor General in Council therefore hopes that excepting in the Presidency towns and some few of the larger towns in India, the provisions of the Act will be carried out by the ordinary executive officers of Government and their subordinates, without extra assistance or special establishments. Where such extra assistance is necessary it will probably not be required for more than a few months.

2. The powers of Collector under the Act are primarily given to the Collector of Land Revenue, and the powers of a Commissioner to the Commissioner of Land Revenue.

The different powers of a Collector are as follows:—

1st.—The determination of what persons are liable to take out certificates, and under which class of Schedule A each person is to be assessed, and the preparation of a list in accordance with such determination (Secs. 12 and 13).

2nd.—The granting certificates and receiving payment for the same (Sec. 10).

3rd.—The hearing and disposing of petitions objecting to the assessment (Secs. 14 and 15).

4th.—The serving of notices on defaulters (Secs. 17 and 28).

5th.—The prosecution of persons before the Magistrate—

(a) for not taking out a certificate (Sec. 17).

(b) for refusing to produce a certificate on demand (Sec. 18).

6th. The recovery of the tax by process of the revenue law (Sec. 29).

The Collector has also certain powers with respect to the assessment of Joint Stock Companies and their servants.

The powers of a Commissioner are confined to the hearing and deciding appeals from orders passed by the Collector on petitions of objection (Section 15).

Under Section 31, the Local Governments can confer *any* or *all* of these powers on any person other than the Collector and Commissioner of Land Revenue.

In determining what persons, if any, should be entrusted with any or all of the powers of a Collector or Commissioner, Local Governments will be guided by considerations of convenience to the taxpayers and the means at the disposal of Government for utilizing its own officers, or where it may be necessary, non-official persons. It may be convenient, for instance, to confer the powers of a Collector, so far as regards the preparation of the list and the granting certificates, on one person, and to reserve the remaining powers for another. It may also sometimes be proper, while giving an officer power to determine the classes in which each person is to be assessed, to reserve to another officer the preparation of the list so far as regards some of the higher classes.

The Governor General in Council authorises Local Governments to entertain the necessary establishments in anticipation of the formal sanction, application for which should be made without delay.

3. To each person entrusted with any or all of the powers of a Collector or Commissioner there should, ordinarily, be assigned a definite portion of the district in which he may exercise such powers. So soon as the Local Governments have determined what officers shall exercise any or all of the powers of a Collector and Commissioner in each district, or portion of a district, the preparation of the lists prescribed in Section 13 should be commenced. Although these lists will have no legal force until the 1st day of May, their preparation should not be delayed. Under the terms of Sections 5 and 10, only one certificate is necessary for each person, however many professions or trades such person may exercise, and in how many soever places or districts. This certificate must be granted by the Collector of the district in which the principal place of business of such person is situate. The Collector must, therefore, before determining the class in which any person is to be assessed, be careful to ascertain whether that person exercises or intends to exercise any profession or trade in any other place or district, and if so, he must communicate with the Collector of that district in order to form a fair estimate of the annual profits of such person, and to determine which is the principal place of business of such person. Section 33 sufficiently provides for the determination of any difference of opinion as to the district in which payment is to be made and the certificate granted. The Governor General in Council is pleased to declare as a general rule that the ordinary place of residence of the person assessed and, in the case of a firm, the ordinary place of residence of the head acting partner shall be held to be the principal place of business of such person or firm.

4. In determining the class in which any person is to be assessed, the Collector, while abstaining from inquisitorial proceedings and interrogations of the person himself, should avail himself of every proper means of arriving at a fair estimate of the truth. Besides his official subordinates, some of the respectable inhabitants of the town, such as the heads of trades and professions, will generally be able and willing to assist the Collector in the process of classification. If any person volunteers information to the Collector either orally or by a written statement regarding his own annual profits, such information should be received and accepted *quantum valeat*.

5. In making any assessment of annual profits under Schedule A, the following profits must be left out of the account, that is to say:—1 Rents or profits from land or from houses, whether the recipients be proprietors, lessees, or cultivators. 2. Interest of money invested in the funds or any stock or otherwise, except in the case of bankers or money-dealers, or where such interest arises in the course of the regular transactions of any profession or trade.

6. The lists will be in the Form 1 appended, the classes being kept separate. If any person or firm intends to exercise more than one trade or profession, each such trade or profession should be entered in column 3, and each place where each such trade or profession is intended to be exercised should be entered in column 4. For Natives of India the lists will be in the Vernacular. Separate lists will be made in English for Europeans, Eurasians, &c. If any person is removed from one class to another or entirely exempted, a note to that effect will be made in the column of remarks.

The notification (Form 2) should be filed with the list, and a notification to like intent should be made public throughout the district or portion of the district to which the list refers.

7. Certificates will be granted in Form 3. As it is necessary that all the places, in which the certificate holder intends to exercise his profession or trade during the year of assessment, should be specified, the necessary information must be obtained at the time of application for the certificate. If it should then appear that the profits gained in any other place or district have been overlooked, the Collector will not grant the certificate until he has, after due inquiry, amended, if necessary, the list in respect of the class in which the applicant should be charged. In case a notice has been served, it may be necessary to serve a fresh notice fifteen days after such amendment, if the new assessment has not meanwhile been paid.

8. A register should be kept, in Form 4, of all certificates granted, the particulars being filled up at the time of granting the certificate to which they refer. Separate registers should be kept for each class of certificate, and different sets of registers for Native and European certificate holders. If subsequently any person is removed from one class to another, or entirely exempted, the certificate should be amended or annulled, the fact being noted in the column of remarks in the register, and a new entry being made under the class to which the certificate has been removed.

9. Before passing orders on any petition of objection preferred under Section 15, the Collector must carefully examine the evidence presented by the petitioner, and call for such further evidence as may be necessary to arrive at a proper decision in the case. The ascertained profits of the year of account preceding the year of assessment, will be *prima facie* the basis of the Collector's decision. Any special circumstances tending to prove that the profits of the year of assessment will materially differ from the profits of the previous year will be allowed due weight.

10. Against the gross receipts no deductions should be allowed on account of disbursements or expenses not wholly and exclusively incurred on account of the profession or trade in respect of the profits of which the assessment has been made, nor on account of the maintenance of the person himself, or his family, or domestic establishment, nor on account of any public or local rates, cesses, or taxes. Deductions from the gross receipts may be allowed on account of the following items of expenditure:—

Sums expended in the repairs of implements, utensils, or articles used solely for the purpose of the profession or trade, calculated on the average expenditure for the past three years.

Sums expended for insurance of the premises, implements or stock of the profession or trade.

Rent paid for any premises used for such profession or trade, provided that if such premises shall not have been exclusively used for such profession or trade, a fair proportion only of such rent shall be deducted from the gross receipts.

Ten per cent. on the rack rent of such premises, on account of repairs, if such repairs are at the cost of the petitioner.

Sums expended in the payment of persons employed solely in such profession or trade.

The amount of any losses of the stock-in-trade.

The amount of any bad debts for the first time ascertained and written off as such during the year.

Sums paid during the year for insurance of the life of person assessed, or his wife, not exceeding one-tenth of the said profits.

Under the present Act no deductions from the Imperial Tax on account of Municipal Taxes can be authorized.

11. The Collector must write his final order on every petition of objection, and supply the petitioner with a copy of such order on plain paper with its date, on his application for the same. A Register (Form 5) of petitions received and disposed of should be kept by each Collector.

12. If it should appear in the course of the investigation that the petitioner exercises any profession or trade in any other place or district, the Collector must, previous to passing final orders, make due inquiries as to the profits gained in that other place or district.

13. Commissioners will be guided by the above rules, so far as they may be applicable, in determining appeals from the Collector's orders. A Register (Form 6) of all appeals will be kept by each Officer exercising the powers of a Commissioner.

14. In the case of persons commencing any profession or trade in the course of the year of assessment, it will be necessary for the Collector to estimate the *annual* profits of such persons. For this purpose the assessment should be delayed for a time in order that the Collector may be able to form a fair judgment as to the class in which such persons are to be charged. The Collector will then calculate what would be the probable profits for an entire year, and classify the person accordingly, entering his name in the list. The certificate will be granted on payment of one quarter, one half, or three quarters, on the full tax of the class in which the person is so placed, according to the date on which the business was commenced. The decision of this date rests with the Collector under Section 12. It will be entered in the remark columns of the list (Form 1) and Register of Certificates (Form 4).

15. It will be observed that no notice can be served on a defaulter under Section 17, until at least fifteen days after the entry of his name in the list prepared under Section 13. Under no circumstances, therefore, can such notice be served before the 16th day of May. Notices will be in Form 7. If the notice refer to the second instalment, it will be in Form 8. A Register of all such notices should be kept in Form 9. Particular endeavours should be made to cause personal service of the notice. The mode in which the notice has been served should in all cases be entered in the Register of notices. The Collector should be prepared to produce in case of necessity good evidence of the service of the notice. The form of notice (Form 9) to be served upon defaulting Joint Stock Companies (Form 10) is appended.

16. After the expiry of seven days from service of the notice, the defaulter may be prosecuted before the Magistrate. It will only be necessary for the Collector to prove the legal service of the notice, and it will not be competent to the Magistrate to make any further investigation or to inquire into the propriety of the assessment. It will be his duty, on being satisfied that the notice has been legally served, and that the demand has not been paid, to award the full penalty of twice the demand. He has under the Act no power of mitigating this penalty.

17. The tax in this case having become a penalty, the option of paying by instalments or of objecting to the assessment will be lost. A Register of prosecutions (Form 11) before the Magistrate under Sections 17 and 18 should be kept.

18. The Local Governments will make rules for the recovery of the tax by revenue processes under Section 29, and prescribe the form of Register for recording particulars of such processes.

19. The Magistrate will at once make over to the Collector all penalties recovered under Section 17, and the Collector will thereupon grant the necessary certificate. Fines under Section 18 will be dealt with as ordinary fines by a Magistrate under the Criminal Law.

20. Firms are to be assessed as persons, and the partners will not be liable as such to individual assessment. The above rules will therefore apply to firms as if they were persons.

21. Every Joint Stock Company has an option under the Act of paying Rs. 500 on each Branch or Agency in British India, or of paying one per cent. on the dividend declared by such Company during the year ending the 31st March previous to the year of assessment. Should a Joint Stock Company elect to pay on the dividend, it must, through the proper Officer on or before the 30th April, deliver a return to the Collector, stating the amount of the said dividend. Where no such dividend was declared, the Company, by making a return to that effect, will be entitled to complete exemption from the tax. It follows that if any Joint Stock Company commences business during the year of assessment, such Company by electing to pay on its dividend of the previous year may obtain exemption from the tax. The Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt all such Companies whether they make a return or not. Although in strictness no Joint Stock Company will be legally entitled to claim taxation at one per cent. on its dividend in lieu of paying Rs. 500 on each Branch or Agency, unless the return be delivered on or before the 30th April, Collectors are authorized to accept such return and to proceed to assessment thereon if it be delivered within a reasonable time after that date, on good cause being shown for the delay. Joint Stock Companies have not the option of paying by instalments.

22. The mode of assessment on official salaries having been entirely changed, all orders relating to such assessments under the License Tax Act or relating to refunds of the License Tax are cancelled, as being inapplicable and unnecessary in the present state of the Law. Assessments on such salaries will be made in accordance with the provisions of Section 23 of Act IX. of 1863, and the following rules.

23. No servant of Government is liable to taxation in that capacity if his pay be less than Rs. 1,000 per annum. Under the term 'pay' is included all pay and allowances of appointments, whether substantive, officiating or temporary, excepting special sums allowed to meet disbursements on the public service (not being fixed monthly allowances ordinarily paid with the salary of an office or employment, whether the service for which such allowance is nominally granted be performed or not). All sums stopped under the authority of Government in the nature of payments to pension or annuity funds, to Regimental Mess or band funds, or the like, should be deducted from the pay previous to assessment. Every servant of Government therefore (with the exceptions prescribed in Section 3), whose net pay and allowances thus calculated amount to Rs. 83-5-4 per mensem, is liable to assessment on that net pay at the rate of one per cent., to be deducted at the time of payment by the Examiner of Claims, or other Officer exercising the like functions.

24. Every such Officer will keep a Register in Form 12 showing the deductions made on account of the tax under the Act.

25. Any servant of Government who is allowed to exercise any other profession or a trade on his own account, will be liable to separate assessment by the Collector under Schedule A, in respect solely of his profits from such profession or trade. In classifying such persons the Collector will entirely leave out of the account their official salaries, whether those salaries be less than Rs. 1,000 per annum, or equal or exceed that amount.

26. The case of persons holding employments under public institutions, such as Municipalities, the Asiatic Society and the like, has not been specially provided for in the Act. Such persons are liable to assessment by the Collector under Schedule A. Collectors are authorized, however, to give such persons the option of being assessed in the same manner as servants of Government or servants of Companies, at 1 per cent. on their salaries. In many cases this arrangement will be favourable to such persons in lessening the actual amount of tax, while in all cases there will be the advantage of the mode of payment by deductions from time to time, from their salaries, instead of payment in a lump sum or by two instalments.

27. If any servant of Government has insured his life or that of his wife, he may make application to the Examiner of Claims or other Officer whose duty it is to deduct the tax from his salary, and on proving to the satisfaction of that Officer the amount of any payment made on account of such insurance during the year of assessment, he will be entitled to a refund of the tax on such payment. Provided that such payment, together with the fund subscriptions which may have been deducted from his salary and therefore exempted from assessment, does not exceed ten per cent. of the full salary. If it do so exceed ten per cent., refund will be disallowed on the excess.

28. On or before the 30th April, each Joint Stock Company, through its proper officer, is bound to deliver to the Collector a list of persons in its employ, whose salaries on that date are at the rate of Rs. 1,000 or more per annum. This list will serve as a check on subsequent payments to be deducted from the salaries at the rate of one per cent. But it must be observed that if the rate of any such person's salary is altered during the year, the assessment will be made at one per cent. on the actual salary paid. The Collector will take steps to satisfy himself that such is the case. The Collector will make arrangements with the Companies as to the time and method of receiving the amount of deductions from the salaries of persons in their employ. The payments to the Collector should be made at least once a quarter, if monthly payments be found inconvenient.

29. If any person in the employ of a Joint Stock Company exercise some other profession or trade, he will be assessed by the Collector in respect solely of the profits of that profession or trade, under Schedule A, in the same manner as servants of Government exercising a profession or trade as prescribed in Rule 23.

30. If any person in the employ of a Joint Stock Company has insured his life or that of his wife, he may make application to the Collector of the district in which the principal place of business of the said Company is situate, and on proving to the satisfaction of the said Collector the amount of any payment made on account of such insurance during the year of assessment, he will be entitled to a refund of the amount of the tax on such payment. Provided that such refunds do not exceed one-tenth of the amount of the tax paid by the said servant of a Company. Collectors will keep Registers (Form 13) of amounts received on account of assessments on servants of Companies and of refunds under this rule. In this Register may be entered the servants of public bodies, as Municipalities, who have been similarly assessed.

31. In every case where the assessment is made at one per cent. on salaries or dividends, pies of the tax will be neglected. The salaries to be assessed will be those on account of and not those paid during the year of assessment. The first assessment therefore on Government officials and servants of Companies will be made on the salaries for the month of May.

32. All taxes collected under this Act, and all penalties recovered under Section 17 will be credited to the Government of India under the Budget head "Assessed Taxes." When the 2nd instalment is paid in advance, the full tax will be credited, the discount being charged *per contra*.

33. Each local Government will submit quarterly to the Government of India in the Financial Department, returns, in the Forms 14 to 17. At the end of the year of assessment the annual return, Form 18, will be submitted. This return relates only to assessments under Schedule A. Joint Stock Companies assessed under Section 22, Government officials and servants of Companies assessed on their salaries, will not be included in it. It should be prepared in two parts, one for Natives, and the other for Europeans, Eurasians, &c. It is essential that no deviation be made in any of these forms of returns to the Government of India, as it is intended to compile from them general returns for all India. With the annual returns the Governor General in Council will be glad to receive from each local Government a general report on the administration of the Act.

34. The Governor General in Council is pleased to delegate to all local Governments the power of making further rules subsidiary to these rules under Section 36 of the Act. Such further rules should be reported for sanction to the Governor General in Council.

ORDERED, that the foregoing Resolution be communicated to the other Departments of the Government of India, the several local Governments and Administrations, the Controller General of Accounts, and the several Accountants General, and Deputy Accountants General in independent charge, and, with the accompanying Forms, be published in the *Gazette of India*.

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

For the attention of the Accountant General & for

FORM 1.

List of Persons liable to take out certificates under Schedule A. of Act IX. of 1868 for the year commencing on the 1st day of May 1868.

CLASS I.

Persons whose annual profits are assessed at Rs. 4,00,000 and upwards. Tax Rs. 6,400.

| Number. | Name of person or firm liable to take out certificate. | Profession or trade. | Place or places where each profession or trade is intended to be exercised. | Date of entry. | REMARKS. |
|---------|--|----------------------|---|----------------|----------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| | | | | | |

(Collector's Signature).

CLASS II.

Persons whose annual profits are assessed at Rs. 2,00,000 or at more than Rs. 2,00,000, and less than Rs. 4,00,000. Tax Rs. 3,200.

The same columns as for Class I., and so on for each class.

FORM 2.

Notification to be filed with Form 1.

Every person whose name is entered in the accompanying list is hereby required to make application to (name Collector) at (place) on (time) for a certificate, and to pay for the same the amount of tax assessed on the class in which his name is entered.

Every other person whose name is not entered in the list and whose annual profits from his profession or trade are Rs. 500 or upwards, is liable to take out a certificate under Act IX. of 1868, and is hereby required to make application for the same as above.

Every person required by Act IX. of 1868 to take out a certificate, and who without reasonable excuse neglects or refuses to produce and show his certificate, when required to do so by the Collector or by an Officer generally or specially empowered by the Collector to make such requisition, is liable to prosecution before a Magistrate, and on conviction to a fine of Rs. 100.

This notice applies to firms as well as to persons.

(Collector's Signature).

FORM 3.

Certificate granted under Act IX. of 1868.

| Number. | Name of certificate holder, or in case of a Company under Section 22, name of Company. | Profession or Trade, or in case of a Company, Business of Company. | Class and amount of Tax. | Place or places where Certificate holder intends to exercise his profession or trade. | Date of Certificate. | Date of expiry of Certificate. |
|---------|--|--|--------------------------|---|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| | | | | | | |

(Collector's Signature).

FORM 4.

Register of Certificates granted under Act IX. of 1868.

Columns the same as in Form 3, with an additional column for 'Remarks.'

The Classes should be kept separate in this Register.

Certificated Joint Stock Companies should also be entered separately.

FORM 5.

Register of Petitions of Objection under Section 14 of Act IX. of 1868, received and disposed of by

| Number. | Date of Petition. | Name of Petitioner, with number, date, &c., of Certificate. | Purport of the Petition. | Decision, with its grounds and date. | Amount of refund ordered, | REMARKS. |
|---------|-------------------|---|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|----------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| | | | | | | |

FORM 6.

Register of Appeals from the order of the Collector under Section 15 of Act IX. of 1863, received and disposed of by

| Number. | Date of Appeal. | Name of Appellant and number, &c., of his Certificate. | Name of Collector against whose order the appeal is made, with date of order. | Purport of Appeal. | Decision with its grounds and date. | Refund ordered. | REMARKS. |
|---------|-----------------|--|---|--------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|----------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| | | | | | | | |

FORM 7.

Notice under Section 17 of Act IX. of 1863.

Number _____

To _____

Date _____

Whereas your name was on the _____ day of 18 entered in the list of persons required to take out a certificate under Act IX. of 1868, in class _____ of Schedule A. of that Act, you are hereby required within seven days from the service of this notice to pay Rs. _____, as provided by the Act, and to take out a certificate as aforesaid, in default of which you will be proceeded against according to law. The certificate will be granted at (place) on (time) by (name of officer), to whom the payment for the same should be made.

(Collector's Signature).

FORM 8.

Notice under Section 28 of Act IX. of 1868.

Number _____

To _____

Date _____

Whereas you have taken out a certificate under Act IX. of 1868 and have been assessed in class _____ of Schedule A, in the sum of Rs. _____ of which you have paid Rs. _____ only; you are hereby required within seven days from the service of this notice to pay to (name of officer) at (place) on (time) the sum of Rs. _____, being the 2nd instalment due on account of the said certificate. In default of such payment you will be proceeded against according to Law.

(Collector's Signature).

FORM 9.

Register of Notices issued under Sections 17 and 28 of Act IX. of 1868, from the office of

| Number of Notice. | Name of person or firm to whom Notice is issued, with Class under which he has been assessed. | Date of issue of Notice, and Section of Act under which it is issued. | Date and manner of serving Notice. | Witnesses to service of Notice. | REMARKS. |
|-------------------|---|---|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| | | | | | |

N. B.—In case of a Company assessed under Section 22, the heading of column 2 will be as follows:—
'Name of Company and officer of Company to whom the notice is issued, with amount of tax assessed.'

FORM 10.

Notice to a Company assessed under Section 22 of Act IX. of 1868.

Number _____

To (*Treasurer, Secretary, or principal Agent or Manager [as the case may be].*)

Date _____

Whereas the (*Name of Company*) has been assessed under Section 22 of Act IX. of 1868 in the sum of Rs. _____, being at the rate of Rs. 500 for each of the following branches and agencies of the said Company (*to be here detailed*), or being one per cent. on the dividend of Rs. _____, declared by the said Company in the year ending on the 31st day of March 1868 [*as the case may be*], you are hereby required within seven days from the service of this notice to take out a certificate under the said Act, and to pay the said sum of Rs. _____ at (*place*) on (*time*) to (*name of officer*), who will grant the said certificate. In default of such payment you will be proceeded against according to Law.

(*Collector's Signature*).

FORM 11.

Register of Prosecutions before a Magistrate under Sections 17 and 18 of Act IX. of 1868, instituted by

| Number. | Name of person prosecuted. | Number of notice and date of service. | Magistrate before whom prosecuted. | Decision of Magistrate. | Amount recovered and date of recovery. | Date of granting Certificate. | Remarks. |
|---------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|-------------------------------|----------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| | | | | | | | |

N. B.—In cases of prosecutions under Section 18, columns 3 and 7 will be blank, and the heading of column 6 will be 'Amount of fine.'

FORM 15.

Quarterly Return of Assessments made under Section 22 of Act IX. of 1868, on Companies.

| Mode of Assessment. | | Number of Companies assessed since 1st May 1868. | Number of Branches or Agencies. | Demand. | Realizations. | Balance. |
|---|--|--|---------------------------------|---------|---------------|----------|
| 1 | | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| Companies assessed at Rs. 500 per branch or agency. | On 1 branch or agency | | | | | |
| | On 2 branches or agencies | | | | | |
| | On 3 or 4 branches or agencies | | | | | |
| | On 5 to 8 " " | | | | | |
| | On 8 to 20 " " | | | | | |
| | On more than 20 branches or agencies | | | | | |
| Companies assessed at 1 per cent. on their dividends. | Whose dividend was less than Rs. 500. | | | | | |
| | Whose dividend was equal to or exceeded | | | | | |
| | Rs. 500 but was less than Rs. 1,000 | | | | | |
| | " 1,000 " 2,500 | | | | | |
| | " 2,500 " 5,000 | | | | | |
| | " 5,000 " 10,000 | | | | | |
| | " 10,000 " 25,000 | | | | | |
| | " 25,000 " 50,000 | | | | | |
| | " 50,000 " 1,00,000 | | | | | |
| | " 1,00,000 " 2,00,000 | | | | | |
| " 2,00,000 " 4,00,000 | | | | | | |
| Total | | | | | | |

FORM 16.

Quarterly Return of Assessment made under Section 23 of Act IX. of 1868, on Government Officials.

| CLASS. | Number assessed since 1st May 1868. | Amount of assessment. | Refunds. |
|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Assessed on salaries equal to or exceeding Rs. 1,000 | } per annum, but less than | } Rs. 2,500 | |
| " " " " " " " 2,500 | | | 5,000 |
| " " " " " " " 5,000 | | | 10,000 |
| " " " " " " " 10,000 | | | 25,000 |
| " " " " " " " 25,000 | | | 50,000 |
| " " " " " " " 50,000 | | | 1,00,000 |
| " " " " " " " 1,00,000 | | | 2,00,000 |
| " " " " " " " 2,00,000 | | | 4,00,000 |
| " " " " " " " 4,00,000 | | | |
| Total | | | |

FORM 17.

Quarterly Return of Assessments made under Section 24 of Act IX. of 1868, on servants of Companies.

(Same details as in Form 16.)

FORM 18.

Annual Return, showing details of Assessments made under Schedule A of Act IX. of 1868, on different Professions and Trades.

| Profession or Trade. | No. in Class 1. | No. in Class 2. | And so on to Class 10. | TOTAL. |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------|--------|
| I. PROFESSIONS— | | | | |
| a. Religion..... | | | | |
| b. Education and Science.. | | | | |
| c. Fine Arts | | | | |
| d. Law | | | | |
| e. Medicine | | | | |
| f. Engineering | | | | |
| II. EMPLOYMENTS— | | | | |
| a. Clerks, Bailiffs, Shopmen (salaried.) | | | | |
| b. Servants (domestic) | | | | |
| c. Ditto (jobbed) | | | | |
| d. Artizans (not keeping shops for the sale of manufactured articles) | | | | |
| III. COMMERCE— | | | | |
| a. Agents | | | | |
| b. Bankers and money-deal- ers. | | | | |
| c. Merchants (not manufac- turers.) | | | | |
| 1. General | | | | |
| 2. Piece goods..... | | | | |
| 3. Grain | | | | |
| 4. Salt | | | | |
| 5. Others | | | | |
| d. Traders in— | | | | |
| 1. Woven fabrics and dress. | | | | |
| 2. Building materials and furniture. | | | | |
| 3. Metals. | | | | |
| 4. Food | | | | |
| 5. Salt | | | | |
| 6. Spirits, Drugs, and Tobacco. | | | | |
| 7. Fuel..... | | | | |
| 8. Animal and vege- table substances (not food). | | | | |
| 9. Books and Sta- tionery. | | | | |
| 10. Miscellaneous .. | | | | |
| e. Carriers | | | | |
| f. Dealers in Animals | | | | |
| g. Manufacturers (whole- sale) of— | | | | |
| 1. Cotton goods | | | | |
| 2. Woollen do | | | | |
| 3. Jute, Flax, and Hemp..... | | | | |
| 4. Silk | | | | |
| 5. Indigo | | | | |
| 6. Sugar | | | | |
| 7. Tea | | | | |
| 8. Metals and Machi- nery | | | | |
| 9. Others | | | | |
| TOTAL.... | | | | |

By order,

F. R. S. WYLLIE,

Officiating Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1868.

Public Order

To REGULATE the Religious PROCESSIONS of the MOHURRUM, and for the PRESERVATION of the PUBLIC PEACE during that Festival, sanctioned by the Honourable the Governor in Council, under the provisions of Section 77 of Act No. XIII. of 1856.

1st.—Every person desirous of erecting or carrying about a *Taboot*, *Punja*, or *Dholeka Punja* at the ensuing Mohurram, must obtain a License from the Commissioner of Police. Such License will be granted to Mahomedans only, and all persons obtaining them are hereby required to produce them when demanded by any Magistrate or Officer of Police.

2nd.—Every such License-holder will be held responsible for the peaceable behaviour of the persons composing any assemblage or procession connected with his *Taboot*, *Punja*, or *Dholeka Punja*, and in the event of any such persons being guilty of any riotous or disorderly conduct in any such assemblage or procession, the Commissioner of Police may, should he see fit, at once withdraw such License, disperse such assembly or procession, and positively prohibit and prevent any re-assemblage thereof, or any carrying about of the *Taboot*, *Punja*, or *Dholeka Punja*, belonging thereto.

3rd.—No procession accompanied by country music will be permitted to parade the Streets or thoroughfares of Bombay until the commencement of the 6th day of the Festival.

4th.—The use of country music in the streets on the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, and 10th, of the Mohurram will be permitted.

5th.—No *Taboots* will be allowed to go in procession on the last night of the Mohurram before 12 o'clock, or to continue so after 3 o'clock on the following morning, nor on the last day before 1 o'clock; and it is directed that they be thrown into the sea, and the ceremony concluded by sunset.

6th.—*Taboots* will not be permitted to go abreast on the public road, and on meeting are to give way, each keeping to the left. On meeting carriages or horsemen, persons accompanying the *Taboots* are strictly enjoined to cease playing country music, the *Taboots* keeping the left side of the road.

7th.—No Procession of the *Zool-Junnah*, or Horse, through the public streets or roads, will be permitted.

8th.—All dealers in Spirituous Liquor, and all vendors of Opium and Bhang, are hereby ordered to keep their shops closed; persons found selling anything of an intoxicating nature during the last two days of the festival will be taken into custody.

9th.—Water will not be allowed to be taken from the public Tanks and Wells to be thrown before the Processions.

10th.—Any person carrying a sword, dirk, bludgeon, or other offensive weapon, will be taken into custody.

11th.—Any persons violating the above rules, or behaving in any manner likely to create a breach of the peace, or making a disturbance of any kind, will be immediately taken into custody, and dealt with according to law.

(Signed) F. H. SOUTER,
Commissioner of Police.

Bombay,

Mazagon Police Office, 17th April 1868.

Approved and confirmed.

By order of the Right Honourable
the Governor in Council,

W. WEDDERBURN,

Under Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 20th April 1868.

استظهارنامه

احکام برای آوردن تابوت با و امنیت خلت الله
در ایام عاشورا موافق فخره هفتاد و هفتم
اکت سیزدهم سنه ۱۸۰۴ عیسویه سرکار
جلالت مدار نواب مستطاب معلى القاب
گورنر صاحب بهادر در اجلاس کونسل
معین و مقرر نموده اند

اول — آنکه هرکسی که درین ماه محرم خواهد که بنای
تابوت یا پنجه یا پنجه دولا بگذارد یا در شوارع بگذرانند
باید که از کومیشنر پولیس پروانه بگیرد و آن پروانه فقط
بمسلمانان داده خواهد شد و هر کسانیکه آن پروانجات داده
شوند لازم است که بر طلب هر ماجسٹریٹ یا عملدار پولیس
آنها را بنمایند

دویم — آنکه هر کس که چنین حکمی گرفته است
ضامن حرکات خود و کسانے است که متعلق بتابوت و پنجه
و پنجه دوالے او هستند و اگر اچنانا از یک از اشخاص
مزبوره فسادے یا حرکت خلاف قاعده در حین جمعیت
یا گردش تابوت سر بزند کمیشنر پولیس مامور است که اگر
مصلحت بداند حکم را گرفته و جمعیت ایشانرا متفرق
سازد و تابوت را موقوف کند و بعد ازان بیچوچر نگذارد
که دوباره جمعیت کنند یا اینکه تابوتے پانچم یا پنجه
دولا بگردانند

ظاہر نامہ

سرکار جلالت مدار نواب مستطاب معلی القاب گورنر صاحب بہادر در اجلاس کونسل نے تابوت نکالنے اور عاشورہ محرم میں خلت اللہ کی امنیت کے واسطے سنہ ۱۸۵۴ عیسوی کے ۱۳ ویں اکت کے ۷۷ ویں قلم کے موافق نیچے لکھے ہوئے احکام مقرر فرمائے ہیں

پہلے — یہ کہ جو کوئی چاہے کہ محرم میں تابوت بناوے یا پنچہ یا پنچہ دولا رکھے یا عام رستے پر لیجاوے تو اسکو لازم ہی کہ پولیس کے کمیشنر سے پروا نہ لیوے اور وہ پروا نہ فقط مسلمانوں کو دیا جاوے اور جن شخصوں کو کہ پروا نہ ملے انکو چاہئے کہ جسوقت کوئی ما جسٹریٹ یا پولیس کا عملہ ار طلب کرے تو وہ پروا نہ دکھلا نا

دوسرا — یہ کہ اوپر لکھے ہوئے قسم کا پروا نہ لینے والے کے تابوت کے یا پنچے کے یا پنچہ دولا کے باعث جو جماعت اکھٹی ہووے یا اکھٹے ہو کر چلیں اس جماعت کے آدمیوں میں سے کچھہ فتنہ و فساد نہووے ایسا کی جو ابدهی اوپر لکھے ہوئے قسم کے پروا نہ والے پر ہی اور اوپر لکھے ہوئے موجب جماعت اکھٹی ہووے یا اکھٹے ہو کر چلیں تب اس میں سے کوئی آدمی ہنگامہ یا فساد کرے اور پولیس کے کمیشنر کی نظر میں برابر آوے تو اوپر لکھے ہوئے قسم کا پروا نہ ایکدم پیچھے لینے کا اور اس جماعت کو متفرق کرینکا یا اس جماعت کو پھر کر اکھٹی ہونے نہ دینے کا یا انکا تابوت یا پنچہ یا پنچہ دولا پھرانیکو منع کرینکا یا بزرگ پھرنے نہیں دینے کا اختیار پولیس کے کمیشنر کو ہی

تیسرا — یہ کہ عاشوریک چھٹے دن کے فچرنک بھٹی کے رستے اور کوچوں میں یا راہ داری کے ٹھکانے کوئی بھی جماعت کو باجا بچاتے ہوئے جانے نہیں دینگے

چوتھا — یہ کہ محرم کی چھٹی اور ساتویں اور آٹھویں اور نوین اور دسویں تاریخوں کو رستے میں باجا بچانے دینگے

پانچواں — یہ کہ عاشورے کی رات کو بارہ بجے کے آگے اور تین بجے کے پیچھے کوئی تابوت نہ پھراوے اور عاشورے کے دن ایک بجے کے آگے نہ پھراوے اور حکم ہی کہ آفتاب غروب ہونے تک تابوتوں کو پانی میں ڈالکر سب شرایط سے فارغ ہو جاویں

چھٹا — یہ کہ عام رستے پر کوئی تابوت دوسرے تابوت کے نزدیک اور پہلو میں نہ چلے اور اگر کوئی تابوت سامنے آجاوے تو چاہئے کہ ہر ایک صلاح اور سلوک سے بائیں ہاتھ پر چلے جاویں اور اگر کوئی گاڑی یا سوار سامنے نکل آوے تو جو آدمی کہ تابوت کے ساتھ ہیں انکو تاکید ظاہر کیا جاتا ہی کہ اسوقت اپنا باجا بند کر کر تابوتوں کو بائیں بازو پر لیویں

سیوم — آنکہ تاصبح ششم محرم بیچ جمعیتے نیابد باساز و سرود ملکہ در کوچہ و شوارع بھٹی بگذرد

چہارم — آنکہ در روز ششم و ہفتم و ہشتم و نهم و دہم محرم استعمال ساز و سرود ملکہ را حکم خواہد شد

پنجم — آنکہ بشب دہم صلا محرم قبل از ساعت دوازده و بعد از ساعت سہ تا بونہارا ہیچ نگراندند و بروز عاشورا یعنی دہم قبل از ساعت یک نگراندند و حکم است کہ تا غروب آفتاب تابونہارا در آب انداختہ از جمیع شرایط آن فارغ شوند

ششم — آنکہ ہیچ تابوت بشارع عام نزدیک و نہ پہلوی یکدیگر نرود و بر مقابل شدن باید کہ ہر یک بطریق آسودگی و اصلاح بدست چپ بروند و در وقت باہم مقابل شدن گاڑی و سوارہ مردمان ہموارہی تابوت را مکرر تاکید دادہ میشوند کہ سرود خود را موقوف نمودہ تابونہارا بدست چپ شاع داشته بروند

ہفتم — آنکہ گردانیدن ذوالجناح در شوارع عام با راستہ ہاے وسیع نخواستہند گذاشت

ہشتم — آنکہ جمیع شراب فروشان و افیون و بنگ فروشان را حکم است کہ درکانہای خود را بند نہابند و ہر کسیکہ در روز نهم و دہم عاشورا اشیای مسکروہ بفروشد اورا سرکار گرفتار خواہد نمود

نہم — آنکہ بچیت پاشیدن پیش روے تابونہا گرفتن آپ از تالابہا و چاہ ہائیکہ بکار عامہ خلایق می آید کسی را نخواستہند گذاشت

دہم — آنکہ در دست ہر کسی کہ شمشیر یا خنجر یا سونگہ یا از ہر قسم اسلحہ کاری باشد اورا گرفتار کردہ در بہرہ نگاہ خواہند داشت

باز دہم — آنکہ اگر احدی خلاف آئین مرقومہ المصدر رفتار نہاید یا کاریکہ متضمن فتنہ و فساد بودہ باشد از ہر طریق بکند اورا گرفتار نمودہ بموجب قانون سزا خواہند داد

(صحیح)

یف بیچ سوئر صاحب بہادر
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(پسند شد و منظور گردید)

بحکم نواب مستطاب ملکچناب گورنر صاحب بہادر
در اجلاس کونسل

(صحیح) ولیم ویدر بن صاحب بہادر
ہندر سکرتری سرکار

بھٹی ۲۰ اپریل سنہ ۱۸۶۸

W. WEDDERBURN,
For Oriental Translator to Govt.

सातवाण — येह के डोअज्नाह कोबरे या एम रस्ते पर
पेरने नर द्या जाईगा

आँवण — येह के एम शराब बिचने वाले और अणिवण
और बेहंग बिचने वाले कोचकम हे के अपनी दुकानिन बन्द रहेबिन
और जोकोई के आशुरा के आखरी दुदन मिन कोठी
बेहि नशे की चीज बिचिगा तो असे सरकार गुरफ्तार करिगी

नवान — येह के ताबुत के अके चपेटकाऊ कोले के
वाम्पे तालाबुन और अण कोऊ नका पानी के सब आदमिण के
काम मिन आनी बिने नर द्या जाईगा

दसुल — येह के जस शख्स के हातेह मिन तलवार
या खञ्जर या सुन्नेह या कसी तसम का हतियार कारी हुगा तो
असुको गुरफ्तार करे के पेरे मिन रकेबिगे

गिबाराण — येह के अकर कोठी शख्स ओबेरके हुणे
कामेदुन के बर खलाफ करिगा या कसी तरह का त्फेह या
फसाद ओतबारिगा तो असुको गुरफ्तार करे के कामेदे मवान्क
सजा दनी जावुगी

(सञ्चिह)

यफ बिच सुव्ठर मचब बेहार
मजगानु पोलिस ऑफिस
बतारिख १७ अप्रिल सन् १८७८

(पसन्द व मन्जूर हुवा)

बिहकम नुव मसतुप मजले तालब जनब गुरनर मचब बेहार
दर अजलस कौन्सल

(सञ्चिह) वलिम वीदर बरन मचब बेहार

अदर सुकुरती सरकार

बेभुती २० अप्रिल सन् १८७८

W. WEDDERBURN,

For Oriental Translator to Govt.

जाहिरनामा.

ऐसाजे सन १८५६ के १३ वे आइताके ७७ वे
कलमांतील ठरावा अन्वये ताबुताके दिवसांत
ताबूत बाहेर फिरावयास काढितान त्याविषयी
व लोकांस हल्ला हरकत न व्हावी या विषयी
वंदिगान अलीनवाव मुस्तताव हजरत रैट
आनरवल् गवरनर साहेब वाहादूर दर इजलास
कौन्सिल पाणी मुकरर करून हुकूम फर्मा-
विला आहे.

१. येत मोहोरमचे दिवसांत ताबूत अथवा पंज्या
अथवा दुज्याचा पंज्या बांधवयाची अथवा मिरवीत नेण्याची

ज्याची खुशी असेल त्याणे पोलिसचे कमिशनर साहेब
यांजवासून परवाना घेतला पाहिजे. असा परवाना मुसल-
मानांस मात्र दिव्हा जाईल. व जे लोक परवाने घेतिल त्याणी
कोणताही माजिस्ट्रेट अथवा पोलिसचा अंमलदार याणे ते
पाहावयास मागितले असता त्यांस दाखविले पाहिजेत.

२. सदरहू प्रकारचे प्रत्येक परवानेवाल्याचे ताबुताचे
किंवा पंजाचे किंवा दुज्याचे पंजाचे संबंधाने जी मंडळी
जमा होईल किंवा जमा होऊन चालेल त्या मंडळीतील
मनुष्यांनी लोकांचे स्वस्थतेचा भंग न होईल असे रितीने
चालण्याची जबाबदारी सदरहू प्रकारचे परवानेवाल्यावर
आहे आणि सदरहू प्रमाणे मंडळी जमा होईल किंवा जमा
होऊन चालेल तेव्हा त्यांतील कोणी मनुष्ये गर्दी किंवा
धांदल करतील तर पोलिस कमिशनरस योग्य वाटल्यास
सदरहू प्रकारचा परवाना लागलाच परत वेण्याचा व
ती जमलेली मंडळी किंवा जमून चालणारी मंडळी मोड-
ण्याचा आणि ती मंडळी पुन्हा जमा होण्याची अगदी मनाई
करण्याचा व ती मंडळी पुन्हा अगदी न जमू देण्याचा
अथवा त्यांचा ताबूत किंवा पंज्या किंवा दुज्याचा पंज्या फि-
रण्याची अगदी मनाई करण्याचा व अगदी न फिरवू
देण्याचा अधिकार पोलिस कमिशनरस आहे.

३. ताबुताचे ६ वे दिवसाचे प्रातःकाल पर्यंत मुंबईचे
रस्त्यांत किंवा रहदारीचे ठिकाणांत कोणताही मंडळी वार्ये
वाजवीत जाऊ देणार नाहीत.

४. मोहोरमचे साहावे व सातवे व आठवे व नववे व
१० वे दिवसां रस्त्यांत वार्ये वाजवू देण्यांत येतील.

५. कत्तलचे रात्रीस बारा वरां पूर्वी किंवा पाहाटेचे तीन
वरां नंतर किंवा शेवटचे दिवसां एक वरा पूर्वी ताबुतास मिरवूं
देणार नाहीत. आणि ताबुतास सूर्यअस्ता बरोबर दर्यांत
जुडवून मोकळे व्हावे असा हुकूम आहे.

६. मोठे रस्त्यावर एकेकाचे बरोबर ताबुतांनी चालूं
नये आणि समोरासमोर आल्यावर हरएक ताबुताने आपली
डावी वाजू धरून एकमेकास रस्ता करावा. गाड्या अथवा
घोंडस्वार भेटले असता ताबुताबरोबर जे लोक असतील
त्यांस सक्त हुकूम की त्याणी वार्ये बंद करून आपले ताबूत
रस्त्याचे डावे वाजूस र्यावे.

७. जुलजना म्हणजे घोड्याची स्वारी मोठ्या रस्त्या
वरून किंवा भररस्त्यातून मिरवूं देणार नाहीत.

८. दारू व अफू व भांग विकणारे सर्व लोकांनी आ-
पली दुकाने बंद ठेवावी. असा त्यांस हुकूम केला असे व
किंमि जिनस जो कोणी ताबुताचे शेवटले दोन दिवसांत वि-
कताना सांपडेल त्यास पाहाण्यांत ठेवितल.

९. ताबूत जातील तेव्हा त्यांच्या समोर टाकण्याकरितां
सरकारी तळ्यांतून अथवा विहिरींतून पाणी वेऊ देणार नाही.

१०. जो मनुष्य तलवार अथवा खंजीर अथवा सोटा
अथवा दुसरे काही हत्यार घेऊन जातांना दृष्टीस पडेल
त्यास धरून पाहाण्यांत ठेवितल.

૧૨. સદરૂ હુકમ જો કોળી માળૂસ મોઢીલ કિંવા લોકાસ હલ્લા હરકત હોઈલ અશી વર્તણૂક કોળી કરીલ કિંવા કોળેતેહી તન્હેવા કિસાદ કરીલ તર ત્યાસ તેવ ક્ષણીં કૈદ કરૂન કાચદામપાળે સજા કરતીલ. -

एफ. एच. सुटर साहेब दाहादुर,
पोलिस कमिश्नर यांची सही.

मुकाम मुंबई माजगांव पोलिस कचेरी,
तारीख १७ वी माहे एप्रिल सन १८६८ इसवी.

मंजूर केला.

वमोजिवे हुकूम बंदीगान अलीनवाब मुस्तताब
हजरत रैट आनरबल गवरनर साहेब वहादुर
दर इजलास कौन्सिल.

उदलियम वेडरबर्न साहेब दाहादुर,
अंडर सेक्रेटारी निसवत सरकार यांची सही.

मुकाम जंजिरे मुंबई,
तारीख २० वी माहे एप्रिल सन १८६८ इसवी.

W. WEDDERBURN,
For Oriental Translator to Government.

જાહેરનામું.

એવું ને રાને ૧૮૫૧ ના ૧૩ મા આક્ટની ૭૭ મી કલમનાં ઇરાવપમાણે તાશુતોના ઘણાડામાં તાશુતો ખાહાર ફેરવવા કાહાડેછે તે ખાખત તથા લોહીને હલો હરકત ન થાએ તે ખાખત બંદેગાન અલીનવાબ મુસ્તેતાબ હજરત રાઈટ આનરબલ ગવરનર સાહેબ ખાહાદુર દરઈલ્લાહારા કોનસલે સુકર કરીને હુકમ ફરમાયા છે.

૧. આવતા મોદરમના દીવરામાં તાશુતો અથવા પંજ અથવા દુલીના પંજ બનાવવાની તથા ખાહાર ફેરવવાની તેઓની ખુશી હરો તેઓએ પોલીસના કમીશનર સાહેબ પાસેથી પરવાના લેવા બેઈએ. એવા પરવાના મુરાલમાતનેજ માત્ર આપવામાં આવરો તથા ને લોહી પરવાના લેરો તેઓએ કોઈ માજુએટ અથવા પોલીસના અંમલદારો તે બેવાને માગે એટલે તેઓને દેખાડવા બેઈએ.

૨. રાદરહુ પ્રકારના દરએક પરવાનાવાલા તાશુતોના અથવા પંજના અથવા દુલીના પંજના શંખધથી ને મંડલી એકઠી થશે અથવા એકઠા થધને ચાલશે તે મંડલીમાંનાં માંજુશોએ લોહીની શુધેહતો બંગ તથા એવી રીતે ચાલવાની નવાખદારી રાદરહુ પ્રકારના પરવાનાવાલાઉપર છે અને સદરહુ પ્રમાણે મંડલી એકઠી થશે અથવા એકઠા થધને ચાલરો તારે તેમાહેના કોઈ માંજુરા હંગાંચી અથવા ધાંધલ કરરો અને પોલીસ કમીશનરને ઓગ્ય જાણારો તે રાદરહુ પ્રકારનો પરવાનો એકદંમ પાછો લેવાનો તથા એ એકઠી થએલો મંડલી અથવા એકઠા થધને ચાલનારી મંડલીને વીખરાઈ નાખવાનો અથવા તે મંડલી ફરીથી પાછી એકઠી થવાનો અટકાવ કરવાનો તથા મંડલી ફરીથી એકઠી ન થવા દેવાનો અથવા તેને તાશુત અથવા પંજો અથવા દુલીનો પંજો ફેરવવાનો ખીલકુલ મનાઈ કરવાનો અથવા મુદલ ફેરવવા નહી દેવાનો અધીકાર પોલીસ કમીશનરને છે.

૩. તાશુતના છઠા દીવરાની રાવર શુધી મુંબઈના રસાતામાં અથવા રાહાદારીના કેકાણામાં કોઈ પણ મંડલીને વાળાં વગાડતાં નવા દેશે નહી.

૪. મોદરમની ૧ ઠી તથા ૭ મી તથા ૮ મી તથા ૯ મી તથા ૧૦ મી તારીખે રસાતામાં વાળાં વગાડવા દેશે.

૫. કતલની રાવે ખારવાખ્યાની અગાઉ અથવા પાછલી રાતના ત્રણ વાગા પછી અથવા છેલે દીવરો એક વાગતાની અગાઉ તાશુતોને ફેરવવા દેરો નહીં. અને તાશુતોને સુરજ અશત પામતાની અગાઉ દરીઆમાં ખુડાડીને છુટાં થવું એવા હુકમ છે.

૬. મોહોટા રસતા ઉપર એક એકની સાથે તાશુતોએ ચાલવું નહીં અને શાંમરામાં આપે તારે હરેક તાશુતે પોતાની ડાબી ખાશુ પકડીને એકમેકને રસતા આપવા. ગાડી અથવા ઘોડશ્વાર મળેતો તાશુતોની સાથે ને લોહી હરો તેઓને રાકત હુકમ છે કે તેઓએ વાછુંનતર બંધ કરીને રસતાની ડાબી ખાશુથી તાશુતો લઈજવા.

૭. જુલજનાં એટલે ઘોડાની સ્વારી મોહોટા રસતાઉપરથી અથવા બરવરાતીના રસતાથી ફેરવવા દેરો નહીં.

૮. દારૂ વેચનારા સરવે લોહીએ અથવા અપ્રીણ તથા ભાંગ વેચનારા સરવે લોહીએ પોતાની દુકાનો બંધ રાખવી. એવા તેઓને હુકમ કરા છે તથા કેપી જણસ ને કોઈ તાશુતોના છેલા બે દીવશોમાં વેચતાં પકડારો તેઓને પોરામાં રાખરો.

૯. તાશુતો નાખવાને જરો ત્યારે તેઓની સામે નાંખવા સાથે રાકારી તલાઓમાંથી તથા કુવાઓમાંથી પાણી લેવા દેરો નહીં.

૧૦. ને માંજુરો તલવાર અથવા અંજર અથવા રોટા અથવા ખીલ્લ કાંઈહથીઆર લધને જતાં નજરે પડરો તે તેઓને પકડીને પોરામાં રાખરો.

૧૧. સદરહુ હુકમ ને કોઈ તોરો અથવા લોહીને હલો હરકત થાએ એવું કોઈ કરરો અથવા કોઈ પણ તરેહથી પ્રીશાદ કરશે તો તેઓને તરત કેદ કરીને કાએદપ્રમાણે સજા કરરો.

એક એચ. સુટર સાહેબ ખાહાદુર,
પોલીસ કમીશનરની સહી.

मुकाम मुंबई मजगांम पोलिस कचेरी,
तारीख १७ मी माहे एपरेल सने १८६८ इसवी.

मंजूर करवुं.

वमोजिवे हुकूम बंदिगांन अलीनवाब मुस्ते-
ताब हजरत राईट आनरबल गवरनर
साहेब दाहादुर दर इजलास
कौन्सल.

उदलियम वेडरबर्न साहेब दाहादुर,
अंडर सेक्रेटारी निसावत सरकार
यांची सही.

मुकाम मुंबई मजगांम,
तारीख २० मी माहे एपरेल सने १८६८ इसवी.

W. WEDDERBURN,
For Oriental Translator to Government.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Under Section VI. of the Indian Registration Act XX. of 1866, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to order that the following shall be the Sub-Districts in the District of Rutnagherry, from the 1st April 1868:—

1. The Talooka of Rutnagherry.
2. Ditto Chiploon.
3. Ditto Rajapoor.
4. Ditto Sooveridroog.
5. Ditto Malwan.
6. Ditto Sungmeshwur.
7. Ditto Gohagar.
8. The Vingoora Mahal.
9. The Khed do.
10. The Kharapatan do.
11. The Lanje do.
12. The Salsee do.

Under Section VIII. of the same Act His Excellency in Council is pleased to make the following appointments:—

The Mamlutdar's Head Caroon to be Sub-Registrar of Sungmeshur.
Ditto ditto ditto Gohagar.

By order,

F. R. S. WYLLIE,

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1868.

Officiating Secretary to Government.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

After the words "For this purpose" in line 4 of Rule 24 of the Rules for the examination of Junior Civil Servants, dated the 15th April 1856, read the words "the Vernacular papers in."

By order,

F. R. S. WYLLIE,

Officiating Secretary to Government.

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1868.

GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, BOMBAY.

The Honourable the Acting Chief Justice and Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature at Bombay have issued a Sunud to Mr. Wasantrao Balnookunda, authorising him to practise as a Pleader in Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature at Bombay.

The Honourable the Acting Chief Justice and Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature at Bombay have issued Sunuds to the undermentioned persons, authorising them to practise as Pleaders in the Districts set forth against their names:—

| No. | Names. | Date of the Sunuds. | Where to practise. |
|-----|---|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | Mr. Nuggindas Toolsidas Marphutia | 27th April 1868 .. | Ahmedabad and Surat. |
| 2 | „ Bindachareca bin Goorachareca..... | Do. | Dharwar. |
| 3 | „ Ramkrishna Anunt Mooley | Do. | Khandesh. |
| 4 | „ Atmaram Jayaram Gupte | Do. | Konkun. |
| 5 | „ Purshotum Krishna Khandikur..... | Do. | Do. |
| 6 | „ Keshuv Balajee Doobey..... | Do. | Ahmednugur. |
| 7 | „ Gunesh Dajee Joshee..... | Do. | Khandesh. |

Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature, Bombay, 27th April 1868.

H. BIRDWOOD,

Acting Registrar.

GENERAL ORDERS

BY THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

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

Bombay Castle, 23rd April 1868.

No. 281 of 1868.—Sub-Conductor R. Maxwell, of the Quartermaster General's Office, is allowed furlough to Europe for twenty months, on medical certificate.

No. 282 of 1868.—Captain T. P. B. Walshe, Bombay Staff Corps, is allowed furlough to Europe, for the purpose of appearing before a Medical Board.

No. 283 of 1868.—The following officers are allowed furlough to Europe for twenty months, on medical certificate:—

Colonel J. A. Ballard, C.B., Royal (Bombay) Engineers, Mint Master, Bombay.

Major J. T. Norgate, Bengal Staff Corps, Cantonment Magistrate, Sealkote.

Captain R. J. L. Crutchley, Bengal Staff Corps.

Lieutenant J. N. Bennett, Madras Staff Corps.

Bombay Castle, 24th April 1868.

No. 284 of 1868.—Lieutenant R. C. Clifford, Bengal Staff Corps, is allowed furlough to Europe for twenty months, on medical certificate, under the provisions of paragraphs 319 to 322, page 84, 3rd Appendix Jameson's Code.

No. 285 of 1868.—Veterinary Surgeon H. Dawson, of the Bengal Veterinary Department, is allowed furlough to Europe for twenty months, on medical certificate, under the provisions of paragraphs 319 to 322, page 84, 3rd Appendix Jameson's Code.

No. 286 of 1868.—Major General G. Farquharson, of the Bengal Army, is allowed furlough to Europe, for three years, on medical certificate.

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1868.

No. 287 of 1868.—Under instructions from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, Regimental Pay Masters and Officers Commanding Head Quarters of Brigades and Batteries of Artillery, when making deductions in their Europe Remittance Returns, under authority of the War Office, are required in each case to support the deduction by the original authority under which it is made, by attaching the same to the Return forwarded direct by them to the War Office; the No. and date of such authority should be entered in the copies forwarded to the Military Accountant.

No. 288 of 1868.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 14th April 1868, No. 383, is republished:—

“383 of 1868.—Under the authority of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, it is hereby notified that an Officer of Her Majesty's British Service, who is a probationer for the Staff Corps, will cease to be considered as such if he be placed upon the half-pay list.

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

No. 289 of 1868.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th April 1868, No. 391, is republished:—

“No. 391 of 1868.—With reference to Government General Order No. 154, of the 8th February 1867, it is hereby notified that when Warrant or Non-Commissioned Officers holding appointments as Clerks in Offices and in receipt of consolidated salaries, proceed on leave under circumstances entitling them to draw half staff salary, the amount to be passed to them in addition to their furlough or other pay

* As laid down in Government General Order No. 69, dated 22nd January 1868. to which they may be entitled, will be half the difference between the consolidated salary and the Indian Warrant* pay and allowances of their grade, if they are Warrant Officers, or the Indian pay and allowances of their rank, if they are Non-Commissioned Officers.

2. This Order is applicable to the three Presidencies.

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

No. 290 of 1868.—The following General Order by the Government of India, dated 16th April 1868, No. 392, is republished :—

“ No. 392 of 1868.—The following addition is to be made to the 5th paragraph of Government General Order No. 859, of the 11th October 1866, regarding the assembly of Committees to decide the rent of public quarters :—

‘The proceedings of the Committee are to be submitted through the usual channel for the approval of the Commander-in-Chief and sanction of Government.’

Order Books to be corrected accordingly.

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

No. 291 of 1868.—The following Extracts from the *London Gazette* of 20th March 1868, page 1770, are published for general information :—

“INDIA OFFICE, 19th March 1868.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Admissions to the Staff Corps, made by the Governments in India :—

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Charles Mountstuart Erskine, 103rd Regiment. Dated 30th July 1862.

Lieutenant Samuel George Drury Turner, Royal (Bombay) Artillery. Dated 8th June 1860.

Lieutenant Frederick William Joseph, Royal Artillery. Dated 18th December 1861.”

No. 292 of 1868.—The services of Lieutenant H. Martin, late 23rd Bombay Native Infantry, Deputy Superintendent of Police in the Central Provinces, are placed at the disposal of the Commander of the Forces.

No. 293 of 1868.—The services of Assistant Apothecary J. Maloney (No. 102) are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Superintendent, Bombay Marine, vice McCullough (No. 128), sick.

No. 294 of 1868.—The following General Orders, by His Excellency Sir Robert Napier, G.C.S.I. and K.C.B., Commanding Abyssinian Expeditionary Force, are published :—

Adjutant General's Office, Head Quarters, Camp Adabaga, 23rd February 1868.

CLVI. The following temporary arrangements are confirmed :—

2nd Regiment N. I. (Grenadiers).

Captain Boyd to officiate as Second in Command in addition to his own duties, and Lieutenant McRae as Wing Officer, with effect from the 15th instant, vice Captain Edwardes, appointed to the Quartermaster General's Department.

Head Quarters, Camp Adabaga, 24th February 1868.

CLVII. The following temporary arrangement is confirmed :—

2nd Regiment N. I. (Grenadiers).

Lieutenant Gunthorpe to officiate as Wing Officer, vice Lieutenant McRae, appointed to the Intelligence Department.

CLVIII. On the recommendation of a Medical Board, Lieutenant H. B. Edwards, 27th Regiment N. I., has been granted leave to England for 18 months, subject to confirmation by Government.

CLIX. Subject to confirmation, and on the recommendation of a Medical Board, the Reverend William Ross, Presbyterian Chaplain, Bengal Establishment, is permitted to proceed to England to appear before a Medical Board.

CLX. Officers employed in the Intelligence Department will send in their reports direct to Head Quarters, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, through Captain Tweedie, Political Secretary.

CLXI. Officers Commanding Divisions and Detachments of the Land Transport Corps, serving on the Highlands, will send all returns direct to the Acting Sub-Director of Transport, Head Quarters Camp, who will render a weekly return of the Transport on the Highlands to Major Warden.

Head Quarters, Camp Agoola, 28th February 1868.

CLXII. Subject to confirmation, the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to sanction the amount of *bonâ fide* expenses to Veterinary Surgeon Lamb, Land Transport Corps, when detached on the Public Service.

CLXIII. Subject to confirmation, Dr. Leckie was appointed to the Medical Charge of Invalid Followers proceeding to Bombay, per Ship "England," on the 28th January last, receiving the sum of Rupees (150) one hundred and fifty, for his services while so employed.

CLXIV. No. 1914, Private Moolla, 29th Bombay N. I., attached to the Land Transport Train as a 4th Class Inspector, is remanded to Regimental duty for misconduct, and will be attached to a Corps at Zoulla, pending an opportunity of sending him back to India.

CLXV. Lieutenant Sorell, R.A., is appointed Transport Station Staff Officer at Senafe, with effect from the 22nd instant.

CLXVI. With reference to G. O. C. Nos. 10 and 113, dated respectively the 9th January and 11th February 1868, Lieutenant Hore and Lieutenant Mackinnon are appointed Sub-Assistant Commissary Generals, 1st Class, with effect from the date of their services being placed at the disposal of the Deputy Commissary General.

CLXVII. The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to order that when Troops are employed on any very laborious work, such as tidal work or work necessitating immersion in water, the Engineer Officer in charge may give for eight hours' work a double rate of working pay.

CLXVIII. Officers Commanding British Regiments with this Force are directed to transmit to their respective Indian Depôts with the least possible delay, such of the Regimental Records, or Extracts therefrom, as will enable the authorities in India to complete the discharge documents of the men now being, or who may hereafter be, invalided or sent home for discharge.

Commanding Officers of British Regiments should also communicate full instructions to the Officers Commanding the Indian Depôts in regard to the mode of keeping up these Records, in accordance with the Regulations, until the Service Companies shall have returned from Field Service.

By order of Excellency the Commander-in-Chief,

FRED. THESIGER, Colonel,
Deputy Adjutant General.

W. F. MARRIOTT, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1868.

No. 12 of 1868.—The undermentioned Engineers of the Bombay Marine are promoted to fill existing vacancies, from the dates specified opposite their names:—

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| Mr. William Sangster, 2nd Class, to be 1st Class Engineer (Provisional), vice Greig, resigned | } 15th November 1867. |
| Mr. Hugh Driver, 2nd Class, to be 1st Class Engineer, vice Moritz, resigned..... | |
| | } 8th March 1868. |

No. 13 of 1868.—The services of Assistant Apothecary J. Maloney (No. 102) are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Superintendent Bombay Marine, vice McCullough (No. 128), sick.

W. F. MARRIOTT, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

CIVIL APPOINTMENTS, &c.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 27th April 1868.

Under the provisions of Act VI. of 1845, the undermentioned gentlemen have been appointed Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the Town and Island of Bombay and its Dependencies, and are requested to qualify by taking the prescribed oaths:—

Birkbeck, Frederick.
Crowe, William Henry.
Ebden, Edward James.
Fleet, John Faithfull.
Forman, William Scott.
Johnston, John Leech.
MacGeorge, John Henry.
McMinn, Stephen Henry.
Muir, John Fairlie.

Parsons, Henry James.
Pollen, Arthur Daniel.
Porteous, William.
Reid, George Boileau.
Ricketts, Montague Poyntez.
Ross, W. H.
Sharkey, Edmund de la Garde.
Vidal, George William.
Vertue, W.

Major R. R. Wallace is appointed to act as Magistrate of the District of Hyderabad, from the date of his appointment to act as Collector of that District.

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1868.

The temporary promotion of Major R. Johnstone and Major S. Scott to be respectively First and Second Grade District Police Superintendents* is to have effect from 1st February 1868.
* Government Notification, dated 4th March 1868.

Major C. M. Lewis, Railway Magistrate, Thull Ghaut, has been allowed privilege leave of absence for three months, from the 20th instant.

Mr. S. H. McMinn, appointed Supernumerary Third Assistant to the Collector of Tanna, is invested with the powers of a Subordinate Magistrate of the 2nd Class in the Tanna District.

By order of the Right Honourable the Governor in Council,

C. GONNE,

Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 24th April 1868.

Mr. S. H. McMinn to be Supernumerary Third Assistant to the Collector of Tanna.

Bombay Castle, 27th April 1868.

Mr. A. Rogers, Revenue and Police Commissioner, Northern Division, is allowed leave of absence for six months, under Section 9 Chapter 2 of the New Covenanted Civil Service Absentee Rules.

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1868.

Mr. J. H. Merritt, Inspector of Cotton, Bombay, has been allowed four months' leave of absence, on private affairs under Clause I. Section 12 of the Uncovenanted Absentee Rules, dated 26th April 1864.

Mr. G. Norman, Acting Collector of Bombay and Superintendent of Stamps and Stationery, is allowed privilege leave of absence for one month.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1868.

The following Extract, from a Notification by the Government of India, No. 1682, dated the 23rd March 1868, is republished :—

“Mr. J. L. Lushington, Accountant General, Bombay, is allowed leave of absence, on private affairs, for six months, from the 11th April 1868.

Mr. C. E. Chapman, Deputy Accountant General, to officiate as Accountant General, Bombay.

Mr. E. Gay, Assistant Controller General of Accounts, to officiate as Deputy Accountant General, Bombay.”

By order,

F. R. S. WYLLIE,

Officiating Secretary to Government.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 27th April 1868.

Colonel A. De Lisle, R.E., having tendered the resignation of his appointment as Consulting Engineer to Government for Railways and Reclamations, from the 30th instant, consequent on his intention to retire from the service, the Right Honourable the Governor in Council is pleased to accept Colonel DeLisle's resignation of his appointment, and to place his services at the disposal of the Military Department from the 1st proximo.

Consequent on the above His Excellency in Council is pleased to make the following arrangements with effect from the 1st May :—

Lieutenant Colonel Trevor, R.E., to be Consulting Engineer to Government for Railways and Reclamations.

Captain Merriman, R.E., to be confirmed in his appointment as Superintending Engineer in Sind.

Captain Mander, R.E., to be confirmed in his appointment as Executive Engineer, Aden.

By order of the Right Honourable the Governor in Council,

M. K. KENNEDY, Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1868.

Rao Saheb Narrayen Bhai Dandekar received charge of his duties as Principal of the Poona Training College on the 20th instant.

By order of the Right Honourable the Governor in Council,

C. GONNE,

Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 29th April 1868.

The promotion of the Reverend W. L. Eames, to Senior Chaplain, notified under date the 8th instant, in the *Government Gazette* of 9th idem is to have effect from the 16th March last.

The following appointments are made in consequence of the death of the Reverend G. L. Allen :—

The Reverend H. H. Pace, Chaplain of Sholapore, is appointed Chaplain of Belgaum Fort.

The Reverend S. Stead, officiating Chaplain and Joint Chaplain of Kurrachee, is appointed Chaplain of Sholapore.

The Reverend C. Walsford, Chaplain of Mahabuleshwur, is appointed officiating Chaplain of Kurrachee from the close of the Mahabuleshwur season.

The Venerable Archdeacon Leigh-Lye is appointed to proceed on temporary duty to Kurrachee.

W. F. MARRIOTT, Colonel,

Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, BOMBAY.

The Honourable the Acting Chief Justice and Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature have been pleased to appoint Azum Naro Balkrishna Putwurdhun to act as Moonsiff in the Konkun District, during the absence of Azum Gopalrao Govind Phutuk.

Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature, Bombay, 23rd April 1868.

The Honourable the Acting Chief Justice and Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature have been pleased to make the following appointments:—

- Azum Vidiaram Motiram, Acting Moonsiff at Surat, to be a Moonsiff in the Surat District.
- Azum Tribuklal Shivilal to act as Moonsiff in the Surat District.

Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature, Bombay, 25th April 1868.

The Honourable the Acting Chief Justice and Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature have been pleased to appoint Azum Apajee Luxumon a Moonsiff in the Khandeish District, vice Azum Rajaram Chintamun, deceased.

Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature, Bombay, 27th April 1868.

H. BIRDWOOD,
Acting Registrar.

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE REVENUE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

NORTHERN DIVISION.

The Notification, dated the 6th February last, published at page 112 of the *Government Gazette* of the 13th idem, is, so far as it relates to Azum Bhaskur Narayan, Azum Sudasew Moreshwur, and Azum Damodhur Eshwunt, cancelled.

Azum Damodhur Eshwunt to be Acting Mamlutdar of Penn.

The following appointments of Mamlutdars are made in the Khandeish Collectorate:—

- Azum Sudasew Gopall to be Mamlutdar of Sirpoor.
- Azum Ramchunder Vishwanath to be Probationary Mamlutdar of Tullođa.

Camp Bassein, 22nd April 1868.

Pandoorung Sukharam, 1st Carkoon of Talooka Bassein, acted as Mamlutdar of that Talooka from the 3rd to the 11th November 1866, both days inclusive.

Camp Bassein, 23rd April 1868.

The following are the Municipal limits of the town of Chopra, in the Khandeish Collectorate:—

- On the North.*—Survey Nos. 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, and 203.
- On the South.*—Survey Nos. 675, 676, 677, 846, 847, 849, 850, 851, 852, and 1152.
- On the East.*—Survey Nos. 204, 332, 333, 334, 408, 409, 410, 672, and 673.
- On the West.*—Survey Nos. 1153, 1157, 1162, 1159, 1160, 1369, 1367, 1368, and 1364.

With reference to Government Resolution No. 1803, dated 4th November 1867 (General Department) the following gentlemen are appointed Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Chopra, in the Khandeish Collectorate:—

President.

The Magistrate of the District

Vice President.

The Assistant Magistrate in charge of the Talooka.....

Members.

The Mamlutdar of the Talooka.....
The Chief Constable of the Talooka

- Dugooroo Runchore Dullal.....
- Amcerehund Dulsaram
- Maneck Rutteeram Shet.
- Rajceram Sumpet Patel.....
- Bhikaree wullud Shaik Nuthoo, Police Patel
- Wittul Luxumon Chowgowkur
- Wujeer Saheb wullud Badshah Meeya Jageerdar.....
- Notee Tanajee Hoombud
- Hussun Khan, Pensioned Subedar, H. M. 7th Regt. N. I.....

}
} *Ex-Officio.*
} *Non-Official.*

With reference to Government Resolution No. 675, dated 14th April 1868 (General Department), the following gentlemen are appointed Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Bhurgaum, in the Khandeish Collectorate:—

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| The Assistant Collector and Magistrate in charge of the Talooka | } Official Members. |
| The Mamlutdar and Sub-Magistrate of the Talooka..... | |
| The Chief Constable in charge..... | |
| Gopal Amroot, Moonsiff of the Talooka | } Non-Official Members. |
| Chinnajee Krishna, Jageerdar..... | |
| Gungaram Buldave, Sowcar..... | |
| Vittul Gunnesb, Vuheel | |
| Gopal Rowjee Bhoosary, Sowcar | |
| Trimbeck Ramrow, Deshpanday..... | |
| Khoosaba Purwutrow, Deshmook | |
| Aegnodeen wullud Kumrodeen, Kazee..... | |
| Balaram Bheemasing, Sowcar..... | |
| Govinda wullud Venkoba, Wany | |
| Gunput wullud Purwut, Patel | |
| Junardhun Sheedhaiswur, Pensioned Mamlutdar | |

Camp Basscin, 24th April 1868.

Mr. Balajee Babajee, B.A., 1st Assistant Master of the Surat High School, is appointed a Member of the Surat Municipality, vice Mr. Dalzell, proceeded to Europe.

The following gentlemen are appointed members of the Ahmedabad Municipality:—

The Reverend J. Taylor.
Shet Chhuggunbhai Bhaeechund.
Shet Runchorlal Chotalal.
Syed Ubdool Kadur wullud Syed Meeah Saheb.

Camp Basscin, 25th April 1868.

Mr. Hemehund Tribhwan, Probationary Inspector of Police, 3rd Grade, Surat Districts, is confirmed in his appointment.

Azum Rajabhee Khooshaldass, Sir Carkoon of Gogo, is appointed a Member of the Municipality of that Town, vice Azum Narunjee Anundram, transferred.

Camp Basscin, 28th April 1868.

A. ROGERS,
Revenue and Police Commissioner, N.D.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Messrs. A. H. Plunkett and R. Middleton respectively delivered over and received charge of the Sudder Station and Treasury of Dharwar, on the 15th April 1868, in the afternoon.

Mahabuleshwar, 21st April 1868.

Mr. G. W. Larcom, appointed to act as Assistant Superintendent of Police in the Ahmednuggur Districts, assumed charge of his Office on the 18th April 1868, in the afternoon.

Mahabuleshwar, 25th April 1868.

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

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE COMMISSIONER IN SIND.

Kulloo wullud Lakhano is appointed a Member of the Municipality of Sanghur, in the Thur and Par-kur Districts, vice Lakhano wullud Adit, deceased.

Commissioner's Office, Kurrachee, 18th April 1868.

Suntass wullud Kodum Mull is appointed a Member of the Municipality of Shikrapoor, vice Sett Futtechund, resigned.

Commissioner's Office, Kurrachee, 20th April 1868.

Major R. R. Wallace, Acting Collector of Hyderabad, received charge of his Office from Captain C. F. Boulton, on the 18th instant, before Office hours.

Commissioner's Office, Kurrachee, 22nd April 1868.

W. H. HAVELOCK,
Commissioner in Sind.

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 Overland Mails per P. and O. Company's Steam Packets leave Bombay every Saturday at 5 P.M., excepting during the moonsoon months, *i. e.*, commencing on the 12th May and ending on the 20th October, when Tuesday will be the day of departure at the same hour.

The Mails will be closed at the General Post Office at 2 P.M.

The After Packet at 3 P.M.

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 Friday, the 1st May 1868, at 9 A.M. A Packet for late Letters will be kept open, on payment of the usual fee, until 10 A.M.

Registered Letters will be received until 6 P.M. of the previous day.

DESPATCH OF MAILS FROM BOMBAY.

| MAILS. | Latest hour for Posting. | | |
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| | 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. | 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, also for Ahmednuggur and Seroor | 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.

NOTIFICATION BY THE JUDICIAL COMMISSIONER IN SIND.

Assistant Surgeon N. Hopkins and Surgeon J. Gilbert respectively delivered over and received charge of the Kurrachee Jail on the 24th instant, before office hours.

M. MELVILL,

Judicial Commissioner in Sind.

Judicial Commissioner's Office, Kurrachee, 24th April 1868.

NOTIFICATION BY THE REGISTRAR GENERAL OF ASSURANCES.

Captain Boulton and Major Wallace respectively delivered over and received charge of the Office of the Registrar of Assurances at Hydrabad in the forenoon of the 18th April 1868.

Kurrachee, Branch General Registry Office, 22nd April 1868.

J. MOORE,

Branch Registrar General.

NOTIFICATIONS BY THE INSPECTOR GENERAL, INDIAN MEDICAL DEPT.

No. 45.—Second Hospital Assistant Dajee Dhondew Joshi (No. 766), of the Charitable Dispensary Gokak, is allowed leave of absence for one month, to proceed to Bombay for the benefit of his health, and Second Hospital Assistant Hurryrow Powar (No. 416), is directed to proceed to Bombay, and assume charge of the Dispensary at that station, during Dajee Dhondew Joshi's absence, or until further orders.

No. 46.—Second Grade Apprentice Soobrya Tamphana, (No. 800), is transferred from the Civil Hospital, Kotree, to the Dispensary at Oomerkote.

No. 47.—With reference to Notification No. 8, dated 29th January 1868, First Hospital Assistant Saye Gorapah (No. 318), is allowed a further extension of leave, for three months, to proceed to his Native Country (Hyderabad in the Deccan).

No. 48.—First Hospital Assistant Babajee Sorroopsee (No. 337), at present attached to the Carwar Dispensary, is transferred to the Civil Hospital, Belgaum.

No. 49.—Apprentice Vaccinator Himutram Joogutram (No. 235), of the Northern Circle, is dismissed the Service.

By order of the Inspector General, Indian Medical Department,

T. B. JOHNSTONE, M.D.,

Surgeon Major, Secretary.

Bombay, 29th April 1868.

Kurrachee and Persian Gulf Mails.—Under arrangements concluded with the B. I. S. Navigation Company, the Contract Steamers to Kurrachee and the Persian Gulf, will leave Bombay alternately on every Monday, at noon.

The Gulf Steamers will, both on their up and down voyages, touch at Kurrachee, and thus a weekly communication maintained with that port, corresponding with the weekly Overland Mail Service between Bombay and Suez.

The following Time Table, giving the dates of arrival at, and departure from Bombay, and Kurrachee, for the present year, will be observed by the Contract Steamers :—

| UP VOYAGE. | | | | DOWN VOYAGE. | | | | |
|-------------------|----|-----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|----|
| LEAVES BOMBAY. | | ARRIVES AT KURRACHEE. | | LEAVES KURRACHEE. | | ARRIVES AT BOMBAY. | | |
| MONDAY NOON. | | THURSDAY, 8 A. M. | | WEDNESDAY, 10 A. M. | | SATURDAY, 8 A. M. | | |
| March 1868 .. | 30 | Kurrachee Mail . . . | April | 2 | Febry. 1868 .. | 26 | February | 29 |
| April | 6 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 9 | March | 4 | March | 7 |
| " " " " " " | 13 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 16 | " " " " " " | 11 | " " " " " " | 14 |
| " " " " " " | 20 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 23 | " " " " " " | 18 | " " " " " " | 21 |
| " " " " " " | 27 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 30 | " " " " " " | 25 | " " " " " " | 28 |
| May | 4 | Gulf " " " " " " | May | 7 | April | 1 | April | 4 |
| " " " " " " | 11 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 14 | " " " " " " | 8 | " " " " " " | 11 |
| " " " " " " | 18 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 21 | " " " " " " | 15 | " " " " " " | 18 |
| " " " " " " | 25 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 28 | " " " " " " | 22 | " " " " " " | 25 |
| June | 1 | Gulf " " " " " " | June | 4 | " " " " " " | 29 | May | 2 |
| " " " " " " | 8 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 11 | May | 6 | " " " " " " | 9 |
| " " " " " " | 15 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 18 | | | | |
| " " " " " " | 22 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 25 | Saturday. | | Tuesday. | |
| " " " " " " | 29 | Gulf " " " " " " | July | 2 | May | 9 | May | 12 |
| July | 6 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 9 | " " " " " " | 16 | " " " " " " | 19 |
| " " " " " " | 13 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 16 | " " " " " " | 23 | " " " " " " | 26 |
| " " " " " " | 20 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 23 | " " " " " " | 30 | June | 2 |
| " " " " " " | 27 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 30 | June | 6 | " " " " " " | 9 |
| August | 3 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | August | 6 | " " " " " " | 13 | " " " " " " | 16 |
| " " " " " " | 10 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 13 | " " " " " " | 20 | " " " " " " | 23 |
| " " " " " " | 17 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 20 | " " " " " " | 27 | " " " " " " | 30 |
| " " " " " " | 24 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 27 | July | 4 | July | 7 |
| " " " " " " | 31 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | September | 3 | " " " " " " | 11 | " " " " " " | 14 |
| September . . . | 7 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 10 | " " " " " " | 18 | " " " " " " | 21 |
| " " " " " " | 14 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 17 | " " " " " " | 25 | " " " " " " | 28 |
| " " " " " " | 21 | Gulf " " " " " " | October | 24 | August | 1 | August | 4 |
| " " " " " " | 28 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 8 | " " " " " " | 8 | " " " " " " | 11 |
| October | 5 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 15 | " " " " " " | 15 | " " " " " " | 18 |
| " " " " " " | 12 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 22 | " " " " " " | 22 | " " " " " " | 25 |
| " " " " " " | 19 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 29 | " " " " " " | 29 | September | 1 |
| " " " " " " | 26 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | November | 5 | September | 5 | " " " " " " | 8 |
| November | 2 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 12 | " " " " " " | 12 | " " " " " " | 15 |
| " " " " " " | 9 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 19 | " " " " " " | 19 | " " " " " " | 22 |
| " " " " " " | 16 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 26 | October | 3 | October | 6 |
| " " " " " " | 23 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | December | 3 | " " " " " " | 10 | " " " " " " | 13 |
| " " " " " " | 30 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 10 | " " " " " " | 17 | " " " " " " | 20 |
| December | 7 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 17 | Wednesday. | | Saturday. | |
| " " " " " " | 14 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 24 | October | 28 | October | 31 |
| " " " " " " | 21 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 31 | November | 4 | November | 7 |
| " " " " " " | 28 | Gulf " " " " " " | Jan'y. 1869 | 7 | " " " " " " | 11 | " " " " " " | 14 |
| Jan'y. 1869 . . . | 4 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 14 | " " " " " " | 18 | " " " " " " | 21 |
| " " " " " " | 11 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 21 | " " " " " " | 25 | " " " " " " | 28 |
| " " " " " " | 18 | Kurrachee " " " " " " | " " " " " " | 28 | December | 2 | December | 5 |
| " " " " " " | 25 | Gulf " " " " " " | " " " " " " | | " " " " " " | 9 | " " " " " " | 12 |
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China Mails—The following are the dates of departure of China and Australian Mail Steamers from Bombay during the year 1868:—

| CHINA MAILS. | | | AUSTRALIAN MAILS. | | |
|-------------------|-------|--------|-------------------|-------|--------|
| Months and Dates. | | | Months and Dates. | | |
| | | 9 A.M. | | | 9 A.M. |
| January 1868 | ..... | 15 | January 1868 | ..... | 15 |
| Ditto | .. | 30 | February .. | ..... | 15 |
| February .. | ..... | 15 | March .. | ..... | 15 |
| March .. | ..... | 1 | | | Noon |
| Ditto .. | ..... | 15 | April .. | ..... | 17 |
| | | Noon | May .. | ..... | 15 |
| Ditto .. | ..... | 27 | June .. | ..... | 12 |
| April .. | ..... | 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 | | | |

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

For a Packet.

| | Viâ Southampton. | | | Viâ 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.

Weight of Sample Packets to Belgium.—Eight ounces has been fixed as the excess limit of weight for articles sent from India to Belgium by Packet Post.

Overland Postage Rates on Army Officers' letters.—Instructions having this day been received from the London General Post Office altering from full ounces to half-ounces the scale of progression of weight for Letters between India and the United Kingdom sent to or by Officers of the Army in India, this Postal Notice will supersede that issued by this Office on the 29th ultimo, No. 5.

2. It will be observed that the only change now made is the imposition of four annas per half oz. in lieu of 8 annas per oz. on Letters weighing more than one ounce.

3. Under the authority of the Treasury Warrant, published in page 490, Part I. of the *Bombay Government Gazette*, dated 26th December 1867, the correspondence of Officers of the Army in India is excluded from the operation of the increased rates of Postage on letters passing between India and the United Kingdom, intimated in this Office Postal Notice No. 4, dated 26th instant, and will be charged, the uniform rates below mentioned, in which Inland Postage has been included.

4. Letters entitled to the privileged rates laid down in the Warrant, may be classed as follows, and must be subject to the conditions enumerated. Should any of these conditions not have been regarded, the cover will be considered an ordinary Overland letter, and treated accordingly:—

I.—LETTERS POSTED IN INDIA.

- (a.) The Sender must be a Commissioned Officer of the Army, actually employed (otherwise than in Civil employ) in Her Majesty's Service in India.
- (b.) The letter must be one addressed to the United Kingdom.
- (c.) The letter must bear by way of superscription—
 1. The signature of the Commissioned Officer who sends the letter.
 2. The signature of the Commanding Officer of the Regiment, Corps, or Detachment in which the sender is serving, or of the Local Head of the Department to which he belongs.
 3. A specification by the Commanding Officer or Local Head of the name of the Regiment, Corps, or Detachment in which the Officer is serving or of the Department to which he belongs.

II.—LETTERS DELIVERED IN INDIA.

- (a.) The letter must be one which has been posted in the United Kingdom.
- (b.) It must be addressed to a Commissioned Officer of the Army actually employed (otherwise than in Civil employ) in Her Majesty's Service in India.
- (c.) It must bear by way of superscription,—
 1. The rank of the addressee ; and
 2. The Regiment, Corps, or Detachment in which he is serving, or the Department to which he belongs.

5. As regards the term "Civil employ," it will be proper to regard all Military Officers serving under the orders of the Civil Administrations (*i. e.* not under the orders of the Commander-in-Chief) as being in Civil employ. For instance, Military Officers belonging to the Survey, Public Works, Education, Telegraph, Post Office, Police, Jail, and other similar Departments, as well as Secretaries to Government, Cantonment Magistrates, Commissioners, Deputy Commissioners, Civil Surgeons, &c., will be regarded as being in Civil employ.

6. The condition that the Officer must be "actually employed" in Her Majesty's Service in India, excludes Officers who may be on leave from a title to claim the privilege.

7. The term "Local Head of a Department" may be regarded as meaning the Chief Officer of the Department in the station where the letter is posted.

8. The privileged rates, subject to the abovenamed conditions, are as follows:—

Viâ Southampton.

| On every letter not exceeding ½ oz. in weight. | On every letter exceeding ½ oz. and not exceeding 1 oz. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 1 oz., and not exceeding 1½ ozs. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 1½ oz. & not exceeding 2 ozs. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 2 ozs. & not exceeding 2½ ozs. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 2½ ozs. and not exceeding 3 ozs. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 3 ozs. & not exceeding 3½ ozs. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 3½ ozs. & not exceeding 4 ozs. in weight. |
|--|--|---|--|---|---|---|---|
| £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 0 0 6 | 0 1 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 0 | 0 2 6 | 0 3 0 | 0 3 6 | 0 4 0 |
| or | or | or | or | or | or | or | or |
| Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. |
| 0 4 0 | 0 8 0 | 1 0 0 | 0 1 0 | 1 4 0 | 1 8 0 | 1 12 0 | 2 0 0 |

Viâ Marseilles.

| On every letter not exceeding ½ oz. in weight. | On every letter exceeding ½ oz. and not exceeding 1 oz. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 1 oz. and not exceeding 1½ ozs. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 1½ ozs. and not exceeding 2 ozs. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 2 ozs. & not exceeding 2½ ozs. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 2½ ozs. & not exceeding 3 ozs. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 3 ozs. & not exceeding 3½ oz. in weight. | On every letter exceeding 3½ ozs. & not exceeding 4 ozs. in weight. |
|--|--|--|---|---|---|--|---|
| £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 0 0 10 | 0 1 8 | 0 2 6 | 0 3 4 | 0 4 2 | 0 5 0 | 0 5 10 | 0 6 8 |
| or | or | or | or | or | or | or | or |
| Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. |
| 0 6 8 | 0 13 4 | 1 4 0 | 1 10 8 | 2 1 4 | 2 8 0 | 2 14 8 | 3 5 4 |

Increased Rates of Postage on Overland Letters.—Under instructions this day received from Her Majesty's Post Master General, it is hereby notified for the information of the public, that the single rate of postage on Letters sent between the United Kingdom and India, *viâ* Southampton, has been raised from 4 Annas to 6 Annas, the rate on those forwarded *viâ* Marseilles by British Packet, or by French Packet, being in like manner raised from 6 Annas 8 Pie to 8 Annas 8 Pie.

Unpaid Letters, whether forwarded *viâ* Southampton, *viâ* Marseilles, or by French Packet, will be liable, in addition to the foregoing rates, to a fine of 6 Annas, and insufficiently paid Letters will be liable to the deficient postage, and a like fine of 6 Annas.

All Letters forwarded from India through the United Kingdom to Foreign Countries or British Colonies will in like manner be subject to an additional charge of 2 Annas per $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. over and above the rates which have heretofore been chargeable in India.

It has also been decided to alter the scale of progression for charging Letters above the weight of $\frac{1}{2}$ oz., and to adopt a scale of charge rising by half ounces.

The above changes have been ordered with effect from the 1st April next; Letters posted in India on or after that date being subject to the new rates.

The following Table shows the rates chargeable in India, under the abovementioned provisions, on Letters addressed to the United Kingdom:—

Letters addressed to the United Kingdom.

| | Not exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. | Exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. and not exceeding 1 oz. | Exceeding 1 oz. and not exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz. | Exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz. and not exceeding 2 oz. | For every additional $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. |
|------------------------------|--|---|--|--|--|
| <i>By British Packet.</i> | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. |
| <i>Viâ Southampton</i> | 0 6 0 | 0 12 0 | 1 2 0 | 1 8 0 | 0 6 0 |
| <i>Viâ Marseilles</i> | 0 8 8 | 1 1 4 | 1 10 0 | 2 2 8 | 0 8 8 |
| <i>By French Packet.</i> | Same as <i>viâ</i> Marseilles by British Packet. | | | | |

Note.—The change in rates does not, as will be observed, affect Newspapers, Books, or Patterns, and it applies only to Letters sent to or through the United Kingdom. The charges for instance on Letters sent to Foreign Europe *viâ* France or *viâ* Trieste, or through the British, French, or Austrian Post Offices at Alexandria, or to Malta or Gibraltar, or British Colonies in Asia, are not affected by the present alteration.

Postage to the United States.—The public are hereby informed, that, under a new Postal Convention concluded by Her Majesty's Postmaster General with the United States of America, the postage chargeable on letters sent from England to the United States has been reduced, provision being also made for the transmission of Book and Pattern Packets.

2. Under the new arrangement, the consolidated rates of postage (including the increased rates recently ordered between India and the United Kingdom) chargeable on Letters, Newspapers, and Book and Pattern Packets, addressed to the United States of America, will be as follows, viz.:—

Letters.

| | Not exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. | Exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. and not exceeding 1 oz. | Exceeding 1 oz. and not exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz. | Exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz. and not exceeding 2 ozs. | For every additional $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|--|---|--|
| | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. |
| <i>Viâ Marseilles</i> | 0 12 0 | 1 8 0 | 2 4 0 | 3 0 0 | 0 12 0 |
| <i>Viâ Southampton</i> | 0 9 4 | 1 2 8 | 1 12 0 | 2 5 0 | 0 9 4 |

Newspapers.

For each paper not exceeding 4 oz.—

| | |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| | Rs. a. p. |
| <i>Viâ Marseilles</i> | 0 3 4 |
| <i>Viâ Southampton</i> | 0 2 8 |

Book and Pattern Packets.

| | Not exceed- ing 4 oz. | Exceeding 4 oz. and not exceed- ing 8 oz. | Exceeding 8 oz. and not exceed- ing 12 oz. | Every addi- tional 4 oz. |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------|
| | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. |
| Via Marseilles | 0 6 0 | 0 12 0 | 1 2 0 | 0 6 0 |
| Via Southampton | 0 4 8 | 0 9 4 | 0 12 0 | 0 4 8 |

The conditions in respect to the mode of packing, maximum weight, &c., of Book and Pattern Packets addressed to the United States of America, will be the same as those relating to Packets addressed to Great Britain.

Postage to places in Turkey.—Under instructions from Her Majesty's Post Master General the following rates of postage will be chargeable in India, on correspondence addressed to Europe "via Trieste," or sent through the Austrian Post Office at Alexandria, to places* in Turkey where there are Austrian Post Offices.

The full prepayment of these rates is in all cases compulsory, and they do not carry the covers to destination, being in fact only the Indian and British Packet rates. The Austrian rates cannot be prepaid in India.

Letters.

| Not exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. | Exceeding $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. and not exceeding 1 oz. | Exceeding 1 and not exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz. | Exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ oz. and not exceeding 2 oz. |
|------------------------------------|--|---|---|
| Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. |
| 0 4 8 | 0 9 4 | 0 14 0 | 1 2 8 |

And so on, adding 4 Annas and 8 Pie for every additional $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. or fraction thereof.

Newspapers.

Not exceeding 4 ozs. 1 Anna 4 Pie each.

Book and Pattern Packets.

| Not exceeding 4 ozs. | Exceeding 4 ozs. and not exceeding 8 ozs. | Exceeding 8 ozs. and not exceeding 1 lb. | Exceeding 1 lb. and not exceeding $1\frac{1}{2}$ lb. |
|-------------------------|--|---|---|
| Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. | Rs. a. p. |
| 0 2 8 | 0 5 4 | 0 10 8 | 1 0 0 |

And so on, adding 5 Annas 4 Pie for every additional $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.

* NOTE.—In the following list of Austrian Post Offices in Turkey, those places have been omitted where there are French Post Offices, as correspondence directed to them is ordinarily sent through the French Post Office at Alexandria:—

| | | | |
|------------|-----------|--------------|-------------|
| Adrianople | Canea | Kustendjie | Roman |
| Antivari | Cavalla | Lagos | Rutshuk |
| Bakau | Chio | Larnaka | Seres |
| Berlad | Durazzo | Phillippopol | Sofa |
| Botuschany | Fookshan | Piatra | Tchernavoda |
| Bourgas | Giurgevo | Plojeshite | Venedos |
| Bucharest | Janina | Prevessa | Valona |
| Caifa | Jassy | Retimo | Vola |
| Candia | Jerusalem | | |

Mails for Mauritius.—The Government of Mauritius having terminated their Contract with the Union Steam Ship Company for the conveyance of Mails between Ceylon and Mauritius, and between Mauritius and Natal, letters, &c., for Mauritius will, in future, be forwarded *via* Aden, to be thence conveyed by the French Mail Packets leaving Aden on the 23rd of every month.

2. The Mails for Mauritius will accordingly be despatched on the following dates:—

| | |
|----------------|---------------------|
| 12.h May 1868. | 8th September 1868. |
| 9th June „ | 6th October „ |
| 7th July „ | 14th November „ |
| 11th August „ | 12th December „ |

3. As the communication with the Cape of Good Hope and Natal is also thus cut off, all correspondence, addressed to those Colonies, will, under instructions, be sent in the Mail for LONDON.

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.
- 1 Calendar for King's College, London, for 1867-68.
- 1 Proceedings of the Royal Artillery Institution, Vol. V.
- 1 The Gospel in Turkey, 1866-67.
- 1 Royal School for Daughters of Officers of the Army.
- 1 Leather Pocket Book.
- 1 Oliver and Boyd's new Edinburgh Almanac for 1868.
- 4 Army Lists for 1868.
- 2 Prendergast's Series.
- 1 Belgravia, London Magazine.
- 1 Cassell's Magazine.
- 1 All the Year Round.
- 1 Family Herald.
- 1 Royal Albert, and Illustrated Repertory for 1868.
- 1 Belgravia.
- 1 Chambers' Journal.
- 1 The Secret of the Lord.
- 1 Register of the Members of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons.
- 1 Young Ladies' Journal.
- 1 Army List for 1868.
- 2 Magazines entitled the "Belgravia."
- 1 Chambers' Journal.
- 1 Pack of Cotton Thread Samples.
- 1 Child's Woollen Cap.
- 2 Guide to the Examinations for Promotion of Regimental Officers in the Infantry, Parts I. and II.
- 1 Packet of Cloth Patterns.
- 5 Spurgeon's Illustrated Almanack for 1868.
- 1 Reynolds' Miscellany.
- 1 Family Herald.
- 1 London Journal.
- 1 Tinsley's Magazine.
- 1 Leaves from the Journal of our Life in the Highlands.
- 2 Clouds Brightened.
- 1 Bag, containing Seeds.
- 2 Lacy's Acting Plays—Vols. 77 and 78.
- 1 Catalogue of Books; Mudie's Library.
- 1 Packet of Cloth Samples.

Tenders for Wax Cloth, &c.—Notice is hereby given that Sealed Tenders for the supply for one year, of Wax Cloth, Wrapping Cloth, Country Sealing Wax, Twine, Gunny, Dammer, &c. required for the use of the Bombay Post Office, will be received by the undersigned on the 1st of May 1868, at 12 o'clock noon.

2. Parties tendering must make a cash deposit of Rs. 500, which will be forfeited in case the party whose Tender may be accepted should refuse to fulfil the Contract, or should fail to furnish forthwith the Security required by the Department.

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

4. Samples of the articles to be supplied, and forms of Tender can be seen, and further particulars known by personal application at this Office, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. daily.

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

Auction Sale.—Articles found in Parcels and Book Packets, &c., which have remained "unclaimed" in the Dead Letter Office, Bombay, for the prescribed time, consisting of Lace, valuable Native Cloths, Books, Magazines, Photographs, &c. will, under clause III. Section XXIX. of the Post Office Act No. XIV. of 1866, be sold by Public Auction at the Bombay General Post Office on the 7th May 1868.

C. A. STUART,

Post Master.

Bombay, General Post Office, 29th April 1868.