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**T**HE following papers have been received by the Secretary of State for India in Council.

No. 1.

**GENERAL ORDER BY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF INDIA.**

*Military Department,  
Allahabad, September 25, 1858.*

No. 420 of 1858.

THE Right Honourable the Governor-General is pleased to direct the publication of the following despatch, from the Officer commanding Saugor Field Division, No. 330, dated 9th September, 1858, submitting the Report of Brigadier MacDuff, commanding 2nd Infantry Brigade, of an action fought with the rebels posted in the village of Sahao, on the 5th September last.

R. J. H. BIRCH, Major-General,  
Secretary to the Government of India,  
Military Department, with the Governor-General.

No. 2.

*Major-General Whitlock to Major-General Sir W. R. Mansfield, K.C.B., Chief of the Staff, Allahabad.*

*Camp Syrenugger,  
September 9, 1858.*

SIR,

No. 330.

I FEEL much gratification in forwarding the accompanying Report, from Brigadier MacDuff, commanding the 2nd Infantry Brigade, Saugor Field Division, of an action fought with the rebels posted in the village of Sahao, and their complete defeat, with great loss, and which I have the honour to beg may be submitted to his Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

Brigadier MacDuff has brought to my notice the Officers noted in the margin,\* with a request I would recommend them to the favourable notice of his Excellency. I do so with great satisfaction, trusting the Commander-in-Chief will be pleased to extend to them his most favourable consideration.

I have, &c.,

G. C. WHITLOCK, Major-General,  
Commanding Saugor Field Division.

No. 3.

*Brigadier MacDuff to the Acting Assistant-Adjutant-General, Saugor Field Division, Camp Banda.*

*Camp near Rajpoorah,  
September 5, 1858.*

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to report, for the information of Major-General Whitlock, commanding Saugor Field Division, as follows. Having received reliable information that the rebels, who have lately been plundering this district, up to the neighbourhood of even Calpie, were under different rebel leaders, to the number of 500 mutineer sepoy, and about 3,000 matchlock-men, strongly posted in village Sahao, four miles north of Jaloun, I this morning moved with the force, as per margin,† to attack them. On nearing the village of Sahao, the rebels, sounding the assembly, appeared in great strength on a rising ground, crowned by the ruins of an old fort.

\* Lieutenant-Colonel Primrose, H.M.'s 43rd Regiment Light Infantry; Captain Dovehill, Brigade-Major; Captain Ommaney, Royal Artillery; Surgeon Barclay, H.M.'s 43rd Regiment Light Infantry; Major Davis, commanding Cavalry; Captain Ternan, Deputy Commissioner; Lieutenant Dick, Seikh Horse; Rissaldar, Min Hossain Ali, 8th Irregular Cavalry.

† Staff, 2 officers; Royal Artillery, 3 officers, 89 men, 4 guns; 8th Irregular Cavalry, 51 men; Metges' Seikh Horse, 2 officers, 169 men; Jhansi Mounted Police, 2 officers, 58 men; H. M.'s 43rd L. I., 13 officers, 235 men; Jhansi Military Foot Police, 2 officers, 354 men.—Total, 24 officers, 956 men, 4 guns.