No. 13. Lord Glenelg

to Sir F. B. Head,

25th July 1836

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COPY of a DESPATCH from Lord GLENELG to Sir F. B. HEAD, K. C. H.

Downing Street, 25th July 1836.

I have the Honour to inform you, that I have received from Mr. Rolph a Letter containing a Statement of the Circumstances which led to the Resignation of the late Executive Council of Upper Canada, and commenting at considerable Length on your Conduct, and on that of the other Parties concerned in that Transaction. You are aware that the Rules which, upon public Grounds, have been established in regard to Correspondence with this Department preclude me from receiving any Communications from the Colonies involving Matters of provincial Interest, except through the Governor of the Colony in which the Writer may be settled. It is unnecessary to say, that in the present Instance I cannot depart from that Rule, still less can I entertain Statements, inculpating the Governor of a Colony, unless that Officer shall have had the most ample Opportunity of answering them; I have therefore to request that you will apply to Dr. Rolph for a Copy of his Letter to me of the 27th April, in order that you may furnish me with any Remarks which may appear to you to be called for, by the Statements contained in it.

In addressing to you my Acknowledgment of Mr. Rolph's Letter, that Gentleman will understand that I mean no personal Discourtesy towards him, but that I act according to a Rule which has been invariably applied to all

similar Cases.

You will communicate this Despatch to Mr. Rolph.

I have, &c. (Signed)

GLENELG.

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No. 14. Lord Glenelg to Sir F. B. Head, 25th July 1836.

Sir,

I have the Honour to inform you that I have received from Mr. T. D. Morrison'a Letter, dated Toronto, 29th April 1836, imputing to you a Misquotation from the Report of the Committee of 1835 on public Grievances, in your Speech at the Close of the late Session of the Provincial Legislature. I have to request, according to the usual Course in the Case of such Representations being addressed to me, that you will call on Mr. Morrison for a Copy of his Letter to me, in order that you may be able to supply me with any Observations on it, which you may consider it to require.

In addressing to you my Acknowledgment of Mr. Morrison's Letter, that Gentleman will understand that I mean no personal Discourtesy towards him, but that I act according to a Rule which has been invariably applied to all

similar Cases.

You will communicate this Despatch to Mr. Morrison.

I have, &c

(Signed) GLENELG.

No. 15.

(No. 80.)

COPY of a DESPATCH from Lord GLENELG to Sir F. B. HEAD, K. C. H.

Sir, Downing Street, 30th July 1836. I HAVE the Honour to transmit to you herewith the Copy of a Letter which has been addressed to me by Mr. R. Baldwin, relative to certain recent Proceedings

