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1836. January 15, Downing Street.

Glenelg to Head (No. 13). Colonel Cameron to be informed that the same considerations which prevented a departure from the regulations respecting the granting of land still preclude an exception being made in his favour.

January 20, Downing Street. Page 23
The same to the same (No. 14). Has received Colborne's dispatch with memorial from St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, for pecuniary assistance to complete the building. The only fund from which assistance could be given is the casual and territorial revenue, but under present circumstances he would not feel at liberty to direct any fresh appropriation to be made. 25

February 2, Downing Street. The same to the same (No. 15). The Lords of the Treasury have assented to the provision in the army estimates for the pay of the aide-de-camp, but the arrangement is only provisional.

The same to the same (No. 16). To obtain from Gordon the return of the

February 3, Downing Street. February 4, Downing Street. The same to the same (No. 16). To obtain from Gordon the return of the distribution of prize money which had been in his hands.

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Same to the same (No. 17). In accordance with their petitions the Lords

February 6, Downing Street. Same to the same (No. 11). In accordance with their petitions the Lords of the Treasury have consented to relinquish the claim for advances to the Lanark settlers.

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Same to the same (No. 18) Has received petition from Farguson late.

February 7, Downing Street. Same to the same (No. 18). Has received petition from Ferguson, late corporal in the Royal Artillery for arrears of pension. The claim has already been rejected by the Ordnance. He cannot interfere. 29

The same to the same (No. 19). Has received letter from Leach, Minister

February 10. Downing Street. The same to the same (No. 19). Has received letter from Leach, Minister of St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, for pecuninary assistance to complete the building. A letter giving reasons for being prevented from acceding to this request was sent to Colborne.

The same to the same (No. 20). Has received Colborne's dispatch respecting McAuliffe, convicted of murder. The sentence of death is not to be executed as it will be commuted to some other punishment. The history of the case.

February 15, Downing Street. The same to the same (No. 22). Has received Colborne's dispatch of 15th January, with his speech at the opening of the provincial Legislature on the 14th.

February 25, Downing Street. The same to the same (No. 23). Sends copies of correspondence with Jones who proceeded to London to obtain the assent of the King to the bill for the establishment of the Upper Canada Life Insurance and Trust Company. Had told him that pending the reference to the provincial Legislature he could not advise. The King to give an immediate decision. Confusion as to how the bill could be assented to by the Lieut. Governor, having been reserved. He is to consult the law officers on the point. If they decide that he can sanction the bill he is to give his assent at once. If not, this is to be communicated at once that the King may be notified at the earliest moment.

February 26, Downing Street. Same to the same (No. 24). The law officers report that there is no sufficient reason in point of law why the sentence of death against McAuliffe should not be carried out. He has been already informed that the capital punishment was to be remitted. McAuliffe is to be sent to Great Britain to be directed to the place fixed on.

February 29, Downing Street. The same to the same (No. 27). Sends letter from the Lords of the Admiralty desiring to know if the provincial Legislature would erect the observatory or provide a portion of its annual maintenance.

February 29, Downing Street. The same to the same (No. 28). Introduces Hackett who has served faithfully in British Guiana. Has been precluded from sanctioning a grant of land to him but he may properly be selected as a candidate for any office to be filled up.

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March 3, Downing Street. The same to the same (No. 35). Has received Colborne's dispatch with copy of message transmitting his (Glenelg's) dispatches to the Assembly of 28th October, 1835.