

Colonel Clench

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Government House
Indian Department
14th September 1898

Sir

I am directed by the Governor General to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th ult. with its enclosure ^{in reply} and to inform you ~~in reply~~, that inasmuch as Mr Elliott has expressed ~~his~~ ^a desire to give up the situation of Interpreter & School Master at Malpoh Island

His Excellency is pleased (upon the joint recommendation of the Rev'd Mr Jamson and yourself) to appoint George Whitefield in his place and at the same salary from the 1st May last.

You will be pleased to communicate to Mr Jamson for his ~~future~~ guidance, ~~the expression of his cordship~~ ~~disapproval of the summary dismissal of~~ ~~Mr Elliott~~ ^{in future} directions that ~~in future~~ he will report through the Resident Superintendent, for the consideration of the Governor General any detection ~~misconduct or want of duty~~ ^{that may occur} on the part of the Interpreter & School Master, and await His pleasure ~~not pressed as~~ ~~in the case under consideration to the detriment of the incumbent~~

Respectfully,
W. E. Jamson

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