

fishermen, and that, upon complaint, redress may be afforded by local authorities as well in the one case as in the other.

I have, &c.
(Signed) W. V. WHITEWAY.

No. 299.

Earl Granville to Sir E. Thornton.

(No. 136.)

Sir,

Foreign Office, July 2, 1881.

I TRANSMITTED to the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury a copy of your despatch No. 172 of the 6th ultimo, inclosing copy of a note which you had received from Mr. Blaine, acknowledging the receipt of your communication of the 2nd ultimo, in which you forwarded to him a bill of exchange for 15,000*l.* in full payment of the Fortune Bay and other claims; and I now transmit to you the accompanying copy of a letter which has been received from the Treasury in reply,* desiring to be furnished with the original letter of receipt for production to the Comptroller and Auditor-General; and I have to request you to forward this document accordingly for the purpose indicated.

I have, &c.
(Signed) GRANVILLE.

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