

APPENDIX-F

Translation of a letter dated the 19th December 1838 from His Excellency the Governor of Bombay to the Chief of Sangli

(Customary greetings, compliments, etc.). "I am in receipt of your letter dated the 24th Saban (corresponding to the 13th November 1838 A.D.) requesting that you might be ordered to accompany the army which is marching for the war on the North-West Frontier. I have the honour to state with reference to it that it is in keeping with your military traditions that you have volunteered to proceed on war. It has given immense pleasure to Government to receive your offer which is befitting the great fame of your family and your great renown for personal valour. Government has full confidence in you and will be immensely gratified to accept your kind offer, when an emergency arises." (Customary conclusion follows).

APPENDIX-G

Translation of a letter dated the 15th November 1844 from Col. Edward Townsend to the Chief of Sangli

(Customary greetings, compliments, etc.). "You sent a letter dated the 19th of Shaval (corresponding to the 1st November 1844 A.D.) stating that you despatched your army and made arrangements for the protection of the Government territory in accordance with the directions of Government conveyed in the letter received from the Political Agent in the matter of Kolhapur. With reference to it I have the honour to inform you that Government place great confidence in you and the Political Agent having commended to Government the help rendered by you to it, His Excellency the Governor also fully relies on you. I am exceedingly pleased to find that your conduct is perfectly in keeping with the confidence Government reposes in you." (Customary conclusion follows)