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From

Captain J. S. Davies  
Senior Assistant Commisr.  
Sohardugga Du

To

The Commissioner of  
Chota Nagpur

Dated Camp Bowka, the 18<sup>th</sup> January

Sir,

I have much pleasure in  
able to report that, since addressing you on  
the 14<sup>th</sup> Instant, most satisfactory progress  
been made towards the restoration of tranquility  
in this Pergunnah-

2<sup>d</sup> The perseverance with which the  
rebels have been followed up, whenever oppor-  
tunity offered and the disposition of the small  
force under Captain Nation prevented the  
rebels from procuring supplies without great  
risk to themselves, and finding that the people  
of the Country were being daily detached from  
them, the Sepoy portion of them have gradu-  
ally deserted the Bhogta Chiefs and are now  
leaving the district in all directions-

3<sup>d</sup> After the pursuit of the 12<sup>th</sup>  
already detailed, about 30 Sepoys are reported  
to have gone off to the west towards the

Mirzapore



Mirzapore district, last evening I received intelligence of a party numbering from 200 to 250 having escaped from the Bhogta Country and gone north towards Behar via the Sikone Ghat, these men gave out en route that they were proceeding to Sherghotty to give themselves up to the Civil authorities; a report from the Gurwah Sarogah also intimates that another party of the same strength was in his jurisdiction proceeding northward from the Bhogta Country -

4<sup>th</sup> It is apparent therefore that the insurgent Bhogtas have been deserted by the greater portion, if not the whole of the rebel Sepoys who had joined them, and as Lieutenant Graham and myself have succeeded in detaching from them the greater portion of the Khyrwars of Suppas Khamee, Gooryag. Baresaur, and Burhole, who have returned to their allegiance and are now settled peaceably in their respective villages, the Bhogtas can have but few followers, principally ryots of Cheymoo and Sunneea, these also I am informed are anxious to tender their submission, and I am about to proceed again to Sunneea to give them the opportunity of so doing; the capture of the Bhogta Chief is now my chief anxiety -



5<sup>th</sup> From what I have written on  
previous occasions, it must be obvious that  
the escape of the rebel sepoys above reported  
could not have been prevented by the small  
force in Palamou, as they made their exit  
at unguarded points far distant from the  
troops and if as reported it is true that their  
intention is to surrender, it is perhaps  
well for them it should have been so

I have &c  
(Signed) J. Davies  
Senior Asst Commr

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Commissioner of Chota Nagpore -

Exd. M. M.



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Thanking acknowledge  
the good service  
rendered

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FROM A. R. YOUNG, Esq.,

*Secretary to the Government of Bengal,*

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF CHOTA NAGPORE.

*Fort William, the 10th February 1859.*

SIR,

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 21 of the 31st ultimo, forwarding a Report by Captain Davies, Senior Assistant at Lohardugga, detailing recent operations in Palamow which have resulted in the evacuation of that and the adjoining District by the rebels who had collected there.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor has perused this Report with much satisfaction, and desires me to request that you will convey His Honor's cordial thanks to Captains Davies and Nation and Lieutenant Graham for the services rendered by them on this occasion. The place of operations was the best that could have been adopted under the circumstances, and to the intelligence and energy with which it was carried out must be attributed the complete success in which it has resulted.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

*Secretary to the Government of Bengal.*



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