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*Subject... A. Stirling... off. g. secy. to... Govt. of India, to
J. E. Colebrooke, Bart, Residence at Delhi. Says
that the Governor General has no objection
to the King purchasing the house of De Lull-
ow, but that he cannot recognise the right
of the King to grant an assignment on the
Royal Stipend, in payment thereof for any
period extending beyond his life.*

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The admission of such a Right of a ¹ration,
of the Reigning Monarch must be injurious to
of his successor, and would establish a precedent
sure effects of which would be at no distant period
to render the Royal Stipend wholly inadequate for
the main object of the grant.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obed^t humble Serv^t

(signed)

A. Stirling

Off^r Sec^y to Gov^r

Fort William
The 21st March 1838

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To
 Sir J. E. Colebrooke, Bart
 Resident at
 Dehli

D. G. P.

Sir

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter dated 1st Instant stating that His Majesty the King of Dehli is desirous of purchasing a House belonging to D^r. Ludlow in Suburbs of the City for the use of his son Mirza Babur Bukht and explaining the arrangement by which His Majesty proposes to pay the further sum and in reply to state to you as follows -

The Gov^r. G^r. in Council has no objection to the sale of D^r. Ludlow's Premises to the King ~~any member of the Royal Family at a future~~ ~~action~~ but can not recognize the Right of His Majesty to grant an assignment on the Royal Stipend, in payment thereof, for any period extending beyond his own life, It is quite obvious that

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