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War Office,
20th March, 1916.

The following summarised accounts of operations in the Tochi Valley on 7th January and 26th March, 1915, have been forwarded by the Government of India for publication:—

EXTRACT FROM THE "GAZETTE OF INDIA."

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, 1st October, 1915.

No. 951.—The Governor-General in Council has much pleasure in directing the publication of the following letter from the Chief of the General Staff, dated the 18th September, 1915, submitting short accounts of the action at Spina Khaisora in the Tochi Valley, 7th January, 1915, and of the action at Miramshah in the Tochi Valley on the 26th March, 1915. The Governor-General in Council concurs in the opinion expressed by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief regarding the manner in which the operations referred to were carried out by Major-General H. O'Donnell, C.B., D.S.O., and Brigadier-General V. B. Fane, C.B., respectively.

No. 12563-1, dated Simla,
the 18th September, 1915.

From—The Chief of the General Staff,
To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Army Department.

I am directed to forward for the information of the Government of India short accounts of the action at Spina Khaisora in the Tochi Valley, 7th January, 1915, and of the action at Miramshah in the Tochi Valley on the 26th March, 1915.

In the action at Spina Khaisora, Major-General H. O'Donnell, C.B., D.S.O., was in command of the troops, and in the action at Miramshah, Brigadier-General V. B. Fane, C.B., was in command.

2. His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief considers that Major-General O'Donnell and Brigadier-General Fane carried out the respective operations in an able manner.

3. His Excellency recommends that these accounts be published in the Gazette of India.

ACTION AT SPINA KHAISORA IN THE TOCHI VALLEY ON 7TH JANUARY, 1915.

On the 7th January, 1915, operations were carried out by the Bannu Movable Column