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Sir,— I have the honour to transmit to you, for the information of your Government, and for publication in the colony, copies of a treaty between Great 1—A. 2.