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1	Inspector General of Jails (Memo.)	13th June.. ..	Suggests an amendment of Section 5 of the Bill for suppression of outrages in Malabar.
2	Magistrate of Malabar.....	16th June.. ..	Points out in what respects, he thinks, the Bill is wanting in its provisions.
3	Order thereon.....	25th June.. ..	Recorded, Government being satisfied with the Draft Bill.
4	Adjutant General of the Army.	22nd June.....	States that a man named Henry Nash, deserted from the 1st Madras Fusiliers on the 4th May 1855, but that no information can be furnished regarding Richards.
5	Order thereon.....	25th June.. ..	Communicated to the Commissioner of Police.
6	Acting Principal Sudder Ameen of Coimbatore.	13th June.. ..	Requests orders as to the amount of salary he is entitled to while acting in that office.
	.....	16th June.. ..	Referred to the Civil Auditor.
7	Civil Auditor.....	17th June.. ..	Reports that Mr. Dawes is entitled to half salary of his acting appointment and half of his permanent one, but the Principal Sudr Ameen would feel himself aggrieved if the forfeiture were required of him, yet as privilege leave can be granted only when the State incurs no extra expense, Government must either enforce the provisions of Act 18, Cap. 3, Civil Auditor's Manual, or make a special exemption in this case.
8	Order thereon.....	25th June.. ..	Resolve that Mr. Dawes' deputation allowance be borne by the State, and request the Sudder Court to communicate to all Uncovenanted Judicial Officers the Rule referred to by the Civil Auditor. Direct this Resolution to be communicated to the Revenue Department.
9	Register to the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.	17th June.. ..	States that the Judges see no necessity for making the Bill empowering Session Judges to pass sentence in certain cases without reference to the Foujdaree Udalut, applicable to this Presidency.
10	To the Member for Madras of the Legislative Council.	25th June.. ..	Inform him accordingly.
11	Acting Sub-Judge of Chittoor.	22nd June.....	Forwards translation of a petition and draft of proposed answer, which has been filed in the District Moonsiff's Court by one Pootta Chinnasawmy Naidoo against Mr. Duncan, Chittoor Jailor, and one of the Duffadars, and requests sanction for the defence of the Suit by the Government Vakeel.
12	Order thereon.....	25th June.. ..	Grant authority for the defence, in the first instance, at the public expense, but will determine, when a copy of the Decree is furnished, whether the cost shall be borne by Defendants or by Government.
13	Register to the Court of Sudder Udalut.	8th June.. ..	Having obtained the opinions of the several Civil Judges and Agents, submits report on the working of the system of refunding Stamp duties, introduced by Act 17 of 1848, and states that the Court consider much benefit would accrue from the abolition of the practice. Mr. Strange dissents.
14	Order thereon.....	25th June.. ..	Communicated to the Judicial Commission.
15	Proceedings of the Bengal Government.	11th June.. ..	Forward letter from the Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, reporting that passage hither has

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			been provide for the vagrant, Gooroopandiah, on the "*Dalhousie*," and that Jeèothe Nath has been sent to Dum-Dum.
16	Order thereon.....	25th June...	Direct the Commissioner of Police to pass the vagrant on to his own Village.
17	Commissioner of Police.....	23rd June.....	Reports that the children of the House of Industry will be moved into the Triplicane Lungar Khana on the 30th, with the Hospital Attendants and the Waterman and Scavenger out of the establishment; the rest of it, Superintendent, Writer, School Master and Scavenger, being transferred to the Penitentiary.
18	Order thereon.....	27th June.....	Approved.
19	Commissioner of North Canara.	9th June.....	Defends himself from a charge made against him by Viscount de Torres Novas, in a letter to Government of having expressed rash and unfounded statements. Comments on the past policy and proceedings of the Goa Government to show that it had a very small share in quelling the Sawunth rebellion, but observes that a new spirit now actuates it, there being an earnestness and reciprocity about its present relations with this Government.
20	Order thereon.....	28th June.....	Recorded.
21	Register to the Court of Sudder Udalut.	18th June.....	Recommends that the Collector of Tanjore be authorized to refund Rupees 47-5-3, collected in execution of a judgment of the District Moonsiff of Combaconum and deposited as unclaimed, to the Civil Court for payment to Cooppachy Auchy, the person entitled to it.
22	Order thereon.....	28th June.....	Authorized.
23	Session Judge of Masulipatam.	13th June.....	In reference to his letter of the 3rd, reports that the 2nd Dresser of the Civil Dispensary, charged with an attempt at murder, has suffered a relapse and seems hopelessly insane.
24	Register to the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.	18th June.....	Intimates that the Judges think it advisable that the prisoner should be detained in custody 3 months longer, and his demeanour again reported upon.
25	Order thereon.....	28th June.....	Desire that the Lunatic be kept under observation for 6 months, &c.
26	Collector of Canara.....	18th June.....	In consequence of Mr. Robinson's departure, thinksit advisable that Mr. Pochin, Additional Sub Collector, should take his place and be invested with the same powers, Mr. Ames being directed to do Mr. Pochin's duties.
27	Order thereon.....	28th June.....	The Collector informed by Telegraph that Government are not prepared to alter the arrangement already made, and that a Commission has been sent to Mr. Ames.
28	Superintendent and Agent for Army Clothing.	25th June.....	Solicits permission to purchase the Guernsey Frocks and Caps, required for the Golcondah Sibbundies, in the local market.
29	Order thereon.....	29th June.....	See no objection, but direct the Superintendent to communicate direct with the Sibbundy authorities as to their quality and color.
30	Commissioner of Police.....	27th June.....	Reports that the prisoners, Henry Nash and George Richards, landed from the "*Coromandel*," have been handed over to the Sheriff.
31	Order thereon.....	29th June.....	Recorded.

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32	Acting Magistrate of Tinnevelly.	13th June.....	In reply to Order, 4th June, reports that, in his opinion, none of the parties, (*viz.*, 4 prisoners whose term will expire in 6½ months, 7 on the 15th March 1861, 1 on 6th January and 1 on 3d March 1862,) concerned in the riot should have any portion of their sentences remitted and that those (11) who have absconded should not have proceedings against them foregone.
33	Minute by the President,...	25th June.....	Submits to the Board a Memorandum of the Judicial Proceedings, and proposes that the Petitioners in No. 1883 of 1859 be informed that the propriety of remitting the remainder of their sentences from the anniversary of Her Majesty's assumption of the Government of India will be considered, but that the persons who have absconded must submit themselves to the Law. Is of opinion, that the Tahsildar and Munsif ought not to be restored.
34	Order thereon.....	29th June.....	Review the proceedings taken against the prisoners, and resolve accordingly.
35	Secretary to the Government of Bombay.	21st June.....	Forwards copy of letter from the Under Secretary to the Government of India, conveying sanction to the grant of a pension of 4 Rupees per mensem to Josè Rebello, a Sepoy of the Dharwar Police,
36	Order thereon.....	29th June.....	Communicated to the Joint Magistrate of Canara.
37	Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Oude, (Memo.)	9th June.....	Requests that certain alterations and additions be made to the Police Compendium lately forwarded by him.
38	Order thereon.....	29th June.....	Copy furnished to the Chief Commissioner of Mofussil Police.
39	Inspector General of Jails...	22nd June.....	Reports that he has directed the 2 Convicts alluded to in Order, 20th May, No. 706, to be kept close prisoners in the Jail at Masulipatam.
40	Order thereon.....	30th June.....	Recorded.
41	Chief Commissioner of Mofussil Police.	29th June.....	With reference to his letter of the 10th, reports that the result of the proceedings against Jacobsz of his Office has been his commitment for trial at the next Sessions on a charge of embezzling public monies, amounting to Rupees 104-6-3, and requests that Lieutenant Tennant, who was been bound over to appear as Prosecutor, be allowed to remain here until the 6th July.
42	Order thereon.....	30th June.....	Permitted accordingly.
43	Chief Commissioner of Mofussil Police.	23rd June.....	Reports that he has requested the Inspector General of Ordnance to forward from the Stores at Bangalore, 100 Fusils with the requisite ammunition, as applied for by Lieut. Drever, and solicits that 95 Carbines may be sent from Cannanore to Canara as a temporary measure. Proposes to instruct Lieut. Drever to enlist men for the 2 lower classes at Rupees 5¼ and 6 per mensem and to promote useful men to 1st class (Rupees 7,) and that he be allowed to draw their pay by a Contingent Bill.
44	Order thereon.....	1st July.....	Approve of the arrangements, &c. Direct the Civil Auditor to pass the pay of North Canara Police in Contingent Bills under the Joint Magistrate's counter-signature.
45	Session Judge at Masulipatam	20th June.....	Represents the unsatisfactory nature of the

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			Medical arrangements connected with the Jail establishment, &c., under his charge, and trusts that, as soon as the exigencies of the service permit, Government will see the advisability of re-appointing a Civil Surgeon.
46	Order thereon.....	1st July.....	Communicated to the Director General of the Medical Department.
47	Magistrate of Chingleput...	9th June.....	Submits Statement of the duties propose to be performed by the Mount Cutwall, and states that the Joint Magistrate thinks his salary of Rupees 70 affords a security for the safe custody of the fines levied by him.
48	Order thereon.....	1st July.....	Approve the sketch of the Cutwall's duties. Do not think it advisable to reduce the salary.
49	Proceedings of Government, Revenue Department.	27th June.....	Investing Mr. Puckle, Deputy Director of Revenue Settlement, with the powers of a Sub Collector and Joint Magistrate.
50	Order thereon.....	1st July.....	Recorded.
51	Adjutant General of the Army.	27th June.....	States that a separate set of Proceedings of the Committee for the correction of the Register of Heirs to property and pension of the men of the Andaman Sibbundy Corps were sent to the Commandant to enter the year of enlistment, &c., of a Sirdar and Havildar, but he has not returned them. Requests instructions in regard to 1 Havildar and 2 Naigues not yet arrived.
52	Superintendent of Marine, (Official Memorandum)	29th June.....	Forwards Statement of the Andaman Corps embarked, as furnished by the Commandant on the 6th.
53	Order thereon.....	1st July.....	Resolve to enquire of the Supreme Government as to where the Register of Heirs is to be lodged, &c., and direct that the 3 men be provided, on arrival, with a passage.
54	To the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department.	1st July.....	Report that the Andaman Sibbundy Corps has embarked for Port Blair, also the Proceedings relative to the Corps, &c., &c.
55	Advocate General.....	21st June.....	Under circumstances represented, requests early consideration of the question of either, appointing at once a public prosecutor, or, temporarily, to authorize the Clerk of the Crown to instruct Counsel for the prosecution in all cases where none has been retained, and, where necessary, to employ an Attorney also, at the public expense.
56	Order thereon.....	1st July.....	As the propositions involve a change, which it would not be right to make without enquiry and deliberation, resolve to refer the letter to the Judicial Commission.
57	Magistrate of Malabar.....	15th June.....	Submits Lieutenant Bloomfield's Bill for travelling allowances, amounting to Rupees 338-7-0 for proceeding to Sircy and returning to Malapooram.
58	Order thereon.....	1st July	The Civil Auditor authorized to pass the Bill.
59	Register to the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.	20th June.....	In reply to Order, 13th June, with a Petition on behalf of Buttoola Jaganathum, state that the Judges, seeing Petitioner was convicted of murder, do not know of any grounds for reducing the mitigated punishment awarded him.
60	Order thereon.....	1st July.....	Mr. Branson informed accordingly.

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