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Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 29th October 1857.

No. 30. Read the following letter from F. B. ELTON, Esq., Magistrate of Nellore; to E. MALTBY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated 13th October 1857, No. 36.

SIR,

I have the honor to bring to the notice of Government that Mr. Taylor, when lately Acting as Magistrate of this district, issued orders for the employment of Cuttoobady peons for the purpose of watching the passes between the Nellore and Cuddapah districts.

2. These measures appear to have been adopted in consequence of the incursion of the Rohillas into the Cuddapah district, in the month of June last; and of a large gang of robbers having assembled shortly after, to the west of Woodiagherry Droog; as also with a view of securing the talook treasuries. Some correspondence took place with the Magistrate and Joint Magistrate of Cuddapah about that time.

3. These Cuttoobady peons, according to the custom of the district, when called out on duty for the service of Government, are entitled to batta at the rate of 1 Anna 4 Pie per diem, and an expenditure has been incurred on this account, for which sanction will be required.

4. Finding these measures in operation, which appear to me very judicious under the circumstances of the country, and the unfavorable nature of the early part of the present season, and having ascertained that the withdrawal of some of these peons in the month of August last, was followed by an incursion of robbers from the westward, and highway robberies, in one instance, accompanied with murder, in the Ravor and Woodiagherry talooks, I do not feel that it would be prudent to withdraw them at present.

5. Under these circumstances, I beg to solicit sanction for the expenditure actually incurred to the end of August, up to which the accounts are ready, as per accompanying account particular; and for incurring a similar charge for the next few months, or so long as it may be necessary, with reference to the orders of Government quoted in the Extract Minutes Consultation, No. 564, dated June 9th, 1857, margin.

(Signed) F. B. ELTON,
Magistrate.

No. 31.

ORDER THEREON, No. 1396; dated 23rd October 1857.

1. Under the circumstances represented, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the expenses incurred on account of batta paid to Cattoobady Peons, employed in watching the passes between the Nellore and Cuddapah Districts, during the months of July and August 1857, amounting to Rupees (267-14) two-hundred and sixty-seven and Annas fourteen.

2. His Lordship in Council also authorizes the Magistrate of Nellore to incur a similar charge until the end of the year, when a report is to be made, if the services of the Peons is not previously dispensed with.

(Signed) E. MALTBY,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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Judicial Department.

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Dated 23rd October 1857.

Read the following Letter from
the Magistrate of Bellare

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Copy to Magistrate of Malloré with
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" Accountant General
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*By the Com-29th Oct
Judicial 1857 Department*

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