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Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 19th May 1857.

No. 26. Read the following letter from R. B. CHAPMAN, Esq., Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India; to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George, dated Fort William, the 20th April 1857.

Sir,

Home Department. With reference to the correspondence ending with the letter from this Department No. 247, dated the 19th February last, respecting the emoluments of the office of Administrator General of Madras, I am directed to request that you will with the permission of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, furnish this Government with the information suggested by the Honorable the Court of Directors in their Despatch to the Government of Fort Saint George in the Financial Department, No. 5 of 1857, dated the 4th February, viz.

1. As to what other office can be combined with the Administrator Generalship.
2. Whether the salary of the office of Administrator General can be reduced; and
3. Whether the expense of its establishment cannot be diminished.

(Signed) R. B. CHAPMAN,
Officiating Under Secretary
to the Government of India.

No. 27. ORDER THEREON, No. 566; dated 14th May 1857.

Resolved that copy of the above letter be furnished to the Administrator General and to the Auditors of his accounts and that in reference to the concluding query, as well as to the order of Government 14th March 1857, No. 312, they be requested to report what reductions can be effected in the establishment of the Administrator General.

(Signed) E. MALTBY,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Judicial Department

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Dated 14th May 1857.

From Offg. Under Secy Govt of India 20 April 1857

Resolved that copy of the above letter be furnished to the Administrator General and to the Auditor of his accounts and that in reference to the concluding query, as well as to the order of Govt 14 March 1857 No 312 they be requested to report what reductions can be effected in the establishment of the

Administrator Genl.

2 – With regard to the other enquiries contain-ed in Mr Chapman's letter the Govt of India wish to be referred to the letter from this Govt under date 15 Jany last. The Govt consider that the Administrator generalship may be held in Combination with any office in the Supreme Court except that of Ecclesiastical Registrar – The present net emoluments of the office altho' nominally R1200, from the falling off in the

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Commission are really but 700 R per mensm and so long as this is the case they do not admit of reduction. His Honor observes that the Hble Court of Directors in their Despatch 5. 1857 – have ordered that the present arrange-ment be open to revi-sion at the end of two years from its taking effect – or at the beginning of the ensuing year. It will then be for consi-deration, with reference to the then state of the Commission, whether any dimi-nution can be made in the allowance R 700 per mensem now paid to the Aden Govt — The Govt will also have the receipt immediately of any reductions that may be made in the cost of the Land Office establishment

(Sigd) C. Mallet
Ag Chief Secy

P.L. to Aden Govt & to the Auditor G— } Despd 19th

N.B. — An answer to the purport of para 2 may be sent to the Govt of India in reply to their letter of 20 April on report being recd from Aden Govt & Auditor

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