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1	From the Court of Sudr Udalut.	25th April....	Recommend that copies of the works specified be furnished to each of the Principal Sudr Ameens' Courts at Combaconum.
2	Order thereon	6th May.....	Furnish some of the books and authorize the purchase of the others.
3	From the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.	29th April....	Submit for sanction bills amounting to Rupees 42-12, for travelling expenses incurred by the Acting Session Judge of Rajahmundry in proceeding to inspect the spot where a murder was alleged to have been committed by the Prisoner in Case No. 4 of 1857, on the Calendar of the Session Court.
4	Order thereon.....	6th May.....	Sanctioned.
5	From the Accountant General.	27th April....	Reports that he has instructed the Sub-Treasurer to open in his Accounts a new Head of "the Police Superannuation Fund" in view to the monthly collections and disbursements under that Head being credited and debited therein.
6	Order thereon.....	6th May.....	Communicated to the Commissioner of Police and to the Magistrates of Police.
7	From the Clerk of the Crown	29th April....	Reports that a Commission of the Peace has been issued on behalf of Lieut. H. L. Grove of the 3rd Madras European Regiment, to be a Justice of the Peace.
8	Order thereon.....	6th May.....	Forwarded to the Officiating Agent at Kurnool, for communication to Lieut. Grove.
9	From the Court of Sudr Udalut.	28th April....	Report that 82 copies of S. Parthasarady Chetty's Supplement to the Civil Code, will be required for distribution.
10	Order thereon.....	6th May.....	Sanction the purchase of 100 copies of the Work.
11	From the Acting Collector of Masulipatam.	18th April....	Forwards as directed copy of a Judgment given by the Civil Court in a suit relating to Vesunnahpettah Mootah.
12	Order thereon.....	6th May.....	Transmitted to the Honorable Court.
13	From the Inspector of Prisons.	18th April....	Reports that the outbreak of Small Pox among certain Convicts at Penang causes no imputation on the Medical Officer in charge of the Jail through which they were transmitted, as they all bore marks of the cicatrix when examined by him.
14	Order thereon.....	6th May.....	Recorded.
15	From the Clerk of the Crown	2nd May.....	Submits for sanction a Bill for Rupees 5 the amount due to him for fees as Clerk of the Crown.
16	Order thereon.....	6th May.....	Sanctioned.
17	From the Magistrate of Coimbatore.	17th April....	Requests to be relieved from the payment of the costs viz. Rupees 632-8, to which he is still liable on account of the action brought against him by Bhawany Laula.
18	Order thereon.....	6th May.....	Directed accordingly.
19	From the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.	29th April....	Forward the Record of a case on the file of the Session Court of Guntoor in which the prisoner charged with cutting and wounding was acquitted on the ground of insanity, and recommend that he be kept under the observation of the Zillah Surgeon for a period of six months.
20	Order thereon.....	6th May.....	Under the circumstances of the case direct that the Prisoner be kept in custody for the term of his natural life.

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21	From the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.	17th April....	Submit with their sentence, the Proceedings held in Case No. 3 of 1857, on the Calendar of the Court of the Ganjam Agent.
22	Order thereon.....	6th May.....	Do not for reasons stated concur with the lower Courts in the Estimate they have formed of the evidence against the Prisoner and remark that Mr. Knox acted very irregularly in setting him at large.
23	From the Physician of the General Hospital.	5th May.....	Solicits orders for the disposal of Mr. Nisbet's property which has been sent down from Cuddalore.
24	Order thereon.....	6th May.....	Direct the Horses to be sold and leave the disposal of the rest of the property to the discretion of Dr. Evans.
25	From the Court of Sudr Udalut.	4th May.....	With reference to the large number of Candidates who have registered their names for the approaching examination for the Office of Pleaders, at Trichinopoly, propose that some of them be directed to appear for examination at Madura and some at Combaconum.
26	Order thereon.....	7th May.....	Approve the proposal and suggest for the consideration of the Court whether it is not practicable to test the Candidates by a preliminary examination and thus get rid of all who do not possess sufficient qualifications to warrant the attempt to pass.
27	From the Inspector of Prisons.	24th October.	Intimates that he has reserved two Wards at Cochin under the Court House as a provision against any contingencies.
28	Order thereon.....	7th May.....	Recorded.
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29	From the Inspector of Prisons.	4th July.....	Reports the steps he has taken for selecting a site for the new Central Prison and preparing a plan for the same.
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30	Order thereon.....	7th May.....	Recorded.
31	From G. Jayagopaldoss.....	8th May.....	Encloses a letter from the Resident at Hyderabad forwarding a communication from the Nizam's Minister and requesting that instructions may be issued for the apprehension of the party therein alluded to.
32	Order thereon.....	8th May.....	The enclosures forwarded to the Hindoostanee Translator to Government for translation.
33	From the Magistrate of Coimbatore.	27th April....	Solicits instructions regarding the disposal of certain parties apprehended on a charge of having committed a robbery at Ceylon.
34	Order thereon.....	8th May.....	Referred for the report of the Government Pleader.
35	From the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments throughout India.	1st May.....	Requests to be furnished with any instructions from the Supreme Government on the subject of increasing the pay of the servants on the Establishments of the Moonsiffs.
36	(To the same).....	9th May.....	Intimate that no orders have been received on the subject.
37	Extract Minutes Consultation, Department Public Works.	2nd May.....	With reference to the amount of Rs. 231-7-7, sanctioned in the Judicial Department as the expense incurred in October and November 1856, for attendance and feed of bullocks employed to aid the Convicts in repairing the roads of the Trichinopoly Cantonment, being debited to "repairs of Roads," direct that future charges of a similar nature be met from the annual allowances sanctioned for the maintenance of the Cantonment roads.
38	Order thereon.....	9th May.....	Communicated to the Inspector of Prisons.

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39	From Moottookristnyengar, Javabnaviss of Principal Sudr Ameen's Court, Trichinopoly.	10th April....	Requests under circumstances stated that orders may be issued for his appointment to a District Moonsiffship, or that his Memorial praying for the same may be transmitted to the Honorable Court.
40	Order thereon.....	11th May	Do not comply with the Petitioner's request and transmit the Memorial to the Honorable Court.
41	From the Deputy Commissioner in charge of Commissioner's Office Tenasserim and Martaban Provinces.	21st May.....	Reports the safe arrival of certain Convicts per Barque "Circassian."
42	Order thereon.....	11th May.....	Recorded.
43	From Mr. A. Sevestre, Calcutta.	7th April.....	Forwards 3 copies of Part V., Volume IV, of his Reports of cases tried in the Sudr Dewany Adalut at Calcutta, with a Bill for the cost of the same amounting to Rs. 75-11.
44	Order thereon.....	11th May.....	Direct the distribution of the books to certain Authorities specified, and forward the Bill to the Accountant General for adjustment.
45	From the Court of Sudr Udalut.	28th April....	Submit copy of a correspondence on the subject of a Decree passed by the Zillah Court of Bellary against an Officer residing at Hyderabad, which the Officer Commanding the station has refused to execute. Recommend that the Military Authorities may be requested, as suggested by the Government Pleader, to interfere in the matter and submit that such arrangements should be entered into by the Government of India, and the Native States as would facilitate the execution of the decrees of the Company's Courts within a Foreign Jurisdiction.
46	Order thereon.....	11th May.....	Forward the papers to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in view to the course suggested by the Government Pleader being carried out.
47	To the Government of India.	11th May.....	Transmit copy of the correspondence for such notice of the general question raised in them as may seem to be called for.
48	From the Court of Small Causes.	30th April....	Submit that the decrease in the number of suits in the Court during the past year, has been occasioned by the introduction of measures calculated to discourage suits founded on untenable grounds, and also by other causes explained.
49	Order thereon.....	11th May.....	Are fully satisfied with the reasons adduced by the Judges for the falling off in the number of suits.
50	From the Acting Agent at Ganjam.	20th April....	Submits for sanction an Estimate for the construction of a road from Kimedy to Ambajary at a cost of Rupees 4,800, and recommends that the amount be disbursed from the surplus funds of the Estate.
51	Order thereon.....	11th May.....	Approve the work, and refer the Estimate for consideration, to the Department Public Works.
52	From the Accountant General.	27th April....	Requests to know whether Promissory Notes belonging to Estates transferred to the Honorable Company are invariably to be sold by the Administrator General without reference to the loss that may be entailed, and the proceeds paid into the General Treasury, or whether such Notes may be transferred to

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53	To the Government of India.	12th May....	Solicit instructions on the points mooted by Mr. Prendergast.

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