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Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 31st August 1858.

No. 22. Read the following letter from J. W. CHERRY, Esq., Acting Magistrate of Coimbatore; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 10th August 1858, No. 33.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to forward copy of a letter from the Civil Auditor, dated 1st July 1858, No. 135, requesting to obtain a renewal of the sanction of Government for continuing the seven temporary Police Peons employed at Ootacamund, under the sanction conveyed in Extract Minutes Consultation under date the 18th September 1857, and to request the sanction of Government for the employment of these temporary Police Peons for a further period of six months.

2. The Joint Magistrate of Ootacamund advocates the permanent employment of the above Peons. Considering the usefulness of these Peons and the present strength of the Police force now employed at Ootacamund, which I think is inadequate with reference to the importance of the station and the increase of population, I would beg to recommend the permanent enrolment of these seven Peons whose pay is Rupees 5 each per month; if the Government approve, I will submit a tabular statement in the prescribed form for submission to the Government of India.

3. Copy of the Joint Magistrate's letter dated 26th Ultimo, bearing on the subject, is forwarded herewith.

From J. L. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Acting Civil Auditor; to J. W. CHERRY, Esq., Acting Collector of Coimbatore, dated 1st July 1858, No. 135.

SIR,

With reference to your Abstract for the pay of seven temporary Police Peons employed at Ootacamund, amounting to Rupees 35, for the month of May last, I have the honor to request that you will obtain a renewal of the sanction of Government for continuing the charge, as the Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 17th September 1857, under which the above mentioned temporary establishment was entertained, does not specify the period it was to continue, and in such cases, I am prohibited from passing a charge of that description for a longer period than six months. In the present instance the period of six months expired with the 30th April last.

From Lieut. Colonel J. W. BAYLEY, Joint Magistrate, Ootacamund; to J. W. CHERRY, Esq., Acting Magistrate of Coimbatore, dated 26th July 1858, No. 110.

SIR,

In reply to your letter, No. 303 of the 6th Instant, I have the honor to state that I consider it desirable, that the seven temporary Police Peons be employed for a further period of six months, or at any rate so long as the Right Honorable the Governor remains on the Hills. At present in compliance with a request from the Private Secretary, four Peons are on duty at Fern Hill, the residence of His Lordship, this is a heavy drain upon our small Police establishment. Indeed instead of discharging the seven temporary Peons, I would rather advocate their permanent enrolment.

(True Copies.)

(Signed) J. W. CHERRY,
Acting Magistrate.

No. 23.

ORDER THEREON, No. 1189; dated 28th August 1858.

Government authorize the continuance of the seven extra Peons referred to in the above letter, and sanctioned in Extract Minutes Consultation 18th September last, for such period as the Right Honorable the Governor may be on the Hills, but for no longer time.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

No 1189

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