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No. 1. Read the following letter from C. F. CHAMIER, Esq., Acting Register to the Court of Sudder Udalt; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated 1st July 1858, No. 47.

SIR,

1. With reference to para. 4 of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, dated the 5th May 1857, No. 564, I am directed by the Judges of the Sudder Udalt, to state that the Civil Judge of Salem has reported that, as the saving effected by the abolition of the office of Ructawan greatly exceeds the charge for work executed by the printing press for the use of the Courts, he considers any further reduction in the establishment unnecessary.

2. The Civil Judge of Cuddapah reports that, after a trial of 6 months, it is found that the removal of one Goomastah from his establishment is not compensated by the use of those printed forms of which the Court is able to avail itself; whilst the time of one of the remaining Goomastahs is of necessity much taken up in arranging the accounts with the Press and the lower Courts; receiving and distributing the Processes, &c., by which the current work is occasionally impeded; and the Acting Subordinate Judge reports that the measure, from the following causes, has not materially diminished the labor of the Court servants, but rather otherwise.

"1st. That the greater number of Processes and Orders issued from this Court are not uniform, but vary according to the circumstances of each case, consequently only about 12 per cent. of the printed Processes are available."

"2nd. Notwithstanding this large proportion of documents being required in manuscript, the writers are prohibited, contrary to their previous practice, from having the assistance of volunteers."

"3rd. One Goomastah, in addition to two already employed, has been transferred from the Civil to the Criminal Department to keep the Jail Diaries and other accounts, required by the Inspector of Prisons."

"4th. The Civil Record-keeper has required the continual assistance of a Goomastah to examine and arrange original and warrant records, the latter of which have been out of order for several years."

"5th. Many pauper applications have been received by the Court, the Moofy having under Circular Order No. 134, been prevented from filing them."

3. The Acting Civil Judge of Cuddalore reports that no inconvenience has resulted from the measure; and is of opinion that if the restriction against the Moofy's taking cognizance of suits within the Moonsiff's jurisdiction, be allowed to continue, the reduction may be made permanent, without detriment to the efficiency of his Court.

4. Under the above circumstances, the Judges are of opinion that the order for the reduction of the establishment of the Courts at Salem and Cuddapah may with propriety be cancelled; and as the Moofy Sudder Ameen of Cuddalore is now permitted to exercise the powers of a District Moonsiff under the sanction conveyed in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of 10th November last, No. 1456, they would recommend that the Acting Civil Judge of Cuddalore be required to submit a further report on the matter, after another trial of 3 months.

No. 2. ORDER THEREON, No. 954; dated 14th July 1858.

1. In the letter recorded above, the Court of Sudder Udalt report on the result of the arrangement sanctioned in Extract Minutes Consultation, 5th May 1857, No. 564, with a view to meet the printing expenses of the Courts in the Zillahs of Salem, Cuddalore and Cud-

Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 20th July 1858.

by reductions in their respective establishments, and express their opinion that under the instances represented by the Civil Judges of these Zillahs, the order above quoted may, propriety be cancelled in respect of the Courts at Salem and Cuddapah, and that the Civil of Cuddalore may be required to submit a further report after a trial of 3 months of the ing of the present arrangement.

2. The Governor in Council authorizes the order above referred to being cancelled so far as applicable to the Courts at Cuddapah; and approves of the Civil Judge of Cuddalore called upon to report further on the working of the measure, after the expiration of 3 as. It should be however pointed out to the Sub-Judge of this latter Zillah that with arrangement and the use of a greater variety or better adaptation of forms of processes, printing might be more extensively employed in his Court than it appears to be at present.

3. The abolition of the office of Ructawan, assigned by the Civil Judge of Salem as a n for considering any further curtailment of the establishment unnecessary, forms no nd for his abstaining to make any other reductions that may be practicable. This office has been discontinued in all the Courts of the Presidency without reference to the introduction of printing. Mr. Goodwyn should be called on to state distinctly whether, independently of the Ructawans, any reduction can be made in his establishment in consequence of the adoption of printing.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Fact Minutes Consulta-
tion, 14th December 1857,
No. 1623.

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MADRAS:—SUNDAY, JULY 5, 1863.

MOST IMPORTANT INTELLIGENCE !

CAPTURE OF THE INFAMOUS NANA SAHIB OF BITHOOR.

A Telegram received late last night from Bombay, brought the above intelligence, than which none more welcome to English ears has reached them for many a long day.—One of the greatest miscreants of modern times, has at last fallen into the hands of human justice, guided by a retributive Providence:—

“BOMBAY, July 3rd.—Nana Saheb was taken at Ajmere on the first Instant.”

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*Consultation
July 1858*

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Acting Registrar's
letter 1st July 1858 No 47.*

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Dated 14th July 1858

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