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No. 34. Read the following letter from C. F. CHAMIER, Esq., Register to the Court of Sudder and Foujdaree Udalut; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated 23rd August 1859, No. 65.

I am directed by the Judges of the Sudder and Foujdaree Udalut to forward herewith, for transmission to the Government of India, 12 copies of tabular statements, exhibiting the general results of the administration of Civil and Criminal Justice in the Courts under this Presidency, for the years 1854, 1855, 1856, 1857 and 1858, prepared in accordance with the forms transmitted with the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, under date the 21st August 1852, No. 546.

No. 35. To the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, dated Fort Saint George, 6th September 1859, No. 1201.

With reference to my letter of the 11th October 1858, No. 1415, I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to forward for submission to the Government of India, 5 sets of Tables shewing the administration of Civil and Criminal Justice under the Madras Presidency for the years 1854 @ 1858.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

No. 36. To the Under Secretary of State for India, dated Fort Saint George, 6th September 1859, No. 1202.

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you, for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, the accompanying five sets of Tables shewing the administration of Civil and Criminal Justice under the Madras Presidency for the years 1854 @ 1858.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge,

CIVIL.

No. 1, PUNCHAYETS.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858
Depending 1st January,	35	50	55	50	50
Instituted during the year,	45	48	51	50	49
Total,	80	98	106	100	99
Decided on merits,	16	13	11	15	17
Dismissed on default,	5	20	32	17	10
Adjusted or withdrawn,	9	10	13	15	17
Otherwise disposed of,	"	"	"	"	4
Total,	30	43	56	50	48
Depending 31st December,	50	55	50	50	51

No. 2, VILLAGE MOONSIFFS.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858
Depending 1st January,	5003	5385	4763	5786	5359
Instituted during the year,	13373	14139	20041	20494	23168
Total,	18376	19524	24804	26280	28557
Decided on merits,	4725	5108	6295	6860	7528
Dismissed on default,	3926	4673	6189	7210	3859
Adjusted or withdrawn,	4340	4780	6534	6821	9539
Otherwise disposed of,	"	"	"	"	2571
Total,	12991	14761	19018	20891	23497
Depending 31st December,	5385	4763	5786	5359	5060

No. 3, DISTRICT MOONSIFFS.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858.
Depending 1st January,	42635	51101	47658	45388	49986
Instituted during the year,	80477	84677	95834	98848	108246
Received by transfer,	458	585	665	826	988
	7621	1920	891	1295	3663
Total,	131193	138283	145048	146357	162783
Decided on merits,	29075	36028	39036	37760	38774
Dismissed on default,	3398	4501	11313	4095	4862
Adjusted or withdrawn,	46674	49443	54758	52675	57384
Otherwise disposed of,	945	683	1553	1541	11297
Total,	80092	90625	99660	96071	106237
Depending 31st December,	51101	47658	45388	49986	56546

No. 4, SUDDER AMEENS.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858.
Depending 1st January,	7438	2850	875	1312	1250
Instituted during the year,	5375	2322	11183	2151	2131
Received by transfer,	138	1011	93	102	101
	777	1286	690	795	663
Total,	13728	5567	3146	4360	4145
Decided on merits,	2507	1579	1012	1675	1251
Dismissed on default,	1448	251	110	216	182
Adjusted or withdrawn,	2683	1270	658	1185	940
Otherwise disposed of,	5283	1257	62	37	714
Total,	10878	4687	1834	3113	3087
Depending 31st December,	2850	875	1312	1250	1058

No. 5, PRINCIPAL SUDDER AMEENS.

	1854		1855		1856		1857		1858.	
	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.
Depending 1st January,	7254	343	516	601	382	500	358	598	382	848
Instituted during the year,	1217	16	763	24	955	34	752	37	595	47.
Received by transfer,	43	9	42	10	29	13	3	23	5	17.
	72	991	43	963	137	1180	12	2190	31	2871
Total,	3586	1359	1364	1598	1503	1727	1125	2748	1013	3783
Decreed for Plaintiff or Appellant,	535	241	330	334	385	378	308	580	283	766.
Decreed for Defendant or Respondent,	472	355	2102	548	703	537	96	938	92	1331.
Remanded,	"	108	"	141	"	146	"	265	"	380
Dismissed on default,	84	8	42	11	139	7	22	10	21	19
Adjusted or withdrawn,	505	37	395	54	465	57	303	97	232	137
Otherwise disposed of,	1474	9	115	10	53	4	14	10	77	23
Total,	3470	758	982	1098	1145	1129	743	1900	705	2656
Depending 31st December,	516	601	382	500	358	598	382	848	308	1127.

No. 6, ASSISTANT JUDGES.

	1854		1855		1856		1857		1858.	
	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.
Depending 1st January,	"	389	"	326	"	350	"	178	"	278.
Instituted during the year,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Received by transfer,	"	1	"	2	"	4	"	3	"	1
	"	146	"	201	"	3	"	483	"	1
Total,	"	536	"	529	"	357	"	664	"	280
Decreed for Plaintiff or Appellant,	"	63	"	33	"	51	"	95	"	83
Decreed for Defendant or Respondent,	"	131	"	112	"	97	"	210	"	88
Remanded,	"	10	"	16	"	10	"	11	"	12
Dismissed on default,	"	"	"	1	"	7	"	16	"	4
Adjusted or withdrawn,	"	6	"	15	"	14	"	36	"	10
Otherwise disposed of,	"	"	"	2	"	"	"	15	"	83
Total,	"	210	"	179	"	179	"	386	"	280
Depending 31st December,	"	326	"	350	"	178	"	278	"	"

No. 7, SUBORDINATE AND ADDITIONAL JUDGES.

	1854		1855		1856		1857		1858	
	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.
Depending 1st January,	1316	694	517	1024	373	1425	339	1468	308	1308
Instituted during the year,	435	-	267	-	152	"	135	"	352	19
Received by transfer,	41	3	23	13	18	17	17	18	19	9
	95	1066	67	1240	123	1123	164	1002	240	670
Total,	1887	1763	874	2277	666	2565	599	2488	919	2016
Decreed for Plaintiff or Appellant,	209	195	89	240	78	268	79	278	149	262
Decreed for Defendant or Respondent,	102	405	65	435	55	452	42	455	49	497
Remanded,	-	72	-	75	"	73	-	111	-	114
Dismissed on default,	68	8	35	27	53	16	39	22	47	10
Adjusted or withdrawn,	270	43	144	40	90	67	97	68	120	65
Otherwise disposed of,	721	16	168	35	51	229	34	246	71	186
Total,	1370	739	501	852	327	1097	291	1180	436	1134
Depending 31st December,	517	1024	373	1425	339	1468	308	1308	483	872

No. 8, DISTRICT AND CITY JUDGES.

	1854		1855		1856		1857		1858	
	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal,	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.	Original.	Appeal.
Depending 1st January,	191	3517	219	3002	181	2924	295	4470	281	4793
Instituted during the year,	278	3470	275	4200	366	5632	335	5681	237	5439
Received by Transfer,	2	19	10	13	5	15	12	37	4	25
	28	25	6	147	132	210	167	274	2997	370
Total,	499	7031	510	7262	684	8811	809	10462	3519	10627
Decreed for Plaintiff or Appellant,	26	616	19	359	29	586	37	524	21	603
Decreed for Defendant or Respondent,	10	843	26	968	29	1036	13	1094	17	1179
Remanded,	"	225	"	171	"	170	-	186	-	226
Dismissed on default,	11	68	7	98	8	104	10	91	2	345
Adjusted or withdrawn,	54	99	54	118	72	158	82	190	66	191
Otherwise disposed of,	179	2178	223	2394	251	2293	386	3584	3184	3404
Total,	280	4029	329	4338	389	4341	528	5669	3290	5948
Depending 31st December,	219	3002	181	2924	295	4470	281	4793	229	4679

No. 9, SUDDER DEWANNY ADAWLUT.

	1854		1855		1856		1857		1858	
	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.
Depending 1st January,	12	17	8	12	7	31	17	36	24	32
Admitted during the year,	18	73	24	130	37	126	32	140	26	184
Total,	30	90	32	142	44	157	49	176	50	216
Dismissed on default,	3	"	"	"	1	1	2	"	"	"
Adjusted or withdrawn,	"	"	1	"	1	"	2	"	"	2
Confirmed,	11	10	6	26	16	25	9	29	15	42
Amended,	2	3	7	11	2	9	"	3	2	10
Reversed,	5	45	9	45	3	29	6	48	15	69
Remanded,	1	20	2	29	4	57	6	64	2	39
	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"
Total,	22	78	25	111	27	121	25	141	34	162
Depending 31st December,	8	12	7	31	17	36	24	32	16	54

No. 10, AGGREGATE OF ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858
Depending 1st January,	58874	60638	54287	53528	57646
Instituted during the year,	110475	105577	121670	126105	143389
Total,	169349	166215	175957	179633	201035
Decided on merits,	37377	43659	47043	46888	48181
Dismissed on default,	7900	9729	10757	11609	8983
Adjusted or withdrawn,	54832	56064	62577	61178	62218
	8602	2476	2052	2312	17918
Depending 31st December,	60638	54287	53528	57646	63735
Decided by European Judges,	1650	830	716	819	3726
Ditto Native ditto,	107031	111055	121657	121118	133526
Ditto Punchayets,	30	43	56	50	48
Total decided,	108711	111928	122429	121987	137300

No. 11, AGGREGATE OF APPELLATE JURISDICTION.

Appeals from, ...	District and City Judges.										Subordinate & Additional Judges.										Assistant Judges.									
	1854		1855		1856		1857		1858		1854		1855		1856		1857		1858		1854		1855		1856		1857		1858	
	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.
Suits Appealable, ...	36	429	45	557	58	618	50	618	36	702	311	608	154	675	133	667	121	674	168	754	-	194	-	145	-	148	-	205	-	161
Appealed, ...	18	36	24	79	37	67	32	81	26	86	149	14	90	23	90	24	81	17	71	17	-	9	-	3	-	3	-	13	-	21
Appeals depending on 1st January, }	12	11	8	6	7	17	17	23	21	22	238	2	210	2	160	5	149	5	140	4	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total, ...	30	47	32	85	44	84	49	104	50	108	379	16	300	25	250	29	230	22	211	21	-	10	-	6	-	3	-	13	-	23
Affirmed, ...	11	3	6	17	16	18	9	19	15	23	88	2	37	5	39	1	40	1	32	3	-	2	"	"	-	"	-	2	"	3
Modified, ...	2	1	7	7	2	1	-	2	2	7	16	2	12	"	10	2	14	1	13	-	-	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	2
Reversed, ...	5	24	9	27	3	10	5	26	15	41	26	8	21	8	16	7	16	4	15	8	-	4	-	3	-	1	-	7	-	3
Remanded, ...	1	13	2	17	4	28	6	35	2	14	27	2	13	7	6	11	8	9	7	6	-	1	-	2	"	2	-	2	-	3
Dismissed on default,	3	"	"	"	1	1	2	"	"	"	6	"	2	"	4	"	7	"	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Adjusted or withdrawn, ... }	"	"	1	"	1	"	2	"	"	1	6	"	4	"	14	"	8	"	11	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	12	"	2	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total, ...	22	41	25	68	27	61	25	82	34	86	169	14	140	20	101	24	90	18	83	18	-	7	"	6	-	3	-	11	-	11
Depending 31st Dec.	8	6	7	17	17	23	24	22	16	22	210	2	160	5	149	5	140	4	128	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	12

Appeals from, ...	Principal Sudder Ameens.									
	1854		1855		1856		1857		1858	
	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.	Regular.	Special.
Suits Appealable, ...	707	596	432	852	495	1012	404	1518	375	2477
Appealed, ...	229	114	139	25	118	32	99	29	107	60
Appeals depending on 1st January, }	376	3	342	1	244	9	137	8	101	4
Total, ...	605	17	481	26	362	41	231	37	208	64
Affirmed, ...	113	3	111	4	115	3	86	11	50	13
Modified, ...	27	-	21	3	31	3	16	-	6	1
Reversed, ...	60	9	62	7	45	8	16	11	15	17
Remanded, ...	38	4	26	3	19	16	7	18	6	16
Dismissed on default,	10	"	3	"	8	"	2	"	3	"
Adjusted or withdrawn, ... }	15	"	14	"	11	3	3	"	4	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total, ...	263	16	237	17	230	33	130	33	84	47
Depending 31st Dec.	342	1	249	9	132	8	101	4	124	17

Appeals from, ...	Collectors					Sudder Ameens					District Moonsiffs				
	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858
	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular	Regular
Suits Appealable, ...	None return			76	2507	1879	1012	1675	1183	1457	1961	2322	2249	2103	4
Appealed, ...	61	25	34	31	27	739	626	565	538	588	2421	3469	5180	5319	5139
Appeals depending on 1st January, }	26	44	36	36	27	1926	1590	1147	833	724	2385	2767	3612	5562	6235
Total, ...	87	72	70	67	54	2665	2216	1712	1371	1312	4336	6216	8792	10858	11374
Affirmed, ...	12	10	20	18	9	501	525	435	306	276	1020	1330	1587	2243	2727
Modified, ...	"	"	1	7	"	113	155	111	82	105	97	247	341	424	460
Reversed, ...	5	1	6	6	7	257	196	187	119	106	414	488	528	791	985
Remanded, ...	"	"	1	2	6	107	98	71	57	84	343	266	301	499	646
Dismissed on default,	3	19	1	4	1	25	31	24	25	13	39	82	95	106	126
Adjusted or withdrawn, ... }	2	6	6	3	1	44	57	46	57	38	118	154	218	320	351
	21	"	"	-	"	28	15	5	1	53	16	45	237	269	317
Total, ...	43	36	34	40	24	1075	1071	879	647	675	2039	2604	3230	4646	5615
Depending 31st Dec.	44	36	36	27	30	1590	1145	833	724	637	2767	3612	5562	6235	5759

No. 12, DESCRIPTION OF ORIGINAL SUITS.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858
Connected with Land rent, ...	9234	8703	9979	11217	4011
Otherwise connected with land, ...	"	"	"	"	8939
Connected with debts, wages, &c.	2137	2020	2261	2647	3086
Ditto ditto Caste, Religion, &c. ...	99164	94854	109324	112093	114919
Ditto ditto Indigo, Sugar, Silk &c.	"	"	"	"	466.
Total, ...	"	"	"	"	3154.
	110475	105577	121564	125957	134575

No. 13, RESULT OF ORIGINAL SUITS.

In favor of Plaintiff.	In favor of Defendant.
42026	6155.

No. 14, AVERAGE DURATION OF SUITS.

	1854			1855			1856			1857			1858.		
	Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.
Sudder Dewanny Adawlut, ...	"	11	23	"	3	15	"	2	19	"	3	5	"	3	26
District and City Judges.	1	8	12	1	11	15	1	6	1	1	3	27	1	3	27
Subordinate & Additional Judges,	1	11	23	2	1	3	1	7	2	1	5	22	1	3	8
Assistant Judges, ...	2	1	17	2	2	3	2	7	1	2	6	10	1	11	7
Principal Sudder Ameens, ...	1	7	7	2	"	27	1	4	11	1	1	20	"	11	1
Sudder Ameens, ...	"	6	27	"	7	24	"	7	24	"	5	14	"	7	29
Moonsiffs, ...	"	8	13	"	7	8	"	7	12	"	7	17	"	7	11

No. 15, TOTAL VALUE OF SUITS DEPENDING.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858
Before Sudder Adawlut, ...	223061	123812	1013483	683482	510880
Ditto other Courts Original, ...	10879491	10222523	11780474	13968910	16006468
Ditto ditto Appeal, ...	1028596	1261516	1489170	1562589	1470883
Total, ...	12081150	11607851	14283127	18214981	17988231

No. 16, DEBTORS IN JAIL.

	18		18		18		18		18	
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
At the instance of Individuals, ...										
At the instance of Government, ...										
Total Number in Jail, ...										

CRIMINAL.

No. 1, VILLAGE POLICE.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858
Under trial on 1st January, ...	"	"	"	"	"
Summoned during the year, ...	11528	12403	13190	14821	26012
Total, ...	11528	12403	13190	14821	26012
Discharged without trial, ...	3441	3904	4564	4539	5216
Acquitted after investigation, ...	2419	2486	2907	3456	4131
Convicted and punished, ...	5668	6013	5719	6826	8439
Under trial on 31st December, ...	"	"	"	"	8212 14
Total, ...	11528	12403	13190	14821	26012

No. 2, DISTRICT POLICE.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858
Under trial on 1st January, ...	2215	1797	1629	1990	2317
Summoned during the year, ...	188470	189562	205403	210328	223918 9639
Total, ...	190685	191359	207032	212318	235274
Discharged without trial, ...	55356	60336	70096	66173	59057
Acquitted after investigation, ...	77413	77150	79113	83891	106944
Convicted and punished, ...	44741	43462	47474	51448	57131
Referred to higher Courts, ...	11316 62	8763 19	8330 29	8485 51	12419 3168
Under trial on 31st December, ...	1797	1629	1990	2317	1509

No. 3, PRINCIPAL SUDDER AMEENS, SUDDER AMEENS, AND LAW OFFICERS.

	1854.	1855.	1856.	1857.	1858.
Under trial on 1st January, ...	520	279	305	356	228
Referred during the year, ...	11384	8888	8372	8077	9279
Total, ...	11904	9167	8677	8433	9507
Discharged without trial, ...	"	"	"	"	20
Acquitted, ...	4327	3440	3228	3156	3397
Convicted, ...	2585	2409	2121	1833	2046
Referred to Magistrates or Sessions Judges, ...	4657	2984	2946	3173	3268
Otherwise disposed of, ...	56	29	26	43	250
Under trial on 31st December, ...	279	305	356	228	526

No. 4, DEPUTY MAGISTRATES.

	18	18	18	18	18
Under trial on 1st January, ...					
Apprehended or referred during the year.					
Total, ...					
Discharged without trial, ...					
Acquitted, ...					
Convicted, ...					
Referred to Magistrates or Sessions Judges, ...					
Otherwise disposed of, ...					
Under trial on 31st December, ...					

No. 5, MAGISTRATES, JOINT MAGISTRATES, AND ASSISTANT MAGISTRATES.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858
Under trial on 1st January, ...	119	84	59	67	80
Apprehended during the year, ...	6574	5593	6585	6079	5251
Received by transfer, ...	1032	730	9033	1204	3824 2129
Total, ...	7725	6407	7577	7350	11284.
Discharged without trial, ...	227	150	520	413	362
Acquitted, ...	3547	3402	3798	3523	4713
Committed to Sessions Judges, &c.	2583 903.	2199 578	2543 628	2577 748	3958 767.
Otherwise disposed of, ...	81	19	21	9	1214
Under trial on 31st December, ...	84	59	67	80	270

No. 6, SESSIONS JUDGES.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858
Under trial on 1st January, ...	215	346	366	223	374
Committed during the year, ...	4821	3116	3109	3502	3708 8 784
Received by transfer, ...	"	"	"	"	
Total, ...	5036	3462	3475	3725	4574
Discharged without trial, ...	"	"	"	1834	2168
Acquitted, ...	2630	1521	1692	1021	1725.
Convicted, ...	1523	1165	1188	385	339. 65
Referred to Nizamut or Foujdaree Court, ...	304 129 14	301 59 28	299 46 27	80 31	308
Otherwise disposed of, ...					
Under trial on 31st December, ...	346	366	223	374	258

No. 7, NIZAMUT OR FOUJDAREE ADAWLUT.

	1854	1855	1856	1857	1858
Under trial on 1st January, ...	2	20	15	25	16.
Committed or referred during the year, ...	361	283	311	338	347.
Proceedings called for, ...	125	175	133	60	86.
Total, ...	488	478	448	423	449.
Released unconditionally, ...	175	223	120	122	167.
Ditto on security, ...	3	6	6	7	3.
Convicted, ...	279 6	231 3	296 1	273 2 3	261 7.
Otherwise disposed of, ...	5	"	"		
Depending on 31st December, ...	20	15	25	16	11.

No. 8, TRIALS REFERRED AND COMMITMENTS MADE FROM INFERIOR TO HIGHER COURTS.

	18	18	18	18	18
Depending, ...					
From District Police, ...					
Ditto Sudder Ameens, ...					
Ditto Principal ditto, ...					
Ditto Magistrates and Assistant Magistrates, ...					
Ditto Sessions and Circuit Judges, ...					
Total, ...					

No. 9, RESULT OF REFERENCES AND COMMITMENTS IN PRECEDING TABLE.

		18	18	18	18
From District Police Courts, ... }	Rejected.				
	Sentence confirmed.				
	Do. mitigated.				
	Do. annulled.				
Do. Sudder Ameens, ...	Rejected.				
	Sentence confirmed.				
	Do. mitigated.				
	Do. annulled.				
Do. Principal do. do., ...	Rejected.				
	Sentence confirmed.				
	Do. mitigated.				
	Do. annulled.				
Do. Magistrates and Assistant Magistrates }	Rejected.				
	Sentence confirmed.				
	Do. mitigated.				
	Do. annulled.				
Do. Sessions and Circuit Judges, ... }	Rejected.				
	Sentence confirmed.				
	Do. mitigated.				
	Do. annulled.				
Depending on 31st Dec., ...					

No. 10, STATEMENT OF SENTENCES PASSED BY THE SEVERAL CRIMINAL COURTS DURING THE YEAR 1858.

	Discharged on Security.	Dismissed from Office.	Fined.	Flogged.	Imprisonment not exceeding 1 month.	Do. above 1 month and not exceeding 6 months.	Do. above 6 months and not exceeding 1 year.	Do. above 1 year and not exceeding 2 years.	Do. above 2 years and not exceeding 3 years.	Do. above 3 years and not exceeding 4 years.	Do. above 4 years and not exceeding 5 years.	Do. above 5 years and not exceeding 6 years.	Do. above 6 years and not exceeding 7 years.	Do. above 7 years and not exceeding 8 years.	Do. above 8 years and not exceeding 9 years.	Do. above 9 years and not exceeding 10 years.	Do. above 10 years and not exceeding 11 years.	Do. above 11 years and not exceeding 12 years.	Do. above 12 years and not exceeding 13 years.	Do. above 13 years and not exceeding 14 years.	Do. above 14 years and not exceeding 15 years.	Do. above 15 years and not exceeding 16 years.	Do. above 16 years and not exceeding 21 years.	Imprisonment for life.	Transportation.	Death.
By Nizamut or Foujdaree Adawlut, ...	3	1	14	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	53	"	"	"	"	"	"	51	"	"	"	2	41	57
Sessions Judges, ...	151	"	5	3	7	60	122	121	86	121	87	7	253	51	"	56	"	"	"	311	"	"	"	"	"	"
Magistrates, Joint Magistrates and Assistant Magistrates, ...	496	21	2267	209	504	406	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Deputy-Magistrates, ...																										
Principal Sudder Ameens, Sudder Ameens and Law-Officers, ...	229	1	243	22	101	84	63	36	20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
District Police, ...	"	"	4585	646	5827	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Village Police, ...	"	"	"	"	8434	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total, ...	879	23	8178	880	14875	1307	761	325	86	121	87	7	306	51	"	56	"	"	"	365	"	"	"	2	41	57

No. 11, AVERAGE DURATION OF CASES REFERRED TO THE NIZAMUT OR FOUJDAREE ADAWLUTS.

Years.	From Apprehension to Commitment.	From Commitment to Reference.	From Transference to Receipt.	From Receipt of Reference to Sentence.	Total from Apprehension.
	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.	Days.
1854	21	71	9	5	106
1855	22	50	7	5	84
1856	20	53	7	8	88
1857	21	55	7	10	93
1858	16	43	7	6	72

No. 12, PRISONERS IN JAILS.

	18	18	18	18	18
Imprisonment for life (with labour with irons,)					
Ditto above 14 years, ...					
Ditto 10 to 14 years, ...					
Ditto 7 to 10 „					
Ditto less than 7. „					
Ditto without labour, ...					
Total on 31st December, ...					
Deaths in the year, ...					

No. 13, TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF PERSONS APPREHENDED AND BROUGHT TO TRIAL IN 1858 AND THE RESULT OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

	OFFENCES.	Total number of Persons.	CONVICTED. Discharged on account.	Imprisonment not exceeding 6 months.	Above 6 months and not exceeding 1 year.	Above 1 year and not exceeding 2 years.	Above 2 years and not exceeding 3 years.	Above 3 years and not exceeding 4 years.	Above 4 years and not exceeding 5 years.	Above 5 years and not exceeding 6 years.	Above 6 years and not exceeding 7 years.	Above 7 years and not exceeding 8 years.	Above 8 years and not exceeding 9 years.	Above 9 years and not exceeding 10 years.	Above 10 years and not exceeding 11 years.	Above 11 years and not exceeding 12 years.	Above 12 years and not exceeding 13 years.	Above 13 years and not exceeding 14 years.	Above 14 years and not exceeding 15 years.	Above 15 years and not exceeding 16 years.	Above 16 years and not exceeding 21 years.	For life.	Transportation.	Death.	Total.	CONFINED AS INSANE.	ACQUITTED.
No. 1. OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.	Murder,	878	-	4	6	7	1	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	17	42	91	2	785
	Wounding with intent to kill,	93	-	3	1	1	3	-	1	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	3	-	29	-	63
	Suspicion of murder,	41	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41
	Attempt to commit murder,	57	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	57
	Homicide,	265	-	13	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	5	-	182
	Affray with homicide,	25	-	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	-	8
	Assault with wounding,	1356	218	182	22	14	12	2	9	7	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	917
	Attempt to assault and wound,	85	27	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	443	-	52
	Suttee,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33	-	-
	Suttee, aiding and abetting,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Rape,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Attempt at Rape,	98	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	97
	Child stealing,	17	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	10
	Ditto for the sake of Ornaments,	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
	Ditto for the purpose of selling in Slavery,	12	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	10
	Poisoning,	61	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	60
	Sitting dhurna,	9	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	7
	Abortion, &c.,	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100
	Importation of Slaves,	24	2	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	16
	Sale of married women,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Illegal Arrest,	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17
	False imprisonment,	29	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
	Torture,	118	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	112
	Adultery,	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	4
	Sodomy,	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
	Riot and Assault,	287	69	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69	-	218
	Abduction,	26	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	24
	Deserting new-born infants,	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	Affray,	1401	306	1784	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7549
	Resistance of process,	610	267	25	11	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5469	-	306
	Making away with a person,	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	305	-	25
	Oppression,	763	135	22	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	159	-	604
	Petty Assault,	17753	3512	5725	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44740	-	136778
	Accusation of Kidnapping,	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
	Exposure of Infants,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	TOTAL,	96476	7998	7270	561	249	171	61	171	-	23	-	-	1	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	2	21	43	47481	2	196476
No. 2. OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY COMMITTED WITH VIOLENCE.	Dacoity with murder,	401	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	14	11	42	-	359
	Ditto with torture,	154	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	-	-	-	-	1	-	34	-	120
	Ditto with wounding or personal injury,	1483	4	1	3	1	-	-	2	-	25	-	-	3	-	-	-	71	-	-	-	-	3	-	115	-	1368
	Ditto unattended with aggravating circumstances,	2627	-	-	3	1	18	8	9	7	34	32	-	24	-	-	-	95	-	-	-	-	-	-	234	-	2343
	River Dacoity with murder,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Ditto with wounding or personal injury,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Ditto unattended with aggravating circumstances,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Highway robbery with murder,	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31
	Ditto with wounding or personal injury,	1471	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	24	-	-	4	-	-	-	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	64	-	407
	Ditto unattended with aggravating circumstances,	1158	1	4	-	1	-	13	1	-	17	19	-	16	-	-	-	64	-	-	-	1	2	-	139	-	1011
	Suspicion of highway robbery,	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	4
	Burglary with murder,	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
	Ditto with wounding or personal injury,	219	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	23
	Theft with murder,	444	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44
	Ditto with wounding,	64	-	4	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	58
	Ditto by administering poisonous or stupifying drugs,	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14
	Cattle stealing with murder,	67	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	42
	Ditto with wounding or personal injury,	44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22
	Affray with homicide caused by dispute respecting property,	22	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	21
	Ditto with violent breach of the Peace &c.,	536	56	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70	-	466
	Attempt at Dacoity,	278	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	272
	Ditto at River ditto,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Plunder with violence,	206	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	206
	Riot with Assault and robbery &c.,	391	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	-	358
	Suspicion of dacoity,	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14
	Attempt at murder of a child with theft of its ornaments,	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
	TOTAL,	8023	61	39	7	4	20	25	16	7	112	51	-	47	-	-	-	337	-	-	-	-	18	13	757	-	7266
No. 3. OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY COMMITTED WITHOUT VIOLENCE.	Burglary unattended with aggravating circumstances,	5504	10	124	341	112	28	36	20	-	86	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	752	-	4752
	Theft, including Cattle stealing,	19668	831	1207	207	102	8	7	3	-	15	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3356	-	11857
	Receiving stolen property,	1557	19	212	53	44	12	7	10	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	385	-	1172
	Fraud, embezzlement, &c.,	1279	127	105	11	1	1	4	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	254	-	1025
	Plundering,	74	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74
	Trespass,	3922	1804	85	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1889	-	2033
	Suspicion of theft,	234	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	231
	False personation,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Snatching,	585	18	26	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49	-	536
	Attempt at theft, Cattle stealing &c.,	209	5	24	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	-	175
	Forcibly taking away documents,	63	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	62
	Accessory to theft,	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15
	Disputes involving claims of property or charge of theft,	1417	216	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	219	-	1198
	Apprehension with suspicious property,	94	16	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39	-	55
	Taking away property, destroying house, &c.,	304	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	-	270
	Attempt at Burglary,	121	-	9	14	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	-	90
	Forcible entry and detainer,	1001	187	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	192	-	889
	TOTAL,	35447	3265	7525	634	268	42	54	33	-	124	-	-	3	-	-	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	12268	-	23879
No. 4. MALICIOUS OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY.	Arson,	575	-	-	6	-	1	6	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	19	-	536
	Attempt at ditto,	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
	Attack and plundering house, &c.,	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28
	Killing and maiming other persons' cattle,	1123	16	77	9	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	114	-	1009
	Damaging Crops, &c.,	828	384	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	397	-	423
	TOTAL,	2554	400	90	15	12	1	6	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	530	-	2024
No. 5. FORGERY AND OFFENCES AGAINST THE CURRENCY.	Forgery,	439	-	-	1	-	-	15	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	-	417
	Counterfeiting Coin,	15	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	12
	Having in possession Counterfeit Coin,	84	14	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	-	68
	TOTAL,	538	14	-	2	1	1	15	2	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	-	497
No. 6. MISCELLANEOUS.	Being at large under sentence of Transportation,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Prison breaking, harbouring and aiding the escape of felons,	186	1	99	8	4	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	124	-	62
	Perjury and subornation of Perjury,	78	-	1	1	3	-	14	7	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	-	50
	Riot, Sedition, &c.,	133	-	-	28	2	5	-	-	-	15	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	1	-	50	-	83
	Rescue and refusing to aid Peace Officers,	55	8	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	44
	Felonies not included in above denominations,	230	18	25	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44	-	186
	Misdemeanors ditto,	6583	2323	183	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2516	-	3993
	Other Offences not included in above,	6330	3046	649	11	2	-	1	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	3744	-	3886
	TOTAL,	14815	5396	960	53	11	6	15	19	-	36	-	-	5	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	1	1	6511	-	7504
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Sudder and Foujdaree Adawlut, Registrar's Office, 23rd August 1859.

E. Taylor

C. B. Chamier, Registrar

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In a letter from the Register of the Sudder and Foujdaree Adalut dated the 23rd August 1839 N=65

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5 Seals to Govt. Gen. Orders.
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JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1201

To

The Secretary to the Government of India.

Home Department

Sir,

With reference to my letter of the 11th October 1858 — No. 1415

I am directed by the ~~Right~~ Honorable the Governor in Council to forward for submission to the Government of India 5 sets of Tables shewing the administration of Civil and Criminal Justice under the Madras Presidency for the year 1854 & 1858.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obedient Servant

Fort St. George,
6th Sept. 1859

~~Chief Secretary~~

A. B. 6/9 in Duplicate
with 5 sets of Tables

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1202.

To

The Under Secretary of State for India.

~~East India House~~

SIR,

I am directed by the ~~Right~~ Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you, for the purpose of being laid before the Sec^y of State for India, ~~Court of Directors~~, the accompanying five sets of Tables shewing the administration of Civil and Criminal Justice under the Madras Presidency for the years 1854 @ 1858.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Fort St. George,
6th Sept= 1859

C. D.

~~Chief Secretary~~

Initials.

5 Sets. to Court of Directors.

Rec'd from the Chief Secretary to Govt. Judicial Dept.

No 1202.

To the Secretary of the Govt. of India

Dated 6th September 1859

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No. 1202.

To The Under Secretary of State for India

26th Sept. 59.

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Forwarding 6 Sets of Tables Shewing the Administration of Civil & Criminal Justice under the Madras Presidency for the years 1854 @ 1858

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