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## Government of Madras.

Judicial **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 1266 Press Mis.

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Dated 19—9— =11-1859

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## *Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, from 17th to 23rd September 1859.*

No. 21. Read the following letter from H. FORBES, Esq., Member for Madras of the Legislative Council; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George, dated Fort William, the 31st August 1859.

I have the honor to inform the Government, that the Bill to suppress Mopla outrages in Malabar, was passed without further alteration than the limit of its provision to ten years, on the 30th Instant.

2. In Committee the additions to the Bill introduced by the desire of Government, were strongly opposed by Sir James Outram and Mr. Sconce, but on a division being called for after my reply, the majority was in favor of their retention.

3. The limitation of the Act to ten years was recommended by the Select Committee, and as the Government had expressed their willingness to accept the limitation, I offered no opposition to the proposal. The Chief Justice would have limited the Act to five years, but I objected to this, and the motion was not pressed.

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No. 22. ORDER THEREON, 19th September 1859, No. 1266.

To be recorded.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
*Chief Secretary.*

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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Proc of Govt 23 Sept
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From the Member for Madras
of the Legislative Council

8/31st Augt
9/15 Sept/59.

No 1526.

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