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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	129	Press
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Dated	5-2-19	1859

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Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 15th February 1859.

No. 3. Read the following letter from CLEMENT DALE, Esq., Government Pleader, Sudder Udalut; to THOMAS PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated 5th February 1859, No. 16.

SIR,

Minutes Consultation 1st February 1859, No. 132, Judicial Department.

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation noted in the margin, I do myself the honor of reporting for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, that the petition therein referred to, came on for hearing this morning in the Court of Foujdaree Udalut, before the 3 Paise Judges; I intimated to the Court that I was in attendance to watch the case, and was ready to act if their Honors wished to hear me. Mr. Branson was then fully heard in support of the petition; and at the close of his argument, the Judges intimated they saw no grounds for complying with the prayer of the petition. That their Honors had no knowledge that any proceedings of the nature intimated in the petition were pending, but that even if all the statements contained in the petition were true, the petitioners had not shewn sufficient ground, nor had Mr. Branson put forward any argument, or adduced any authority, for removing the proceedings from the local authorities. That as to admitting the petitioners to bail (which Mr. Branson orally substituted for the written prayer) their Honors had as previously noticed, no knowledge of proceedings pending, but if they had, they could not comply with the request, as the authorities on the spot should be applied to, they being the proper parties to act in such a case.

No. 4.

ORDER THEREON, No. 179; dated 9th February 1859.

To be recorded.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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Jud. L. to Eng. 3- May 1859

In by before 15 Feb 1859

From Govt. Pleader L. to Eng. L. to Chief Secretary to Govt.

Dated 5th February 59

No. 16
(Enclosure none)

No. 206

Acknowledged in 16
1st February 1859 No. 132 Report
that the Petition therein referred to
came on for hearing this morning
before the F. W. when the
Judges intimated they saw
no grounds for Complying
with the prayer of the Petition
etc

H. W.

No. 179

To be recorded
9/2/59 J. P.

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