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Government of Madras.

DEPARTMENT

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No. 12. Read the following letter from C. S. FORBES, Esq., Collector of Ganjam; to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Chicacole, 23d May 1859, No. 186.

Para. 1. Since my letter of the 21st Ultimo, No. 182, to Government, regarding the withdrawal of the 43d Regiment from Russelcondah, I have been informed by Captain Smith, the Officer in command of Goomsur Kilhundies, that all but 30 of his men, have now returned from Bundelpore; so that if the 2 Companies of Kilhundies specially attached to the Meriah Agency, may be considered available on any requisition to co-operate with the force (four Companies) under the Military Assistant, I think the presence of a Regiment of Regular Troops no longer necessary.

2. It is however absolutely necessary that a second in Command should be appointed to the Goomsur Kilhundies. I should not consider it right to recommend their remaining in portions Goomsur under a single Officer. The nature of the climate also demands that a Medical Officer should be attached to these six Companies.

3. In the event of this arrangement being made, the Assistant Surgeon now in charge of the 43d Regiment at Russelcondah (Dr. Traill) has expressed his desire to serve in this capacity; and I may add that his appointment would be highly acceptable to all parties interested in the duties.

No. 13. Ordered yesterday, 24th June 1859, No. 864.

Ordered to be communicated to the Military Department.

2. It is observed that the question whether the operations for the suppression of Meriah sacrifices and female infanticide in the Ganjam District shall for the future be conducted by the Government Agent in Ganjam, is at present under consideration, and pending its decision, it is ordered that whether the two Companies of the Orissa Kilhundies can be attached to the four Companies of Goomsur Kilhundies now at Russelcondah, or whether a second Commissioned Officer and a Medical Officer should be attached to that body,

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Rod. F. Cartledge.

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21 Avril



Judicial Department

Proceedings of the Militia Commission.

Read the following letter
from the Colonel of Penobscot
Regiment dated 8th Aug 1809 below

Orrin Thomas 2d June 1809 at Hope

Return of the commissioned officers to the Militia of
Penobscot.

2 Lieutenants shall be appointed
in each of the companies of
the Regiment of Penobscot
to be by the Governor & Council
in Commission at present
vacant or remaining, and
hereafter as vacancies happen
in the commissioned officers
of the Companies of the
Regiment of Penobscot
Commissioned from the Governor

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Admiral La Motte Cop

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