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Judicial **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 24th October 1860.

No. 164. Read the following letter from C. F. CHAMIER, Esq., Registrar of the Sudder Court, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 18th October 1860, No. 89.

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Sudder Court to report for the information of Government, that the Civil Judge of Honore, in proposing certain arrangements consequent on the promotion of Laxamayah, late Sudder Ameen of Sircy, has suggested the expediency of abolishing the Sudder Ameen's Court.

2. The Civil Judge states that during the last year only 8 Criminal cases were disposed of by the Sudder Ameen, and 7 up to August last; and that as an Assistant Magistrate is stationed at Sircy, no inconvenience will arise from the absence of a Sudder Ameen at that station; the Jail, formerly under the charge of the Sudder Ameen having been abolished on the 18th June last, by order of the Inspector of Jails.

3. He also states that, of the suits pending on the file of the Sircy Sudder Ameen, there are only 8 beyond the jurisdiction of a Moonsiff, which can be transferred to the Moofty Sudder Ameen at Honore, and the remaining 237 within the jurisdiction of a District Moonsiff to the 2nd Class District Moonsiff of Sircy, whose file will still be lighter than that of the 3rd Class District Moonsiff of Ankola.

4. Under these circumstances, the Judges are of opinion that the services of a Sudder Ameen are no longer required at Sircy, and accordingly beg to recommend the abolition of the Sudder Ameen's Court at that station; but as Sircy is a station of some importance, and the file of the present 2nd Class District Moonsiff's Court will be much augmented by the transfer of the suits now pending before the Sudder Ameen, the Judges recommend that the 2nd Class District Moonsiff's Court at this station be raised to one of the 1st Class.

5. They would also recommend that the present 3rd Class District Moonsiff's Court at Ankola be raised to the 2nd Class. This is also an important station, being a sea-port, to which the merchants of Bombay frequently resort, and in which litigation is also great; the No. of suits pending at the close of the 2nd quarter of the current year being upwards of 1,000.

Present.			
Salary of the Sudder Ameen of Sircy	Rupees	200	
Establishment of do.	,,	158	
Salary of 2nd Class District Moonsiff of Sircy	,,	150	
Establishment of do.	,,	70	
Salary of 3rd Class District Moonsiff of Ankola	,,	115	
Establishment of do.	,,	70	
		—	763
Proposed.			
Salary of 1st Class District Moonsiff of Sircy	,,	200	
Establishment of do.	,,	70	
Salary of 2nd Class District Moonsiff of Ankola	,,	150	
Establishment	,,	70	
		—	490
Saving			273

6. It will be observed that by the arrangement now recommended there will be a saving of Rupees 273 per mensem to the State, as noted in the margin.

No. 165. ORDER THEREON, 24th October 1860, No. 1,376.

The Government authorize the abolition of the Sudder Ameen's Court at Sircy. With the saving thus resulting, the District Munsif at that station will be promoted to the First Class, and the Munsif at Ankola to the Second Class. These measures will be reported to the Government of India.

2. The claims to pensions or gratuities, as the case may be, of the parties at present on the establishment of the Sudder Ameen, will be duly considered according to the Rules of the Service.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. / Date / Office to which the proposition refers.	Nature of Charge.						Proposition.									Local Government's recommendation.	Orders of the Government of India.			
	Present Scale.			Proposed Scale.			Permanent.			Temporary.							Home Department.	Financial Department.		
							Increase per month.			Decrease per month.			Increase per month.			Casual or Extraordinary.	Grounds of Proposition.				
													Period.					Remarks.	Remarks.	Orders.
Extract from Home Dept., Govt. of India.		RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.					
Zillah of Honore.	*Sircy.* Sudder Amin..... ...	200	0	0	*Sircy.* Sudder Amin's Court abolished..... ...	.....	...	...	.....	..	...	358	0	0				During last year only 8 Criminal cases were disposed of by the Sudder Amin, and 7 up to August last. Of the 245 suits pending on his file, only 8 are beyond the jurisdiction of a Munsif. The Sudder Amin of Sircy was recently promoted to be a Principal Sudder Amin and the Civil Judge of Honore has suggested the expediency of closing the Sudder Amin's Court. The Jail at that Station has recently been abolished by the Inspector General of Jails, and an Assistant Magistrate is now located there. 2. Agreeably to the recommendation of the Sudder Court, the Government have authorized the abolition of the Sudder Amin's Court, and with part of the saving thus resulting, have promoted the District Munsif at Sircy to the first Class, and the Munsif at Ankola, which is a sea-port of considerable importance, to the second Class. The 8 suits on the file of the Sudder Amin beyond the jurisdiction of a Munsif, will be transferred to the Mufti Sudder Amin at Honore, and the remaining suits to the Munsif of Sircy. 3. The reduction effected by this measure will be annually Rs. 3,276.	Favorable.			
	Establishment..... ...	158	0	0	First Class District Munsif...	200	0	0	50	0	0	.....	...	...								
	Second Class District Munsif...	150	0	0	Establishment..... ...	70	0	0														
	Establishment..... ...	70	0	0																		
	Ankola. Third Class District Munsif.....	115	0	0	*Ankola.* Second Class District Munsif...	115	0	0	35	0	0											
	Establishment..... ...	70	0	0	Establishment...	70	0	0														
	Rupees...	763	0	0	Rupees...	490	0	0	85	0	0	358	0	0								
					Less Increase...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	85	0	0								
					Permanent Decrease...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	273	0	0								

No. 166. No. 1,377.

Forwarded for sanction to the Home Department of the Government of India.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Fort Saint George.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

FORT SAINT GEORGE, *the 24th October* 1860.

Judicial Department.

Year	Revenue		Charges		Total		Net	
	Ordinary	Extra-ordinary	Ordinary	Extra-ordinary	Revenues	Charges	Surplus	Deficit.

Extract from Home Department Govt of India		Office to which the proposition refers.	Nature of Charge.		Proposition.				Casual or Extraordinary.	Grounds of Proposition.	Local Govern. ments recommendation.	Orders of the Government of India.		
					Permanent.		Temporary.					Home Dept.	Financial Department.	
No.	Date		Present Scale.	Proposed Scale.	Increase per Month.	Decrease per Month.	Increase per Month.	Decrease per Month.				Remarks.	Remarks.	Orders.
					Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Casual. Rs. a. p.	Casual. Rs. A. P.						
		Fort St. George, the 24th October 1860.	Sirey Sudder Amin 200 Establishmt. 152 " " Second Class District Munsif 150 " " Establishmt. 70 " "	Sirey Sudder Amin's Court abolished " " " " " 352 " " First class District Munsif 200 " " 50 " " " " " Establishmt. 70 " "						During last year only 8 criminal cases were disposed of by the Sudder Amin, & 7 up to Augt. last. Of the 245 Civil suits pending on his files, only 8 are beyond the jurisdiction of a Munsif. The Sudder Amin of Sirey was recently promoted to a Principal Sudder Amin & the Civil Judge of Honore has suggested the expediency of closing the Sudder Ameen's Court. The Sdil at that station has recently been abolished by the Inspector General of Jails, & an Assistant Magistrate is now located there.	Favourable			
			Ankola Third Class District Munsif 115 " " Establishmt. 70 " "	Ankola. Second Class District Munsif 115 " " 35 " " " " " Establishmt. 70 " "										
			Rs. 763 " "	Rs. 490 " " 85 " " 352 " "										
				Less Increase 85 " "										
				Permanent Decrease 273 " "										

2. Agreeably to the recommendation of the Sudder Court, the Govt. have authorized the abolition of the Sudder Amins Court, & with the saving thus resulting have promoted the 2d Class Munsif at Sirey to the 2d Class. The 3 First Class, & the Munsif at Ankola to the Second Class. The 8 suits on the file of the Sudder Amin be- yond the jurisdiction of a Munsif will be transferred to the Munsif of Honore & the remaining suits to the Munsif of Sirey, whose salary will even when he is higher than that of the Munsif at Ankola.

3. The reduction effected by this measure will be annually Rs. 3,276.

Dept. 29th

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Fort St. George.

No. 1377

Forwarded for sanction to the Home Department of the Government of India.

Fort St. George, the 24th October 1860.

No. 1376 — 24 October 1860.

The Govt. authorise the abolition of the Sudder Amins Court at Sirey. With the saving thus resulting, the District Munsif at that station will be promoted to the First Class & the Munsif at Bukola to the Second Class. These measures will be reported to the Govt. of India.

2. The claims to pensions or

or gratuities, as the case
may be, of the parties
at present on the esta-
blishment of the Sud-
der Amin, will be duly
considered according
to the Rules of the Ser-
vice.

The Sudder Court.
" Civil Auditor } Sup 27th
" Acct. Genl. }