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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
for the month of April 1860.*

No. 44. Read the following letter from A. PURVIS, Esq., Magistrate of the Godavari District, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Ambajepeta, 24th March 1860, No. 121.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Order of Government of the 23rd ultimo, calling upon me to submit my views in reference to the protection of the Town of Ellore without the necessity of a Military Guard.

- * 1 Jemadar.
- 2 Havildars.
- 3 Naigues.
- 1 Bugler.
- 35 Privates.

2. The Orders of Government of the 8th instant, have reached me and a Guard of the Rajahmundry Sibbandis of the strength as per margin* is on its way to Ragapore. As the two small out posts, the guard for which has hitherto been furnished from Ragapore, will now be in charge of the Krishna District Sibbandis, I consider the strength of the Detachment now sent to Ragapore sufficient.

3. I do not think, if all regular Troops are to be withdrawn from Ellore, that less than a full Company of Sibbandis, that is 50 Privates, ought to be employed for the protection of that Town. To enable the Rajahmundry Corps permanently to supply this number, the Corps itself must be increased by certainly another Company. The present strength is shown in the margin.* At least one Company must always be at the Head Quarters for the protection of the Town, and the service of another must be constantly available for duty in the hills or elsewhere if

- * 1 Commandant.
- 1 Adjutant.
- 1 Sirdar.
- 4 Janadars.
- 1 Havildar Major.
- 12 Havildars.
- 12 Naigues.
- 1 Bugle Major.
- 4 Buglers.
- 200 Privates.

required. Half a Company is required for river duties, guarding Treasure, Stores, &c., in transit, and now nearly a full Company at Ragapore. Allowance must also be made for reliefs, sick, and men on leave.

4. If the relief of the Detachment of regular Troops at Ellore is urgent, I can arrange to send, for the present, a guard of 25 men, the number proposed by the Magistrate of the Krishna District in his letter of the 19th January last.

ORDER THEREON, 14th April 1860, No. 443.

No. 45. Referred to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, in reference to the Deputy Quarter Master General's letter of 24th December last, No. 478, for information, whether the relief of the regular Troops at Ellore be urgent. The Rajahmundry Sibbandi Corps cannot be increased for the present.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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To, The Chief Clerk of the
Court of the County of
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Recd 24th of March 1810

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