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Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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No. 119. Read the following letter from W. J. RAYNOR, Esq., Officiating Civil Auditor, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Judicial Department, Fort Saint George, dated 23rd January 1861, No. 49.

As requested in the Orders of Government in the Judicial Department, No. 1,604, dated 6th December 1860, I have the honor to submit a Statement of the temporary Establishments now existing in the Judicial Department, together with the dates of sanction and entertainments, and the periods for which sanctioned.

Statement of temporary Establishments as required by the Orders of Government, dated 6th December 1860, *No.* 1,604, *J. D.*

Date of Authority.	Date of entertainment.	Period for which sanctioned.	Office and nature of Establishment.	Monthly cost.	Remarks.
G. I. 11th Feb. 1859, No. 1,052.	8th Jan. 1859...	2 years.....	Additional Principal Sudr Ameen's Court Mangalore.	693 0 0	
G. I. 19th Oct. 1859, No. 8,810.	1st March 1860...	To the end of 1860.	„ District Moonsiff's Court Combaconum.	235 0 0	These four Offices are included, as no information has yet reached this Office of their being discontinued with the commencement of this year.
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G. I. 3rd Nov. 1859, No. 9,258.	21st Nov. 1859...	Do. ...	Do. do. Nandial ...	160 0 0	
G. I. 22nd Dec. 1859, No. 10,870					
M. G. 24th Oct. 1860, No. 1,314.	1st Dec. 1859...	3 years.....	Civil and Session Court at Calicut.....	.....	To aid in arranging the Records of the Court.
			4 Additional Goomastahs 37 0 0		
			2 Attendants..... 8 0 0		
				45 0 0	
M. G. 26th May 1858, No. 683.	1st May 1859...	.....	Increase to wages of certain Deloyets and Peons under the Magistrate South Arcot.	125 0 0	The charge was objected to by this Office in December last, as inadmissible after the introduction of the new Mofussil Police, and no further communication has, since been received regarding it. The Bills have not been passed since June 1860.
M. G. 16th Dec. 1859, No. 1,674.	14th Sep. 1859...	.....	Malabar, for protection of Tobacco Monopoly.	50 0 0	Debitable to Travancore Government.
M. G. 22nd Jan. 1858, No. 114.	25th Jan. 1858...	.....	Police Commissioner, 1 Clerk.....	50 0 0	For Registry of Arms, &c., (vide Proceedings of Government, 15th December 1860, No. 1,652.)
G. I. 21st June 1860, No. 5,530.	16th Aug. 1860...	.....	Principal Sudr Ameen's Court, Madura.	659 0 0	

(Signed) W. J. RAYNOR, *Officiating Civil Auditor.*

No. 120. ORDER THEREON, 21st February 1861, No. 232.

In a Resolution, 26th October last, No. 11,004, passed on a letter, in which the Civil Finance Commission drew attention to the very heavy annual payments for temporary Establishments throughout India, the Governor General in Council observed that "no temporary Establishment is now permitted to be "entertained without the sanction of the "Government of India, either previously ob-"tained, or given in confirmation of the orders of the Local Governments. He, however, con-"siders that it will be of service to call upon the Local Governments to cause an immediate and "special revision to be made of the temporary establishments existing at this time."

Note.—The total cost of temporary Establishments in 1858-59 *was given at Rs.* 61,00,937 *for all India. Of this amount, the expense at Madras was only Rs.* 3,00,000, *being the smallest expenditure of all the Governments, excepting the Punjab, where the outlay amounted to Rs.* 2,89,271.

2. In pursuance of this Resolution, the Civil Auditor was requested, in this department, to furnish a Return of the existing temporary Establishments, at the Presidency and in the Mofussil, connected with the Courts, including those of the Agent and Magistrates, and Jails. The Statement appended to the Civil Auditor's letter recorded above, is submitted in compliance with this requisition.

Proceedings 6th December 1860, *No.* 1,604.

3. The first temporary Establishment in the Statement is that of the Principal Sudder Ameen of Mangalore. In submitting to the Government of India the arrangements for the opening of this Court, it was explained that the additional Principal Sudder Ameen at Mangaloro would be required for two years to aid in bringing up arrears of undecided Appeals from the Moonsiff's Courts. The period, it was added, would commence from the 8th April 1859.—Up to that date, beginning from the 1st January of that year, a second Principal Sudder Ameen's Court would be established by transferring to that Zillah, the Principal Sudder Ameen temporarily sanctioned for Combaconum but no longer required there. The Government of India sanctioned the measure on the understanding that the period for which the entertainment of the 2nd Principal Sudder Ameen at Combaconum had been authorized would not have expired before the 8th April. The sanction for the Court at Mangalore will, therefore, terminate in April next —and prior to that time, the Judges of the Sudder Court will report, whether there is any necessity for its further continuance.

Letter to Government of India, 27th December 1858, *No.* 1,817.

Extract Minutes Consultation, 14th March 1859, *No.* 338.

4. The District Moonsiffs' Courts at Combaconum, Nagore, and Paupanassum come next in the Statement. In consequence of the District Moonsiffs' Courts at Combaconum, Keevalore, and Trivady being still heavily burthened with arrears, the Government have sanctioned the retention of the three additional Courts for the current year—and have applied for the confirmation by the Government of India of this order.

Proceedings, 14*th January* 1861, *No.* 54.

5. The sanction for the District Moonsiff's Court of Nundial expired with the past year, and it has been ascertained by Telegraph that the Court has been closed.

6. As regards the additional Goomastahs and attendants for the Record Room of the Zillah Court of Calicut, it is observed that an application has been made to the Government of India, for the continuance of the former and entertainment of the latter for a period of two years.

Proceedings, 24*th October* 1860, *No.* 1,374.

7. The next item in the Statement is the "increase to wages of certain Deloyets and Peons in South Arcot." This arrangement was to continue in force, until the Act for reconstituting the Mofussil Police, should be brought into

Proceedings, 7*th June* 1859, *No.* 789, *para.* 4.

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21st February 1861.

operation in the District. The charge, it appears, was objected to by the Audit Office in December, and has not been passed since June 1860. Orders on this point will be passed in the Revenue Department.

8. The extra Police Force maintained at Anjengo and Tangacherry in the province of Malabar, for the protection of the Tobacco Monopoly, does not form a charge on the Madras Presidency, as the expense is recovered from the Travancore Sirkar, under the arrangements sanctioned in the Orders noted in the margin. This force should not appear in the list of temporary Establishments.

Proceedings 16*th December* 1859, *No.* 1,674.
,, 16*th March* 1860, ,, 322.
,, 28*th do.* ,, ,, 380.

9. The Government are in communication with the Commissioner of Police respecting the Clerk on Rs. 50 a month employed for the Registry of Arms, and have recently requested that Officer to explain what are the peculiar duties of the Arms Act Writer, and for what length of time daily or weekly he is engaged in them—also, supposing that the services of a Writer are indispensably required for the purposes of the Act, whether one on a lower salary than Rs. 50, would not suffice.

Proceedings 11*th January* 1860, *No* 39.

10. The last of the temporary Establishments named in the Civil Auditor's Statement is that of the Principal Sudder Ameen's Court of Madura. The grounds stated in the application for this Court, were that the arrears on the files of the Civil Court amounted to 471 suits, and would occupy the Judge nearly four years to dispose of, even if free from current Civil business. The establishment of the Court was sanctioned by the Government of India, under date 21st June last. The Sudder Court will keep themselves informed of the progress made in clearing off arrears, and report thereon to Government at the end of the current year, or before that time, if the Court can be dispensd with at an earlier date.

Proceedings 20*th July* 1860, *No.* 906.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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Order — 21st February 1861 No. 232.

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Letter to Govt. of India, 27th Decr. 1858 No. 1817.

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" Rev. Dept. —
" Civil Audit. —
" Acct. Genl. —

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