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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 18th March 1861.

No. 157. Read the following letter from J. ROHDE, Esq., Inspector General of Jails, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Ootacamund, 4th March 1861, No. 90.

I have the honor to solicit permission of Government to the continuance to the Jailor of Cochin the full salary of 30 Rupees monthly, notwithstanding the transfer of half his duties, to which a moiety of his salary was attached, to the Police.

2. The pay of the Jailor was 15 Rupees monthly, but on the application of the Magistrate 30 Rupees was sanctioned* for a Constable, with the understanding that on a vacancy occurring in the office of the Jailor the increase should be reduced to 15 Rupees, the Jailor doing the duties of both offices on 30 Rupees. Considering the duties of the post and that European Seamen are liable to committal to the Jail, I trust the Government will continue to the Jailor the former salary.

* *Letter from Mr. Bushby to the Government of Madras, dated 21st August 1847, No. 732.*

No. 158. ORDER THEREON, 18th March 1861, No. 369.

The pay proper of the Jailor at Cochin was Rupees 15 a month.

2. In 1847, in consequence of the then Jailor having been "deficient in nerve and physical power," and as the services of a European Constable were much needed, in reference to the large number of European Sailors ashore, it was proposed to entertain a suitable person, until the post of Jailor became vacant, when the two offices of Jailor and Constable would be united in the same individual. The expense incident on this measure, was sanctioned by the Government of India, viz., Rupees 15 as a permanent, and Rupees 15 as a temporary charge.

Extract Minutes Consultation, 18th January 1847, No. 54.
Do. do. 9th April „ „ 263.
Do. do. 14th September „ „ 629.

3. The employment of European Jailors has been found to be generally advantageous, and in 1857, on application being made to them for raising the pay of the Jailors of the principal Prisons in the Presidency to the uniform rate of Rupees 50, the Supreme Government sanctioned the scale of pay on the understanding that "the higher allowance should be given in all cases, in which a European Jailor is found to be absolutely indispensable."

Extract Minutes Consultation, 22nd April 1857, No. 456.

4. The number of European Ships frequenting the port, has increased largely in the interval, and the Seamen are liable to committal to the Jail at Cochin. The present arrangement cannot, therefore, be disturbed—and no reduction will be made in the pay of the office, so long as it may be necessary to have it held by a European.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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