

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
15th April 1861.*

No. 89. Read the following letter from ARTHUR HALL, Esq., President to the Income Tax Commission, to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated 6th April 1861, No. 48.

* 4 Police Peons. I have the honor to request the sanction of Government to a guard, as noted marginally,* being furnished by the Chief Commissioner of Police for the purpose of protecting the Income Tax Office at night.

2. Although daily remittances of the collections are made to the Treasury, there are always monies remaining in the Collector's Cash chest at the close of each day, being the collections received after the despatch to the Treasury at 3 p.m., of the daily remittance.

3. In proposing an establishment of Peons for the Income Tax Office no provision was made for a Treasury guard, because at the time the Office was organized the Sub Treasurer was the Collecting Officer.

4. For some time after the appointment of a Collector of Income Tax having his Treasury in the Income Tax Office, the Mofussil Police guard attached to the Sub Collector's Office which was then located next door to this Office, received charge of the Cash chest, and when Mr. Ellis ceased to be Sub Collector the guard was retained as a temporary measure.

5. The Inspector General of Mofussil Police is still willing to continue furnishing this guard, provided the cost thereof is charged to this Office, but he has suggested that it would be more regular that the guard should be supplied from the Madras Town Police.

6. The Commissioners are of opinion that a guard furnished by the Chief Commissioner of the Madras Police, would be more efficient than an extra establishment of Peons, and that this arrangement is probably more in accordance with the intentions of the Government that all Treasury guards should be furnished by the Police and the cost thereof charged in monthly Contingent Bills.

No. 90. ORDER THEREON, -15th April 1861, No. 499.

The Government observe that according to the revised establishment for the Madras Income Tax Commissioners sanctioned under date the 30th January last, 15 Peons are attached to the Commissioners' Office and 4 to the Collector's Office. The Governor in Council considers that these men should be made available for guarding the Income Tax Office at night, and that any special guard, additional to these, is unnecessary.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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