

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
27th April 1861.*

No. 182. Read the following letter from C. PELLY, Esq., Member of the Board of Revenue, to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Chepauk Palace, 22nd April 1861, No. 851.

I have the honor to submit for the orders of Government a letter* from the Collector of Trichinopoly, requesting that the Civil Auditor may be authorized to pass the pay of the Town Moonsiff of Trichinopoly, which he has now retrenched. The employment of the Moonsiff in ques-

* 7th March 1861. tion on a salary of 40 Rupees a month was sanctioned by Government on 3rd August 1837, on the recommendation of the Board and the Court of Sudr Udalt for the special appointment of a Moonsiff under Clause 2nd, Section III, Regulation IV of 1816, there being no Head-man in the Town as in other Villages to whom the decision of petty Civil Suits under 10 Rupees could be entrusted. This appears to be a judicial charge. It may, however, probably come under reference in disposing of the Village Establishments, but the charge should be passed as usual by the Civil Auditor as it was in no way affected by the late revision of the District or Taluq Establishments.

2. Offices of similar description exist either by the name of Town Moonsiffs or Town Cauzees only in a very few Districts. I am not sure whether the continuance of these Offices is necessary or not, but I intend addressing the Collectors on the subject.

No. 183. ORDER THEREON, 27th April 1861, No. 573.

Resolved that a copy of the above letter be furnished to the Civil Auditor and that he be directed to pass the salary of the Town Moonsiff of Trichinopoly. It is observed that the Office is a judicial Office, and the pay is a judicial charge, and that the appointment has not been affected by the revision of the Trichinopoly District or Taluq Establishment.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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J.P.

Civil Auditor

Mr. Pelley with
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