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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 22nd April 1862.

No. 155. Read the following letter from W. ROBINSON, Esq., Inspector General of Madras Police; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 17th April 1862, No. 816.

Account Department.

I have the honor to bring to the notice of Government that the amount at present allowed for the monthly Contingent expenses of the Salem District Police, viz., Rupees 150, is found insufficient to meet the requirements, now that the whole District has been taken up.

2. The Superintendent of Police reports as follows:—

"This District is continually called upon to escort Prisoners from the Western Districts to "Madras. Owing to Salem being the Railway Terminus from which trains run in one day "direct to the Presidency, Prisoners taken charge of by the Salem Police are, without change of "Guards, escorted direct to Madras and thus the Police funds of this District are saddled "with the expense of escorting Prisoners not only through this District, but through two neigh- "bouring Districts. Within the limits of the District, Prisoners when moved from one place "to another situated on or near the line of rail, either for trial or for the purpose of undergoing "the sentences passed on them, are ordered to be sent by rail. The rail passing close to Salem "the Head Quarters of the District, Prisoners are continually conveyed by rail, escorts of "Police have to accompany them and though the Magistrates pay the fares of Prisoners this "Department has to pay the fare of all escorts. The expenditure on this head is thus necessarily "high, and it is one of a nature that many other Districts do not experience."

3. Lieutenant Hill also reports that the Contingent expenses of his District having, for the reasons above given, exceeded the sanctioned amount for some months* past, an unadjusted balance remains of Rupees 164-5-2.

* July 1861 to January 1862.

4. To meet these charges, I beg to recommend that the limit for the Contingent expenses of the Salem District Police be increased to Rupees 200 monthly from 1st April 1862, and that a corresponding reduction be made in the amount sanctioned for the South Canara District for which Rupees 100 per mensem will suffice.

5. This course was sanctioned with reference to the North Arcot and Madras Districts under Government Order, dated 17th September 1861, No. 1,167, J. D.

6. I would also solicit the sanction of Government for the disbursement of the extra expenditure above alluded to viz., Rupees 164-5-2. This can be met from the Budget Estimate for 1861-62.

No. 156. ORDER THEREON, 22nd April 1862, No. 630.

The Officiating Civil Paymaster is authorized to pass from the 1st instant, the Contingent expenditure of the Police Department in Salem, up to Rupees (200) two hundred a month. The charge for the South Canara District will at the same time be limited to Rupees (100) one hundred.

2. The Government sanction the extra expenditure of Rupees (164-5-2) one hundred and sixty-four, Annas five and Pice two, alluded to in paragraph 3 of the foregoing letter.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read letter from the Inspector General Madras Police—

dated 17th April 1862 No 816/

Order thereon 22d April 1862 No 630

The Officiating Civil Paymaster is authorized to draw from the 1st instant the Establishment & Contingencies of the Police Department at the rate of Rs 200/ two hundred a month— The charge for the Southern Division will at the same time be limited to Rs 100/ One hundred—

2. The Government sanction the extra expenditure of Rs 5-3-3 One hundred & Sixty four, Annas five and Nine pies, alluded to in para 3 of the foregoing letter—

To the Secretary to the Police Office Civil Paymaster Accountant General

Dated 22d April

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT.

Dated 22 April 62

Sanctioning the increase
up to 200 Rs in the Police expenditure
of Salem and the reduction
to 100 Rs of the Police expenditure
in South Canara. Sanctioning
also an extra expenditure
of Rs 164-5-2 alluded to
in para 3 of Mr Robinson's
letter.

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