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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 2nd December 1863.

No. 26 A. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Revenue Department, dated 26th November 1863, No. 2139.

Sanctioning the appointment of an additional Sub-Magistrate at Bobbily, and the transfer of the present Sub-Magistrate of Peddagadi to Ankapilli in the Vizagapatam District. (Vide Proceedings Revenue Department, dated 26th November 1863, Nos. 359 & 360.)

No. 26 B. ORDER THEREON, 2nd December 1863, No. 1889.

To be recorded.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

No. 359. Read the following letter from the Honorable C. PELLY, Member of the Board of Revenue, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 17th November 1863, No. 1,640 :—

SIR,

1. The Magistrate and Agent to the Governor at Vizagapatam has strongly recommended that the Sub-Magistrate at Peddagadi be transferred to Ankapilli, and that another Sub-Magistrate be located at Bobbili, with an appropriate jurisdiction over a part of the country which under existing arrangements is now under the jurisdiction of the Sub-Magistrate at Salur. This proposition which involves some minor changes in the extent of the charges of several of the Sub-Magistrates, will occasion an increase of expenditure for the Sub-Magistrates' Establishment at Bobbili of Rupees 116 as per sanctioned present scale, and eventually (when the increased allowance to Sub-Magistrates is sanctioned) of Rupees 151 as noted in the margin.

From Collector of Vizagapatam, dated 12th August 1863, No. 2,625.
To do. dated 25th August 1863, No. 1,605.
From do. dated 7th Oct. 1863, No. 1,660.
To Inspector General of Mofussil Police, dated 22nd October 1863, No. 1,626.
From do. do. dated 30th October 1863, No. 2,702.

Numbers.	Designation.	Present scale.	Future scale.
		Rs.	Rs.
1	Sub-Magistrate ..	65	100
1	Gumashta ..	15	15
1	Do. ..	12	12
1	Dufterbund ...	7	7
1	Massaljee & Sweeper.	5	5
2	Peons at 6 Rupees ..	12	12
7	Total ..	116	151

2. With respect to the latter proposition which involves an increase of expenditure for a new Sub-Magistrate, Mr. Carmichael in his letter of 12th August (paragraph 4) "very earnestly presses for the appointment of a Sub-Magis- "trate at Bobbili. He is at a loss to imagine how this "flourishing town was passed over; it is the fourth town in "the District, its population 11,619 by the last census, and "is otherwise of importance." "It is not safe," he goes on to remark, "to leave a large town like that, itself the centre of a large Zemindary Talook, without "supervision. All power and all procedure fall naturally into the hands of the feudal Chief "of the territory."

3. Mr. Carmichael cannot make a reduction in any other of the Sub-Magistracies to meet this charge. Bobbili at present forms part of the Salur Sub-Magistrate's charge; "Salur is a large "place (population 9,292), and with so wild and rugged a country to the west and north of it, that "it would be highly impolitic to remove that station 12 miles further off to the west." The present charge of the Salur, and the proposed charge of the two Sub-Magistrates, is thus:—

		Sq. Miles.	Population.
Present	Salur	1,269	1,85,165
Proposed	Salur	408	76,229
	Bobbili	106	87,744

4. I have the honor to enclose a Statement exhibiting the Establishment of Sub-Magistrates, including the two Tahsildars of Golconda and Suryasiddi, and their respective jurisdiction and

cost as they will finally stand if this recommendation is acceded to by Government. The following is a brief abstract of the Statement.

ABSTRACT.

	Names of the Station.	Extent in square miles.	Number of villages.	Population.	Sub-Magistrate's Establishment at old rates.	Sub-Magistrate's Establishment at new rates when sanctioned.	Remarks.
					RS.	RS.	
1	Golconda ...	2,753½	306	76,895	337	337	Tahsildar's Establishment.
2	Survasiddi ...	326½	148	100,905	319	319	Do. do.
3	Ankapilli ...	410	202	144,616	86	106	Station proposed to be substituted for Peddagadi.
	Peddagadi ...	...	...	...	...	...	Station proposed to be relinquished in favor of Ankapilli.
4	Veravilli ...	1,871	265	126,050	86	106	
5	Vizagapatam ...	126	31	43,517	116	151	
6	Stringavarapu-cotta ...	631	198	102,296	116	151	
7	Bimlipatam ...	273	128	85,756	136	151	
8	Vizianagram ...	321	182	102,129	116	151	
9	Gazapatinagram	465	183	72,153	86	106	
10	Salur	408¼	228	76,229	116	151	
11	Bobbili ...	105¾	141	87,744	116	151	
12	Chipurapilli ...	734	357	151,094	86	106	
13	Parvatipur ...	531	250	100,839	116	151	
14	Palkonda ...	548	370	145,429	86	106	
15	Gunapur ...	2,000	514	159,790	151	151	
16	Royaguda ...	1,000	696	54,931	151	151	
17	Jeypore ...	4,000	1,000	150,000	151	151	
18	Ourada ...	2,433	566	42,349	151	151	

5. There have been several changes made in the Vizagapatam District, and for convenient reference it may be well to notice them here for the information of Government:—

First.—By Order of Government dated 13th December 1859, No. 1,679, the Talook arrangement for one Revenue Talook of Nursapatam was sanctioned.

Second.—By Order of Government, dated 15th June 1861, No. 1,209, sanction was given for 13 Sub-Magistrates.

Third.—And by Order of Government, dated 28th June 1861, No. 837, Judicial Department, a further sanction for two Sub-Magistrates at Jeypore and Ourada.

Fourth.—By Order dated 14th April 1862, No. 825, a change in the class of Sub-Magistrates between Vizagapatam and Palcondah was sanctioned.

Fifth.—By Order dated 22nd January 1863, No. 138, the pay of the Sub-Magistrates at Jeypore, Gunapur and Ourada was increased.

Sixth.—By Order, Judicial Department, 4th May 1863 (paragraph 3), communicated in Order, Revenue Department, dated 9th idem, No. 800, an additional Sub-Magistrate for Royagada was allowed.

Seventh.—And finally, by Order dated 17th July 1863, No. 1,313, the Talook of Nursapatam was divided into the two Talooks of Survasiddi and Golconda, with two Tahsildar Sub-Magistrates; and the Sub-Magistrate at Yellamunchilli was absorbed.

6. The original plan for Sub-Magistrates was drawn up by Mr. Fane (the late Collector) and the Inspector General of Police. But I have brought to the notice of Mr. Robinson the

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change and addition now required by the Agent and Magistrate, and that gentleman concurs fully with Mr. Carmichael in the necessity of the measures now proposed, as will be seen from his letter accompanying.

From Inspector General of Police, dated 30th October 1863, No. 3,055.

7. I have therefore the honor to recommend that the revised Statement may receive the sanction of Government, and that the extra estimated expenditure of Rupees 116 may be also allowed.

8. I beg to note that Mr. Carmichael says he will be able to meet a portion of the extra cost to the amount of Rupees 56, by the discharge of two Gumastahs in the Judicial Establishments of the Principal and Senior Assistants, not now required; but the Judicial Establishments do not come under my revision.

No. 360. ORDER THEREON, 26th November 1863, No. 2,139.

1. The Government are satisfied that an additional Sub-Magistrate is required at Bobbily, and sanction the appointment of one as proposed by Mr. Pelly.

2. The transfer of the present Sub-Magistrate of Peddagady to Ankapilly is also sanctioned.

3. It is observed that the Agent can reduce the Judicial Establishment of his Assistants to the extent of Rupees 56 yearly.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government

To the Honorable C. Pelly.
" Board of Revenue.
" Accountant General.
" Civil Paymaster.
" Judicial Department.

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