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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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No. 127. Read the following letter from Lieutenant Colonel T. McGOUN, Controller of Military Finance, Fort Saint George; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George, dated 6th May 1863, A.

I have the honor to forward a letter from the Commissary General, dated 28th April 1863, No. 109, with enclosure, relative to a prosecution instituted against certain parties accused of stealing Tea of the value of upwards of Rupees 300 from the Commissariat Godown in the Fort at Masulipatam.

2. The Commissary General requests that Government will sanction the employment of the Government Pleader to prosecute in the Sessions Court, and I would recommend that his request be complied with.

From Colonel JOHN HILL, Commissary General, Madras; to Colonel T. McGOUN, Controller of Military Finance, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 28th April 1863, No. 109.

Stock Department.

In enclosing for your information letter, No. 3,641, dated 20th instant, from the Officiating Commissariat Officer, Masulipatam, regarding a robbery committed in the Commissariat Godowns at that station, I have the honor to request you will, if deemed necessary, obtain the sanction of Government to the Pleader being employed on behalf of this Department, to prosecute the parties apprehended.

From Lieutenant B. SHERMAN, for Deputy Assistant Commissary General; to the Commissary General of the Army, Madras, dated Masulipatam, 20th April 1863, No. 3,641.

Stock.

I have the honor to report that a Burglary was recently committed at the Commissariat Arrack Godown in the Fort of Malisupatam. Strong suspicions fall on the Police guard over the Godown, who it is supposed were assisted by some persons in the Fort. These persons have been apprehended, and together with the whole guard are now in custody. The articles stolen were three chests of Tea, of which the quantity recovered as yet is noted in the margin.

Black Tea...	....lb.	84 13
Green Tea	...lb.	25 5
Total lb...		110 2

The whole case is under investigation before the Sub-Magistrate.

As the value of the Tea stolen exceeds 300 Rupees, it is beyond the jurisdiction of the Magistrate, consequently the case will ultimately be referred for trial before the Session Court, when the services of the Government Pleader, attached to the Zillah Court, will be required in order to prosecute the culprits. I therefore beg you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of Government for his services, provided you deem it necessary. The whole Proceedings of the case and the result of the trial will be made known to you in due course.

Referred to the Judicial Department.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
12th May 1863.

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

No. 128. ORDER THEREON, 19th May 1863, No. 758.

Resolved that the Magistrate of the Kistna District be requested to arrange for the prosecution of the parties concerned in the theft referred to.

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

Exd. T. McMootry.

Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read letter from the Controller of Military Finance -

(Dated 6 May 1863. A.)

Order. 19 May 1863 No 58.

Resolved that the Magistrate of the Nilgiris District be requested to arrange for the prosecution of the parties concerned in the traffic referred to -

To Magistrate of the Nilgiris Distt
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