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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
27th April 1864.*

- No. 311. Read the following letter from J. G. THOMPSON, Esq., Officiating Civil and Session Judge of Mangalore; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Mangalore, 17th March 1864, No. u. r.

I have the honor to forward for the consideration of Government copies of the letters noted in the margin, from which it will be observed that the Civil Paymaster requires that the pay of the Jail and Moonsiffs' establishments should in future be included in the Court Pay Abstract, and states that they will not be passed if drawn

Letter from the Officiating Civil and Session Judge, to the Civil Paymaster, dated 1st March 1864, No. t. i., in answer to his Memorandum.
Memorandum from the Civil Paymaster, dated 7th March 1864, No. 26.

separately. I beg to observe that formerly the pay of the Jail Establishment was drawn in the indent of the Civil Court; but this has been discontinued since the Court Establishment has been relieved from all connection with the Jail. Consequently the pay of the Jail is drawn in a separate bill, as it must be done during the Judge's absence, from being placed under an officer who has no connection with the Court.

2. Some of the Moonsiffs' Abstracts do not reach the Court till the 7th or 8th of every month, in consequence of there being no direct communication by post between their stations* and Mangalore. Taking into consideration the

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dearness of the necessaries of life, and the distressed circumstances of the servants who are on the receipt of small amount of pay, it has been found necessary to prepare and submit the Pay bill of this Court to the Civil Paymaster for audit before the receipt of that of the Moonsiffs'. The establishments are entitled to their pay as soon as they have done their month's work. I therefore request that the Government will be pleased to instruct the Civil Paymaster to pass separate bills for the pay of the Jail, Court and Moonsiffs' Establishments respectively. I imagine it can make no difference to him.

From J. G. THOMPSON, Esq., Officiating Civil and Session Judge of Mangalore; to the Civil Paymaster, Fort Saint George, dated Mangalore, 1st March 1864, No. t. i.

With reference to the Memorandum† received from you with the Pay bill of the Civil and Session Court for January 1864, I have the

† MEMORANDUM.

In future the pay of Jail and District Moonsiffs' Establishments should be included in the Court Pay Abstract and they ought not to be drawn separately.

honor to observe that there is no connection between the Court and the Jail. When the Judge is absent from his station during the adjournment, &c., he hands over the Court to the Principal Sudder Ameen, and the Jail to a Magistrate or the Zillah Surgeon. At that time therefore the pay of the two establishments cannot be drawn in the same bill: and even when the Judge is at his station, the pay of the Jail does not pass through the Court. I therefore again submit two separate bills as has been done ever since the separation of the offices.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) J. G. THOMPSON,
Officiating Civil and Session Judge.

No. 26.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

Your letter, No. 163, dated 1st instant.

States that all other Judges draw the pay of the Jail Establishment in the Civil Court Abstract, and that this is clearly the right course, as the Jail is under the Judge. This time the bills have been passed separately; but they will not again be so passed, and the Judge is requested

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for the future to draw up one Abstract according to the custom in force elsewhere for the Jail, District Moonsiffs, and Civil Court Establishments.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
CIVIL PAYMASTER'S OFFICE,
7th March 1864.

(Signed) R. W. LODWICK,
Civil Paymaster.

To the Officiating Civil and Session Judge, Mangalore.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) J. G. THOMPSON,
Officiating Civil and Session Judge.

No. 312.

ORDER THEREON, 27th April 1864, No. 611.

His Excellency the Governor in Council concurs in the opinion of the Civil Judge of Mangalore that it is not desirable that the salaries of the Jail Establishment, and of the establishment attached to the District Moonsiffs, should be entered in the same bill with the establishment of the Civil and Session Court. It is probable that before very long the Jails will cease to be under the supervision of the Session Judges; and for the reasons given by Mr. Thompson it is not desirable that the Abstracts of the Civil and Session Court should be delayed until those of the Moonsiffs are received. Indeed, it is not apparent why the latter Abstracts should be sent through the Civil and Session Judge.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Civil and Session Judge of Mangalore.
Civil Paymaster.

Exd. R. H. Lee.

Judicial Department.

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Here entered 17th March 1864, New

Order thereon 27th April 1864 No. 611

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To the Civil & Session Judge of
Glasgow }
Laird & Co. }
Civil & Session Judge }
Glasgow }
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*Billings, July 10
1864, H. S. G. S.
to the Hon. Secy of the
Interior*

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Dated 27th June 1864

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