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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

4th July 1877, No. 1579.

Divisional Charges.

Read the following papers:—

No. 38. *From W. S. FOSTER, Esq., Collector and Magistrate of the Godavery District, to the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, dated Cocanada, 18th May 1877, No. 16.*

I have the honor to forward a draft Notification declaring certain taluqs to form divisions of the district, which has been rendered necessary by the changes ordered in G.O., No. 975, dated 19th April 1877.

2. I cannot help saying that I do not like the new arrangement now ordered. Of the four divisions the Sub-Collector's contains a much smaller population and yields less than half the revenue of any other. It is certainly by far the largest in point of area; but a great deal of this extent there is scarcely any necessity for more than an occasional visit: the Rampah part of the Rajahmundry Taluq, the Juddengy part of Peddapur, and the Tuni Zemindari will require to be only very seldom visited, so that importance derived from the great extent of the division does not counterbalance its inferiority in population and revenue.

3. The Deputy Collector's division is the most important in population and revenue, and, as to the extent of the Government and Inam lands, it is very nearly equal to the highest.

4. I enclose a statement showing the particulars to which I have referred.

5. I must mention also that, if the Sub-Collector is given charge of the taluqs of Bhadrachellam and Rekapilly, it will be necessary to make him Assistant Agent. Mr. Hope, in his letter, No. 22, of November 29th, 1876, made certain proposals about these tracts: these proposals contemplate the possibility of an Assistant Agent being appointed.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

NOTIFICATION.

Under the provisions of Section 39 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the Governor in Council is pleased to divide the Godavery District into four divisions, as follows:—

First Division.

1. Ramachendrapur Taluq.
2. Cocanada and Coringa Sub-Division.
3. Pittapur Division.

Second Division.

1. Rajahmundry Taluq.
2. Bhadrachellam and Rekapilly Taluqs.
3. Peddapur Taluq.
4. Tuni Division.

Third Division.

1. Ellore Taluq.
2. Ernagudem Taluq.
3. Tanuqu Taluq.

Fourth Division.

1. Amalapur Taluq.
2. Narsapur Taluq.
3. Bhimavaram Taluq.

(Signed) W. S. FOSTER,
Collector and Magistrate.

No. 39. *From J. C. HUGHESDON, Esq., Acting District Magistrate of South Arcot, to the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ammapett, 25th May* 1877, *No.* 63.

With reference to official memorandum, Judicial Department, No. 1057, dated 17th instant, I have the honor to request that under Section 39, Code of Criminal Procedure, the Joint Magistrate's division be declared to consist, from 1st July next, of the Tindivanam, Trinamalai, and Villapuram Taluqs; the Head Assistant Magistrate's division, of the Vridachellam and Chedambram Taluqs; and the Deputy Magistrate's division, of the Trikalore and Kullakurchi Taluqs.

2. And under Section 49, Code of Criminal Procedure, I request that the District Magistrate may be empowered to authorize the several officers concerned to entertain complaints within the limits above set forth.

No. 40. *From J. F. PRICE, Esq., Acting District Magistrate of Cuddapah, to the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madanapalli, 24th May* 1877, *Extra No.* 1198.

I have the honor, with reference to your official memorandum, No. 1057, dated 17th instant, to request that Government will be pleased to, under Section 39, Code of Criminal Procedure, declare the following to be divisions of a district:—

I. The taluqs of Jamalmadugu, Proddatur, and Pulivendla.
II. The taluq of Cuddapah.

2. I would respectfully solicit the attention of Government to the remarks made in my Extra No. 987, dated 7th instant, and again submit that it is advisable, in the interests of famine work, that no changes should be made until the distress is over.

No. 41. *From F. R. H. SHARP, Esq., Acting Collector and District Magistrate of Tanjore, to the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, dated Tanjore, 24th May* 1877, *No.* 1858.

With reference to G.O., dated the 11th April last, No. 917, I have the honor to submit that under G.O., dated 29th February 1876, Revenue Department, sanctioning the redistribution of divisional charges, Pattukottai Taluq was constituted a division of the district and was proposed to be placed in charge of the Assistant Collector. But, as there has been no passed Assistant Collector in the district for the last one year, a temporary Deputy Collector was appointed. I think, therefore, that M. Suriamoorthy Pillai may be gazetted as Deputy Collector and Magistrate in charge of the Pattukottai Division.

2. I beg to add that in the same G.O., dated 29th February, Combaconum and Tanjore were formed into a division whereas formerly Combaconum by itself formed one division under the Assistant Collector and Tanjore with Pattukottai another division under a Deputy Collector. Any notification I may issue under Section 49 of the Criminal Procedure Code will not empower the officers in charge of these divisions to hear appeals and to make summary trials unless the taluqs are declared divisions by a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

3. I have the honor, therefore, to request, with reference to paragraph 2 of G.O., dated 19th April 1877, No. 975, that the taluqs aforesaid may be declared as divisions under Section 39 of the Criminal Procedure Code in the Judicial Department.

No. 42. *From A. J. STUART, Esq., Acting District Magistrate of Tinnevelly, to the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, dated Tinnevelly, 18th May* 1877, *No.* 169.

With reference to telegram dated 14th instant from Government, I have the honor to apply for the orders of Government, under Sections 40 and 49, Criminal Procedure Code, for placing Mr. Snaith, Acting Sub-Collector, in magisterial charge of the new sub-division consisting of the taluqs of Strivilliputtur, Sattur, Ottapidaram, and that part of Tenkarai Taluq which lies north of the Tambrapurni River, and for placing Mr. J. A. Davies, Acting Head Assistant Magistrate, in magisterial charge of the new Head Assistant's division consisting of the Ambasamudram and Tenkasi Taluqs, and for placing H. Subraya Iyer, General Charge Deputy Magistrate, in charge of the new Deputy Magistrate's division, viz., Nanguneri and the portion of Tenkarai Taluq south of the river Tambrapurni.

No. 43. ORDER THEREON, 4th July 1877, No. 1579.

Recorded, with reference to G.O., 19th April 1877, No. 975.

2. Until further orders, existing arrangements both in the Revenue and Magisterial Departments will continue to remain in force. When the circumstances of the country return to their normal condition, Collectors and District Magistrates will submit separate arrangements for divisional charges in their respective districts.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
„ the Board of Revenue.
„ all Collectors and District Magistrates.

Fwd. A. S. Rodgers.

Govt. of {1877} Madras.

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To The REVENUE DEPARTMENT, &c., &c.

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G.O. 4th July 1877, No. 1033.

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