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Toungdarer Diary 3d January 1843

No.

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The Magistrate of Bassein

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Toungdarer Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 13th Ultimo regarding the disposal of approver Enga to whom a conditional pardon was proffered on 19th July 1841.

The Judges of the Court of Toungdarer Adalut are of opinion that Enga should be set at liberty, but they are not prepared to recommend reward or subsistence money, and they would leave his future disposal to your discretion as from local information you can best dispose the difficulties contemplated.

I have &c.

3d January 1843. (Signed) R. W. Chatfield
Acting Jr. Asst. Regr.

To

Tongdarer Diary 6th January 1843.

No 8

To No 1

The Acting Secretary
to Government

Sir

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdarer Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a letter dated the 21st Ultimo from the Magistrate of Cuddapah submitting for sanction a statement of expences incurred for the services of the Extra Police Peons employed in the District of Cuddapah during the month of November last under the sanction of Government conveyed in the Minutes of Consultation under date the 9th April 1840.

2. The Judges of the Tongdarer Adalut beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting to Rupees 150 - (one hundred and fifty) -

I have &c
6th January 1843. (signed) R. H. Chatfield
Actg Sr D. Register

To

Tongdarer Diary 7th January 1843

No 9

To

The Acting 3rd Judge on Circuit
in the Northern Division
at Masulipatam

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdarer Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 24th Ultimo requesting permission to remain at Masulipatam until the Joint Criminal Judge of Guntoor shall have concluded his investigation into the conspiracy Case, and to inform you with reference to this Courts instructions forwarded under date the 23rd December 1842, that your Return to Guntoor is no longer necessary -

I have &c
7th January 1843 (signed) R. G. Clarke
Dy Asst to the Regr

To

No 10

The Acting Criminal Judge
of Cuddapah

Sir

With reference to an Extract from the

Toungdaree Diary 7th and 11th January 1843.

the Minutes of Consultation under date the
20th Ultimo; relative to the improvment of
the Roads, and to the construction of a Bridge
and Tunnels near the Town of Cuddapah
with the assistance of Convicts, I am directed
by the Judges of the Toungdaree Adalut to
request, that you will submit for their infor-
mation, a statement of the work on which
the Convicts in the Jail under your charge
are employed, in view to the services of so
many as are available being transferred to
the works abovementioned.—

I have &c.

7th January 1843 (Signed) R. G. Clarke
Dy Asst to the Regr

To,

No 17. The Acting Joint Criminal Judge
of Guntoor

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated
the 29th Ultimo I am directed by the Judges
of the Toungdaree Adalut to forward to
you

Toungdaree Diary 11th and 12th January 1843

you the original Petition of Canaro Venkiah
which accompanied their Proceedings of the 25th
January 1841. and which was returned with the
Assistant Judge Mr Story's letter dated 4th
February 1841.

11th January 1843. (Signed) N. S. Mathison
Acting Registr

To

No 19. The Provincial Court
in the Centre Division

Forwarding copy of the order of
Government dated the 2d Instant sanctioning
the estimate for repairing the damages done to
the Jail and Court House at Cuddalore
during the late Storm Amounting to Rupees 223-14
12th January 1843. (Signed) R. W. Chatfield,
Actg Sr Dy Registr

To

No 20. The Provincial Court
in the Western Division

Forwarding Copy of the order of Govern-
ment dated the 2d Instant sanctioning the
disbursement

Tongdaree Diary 12th and 13th January 1843

disbursement of Rupees 5.5.4. by the Principal
Sudr Ameen at Sirsee in the employment of
two Extra Peons under the Circular Order
No 18 dated 15th October 1834.

12th January 1843. } /Signed/ R. H. Chatfield
Acting Jr. Dy. Regr.

No 23

Memorandum

2 printed forms of the Half Yearly Statement No 1
2 Do. Do. Do. 2

Forwarded to the Provincial Court of Circuit
in the Southern Division with reference to
their letter dated the 4th January 1843.

By order of the Court of Tongdaree Adalut
13th January 1843. /Signed/ R. H. Chatfield
Jr. Sr. Dy. Register

No 2

No 24

To,
The Acting Secretary
to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the
Tongdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be
laid before the Most Honorable the Governor
in

Tongdaree Diary 13th January 1843.

in Council the accompanying Extract of a
Retrenchment from the Amounts of the Collec-
torate of Tuckimpoly for Fusly 1251 forwarded
by the Joint Magistrate at Cotacammund re-
lating to the disbursement for the Jail Esta-
blishment at that Station.

2. With reference to the remark
of the Civil Auditor the Judges beg leave
to recommend that the Special Sanction of
Government be granted for the several items
objected to by that Officer.

13th January 1843. } /Signed/ A. S. Mathison,
Acting Registr

No 3

No 25

To,
The Acting Secretary to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the
Tongdaree Adalut to state for the informa-
tion of Government that there are at present
6 Convicts in the Jail
at Pulicat awaiting
execution of their sentences
of

Tongdaree Diary 13th January 1843

of transportation and to suggest that tenders be invited for the passage of three Convicts to Singapore.

13th January 1843. I have &c.

(signed) A.S. Mathison
Acting Register

No 4.

No 26 To
The Acting Secretary
to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Tongdaree Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date 4th November 1842 forwarding the return of Madras Convicts received from the Governor of Prince of Wales Island, Singapore and Malacca, and desiring the Judges to submit their opinion on the suggestion contained in Mr Bonhams letter of the 23d August 1842 for altering the form of return to that adopted for Bengal and in reply to state that the Judges see no objections to the future adoption of

the

the Bengal Form of Returns.

13th January
1843 } I have &c.
(signed) A.S. Mathison
Acting Register

No 29 To,
The Acting Magistrate
of Cuddapah

Forwarding Copy of the order of Government dated the 9th Instant sanctioning the expences incurred for the services of the Extra Police Peons employed in the District of Cuddapah during the Month of October last amounting to Rupees 150 - - -

14th January 1843 (signed) A.S. Mathison
Acting Register

No 36 To H. Wood Esqre
Acting Joint Criminal Judge
of Guntoor.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Sudr and Tongdaree Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter under

date

Tuydaree Diary 17th and 18th January 1843.

date the 3d Instant forwarding for sanction an
Indent for tools Required for the use of the
Convicts at Guntoor.

2. Amongst other instruments the Judges
observe an application for 12 files, and before
recommending your indent for sanction they desire
to be informed of the necessity that exists for
the use of files.

17th January 1843

Have &c.

(Signed) R. W. Chatfield

Acting Jr. Dy Register

No.

To

No 23 The Acting Secretary
to Government

Sir,

In obedience to the Order of Govern-
ment contained in the Extract from the
Minutes of Consultation under date the 21st
June 1834 I am directed by the Court of
F.G. to transmit to you, to be laid before
the Most Honorable the Governor in Coun-
cil

Tuydaree Diary 18th 19th and 20th January 1843.

Copies in Triplicate
cil the accompanying
of a Circular Order of this date.

Have &c.

18th January 1843. (Signed) J. S. Matheson

Acting Register,

To

No 49 The Joint Criminal Judge
of Malabar

Forwarding copy of the order of Govern-
ment dated the 11th Instant sanctioning the
Indent for a Sledge Hammer which it appears
has already been furnished for the use of the
convicts working on the public roads at Tellicherry.

19th January 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register

No 7

To the Acting Secretary
No 53 to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the
Tuydaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid
before the Most Honorable the Governor in
Council the accompanying letter from the
Criminal

di

Tongdaree Diary 20th January 1843.

Criminal Judge of Chingleput and the original estimate drawn up by the Civil Engineer in the 4th Division, of the expense of erecting a wall in front of a part of the Jail at that station.—

2. The Judges beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the proposed expenditure amounting to Rupees 338-14-1/ three hundred and thirty eight annas fourteen and pie one, and they request permission to lay the estimate forwarded herewith before the Board of Revenue in the Department of Public Works for examination and check and for the final submission to Government.—

20th January 1843 } (signed) H. D. Phillipps
Acting Register

No 54. To,

The Judge on Circuit in the
Western Division

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Tongdaree Adalut to acknowledge the

Tongdaree Diary 20th January 1843.—

the receipt of your letter dated the 7th Instant reporting the release without trial, of the only two prisoners committed by the Acting Assistant Criminal Judge of Cochim, and requesting sanction to be allowed to try at Calicut any others that may be committed from Cochim.—

2. The Judges observe that they consider the trial of prisoners, if the most important, only one of a Circuit Judge's many duties. The inspection of Jails and the hearing complaints are matters of too great importance to permit the Court to sanction the 2d Judge's application.

3. The amount of establishment that he may think necessary to take with him will be best decided by Mr Baird himself.—

20th January 1843. } I have &c.
(signed) R. W. Chatfield
Lt. & D. A. Qr. Mr.

No 8.

No 55. To

The Acting Secretary to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdaree

Tongdarie Diary 20th and 21st January 1843.—

Tongdarie Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying statement of actual charges incurred during Fusly 1251 on account of Convicts transferred from the Jillah Jail at Combaconum to that under the charge of the Magistrate of Tongore.

2. This Statment exhibits a Net decrease of Rupees /22-5-2/ twenty two Annas five and Pice two between the charges of Fusly 1250 and those of Fusly 1251 and the Judges beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the charges thus now set forth, amounting to Rupees /3371-12-11/ three thousand three hundred and twenty one, annas twelve and pice eleven.

20th January 1843. Shaun Vee

/Signed/ H. D. Phillipse
Actg Register

To
J. D. Craig Esqre
Magistrate of Salem

In reply to your letter of the 28th Ulto

Tongdarie Diary 21st January 1843.—

Tongdarie Adalut directed by the Judges of the Tongdarie Adalut to inform you that it does not appear from the words of this Court that any communication has been received from the words of this Court that any communication has been received from the Magistrate of Salem in respect of cattling the security which you have been informed was taken in the year 1836 from one Sambiah.—

2. It has occurred to them that the copies which you require may be obtained from the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Southern Division to whom, accordingly, they would suggest the propriety of your submitting the necessary application.—

21st January 1843. /Signed/ H. D. Phillipse
Acting Register

No 42.

To
The Magistrate of Cuddalore

Forwarding Copy of an Extract from Government date the 9th Instant. concurring with the Judges of the Tongdarie Adalut.

Tuydaree Diary 21st January 1843.—

Adalut in the opinions expressed in their Proceedings of the 19th December 1842 regarding the measures adopted by the Staff Officer in charge of the Police at St Thomas' Mount towards the Grain dealers within the Military limits of that Cantonment.—

21st January 1843 } (signed) H. D. Phillips
Asst Register

(No 9)

No 63. To

The Acting Secretary to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Tuydaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a letter dated the 11th Instant from the Assistant Magistrate of Cuddapah forwarding a statement of charges actually incurred for the Temporary Establishment of Police Peons employed in the District of Cuddapah during the month of December last and

to

Tuydaree Diary 21st and 23d January 1843.

to request that the sanction of Government may be granted for the said charges amounting to Rupees 150— (One hundred and fifty)—

I have &c

21st January 1843 } (signed) H. D. Phillips,

No 64. Memorandum

12 printed forms of the Supplimental Report
12 ——— Do ——— Criminal Report No V
12 ——— Do ——— Do ——— VI
12 ——— Do ——— Do ——— VII
12 ——— Do ——— Monthly statement of the Cabon of Prisoners
2 ——— Do ——— Half yearly statement of Convicts
20 ——— Do ——— of letters requiring the evidence of Public Officers —
20 ——— Do ——— Do forwarding Notices.—
20 ——— Do ——— Do Returning Notices duly served
20 ——— Do ——— Do ——— Do with Magrs endorsement

Forwarded to the Acting Criminal Judge of Malabar with reference to his letter dated the 10th January 1843.—

By order of the Court of Tuydaree Adalut.

23d January 1843 } (signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Regr

No. 10

No. 66. To

The Secretary to Government

Sir

1. With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 2d instant observing the omission of this Court to state whether the further number of Convicts required for the Palaveram road could be supplied and from what Jails, I am instructed by the Judges of the Foydaree Adalut to report for the information of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council that adverting to the present strength of the Convicts available for labor in the Jails at the stations named below, they are of opinion the additional number for which the Gillah Judge of Chingleput has applied, may be furnished by the transfer to the Jail under this charge — 50 Convicts from Bellary
30 " " Cuddalore
50 " " Trichinopoly
30 " " Salem
40 " " Coimbatoor
200

2. As a means of carrying out the proposed arrangement they would with respect suggest the propriety of at once drafting from the Jail at Chittoor the number to be withdrawn from that at Bellary and of giving orders that on the arrival of the Bellary Gang at Chittoor they should be retained in the Jail at that station.-

24th January 1843 } I have &c
(Signed) W. D. Phillips
Sy Register

To

No. 68. The Tamil Translator
to Government

Sir

With reference to the order of Government dated the 12th July 1841, I am directed by the Judges of the Foydaree Adalut to transmit to you for the purpose of being translated into Tamil, the accompanying Copy of their Circular Order No. 151.-

25th January 1843 I have &c
(Signed) W. D. Phillips
Sy Register

No 13

No 69

To

The Secretary to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdaree Adalut to apprize you that since the dispatch of my predecessor's letter of the 13th Instant one more Convict named "Soobramanien" has arrived at Chinglepet under sentence of transportation. —

The Court of Tongdaree Adalut beg to suggest that this circumstance be reported to the Marine Board in view to Tenders being invited in the Official Gazette for the passage of 7 Convicts to Singapore.—

25th January 1843

I have &c.

(Signed) H.D. Phillips

Acting Register

No

No 70

To

The Secretary to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdaree

Tongdaree Adalut to transmit herein to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Indent in Duplicate received from the Criminal Judge of Salem for 30 Wheelbarrows required for the use of the Convicts at that Station.—

2 The Judges beg leave to recommend that the Military Board be requested to pass the Indent, in view to the articles included therein being supplied to the Criminal Judge of Salem.—

I have &c.

25th January 1843

(Signed) H.D. Phillips

Acting Register

No 83

No 15.

To,

The Secretary to Government

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdaree Adalut to transmit herein to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a letter from the Cuttack Judge of Madura requesting permission to appoint a Mun-

of Rupees 173. 15. 1/ Seventy three Rupees fifteen and five one, realized by the sale of firewood cut by the Convicts and at present in deposit in the Treasury at that station, in repair the Roads in and about the Town of Madura.—

2. The Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut beg to recommend that the sanction of Government may be granted for the refunditure of the sum abovementioned, in the manner proposed by the Zillah Judge of Madura.—

26th January 1843 — Shd Vpd

/Signed/ W. D. Phillips
Sy Regr

No 84. To
The Acting Magistrate
of Cuddapah

Forwarding Copy of an order of Government dated the 19th Instant sanctioning the charges incurred on account of the Extra Police Establishment employed in

in Cuddapah in the Month of November last amounting to Rupees 150/-

26th January 1843 — /Signed/ W. D. Phillips
Sy Register

No.
To
The Criminal Judge
of Malabar.

No 86

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to transmit to you, in compliance with the request contained in your communication of the 16th instant, the English Translations of the Police and Criminal Court in case No 3 of the Madura Primary Calendar for the 3d Sessions of 1842 which you have stated are required to be laid before the Court of Circuit at the present Sessions.—

Shd Vpd

27th January 1843 — /Signed/ W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To
The Joint Criminal Judge at Combatore

No 87

Forwarding Copy of an order of Government dated the 21st Instant intimating that

that Government does not see any necessity for sending more convicts to the Nelly Creek Hills.

28th January 1843 } (Signed) W. D. Phillips,
Actg Registrar

No. 88. To

The Joint Magistrate
of Ootacammund

Forwarding copy of an Order of Government dated the 21st Instant. Sanctioning the Extract of a Retrenchment from the Accounts of the Collectorate of Trichinopoly for July 1251. forwarded by the Joint Magistrate at Ootacammund relating to the disbursement for the Jail Establishment at that station amounting to Rupees 1533-- 6.

28th January 1843 } (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Actg Registrar

No. 89 To

The Registrar of the Provincial Court
of Circuit for the Southern Division

Sir,

Adverting to the comment from the Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly, dated the 5th

5th instant to your address, explaining under what circumstances a calculation had been framed by him showing that only about 30 able bodied convicts would be available for the repair of the roads of the Cantonments at Trichinopoly on the transfer to the Magistrate of one hundred of the Prisoners under his charge, I am desired by the Court of Toungdaree (Board) with reference to the several communications which have hitherto passed on this subject to request you will call upon the Magistrate of Trichinopoly to state whether he is prepared to receive the Gang of Convicts which under the orders of Government dated the 11th December 1841 are to be held at his disposal from the 31st December 1842 and if so to explain whether any and what arrangements have been made by the Department for their accommodation and safe custody.—

I have &c.

28th January 1843 } (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Actg Regr

No 94 To (No 161)

The Secretary to Government

Sir,

In reply to the order of Government contained in an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 18th Instant requiring this Court to state whether the Number of Prisoners referred to in a communication from the Commissioner in Kurnool, can be spared for returning to the charge of that Officer from the Jail at Bellary, I am desired by the Judges to report for the information of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, that they are aware of no objection to the arrangement proposed by the Commissioner being carried into effect, as the deficiency thus caused in the Strength of the Convicts in the Bellary Jail will be made up by the Prisoners likely to be sentenced during the Sessions about to open at that station on 30th January 1843.

I have &c
(Signed) W. D. Phillipps
Sr Register

Jo

No 95 To

The Criminal Judge of Salem

Sir,

In reply to your communication of the 18th Instant soliciting the sanction of this Court to offer a conditional pardon to Mootoo Comdoo 4th Prisoner in Criminal Case No 7 of the Current year on the file of the Salem Court in which four individuals are charged with Murder, I am desired by the Judges to intimate to you that before finally disposing of the application in question, they wish to have before them a translation of the depositions from by the said Prisoner before the Police Officer and the Criminal Court, and accordingly request you will transmit it at your earliest convenience.

I have &c
30th January 1843

(Signed) W. D. Phillipps
Jr Register

Jo

Board

No 96

To

The 2d Judge on Circuit

in the Northern Division

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Tondiarpe Madras to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 21st instant requesting instructions as to the manner in which the duties of your Mahomedan Law Officer are to be performed during his absence on leave granted on application to state that Moulana Mahomed Hashim, District Moonsiff of Peddapoor, has been nominated to act as Cauzee and will, it is presumed, reach Guntoor before the opening of the Sessions.

Fort Gazette of the 25th

30th January 1843

I have &c

(Signed) R. W. Chatfield

Sr. Sec. to Govt

No 17

No 100

To

The Acting Secretary to Government

Sir,

I am instructed by the Court of Tondiarpe Madras

Madras to acknowledge the receipt of the order by Government, dated the 2d instant, communicating copy of a letter from the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India under date the 11th November last, requesting the Judges will point out, with the least practicable delay, any errors or omissions which they may find in the Draft Act for the abolition of the Provincial and Zillah Courts in this Presidency, and intimating further, the several subsidiary arrangements it is required they should make with a view to complete the proposed arrangements for the reform of the Judicial system when the said Draft Act shall finally have become a Law.

2 The emendation of the Draft Act being the only point adverted to in the order under reply which appears at present to require any observations from the Judges, they desire me to communicate for the information of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the result of their consideration of that

Document

Board

Document.

Civil Jurisdiction. Section III. In orderly clearly and legally to designate the jurisdiction referred to in this section, they would suggest the addition of the words "of appeal" after "Provincial Courts".

Section IV. The above suggestion will be observed to apply to the succeeding Section to which accordingly they would advise a similar addition.

Section IX. In the view above declared they deem it advisable the same words should be added at the close of Sections IX and X.

Section XVIII. The Judges are of opinion that the insertion in this Section of "as extended by Section 1 Regulation III of 1833" after "Principal Sudr Ameens" will have the effect of more readily defining the present jurisdiction of District Moonsiffs.

Section XLIII. In this Section the designation "Assistant Judges" has erroneously been retained. The new class of officers is referred to, and for the term "Assistant Judge" subordinate Assistant Judges should now be inserted.

Sections

Sections XLVI and XLVII. The omission at the close of these Sections of the words "and Magistracy" is obvious. The Judges consider their addition to be necessary

Sections LI and LII. It appears to the Judges to be necessary that the words "of appeal" should be added at the conclusion of these Sections.

3. It does not occur to the Judges to offer any further observations regarding the amendment of the wording Draft Act, but in order finally and legally to dispose of such criminal trials as may be under examination before the authorities in the Provinces, when the contemplated changes come into operation, they consider an additional Section to the Law in question to be necessary.

4. Accordingly they propose that it be numbered LVIII and that it be thus worded.

"All Criminal Cases which may be depending at the time of the abolition of the Zillah and Provincial Courts shall be

(Board)

disposed of by the Court acquiring Jurisdiction over the same in virtue of this Act:- provided, however, that Prisoner who may have been committed for trial by the Sessions Judge in his former Office of Criminal Judge or Joint Criminal Judge, shall have the option of being tried by the Sessions Judge of another Court or by the Special Commissioner of the Division, or by an Officer specially appointed by Government.—

31st January 1843. Have &c.
(Signed) H. D. Phillipps,
Acting Registrar.

No 102 To, The Criminal Judge of Canara

Sir, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adaulut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th ultimo, in which you state that there is no objection to women of the Nair caste crossing the Cavai River and proceeding to Attiekary

and

and in reply to observe that the Judge see no objection to the arraingement contemplated provided the Prisoners are confronted with the Witnesses.—

31st January 1843. Have &c.
(Signed) R. W. Chatfield
Acting Senior Dep. Registrar

N:107 To,

The Magistrate of Salem

Forwarding an Extract from a general letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors dated 2d. November 1842 observing that the explanation offered by Mr. Glass of the great delay which he allowed to occur in disposing of the charges against the Tahsildar of Salem is by no means satisfactory.

2d. February 1843. (Sent Usual Letter No.)

N:108. To

The Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Cochin

Transmitting copy of a letter to Govern-ment dated 23d. Ultimo and order thereon dated 31st. instant communicating the opinion of the Advocate General on the question as to what course is to be pursued in cases of assault and other such offences committed at sea by Seamen.

2d. February 1843. (Sent Usual Letter No.)

N:120 To

The Secretary to Medical Board.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 2d. September 1842, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Medical

Board

Board the accompanying General Statement of Prisoners in the several Jails under this Presidency for the 1st Half year of 1843, prepared in the form approved by Government under date the 28th November 1840.

4th February 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

No 122 A

No 19.

To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you for laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council, the accompanying copy of a letter from the Provincial Court in Western Division and of its enclosures, relative to a gratuity to Veerabadra late Acting Jamadar of the Jail at Honore, whose term of service is stated to be 27 years, and who appears, from the Certificate furnished by the Apothecary at Honore, to be worn out and wholly incapacitated for further employment.

2 The Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut beg of opinion that gratuity under the circumstances above represented, beg to recommend, with reference to Clause 2 of the rules respecting gratuities to discharged servants published under date the 22d December 1835 at page 74 of the Fort St George Gazette of the year

that

that the sanction of Government be granted for the payment to him of Rupees (98) ninety eight being a sum equal to 7 months pay at the rate of 14 Rupees per Mensem.

6th February 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

No 123. To

The Secretary to the Board of Revenue
in the Department of
Public Works

Sir,

With reference to the order of Government dated the 20th Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to forward to you to be laid before the Board for Examination and check and for eventual submission to Government the enclosed Estimate amounting to Rupees (338. 14. 1) three hundred and thirty eight annas fourteen and Pie one of the expence of erecting a wall in front of a part of the Jail at Chingleput.

6th February 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Actg Registr

No 126. Memorandum

12. Printed forms of Supplemental Report
12. Do Criminal Report No IX

Forwarded to the Officiating Joint Criminal Judge at Tinnevelly with reference to his letter dated the 20th January 1843.

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut

7th February 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

No 128. To

The Officer Commanding

Vellore

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of the statement, submitted by you under date the 9th Ultimo, shewing the manner in which the Convicts under your charge have been employed.

2 It is observed from this Statement that for the purpose of guarding 15 Convicts, 5 Peons are employed.

3 The Court of Foujdaree Udalut request you will be pleased to explain under what authority the prescribed number of peons has been exceeded.

8th February 1843 (Signed) W. D. Phillips

Acting Register

No 129 To

The Joint Magistrate of

Cotacamond

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of the statement submitted by you under date the 1st Ultimo shewing the manner in which the Convicts under your charge have been employed.

2. It is observed from this Statement that for the purpose of guarding 150 Convicts, 40 peons are employed.

3 The Court of Foujdaree Udalut request you will be pleased to explain under what authority the prescribed number of peons has been exceeded.

8th February 1843 (Signed) W. D. Phillips

Acting Register

No 130 To

The Criminal Judge of Salem

Transmitting copy of a letter to Government dated 25th Ultimo and Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 2d Instant ordering that the Military Board be requested to cause the indents for 30 wheel barrows required for the use of the Convicts at Salem to be complied with.

8th February 1843 (Sent Usual letter No)

No 131. Memorandum

Printed forms of the Half yearly Statement of Convicts forwarded to the Magistrate of Cuddalore with reference to his letter dated the 31st January 1843.

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut

8th February 1843 (Signed) W. D. Phillips

Acting Register

To

No 137. To,

No 21.

The Secretary to Government.

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Toujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 23d Ultimo from the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Western Division submitting copy of a communication with accompaniments from the Acting Principal Sudr Ameen at Dhoor suggesting certain alterations in the jail at that Station and requesting authority to call upon the Civil Engineer of the District to prepare the necessary Plans and estimate.

2 The Judges of the Provincial Court having personally inspected the Jail, report their opinion that the alterations proposed by the Acting 4th Principal Sudr Ameen are unnecessary; but they recommend that the roofs which have hitherto been covered with thatch shall be tiled in order to secure it from destruction by fire and to obviate the Annual Expence on account of thatching

3 The Court of Toujdaree Adalut concur in the opinion expressed by the Judges of the Provincial Court,

Court, and beg to recommend that they may be authorized to call upon the Civil Engineer to prepare and submit an estimate for tiling the jail at Dhoor.

10th February 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No 141. To,

The Provincial Court of Circuit
in the Western Division

Gentlemen,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 27th Ultimo and in reply to inform you, that under the authority vested in them by the order of Government of the 4th August 1840 published in the Official Gazette of the 24th of that Month, Page 588, the Judges of the Toujdaree Adalut sanction the statement furnished by the Acting Criminal Judge of Malabar shewing the amount disbursed for bringing up the child of a Convict during the last quarter of 1842 amounting to 2 Rupees (1-3-7) One Anna & three and ½ Pice sicca.

11th February 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No 22.)

No 147. To,

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to the order contained in

District generally so as to facilitate the transit of goods now barely practicable.

13th February 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 1150. To,

The Magistrate of Cuddapah

Transmitting copy of a letter to Government dated 21st Ultimo and order thereon dated 7th Instant sanctioning the expence incurred for the services of the Extra Police peons employed in the District of Cuddapah during the Month of December 1842 amounting to Rupees 150—0—0.

13th February 1843. (Sent Annex'd Letter No)

No 150. To,

The Acting Criminal Judge
of Combaconum

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3d Instant and to state that under the circumstances therein represented they are pleased in exercise of the power vested in them by Section XII Regulation XIII of 1832 to authorize you to offer a pardon to Chinnaul the 11th Prisoner in Case No 26 on the Combaconum Calendar from the Sessions of 1842, on the terms and conditions specified in Section XX Regulation VIII of 1802.

14th February 1843. (Signed) R. G. Clarke.
Head Assistant to the Register

an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 20th December 1842, No 1491, requesting the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to state whether any Convicts in the Jail at Cuddapah are available for the construction at that station of a bridge and Tunnels referred to in a communication from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue in the Department of Public Works copy of which was transmitted, I am desired by them to forward for submission to the Most Noble the Governor in Council the annexed transcript of a letter from the Criminal Judge at Cuddapah, dated the 14th Ultimo from which it will be perceived that a gang of 150 strong may be taken as about the number which can be spared for the work in question.

14th January 1843 2 The Judges would at the same time bring to the notice of Government that at the close of the 3d Para: of a letter to the Board of Revenue Copy of which accompanied the communication from the Acting Zillah Judge of Cuddapah now forwarded, that Officer has declared his opinion that for the reasons therein urged the advantage expected from the Bridge in question "is not worth so large an expenditure" as that which it is proposed may and that the sum might be employed with greater advantage to the County in improving the road through the District

No. 156. To,

The Provincial Court of Circuit
in the Northern Division

Gentlemen,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, dated the 1st Instant, and in reply to inform you, that under the authority vested in them by the Order of Government of the 4th August 1840, published in the Official Gazette of the 21st of that Month, page 582, the Judges of the Toujdaree Adalut sanction the General Statement of disbursements for bringing up the Children of Convicts in the Northern Division for the 4th Quarter of 1842, amounting to Rupees (6. 15-4.) Six annas fifteen and Pice four.-

15th February 1843.

(Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

No. 157. To,

The Criminal Judge of Bellary

Sir,

Under instructions from Government, dated the 7th instant, I am desired by the Court of Toujdaree Adalut to request you will adopt immediate measures for the retransfer to the charge of the Commissioner in Kurnool, of the Eighteen Convicts who appear to have been sentenced to hard labor on the roads for fourteen years, under orders from Government dated the 30th April 1842.

The

2 The total number of Convicts required to be placed at the disposal of that officer being twenty, you will be pleased also to transfer to his charge two other Convicts, the unexpired period of whose sentences may exceed six Months; and if any of the eighteen Convicts referred to in the 1st Para shall have died before the receipt of this Communication, the Court of Toujdaree Adalut desire you with substitute for them an equal number of Convicts of the class above adverted to.-

3 In the transfer of these Prisoners you will be pleased to observe all the rules laid down in the order of the 9th June 1807, printed at page 432 of the Official Gazette of that year.-

15th February 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

The same Copy sent to the Commissioner of Kurnool.-

No. 158. To,

Captain Worster
Superintendant of Government Roads.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 7th instant reporting the escape of ten Convicts from Pullivendah, I am desired by the Court of Toujdaree Adalut to request you will submit for their information a full and early

early report of the result of the further measures which may have been adopted for effecting their reapprehension and of the additional explanation from Lieutenant Robertson for which you appear to have called.

15th February 1843.

(Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 185. To,

J. C. Morris Esqr
Civil Auditor.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Tonjdaree Adalut to forward to you the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 3d instant, and its enclosures from the Criminal Judge of Chingleput relative to certain retrenchments made by you from the accountants of the Collator of Chingleput for Fasly 1251.

2. The Judges of the Tonjdaree Adalut being of opinion that upon a consideration of the explanation submitted by the Criminal Judge, you will at once see the propriety of disbursing the charges under the retrenchment deem it unnecessary to solicit the sanction of Government for the same.

16th February 1843. (Signed) R. G. Clarke
Head Assistt to the Regr

To

No 186. To,

The Principal Sudr Ameen
at Mahapoor

I am directed by the Court of Tonjdaree Adalut to return to you for correction the Jail return for the 2d half of 1842 submitted with your letter of the 23d Ultimo.

2. Column 6 of the Statement should show all the "untried prisoners" including those awaiting their trial before the Court of Circuit, in order that the total of Columns 3, 4, 5, and 6 may correspond with the entry in Column 2.

3 In Column 9 the greatest number of prisoners confined in the Jail at any one time during the period embraced in the statement should be inserted.

4 You will return the Statement duly corrected with as little delay as possible.

16th February 1843. (Signed) R. G. Clarke
Head Assistt to the Regr

No 26

No 187. To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judl Department

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes

Minutes of Consultation under date the 31st Ultimo, forwarding for communication to Mr Gleig Magistrate of Salem, and Extract from a General Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, dated the 2nd November 1842, stating the opinion the Honorable Court had formed in respect of the delay which Mr Gleig had allowed to occur in disposing of certain charges against the Tasildar of Salem, Sam desired by the Court of Tongdaree Adalut to transmit for the purpose of its being laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, the annexed transcript of a letter from Mr Gleig requesting he may be supplied with a copy of the Proceedings of the Court of Directors which may relate to the whole item of charge made against him.

17th February 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

4th Feby 1843.

No 171. To

The Acting 3rd Judge on Circuit
in the Northern Division

Sir,

I am desired by the Court of Tongdaree Adalut to draw your attention to the order contained in Para 11 of the Circular 4th July 1837 noted in the margin, and to request you will without further delay submit for their consideration and the information of Government the report referred to therein, stating at the same time the causes of your omission to forward it at the required period.

10th February 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

6 Oct 4th July 1837

No 177. To

J. Walker Esqr
Acting 3rd Judge on Circuit
in the Northern Division

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Sudr and Tongdaree Adalut and request that you will furnish them with full explanation of the delay which has attended the progress of your Circuit, in order that they may consider of the propriety of representing to the Government the necessity of the adoption of measures for the more certain despatch of public business that has characterized your Proceedings.

20th February. (Signed) R. W. Chatfield
Acting Asst Dy Regr

No 178. To

The Criminal Judge of Canara

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 7th Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdaree Adalut

Udalut to inform you that an answer was forwarded on the 31st Ultimo, to your two communications of the 6th and 10th December last.

20th February 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 186 To

The Acting Joint Criminal Judge
of Masulipatam

Sir,

The Court of Tonjdaree Udalut have directed me to return to you the Criminal Report for the Month of January of the current year, received from the Court under your Charge on the 11th instant, with a view to the correction of the clerical and other errors which it exhibits.

21st February 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 187 To,

C. B. Glass Esqr
Acting 2d Judge on Circuit
in the Northern Division

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 17th instant reporting the close of the 1st Sessions for 1843 at Guntoor and requesting instructions whether you are to open the usual Sessions at Rajahmundry I am desired by the Court

Court of Tonjdaree Udalut to annex for your information a transcript of a communication which has this day been addressed to the Acting 3d Judge on Circuit at the latter station from which you will observe that the duty of relieving the Jails at Rajahmundry, Vizagapatam and Ichapore for the 1st Sessions of the current year has been delegated to that Officer

2. Under these circumstances the Judges consider it desirable you should without any delay proceed to the Sudr Station of the division.

21st February 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 188 To

J. Walker Esqr
Acting 3d Judge on Circuit
in the Northern Division

Sir,

Adverting to the termination of the 1st Sessions of the current year at Guntoor, which has this day been reported to the Court of Tonjdaree Udalut by Mr Glass, I am instructed by the Judges to request that after the close of the Sessions on which you are at present engaged, you will take up and dispose of any Cases committed for trial by the Criminal authorities at Rajahmundry &c.

the

the 1st Sessions of 1843 at that station

2 The Judges further request you will in a similar manner dispose of the Cases committed for trial at Vizagapatam and Ichapore for the 2d Sessions of the last and the 1st Sessions of the final years notifying to the authorities at these stations respectively the date on which you will open the Sessions for the two half years.

21st February 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 194 To

The Magistrate of Malabar

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th Instant reporting the occurrence of a most daring robbery, attended with serious personal outrage in the Vadlooranad Taluck, and requesting permission to issue a notice offering 300 Rupees for the apprehension of the Chief party and 50 Rupees for each of the inferior offenders concerned.

2. In consideration of the peculiar circumstances mentioned by you, I am instructed to state that the Judges, under the authority vested in

in them by Section XXI Regulation IX of 1816 sanction the offer of a reward to the extent required, Viz 300 Rupees for the Sirdar and 50 for each of the inferior offenders.

23d February 1843. (Signed) R. W. Chatfield
Actg Sent. & Dy Regr

No 195 To

The Criminal Judge of Madura

Communicating Copy of an order of Government dated the 14th instant stating that the sum realized by the sale of Firewood cut by the convicts at Madura should be paid into the Treasury and that it's appropriation as proposed in his letter of the 12th Ultimo is objectionable.

(Sent Usual letter No)

26th February 1843.

No 196 To

The Provincial Court of Circuit
in the Southern Division

Sir, With reference to a letter from your Court dated the 28th February 1838, I am desired by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut herewith to transmit the record of the trial of Sambia late Head of Police in the Salem District, with a view to it's being replaced in the Office to which it belongs.

24th February 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

No 197 To

The Provincial Court of Circuit
in the Western Division

Transmitting copy of a letter to Government dated 6th and order thereon dated 10th Instant granting authority for the payment to Veerabadrai late Acting Jamadar of the Honores Sail of the gratuity to which he may be entitled under clause 2nd of the Rules dated 22nd December 1835.

24th February 1843. (Sent Usual letter)

No 198 To

The Magistrate of Bellary

Sir,

I am desired by the Court of Tondiaree Adalut to annex for your information a transcript of an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 14th Instant requiring the submission of Quarterly Statements of Charges, accompanied by reports on the state of that part of the Pengondah Talook for which an Extra Police Establishment was sanctioned on the 12th April 1841, and accordingly to request the reports in question may be duly forwarded to this Court.

The Judges instruct me to take this opportunity of desiring you will report whether, with reference to the present state of the Country in

Country in the Bellary District adverted to you are of opinion that a necessity shall exists for the continuance of the Extra Police Establishment under observation.

24th February 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 208 Memorandum

The ____ is requested to submit without further delay the half yearly Statement shewing the manner in which the Convicts under his charge were employed during the half year ending the 31st December 1842, printed forms of which Statements have been furnished from this Office.

By Order of the Court of Tondiaree Adalut.

25th February 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 209 To,

The Acting Criminal Judge
of Chittoor

Sir,

In reply to your communication of the 8th instant, requesting authority to entertain two Extra peons in addition to those allowed at the rate of 1 to 4 Convicts, until the expiration of the sentence of two Sepoys, I am desired by the Court of Tondiaree Adalut to intimate to you that they do not feel themselves justified in complying with

with your application.

25th February 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 210. To, No 27

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to my communication dated the 25th Ultimo I am directed by the Court of Tongdaree Udalut to report for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council that the Convicts in the Jail at Chingleput awaiting execution of their Sentences of transportation have now accumulated to (8) eight.

2. The name of the additional Convicts "Palanyauyee"

25th February 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 211. To,

The Acting Joint Criminal Judge
at Guntoor

Sir,

I am desired by the Court of Tongdaree Udalut to forward to you with reference to Para 4 of these Proceedings dated the 30th instant, a further address received by Express from Cavairy Ramiah of

of Singarenee Row late Head of Police of Guntoor which they request you will bring under consideration with that which was transmitted with the Extract of these Proceedings in question

25th February 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 217. To

The Joint Criminal Judge
at Cuddalore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdaree Udalut under instructions received from Government to desire that you will adopt immediate measures for transferring 30 Convicts to the charge of the Criminal Judge at Chingleput.

The Crim. Judge of Salem (30 Convicts)

The Crim. Judge of Combaconum (10 Convicts)

2. In the transfer of these convicts you will be pleased to observe all the rules laid down in the order of Government of the 9th of June 1837, printed in Page 432 of the Official Gazette of that year.

3. The Magistrate of the District will furnish, in addition to the prescribed complement of Duffadars and Jail prons, such number of guards as may appear necessary for the safe Custody of the Convicts on the march.

28th February 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

The same Copy sent to the Crimil Judge of Salem and that of Combaconum

No 218.

To,

The 1st Judge on Circuit

in the Southern Division

Sir,

In reply to your communication of the 18th instant, I am directed to inform you that the Court of Foujdaree Udalut approve the arrangement therein proposed and sanction your taking upon your return from Palamcottah, any cases which may have been committed for trial by the Criminal authorities at Madura.

28th February 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 223 To The Criminal Judge of Canara

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 13th Ultimo and to state that under the circumstances therein represented, they are pleased, in exercise of the power vested in them by Section XII. Regulation XIII. of 1832, to authorize you to offer a pardon to Daivassya, the 1st Prisoner in Case No 5 on the Criminal File, on the terms and conditions specified in Section XX. Regulation VIII of 1802.

1st March 1843. (Signed) W. H. Chatfield
Acting Sen. Dep. Regr.

No 224 Memorandum

12 printed forms of the Supplemental Report.
12 do do do Criminal Report No V.
12 do do do do No VI.
12 do do do do No VII.
12 do do do do No IX.
12 do do do Monthly Statement of the labor of Prisoners.

Forwarded to the Criminal Judge of Salem with reference to his letter dated the 22nd February 1843.-

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.
1st March 1843.- (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

x in two Parcels.

No 225 To G. D. Drury Esqre
Commissioner at Madura.

Sir,

I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut

Udalut to request your attention to the requisition contained in an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 1st December last, communicated to the Magistrate of on the 23rd of that month, and to beg you will submit your opinion of the measures proper to be adopted to remedy the inconvenience stated to be experienced from the absence of any Magisterial authority at Pannelum.

2nd March 1843. } (Signed) W: D: Phillips
Acting Register

No 330 To The Civil Auditor

Sir,

With reference to a letter dated the 16th Ultimo from the Acting Chief Secretary to Government communicating Copy of a despatch from the Supreme Government, and requesting the Foujdaree Udalut to state whether any and what additional Police has been temporarily or permanently employed in consequence of the withdrawal of detachments of Troops from Civil duty for active service, furnishing at the same time, a Statement of charges incurred per month for entertaining such Extra Establishment I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to solicit any information on this subject that you may have it in your powers to afford.-

3rd March 1843. } (Signed) K: H: Chatfield
Ag. Sen. Dept. Regr.

To

No 331. To The Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Trichinopoly

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to return to you the Indent (in duplicate and triplicate) for Cat. 9 nine tents which accompanied your letter of the 21st Ultimo, in view to the same being forwarded by you direct to the Military Board, in accordance with the Circular Order of the Foujdaree Udalut dated the 31st December 1828.-

3rd March 1843. (Signed) W: D: Phillips
Acting Register

No 332. (No 29)

To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree
1. Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Indent (in Duplicate and Triplicate) for the Emergent supply of certain Articles required for the use of the Jail at Trichinopoly.-

The Judges beg leave to recommend
2. that the Military Board be requested to pass the Indent in view to the articles included therein being supplied to the Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Trichinopoly.-

3rd March 1843.- (Signed) W: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

To

N°233 To Sir H. Montgomery - F.M. Lewin Esqre and H. Forbes Esqre -

N°239 To (N°32.)

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department.

Sir;

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adaulut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Indent for Tools required for the use of the Convicts at Guntoor.

2. The Judges beg leave to recommend that the Military Board be requested to pass the Indent, in view to the Articles included therein being supplied to the Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Guntoor.

6th March 1843. (Signed) H. D: Phillips
Acting Registr.

N°240 To The Acting Criminal Judge of Combaconum.

Sir;

Before finally disposing of the application contained in your Communication of the 23d Ultimo to offer to the 3d, 4th, and 6th Prisoners successively a conditional Pardon, in consequence of the forfeiture of Chinnalli the 6th Prisoner to perform the conditions of that tendered to her, which you have reported, the Judges of the Foujdaree Adaulut direct me to inform you that they would wish to know on what grounds you consider it likely you will be able to obtain from either of the Prisoners in question, the requisite evidence.-

6th March 1843. (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Registr.

N°244 To Major Gunning
Joint Magistrate of Cotacammund.

Sir;

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adaulut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter under date the 23d Ultimo informing that the Jail at Cotacammund is now ready to receive the further number of 35 Convicts, and in reply to state that a reference having been made to Government on the 29th of December last, an answer was received on the 24th of January directing that no more Convicts should at present be sent to the Neilgherry Hills.-

7th March 1843. (Signed) R: W. Chatfield
Acting Sent. Deputy Regr.

N°245 To The Four Provincial Courts.

Communicating copy of an order of Government dated 17th Ultimo transmitting copy of a letter from the Officiating Secretary to the Govt of India dated 30th December 1842 forwarding Extracts of a Dispatch from the Honorable the Court of Directors with the resolution of the Govt of India thereon regarding the sickness and mortality among prisoners. (sent usual letter N°

№ 246 To (№ 33)

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir;

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a letter dated the 24th Ultimo from the Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah submitting for Sanction a Statement of escpences incurred for the services of the Extra Police Peons employed in the District of Cuddapah during the month of January 1843. under the Sanction of Government conveyed in the Minutes of Consultation under date the 7th April 1840.

2. The Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut beg to recommend that the Sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting to Rupees (150) one hundred and fifty.-

I have &c.

7th March 1843 } (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register.

№ 247 To The Acting 2nd Judge late on Circuit in the
Northern Division

Sir;

1. In reply to your letter of the 17th Ultimo soliciting the instructions of the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut in respect of Case № 2 on the Primary Calendar of the Zillah of Guntoor, I am desired to intimate to you that in the event of a difference of opinion between yourself and the Mahomedan Law Officer who assisted at the Trial, it is necessary the record of the Case should be referred to this Court in the usual way and according to the rules in force.

2. Adverting to the solecisms and other errors observable in your address under reply, as also to the loose style of its wording throughout, the Court of Foujdaree Udalut have further desired me to inform you they are of opinion your official correspondence does not exhibit that care and attention which is indespensable in such communications and to warn you that if you continue to conduct your duties with the negligence which characterizes your proceedings generally they will be under the necessity of reporting you to the Government.

8th March 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register.

№ 248 To The Magistrate of Chingleput

Sir;

In reply to your communication dated the 24th Ultimo, I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to intimate to you that they consider your application to be supplied with Maps of the Cantonments of St. Thos. Mount and Palavaram should be submitted to Government through the Board of Revenue.

8th March 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register.

To

N°256. To The Magistrate of Canara.

Returning [illegible]
[illegible] 2d Sept 1842 [illegible]
with his Report [illegible]
& Proceedings of Trial & Sentence & for the use of
Court

N°264 To the Magistrate of Cuddapah

Transmitting Copy of an order of Government dated 16th Ultimo, communicating copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Government of India sanctioning the expenditure of Rupees 30 per mensem which it is calculated will be incurred on account of the rent of a building and salary of Establishment for a branch Jail about to be Established at Cumbum in the District of Cuddapah.

11th March 1843. (Sent usual letter.

To

N°265 To The Acting Criminal Judge of Chittoor.

Sir,

1. With reference to your letter of the 13th Ultimo forwarding copies of Communications from Lieutenant Robertson reporting the escape of 10 Convicts and the reapprehension of 2, and applying for Sanction to be allowed to pay each of the Captors a reward of 10 Rupees, I am directed by the Judges to call your attention to the scale of rewards authorized by Government for the re-apprehension of Convicts, and published in this Courts Circular Order of 8th March 1839 N°104, by which you will perceive that no necessity exists for any special Sanction on the subject.

2. I am further instructed to observe with reference to another para of Lieutenant Robertson's letter of the 2d Ultimo, that until the necessary evidence has been taken and the depositions submitted to this Court, the Judges are unable to decide how far a mitigation of Sentence may be desirable towards the Convicts who Voluntarily assisted in reapprehending those who had escaped.

13th March 1843. (Signed) R: W: Chatfield
Acting Lev Dy Regr

N°266. To Captain Worster
Yrs Yrs Yrs

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 17th Ultimo forwarding Copy of a Communication from Lieutenant Robertson reporting the apprehension of 2 Convicts who escaped from Pulleconda and applying for sanction to be allowed to pay each of the captors a reward of 10 Rupees, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to call your attention to the scale of rewards authorized by Government for the reapprehension of Convicts, and published in the Courts' Circular Order of 8th March 1839.

Do

No. 104. by which you will perceive that there is no necessity for any special sanction on the subject, the authorized rewards being rather higher than those recommended by Lieutenant Robertson.

13th March 1843. (Signed) R. W. Chatfield
Jr. Sen. Deputy Regr.

No 267 To
Mr. P. Daniell Esqre
Acting Criminal Judge of Chingleput

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of your predecessors letter of the 23d Ultimo, and in reply to state that they were not aware, when they despatched their proceedings of 22d February, that a different opinion had been expressed on the 17th September 1841.

2. The Court, after a reconsideration of the circumstances, adhere to the to the opinion expressed in their proceedings of the 22d Ultimo to the effect that all cases of Arson must be committed for trial to the Court of Circuit.

13th March 1843. (Signed) R. W. Chalfield
Acting Sen. Deputy Regr.

No 268. To
The Acting 3d Judge on Circuit in the
Northern Division

Sir,

Adverting to your communication of the 3d instant I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to intimate to you that the endorsement affixed to it should have exhibited, in brief and concise terms, the purport of the address of the Vacoofy now attached to the Court of Circuit to which the communication under reply is addressed.

13th March 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

No 275 To
No. 35.
The Acting Chief Secretary to
Government

Sir,

1. With reference to the order of Government dated the 23d June 1838. No. 636, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying General Statement made up to the 31st December 1842, shewing the number of Convicts sentenced to labor on Public works throughout the Madras Territories, the number allotted to each description of work, their age, the authorities under whom they are placed, and, where distinct from officers in charge of Jails, the date of the authority of Government under which convicts were placed under their controul.

14th March 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

Statement.

General Roll of Convicts

Stations

Date of the Arrival of Convicts

№276 To The Acting 2nd Judge late on Circuit in the Northern Division.

Sir,

In reply to your communication of the 20th Ultimo requesting the return of the proceedings in Case №9 on the Nellore Primary Calendar and the letter which accompanied them, in order to your discovering by whom they were written and examined, with a view to your taking steps to prevent a repetition of the carelessness by which those communications were characterized; I am desired by the Court of Tonjdaree Adalut to intimate to you that they do not consider it expedient to comply with your application, but desire you will lay before them, without any delay, the rough drafts, whether in your own handwriting or not, from which the letter and proceedings which reached this Court were transcribed.

14th March 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

№285 To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department (№36.)

Sir,

1. With reference to my communication dated the 25th Ultimo I am directed by the Court of Tonjdaree Adalut to report for the information of the most Honorable the Governor in Council that the Convicts in the Jail at Chingleput awaiting execution of their sentences of transportation have now accumulated to (9) Nine.-

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2. The name of the additional Convict is "Caroopa Cowunden."-

17th March 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

№286 To The Magistrate of Salem.

Communicating Copy of Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date 10th Instant forwarding Copy of the entire Despatch №14 dated 2d November 1842. respecting the Tahsildar of Salem.-

17th March 1843. (Sent round letter №)

№287 To The Magistrate of Chingleput.

Sir,

I am desired by the Court of Tonjdaree Adalut to transmit to you an address purporting to come from the three wives of one Akkunnullee, a resident in the Sydapett Talook in the Chingleput District complaining of ill treatment on the part of their husband, with a view to the adoption in your department of such measures as may appear to you to be necessary and proper.-

17th March 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

№288 To The Criminal Judge of Canara.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 3d instant, requesting the sanction of this Court for the payment of Rupees 17-5-4., being the charge incurred by you

to ably.

solely for Bearers in travelling to and from Bekul under the arrangement intimated in your Communication of the 23d Ultimo; as also for the payment of Rupees 1½ batta to a Goomashta who went to take down the depositions of Witnesses;- I am desired by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to intimate to you that they consider the business on which you went to Bekul was a part of your ordinary duty and they do not consider the charges in question should be defrayed from the public funds.-

17th March 1843. (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 38.

No. 299. To The Secretary to the Government in the Judicial Department

Sir;

With reference to the Order of Government dated the 25th July 1840. No. 351/604 I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to you, for submission to the Government of India, the accompanying Copy of the Criminal Reports for the 1st Half of 1842.-

18th March 1843. } (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 300. To The Joint Criminal Judge at Cuddalore.

Sir;

In reply to your Communication dated the 3d instant, representing your inability, under the circumstances therein explained, to comply with the requisition from this Court to transfer 30 Convicts from the Jail under your charge to that at Chingleput, I am directed to intimate to you that, under the reasons assigned, the Judges do not consider it necessary you should immediately comply with the order contained in the letter from this Court of the 28th Ultimo.-

2. They desire you will acquaint them at the earliest date of your ability to supply the prisoners in question.-

18th March 1843. (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

To

No 301 To The Acting Criminal Judge of Chingleput

Sir,

Adverting to a communication to this Court dated the 3d instant, from the Joint Criminal Judge at Cuddalore, representing his inability under exciting circumstances to transfer to your charge 30 Convicts under the requisition addressed to him on the 28th Ultimo, I am desired by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to intimate to you that the Joint Criminal Judge has been relieved from an immediate compliance with the requisition in question and that orders will be given for the transmission of the number of prisoners to you as soon as they can be supplied.-

18th March 1843. (Signed) W: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No 302 To The Provincial Court of Circuit in the Centre Division.

Gentlemen,

In reply to the Communication Criminal Judge of Chittoor of the 6th instant soliciting the authority of this Court to expend Rupees 16-6-6 in recasting from the old metal a cracked Ghurry, which was transmitted by the Provincial Court of Circuit on the 8th, I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to intimate to you that it is advisable the Acting Criminal Judge should adopt measures for the article in question being received as "unserviceable" into the stores of that officer in charge of the ordnance in the Centre Division, should the Ghurry in the first instance have been supplied to the Criminal Court at Chittoor through

through that Channel;- otherwise that a Communication to that effect should be addressed to the authority by which the Ghurry was originally furnished.-

20th March 1843. (Signed) W: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No 303. To J: B: Elton Esqre
Acting Assistant Judge at Cochin.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 8th Instant requesting that the Costs allowded to in the proceedings of this Court on 24th Ultimo, having been purchased in last January, may be appropriated to the use of such Prisoner, and in reply to state that the Judges see no objection to your appropriating the Costs in the manner proposed in your letter.-

20th March 1843 (Signed) R: W: Chatfield
Acting Register.

No 304. To The Criminal Judge and Magistrate of Madura.

Communicating Copy of Para 2 of the Minutes of the Minutes of Consultation dated 4th instant and Copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Medical Board and calling the special attention of the Criminal Judge and Magistrate of Madura to the report that arrangements may be made for the removal of the ~~cutch~~ Sportsmen, and for the further improvement of the Town.-

20th March 1843. (Sent Usual letter No)

To

No. 311. To The Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Tuticorin.

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 21st Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Adalut to inform you that the Most Honorable the Governor in Council has, under date the 14th Instant, Ordered the Military Board to cause the Indent for the exchange of certain Articles required for the use of your Court to be complied with.—

21st March 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 312. To The Commissioner in Charge of Madura.

Sir,

1. Adverting to your communication of the 6th instant recommending the appointment of Mr. Ebell as Police Ameen at the Fort of Paumben and on the island of Ramisseram, I am desired by the Court of Fouzdaree Adalut to suggest for your consideration whether it will not be necessary to vest the officer appointed to conduct the police duties at those stations with authority to act as Justice of the Peace should occasion require it.—

2. The Court of Fouzdaree Adalut have no particular information before them in respect of the condition of things at Paumben, but apprehend from the use of the term "Magisterial authority by the Government

Government that in the instance in question the probable resort to Paumbum of numbers of Europeans may have been contemplated and that it must be inferred to comprehend the powers of a Justice of the Peace.—

21st March 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 316. To The Acting Criminal Judge of Cuddapah.

Forwarding for his information with reference to his letter dated 14th January 1843. Copy of Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 14th March 1843. observing that the proposed expenditure on the Bridge and Drains for which sanction was solicited in the letter from the Board of Revenue of the 20th June 1842. is not necessary. and considering it very desirable that the Acting Judge of Cuddapah should continue his works, improving the high roads in the manner in which that part of the line from the Travellers Bungalow to the cantonment is stated to have been completed.—

22nd March 1843. (Sent usual letter No.)

No. 317. To The Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah.

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 24th Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Adalut to inform you that the Most Honorable the Governor in Council has under date the 17th Instant

Sanctioned

Foujdaree Diary 22nd to 25th March 1843.

Sanctioned the charges incurred on account of the Extra Police Peons employed in your District during the month of January 1843 amounting to Rupees (153) One hundred and fifty.-

22nd March 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 319 To (No. 391.)
The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 15th instant from the Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah submitting for Sanction a statement of expenses incurred for the Services of the Extra Police Peons employed in the District of Cuddapah during the month of February 1843. under Sanction of Government conveyed in the Minutes of Consultation under date the 7th April 1840.-

2. The Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut beg to recommend that the Sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting to Rupees (150) One hundred and fifty.-

25th January 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 326 To The Several Zillah and Assistant Judges
Principal Sudr Ameens, Magistrates and
Joint Magistrates

Memo:

Translation of the Foujdaree Adalut Circular Order No. 157. — Families — Followers — Cavalry — Infantry

Forwarded.

Foujdaree Diary 27th March 1843.

Forwarded to the _____ for the use of the Native Judicial functionaries under his Court.-

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut.

27th March 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

F. A. Circular Order No. 157.

	Families	Followers	Cavalry	Infantry
Criminal Judge of Bellary	"	3	3	"
Do. Cuddapah	"	3	"	"
Do. Chittoor	3	3	"	"
Do. Chingleput	3	3	"	"
Do. Rajahmundry	"	3	"	"
Do. Vellore	"	3	"	"
Do. Combaconum	3	"	"	"
Do. Madura	3	"	"	"
Do. Salem	3	"	"	"
Do. Canara	"	"	3	3
Do. Malabar	3	"	"	3
	18	18	6	6
Joint Criminal Judge of Cuddalore	2	"	"	"
Do. Trichinopoly	2	"	"	"
Do. Coimbatore	2	"	"	"
Do. Tinnevelly	2	"	"	"
Do. Masulipatam	"	2	"	"
Do. Vizagapatam	"	2	"	"
Do. Guntoor	"	2	"	"
Do. Tellicherry	"	"	"	2
Do. Cochin	"	"	"	2
	8	6	"	4
Principal Sudr Ameen Sirsee	"	"	2	"
Do. Honore	"	"	2	"
Do. Itchapoor	"	2	"	"
Abstract	"	2	4	"
Criminal Judges	18	18	6	6
Joint Do. Do.	8	6	"	4
Principal Sudr Ameens	"	2	4	"
Magistrates	10	10	2	2
Joint Do.	8	6	2	2
	44	37	12	14

Fo. 80.
Circular Order
No. 151.

	Tamil	Telugoo	Canarese	Hindustan
Magistrate of South Arcot	/	"	"	"
Do. North Do.	/	/	"	"
Do. Bellaree	"	/	/	"
Do. Coimbatore	/	"	"	"
Do. Canara	"	"	/	/
Do. Cuddapah	"	/	"	"
Do. Malabar	/	"	"	/
Do. Tanjore	/	"	"	"
Do. Nellore	"	/	"	"
Do. Salem	/	"	"	"
Do. Chingleput	/	/	"	"
Do. Guntoor	"	/	"	"
Do. Madura	/	"	"	"
Do. Masulipatam	"	/	"	"
Do. Rajahmundry	"	/	"	"
Do. Tinnevelly	/	"	"	"
Do. Trichinopoly	/	"	"	"
Agent Vizagapatam	"	/	"	"
Do. Ganjam	"	/	"	"
	10	10	2	2
Joint Magistrate of South Arcot	/	"	"	"
Do. North Do.	/	/	"	"
Do. Bellaree	"	/	/	"
Do. Coimbatore	/	"	"	"
Do. Canara	"	"	/	/
Do. Cuddapah	"	/	"	"
Do. Madura	/	"	"	"
Do. Tanjore	/	"	"	"
Do. Nellore	"	/	"	"
Do. Salem	/	"	"	"
Do. Ganjam	/	"	"	"
Do. Tinnevelly	"	/	"	"
Do. Vizagapatam	/	"	"	"
Do. Malabar	"	/	"	"
	8	6	2	2

To

No. 327. To The 2d Judge on Circuit in the Western Division

Sir,

In reply to your communication of the 14th instant intimating your intention of opening the 1st Sessions of 1843 at Honore on the 17th proximo and stating your readiness, should the Judges think it desirable to proceed from Honore with the Circuit establishment to Sirsee and dispose of the cases at that station. I am directed by the Court of Tonjdaree Adalut to inform you that they are of opinion the Jail delivery at Sirsee should not be dispensed with and accordingly request you will make arrangements for carrying out your proposition to proceed there.

27th March 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 328. To The Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Trichinopoly.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th Instant and in reply to inform you that, under the authority vested in them by the order of Government of the 4th August 1840, published in the official Gazette of the 21st of that Month Page 588, the Judges of the Tonjdaree Adalut sanction the estimate for making Iron bars

bars for the upper windows of the Main Cells of the Jail of Trichinopoly amounting to Rupees (12) twelve.-

27th March 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 335 To

The Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Guntoor.

Forwarding Copy of an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 23d instant and directing him to report why so large a number, as forty Crow Bars, 2 Yards long, is required for the use of the Convicts at Guntoor.-

29th March 1843 (Sent usual letter No (No 41)

No 342 To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a letter dated the 18th Instant from the Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Masulipatam submitting for sanction an Indent (in Duplicate) for Sixty Hamaties required for the use of the Convicts at that station.-

The Judges beg leave to recommend that the Military Board be requested to fit the Indent in view to the Articles included therein being supplied

to the Acting Joint Criminal Judge.-

31st March 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No 343 To

The Magistrate of Bellary.

Sir.

1. In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated the 15th Instant, submitting for the Sanction of Government two Quarterly Statements of Charges incurred on account of an Extra Establishment employed for the purpose of aiding the Police in putting down Gang Robbery in the Hilly tracts of the Pengondah Talook. and reporting upon the state of that part of the Country, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to return the Enclosures therein transmitted with a view to the correction of one of those documents.-

2. You will observe that the document in question purports to be a statement of expences incurred "during the 1st Quarter of Fusly 1252, or from "12th July to 30th September 1842.-

31st March 1843.- (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No 346 To The Acting 3rd Judge on Circuit in the Northern Division

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to call your attention to the letter from this Office dated the 2nd December 1842. desiring to be informed what Police or Magistrates regulation has been infringed in the case setforth in the Petition presented to the Court of Circuit by one Badegoodlapaty Bhadrapah and Somedevara Mallesh and to direct that the information therein called for may be furnished without further delay.

1st April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No 347 To The Provincial Court of Circuit in the Centre Division
No 348 and
To W. H. Babington late 3rd Judge of the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Centre Division.

1. With reference to the annexed transcript of a communication to the address of the Foujdaree Udalut from the Magistrate of Bellary, stating that the entertainment of an Extra Police Establishment in the Hilly tracts of Penconda has led to "a great decrease of Crime" and to the restoration of "much confidence

2. I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request you with without delay Severally submit your opinion whether a necessity for the continuance of the Extra police Establishment in question Exists at the present time and whether the advantages stated by the Magistrate of Bellary to have resulted

resulted from its Establishment appear to you to be commensurate with the extra expenditure which it entail on the state.-

1st: April 1843. (Signed) W: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No: 352 To (No: 42.)

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

1. With reference to my communication dated the 17th: Ultimo I am directed by the Court of Tonjdaree Udalut to report for the information of the Most Honble the Governor in Council that the Convicts in the Jail at Chingleput awaiting execution of their Sentences of transportation have now accumulated to (10) ten.-

2. The name of the additional Convict is "Tinnapa Bhandaree".-

4th: April 1843. (Signed) W: D: Phillips.
Acting Register.

No: 357 To The 1st: Judge on Circuit in the
Southern Division.

Forwarding Copy of an Order of Government dated the 1st: April 1843 pointing out the very objectionable delay that has occurred in the transmission of his Circuit Report for the 1st: Sessions 1842.

7th: April 1843. (Sent Usual Letter No:)

No: 358. To (No: 43)

The Secretary to Government.

Sir:

With reference to the orders contained in an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the

the 13th: December 1842, No: 1462, requiring this Court in communication with the local officers, to suggest a remedy for the inconvenience stated to be experienced from the absence of any Magisterial authority at Pamnbum, I am desired by the Judges of the Tonjdaree Udalut to transmit to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Copies of the Communications noted in the margin to and from the Commissioner in charge of Madura.-

From Comr: 6th: March 1843.
To Comr: from Sudr Udalut 21st: do: do:
From Comr: 25th: do: do:

2. It will be observed that in order to carry out the object of the Government Mr: Drury has suggested the expediency of nominating Mr: Ebell who was recently appointed to take charge of the offices of Head Pilot and Sea Custom Chowkeydar at Pamnbum, also, to perform the duties of Police Ameen under Section II Regulation IX of 1821 at the latter Port, and on the Island of Ramisseram, and that on the further suggesting of this Court in respect of the probable intention of the Government that the Commissioner recommends the same individual should likewise be vested with authority to officiate at Pamnbum as a Justice of the Peace.-

3 Being of opinion that the arrangements proposed by the Commissioner are well calculated to obviate the inconvenience complained of, the Court of Tonjdaree Udalut beg respectfully to suggest that they may receive the sanction of Government.

7th: April 1842. (Signed) W: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 359 To The Secretary to Government in the (No. 44)
Judicial Department

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Indent (in Duplicate and Triplicate) for Tools required for the use of the Convicts in the Jail at Trichinopoly.

2. The Judges beg leave to recommend that the Military Board be requested to pass the Indent in view to the Articles included therein being supplied to the Acting Joint Criminal Judge.-

7th April 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 362 To The Secretary to Government in the (No. 45)
Judicial Department

Sir,

1. With reference to my communication dated the 4th Instant, I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to report for the information of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, that the Convicts in the Jail at Chingleput awaiting execution of their Sentences of transportation have now accumulated to (11) eleven.-

2. The name of the additional Convict is "Mooneyan".-

8th April 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

To

No. 363 To The Provincial Court of Circuit in the
Southern Division

Gentlemen,

With reference to your letter dated the 1st Instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to forward to you the record of the trial in Case No. 55 on the Combaconum Calendar for the 1st Sessions of 1837, and to request that the same may be returned to this Court when no longer required.-

8th April 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

Memo.

No. 364 The original Petition of Colew Royaloo Naidoo, late District Moonsiff of Chabrole, forwarded to the Joint Criminal Judge of Guntoor with reference to his letter of the 28th March 1843.-

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.

8th April 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 367 To The Provincial Court of Circuit in the
Centre Division.

Forwarding with reference to the Proceeding of this Court of the 13th March 1843 copy of an Order dated the 4th April on the Criminal Report of the 3rd Judge late on Circuit in the Centre Division for the 1st Sessions 1843 at Cuddalore and Chingleput and 2nd Sessions of 1842 at Cuddapah and Bellary with instruction to furnish Copy of para 1 to the Magistrate of Cuddapah for his information.-

15th April 1843. (Sent usual Letter No.)

To

No: 371 To The Acting 3rd Judge on Circuit in the Northern Division

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st Ultimo requesting instructions regarding the Jail delivery of Itchapoor, and in reply to state that it is considered desirable the delivery should take place at Itchapore in preference to Vizagapatam.

11th April 1843. (Signed) R: W: Chatfield
Acting Sen: Dep: Regr.

No: 374 To The Secretary to Government.
(No: 47)

Sir,

Paras: 1-3 and 4: 1. I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, under date the 24th February last, transmitting an Extract from a Despatch from the Honorable the Court of Directors in the Judicial Department of the 30th December 1842, No: 18, on the subject of the administration of Criminal justice under this Presidency from 1st July 1839 to 30th June 1840.

para: 1 of Des: 2. With regard to the desire expressed by the Honorable Court to be regularly informed to what extent and under what degree of supervision and control, the duties of the several Magistrates are delegated to their Assistants, the Judges would observe that in respect of the delegation of authority to subordinate Magistrates the necessary information is now submitted in the usual half yearly Criminal Reports and was furnished for the first time in that laid before the Government

Government for the second half year of 1840. dated the 21st December 1841.-

3. In respect of the degree of supervision and control which is exercised by the said officers over the proceedings of the subordinate Magistrates, the Judges propose henceforward to exhibit the information required by means of a modified form of the statement shewing the extent of their delegated authority and for the future preparation and general use of which, the necessary orders have now been issued.

para: 4 of Des: 4. The Judges have perused with considerable regret the observations which the Honorable Court of Directors have deemed it necessary to record regarding the operations of the Foujdaree Udalut during the first six of the twelve months forming the period which is reviewed in the Honorable Court's despatch; and although, as the Court of Foujdaree Udalut is now constituted, the observations in question do not personally apply to either of its present members the Judges deem themselves called upon respectfully to submit for the information of the Honorable Court such explanation of the delay adverted to as will they trust tend to shew that the members of this tribunal have at no time been otherwise than most fully impressed with the solemn nature of each and all of the important duties they are bound to discharge.

5. It has been remarked by the Honorable Court

Court that during the 2nd half year of 1839, "the trials of "only 78 Prisoners were disposed of while those of 106 Prisoners "were postponed" also that in the Succeeding half year, "it is true, that the trials of 275 Prisoners were disposed "of and those of only 13 Prisoners postponed."-

6. The Fouzdaree Udalut would point out, with reference to the above observations that of the 106 Prisoners whose trials are stated to have been postponed, 3/4 were concerned in not less than 9 cases, the record of one of which reached the Fouzdaree Udalut Court House only on the 3rd of the last month of the half year, whilst those

2 cases on the 21st Dec. 1839. of the other eight cases were received,
1 " " 23rd " " "
1 " " 24th " " "
1 " " 26th " " "
3 " " 30th " " "

as shown in the margin, on dates subsequent to the 3rd of that month.-

7. It is also to be borne in mind that the trials in question were transmitted to the Fouzdaree Udalut previous to the enactment of the law abrogating the Regulations then in force regarding Futwahs, under which it was incumbent on the Judges to receive in each case from the Mahomedan Law officers of their own Court, at least one Futwah, the preparation and translation of which from the Persian, could not but cause an unavoidable addition to the time required to dispose of the trial.-

Act II of 1840.

8. With reference to the Honorable Courts remarks regarding the delay in the disposal, during the

the 2nd half year of 1839, of trials embracing only 78 Prisoners,- the Judges feel further called upon to observe that a perusal of the records thereof has satisfied them that any want of despatch in bringing the trials to a close was mainly caused by the omission during that period of one of the Members of the Fouzdaree Udalut to devote to the duties of his office the undivided attention and care which, in health, he had for several years previously been wont to bestow on them.-

9. The Judges are aware that under ordinary circumstances they would not be justified in urging a fact of that nature in extenuation of any remissness for which, in their collective character, they can but acknowledge their responsibility- In the present instance however the delay which occurred is to be traced to the cause above assigned and as it is known that the bodily infirmities of the officer alluded to, led to his retirement from the public service in the early part of 1840, which event was followed by his death in England soon after his arrival there, the Court although with reluctance are induced to believe that the statement of the fact is the best explanation they can afford.-

12th April 1843.

(Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

To

No. 375 To The 4 Provincial Courts of Circuits.

Gentlemen,

With a view to exhibit for the information of the Honorable Court of Directors the degree of supervision and control which is exercised by the Magistrates in the provinces under this Presidency, over the Assistant Magistrates severally subordinate to them in the discharge of the duties with which the latter may be entrusted, I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request you will instruct the Magistrates within your range to add the annexed form to the future half yearly Statement No. I.

Memorandum of the extent and degree exercised by Magistrates over the proceedings of their Assistants.

Appeals from the decisions of the.	Number of persons and cases of which the close of the last report.	Number of persons and cases disposed of during the half year.	Total.	Disposed of. Reversed.	Modified.	Confirmed.	Number of persons and cases of which the close of this report.
Joint Magistrate ———	1	3	4	1	1	1	1
Head Asst. do. ———	2	4	6	2	1	2	1
Assistant do. ———	"	2	2	1	1	"	"
Total	3	9	12	4	3	3	2

12th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 379 To The Magistrate of South Arcot.

Sir,

1. In reply to your communication under date the 4th instant, reporting the escape of four, of a gang of thirty Convicts proceeding from Salem, through the South Arcot District, to the Jail at Chingleput for employment on the great western Road and pointing out what, in your opinion, are the mischevous results to be expected from the system of working Prisoners in large bodies away from their Jail.—

2. I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to intimate to you that the subject embraced in your remarks is one which has already attracted their consideration and is likely at no distant date to be brought to the notice of Government.—

3. I am directed also to point out for your information that your letter under observation should have been addressed to the Register of the Foujdaree Udalut, and not to the Judges of the Court, in order to your adopting that mode of communication on all future occasions.—

13th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 3803 To The Criminal Judge of Rajahmundry.

Sir,

1. I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to return your letter, dated the 4th instant, and

and its accompaniment, with an intimation that any communication direct from a Criminal Court, having for its object to call in question the propriety of proceedings by a Judge on Circuit which, in due course, will be submitted by the functionary holding them, for the information and orders of the immediate Superior and revising authority, is considered by the Foujdaree Udalut to be objectionable and irregular.-

2. The Court would further draw your attention to the absence, in your address, of any explanation of the circumstances under which it was transmitted to this Court and its purpose; but, as the latter is, from inference, sufficiently clear, they have directed me to inform you that a ready obedience to the orders which you may receive your Superiors is likely to be more beneficial to the interests of the public than a pertinacious adherence to your own opinion whenever it happens to be at variance with that of those under whose control you are officially placed.-

17th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 384 To (No. 49)

The Secretary to Government in the
Sir, Judicial Department.

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit the accompanying Descriptive Roll of 4 Convicts noted in the Margin, who effected their

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their escape on the 29th March 1843 near Veekerabandy in the District of South Arcot whilst on their way from Salem to Chingleput, to which station they had been ordered to be transferred, under instructions from Government dated 17th February 1843; and to request that with the sanction of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, the same may be published in the official Gazette.-

19th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 385 To (No. 50)

The Secretary to Government in the
Sir, Judicial Department.

1. With reference to the Minutes of Consultation, under date the 14th of February last, (No. 82.) requiring this Court to direct the transmission by the Magistrate of Bellary, for sanction by Government, of Quarterly Statements of Charges incurred on account of the Extra Establishment of Peons authorized for the purpose of aiding the Police in the suppression of Gang robbery in the Hilly tract of Pengonda, accompanied by reports on the state of that part of the Country.-

2. I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to annex for the information of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a Letter from the Magistrate of Bellary with its enclosures containing the required report and exhibiting the aggregate amount of the Expenditure in

inspection for two quarters, or, as calculated by that officer under orders from the Board of Revenue, from the 12th July to the 30th September 1842. and from the 1st October to the 31st December of the same year.-

3. The Foujdaree Udalut beg to suppost that the amount of expenditure incurred on account of the Extra Establishment under observation, Viz. Rupees 678–13–4. should receive be sanction of Government.-

19th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 386 To The Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 15th Ulting, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to inform you that the Most Honorable the Governor in Council has, under date the 10th Instant, Sanctioned the charges incurred on account of the Extra Police Peons employed in your District during the month of February 1843 amounting to Rupees (150) One hundred and fifty.-

19th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 387 To The Provincial Court of Circuit in the Centre Division.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter of the 3d instant transmitting a copy of a Communication from the

29th March 1843.

the Acting Criminal Judge of Chittoor on the subject of recasting an unserviceable Ghurry.-

I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to intimate to you for the information of that officer that the Judges do not consider it expedient to sanction the expenditure proposed to be incurred Rs. 16–6–6. for recasting that article all Chittoor, and, accordingly, direct that the usual indent for an "exchange of stores rendered unserviceable by actual use" be prepared and forwarded direct by the Acting Criminal Judge to this Court for transmission to the Military Board.-

19th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 388 To The Acting Criminal Judge of Chingleput

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 11th Instant requesting the appointment of an Extra Dresser for the Convicts employed in the Road to Palaveram and, in reply, to request that you will more distinctly show the necessity for your present application, by explaining what medical aid is at present available for the Zillah Jail of Chingleput, and what impediment offers to that aid being extended to the Prisoners employed on the road to Palaveram.-

19th April 1843. (Signed) R. W. Chatfield
Acting Register.

To

Fouydaree Diary 21st April 1843.

No 393. To (No 51)

The Secretary to Government

Sir;

1. In reply to the requisition contained in the order of Government dated the 16th February last No 87, to furnish for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor General of India a Statement whether any and what additional Police has been temporarily or permanently employed in this Presidency in consequence of the withdrawal of detachments of troops from Civil duty, for active service in Affghanistan together with an account of the expense monthly incurred thereby.-

2. I am desired by the Court of Fouydaree Udalut to report that, so far as appears from the records of their office, no Extra Establishment of Peons has been entertained under the circumstances adverted to.-

21st April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No 397 To

The 3rd Judge late on Circuit in the Western Division.

Sir;

With reference to your letter dated the 12th Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Fouydaree Udalut to transmit herewith the 4 Original Documents forwarded with your return of the 6th September and your letter of the 3rd October 1842.-

24th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

To

Fouydaree Diary 24th April 1843.

No 398. To The Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Masulipatam

Sir;

With reference to your letter dated the 18th Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Fouydaree Udalut to inform you that the Most Honorable the Governor in Council has under date the 10th Instant requested the Military Board to cause the Indent for 60 Mamoties for the use of the Convicts at Masulipatam to be complied with.-

24th April 1840. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No 399 To (No 53)

The Secretary to Government

Sir;

I am instructed by the Court of Fouydaree Udalut to forward for submission to the Most Honorable the Governor in Council an Extract from their proceedings of this date directing the unconditional released of Moottoo Chellew Thaver late Manager of Ramnad Zemindary who was recently arraigned before the Court of Circuit in the Southern Division on a charge of forgery.-

With reference to the necessity of adopting proceedings against the authores of the Conspiracy of which the Court of Fouydaree Udalut have deemed the Exc. Manager to have been the victim, the Judges desire to state their opinion for the information of the Government that it is of Great importance but the inquiry should not fall into the hands

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of public Officer in any wise wanting in experience and judgement.—

24th April 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Regr.

No. 403 To The Acting Criminal Judge in the Zillah of Combaconum.

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to call upon you to furnish, without further delay, the Jail return, for the 2nd half of 1842, required by the Minutes of Consultation under date the 28th November 1840, filled up in the form which accompanied the order of this Court of the 10th December 1840.

25th April 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 404

Memo:

2 printed forms of the Half yearly Criminal Statement No. 1.
2 Do. Do. Do. Do. 2.

Forwarded to the Acting Magistrate of Tanjore with reference to his letter dated the 15th April 1843.—

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.
25th April 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

To,

No. 405 To The Acting Criminal Judge of Combaconum.—

Sir,

1. In reply to your letter of the 15th instant requesting to be informed whether the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut are disposed to sanction the removal of Six (6) Convicts whom the Zillah Surgeon has recommended for transfer to the Jail at Negapatam:

2. I am desired to intimate to you that the Court are pleased to authorize the adoption of the arrangement submitted for their approval and at the same time to draw your attention to the Foujdaree Udalut Circular Order under the provisions of which it might at once have been carried into effect without reference to them.—

25th April 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 412 To (No. 54)

The Secretary to Government.

Sir,

1. I am directed to transmit for submission to the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Bill, received from the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Centre Division, on account of expences incurred by Commissariat Staff Sergeant J. Sutton in attending the Criminal and Circuit Courts to give evidence in Case No. 2 on the Calendar for the 2nd Quarterly Sessions of 1842 at Chittoor, amounting to Rupees 8 / eight.—

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2. The Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut beg to recommend that sanction be granted for passing to Staff Sergeant J. Sutton the amount of which he may be entitled under the circumstances stated, according to the principle law down in the order of Government dated the 17th March 1837, No. 269.-

26th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 413. To The 4 Provincial Courts of Circuits.

Gentlemen,

I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to request you will call upon the officers in charge of Jails in the Northern (Centre) Southern Western Division to report whether on the occasion of the late transfer of Convicts have been placed, any specific instructions regarding them or the line of march or in respect of their general superintendence and Surveillance,- and if so, to explain their nature, particularly stating also with whom they have considered the duty of enforcing such orders to rest and on whom they have deemed the responsibility connected with the safe conduct of the Convicts has devolved, after their departure from the Zillah or Magistrates Jail.-

26th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 414. To The Criminal Judge of Salem.

Sir,

1. Adverting to the depositions of certain Peons taken before the Acting Criminal Judge of Chingleput in respect of the escape of the four (4) convicts reported in your communication of the 7th instant and to its appearing therefrom that some of the handcuffs, by which the Prisoners were fastened together, were so large and loose that the Prisoners were in some instances able to slip them over their hands.-

2. I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to call upon you to submit for their information a statement of the precautionary measures adopted by you and by your subordinate officers, previous to the departure of the Gang in question from Salem, with a view to prevent there escape on the road.-

3. The Judges would wish to know whether you personally inspected the hand irons used on the occasion under remark and whether the Head Peon, placed in charge of the Gang, was allowed an opportunity, before finally receiving the 30 Convicts into his custody, of satisfying himself that the irons had been properly finish and adjusted.-

4. The translations of the depositions referred to in the 1st para of this letter are herewith forwarded for your perusal and observations.-

26th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 415. To The Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Masulipatam.

Sir

Adverting to your communication of the 13th instant

instant forwarding an indent on the Military Board for two water Carts, I am desired to request you will submit for the information of the Judges a statement of the purposes for which the articles in question may be considered necessary and to which you propose applying them.-

27th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
(No. 55) Acting Register.

No. 426 To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Extract of a retrospective account from the Accounts of the Collectorate of Coimbatore, for June 1834, forwarded by the Joint Magistrate at Dotacamund, relating to the disbursement for the Jail Establishment at that Station.-

2. With reference to the remark of the Civil Auditor the Judges beg leave to recommend that the Special Sanction of Government be granted for the several items objected to by that officer - amounting on the aggregate to Rupees 4,398-13-8.-

3. The attention of the Joint Magistrate has been drawn to this Courts Circular Order requiring the transmission of quarterly statements of the Expences incurred on account of the maintenance of the Children of

No. 50 dated 24th August 1833.

of Convicts which it is trusted, with in future be observed.-

4. The Expenditure under the above head of Rupees 4 per mensem for the female child of a Prisoner is stated by Major Gunning to have been sanctioned by the Government under date the 29th August 1836. in their instructions to the officer Commanding Dotacamund.-

27th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

return to Fd. precept dated 5th April 1843.

No. 427 To The Criminal & Joint Criminal Judges &c.

Acting Crim. Judge of Chittoor
Criminal Judge of Rajahmundry
Do. " " Cuddalore
Acting " Cuddapah
" " Madura
Joint " Malabar
" " Bellary
Acting J. Cochin
Do. " Coimbatore
" " Tinnevelly
Acting " " Masulipatam
" " Vizagapatam
" Cumbaconum
" Canara
Acting " Chingleput
" Salem
Acting " Nellore
Acting Sub Collr. J. Trichinapoly
Acting Collr. J. Malabar
Collr. J. Guntoor

With reference to a communication from Government, requesting the opinion of the Court of Fouzdaree Udalut on the feasibility of adopting Cholum in lieu of rice as the food of Prisoners in the several Jails of this Presidency, I am directed by the Judges to call upon you for any information you may be enabled to afford on the Subject more particularly as regards the present and ordinary food of Prisoners in the Jail under your control, the probable effects of change of diet in respect to health, as well as the relative Value of rice and ragee Cholum.-

27th April 1843 (Signed) R. W. Chatfield
Agt. Sr. D. J. Pgr.

No 428. To The Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Trichinopoly.

Sir;

With reference to your letter dated the 28th Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Tovjdaree Udalut to inform you that the Most Honorable the Governor in Council has under date the 18th Instant requested the Military Board to cause the Indent for Tools required for the use of the Convicts in the Jail under your charge to be complied with.—

27th April 1843. (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No 429 To The Joint Criminal Judge of Tellicherry

Sir;

With reference to your letter dated the 8th Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Tovjdaree Udalut to forward to you the sanctioned duplicate Indent for an Hour Glass furnished for the use of the guard in the Jail at Tellicherry.—

27th April 1843. (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No 435 To (No 56.)
The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir;

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Tovjdaree Udalut

Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 20th Instant from the Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah submitting for sanction a — Statement of expences incurred for the services of the Extra Police Peons employed in the District of Cuddapah during the month of March last under the sanction of Government conveyed in the Minutes of Consultation under date the 7th April 1840.—

2. The Judges of the Tovjdaree Udalut beg to recommend that the Sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting to Rupees (150) One hundred and fifty.—

28th April 1843. (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No 438 To (No 57)
The Secretary to Government.

Sir;

1. I am directed to forward for submission to the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying transcript of a correspondence between this Court and the Acting Criminal Judge of Chingleput soliciting the appointment of an additional Dresser for the purpose of affording Medical aid to a Gang of — Convicts employed at a distance of five miles from the Zillah Jail.

2. The Judges have desired me to express there opinion that, under the circumstances stated in the

the Acting Criminal Judges Communications, the necessity for an Extra Medical Assistant seems clear and accordingly that they beg respectfully to recommend that the Acting Criminal Judges request should be complied with.-

28th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No 437 To (No 58).
The Secretary to Government

Sir;

1. The Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut have directed me to transmit for the information of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a Communication from Captain Worster and its Inclosure, reporting the Escape, on the 12th instant, of nine (9) Convicts from the Gang employed at Road Pettah.

15th April 1843.

2. Adverting to the Escape, under some what similar Circumstances, from Sullecondah of ten (10) Convicts, which was brought to the notice of this Court so recently as the 7th February last, I am desired to state the opinion of the Judges that it appears necessary that Captain Worster should be ordered to repair to the present station of the Gang of Convicts at work on the Great Western Road, with a view to carrying out by his personal superintendence, and under his own immediate control, such improvements in the system of guarding the Prisoners placed under his charge, as may be found necessary, when he has ascertained by Enquiring on the spot what are the defects of that now in force and which

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which, judging from its objectionable results, is obviously deficient in discipline.-

3. With reference to the remark by Captain Worster, Assistant that he "cannot but ascribe" "in some slight degree" "the gross carelessness if not connivance" of the Peons through whose conduct the escape now under observation occurred, to the leniency extreme shown to those implicated on a late occasion, the Judges would observe that they have not yet received a report of the result of any Criminal proceedings instituted against the Peons in question, who are punishable, they would point out, on proof of connivance being adduced, to the extent of five years imprisonment with hard labor in irons.-

Lor. 14th April 1843. from Lieut. Robertson

28th April 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

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No 1 to 16

To

The Acting 3d Judge on Circuit
in the Northern Division

Sir,

1 With reference to your communication of the 13th Instant submitting a question as to the legality of a warrant issued under Regulation 2 of 1819 for the confinement of V. Padmanabharaus and A. Dalippa Dora who after being tried and convicted by a Special Commission, were acquitted by the Fouzdaree Adalut and in consideration of a petition presented on their part, requesting instructions as to the course you should adopt, I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Adalut to state that the obvious intent of Regulation 2 of 1819 was to give to Government the power of incarcerating any individual who in their judgment could not with safety to the state be allowed to remain at large.

2. Under this Condition of the Law the Judges consider the warrant signed by the Officiating Secretary to Government sufficient authority for the detention of the Prisoners and not subject to the revision of a Circuit Judge.

1st May 1843.

(Signed) R. W. Chatfield.
Acting Sen. Dy Regr

No 448 To

The Zillah Judge of Madura

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th Ultimo, and in reply to inform you that under the authority vested in them by the order of Government of the 4th August 1840, published in the Official Gazette of the 21st of that Month, Page 508, the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut sanction the purchase of 20 Toolams of iron required for making and repairing fetters and for repairing the working implements used by the Convicts in the Jail at Madura, amounting to Rupees (15) fifteen.

1st May 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No 59)

No 451. To

The Secretary to Government

Sir,

1. I am directed to forward for submission to the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the annexed transcript of a communication and its enclosures from the Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Guntoor requesting with reference to a copy of a retrenchment

retrenchment by the Civil Auditor from the accounts of the Joint Criminal Court at that station, the sanction of Government for an outlay amounting in the aggregate to Rupees 154-3-1 incurred between the 1st July 1840 and the 30th June 1841 in constructing bridges and other public works.

2. The amount in question would seem to have been disbursed with advertance to an order of Government dated the 31st March 1840 No 304 sanctioning for a period of one year a sum not exceeding 20 Rupees per mensem with a view of turning the labour of Convicts to account.

3. Under these circumstances the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut do not feel justified in supporting with their recommendation the application from the Officiating Joint Criminal Judge which accordingly is submitted for the orders of Government with whom it will rest to sanction the outlay incurred should they deem it advisable.

2nd May 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 452. To

The Criminal Judge of Rajahmundry

Sir,

In reply to your letter under date the

21st

21st Ultimo explaining the circumstances attending the transmission without a separate communication to the Tongdaree Udalut, of a revised sentence in a Criminal trial on the Rajahmundry file.

2. I am desired by the Judges to state, that relying on your assurance that you considered the course then adopted to have been the correct mode of procedure it affords them satisfaction to acquit you of the notion of insubordination by which it appeared to them that you had been actuated.

2nd May 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 453. No. 60

To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Dept.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdaree Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying Indent received from the Acting Criminal Judge of Chittoor for a Gibbet required for the use of the Jail at that station in exchange for an old one rendered unserviceable by

by actual use.

2. The Judges beg leave to recommend that the Military Board be requested to pass the Indent, in view to the Article included therein being supplied to the Acting Criminal Judge.

5th May 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 458. To,

The Provincial Court of Circuit
in the Western Division

Gentlemen,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, dated the 21st Ultimo, and in reply to inform you that, under the authority vested in them by the Order of Government, dated the 4th August 1840, published in the Official Gazette of the 21st of that Month, page 588, the Judges of the Tongdaree Udalut sanction the Statement for bringing up the Child of a Convict in Jail at Calicut during the first quarter of 1843 amounting to Rupees (7-3-7) Seven, annas three and Pice seven.

5th May 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

No 469 To

The Magistrate of Trichinopoly.

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 2nd March last requesting that the sanction of Government may be obtained for the charges incurred in the Magisterial Department of the District under your charge in Fasly 1251, I am directed to inform you that the charges in question have been laid before the Government for their special sanction.

8th May 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 470 To

The Criminal Judge
of Madura

Sir,

1 I am to reply to your letter of the 27th Ultimo requesting sanction for the expenditure of 9 Rupees 10 for the purchase of twigs to be used in making baskets for the convicts in the Jail under your charge.

2 I am desired by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to intimate to you that they are not prepared to sanction any outlay for the purchase

purchase of the articles in question, which are generally gathered by the Convicts in the Jail in the presidency, without cost, in the environs of the station when they are located.

8th May 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 471 To

The Criminal Judge
of Madura

Sir,

Ranee Cutcherry Circular No 21 of the Madura Calendar 1st September 1841.

Adverting to the application contained in your Communication of the 25th Ultimo for the Special sanction of Government for the payment of fifty (50) Rupees to Arockiapen thro whose means the convict noted in the margin was apprehended after return from transportation

2 I am desired by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to intimate to you that under the Circular Order which has been quoted in your letter under acknowledgement it is competent to a Criminal Judge without reference to higher authority, to direct the disbursements of the sums specified in the scale laid down in that order.

8th May 1843 (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

No 475 To

The Criminal Judge of Canara

Sir,

1 Under instruction from Government, dated the 20th Ultimo, I am desired by the Judges of the Tonjdaree Udalut to request you will place yourself in communication with the Magistrate of Canara and transfer to the charge of that Officer Sixty-one (61) convicts from those now in confinement in the Jail at Mangalore.

2 The object of the arrangment now directed is to have at the disposal of the Magisterial authorities in Canara a gang consisting of 120 convicts. If however, as would appear from your communication to the Collector of Canara, you cannot, with reference to the present strength of the Jail at Mangalore, conveniently spare more than 40 Convicts for the transfer in question, the Judges do not desire that a larger number should be now made over to Mr Blair, but request you will take an early opportunity of meeting the wishes of the Government by supplying the deficient number, reporting the transfers made from time to time, for the information of this Court.

22nd October 1842.

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3 The Judges further desire me to intimate to you that under the orders of Government dated the 2nd March 1830 it has been established as a general rule that Criminal Judges in supplying the other authorities with convicts shall send those whose sentences are shortest keeping up the supply by new Convicts, as their sentences expire, a mode of proceding to the adoption of which they are aware of no objections.

4 In carrying out the transfer of Convicts now ordered to be made, you are requested strictly to observe all the rules laid down in the order noted in the margin and either personally or by means of your Assistant to ascertain that the iron handcuffs by which the Convicts should be secured are properly fitted to each individual before they leave the Zillah Jail.

9th May 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

9th June 1837 Official Gazette Page 432.

No 476 To

The Magistrate of

Bellary

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated

the

the 15th March last I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Adalut to inform you that the charges on account of the Extra Police establishment entertained in the Hilly Tracts of the Pencondah Talook in the Bellary District amounting to Rupees 678-13-4 was sanctioned by the Government on the 2nd Instant

9th May 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 477. To

The Acting Criminal Judge
of Chingleput

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Fouydaree Adalut to desire you will immediately dispatch to the Presidency for transfer to the Custody of

of the Chief Magistrate and superintendents of Police, all the convicts now under your charge awaiting execution of their sentences of transportation.

2 You will be pleased to transmit to this office by Tappal the usual Calendar of the Convicts who may be forwarded to the Presidency under these orders.

9th May 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Registrar

No 482. To The Provincial Court of Circuit in the Centre Western & Southern Divisions

Gentlemen

In view to the enforcement of uniformity of practice in the preliminary proceedings held by Police Officers in Cases forwarded to the Criminal Court, I am desired by the Court of Fouydaree Adalut to transmit the annexed copy of a letter addressed to the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Northern Division, dated 20th September 1834, which you will be pleased to circulate to the several Magistrate within your range for the information and guidance of such of the Heads of Police subordinate to them, as may not be in the habit of furnishing Criminal authorities an arzee of the nature of that to which allusion is therein made.

11th May 1843. Signed H. D. Phillips
Acting Registrar

To

№ 485 To

The Provincial Court of Circuit for the

Northern Division

Gentlemen,

In view to the enforcement of uniformity of practice in the preliminary proceedings held by Police Officers in cases forwarded to the Criminal Courts, I am desired by the Court of Tongdaree Dedalut to call your attention to the letter addressed to your Court under date the 20th September 1834, and to request you will be pleased again to circulate that communication to the several Magistrates within your range for the information and guidance of such of the Heads of Police subordinate to them, as may not be in the habit of furnishing the Criminal authorities with an exact of the nature of that to which allusion is therein made.

11th May 1843

(Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Registrar

№ 486. Memo

12 printed forms of the Monthly Criminal Statement № 6

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12 do Supplemental Reports

6 do Statement of punishment awarded under Regulation X of 1832

Forwarded to the Criminal Judge of Chingleput with reference to his letter dated the 6th May 1843

11th May 1843.

(Signed) H D Phillips

Acting Registrar

(№ 62)

№ 488. To The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 8th Instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdaree Dedalut to report that in obedience to the order therein contained, 11 Convicts under sentence of transportation were despatched from Chingleput on the 11th Instant to the charge of the Chief Magistrate and Superintendent of Police at Madras in view to their embarkation.

The penal Calendar of these 2 convicts accompanies this Communication.

12th May 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Registrar

(№ 63)

№ 489. To The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

2nd May 1843
29th March 1843

I am desired by the Court of Tongdaree Dedalut to forward for submission to the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying transcript of a communication from the acting Criminal Judge of Combaconum and its Enclosure relative to the necessity of constructing in the Jail at that station a

a separate Hospital ward for the accommodation of the female convicts who are in confinement there.

2 The Judges consider the statements made by the officer in Medical Charge of the Cocoanuts Jail supported as they are by those contained in Mr. T. Pandergast's communication, clearly to indicate a necessity for additional accommodation for the female Prisoners, and as the outlay proposed to be incurred, will not, it appears, exceed 500 or 150 Rupees, they beg respectfully to solicit the authority of Government for issuing orders to construct under the rules in force the upstairs rooms now occupied by the females while the acting Criminal Judges consider will be quite unobjectionable

12th May 1843.

Signed H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 490. To The Acting Joint Criminal Judge of
Sir, Masulipatam

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdaree Dedalut to acknowledge the receipt of your communication under date the 8th Instant, explaining the purpose to which you proposed to apply the two water casks for which you recently submitted an Indent on the Military Board and further requesting the authority of this Court to purchase four

bandies to be used by the convicts in the Jail under your Charge in prepairing the road at Masulipatam

2 Having brought your request under consideration, the Judges are not prepared to submit without further information the Indent for two water casks for the sanction of the Military Board as it does not appear that articles of that kind are usually furnished by the officers of Government to the Criminal authorities in charge of Jails.

3 In regard to the purchase of four bandies, I am directed to intimate to you that the Court have reason to suppose that the necessity for any actual outlay on that account will be obviated by your adopting the mode of communication with the Revenue Board in the department of Public works which is pointed out at the close of the letter from the Secretary to the Military Board, copy of which is annexed to your communication under reply.

4 I am further desired to direct your attention to the erroneous and deficient endorsement entered on your letter of the 8th Instant and to hope you will be more careful in the future preparation of your communications to this Court.

Signed W. D. Phillips
acting Register

12th May 1843.

To

No 491 To

The Criminal Judge in charge of

Vellore

Sir,

1 The Government having directed that forty convicts shall be placed under charge of the officer commanding Vellore for employment on the roads at that station, I am desired by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to request you will without delay make arrangements for the transfer for that purpose of the required number of convicts, from those now in Jail at Madras.

2 In carrying out the transfer you will be pleased strictly to observe all the rules laid down in the order noted in the margin.

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3 The Judges also desire you will ascertain by personal inspection that the Iron handcuffs to be used in securing the convicts are properly fitted to each individual before the gang leaves the Zillah Jail and further that you will select and nominate to accompany the convicts as far as Vellore, an experienced Peon as superintendant of the gang and subordinate Peons, who will be held personally responsible for the efficiency of all arrangements connected with their discipline and safe custody

custody on the eve of march.

12th May 1843. Signed H D Phillips

Acting Registrar

No 494 To

The Provincial Court in the

Centre Division

Gentlemen,

With reference to your letter dated the 11th Ultimo, I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to return to you with the sanction of Government endorsed thereon the accompanying Bill drawn on account of expences incurred by Commissariat Serjeant J. Sutton in attending the Criminal and Circuit Courts to give evidence in Case No 2. of the Chittoor Calendar for the 2nd Quarterly Sessions of 1843 amounting to Rupees (8) eight.

13th May 1843. Signed H. D. Phillips

Acting Registrar

To

№499. To

The Acting Criminal Judge of

Chinglepute

Sir,

With reference to your letters dated respectively the 11th and the 20th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Toungdaree Udalut to inform you that the Government under date the 9th Instant issued orders that the Military Department, to detatch temporarily an additional Guard to afford medical aid to the Gang of Convicts employed at a distance from the Jail of Chinglepute.

16th May 1843 Signed H D Phillips

Acting Registrar

№500. To

The Acting Magistrate of

Cuddapah.

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 20th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Toungdaree Udalut to inform you that the Charges incurred on account of the Extra Police Establishment employed in the District of Cuddapah during the month of March last amounting to Rupees (130) one hundred and fifty were sanctioned by Government on

on the 8th Instant.

16th May 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Registrar

№501. Memorandum

6 Printed forms of the Half yearly Statement №1

6 D: D: D: №2

6 D: D: D: №3

2 D: D: D: №4

2 D: of Statement of decrees.

4 D: D: of fines.

Forwarded to the Provincial Court in the Northern Division with reference to their letter dated 5th May 1843.

By Order of the Court of Toungdaree Udalut

17th May 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Registrar

(№64.)

№503. To

The Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to paras 3 of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 9th instant №24. I am directed by the Judges of the Toungdaree

Foujdaree Udalut to forward herewith, the descriptive Roll of the Convicts who recently escaped from Rad. Pettah which was received from Captain Worster and the omission of which as an accompaniment to their Court's communication dated the 28th Ultimo, was noticed in the para quoted above.

2 The Judges further direct me respectfully to submit for the information of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council that the omission to transmit the descriptive Roll in question was not unintentional, no application having been made to them, either by Captain Worster or at that officers request, by the Acting Criminal Judge of Chittoor, to recommend its publication in the Official Gazette.

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3. It appears to the Judges, with reference to Section IX of the Rules noted in the margin that the adoption of any such measure by the Government would have been consequent on a communication from the Board of Revenue to whom it is to be inferred the report therein adverted to was submitted as a matter of course by the officer in

in charge of Convicts, who, it is observed from the records of the Foujdaree Udalut has communicated direct with this Court regarding the escape of Convicts from

6th Dec. 1841. the Gangs under his charge only seen the latter part of 1841.

4 Previous to that period the Court of Foujdaree Udalut were in the habit of receiving from the Criminal Judges, intimation of the escapes which were notified to them under Section IX of the Rules by the officers superintending the Convicts and from no other source.

5 The Judges deem the present to be a fit opportunity for drawing the attention of Government to the apparent anomaly of transferring to the Board of Revenue and vesting temporarily in that authority the powers of Control and Superintendence over gangs of Convicts at work at a distance from their Jails which legitimately belong to the highest Court of Criminal jurisdiction. It appears to the Judges that the innovation or established rule is objectionable on principle while no corresponding benefits have so far as they are aware, been found to accrue and in this opinion they would with reference suggest that

that the anomaly be removed.

18th May 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

No 508. To

The Provincial Court of Circuit
in the Northern Central
Southern and Western Division

Gentlemen,

In reference to instructions received from Government, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to request you will circulate to the Magisterial authorities within your jurisdiction copy of the annexed transcript of paras 5. of a dispatch in the legislative Department from the Honorable the Court of Directors expressing a hope that care is taken prevent Act XXI of 1841 from operating oppressively towards persons affected by it.

20th May 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

To

(N:65)

No 509. To

The Secretary to Government

Sir

I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to request you will lay before the Most Honorable
8th May 1843 the Governor in Council the annexed transcript of a communication from Mr Cockburn late Judge and Criminal Judge of Malabar soliciting information whether an officer who has resigned his appointment in the Judicial Department does by that Act, resign his contingent Office of Justice of the Peace, or whether he is to be considered as having held the latter independently of the former.

The Court of Foujdaree Adalut have the opinion that Mr Cockburn's power to act as Justice of the Peace, ceased on the relinquishment by that Gentleman of his functions as Criminal Judge but as the point seems one on which the sentiments of the legal adviser of the Government might with propriety be taken, they would with respect suggest that it be referred for a statement of the view of the point which he entertains

22d May 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

To

№510. To The Acting Criminal Judge of
Cuddapah

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree to return to you the Indent on the Military Board for an Honorary Musket to be bestowed upon the Cuddapah the prosecutor pr Case No. 30 of 1843, which accompanied your return of the 13th Instant, and to request you will submit the Indent pr duplicate pr the prescribed form on the Principal Comissary of Ordnance at Madras.

23d May 1843. Signed H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

№511 To The Secretary to the
Military Board

Sir,

With reference to the order of Government dated 12th Instant No. 234 I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to transmit herewith an unmanufactureable Gunny received from the acting Criminal Judge of Chittoor pr invoice to be returned pr to the General stores.

23d May 1843. Signed H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

№512. To The Criminal Judge of Chittoor

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 24th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut

23d May 1843 Adalut to state for your information that the Government have requested the Military Board to cause the Indent for a Gunny required for the Jail at Chittoor to be complied with and to intimate to you that the unserviceable Gunny which was erroneously forwarded by you direct to this Court, has been transmitted to the Office of the Military Board.

23d May 1843. Signed H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

№517 To The Criminal Judge of
Madura

Sir,

With reference to your communication dated the 15th Instant, I am desired by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to intimate to you that, under the Explanation therein submitted, they authorize the expenditure of a sum of ten (10) rupees on the purchase of Twine for the manufacture of bed stalks to be used by the Prisoners in the Jail undergoing Charges.

24th May 1843. Signed H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

№518. To The Acting Joint Criminal Judge of
Guntoor

Transmitting an order of Government dated the 17th Instant for his information and guidance with reference to

No 3

to his letter dated the 21st April 1843. Granting special special sanction of Rupees 1543 / incurred by the Joint Criminal Judge of Gyantoon under the authority of Government dated 31st March 1840 No. 16/204; but observing that the account particulars of expenditure ought to have been submitted thro' the Board of Revenue pr the department of Public Works, as there directed.—

24th May, 1843. (And usual letter &c)

No 525 To The Chief Secretary to Government (No 67)

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Toungdaree Udalut to transmit the accompanying Descriptive Roll of 13 Convicts noted in the margin who effected their escape on the 18th Instant while at work on the new Madras Road and four miles from Chinghput: request &c that, with the sanction of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the same may be published in the Official Gazette.—

× Cona Lehangadoo, Lemmegadoo, Lehingrow, Moken, Nuvaday, Moothen, Canagapen, Sooppiah, Sooppen, Vellaverly Madan, Kattaderen, Vella Kisna Goundan, Sunghiah

25th May 1843.

(Signed) W. D. Phillips

Acting Registr.

To

No 528 To The Provincial Court of Circuit pr the Northern Division

Gentlemen,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th Instant, and respectfully to inform you that, under the authority vested pr them by the order of Government of the 4th August 1840 published pr the Official Gazette of the 21st of that month page 588 the Judges of the Toungdaree Udalut transmit the General statement of disbursements for bringing up the children of convicts pr the different Jails pr the Northern Division for the 1st Quarter of 1843, amounting to Rupees (6-13-7) six, annas thirteen and 7 Pice seven.—

Signed W. D. Phillips

26th May 1843.

Acting Registr.

No 529 To Major Cumming Joint Magistrate of Otacamund

Sir,

Adverting to your communication dated the 10th March last and to the return to this Court's precept of the subsequent 27th dated the 5th Ultimo, on the subject of the expenditure incurred on account of the Jail under your charge at Otacamund during July 1851.

2. I am desired by the Judges of the Toungdaree Udalut to transmit for your communication the annexed copies of Paras 1 and 2 of an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

16th May 1843

and

and to request that you will without delay submit the requisite explanation respecting the additional disbursement of Rupees 743. 8-9 on account of Batta to Convicts and also account particular of the Contingent charges incurred, amounting to Rupees 355-8- which are referred to by the Government in the latter Para.

26th May 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillipps
Acting Registr

№530 To The Acting Principal Sudr Ameen &c

Honble

In reply to your Communications dated the 24th last and the 12th Instant, I am desired by the Judges of the Toungdaree Dedalut to convey to you their sanction for the expenditure of Rupees 742-2 pie now by tatching the Jail attached to the Court under your Charge.

26th May 1843- Signed H. D. Phillipps
Acting Registr

№531 To
The Acting Criminal Judge of Chingleput

Sir

1 Adverting to your communication of the 23d Instant I am desired by the Judges of the Toungdaree Dedalut to point out for your future guidance that the names of the six Convicts whose apprehension is therein reported, as also that of the one who has delivered himself up, should have been specified for their information in order to the making of Corresponding alterations in the Descriptive Rolls of the thirteen escaped Prisoners which were forwarded with your letter of the 20th Instant for publication in the Official Gazette.

2. I am further desired with reference to the Circular Orders noted in the margin to request you will lay before the Judges more specific and detailed information of the 35 Convicts (less that which is contained in your communication) to this Court hitherto received.

2nd March 1822 & 4th December

26th May 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillipps
Acting Registr

№536 To The 2d Judge on Circuit in the
Sir Centre Division-

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Toungdaree Dedalut to return your letter of the 15th Instant forwarding the Record in Case №4 of the Chingleput Calendar for the 1st Sessions 1843, and to state that your communication is deficient in that clearness and precision which are requisite for the elucidation of your own opinions not less than as an assistance in the final decision of this Court.

2 It is observed that the nature of the Crime is very indistinctly depicted- that you admit a deficiency of proof, but recommend a specific punishment- that bad character appears assigned as the motive for severity, and a Petition that the Prisoner be released is sanctioned by your approval.-

3 In conclusion it is requested that hereafter you will record your answers for considering the prisoner guilty and deserving of punishment with greater accuracy and precision-

27th May 1843. Signed R. W. Chadfield
Acting Lieut & Dy Registr

№540 To The Magistrate of Bellary

Sir

1 In reply to your letter of the 15th Instant, submitting for the sanction of Government a quarterly statement of charges on

on account of the Extra Establishment employed for the purpose of aiding the Police in putting down gang robberies within the Hilly tract of the Ryoondroo Talook in the Bellary District.

2. I am desired by the Judges of the Toungdaree Court to request you will, on the occasion of forwarding statements of the above nature also annex for their information your opinion whether, with reference to the present state of the Country, you continue to consider that the necessity for the Extra Establishment still exists and that it cannot be dispensed with.—

29th May 1843.— (Signed) H D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No 68)

No 549. To The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Toungdaree Court to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 23d Instant from the Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah submitting for sanction a statement of expenses incurred for the services of the Extra Police Force employed in the District of Cuddapah during the Month of April last under the sanction of Government conveyed in the minutes of Consultation under date the 7th April 1843.—

2 The Judges of the Toungdaree Court beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting

amounting to (150) one hundred and fifty.—

31st May 1843.— Signed H D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No 550. To
W. Savie Esqr
2d Judge on Circuit in the
Centre Division

Sir,

1. The Acting Judge of Chingleput reported in a letter from the 19th Instant that 35 Convicts had effected their escape from the place of work at about 4 miles distance from Chingleput.

2. Although many of the Prisoners have been reapprehended, the circumstances which were immediately brd to their escape have not been placed before the Court; and I am directed by the Judges to request that you will at the termination of the Cuddalore Sessions, visit Chingleput & make a strict inquiry regarding the matter and report, with the least possible delay, the results of your investigation.—

31st May 1843. (Signed) R. W. Chatfield
Acting Jun. Dl Registr

No. 555 (No. 69)

To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department.

Sir,

1 With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 14th February last: I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a letter dated the 15th Ultimo from the Magistrate of Bellary submitting for Sanction a Quarterly statement of charges incurred on account of the extra Establishment employed for the purpose of aiding the Police in putting down Gang Robbery and preserving the peace in the Hilly Tracts of the Pengondah Talook of the Bellary District during the 3d Quarter of Fusly 1252. or from 1st January to 31st March 1843.

2 The Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut beg to recommend that the Sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting to Rupees (408) four hundred and eight.

2d June 1843. (Signed) W: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 556 To The 2d Judge of the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Southern Division

Sir,

1. With reference to your letter of the 19th Instant forwarding the record of Case No. 1 of the Calendar submitted by the Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly, I am instructed by the Foujdaree Adawlut to return it and to point out that the course pursued by

by you in regard to the 3rd 4th 5th and 6th Prisoners leave the Judges uncertain as to your intentions or opinion.

2. The Foujdaree Udalut observe that it is competent to you to dispose of the 3rd 4th 5th and 6th prisoners, in the event of a verdict of not guilty and the Judges request that you will either acquit and take security from them, according to the circumstances or declare them guilty and then refer the case for the consideration of this Court.

2nd June 1843. (Signed) R. H. Chalfield
Acting Sen. Dep. Regr.

No. 561 To (No. 70.)
The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department.

Sir,

1. With reference to the order of Government dated the 9th July 1839 No. 547 I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to you, to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying Indent (in Duplicate) received from the Acting Criminal Judge of Cuddapah for an Honorary Musket to be bestowed upon Cuddapah the Prosecutor in Criminal Case No. 30 of 1843 on the file of that Court in testimony of his courageous resistance to a Gang of Robbers as directed in the Proceedings of the Foujdaree Udalut

Udalut under date the 6th Inst. 1843.

2. The Judges beg leave to recommend that the Military Board be requested to pass the Indent, in view to the Articles included therein being supplied to the Acting Criminal Judge of Cuddapah.—

5th June 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 562 To (No. 71)
The Secretary to Government.

Sir,

1. With reference to the Communication from this Court, dated the 25th Ultimo forwarding for publication in the Official Gazette a Descriptive Roll of 13 Convicts who recently effected their escape from the vicinity of Chingleput.—

2. I am desired by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit a discriptive Roll of four of the Convicts therein by the Acting Criminal Judge to be the only Prisoners now at large and to request that it may be substituted for the Discriptive Roll forwarded to you in the first instance and that, with the sanction of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, it may be published in the usual manner in the Government Gazette.

5th June 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

To

No 563 To The Provincial Court of Circuit on the Centre Division.

Gentlemen,

1. I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to draw your attention to the undermentioned apparent errors exhibited in the half yearly statements for the 2d half of 1842, submitted with your letter of the 26th April last.-

2. In column 16 of the Jail return received from the Zillah Court of Cuddapah, Rupees 1-7-2. is the sum entered as the Dietary or other weekly allowance Fanams for each prisoner, an amount which seems too large to be correct.-

3 In statement No 2. from the Magistrate of Chittoor 1 case of Gang robbery attended with aggravating circumstances containing 2 persons is entered in Column 5 as not having been disposed of at the date of the last report, but on reference to the statement for the previous half year it does not appear that any case remained undisposed of at the close of the period which it embraced.-

4. You will be pleased therefore to call upon the Criminal Judge of Cuddapah and the Magistrate of Chittoor respectively to furnish explanations regarding the points noticed above, to amend their statements, and return them to this office without delay.-

5th June 1843. (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register

To

No 564 To The Acting Criminal Judge of Combaconum.

Sir;

With reference to your letter dated the 2d Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to inform you that the Most Honorable the Governor in Council approves of the proposition for providing separate accommodation for the sick among the female prisoners in the Combaconum Jail, and accordingly has authorized an application being made to the Civil Engineer of the Division to prepare the necessary Estimate for the construction of an additional ward for that purpose.-

27th Ditto 1843. 5th June 1843.- (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register

No 565 To (No 72)

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir;

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 20th Ultimo from the Acting Criminal Judge of Malabar submitting for sanction an account of escpences incurred in thatching the Jail and Military Hospitals, and repairing the shed in which the Jail Waggons are kept,-

2. With reference to existing rules the Judges beg leave to recommend that Sanction be granted for the estimate in question amounting to Rupees

Rupees (40-3) forty and Spico three.-

3 It will be observed from the copy of
dated 6th June 1843 this Courts Communication to the Acting Zillah Judge
for & to Govt on 6th June 1843 of Malabar that instructions have been issued to him
regarding the rules to be followed in the future repairs
of the buildings adverted to on this occasion.-

6th June 1843.- (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Registr.

No 369 To The Acting Magistrate of Madura.

Forwarding Copy of the Order of Government
dated 2d June 1843. authorizing the nomination of
Mr Ebell to perform the duties of Police Ameen
under Section II Regulation IV of 1821, and directing
that his name may be inserted in the next
Commission of the Peace.-

8th June 1843.- (Sent Original Letter No)

No 370 Memo:

12 printed forms of the Criminal Reports No V.
12 —— Do —— of the —— Do —— Do —— " VI
12 —— Do —— of the —— Do —— Do —— " VIII
12 —— Do of the Monthly Statement of the labor of Convicts.
6 —— Do of the statement shewing the instances in
which the power of punishment created
under Regulation X of 1832.-

Forwarded to the Officiating Joint Criminal
Judge of Tinnevelly with reference to his letter dated
the 31st May 1843.-

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut.
8th June 1843. (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

To

No 371 To (No 73)

The Secretary to Government

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of
Foujdaree Adawlut to submit for the purpose of being laid
before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, a communi-
30th May 1843. -cation from the Acting Judge of Chingleput requesting
sanction to try a Convict who escaped with 9 others from
a Gang employed on the great Western Road and has been
forwarded to the Criminal Court by the Head Assistant
of Tanjore.-

2. In cases like the present it has been the
ordinary course of procedure to forward the convict for trial
to the Jail from which he was originally drafted, but
as the Judges consider that the ends of Justice will better
be satisfied by the adoption of the mode of proceeding
suggested by Mr Daniell they beg to recommend it
for the sanction of Government.-

8th June 1843.- (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No 372 To (No 74)

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut
to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable
the Governor in Council, the accompanying translation of
dated 15th May 1843. a Communication from the Principal Sudr Ameen of
Salem, requesting sanction for the disbursement of the
expences incurred in the employment of four Extra Peons.-

The

The Judges beg leave to recommend that the Sanction of Government may be given for the disbursement of Rupees (27-5-8) twenty seven, Annas five and Pice eight, for the above purpose, the charge having been incurred under the Circular Order No. 18, dated the 15th October 1834.-

Shaves &c.

8th June 1843. } (Signed) W. D. Phillips

Acting Register.

No. 574. To The Officer in Charge of the Zillah Court of Nellore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 31st Ultimo, reporting the death of of Prisoner whilst on the journey to his own zillah, I am directed by the Judges of the Fouydaree Udalut to request you will state whether an inquest was held upon the body, and if so, what was the result of the inquiry.-

9th June 1843. } (Signed) R. W. Chatfield

Acting Sen. Dy.

to the Register.

To

No. 575 To The Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly

Sir,

1. Adverting to your communication of the 31st Ultimo forwarding for the Sanction of this Court an Estimate for the repair of one of the room of the Jail guard House amounting to Rupees 64, I am desired Order of Govt. 28th Sept. 1838 No. 974 to inform you that under the rules inforce it is competent to an officer in charge of judicial buildings at once to carry out any repairs thereto which, as in the case under observation, would appear to be of an obviously emergent nature and after their completion to forward a contingent Bill of the outlay actually incurred.

2. The Judges infer from your communication that the repairs required to the remainder of the building and for which Rupees 192. is the probable amount of outlay necessary, are not of a nature to justify your commencing them without reference to the proper authorities. They would therefore suggest the propriety of your submitting an application to this Court for permission to call on the Civil Engineer of the District to prepare an Estimate of the expense of executing such repairs as on an inspection of the buildings he may consider it advisable to make.-

9th June 1843.- (Signed) W. D. Phillips

Acting Register.

G. O. 31st July 1838. Ogl. Gazette pages 530.

No. 576 To The Secretary to Government. (No. 75.)

Sir,

1. I am desired by the Judges of the Fouydaree

Foujdaree Adalut to forward for submission to the
Most Honorable the Governor in Council the annexed
31st May 1843. transcript of a communication from the Acting Joint
Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly bringing to notice the
present state of the extensive roads at that station
and requesting the recommendation of this Court that
eleven yoke of draft bullocks from the Public Cattle
department, "including one extra yoke to meet casualties,
may be placed at his disposal," with six additional
casts," for employment in conjunction with the Convicts
in the Trichinopoly jail in improving the roads of
the Cantonment.—

2. It is understood that the Acting Joint
Criminal Judge has now at his disposal four casts
and it is believed that no public cattle are located
at Trichinopoly with the exception of the bullocks
attached to the Artillery.—

3. The Acting Joint Criminal Judge would
appear under this circumstances to contemplate the
removal to Trichinopoly from an outstation, of the
cattle which he has stated to be necessary for carrying
out the repairs to the road which are so much needed.

4. As Mr. Beauchamp has in view to
place the bullocks, of supplied for the purpose
in question, under charge of the resident Commissariat
officer and he has in the opinion of the Court of Foujdaree
Adalut

Adalut sufficiently shown the escpediency of thoroughly
renewing the roads in preference to continuing the
system of applying a partial and temporary remedy
as occasion may require the Judges beg to support
the application they now submit and respectfully to
suggest that a reference be made to the proper
department in order to the Acting Joint Criminal
Judge's proposition being complied with if it can
be done without inconvenience or detriment to the
public service.—

10th June 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 584. To The Acting Criminal Judge of
Chingleput.

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 8th
of this Month, I am directed by the Judges of the
Foujdaree Adalut to inform you that orders were issued
by the Government under date the 3d Ultimo, through
the Military Department to detach temporarily an
additional Dresser to afford Medical aid to the
gang of Convicts employed at a distance from the
Jail of Chingleput.—

2. A transcript of that order appears from
the records of this Court, to have been forwarded to
you, under date the 16th Ultimo, and the Court have no
doubt, that delay will not occur in the arrival of
the Dresser who may have been departed to perform
the

the required duty.-
15th June 1843. (Signed) J: D: Linn.
Actg. Mr. Asstt. to the Regr.

No 386 To (No 76)

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department.

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Adalut to submit for the purpose of being laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council a letter dated the 1st instant from the 2nd Judge on Circuit in the Centre Division forwarding a petition from "John Dowling" an European convict in the Jail of Cuddalore and recommending that he may be sent to Europe.-

2. The Prisoner, who was formerly a private in Her Majesty's 46th Foot, was tried before the Court of Circuit in the Centre Division at the 2nd Sessions of 1824. on a charge of Murder, and having been convicted was sentenced to be imprisoned for life.

3. The correspondence which has already passed between the Court and the Government regarding the Prisoner John Dowling, is, for facility of reference, noted in the Margin.

4 On the 8th May 1841 the 2nd Judge of the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Centre Division submitted a correspondence with the Principal Judge and Zillah Surgeon of Bellary relative to the Prisoners state of health.-

5 The Zillah Surgeon certified that the Prisoner

Prisoner was labouring under an aberration of intellect, and that the disorder was likely to become aggravated by his continued imprisonment in the Bellary Jail, where he was the only European, and on this account, as well as on account of the general bad state of his health he recommended that he should be transferred to the Lunatic Asylum at Madras.-

6. The 2nd Judge in supporting this recommendation, added his suggestion that a remission of the unexpired part of the Prisoner's sentence be solicited of the Government, on the ground that he had in reality endured a severity of punishment far exceeding what his sentence contemplated, and he stated that there could be little doubt, that the mental aberration of the prisoner was the result of an imprisonment approximating to solitary confinement, which has been found, when carried too far, to impair the powers of the mind.-

7. Under the circumstances brought to notice by the 2nd Judge, the Court of Fouydaree Adalut authorized the removal of the Prisoner from the Jail at Bellary to the Lunatic Asylum at Madras, but they deferred the consideration of the suggestion of the 2nd Judge as to a remission of punishment to a future occasion.-

8. But on the 10th August 1841. the

2nd

2nd Judge submitted a copy of a further correspondence relative to the Prisoner in question, and for the reasons stated in the Zillah Surgeons letter of the 4th August 1841, recommended that he should be sent to Cuddalore instead of to Madras.

9. The reasons which led the Zillah Surgeon to depart from his former suggestion, and to prefer the Jail at Cuddalore to the Lunatic Asylum, are stated in his letter of the 4th August 1841, referred to above, a copy of which accompanies this letter, and the Court of Foujdaree Adalut upon further consideration directed that the Prisoner be sent to Cuddalore instead of to Madras.

Vide Nos. Fdt. 27th Augt 1841.

10. From the Petition now submitted as well as from the remarks of the Circuit Judge it would appear that the Prisoner "John Dowling" has partially if not entirely been restored to the enjoyment of his reason.

11. In recommending to the favorable consideration of Government the prayer of the Petitioner that he may be sent to Europe, the Judges beg to observe that altho the magnitude of his offence will not permit his being presented as an object of mercy it will as an object of humanity, his confinement, almost solitary, has extended thro a period of 20 years, and such a punishment may be considered an atonement for any crime, and has been

been defined by the framer of the new Indian Code for India equivalent to a sentence of death.

16th June 1843. (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 591. To The Magistrate of Malabar

Sir,

Forwarding for his information copy of an Extract Minutes of Consultation dated the 10th June 1843 together with copy of a Despatch from the Honorable the Court of Directors regarding the Moplas of Malabar.

17th June 1843. (Sent Usual letter No.)

No. 592. (No. 78)

To The Secretary to Government.

Sir,

1. Adverting to the annexed transcript of a communication from the Acting Criminal Judge of Chingleput, forwarding, with reference to the Extract Minutes of Consultation dated the 31st Ultimo, No. 256, a contingent Bill for Rupees 25-8-9, submitted by the Cheristadar of the Court at that Station on account of batta and expences claimed for attendance recently at the Supreme Court as a witness in a case of theft in which the Government prosecuted.

2. I am desired to express the opinion of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut that, under the circumstances stated, an officer of the class to which the Cheristadar belongs, has no just claim on the Government either for the amount of wages to two attendants, during the period of his absence from his official duty.

Rs 13--

Rs 4-8--

3. They would, however, respectfully suggest for

for the consideration and eventual sanction of Govern-
=ment the grant of Rupees 8. which appears to have been
expended by the Seristadar in payment of the hire of
a Bullock Coach to and from Madras.-

17th June 1843. (Signed) H. D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 573 To The Acting Magistrate of
Cuddapah.

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the
23d Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree
Adalut to inform you that the charges on account
of the Extra Police Establishment employed in the
District of Cuddapah during the month of April 1843.
amounting to Rupees (150) one hundred and fifty was
sanctioned by Government under date the 10th Instant.-

19th June 1843.- (Signed) H: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 574 To The Criminal Judge of
Chingleput.

Forwarding Copy of an Extract from the
Minutes of Consultation under date 13th Instant Sanctioning
as a temporary measure the entertainment of an additional
2d Dresser to the present Establishment for the purpose
of being detached to afford Medical aid to the Gang
of Convicts employed at a distance from the Zillah
of Chingleput.-

19th June 1843 (Sent usual letter &c)

No. 575. To The Acting Criminal Judge of
Chingleput.

Sir,

I. The Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut direct-
me.

me to transmit for your information the annexed
copy of the Communication noted in the margin, and
to request you will adopt measures for bringing to
trial the party or parties whom you may ascertain
to have been guilty of wounding in the manner
described by Mr. Lavie, the fugitive convicts,
provided you are satisfied that the testimony
procurable will sufficiently support a Criminal
prosecution.

2. The Judges presume you have acted on
the 3d Judges suggestion to notice the neglect of
the Lance. Naigue and Peons to whose misconduct
the escape of the 35 Convicts is mainly attributed,
in the manner indicated in the Regulation referred
to in his communication beg you will specially
report the result of the investigation which you
may have made.

3. Adverting to the opinion expressed
in para: 9 of the 3d Judge's letter the Judges of
the Foujdaree Adalut will be prepared to sanction
the infliction without delay, of the Corporal
punishment which appears to have been
awarded to certain of the recaptured Convicts,

on

on receiving from you in the usual course a duly
Special application for the requisite authority.
19th June 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 596 Memorandum

12 Printed forms of the Monthly Statement of the labor of Convicts
Forwarded to the Acting Joint
Criminal Judge of Cochin with reference to his letter
dated the 8th June 1843.

By Order of the Court of Toujdaree Adalut.
19th June 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 597 (No 79)

To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir.

1 I am desired by the Court of
Toujdaree Adalut to transmit for submission
to the Most Honorable the Governor in Council
the

the annexed copy of a communication from the
Acting Magistrate of Madura reporting the pro-
gress made in the enquiry he was ordered to insti-
tute by this Courts proceedings of date 24th April
1843 relating to the charge preferred against
the Ex Manager of the Ramnad Zemindary -

2 Adverting to the information sub-
mitted by Mr. Morehead there appears a
probability of the forthcoming testimony
being sufficient for the conviction of two of
individuals whom he has named and who
are now on their trial before that Gentleman as
Magistrate.

3 Under the circumstances attending the
original accusation against the late Manager
Muttoo Chilla Tavern and his release the Court of
Toujdaree Adalut are of opinion that on the event
of the two Prisoners annasamy Tyrn and Cotay
Tavern being committed for further trial before
the Criminal authorities it will be advisable
the proceedings should be held at a station
other

other than Madura and accordingly they beg to submit with their recommendation the Acting Magistrate's application to be permitted under clause first Section II Regulation III of 1827. to commit the case to the Joint Criminal Judge of the Auxiliary Court at Trichinopoly.

19th June 1843 (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No. 80)

No. 603 To The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 12th Instant from the Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly requesting sanction to call upon the Civil Engineer for an Estimate for certain repairs required to the buildings attached to the Jail at that station.

2. With reference to the more detailed information on the subject of the Acting Joint Criminal Judge's application which is contained in the transcript of his communication to this Court dated the 31st Ultimo, copy of which is also annexed, the Judges beg leave to recommend that he be authorized to call on the Civil Engineer to prepare and submit an Estimate of such repairs as on an inspection of the premises may

may be found to be necessary and advisable.

20th June 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 604 (No. 81)

To The Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of the Minutes of Consultation under date the 18th February last (No. 185). requesting the sentiments of the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut on the subject of Convict labor in gangs and at a distance from their own Jails - as a measure of punishment its effects on the habits and character as well as the general peace and security of the country.

2. Before replying to the preceding important questions the Judges considered it would be satisfactory to the Government to possess the opinions of those officers in the Interior whose whose position afforded the most favorable opportunities for observation, and the following brief remarks may be viewed as the result of this enquiry combined with the personal experience of the Judges of this Court.

3. As a measure of punishment the operation of the system of Gang labor at a distance from their own Jails cannot perhaps be clearly traced; it is, however, one of an unequal nature, of excessive severity on one part and of severity by adding an indefinite period of

banishment

banishment to the original sentence of imprisonment, and of leniency by facilitating communion with friends and relatives whilst, from the want of efficient surveillance and the well regulated discipline of a Jail, the amount of labor is sensibly diminished and the manner of feeding and detaining such as to offer an appearance if not a reality of liberty which, however it may promote health and contentment, annihilates almost the semblance of imprisonment.-

4 The danger resulting to the peace of the community at large by the escape of Convicts is looked upon as too palpable to require any lengthened remark; its evils have been extensively felt and instances of a late date are not wanting to prove that some of the greatest excess have been perpetrated by Gangs whose chiefs were escaped Convicts, and as the facility of escape is greater from huts and Tents than from a well constructed Jail with a properly organised Establishment who, if overpowered, can be immediately reinforced, so, the difficulty of reapprehension is great.-

5. The constant reports from the provinces of escapes or attempted escapes shew that the Convicts are aware of these circumstances and willing to take advantage of every favorable opportunity.-

6. The inability to classify the Prisoners in

any proportion to their crimes and characters must it seems, to the Judges, be injurious to the morals of the better disposed; and the location of lawless characters amongst the peaceful inhabitants of a District, without that severity of restraint which should accompany and mark imprisonment, must have a tendency not less injurious to private than public harmony.-

7. The Judges would in the last place observe that the system is almost entirely subversive of what is called "person discipline".-

21st. June 1843.- (Signed) H. D. Phillips.
Acting Registr.-

No. 610

To
The Acting 3rd. Judge on Circuit in the
Northern Division.

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut, to transmit to you Copy of a letter addressed to them registers, by the Criminal Judge of Rajahmundry under date the 6th instant and to request that they may receive from you such observations, as the subject and call made by Mr. Anstruther may appear to you to render necessary.-

4th May 1843. 2. The Judges did not require your letter when it came under discussion, in the light but it has been viewed by Mr. Anstruther, and they regret that he has taken exception to expressions, which the capable of yielding the meaning ascribed to them,

appeared

appeared to the Court to have been used argumentatively, and as intended to convey your different view of the meaning and character of Cross examination.—

3. The Judges desire me to observe that in now addressing you, they have no intention to express any sentiment at variance with the correctness of your proceedings, which had already been approved by them.—

21st June 1843.— (Signed) H. D. Whitley
Acting Registr.

No. 611. To The Magistrate of Malabar.

Sir;

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant reporting the discovery, on the 30th April last, of the body of a Hindoo woman, with evident marks of violence on it; and requesting permission to offer a reward of Rupees 300, to be paid to any person, not actually concerned, who shall afford such information as shall lead to the discovery of the perpetrators of the murder. In reply I am directed to inform you that the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut authorize you to offer the amount specified in the manner proposed.—

21st June 1843. (Signed) I. D. Sim.
Acting Dy. Assistt. to the Register.

No. 612. To The Acting Magistrate of Madura.

Transmitting Copy of an Extract Minutes of Consultation under date the 20th Instant authorizing him to forward the prisoners Annasamy Iyen and Cotay Taver for examination before the Joint Criminal Judge at Trichinopoly.—

21st June 1843.— (Sent usual letter No.)

No. 614. To The Acting Criminal Judge of Chingleput.

Sir;

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 31st Ultimo, reporting the result of your investigation of the circumstances relative to the escape of the Prisoner mentioned in your letter of the 10th Ultimo and forwarding translations of the depositions taken before you from the Duffadar and Peons in charge of the Prisoners at the time of his escape.—

2. With reference to the 2 and 3. paras: of your communication the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut are of opinion that the conduct of the Peons in question is fully cognizable under the provisions of Section XI. Regulation XIII of 1832. and that the Culpable negligence and gross inattention displayed by them on that occasion renders them fitting objects for punishment.— I am therefore directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to request that you

you will take the necessary steps for bringing them to trial in the Criminal charge.-
22nd June 1843.- (Signed) W: D: Sim
Acting Regr. of the

No. 615 To
The Provincial Court of Circuit in the Register.-
Gentlemen, Western Division.

With reference to your letter dated the 19th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to inform you that the charge of Rupees (27-5-8) twenty seven annas five and pice eight incurred by the Principal Sudr. Ameen of Siray in the employment of four extra Peons under Circular Order No. 18. dated the 15th October 1834, was sanctioned by the Government on the 17th Instant.-
22nd June 1843.- (Signed) W: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 616 To
The Acting Criminal Judge of
Sir, Chingleput.

With reference to your letter dated the 30th Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to inform you that the Government, under date the 17th Instant, granted authority with reference to the provisions of Section III Regulation I of

of 1833 for the trial of the Prisoner Colapooly by the Criminal Court at Chingleput.-

I have the honor to be.
Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant
22nd June 1843. (Signed) W: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 619 To
The Acting Criminal Judge of
Sir, Cuddapah.-

With reference to your letter dated the 29th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to inform you that Government under date the 17th Instant ordered the Military Board to comply with the Indent for an Honorary Musket to be bestowed upon Coodappah the Prosecutor in Criminal Case No. 30 of 1843 on the file of your Court in testimony of his courageous resistance to a gang of Robbers.-
23rd June 1843. (Signed) W: D: Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 621. To (No. 82.)
The Secretary to Government in the
Sir, Judicial Department
I- I am directed to transmit for submission to the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the

the accompanying Bill, received from the Acting Criminal Judge of Chittoor on account of expences incurred by Pensioned Bombadier T. Melsby in attending the Criminal Court to give evidence in Case No. 66 of 1843 at Chittoor, amounting to Rupees (3-13-7) three, annas thirteen and pice seven.-

2. The Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut beg to recommend that sanction be granted for paying to Pensioned Bombadier T. Melsby the amount to which he may be entitled under the circumstances stated, according to the principle laid down in the order of Government dated the 17th March 1837. No. 269.

23d. June 1843.

(Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Registar.

No. 621 To (No. 83)

The Secretary to Government.

Sir;

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to report, for the consideration and final orders of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, that the Provincial Court in the Centre Division have recommended a remission to the extent of 2 years, in the sentences of two Prisoners by name Coyan and Rungum, who not only refused to join certain other Convicts in effecting their escape, but afforded essential service in recapturing two of the gang after the guard had been overpowered.

2. The above two Convicts are each undergoing

undergoing a sentence of 14 years imprisonment, of which 7 are unexpired in the case of Coyan and 9 in that of Rungum.-

3. It appears from Lt. Robertsons statement, as submitted by Captain Worster on the 8th of February last, that on the 31st of January a party of 20 Convicts was detached for the purpose of making Bricks under a guard of 4 Peons, and that when the daily task was completed 14 out of the 20 made a rush upon and disarmed their guard, and then filled in the direction of the Hills. that 3 of the convicts remained passive, and 3 effected the recapture of two of the fugitives with are unarmed.

4. The Foujdaree Adalut in their proceedings of 6th. May last directed the Provincial Court to enter into a strict enquiry as to the conduct of the Peons, and at the same time, to state their opinion regarding the aid afforded by the Prisoners so highly commended by Lt. Robertson.-

5. The Provincial Court, after carefully investigating the circumstances consider the conduct of the two preceding Prisoners, Coyan and Rungum, deserving the favorable notice of Government, and the Court of Foujdaree Adalut concurring in this opinion would beg to recommend a remission of their respective sentences to the extent of two Years.-

23d. June 1843.- (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

To

No. 624 To (No. 84)

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir;

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you, to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying Copy of a letter, dated the 17th Instant, from the Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah, submitting for sanction a Statement of expences incurred for the Services of the Extra Police Peons employed in the District of Cuddapah during the month of May last under the sanction of Government, conveyed in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, under date the 7th April 1843.

2. The Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting to Rupees (150) one hundred and fifty.-

24th June 1843.- (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 625 To The Register in charge zillah Court of Nellore.

Sir;

I Adverting to your communication dated the 17th instant reporting the circumstances attending the death of the Prisoner Gorrala Sunnasee, I am desired by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to point out that the information called for in the communication from this Court dated the 9th instant was whether an request was held on the body of the Prisoner

Prisoner in question and if so what was the result of the enquiry.-

2. As the particulars required by the Judges have not been laid before the Court in your letter under observation you are requested to supply them at your earliest convenience.-

24th June 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 626 To The Acting Criminal Judge of Malabar.

Sir;

With reference to your letter dated the 20th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to inform you that the Estimate for thatching the Jail and Military Hospital at Mangalore and repairing the shed in which the Jail Waggons are kept, amounting to Rupees (40-4-3) forty and five three, was sanctioned by the Government on the 20th Instant.-

24th June 1843.- (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No. 631 To The Magistrate of South Arcot Nellore and Masulipatam

Sir;

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to call your attention to the

letter

letter from this Court dated the 17th October 1842, requesting an opinion whether any and what objections exist to the passing a Legislative enactment abolishing the distinction of Right and left hand castes, and to beg you will submit it at your earliest convenience

26th June 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

No. 632 To
The Joint Criminal Judge at
Gumtoor
Sir;

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to direct your attention to this Courts letter of the 27th April last calling for any information you may be enabled to afford respecting the expediency of dieting the prisoners in the Jail under your control on Kholum or Rogee in lieu of Rice - and to desire that you will submit the required information without further delay -

26th June 1843. } (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

To

No. 633. To
The Acting Magistrate of
Madura.
Sir;

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to request that when the enquiry against the Prisoners Arumasawmy Ayen and Cutty Tauer has been closed in the Magisterial department you will return to this office the record of the Trial in Case No. 1 of the Madura 1st Supplemental Calendar for the 1st Sessions of 1843. forwarded to you with their Proceedings of the 5th May 1843.

26th June 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

No. 634 To (No. 85.)
The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department.
Sir;

I am instructed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to transmit, for the purpose of being laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, the annexed Copy of a letter, dated the 20th Instant, from the Acting Criminal Judge of Chingleput requesting authority to try a Convict named Ramasawmy who effected his escape on the 12th April last from the Gang at Road pettah on the Great Western Road, and who has been forwarded to the Criminal Court at Chingleput by the Acting Criminal Judge of Combaconum -

In

Foy daree Diary 26th June 1843.

2. In compliance with the request of the Acting Criminal Judge, the Court of Foy daree Udalut beg to recommend that, under the provisions of Section III Regulation I of 1833, the sanction of Government may be granted for the trial of the Prisoner Ramasawmy by the Criminal Court at Chingleput.-

26th June 1843.- (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No 635 To

The 1st Judge of the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Centre Division

Sir,

Adverting to instructions received from Government regarding the approaching changes in the judicial system, I am directed by the Judges of the Foy daree Udalut, with reference to your Communication of the 23d instant, to request you will fix an earlier date not later than the 10th proximo for opening at Cuddapah the 2d Sessions of the current year.-

26th June 1843.- (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No 645 To

The Several Criminal and Joint Criminal Judges Principal Sudr Ameens and Agents at Ganjam & Vizagapatam.

Sir,

I The Notice of the Judges of the Court

Foy daree Diary 30th June 1843.

Court of Foy daree Udalut has on several occasions been drawn to the unnecessary expenditure of paper by the form generally observed in framing the Monthly Criminal Reports - in some instances a separate page is bestowed upon each subject, even if the whole of that subject is contained in one or two lines. In other cases a much more extensive hiatus is permitted than the division of matter seems to demand.-

Crimal J of Bellary
Agt do do Chingleput
do do do Chittoor
do do do Cuddapah
do do Rajahmundry
Agt do do Combaconum
do do Madura
do do Salem
do do Malabar
do do Canara
Joint do do Cuddalore
Agt do do do Masulipatam
do do do do Guntoor
do do do do Vizagapatam
do do do do Trichinopoly
Offg do do do Tinnevelly
do do do Combatore
do do do Tellicherry
Agt do do do Cochin
Regt in charge Nellore
Agent do Ganjam
Agt do Vizagapatam
Principal S. A. Tchapoor
do do Surat
Agt do do Poonah

2. With a view to economy in stationery the Court desire to see this unnecessary expenditure curtailed, and I am directed to request that you will in future so far modify and condense your Reports as to insure a considerable saving without in the least degree affecting their value as papers of Record.-

30th June 1843. } (Signed) R. W. Chatfield
Acting Senr Deputy Regr

No. 646

Memorandum

4 Printed forms of the Half yearly Criminal Statement No.
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Forwarded to the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Western Division with reference to their letter dated the 20th June 1843.

No. 635

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut.
30th June 1843.

(Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 645

649 To

The Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly

Transmitting Copy of an Extract Minutes Consultation under date the 26th Ultimo, requesting the Military Department to issue the necessary instructions for placing at his disposal the requisite number of public Cattle and Carts for Employment in proving the roads in the Contonment at Trichinopoly.

1st July 1843. (Sent usual letter) No.

650 To,

The Secretary to the Medical Board.

Sir,

1. With reference to your letter dated 14th February 1843, returning the General Statement of Prisoners for the 1st Half year of 1842 prepared in this Court and requesting that an annual General Statement dated 1st January 1843 may be furnished to the Medical Board in its stead I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Members the accompanying Statement drawn up for the year 1842 and prepared in the form approved by Government under date the 28th November 1840.

2. The Judges direct are at the same time to observe that in para 3 of Minutes of Consultation dated the 3rd September 1842 reference is made only to Statements similar to those which have been usually laid by this Court before the Government and that it was on those Grounds the Judges directed the preparation of the Statement which appears to have been insufficient for the purpose of the Board.

3. They trust that which is now forwarded in Conformity with the wishes of the Board will supply the necessary information.

3rd July 1843.

I have &c
(Signed) H. D. Phillips
Register

General

General Statement of Prisoners, prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in C

Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842

1	2.	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10					11	12	13.		
No. of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Debtors or persons confined under Regulation IX 1822	Number of Prisoners Sentenced by the Lyttle Magistrates and Criminal Judge	Number of Prisoners Sentenced by the Court of Circuit or Foujdary Adawlut	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners above time	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail						Prisoners Employed	Prisoners not Employed	Punishment for Offences within the Prison		
									Male	Female	Male	Female	Male			Whipping	Solitary Confinement	Dietary
Nellore Zillah Court	750	200	5	2	54	5	172	77	199	5	1	"	232	14	2	2	"	168
Rajahmundry Zillah Court	420	128	9	"	36	375	517	1	1269	2	"	160	8	2	"	"	114	4

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Sickness	Reasons for non-Employment of Prisoners with reference to Column 12.	Dietary or other weekly Allowance and weekly Cost per Head of Guards for the same	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost per Annum	Hours of Labor	Attendance of the Medical Officer and whether the Hospital is separate from the Prison
Fever 15 Rheumatism Dysentery Eye Cholera Asthma Ulcers	10	15 Committed for trial before the Court of Circuit 6 Under Examination 3. Instances 24	A Value of 7 Seers of rice given to each prisoner weekly at 5 Rice per seer per diem " 3 " Value of curry Stuff &c. given to each Prisoner weekly at the rate of 2½ Rice per diem " 1-6 Value of Green grain or Ghee or Oil given to each Prisoner on every Sunday " 2 The Salary of each Peon per four Convicts on work is 5 Rs. of which is weekly salary for guarding each Convict is about " 4-6 " 9-2 B Value of a piece of Cloth given to each Prisoner per year is " 14 " Ditto of a Cumbly Do per Do " 10 " 1-8 "	A 9—2 1—8 B	From after 8 O'clock to 12 A.M. and from after 1 to 4½ P.M. Two hours are allowed to them in the morning to cook and take their rice and one at noon to take their rest.	The Medical Officer is in attendance. The Hospital is separate from the Prison but is situated within the same Compound wall.
189	11	3	1. Prisoner is sick and 18 Prisoners are Committed for Trial before Court of Circuit	To male Prisoners one seer of Cholum & ½ Rice is served out daily — The female Prisoners are allowed ¾ seer of Cholum & ½ Rice daily taking the average price Cholum at 2 Rice per seer the allowance to a male Prisoner will amount to 3 annas ½ Rice a week and that to a female Prisoner to 3 annas 2½ Rice a week Boys receive the same allowance as grown up men The monthly Cost for guards is on an average Rupees 155—14—8½ at the rate	Each Male Prisoner is furnished with a Cloth of the Value of 4 annas and with a mat of the Value of 2 Rice every third month & with a cumbly of the Value of the Value of 8 annas ½ Rice once a year making the annual Cost of Clothing and Bedding 14 annas 10 Rice The female Convicts receive each a Cloth of the Value 8 annas every third month besides the mat and Cumbly.	From 5 to 11 and from 2 to 5½ P.M.	The Medical Officer attends daily at about 9 O'clock in the morning and again at 5 O'clock in the evening if requisite. The Cells within the Jail Compound is set a part for the purpose of an Hospital.

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Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Jail or Prisoners. The Prison is capable of containing	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Prisoners. Debtors sentenced under Regulation IX 1822	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Magistrates or persons employed under Regulation IX 1822	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Court of Circuit or Judge	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Criminal Court	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners Convicted of Capital Crimes	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail	Prisoners Employed	Prisoners not Employed	Punishments for Offences within the Prison	Sickness and Death	Reward for new Employment of Prisoners with reference to Column 12.	Dietary or other weekly Allowance and weekly Cost per Head including Cost of Guards per Annum	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost for that account	Hours of Labor	Attendance of Medical Officer, and whether the Hospital is within the Jail walls or separate from the Prison
													Males / Females / Total					
Gunloor --- Anjengo Court	7 500	244	4	4	1	28	2	171	141	244	"	"	260	6	4	2	2	193
Vizagapatam --- Canonically Anjengo Court	270	184	3	2		91	1	82	29	143	"	"	236	"	22	0	2	147

× Of these 39 were sentenced by the Military Courts Martial, and by the Governor's Agent at Vizagapatam. 39

14	15	16	17	18	19
Sickness and Death	Reward for new Employment of Prisoners with reference to Column 12.	Dietary or other weekly Allowance and weekly Cost per Head including Cost of Guards per Annum	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost for that account	Hours of Labor	Attendance of Medical Officer, and whether the Hospital is within the Jail walls or separate from the Prison
		rate of 1 Rd 1 anna 9 6 3/4 piece an an average age of each Prisoner, forming the monthly food and guards for each Male Prisoner 2 Rd 6 3/4 piece, and for each female Prisoner 1 R. 15 Ad and 3 3/4 piece, and for each female Prisoner 1 R. 15 Ad and 3 3/4 Piece			
227 22 2	Sentenced with without labour	For Prisoners to whom rice issued " 13-7 Ds Ds Saundis issued " 9-5	For male " 12-9 For female " 11 "	8	Medical Officer attends daily the Hospital is within the Jail walls.
224 13 13	2 State Prisoners 2 Civil Prisoners 6 Security Prisoners 9 Committed for Criminal Trials	Rd as P. " 10 11	For a male Rd as P. 1 5 7 For a female Rd as P. 2 1 7	From 8 A.M. till 4 P.M.	Medical Officer in attendance daily. Hospital Separate from the Prison

General Statement of Prisoners, prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in C

Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13.	14	15	16.	17	18	19
No. of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing.	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Debtors.	Number of Prisoners Sentenced by the Court of Session to Transportation for Life	Number of Prisoners Sentenced by the Court of Session to Imprisonment for Life	Number of Prisoners Sentenced by the Court of Session to Imprisonment for a Term	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of Age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of Age	Greatest number of Prisoners at one time	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail	Prisoners Employed	Prisoners not Employed	Punishments for Offences within the Prison	Sickness	Reasons for non-Employment of Prisoners with reference to Column 12.	Dietary or other weekly Allowance and Weekly Cost per Head, including Cost of Guards, Hospitals &c.	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost for Establishment that account	Number of Deaths	Attendance of the Medical Officer and Visits to the Prison with reference to Rule from the Prison
													Sick					
													Dead					
													Total					
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
													One	Time	3 Times	4 & more times	Total Solitary Confinement	Employed & Solitary Confinement

Masulipatam Auxy Court

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General Statement of Prisoners, prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in C

Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
No. of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing.	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Debtors or persons confined under Regulation IX 1822	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Magistrates under Regulation Crimi. Jurisdiction	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Court of Circuit or Criminal Judge	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners admitted during the year	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail	Prisoners Employed	Prisoners not Employed	Punishments for offences within the Prison	Sickness	Remarks as to mortality of Prisoners with reference to Columns 12.	Dietary or other weekly allowance and weekly Cutcherry Establishment of Guards &c.	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost for Establishment	House of Correction	Whether any of the Prisoners Officers and Establishment of the Prison have been from the Prison
													Deaths					
		Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Once. / Twice. / 3 Times / 4 & more times	Total Admissions	Discharged / Died / Escaped / Executed							
Nellapoor Principal Sadr Adawlut Court	108	22	1	-	6	10	1	6	22	1	-	39	2	-	-	16	1	6	2	-
Guntoor Magistrate Cauvery & Chandragiry New Jails	52 / 140 = 192	109	-	-	-	-	-	109	-	-	-	109	-	-	-	146	98	10	1	-

108	22	1	-	6	10	1	6	22	1	-	39	2	-	-	16	1	6	2	-	77	13	-	Being Committed to be tried before the Court of Circuit	Rs. 9 a. 9 p.	Rs. 1 a. 6 p.	Rs. 8 a. 8 p.	From 6 to 8 a.m. From 4 to 8 P.M.	Twice daily since the second Dresser quitted this station, but he having rejoined on the 29th Dec. once daily from that date. The Hospital is not separate from the prison, the first Cell is allotted for a Dispensary, and the second next it for an Hospital
140	109	-	-	-	-	-	109	-	-	-	109	-	-	-	146	98	10	1	-	109	-	-	6	14	-																	
192																														

Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.

All Sum of Pice for diet
Cash allowed for Hospital
4 Prisoners in charge of
Barber's monthly pay 5 Rs
for the guarding of a Sick

2 Peons Annually
2 Pairs of Cloth at 4 Rs
2 Pairs of Leather shoes
Barber one in 3 months
1 Cutchy annually

31 3 2 ---------- 11 6 96 1 11 - Hours Viz. from 6 to 12 Forenoon & 2 to 5 P.M. The Medical Officer attends regularly the Hospitals is separate from the Jails

General Statement of Prisoners, prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in C... Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10					11	12	13			
No. of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Debtors confined under Regulation IX 1822 male & female	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Magistrates or Criminal Judge and Circuit Court of Session male & female	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Court of Circuit or Sessions male & female	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age male & female	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age male & female	Number of Prisoners sentenced to Transportation male & female	Greatest number of Prisoners above time male & female	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail male & female					Prisoners employed male & female	Prisoners not employed male & female	Punishments for Offences within the Prison			
									Once male & female	Twice male & female	3 times male & female	4 & more times male & female	Total taken male & female			Whipping male & female	Rattanning Do. male & female	Solitary Confinement male & female	
Rajahmundry Magistrate Prisoners 60	60					60			60				60						
Vizagapatam Magistrate } 70	20					20			20				31	1					

14	15	16	17	18	19
Sickness: Number of Prisoners taken ill during the year; Deaths	Remarks giving employment of Prisoners sentenced to Labour	Dietary or other weekly allowance and weekly Cost per Head in the Jail of Convicts for Food and Clothing	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost per Head in that account	Hours of Labour	Attendance of the Medical Officer and whether the Prisoners have access from the Prison
300 Cases of sickness of a trivial nature.	12 " "	Average cost per week per each Prisoner 6 Pk. 4k. P. " 7 " For 15 Peons 6 Pk. 7 5 per mensem	1 14 6	From 7½ in the morning to 12 Oclock and from 1 to 5 Oclock in the evening	Collectorate Dresser attends while at Cocanada and at other places the Medical and there respective Villages afforded in Cases of sickness of a trifling nature. There are no separate hospitals for the sick, in the Prisoners
15	2 " "	Every prisoner in the Jail receives a seer of rice and ¼ piece in money daily the guard attached to the Jail Consists of one Daffadar and five peons, the former of whom receives 7 and the latter 5 Pk. each monthly.	Every prisoner yearly gets 2 pieces of Cloth worth 12 annas and 1 Cumbly worth 8 annas	From 8 A.M to 4 P.M.	Medical — and when required is afforded by the Officer in Medical charge of the Regiment at the station.

The Magistrate Jail at Cocanada is Capable of Containing 30 Persons, and temporary Prisons are created at different places, whenever it is necessary to locate the 30 Prisoners, Comprising each of the 2 ganges of officers sent for their accommodation

The convicts are paid at the rate of 1 Seer of rice and ¼ Piece each per diem, but there is no other weekly allowance. They are also furnished each with a cloth and a mat every month and a cumbly a year

When ever a convict is really sick, he is sent to the Jail at Rajahmundry, and another is received in lieu

The prison Cocanada is sufficient for a gang of 30 Prisoners, and that for the other is built temporarily in the different divisions, in which they work

General Statement of Prisoners prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in C

Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			11	12	13			14	15	16	17	18	19
No. of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Debtors confined under Regulation IX 1822	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Magistrates and Police Courts	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Court of Circuit or Foujdary Adawlut	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Civil Courts	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age	Greatest number of Prisoners at one time	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail			Prisoners Employed	Prisoners not Employed	Punishments for Offences within the Prison			Number of Prisoners sick	Reasons given by non-Employment of Prisoners with reference to Column 12.	Dietary or other monthly allowance and monthly Cost per Head in which such Cost per Guard is paid	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost per Head and that account	Hours of Labor	Attendance of the Medical Officer and whether the Prisoners sick are sent from the Prison
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female			Whipping	Solitary Confinement	Irons						
Cumbaconum Zillah Court	606	175	27	6	-	61	779	12	29	8	174	26	1	1	240	20	12	"	"	153	"	1	1	"	"	142	20	15	1	Blained.	Per Diem 1 — " 12 — " Total 1 — 12 —	From 7 to 12 A.M. " 1 " 4 P.M. " 6 " 8 "	Daily also as often as may be necessary — Sepoys attending to also provided.
Madura Zillah Court	410	233	4	6	-	52	99	76	42	31	4	2	-	281	1	3	-	2	120	12	105	4	23	"	126	14	24	A	Per Diem 0 — 8 — 3 — 9 3/8	1 Comby and 1 Cloth each every Six months Per Diem 0 — 3 — 9 — 55 4/7	From 7 in the morning to 5 O'Clock in the Evening	Inspected the Jails every saturday and attends the Hospital every day which is within the Jail.

A The number entered in Column 12 Consists of Revenue defaulters Confined for non payment of fine imposed by the Civil Court & by the Court of Circuit who were not sent to hard labor owing to untried Prisoners and persons also of a few prisoners sentenced for physical infirmity

General Statement of Prisoners, prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in C... Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10				11	12	13.		
	No. of Prisoners. The Prisoner is capable of entertaining.	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Debtors or persons confined under Regulation IX 1822	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Magistrate under Criminal Law	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Courts of Civil or Criminal Judicature	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners granted number of Prisoners at one time	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail				Prisoners employed	Prisoners not employed	Punishments for Offences within the Prison		
		Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	One time	Twice	3 times	4 & more times	Hard Labour	Confinement & Hospital Diet	Solitary Confinement	Whipping	Reduction of Diet	Solitary Confinement
A.	Salem Zillah Court }	522	187	10	1	1	108	1	46	6	322	187	10	"	"	197	164	21	10	2	128	30	1	"	"	2
	Nº 1 Jail 148 Nº 2 D° 374 in addition to which there is a Civil Jail Nº 3. in which Civil Debtors and fined prisoners are confined.																									
	Coimbatore Auxiliary Court }	400	135	11	19	6	51	2	64	3	1	135	11	"	"	177	5	"	"	71	30	19	"	"	"	

	14		15	16.	17	18.	19
	Sickness	Deaths	Remarks for Employment of Prisoners not sentenced to Column 12.	Dietary or other weekly allowance and weekly Cost per Head in which the Cost of Guards is not included	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost per Head that account.	Hours of Labor	Attendance of the Medical Officer and whether the Hospital is separate from the Prison.
	Number of Cases						
	323	46	37 One prisoner in Column Nº 12 not worked this year. leprosy	The weekly Cost is annas 10 9½ per head	The average cost of Clothing and bedding per head is 12 annas per year.	The prisoners leave the Jail (Sundays excepted) at 7 O'clock in the morning and returning by 5 in the evening being allowed rest for one hour in the middle of the day	The Hospital is attended by the Zillah Surgeon and a native Dresser there are separate buildings allotted for the sick prisoners in the Hospital near Jail Nº 1 The Zillah Surgeon also visits all the Jails where the Convicts are assembled once a week.
	140	39	16 Sentenced by the Criminal Court To pay a fine 7 Convalescent 1 By the magistrate to find security 9 Blind 1 Lame 1 Total 19	Rs. as P. " — 13 — 1½	1 Cloth valued at 7 annas and 6 Pice of Cumbly valued at 12 annas	From 7 O'clock A.M. to 5 P.M. Excepting one hour allowed in the room for rest	The sick are visited in the morning by the Assistant Surgeon daily, and oftener when any cases require closer attendance. The Hospital is a wards, the situated on the Extreme right of the Square on Entering.

General Statement of Prisoners, prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in Ch

Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Name of Prisoners The Prison is capable of containing	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Debtors or persons by the Lyttle Confined Magis under Regula IX 1822	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Court of Circuit or Jury	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Court of Session	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail	Prisoners Employed	Prisoners not Employed	Punishments for Offences within the Prison	Sickness	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost for that account	Hours of Labor	Allowance of the Medical Officer and whether the Prisoners are taken from the Prison
	Males / Females	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Once / Twice / 3 times / 4 times / Four Times	Number Employed / Number Employed	Whipping / Rebellious Disp. / Others Confinement	Number admitted sick / Number of Sick days / Deaths	Number of Prisoners to whom given / Cost	Number of Prisoners to whom given / Cost	Number of Prisoners to whom given / Cost			
Tinnevelly Auxiliary Court	220	217 3	" "	54	"	103	160	216	3	1	"	258	8	1	"	"	16	25	17	9	1	"	425	44	11	Debility from old age and sickness	"	11	7	96	"	"	6	57	8 hours	Daily The Hospital is separate from the Jail
Trichinopoly Auxiliary Court	424	229	6	"	"	68	5	152	19	"	229	6	"	"	266	26	6	1	"	186	32	8	"	"	"	141	23	18	1 Prisoner is Employed from sunrise to sunset 2 Prisoners are employed from sunrise to 10 A.M. and from 2 to sunset 3 Prisoners are employed from 6 to 10 A.M. and from 2 to sunset 2 Prisoners are employed from 6 to 10 A.M.	Rice, Vegetables with meat as usual	At as a Rs / At as a Rs	Men / Women / Children	At as a Rs / At as a Rs	Adults every day / Children annually	At as a Rs / At as a Rs	From 6 to 12 A.M. from 1 to 4 & 12	Daily attendance of the Medical Officer at the Jail	
Tanjore (Negapatam)	200	107	"	"	"	9	98	"	"	107	"	"	"	117	3	"	"	107	"	"	1	2	"	121	15	2	"	10-9½	a head per week	1	12	"	From 7 to 12 A.M. from 1 to 5 P.M.	The Hospital is within the precincts of the Jail and attended by the Assistant Surgeon of the Station	
" Mayaveram	90	72	"	"	"	6	66	"	"	72	"	"	"	80	"	"	"	72	"	"	6	"	"	48	7	3	"	10-9½	a head per week	1	8	1	From 6 to 12 A.M. From 1 to 5 P.M.	Attended by a Native Dresser twice a day and the Hospital within the precincts of the Jail	

General Statement of Prisoners, prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in C

Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Name of Prisoners The Prisoner is capable of entertaining	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Prisoners Sentenced or persons by the Confined under Regulation IX 1822	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Magistrate Criminal Judge	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Court of Circuit or Foujdary	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners Sentenced for the greatest number of Prisoners at one time	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail	Prisoners Employed	Prisoners not Employed	Punishments for Offences within the Prison	Sickness	Remarks for non-employment of Prisoners with reference to Column 12.	Dietary or other weekly allowances and weekly Cost per Prisoner including Cost of Guards from Do.	Allowances of Clothing and Bedding and Cost per Annum that account	House of Correction	Attendance of the Medical Officer and whether the Prisoners have access from the Prison
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Fever	Fever																	
												Small Pox	Small Pox																	
												Bowel Complaint	Bowel Complaint																	
												Liver	Liver																	
												3 Fever	3 Fever																	
												Dysentery	Dysentery																	
												Remittent	Remittent																	
												Diarrhœa	Diarrhœa																	
												Do. Fever	Do. Fever																	
												Small Pox	Small Pox																	
												Bowel Complaint	Bowel Complaint																	
												Liver	Liver																	
												3 Fever	3 Fever																	
												Dysentery	Dysentery																	
												Remittent	Remittent																	
												Diarrhœa	Diarrhœa																	
Salem Penitentiary																		
Jail Guard	60	32	"	"	"	"	32	"	"	32	"	"	37	"	"	"	"	32	"	"	2	4	"	43	3	4	C Rs. as. P. " 15 8 including the Pay of Mendig guard	2 Pieces of cloth not Exceeding 1 Rupee & 1 Cumbly not exceeding 3/4 Rupee each prisoner per annum	From 6 1/2 to 12 A.M. and from 1 1/2 to 5 1/2 P.M.	7 A.M. & 5 P.M. 200 yards.
Ryotwar	65	40	"	"	"	"	40			40	"	"	48	"	"	"	"	40	"	"	2	"		11	"	"	" 10 9 There is a guard of 1 Havildar 1 Naigue & 12 Sepoys at this place. Their Batta not known	Do.	Do.	7 A.M. & 6 P.M. Hospital attached to the Prison
Moodgoolty	30	26	"	"	"	"	26			26	"	"	29	3	2	"	"	26	"	"	1	"		1	"	"	" 9 8 No guard, but Palaik Peons deputed for the duty.	Do.	Do.	No Medical Officer is attendant at this Station medicines supplied from Coimbatore and the sick sent to that place in Cases of Emergency.
Dolaeanmundy Chint Magistrate	200	150	"	"	"	14	136	"	"	150	"	"	155	137	9	3	1	125 (*) 126	24	1	8	"	2	458	13	5	1	Pt. as. P. 1 4 11	As. P. 1 10 6 1/2	From 7 A.M. to 4 P.M. with and hours rest at noon	Surgeon attends daily at 8 A.M. No building provided for sick.

(*) Conveying Water & Cooking 13
Sick Orderlies, Bellows men
Hammermen, and Sweepers 9
Making Baskets 2
Total 24

Vide Extract from the proceedings of the Court of Foujdary Adalut dated 22nd February annexed to the Proceedings of the Court of Circuit Southern Division Dated 3rd March 1842

General Statement of Prisoners prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in C

Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
No. of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing.	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Debtors or persons confined under Regulation IX of 1822 and Civil Debts	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Magistrates and Circuit Courts of Circuit	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Sessions Judge or Assistant Judge	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners above mentioned	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail	Prisoners Employed	Prisoners not Employed	Punishment for Offences committed in Prison	Sickness	Return for non-employment of Prisoners under Column 12.	Dietary or other monthly allowances and monthly Cutcherry Establishment Cost of Guards from Pay	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost for Establishment	Hours of Labor	Attendance of the Medical Officers and whether the Hospital is separate from the Prison
Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	One / Three / 3 Years / 5 Years / Transportation	Male / Female	Male / Female	Whipping / Solitary Confinement	Sickness / Death					
Canara Zillah Court	500	321 11	23	1	58	2	24	4	29	4	330	11	1	"	342	253	14	3	2	232	30	70	4	19	"
Malabar Zillah Court	600	295 4	16	1	79	1	86	1	24	1	204	4	1	"	259	15	3	2	"	152	22	55	2	1	"

† Upwards of this number if the wards at present appropriated for the Hospital and Dispensary were available, otherwise not 400.

‡ inclusive of one prisoners forwarded by the Military on the trial under Regulation I of 1828.

§ inclusive of one prisoner sentenced to banishment and two to transportation beyond sea.

Pd	As	Ds	Rs	as	Ps
652	24	14	24	"	10	"	1	9	3

Civil Debtors
33 Hundred prisoners
10 Sick
3 under sentence of banishment
& transportation

The Prisoners turned out to the Jail at 7 o'clock and work till 12 when they rest for half an hour. They resume their work at half past 12 and work till half past 4 when they return to Jail.

Shegillah — The Surgeon visited the Hospital daily during the year with the Exception of four or five days when the sick were visited by the Medical Officer of the 28th Regiment. There is no separate Hospital room attached to the wards of the Jail which has been converted into an hospital.

Daily in the Morning and at such other times as the sick may require the Attendance and once a week all over the Jail.

The Hospital is separate

From 5½ AM. to 4½ P.M. of this half an hour is allowed for their meals

Malabar Zillah Court 338 28 13

Under Sentence of Imprisonment by the Criminal Courts	15
Ditto by the Criminal Court	12
Under Sentence of Imprisonment by the Magistrates	3
In Hospital	8
Debtors or persons confined under Reg. IX of 1822	1/2
Amount	35

Value of 1 Candy and 2 Cs the per { Rs 10 as 0 / " 11 " 11 }
N.B. Male Offenders employed on repairing the roads and bearing fetters on their legs

General Statement of Prisoners, prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in Charge of Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
No. of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing.	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Debtors or persons by the Magistrates under Regulation IX of 1822 and Cent. Code	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Court of Circuit or Foujdaree Adawlut	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Sessions Judge	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age	Greatest number of Prisoners above time	Number of Prisoners who have been committed to Jail	Prisoners Employed	Prisoners not Employed	Punishments for Offences within the Prison		
	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female	Male / Female					Whipping / Rebelling / Disobedience / Confinement	
Tellicherry Auxiliary Court	300	61	4	"	15	464	"	61	4	"	108	5	2	1
Cochin Auxiliary Court	30	20	"	"	14	4	2	19	1	"	31	"	"	1
Hanara Principal Sudr Ameen Court	194	77	3	5	121	135	1 [A]	16	78	1	1	81	1	3

[A] Inclusive of 2 Prisoners awaiting the sentence of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut, and 1 Prisoner Committed for trial.

14	15	16	17	18	19
Sickness and Death	Reasons for non-employment of Prisoners entered in Column 12.	Dietary or other weekly allowance and weekly Cost per Head including Cost of Guards &c.	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost for the Year	Hours of Labor	Allowance of the Prisoners and whether the Prisoners take food from the Prison.
Sickness: Number admitted into Hospital during the Year / Died					
295	33	1 "	7 Seers of rice = 3-6 Various condiments = 1-8 Dietary & Meadow = 5-2 Costs of guards = 5-4 = 10-6	2 Pieces of Cloth = 7-10 1 Mat = " 10 1 Cumbly = " 9 11 1-2-7	At 6 O Clock AM they are sent out to work and leave off at 5 P.M. to wash and take their meals.	The Sick visited every week and hospital daily allowance rate. rooms are provided for the sick.
43	3 "	"	Rt. 1-10-8	Rt. 1-9-8	From 6 to 12 AM & again from 1 to 5 Pt.	6 O block AM Hospital from is separate from the Sick.
83	10 8	Of the 5 Prisoners entered in Column 6 & 12 as not employed 3 were sick, one was attending the sick and one was sentenced to imprisonment without labor.	7 Seers of rice = 3-6 2 Pieces of Cloth = 6 6 1 Cumbly = " 7 2/12 1 Mat = " " 8 Total = " 14 1/2 Cost of guards Peons = 4 6 Extra allowance to Manecullies at 2 Seers and 20 Rs weight of rice per annum = " " 11 Total = " 11-1		From 6 to 11 AM. and from 1 to 1 1/2 PM	At 6 1/2 AM and 5 1/2 PM	A Separate Ward is provided for the sick within the Sick Compound.

General Statement of Prisoners, prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in Ch

Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
No. of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing.	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Debtors or persons confined under Regulation IX 1822	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Sessions Judge and Magistrate under Regulation IX 1822	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Court of Circuit or Jail Court	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Sessions Judge	Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age	Greatest number of Prisoners at one time	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail	Prisoners Employed	Prisoners not Employed	Punishments for Offences within the Prison	Sickness	Reasons for non-Employment of Prisoners with reference to Column 12.	Dietary or other weekly Allowance and weekly Cost per Head under the Court of Circuit's Order	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost per Head thereof	House of Correction	Allowance of the Assistant Surgeon and whether the Hospital is separate from the Prison
	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Once / Twice / 3 Times / 4 & more times	Males / Females	Males / Females	Whipping / Rebuking / Dismissal / Solitary Confinement	Sick / Dead					
Sirdar Point Sadr ameen's Court	50 22 1 4 " 15 1 1 " 2 " 22 1 " " 39 5 1 " " 17 " " 1 2 "														34 6 " "			

Remarks

This Prison is situated in the Fort of Sirdar Point and is capable of containing 50 persons

Of these the Sessions Judge sentenced 1 Male & 1 Female to Rigorous Imprisonment for 3 months & 1 Male & 1 Female to Rigorous Imprisonment for 6 months

Convicts

Males 150 139 " " " " 139 " " 139 " " 150 102 35 2 16 122 4 17 " "

Females 50 34 " " " " 34 " " 34 " " 167 19 14 1 " 33 1 1 1 "

Sadr Ameen's Court

Males 66 11 " Sickness weakness and Cooking } " 13 3 1 10 5 } From 6 to 11 A.M. and from 1 to 4½ P.M. } Attended daily by Assistant Apothecary John Faulkner

197 15 4 Cooking

Females 27 14 3 Sickness weakness Cooking } " 14 8 1 " 1 } From 6 to 11 A.M. and from 1 to 4 P.M. } Attended by the Apothecary in the Jail at Honore where the sick are sent for that purpose.

Honore Country and Tandore 152 74 " " " 3 71 " " 74 " " 114 73 1 " " 66 1 7 " "

Jail Hospital 6 Cells 4 Cells each

Prisoners 2 " "

Females 2 Cells 1 " "

Prisoners 1 " "

From 6 A.M. to 12 M. and from 1 to 5 P.M.

At the Jail Hospital and also at Tandore when sick - Hospital is separate from the Jail.

General Statement of Prisoners prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in Ch... Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | | |

General Statement of Prisoners, prepared from the returns furnished by the several Officers in Charge of Jails under the Presidency of Fort St. George for the year 1842

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	No. of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing	Total Number of Prisoners	Total Number of Debtors or persons by the Magistrates under Regulation IX 1822 and Court of Requests	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Circuit Court of Criminal Judicature	Number of Prisoners sentenced by the Court of Sessions		Number of Prisoners above 17 years of age	Number of Prisoners under 17 years of age	Greatest number of Prisoners at one time	Number of Prisoners who have been before committed to Jail	Prisoners Employed	Prisoners not Employed	Punishments for Offences within the Prison	Sickness	Remarks for non-Employment of Prisoners with reference to Column 12.	Diet by or other monthly allowance and monthly Cost per Head including Cost of Guards per Annum	Allowance of Clothing and Bedding and Cost for Establishment	Hours of Labor	Attendance of Medical Officer and whether the Prisoners are taken from the Prison
		Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females	Males / Females		Once / Twice / 3 times / 4 & more times / Total Labor	Employed / Not Employed / Total		Whipping / Rotation Drill / Solitary Confinement	Deaths					
A.	a. Cuddalore Jail b. Villiack c. Court	600	434	15	40	4	85	2	278	9	51	"	453	15	1	"	480	62	10	1	3	335	38	1	3	"	"	5¼	53	47	The Prisoner is received.	"	"	11	3	1	10	"	From 7 AM to 5 P.M.	Medical officer's hospital is attached to prison but has a separate entrance as well as an entrance from within the Jail.
B.	a. Cuddalore Auxiliary Court b. c.	580	310	1	7	"	60	1	580	"	63	"	310	1	"	"	327	3	"	"	"	202	39	2	"	"	1	164	42	13	Old ages	"	"	11	"	"	11	Each convict receives 2 Blankets & a Cumblyan a year which Cost 1 Rupee and 12 Annas.	From 7 in the morning to 4 in the afternoon half an hour is allowed in the intermediate time for relaxation	Daily Hospital within the Jail.
C.	a. Negapatam Division of Tanjore b. c.	210	180	"	"	7	"	73	"	"	180	"	"	"	197	1	"	"	10	"	"	2	"	"	1	6	"	"	9	6		"	"	9	11 2/15	"	"	7 2/15	For a week	9	No Hospital separate from the Prison but attended by a native Dresser.

Cuddalore Adalut
Register's Office
1843

E. E. Gye
(Signed) H. D. Phillips
Register

No. 653 To

The Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 12th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Udalut to communicate to you the authority of Government dated the 29th Ultimo, to call on the Civil Engineer of the District to prepare and submit an Estimate for the repairs required to certain of the buildings attached to the Jail at Trichinopoly.

5th July 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr

No. 654 To

The Magistrate of Bellary

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 15th May last, I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Udalut to inform you that the charge on account of the Extra Police Establishment Employed in the District of Bellary during the 3rd Quarter of Fusly 1252 or from 1st January to 31st March 1843 Amounting to Rupees 408 was sanctioned by Government on the 29th June 1843.

5th July 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr

No. 660 To

The Acting Criminal Judge of Malabar

Sir,

1 With reference to your letter dated the 21st Ultimo, soliciting permission to purchase "3 iron vessels to be used in cooking the rice of the Prisoners in the Jail under your charge I am directed to inform you that the Judges do not deem it expedient to comply with your request it having been decided on an enquiry made on a former occasion that common sized chatties are sufficient for the purpose in question and that they are considered on many accounts far preferable to iron or copper utensils.—

2 The circumstance of an outlay of the nature proposed by you having been sanctioned in the Statement of the contingent charges incurred in a previous Fusly (1249) 50 in the Zillah Court of Malabar is no sufficient warrant for a repetition of the charge.—

7th July 1843. (Signed) J. D. Sims
Ag. Regr. Appt. to the Regr.

No. 661 To

The Criminal Judge of Chittoor

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Udalut to transmit to you the accompanying

Copy

copy of an address purporting to come from Mr. M. Carrapiett of Pulicat, soliciting compensation for the Expences incurred by his wife in proceeding from that place to Chittoor, in order to give Evidence in Case No. 24 on the file of the Criminal Court at that Station and to request that you will in communication with the magisterial authorities of the District ascertain the amount of the Expences incurred by Mrs Carrapiett for the purposes stated in order, if you are of opinion that Sufficient grounds exist, to your submitting on the subject to this Court through the Provincial Court of Circuit, any recommendation in favor of the party.—

7th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr.

No. 662 To

The Criminal Judge of Madura

Sir,

1 Adverting to the prayer of the Enclosed address, presented to the Court of Toyjdaree Udalut by Mr. Clarke on behalf of Mrs Clarke, I am desired by the Judges to request you will bring under consideration whether for the ends of Justice it is indispensably requisite that she should proceed proceed to Madura to give evidence in the trial stated to be now in progress before you.—

2 In the event of your being of opinion that her personal attendance at Madura cannot be dispensed with the Judges would wish to be furnished with a Statement of the points in the case on which her testimony is likely to bear and regarding which you consider it necessary she should be examined.—

7th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Register

No. 666 To

The Acting Magistrate of
Cuddapah

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 17th June 1843, I am directed by the Toyjdaree Udalut to inform you that the charges on account of the extra Police Establishment employed in the District of Cuddapah during the month of May last was sanctioned by Government under date the 3rd Instant.—

8th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr.

To

No. 667 To the Acting Criminal Judge of Chingleput

Transmitting Copy of a letter addressed to Government under date the 17th Ultimo, and the order of Government thereon dated the 1st instant sanctioning the disbursement:-

8th July 1843. (Sent usual letter) Mr.

No. 668 To

The Provincial Court of Circuit

in the Centre Division

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Tayjdaree Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter under date the 30th Ultimo, in which you concur with the Acting Judge of Chittoor in recommending that a certain Petition, one Lama bai, the wife of a Prisoner, may be allowed a moiety of her husbands pension for the maintenance of herself and infant.

If favorably disposed to further your recommendations the Judges do not consider the subject are in which they could interfere the disposal of pensions resting immediately in the hands of Government:-

8th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Regr

No. 672. To J. Walker. Esqre

3rd Judge Late on Circuit

in the Northern Division

Sir.

1. In reply to your communication under date the 4th Instant, requesting instructions regarding the disposal of certain arrears of business connected with the 1st Sessions of the Current year which you have recently completed.-

2. I am desired by the Judges of the Tayjdaree Adalut to intimate to you that as your appointment in the Court of Circuit in the Northern Division, has ceased in consequence of the assumption by Mr. Boileau of the duties of the 1st Judge, it is not competent to you initiate proceedings on any Petitions which may not have been disposed of and which accordingly, should now be transferred to the Collective Court of Circuit

3 The Judges are aware of no objections to the preparation by yourself or to its submission through the channel

of

of the Provincial Court, of the Report required by section XXXVII. Regulation VII of 1802.; neither is the reference by yourself of the trial to which you have adverted, in any way Objectionable.

4. In regard to your resumption of the Office of Zillah Judge of Cuddapah, the Judges desire me to state that they do not consider themselves at liberty to issue to you any instructions on that point, the determination of which rests with the Government.

10th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr

№ 677. To

The Acting Joint Criminal Judge
of Guntoor

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to call your attention to the Extract from the minutes of Consultation dated the 23rd March 1843. communicated to you on the 29th of the same month requiring you to report, why so large a number as 60. crow bars, 2 yards long, is required for the use

of

of the convicts at Guntoor, and to direct that you will submit the required information without further delay. Explaining at the same time the Cause of your failure to reply to the Communication in question.

12th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr

(№ 87)

№ 678. To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 4th Instant, from the Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Trichinopoly submitting for sanction a statement of the expences incurred in repairing one of the Jail Guard Rooms at that Station and which, under emergent circumstances, that Officer was directed by the Foujdaree Udalut, with reference to existing rules, to have carried into effect under his own Superintendence.—

Adverting to the order of Government dated the 28th September 1838, the Judges beg leave

to

to recommend that Sanction may be granted for the outlay of Rupees (64-4) Sixty four and annas four incurred by the Acting Joint Criminal Judge for the above purpose.—

12th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips Regr

No. 682.

Memo.

2. Printed forms of the half yearly Statement of Convicts Forwarded to the Acting Superintendant of Police Vellore with reference to his letter dated the 8th July 1843.

By order of the Court of Fayidaree Udalut

13th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips Acting Regr

(No. 88)

To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fayidaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 1st Instant transmitting a communication from the Acting Criminal Judge of Chingleput, and requesting a report of the circumstances connected with the case of the Convict Duttojee Matheram and the other persons referred to in the Enclosed petition

petition to Government from that individual.—

2. The Court are not in possession of any information which could authorize their venturing more than a conjecture in explanation of the circumstances that prevented the favor of Government being extended to Duttojee Matheram equally with the other Prisoners.—

3. From the Minutes of Consultation dated the 5th October 1841 No. 387 it would appear that, at the recommendation of the Acting Resident, the Sentences of 5 of the Prisoners, being either relatives or friends of the Rajah of Tanjore, were mitigated, and that, with a view to their being beyond the influence of bribery and corruption, these 5 Prisoners, together with Duttojee Matheram, were ordered to be removed to the Jail of Chingleput.—

4. The 22 Prisoners who remained at Combaconum for the fulfulment of their punishment received, in answer to a Petition presented by them, a mitigation of their respective Sentences

5. The Petitioner Duttojee Matheram seems to have been attached to the Rajahs Establishment in some subordinate situation, and his not having partaken of the mercy extended to

his

his accomplices can only be considered as an over sight.—

17th July 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Register

(№ 89)

№ 685 To The Chief Secretary to Government

Sir.

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 8th Ultimo. №. 224, remitting the unexpired portion of the sentences passed upon each of the 29 persons concerned in the Affray at Volundoorpett, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to state that the Acting Criminal Judges of Combaconum and Chinglepat reported the former on the 24th and the latter on the 21st Ultimo, having carried out the intentions of Government by releasing the Prisoners referred to on their respective Moochilkas.

17th July 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Register

(№ 90)

To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of this Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in council, the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 13th Instant from the Acting Criminal Judge of Chinglepat requesting sanction for a further outlay of Rupees 8, stated to have been incurred by the Sheristadar of the Zillah Court at that Station in payment of a bandy and bullocks hired to enable him to attend as witness before the Supreme Court at Madras.

2. The Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut respectfully suggest for the consideration and eventual sanction of Government the grant of Rupees (8) eight for the purpose specified in the communication of the Acting Zillah Judge.

19th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr.

№. To The Provincial Court of Circuit in the Centre Division

Gentlemen

With reference to your return dated the 30th may last, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to inform you that the most Honorable the Governor in Council has,

has, under date the 14th Instant, sanctioned the remission, to the extent of two years of the sentences passed respectively on the Prisoners Cayan and Rungan on the ground of their not only having refused to join certain other convicts in effecting their escape but of their having afforded essential service in recapturing two of the gang after the guard had been over powered.

19th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Reg.

Copy to the Criminal Judge of Chittoor for his information.

No. To The Several Criminal and Joint Criminal Judges and Principal Sudr Ameens

Criminal Judge Bellary,
Acting D° Chingleput,
Acting D° Chittoor,
Acting D° Cuddapah,
D° Rajahmundry
Acting D° Combaconum
D° Madura
D° Salem
D° Malabar
D° Canara
Joint D° Cuddalore
Acting D° D° Masulipatam
D° D° D° Guntoor
D° D° D° Vizagapatam
D° D° D° Trichinopoly

Officiating

The Court of Foujdaree Udalut having reason to conclude, from facts that have come to their notice, that the Circular Order of 10th November 1827, regarding the responsibility of Guards appointed over convicts transferred from one zillah to another, is not observed with that uniformity they Consider-

Furnished under Circular Order No. 136.

Foujdaree Diary 19th July 1843.

Offg Joint Crim. Judge Tinnevelly
D° D° Coimbatore.
D° D° Tellichery
Acting D° D° Cochin
Register in charge of Kellore
Principal Sudr Ameen of Chittoor.
Acting D° Honore
D° Sirsy

Consider desirable, have directed me to call your attention to the subject, and to state that the Entire responsibility is vested in the Magistrate and not in the Judge, and that in future on the occasion of the drafting of prisoners from one Jail to another the guard be informed that the responsibility of the safe custody of the prisoners is on the party furnished by the Magistrate, and that it is the duty of the party furnished by the Court in aid of the Magistrate, guard to act subordinately to the superior of the Magistrates party.

19th July 1843. (Signed) R. W. Chatfield.
Acting Senior Dy Regr.

No. 694. To (No. 91)
The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of

of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit the ac-
=companying Descriptive Roll of two convicts
× Narayanen and Moorcogasen noted in the × margin who effected their escape
from the custody of their guard on the evening
of the 11th Instant while at work in Fort
St. David, and to request that with the sanction
of the most Honorable the Governor in Council
the same may be published in the Official
Gazette.—

20th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr.

(No. 92)

No. 1 To, The Secretary to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to be laid before the most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a com-
=munication from the 2nd Judge late on Circuit in the Western Division, Submitting an application, made thro' the Acting Principal Sudr Ameen of Honore, by two Persian Moon-
=shees, attached to the Court at that station, to be allowed Batta during the period of their attendance on duty with the 2nd Judge late

dated 3rd July 1843.

late on Circuit at Seringapatam, and recommending for sanction the disbursement on that account of the sums specified in the memo. annexed to his address amounting on the aggregate to Rupees 12-14-1.—

2. Under the circumstances stated by the 2nd Judge the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut concur with that Officer in the view of the claim preferred by the Moonshees which he has expressed, and accordingly beg to suggest that the authority of Government to granted for the expenditure for the purpose stated of Rupees 12-14-1.—

20th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Register.

(No. 93)

No. 696. To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to the orders of Government contained in Extract Minutes of consultation dated 16th may last, No. 233, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to forward to be laid before the most Honble the Governor in
19th July 1843 Council, the accompanying transcript of a communication

communication from the Joint Magistrate at Cuttack commanding Explaining that the sum of Rs. 743-8-9 referred to in para 2 of the order under reply, was not an additional disbursement on account of Batta to convicts, but of Batta paid to the Peons in the Jail under his charge.—

2. The Joint Magistrate has further transmitted an account particulars of the Expenditure of Rupees 355-8-0 under the head of contingent charges which amount from the details furnished would appear to be unobjectionable &c.

3. The Judges accordingly beg to recommend that the sanction of Government for that sum and for the Batta to Peons amounting on the aggregate to Rs. 1099-9 should not be longer with held.—

para 3. 4. The Judges are not in possession of any information which Enables them to assign reasons for the gradual increase in the monthly charge for the maintenance of the female child of a deceased Prisoner, but it is to be inferred that the sum of Rs. 2 originally Expended on that account in 1836 is not now considered sufficient adverting to the wants of the child being likely

likely to increase as she increases in age.—

5. It is observed that the orders of Government dated 19th August 1836 No. 693, direct the child in question to be provided for at the Expence of Government under the limitation contained in an order of previous date and which it will be seen has not yet been Exceeded.—

20th July 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Register

11th Aug. 1835 No. 602

No. 701. To

The Provincial Court of Circuit in the Southern Division

Sir,

Adverting to a proposition from the Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly in the annexed transcript of a communication to the Court of Toujdaree Adalut dated the 10th Instant to repair the Smiths work sheds in the Jail at that station at an expence of Rupees 182-11-0.

2. I am directed by the Judges to request you will, in communication with the Officer in Medical charge of the Zillah Jail ascertain and report whether an outlay to the extent contemplated is deemed advisable and Expedient

Fouj.dary Diary 20th July 1843

No. 708 To
of 709.

The 3rd Judge on Circuit in the
Western Division.

Sir.

In reply to your communication dated the 11th Instant, I am desired to intimate to you that under the circumstances of difficulty which are therein represented, the Judges of the Fouj.dary Adalut authorize the trial at Calicut of the two Cases of Burglary which appear to have been committed by the Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Cochin.

24th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr.

Ordered to be communicated to the Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Cochin with instruction to make arrangements for the immediate trial at Calicut of the persons referred to, and return the Records when disposed of by him for that purpose to the Court of Sudder Adalut.

(Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr.

No. 710 To

Mr. D. Cockburn Esqre. late Joint Criminal
Judge of Malabar.

Communicating copy of an Extract Minutes Consultation under date 19th July last directing the

Fouj.dary Diary 21st and 22d July 1843

Expedient holding in view what the Judges have reason to believe is the objectionable location of the building in question in the immediate vicinity of the Jail Hospital and its being doubtful whether the Original construction of the out house under remark in its cost greatly have Exceeded what it is now thought necessary to Expend only in its repair.

21st July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr.

No. 703. To The Criminal Judge of
Rajahmundry

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.dary Adalut to return to you the Statement shewing the manner in which the convicts under your charge have been employed which accompanied your letter of the 6th Instant, in view to its correction, as it is intended that Column 2 of the Statement should shew only the number of "convicts" exclusive, of course, of any prisoners in confinement in default of finding security.

The number of persons employed on the several works particularized in the Statement should correspond with the total Entered in Column 2.

22d July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips Regr.

To

the Public Department to take steps for omitting his name from any further Commissions of the Peace — 24th July 1843. (Sent usual letter &c.).

№ 715. To

The Provincial Courts of Circuit in the Northern Central Southern & Western Divisions

Communication 10th Decr 1840

Adverting to the Extract Minutes of Consultation dated the 28th November 1840 № 928, in which the adaption of revised forms for the future preparation of periodical Returns "of Sick of the Prisoners" and Returns of Prisoners in the Several Jails under this Presidency," was approved by the Government —

I am desired by the Judges of the Fayidaree Adalut to intimate to you that in consequence of a communication to this Court from the Medical Board it appears to them to be advisable to direct the discontinuance of the Half yearly Returns submitted with reference to the minutes of Consultation quoted above and to request you will instruct the Officers in charge of Jails within your Division, in future to transmit the Reports in question

14th Febr. 1843.

in question to this Court at the close of each year. — 25th July 1843. — (Signed) H. D. Phillips. Regr.

(№ 95)

№ 716 To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Fayidaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 17th Instant from the acting Magistrate of Beddapah submitting for sanction a Statement of expences incurred by the temporary Entertainment of Extra Police Peons employed in the District of Beddapah, during the months of June last under the sanction of Government conveyed in the Minutes of Consultation under date the 7th April 1840.

2 The Judges of the Fayidaree Adalut beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting to Rupees (150) One hundred and fifty. —

25th July 1843. — (Signed) H. D. Phillips Regr.

(№ 96)

№ To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir

1, I am directed by the Judges of the Court

Foujdaree Diary 26th July 1843.

Court of the Foujdaree Udalut to submit for the purpose of being laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying transcript of a communication from the Provincial Court in the Southern Division submitting a reference from the Joint Criminal Judge at Coimbatore relative to the authority vested in a Justice of the Peace in minor Cases such as assault trespass &c. where complainant and defendant are both European British Subjects.

4th July 1843

2. The subject is of much general importance and one in respect of which the Judges have reason to believe there is a great difference of opinion; accordingly they beg to recommend that the question proposed for determination be forwarded to the Advocate General and that he be requested to record his sentiments upon it.

14th

3. The Judges observe that in their proceedings of date 26th May 1837 the Court of Foujdaree Udalut recorded an opinion that Clause CV 53rd George 3d Cap. 155 applied to Cases of Assault and trespass by European British Subjects or natives and not cases where both parties were Europeans.—

26th July 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Register

No. 722. To The Magistrate of Bellary.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit a Copy of a letter from the Secretary to Government dated 15th Instant. & to request that you will report with the least practicable delay whether the Establishment authorised under date 12th April 1841 to be employed in aid of the Police in the hilly tracts of Bellary, is still required for the purposes for which it was originally sanctioned, or whether any portion of it may now be dispensed with.—

2. The Court have not lost sight of your communication of 15th last March which is considered too general as well as too brief to allow of a satisfactory answer to the accompanying queries being drawn from it.—

27th July 1843.— (Signed) R. W. Chatfield
Acting Senior Dr. Regr.

To

№723. To

The Criminal Judge of

Chinglepet

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 20th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to inform you that the Government under date the 21st Instant granted authority with reference to the provisions of Sec III Reg I of 1833 for the trial of the prisoner Ramaswamy by the Criminal Court at Chinglepet.

27th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

(№97) Regr

№724 To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 17th Instant and its Enclosure from the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Northern Division submitting for sanction two Bills on account of costs incurred for emergent repairs to the Cook rooms attached to the Jail at Rajahmundry and the construction of a Pandal to the Jail Hospital at the same station.

With reference to the Order of Government dated the 28th September 1838 and to the circumstance of their repairs being absolutely necessary as reported by the Zillah Judge of Rajahmundry, the Judges beg leave to recommend that sanction may be granted for the outlay incurred by that Officer amounting in the aggregate to Rupees (35-3-3) thirty five annas three and Pice three.

27th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips Regr

№725 To The 2nd Judge late on Circuit in the Centre Division

Communicating Copy of an order of Government dated the 22nd Instant declining to accede to the recommendation of this Court that John Dowling an European Prisoner in the Jail at Cuddalore may be sent to Europe

27th July 1843. (Sent usual letter)

№726 To, The Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Trichinopoly

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to acknowledge the receipt

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Tanjidaree Diary 27th July 1843.—

Of your letter dated the 18th Instant, applying for authority to refund to the Sailor of the pillak Sail the amount stated to have been Expended by him in building a house for his residence in the vicinity of the Sail which has been estimated by Mr. Revenue Surveyor Gaynor to be worth— Rupees 86—4—"

2 Before Submitting any application to Government on the subject of your communication, the Judges would wish the Estimate prepared by the Surveyor to receive the Official signature of the Civil Engineer of the Division in taken of its correctness and have therefore instructed me to return it to you for that purpose.—

27th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Regr.

No 727 Memorandum

12 Printed forms of the half yearly Criminal Statement No 1.
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Forwarded to the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Southern Division with reference to their letter of the 20th Instant.—

By Order of the Court of Tanjidaree Adalut
27th July 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Ag. Regr.

No 734 To The Superintendent of Police at Trichinopoly.—

No 735 To the 1st Judge on Circuit in the Centre Division

Transmitting Copy of an order of Government dated the 22nd Instant but not ets— ends relative to the Complaint of one Akkereddy and requesting him carefully to investigate the case— therein referred to, and to issue such Orders as may Appear necessary after an examination of the whole of the Proceedings held in it and report the result for the information of this Court.—

28th July 1843. (Sent usual letter) Pr

To

№736 To

The Provincial Court of Circuit in the Centre Division

Gentlemen,

With reference to your communication dated the 16th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Sayidaree Udalut, to return to you with the sanction of Government endorsed thereon, the accompanying Bill of Expences incurred by Pensioned Bombadier T. Helsley, in attending the Criminal Court at Chittoor to give evidence in case №66 of 1843 on its File.

28th July 1843. (Signed) H.D. Phillips
Regr.

№737 To

The Criminal Judge of Rajahmundry

Sir.

1 Adverting to your communication dated the 6th Ultimo, I am desired by the Judges of the Sayidaree Udalut to forward
15th July 1843 for your information the annexed transcript of a communication from Mr. J. Walker late acting 3d Judge on circuit in the Northern Division

2. The explanation offered by Mr. Walker in para 6 of his address is considered by the Judges to be sufficient to remove from your mind, the disagreeable impression which appears to have originated on certain former remarks by that Gentleman and, as it does not occur to them that it can be viewed by yourself in any other light, they think it desirable the matter should not be further agitated.—

28th July 1843. (Signed) H.D. Phillips
Register

(No 98)

No 737. To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Departt.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 23. March last No 142 I am directed by the Judges of the Toujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a letter dated the 23d Instant from the Acting Joint Criminal Judge at Guntoor explaining why so large a number as forty Crowbars 2 yards long is required for the use of the Convicts at Guntoor.

2d August 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Registr.

No 738 To (No 99)

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Toujdaree Adalut to forward to be laid before the Most Honble the Governor in Council the accompanying Statement submitted by Mr E. Connell Officiating

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the purpose stated, of the sums of Rups 10 each.

3d August 1843. (Signed) H D Phillips
Acting Registrar

№ 754 To

The Assistant Criminal Judge in charge
of Vellore.

Sir,

With reference to a communication to this Court from the Superintendant of Police at Vellore, forwarding transcript of a correspondence which has recently passed between you and that officer relative to the transmission to Vellore from the Jail under your charge of two convicts to replace those who have died with a view to the completion of the number of 40 convicts originally sanctioned by Government for employment under them.

dated 12th ultimo

2nd inst

21st April last

2 I am directed to inform you that the suggestion of the Police officer at Vellore meeting with the approbation of the Judges they resolve to authorize the transfer by you of the number of convicts specified and to request that these

these orders may be carried into execution accordingly: due regard being paid to the rules in forces regarding the arrangements to be adopted in such occasions.

3d August 1843. (Signed) J. D. Pirie
Act. Read & Ent. to the Register

Copy sent to the Superintendant of Police at Vellore with reference to this letter dated the 22d July 1843.

No. 756 To

The Acting Principal Sudr Ameen at
Vellore

Sir in reply to your letter dated the 21st Ultimo I am desired by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to convey to you their sanction for the expenditure of a further sum of Rupees 4-15-7½ four, annas fifteen, and pies seven and a half incurred in newly thatching the Jail attached to the Court under your charge.

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut
3d August 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 757 To

The Acting Joint Criminal Judge at
Trichinopoly

Sir

With reference to your letter dated the

the 4th Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to inform you that the charge on account of the emergent repair made to the jail guard room at Trichinopoly amounting to Rupees 64-4- Sixty four and annas four was sanctioned by Government under date the 29th Ultimo.

3d August 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 758. To

The Criminal Judge of
Tanjore

Sir

With reference to your letter dated the 13th Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to inform you that the Charges of Rupees (8) eight incurred by the Native Police of your Court in attending the Supreme Court was sanctioned by Government under date the 29th Ultimo.

3 August 1843. Signed H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 764. To

The Provincial Court—

in the—

Western Division

Gentlemen

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th Ultimo and in reply to inform you that under the authority vested in this by the order of Government of the 28th Ultimo the Judges of the Tonjadare Udalut sanction the Statement of Charges incurred for bringing up the Child of a Convict in the Jail at Cuddalore during the Second Quarter of 1843, Amounting to Rupees (13-3-7) Thirteen annas three Pie Seven—

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4th August 1843— I have &c. / Signed / H. D. Phillipps.

No 767 To

C. F. Elliott Esquire

Chief Magistrate and Superintendant of Police

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Tonjadare Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th Ultimo forwarding in original a correspondence with the Collector of Madras and requesting to be informed by what authority passed of theft committed in the Salt department within the Collectorate of Madras—

but without the jurisdiction of the Magistrate Supreme Court of Judicature are cognizable—

2 In reply to the preceding question the Judges of the Tonjadare Udalut would observe, that so far as the perusal of the accompanying papers enable them to understand the case, the party charged committed theft as well as an of smuggling, and that he was sent up by the Collector charged with theft only—

3 In the event of the Collector of Madras bringing forward a charge for smuggling only the Superintendant of Police or his deputies are called upon to Inquire but, if the party is charged with theft beyond the limits of the Supreme Courts the Mofussil Authorities alone are empowered to take cognizance thereof—

4 The correspondence which accompanied your letter is, in conformity with your request returned—

5 August 1843— / Signed / R. W. Chatfield

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(No 701)

No 773. To,

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Dept.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the

the

Minutes of Consultation under date 31st May 1842, I am directed by the Judges to transmit for the information of the Most Honble the Governor pi Council the accompanying copy of a communication from the Assistant Criminal Judge pi charge of the Zillah Court of Vellore, relative to the mis-application by Mr Dowdeswell late acting Criminal Judge of that Station of a Sum of Rupees 120 from the amount sanctioned for the purposes mentioned pi the margin, for the construction of a suitable house for the Jailor pi the immediate neighbourhood of the Jail.—

Mr Daniell dated 11th July last

Rs 293-8. for the enclosure of a yard with a wall pi the vicinity of the Vellore Jail.

Rs 250- for the erection therein of sheds adapted for the manufacture of Paper

2 Under the circumstances reported by Mr Daniell it is manifest that the proceeding of the late acting Criminal Judge was irregular: adverting however to Mr Dowdeswells absence at the present time pi Europe and to the necessity of now completing the works for which the sum of Rupees 543-8- was originally sanctioned, the Judges of the Tongdaree Adalut beg to recommend for the favourable consideration of Government the request of Mr Daniell, pi his communication herewith forwarded, that the Special-

Special Sanction of Government be now obtained for the sum of 120 Rupees expended as above set forth, and that he authorized to apply that sum to the completion of the Buildings referred to.—

8th August 1843. Signed H D Phillips
Acting Registr

No 776. To
The Provincial Court of Circuit pi the Southern Division

Sir,

Adverting to the Communication from the Magistrate of Madurea forwarded by the Govt the Provincial Court on the 29th Ultimo, pi which that Officer has expressed an opinion regarding the necessity of the enforcement pi the Province of passes pi this Presidency of the British Rule of Road.—

27th July 1843

2 I am directed to request you will intimate to Mr Blackburne that it does not appear to the Judges of the Tongdaree Adalut that the subject of his address can properly form matter for their consideration and that pi their opinion the rule which he proposes for adoption should be brought to the notice of the Board of Revenue.

8th August 1843. Signed H D Phillips
Acting Registr

№775 To

The Joint Magistrate of

Cootacamund

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Toujdaree Adalut to call your attention to para 2 of their Proceedings dated the 27th March last and with reference to the Course therein indicated, to request you will submit the Quarterly Statements of Charges incurred by you for bringing up the Children of Convicts in the Jail, under your charge - which may be due up to the 30th June last, and further beg you will in future forward the Statements adverted regularly at the end of each quarter.

10th August 1843- (Signed) F D Phillips

Acting Register

№782 To

The Criminal Judge of

Nellore

Sir,

I am desired by the Judges of the Toujdaree Adalut to direct your attention to my letter for a report from the Assistant Criminal Judge in charge of the Zillah Court whether an Inquest was held on the body of the Prisoner Gorrala

Junnasee

Junnasy, and if so, what was the result of the enquiry; and to request that you will submit the required information without delay.-

12 August 1843- (Signed) F. D. Phillips

Acting Register

№785 To

The 1st Judge Salem on Circuit in the Southern Division

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Toujdaree Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of the Statements required by the Circular order 8th ult as submitted by you on 24th ultimo and to request that you will afford some explanation of the extraordinary delay observable in the final disposal of several of the cases - a delay in an instance of 111 and another of 1014 days.-

14th August 1843- (Signed) R. W. Chatfield-

№789 To

The 1st / 2nd and / 3rd } Judges on Circuit in the { Central / Northern and Western } Division

Gentlemen,

Adverting to the period fixed for bringing into operation the new judicial System, I am desired by the Judges of the Toujdaree Adalut

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Udalut to request you will reform from making arrangements for the further progress of the 2nd Session of the current year, until after receiving the Sudut. [Bellary] [Guntoor] [Calicut including the prisoners forwarded from Cochin] you have reason to believe that the Calendars to be laid before you at [Cuddalore or Chingleput] [Rajahmundry] [Mangalore] are such as to admit of your finally closing them before the 15th Proximo.

15th August 1843

[Signed] H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 103-

No 790 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Depart

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the minutes of Consultation under date the 22d Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Fonjdaree Udalut to transmit, to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter from the 1st Judge on Circuit in the Centre Division, submitting a report on this review of the proceedings held by the head of Police of Dorroor and the acting Magistrate of Cuddapah in the of the complaint of Authereddy-

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The

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2 The Judges of the Fonjdaree Udalut would add their concurrence in the view of proceedings by the Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah which has been taken by the 1st Judge on Circuit Mr Taylor-

15 August 1843-

[Signed] H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 791 To

The 2d Judge on Circuit in the
Southern Division

Sir,

In reply to your communication dated the 7th Instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Fonjdaree Udalut to authorize you to receive on your return from Tinnevelly the supplemental calendar of 3 or 4 cases which it appears the Criminal Judge of Madura will be prepared there to lay before you-

2 As it is to be inferred you will not under these circumstances, be able to complete the Sessions at Combaconum before the new Judicial arrangement are brought into operation, Viz: on the 15th proximo, the Judges have desired me to intimate to you that it is not considered advisable you should proceed to Combaconum for the purpose of relieving the Jail at that Station-

15 August 1843-

[Signed] H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

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No 795 To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

In reply to the order of Government dated the 26th Ultimo, No 365, I am desired by the Judges of the Tonjdaree Adalut herewith to forward a transcript of the appendix adverted to in para 2 of the Report submitted by the 3d Judge of the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Western Division, on the 1st Quarter Sessions of the current year.

2 Adverting to the observation by Government that the Appendix in question ought to have accompanied the proceedings of the Tonjdaree Adalut, the Judges direct me to state that the transmission to Government of enclosures of that kind, appear to have been discontinued in the office of their Register since the year 1840 and that under those circumstances it was held in the instances instance under remark.

3 Assuming the requisition now conformed to as the rule for observance in the submission of future Circuit Reports, the Judges beg respectfully to bring to the notice of Government the increase of labour which by the preparation in triplicate of the Appendix to each Circuit Report will be thrown on the

No 800

the ministerial establishment of the Office of their Register and respectfully to suggest for its further consideration, with reference to the period which has elapsed since the discontinuance of their transmission, they cannot altogether be dispensed with.

4 It will not have escaped the observation of Government that the information which such enclosures are calculated to exhibit, is embraced in the Criminal Half yearly Reports, and although the Appendix now submitted, (being of a Quarterly Sessions, and of the Magistracy in a single Division) is of inconsiderable length, that resulting from the progress thro' an entire Division of a Judge or Circuit for six Month, will be of much larger proportions and Extent.

5 Any such labour moreover, will not be materially diminished when the new Judicial System is brought into operation, as Reports of the same description adverted in Section XXXIII Reg. VII of 1802 are still to be submitted by the Judges holding Sessions in the 20 new Courts once at the close of each each year.

17th August 1843. (Signed) F. D. Phillips

Acting Register

No 800 (No 106)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Depart

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Tonjdaree

Adalut

Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor pn Council the accompanying Extract of a Retrenchment from the accounts of the Collectorate of Tanjore for Fusly 1251 forwarded by the Joint Magistrate at Kotacamund relating to the disbursements for the Jail Establishment at that Station-

2 With reference to the remarks of the Civil Auditor, the Judge beg leave to recommend that the special Sanction of Government be granted for the items objected to by that Officer-

18th August 1843- (Signed) F D Phillips
Acting Register-

No 801. To

The Acting Joint Criminal Judge of
Trichinopoly

Forwarding copy of an order of Government dated the 12th Instant- reporting that 24 Public draught Bullocks have been ordered from Seringapatam to Trichinopoly, for the conveyance of carts to be employed pn repairing the roads &c. at the latter station-

(Sent usual letter &c.).

No 804 To

The Provincial Court pn the
Northern Division

Gentlemen

With reference to your letter dated the 17th July 1843, I am directed by the Judge of the Tonjdaree Adalut to return to you with the Sanction of Government endorsed

endorsed thereon, the two Bills on account of Contingencies incurred for emergent repairs to the Cookhouses & Hackeries to the Jails at Rajahmundry, and the construction of a Pandal to the Jail Hospital, amounting to Rupees (33-3-3), thirty five, annas three and Pice three-

19th August 1843- (Signed) F D Phillips
Acting Register-

No 805. To

The 2d Judge late on Circuit pn the
Western Division

Sir

With reference to your letter dated the 3d July 1843, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Tonjdaree Adalut to inform you that the Most Noble the Governor pn Council has sanctioned the payment of Batta at the rates stated pate, to the 2 Persian Moonshees of the Principal Sudr Ameens Court at Tanjore, for the period of their attendance on duty with the Court of Circuit at Nirmee-

12 Augt 1843 19 August 1843- (Signed) F D Phillips
Acting Register

No 806. To

The Acting Joint Criminal Judge of
Trichinopoly

Sir

In reply to your communication dated the

the 4th Instant submitting for the sanction of the Military Board an Emergent Indent on the Commissary of Ordnance at Trichinopoly for certain articles to be used in the Jail under your charge:-

I am desired by the Judges of the Tonjdaree Adalut to inform you that they do not consider sufficient grounds have been shewn to justify them recommendation that the Articles specified in the Indent should be supplied.

3 The repairing of the "would appear to be a Military work and if employed thereon it is to be inferred the Military authorities of the Division will furnish for the use of the Convicts whatever implements may be required by them.-

In the absence of detailed information to the contrary the Judges see no reason why the department of the Civil Engineer should not provide the Brushes & Coal Tar prefered to as it is believed certain repairs are now in progress in the Jail at Trichinopoly of which the "Dressing proved work" should form a part.-

19th August 1843. /Signed/ F D Phillips
Acting Register

No 807. To
The Acting Magistrate of
Cuddapah

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 17th July 1843 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Tonjdaree Adalut to inform you that, the Statement of expences incurred by the temporary entertainment of Extra Police Peons, employed in the District of Cuddapah, during the Month of June last amounting to Rupees (Rs) one hundred and fifty, was sanctioned by the Government on the 12th August 1843.-
19th August 1843. /Signed/ F. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 808. To
The Joint Magistrate at
Ootacamund-

Sir

With reference to your letter dated the 1st July 1843 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Tonjdaree Adalut to inform you that, the remaining, the remaining charges patronised by the Civil Auditor from the Accounts of the Principal Collector.

of

of Coimbatore for Firstly 1251 amounting to Rupees 11147 - 9 - 1 One thousand one hundred and forty seven, and Pie nine, were sanctioned by Government on the 12th August 1843.-

19th August 1843.

/Signed/ F. D. Phillips
Acting Registrar

No. 809. To

The Acting Criminal Judge of
Chittoor.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 10th Instant submitting copies of a letter and a descriptive Roll from the Superintendant of Police at Vellore reporting the escape of 9 Convicts on the 1st Instant and in reply, to request that a full report of the circumstances connected with the escape may, with the least possible delay, be forwarded for the information of this Court.

19th August 1843.

/Signed/ R. W. Chalfield
Acting Sent. Dy. Register

To

No. 810. To

The Acting Joint Criminal Judge at
Guntoor.

Sir,

With reference to their proceedings of the 10th Instant The Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut direct me to request you will immediately dispose of the Criminal case noted in the margin and which from the usual reports for June last would appear to have been brought to a close on the 10th of that month.

The Judges further request you will, by return of Japaul, report the sentence which may be passed by you in the case in question.

19th August 1843.

/Signed/ F. D. Phillips
Acting Registrar

No. 812.

Memorandum.

The Magistrate of Salem is directed to submit, without further delay, the half yearly statement shewing the manner in which the Convicts under his charge were employed during the half year ending the 30th June 1843, printed forms of which Statement have been furnished from this Office.

22d August 1843.

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut
/Signed/ F. D. Phillips
Acting Registrar

No. 813. To

The Acting Criminal Judge of

Chittoor

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 22d July 1843, I am directed by the Judges of the Tondave Adalut to inform you that the most Noble the Governor in Council has sanctioned the disbursement of Rupees 10 ten, on account of expences incurred by Mrs M. E. Cathcart of Pulicat, in proceeding from that place to Chittoor to give evidence per Cowle No. 24 of 1843 on the file of the Criminal Criminal Court at that Station.

17th August 1843

22d August

(Signed) T. D. Phillips

Acting Registr

No. 816. To

The Magistrate &

Canara

Jurisdiction

Adverting to the Establishment under Act VII of 1843 of a Sudr Ameens Court at Soray; to the instructions issued by the Government to Syed Zeeaoodeen, and by this Court to Appana Pauthy to proceed forthwith to relieve Syed Zeeaoodeen from charge of the Existing Principal Sudr Ameens Court at that Station.

I am directed by the Court of Tondave

Adalut to suggest the propriety of your issuing such orders as may be necessary to prevent the transmission to Soray of Cases not falling within the jurisdiction assigned to Sudr Ameens by Section XLVI of the Act quoted above, after it may be ascertained that Syed Zeeaoodeen has quitted Soray to take up his new appointment at Tricheinopoly.

23d August 1843. (Signed) T. D. Phillips

Acting Registr

Copy sent to the Joint Magistrate of Canara for his information &c

(No. 107)

No. 817. To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Depart

Jurisdiction

I am directed by the Judges of the Tondave Adalut to forward to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the annexed Transcript of a communication from the Criminal Judge of Chingleput, requesting, with reference to the orders of Government under date the 16th July 1842, a further transfer of 200 Convict for Employment on the Road between Chingleput and Palaveram, as the number now engaged on that work is considered to afford a sufficient probability of its completion within a reasonable

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space of time.

2 In soliciting the sanction of Government for the measure proposed by Mr Morehead the Judge would remark, that in the present state of the Jails within a moderate distance of Chingleput an immediate compliance with the Criminal Judges requisition is impracticable and accordingly beg to suggest that the permission of Government be granted for the transmission, as they become available, for the additional numbers of convicts specified.

25th August 1843.

(Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 818. To (No 108)
The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Tuticorin Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 15th Instant from the Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah, submitting for sanction a statement of Expenses incurred by the temporary Entertainment of Extra Police peons employed in the District of Cuddapah during the Month of July last, under the sanction of Government conveyed in the Minutes of Consultation under date the 7th April 1840.

2. The Judges of the Tuticorin Adalut beg to recommend that the Sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question, amounting to Rs 150 One hundred and fifty.

23rd August 1843

(Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

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No 821. To

The Most Noble and Honble Governor of Madras, Coimbatore
Guntoor, Masulipatam,
Tanjore, Chingleput, Cuddapah
Salem, Trichinopoly
Honble & Reverend Secretary

The Court of Tuticorin Adalut direct me to desire you will lose no time in proceeding to join your Station the opening of the Sessions Court to which you are attached, having been fixed for the 16th proximo.

2 In the event of the Special Circumstances rendering it impracticable for you to reach by that date, you will report to the Court of Tuticorin Adalut the probable period of your arrival at which it should be as much as lies in your power.

By order of the Court of Tuticorin Adalut

24th August (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 822. To (No 110)

The Secretary to Government on the
Judicial Department

Sir,

Adverting to the Extract Minutes of Consultation dated the 12th Instant, No 390 conveying orders of Government for the immediate release of the Prisoner Ramayee Mootheren, I am to state

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while in confinement, or unless detained on some other charge.

2 I am directed by the Judges of the Fonjdaree Adalut to report for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, that the Convict in question was set at liberty on the 21st June last as appears from a Return of that date from the late acting Criminal Judge of Chittagong to this Court, instructions issued in consequence of the orders of Government in Ext. Mins. of Cons. of the previous 8th Inst. 224.

24th August 1843. [signed] H. P. Phillips
Acting Registrar

No 827. To

W. Taylor Esquire
1st Judge & Cir. Judge at
Bellary.

Sir,

In reply to your letter dated the 7th Instant requesting the instructions of the Fonjdaree Adalut as to the mode in which the cases on the Bellary Calendar for the current Sessions remaining pending on the 15th proximo

2 I am desired to convey to you the wishes of the Court that, with reference to Section LVI Act VII of 1843 you should, in communication with

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with the criminal Judge, at once ascertain whether any prisoners now under commitment for trial, will object to being tried by Mr. Ogilvie in his capacity of Sessions Judge should a necessity arise for their being brought to the bar before that Gentleman.

3 In the event of objections being raised by any of the Prisoners the Judge desires you will make the arrangements for immediately taking up the case or cases in which they are concerned.

4 The Judges further request you will use your best endeavours to dispose of the cases on the Calendar subject to your return to Chittoor in order to be present there to open the Court of the Special Commission on the date fixed by Government.

5 You will be pleased to keep me informed (in reporting to the Fonjdaree Adalut the result of the communication with the Criminal Judge) directed in para 2 and 3 you will likewise intimate to that Officer that unless the "4 or 5 cases" likely to be laid before you in a supplemental Calendar have already been committed the Court of Fonjdaree Adalut

are of opinion he should abstain from further proceedings in them to admit of their being closed by the subordinate judge the authority acquiring jurisdiction over them under act VIII of 1843.—

25th August 1843. (Signed) T. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

No 828. To,

The Officiating Joint Crim. Judge of Tinnevelly

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to return to you the "Statement of Convicts under your charge, in view to its correction, should Prisoners other than Convicts have been included therein.

2 It appears to the Court of Foujdaree Udalut that Prisoners in confinement in default of finding security have been included in the statment.—

3. I am further directed to inform you that it is intended that the statment should shew only the number of Convicts on the last day of each half year, and consequently that it is not necessary to enter the number of Convicts who

who were in Jail at the end of every month

4 You will be pleased therefore to amend the statment accordingly and retransmit it to this Office by return Tapaul.

25th August 1843. (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

(No III)

No 833 To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a Communication received through the Provincial Court in the Southern Division from the Magistrate of Madura recommending in conformity with a request from the Magistrates of Madura, recommending in conformity with a request from the Subordinate authorities in charge of the Jail at Pumburn the entertainment at that place of an Ironsmith on a monthly salary of 7 Rupees for the repair of the Fetters and such articles in use for the Convicts.

dated the 7th instant

2 The large number of Convict at present employed on the works in the vicinity of Pumburn appears to render necessary the entertainment of an whose services may be at all times available

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available for Jail purposes, and accordingly the Judges beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the employment in the manner proposed by the Magistrate of Mandoor of an iron smith in the Jails at Pamben.

28th August 1843

(Signed) J. D. Sim
Acting Hd. Assts. to Agt.

No. 834. To

The Magistrate of Malabar.

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Tongidaree Udalut to return the Statement No. 2 of Crimes and Misdemeanors committed in the 1st Half year of 1843 in the District of Malabar, submitted by you to the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Western Division, in view to the insertion of the case in which one person charged with house-breaking by night was entered in Column 20 of the Statement for the preceding half year, as not disposed of by the Magistracy, but of which there is no corresponding entry in Column 13 of the Statement now returned.

2. The correction would have been made in this Office, but that the Court of Tongidaree Udalut are not informed of the manner in which the person referred to was disposed of; this information therefore you will be pleased also to exhibit in the statement No. 2 now returned for correction.

28th August 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

1838. To

The Acting Joint Criminal Judges of Guntoor

Sir,

№ 844. To (№ 113.)

The Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Depart.

№ 845. To

The Acting Criminal Judge of Guntoor

Submitting copy of an order of Govern-

ment dated the 25th Instant Requesting the Medical

Board to pass the Indent for 20 Cowhairs for the

use of his Courts.

31st August 1843. (Stat. for Closing Letter)

№ 846. To

The Acting Criminal Judge of Guntoor

Submitting copy of an order of Govern-

ment dated the 25th Instant Requesting the Medical

Board to pass the Indent for 20 Cowhairs for the

use of his Courts.

31st August 1843. (Stat. for Closing Letter)

№ 113

№ 851. To

The Secretary to Government

Sir,

In obedience to the orders of Government contained in the Extract from the Minutes of Council under date the 21st June 1834. I am directed by the Court of Tovydaree Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council, the accompanying copies in Triplicate of a Circular Order of this date—

1st September 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Registr

№ 114.

№ 853 To

The Secretary to Government

Sir

1 Adverting to the Extract from the Minutes of Council dated the 10th March last. № 107 forwarding for the consideration and report of the Tovydaree Udalut a communication addressed to the Finance Committee by the Criminal Judge of Rajahmundry relative to the 31st Jany 1843 № 77 use of Chatrum in lieu of rice as Jail diet—

2. I am directed by the Court to state for

for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council that on a perusal of the several addresses which have been received on the subject from the officers in charge of Jails in the Provinces, it appears to the Judges that no fixed rule can be laid down in respect of the use of Cholum.

3. In those Districts where it forms the ordinary food of the lower clases its supply to Prisoners as a substitute for rice, cannot the Court think be considered objectionable and they would advise all officers in charge of Jails to exercise their discretion in introducing it as the main article of consumption within their Jail. They would further advise there, where it has been once introduced, to enforce its use to the utmost possible extent and to discontinue it only on the report of the medical Officer that it is likely to be detrimental to the health of such Prisoners as he may designate.

4 On a measure of finance the reports laid before the Court clearly show that considerable advantage will be derived from the consumption were generally of cholum, the price of that article being in several Districts about half the cost of rice and in all the Districts where cholum is grown much below the average Bazar rates at which rice is

is sold.

5 The Court take this opportunity of reporting that cholum appears to have been at all times distributed as their usual food to the Prisoners at Cuddapah since 1833 to those at Guntoor and since 1838 to those in the Jail at Bellary and beg further to lay before the Government the accompanying abstract of the information which has been furnished by officers in charge of Jails in the Mofussil.

2d September 1843 } (Signed) Hy. D. Phillips
Acting Register

Abstract

The Joint Criminal Judge of Guntoor	Reports that Cholum has been substituted in his Jail for rice, since 1833, and the result generally has been favorable — no injurious effects have been observed when the change has been gradually introduced	Jonna or Cholum at 84 Seers / Rice 31 Ds } for 1 Rupee Jonna is considered for more nutritious than rice
Criminal Judge of Bellary	States that in his Jail Cholum was introduced in 1838, and now continues in General use. The only exceptions being in cases of sickness and the health of the Prisoners does not appear to have deteriorated at all.	Rice 24 Seers / Ragee 64 Ds / Cholum 64 Ds } for 1 Rupee The daily saving in the diet by the use of Cholum is one half. rice is considered more nutritious by 1/4.
The Criminal Judge of Cuddalore.	Forwards the opinion of the Medical Officer attached to the Jail, to the effect that bad consequences are not likely to ensue from the Change proposed. The ordinary food of the lower Classes in the district is of a poor description. The present food of the Prisoners in the Jail is rice.	Rice 65 measures / Ragee 98 Ds / Cholum 105 Ds } for 1 Rupee Cholum is deemed wholesome and nutritious. Ragee is seldom used alone and unmixed.
Acting Criminal Judge of Cuddapah	States that Cholum has always been in use in his Jail except in cases of illness, and does not seem to have proved detrimental to the health even of those accustomed when at liberty to rice	Rice 24 Seers / Cholum 51 Ds / Ragee 57 Ds } 1 Rupee Cost of the subsistence of the Prisoners annually on rice 5110 - 0 - 0 Rs Cholum 2395 - 3 - 0 Ragee 2144 - 6 -

Foyadaree Decisions 2nd Septemben 1843

Criminal Judge of Rajahmundry	Report that the result of the change from Rice to Cholum has been in his Jail favourable both as regards the health of the Prisoners and decrease of expenditure to Government.-	In 1842 the number of Prisoners in Jail amounted to 141 the cases of sickness to 160 and the cost of maintenance was 577 7 9 had rice been used instead of cholum the expense would have been 1701-7-8- Saving 1123-13-11.
Joint Criminal Judge of Coimbatore	States That in his Jail Cholum has always been the Staple food of such of the Prisoners as are inhabitants of the zillah it being the ordinary food of the people to those who coming from other zillah have been habituated to rice, that grain is given as change of diet is considered prejudicial.-	Fine rice 19 measures Coarse D: 22 D: .. } at 1 Rupee Cholum 41 D: The cost of Rage is about less than that of Cholum, but it has never been used in zillah Jail

Foyadaree Decisions 2nd September 1843

Joint Criminal Judge ausiliary Court at — Vizagapatam.	Recomends that the experiment proposed be tried but with caution - The ordinary food in the Jail is rice neither cholum nor rage form the exclusive food of the people of the district - The medical Officer suggests the occasional use of rice as rage above might prove injurious to those who were formerly accustomed to rice.-	Rice 1 Seer for 6 pice Cholum D: . 3/2 Rage D: . 3 Comparative cost of maintaining daily 100 Convicts at 1 Seer each on Rice Rs 3-2 Cholum Rs 1-13-2 Rage Rs 1-9.
Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly	States that Cholum is very little grown in the District and rage is dearer than the best rice - he however sees no objection to the partial use of Cholum a complete change would he thinks be hazardous.-	Best paddy average Rs 62-12-4 per Garce Rage — — — — — 66-10-8- D:

Assistant Crim.l Judge in Charge of Zillah Court of Nellore.	Reports that red rice is the ordinary food of the lower classes in that District and is used in the Jail. The change of diet would be considers be advantageous to the discipline of the Jail, but if adopted, such chage should be gradual.—	Red rice 35 Rs. Pr. Coody Cholum 18-8 P. D. D. Ragee 17-8-0 D. D. 1 Ser of rice is considered equal in nutrition properties to 1/8 of Cholum
Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Cochin.—	Considers That where Cholum and ragee are the ordinary food of the lower classes in the districts They should be substituted for rice— The medical Officer deems the contemplated change injudicious.—	Rice from 53 to 54 1/2 measures } 1 Rupee. Ragee 95 D. Cholum not a staple Commodity in the Bazar.—

Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Masulipatam.—	Reports that rice is exclusively used in his Jail: that the change now proposed was formerly attempted, but abandoned on account of the Prisoners being averse to it— From a comparison with a Statement of the prevalence of Sickness in the Rajahmundry Jail where Cholum is used, it is inferred that rice is more wholesome than Cholum.—	Coossoma rice Rs 32-0 D. D. 31-0 red rice 25-0 Cholum 11-12 Ragee 9-8 } Pr. Candy
Acting Criminal Judge of Chittoor	States his concurrence in the opinion of the Medical Officer attached to the Jail of various private individuals as to the inexpediency of the substitution of Cholum for rice, which is the usual food of the inhabitants of the District.—	Rice 17. measures Cholum 25 1/2 D. Ragee 30 D. Rice is deemed the most nutritious & requires less time to prepare.

Fort St. George Dy. 2d. Sept. 1845.
Legislative Dept. No. 3.

Criminal Judge of Madura	Reports that in his Jail in 1838 Cholum and Ragee were substituted for rice, but in 1841, under the opinion of the Medical Officer who described the frequency of bowel complaints to the inferior grains, rice was again brought into use.	Moolaghee rice (used in the Hospital) 5½ measures = as ¾ at 3-4 Coarse D° (in Jail) 6½ D° Cholum — 8 D° Ragee — 12½
Acting Criminal Judge of Malabar at Calicut	States that rice which is the food given to the Prisoners is that generally used in the District and concurs with the Medical Officer that the proposed change is inadvisable.	Rice Rs. 1-5-10 Cholum 11-2-0 Ragee 10-2- } Rs. 50 Seers.
Joint Criminal Judge of Malabar at Tellicherry	Cholum is not grown in the District and ragee is considered injurious and its daily consumption avoided even by the poorest inhabitants whose usual food is rice. The Medical Officer is of opinion that the change from Rice to Cholum might at first prove detrimental to health.	2nd sort rice Rs. 1-9-7 3rd D° D° 1-8-0 Chawghat 1-9-7 D° 2d sort 1-8-10 D° 3d D° 1-8-0 Ragee 10-5 } Rs. 50 Seers.

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Officiating Joint Criminal Judge at Tennevelly	Report that rice is the staple food of the people and is used in the Jail. It is nearly as cheap as Cholum. He further doubts whether a sufficient supply of the latter could be regularly procured under these circumstance. he questions the expediency of any change in the diet.	The saving in the maintenance of the Prisoners at the average price of rice, Cholum and Ragee for the last 3 years would have been 25 Rs. monthly had the inferior grains been used. Rice more nutritious by one half.
Acting Criminal Judge of Combaconum	Considered that from the cheapness of rice, the saving in the expenditure would be too small to hazard an attempt.	Rice 1 R Rs. Calum capable of feeding 6 people. Cholum — 10 annas D° D° D° 70 D° Ragee — 8 D° D° — 80 D°
Criminal Judge of Canara	The medical Officer is of opinion that the exclusive use of Cholum might be injurious. The present food used in the Jail is rice and the former great mortality has decreased to such an extent that the Crim. Judge would not recommend any change in food.	Rice Rs. 1-5 D° measure Ragee " 1- D° imported from Mysore. Cholum is not procurable in the District

(No: 115.)

No: 858 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir.

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Tayjdaree Udalut to transmit, to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the annexed

4th Ultimo copy of a communication from the Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly forwarding for the sanction of the Military Board an emergent indent an the Commissary of Ordnance at Trichinapoly for certain articles, there in Specified, required for use by the convicts in the Jail at that Station.

2. I am further directed to forward

22d Ultimo copy of an explanation from the Acting Joint Criminal Judge stating, in accordance with a

19th Ditto requisition from this Circuit the grounds on which the indent referred to was submitted for sanction.

3. The Court are of opinion that the indent is of an unusual nature, and that the articles "sheaves" should, if requisite be supplied through the Engineers department.

4. The information submitted by the Joint Criminal Judge has failed to satisfy the Court

Acting Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly, Page for Gaol Fees 12 5 1/2
Statement Dr. 88-4-1 @ 1/10 10-8
Charge in Case = 94-3-1 none
Receipt Contract until 30th April
1844 at Rs 183 Pr. Gaol.—

Acting Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly Rect 22 9/16 Rupees for 1 Pr.
Statement Dr. 51 15/16 Dr.
Charge would be detrimental to the health of
the Prisoners generally and in fact
accustomed to the use of rice.

(Signed) A. Dickins.—
Acting 4th Assistant to the Register.

Acting Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly states that Chalam is considered
and that in his opinion the Chalam
imputation would be injurious.

Concurs with the Medical Officer
Charge would be detrimental to the
Prisoners generally and in fact
accustomed to the use of rice.

Court the solicited recommendation would under the Circumstances of the case be warranted— and they accordingly decline to recommend that sanction be granted for the articles mentioned with the exception only of the "Coal Tar" which appears to have been expended in the Jail, and for which they request the favourable consideration of Government, in order to the indent for one gallon of that article being passed by the Military Board.

4th September 1843 } (Signed) H D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No. 116)

No. 856 To
The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

Adverting to the Extract from the minutes of Consultation under date the 17th May 1843 No. 159 authorizing the nomination of Mr. Ebell to perform the duties of Police Ameen and directing that his name may be inserted in the next Commission of the Peace, I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to forward for the purpose of being laid before the Most

Most Noble the Governor in Council copy of a letter from Mr. J. Blackburne Collector and Magistrate of Madura reporting his having administered the oath of a Justice of the Peace to Mr. H. T. Ebell.—

4th September 1843 } (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 857 To
The 1st Judge on Circuit in the
Centre Division

Sir

I. In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated the 27th Ultimo requesting to be informed whether it is intended that the native establishment now on Circuit should be discharged on the day notified in the Gazette for the abolition of the Provincial Courts, and if so, in what manner it is proposed to translate the proceedings in referrible Cases, as also into whose charge the records of the Courts of Circuit are to be committed, I am directed to state that the native Establishment necessarily Expires with the Office, to be re employed, it is to be hoped, under the new arrangements that the Judge who tried the case will be

expected

expected to refer it, as that part of his office does not cease with the abolition of the Courts, and that he should avail himself as far as possible of his new establishment, and state what part of the old is required for the purpose of executing the remaining translations &c.

2. I am further instructed to state that the concluding question in your letter has already formed a subject of discussion and that full instructions will be circulated regarding it, at an early date.

4th September 1843. } (signed) R.W. Chatfield
Acting Senior Deputy Register

(No. 117)

No. 858. To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

× No. 338 / Adverting to your letter of 15th July last requesting a report whether the extra Establishment authorised under date the 12th April 1841 to be employed in aid of the Police in suppressing Gang robbery and preserving the peace within certain tracts of the Bellary District,

is

is still required and deserving to be informed of the result of the trial of the persons charged with the murder of Comalapoor Shaik Roolsain, I am directed to submit for the purpose of being laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying copies of communications from the Magistrate and Asst Magistrate of Bellary.

2. In the opinion of the Court of Fayidaree Udalut the expediency of continuing the establishment is clearly shown in the correspondence now before them. The expenditure, compared with the supposed result, is inconsiderable, whilst the advantages which have been derived from its temporarary existence are of a nature to affect the welfare and happiness of a considerable community, under these circumstances the Court would respectfully beg to recommend not only the continuance of the Guard, but, in addition, the employment of a Surcheshum on an allowance of 20 Rs. per mensem, since in the event of the Extra Peons being permanently entertained it is most desirable that their Energies should be directed and controlled by a competent and responsible Superior.

St.

3. It will be observed from para 4 of the communication from the Magistrate of Bellary now submitted that Ebelaiee and Timmareddy were executed on the 26th October 1842. a full report of the result of the trial of those notorious offenders and of the other parties concerned in the murder of the Surchasem of the Police Establishment of Bellary was entered in this Courts proceedings on the Criminal Reports for the 2d half year of 1841 dated 20th October 1842.

4th September 1843 } (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No 118)

No 862. To
The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to your communication under date the 25th Ultimo (No 446) transmitting to this Court for such suggestions as may be deemed necessary, draft of an act "for shortening the periods of imprisonment within the Territories Subject to the Government of the East India Company" I am directed by the Judges to inform you

you that have have no observations to offer relative to the provisions of the act in question.

5th September 1843. } (Signed) I D Sim
Acting Asst to the Regr

No 863 To
The Joint Magistrate at
Ootacamund

Sir

With reference to your letter dated the 5th Ultimo, I am directed by the Court of Fouydaree Udalut to inform you that the charges objected to by the Civil auditor in the accounts of the Collectorate of Tanjore for Fusly 1251 relating to the Jail establishment at Ootacamund amounting to Rupees 744-9-8 received the special sanction of Government on the 31st Ultimo.

5th September 1843. } (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 864 To the Magistrate of Cuddapah

Forwarding copy of an Extract dated the 29th Ultimo, directing the Magistrate of Cuddapah to return Anjereddy to the custody of the chief Magistrate and Superintendent of Police

5th September 1843. } (Sent usual letter)

To

(N° 119)

N°865 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

1. With reference to the Extract from the minutes of Consultation under date the 14th February last I am directed by the Judges of the Tayjdaree Udalut to transmit to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a letter dated the 25th August 1843 from the Magistrate of Bellaree submitting for Sanction a Quarterly Statement of charges incurred on account of the Extra Establishment Employed for the purpose of aiding the Police in putting down Gang — " Robbery and preserving the peace in the Hilly Tracts of the Pengondah Talook of the Bellaree District during the 4th Quarter of Fusly 1252 or from 1st April to 11th July 1843.—

2. The Judges of the Tayjdaree Udalut beg to recommend that the Sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting to Rupees (543–2–8) Five hundred and forty three Annas two and pie eight.—

5th September 1843 (Signed) R. D Phillips
Acting Regr

To

N°866. To The ——

Sir,

With reference to the Circular letter addressed to the Four Provinced Court under date the 25th July last. I am directed by the Judges of the Tayjdaree Udalut to return to you the Jail return (which accompanied your letter of the —— last to request you will in conformity with the instructions contained in that communication in future transmit the returns in question to this Court at the close of each year.—

Meting 1st & 2nd Judges of Malabar dated 24th July 1843.
—— Dr of Salem —" 14th —"
—— Dr of Nellore —" 22nd —"
—— Dr of Madura —" 1st —"
—— Dr of Rajahmundry " 30th June "
1st & 2nd Judge of Vizagapatam " " —"
Meting Dr of Trichinopaly " 11th July "
—— Dr —— Dr of Masulipatam " 31st Dr "
—— Dr of Coimbatore " 29th Dr "
Pl S A —— at Tchalpoor " 24th Dr "
Acting Mag & of Vizagapatam " 27th Dr "
—— Mag & of Canara —" 8th Aug "
—— Dr of Guntoor —" 20 July "
Aj Dr of Tanjore —" 24th —"
—— Dr of Rajahmundy " 26th —"
Joint Dr of Cuddapah " 1st —"

5th September 1843.—

(Signed) R. D. Phillips
Acting Registar

(N° 120)

N°867 To the Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Tayjdaree Udalut to state for the information of Government

Government that there are at present 4 Convicts awaiting execution of their sentences of transportation and to suggest that tenders be invited for their passage to Singapoor.—

1 Padmanaic Cadgil Coolly Comma,
2 Tanna Carpen,
3 Chinnasawmy,
4 Casoo Ramadoo,

6th September 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips.
Acting Register

(No. 121)

No. 868. To
The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of consultation under date the 31st Ultimo. No. 100 I am directed by the Court of Fouzdaree Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying record of the Trial in case No. 4 of the Chingleput Calendar for the 1st Sessions of 1843 wherein the Prisoner Alamaloo was sentenced to 7 years imprisonment on a charge of manslaughter.—

6th September 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips.
Acting Register

To

No. 869. To
The Acting Joint Criminal Judge
at Guntoor

Sir.

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation communicated to you under date the 31st Ultimo, I am directed by the Court of Fouzdaree Udalut to forward the sanctioned Indent on the Commissary of Ordnance at Masulipatam for Tools required for the use of the Courts at Guntoor— the total number of Crowbars applied for in the first instance having been reduced to 20.

25th aug. 1843

6th September 1843. } (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No. 122)

No. 870 To
The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir.

I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Udalut to forward to be laid before the most Noble the Governor in Council Copies of the correspondence noted in the Margin,

with

Letter from the ag Jt C.J. dated 18th July last with its enclosures D° D° dated 3rd Ultimo in reply to Ft Canr of 27th July —

with the acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly relative to an application on the part of the Jailer at that Station for the refund of the amount stated to have been expended by him in the Construction of a dwelling for his own accomodation in the vicinity of the Jail to which he is attached —

2 The expenses incurred for building materials are stated by the Jails to have amounted to Rs 117 - 5 - 9 but according to an estimate prepared in the Office of the Civil Engineer of the Division the value of the building is computed only at Rs 86 - 4 - for the disbursement of which sum in order to its payment to the Jailer the ag Jt Crim: Judge requests that sanction may be granted —

3 The house in question appearing to have been built of clay and bricks on Govt ground with Convict labour the expence of materials alone being defrayed by the Jailer for whose abode there is stated to have been no suitable accommodation at the time of its construction the estimate of its present value being moderate with reference to the cost of similar houses at other Stations where provision has been made for the residence of Jailers likely to prove an useful acquisition as public property the Judges of the Fouydaree Udalut beg to recommend for the intelligent consideration of Government the application for the refund to the Jailer of Trichinopoly of the sum of Rs 86 4 " as suggested by the Acting Joint Criminal Judge at that Station —

7th September 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips.
Acting Register.

N° 871. To

The Criminal Judge of Chingleput

Sir.

I am desired to annex for your information a transcript of an order by Government dated 29th July 1843 N° 824 with a view to the Conduct of the Moosriff of Semmungary receiving such consideration as it may appear to deserve, on the investigation of the charges which may be preferred against the persons concerned in the recent robbery at the salt Cutchery at Summungary —

7th September 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

(N° 123)

N° 875 To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir.

I am directed by the Judges of the Fouydaree Udalut to transmit to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a communication, dated 24th Ult° received through the Provincial Court in the Southern Division from the Magistrate of Madura recommending

recommending to the esctent specified in the Margin

Sailors pay from	an increase of pay to the
14 to 21 Rs monthly	Peon establishment employed
Daffadars from 7 to 10½	in guarding the convicts,
Lance Naigues 5¼ to 7	311 in number, engaged
Peons 5¼ to 6	under charge of Lieut Robertson,

in the operations in progress at Paumbum in the island of Ramaswarum.

2. The reasons set forth in the above letter appear to the Judges to justify the adoption of the measure proposed by the Magistrate of Madura, and they accordingly beg to recommend that Sanction may be granted for the increase which has been suggested by that Officer according to the rates mentioned.

9th September 1843 } (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No 125)

No 879. To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir.

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Sayidaree Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the most Noble the Governor in Council, the accompanying

accompanying copy of a letter dated the 2d Instant from the Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly, submitting for Sanction an Indent in Duplicate and Triplicate, for six Pole Yokes supplied with the Platform Carts received from the Commissary of Ordnance of Trichinopoly, on the 19th Ultimo, under the Sanction of Government dated the 19th June last.

2. The Judges beg leave to recommend that the Indent in question may receive the Special Sanction of Government.

11th September 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 880. To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue
in the Department of
Public Works.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Sayidaree Udalut to forward to you to be laid before the Board for examination and check and for eventual transmission to Government, the accompanying two Estimates of the expense of repairing the Jail and building at Trichinopoly an item in that of later date having in consequence of a communication from this Court to the Officiating Joint

Joint Criminal Judge been reduced from
Rupees 182–8–11 to Rupees 47–10–

11th September 1843 } (Signed) H. D Phillips
Acting Register

No. 881. To the Criminal Judge of Chingleput

Sir

With reference to your letter dated the 22nd Ultimo, forwarding for the approval of the Judges an application from Mr. Hamlyn the Zillah Surgeon of Chingleput, for permission to draw "Headmoney" for the Convicts detached from the Jail at that Station, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to state that with the information now before them, they are unwilling to forward to Government for Sanction the request submitted by you.–

2. Adverting to the circumstance of a subordinate medical Officer having recently been deputed to afford medical aid to the Prisoner in the vicinity of Chingleput, the Judges desire to be informed by whose orders the duties for which remuneration is now solicited by Mr. Hamlyn have been performed by him

11th September 1843 } (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

No. 883. To The Magistrate of Madura.–

Forwarding copy of an order of Government dated the 5th instant, authorizing the employment of an Iron smith on Seven Rupees per mensem for the purpose of repairing the fetters and other articles in use with the Convicts employed at Paumban.–

12th September 1843. (Sent usual letter)

No. 889. To The Magistrate of Cuddapah.–

Forwarding copy of an order of Government dated the 9th instant, sanctioning the charges incurred by the temporary entertainment of extra Police Peons employed in the District of Cuddapah during the month of July last amounting to Rupees 150.–

13th September 1843. (Sent usual letter)

(No. 126)

No. 892. To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the most Noble the Governor in Council

Mem

Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 7th Instant, from the Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly, submitting for sanction an Indent for 1 Gallon of Common Tar, for tarring the Wheels of the new Carts in use in the Jail under his charge.

2

The Judges beg leave to recommend that the Military Board be requested to pass the Indent in view to the Article included therein being supplied to the Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Trichinopoly.

14th September 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

No. 894 To

The Several Sessions and Sub Judges &
Principal Sudr Ameens

Sir

I am desired by the Court of Sudr and Fouj.daree Udalut to state for your information and guidance that the Establishments for the new Courts which were sanctioned in their proceedings dated the 21st Ultimo, are to be considered in no wise to effect the Strength or organization of the establishment of the Jail at present under your charge.

18th September 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 900 To,

The Assay Master

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Fouj.daree Udalut to forward for the purpose of their being rendered available for the profit of Government in any way you may deem advisable certain counterfeit coins which have accumulated in this Court.

20th September 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 904. To

The Late 2nd Judge, Provincial Court of Circuit Western Division

Transmitting copy of an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 12th Instant Conveying the observations of Government on his Criminal Report for the 1st Session 1843.

21st September 1843. (Sent usual letter No.)

Mem

No 905

Minute

1 Printed form of the Half yearly Criminal Statement

No 1

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Forwarded to the Magistrate of Salem with reference to a letter from the Provincial Court in the Northern Division dated the 18th Instant.

By Order of the Court of Tongdaree Adalut

21st September 1843

(Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No 127.)

No 907 To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir,

In obedience to the orders of Government contained in the Extract from the Minutes of Council under date the 24th June 1834, I am directed by the Court of Tongdaree Adalut to transmit to you, to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying copies in Triplicate of a Circular Order

of this date.

22nd September 1843

(Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 128

No 908 To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Tongdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council, the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 18th Instant from the Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah submitting for sanction a statement of expenses incurred by the temporary entertainment of Extra Police Irons, employed in the District of Cuddapah during the Months of August last under the sanction of Government conveyed in the Minutes of Consultation under date the 7th April 1840.

2. The Judges of the Tongdaree Adalut beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting to Rupees (150) one hundred and fifty.

22nd September 1843

(Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

Trujdaree Diary 22nd September 1843.

No 129.

No 909. To

The Secretary to Government

in the

Judicial Department.

Sir,

With reference to the order of Government dated the 23d June 1838 No 636. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Trujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying General Statement made up to the 30th June 1843 shewing the number of Convicts sentenced to labor on Public Works throughout the Madras Territories the Number allotted to each description of Work their age, the authorities under whom they are placed and where distinct from Officers in charge of Jails, the date of the authority of Government under which Convicts were placed under the Control.

22nd September 1843

Signed H. D. Phillips

Acting Register

General

General List of Convicts under the Presidency of Fort St George.

Station

| | | |

| Station | No. of Convicts on the 30th June 1843. | | In the manner in which their Services are disposed of | | |

Fort St. Gazette 28th July 1843.
Cap. 608.-

Sayidary Diary 22nd September 1843.-

No 910 To

The Special Commissioner for the
Western Division

Sir.

With reference to a communication from the Provincial Court in the Western Division dated the 11th Instant, I am directed by the Court of Sayidaree Udalut to return to you the Book of Rayeenamah and the Kabooleamah which forms part of the Proceedings in case No 6 on the Sircy Calendar for the 1st Sessions of 1843.-

22d September 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 911 To The Sessions Judge at
Masulipatam

Sir,

With reference to the late Acting Joint Criminal Judges letter dated the 9th Instant, I am desired to inform you that the Court of Sayidaree Udalut are not satisfied of the necessity of the Articles (Garden Shears) which he has requested may be supplied, and that they are not prepared to recommend that the Indent may be passed.-

22nd September 1843 } (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

Sayidaree Diary 22nd September 1843.-

No 912. To

The Sessions Judges at Nellore, Guntoor
and at Masulipatam

Sir,

With reference to a communication from the Provincial Court in the Northern Division dated the 30th Ultimo, I am directed to inform you that, under the authority vested in them by the order of Government of the 28th July 1843, the Court of Sayidaree Udalut, sanction the Statement for bringing up the children of Convicts in the Jail at for the 2d Quarter of 1843. amounting to Rs

Nellore	1	7	2
Guntoor	2	14	"
Masulipatam	3	3	2

(Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

22nd September 1843.-

No 913. To

The Sessions Judge at Nellore

Forwarding copy of an Extract of Government dated the 16th Instant, authorizing the Zillah Judge of Nellore to draw the sum of Rs 120. for the completion of the paper sheds and a wall in front of the Jail at Nellore, but declining to sanction the irregular disbursement made by Mr. Dawdeswell.

22d September 1843 } (Sent usual letter) No

To

Nº 914. To

The Assistant Subordinate Judge of Combaconum

Sir.

1. With reference to the letter from the late acting Criminal Judge dated the 13th instant, submitting, in conformity with the instructions of this Court transcript of a communication from the assistant zillah Surgeon of Combaconum regarding the present state of mind of Mohammud Alee the Prisoner in case Nº 1 on the Combaconum calendar for the 1st Sessions of 1842.

2. I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will in communication with the Medical Officer in charge of the Jail report for the information of this Court whether the Symptoms of insanity displayed by the Prisoner referred to are such as to render him in the opinion of the Officer a fit subject for confinement in the Lunatic Asylum at Madras and in the event of his deeming such an arrangement to be advisable to reject you will make the usual arrangments for the transfer of the Prisoner to the Presidency

22nd September 1843. } (Signed) J. D. Sim.

Ag. Asst. to the Register

To

Nº 915. To

The

Sir.

Subord. Judg of Bellary	With reference to their Circular letter
Ag. D° Cuddapah	addressed to the four Provincial
Sessions D° Chingleput	Courts under date the 25th July last,
Subord. Judge Chittoor	I am directed by the Court of Foujdary
Ag. Sess. D° Cuddalore	Adalut to transmit to you the
Acting Magistrate of Salem	Jail return for the 1st half of
× Acting Mag.te of Salem	1843 which accompanied a

letter from the Provincial Court in the centre — (× Southern) (× 30th Ult.) Division, dated 9th Instant, and to request you will in conformity with the instructions contained in that circular, in future submit the return in question to this Court direct; at the close of each year.—

22nd September 1843. } (Signed) H. D. Phillips.—

Acting Register.—

Nº 920. To

The Acting Sessions Judge at Chittoor

Sir

1. In reply to your letter of the 16th instant, I am directed to communicate the opinion of the Foujdaree Udalut that in your capacity of Sessions Judge you are competent to dispose of any case.

case committed for trial previous to the 16 instant by the late Acting Criminal Judge of that Station.—

2. It is however, not competent to you, as Sessions Judge, to take up and try criminal cases reaching the Court of the Subordinate Judge, which, as the law now stand, can be investigated in the first instance only by the Officer who is nominated to preside over it;— neither could such cases be disposed of by the Special communication who is not a Sessions Judge and is not vested under Act VIII of 1843 with any original Criminal functions whatever.—

3. Any cases which may be sent up to the Court of the Subordinate Judge previous to the arrival at Chittoor of Mr. Bell, should be over until that Gentleman has assumed charge of his Office, the Prisoners concerned therein being received into Jail by the Officer under whose temporary superintendance it is now placed.

25th September 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 921. To The Acting Sessions Judge at Trichinopoly

Sir,

With reference to the late Acting Joint Criminal Judges letter of the 2d Instant, I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to inform you that

that the Indent for 6 Pole Yokes supplied with the Platform Carts by the Commissary of Ordnance for the use of the Jail received the Special Sanction of Government on the 19th Instant.—

25th September 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register.

No 922. To (No 131)

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir.

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying Extract of a Retrenchment from the accounts of the Collectorate of Malabar for Fasly 1251 forwarded by the Joint Magistrate at Cotacamund relating to the disbursement for the Jail Establishment at that Station.—

2. With reference to the remark of the Civil Auditor, the Judges beg leave to recommend that the Special Sanction of Government be granted for the several items objected to by that Officer.—

25th September 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

No 923 To.

The Magistrate of

Bellary

Sir.

With reference to your letter dated the 25th August last, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fayjdaree Udalut to inform you that the charges incurred on account of the temporary entertainment of the Extra Police establishment in the District of Bellary, during the 4th Quarter of Fusly 1253, or from 1st April to 11th July 1843 amounting to Rupees (543-2-8) five hundred and forty three annas two and pice Eight were sanctioned by the Government on the 19th Instant.

23th September 1843 } (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register

No 924

No 925

N° 935 To

The Mint Master

Sir,

I am desired by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Udalut to request you will receive charge for disposal in any way you may deem advisable for the benefit of Government of certain counterfeit coins which have accumulated in this Court.—

26th September 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

N° 936 To

The Acting Civil & Sessions Judge of
Rajahmundry

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Fouzdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 6th Instant requesting that a gang of 80 Prisoners may be retransferred to the Jail of Rajahmundry, and suggesting that the prisoners at Vizagapatam should be transferred to Rajahmundry and Chicacole, and the Jail at the former place be abolished.—

2. As Mr. Ross who is not a Hindoo has been appointed Principal Sudr Ameen of Vizagapatam the principal objection raised by you regarding

regarding the control of the Vizagapatam Jail is removed and the Court under these circumstances are not prepared to sanction the proposed arrangement for the removal of the Prisoners or the abolition of the Jail.—

26th September 1843 } (Signed) R. W. Chatfield.—
Acting Senior Deputy Regr

N° 942. To

The Sessions Judge of
Masulipatam.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 20th Instant, I am desired to communicate the opinion of the Fouzdaree Udalut that as no transfer of the charge of the 50 Prisoners adverted to, appears to have taken place, the Court do not see the necessity of your reporting specially that the labors of that number have been placed at the disposal of the Magistrate for the period of one month.—

27th September 1843. } (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

N° 943. To the Acting Sessions Judge at Trichinopoly

Forwarding copy of an order of Govt dated the 22nd Instant, authorizing the Military Board to cause the Indent for certain articles required

for

for the use of the convicts in the Jail at Trichinopoly to be complied with.
27th September 1843 (Sent usual letter)

No 944 To the Acting Sessions Judge at Trichinopoly

Forwarding copy of an order of Government dated the 22d Instant, requesting the Military Board to cause the Indent for one Gallon of Common Tar required for tarring the wheels of the new carts in use in the Jail at Trichinopoly to be complied with.
27th September 1843. (Sent usual letter) No

(No 133)

No 954. To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Tanjore Udalut to apprize you that since the dispatch of my letter of the 6th Instant five more convicts named in the margin have arrived at Chingleput under sentence of transportation

Pounala Cauiden
Chuckler Rungon
Chintala Venkalegandoo
Ramen
Pittala Appaya

2 The Court of Tanjore Udalut beg to suggest that this circumstance

be

be reported to the Marine Board in view to tenders being invited in the Official Gazette for the passage of nine Convicts to Singapore.
28th September 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips Acting Register

No 955 To the Magistrate of Canara.

Forwarding copy of an order of Government, dated the 22d Instant, communicating copy of a letter from the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India stating that the Government of India sanctions the intertainmaint of an additional Police Establishment at a cost of Rs 52-8 per mensem in the Bantwal Talook in the District of Canara.
28th September 1843 (Sent usual letter) No

No 956. To.

The Magistrate of Bellary

Sir.

In reply to your letter of the 15th instant I am desired to communicate to you the opinion of the Tanjore Udalut that Prisoners sentenced by the Magistracy under the provisions of section LIV Act VII of 1843 should be transferred for the purpose of undergoing the imprisonment awarded

awarded to the custody of the Officer in charge of the Jail at the station of the Zillah Court.—

28th September 1843 } (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

№ 957 To

The Special Commissioner in the
Centre Division

Sir

1. With reference to your letter dated the 21st instant soliciting permission for the temporary entertainment of an additional Translator in the establishment under your charge, with a view to the completion of the Cases referred to the Foujdaree Udalut on the Cuddapah and Bellary Calendars for the 2nd Sessions of the current year.—

2. I am directed by the Court to request you will state the rate at which you propose to remunerate the Translator to be employed & also specify the probable period during which his services will be required for the purpose in question.—

28th September 1843. } (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To.

№ 134

№ 964 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

1. I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to forward to be laid before the most Noble the Governor in Council, the annexed transcript of a communication from the Subordinate Judge of Bellary, reporting the objection of a Prisoner, Pullara Doorga, to be tried before Mr W. C. Oglivie the present Sessions Judge at that Station, by whom his commitment was ordered.—

2. Adverting to the distance from Bellary of Chittoor and Cuddapah the Stations of the nearest Special Commissioner and Sessions Judges, the Court of Foujdaree Udalut would suggest that the case in which the Prisoner in question is concerned be ordered to be tried by Mr J. Harris Subordinate Judge of Bellary or by Mr A. Mellor the Magistrate of that District.—

30th September 1843. } (Signed) H. D. Phillips.
Acting Register

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Foujdaree Diary 30th September 1843

No. 965

(No. 135.)

Foujdaree Diary 3d October 1843.

No. 136

No. 970

To

The Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter under date the 22d Ultimo, requesting to be informed whether there has been any increased strictness of Prison discipline in the Jails under the Madras Presidency whether the discharge of Convicts under Clause 1 of the Draft Act would be safe and whether under existing circumstances it would be expedient to reduce the prescribed sentences more especially in the case of old and notorious Offenders and while a mitigation of the prescribed punishment is already authorized by law.

2. In reply to the preceding questions the Court would observe that they are not aware of any such increased strictness of prison discipline having taken place in the Jails under the Madras Presidency as would of itself call for any remission of the sentences now in operation.—

3. In regard to the next point the

Court

Court would observe that they are unacquainted with any objections to the release of such Offenders which would not have been equally in force, and equally perceptible at any other periods.

4. In offering the preceding remarks the Court deem it necessary to state that coming as the draft act did before them with the facts assumed, they did not consider themselves at liberty to question its provisions.

3d October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Regr.

No 976 To

The Subordinate Judge of Chittoor

Sir,

Adverting to a communication dated the 21st instant from the late Acting Criminal Judge of Chittoor, submitting in accordance with a requisition from this Court, copies of a correspondence between that Officer and the Superintendent of Police at Vellore on the subject of the escape on the 1st August last of 9 Convicts from the latter station and the supposed connivance of the Peon in charge of the gang at the time of the escape.

I am directed by the Judges of the Sudder Adalut to request that you will at your earliest convenience inform them whether the endeavours used for the apprehension of the Prisoners have proved successful or not, and at the same time report fully the measures which have been adopted for the trial of the Peons referred to, and the probable result of the enquiry into their Conduct on the occasion in question.

3d October 1843. (Signed) J. D. Sim
Actg Head Assist. to the Regr

No 976 To

The Acting Sessions Judge of Trichinopoly

Transmitting Copy of an Extract Minute of Consultation dated 3d Instant granting sanction for the reimbursement to the Jailor at Trichinopoly of the sum of Rupees 86 4 0 being the present estimated value of the building erected at his expense in the vicinity of the Gaol at that Station.

5th October 1843. (Sent Usual Letter No)

No 977 To (No 737)

The Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

In conformity with the instructions

contained

Trans. Fo. G. W. D. 5th October 1843.
Fdc. Pr. 5th Novr. 2.

contained in your communication dated the 25th Ultimo No 397. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to be laid before the Government, Copies of the letter to and proceedings of this Court, noted in the margin, on the subject of a slave who whilst residing within the limits of the jurisdiction of the Magistrate of Malabar was (so far as it appeared from the papers before the Foujdaree Udalut) taken thence against his will by his reputed Master into the Cochin Territory.

5th October 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Registr

No 978 To,

The Acting Magistrate
of South Arcot

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to forward to you the annexed transcript of Para 5 of an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 16th Ultimo (No 509) together with copy of the papers therein

Paras 21-23. 24.

therein referred to, of the Court submitted by the 2d Judge late on Circuit in the Centre Division regarding the state of the Police in the Cuddalore District, and to request that you will favor the Court with any observations you may have to offer on the remarks contained in the communications herewith transmitted.

5th October 1843 (Signed) I. D. Sim
Act. Regr. pro tem.

No 981 To,

The Sessions Judge of Salem

Sir,

Adverting to your communication dated the 20th Ultimo, I am desired by the Foujdaree Udalut Court to intimate to you that it was not necessary you should report that the Prisoners committed by you as late Criminal Judge, were willing again to be tried by you in your new capacity of Sessions Judge.

2 With reference to your further communication of the subsequent 26, I am also instructed to inform you no objection exists to your trying the individual concerned in the case noted in the margin who has recently been reapprehended under the circumstance of his consent having been

No 18 of the 1st Sessions of 1843.

been obtained to that mode of Proceeding and that a reference on the subject to this Court was not called for.

6th October 1843.

(Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Regr.

No 982 To

The Joint Magistrate Cotacamond

Sir,

Adverting to your letter of the 25th Ultimo I am directed to inform you that the authority of this Court for the discontinuance of the payment therein referred to, is not under the circumstances stated, considered to be necessary.

6th October 1843.

(Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 983 To

The Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah

Communicating Copy of an order of Government dated 30th Ultimo sanctioning the expences incurred by the temporary entertainment of Extra Police prons in his District during the Month of August 1843 Amounting to Rupees 150 — — —

7th October 1843.

(Sent Usual letter No.)

No 984 To

The Joint Magistrate of Cotacamond

Communicating Copy of an order from Government

Government dated 3d Instant sanctioning the charges retrenched by the Civil Auditor from the Accounts of Malabar for Fasly 1251 on account of the Convicts and Jail estimate at Cotacamond amounting to Rupees 2450-8-0

7th October 1843.

(Sent Usual letter No.)

No 986 To

The Subordinate Judge of Bellary

Communicating Copy of Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 7th Instant authorizing him to try the Prisoner Pullavan Doorga in Cassing Bellary Calendar 2d Sessions 1843.

9th October 1843.

(Sent Usual letter No.)

No 987 To

The Sessions Judge of Nellore

Sir,

I am instructed by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to acknowledge the receipt of your Communications of the 15th Ultimo requesting further instructions relative to the order of acquittal passed by this Court in Case No 56 of the Nellore Criminal Reports for July last and in reply to state that the Foujdaree Adawlut have invariably ruled, when the case has come to their notice, that "village watchers" do not fall under the penalties enacted by Regulation 13 of 1832 in "Bonds".

This

2 This construction has been long established and frequently applied, and, without a breach of the ordinary rules of language it would be impossible to extend the provisions of Regulation 13 of 1832.

"Village Police."

3 Our oversight on the part of the Foujdaree Adalut mentioned by you ought not to have prevented your immediate compliance with their orders which on examination, you will perceive are similar to those issued to your Court in Case 35 on the Criminal Reports for the Month of April 1837.

9th October 1843.

(Signed) R. W. Chatfield
Asst Sessions Judge & Register

No 990 To

The Sessions Judge at Chingleput.

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to call your attention to this Court's letter of the 11th Ultimo and to request you will report without further delay, by whose orders the duties for which remuneration is solicited by Mr Assistant Surgeon Hamlyn have been performed by him.

10th October 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 991. To

The Magistrate of Bellary

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to return to you with a view to the insertion of the undermentioned particulars the Statement, contained in your

FC 608th March 1839.

letter of the 19th Ultimo, of rewards paid for the apprehension during Fusly 1252, of Thieves &c. in the District of Bellary.

2 In the first charge, the class of the convict for whose apprehension a reward of 25 Rupees was granted, should have been stated, and in the second, the number of persons, for the seizure of whom, as accomplices of Timmareddy and Obalasoo, the rewards sanctioned by Government under date the 12th of April 1841, have been paid, should have been inserted for the information of the Court.

10th October 1843 (Signed) H. D. Sim
Ag Asst to the Regr

No 992. To The Magistrate of Guntoor

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 29th Ultimo, I am desired by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to draw your attention to the defective and unintelligible nature of the endorsement affixed to it which, under the orders in force should have exhibited in brief and concise terms, the purport of the information which you therein submitted to the Court.

10th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
acting Regr

(N° 139)

N° 995. To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

1. With reference to my letter dated the 28th Ultimo, I am directed by the Court of Fayd.aree Udalut to report for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council that the Convicts in the Jail at Chingleput awaiting execution of their sentences of transportation have now accumulated to (11) Eleven—

2. The names of these additional Convicts are Gorlamundeal Nagunnah Bakal and "Doonnuala Fakeera".

11th October 1843. (Signed) H. L. Phillips
Acting Register

N° 996. To the Sessions Judge at Nellore.

Sir

With reference to your letter dated the 4th Instant, I am desired by the Judges of the Fayd.aree Udalut to transmit to you the translations of the Police, Criminal & Circuit Proceedings in Case N°7 of the Nellore Calendar for the 2nd Sessions of 1841—

11th October 1843. (Signed) H. L. Phillips
Acting Register

To

N° 997. To The Sub Judge of Chittoor

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Fayd.aree Udalut to forward to you the annexed Original† address and its accompaniments, purporting to come from M.r A. D. Rozaris of Pulicat, soliciting the disbursement to him of Rs. 14 — — the amount of expences incurred by him in proceeding from that place to Chittoor to give evidence in case N° 24 on the file of the Criminal Court at that Station—

† to be returned

dated 30th Ult.o

The Judges request that you will from the records of the late Criminal Court obtain the necessary information regarding the claim in question and forward a report on the subject to this Court together with your opinion of the justice of the demand and the amount actually incurred for the purpose stated.—

11th October 1843. (Signed) I. D. Sim—
Ag Rr. Asst. to the Regr.

N° 998. To The Acting Sessions Judge of Trichinopoly

Sir

In reply to your communication dated the 29th Ultimo, I am desired by the Court of Fayd.aree Udalut to inform you that they decline to award a decision in regard to the construction of

the

the Circular Order to which you have adverted, an[illegible] which in the present instance does not appear to be the case, the question submitted in your address is founded on circumstances judicially before the Sessions Court in which Event you will be pleased to state them specifically and in detail.—

11th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Regr.

No. 1140

No. 1001 To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut, to submit for the consideration of the most Noble the Governor in Council, the annexed Copies of Communications from the Special Commissioner in the Centre Division, soliciting Sanction for the entertainment of an Extra English Translator, to be employed in completing the Translations of the cases referred to the Foujdaree Udalut from the Cuddapah and Bellary Calendars for the 2d Sessions 1843, for the limited period of 1 month, on a Salary of 75 Rs.

2. Under the circumstances represented in the communications adverted to the Court of Foujdaree Udalut beg leave to recommend that Sanction be granted for the employment of an Extra Translator for the above purpose, on the Salary proposed by the Special Commissioner.—

13th October 1843.— (Signed) H. D Phillips
Ag. Regr.

(No. 141)

No. 1004 To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir

1 Adverting to the Extract Minutes of Consultation dated the 26th Ultimo, No. 538, transmitting for any suggestions or observations this Court may desire to offer on its provisions, a Draft act for the better prevention of the Crime of Dacoity:—

2 I am desired to state for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, that although the terms used in the first section of the Draft, professional Dacoits, would not appear to be strictly applicable to any Class of Offenders known to be in Existence within the limits of this Presidency yet that the comprehensive measures now proposed for the suppression of Dacoity wherever it may be found to prevail, are in the opinion of the Foujdaree Udalut suitable and proper.—

14th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No. 1005 To The late 1st Judge on Circuit in the Southern Division

Forwarding Copy of an extract dated the 7th Instant, conveying the observations of Government on the Circuit Report of the 1st Judge late on Circuit in the Southern Division for the 1st Sessions 1843.

14th October 1843.— (Sent usual letter.)

No 1009 To

The Magistrate of Madura

Forwarding copy of an Extract dated the 7th Instant. Sanctioning the proposed increase to the pay of the Establishment employed in guarding the convicts at Caumbum to take effect from the 1st Proximo, subject to the confirmation of the Government of India.

16th October 1843. (Sent usual letter) No

To

The Magistrate of Madura

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 5th Instant I am directed to communicate the opinion of the Fayzdaree Udalut, that no objection exists to the refund, under the circumstances stated, of the sum of Rupees 2, levied on the 20th March last, by order of the Head Assistant Magistrate, from the complainant referred to—

17th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register

To The Acting Sessions Judge at

Rajahmundry

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 6th instant I am directed to communicate to you

No 8 Extract from the Proceedings of the Court of Sudder Fayzdaree Adawlut

you the resolution of the Fayzdaree Udalut to direct that the trial of the Prisoner therein referred to be allowed to lie over until the arrival at Rajahmundry of—

Mr Neave—

17th October 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips—

Acting Register

No 1024 To

The Joint Magistrate at

Cotacomund

Sir

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, and in reply to inform you that, under the authority vested in them by the order of Government of the 28th July 1843 the Judges of the Fayzdaree Udalut sanction the Bill of expences incurred for bringing up the female child of a Convict during the 3rd Quarter 1843 amounting to Rupees (12——) twelve—

19th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register

No 1025 To

The Sessions Judge of Guntoor

Sir

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 12th Instant and in reply to inform you that, under the authority vested in them

Vide Sir J. Hs George's Letter 28th July 1843 Page 108.

them by the order of Government of the 28th July 1843, the Judges of the Fayidaree Udalut sanction the disbursement of expences incurred for bringing up the male child of a convict in the Jail at Guntoor during the 3rd Qr of 1843, amounting to Rupees 2-4- two and annas four-

19th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No 144)

No 1026. To
The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Fayidaree Udalut to transmit to be laid before the most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 12th instant from the Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah submitting for sanction a Statement of expences incurred by the temporary entertainment of extra Police Peons employed in the District of Cuddapah during the month of September last under the sanction of Government conveyed in the minutes of consultation under date the 7th April 1840.

2. The Judges of the Fayidaree Udalut beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question Amounting to Rupees (150) one hundred and fifty.

20th October 1843.- (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

(No 145)

No 1028 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

1. I am desired by the Court of Fayidaree Udalut to forward to be laid before the most Noble the Governor in Council the annexed transcript of a communication from the Principal Sudr Ameen of Chingleput, reporting the objections of certain Prisoners in cases No 6 and 7 on the file of that Court to be tried before Mr W. Morehead, the present Sessions Judge at that Station, by whom their commitment was ordered.-

2. Under the circumstances stated, the Court of Fayidaree Udalut would suggest that the cases in which the Prisoners in question are concerned be ordered to be tried either by Mr H. Wood Acting Head Assistant Magistrate of Chingleput or by Mr Freese the Magistrate of that District

11th October 1843.-

23d October 1843.- (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

(№ 146)

№ 1029. To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

I am desired by the Foydaree Udalut to forward for submission to the Government the annexed transcript of a communication from the Subordinate Judge of Chittoor, received through the Acting Sessions Judge at that Station, soliciting instructions in regard to the employment of an executioner on the Establishment under his charge.

2. An Officer of this class is not provided in the lists of Establishments which were recently laid before and approved by the Government, and it is observed that the permanent Entertainment of such was not general in the Court lately abolished.

3. The Foydaree Udalut are, however, of opinion on a consideration of the subject, that the system of making temporary arrangements for carrying into effect sentences of death is objectionable and according they resolve to recommend that the authority of Government be granted for attaching permanently to the Jail Establishment at Chittoor, an executioner on a Salary of Rs. 4 per mensem.

23d October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register

29th Sept. 1843 No. 1029 To Sec. to Govt. Judl. Dept. forwarding transcript

No.

№ 1030 To The Civil Auditor

Sir,

I am desired by the Court of Foydaree Udalut to forward for your consideration the original communications noted in the margin relating to an application made on behalf of Mr. Hamlyn, Zillah Surgeon of Chingleput, to be remunerated in excess of the permanent allowance of his office in consequence of his being now called upon to visit professionally certain Gangs of Prisoners detached from the Zillah Jail, and to request you will favor the Judges with information whether under the rules in force, he can be considered Entitled to the Head money which he has solicited.—

From the Judge of Chingleput dated 22d August and 11th October 1843.

23rd October 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register

(№ 147)

№ 1038. To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to my letter dated the 11th Instant I am directed by the Court of Foydaree Udalut to report for the information of the most Noble the Governor in Council that the Convicts in the Jail at Chingleput awaiting execution of their sentences of transportation have now accumulated to (12.) Twelve.—

The

Foujdaree Diary 24th October 1843.

The name of this additional convict is "Mootoosamy".

24th October 1834. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Registar

No 1039 To

The Civil and Sessions Judge of Nellore.

Sir.

1 In reply to your letter of the 6th instant requesting to be informed, with reference to the position in the establishment of the Court over which you preside, of the Foujdaree Udalut Translator, whether the Foujdaree Udalut Circular Order under 25th July 1809, is to be considered still in force or virtually abolished.

2 I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Sudr. Udalut to intimate to you that the services of the Foujdaree Udalut Translator may be made available for all purposes to which you may deem it advisable to apply them & that in the event of [derelictions] of duty or disobedience of orders on the part of that Officer, it is Competent to you to notice his conduct in such manner as you may deem expedient.

3. The Court desire me further to observe that no sufficient cause is shewn in your communication under reply to justify the tone of the remarks which you have recorded in respect of the Foujdaree Udalut translator - and that the arrangement for locating a subordinate of that Class at the Station of each Sessions Court was not adopted without due consideration of the advantages likely to result from it.

24th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Regr.

Foujdaree Diary 25th October 1843.

No 1043 To The Sessions Judge of Guntoor

Sir,

Adverting to the correspondence which has taken place between this Court and the late Joint Criminal Court of Guntoor on the subject of the disposal of the case noted in the margin, in which Colum Royal Nayadoo was Prisoner and to the opinion recorded regarding that individual by the late Acting Joint Criminal Judge, I am desired by the Foujdaree Udalut to request you will make arrangement for the early transmission to this office of the Complete record of the proceedings held by the Joint Criminal Court in the Case in question.

Crim. Case No 410 of 1842.

2 The Court request no time may be lost in the preparation for the purposes of Record, of the Telugoo Copy of the proceedings, before their transmission to this Court by Tappal

25th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Registr.

No 1042 To

The Sessions Judge of Tinnevelly.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, and, in reply, to inform you, that, under the authority vested in them by the order of Government of the 28th July 1843, the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut sanction the purchase of 20 Seolams of iron at 14 annas each and 20 quires of Goa papers at 8 annas per quire for the purposes mentioned therein.

25th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Registr.

Vide Fort St. George Gazette Supp. 608.

No 1045

Memo.

English Translation of the Record of Trial in Case No 1 on the Tellicherry Calendar for the 3d Quarterly Sessions of 1841, and a Copy of the Mangalore Calendar for the 2d Sessions of 1842 forwarded to the Sessions Judge Tinnevelly, with reference to his letter dated 16th Instant.

By order of the Court of Foydaree Udalut.
25th October 1843.

(Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 1046 To

The Sessions Judge of Chingleput

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foydaree Udalut to desire you will immediately dispatch to the Presidency for transfer to the custody of the Chief Magistrate and Superintendent of Police all the Convicts now under your charge awaiting execution of their Sentences of transportation.

2. You will be pleased to transmit to this Office by Tappal, the usual Calender of the Convicts who may be forwarded to the Presidency under these Orders

25th October 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

No 1047 To

The Sessions Judge of Nellore

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th instant, and in reply, to inform you that under the authority vested in them by the order of Government of the 28th July 1843, the Judges of the Foydaree Udalut sanction the disbursement of escpences incurred for bringing up the Children of Convicts, during the 3rd quarter of the year 1843, amounting to Rupees (1-1-6) one, annas one, and puce six.

25th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 1048 To

The Sessions Judge of Nellore

Sir.

Adverting to the necessity for a Head Peon as superintendent of the 12 Peons recently transferred from the Jail at Nellore to the charge of the Officer Command of Vellore, I am desired by the Court of Foydaree Udalut to request you will immediately direct one of the Daffadars now on the strength of the Nellore Jail Establishment, to proceed to Vellore and place himself under the orders of Major General Gibson

arrangement

arrangements being made to supply the Vacancy thus
Caused by the Entertainment of an additional -
Daffadar should it be necessary.-
26th October 1843 (Signed) H. D Phillips.-
Acting Register

Copy to Major General Gibson.-
(No 148)

No 1062 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

1 With reference to the Extract from
the Minutes of Consultation under date the 24th
Instant No 639 I am directed by the Court of Tay-
=daree Adalut to state that in obedience to the orders
therein contained 12 Convicts under sentence of -
transportation are reported to have been dispatched
from Chingleput on the 26th Instant to the Charge of
the Chief Magistrate and Superintendent of Police
at Madras, in view to their embarkation.-
2. The usual Calendar of these Convicts
accompanies this communication.-
28th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

No 1063 To

The late 1st Judge of the Court of Circuit
in the Centre Division

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated
the 21st Instant I am directed by the Court of Tay-
daree Adalut to inform you that the Warrant in
case No 8 of the Cuddapah Calendar for the 2nd Sessions
of 1843 was forwarded direct to the Sessions Judge
of Cuddapah in order to the Sentence being carried
into execution.-
28th October 1843 } (Signed) H. D. Phillips.
Acting Register

No 1064 To

The Subordinate Judge of Chittoor

Sir,

Adverting to your address of the 14th Instant, in
which you have incorrectly acknowledged as the letter of
"Wednesday" a communication from the Court of Tayidaree
Adalut, I am directed to draw your attention to the deficient
and erroneous endorsement of superscription
your letter and to request that in all
future communications addressed to this Court
the rules contained in the Orders noted in the margin
may be strictly observed.

28th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 1066 To

The Acting Sessions Judge of

Masulipatam

Sir

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st Ultimo, and in reply to inform you that under the authority vested in them by the order of Government dated the 28th July 1843 the Judges of the Fouzdaree Udalut sanction the Statement of Batta paid for bringing up the Children of Convicts during the 3rd 2nd of the current year, amounting to Rs (3-2-6½) three annas two and Pice six and a half.

30th October 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register

No 1067 To

The Magistrate of Nellore

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 19th instant requiring to be informed whether the reapprehended convict alluded to in it is to be forwarded to the Sessions Judge or the Principal Sudr Ameen of Nellore, or to the Magistrate of Chingleput, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouzdaree Udalut to reply that if most convenient in respect of evidence, the Convict had better be tried at

at Nellore, that he should be forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Jail, and that if tried at Nellore, the the trial must be conducted by the Principal Sudr ameen.

31st October 1843. (Signed) R. W. Chatfield

Acting Senior Deputy Regr

No 1068. To The Magistrate of Malabar

Sir

With reference to the accompanying extract (No 429) from the minutes of consultation under date the 20th Instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouzdaree Udalut to request you will report what steps you have taken in furtherance of their views as transmitted to you in their proceedings of the 5th of last August.

I have &c

31st October 1843.

(Signed) R. W. Chatfield.

Acting Senior Deputy Regr

Tongdaree Adalut Deary 1st & 2nd November 1843.

№1071 To

The Acting Sessions Judge of

Cuddapaha.

Sir

With reference to your communication of the 21st Instant, I am desired by the Court of Tongdaree Adalut to forward corrected the sentences passed on Case № 8 of the Cuddapah Calendar 2nd Sessions 1843.

The insertion of the name of the Prosecutor, Venkatachellum Chinna Singadoo, for that of the 1st Prisoner, Chevacolu Reda Goorovaderaz appears to have resulted from its being so designated in the certified translations of the Proceedings before the Court of Circuit which were received from the late 1st Judge on Circuit.

1st November 1843.- (Signed) Hind Stuart

Acting Register

Copy of the above sent to Mr. W. R. Taylor Special Commissioner in the Centre Division

№1076 To

The Special Commissioner in the

Centre Division

Communicating for his information

for

Tongdaree Diary 2nd to 4th November 1843.

with reference to his letter dated 21st to 30th September
1843- an order of Government dated 27th October 1843.
granting authority for the employment of an
Extra Translator on a Salary of Rupees 30- thirty per
Mensem Calendar Months.

No 1077.

Minute

The original Tamil petition with the
English translations of the records in Cases Nos 156
of 1841 forwarded to the Acting Subordinate Judge
of Combaconum with reference to his letter dated
the 30th October 1843.

By Order of the Court of Tongdaree Accadent
2nd November 1843 (Signed) H D Phillipps
Acting Register

No 1082. To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I have directed by the Court of Tong
daree Accadent to forward to you under the Seal of
the Court before the Most Noble the Governor
in Council a copy of a letter from the Sessions
Judge of Malabar together with certain communi-
cations.

Tongdaree Diary 4th November 1843.

cations from the Magistrate and Subordi-
nate Judge of Calicut, relative to the location
of a party of Convicts at a short distance from
the Calicut Jail, for the purpose of repairing
the first seven miles of the high road between
that place and Cannanore.

The Judges of the Court of Tong-
2. daree Accadent concur with the Sessions Judge
and Magistrate of Malabar in thinking
that the above proposition would be highly
advantageous to the community at large,
and would apparently entail only the
additional Monthly expenditure of 8 Rupees, as
hire of temporary Jail they beg to recommend
the arrangement to the favourable considera-
tion of Government.-

4th November 1843.- (Signed) H D Phillipps
Acting Register

No 1083 To

The Principal Sudr Ameen of Chingleput and
Magistrate of Chingleput

Communicating for his information and
with reference to his letter dated the 30th October,
and order of Government thereon, ing the Magistrate
of Chingleput to try the Prisoners in Cases Nos
and for the file of the Principal Sudr Ameens
Court

Coorte.—

(Continued Letter No)

No 1035 To

The Sessions Judge of Chingleput &c.

Sir,

Adverting to your communication of the 11th October and to the previous Correspondence on the subject of granting to the Medical Officer in charge of the Jail at Chingleput an Addition of Three Rupees on account of the Convicts detached from the Gillah Jail.

I am directed to intimate to you that with reference to information procured from the Office of the Joint Auditor the Court of Tongdaree Accounts are not prepared to become the medium of a recommendation to the Government that Mr Hamilton should be remunerated to the additional extent he has solicited.

4th November 1843 } (Signed) H. Ouchterlony
Acting Register

No 1036. To

The Sessions Judge of Cuddapah

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the

receipt of your letter dated the 24th October (in reply) replying to your Address in which you state you are authorized under the Order of Government dated the 28th July last the Judges of the Tongdaree Accounts to sanction the expenses incurred for bringing up the Convicts at present in the Jail at Cuddapah during the 3d Quarter of the current year amounting to Rupees 161 8 0.—

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4th November 1843 } (Signed) H. Ouchterlony
Acting Register

No 1037. To

The Acting Magistrate of Cuddapah

Communicating for his information with reference to his letter dated 12th October 1843 an order of Government dated 30th October 1843 sanctioning the expenses on account of Extra Police Rounds employed in the District of Cuddapah during the month of September last amounting to Rupees (150) one hundred and fifty.—

(Continued letter No)

No 1038 To

The Acting Magistrate of South Arcot

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of

Tongdaree

Foujdaree Adalut to call your attention to the
letter from this office dated 5th October last
requesting to be favoured with any observations
you have to offer on the remarks contained
in the communications then transmitted
to you regarding the state of the Police
in the Cuddalore District, and to request
you will submit an answer thereto without
delay.—

6th November 1843.

(Signed) W. D Phillips
Acting Register

No 1093 To

The Acting Sessions Judge of

Vizagapatam.

Sir,

Adverting to a communication
dated the 10th of January last from the late
Principal Sudr Ameen Ameen of Vizagapatam re-
commending certain additions alterations by
which the Jail at that station could be
made more airable and secure, I am directed
by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to request
you will state whether you concur in the alter-
ations proposed by the Principal Sudr Ameen
or whether your personal experience may sug-
gest

to

to offer any objection to any improvement in
the plan.—

6th November
1843.

(Signed) W. D Phillips
Acting Registrar

No 1094. To

The Acting Subordinate Judge of

Combaconum

Sir,

In reply to your letter dated the
26th October submitting copy of a commun-
cation from the Civil Surgeon at Combaco-
num regarding the Prisoner Mathoo Pillay
I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree
Adalut to inform you that with reference
to the crime committed by the Prisoner in
question and the conflicting opinions re-
garding his sanity entertained by the
several Officers under whose charge he
has been placed the Court deem it advisable
that he should be kept under restraint for
a further term of six Months: at the end of
which period they request that a re-
port of the state of his mind may be forward-
ed for their consideration.—

6th November
1843.

(Signed) J. D Sim
Dy Regr attached to the Registrar

No 1118. To

The Acting Sessions Judge at

Trichinopoly

Communicating for his information with reference to the letter from the late Acting Joint Criminal Judge to the Provincial Court of Circuit in the Southern Division dated 18th August 1843 - Copy of an Extract from the minutes of Consultation dated 27 Ultimo sanctioning the Estimate for the repair of the Jail and out-buildings at Trichinopoly amounting to Rupees 1645-7-3 / Six hundred and forty five Annas seven and Pice three -

(Sentencial Letter No)

(No 151)

No 1120 To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

I am desired by the Court of the Fonjdaree Adawlut to transmit, an extract from the Proceedings dated the 15th Instant containing their opinion of the powers possessed by the Superintendent of Police of Madras and his deputies in the exercise of the duties vested in them by Act XXII of 1837, which the Judges have deemed it expedient to bring to the notice of the Most Noble the Governor in Council as their opinion relates to proceedings within the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature -

15th November 1843 } (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No 152)

No 1121. To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department -

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 4th February 1843 I am directed by the Judges of the Fonjdaree Adawlut to transmit to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a letter dated the 3rd November 1843, from the Magistrate of Bellary, submitting for sanction, a Quarterly Statement of charges incurred on account of the Extra Establishment employed for the purposes of aiding the Police in putting down Gang robbery and preserving the peace in the Hilly Tracts of the Pungondah Taluk of the Bellary District during the 1st Quarter of Faslee 1253 or from 12th July to 30th Sept 1843

The Judges of the Fonjdaree Adawlut beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting to Rupees (277) Two hundred and Seventy Seven

15th November 1843 (Signed) W. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 1118

No 1122. To

The Sessions Judge of Rajahmundry.

Sir,

I am desired by the Court of Fongdaree Adalut to return the record of the proceedings in case No 3 on the Calendar of the Sessions Court at Rajahmundry for 1843, with a view to the present from the late Acting Sessions Judge Mr Austen thereof he would recommend should be passed on the prisoner, which it is incumbent on him to have submitted in the first instance, with reference to the rules laid down in paras 8 and 9 of this Courts Circular Order dated 4th March 1822 and that of the 14th March 1834.—

No 1120

15th November 1834 } Signed H D Phillips
Acting Registr

No 1127 To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Fongdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Noble

Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying Copy of a letter dated the 7th instant from the Acting Subordinate Judge of Rajahmundry submitting for Sanction an indent in duplicate for implements required for the Jail.

2. The Judges beg leave to recommend that the Military Board be requested to pass the indent with a view to the articles included therein being supplied to the Acting Subordinate Judge of Rajahmundry.

17th November 1843 } Signed H D Phillips
Acting Registr

No 1138. To

The Sessions Judge of

Rajahmundry

Sir,

With regard to your letter of the 8th Instant requesting directions as to the manner in which warrants under clause first Section XV Regulation VII of 1832 are hence forth to be issued, and suggesting a plan for removing an apparent difficulty, I am instructed by the Court of Fongdaree Adalut to state that they must decline offering any directions on a subject in which the Courts to be pursued seemed to them sufficiently obvious to have

prevented

observance in your future correspondence with this Court of the rules regarding endorsements &c. which are therein laid down.

16th November 1843 } (Signed) W. C. Phillips
Acting Registrar

No. 1142. To

The Sessions Judge of
Rajahmundry

Sir,

I am desired by the Court of Tongdaree Adalut to return the record of the proceedings in case No. 5 on the Calendar of the Sessions Court at Rajahmundry for 1843, with a view to the procural from the late Acting Sessions Judge Mr. J. A. Austin their of the distinct opinion as to the precise sentence he would recommend should be passed on the prisoner, which it was incumbent on him to have submitted in the first instance, with reference to the rules laid down in Paras 8 and 9 of this Court's circular order dated 4th March 1832 and that of the 14th March 1834.

21st November 1843 } (Signed) W. C. Phillips
Acting Registrar

No. 1147. To The Criminal Judge of Nellore

Sir, The Court of Tongdaree Adalut have

presented the present reference.

16th November 1843 } (Signed) R. H. Chadfield
Actg. Asst. to Dispy Registrar

No. 1134. To

The Sessions Judge of
Chittoor

Communicating an order of Government, for his information with reference to his letter dated the 6th Instt. directing that an executioner be brought to the strength of the Jail establishment at Chittoor as a Peon.

(Sent Circular letter No.)

No. 1135. To

The Magistrate of Nellore

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your communication, dated the 13th Instant reporting that the powers vested in the Magistracy by section LIV. Act VII of 1843 had not been exercised during the past Month, I am directed by the Court of Tongdaree Adalut to call your attention to their Circular letter dated 20th June 1842 and to the order of Government noted in the margin and to request that the

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has observed from the monthly criminal reports submitted to them by the Sessional authorities at Killore that up to the 31st ultimo there were before you, in your capacity of Sessions Judge, seven cases for trial; but it is remarked that as yet no calendar has as yet, reached the office of their Register.

committed in August 1 case
do— Sept. 2
do— Oct. 4
7

Under these circumstances I am desired to intimate to you that the Judge expect to receive the Calendar of cases as soon as possible after its disposal, and accordingly beg to beg no time may be lost in laying before the Court the Calendars of those cases in which the Proceedings of the Sessions Court have been brought to a close.—

23d November 1843 } (Signed) H. D. Phillipps
Acting Registrar.

No 1148. To

The Sessions Judge of

Tinnevelly

Sir,

In acknowledging your letter of the 8th Instant submitting your proceedings in Case No 5 of the Tinnevelly Calendar for 1843 I am directed by the Court of

Regulations

Tonjdaree Adawlut to return the proceedings and to state that the Court decline entering upon the investigation of a trial without a fair copy of the record being placed before them.—

The Court may regret the necessity of this determination when, as on the present occasion, such exact and copious notes are submitted as show a degree of labour it was never the intention of the Tonjdaree Adawlut to impose on Sessions Judges.—

23d November 1843. } (Signed) Ro: W. Chatfield
Actg Sr. Dep.y Registrar

No 1149. To

The Sessions Judge of

Guntoor

Sir,

Adverting to your letter of the 15th instant, submitting an invoice, in duplicate, for a supply of padlocks and an anvil I am directed by the Court of Tonjdaree Adawlut to return its enclosure and to request you will report and also specify in the invoice the object and the circumstances under which

which the articles in question are required.

23d November 1843 } Signed H Phillips
Acting Registrar.

№1157. To

The Acting Sessions Judge at
Chittoor

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 17th Instant I am desired by the Court of Tongdaree (Adalut) to inform you that Sashadriingar appears to be a Manager of the village of Poondy in the Talook of Sirvelloor in your Zillah.

25th November 1843 } Signed H Phillips
Acting Registrar

№1158 To

The Acting Subordinate Judge of
Combaconum

Sir,

1 In reply to your communication dated the 14th Instant I am directed by the Court of Tongdaree (Adalut) to request you will make arrangements for carrying out their sentence passed in case №11 on the Calendar of the Sessions Court of

of Combaconum for 1843, in which it appears that the 2d Prisoner

Mohummud Command alias
Mohummudasa Nauchial

shall suffer the extreme penalty of the and that and that the 1st prisoner Mainaucheyand shall be transported, without awaiting the return to Combaconum of the Acting Sessions Judge.

2 In regard to the permanent entertainment of an executioner which under the circumstances stated, you have recommended may be sanctioned, I am desired to you that on the occasion of a similar reference being submitted through this Court to the Government, it was decided that a functionary of that class might be brought on the strength of the Jail Establishment as a Peon, without having the charge of Prisoners or wearing a belt and be employed on such work as the Jailor may point out.—

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3 You are therefore at liberty make arrangement of that description on the occurrence of a vacancy amongst the Peons attached to the Zillah Jail and for the purposes of the execution

of

of the Prisoner above provided for, should remunerate the individual employed to the extent usually authorized.

25th November 1843 } Signed/ H D Phillips
Acting Registrar

/No. 1541/

No. 1163

To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Toojdaree Adaulut, to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council, the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 18th Instant, from the Magistrate of Cuddapah, submitting for sanction a statement of expences incurred by the temporary entertainment of extra Police Peons, employed in the District of Cuddapah during the Month of October last; under the sanction of Government conveyed in the minutes of Consultation under date the 7th April 1842.

The Judges of the Toojdaree Adaulut beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the

the charges in question, amounting to Rupees /150/ One hundred and fifty—

27th November 1843 } Signed/ H D Phillips
Acting Registrar

No. 1167

To

The Subordinate Judge of
Chittoor

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 16th instant, I am desired to communicate the authority of the Toojdaree Adaulut for the transfer of the convict "Narasoo" to Vellore, with a view to his being placed, as requested by Major General Gibson, under the orders of the Officer in charge of the Gang of Prisoners at that station, for the purpose of undergoing the period of imprisonment with labor recently awarded to him by sentence of Court Martial—

27th November 1843 } /Signed/ H D Phillips
Acting Registrar

No. 1170

To

The Sessions Judge of Salem—

Sir,

I am desired to return the records of the referred trials noted in the margin

Cases No. 2546 on the Calendar of the C. & Sessions Court at Salem for 1843—

and

and with reference to the provisions of the Tongdaree Adaulut Circular Order No. 123. to request you will arrange for the early submission of a transcript in pen & ink of the proceedings held before the Sessions Court.

2 It is to be observed that a copy of the notes recorded by yourself whilst presiding at the trials, has not been laid before the Tongdaree Adaulut, as required in their Circular instructions issued on the 21st August last, but that they have been entered in the Calendar."

3 Their transmission with the Calendar was never contemplated by the Tongdaree Adaulut who accordingly desire you will forward a separate fair copy thereof when retransmitting the records now returned.

4 With a view to the observance of the forms usually adopted in trials, referred to the Tongdaree Adaulut, I am desired to forward the records of a case finally disposed of by the Court which you will be pleased

to peruse & return when no longer required.

28th November 1843

(Signed) H. D. Shillito
Acting Register.

No. 1171. To

The Magistrate of
Bellary.

Communicating for his information with reference to his letter dated 3rd November 1843. an extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 21st November 1843. sanctioning the charges incurred, on account of their Extra Police establishment in the Kitty Tracts of the Bara Gondah Talook for the District of Bellary &c during the 1st quarter of Fasly 1253 amounting to Rupees 272 — —

(sent usual letter &c)

No. 1177. To

The Magistrate of
Bellary.

Communicating for his information with reference to his letter dated the 15th August last, an extract from the Minutes of Consultation, dated 30th November 1843. No. 713. sanctioning the permanent employment of the Extra Police establishment in the District of Bellary, at a monthly cost of 131 Rupees and

paid the entertainment &c. Sirshakeen on a salary of 20 Rupees per Mensem.

(Sessional letter No.)

No 1178. To

The Special Commissioner

in the Ceded Districts

Communicating your Sessional Proceedings of 24th November 1843 No. 24 for the information with the instructions to Guntoor &c. &c. &c. and the Magistrate of Bellary in No. 3 to the latter affording the required report desired to be countersigned the Sessional letter No.)

No 1179 To

(No. 155)

The Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

In conformity with the directions contained in your letter of 25th September last calling for all the documents before this Court relative to the case of your alleged murder of a slave by Sirdar of Fonjdaree Adalut to transmit for the consideration and order of Government copies

Letter from the Magistrate of Malabar dated 4th Novr & correspondence between him & General Cullen between 22d May & 30th October 1843.

and

Letter from the Magistrate of Malabar dated 4th Novr 1843 forwarding a letter from General Cullen (No 1743) dated 7th November 1843.

30th November 1843.

copies of the communications noted in the Margin, being correspondence between the Magistrate of Malabar and other Residents and Dewan of Travancore.

I have &c.

(signed) H. D. Phillips.

Acting Register.

Jungolaree 2d December 1843.

No 1183. To

The Magistrate of Cuddapah

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Jungolaree Udalut to transmit enclosed, copies of the communications noted in the margin on the subject of erecting an Entrenchment into the Fort at Cumbum and to request you will ascertain from the Acting Joint Magistrate in charge of the Jail at that Station and report whether the opening of the proposed Entrenchment is likely to interfere to any material with the safety of the Jail of which he has charge or whether on any other Grounds it may be considered objectionable.

From the Military Board to Government dated 6th Octr 1843.
From the Officer commanding Ceded Districts to the Secretary to the Military Board dated 14th September 1843
From the Officer in charge of the Military Buildings in the Ceded Districts to the Deputy Q.M.G. dated 4th September 1843
Extract of a letter from the Officer Commanding Cumbum to the Superintending Engineer Ceded Districts dated 7th September 1843

I am to be sir
the superintendence or whether on any other Grounds it may be considered objectionable.
2d December 1843

Signed H. D. Phillipps
Offg Register

No 1184. To The Acting Subordinate Judge of Rajahmundry

Communicating for his information with reference to his letter dated the 7th Ultimo copy of an Order of Government dated 29th November 1843 Requesting the Military Board to require immediate for implements &c required

required for the Jail at Rajahmundry to be complied with
2nd December 1843.

(Signed) H. C. Phillips
Acting Registr

No 1195 To

The Acting Assistant Judge of Nowgong

Sir,

I observe by my communications of the 6th Ultimo I was directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to request you will at your earliest possible convenience submit the report regarding the alterations in the Jail under your charge which was therein called for.

5th December 1843.

(Signed) H. C. Phillips
Acting Registr

No 1198. To

The Subordinate Judge of Bellary

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut under instructions from Government to desire you will report what further Number of Convicts in confinement in the Jail under your charge are available for employment upon Military Works and Roads in the Cantonment of Bellary.

2. It is observed that at the present period 218 are employed on public Road and other works.

6th December 1843.

(Signed) H. C. Phillips
Acting Registr

To

(No 136)

No 1207 To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

Adverting to the order contained in the Adawlut from the Minutes of Consultation dated 12th September last, No 495 requiring a Report from time to time of the information received of the orders issued by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut relative to Coolies Royal Roads.

I am directed by the Foujdaree Adawlut to state for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council that the original Proceedings and of the proceedings held before the late Court of Circuit at Cuddapah in the No 41 of 1839 in which Coolies Royal Roads were Presented, were according to period of records and your Records the office of these Registr only on the 1st Instant.

3. It will however, now become necessary to Record a Resolution to be passed which owing to the unusual length and great inclement of the season cannot it is believed be printed by a Native Translator in less than 15 months. That Hodges are aware to obtaining any one of the three Telugoo Translators attached to that Registrs Establishment for this purpose as the current business of that Court will be materially impeded thereby, the number of Translators now employed being by no means sufficient to prevent the frequent of our

accommodation

accumulation of arrears in the Civil Department of the Sudr Court.

4. They have, therefore, deemed it expedient to solicit sanction for the procural for the duty in question of special assistance and would request authority to entertain, as a temporary measure for a period of two Months, five Sudra translators to be remunerated Monthly at the rate of 85 Rupees each.

5. From the great difficulty recently experienced in procuring permanent Translators for the Sudr Adawlut on a salary of 60 Rupees per mensem, it is not expected that temporary assistance can be secured at a less sum, for a short and definite period, than the amount above specified.

9th December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Registrar

No 1215. To

The Acting Principal Sudr Ameen of Mahapoor

I am desired to intimate to you that with the authority of Government it has been resolved to transfer from the Sudr Jail under your charge to that of the Sessions Judge of Chicacole, all Prisoners now in Jail whose unexpired sentence of imprisonment exceed four (4) Months and to require that a similar arrangement be adopted from time to time in regard to those who may hereafter be sentenced to incarceration

in process of that period.

2. You will, therefore be pleased to take measures in communication with the Magisterial authorities of the District, for the transmission to Chicacole under the usual guard of the Prisoners to whom the above order may be applicable.

3. You will at the same time report the extent to which under the present arrangement the Mahapoor Jail establishment may be reduced.

11th December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Registrar

(No 1221.) (No 757.)

To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department.

Sir,

Adverting to the extract Minutes of Council's Section dated 21st October last concerning the arrangements proposed by the Tonjolaree Collector for transferring to Chicacole the Sudr Establishment attached to the Court of the Principal Sudr Ameen at Vizagapatam, I am directed by the Judges to transmit the annexed copy of their proceedings dated 5th Instant from which it will be observed that with reference to the large number of Prisoners now employed on public works at Vizagapatam

under

under the order of the Military and Engineer authorities at that Station, it has been deemed advisable to delay the proposed transfer until the works in question have been completed.

12th December 1843. / Signed / H. D. Phillips

Voting Register

No: 1222. To

The Principal Sudr Ameen of Vizzeanagram

Relating to the annexed transcript of para. 1 Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 14th March 1843. No: 127 I am desired by the Court of Jeypoore & Adalut to request you will in communication with the Officer in Medical charge of the Prisoner, submit at your earliest convenience a report on the present condition of the Hospital attached to the Jail at Vizzeanagram and whether any alterations are required.

2. In the preparation of the report you will be pleased to bear in mind the approaching transfer to the Central Jail of the Zillah at Chicacole of an Prisoner whose sentence may exceed 4 Months imprisonment as intimated to you in the Courts proceedings of the instant

12th December 1843. / Signed / H. D. Phillips

Voting Register

To

(No: 158.)

No: 1227 To

The Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Department

Sir,

In obedience to the orders of Government contained in the Extract from the Minutes of Council under date the 24th June 1834 I am directed by the Court of Jeypoore Adalut to transmit to you, to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying copy in Triplicate of Circular Order No: 154 dated 23d November 1843.

14th December 1843. / Signed / H. D. Phillips

Voting Register

(No: 159)

No: 1228. To

The Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Department

Sir,

In obedience to the orders of Government contained in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 21st July 1840 I am directed by the Court of Jeypoore Adalut to submit for transmission to the Supreme Government the accompanying copy of a Circular Order No: 154 dated 23d November 1843.

14th December 1843 / Signed / H. D. Phillips

Voting Register

To

No 1229. To The Magistrate of Chidambaram

Communicating Copy of an order of Government dated the 9th Instant sanctioning the charges incurred of an account of the Extra Police Establishment employed in the District of Chidambaram during the Month of October amounting to Rupees 150.

14th December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

(No 160)

No 1235 To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

1. Adverting to the annexed copy of a communication from the Sessions Judge of Coimbatore requesting instructions whether it is expected the Sessions Judge of that Zillah should visit the Jail at Pollachy annually and, if so, at what particular periods.

2 I am directed to request the opinion of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut that it is indispensably requisite the Jail on the Hills should from time to time be visited by the Sessions Judge of Coimbatore, who should they consider, be directed to proceed there for that purpose once every half year, it being intimated to him that it is

Expected

expected arrangements will be made not to allow this portion of duty on any occasion to interfere with his labors in the Sessions Court and on no account to permit it to detain him away from the Coast Station for the purpose in question for a longer period than 8 days.

3 The Judges therefore beg to solicit authority for the issue of orders to the above effect.

15th December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 1236 To The Acting Sessions Judge of Trichinopoly

Sir,

1. In reply to your letter of the 7th Instant, submitting for the sanction of the Military Board, an Indent on the Commissariat of Ordnance of Trichinopoly for 2 Trucks or Carriages for the use of the Jail

2. I am desired to intimate to you that in the absence of information regarding the circumstances under which

the

the articles in question are required, the Court are precluded from submitting to Government your application with a recommendation that it be complied with.

15th December 1843

I have the honor to be &c.
(Signed) A. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 1237

To
The Sessions Judge of Bellary

Sir,

Transmitting the original warrant in Case No 28 together with a copy of the Subordinate Judges letter thereon of the purport of the Circular letter dated 20th June 1842 Order of Government 12th August 1842 Official Gazette Page 647 Dr. Dr. 4th November 1843 Dr. Dr. 492

15th December 1843

In reference to the Endorsement entered on your communication of the 1st instant as shewn in the margin, I am directed to forward the enclosed Subordinate Judges letter, and to desire your particular and continued attention to the rules laid down in the orders noted in the Margin.

(Signed) A. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 1238

To
The Acting Sessions Judge and Magistrate of
Trichinopoly

Sir,

Under instructions from Government dated the 2d Instant, I am desired by the Court of Tanjore Udalut to request you will hold at the disposal of the Magistrate of Trichinopoly a Gang of Convicts from the number of those under your charges, sufficient for the purpose of working the Scavengers Coolie, in addition to those already assigned for the use of the Trichinopoly Jail.

15th December 1843.

(Signed) A. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No 1239

To
The Subordinate Judge of Shittoor

Sir,

I am desired by the Court of Tanjore Udalut to transmit for your consideration and report the accompanying address purporting to proceed from Mr H. W. Laurie soliciting orders directing payment of his travelling

Foujdaree Diary 16th and 18th December 1843.

Travelling Expences from Palacol to Chittoor

16th to 18th December 1843

Shewing the hours to be

Sir

Your most Obedient and

humble Servant

(Signed) H. D. Phillipps

Acting Register

No 1241

To

The Several Magistrates

Sir,

Adverting to the recent disturbances in the Rajahmundry District from which you have been withdrawn the Salary of a District Moonsiff and his Establishment, and other sums; and to the responsibility of the Magisterial authorities in that and the neighbouring Zillahs to discover any traces of the missing individual—

I am desired by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to subjoin for your information a transcript of para 6 of a communication on the subject addressed to the Government by Captain Wallinger Assistant General Superintendent of Thuggy

18th December 1843.

(Signed) H. D. Phillipps

Acting Register

Foujdaree Diary 19th December 1843.

No 1246 To

The Subordinate Judge of Chittoor

Sir

Adverting to your letter of the 1st instant forwarding transcript of a communication from the Deputy Superintendant of Police regarding the escape of a convict from the Gang at Tengoly

Road

2 I am desired to request you will report whether measures have been adopted to bring any of the Parties to trial for neglect of duty under Clause first Section XV Regulation XIII of 1832 and if so with what result

19th December 1843.

(Signed) H. D. Phillipps

Acting Register

(No 161)

To

The Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to transmit to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the annexed copies of the communications noted in the margin from the Magistrate of Bellary, submitting for special sanction the accounts and particulars of rewards disbursed during Fasly 1252 for the suppression of Thieves &c in that District.

Adverting to the Enclosures from the Minutes of Consultation dated 12th April 1841. No 288, sanctioning the

the expenditure of the Specific sum of 1000 Rupees for the arrest of the leader of the Gang concerned in the Murder of Canakapoor Sheikh Hussain & Surakkarum on the Establishment of the Bellary District and of a Reward to the extent of 50 Rupees for the apprehension of each of their confederates, the Court of Foujdaree Udalut under the explanation submitted by the Magistrate of Bellary in his communication of the 30th Ultimo, beg to suggest that the sum total expended for those purposes viz. Rupees (1539 - -) One thousand five hundred and thirty nine be specially sanctioned.

19th December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

No: 1248. To

The Joint Magistrate at Coleacammud

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to return to you the Indent for Cloth which accompanied your letter of the 7th instant and to inform you that by Order of Government under date the 12th October 1821 Blue and not Green Cloth is to be used for Coats to be worn by the Peons belonging to the Revenue offices under the Civil Department of the Government.

19th December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

No: 1253. To

The Sessions Judge of Tinnevelly

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 6th instant and in reply to inform you that, under the authority vested in them by the Order of Government of the 28th July 1843 the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut sanction the outlay of Rupees (100) One hundred in purchasing 4 Bandies for the use of the Convicts employed in working on the public roads &c. at Tinnevelly.

Fort St. George Gazette Page 608

20th December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Regr.

No: 1254

Memo.

The record of the trial in Case No: 2 on the Calendar of the Sessions Court of Coimbatore for 1843 forwarded to the Sessions Judge of Salem with reference to his letter dated the 11th Instant and with a request that it may be returned when no longer required.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut

20th December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register

To

N:1255 To

The Sessions Judge of Tellicherry Subordinate Judge

Chittoor

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Tonjolarce Adalut to desire you will report what number of Convicts the unexpired period of whose sentences may not exceed 6 Months, are available for transfer from your Jail to that at Changlepat for the purpose of being employed in repairing the Road between that station and Palaveram.

20th December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register

(N:162)

N:1266. To

The Secretary to Government in the Jud. Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Tonjolarce Adalut to state for the information of Government that there are at present 6 Convicts awaiting execution of their sentences of transportation and to suggest the propriety of orders being issued for their forwarding to Singapore.

22d December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register

N:1267 To

The Sessions Judge of Calicut

Communicating order of Government sanctioning the location of a party of convicts at a short distance from Calicut Jail to repair the high road leading to Cannanore, the expence not exceeding 8 Rupees per Month.

22d December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Regr.

N:1272. To (N:163.)

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Tonjolarce Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated the 16th Instant from the Magistrate of Cuddalapah submitting for sanction a statement of expences incurred by the temporary Establishment of Extra Police Peons employed in the District of Cuddalapah during the month of Novr. last under the sanction of Government conveyed in the Minutes of Consultation under date the 7th April 1840.

2. The Judges of the Tonjolarce Adalut beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted for the charges in question amounting to Rupees (150) one hundred and fifty.

23d December 1843 (Signed) H. D. Phillips

Acting Register

To

1285 To (No. 164.)

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department.

Sir,

1. Adverting to the Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 1st Instant forwarding the annual Return of Jails in the Civil Department for the year 1842 and transcript of para 2 of a communication from the Medical Board by which it was accompanied.

dated 31st October 1843.

2. I am desired by the Court of Tanjore Adalut respectfully to bring to notice that in Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 28th November 1840 No. 928, which does not appear to have been communicated to the Medical Department, the Government were pleased to approve revised Forms of Periodical Returns of the Prisoners in the several Jails under His Presidency in which were omitted many of the Columns contained in the Form originally transmitted for future observance, by the Honorable Court of Directors.

3. The Grounds of the rejection of the Columns in question would appear to have been that they were calculated to exhibit information and particulars not procurable on reference to the mode of construction and without of Superintendence observed in the Jails in India, and it would seem that the portions of the Returns under remark on which the Medical Board have observed that they "are not so complete as could be desired," are those portions which the Tanjore Adalut formerly resolved to secure

Should

should be recollected.

4. Under these circumstances the Court beg to solicit the attention of the Most Noble the Governor in Council to the omitted Columns and to request they may be furnished with further instructions whether they shall or not be included in future Returns to be prepared by the Functionaries on the Province and Eventually by this Court.

27th December 1843. (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Acting Register