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To

The Agent to the Governor of Fort St. George

at Kurnool

Sir

Adverting to your Letter of the 12th Instant. I am directed by the judges of the Soujdaree Udalut to convey to you their authority for the erection of a permanent gallows at Kurnool at a cost not exceeding forty Rupees and to request that you will on the completion of the work submit an account particular of the actual disbursement for final sanction.

28th January 1850. (Signed) T. Lushington

Senior Dy Register

To

The Magistrate of

Malabar

Sir

I am directed by the judges of the Court of Soujdaree Udalut to request that you will transmit a copy of the instructions of Government under which the Supplemental Statement of Contingent charges for Fusly 1257, which accompanied your letter of the 5th January 1850 has been forwarded thro' the Soujdaree Udalut for Special Sanction.

29th January 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The acting Session Judge

of Masulipatam.

Sir

In reply to your letter dated 10th Instant I am directed by the judges of the Court of Soujdaree Udalut under the authority vested in them by the order of Government dated 28th July 1843 to inform you that they sanction the charge amounting to Rupees (14-8) one, annas fourteen and Pice eight incurred by the payment of Batta to the Children of Convicts during the 4th Quarter of 1849.

Vide Fort St. Geo. Gazette page 608.

29th January 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

(No. 9)

To

The Acting Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the judges of the Court of Soujdaree Udalut to transmit to you the accompanying descriptive Roll of five Convicts reported by the Superintendant of Government Roads at Guindy to have escaped from the Jail under his charge, and to request you will obtain authority for its publication in the Official Gazette.

30th January 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Seydapet Dated January 1850

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Sudder Adawlut to transmit herewith for the information of Government a copy of the proceedings of the Court of Sessions of Tinnevelly in the case of Sooryah Pillay charged with wounding with intent to murder and to submit for the orders of Government the opinion of the Judges of the Court of Sudder Adawlut that the prisoner should be released.

2 The Court of Sessions have recorded a verdict of acquittal on the ground of insanity and have ordered the prisoner to be detained in safe custody until the pleasure of Government be known.

3 The Judges of the Court of Sudder Adawlut are of opinion that the prisoner should be released.

(Signed) G. A. Brandreth

Register

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Sudder Adawlut to transmit

Trichinopoly 4th January 1850.

I am desired to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the Minute of Consultation of Government under date 11th December 1849 wherein with reference to a letter from this office dated 25th November 1849 recommending for Sanction an estimate for the Construction of 6 Platform Carts amounting to Rupees 352 Submitted by the late Sessions Judge of Guntoor, information is desired as to the number of convicts at that Station - the mode in which they are employed - the nature and extent of work performed by them during the current year - and whether Platform Carts have ever before been in use and if so what has become of them.

2

The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut desire me to transmit the annexed Statement which will supply full information upon the three points first mentioned - and in respect of the fourth particular I am directed to add that 6 platform Carts were furnished under the Sanction of Government dated 25th August 1843 (No. 1444) from the Arsenal at Masulipatam to the Acting Joint Criminal Judge of Guntoor on 26th September 1843 - and that these Carts which were originally constructed in 1824 have been worn out by use but that the Sessions Judge in his contract with the workmen at Masulipatam brought the value from to account.

3

I am also to add that it is the intention of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut in reference to the desire expressed by Government under date 4th December 1849 to transfer

Secretary

Foujdaree Diary 4th January 1850.

Some convicts to Guntoor as soon as possible.

4th January 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Statement Showing the Number of Prisoners employed at Gardens or fields around the Jail and the Nature and the estimated value of their work.

1849	Repairing Roads		Levelling Streets		Repairing Jail Yard		Making Bricks		Hedging Cattle Tem Records Journals and Jail Rolls		Delivering Books from Peon.	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
January	25	39-12	8	13-"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
February	25	37-8	8	12-"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
March	28	43-"	9	13-4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
April	24	37-8	9	14-1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
May	"	"	8	13-"	23	38-4	"	"	"	"	"	"
June	18	35-8	8	13-"	4	6-8	8	13-"	30	48-12	"	"
July	"	"	9	13-"	"	"	"	"	29	48-15	"	"
August	"	"	12	20-4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
September	13	19-8	12	18-"	11	12-8	"	"	26	43-14	4	6-12
October	4	6-12	9	13-3	"	"	"	"	8	13-"	19	32-4
November	"	"	10	16-4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
December	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total	137	218-8	102	161-"	38	61-12	8	13-"	93	154-12	19	32-4

Average for 1849 — Rupees 4/61

Grand Total — Rupees 461

Value of convicts' labour for 1849 — Rupees 337

Number employed on Roads 137

Number employed on Gardens 38

Number employed on Bricks 8

Number employed on Records 93

Number employed on Peon 19

Total 295

Average daily number employed 295/365 = 337

(No. 3)

To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir

In the month of August last a letter was received from the Subordinate Judge of Mangalore submitting for sanction an Estimate amounting to Rupees (90-0-0) ninety, being the expense of Constructing two Carts which were stated to be required for the use of the Prisoners in the Jail under his charge, and the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut under the authority vested in them by the Order of Government of the 28th July 1843 published at page 608 of the Official Gazette of that year sanctioned the expenditure of the amount in question for the purpose above mentioned.

But in a letter dated 11th December 1849 a copy of which is annexed, the Subordinate Judge reports that a further sum of Rupees (69-12-3) sixty nine Annas twelve and pice three has been expended in the construction of these Carts under circumstances which are fully explained in detail in the letter in question.

As consequently the actual outlay has exceed the amount to which under the orders above alluded to the authority of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut extends it is necessary that the gross charge should receive the sanction of Government and the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut beg therefore to recommend that the Sanction of Government be accorded to the expenditure incurred in the construction of two

two Carts for the use of the Prisoners at Mangalore amounting to Rupees (159-12-3) one hundred and forty nine Annas twelve and Pice three.

4th January 1850. (Signed) G. I. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

24 Sheets of the Printed Calendars
12 Printed forms of the Monthly Criminal Reports No. VI
Forwarded to the Sessions Judge of Chingleput with reference to his letter dated the 24th Ultimo.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.

5th January 1850. (Signed) G. I. Beauchamp
Register

To
The Subordinate Judge of
Calicut.

Communicating order of Government sanctioning a revised estimate for putting iron bars into the windows of the Calicut jail instead of the present wooden ones.

5th January 1850 (Signed) G. I. Beauchamp
Register

To
The Sessions Judge of
Tellicherry.

Communicating order of Government permitting transfer of Mr. Bacon a deranged person lunatic asylum at Madras.

5th January 1850 (Signed) G. I. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session judge of

Masulipatam.

Communicating order of Government sanctioning an Indent for certain articles required in the Masulipatam Jail.

5th January 1850.

(Signed) G. I. Beauchamp

Register

Memorandum.

The Session judge of Chicacole is requested to forward a duplicate Copy of the Statement shewing the manner in which the Convicts in the Jail at Itchapoor were employed for the 1st half of 1849.

8th January 1850.

(Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Head assistant to the Registr

To

The Session Judge of Chingleput

Sir

1 I am directed by the Court of Toyjdaree Udalut to desire that you will dispatch to the Presidency by the 13th Instant, for transfer to the Custody of the Chief Magistrate and Superintendant of Police, all Convicts under sentence of transportation now lying in the Jail at Chingleput.

2 You will be pleased to transmit to this Office by Jaspal, the usual Calenders.

8th January 1850

(Signed) G. I. Beauchamp

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To

The Magistrate of

Nellore &c.

Communicating Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 21st December 1849 decding that the Convicts at Ellore are to be entirely under the Control of the Civil authorities.

10th January 1850. (Signed) G. I. Beauchamp

Register

(No 4)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Toyjdaree Udalut with reference to Para 45 of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 11th December 1849 No 839 to submit for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the following explanation of the delay in the disposal of the cases

No 62 of 1847 Calicut

No 6 of 1848 Bellary.

2 In the latter case the delay between the apprehension and the final conviction of the Prisoners was 550 days

The offence committed was Highway Robbery 12 persons

were

were apprehended on ..... 15th November 1846
Brought before the Head of Police .... 26th Dc
Arrived at the Subordinate Court ..... 2d December 1846
Further evidence called for ..... 4th Dc
which in consequence of the Prosecutor and certain of the Witnesses having returned (without appearing before the Court) to their native Country, Mysore, and there evaded all the attempts of the Police to procure their attendance, in consequence as the Superintendent of the Chittledroog division reported, of the dread they entertained of being sent to Bellary was not forthcoming until the 6th March 1848 when 9 persons were committed for trial by the Sub: judge.

3 The trial commenced in the Sessions Court on 7th March 1848 and was closed on 25th April when 5 more parties were released and the cases of the other 4 referred to the Foujdaree Adalut –

4 The record was received on 18th May 1848 and final sentence was passed on the 19th Idem the 1st Person being sentenced to 14 and the remainder to 7 years imprisonment to be calculated from 1st January 1847 –

5 In No. 62 of 1847 the charge was murder and the delay 110 days.

The Prisoner was apprehended on the 19th December 1847
Arrived at the Subordinate Court 29th Dc
Committed ..... 29 Dc

Trial commenced in Sessions Court and closed 3d January 1848
Received by the Soujdaree Adalut ..... 17th Dc
Opinion recorded by 1st judge ..... 27th Dc
The Record was mislaid in Circulation and the rough translates were called for on ... 15th May 1848
Received ..... 2d June
and the Case was finally disposed of on the 6th June
the Prisoner being sentenced to 3 years imprisonment –
10th January 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Salem.

Communicating Para 13 of Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 11th December 1849 on review of the Criminal Reports for 1848.
10th January 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp Esq.

To The Session judges.

Communicating Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 21st December 1849 granting travelling Batta to Session judges and attendant public officers on visits of inspection to detached gangs of convicts –
10th January 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Session Judge of

Cuddapah

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Poydaree Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 27th Ultimo, in which you request to be informed with reference to the Circular Instructions issued by the Court of Poydaree Adalut under date the 13th February 1849 whether it will be necessary for you to postpone the examination of Cases now pending for trial before the Session Court, and to proceed at once to Cumbum with a view to your visiting and reporting upon the Condition of the detached body of convicts located at that Station.

Under the circumstances represented in your letter, the Judges of the Poydaree Adalut are of opinion that the public interests demand that the Session Judge of Cuddapah should be specially exempted from the general requisition contained in the foregoing Circular Instructions, and they have resolved to request the Joint Magistrate, who is located at Cumbum to submit the required Report in lieu of yourself.

10th January 1850.

(Signed) F. Lushington

Senior Dy Register

To

The Joint Magistrate of Cuddapah

Sir

The Session Judge of Cuddapah having represented to the Judges of the Poydaree Adalut the great inconvenience, and loss of time which would be incurred by him in visiting Cumbum in conformity with the annexed Instructions, I am directed by the Judges to state that Session Judge has been specially exempted from the requisition contained in the above Circulars, and to request that, in future you will, in lieu of that Officer submit to the Court the required Half Yearly Report upon the general condition and health of the Convicts placed under your charge.

10th January 1850.

(Signed) F. Lushington

Senior Dy Register

(No 5)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

With reference to a letter dated 3rd Instant from the Marine Board requesting transmission to Madras for embarkation in the "Hugh Lindsay" of the Convicts in the Chingleput Jail under sentence of transportation I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Poydaree Adalut to

to state for the information of Government that pursuant to instructions sent to Chinglepet the despatch of 9 Convicts from that Station on the 10th Instant has been reported.

2. The usual Calendar of these Convicts together with a Medical certificate accounting for the detention of another Prisr of the same description are herewith forwarded.

12th January 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Magistrate of Chinglepet

Sir

In reply to your letter dated 27th December 1849 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to inform you that the Pension Certificates alluded to in your communication on the 3d Instant sent back to the Session Judge of Chinglepet in compliance with his request.

15th January 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

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(No. 6)

To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Dt.

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut with reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date the

the 8th July 1848 No. 625 whereby an advance of Rupees 250 was authorized to the Superintendant of Government Roads in charge of the Jail at Guindy of the purpose of disbursing to time expired Convicts the allowance for their returns to their homes to which they are under the Regulations entitled, to report for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that Capt. Worster has under date the 8th Instant applied for a further advance and to state that the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut beg to recommend that the Sub Treasurer be authorized to disburse for the purpose above alluded to Rupees Two Hundred and Fifty. (Rupees 250).

12th January, 1852. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Erratum

In Column 1 of the Readings in Abstract III. District Police of the Forms circulated with this Court's letter dated the 15th Ultimo erase "1848" and in column 7 erase "1849".

14th January 1852. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Regiter

To

The Several Sessions Judges and Agents.

To

The Agent at Ganjam

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 27th Ultimo, and to state that in accordance with your suggestion the Sessions Judge at Nellore has

been

been instructed to forward the Prisoner "Moodoo" Nauck under a suitable escort to Chinglepet with a view to his undergoing his sentence of imprisonment in the jail at that Station.

14th January 1852. (Signed) F. Lushington

Senior Dy. Registrar

To

The Session Judge of Nellore.

Sir

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to state that the Agent to the Governor of Fort St. George at Ganjam has reported the reapprehension of Moodoo Nauck who while being conveyed to Nellore for the purpose of undergoing the sentence of imprisonment recorded against him in Case No. 9 of 1847 on the Agents affected his escape from custody.

2 The Prisoner has now been sentenced to two years additional imprisonment, and will be immediately forwarded to Nellore in conformity with the terms of the original sentence but adverting to the desperate character of the man and to the consequent inexpediency of permitting him to mix with his partners in crime, who are now suffering imprisonment in the jail at Nellore Mr. Onslow has suggested the propriety of forwarding him to Chinglepet to undergo his sentence of imprisonment in the jail at that Station.

3 The Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut concurring in the expediency of the above suggestion, request that on the arrival of the Prisoner at Nellore, you will make arrangements for forwarding him under a suitable escort to the jail at Chinglepet.

14th January 1852.

(Signed) F. Lushington

Senior Dy. Registrar

[No 7]

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department.

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 27th November 1849 No. 777 with which were transmitted for any observations that the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut might desire to offer on the provisions the drafts of the following acts.

1st Declaring the Law as to the privileges of Her Majesty's European subjects.

2d Abolishing exemption from the jurisdiction of the East India Company's Criminal Courts.

3 For Trial by Jury.

2 Upon the first and second of these draft Acts the Judges of the Court Foujdaree Udalut have no observations to offer.

3 With reference to the 3d or draft Act for trial by jury the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut would observe that it appears to them advisable that Section XXXI Act XII of 1843, which makes it imperative on the Sessions Judge to try all cases in the under Section XXXII (which it is proposed to repeal) with the aid of assessors in concert with the Mahomedan Law Officer attached to the Zillah Court, should be also repealed.

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4 The judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut are of opinion that the list of persons eligible and liable to serve on Juries contained in Schedule C. of the Report upon a scheme of Pleading and Procedure adapted to the provisions of the Penal Code is far better suited to the wants and circumstances of the country than that given on Section IV. of the act now before them. They consider in particular that the exclusion of Vakeels is objectionable and that, unless the covenanted commissioned officers of Her Majesty's and the East India Company's Civil Military and Medical service be made eligible, it will be impracticable to impanel a jury for the trial of a British subject.

5 In Sections V. and VI. it will be necessary, with reference to the system obtaining in this Presidency, to substitute the "Sessions Judge" for the "Commissioner" and the judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut recommend that the distance of residence from the Sessions Station which will render a person otherwise eligible liable to serve on a jury should be 5 miles.

6 In Sections VI and VII as regards this Presidency "the Sessions Judge" must be substituted for "the Magistrate".

7 The judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut furthermore are of opinion that a jury composed of not less than three and not more than nine at the discretion of the judge is on many and obvious accounts to be preferred to one restricted on all occasions and under all circumstances, as in Section IX, to five. They are also of opinion that when a person being a British Subject is to be tried before a Sessions Court the Majority, at least, of the jury should

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be British subject for this however there is no provision.

8 They also observe that Section XIV is silent as to the course to be pursued when the jury may require time to consider their verdict or when the Session judge may find it necessary to adjourn the proceedings and consider that it is expedient to provide for either contingency.

9 The Powers conferred by Section XV upon the Governor General should in the opinion of the judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut be extended to the Governors of the several Presidencies.

10 I am further directed by the judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to observe, that as it is manifest from the nature of the draft acts under consideration that the Supreme Government desire if possible to effect great and important changes in the systems of Penal Law established in British India, it appears to the judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to become at this juncture a question for serious consideration how far the introduction of the proposed changes into the already perplexed codes of criminal Law, which prevail at the several Presidencies, is likly to be attended with beneficial results or indeed how far the acts in question may be found in their operation to be compatible with the provisions of the existing Regulations which will still remain in force framed as they have been on fundamentally different principles.

11 The Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut from practical experience in the Mofussil and their present position as judges of the highest Court under the Presidency, are however fully aware of the practical defects and great inconveniences of the existing Regulations, and they therefore deem the present an appropriate occasion to

to record their opinion on the propriety of substituting the Indian Penal Code for the existing Laws.

13 I am therefore instructed to state that it is their deliberate opinion that the Indian Penal Code, modified and amended by the supplemental ~~rules~~ of the Indian Law Commissioners with its scheme of Pleading and procedure, should be at once made Law and substituted for the existing Regulations.

13 The Judges observe that thereby the object arrived at by the Supreme Government in their Draft Act for trial by Jury, and the abolition of fuliwahs would not only be more effectually attained but that likewise one general system of Penal Law based upon well considered and rational principles would be given to the several Presidencies, a course of proceeding which if adopted the Judges consider would moreover satisfactorily remove all objections and difficulties in respect to the proposed enactments for rendering British subjects amenable to the jurisdiction of the Mofussil Courts.

16th January 1850. (Signed) G.T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Agent to the Governor of Fort St. George.

at Kurnool.

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court

of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will enter separately in the proper Column of the Statement herewith returned the Number of Peons Duffadars Nauges &c employed to guard the convicts and retransmit it without delay.

17th January 1850. (Signed) G.T. Beauchamp

Register

Memorandum

The Papers forwarded by the Magistrate of Salem with regard to the Head of Police of Attoor are herewith returned as requested in his letter dated 24th December 1849.

17th January 1850. (Signed) G.T. Beauchamp

Register

To,

The Officer Commanding

Arcot

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will insert at the bottom of the Statement herewith returned the date of the Authority of Government placing convicts under your control and retransmit the same to this Court without delay.

(Signed) G.T. Beauchamp

18th January 1850.

Register

To

The Joint Magistrate in Charge of Convicts

at Pambrum

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Toydaree Udalut to return for amendment the Statement which accompanied your letter of the 8th Ultimo and to observe that the Columns thereof should exhibit the number of Convicts under your charge on the 30th June 1849 and that the Columns which follow should also show the number of Convicts actually employed on that day upon the several works in which they may have been engaged and not the total number of prisoners employed on each particular branch of work during the six months which preceded the 30th June.

2 I am also directed to forward 5 printed forms the headings of which have been altered to adopt them to the particular nature of the work in which the prisoners in your Charge have been engaged.

18th January 1850. (Signed) G. I. Beauchamp

Register

To The Session Judge

of Madura

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of

Toydaree Udalut in reply to your letter of the 7th January 1850 to inform you that the figures "1848" and "1849" have been, as you suppose, entered erroneously in the headings of the first and last Columns of the Statement No III which was transmitted from this Office on the 15th December 1849 and that the first Column is intended to comprize, as you have stated to the Magistrate both the parties under examination at the commencement of the year and the parties summoned during the year.

19th January 1850 (Signed) G. I. Beauchamp

Register

Recd the 25th Jany
the Hble Judges
Military Board
23 Jany 1850
No 78 Dd. 103.
1850

Office Commr

To

The Principal Sudr Ameen in Charge
of the Session Court of
Coimbatore

Sir

1 I am directed by the judges of the Soujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Bird's Letter of the 7th Instant enclosing copy of one from the Head Assistant Magistrate at Palghaut, soliciting sanction for the detachment of a Gang of 25 Convicts to be employed at a short distance from Palghaut on road work.

2 The judges I am directed to state sanction the proposed arrangement with the understanding that every precaution is to be taken by Mr. Robinson to ensure the safe Custody of the Prisoners.

3 The judges request that in future, when Mr Robinson may find it necessary to make a similar application, it may be forwarded through the Magistrate for the report of that officer who must on the present occasion be called upon to state whether he appears of the masure suggested by his Head Assistant.

23d January 1850.

(Signed) G. F. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Superintendent of Government Roads
Guindy

Sir

With reference to your letter dated 12th Instant reporting the escape of certain Convicts from the Jail under your charge, I am directed by the judges of the Court of Soujdaree Udalut to request you will prepare and Submit with the least possible delay a Descriptive List of the fugitives in the form laid down in rule 15th of Section XIII of the Compilation of Jail Rules with which have been furnished, as the list contained in your letter is found to be defective in several particulars.

(Signed) F. Lushington
Senior Dy. Register

24th January 1850.

To

The Session Judge
of Tellicherry

Sir

With reference to your Letter of the 8th Instant, I am directed by the judges of the Soujdaree Udalut to request that you will inform them by whose authority and permission

permission other patients, not Prisoners have ban admitted within the Jail for Medical treatment, on receipt of this information, the Judges will be prepared to convey to you their final instructions on the subject-

24th January 1850. (Signed) F. Cushington

Senior Dy Register

(№ 8)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Forwarding for sanction an Indent in triplicate upon the Deputy Commissary of Ordnance at Cannanore for certain articles required in the Jail at Mangalore-

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

24th January 1850.

Register

Memrandum

The Acting Session Judge of Masulipatam is requested to forward without loss of time the Second packet of enclosures in his Return dated 7th Jany. 1850 to the precept of the Foujdaree Udalut under date the 12th Novembr 1849 calling for translations of the Records &c in Case № 9 of 1849 on the Masulipatam Session file- the papers in question not having as yet reached this Court-

25th January 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Sub Judge

of Bellary-

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to convey to you their Sanction, under the Authority vested in them by the order of Government dated 30th July 1843, for the amount expended in the 4th Quarter of 1849 on account of the maintenance of a Convicts' children, being Rupees (2-10-4) two and annas ten as shown in the Statement submitted by you under date the 1st Instant.

See Fort St Geo: Gazette page 608-

26th January 1850- (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Magistrate of

Malabar

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to return the Statement of Convicts at Palghat during the 1st half year of 1849 and to request that for the gross number of daily tasks performed during the period in question the number of Convicts in the Jail on the 30th June 1849 and the manner in which their services were disposed of on that day may be substituted.

26th January 1850- (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Agent to the Governor of Fort St. George

at Kurnool

Sir

Adverting to your Letter of the 12th Instant. I am directed by the judges of the Soujdaree Udalut to convey to you their authority for the erection of a permanent gallows at Kurnool at a cost not exceeding forty Rupees and to request that you will on the completion of the work submit an account particular of the actual disbursement for final sanction.

28th January 1850. (Signed) T. Lushington

Senior Dy Register

To

The Magistrate of

Malabar

Sir

I am directed by the judges of the Court of Soujdaree Udalut to request that you will transmit a copy of the instructions of Government under which the Supplemental Statement of Contingent charges for Fusly 1257, which accompanied your letter of the 5th January 1850 has been forwarded thro' the Soujdaree Udalut for Special Sanction.

29th January 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The acting Session Judge

of Masulipatam.

Sir

In reply to your letter dated 10th Instant I am directed by the judges of the Court of Soujdaree Udalut under the authority vested in them by the order of Government dated 28th July 1843 to inform you that they sanction the charge amounting to Rupees (14-8) one, annas fourteen and Pice eight incurred by the payment of Batta to the Children of Convicts during the 4th Quarter of 1849.

Vide Fort St. Geo. Gazette page 608.

29th January 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

(No. 9)

To

The Acting Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the judges of the Court of Soujdaree Udalut to transmit to you the accompanying descriptive Roll of five Convicts reported by the Superintendant of Government Roads at Guindy to have escaped from the Jail under his charge, and to request you will obtain authority for its publication in the Official Gazette.

30th January 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Superintendant of Government Road

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to enquire whether under the Circular Order Foujdaree Udalut 20th May 1834 a copy of your report under date 12th Instant to this Court has been transmitted to Government.

31st January 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Sessions Judge

of Guntoor

Sir

1 Adverting to Mr J. Horsley's letter of the 15th March 1848 I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to annex the accompanying Order of Government dated the 22d Instant sanctioning the construction of 6 platform Carts for the use of the Convicts at an estimated cost of 42 Rupees each.

2 With reference to the small number of Convicts now in confinement at Guntoor, and to the improbability of that number being greatly increased during the present year, the Judges request that only so many of those Carts may be now constructed, as may appear to be absolutely requisite.

31st January 1850. (Signed) F. Lushington

Senior Dy Register

No 125

To

(No 10)

The Acting Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Department

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Tanjore Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 22d January 1850 (No 51) wherein the was forwarded for any observations or suggestions the Judges of the Court of Tanjore Udalut may desire to offer upon its provisions the Draft of an Act "to allow Counsel to all persons on trial for offences"

2 The Judges of the Court of Tanjore Udalut consider that Sections I and II Act XXII of 1839 must be made to comprehend the Vakeels attached to any Civil Courts

3 It will be necessary also in modification of Section III of the above Act to substitute the words "the day appointed for the commencement of the trial" in lieu of "for the commencement of the Sessions" as the Courts in this Presidency sit de die in diem

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4. The Judges of the Court of Fanjadaree Utadalut also recommend that, in extension of the provisions of Section III of the Act above alluded to, parties be entitled to demand copies of depositions and other papers and proceedings read or recorded in trials before the Sessions Court when required either for preparing an appeal from a final sentence of the Sessions Courts or for stating exceptions and objections to the proceedings of the Sessions Court on trials referred for the final sentence of the Court of Fanjadaree Utadalut.

14th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
N. 11 Register

N. 126 To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Fanjadaree Utadalut with reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 6th September 1849. N. 368 and in continuation of my letter of the 27th December 1849 to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council a new Scale of Diet, Clothing and Labour for Prisoners confined

confined in the Jails of this Presidency.

2. It will be observed that the maximum weight of grain allowed to the Prisoners has been reduced by ¼, or in Rice from 80 to 70 Rupees or Chungs which has been resolved upon in consequence of certain of the Officers in charge of Jails in which the higher rate was formerly given having found that it was more than the Prisoners could consume, the surplus being used either in procuring luxuries, or purchasing indulgences from the guards, or in contributions towards the support of the Prisoners family whilst in the Jails noted in the Margin the maximum allowance falls below the rate now adopted

Chingleput
Cuddalore
Calicut
Cochin
Tellicherry
Mangalore

3. It will be further observed that it is proposed to allow to the Officers in charge of Jails considerable latitude in determining what particular grain and Condiments and what quantity of either shall be supplied to the Prisoners. But local peculiarities, the nature of the Cultivation carried on, and the mode of living of the mass of the population in the several districts of this Presidency, render it impracticable to frame a Scale

scale which would be suited to every Jail, and it may be expected that Officers in charge of Jails will, in the exercise of the discretionary power given to them, be able in concert with the Medical Officers to adapt the food more closely to the previous habits of the Prisoners than has hitherto been the case, and that thus the liability of the Prisoners to contract disease from a sudden change of aliment will be diminished, and that indifference to imprisonment which the generous diet of Indian Jails is supposed to engender in the minds of the lower classes will at least to a considerable extent be counteracted

4 It is also shown by the returns now before the Court of Fanjdaree Udalut that abuses have arisen from Prisoners having been allowed to deal directly with Bazaarmen in some instances paying for the condiments and necessaries selected at will by tickets or tokens, and the Judges of the Court of Fanjdaree Udalut propose to order that all condiments and necessaries shall, as the daily allowance of grain now is, be henceforth supplied by the Officers of the Jail, and that all intercourse between the Prisoners and Bazaarmen shall be strictly prohibited

With

5 With reference to the 15th Para of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 6th September 1849 above alluded to I am desired to report that the Jails at Salem are stated by the Subordinate Judge to be capable of accommodating, allowing 300 Cubic feet of space per man, 244 Prisoners and that under orders issued by the Court of Fanjdaree Udalut upon the receipt of the despatch of the Honorable Court of Directors dated 20th June 1849 transmitted with the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 19th October 1849 drafts have been forwarded from the Jails at Salem to the Magistrate which have reduced the number of persons in confinement at that station to 167.

6 I am further instructed to add that irregularities and defects which have been prominently brought under their observation on the present occasion have forced upon the Judges of the Court of Fanjdaree Udalut the conviction that all attempts to reform the existing system of Jail management and discipline by devising rules however strict must end in comparative failure.

failure. At present the same rules are in force in every Jail but it is evident that the way in which those rules are enforced is widely different and it follows as a necessary consequence that the punishment inflicted upon offenders of the same class in the various Zillahs is very unequal.

7. The general control of the Jails in this Presidency rests with the Court of Tanjore Udalut, whose other duties present that exclusive attention to this department which its importance demands, whilst the permanent location of the Judges at Madras moreover precludes the exercise of that direct personal superintendence upon which, in their opinion, the attainment of uniformity in the working of any system of management and discipline in the Jails of this Presidency must greatly depend.

8. To remedy the above evils it has occurred to the Judges of the Tanjore Udalut that the appointment of an Inspector of Prisons would be found by Government to be the most effectual step they could take. The Judges are the more inclined to recommend the adoption of this measure to the serious consideration of Government from the circumstance that a similar appointment exists in the North Western Provinces, producing they believe the most satisfactory results.

9. To this Officer would be committed the superintendence of every thing including Establishments connected with the interior and external economy of all the Prisons under this Presidency. It would be his duty to visit all the Jails yearly or more frequently, if necessary and to satisfy himself that any general system of management that might be authorized by the Government was rigidly enforced and the discipline enjoined strictly and uniformly maintained - and he should be placed in direct communication with the Government.

10. The appointment of an Inspector of Prisons would probably, the Judges of the Court of Tanjore Udalut are of opinion, lead to the erection of Depot Jails, of the nature contemplated by the Committee on Prison discipline and with their introduction the Judges of the Court of Tanjore Udalut would look confidently forward to the possibility of reducing the periods of imprisonment as alluded to in their letter of the 3d December 1849 - and as the necessary consequence of such a measure there would follow a general reduction in the cost of maintaining

training and guarding Prisoners.—

11. But the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut, I am directed to add, would remark that the success of the measure which they now recommend for adoption will depend greatly on the person selected to fill the Office. He ought, in their opinion, to combine with a hearty desire to improve the present System of Jail management, great energy with experience and professional health to travel rapidly and constantly. His standing ought to be equal to that of a Sessions Judge and his salary not less than 2500 Rupees, or the salary of a Judge with his travelling expences defrayed by the State.

I have the honor to be

Sir

5th February 1850.

Your Most Obedient servant

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Scale

Foujdaree Diary 5th February 1850.

Scale of diet daily

Species of Grain

Rice ——— 7/0 Rupees 1/65 Rupees 1/60 Rupees 1/54 Rupees 1/.

Cholum ——— 7/5 Rs. 7/0 Rs. 6/5 Rs. 6/0 Rs.

Ragey ——— 6/5 Rs. 6/0 Rs. 5/5 Rs. 5/0 Rs.

Cumboo ——— 6/5 Rs. 6/0 Rs. 5/5 Rs. 5/0 Rs.

Husked and Cleaned

Maximum Ordinary Maximum Minimum

Convicts employed on Hard Labor 1/4 Rupees 1/ Rupees

Commutation of Labor 1/ Rupees

Firewood

Condiments

Vegetables

Meat

Oil

Necessaries for the Sick

To be supplied in Kind at the discretion of the Superintendent of the Jail

Maximum Cost of the Diet per head

Ordinary —— Rs. 3½ Rs. —— "

Scale of Clothing - Annual.

	Cloths		Cumblies		Mats	
	No.	Size	No.	Size	No.	Size
For Men	2	6 Cubits by 2	1	Ordinarily used in the District	2	5½ feet by 2½
For Women	2	12 D° by 2	1		2	5 by 2½

Scale of Labor - Daily.

In the hot weather - From 7 A.M. to 11½ and from 1 to 4 P.M.

In the Cold weather - From 7 A.M. to 12 and from 1 to 4 P.M.

No. 127 To No. 12.

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Faujdaree Udalut to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the enclosed copy of an Estimate of the Cost of making up 4 New Carts for the use of the Jail at Trichinopoly amounting to Rupees 132 4 - -

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2. The Sessions Judge has explained that 4 of the 10 Carts supplied by the Commissariat Department at the instance of the Military Board, as reported by the latter authority to Government under date 21st June 1845, on the 25th March 1846 have been worn out by constant use and under these circumstances the Judges of the Court of Faujdaree Udalut beg to recommend that the disbursement of Rupees (132 4 -) one Hundred and thirty Two and annas four by the Sessions Judge of Trichinopoly for the purpose in question may be sanctioned by Government.

5th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

No. 133. Circular. Memorandum.

To
The Sessions Judges.

Adverting to the Circular Letter from the Court of Faujdaree Udalut under date the 4th December last, annexing a new form of an Abstract statement to be appended to the Monthly Criminal Returns, it is requested that the last Column of that statement may be divided into two distinct Headings - the one exhibiting the total number of Prisoners, the other the total number of Cases, disposed of during the Month.

7th February 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
Actg Asst to the Register

To

No 13

No 134 To

The Acting Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fauydaree Udaulut with reference to the 9th Para of the Minutes Consultation of Government under date 11th December 1849 (No 839) upon the Criminal Reports for the 1st and 2d half years of 1848 to transmit copy of a letter from the Sessions Judge of Bellary dated 21st January 1850 and of its enclosure in which the large proportion of acquittals in cases forwarded for trial to the Courts in that district which attracted the notice of the Government is shown to be attributable to a want of deliberation and judgment on the part of the Officers of Police.

7th February 1850. (Signed) G J Beauchamp

Register

No 135 To No 14

The Acting Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fauydaree Udaulut to acknowledge the receipt of the order of Government under date 24th January 1850 No 68 relative in part to the reference to the letter from this office dated 7th

7th Idem recommending a further advance of Rupees 250 to the Officer in charge of the Jail at Guindy, information is desired as to "why the Half yearly statements of disbursements to time expired Convicts from the last advance called for under date 8th July 1848 were not submitted" and to state that as Captain Worster eventually reported that the Bill alluded to in the 3d Para of Mr Davidson's letter applying for the original advance and dated 1st July 1848 had been submitted for sanction thro the Military Board it was supposed that duplicates of the statements now called for and herewith transmitted would have been forwarded to Government through the same channel.

7th February 1850. (Signed) G J Beauchamp

Register

No 137 To

The Sessions Judge of Rajahmundry

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Fauydaree Udaulut to annex the accompanying Copy of an opinion given by the Mahomedan Law Officer of their Court on the point referred to in your letter of the 19th Ultimo.

2. The Judges, I am instructed to observe, consider that you might have saved the trouble of this reference by putting a similar question to the Law Officer

of

of your own Court.

8th February 1850. (Signed) F. Lushington
Senior Deputy Register

No. 144 To
The Sessions Judge of Masulipatam

Communicating Order of Government regarding the confinement of the insane Prisoner in Case No. 14 of 1849 on the Masulipatam Calendar.

11th February 1850. (Sent usual letter No.)

No. 145 To
The Sessions Judge of Madura

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Tanjore Udalut in the reference to order of Government under date 29th January 1850 to request that you will after investigation report in a letter in your opinion the high rate of mortality in the Jail at Madura is owing in any degree to the system of giving the prisoners for their morning meal, Rice cooked over night or to defects in the Buildings.

11th February 1850. I have the honor to be &c.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

No. 146 To
The Subordinate Judge of Mangalore.

Communicating Order of Government directing the Military Board be requested to cause the Indent. for certain articles required by the Subordinate Court of Mangalore to be complied with.

11th February 1850. Sent usual letter No.

No. 152 Memorandum

1. Printed copies of the Annual Statement of Prisoners, forwarded for the use of the Sub Collector in charge of Camiels at Cumbum.

12th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
No. 15. Register

No. 153 To
The Acting Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department.

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Tanjore Udalut to forward to be laid before Government the enclosed application submitted by the Sessions Judge of Canara for a temporary increase of four Peons to the fixed establishment of guards in the Jail attached to the Sudder Ameens Court at Sirsy.

2. It will be observed from the statement that

that the additional Peons were entertained by the Sudder Ameen on the 1st May 1849 under Circular Order of the Fouzdaree Adawlut dated 15th October 1834 N. 18 on finding the measure indispensable for the safe custody of the Prisoners under his charge who then amounted to forty four. They have subsequently increased to fifty and the Session Judge of Hooghly is of opinion that no reduction is at present to be anticipated.

3 Under these circumstances and with reference to the strength of the Serai Jail, the walls of which are reported to be "built of mud", as well as the other grounds specified in the application, the Court of Fouzdaree Adawlut recommend that the continued employment of the four Peons above alluded to by the Sudder Ameen at Serai may be authorized by Government with the understanding that the charge will be reduced should the number of Prisoners decrease.

4 I am directed to add that the application of the Session Judge was mislaid in the Register's Office from the 11th June to the 2nd November 1849 when a reference was made to the Session Judge for the purpose of ascertaining whether the original emergency continued to exist, and on this being reported to be the case orders were issued

issued for the application being submitted in the form prescribed by Government which reached the Court of Fouzdaree Adawlut on the 28th ultimo.

12th February 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

№ 161 Memorandum

It is requested that the cause of the entry of certain cases and persons in Red Ink in the annual statements transmitted by the Agents to the Governor in Vizagapatam may be explained

15th February 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

№ 162 To

The Session Judge of
Rajahmundry

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouzdaree Adawlut with reference to your letters of the 12th October 1849 and 29th January 1850 to desire that the result of the trial of Mittamilly Ummanah the Husband of the 1st Prisoner in Case № 37 of 1849 may be reported to them at the earliest possible moment

I am also directed to call your serious attention to the great delay which has been allowed to elapse between the closing of the trial

and

and the despatch of the record in the case above specified and to impress upon you the urgent necessity which exists for causing the translation of referred trials to be prepared with all practicable expedition. It is open to you I am to remark when requisite to employ additional translators under Clause XXXVI Regulation VII of 1802 and the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut expect that the records in the cases which may further delay.

15th February 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

No. 163 To

The Acting Sessions Judge of
Masulipatam

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to retransmit the return of Prisoners in confinement in the Jail at Masulipatam forwarded under date 31st January 1850 and to request that in the 11th Column the number may be substituted for the designation of the cases of Sickness which occurred during the year.

15th February 1850. Signed G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To.

Foujdaree Diary 15th February 1850

No. 164 To

The Magistrate of
Chingleput

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut with reference to an Order of Government under date 4th February 1850 directing the transfer of some insane prisoners from the Lunatic Asylum to the Jail Hospitals of their respective Zillahs to request that you will after having made arrangements for their safe progress beyond your limits with the Magistrates of the adjacent districts send a suitable escort to receive them from the Medical Officer in charge of the Lunatic Asylum.

2. It appears advisable that a trustworthy person should be selected to accompany each set through their whole march. The persons so selected will be entitled to draw the usual pay of a Jail peon or 5 4/11 Rupees per mensem whilst employed on this duty and should be furnished with funds to meet the expenses of providing the necessary supplies for the parties under their charge from Madras to their respective destinations.

3. I am in conclusion to request that you will be good enough to report when you will

will be prepared to receive charge of the party in question.

15th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register.

№ 165 To

The Sessions Judges of
Combatore and Nellore and
The Subordinate Judges of Combaconum and Salem

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.dary Udalut to apprize you that the Governor have directed the transfer of the parties noted in the margin from the Lunatic Asylum to the Hospital of the Jail under your charge and that the date of their actual departure for Madras will be notified to you hereafter

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To the
Sub: Judge of Combaconum
Soobaspien and
Veeraspen
Sub: Judge of Combatore
Ramasamy
Munnaroo Naick
Session Judge of Nellore
Narrenjanoo
Sub: Judge of Salem
Columba Pien
" " Cabient
Madaspoorratha Percy Coety.

15th February 1850

(№ 166)

№ 167 To The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Deptt.

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of

of Fouj.dary Udalut to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the endorsed contingent Bill for the salaries paid to two additional Peons by the Principal Sudder Ameen of Vizagapatam from 1st June 1847 to 31st December 1849.

2 The entertainment of these Peons was sanctioned by Government under date 20th May 1847 until the wall which it is proposed to raise around the Jail is completed the charge being included in a contingent Bill and submitted for sanction on the discontinuance of the Peons services.

3 As the estimate was sanctioned on the 13th 1847 work has not as yet been completed and the Civil Auditor in consequence of the charge appearing to have been incurred for a considerable time has called upon the Principal Sudder Ameen to submit at once a contingent Bill for the sanction of Government including the charge upto the latest date may have been defrayed and the Judges of the Court of Fouj.dary Udalut consequently beg to recommend that the Bill now submitted which amounts to Rupees 310 — — Three hundred and ten may be sanctioned by Government.

4 I am directed to add in explanation of the delay which has occurred that the progress of the work was suspended as reported to Government by the Court of Fouj.dary Udalut on the 12th September 1848 in consequence of objections raised by the Zillah Surgeon who considered that

that the wall if carried to the height originally contemplated would interrupt the free circulation of air thro the wards and could only have been resorted upon the receipt of the Enclosed Minute Consultation of Government under date 28th August 1849 N.545 which directed that "the work already too long post poned should be executed "without further delay.

16th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(N.171)

N.168 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Forwarding an Indent for a new Library from the Subordinate Judge of Chittoor

16th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

" " "

N.169 Memorandum

The Subordinate Judge of Bellary is requested to transmit a Memorandum showing the cost of Guarding each Prisoner during 1849.

18th February 1850. Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

N.177 To

The Sessions Judges excepting those of
Bellary. Chittoor Cuddalore
Cudalapah and Chengleput.

I am directed to request that you will cause the dates in which the Prisoners left the Talook and reached the Court to be entered in the Column headed date of apprehension in the Calendars which hereafter may be submitted by you to the Court of Fouj.dar.ee Adalut

20th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

(N.18)

N.178 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.dar.ee Adalut to forward to you the enclosed Descriptive Roll of a Prisoner who is reported to have escaped from a gang sent out for work from the Mangalore Jail and to request that you will obtain authority for its insertion in the Official Gazette

20th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

No 179 To Sessn Judge Chicacole

(No 19)

No 180 To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to forward to you for the purpose of being submitted to Government for sanction the accompanying Supplemental Statement of Contingent charges for Fusly 1257 received from the Magistrate of Malabar containing an account of the expenditure of Rupees 40. 4 - 3 Forty three annas four and Pie three in providing carriage from Calicut to Kottah for a Mohomedan Priest sentenced to be banished from the former place to Chingleput for three years on conviction by the Foujdaree Udalut of the Assistant of Beatons assault and wounding.

2 The statement it would appear has been forwarded to the Foujdaree Udalut in compliance with instructions from Government conveyed to the Magistrate through the Board of Revenue & the Court recommend that authority may be granted for the expenditure in question with reference to the grounds assigned in the Columns of explanation contained in the statement

20th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Session Judge of Chicacole

Sir

In reply to your letter dated 6th Instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut under the authority vested in them by the Order of Government dated 28th July 1843 to sanction the expenditure of (57 - 14 - 2) Fifty Seven Rupees, Fourteen Annas and Two Pice incurred in the construction of a well in the compound of the Jail under the Superintendence of the Principal Sudder Ameen of Vizagapatam.

Vide Fort St. George Gazette page 608.

20th February 1850. (Signed) G: T: Beauchamp

Register

To The Superintendent of Government Roads at Guindy

Communicating Order of Government placing a further sum of 350 Rupees at his disposal for payment of Ballah to time expired convicts----

21st February 1850--- (Signed) G: T: Beauchamp

Register

To The Session Judge of Trichinopoly

Communicating Order of Government sanctioning an estimate for making up four new Carts for the Trichinopoly Jail---

21st February 1850--- (Signed) G: T: Beauchamp

Register

To

The Acting Subordinate Judge of Salem.

Sir

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Soujdaree Udalut to request that immediately upon the receipt of this letter you will make arrangements for transferring from your Jail in accordace with the standing Orders on that subject (36) Thirty six able bodied Convicts to the charge of the Session Judge of Trichinopoly for employment on public works at that Station.

Copy of this letter to the Session Judge of Trichinopoly with reference to his communication dated 2d Instant.

2 The Court of Soujdaree Udalut have not lost sight of the remonstrance made by that Subordinate Judge on a previous occasion against the removal of nine Prisoners from Salem but the high rate of mortality which the returns for 1849 exhibit has led them to determine to reduce the number confined in the Jail under your charge to the Lowest possible points.

22d February 1850. (Signed) G:S: Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of Nellore.

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Soujdaree Udalut in reply to your letter of the 18th Febuary 1850 to inform you that the Government under date

date 24th November 1845 directed that in lieu of indenting upon the arsenals for Platform Carts &c the officers in charge of Jail should make their own arrangements for procuring upon contract the articles best adopted for the use of the Provinces and consequently to report that you will prepare and submit an estimate of the Cost of constructing the Carts you now require at Nellore.

22d February 1850. (Signed) G:S: Beauchamp
Register

To The Magistrates.

The Court of Soujdaree Udalut having reason to believe that a practice not unfrequently obtains in many Districts of requireng parties applying for copies of sentences passed upon them by the Magistracy to take the same upon Stamp papers and such practice being in the opinion of the Court calculated to defeat the ends of justice, it is resolved to direct that the practice wherever it obtains be immediately discontenued and that henceforth in all cases parties on application be furnished with a Copy of their sentence on plain paper whether such sentence be one of acquittal or conviction.

26th February 1850. (Signed) A.J. Arbuthnot
Hd Asst to the Register

To The Sessions Judges

With the view of ensuring greater uniformity in the Proceedings of the Magistracy as well as a more regular system in reviewing their periodical Returns the Court of Soujdaree Udalut deem it proper to

№ 203 To

The Joint Magistrate in charge of

South Arcot

Communicating Order of Government sanctioning continuance for another year of the Extra Police employed in South Arcot

26th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

№ 204 To

The Session Judge of

Tellicherry

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdarree Adawlut with reference to your letter of the 29th January 1850 to request that you will call upon the Medical authorities to represent that it is expedient that the ward Sanctioned under date the 6th November 1848 for the accommodation of Patients other than Prisoners should be built as you suggest without the walls of the Fort in which the Jail is situated

2 I am directed to add that the practice of villagers into the Jail Hospital must be at once discontinued

26th February 1850. Signed G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

№ 205 To

The Acting Sub: Judge of

Rajahmundry

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdarree Adawlut to request you will immediately upon the receipt of this letter dispatch from your Jail to that at Guntoor 50 Fifty Convicts for employment on public works at the latter Station in doing so you will not fail to observe strictly the prescribed Standing orders on the subject of the removal of Prisoners.

26th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

Register

№ 206 To

The Session Judge of

Guntoor

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdarree Adawlut to inform you that under instructions from Government issued with reference to a request made by the Collector of Guntoor in a letter to the Revenue Board under date the 30th October 1849. the Sub: Judge of Rajahmundry has been directed to send fifty Convicts to be placed in the Jail under your charge.

26th February 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

[N°21]

N°218 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Sudder and Fouj.dare Adawlut to state for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that the Civil and Sessions Judge of Cuddapah has reported that in a letter dated 15th February 1850 upon the departure of Dr. Barker, late Civil Surgeon in that District whose appointment to Nundeear was notified in the Fort Saint George Gazette of the 15th January 1850, he with the sanction of the Officer Commanding the 13th Regt N.I. called upon Surgeon Lyell to assume temporary charge of the Civil Department and Jail Hospital on the 11th February 1850

2. The Judges of the Court of Sudder and Fouj.dare Adawlut beg to recommend that the arrangement may be sanctioned by Government and with reference to the extent of the charge which has thus devolved upon Surgeon Lyell, they also recommend that he be permitted to draw the usual allowance granted to a Surgeon in the Military Department when holding a Civil charge or Rupees 65 Sixty five together with the emolumen portion of the Salary specially attached to the charge of the Civil Dispensary or Rupees 50/ fifty per mensem.

27th February 1850 [Signed] G. T. Beauchamp
Register

N°22.

N°217 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to the order of Government dated 23d June 1838 N°636 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.dare Adawlut to transmit to be laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying general statement made up to the 30th June 1849 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 date of the authority of Government under which they have been placed under the control of officers other than those in charge of the Zillah Jails

27th February 1850 [Signed] G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To.

A 220 To

The Civil Auditor

Sir

The Sessions Judge of Honore having represented that a Bill for Travelling allowance on the occasion of his visiting the Jail at Sirsy forwarded to you on the 11th December 1849, has been returned unpassed I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adaulut to inform you that Mr Lafeuilles was under date 2d November 1849 instructed to inspect the Jail at that Station Quarterly and to request whether after this explanation and with reference to the Order of Government dated 17th April 1845 (A 322) and 24th December 1849 A 886 you are still of opinion that the Special Sanction of Government is requisite to enable you to pass the Bill in question

28d February 1850 (Signed) G. T Beauchamp

Register

A 222 To.

The Magistrate of Tanjore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adaulut to request you will submit without delay the supplemental — Statement of the quantity and value of articles manufactured by the prisoners under your charge during 1849 as required in para 4 of an Extract of the Courts Proceedings dated 7th November 1849.-

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Regr.

1st March 1850.

A 229 To

The Acting Sessions Judge of Masulipatam

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adaulut to request that you will state in Rupee weight of the grain daily issued to the Prisoners under your charge as required in Circular Order of the Foujdaree Adaulut under date 2d June 1831.-

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

2d March 1850

A 230
D 231 To

The Subordinate Judge of Salem.-

Sir,

I am appearing from a

Return submitted by you for the year 1849 that money payments, tho' prohibited by Circular Order 2d June 1831, have been granted to Prisoners in the Jail under your charge, I am directed by the Court of Fouydaree Udalut to request that you will put a stop to the Practice, and cause the prisoners to be supplied with such articles as they may require to the amount of the prescribed allowance in kind.-

2. Should the expences of guarding entered in your annual return for 1849 not include the Rons entertained to guard the working parties and the fixed jail establishment you will be Pleased to send in a Memorandum shewing the correct weekly Cost per head in both these items as early as possible.-

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
2d March 1850.- Register

No 241 To the Sub Judge of Mangalore

Sir

1. I am directed by the Court of Fouydaree Udalut to request that you will report whether the Dispensary and Hospital, for which Certain of the wards in the Jail under your charge appear from the annual return to have been appropriated, are intended for the reception of patients other than prisoners, and whether arrangements have been made

made for cutting off all Communication between these wards and the Prisoners-

2. Should the Expences of Guarding entered in your annual return for 1849 not include the Rons entertained to Guard the working parties and the fixed Jail Establishment you will be pleased to send in a Memorandum shewing the Correct weekly Cost per head both these items as early as possible.-

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
4th March 1850.- Register

No 242-243 and 244 To The Session Judge of Cuddalore

Sir.

I am directed by the Court of Fouydaree Udalut to request that you will be pleased to report with reference to your Jail Return for the year 1849. the weekly Cost of Guards peons &c per head.-

The expence of Guarding should include not only the Rons entertained for guarding the working parties but the fixed Jail Establishment.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
4th March 1850. Register.

(№ 23)

№ 247. 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 information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the annexed Copy of a letter from the Acting Sessions Judge of Tinnevelly dated 16th February 1850 — reporting the murder of a Convict in the Jail — Hospital by the lunatic Igaccedamien, who having formerly committed a murder when of unsound mind, was in Extract Minutes Council of Government under date 5th December 1849 № 908 directed to be detained in safe custody for the period of his natural life —

2. The Acting Sessions Judge remarks that the Jail at Tinnevelly is not fitted for the Confinement of so dangerous a character as the lunatic in question, and the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut consequently solicit the special instructions of Government in regard to the custody to which he shall hereafter be entrusted —

3. The above occurrence has led the Judges

Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to question the expediency of transferring from the Lunatic Asylum at Madras to their respective Zillahs the insane persons referred to in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 4th February 1850 № 85 The Hospitals in the Mofussil Jails do not, in their opinion afford proper accommodation or security for deranged patients — whilst the Zillah Surgeons Establishment is too limited to admit of that constant vigilance being exercised over sufferers of this class which their malady requires —

4. The Judges would therefore solicit the further attention of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to this subject before the orders already referred to are finally carried out —

4th March 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Regr.

№ 248. To The Sessions Judge of Guntoor

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 18th Ultimo reporting the Escape of a Convict on the 10th idem from the Jail under your charge I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to request that with reference to the rule laid down in the Circular Order of Foujdaree Udalut dated the 28th March 1832 you will report for their information the Circumstances under which the Convict in question effected his escape —

4th March 1850 (Signed) A. Arbuthnot
Actg Asst to the Regr.

№ 249 To

The Session Judge

of Rajahmundry

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 11th February 1850 containing certain suggestions in regard to the payment of Batta to witnesses in Criminal Cases I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Adalut to inform you that you are fully competent to issue such orders in the matter in question as may appear to you to be suited to carry out the spirit of the provisions of Section XXVIII Regulation X of 1816

The Rules proposed by you in your letter now under acknowledgement appear to the Judges of the Court of Fouzdaree Adalut to be good

4th March 1850 (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Nr Agt to the Register

№ 250 To The Session Judge of Calicut

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Fouzdaree Adalut to request that you will be pleased to cause one of the three forms of Jail Return

Return herewith forwarded to be filled up for the year 1849 by the Officer in charge of Convicts at Palghatcherry, whose particular attention should be directed to Circular Proceedings of the Fouzdaree Adalut under date the 24th September 1849 and transmitted to this Court as early as possible.—

5th March 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Regr

№ 252 To The Agent to the Governor of Fort St. George at

Kurnool

Sir

1. I am directed by the Court of Fouzdaree Adalut to request that you will forward the annual return of Prisoners under your charge now due for 1849 Printed— forms of which accompany this letter without delay.—

2. Your Particular attention is requested.— to the Circular Proceedings of the Fouzdaree Adalut dated 24th September 1849 and I am directed to add that the— expense of guarding should include not only the Peons— entertained for guarding the working parties but the fixed Jail Establishment.—

5th March 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

№ 253 To

The Joint Magistrate of Cuddapah

Sir

1. I am directed by the Court of Fouzdaree Adalut

Udalut to request that you will submit the annual Return of Prisoners under your charge, printed forms of which were forwarded from this Office on the 11th Ultimo, due for 1849 without delay—

2. Your particular attention is requested to the Circular Proceedings of the Foujdaree Udalut under date the 24th September 1849 a Copy of which is annexed—

5th March 1850. (Signed) G.T. Beauchamp
Register

Nos 251, 254 = 256, 257 = and 258

To

The Magistrate of South Arcot

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will forward the annual return of Prisoners under your charge now due for 1849 Printed forms of which accompany this letter without delay.—

2. Your particular attention is requested to the Circular Proceedings of the Foujdaree Udalut dated 24th September 1849 (To North Arcot) Copy of which is annexed

5th March 1850 (Signed) G.T. Beauchamp
Regr

To

N°255 To

The Sessions Judge of Madura.

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will call upon the Officer in charge of Convicts at Paumbum, whose particular attention should be directed to Circular Proceedings of the Foujdaree Udalut under date the 24th September 1849, to furnish this Court with a Jail Return for the year 1849, filled up in one of the three Copies of printed forms herewith forwarded as early as possible.—

5th March 1850 (Signed) G.T. Beauchamp
Register

N°259. To

The Magistrate of Chingleput.

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to return for amendment the Jail Return for 1849, and to point out to you that the total number of Prisoners in Col: 2. should be distributed amongst the following Cols 3, 4, 5 and 6 and 7 & 8, that the weight of rice issued daily in Rapees should be Entered in Column 16, as should also be the weekly Cost of Guards, and the annual Cost of Clothing in Column 17.—

2. In re-transmitting the Return you will be pleased to blend together, under one head, all the Convicts now

now at Guindy in your charge.—

3. The Expence of Guarding should include, not only the Peons entertained for Guarding the working parties but the fixed Jail Establishment.—

5th March 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Regr.

№ 260 To The Superintendant of Government Roads
Guindy

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Court of Tovjdaree Udalut to return the annual Statement of Prisoners under your charge in 1849 as it would appear that the number once before imprisoned has been incorrectly Entered, it being improbable that 105 out of 170 should have been previously in Jail.—

2. I am also to request that the number of Cases of Sickness which occurred during the year 1849 may be entered in the 1st Junior heading of Column 14. and that you will ascertain and Enter in the proper Col. the weight in Rupees of the grain issued daily to the prisoners of cost of Condiments &c. supplied weekly to them and the cost of their Guard.—

3. The expence of Guarding should include not only the Peons entertained for Guarding the working parties but the fixed Jail Establishment.—

5th March 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Regr.

№ 261 To The Session Judge of Honore.

Sir,

1 Adverting to the Jail Returns of your Court and that of the Sudr Ameen of Sirsy for the year 1849. I am directed by the Judges of the Tovjdaree Udalut to request that you will report the weekly Cost of Guards. peons &c. per head, and to observe that the 3. persons mentioned in your return as confined for insanity should have been included in Col. 2.—

2. The expence of Guarding should include not only the Peons entertained for Guarding the working parties but the fixed Jail Establishment.—

5th March 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Regr.

№ 262 To The Magistrate of Rajahmundry.

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Tovjdaree Udalut to request that you will enter in the Statement now returned the weight of the rice daily issued to the Prisoners in Rupees.—

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
5th March 1850. Regr.

№ 263 To The Subordinate Judge of Rajahmundry

Sir.

I am directed by the Judges of the Tovjdaree.

Fouzdaree Adalut to return for Amendment and retransmission without delay the Jail Return for the Last year and to request that you will exhibit in Col: 16 the weekly instead of monthly Cost of Gaurds and that the same be entered distinct from Dieting. The weight in Rupees of the food daily issued to the Prisoners should also be exhibited as required in para: 5 of this Court's Circular proceedings of the 24th September 1849.

The expense of Guarding should include not only the Peons entertained for Guarding the working parties but the fixed Jail establishment.—

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Regr.

5th March 1850.

No. 264. To The Sessions Judge of Trichinopoly

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Court of Fouzdaree Adalut to return for Amendment the Jail return for 1849 and to state that the number of persons entered in Columns 3, 4, 5, and 6, does not tally with that in Col: 2 and that Col: 12, is left blank tho' one Civil Debtor is entered in Col: 2.—

I am further directed to call your attention to para: 5 of the Circular Proceedings of the Fouzdaree Adalut of the 24th September 1849 and to request that you will exhibit in the return under remark information on all the subjects required in the above Circular, the Expenses of Guarding being distinguished from those of Dieting.—

2. The expence of Guarding should include not only the Peons entertained for Guarding the working parties but the fixed Jail Establishment.—

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

5th March 1850

No. 265 To The Sessions Judge of Cuddalore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouzdaree Adalut to request with reference to your letter of the 21st February 1850 that you will state whether you are of opinion that the Moosfty Sudr Ameen has discharged his Criminal duties during the year 1849 satisfactorily or otherwise.—

5th March 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

No. 266. To The Magistrate of Chinglepat

Sir,

I am directed, with reference to your letter of the 18th February 1850 applying for information as to the strength of the guard which you were requested on the 15 Idem to furnish

furnish for escorting certain Lunatics to their respective zillahs, to inform you that the Court of Foujdaree Udalut have found it necessary to refer the question of the removal of the parties in question for the reconsideration of Government.

5th March 1850

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

No. 269 To

The Sessions Judge of Madura

Sir,

1, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to transmit the Annual Jail Return for the year 1849 and to request that you will call upon the Subordinate Judge to cause information on all the points required in para 5 of the Circular proceedings of the Foujdaree Udalut under date the 24th September 1849 the expenses of Guarding being distinguished from those of Dieting, to be entered therein.—

2. The expence of Guarding should include not only the Peons entertained for guarding the working parties but the fixed Jail Establishment.—

5th March 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

The same to the Sessions Judges of Coimbatoor & Salem

No. 270 To The Sessions Judge of Chicacole

Sir.

1 I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to return the Jail Return of the Sadr Ameen of Ichapoor for the year 1849 and to request that you will cause to be entered in Col: 16 the weight in Rupees of the food daily issued to the Prisoners as directed in para 5 of the Circular proceedings dated 24th September 1849.—

Should the expenses of Guarding entered in your annual return for 1849 not include the Peons entertained to Guard the working parties and the fixed Jail Establishment you will be pleased to send in a Memorandum shewing the correct weekly Cost per head on both these items as early as possible.—

5th March 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

No. 271 To the Sessions Judge of Guntoor.

Sir

1. I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will cause the weekly expense of Guarding the Prisoners per head to be entered in the 16th Column of the Statement herewith returned and that the Batta allowance may be stated in Peis—

It is presumed that the sums—6 as 8 p 10 and 7—7 as 8 p include the latter

latter item as well as the cost of the Grain issued to the Prisoners

2. The expense of Guarding should include not only the Peons entertained for Guarding the working parties but the fixed Jail Establishment.—

5th March 1850. (Signed) J. T. Beauchamp
Registr

№ 272. To The Principal Sudr Ameen of Vizagapatam

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to return for amendment the Jail return for 1849 and to point out to you that in Col 4 only 3 female prisoners are entered whilst there are 5 of that Class in Col 2. The Entry under the heading "Once" in Col 10 is also incorrect as you have included therein not the number of prisoners who have been in Jail once before but the whole number now imprisoned.—

2. Should the Expenses of Guarding entered in your annual return for 1849 not include the Peons entertained to Guard the working parties and the fixed Jail Establishment you will be pleased to amend the Return in this particular also

5th March 1850 (Signed) J. T. Beauchamp
Registr

№ 273 To

The Subordinate Judge of
Rajahmundry

Sir

In acknowledging the receipt of Mr Goldie's letter under date the 16th Ultimo requesting sanction for the employment of one Duffadar and 19 Peons at the Jail now being instructed at Cocanada I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to inform you that they consider the employment of any additional guard for the purpose to which you refer to be altogether unnecessary the guard now employed at Rajahmundry in guarding the Prisoners who are to be detached to Cocanada being in the opinion of the Judges quite sufficient for the safe custody of the detachment

Should you think it necessary the Judges observe that the Deputy Jailor of the Jail at Rajahmundry may with propriety be detached to Cocanada

The Judges have not received any application for the employment of additional guards from any of the other officers

Officers in charge of detached Jails

(Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

5th March 1850 Ag. A.G. to the Govt.

№ 286 To
287
288 and
289

The Sessions Judges of

Chingleput

Sir,

With reference to the Jail return submitted by you for the year 1849 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to request that should the expences of Guarding entered in the Return not include both the Escort Brow and the fixed Jail Establishment you will forward to this Office a memorandum shewing the correct weekly cost per head on both these items as early as possible

6th March 1850 (Signed) G. J. Branchamp

Register

The same to the Sessions Judges of Tellicherry & Coimbatore & Subordinate Judges of Bellary and Combaconum.

№ 290 To

The Magistrate of Malabar

Communicating order of Government sanctioning

sanctioning charge incurred in providing carriage for Mohomedan Priest sentenced to banishment.

6th March 1850 (Signed) G. J. Branchamp

Register

(No. 24)

№ 292 To,

The Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract Minutes of Consultations of Government under date 29th January 1850 № 73, conveying observations and orders upon the explanations submitted by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut and Medical Board on certain of the points connected with Jail Management noted in Extract Minutes of Consultations of Government under date 6th September 1849 № 508 and requesting the Foujdaree Adawlut to call for investigation into the causes of the high rate of Mortality observed observed in the Jail at Madura and to submit the enclosed copy of a report from the Sessions Judge of Madura upon the subject.

It

It will be observed from the returns given by Mr Baynes that the rate of Mortality of all from 6 1/2 per cent in 1847. and 9 5/6 per cent in 1848, tho the average Number of Prisoners in confinement but very slightly varied to 3 3/4 in 1849. that the rate of the last is legible, and the accommodation ample and the Sessions Judge and Civil Surgeon concur in considering that the general health of the Prisoners has not been injuriously affected by their having allowed to eat for their morning meal rice cooked over night, a habit which the objected to by the Medical Officer formerly in charge is universally prevalent amongst the lower classes of the people

7th March 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

№ 293 To

The Sessions Judge of
Combaconum

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut in reply to your letter of the 18th February 1850 to inform you, that the Sub Judge having lately protested against the removal

removal of any convicts to Trichinopoly when the demand for labor upon important public works was urgent on the ground that their services in repairing and cleansing the streets and roads could not be dispensed with they are unable to sanction the employment of Prisoners upon the works to which you allude.

7th March 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

№ 294 To

The Subordinate Judge of
Chittoor

Sir

I am directed in reply to your letter of the 27th Ultimo to state that the Collector upon your application will under the orders of Government of 9th January 1835 quoted in Circular Order of Foujdaree Adawlut № 8 refund the fine to which you allude.

7th March 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

№ 295 To

The Sessions Judge of Coimbatore

Sir,

I am directed to inform you that

that the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut Securing reasons to Justify the instructions contained in Mr Davidson's letter of the 23d August 1849 desire that you will visit the Gang of Convicts detached from the Jail at Combatore to Palghatchery half yearly & report the result of your inspections for their information

8th March 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Branchamp
Registr

No 302 To

Memorandum

The Magistrate of Guntoor

Sir,

The original letter and its Enclosure from the Magistrate of Guntoor under date the 22d Augt 1849 relative to the case of Vajaraddy Ramanadah Baboo putting forth his claim to the property now in dispute and requesting instructions to what further steps are to be taken having been mislaid, the Register to the Court of Foujdaree Udalut has the honor to request that the Magistrate will be pleased to furnish him with Copies of the same.

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut

11th March 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp
Regr

No 303 To

The Subordinate Judge of Mangalore

Communicating order of Government, Sanctioning charges incurred in the Construction of two Carts for use by the Prisoners in the Mangalore Jail.

11th March 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Branchamp
Register

No 307 To,

The Subordinate Judge of
Cuddapah

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to you the accompanying Copy of a Petition received through the Sessions Judge of Rajahmundry from certain peons sent from the Jail under your charge incharge of Convicts detached to that place praying that they may be relieved at the expiration of one year from the date of their arrival at Rajahmundry.

The Judges are of opinion that if the Petitioners statement be correct, that they were selected for the duty on which they are now employed in consideration of their trust worthiness and the length of their service, they should be permitted to return to Cuddapah that they places should be permanently supplied by peons attached to the Cuddapah Jail who have been the most recently entertained and that in the event of a sufficient number of Peons

not

not being found willing to proceed from Cuddapa to Rajahmundry the dificiency should be made up at the latter Station—

You will be pleased to report whether the grounds assigned by the Petitioners for their selection for their present ——— duty are correct and what arrangments you propose to adopt with reference to their inclinations—

12th March 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Foujdaree Diary 12th March 1850

No 308. To

The Civil Auditor

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut with reference to a letter from the Magistrate of Masulipatam dated 18th February 1850 forwarding an Extract from the retrenchment made in your Office from his accounts for July 1255 New No 6 Magisterial charges Rs 2 and requesting that the Special Sanction of Government may be obtained for the charge in question to request your attention to the orders of Government under date 4th September and 28th November 1837 and 17th January 1848 No 335. 1119 and 44 which clearly renders a reference to Government unnecessary, the payment objected to having been made under the Regulations The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut therefore request that you will be so good as to order the withdrawal of the retrenchment

The Judges further desire me to call your attention to the practice which exists in your Office, of generally marking such retrenchments, a practice which as it only leads to much useless correspondence the Judges feel satisfied merely

requires

requires to be thus brought to your Notice to prevent its future occurrence

/Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

12 March 1850

No 311

Memo

With reference to the Official Memorandum from this office dated 17th November last, the Sessions Judge of Nellore is informed that as the half yearly Criminal statements from No 1 to 4 required in his letter dated the 10th November 1849 are not printed Manuscript Copies may be used until further orders

By order of the Court of Fouj.daree Adalut

/Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

13th March 1850.

No 312

Memo

With reference to the Official Memorandum from this Office dated 28th November last, the Acting Sessions Judge of Tinnevelly is informed that as the half yearly Criminal statements from No 1 to 4 required in his letter dated the 17th November 1849, are not printed, manuscript copies

copies may be used until further orders

By order of the Court of Fouj.daree Adalut

13th March 1850. /Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

Memo

No 313.

With reference to the Official Memorandum from this Office dated 21st December 1849, the Acting Sessions Judge of Masulipatam is informed that as the half yearly Statements from No 1 to 4 required in his letter dated the 12th December last, are not printed, manuscript copies may be used until further orders

By order of the Court of Fouj.daree Adalut

13th March 1850. /Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

No 314

Memo

The half yearly Criminal statements No 3 required in the Sessions Judges letter dated the 11th January last not having been printed, the Sessions Judge of Honore is requested to use manuscript copies until further orders.

By order of the Court of Fouj.daree Adalut

13th March 1850. /Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

Memo

No 315

Memo.

The half yearly Criminal statements No 1-2- and 4 required in the Sessions Judges letter of the 11th January last not having been printed the Sessions Judge of Mangalore is requested to use manuscript copies until further orders

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut

13th March 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp

Register

No 316

Memo

The Half yearly Criminal Statements No 3 required in the Subordinate Judges letter of the 28th January last not having been printed, the Subordinate Judge of Salem is requested to use manuscript copies until further orders

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut

13th March 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp

Register

No 317

Memo

12 Printed forms of the Monthly Criminal report B. forwarded to the Principal Sudder Ameen of Tellicherry with reference to his letter dated the 21st ultimo.

The Half yearly Criminal statements No 3 not having been printed. The Principal Sudder

Sudder Ameen is requested to use manuscripts copies until further orders

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut

13th March 1850 (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp

Register

No 318 To

The Joint Magistrate in

Charge of

Salem

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut in reply to your letter of the 1st March 1850 to inform you that as the demand for convict Labor upon public works of great importance now in progress at Trichinopoly is urgent they are unable to authorize you to detain the Prisoners who have been recently ordered to that Station

13th March 1850 (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp

Register

(No 25)

No 319 To

The Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Deptt

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the

Foujdaree

Foujdaree Udalut on returning the enclosed Original papers received with the order of Government No 162 dated 20th February 1850 to state that upon the requisition of the Sessions Judge the transfer of 36 Prisoners from Salem to Trichinopoly had been recently ordered and that the Number of convicts confined in the Jails of the adjacent Districts will not admit of any further draft having made to that Station at present

13th March 1850

(Signed) G. T. Branchamp

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of Calicut Cuddapah Tellicherry and Salem.

Sir

With form No 1

I am directed by the judges of the court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will at your earliest convenience fill up and return the form herewith transmitted.

The same to the Sessions Judge of Calicut Tellicherry Mangalore Coimbatore with form No 2.

1	2	3	4	5	6
Total Number of Cases forwarded by the Police to the Sub. Court in 1849.		Number case with Complaint before the Police	Number Cases Committed before the Criminal Court	Number Cases remanded to the Sub. Court for Criminal Court	
Cases	Persons				

Form No 1.

14th March 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Branchamp

Register

Form No 2.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Number of Cases forwarded by the Police to the Sub. Court in 1849	Number of persons confessed before the Police	Number of persons committed by the Police for more than 2 days.	Number of persons detained by the Police for more than 2 days.	Number of persons detained by the Police for more than 2 days.	Number of persons in Gaol without trial on 31st December 1849	Number of persons now under trial by Sessions Judge by the Magistrate Commissioner Assistant Collector &c. &c. &c.
Cases Persons						
		16 days				
		5 days				
		4 days				
		3 days				
		2 days				
		3 days				
		20 days				
		10 days				
		8 days				
		5 days				
		4 days				
		3 days				

No 327 To

The Session Judge of

Salem

Sir,

The annual Criminal Reports due from you for the year 1849 not having as yet been received. I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will forward the same without further delay.

15th March 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

No 328. To

The Session Judge of Bellary.

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to report that you will call upon the Magistrate for a Memorandum shewing the number of the persons entered in the Total of Columns 16-17-18-19-20-21st 22d 23d and 24th in Statement No 1 of the annual reports received with your letter of the 9th February 1850 and in Col. 13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20 & 21 in Statement No 2. whose cases were disposed of by the Magistrate Joint Magistrate Head Assistant and Assistant Magistrate respectively.—

also

2. Also for Memorandum of the punishments entered in Col. 20 of Statement No. 2 in the form annexed Persons.—

Flogged
Fined
Imprisoned
Imprisoned & fined
Imprisoned & flogged
Total—

and of the No of Appeals from the sentences or orders of his Subordinates preferred to, and disposed of by the Magistrate during 1849 and the way in which they were disposed of.—

15th March 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Memo

No 330.—

60 Sheets of the Printed Calendars forwarded to the Principal Sudder Ameen in charge of the Session Court of Bellary with reference to his letter dated the 8th Instant.

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.

15th March 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Session Judges (Except Bellary

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will call

call upon the Magistrate to transmit a detailed Statement of the punishments entered in Col.20 of the Statement No 3. for the year 1849 in the form annexed and to exhibit the same in future at the foot of the said Statement.

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—Do— and fined		
—Do— and flogged		
Total		

16th March 1850. (Signed) H. Lushington
Register

No 332, To

The Sessions Judge of

Combaconum

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to return the Statement No 1 Submitted with your letter of the 16th Ultimo and to request that you will exclude the five Persons sent to the Magistracy from the Column

6 or 7 as the case may be and retransmit the statement thus amended without delay

18th March 1850. (Signed) J. Beauchamp
Register

No 333. To

The Agent to the Governor
of Fort St George
at Purnool

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to return for amendment the Statement of Convicts submitted by you for the 2d half of 1849 and to state that the aggregate No of Convicts on the 31st December 1849 should correspond with those in Column No 3 to 17 as inserted in Pencil

18th March 1850. (Signed) J. Beauchamp
Register

To

Fouydaree Diary 18th March 1850

№334 To

The Joint Magistrate

in charge of Convict at

Paumburn

Sir,

Adverting to the statement of Convicts submitted with your letter of the 9th Ultimo, I am directed by the Court of Fouydaree Adalut to request that you will report the date of the authority of Government placing convicts under your control and exhibit the same at the foot of your future returns

18th March 1850 (Signed) G J Beauchamp

Register

№335 To

The Subordinate Judge of

Cuddalapah

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Fouydaree Adalut in returning the enclosed Statement of Convict for the 2d half of 1849 and state that Column 2 should not include Convicts in confinement in default of finding security.

18 March 1850 (Signed) G J Beauchamp

Register

Fouydaree Diary 19th March 1850

№341 To

The Session Judge of

Tellicherry

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Fouydaree Adalut to request that you will forward without delay the half Yearly Statement of Convicts due for the 2d half of 1849

19th March 1850 (Signed) G J Beauchamp

Register

The Same to the Magistrate

of Tanjore

and

and Officer Commanding

at Vellore

№ 344 To

The Sessions Judge of

Cuttack

Sir.

In reply to your letter of the 27th Ultimo forwarding an application from Mr Thomas Gwynn the Jailor of the Jail at Cuttack requesting that his pay may be increased to the rate allowed to the Jailor at Chingleput I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to inform you that the additional Salary granted to the Jailor of Chingleput is conferred on him on a Superintendent of Looms and that the Judges see no sufficient ground for recommending an increase to the salary of the Jailor at Cuttack

19th March 1850

(Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
N. A. to the Regr

Foujdaree Diary 19th March 1850

№ 345 To (№ 261)

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

With reference to Extract from the Minutes of Consultations dated 2d Ultimo directing the continued confinement of the insane Prisoner a Nuramlo in Case № 14 of 1849 on the Masulipatam Sessions file and the submission of Periodical reports respecting his state of mind, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to report for the information of Government the Prisoner in question died on the 11th February 1850.

19th March 1850. (Signed) G. J. Branchamp.
Register

№ 346 To.

The Sessions Judge of

Honore

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 27th February 1850 requesting sanction for the employment of a Naigue on the Extra Establishment for guarding the prisoners at work outside the Jail at Sirsy I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to inform you that they see no necessity for the employment of a Naigue for the duty in question as the Duffadars attached

to

to the Jail establishment at Surcy should be placed in charge of the Prisoners working outside the Jail
19th March 1850. /Signed/ A. J. Arbuthnot
Asst. to the Regr.

№ 347 To

The Subordinate Judges of
Chittoor

Sir

In reply to your letter dated 6th Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to convey to you their sanction under the authority vested in them by the order of Government dated 28th July 1843 for the reexpenditure of /4/ four Rupees incurred by you in furnishing an escort and interpreter with the means of proceeding himself with carriage on his return to Madras after giving evidence in Session Case № 39 of 1849
19th March 1850. /Signed/ G. J. Branchamp
Registr

№ 354 To

The Superintendent of Government Roads
Guindy

Sir.

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut with reference to the half yearly

yearly return of Convicts under your charge submitted under date the 1st January 1850 to request that you will state the Number of Peons and Duffadars employed to guard the Prisoners at Guindy
22d March 1850 /Signed/ G. J. Branchamp
Registr

№ 355 To

The Magistrate of
Chittoor

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to request that you will transmit without delay the half yearly statement three printed forms of which are herewith forwarded, of Convicts in charge of your Head Assistant now due for the half year ending on the 31st December 1849
22d March 1850 /Signed/ G. J. Branchamp
Registr

№ 356 To

The Civil Auditor

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to forward to you the statement of Contingent charges incurred in Fusly 1257 by the Magistrate of — Madura
/Signed/ G. J. Branchamp
22d March 1850. Regr

To

№ 357. To

The Civil Auditor

Sir,

I am directed in acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 14th March 1850 to state that the Judge of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut in consequence of the contingent charges for Fusly 1255 incurred in Masulipatam by the Magistrate not having been in accordance with the order of Government of the 6th April 1846 transmitted thro the Court of Foujdaree Adalut have specially passed the charge specified below.

Masulipatam

Magisterial charges

№ 6 Amount of reward paid under Section X Regulation XII of 1832 to I Vencadoo for apprehending C Venkadoo a thief when he came to rob his house Rs 2.

I am however directed to state with reference to the course which you propose to adopt hereafter that as the Court of Foujdaree Adalut by allowing a charge to appear in the statements forwarded to your office do in fact virtually certify that the charge has been legally incurred the Judges consider that any further or special notification of their having sanctioned particular disbursements cannot

be

be necessary

22d March 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

№ 372 To

The Magistrate of

Tanjore

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to request that you will be pleased to report with reference to your Jail return for the year 1849 the weekly cost of Guarding Prisoners per head

23d March 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

№ 373. To,

The Subordinate Judge of Rajahmundry

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to return the Annual Return of Prisoners for 1849 in order that the weekly Cost of Guarding and dieting the Prisoners per head may be separately and distinctly entered under Column 16 The expence of Guarding should include both the Cost of the Peons employed with the working gangs and the fixed Jail Establishment.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

25th March 1850

Regr

№ 374 To

The Joint Magistrate in charge of
Salem

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Fonjdaree Udalut to return for amendment the annual Jail return for the year 1849, and to point out to you that the № of Prisoners entered in Columns 11 and 12 does not correspond with that in Column 2.

2 You will be pleased also to call upon the Joint Magistrate to exhibit in the proper Column information on all the points required in Para 5 of the Circular proceedings of the Fonjdaree Udalut under date 24th September 1849 that the occurrence of Guarding being distinguished from those of Sitting"

25th March 1850 (Signed) J. Branchamp
Register

№ 375. To

The Principal Sudder Ameen
of Vizagapatam

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Fonjdaree Udalut to return again for amendment the annual Jail return for 1849 and to request that you will cause the weekly cost of Guarding per head to be entered distinct from

Sitting

Sitting the cost of Guarding should include the salaries of the fixed Jail Establishment and of the Peons guarding the convicts when at work.

25th March 1850 (Signed) J. Branchamp
Register

№ 378. To

The Sessions Judge of Guntoor.

Sir.

With reference to your letter of the 7th Instant in which you state your inability to furnish any further information regarding the escape of the Convict "Buttena Lingapah," I am directed by the Judges of the Fonjdaree Udalut to request that you will forward for their consideration translations of the deposition given by the persons examined in Case № 16 of 1850.

26th March 1850 (Signed) T. Lushington
Senior Deputy Regr

№ 379. To,

The Principal Sudr Ameen in Charge of the Sessions Court
of
Nellore.

Sir.

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fonjdaree Udalut to retransmit the Return of Prisoners in Confinement in the Jail at Nellore forwarded under date the 25th February 1850, and to request that in the 14th Column the number may be substituted for the designation of the Cases of Sickness

which

which occurred during the year.—

2. The No. of female Prisoners in Columns 3, 4, 5 & 6, does not correspond with that in Colum 2.—

3. You will be pleased also to cause the weekly expence for Guarding the Prisoners per head to be entered in the 16th Column of the Statement. This expence should include not only the Pcns entertained for Guarding the working parties but the fixed Establishment.—

26th March 1850 (signed) G.T. Beauchamp

Register

I. No 271

No 385 To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.daree Adawlut with reference to the Extract Minutes of Consultations of Government under date 11th March 1850 No 172 wherein the Court of Fouj.daree Adawlut are required to intimate to Magistrates the fixed resolution of Government not to overlook for the future any instances in which they may be found wanting in the supervision of the Proceedings of their native Subordinates to solicit the attention of Government to the difficulties and disadvantages under which the Magistrate at present labor

labor in regard to the removal or suspension of Officers of Police

As an instance of these I am to state—

that the Magistrate of Salem on a recent occasion applied to the Court of Fouj.daree Adawlut to order the dismissal of the Tahsildar of Attoor and having been referred to the Board of Revenue replied, that the latter authority had in a previous Case declined to take cognizance of the misconduct of a Tahsildar in his capacity of Head of Police and that under such circumstances he "really knew not how to act" As however the Court of Fouj.daree Adawlut are by the orders of Government under date 19th November 1833 and 9th December 1844 "relieved from any share in the superintendence control and revision of the Native Revenue and Police Establishment and are only under Clause 1 Section XXXII Act VII of 1843 empowered to order the dismissal of Native Officers of Police in Cases wherein the Sessions Judge may bring to their notice any gross misconduct of any such Officer which may have come under his observation in a case investigated by himself or which may have been reported to him by a Subordinate Judge or Principal Sudder Ameen and which appear to him to deserve the penalty of dismissal they were precluded from interfering in the matter

Under

Under these circumstances the Court of Foujdaree Udalut suggest as the course which appears to them best calculated to relieve the Magistrate from the difficulty and perplexity to which they are now exposed and at the same time to secure a more efficient supervision of the Native Police that authority be under section III Regulation XII of 1822 conferred on the Court of Foujdaree Udalut by Government to sanction upon the report of a Magistrate the suspension or dismissal of any Native Officer for misconduct in his Police capacity

27th March 1850 (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

No 386 To

The Subordinate Judge of

Rajahmundry

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated 8th Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to inform you that they sanction under the power vested in them by the order of Government dated 28th July 1843, the amount of the estimate submitted with your letter Viz^t Rupees 48-4-7 forty eight, four Annahs and Seven pices required in repairing the cooking sheds &ca in the Jail under

under your charge

27th March 1850 (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

(No 28)

No 387 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 purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the Enclosed plan and Estimate of the Cost of a cooking shed and Guard room which the Subordinate Judge considers it necessary to add to the temporary Jail constructed under the authority conveyed in the ese tract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 29th Decr 1849 for the reception of the Gang of Convicts employed in quarrying stone for the Godavery Annicut at Cauteroo.—

2 The Estimate submitted on the 15th December 1849 made no provision for a Cooking shed and as the Subordinate Judge is of opinion that the safe Custody of the Prisoners located at Cauteroo can only be ensured by the presence of a Military Guard, which he has upon application obtained, the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut beg to recommend that the Estimate in question which amounts to (51) Company's Rupees Fifty one, may be sanctioned by the Government—

27th March 1850 (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Regr

(N° 29)

N° 391 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fonjdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract Minute Consultation of Government dated the 11th March 1850 which, in forwarding Copy of para 20 of a memorial from Rayavva and Chinna Venkata Reddy brothers of Pamper Reddy the 2d Prisoner in Case N° 34 of 1848 on the Calendar of the Sessions Court of Cuddapah, requests the Court of Fonjdaree Udalut to furnish an Explanation in regard to the interval elapsed between the apprehension of the Prisoners in the said Case and their committal to the Court

In submitting the enclosed Memorandum, which will show the dates on which the Prisoners were apprehended and brought before the Magistrate and on which the Witnesses for the Prosecution appeared, I am directed to state for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that the case was very intricate and very important, that the Magistrate had to contend with great difficulties, the Jalook Police having endeavored to screen the accused who were men of influence and property and that the proceedings of the Session Judge afford

no grounds for supposing that the committal of the Prisoners was unnecessarily protracted.

28th March 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

(N° 30)

N° 392 To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Forwarding an Indent for Tools from the Acting Sessions Judge of Trichinopoly.

28th March 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

No 403 To

The Joint Magistrate of

Cudalorepahat Cumbum

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to request that you will transmit without delay the half yearly statements three printed forms of which are herewith forwarded of convicts under your charge now due for the half year ending on the 31st December 1849.

2d April 1850 Signed G. T. Branchamp.

Registar

No 404 To

The late Joint Magistrate of

Coloacammund

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to return the Bill forwarded with your letter of the 16th March 1850 and to request that the the total amount may be stated in letters as well as in figures as required Para 13 of the order of Government dated 22d November 1833.

1833

1833. and that the after amendment may be
peremptorily transmitted to this Court through the
channel of the Acting Magistrate of
Coimbatore

2d April 1850. Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

No 411 / No 311

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj-
daree Adawlut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract Minutes
Consultations of Government under date the 7th February 1850 No 112,
wherein, with reference to a letter from the under the Secretary to
Government of India dated 28th December 1849, the Court of
Foujdaree Adawlut are requested to give further consideration
to the subject to which their Register letter of the 13th October
1849 relates viz: the necessity which in their opinion exists for
an enactment being passed declaring distinctly the tri-
bunal by which the offences indicated in Section
inclusive of Act VI of 1844 are to be tried.

The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut
have reconsidered the whole question and see no reason to doubt the
correctness of the opinion formerly expressed by them

With reference to the 5th Paras of Mr Grey's
letter above alluded to the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree
Adawlut deem it necessary to explain that with the ex-
ception of the Sessions Courts, none of the Criminal Courts
of the Madras Presidency have in the exercise of their ordi-
nary Jurisdiction the power to inflict the sentences declared
in Section inclusive, of the Act in question such Ju-
risdiction being limited by Clause VII Regulation X of 1816
to imprisonment for 6 months with a fine of two hundred Ru-
pees commutable to a further period of imprisonment not
exceeding 6 months. The same powers are also exercised by
Magistrates under Section Act VII of 1843 and in
all cases in which the inferior Courts are competent to
inflict a more severe punishment Special powers have
been invariably conferred on them by the Regulations or
the Acts of the Legislature.

The Judges further direct me to state
that it seems to them that the error committed by the Le-
gislature in this instance has arisen from the Provisions
of the Bombay Customs act having been extended to
this Presidency instead of the Customs act in force for
Bengal

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It is to be observed that the Courts of the Bombay Presidency are from their constitution competent to carry out the Provisions of the act in question where as in Bengal, the Courts of which Presidency are constituted similarly to those of Madras the Legislature enactment in force has specifically declared the tribunal before which the offences set forth in it are to be tried and punished and the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut are therefore still of opinion that the declaratory enactment proposed by them is imperatively required to render the Provisions of the Madras customs act adopted to the constitution of the inferior tribunals.

4th April 1850 (Signed) G. J. Branchamp.
Register

No. 412
Circular

To

The Session Judges and Officers in charge of Jails

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut under instructions from Government to request that you will report the Number of insane Persons at present confined in the Zillah Jail under your charge.

The extent of accommodation available for them and the means at your Sub. Judges disposal for their treatment and safe custody

And should these be insufficient I am further to request that you will call upon the Subordinate Judges to report after communicating with the Zillah Surgeon what alterations to the Jail buildings or establishment are considered necessary and the probable cost thereof.

You will be pleased until further Orders to make provision for the safe custody of Insane

4th April 1850. (signed) G. J. Branchamp.
Register

No. 413

To. All Officers in charge of Jails.

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit a scale of Diet clothing and Labor which has received the sanction of Government and which I am to request that you will immediately introduce into the Jail of which you are in charge. I am directed to explain that the maximum rate in the first heading is intended for robust men employed on Labor of the most severe description the ordinary rate for all others employed on hard labor and the minimum rate for Prisoners not liable to labor and for females you will be pleased to state in your monthly Jail returns the No. of Prisoners receiving the maximum allowance.—

2 The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut expect

expect that the latitude allowed to you in determining what particular grain and Condiments shall be issued will lead to a closer assimelation of the food to the previous habits of the Prisoners than has been practicable under the ruler hitherto in force and I am to state that it is open to you, with the concurrence of the Medical Officer to

№ 444 To

The Sessions Judge of

Guntoor

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouzdaree Udalut again to transmit your Jail return for 1849 and to request that in conformity with the orders of the Court of Fouzdaree Udalut under date the 24th September

September 1849 You will shew seperately and distinctly the weekly cost of diesting and of guarding each Prisoner

5th April 1850 (Signed) G J Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of
Cuddalapah

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Fongdaree Vakeelut to request that you will call upon Mr Maynes the Subordinate Judge to furnish you with a copy of the Petition which was forwarded to that Officer with a letter from this Office under date the 12th ultimo

The Petition in question received from the Sessions Judge of Rajahmundry was from certain Peons sent from Cuddalapah Jail in charge of Convicts attached to the former Station praying that they may be relieved at the expiration of one year from the date of their arrival at Rajahmundry

The transmitting this Petition to Mr Maynes for report the Judges expressed their opinion that if the statement of the Petitioners be correct that they were selected for the duty on which they are now employed in Consideration of their trust worthiness and the length of their Service they should be permitted to return to Cuddalapah their places should be permanently supplied by Peons attached

attached to the Cuddalapah Jail who have been most recently entertained and in the event of a sufficient number of Peons not being found willing to proceed from Cuddalapah to Rajahmundry the deficiency should be made up at the latter station.

Mr Maynes report has now been received but its meaning is in parts so obscure and its purport so little to the point that the Judges find it impossible to dispose of the Petition. I am therefore directed to request that you will take the Petition up and pass such orders thereon as may to you seem proper reporting the results for the information of the Fongdaree Vakeelut.

6th April 1850 (Signed) F Luslington
Senior Deputy Register

To

The Magistrate of
Bellary

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Fongdaree Vakeelut to return to you for amendment the statement of Contingent charges incurred by you during Fusly 1258 the aggregate amount of charges entered therein as having been incurred in Fusly 1257 being Rupees 2571-11-0 while the aggregate amount of charges entered in the statement

submitted

submitted for that year is Rupees 3643. 11 "

8th April 1850 (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Head Assistant to the Registr.

To

The Magistrate of

Rajahmundry

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foy-
daree Adalut to return to you the statement of Contingent
charges incurred by you in Fusly 1258 inorder that the
statement of charges incurred in the preceding Fusly to which
no corresponding items are to be observed in the Fusly under
review may be confined to the aggregate amount of such
charges as directed in the Courts letter of 6th June 1849.
and that the charge Sanctioned by the Foydaree Ad-
alut under date the 19th December 1848 for the conveyance
and subsistence of them H.M. Chieftains at a cost of Rs
67. 3. 4 may be inserted in the statement

8th April 1850 (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Head Assist. to the Regr.

To

The Magistrate of

Vizagapatam

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foy-
daree Adalut to return to you for amendment the
statement

statement of contingent charges incurred by you during Fusly 1258
inorder that the daily average of the number of Convicts confined
under your charge during each of the year under your superiscon
may be ascertained in the statement and that the statement
of charges incurred during the preceding Fusly to which no
corresponding items are to be observed in the Fusly under review
may be confined to the aggregate amount of such charges
as directed in the Courts letter of the 6th June 1849.

The Judges likewise direct that the Es-
timated value of the labor of the Convicts which employed
upon the public work may be entered in the statement and
that the proper authority may be quoted in support of the
charge entered as Item No 7 the Regulations cited being
altogether inapplicable

8th April 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Asst Assistant to the Regr.

To

The Magistrate of

Combatore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foydaree
Adalut to request that you will forward without delay a
Duplicate Copy of the statement of Contingent charges
incurred by you during Fusly 1258 and of the amount pertain-
ing thereto transmitted therewith.

8th April 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Asst. A. to the Regr.

To

The Magistrate of

Chingleput

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to return to you for amendment the statement of contingent charges incurred by you during Fasly 1258 in order that the daily average of the Number of Convicts confined under your charge during each of the year under comparison may be ascertained in the statement and that the statement of charges incurred during the preceding Fasly to which no corresponding items are to be observed in the Fasly under review may be confined to the aggregate amount of such charges as directed in this Court's letter of the 6th June 1849.

The Judges observe that the daily average of Prisoners confined will be readily ascertained by dividing by 365 the total Number of rations issued during each of the periods under comparison and this appears to them to the most convenient mode of furnishing the information required

A Pencil note has been inserted in the statement to indicate exactly in what manner the information in question should be supplied the substitution of the account particulars which accompany the statement with the exception of those of the Extra charges incurred and which from enclosure No 8 is considered unnecessary

unnecessary -

You will be pleased to retransmit the Statement now returned with the least possible delay-

8th April 1850- (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Head Asst to the Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of

Calicut

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut again to transmit your Jail return for 1849 and to point out to you that the Number of Prisoners in Columns 11 and 12 does not correspond with the aggregate number in Column 2.

You will be pleased to have the Statement amended and returned without delay.

9th April 1850- (Signed) G. I. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of Cuddapah

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court Foujdaree Udalut in reply to your letter of the 3d April 1850 to authorize you to transmit the rough translation of the Record in Case No 63 of the Calendar for 1849.

10th April 1850- (Signed) G. I. Beauchamp

Regr

To

The Session Judge of Masulipatam

Sir

With reference to your letter of the 26th Ultimo reporting the prevalence of small pox in the Zillah Jail and stating that the Civil Surgeon has been authorized to vaccinate all Prisoners without reference to their wishes I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to observe that every Prisoner when sentenced to imprisonment should as a matter of course be vaccinated and to request that you will adopt this precaution in future.

10th April 1850.

(Signed) G. I. Beauchamp
Register

(No 32)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut with refuence to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 5th February 1850 No 91 whereby inaccordance with recommendation to that effect by the Board of Revenue the

the disposal of the inner Jail at Tachinopoly was referred to the Court of Foujdaree Udalut for their report to state for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that Session Judge finding that the buildings in question were not wanted as record rooms either by Collector and Magistrate or Principal Sudder Ameen and that they could not from their faulty construction and confined situation be converted into a Dispensary, has recommended that they be rented as Godowns.

2 I am directed to add that unless the Commissariate or ordinance Department can turn these building to some useful account the Court of Foujdaree Udalut would recommend that the plan suggested by the Session Judge for disposing of them be adopted.

10th April 1850. (Signed) G. I. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Joint Magistrate
of Cuddapah

Sir

I directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit your Jail return for 1849 and to request that you will shew in Col. 16 separately and distinctly the weekly cost of dieting

and

and of guarding each prisoner together with all the other information required in the Orders of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut under date the 21st September 1849 a copy of which is forwarded herewith.

10th April 1850.

(Signed) G. I. Beachamp

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Rajahmundry

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th Ultimo submitting for the sanction of Government a Bill for Rupees 78-1-6 Seventy eight anna one, and Pice Six, being the amount of compensation stated to be due to extra Translators employed in translating the records of certain Cases on the Rajahmundry Sessions Courts file.

It appears to the Judges that the parties by whom the Records in question have been translated form part of the regular establishment of your Court and that to

to pay them more than the fixed salary of their respective appointment would be objectionable, it being obviously the duty of the whole Establishment to do as much work as the Court may require of them or they may be able to perform. Before submitting the Bill therefore for the sanction of Government the Judges request that you will afford them further explanation on the above point

11th April 1850. (Signed) F. Lushington

Senior Deputy Register

(No 33)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council for sanction the enclosed translation of a Bill presented to the Sessions Judge of Chittoor by Syed Gajuffer Hoosein Khan who was summoned from Trichinopoly to Chittoor to give evidence on the trial of one Syed Jaheroodeen for fraud in having drawn a share of the proceeds of certain Inam Village in the name of his deceased Sister Rubiah from the Treasury of the Collector

The Sessions Judge explains that the above person is one of the principal witnesses in the Case. He is the

Daroga

Darogah or Agent to the Nabob of the Carnatic at Trichinopoly and being very old and blind travelled with a larger suite of Servants than perhaps might otherwise have been considered necessary. It is understood that he had more attendants with him than those entered in the Bill

Under these circumstances the Judges of the Court of Tonjdaree Udalut beg to recommend that the sanction of Government may be accorded to the charge in question. Viz^t Rupees 121 - 8/ One hundred and twenty one and Pice eight

11th April 1850 /Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

Memo:

As requested in a letter dated 1st Instant from the Agent to the Governor of Fort St. George at Kurnool, the Officers report for 1849 therein alluded to is herewith returned.

11th April 1850. /Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Secretary to the Board of Revenue
in the Dep^t Public Works

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Tonjdaree

Tonjdaree Udalut to forward to you to be laid before the Board for recommendation and check and eventual submission to Government the accompanying Plans and Estimate for the erection of a new Jail at Honore prepared under the authority granted in Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 12th November 1849.

I am also directed to forward copies of the correspondence which has passed on the subject between the Civil Engineer of the 3d Division and the Session Judge of Honore as well as of a letter to the Court of Tonjdaree Udalut containing suggestions to which the Judges beg to direct the attention of the Board of Revenue

12th April 1850. /Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

(No 34)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Tonjdaree Udalut to state for the information of Government that there are at present in the Jail at Chingleput 7 Convicts awaiting execution of their sentences of transportation and to suggest that

tenders

transfers be invited for their passage to Singapore.
13th April 1850 (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

1. Montalah Payrauya Iruguma alias Parrah and otherwise called Parahtattadoo
2. Bavariah
3. Sutchimanaraoo
4. Kenchaw
5. Madaroogadoo
6. Dadagadoo
7. Chinna Tinna Reddy.

To

The Joint Magistrate
in charge of Salem

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut again to call your attention to the requisition made in para 4 of an Extract from their proceedings dated 17th November 1849 by which you were required to submit a Supplemental contingent statement of the quantity and value of articles manufactured by the Prisoners under your charge for Fusly 1257. I am desired also to request you will explain the cause of the great delay which has occurred in furnishing the statement in question

15th April 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Magistrate of
Tanjore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut again to call your attention to the requisition made in Para 4 of an Extract from their Proceedings dated 17th November 1849 by which you were required to submit a Supplemental contingent Statement of the quantity and value of articles manufactured by the Prisoners under your charge for Fusly 1257. I am desired also to request you will explain the cause of the great delay which has occurred in furnishing the statement in question

15th April 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

To

The Subordinate Judge of

Rajahmundry

Sir

Adverting to the Circular Order noted in the Margin I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to return to you the Indent which accompanied your communication of the 21st Ultimo, and to request you will cause a fresh Indent to be prepared in the usual form with an additional column shewing when the articles indented for were declared to be unserviceable and under what circumstances they become so.

15th April 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of

Bellary

Sir

S. U. No 96

Adverting to the Circular Order noted in the margin, I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to return to you the Indent which accompanied your communication of the 1st Instant and to request you will cause a fresh Indent to be prepared in the usual form with an additional column to be inserted therein shewing when the articles indented for were declared to be unserviceable and

under what circumstances they became so.

15th April 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of

Rajahmundry

Communicating order of Government sanctioning an Estimate for constructing a Cooking shed and guard room for the temporary Jail at Cantaveram

15th April 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of

Bellary

Sir.

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th Ultimo transmitting for their consideration copy of a communication from the Magistrate of Bellary and requesting their permission to enter upon the trial of one Monnglia alias Bambo charged with the crimes of Cattle stealing and Escape from custody for which another Prisoner of a Similar name was tried and sentenced by you on the 27th and 28th July 1849 in Cases Nos 129 and 130 on the file of the Subordinate Criminal Court

To

The Judges I am directed to state are at a loss to understand upon what ground you have deemed this previous reference to them to be necessary, as it was clearly competent to you to have entered at once upon the trial of the case in question and if upon Examination you had reason to suppose that your former Proceedings were erroneous you might then have applied to the Judges for permission to cancel them. The course you will now be pursued to pursue.

15 April 1850 (Signed) F. Buckingham
Senior Dy Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of
Bellary

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated 2nd Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to inform you that they authorize you to dispose of 30 Rupees 11 Thirty Rupees and Eleven annas from the amount in deposit alluded to in your letter to the erection of a thatched proof in the Jail compound as you have proposed

16th April 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

To

The Joint Magistrate in charge of
Salem

Sir.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 30th March 1850 and to inform you that the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut are not prepared to recommend the additional Establishment applied for by you for the sanction of Government

The Judges observe that in other districts in which Prisoners have been transferred to the charge of the Collector and Magistrate the strength of the guard is regulated by Para 6 of the Rules published in the Fort Saint George Gazette for 1837. Page 1,32 and unless the safe custody of the Prisoners at Coimbatore can be secured without any increase of expenditure it may be necessary to order their removal to Trichinopoly

It has however occurred to the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut that the Subordinate Judge may be liable inconvenience of the large drafts which have been lately sent from the Zillah Jail, to detach a portion of the Jail guard to one or other of the outstations Jails, and should this be the case they will be prepared

to

to sanction the transfer of such Peons and Officers as Subordinate Judge may have it in his power to make over to your Department

The Judges of the Court of Fongdaree Udelatab
infer that the Jailor and 6 Peons Specially sanctioned for
Cossoor by the Government under date 30th September 1834 have
been transferred to the Jail at Dummapoony or that at Ruzepoor
16th April 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Acting Session Judge of
Tpetchimpoly

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fong-
daree Udelatab in reply to your letter of the 3d April 1850 to
request that an application for the special sanction of Govern-
ment to the charges therein alluded to may be transmitted
to this office in the form prescribed by Circular letter dated
30th November 1846
16th April 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Magistrate of
North Arcot

Communicating order of Government
authorizing employment of a Jailor and Gomastah
for

for the gang of Convicts at Vellore
16th April 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Vellore

Communicating Extract from Minutes of
Consultation directing the Court to instruct the Session
Judge to render the services of Convicts available for the
erection of Civil Dispensary and Hospital at Vellore.
16th April 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Cuddapah

Communicating a Para of a letter from
the Honorable Court of Directors reporting the Conduct of
the Assistant Magistrate Mr Webster burn in the proceedings
against Alkeeta Row
16th April 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To The Agent to the Governor of Fort St. George
Kurnool

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of
the

the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit your said return for 1849 and to request that you will shew in column 16 seperately and distinctly the weekly cost of dieting and of guarding each prisoner together with all the other information required in the order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut printed under the 24th September 1849.

16th April 1850. Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

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To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date the 9th Instant forwarding 3 copies of Selected Cases determined by the Bombay Court of Foujdaree Udalut and requesting to be informed whether any difficulty will be experienced in the preparation of a similar work for the Madras Presidency I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to state that they are aware of no obstacle to the preparation of the work in question and they consider that its publication will be in many respects desirable. The Judges

have accordingly instructed the Register to undertake the compilation of the work in his Office without delay.

19th April 1850 / Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Rajahmundry

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut in reply to your letter of the 8th April 1850 to state for the information of the Magistrate of Rajahmundry that the review by the Government of the annual Criminal Reports has not hitherto been printed.

19th April 1850. / Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Masulipatam

Sir.

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to call your attention to my letter dated 4th Ultimo by which you were requested at your earliest convenience to fill up and return the form therewith transmitted

22d April 1850. / Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

To

The Subordinate Judge in charge of the
Session Court of Chittoor

Sir,

With reference to Mr Lovell's letter of the 5th Instant, submitting an application from the Assessors in Case No 39 of 1849 on the file of your Court to be allowed one Rupee per diem during the trial of that case I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to state that the request of the applicants cannot be complied with the trial of the Case in question having been conducted under the provisions of Act XII of 1843 and not under Regulation X of 1827 on the Elements wanted appear to infer.

23d April 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Acting Session Judge of
Trichinopoly

Communicating orders of Government sanctioning an Indent for Tools.

23d April 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

To

The Magistrate of
Madura

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to return to you the Statement of contingent charges incurred during July 1258 in order that the charges incurred on account of the Prisoners employed under the Head Assistant Magistrate at Pandycotchery may be entered in the statement; as also the charges sanctioned by the Foujdaree Udalut under date the 7th September 1848 for the construction of two Carts at a cost of Rupees 30-0-0.

In amending the statement now returned the Judges request that you will attend to the instruction conveyed in this Court's letter of the 8th June 1849. and that you will retransmit the amended statements with the least possible delay.

23d April 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
Head Asst to the Register

To

(836)

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Deptt

Recommending for sanction an Indent for certain Articles required in the Combaconum

Jail

Sail

23d April 1850 (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Magistrate of
Tinnevelly

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to return to you the statement of contingent charges incurred during Fusly 1258 in order that the daily average of the Number of convicts employed under the Magistrate during each of the years under comparison may be exhibited in the statement itself

The Judges observe a discrepancy of Rs between the amount of charges entered in the statement under review as having been incurred in the preceding Fusly and the amount entered in the statement submitted for that Fusly, which you will be pleased to amend & return the statement now returned with the least possible delay.

24th April 1850 (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
Y. A. to the Registe

To

(No 37)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of the order of Government No 243 dated 11th April 1850 and the draft Act to amend the law for the prevention of poisoning forwarded therewith, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to intimate in reply that they have no observations to offer upon the enactment in question.

24th April 1850 (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Masulipatam

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 9th April 1850 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit for your information and future guidance copy of an Extract from their Proceedings of the 5th March 1849.

24th April 1850 (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Magistrate of

Ganjam

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will submit a duplicate copy of the statement of contingent charges incurred during Fusly 1258 and that you will explain why no similar statement was submitted for Fusly 1257.

24th April 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Sr. Asst to the Regr

To

The Magistrate of

Madura

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to return to you the statement of contingent charges incurred during Fusly 1258 in order that the daily average of the number of convicts confined under the Magistrate charge during each of the fusles under comparison may be exhibited in the statement and that the estimated value of the convict labor may be entered in a note at the foot.

The charges incurred for rewards should likewise be entered in the general statement; the submission

of an account particulars under this head not being required.

I am directed to transmit to you the statement submitted from the Subordinate Court of Combaconum which may serve as a guide in the preparation of that you are now requested to forward in an amended form

24th April 1850 (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Sr Asst to the Regr

Sr.

To

The Joint Magistrate in charge

of Salem.

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to return to you the statement of contingent charges incurred during Fusly 1258, in order that the daily average of the Number of convicts employed during each of the Fusles under comparison may be exhibited in the body of the statement as also the charges incurred on account of the Exetra Jail establishment which should be entered between items N.

The Judges direct that the statement of charges incurred during the Preceding Fusly to which no corresponding items are to be observed in the Fusly under review may be confined to the aggregate amount

of

of such charges as directed in the Courts letter of the 6th June 1849 and that the estimated value of the convicts labour and of the articles manufactured by them be entered in a note at the foot of the statement the submission of a seperate account particulars under this head being unnecessary.

24th April 1850 (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
Asst to the Regr

To

The Magistrate of
Mowulipatam

Sir,

I am directed to return to you the statement of contingent charges incurred during July 1849 in order that the aggregate amount of charges incurred in the preceding July to which no corresponding items are to be observed in the July under review may be inserted in the statement

The Judges direct that you will retransmit the statement now returned together with a duplicate copy of the same within two days after its receipt.

24th April 1850 (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
Asst to the Regr

To

To

The Civil and Sessions Judge of
Madura

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 8th of January last annexing copy of one from the Magistrate of Madura expressing his desire to avail himself of assistance gratuitously offered in the Police Department by Mr Boalth the late District Moonsiff of Paramacoody, I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Adawlut to state that with reference to the large population of the Town of Paramacoody and to the consequent great increase of business which must necessarily devolve upon Mr Boalth if invested with the powers of a Police Ameen they consider his appointment to that office to be at present unadvisable.

24th April 1850. (Signed) F. Lushington
Senior Deputy Register

To

The Principal Sudder Ameen of
Cochin

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Adawlut to request that you will submit an explanation with reference to the charges entered in

the

the statement of contingent charges for July 1258 as having been incurred in the erections of a gallows for the execution of the Prisoner in Case № 4 of 1848.

A sum of Rupees 18 eighteen having been charged in the statement for July 1257 for the execution of the same Prisoner the Judges do not understand why these items have been entered in the statements for two seperate Justices and on this point they desire that an explanation may be submitted with the least possible delay together with an account particulars shewing in what manner the sums charged on account of the execution of the Prisoners referred to were disbursed.

26th April 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
Asst. to the Regr.

(№ 38)

To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Adawlut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract Minutes Consultations of Government under date 13th April 1850 requesting information as to the names of, and nature of the appointments held by the persons whose

it was proposed in their Registers letter of the 27th March 1850 to exempt from serving on Juries and to submit a List № 1 of those persons whose absence from their posts interrupts in the greatest degree the Progress of business in the Registers Office and the nature of their appointments

At the same time the Judges of the Court of Sudder and Fouydaree Adawlut would recommend upon the grounds stated in the 4th Para of my letter of the 27th March 1850 that the ministerial servants of the Court generally may be exempted from the liability to serve on Juries and they have accordingly directed me to transmit the List № 2. which contains the names of and the appointment held by all those who are included in the Lists of duly qualified persons published in the supplement to the Fort St. George Gazette of the 1st May 1849 and from which it will be observed that the general exemption now recommended would remove but 14 names from the Clerks of the Crown Lists.

I am to add that two persons only not three as by a clerical error has been stated in my letter above referred to on the Establishment are at present exempted viz the Manager Mr. Wilkins and the Record Keeper Mr. Barwell.

List

List A.1

Names of Persons whose absence interrupts in the greatest degree the Progress of business in the Registers Office

Appointments	Names of present Incumbent	Remarks
Head Asst to the Regr	A. J. Arbuthnot Esqr	
Sheristadar	P. Seobroya Modeliar	entered in the Supplemental
Nazir	G. Jumboo Chetty	Not entered in Do
Head Translator	T. Narrainya Row	Do Do
Deputy Do	T. Narrainswamy Mudy	entered in Do
Mudaliar Do	G. Edward	Not entered in Do
Do Do	M George	Do Do
Canarese Do	T. Morris	Do Do
Do Do	T. Kistnama Chetty	entered in Do
Telugoo Do	T. Viswanatha Aby	Do Do
Do Do	C. Seobroya Modely	Do Do
Do Do	V. Seetaramiah Chetty	Do Do
Tamul Do	C. Sutchmiah Pandaram	Do Do
Do Do	P. Ramanujaya Modely	Not entered in Do
Do Do	T. Annaghay Modely	entered in Do
Do Do	P. Ramanujaya Pandaram	Do Do

No 2

Names of servants entered in the Indy List published in the Supplemental to the Fort St George Gazette of the 1st May 1850

Names of Persons in the List published in the Fort St George Gazette	Offices held in the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut	Remarks
W. H. Atkins	Manager	Already exempted
" B. Wilkins	Examiner	
" J. Scott	Dy English Record Keeper	
" J. Learie	English Writer	
" W. P. Higgins	Do	
P. Seobroya Pandaram	Sheristadar	Recommended to be exempted
Seobah Chetty	Persian Munshy	
T. Annaghay Aby	Translator	
T. Kistnama Chetty	Do	
C. Sutchmia Pandaram	Do	Do
T. Narrain Swamy Dy	Do	
P. Ramanujaya Pandaram	Do	
T. Subajapa Chetty	Do	
C. Seobraya Modely	Do	
T. Viswanada Modely	Do	

/ Signed / G. T. Bruce
Regr

Foujdaree Diary 26th April 1850.

To

/ No 39 /

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to submit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the enclosed Account particular of sums paid by the late Joint Magistrate at Cotacammund to Assistant Surgeon Dauberny and certain Witnesses on the trial of that Officer in the Supreme Court at Madras - and as will be perceived by the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 23d January 1850 Major Bell reports that a statement has been obtained from the Chief Magistrate and Superintendent of Police at the Presidency in which none of these items of charge appears to have been disbursed by that Functionary the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut beg to recommend that the charges in question which amount to Rupees /175/ Four hundred and seventy five may be sanctioned by the Government

26th April 1850. / Signed / G. T. Bruce
Regr

To

To

The Acting Session Judge of

Trichinopoly

Transmitting Copy of an Extract Minute Consultation dated 22d April 1850 Communicating for the orders of the Revenue Board in the Department of Public works the opinion of the Foujdaree Udalut regarding the disposal of the Irrum Suit at Trichinopoly

26th April 1850 (Signed) G. J. Branchamp

Register

To

The Joint Magistrate in charge

of Convicts at

Paumbum

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to return the statement which accompanied your letter of the Instant, and to request that you will enter the particulars noted therein in Pencil in the 16th Column and amend the foot note and retransmit the statement to this Office without delay

29th April 1850 (Signed) G. J. Branchamp

Register

To

The Session Judge of

Masulipatam

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will cause the estimate which accompanied your letter of the 8th April 1850 to be revised by the Civil Engineer of the Division as it would appear that the rates for Brick in the estimate ought not to exceed 1a 9p per square foot and that the authorized charge for Sundry Contingencies is 2½ per Cent on the amount of

Credit to be taken should be given for the value of the timber used in the old pallankeen

29th April 1850. (Signed) G. J. Branchamp.

Register

To

The Head Assistant Magistrate

of Malabar.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to retransmit the Jail return for 1849 forwarded with your letter of the 17th Instant in order that the several amendments noted in Pencil may be made therein

I

I am also to request that you will state the principle upon which the cases of sickness in Column 4th have been calculated as it appears highly improbable that with 8 as the maximum number under treatment at any one time, each Prisoner should on the average have been seven times in Hospital during the year as would appear to be the case from the entry now under consideration. It may be that Column 4th includes the gross number of patients treated daily, in which event a Prisoner, who has been under treatment for fever for six days, will have been entered in this statement as 6 Cases instead of one case and should this supposition be correct you are requested to cause the number of fresh admissions only to be entered so that each patient however long or short a time he may have been under treatment for one attack will count as one case.

The entries in Columns 4 and 5 do not correspond as they should do with Column 2.

29th April 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp
Register

Memorandum

50 sheets of the Printed Calendars forwarded to the Acting Session Judge of Sinnerelly with reference to his letter dated the 19th Instant

By order of the Court of Toujdaree Dated
30th April 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp
Register

(No 20)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department.

Sir,

The Government were pleased under date 19th April 1843 to authorize in accordance with a recommendation of the Court of Toujdaree Dated 31st March 1843 a travelling allowance of half Rupee per mile to the Session Judges of Chicacole, Cuttack and Honore on completing their periodical visitations to the Jails in their respective Zillahs, and to the Gomastah accompanying the Sessions Judges in the above visits. Batta equal to half the amount of his salary for the period of his absence from the Zillah Court station.

In their letter of the 31st March 1843 above alluded to the Judges of the Court of Toujdaree Dated stated that these visitations would be half yearly, but in consequence of a recommendation to that effect from the Sessions Judge they on the 2d November 1849 directed that the Jail under the charge of the Sudder Ameen at Sircy should be visited Quarterly.

The Civil Auditor has however objected to pass the Bill submitted by Mr. Lafcelles for the first quarterly inspection made under these instructions as to

Sircy

Sirey and in reply to a communication addressed to him from this Office has stated that he does not consider himself authorized to pass the charge in consequence of the alteration from a half yearly to a quarterly visit without the Special Sanction of Government

I am therefore directed by the Judge of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to request that the Government will be pleased to confirm their orders of the 2d November 1849 and to authorize the Sessions Judge of Honore to visit the Jail at Sirey once in the Quarter instead of once in the half year

1st May 1850 [Signed] G. J. Bouchamp
Register

To

The Acting Session Judge of
Tinnevelly

Sir,

No 41

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Recommended for the Sanction of Government an Indent in Duplicate on the Commissary of ordnance at Trichinopoly for 350 Bug Traps for the use of the Jail at Trichinopoly

3d May 1850 [Signed] G. J. Bouchamp
Register

No 42

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Recommended for the Sanction of
Government

Government an Indent in Duplicate for Tools required for the use of the Convicts in the Jail at Bellary.

3d May 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

No 43

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Recommended for the sanction of Government an Indent in Duplicate for implements required for the use of the Jail at Rajahmundry

3d May 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Acting Session Judge
of Trichinopoly

Sir

With reference to your letter dated the 20th Ultimo, forwarding an Application for the Special sanction of Government to the actual expenditure incurred for erecting a temporary shed for the Convicts employed in building the new Jail. I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Udalut to request that you will explain the discrepancy which exists between the amount of the retrenchment by

by the Civil Auditor or Pa-A-D 134-4-- and that of the account particulars forwarded by you or Pa-A-D 126-4-- ----

4th May 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Agent to the Governor
of Fort St George
at Vizagapatam

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouzdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of Your letter dated 15th April 1850 Submitting for sanction a Statement of expenses already incurred in erecting a Gallows at Vizagapatam and to inform you in reply that under the authority vested in them by the order of Government dated 28th July 1843 the Court sanction the expenditure of Rupees 57 8-9 Fifty Seven Eight Annas and nine Pice on the work in question.

Signed G T Beauchamp
Register

To

To

The Session Judge of

Chingleput

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to desire that you will dispatch to the Presidency for transfer to the custody of the Chief Magistrate and Superintendent of Police all Convicts under sentence of transportation now lying in the Jail at Chingleput

You will be pleased to transmit to this Office by Dak post the usual Calendar

4th May 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp

Register

To

The Session Judge of

Cuddalore

Sir,

I am directed to call your attention to the Orders conveyed in the Extract from the Proceedings of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut under date 19th March 1850 requiring you to report such instances of neglect on the part of the Police in dealing with the cases specified in the 7th Para of your return of the 7th January 1850 as after communicating with the Magistrate may in your opinion require to be specially brought to the notice of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut

6th May 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp

Register

To

The Secretary to the

Marine Board

Sir

In reply to your letter dated the 4th instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to state there are at present 8 Convicts liable to transportation in the Depôt at Chingleput

6th May 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp

Register

To

To

The Superintendent of

Government Roads

at Guindy

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to request that you will furnish without delay the information regarding the Number of Peons and Duffadars employed in the Jail at Guindy required in my letter of the 22d March last

7th May 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp

Registrar

To

To

The Magistrate of

North Arcot

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to return to you the statement of Contingencie charges incurred on account of the Prisoners confined at vellore during July 1848 in order that the estimated value of the Prisoners labor when employed upon public work may be exhibited therein as directed in this letter of the 7th May 1849.

As a Statement which has been submitted by the Subordinate Judge of Chittoor on account of the prisoners in question does not correspond with that forwarded by you the Judges desire me to request that you will review these statements in communication with the Subordinate Judge in order that the charges incurred which the Prisoners in question were under the charge of that Officer and those subsequently incurred after this transfer to the Magistracy may be accurately entered in the statements transmitted by each authority.

7th May 1850 (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Vr Assistt to the Regr

To

To

The Court of Sequestrah

in charge of

Salem.

Sir,

With reference to my letter dated 15th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouljdaree Adaulut again to request you will forward without loss of time the Supplimental Contingent Statement of the quantity and value of articles manufactured by the Prisoners under your charge for Fusly 1257 Called for in Para 4 of the Extract from this Courts Proceedings dated 17th November 1849.

8th. May 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Memo

50 Sheets of the Printed Calendars forwarded to the Sessions Judge of Cuttack with reference to his letter dated the 30th Ultimo

By order of the Court of Fouljdaree Adaulut

8th May 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Pooree

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouljdaree Adaulut to inform you that they sanction the expenditure of (2-4-6) two Rupees Four Annahs and six Pice in Batta paid for the Child of a Convict during the 1st Quarter of 1850 as shewn in your statement dated 26th Ultimo.

8th May 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Bellary

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouljdaree Adaulut with reference to the correspondence noted

From Foj: Ndee to Sessions Judge of Bellary dated 7th May 1847.

noted in the Margin to request that you will call upon the Subordinate Judge to report the date on which the Costs restablishment of one Duffadar and fourteen Peons therein alluded to was entertained and discharged

I am further to request that should any portion of the Costs Award contrary to the expectations of Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut as expressed in their Registers Letter of the 1st May 1847 have been detained beyond the date on which the sentences awarded to the Prisoners in Case No 34 of 1847. No 8 on the calendar for that year were carried into execution a full report and explanation of the circumstances which in your opinion warranted their being retained in whole or in part may be submitted at the earliest possible date

8th May 1850

(Signed) T. Beauchamp
Register

To Foujdaree Adawlut by Sessions Judge's dated 10th May 1847

To

The Session Judge of
Chittoor

Communicating order of Government sanctioning a portion of the Bill on account of the travelling expenses of Syed Gayuffer Hoosain Khan in going from Trichinopoly to Chittoor to give evidence in a Criminal trial.

(Signed) T. Beauchamp
Register

To Foujdaree Adawlut by Sessions Judge of Bellary dated 25th April 1850.

To

The Acting Principal Sudder Ameen of
Vizagapatam

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 9th Ultimo requesting that sanction may be obtained for a contingent bill of charges amounting to Rupees 212. 14. 2 which have been retrenched in the Audit of the accounts of the Vizagapatam Collectorate for Fusly 1256.

With respect to the charge on account of the construction of a Platform Cart which was incurred under authority granted by the Foujdaree Adawlut under date the 6th February 1847. the Judges observe that the sanction of Government is not required. The Civil Auditors objection they presume would not have been raised if an account particular of the actual outlay had been submitted to them for sanction after the completion of the work and to ensure the retrenchment of the charge the Court deem it sufficient now to convey to you their special confirmation under the power vested in them by the order of Government of the 28th July 1843 of the expenditure under notice amounting to Rupees 58. 12 / Fifty Eight and twelve annas.

Your

You will be pleased to report under
what circumstances the charges for batta paid to two
state prisoners was incurred and you will further explain
an apparent discrepancy which exists between the
amount charged for Lamp oil in the Bill named
Rs a p
61 10 2 and the sum entered in the statement of
contingent Charges for July 1756 where it is only
32 11 6 the item appearing to be otherwise entered

In affording this explanation you
will be pleased to transmit a statement of the charges requiring sanction in the form prescribed under
date the 30th November 1846

8th May 1850. (Signed) J. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Rajahmundry

Sir,

Adverting to your two letters of the 17th &
22d Ultimo the former containing the explanation
called for in the letter from the Foujdaree Malastat
under date the 11th Ultimo and the latter giving
rise to a further Bill on account of contingencies
stated to be due to certain parties employed in
translation of the Records of Session trials. You
are

directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Malastat to state
that previous to submitting the Bills in question for the
sanction of Government they deem it proper to have
before them a statement shewing in detail the amount
and nature of the work performed by the Foujdaree
Malastat translator attached to your Court during
the time these records were being translated You will
accordingly be pleased to prepare and submit such
a Statement for the consideration of the Judges at
your earliest convenience

The Judges at the same time direct
me strictly to prohibit you from again adopting
a similar course in the translation of Records,
the practice of remunerating the fixed Establish
ment of a Court for work performed by them
out of Official hours being one which they consider
to be open to much abuse, and in other respects to be
highly objectionable

8th May 1850. (Signed) F. Swabey
Senior Dy. Register

(No 44)

To

The Secretary to Government
in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to the Contract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 3d Instant No 281 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Adalut to state that in obedience to the orders therein contained 8 Convicts under sentence of transportation are reported to have been dispatched from Chengleput on the 6th instant to the charge of the Chief Magistrate and Superintendent of Police at Madras in view to their embarkation

The usual Calendars of these Convicts accompanies this communication

9th May 1850. Signed/ G. T. Branchamp.
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of
Calicut

Sir

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 24 Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Fouydaree Adalut to state that before they can authorise the transfer of 30 Convicts to the Cochin Jail it will be necessary for you in communication with the Subordinate Judge of Calicut to report whether that number of Convicts can be spared from the Calicut Jail without detriment to the public works now in course of construction in the vicinity of that station The information the Judges observe should have been afforded in your letter under acknowledgment

10th May 1850. /Signed/ T. Pushington
Senior Dy. Register

To

The Sessions Judge of
Combaconum

Communicating Orders of Government directing supply of an Indent for certain articles required for the Jail at Combaconum

10th May 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Branchamp
Register

To

The Superintendent

of Government Roads

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Ndalut to state in reply to your letter of the 29th April 1850 that they cannot allow any deviation from the instruction contained in their Circular of the 5th Instm 10th May 1850

[Signed] G. I. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Chicacole

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Ndalut in reply to your letter of the 27th April 1850 to state that they can see no objection to Prisoners awaiting trial before the Agent to the Governor being received into the Jail under the charge of the Acting Principal Sudder Ameen at Vizianagaram who should however be instructed to keep prisoners of this class as far as practicable separate from the Convicts

10th May 1850

[Signed] G. I. Beauchamp

Register

1	2	3	4	5	6
Zillah.	Gross cost of prisoner's maintenance clothing and contingencies Rupees	Estimated value of labor Rupees on public roads and works &c.a	Estimated value of articles manufactured & issued on the public service	Cash realized by sale of articles manufactured in the Jail	Total of Columns 3 4 and 5
To the Officers in charge of Convicts For Zillah 1257. For Zillah 1858.					

Sudder Ndalut Registers Office 10th May 1850

It is requested that this form may be filled up and returned to this Office with the least possible delay

[Signed] I. I. Arbuthnot

Asst to the Regr

To

The Magistrate of

Vizagapatam

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouzdaree Adawlut to request that you will retransmit without delay the statement of Contingent charges for Fusly 1258 returned to you for amendment with my letter of the 8th Instno

11th May 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Asst to the Regr

To

The Magistrate of

Tanjore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouzdaree Adawlut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 29th April 1850 transmitting an extract from the retrenchments made by the Civil Auditor in your accounts for Fusly 1255 and requesting that the charges you objected to may be submitted for the sanction of Government

In reply I am to inform you

that the Civil Auditor will probably withdraw his objections to the Items Nos 17 and 18 upon being informed that they have been incurred under Section XXIII Regulation IX of 1816 as extended by Section X Regulation XIII of 1832 and that he will pass the Items Nos 19. 20. and 21 on learning that the latter has been incurred under Section XXXI Regulation X of 1816. and the two former under the orders of Government of the 6th November 1837. The Items 21. 22. 23. 26. 27. and 30 appear to be of a Nature requiring to be submitted to Government through the channel of the Board of Revenue rather through the Court of Fouzdaree Adawlut; whilst the Items Nos 25 and 31 will be recommended for the special sanction of Government upon the necessary application being made by you in the form required under the orders of Government dated 3d November 1846 copy of which is annexed

I am to add that as none of the Items in question appear in the statement of Contingent charges for Fusly 1255 forwarded by the Joint Magistrate in charge on the 10th January 1849. explanation of the causes which led to their omission would seem to be necessary

Extract

Extract from the retrenchment made from the Establishments of the ——— Court of ——— from ——— to ——— on account of Escpences for Fuoly ———.—

No.	Charges objected to	Remarks of the Visiter	Recd. the Orders of retaining the Establishments of the Court of Sudder & Foujdaree Judge	Final orders of Government
	Rs a p			

11th May 1850

(Signed) G. S. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Acting Magistrate of
South Arcot

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Adalut to request that you will transmit an application in the form prescribed by the Circular Order of the Sudder and Fouydaree Adalut dated 8th April 1844 for the continuance of the Extra Police establishment referred to in your letter of the 1st May 1850 for 6 months

The Judges infer that you have already discharged this extra establishment

13th May 1850

(Signed) G. S. Beauchamp
Register

Memo

Memo

The Magistrate of Ganjam is requested to fur-
ish and retransmit the accompanying Form of
Statement to the Court of Fouj.dary Adalut
as early as possible

Fines imposed for petty offence &c during 1849.

	Fines imposed in 1849.			Fines levied			Imprisoned in default of payment		
	No. of Cases	No. of Persons	Amount Rs a p	No. of Cases	No. of Persons	Amount Rs a p	No. of Cases	No. of Persons	Amount Rs a p
Magistracy									
Talooks									
Police									

14th May 1850.

Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

To

The Session Judge of
Masulipatam

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.dary Adalut with reference to your letter of the 8th April 1850 to request that you will immediately transmit such of the annual statements and reports as have been received from the Magistrate together with those of the Session Subordinate and Sudder Ameen Court and that You will inform the Magistrate that the Court of Fouj.dary Adalut expect full explanation of the causes which have prevented his complying with your repeated applications for the returns due from his Department

14th May 1850.

Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

The Session Judge of Salem is requested to forward the statements returned for amendment under date the 16th April together with the Supplemental statement required on the 10th January 1850 as early as possible

Sudder Adalut
Registers Office
15th May 1850.

Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Civil Judge of Salem

Memorandum

The Session Judge of Combatore is requested to forward the statements returned for amendment under date the 30th April together with the supplemental statements required on the 10th January 1850 as early as possible

Sudder Udalut
Registers Office
15th May 1850.

/Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of Combatore

/No. 45/

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to state for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that the Magistrate of North Arcot has requested that under clause first Section II Regulation III of 1827 the Courts at Chittoor may be authorized to take cognizance of a Gang Robbery committed on the night of the

2d August 1849 at Damul in the Chingleput District by parties who after apprehension in the District of North Arcot on a charge of Housebreaking (under which they are about to be forwarded for trial to the Courts at Chittoor) confessed their participation in, and gave up various articles of the plundered during the robbery in requision.

I would appear that the immediate trial for the Robbery of these parties at Chittoor would be attended with less inconvenience to the majority of the witnesses than they would be exposed to if after the charge of Housebreaking has been disposed of by the authorities at Chittoor, the Prisoners be forwarded for trial to Chingleput, and as it is on other accounts desirable that both charges should be tried by the same tribunal, the judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut recommend that the (5) five Prisoners whose names are noted in the margin may, under Section III of the Regulation above referred to be ordered by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to be committed upon the charge (of Gang Robbery) in question to the Subordinate Court at Chittoor.

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15th May 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(A 26)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the court of Tondaree Adalut with reference to the order of Government noted in the margin authorizing the construction of a new Jail at Paumburn under the superintendence of the Sessions Judge of Madura at a cost not exceeding Rupees 940 14 - to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the enclosed transcript of a letter dated 22d April 1850 from the Sessions Judge reporting the completion of the work and submitting a plan of the buildings and an account of the charges actually incurred which amount to Rupees 743. 12. 4 - Seven hundred and forty three annas twelve and piece four

In recommending that these charges be sanctioned by the Government the Judges of the court of Tondaree Adalut desire me to state that in their opinion the construction of this well arranged and substancial Jail which is calculated to accommodate 350 Prisoners at the trifling actual

actual outlay above mentioned reflects great credit upon the Sessions Judge of Madura who planned it and the officer in charge of the operations in the Paumburn channel to whose indefatigable endeavours to have the work properly and economically done the Sessions Judge attributes the successful execution of his designs.

15th May 1850. Signed / G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(A 27)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Recommending for sanction an Estimate for tools for the Madura Jail

15th May 1850 / Signed / G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Joint Magistrate of
Madura

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the court of Tondaree Adalut to request that you will return: mit without further delay the statement of contingent charges for Fasly 1258 returned for amendment with my letter of the 24th Ultimo the general statement

The charges of the Magistrate & Madura Joint Magistrate Tondaree Sub Commissioner Judicial Assistant & Superintending of Tondaree Jail

statement and of contingent charges for that Fusly being now under preparation for transmission to Government

16th May 1850. Signed/ A. I. Arbuthnot
Dy Assistt to the Registar

/No 48/

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Recommending for sanction certain retrenchment made from the Indents of the 7.th Mah Court of Trichinopoly for Fusly 1256.

16th May 1850. Signed/ G. T. Branchamp
Register

Memo

The Session Judge of Nellore is requested to re-transmit the statement No 4, returned for amendment under date the 4th Instant on early as possible

18th May 1850 Signed/ G T Branchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Nellore

Memo

Memo

The Session Judge of Mangalore is requested to retransmit the statements returned for amendment &c. under date the 16th April 1850 on early as possible

Fouj.dar.e Adalat
Registers Office
18th May 1850. Signed/ G. T. Branchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Mangalore

Memo

The Session Judge of Chittoor is requested to retransmit the statement returned for amendment &c. under date the 4th May 1850 on early as possible

Fouj.dar.e Adalat
Registers Office
18 May 1850. Signed/ G. T. Branchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Chittoor

Memo

The Session Judge of Honore is requested to retransmit the statements returned for amendment under date the 30th April 1850 on early as possible

F.A. Regr Office 18th May 1850. Signed/ G T Branchamp
Register

To the Session Judge of Honore

Memo.

Memo

The Sessions Judge of Hoonoo is requested to fill up and return the accompanying statement of appeals from and revisions of the sentences passed by the Sudder Ameen at Sirey, as early as possible

For 1849

Appeals			Revisions of sentences under Section XXXII Act XX of 1848	
No Appeals	Confirmed	Reversed	Proposed sentence confirmed	Modified
"	"	"	"	"

Fouydaree Abstract
Register's Office
18th May 1850

Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To
The Sessions Judge of
Hoonoo

Memo

The Sessions Judge of Chicacole is requested to fill up and return the accompanying statement of appeals from and revisions of the sentences passed by the Sudder Ameen at Chicacole as early as possible

For 1849

Appeals			Revisions of sentences under Section XXXII Act XX of 1848	
No appeals	Confirmed	Reversed	Proposed sentence confirmed	Modified

Fouydaree Abstract
Register's Office
18th May 1850.

Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To the Sessions Judge of Chicacole

The same to the 1st Additional Magistrate

The same to the 2nd Ditto Ditto

To

The Joint Magistrate in charge
of Convicts at
Paumbum

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Fouydaree absolut to request that you will without further delay return unto the Jail return for 1849 returned for amendment with my letter of the 29th April 1850 in order that the transmission to Government of the General Statement may not be delayed any longer

21st May 1850. Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Acting Session Judge of
Ipchimpoley

Communicating order of Government directing that the Military Board be requested to cause the Indent for Bung Troops to be complied with.

21st May 1850. Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To.

To

The Acting Sessions Judge of
Ipchumpoly

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 6th Instt returning the warrant issued by the Court of Fouj: daree Adalut for the execution of the Prisoner in Case No 8 of 1850 on the file of the Session Court I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to request that you will submit in a Sepa: rate communication the proposition therein con: tained in regard to the alteration of the gallows together with an Estimate of the cost which the al: teration proposed by you will involve.

23d May 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of
Rajahmundry

Communicating order of Government directing compliance with an Indent for tools required for the Raj: mundry Jail

23d May 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of
Bellary

Communicating order of Government directing compliance with an Indent for tools required for the Bel: lary Jail

23d May 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Nellore

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to call your attention to the entry in your annual Jail return for 1849 Column 11. Shew: ing cases of Sickness within the year from which it would appear that but 14 cases were admitted dur: ing the year. This entry is however irreconcilable with the facts that there were 245 in confinement at the close of the year and that the entry under the next heading shews that there were 21 Prisoners under treatment at once, and I am to request that the error may be amended and the statement herewith enclosed returned as soon as possible

27th May 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Regr

To

Memorandum

The Magistrate of North Arcot is requested to retransmit to this Court without further delay the statement of Contingent charges for Fusly 1858 returned for amendment with the Court letter of the 7th Instant

Foujdaree Adawlut
Registers Office
28th May 1850

Signed by A. J. Arbuthnot
Head Assistt to the Regr

Memorandum

The Agent to the Governor of Fort St George at Ganjam is requested to retransmit the Statement returned for amendment under date the 30th April 1850 as early as possible

Foujdaree Adawlut
Registers Office
28th May 1850

Signed by G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Agent to the Governor of
Fort St George
at Ganjam

(No 49)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

The Government were pleased under date the 25th September 1849 No 617 to direct that Hoovaya who had been tried by the Sessions Judge of Mangalore on a charge of Arson and acquitted under Act IX of 1849 on the ground of unsoundness of mind should be kept in Jail his conduct be closely watched and a further report respecting him be submitted at the expiration of 6 months

In conformity with these instructions the Sessions Judge has under date 16th May 1850 submitted reports from the Subordinate Judge and Medical Officer in charge of the Jail at Mangalore copies of which I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to transmit to you for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council for consideration and further orders

The Sessions Judge it will be observed states that in his opinion the Youth

in

in question may with safety be set at liberty
29th May 1850. [Signed] G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

The Magistrate of Madura is requested to explain why Column 4 of Statement No 2 has been left blank and if the Police return afford the means of approximately estimating the number of persons concerned in the 47 cases entered in Column 3 to state that number in each Case

Foujdaree Adawlut [Signed] G. T. Beauchamp
Registers Office Register
30th May 1850

To

The Magistrate of
Madura

Memorandum

The Magistrate of Ganjam is requested to transmit a statement of the Fines imposed by him in his capacity of Magistrate as requested in the Memo: of the 4th May 1850 in lieu of that herewith returned which rescinds the Fines imposed &c. by the Agency

G.T.B.
Registers Office } [Signed] G. T. Beauchamp
30th May 1850. } Register

To the Magistrate of Ganjam

[No 50]

To

The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Deptt

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to state for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that the Agent to the Governor at Kurnool has under date the 15th May 1850 requested permission to call upon the Civil Engineer of the Division to prepare an Estimate for the repair of the roofs of the Convict Wards in the Jail at Kurnool which during a late storm of wind and rain were found to leak considerably and that under these circumstances to recommend that the permission solicited may be granted

30th May 1850 [Signed] G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Cuddalore

Sir

In reply to your letter dated the 9th Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut under the order the order of

of Government dated 28th July 1843 to authorize the
expenditure of Rs. 14-14as. - fourteen Rupees and fourteen
annas in the construction of a privy in the Jail under
your charge

After the completion of the work you
will be pleased to submit for special sanction an
account particular of the actual outlay.

30th May 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Acting Subordinate Judge of
Bellary

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the
Court of Foujdaree Udalut to sanction under
the authority vested in them by the order of
Government dated 28th July 1843 the disburse-
ment of 6 Sicca Rupees as batta for the main-
tenance of the Children of a convict as shown
in the statement submitted by you under
date the 20th April 1850.

30th May 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

To

Memorandum

The same to the Magistrate of Salem and Zillah Judge of Nellore.

The Magistrate of North Arcot is requested to retransmit without delay the Memorandum forwarded to him under date the 10th Instant, filled up as therein requested.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.

31st May 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
Hd. Asst. to the Register

Memorandum

The Subordinate Judge of Calicut is requested to transmit without further delay the account particulars called for in this Courts letter of the 10th Instant.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut

31st May 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
Hd. Asst. to the Register

To

The Acting Session Judge of
Tuchinopoly

Forwarding Original Statement of retrench-
ment with Government sanction endorsed thereon.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Magistrate of North Arcot.

Communicating Order of Government authorizing the Criminal Courts of Chittoor to take cognizance of a charge of Robbery committed in the Chingleput District.

31st May 1850. (Signed) G: T: Beauchamp

Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of Calicut

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to return the indents for ammunition sent with your letter dated 24th April 1850 and to request that in accordance with the Order of Government dated 25th November 1834 published at page 835 of the Official Gazette, you will indent on the Magistrate for any Military Stores that may be required in the Jail under your charge.

31st May 1850

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

(No. 51)

To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir

With reference to the Order of Government dated 23d June 1838 No. 636, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to be laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying general Statement made up to the 31st December 1849 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 date of the Authority of Government under which they have been placed under the Control of officers other than those in charge of the Zillah Jail.

31st May 1850. (Signed) G: T: Beauchamp

Register

Memo

The Sessions Judge of Chicacole is requested to transmit the statements required under date the 4th Ultimo as early as possible

Foujdaree Adawlut
Registers Office
3d June 1850

(Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of
Chicacole

To

The Acting Magistrate of
Coimbatore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to return to you the statement of contingent charges incurred by you during July 1238 inorder that the charges incurred for the subsisting and guarding of the Prisoners transferred from the Jail at Coimbatore and confined under the charge of the Head Assistant Magistrate at Paul: ghat may be inserted in the statement as directed in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 6th December 184[illegible]

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№ 819 a copy of which herewith transmitted.

2 The Judges desire me to request in adding to the statements the additional information now directed you will strictly observe the instruction conveyed in their Circular letter of the 6th June 1849 in regard to the insertion of the number of Prisoners confined during each of the Fasles under comparison and of a statement of the estimated value of such articles as are manufactured by the convicts and also of their labor when employed upon the public works.

3 In entering the number of prisoners confined, you will be pleased to insert the daily average thereof which you will readily ascertain by dividing by 365 the total number of rations issued during each of the periods under comparison and to retransmit the statements now returned with the least possible delay.

3d June 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
A. Assistt to the Regr

To

The Agent to the Governor
in Ganjam

Sir,

I am directed to inform you in

in reply to your letter of the 13th May 1850 that the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut have been pleased to sanction the payment of 50/ fifty Rupees as a reward to the parties who recaptured the escaped convict Panos, Pandava Sarick.—

3d June 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Magistrate of Malabar

Sir

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to return to you the Statement of contingent charges incurred by you during Fusly 1258 in order that the items inserted therein for Fusles 1255 and 1257 may be omitted

2 These charges the Judges observe should be submitted for sanction in a supplemental Statement.

3 Adverting to the instructions conveyed in this Courts Circular letter of the 6th June 1849 I am directed to request that you will enter in the Statement the daily average of the number of Prisoners sentenced by the Head & Assistant Magistrate under the provisions of Section VII Regulation X of 1816 and confined in the Jail at Palghaut which you will readily ascertain by dividing by 363 the total number of rations issued to those prisoners during

during each of the Fusles under comparison.

4 The estimated value of the labor of those prisoners and of any articles manufactured by them during each of the periods in question you will likewise be pleased to insert in a note at the foot of the Statement.

5 The Judges request that the Statement now returned may be retransmitted with the least possible delay the general Statement of contingent charges for Fusly 1258 being now considerably over-due.

3d June 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Head Asst to the Register

To

The Session Judge

of Madura

Communicating Order of Government sanctioning charges amounting to Rupees 743-13-4 incurred in the erection of a new Jail at Pamben

3d June 1852. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

(No 52)

To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 11th May 1850 No 298 transmitting an Original letter from the Adjutant General of the army dated 17th April 1850 and requesting the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to report whether the evidence of certain witnesses required on the trial of two Sepoys of the 11th Regiment N.I. for Perjury before a Court Martial can be taken by commission.

2. The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut consider that a Court Martial cannot legally issue a commission for the examination of absent witnesses

3 I am to add that the ordinary Criminal Courts are equally precluded from taking the evidence of absent witnesses by Commission and it will be observed from the correspondence Noted in the Margin

Ref to Military Con: of Govt 30 March 1842 No 224.
Ditto Proceedings of Hon'ble Court 28th April 1846.
Ditto Mun: Con: of Govt 10 Sept 1846.

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that upon the question being discussed by the Legislative Council of the Government of India it was held to be inexpedient to extend to the Criminal Courts the powers conferred in this respect upon the Civil Court by Act VII of 1841.

4th June 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

No 53

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut with reference to the Extract Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 29th November 1849 No 780 desiring that Nagoo a female who had been tried under 2 charges of Theft and acquitted on the ground of insanity by the Subordinate Judge of Bombaconnum should be made over to her relatives on Condition that they will hold themselves responsible for her safety and conduct and that a report be made on the state of her mind at the expiration of

Sir's

Six months to submit copy of a letter from the Sub: Judge of Bombaconnum and of a Certificate by the Zillah Surgeon enclosed therein from which it will be observed that the relatives of the said Prisoner refused to take charge of her but that she is now sane and can be released without risk.

Under these circumstances the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut recommend that the Prisoner be discharged from Custody

4th June 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Superintendent of the
Government Roads
Guindy

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to request that you will be good enough to transmit a statement Monthly to this Office, shewing how many of the Prisoners under your charge receive the maintenance rate allowed by the Dirt Rules

transmitted

transmitted to you under date the 5th April last

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most obedient Servt

5th June 1850 Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp

Register

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Memorandum

The Sessions Judge of Salem is requested to transmit without further delay the statements returned for amendment under date the 16th April 1850.

By order of the Court of Foujdarree Adawlut

5th June 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp

Register

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To

The Magistrate of

North Arcot

Sir

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 3d Instant, requesting certain instructions regarding the preparation of the statement with reference to the convicts at Vellore which was called for by this Court under date the 10th Ultimo: I am directed to inform you that the Judges only require a Statement of the estimated product of the labor of the Prisoners the cost of whose maintenance &c was entered in the statement of Contingent charges submitted by you.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most obedient Servant

7th June 1850. Signed/ A. J. Arbuthnot

Dy Assistant to the Regr

To

To

The Secretary to the

Medical Board

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 14th February 1843, I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to transmit to you to be laid before the Medical Board the accompanying general statement of Prisoners in the several Jails under this Presidency for the year 1849.

2. I am directed to add that it appears to the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut doubtful whether the Medical Officers follow one uniform plan in their reports of the number of cases received in to the Hospital during the year. It will be observed that at Vellore where there are but 180 convicts the cases of sickness are reported at 1532. The returns also of the Magistracy at Salem and Palghaut appear unusually high.

3 If not deemed objectionable by the Medical Board the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut would wish that the Medical Officers be instructed in calculating the cases of sickness to reckon each seperate attack treated whether the patient be a day a week or a month in Hospital as one case.

8th June 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp.
Registar

To

The Magistrate of

Coimbetore

Communicating order of Government sanctioning the payments made by the Joint Magistrate at Cotacamund to the constable and witnesses summoned on the trial of Assistant Surgeon Dawberry amounting to Rupees 475.

8th June 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp.
Registar

To

The Acting Sub. Judge of

Madura

Communicating order of Government sanctioning an Indent for tools

8th June 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Registar

(No. 54)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

The Government of India were pleased

proved by their Secretary's letter dated 29th August
1846 No 352. to sanction the temporary employment
in the District of South Arcot of an Extra Police
establishment consisting of two Duffadars and
12 Peons at a monthly cost of 88 Rupees eighty eight
and this sanction has been annually renewed on
the dates noted in the Margin

The Acting Magistrate of South Arcot however in a letter dated 1st May 1850 a Copy of
which is enclosed reported that he did not con-
sider that the services rendered by this additional
force warranted his recommending that it
should be longer retained and on the 27th Sub-
mitted in accordance with the instructions of
the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut the accom-
panying statement of the charge actually in-
curred from the 31st October 1849. when the term
of the last sanction expired to the 4th May
1850 when the establishment in question was
finally discharged

Under these circumstances
the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Ada-
but beg to recommend that the charge
which amounts to Rupees 303. 11-10
hundred and three annas eleven

ten may be sanctioned by Government

8th June 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Officer in charge of the Jail
at Guindy.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of
Foujdaree Adawlut to request that you will furnish
for transmission to the Government a statement
shewing the cost of the Jail establishment and
total expenditure under all heads for the main-
tenance of the Prisoners in the Guindy Jail
in the annexed form.

1	2	3	4	5	6
Months	Number of Prisoners	Cost of maintenance of Prisoner	Cost of Clothing Prisoners	Strength of Jail establishment & working Guard	Cost of Jail establishment and working Guard
January	..	..	..	Jailor Duffadars Naigues Peons	..
February	..	..			
March					
April					
May					

8th June 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp.
Regr.

To

The Acting Subordinate Judge of
Madura

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj:daree Adawlut with reference to your letter dated 28th May 1850 to request that you will report when the Trucks now in use were constructed.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

10th June 1850. Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Masulipatam

Sir

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated 25th Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj:daree Adawlut to convey to you their sanction under the authority vested in them by the order of Government dated 28th July 1843 for the disbursement of the amount of the proposed estimate submitted with your letter Viz. 61-7-0 Sicca one Rupees and Seven Annas in the erection of Brick pillars for the Gallows at Masulipatam

After the completion of the work you will be pleased to send to this Court an account particulars of the actual outlay incurred for final sanction

10th June 1850. Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Bellary

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the

the Court of Fouydaree Vakeelut to request with reference to your letter of the 25th May 1850 that you will call upon the Subordinate to Indoge for a statement of actual charge attending the employment of the extra Peons noted in the margin and that the number of Prisoners not liable to labor on to date

*on the form prescribed under date 8th April 1844

1 Duffadar
14 Peons

the Jail on the 1st June
1st July
1st August
1st September
1st October
} 1847

respectively may be stated

[Signed] G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

The Register of the Court of Fouydaree Vakeelut has the honor in reply to the memorandum of the Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department under date the 7th Instant, to state that the average number of Prisoners in the Jail at Guinady from January to may 1850 has been 112

that the gross cost of maintenance has been Rs. 1012. 11. 3
of clothing ... 65. 11. 0
of Jail Establishment and working guard

	Rs.	a.	p.
General.	1176	3	6.
Total Cost	2254	10	3.
per mensem.	450	11	7.
and per head.	4	4	8.

[Signed] G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Fouy: Vakeelut Register Office
11th June 1850.

[A. 55]

To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judge of the Court of Fouydaree Vakeelut to acknowledge the Receipt from the Minutes of Consultation under date 30th May 1850 No. 385 transmitting copies of an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department under date 29th April 1850 No. 385 and of the accompanying papers and requesting the opinion of the Court of Fouydaree Vakeelut as to whether persons sentenced to imprisonment without labor under the provisions of Regulations VII of 1832 by the Officer in charge of the Military Police may be confined in

in a Zillah Jail.

2. In reply I am directed to state that the Court of Fouydaree Adawlut under date 2d January 1839. ruled that the only offences for which a person sentenced by a Court Martial can under section XIX Regulation VII of 1832. be imprisoned in the Jail of a Criminal Court are those specified in the 1st part of Clause first Section XV and in Section XVI of the above quoted Regulation.

11th June 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

/A 56/

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Adawlut with reference to the Extract Minutes Consultation of Government under date 16th August 1849, which directed that the party noted in the margin be detained in the Jail under Medical treatment for Six months at the expiration of which period a further report be

be made to Government concerning him to submit the accompanying copy of a letter and of its enclosures from the Sessions Judge of Bauree dated 25 May 1850

Mr Lascelles it will be observed considers that the person may be safely released should his friends engage to take charge of him, but in this opinion with reference to the report of the Assistant Surgeon in Medical charge of the Jail the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Adawlut are unable to concur.

11th June 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of
Bellary

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Adawlut to return to you the enclosed letter and its accompaniments and to inform you that all appeals from the Proceedings of the Sessions Judge must be transmitted thro the Sessions Court.

13th June 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

To

The Agent to the Governor of

Fort St. George

at Kurnool

Authorising a requisition to be made on the Engineer Department by the Agent at Kurnool for an Estimate of the Cost of repairs requisite to the roof of the Jail

13th June 1850 Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp

Register

/No 571/

To

The Secretary to Government

in the Judicial Dept

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 6th April 1850 No 331 wherewith was transmitted Copy of an order of Government dated 6th April 1830 sanctioning the temporary entertainment of 1 Duffadar and 9 Prons for Guarding the convicts transferred to the charge of the Magistrates at Salem with reference to which the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut

Adawlut were requested to call upon the Magistrate to explain the necessity for the continuance of the Guard noted in the margin and to state the number of the Convicts now under his charge and where and upon what work they are employed

2 The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut beg leave respectfully to submit for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the enclosed Copy of a report made under date 27th May 1850 by Mr Maltby on the subject and I am to explain that as recommended by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut in their Proceedings of the 24th September 1834 the Government in Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date 30th Instn No 806 were pleased to authorize the Magistrate of Salem to employ a standing Guard of a Jemadar and Five Prons for the Convicts under his charge at Coyoor

13th June 1850 Signed/ G. J. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Session Judge of

Mangalore

Sir.

I am directed by the Judges of the Court

The Sessions Judge of Malabar

Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will immediately report the exact extent of accommodation available in the Jail under your charge for Insane persons.

14th June 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Officers in charge of the Jails
and Convicts

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit a printed form of the Half yearly return of convicts under your charge and to request that it may be filled up for the 1st half year of 1850

2. I am to observe that Column 2 should include all Prisoners sentenced to labor and those to whose sentences a liability to labor is attached, such as Prisoners confined in default of Security &c. that the aggregate of Columns 3 to 17 inclusive should correspond with the column 2 and that 21 should show the Number of Prisoners capable of labor on the roads whose sentences will not expire during the ensuing Six months.

15th June 1850.

Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Regr.

Memorandum.

The Session Judge of Coimbatore is requested to forward the Supplemental Statements required on the 10th January 1850 as early as possible

Foujdaree Udalut
Register's Office
17th June 1850

/Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Coimbatore.

To

The Superintendent of
Government Roads

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut in acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated 10th June 1850 to state that they cannot sanction any relaxations of the rules for directing Prisoners to work down in their orders of the 6th April 1850.

18th June 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

To

The Sessions Judge of

Tellicherry

Sir,

In reply to your letter dated 13th Instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to sanction under the authority vested in them by the order of Government dated 28th July 1843 the expenditure of 15 11-6. Fifteen Rupees, Eleven Annas and Six Pies incurred in procuring certain articles of clothing for Mr Bacon the Lunatic

19th June 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Honore

Communicating order of Government authorizing the Sessions Judge to call upon the Civil Engineer of the Division for a Plan and Estimate for constructing a new Court House and Jail

19th June 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

Vide Fort St George Gazette Pages 608.

Memorandum

Copy of the remarks recorded by the Sanzee Col Cooper on the Futwah in Session Case No 27 of 1850 and translation thereof are herewith forwarded to the Sessions Judge of Cuddalore for his information and for communication to the Abetment Law Officer of his Court.

19th June 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Cuddalore

Sir,

With reference to my letter dated 26th February 1850 conveying authority for the disbursement of Forty four Rupees Nine Annas and Six Pies in the construction of a Brick and Chunam cupboard &c in the Jail Hospital at your Station I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to require that you will forward without delay the account particulars of actual expenditure which you were required to transmit after the completion of the work

20th June 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

To

The Session Judge of

Combatore

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Sudr Foujdaree Adawlut to inform you that the Government in an Extract from the Minutes of Consultations dated 31st May 1850 No 343 have sanctioned the Estimate amounting after correction to Rupees 594-4-0 for rebuilding a verandah to the Jail house at Combatore which was forwarded with your letter to this Court dated 25th July 1849.

20th June 1850. /Signed/ G. J. Brauchamp

Register

/No 58/

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

Adverting to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultations under date the 1st November last communicating the orders of Government relative to one Soury Mootoo an insane Prisoner in Criminal Case No 70 of 1849 on the file of the Principal Sudder Ameens Court of Chingleput

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to submit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying copies of a certificate granted by the Zillah Surgeon and of a letter from the Sessions Judge respecting the said Prisoner and to solicit the further instructions of Government in respect to his disposal

2. It will be observed from the letter of the Sessions Judge that the Prisoner since his confinement has been subject to occasional fits of violence when he becomes very abusive and assaults the Peons tearing his clothes and destroying every thing he can lay hold of and under these circumstances the Judges do not consider it desirable that the Prisoner should be at present released from restraint.

20th June 1850. /Signed/ G. J. Brauchamp

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Mangalore

Communicating order of Government directing the insane Prisoner Hoovya to be released and made over to his friends

20th June 1850. Signed/ G. J. Brauchamp

Regr.

To

To

The 3d Principal Sudder Ameen of

Vizeragapatam

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 28th Ultimo I am directed to inform you that the items 30 and 32 retrenched by the Civil Auditor from your indents for 1246 have been submitted for the sanction of Government with respect to item 31 it will only be necessary for you to forward a copy of the late order by the Sudder Adawlut sanctioning the charge and an account particular of the actual Disbursement thro the Collector to the Civil Auditor

8th May 1850

21st June 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Collector of Masulipatam

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to request that you will explain why the charges therein alluded to were not included in the statement of contingent charges for Fusly 1255 and the nature of the Extra

Extra charges Item No 110

21st June 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Memorandum

The Original enclosures connected with the Subject of the Village Police, which were forwarded by Mr Davis with his report dated 27th July 1849 are herewith returned to the Acting Magistrate of S Arcot as requested in his letter of the 11th Instant

21st June 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Session Judge of

Salem.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj dacee Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 27th May 1850 and to inform you that they authorize you to pay to Proms who having escorted Prisoners either to Branch Jails within their own or to Jails in another zillah may be discharged in consequence of reductions in the number of Prisoners. Batta equal to their Salary for the period necessary to enable them to return to their station computed at the following rate of 15 Miles per diem.

22d June 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Acting Session Judge of Trichinopoly

Sir

With reference to the annexed copy of a Letter from the Acting Sub. Judge of Salem I am directed by

by the Judges of the Fouj dacee Adalut to request that you will forward the convict therein referred to under sufficient escort to Salem at your earliest convenience.

22d June 1850. (Signed) F. Lushington
Senior Dy. Register

To

The Session Judge of

Salem

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your Letter of the 11th Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Fouj dacee Adalut to state that the Ag. Session Judge of Trichinopoly has this day been instructed to forward to you the convict therein referred to with a view to his being placed under the charge of the Sub. Judge for employment as a blacksmith.

22d June 1850. (Signed) F. Lushington
Senior Deputy Register

Memorandum

The Session Judge of Chicacole is requested to transmit the statement of Suicides and accidental deaths for the year 1849 within the ordinary jurisdiction of the Magistrate of Ganjam required under date the 6th May and 3d June 1850 as early as possible

24th June 1850. Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Circular To

The Sessions Judges

Communicating Extract from the Minutes of Consultations dated 11th June 1850 prescribing the course to be followed in providing for the performance of Burial Services in cases of Sudden death &c.

25th June 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Combaconum

Communicating Extract from the Minutes of Consultations dated 20th June 1850 authorizing the release of an insane Prisoner named Nago

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

25th June 1850.

Register

(No 60)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

Recommending for sanction an Indent on the Assistant commissary General for

for 500 Baskets for the use of the Prisoners in the Jail at Trichinopoly.

27th June 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Memo

50 Sheets of the Printed Calendars forwarded to the Session Judge of Tellicherry with reference to his letter dated the 11 Instant.

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut

27th June 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Memo

The Acting Magistrate of Coimbatore is requested to transmit to this Office without further delay the statement called for in this Courts letter of the 3d Instant regarding the charges incurred during Fasly 1258 on account of the convicts attached to Paloghat the general statement of Contingent charges for Submission to Government which is now long overdue having been completed with the exception of the information the Acting Magistrate has been called on to supply.

28th June 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Asst to the Regr

To

The Sessions Judge of

Honore

Transmitting copy of an Extract Minute Consultation dated 27th Ultimo, Concurring in the opinion of the Foujdaree Adawlut that the Prisoner Budolaspah in Case No. 20 of 1849 of the Sessions Court of Honore, should not be released

1st July 1850. (Signed) G. I. Beauchamp.

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Tellicherry

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to transmit to you the accompanying two printed forms and to request that you will cause one of them to be filled up by the Officer in charge of the Convicts at Cannanore for the 1st half of 1850 and forward the same to this Court without delay

2 You will be pleased to furnish the Officer in question with a copy of the instructions contained in my letter of the 15th June 1850 for filling up the statement and also to state for the information of

of the Court of Fouj.dary Adaulut & the authority by which this Gang is dirted &c.

2d July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of
Masulipatam

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.dary Adaulut in reply to your letter of the 20th Ultimo, to inform you that the Government under date 24th November 1845 directed that in lieu of indenting upon the Commissary of ordnance at Masulipatam for Wheel Barrows or Plank Barrows Each the Officers in charge of Jails should make their own arrangements for procuring upon contract the Articles best adapted for the use of Prisoners and consequently to request that you will prepare and submit an Estimate of the Cost of Constructing the Wheel Barrows you now require at Masulipatam.

2. I am further directed to return the Indent which accompanied your letter & to request that you will submit a seperate Indent for Barrows with the below for the use of the Jail.

2d July 1850. Signed G. T. Beauchamp
Regr

To

The Acting Magistrate of
South Arcot

Communicating order of Government sanctioning expenses incurred on account of the Extra Police establishment employed in the District of South Arcot beyond the authorized period

3d July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(No. 62)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.dary Adaulut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract Minutes Consultation of Government under date 20th March 1850 No 202 wherein the Court of Fouj.dary Adaulut are requested, with reference to a letter from this Office of the 6th Instm reporting the murder of a convict by an insane Prisoner in the Hospital attached to the Jail Hospital at Tinnevelly, to ascertain and report the Number of insane persons under confinement in the several Jails under the Madras Presidency and to state what General arrangements should be adopted for the care of parties so circumstanced &c.

In reply I am directed to submit the annexed Tabular Statement in which the information received from and Suggestions offered by the local authorities have been embodied and to state that in the opinion of the Court one Jail in each of the four divisions should be made available for the reception of Lunatics and that to them despite all insane Prisoners and others should be forwarded by this arrangement the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut Consider that the best provision will be made for the proper treatment of the patients at the smallest possible expence to the state.

6th July 1850

Signed by T. Branchamp

Register

	Number of insane Prisoners in confinement	Additional Buildings required	Probable Cost of Buildings	Additional Establishment	Cost of additional Establishts	
Chicacole	"	Separate building	Rs 500	Dependent upon the Number in confinement		
Vizagapatam	1	Do	Rs 500			
Rajahmundry	1	"	"	"	"	
Masulipatam	2	2 Cells with Yards	Rs 850	2 Peons	10½ Rs	
Guntoor	"	"	"	"	"	
Cuddapah	3	"	"	"	"	x 5 detached wards at this Station.
Bellary x	1	"	"	"	"	
Nellore	3	a building to be connected with the local Dispensary	Not Stated	"	"	
			"	"	"	
Chittoor	"	"	"	"	"	
Chingleput	1	"	Rs 200	"	"	
Cuddalore	2	2 Rooms	"	"	"	
Salem	2	"	"	"	"	
Coimbatore	"	Separate building	Rs 500	"	"	
Trichinopoly	"	"	"	"	"	
Combaconum	1	Separate building	Not Stated	"	"	
Madura	"	2 Wards	Rs 150	"	"	
Tinnevelly	2	3 Wards	Rs 500	Dependent upon the Number in confmt		
Tellicherry	3	"	"	"	"	
Calicut	1	"	"	"	"	
Cochin	"	"	"	"	"	
Mangalore	3	a Separate building	Rs 300	"	"	
Honore	3	Provided for in the plan proposed for the New Jail.	"	"	"	
Total	29					

Chicacole

/No 83/

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.daree Udalut, with reference to the letter from this office dated 21st June 1850 reporting the destruction of the temporary Jail at Cauloor near Rajahmundry by fire, to submit for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the enclosed copy of a letter from the Sessions Judge dated 24th Idem reporting that the Subordinate Judge and the Head of Police have been unable to discover how the fire originated.

8th July 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

Memorandum

60 Sheets of the Printed Calendars forwarded to the Sessions Judge of Nellore with reference to his letter dated the 2d Instant

By Order of the Court of Fouj.daree Udalut

9th July 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

Memorandum

50 Sheets of the Printed Calendars forwarded to the Subordinate Judge of Chittoor with reference to his letter dated the 29th Ultimo.

By Order of the Court of Fouj.daree Udalut

9th July 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of
Chingleput

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.daree Udalut in reply to your letters of the 26th June 1850 to request that you will ascertain whether a convicted coarpenter can be

be procured from the Cuddalore or Chittoor Sadr.
11th July 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Superintendent of
Government Roads
at Guindy

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will bring the sums drawn by you under the sanction of Government dated 15th February 1850 communicated to you on the 21st Idem, to account in the Statement herewith returned.

11th July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

(No 64)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the enclosed Original application received from the Subordinate Judge of Bellary for Sanction to a charge incurred in 1847 amounting to Rupees 291. 12. 3.

2. In explanation of the above charge I am directed to state that on the 18th March 1847 174 Prisoners charged with rioting and murder were forwarded to the Subordenate Criminal Judge at Bellary who finding that the permanent Jail Establishment was insufficient to guard the large body of Prisoners then confined within the Jail (252) entertained 1 Duffadar and 14 additional Peons. On the 14th May when 125 of the Prisoners in question were released and the remainder committed for trial before the Sessions Judge, the Duffadar and 8 Peons were discharged and on the 9th October 1847 on which date the number of Prisoners awaiting trial and confined within the Jail fell to the ordinary average, the remaining

Five

Sisc Prons were discharged.

3. Under these circumstances the Judges of the Court of Fouj:darre Adawlut beg to recommend that the charge in question which amounts to Rupees 291. 12. 3 Two hundred and ninety one annahs twelve and Pice three be sanctioned by Government.

12th July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Superintendent of
Government Roads.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj:darre Adawlut in reply to your letter of the 2d July 1850 to inform you that the pay of a Barber for the convicts under your charge should as is done in all other Jails, be provided out of the 4 pice allowed for condiments and necessaries

12th July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Acting Subordinate Judge of
Madura
Communicating order of Government
Sanctioning

sanctioning an Estimate for making up 8 Trucks for the use of the Convicts at Madura.

13th July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register.

To

The Session Judge of
Chingleput
Communicating order of Government relative to the disposal of Soury Mootoo an Insane Prisoner.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Acting Session Judge of
Trichinopoly
Communicating order of Government directing compliance with an indent for 500 Baskets for the use of the Prisoners in the Trichinopoly Jail.

13th July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

(A 65)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Dept.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of

of Foujdaree Adawlut to submit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the Criminal Statements for 1849 as enumerated in the annexed List.

2 In accordance with the instructions conveyed in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 11th December 1849 a Series of Tables have been compiled from these statements, which it is hoped will be found to contain information upon all the points, which in previous reviews have attracted the notice of Government and thus render any comments beyond a few brief explanations upon particular, which could not conveniently be embodied in them, unnecessary. It has been the object of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut not only to lay before the Government the general results of the administration of Criminal Justice during the year in question, but to afford to the various Functionaries in the Provinces the means of comparing the operations and working of the Courts and Police in their own with that of the adjacent districts. The Tables consequently instead of being confined to a general Summary, show in detail the operations of the several tribunals in each district and to facilitate comparison the Districts have been in a Geographical rather than in the Alphabetical order, which the Government under date 7th August 1845 No. 589, required to be observed in the preparation of the statements.

The

3. The first number is a Table of Petty offences No 1.

4. The increase observable has arisen chiefly in the following Districts.

Vizagapatam	1213
Rajahmundry	2112
Salem	2327
Coimbatore	1886
Malabar	1087
Ganjam Agency	1465

5. In Madura there was a decrease of 904 and in Chittoor of 577 in the number of persons summoned. The increase is almost exclusively limited to assault.

6. The Table next in order is noted in the margin.

7. The chief items of increase will be found in

Salem	220
Malabar	272
Tanjore	116
Nellore	88
Rajahmundry	89
Canara	112

8 The increase in Salem Malabar and

and Rajahmundry is considered to have been caused by an unfavorable season and that in Tanjore is partially attributed to the fact that the increased hazard attending the perpetration of Gang robbery has driven offenders to resort to House breaking and Secret Theft. It is satisfactory however to observe in the Baramahl and Balaghaut Talooks of the former district a decrease in crime which from 1843 and 45 cases in 1846 and 1847 has fallen to 26 and 16 cases in 1848 and 1849. This result is by the Sessions Judge attributed to the large proportion of offenders sent up from these Talooks who have been convicted since the establishment of the Session Court Viz 257 out of 454 in addition to 40 required to furnish Security

9 There has been a decrease in Vizagapatam of 69.

Madura 47

Chingleput 43

Bellary 41

Chittoor 40 and in the Vizagapatam Agency of 27 cases and 2052 persons, the latter result is imputed by the Agent to the restoration of order in the Golgondah Zamindary

10 An increase in Murder and Crimes in the perpetration of which murder has been committed is observable in Rajahmundry to the resident of 10

Cases

Cases

Canara 8

Tinnevelly 4

whilst there has been a decrease in

Coimbatore of 10

Tinchinopoly 6

Madura 6

Malabar 5 It is however to be noted that the returns from Tinnevelly have been augmented by 3 charges which eventually proved to be false - and those from Rajahmundry by the commitment of 2 parties - charged with the same offence at different periods There has been an increase of 5 cases of Homicide in Coimbatore and of 3 in Malabar, and a decrease of 7 cases in Tinnevelly. It is to be remarked that tho the number of Murder committed in Salem during 1848 and 1849 precisely correspondence 16 cases of Homicide no instance of which was reported in 1848 appear upon the returns for the latter year

11 The chief increase in cases of Robbery attended with circumstances of aggravation occurs in

Malabar Viz 25

Tinnevelly 19

Chittoor 14

Madura 12

Tanjore

Tanjore ---- 10
Chingleput ---9 and the chief decrease is ---
Coimbatore ---26
Cuddapah 23
Bellary 7
Nellore 6

12 An increase in Robbery without any appearance and in attempts at robbery is found of [illegible]
10 in Trichinopoly
2 Malabar and a decrease of 32 in Salem
27 South Arcot
23 Coimbatore
73 Cuddapah
19 Bellary

13. In Cuddapah however this decrease is counterbalanced by 97 cases of Snatching.

14 Housebreaking with attempts at included has been on the increase in Malabar to the extent of 262 cases. Tanjore 72
South Arcot 82
Salem 58
Rajahmundry 47
Guntoor 45 and on the decrease in Vizagapatam 71
Masulipatam 61

Cuddapah

Cuddapah 19
Chingleput 42
Madura 30 &

appears however that many of the cases now classed under this Head both in Malabar and South Arcot were formerly entered under the Head of thefts which will partially account for the results as regards these districts stated in this and the following Para: In Guntoor this increase is in part attributed by the Magistrate to the fact that a great number of Prisoners who were sentenced for Robbery during and soon after the famine of 1834 have in the last 3 years been released.

15 Theft has increased chiefly in
Malabar by 152 cases
Guntoor 45
Bellary 35
South Arcot 17 and increase in Salem by 98
Nellore 31.
Canara 38. It is to be observed, however that part of the cases now entered under the Head of Snatching formerly appeared as robberies or Thefts; and that 23 cases of this description are reported to have occurred in ---

Sincerely

Tinnevelly

19 in Salem

11 in Madurah

6 in Coimbatore

3 in Mauvelipatam

3 in Canara

1 in Guntoor

16 It has not been practicable to compare the cases of wounding with intent to Kill" and Assault with wounding with those of 1848 in the returns for which year these offences were entered partly under the Head "Maiming and wounding" and partly under that of "assault" If however, the three Heads of wounding with intent to kill assault with wounding and assault reported during 1849, be compared with the entries under the two Heads of Maiming and wounding and assault in the statement for 1848 the result will be an increase in the latter year of 85 cases and 337 persons

17. The Districts in which the chief items of decrease will be found are

Madura	540
Bellary	478
Rajahmundry	119
Trichinopoly	115
Mauvelipatam	111

and those of increase

in Tanjore	313
Malabar	252
Nellore	227
Coimbatore	224

In the two last Districts the increase has occurred wholly in the Joint Magistrates Divisions and appears to be attributable to the successful efforts made by Messrs Purvis and Cunliffe to induce the Village Officers to exercise their functions.

18 The increase apparent in the Table No 1 of Petty Offences in part accounts for that exhibited in this Table which is also augmented by upwards of 3500 cases having been in the present returns transferred to the files of the Police in Salem in which district it would appear to have been hitherto the custom to enter upon the files of the Magistracy every case in which the Police might have made any reference to Superior authority.

19 This Table calls for no particular remark.

20 The discrepancies noted in the columns of remarks are probably attributable either to the cases not having reached the Court at the close of the year or to their having been classed under different heads by the committing officers and the Courts

21 The Court of Fouj dairee Adalut attempted

attempted to ascertain the particular classes of officers affected by these changes, but the returns from the Magistrates and the Courts were found to so materially from each other as well as from the annual Statements Nos 2 and 3 from which this Table has been framed and so much delay would have been caused by sending the returns back for revision that the design for the present has been abandoned. In the annexed report, however, the additional information which it has been impracticable to afford on the present occasion, will be given.

22 The decrease is accounted for by the transfer of cases to the files of the public in the Salem District already alluded to in para 18

23 These Tables do not appear to call for any remark measures will be adopted to give in future reports the average time occupied in the disposal of cases by the Police Magistracy and Courts respectively.

24 It is evident that there is a want of accuracy in tabulating in filling up the Columns 11 and 10 in statements 1 and 2 and the small number of prosecutions in the Tanjore, Tinnevelly and Trichinopoly Districts in comparison of the false accusations exhibited in the returns is remarkable.—

25 The causes which have led to the commission of the majority of the Suicides appearing on the Tables are stated to have been

Divorce
Family dissensions
Detected intrigues
Destitution.

26 In respect to the cause first mentioned it would appear that much may be expected from the establishment of Civil dispensaries. The Sessions Judge of Combaconum is of opinion that the decrease in the number of Suicides in Tanjore amounting to 27 may be fairly attributed to a more general knowledge of the establishment of the Government Dispensary and the Magistrate of Tanjore considers that the number of deaths might be lessened by insisting on the Village authorities reporting long standing diseases for the purpose of applications being afforded the sufferers at the Civil Hospitals. making the village Heads responsible in cases of Suicide happening from neglect on their parts to report the illness of the deceased"

27. The casualties arising from the other causes above specified cannot it is generally held be checked by any public measures It is however stated by the

Magistrate

Magistrate of Tanjore, in alluding to the fact that 65 cases
of attempt at suicide have been sent up to the Court for
punishment, that the Knowledge of the act being Criminal
has some effect in checking its commission and be fur-
ther suggests that the Village Moonsiff should where
a man and wife are notoriously at variance make a
note of the fact, and in cases where the wife destroys herself
in consequence of inability to suffer the harsh treatment
of the husband, some punishment should be inflicted on
him

28 The Sessions Judge and Magistrate of
Cuddapah concur in thinking that many of the casualties
reported as suicides or accidental deaths are murders.
The latter observes that the small value placed on
life generally and the facility with which compromises
are effected between the Murderers and the family of
their victim under the combined influence of venality
fear of the criminals vengeance and aversion to appear
before the Courts throw difficulties almost insuperable in
the way of arriving at the truth for which the most effec-
tual remedy appears to him to be the working Perjury
summarily punishable. The former is of opinion that
inquiry into the circumstances attending the reported
casualties might with advantage be made more fre-
quently than is customary, personally by the ——

Magistrate

Magistrate and that it is expedient to require the village Of-
ficers to furnish a report in the state of answers to a Series of
questions calculated to information upon all particulars
connected with the position and state of the body when found
and the footing on which the deceased was with relatives and
neighbours from which the probable causes of death might
be presumed within 24 hours after the discovery of a corpse.

29 One of the difficulties noticed by the
Magistrate of Rajahmundry who recommends "that in
"all cases of Homicide batta be paid by Government upon a
"scale which shall afford a complete remedy for "the one
"resulting from the trouble experience and alarm which the
"natives experience when cited as witnesses per in cases of violent
death." The Sessions Judge of Rajahmundry has made the
suggestions the subject of a seperate communication in
which he recommends that in all cases coming before
the Courts the Judges be authorized to grant batta at the
rate of 2 annas per diem which rate the Magistrate con-
siders complete to all witnesses who may produce a certifi-
cate from the Magistracy or Police, declaring that ——
amount to be, with reference to the means of the party and
the number dependant upon him, necessary and in reply
have been informed that under Section XXXIII Regulation
X of 1816 he was fully competent to carry out the plans pro-
posed by him without special sanction.

30 The most prevalent cause of
accidental

accidental death has been drowning and the greater pro-
portion of accidents from this cause has occurred to persons
drawing or tasting water from wells. The reports of the Ma-
gistrates show that the fencing of enclosed wells adjacent
to public roads, cleansing the steps leading into the wells
and other similar precautions have not been neglected
and the agent reports that floats made of two spars
of light wood bound cross ways together with rope have
been used with advantage in wells at Kurnool. In the
Tellicherry division of Malabar however and in Nellore
the Sessions Judges consider that the wells are insuf-
ficiently protected and the Magistrate of Guntoor re-
ports that many wells require parapets, the building
of which, as few of the wells are private, will be attended
with considerable expence to the state. In Madura the
Magistrate reports that the inhabitants will not use
the wheels with which the wells there have been fitted.

31 In Canara attempts to cross the river
by persons too indigent to pay the ferry tolls are stated
to contribute largely to the loss of life. The Magistrate,
however does not consider any modification of the pre-
sent Ferrying System desirable, He remarks "If
the Ferries were not rented out as they are at present,
but kept up at the sole cost of Government and the
passage by them nominally free, there can be little
doubt

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doubt that the persons employed on them who would have
no motive for activity and attention, would be more prompt
and cause greater detention to travellers, while fees or
presents would not the less be demanded, all this not car-
ried to account of Government. It would not be practi-
cable to increase the number of ferries so as to be available
on all the cross roads and path ways from Village to
Village where the accidents mostly occur even those at
present in existence are kept up in an efficient state
with great difficulty.

32 Mr Blane suggests a remedy
in the following terms — "The practical building of brid-
"ges over the more rapid and dangerous nullahs and
"in the meantime making small contributions for
"keeping up the temporary bridges which are used in
"many places along the Coast would have a direct
"effect in diminishing these accidents nothing would
"contribute so speedily and efficiently towards this
"end as to adopt the system which has apparently
"been in operation in Bengal for some years of allow-
"ing the local officers to dispose of the surplus ferry
"funds for such useful purpose. It may be said that the
"Collector may recommend such works in the regular course, but
"the system by which small works are executed through the
"Public works Department is so elaborated, dilatory, and

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"in efficient that its act as a practical check to all
"such minor improvements. The actual execution of
"such works is the least part of the trouble connected
"with them."

33 In allusion to the loss of life by wild beasts, Mr Blane remarks that "the only
"remedy is that which is now adopted of granting
"rewards for their distruction. The numbers of re-
"wards paid is very large and there can be no
"doubt that they are the means of preventing a
"much greater sacrifice of human life, by keeping
"down the increase of wild beasts."

34 It is to be observed with reference to the apparent increase exhibited in this Table that from the previous returns Ganjam Vizagapatam, Masulipatam and Tinnevelly were altogether excluded and that no returns of Suicides were received from Guntoor and Trichinopoly. Also that in Rajahmundry the number of accidental deaths has been largely increased by the floods of 1849 and that at Trichinopoly, during the celebration of a Festival on the rock 178 lives were lost under

Circumstances

Circumstances which have been already reported to Government.

35 The late date at which the Statements were received from certain of the Zillahs especially Masulipatam Salem and Coimbatore rendered the transmission of this Report to Government by the 30th of June impracticable indeed the returns from Coimbatore were only completed on the 20th June. It is however to be remarked that an improved method of arranging and designating offences in the Forms of the Statements Nos 1 and 2 adopted by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut in October 1849 appears to have some degree impeded the preparation of their returns by the Officers of District Police, whilst in Order to supply information upon the points commended upon by Government in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date 11th December 1849 No 839 it was necessary to call for a variety of additional returns.

15th July 1850

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of Madura

Sir

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 3d instant annexing copy of one from the General Commanding the Southern Division requesting that a party of 50 Convicts may be detached from Paumben and placed at his disposal for employment on works in the vicinity of the new Barracks at Ramnad.

2 Before acceding to Brigadier General Walpoles requision the Judges request that you will ascertain from the Officer in charge at Paumben and report for their information whether fifty convicts can conveniently be detached from thence without detriment to the progess of the public works now in course of execution at that Station and also whether the old jail at Ramnad were it is proposed to locate the Convicts, is a fit place for their reception, their health and security being duly considered.

3 Adverting also to the fact that the Convicts are to be employed in aiding the Sepoys to erect huts, the Judges request to be informed, whether the Sepoys

Sepoys usually receive any allowance from Government for building their huts and if not, whether such huts are deemed Government property or whether they are held to be the private property of the Sepoys, and are sold by them to the relieved detachment.

15th July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

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(No. 65)

To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut with reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 17th November 1841 No. 857 granting sanction for the sums actually expended by the Assistant Judge at Cuddalore in making Roads at that Station from Fuslies 1243 to 1250 and authorizing "the continued expenditure by the Assistant Judge of Rupees 30 per mensem for keeping the Roads in repair" to submit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council for Special Sanction the enclosed Three Bills of the expence incurred by the Session and Acting Session Judge during the Fuslies 1256-1257 and 1258.

2 The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut beg to recommend that these charges which have been incurred under due authority and which amounts in the aggregate to Rupees (751-2-5) Seven hundred and fifty one Annas two and pice five.

16th July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

(No. 66)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to state for the information of Government that there are at present in the Jail at Chingleput 8 Convicts awaiting execution of their sentences of transportation and to suggest that tenders be invited for their passage to Singapore.

16th July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

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Siddy Cactan,
Thomen Peroo,
Gurdeegadoo,
C. Vencatagadoo,
Seampoo Shetty,
Soobba Moospen,
Sasanapoory Somiah alias Neliah,
Boyede Ramiah,

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(No. 67)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government date 3d July 1850 No. 417 transmitting for any observations or suggestions that the Judges may desire to offer on its provisions Copy of an amended Draft Act to allow counsel to all persons on the trial of offences.

2 The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut again beg to call the attention of Govern=ment to the necessity which in their opinion exists for providing that parties be entitled to demand Copies of depositions and other papers and proceeding read or recorded in Criminal trials before the Courts when required by them either for preparing an Ap=peal from a sentence of the Courts, or for stating exceptions and objections to the Proceedings of the Lesion Courts on trials referred for the final

sentence

sentence of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.

3 The Judges observe that in Bengal Copies of the record are given to parties, but only on stamped paper. Under the Bombay Regulations every Prisoner is entitled to be furnished with a Copy (authenticated by the Court) of the sentence or of any document recorded on the trial. but it has been ruled that he cannot claim a Copy of the written evidence or proceedings on a trial but only documents proved and introduced in the trial whilst at Madras it as always been held that a prisoner can only claim a copy of his sentence, and the Judges consider that this diversity of practice makes it absolutely necessary that a general rule should be laid down for the guidance of the Courts in all the Presidencies on this important point.

4 The Judges are of opinion that the right of demanding copies of the evidence recorded on his trial is necessary to enable a Prisoner to avail himself to the fullest extent of the privilege of appeal given him by Law and

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and they consider that he should have the same latitude as is allowed in Civil Pleadings and be permitted to make for his private use and at his own expense Copies of the record, and that Stamp Paper should be required only in those Cases in a Prisoner may demand authenticated Extracts from the record. It appears to them that the practice existing in Bengal of granting Copies only upon Stamp Paper gives undue advantage to the wealthy Prisoner.

16th July 1850. (Signed) G. F. Beauchamp
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(No. 68)

To
The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Recommending for Sanction an Estract from the retrenchment made from the accounts of the Collector of Salem from 12th July 1846 to 11th July 1847 on account of expenses for Fusly 1256.

16th July 1850. (Signed) G. F. Beauchamp
Register

To
The Civil Auditor

Sir

As requested in your letter dated the 27th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to furnish you with the annexed

annexed list of the Station at which there are branch Jails and the officers by whom those Jails use to visited-

Sessions Judge	Calicut	Cochin
"	Chicacole	Vizagapatam Itchapoor
"	Chinglepute	Guindy Modavaukum
"	Chittoor	Vellore
"	Coimbatore	Paulghaut
"	Combaconum	Negapatam Mayaveram Tranquebar
"	Cuddapah	Cumbum
Bellary "	Honore	Sirsy
"	Madura	Paumbum
"	Salem	Ootacoor Dharampoory Moonoochokaly
"	Tellicherry	Cannanore

16th July 1850- (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Acting Sessions Judge of Trichinopoly

Sir

1 In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated the 1st Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to authorize under the powers vested in them by the Order of Government dated 28th July 1845 your expending 34 Thirty foure Rupees in Construction of a Plat form for the Gallows at your Station-

2 . After completion of the work you will

pleased to forward an account particular of the actual outlay for final sanction by this Court-

16th July 1850- (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

A Copy of the Order of Government dated 10th January 1848 No 44 is herewith forwarded to the Magistrate of North Arcot, with reference to his letter dated the 31st May last-

16th May 1850- (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Magistrate of Salem

Communicating Order of Government remarking on the large number of Peons employed in guarding bodies of Convicts in the Salem and Calling for explanation &c.a ---

16th July 1850- (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of Bellary-

Sir

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated the 30th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to intimate to you that they sanction the expenditure of (6) Six Rupees incurred in the maintenance of the Children of a Convict during the 2d Quarter of 1850 as set forth in the statement submitted with your letter-

19th July 1850- (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of Tellicherry.

Sir

In reply to your letter dated the 1st Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut to inform you that under the Order of Government dated 28th July 1843 they authorize your expending (5) Five Rupees in the purchase of two hand saws for which you will submit a Bill to this Court to be finally sanctioned after the articles have been procured

19th July 1850.

(Signed) G. I. Beauchamp
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To

The Session Judge of Cuddalore

Sir

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated the 5th Instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut under the power vested in them by the Order of Government dated 28th July 1843 to convey to you their Sanction for the disbursement of (39-8-8) Thirty nine Rupees, Eight Annas and Eight Fice made in the construction of a Brick and Chunam Cupboard &ca in the Jail Hospital at Cuddalore.

19th July 1850.

(Signed) G. I. Beauchamp
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Wanted Letter
to the Sessions Judge
Good Conduct
Pay &c. &c.
Leave
Cuddalore 19th July

No. 70

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

With reference to the Order of Government No. 402 dated 25th Ultimo forwarding Copy of a letter from the Secretary to Government of India and requesting

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the Court of Fouydaree Udalut to furnish the information therein required regarding the expense which is likely to attend the monthly publication of their Criminal Decisions, I am directed by the Judges to report that Messrs. Pharoah and Co. have expressed their willingness to undertake the work at the same rates at which they now print the Courts decrees in Civil Cases. Viz. for 1 to 20 Pages at 4 annas each

20 to 30 Do. ——— 6 ———

30 to 40 Do. ——— 8 ———

19th July 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

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To

The Sessions Judge of

Honore

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 2d July 1850 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut to inform you that the Government were pleased under date 14th May 1850 to direct the Civil Auditor to pass your Bills for travelling allowance on account of your Quarterly visits to the Gaol at Sircy

16th July 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

Register.

Memorandum

The Sessions Judge of Chengleput is requested to state whether Copies of his Reports dated the 9th and 13th Instant regarding the recent outbreak among the Convicts employed on the Sadras Road, have been transmitted to Government as required in the Circular Order of the Fouydaree Udalut dated 20th May 1834.

By Order of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut.

20th July 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Mem.

Memorandum

The Half Yearly statement of Convicts for the 1st Half of 1850, not having as yet been received as required in this Courts letter dated the 15th June last, the Magistrate of Salem is requested to transmit the same without any further delay

By order of the Court of Fouydaree Adalut
23d July 1850 (Signed) G. F. Branchamp
Register

Memorandum

The Half Yearly Statement of Convicts for the 1st Half of 1850 not having as yet been received as required in this Courts letter dated the 15th June last the Sudder Ameen of Ackapoor is requested to transmit the same without further delay

By order of the Court of Fouydaree Adalut
23d July 1850. (Signed) G. F. Branchamp.
Register

To
The Sessions Judge of
Honore

Communicating Order of Government sanctioning the employment of 4 additional Peons as a temporary arrangement in the Jail at Sircy.

23d July 1850. (Signed) G. F Branchamp
Register

(No 11)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut with reference to the order of Government noted in the Margin to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the enclosed copy of a Statement shewing the sums paid to the time expired convicts of the Gaimaly Jail from 1st January to 30th June 1850 and exhibiting a balance of Rupees 18. 2. 3 Eight Rs two annahs two and Pie three in favor of the Superintendent of Roads.

2. I am directed to add that Captain Worster having been called upon to bring the sums drawn under the sanction of Government dated 15th February 1850 to account in this statement explains that since the 1st advance of Rupees 250 no further sum has been drawn by him owing to the objection of the Sub Treasurer which is in Course of removal.

24th July 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

The Magistrate of Rajahmundry is requested to cause the enclosed Statement to be filled up according to the instructions contained in para 2 of the accompanying Copy of Circular letter of the 15th June last and to retransmit the same without any delay -

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut

24th July 1850 - (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

The remarks of the Cauzee Col. Cozat upon the Futwa of the Law Officer attached to the Session Court of Cuddapah in Case No 11 of 1850, and translation thereof are forwarded for the information of the Session Judge and for communication to the Law Officer.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut

26th July 1852. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

The remarks of the Cauzee Col. Cozat upon the Futwa of the Law Officer attached to the Session Court of Mangalore in Case No 17 of 1850 and translation thereof are forwarded for the information of

of the Session Judge and for communication to the Law Officer.

By Order of the Court of Soujdaree Udalut.
26th July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

The remarks of the Cauzee-ool-Coozat upon the Futwa of the Law Officer attached to the Session Court of Nellore in Case No. 15 of 1850, and translation thereof, are forwarded for the information of the Session Judge and for communication to the Law Officer.
26th July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(No. 72)

To
The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Soujdaree Udalut to state for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that the Session Judge of Coimbatore has in a communication dated 13th Instant reported that in anticipation of the Courts sanction he has requested the Magistrate to proclaim a reward of Rupees 100 for the recapprehension of

of a convict by name Runahee Chetty, who escaped from the Jail at that Station on the 7th Instm.

2 The Court of Soujdaree Udalut desire me to state that they are not of opinion that the occasion called for a higher reward than that fixed by Circular Order Soujdaree Udalut 8th March 1839 No. 104 Viz. 25 Rupees but, as the Magistrate will have at once acted upon the requisition of the Session Judge, they beg to recommend that authority may be granted for the offer of a reward of Rupees 100 (one hundred) for the reapprehension of the convict in question.

3 I am further directed to request that could the Government be pleased to accede to this recommendation the annexed Descriptive Roll may be published in the Official Gazette.

27th July 1850 } (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Statement

Descriptive Roll of a Prisoner who effected his escape from the Jail at Coimbatore on the 7th July 1850, and for whose recapture Reward of One Hundred Rupees is offered.

No. of the Prisoner in the Calendar for the Sessions	Name of the Prisoner and Caste	Description and Character			Sentence and Date	Fingers impressed by Order of Sentence.	Reward payable
		Age	Height	Complexion			
No. 8 of 1849 on the file of the Sessions Court of Coimbatore	Ruvy Ibo alias Ely son of Ruvy Ibo Caddy of Prole: Apothecary by Caste: a Native of Cochin: a Jew by persuasion in the Service of the Court of Judicature at Tellicherry	30	5 feet 2 inches	Black	Transportation for Life	×	Rupees One Hundred

Committed for trial by the Sessions Judge of Coimbatore on the 22 days of January 1849 on the following charges viz Count 1st Forgery of Bills of Exchange in contravention of Section 467 of Act XLV of 1860 and Section 109 of the same Act. Count 2nd Abetment of Forgery of Bills of Exchange in contravention of Section 467 of Act XLV of 1860 and Section 109 of the same Act. Count 3rd Abetment of Forgery of Bills of Exchange in contravention of Section 467 of Act XLV of 1860 and Section 109 of the same Act. Count 4th Abetment of Forgery of Bills of Exchange in contravention of Section 467 of Act XLV of 1860 and Section 109 of the same Act. Count 5th Abetment of Forgery of Bills of Exchange in contravention of Section 467 of Act XLV of 1860 and Section 109 of the same Act. Count 6th Abetment of Forgery of Bills of Exchange in contravention of Section 467 of Act XLV of 1860 and Section 109 of the same Act. 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(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

× Sentence 6 years Transportation for each of the 100 Counts of this charge to run concurrently from date of this conviction of Calicut 7th July 1850 and 3 months Imprisonment for each of the 100 Counts of this charge to run concurrently from date of this conviction for the reasons recorded herein for the reasons stated.

To
The Magistrate of Malabar

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut that as the items No. 106 and 107 referred to in the 3rd para of your letter of the 13th July 1850 under the Circular Order Foujdaree Udalut 10th November 1837 and No. 138 clearly appertain to the Magisterial Department they may be included in the Supplemental Statement of Contingent charges incurred in Fusly 1255 transmitted with your letter of the 10th June 1850 and herewith returned.

29 July 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

No 73

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir.

1 With reference to my letter dated the 19th Instant. No 80 submitting for the sanction of Govern: ment Statements of contingent charges incurred by the sever Subordinate Judicial Officers and Magistrates in the Provin: ces for Fusly 1258. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to be laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompany: ing copy of a communication from the Collector of Sanjore requesting sanction for Rs. A. P. 1-2-8 the amount of batta paid to a Peon, for exerting a prisoner in Fusly 1258.

2 The Judges beg to recommend that the sanction of Government be granted to the charge in question amounting to Rupees (1-2-8) one annas two and pice eight.

30th July 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(No 74)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

In obedience to the Orders of Govern: ment contained in the Extract from the Minutes of

of Consultation under date the 24th June 1834 I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to be laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Copies in Triplicate of a Circular Order No 191 of this date.

30th July 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of

Bellary.

Communicating Order of Government sanctioning charge incurred by the employment of a temporary extra guard in the Bellary Jail in the year 1847.

30th July 1850. — (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

No 751

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree A. dalut to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council a Supplemental statement of Contingent charges incurred by the Magistrate of Malabar in Fusly 1257 amounting to Rupees 38 a 2 thirty eight 2/4 Rates.

These charges appear to have been omitted by an oversight from the annual statement submitted to the Government on the 23d August 1849. but as they have been incurred under due authority the Court of Foujdaree Adalut recommend that they may be specially sanctioned by Government.

1st August 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

Register

To

The Session Judge of

Masulipatam

Communicating Order of Government sanctioning an Indent for Pickaxes

1st August 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Cuddalore

Communicating order of Government sanctioning Bill of expences incurred by the Sessions Court of Cuddalore for keeping the roads in repair during July 1256/57 58 with observations and orders with regard to the submission of the Bills.

2d August 1850 Signed/ G. T. Branchamp

Register

Memorandum

The Session Judge of Chingleput is requested to report the Number of Prisoners at present detached from the Zillah Jail for employment on the Southern road and the places at which they are located

By Order of the Court of

Foujdaree Adalut

3d August 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Branchamp

Register

/No 761

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court

Court of Foujdaree Adalut to transmit for the purpose of being placed before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the enclosed copy of a Letter dated 26th July 1850 from the Session Judge of Bellary recommending that authority be granted for putting on task at a distance of from 5 to 10 miles from the Jail a Gang of 150 Convicts for employment on a line of Road communicating with Bengalore and Mangalore

Mr. Strange states that the work is highly important that a saving of Rupees 2786 2 a has been effected upon the portion of the line already completed by the Prisoners, about 3 Miles, and that the Acting Collector will provide the materials for the task under these circumstances the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut beg to recommend this application to the favorable consideration of Government

3d August 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Branchamp

Register

To

To

The Session Judges of

Rajahmundry

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to inform you that the Govern: ment have resolved to establish a Divisional Depot for the reception of Insane Prisoners and other Lu: natics at the stations noted in the Margin, and it having been determined that these Depots shall be placed under the same General Superintendence as the Jails, I am to request that you will call upon the Subordinate Judge in concert with the Medical Officer in charge of the Civil Department and the Civil Engineer prepare for submission to this Court plans and estimates of the buildings and a statement of the establishment which may be necessary

2 The annexed Table will shew the number now confined in the Districts from which Lunatics and Insane Prisoners will be transferred to the Depot at Bellary but I am to request that you will instruct the Sub: Judge to ascertain the average number received into the Jails of the Districts in question during the last 7 years and in framing his plans and Estimates to take that average into Consideration.

Depot	District	Number now Confined	Number to be transferred from Lunatic Asylum	Total
Rajahmundry	Ganjam	"	"	"
	Vizagapatam	1	"	1
	Rajahmundry	1	"	1
	Masulipatam	2	"	2
	Guntoor	"	"	"
	Total	4	"	4
Trichinopoly	South Arcot	2	"	2
	Salem	2	1	3
	Tanjore	1	2	3
	Coimbatore	"	2	2
	Trichinopoly	"	"	"
	Madura	"	"	"
	Tinnevelly	2	"	2
	Total	7	5	12
Mangalore	North & South Canara	6	"	6
	Malabar	4	1	5
	Total	10	1	11
Bellary	Chittoor	"	"	"
	Cuddapah	3	"	3
	Kurnool	"	"	"
	Bellary	1	"	1
	Nellore	3	1	4
	Total	7	1	8

3d August 1850

(Signed) G. F. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Secretary to the Military Board

Forwarding an Indent for Padlocks from the Session Judge of Trichinopoly

3d August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

(No 771)

To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to state for the information of Government that the Session Judge of Nellore has submitted to this Court a representation made by the Officer Commanding Nellore requesting the building provided for the Military Guard over the Jail at that station which is stated to have mud walls only fourteen inches in thickness and a roof of thatch which is decayed and leaky. it is also reported to be infested with snakes and Scorpions and from its size and faulty constructions even if new to be in every respect objectionable and inadequate for the accommodation of the Guard

2

The Session Judge concurs in

in these Statements and recommends the erection of more suitable quarters. Plans and Estimates for which the Court of Foujdaree Adalut beg accordingly to suggest that the Civil Engineer of the Division may be authorized by Government to prepare.

5th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

Register

To

The Collector of

Salem

Sir,

In reply to your letter dated 15th July 1850 forwarding an account particulars of reward paid for the capture of an escaped Convict, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to return the statement and to request you will submit the same in the form of a Supplement to your statement of contingent Charges for Fusly 1258

5th August 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

To

The Session Judge of

Honore

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 20th Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adawlut to state that they have no authority to sanction the employment of the Prisoners on the work proposed in your letter and that it will be necessary for you to address the Government direct on the Subject

5th August 1850 (Signed) T. Lushington
Senior Dy Register

(No. 781)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to state for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that the Session Judge of Chengleput has applied for authority to entertain temporarily a

temporarily a carpenter on the Jail establishment on a Salary not exceeding Rupees 12 per Mensem

2. The Session Judge represents that the daily service of a good Carpenter for making and repairing the looms, repairing the Jail Carts, and making and repairing the Handles of the Tools used by the Convicts Vizt is indispensably requisite. There has always hitherto been found a Carpenter available among Convicts but the only Carpenter in Jail has just been released at the expiration of his sentence, and under these circumstances and with reference to the facts that the actual returns from the convicts under the charge of this Officer during the last Fasly 1258 were in Cash 1592 9-2 estimated value of articles manufactured 961 3-9 and Labor 12,157 5 as making in the aggregate Rupees 14,705 1-11 and that a Convict Carpenter cannot be obtained from either of the Jails at Cuddalore or Chittoor the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut beg to recommend that authority may now be granted for the entertainment of a Carpenter on a Salary not exceeding (12) Twelve Rupees per mensem in the Jail at Chingleput until the services of a convict carpenter may be again available and hereafter, whenever a

a similar Emergency may occur.
6th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

To

The Sessions Judge of
Combatore

Communicating Order of Government
Sanctioning the offer of a reward of 100 Rupees for
the recapture of an escaped Convict
6th august 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register
(No 79)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Recommending for sanction an In-
dent for tools required for the use of the Convicts
in the Chittoor Jail
7th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Post Master General

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the
Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to state in reply to
your

your Letter of the 30th July 1850 that the Tin box there
in referred to was received on the 5th July last and
that the Baskets have duly come to hand
7th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of
Cuddalore

Sir,

To

The Subordinate Judge of

Calicut

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated 25th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdarree Adawlut to inform you that they authorize the disbursement of 2 two Rupees monthly for the support of the infant child of the Prisoner in case N on the Calendar of the Calicut Session Court for 1850

8th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp.

Register

To

The Session Judge of

Chicacole

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court

Foujdarree Diary 8th August 1850

Court of Foujdarree Adawlut in reply to your letter of the 20th Ultimo, to inform you that the Government under date 24th November 1845 directed that instead of indenting upon the Commissary of Ordnance for Wheel Barrows or Platform Carts, the officers in charge of Jails should make their own arrangements for procuring upon contract the articles best adapted for the use of Prisoners and consequently to request that you will prepare and submit an Estimate of the Cost of constructing the wheel barrows you now require at Chicacole.

2 I am further directed to return the Indent which accompanied your letter and to request that you will submit a Seperate Indent for Murmooties &c for the use of the Jail.

8th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp.

Register

To

The Session Judge of

Nellore

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of the Statement of Batta paid to the Children of Convicts in the Jail under your charge during the 2d Quarter of 1850 submitted by you under date

date the 30th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.dare Udalut to intimate to you that they sanction the total expenditure of Rupees 3-2-7 Three Rupees, Two annas and Seven Pie incurred during the period in question.

8th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Official Memorandum

To

The Chief Secretary to
Government

The Original letter dated 21st May 1850 from the Sessions Judge of Nellore with its enclosure having reference to the order directing him to supply Prisoners for imitating the Civil Hospital at his station and a copy of the Court Proceedings thereon dated 3d June 1850, are herewith transmitted to the Chief Secretary to Government with reference to his Memorandum dated the 10th Instant

Fouj.dare Udalut
Register's Office
12th August 1850

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(№ 80)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Recommending for sanction an Indent from the Sessions Judge of Chicacole for 2 moveable Sentry boxes required for the use of the Jail at Itchapoor

12th August 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(№ 81)

To The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj.dare Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 4th July 1850 № 646 transmitting copy of a Letter from the Secretary to the Government of India dated 7th June 1850 and of a Minute, recorded by the Honorable Mr Elliott under date 26th October 1849 and requesting that the Judges will state whether they still entertain doubts as to the competency of the inferior tribunals to exercise under the provisions of Act VI of 1843 a primary jurisdiction in regard to the more serious offences against the Customs Laws and if so that they will explain the

considerations

consideration on which their doubts are founded.

2 In reply I am directed to state that the Court of Foujdaree Udalut had not overlooked the fact that the inferior tribunals were competent to commit persons charged with the offences in question for trial before the Session Courts, but as it appeared to them manifest that it could not have been the intention of the Legislature that Session Judges should in the Madras Presidency be alone competent to punish those offences which had been made cognizable by the Magistrate or Justice of the Peace in Bengal and by the Criminal Judge or the Senior Assistant Judge in Bombay they in their letter of the 4th April 1850 stated that they were still of opinion that the declaratory enactment proposed by them is imperatively required to render the provisions of the Madras Customs Act adopted to the constitution of the inferior tribunals

3. I am further instructed to point out that under the Law as it now stands it will be necessary to forward a British subject charged with the offence specified in Section LXII for trial before the Supreme Court.

12th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

Foujdaree Diary 12th August 1850

(№ 82)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to report for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that the Session Judge of Guntoor has recently requested permission to call upon the Civil Engineer of the Division to prepare an Estimate of the cost of erecting in the Jail at that station permanent cooking rooms which he proposes to substitute for the temporary sheds now in use the renewal of which has been attended with consitant expense and to state that the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut recommended that the authority solicited may be granted.

12th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(№ 83)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court

Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 31st July 1850 N° 484 and in conformity with the instructions therein conveyed to state that the expenses of printing the Criminal decisions of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut is N et is estimated amount to Rupees 24 10 Twenty four and Annas Ten per mensem as shewn in detail below

Average Number of Criminal Sentences per mensem	12		
Estimated Number of pages in each monthly Number	24		
Cost at the rate agreed upon by Messrs Pharoah and Co 6 annas per Copy for 55 Copies	Rs 20	a 10	p —
Total payment of a Section writer for making the Copy to be furnished to the Press or 9,600 words at 1 Rupee for 2,400 words	4	—	—
Total monthly Cost	24	10	—

12th August 1850 (Signed) J Branchamp
Register

To

(N° 84)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to report in accordance with the Extract Minutes Consultation of Government dated 11th July 1850 for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that the Havildar in Command of the Guard over the temporary Jail at Cantonment the night it was destroyed by fire was Shaik Boodun N° 407 Light Company of the 36th Regement of Native Infantry.

12th August 1850 (Signed) J Branchamp
Register

To

The Acting Session Judge of
Madura

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut to state that the authority to whom you should have applied for information regarding the state of the Jail at Cantonment was

was the Magistrate of the District and they request that you will now place yourself in communication with that Officer and submit the required report at your earliest convenience

12th August 1850. /Signed/ F Purlington
Senior Dy to the Regr

(№ 85)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

With reference to the Order of Government dated 23d June 1838 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj daree Adaulut to transmit to be laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying General Statement made up to the 29th June 1850 Shewing the № of Convicts sentenced to labor on public works throughout the Madras Territories, the № allotted to each description of work; their age, the authorities under whom they are placed and date of the authority of Government under which they have been placed under the control of Officers other than those in charge of the Zillah Jails

13th August 1850.

Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of
Chinglepet.

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Fouj daree Adaulut 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 the usual Calendars of the Convicts who may be forwarded to the Presidency under these orders.—

13th August 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(№ 86)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouj daree Adaulut with reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date 11th December 1849. № 835 directing that the Prisoner Ramanah who had been acquitted on a charge of severe wounding by the Sessions—

Judge

Judge of Bellary on the ground of insanity be detained in custody pending a further report from the Zillah Surgeon at the expiration of 6 months to state for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that the said Ramanah is reported to have died on the 27th July 1850.

2. I am directed to state in explanation of the delay which has occurred in making the further report required by the Government that on the expiration of the term in question the officiating Zillah Surgeon who had been in charge of the said only a few days, was unable to give any decided opinion upon the said Prisoner's state of mind and the Session Judge consequently reported to the Court of Foujdaree Adaulut that he would await the return of the Zillah Surgeon then shortly expected.

3. On the 5th July 1850. the Zillah Surgeon sent in his report in which he declared that the Prisoner tho' of a very excitable temperament was not in his opinion insane.

4. But the Session Judge having ascertained that a medical Officer formerly in charge of the Prisoner entertained a contrary opinion of his state that it had been necessary on 3 or 4 occasions to confine him in a straight [illegible] Jacket

Jacket and that he had suddenly assaulted the Zillah Surgeon considered it necessary to order the Subordinate Judge to make a formal enquiry into his behaviour— This enquiry was closed on the 24th July whilst in Jail This enquiry was closed on the 24th July 1850 and the proceedings were forwarded to the Court of Foujdaree Adaulut on the 27th Idem, on which day as before stated the Prisoner died.

15th August 1850. (Signed) G. J. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of
Rajahmundry

Sir,

It appearing from the Schedule of Monies in the official custody of the Subordinate Judge of Rajahmundry at the close of the half year ending on the 30th June 1850 that a sum of Rupees 160 has been deposited in the Subordinate Court by two Sureties on account of the 4th Prisoner in case No 9 of 1850 on the file of the Session Court I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adaulut to request that you will state for their information whether the two sureties who deposited the sum in question and executed the Security bond were certified to you to be respectable persons, and under what circumstances they were required to deposit in cash.

each the amount of Security demanded instead of
merely pointing out property of the value required
15th August 1850 (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
Head Assist.t to the Regr.

To

The Acting Session Judge of
Tranquebar

Sir,

The Military Board having requested the Court of Fouj.dar.ee Adawlut to state whether the reasons assigned for the deficiency of arms accoutrements &c.a noted marginally are sufficient to authorize their being written off the returns. I am directed to request that you will furnish a full explanation of the circumstances attending the withdrawal by the Jailor from the stores of 1 Pistol and 6 swords to which allusion is made in your letter to the Magistrate dated 10th June 1850

	S.	Rs.	Ps.
Muskets with Bayonets and Swords complete	"	1	3
Swords without scabbards	3	"	"
Cartridge Ball Muskets	1	"	"
Flints Muskets	3	"	4
Pouches Muskets	11	"	"
Pistols complete	1	"	"
Flints Pistols	4	"	"
Pouches Pistols	1	"	"
Belt Buff Pouch	1	"	"

16th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

| N.o 87 |

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to the order of Government dated 12th Instant N.o 506, I am directed by the Judges of the Fouj.dar.ee Adawlut to state that in obedience to the orders therein contained 14 Convicts under sentence of transportation are reported to have been despatched from this station on the 15th 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.—

16th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sub: Judge of
Combaconum

Communicating order of Government directing Convicts to be supplied for employments in certain works to be erected for the defence of the Town of Tranquebar from the encroachments of the Sea.—

17th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

Foujdaree Diary 19th August 1850

/ No 88 /

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I was directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to forward to you the accompanying descriptive Roll of Five Convicts who effected their escape in the Nellore District on the 6th Instant and to request that you will obtain authority for the publication of the same in three successive issues of the Fort St George Gazette.-

19th August 1850. / Signed / G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Chingleput

Communicating Order of Government directing a Carpenter to be employed on daily hire in the Jail when no Convict Carpenter is available and the expence thus incurred to be included among the Contingent charges.

19th August 1850 / Signed / G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

To

Foujdaree Diary 22d August 1850.

To

The Magistrate of
Malabar

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated the 3d Instant. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to furnish you with the annexed Copy of the Government dated 25th January 1845. and to intimate that the Order dated 28th July 1843 will be found printed at Page 608 of the Fort St George Gazette of that year.

22d August 1850. Signed / G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Tellicherry.

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated the 31st ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to convey to you their final Sanction under the order of Government dated 28th July 1843 for the expenditure of 5 fine Rupees in the purchase of two Hand Saws.

Fort St Gazette Page 608.

22d August 1850. / Signed / G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

To

The Sessions Judge of

Nellore

Communicating order of Government authorizing him to call upon the Civil Engineer for a Plan and Estimate for building new quarters for the Military Guard employed in the Nellore Jail.

22d August 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

Register

To

The Acting Sessions Judge of

Madura

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 3d Instant enclosing Copy of a letter from the Joint Magistrate at Paumbum regarding the disposal of the old Jail at that place I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to request that you will refer the matter for the consideration of the Magistrate of Madura who will adopt such measures as he may think as proper with reference thereto.

22d Augt 1850. (Signed) A. I. Arbuthnot

Asst Assistant to the Register

To.

To

The Magistrate of

Madura.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to return to you the statement of Contingent charges incurred during Fasly 1259 in order that the several Items of charge entered therein may be numbered as directed in this Courts Circular order dated the 2d April 1839 that certain errors observable in the Column of Decrease which have been corrected in pencil in this Office may be amended and that a duplicate statement may be Submitted.

24th August 1850. (Signed) A. I. Arbuthnot

Asst Attd to the Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of

Chittoor

Communicating Order of Government directing the supply of certain Tools required for use by the Convicts under his charge.

26d August 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

Register.

To.

To

The Session Judge of

Guntoor

Communicating Order of Government authorizing a plan and Estimate to be made for the erection of Cooking sheds in the Jail under his charge

26th August 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

(No 89)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Sudder and Foujdaree Adaulut to submit for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying copy of a letter dated 10th August 1850 from Mr. Morris the Civil and Session Judge of Cuddapah reporting that he has been served with a Subpena to appear as a witness on behalf of Capt. Campbell now awaiting his trial for Murder before the Supreme Court

2. The Judges of the Court of Sudder and Foujdaree Adaulut beg to recommend that

that Mr. Morris be authorized to be absent from his station for 3 weeks with permission as the state of business in the Civil and Session Court does not seem to make any special provision for the limited period required to necessary to deliver over the charge of his Office to the Subordinate Judge.

26th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

Register.

(No 90)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judl. Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adaulut to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council for consideration and orders under the provisions of Act IX of 1849 the enclosed Original Calendar of Case No. 16 of 1850 before the Session Court of Tinnevelly together with Copies of a Letter from the Act. Session Judge recommending that the Prisoner Vijayavallee Naicken be detained in Custody for 14 years, and of two certificates and of one Deposition given by the Medical Officers who have had charge of the Prisoner.

The

The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut are not satisfied of the propriety of the Prisoners acquittal but it only now remains for them to recommend that he be detained in safe custody and placed under the charge of the Zillah Surgeon in order that a report of his state of mind may be made for the information of Government at the expiration of 6 months

27th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register.

To

The Session Judge of

Honore

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated 8th Instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut under the authority vested in them by the order of Government dated 25th January 1845 to convey to you sanction for the expenditure of Rupees 22. 2. 9. Twenty two annas two and Pie nine in the repair of the Court house and Jail at that Station and in typing tatties round them.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

27th August 1850.

To.

To

The Secretary to the Board of Revenue in the Dept. Public Work

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to forward to you for examination and check and eventual submission to Government the accompanying Plan and Estimate prepared under the authority granted in Extract from the Minute of Consultation No. 739 dated 12th November 1849 for enlarging the Civil Court house at Honore so as to accommodate within it the Sudder Ameen Court at that Station.

2 Copy of a letter from the Civil Engineer of the 3d Division which accompanied the above plan and Estimate is also transmitted.

27th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of

Chicacole

Communicating Order of Government Sanctioning an Indent for 2 moveable Sentry boxes for the Jail at Itchapoor.

27th August 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To.

Foujdaree Diary 27th August 1850.

To

The General Magistrates

On the Coromandel Coast

Vizagapatam
Masulipatam
Guntoor
Nellore
Chingleput
Cuddalore
Tanjore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to transmit the descriptive roll of a transported Convict who is reported to have escaped from Singapore on the 1st July 1850, and to request that you will adopt Measures for his apprehension in case he should return to this Presidency

27th August 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register.

Foujdaree Diary 2d September 1850

To

Captain Wright

at Ellore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to return your letter of the 19th August 1850 and to apprize you that your appeal from the order of the Sessions Judge must be presented to the Court by one of the authorized Vakeels or some duly accredited agent, accompanied with attested copies of the orders of the Magistrate and of the Sessions Judge which those officers will furnish you with on your applying for the same, a List of the Vakeels of the Court is annexed for your information.

2d September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Secretary to the

Military Board

Sir,

I am directed in reply to your letter of the 31st July 1850 to state that the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut have been unable to procure any further information connected with the removal from the Jail at Trichinopoly of the stores to which

you

you allude than is already before the Military Board and that all the the Judges consider the explanation afforded by the Session Judge unsatisfactory it apparently only remains to vote the articles found wanting off the Books.

The Original Enclosures of your letter above referred to are herewith returned.

2d September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Magistrate of
Masulipatam

Sir

I am directed with reference to your letter dated 20th August 1850 to state that the Civil Auditor having in a letter dated 4th March copy of which is annexed intimated his intention of withdrawing the retrenchment to which you allude it was supposed that he would have communicated direct with your office on the subject.

2d September 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Assistant Agent at Kurnool

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the

Court of Foujdaree Adalut to request you will submit without delay an account particular of actual expenses incurred in the erection of a permanent gallows at Kurnool as required in this Courts letter of the 28th January last.

3d September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(No 91)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Estimate of the net cost of 8 new Bandies required for the use of the Convicts at Tinnevelly.

The Acting Session Judge reports that 4 of the 8 bandies now in use were made in 1838 and 4 in 1843 and that they are not worth repairing. It will be also observed that the iron and other serviceable materials of the old Bandies have been brought to account the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut under these circumstances beg to recommend that

that the Estimate which amount to Rs
(121-12-) One hundred and twenty
one Rupees, and twelve annas be Rs
Sanctioned -

3d September 1850 } (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

/ No 92 /

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Transmitting for Sanction a Supplemental
statement of contingent charges incurred by the Col-
lector of Salem during Fusly 1258.

3d September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Nellore

Communicating Order of Government an
noucing on the correspondence between the Ses-
sion Judge and the Civil Engineer respecting
the

the requisition for Convicts for building the Civil
Hospital at Vellore.

4th September 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of
Carlicut

Communicating order of Government
granting Messrs Morris and Conolly leave
for the purpose of appearing before Honorable
Supreme Court at Madras to give evidence on
the trial of Dr Campbell.

4th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Acting Session Judge of
Madura

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your
letter of the 26th ultimo transmitting copies of a
Descriptive roll and letter from the Acting
Subordinate Judge reporting the escape of a
Prisoner from the charge of the Peons in the Ta-
luk of Madacoolum on the 21st ultimo I
am directed by the Judges of the Court of

Fouydaree

Fouj.dary Mdalut to draw your attention to the Provisions of Fouj.dary Mdalut Circular Order dated the 28th March and 19th November 1832 and to request that in accordance with the instructions therein contained you will now submit for their consideration a report of the circumstances under which the Prisoner in question effected his escape and of the measures adopted for his reapprehension together with your opinion of the conduct of the parties who were entrusted with the care of him.

2. The Judges at the same time request that you will point out to the Acting Subordinate Judge that agreeably to the requisition contained in the last mentioned circular order it was his duty in reporting the circumstance of a Prisoner having effected his escape to have submitted for your consideration the depositions of such persons as might have been examined by him as witnesses to the affair.

5th September 1850. (Signed) F Lushington
Senior Deputy Register

To (No 931)

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Recommending for sanction an Indent

for Mamatties required for the use of the Jail at Chi
:cacole

7th September 1850. (Signed) G. T Beauchamp
Register

(No 94)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

Recommending for sanction an Emergent Indent for certain articles for the use of the Jail at Trichinopoly to be supplied by the commanding of Ordnance at that Station

7th September 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

Memorandum

The Acting Session Judge of Trichinopoly is requested to submit Translations of the whole of the Proceedings called for in Extract from Proceedings of the Fouj.dary Mdalut under date the 4th September 1850 on Case No 18 of 1850

By Order of the Court of Fouj.dary Mdalut

7th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Rajahmundry

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 16th Ultimo submitting copy of a return from the Subordinate Judge regarding the sums deposited in the Sub Court by two sureties on account of the 4 Prisoner in Case № 9 of 1850 on the file of the Sessions Court I am directed by the Judges of the Foujdaree Adalut to observe that the respectability of all sureties tendering security before the Court on account of Prisoners placed under requisition of Security should be certified by the Magistrate of the District or by the Head of Police of the Taluk in which the sureties reside and the Judges direct that this course which does not appear to have been pursued in the instance under notice may be adopted in all future cases

7th September 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Hear Asst to the Regr

To

The Sessions Judge of

Bellary

Communicating Order of Government declining

to accede the proposed arrangement of putting a body of Convicts on the road now under repair between Bangalore and Mangalore stating that the Prisoner may be employed so far as will permit them to

9th September 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Memorandum

It is requested that the accompanying amended Certificate of Parolow be substituted for that returned with the letter from the Sessions Judge of Coimbatore dated the 4th Instant.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut.

9th September 1850 (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot

Hr Asst to the Regr

To

The Acting Sessions Judge of

Madura

Sir,

Adverting to your letter of the 29th Ult: Inst and its enclosures I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to request that you will inform Brigadier General Walpole that in consequence of the urgent demand for the services

of

of all available convicts to aid in the construction of the important works now in course of erection at Pannibem and with reference to the dilapidated condition of the Jail at Ramnad the Judges regret that they are at present unable to accede to the request preferred in Brigadier General Watspoles Letter of the 27th June last

10th September 1850 (Signed) F. Swabington
Senior Dy Register

(No 95)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

With reference to Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 17th November 1841 No 85 and that dated 26th July 1850 No 1471 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to submit for the special sanction of Government the accompanying account particular of expences amounting to Rupees 157.12 - One hundred and fifty Seven and 12 annas fourteen incurred by the Sessions Judge of Cuddalore in the construction and repair of — roads at that station during July 1267.

The Judges beg to recommend the

this charge for sanction and they direct me at the same to state that the Sessions Judge is unable in consequence of no accounts having been hitherto kept to send with the Bill now submitted a report of the work performed as required by Government in their order of the 26th July 1850 a correct account of the work performed will however be kept for the future

11th September 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(No 96)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to submit for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the annexed copy of a letter dated 27th August 1850 from the Sub: Judge of Mangalore reporting that in consequence of a sudden outbreak of Cholera in the Jail he has deemed it advisable to send 60 convicts to Goorpoor nine miles distant from Mangalore where a suitable building and guard for their reception and safe custody have been provided by the

the Magistrate and suggesting that the necessary sanction may be obtained for the permanent transfer of a gang of 80 Convicts to the charge of the Magistracy for employment on the road between Mangalore and Goorpoor.

2 The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut desire me to state that they consider the arrangement made by the Subordinate Judge on this emergency judicious and they beg to recommend that the permanent transfer of a gang of 80 Convicts for employment under the charge of the Magistrate of Canara upon the road specified by Mr Copleston may be sanctioned by Government.

3 I am further to annex the copy of a letter for the Magistrate of Canara to the Subordinate Judge applying for the services of a Gang of from 80 to 100 Convicts dated 27th August 1850.

11th September 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(No 971)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to report for the consideration and Orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that the Sessions Judge of Trichinopoly has been unable in consequence of the prejudice of the native workmen to construct an improved Platform for the Gallows at that station an estimate for which amounting to Rs 34. Thirty four was sanctioned by the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut on the 16th July 1850 and to request that the Military Board may be authorized to issue the necessary orders for the execution of the work in the Arrackal of Trichinopoly

11th September 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(No 981)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract Minutes Consultations of Government under date 14th August 1850 No 511 requesting information as to the grounds on which the Subordinate Judge of Cuddapah refused Lieutenant Kemery's request for the services of Convicts with Carts in constructing approaches to a Bridge represented to

to be situated in the Centre of the Town and to submit the enclosed copy of a letter dated 27th August 1850 from the Subordinate Judge of Cuddalore from which it would appear that for 20 months a gang of from 200 to 20 Convicts have been employed daily upon the work in question and that Mr Mayne has not been apprized by Lieutenant Henery that any urgent demand for increasing the gang existed, tho the Superintending Ministry it would seem had made some verbal communication on the subject to the Jailor.

11th September 1850 (Signed) G T Beauchamp
Register

To

H Forbes Esquire
Post Office Commissioner

Sir.

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to transmit the enclosed Memorandum which will afford the information required in your letter of the 2d September 1850

11th September 1850.

(Signed) G T Beauchamp
Register

To

To

The Acting Session Judge of
Tinnevelly

Communicating Order of Government directing a report to be made at the expiration of 6 months on the state of mind of the insane Prisoner in Case No 16 of 1850 named Tyravaloo Naicken

11th September 1850 (Signed) G T Beauchamp
Register.

To

The Session Judge of
Cuddalore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to request that you will furnish the Magistrates noted in the Margin× with a descriptive Roll of the Convict of whose escape from the eastern Settlements

The enclosed copy of a communication for the Resident Counsellor will inform you.

16th September 1850 (Signed) G T Beauchamp
Register

× Foujdaree Adalut
Cuddalore
Tranquebar
Pondicherry
Karikal
Chingleput

To

To

The Magistrate of

Tanjore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to inform you with reference to your Letter of the 5th September 1850 that the Session Judge of Cuddalore has been requested to forward to you a Descriptive Roll of the Convict whose recapt was notified to you on the 27th Ultimo

16th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

(A 99)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the enclosed estimate of the cost of 15 new Carts required for the use of the Prisoners at Cuddapah to supply the place of a similar number which have been constructed in 1842 are no longer serviceable

2 The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut propose to direct the Subordinate Judge either to use up the materials of the old Carts or to dispose of them by Public auction as may to him appear most expedient, and with this proviso recommend that the estimate now submitted which amounts to Rupees (300) Three hundred may be sanctioned.

16th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

(A 100)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

In obedience to the Order of Government contained in the Extract from the Minutes of Council under date the 24th June 1834, I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying copies in Triplicate of a C. C No 192 of this date.

17th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

To

The Magistrate of

Salem

Transmitting copy of an order of Govern-
ment dated 11th Instant sanctioning the sum of 25 Rs.
disbursed by him as reward for the capture of an escape
Convict in Fusly 1260.

17th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

Memorandum.

12 Printed Forms of the monthly Criminal reports
N° VII forwarded to the Subordinate Judges of Man-
galore with reference to his letter dated the 21st Ultimo.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut
17th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

(N° 101.)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

With reference to the Order of Govern-
ment dated the 25th July 1850 N° 351/604, I
am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree
Adawlut to transmit for submission to the Government
of

of India, the accompanying copy of the Criminal Re-
port for the year 1849.

19th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Acting Sessions Judge of

Tinnevelly

Communicating Order of Government
Sanctioning an Estimate for making 8 new Carts
for the Convicts at Tinnevelly.

19th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Chicacole

Communicating Order of Government directing
the Supply of certain books applied for on account for
the use of the Convicts in the Chicacole Jail.

21st September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Magistrate of

Malabar

Communicating Order of Government
Sanctioning

sanctioning the contingent charges incurred by him during
Fuoly 1257.

21st September 1850. Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Registar

To

The Acting Sessions Judge of
Trichinopoly

Communicating Order of Government
sanctioning an Indent for sledge hammers and
Pickaxes

21st September 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Registar

/No. 102/

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the
Court of Fouydaree Adawlut with reference to the
enclosed copy of a letter dated 9th September 1850
from the Sessions Judge of Coimbatoor submitting
copy of a letter dated 15th August 1850 from the
Civil Surgeon of Malabar who states that the
present Jail Hospital is ill adapted in every
way for the purpose to which it is applied, being
ill

ill constructed and worse ventilated to request that the
Sessions Judge may be authorized to call upon the Civil
Engineer to prepare a plan and estimate of the cost
attending the construction of a new Hospital.

23d September 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Registar

(No. 103)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

1. I am directed by the Judges of the
Court of Fouydaree Adawlut to transmit for the
purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the
Governor in Council a supplemental Statement of contin-
gent charges incurred by the Magistrate of Malabar
in Fuoly 1255 amounting to Rupees 78 " 6 Seventy
eight and Pice Six

2. As the charges entered in the state-
ment have been incurred under authority the Court of
Fouydaree Adawlut recommend that they may be spe-
cially sanctioned by Government

23d September 1850. Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Registar

To

To

The Sessions Judge of

Salem.

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 11th Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that in future whenever you may have occasion to report the escape of a Prisoner you will at the same time submit your own opinion of the conduct of the parties entrusted with the charge of such Prisoner and also of the measures adopted for his apprehension. The Letter now under acknowledgement the Judges observe is defective in these particulars

23d September 1850. (Signed) F. Lushington
Senior Dy. Register

Memorandum

12 Printed forms of the monthly labor of Convicts forwarded to the Sessions Judge of Tellicherry with reference to his letter dated the 10th Instant.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree
Udalut

24th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Branchamp
Register

To.

To

The Sessions Judge of

Cuddalore.

Communicating Order of Government sanctioning charges incurred in preparing the roads at Cuddalore amounting to Rupees 157. 14 - a/c for fasly 1259.

25th September 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp.
Register.

To

The Acting Sessions Judge of

Trichinopoly.

Communicating Order of Government directing the construction in the arsenal at Trichinopoly of a platform for the Gallows at that Station.

27th September 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp.
Register

To

The Subordinate Judge of

Cuddapah

Communicating Order of Government Sanctioning the disbursement of 300 Rs in the construction of 15 new barks for the Prisoners under his charge

28th September 1850 (Signed) G. T. Branchamp
Register

(No 104)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

In obedience to the Order of Government contained in the Extract from the Minutes of Council under date the 21st June 1834, I am directed by the Court of Foujdasse Adalut to transmit to you to be laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Copies in Triplicate of a Circular Order No. 193 of this date.

30th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

50 Sheets of the Printed Calendars forwarded to the Session Judge of Cuddalore with reference to his letter dated the 15th July 1850

By Order of the Court of Foujdasse Adalut
30th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

40 Sheets of the Printed Calendars forwarded to the Session Judge of Salem with reference

reference to his letter dated the 17th August 1850

By Order of the Court of Foujdasse Adalut
30th September 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Officer in charge of the Agency
at Orissa

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdasse Adalut in reply to your letter of the 13th September 1850 to inform you that under the orders of Government dated 20th April 1850 the Casts of nine tails which are therein stated to have been forwarded by Bangaly to this Office, should have been transmitted to the nearest Ordnance Department for repair on the present occasion the Casts on arrival will be forwarded to the Military Board with a request that they may be replaced from the arsenal at Masulipatam.

30th September 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Foujdaree Diary 1st October 1850

Memorandum

It is requested that the accompanying Extract from the Proceedings of the Foujdaree Adalut under date the 21st September 1850 may be substituted for that which accompanied the final sentence in Case № 29 of 1850 on the Calendar of the Session Court of Cuddapah

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut

1st October 1850. (Signed) A. J. Arbuthnot
Asst to the Register

To

The Secretary to the
Medical Board

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 10th September 1850 transmitting an Extract from the Report of the Medical Board upon the health of the Prisoners during 1849 and to forward a copy of Paras 2 and 4 of the instructions circulated to the Officers in charge of Jails with revised scale of diet and Labor as proved of by Government under date

20th

20th March 1850

2. From this Extract the Board will perceive that it rests with the Medical Officer to recommend the diet which he may consider best suited to the previous habits and peculiar constitution of any of the Prisoners under his care and the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut are assured that the Subordinate and Sessions Judges in charge of Jails will on all occasions pay a ready attention to the wishes and suggestions of the Medical Officer in this particular

3. I am directed to state that the Judges deem it desirable to await the instructions of Government prior to ordering the supply of a second Cumbly to each Convict annually

1st October 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Agent to the Government
of Fort St. George
at Kurnool

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter

letter dated the 14th ult. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to convey to you their final sanction under the order of Government dated 28th July 1843 for the expenditure of Rs. 26-2-6 Twenty five Rupees two Annas and Six pies incurred in the erection of a permanent Gallows at Kurnool

1st October 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of
Cuddapah.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to request that you will hereafter cause the date of actual dispatch to be entered in the docket of all Letters, records transmitted to this Office

4th October 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

Memorandum.

24 Printed forms of the monthly Criminal
— Reports B
12 Do of the Do Do No VI

12 Printed forms of the monthly labor of Convicts
12 Do of the statements created under Regulation
X of 1832.

Forwarded to the Subordinate Judge
of Calicut with reference to his letter dated the 23d Ult.
inst.

By order of the Court of Fouzdaree Udalut
4th October 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

Memorandum

The Translation of the Record in Session Case
No 14 of 1850 is herewith returned to the Session Judge
of Madura as requested in his letter of the 2d Instant.
7th October 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register.

To

The Session Judge
of Cuddapah.

Communicating Extracts from the Minutes of Con-
sultation relative to the requisition for Convicts by the Engineer
of the 3d Division on the Subordinate Judge of Cuddapah
8th October 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

/No 105/

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Fouzdaree Udalut to transmit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council a Supplemental statement of contingent charges incurred by the Acting Magistrate of Tinnevelly in Fusly 1257 amounting to Rupees/49-9-11/ forty nine, annas nine and pice eleven.-

2. As the charges entered in the statement have been incurred under due authority the Court of Fouzdaree Udalut recommend that they may be specially sanctioned by Government.

9th October 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

To

The Sessions Judge of

Masulipatam

Sir

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated the 26th Ultimo, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut under the Order of Government dated 28th July 1843 to convey to you their authority for the expenditure of 7. 12 - Seven Rupees and Twelve annas in making four handle barrows for the actual cost of which you will be pleased to submit a Bill after the completion of the work.

9th October 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Magistrate of

Malabar.

Communicating Order of Government sanctioning a Supplemental statement of contingent charges incurred by the Magistrate of Malabar in Fusly 1255.

9th October 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

To

The Subordinate Judge of

Mangalore

Communicating Order of Government relative to detaching certain Convicts from Mangalore

9th October 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

(No. 1061)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to forward the accompanying Descriptive Roll of an escaped Convict and to request you will be pleased to obtain authority for the publication of the same in three successive issues of the Fort St. George Gazette.

9th October 1850 Signed G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Memorandum

12 Printed forms of Monthly Criminal Report A

12 —— Do —— Do —— Do No. VI

12 —— Do of the statement created under Regulation X of 1824

12

12 Printed forms of monthly labor of Convicts

Forwarded to the Subordinate Judge of Rajahmundry with reference to his letter dated the 5th August 1850

The annual Criminal statements not having been printed the Subordinate Judge is requested to use manuscript copies until further Orders

By order of the Court of Foujdaree

Adalut

10th October 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp

Register.

Memorandum

20 Sheets of the Printed Calendars

12 Printed forms of the monthly Criminal Report No

12 —— Do —— Do —— labor of Convicts.

Forwarded to the Session Judge of Chingleput with reference to his letter dated the 7th August 1850.

The Annual Criminal statements from No 1 to 4 not having been printed the Session Judge is requested to use manuscript copies until further Orders.

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut

10th October 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp

Register.

To

To

The Zillah Surgeon

in charge of the Jail

of Guntoor

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 28th September 1850 and to inform you that the death of the 2d Dacoit attached to the Jail should be reported to the Medical Board thro the Ordinary channel

11th October 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Session Judge of

Honore

Sir,

In reply to your letter dated the 26th Ultimo I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut under the order of Government dated 28th July 1843 to inform you that they sanction the expenditure amounting to /13-6-4/ Thirteen Rupees Six annas and four Pies incurred by the Superintendent of Jail in making fetters & locks for the Prisoners in his Jail.

11th October 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

To

The Sessions Judge of

Calicut

Communicating Order of Government authorizing a Plan and estimate to be prepared for the new Jail Hospital at Calicut

11th October 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

Register

To

The Acting Sessions Judge of

Trichinopoly.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to acknowledging the receipt of your Letter of the 27th September 1850 offering certain suggestions connected with the establishment of a Divisional Depot for Lunatics at Trichinopoly and requesting that certain propositions which have been submitted to Government for a Lunatic Asylum at Madras may be obtained and forwarded for your guidance

2 The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut direct me to state that it would appear that all the plans for an Asylum are in course of preparation by the Superintending Engineer under the orders of the Medical Board no propositions have been hitherto submitted to Government on the Subject and that as it is not intended that the Divisional Depots should be open to any but Lunatics who have committed offences or whom the Magistrate may consider it necessary to place under restraint as dangerous characters it is on the average aggregate number of Lunatics hitherto confined in the several Zillahs in the Southern Division by requisite that accommodation should be provided for

I am to add that the Judges approve

3 of the suggestions contained in Paras 4 5 and 6 of the letter now under consideration.

16th October 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.

Register

To

The Magistrate of

Ganjam.

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut to request that you will submit in Duplicate copy of the contingent charges incurred by you during the Fasly 1259.

18th October 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register.

Memorandum

12 Printed forms of the monthly Criminal Reports N° VII
12 Do of the Do Jail of Convicts
Forwarded to the Acting Subordinate
Judge of Salem with reference to his letter dated the 9th
Instant

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut
17th October 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

A Copy of the remarks of the Mahomedan
Law Officer of the Court of Foujdaree Adawlut on the
Futwah in Session Cases N° 24 & 26 of 1850 of the
Chittoor file is herewith forwarded to the Session
Judge together with a translation

By Order of the Court of Fouj. Adawlut
18th October 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

A Copy of the remarks of the Maho-
medan Law Officer of the Court of Fd on the Fut
wah in Session Case N° 34 of 1850 on the Coimbatore
file is herewith forwarded to S Judge accompanied
by a translation

By Order of the Court of F. A.
18th October 1850 (Signed)

To

The Session Judge of
Chicacole

Sir

Adverting to your Letter of the 3d instant
and its enclosures, I am directed by the Judges of the
Court of Foujdaree Adawlut, to request that you will
inform the Acting Principal Sudder Ameen of Vi-
zagapatam that they decline to give an opinion upon
Questions hypothetically put to them should any cases
of the nature referred to in the Acting Principal Sudr Ameen's
communications actually come before that Officer for dispo-
sal he will then be at liberty to bring any doubts which
he may entertain in regard to them under the Courts
consideration.

19th October 1850 (Signed) F. Lushington.
Senior Dy. Register.

To

The Session Judge of
Chengleput.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court
of Foujdaree Adawlut to request that you will in-
struct Koodrut Gunny Saheb who has been appointed
Moofty

Mooftee Sudder Ameen at Coimbatore to proceed forth
with to the Presidency for the purpose of passing his fi
nal examination in the Regulation

21st October 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register.

To

The Subordinate Judge of
Bellary

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court
of Foujdaree Adaulut to inform you that they sanc
tion the expenditure of 6 Sicca Rupees set forth in your
Statement dated the 1st Instant as incurred in the
maintenance of a Convicts Children during the 3d
Quarter of 1850.

21st October 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Session Judge
of Madura

Sir

I am directed to acknowledge the
receipt of your letter dated 9th October 1850 and
to inform you that the Judges of the Court of Fouj
daree Adaulut have been pleased to extend the period
allowed

allowed for visiting the Jail at Paumbum from 6 to
12 days, and to direct that for the future that
Branch Jail shall be visited but once in the year.

23d October 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

The Magistrates in the
Northern Division

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the
Court of Foujdaree Adaulut to transmit a List of
Servants who were thrown out of employ by the aboli
tion of the Principal Sudder Ameens Courts at
Guntoor and Masulipatam, and to request that
upon suitable vacancies occurring you will take
their claims for reemployment into consideration.

23d October 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register.

Memorandum.

4. Printed forms of Statement of Cases sent to the
Criminal Court by each Head of Police, forwarded
to the Acting Session Judge of Tinnevelly with re
ference to his letter dated the 13th August 1850.

By Order of the Court of
Foujdaree

Foujdaree Adalut.
24th October 1850. (Signed) F. Lushington.
Senior Dft. Register.

To

The Acting Collector and Magistrate
of Tinnevelly.

Communicating Order of Government
Sanctioning the Contingent charges incurred by the
Magistrate of Tinnevelly in Fusly 1257.

24th October 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register.

Circular. To

The Session Judges.

To

The Subordinate Judge of
Tuddoorpah

Sir,

As requested in your letter dated the 12th Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to inform you that they sanction the expenditure of (28) Twenty Eight Rupees in making and repairing the Cots and Cattles you have alluded to, for the actual cost of which you will submit a Bill to this Court after the completion of the work.

28th October 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp.
Register

To

To

The Session Judge of

Mangalore

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 12th October 1850 transmitting the plan of a Divisional Depot for Lunatics with copies of a correspondence between the Subordinate Judge the Civil Surgeon and the 1st Assistant Civil Engineer on the subject.

2 The Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut desire me to inform you that it is not intended that any but Criminal Lunatics and those whom the Magistrate may deem it necessary to place under restraint as dangerous characters should be received into these Depôts and that consequently it will be only requisite to provide accommodation and attendants for the average number of persons of this description annually received into the Jail Hospitals within the Western Division during the last 7 years.

3 I am to add that the plans received from Trichinopoly lead the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to consider that the proposed dimensions of the Seperate wards Viz: 18 × 12 × 18 may be

be safely reduced to 8 × 10.

28th October 1850 (Signed) T. Branchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of

Trichinopoly

Sir,

By desire of the Judges of the Foujdaree Udalut I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 17th instant, applying for an increase of 2 Rupees to the present salary of blacksmith employed in the Gaol at Trichinopoly.

2 Before submitting your application for the consideration of the Local Government the Judges direct me to request that you will inform them, whether you can suggest no other arrangement for more adequately remunerating the individual in question that that of affecting an increase to his salary which, if intended to be permanent will require a reference to be made on the subject to the Supreme Government.

3 It appears to the Judges that this object might be attained by debiting the additional

additional two Rupees among the Sudderwarde charges
under the head of repairs of tools &c.

29th October 1850. Signed/ F. Sushington
Senior Dy Register

To (No. 107)

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract Minutes Consultation of Government under date 18th Septr 1849 No. 595, forwarding for consideration and report and for such amendment as the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut may deem necessary, a draft of Local Rules proposed to be brought into operation under the provisions of Regulation VII of 1832 in Military Bazars, and of the Extract Minutes Consultation of Government under date 4th May 1850 No. 844 transmitting a Correspondence from the Officer Commanding in Malabar and Canara proposing measures for abating the nuisance caused by the trespassing of Cattle at Cannanore.

2 With the original papers forwarded with the Extract Minutes Consultation above referred to, is transmitted a Copy of the Rules prepared in this Office, in the margin of which the alterations and amendments proposed by the Judges are entered in red ink. The alterations for the most part are merely verbal and require no remark; but a few of the amendments appear to demand explanation.

3 Before entering upon this explanation the

Judges

Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut will refer to
certain points which the Judge Advocate General
has adverted to in his letter of the 27th July 1849-

4 In para 5 Lieutenant Colonel Chalon
remarks upon the necessity of remedying "the defect
"which now appears to exist of having within the Milita
=ry limits two sets of persons. the one amenable to
"our military authorities, and the other altogether inde=
=pendant of them;" and in para 6 he suggests that
the Superintendant of Police at every Military Bazaar
station should be appointed a Joint Magistrate-

5 The Judges concur with Lieutenant Colonel
Chalon in recommending that in every Military
Station within the Frontier this measure, by which all
Classes of persons coming within Military limits will
be amenable to the same officer, be adopted-

6 In para 9 Lieutenant Colonel Chalon
expresses the opinion that as Section 17 Regulation VII of
1832, prescribes that Courts Martial shall be held
under Articles of War promulgated as Regulation V of 1827,
and as this Regulation has been repealed by act XX of
1845 (which Act has been also, it is to be observed,
abrogated by Act XIX of 1847), the authority given
by Regulation VII of 1832 to try by Court Martial has
ceased to be of any effect-

7 It appears however to the Judges of the
Court

Court of Fouydaree Udalut that Lieutenant Colonel
Chalon has overlooked the provisions of Articles 152
Act XX of 1845 retained as article 156 in act XIX of 1847,
which declares "that the Regulations at present in force
"at any Presidency by which jurisdiction is given to Courts
"Martial over offences committed by persons amenable to
"the Articles of War, within certain limits beyond or around
"Cantonments are in full force", and consequently no
otherwise affect Regulation VII of 1832 than by exempting
native subjects of the Company not amenable to the
articles of war when residing within the limits of a
Military Camp or Cantonment beyond the frontier
from liability to trial by a Court Martial who as
the Law now stands can only be punished under
clause 2nd Section XIII of Regulation VII of 1832 by the
Superintendent of Police-

8 In the 10th para Lieutenant Colonel Chalon
expresses doubts as to whether under the provisions of
Claude I Section XV Regulation VII of 1832 a fine can be
legally imposed, otherwise than as a Special commu=
=tation for imprisonment in the Cases of persons above
the condition of Petty dealers, menial servants or
workmen- The Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut,
however see no legal objection to the imposition of fines
for each and every breach of the rules now proposed-

9 The Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut
desire-

desire me further to state that the ample provision made in Section 8 of the proposed Rules for the suppression of the nuisance complained of by the Military authorities at Cannanore has rendered any further observations on their part upon that subject unnecessary, and I am to add that although the Judges entertain doubts as to whether it is the desire of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, that Special directions touching the powers and duties of the Superintendant of Police and his subordinate native Police Officers, should form part of a set of the Local rules required by Regulation VII of 1832 to be issued under the sanction of Government; they have given their consideration, as well to this branch of the Rules, as to that which seems to them to fall more directly within the intentions of Government.

Duties of the Superintendant of Police. Para 4.

This omission is recommended as the Clause appears superfluous, the Senior Commissariat Officer having been in para 2 of the First Section, as well as in Section IV Regulation VII of 1832 declared to be executive officer of Police.

Para 5. The Law admits of no exception.

Para 9 The Judges do not see the necessity of Causing the full penalty to be enforced on all occasions.

All.

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Para 10 All that this article prescribes is provided for by Section XLVII Regulation VII of 1832.

Para 13 The articles of war and Section XXXVI Regulation VII of 1832 provide sufficiently for the contingencies referred to in this para.

Duties of the Cutwall

Para 3 This Para has been amended with reference to the provisions of Clause 2nd Section VI Regulation VII of 1832, which declare that persons accused of minor offences shall be only summoned in the first instance, and shall not be apprehended by warrant unless they refuse to obey the summons issued to them

Section I General Rules.

Paras 2 & 3 The Provisions of Section XIII Regulation VII of 1832 having only in respect to native Subjects of the Company when beyond the frontier been affected, as before observed, by the enactment of Act XX of 1847, the amendments suggested appear to the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Adalat desirable if it is considered necessary to recapitulate what is already, and in their opinion, sufficiently defined by the Regulation.

Para 4. The Clause proposed to be omitted will be unnecessary, if, as recommended, the Superintendant of Police be also a Joint Magistrate.

Para 5 The question of the disposal of the fines levied

is

is a Subject which the Court consider does not fall within this province.

Para 8 — This para the Court consider objectionable. Under Section XXXVIII Regulation VII of 1832 it is left to the Government to extend any part of that Regulation to Officers Commanding at other than Military Bazaar Stations, and the Judges are of opinion that the general extension of the Regulation to every station in which half a Battalion may be quartered is expedient.

Section III Para 4 — The Court of Fouydaree Udalut consider that the provisions of this Para can only apply to traders men or Laborers who may be Registered, and that the penalty of expulsion cannot be enforced against persons dwelling on private lands situated within the limits of a Cantonment.

Para 10 — This para appears to the Court of Fouydaree Udalut objectionable.

Para 11 — The Law requires that no Bazaar-man shall be registered without his own consent, and the Court consider the adoption of the rule laid down in this para, whenever practicable, either within or beyond the Frontier, to be expedient.

Section IV Paras 1 & 4 — It appears to the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut that the offences specified in these Paras fall within the provisions of Section IX Regulation XIII of 1832, and that persons charged with committing them

them must be forwarded for trial to the Criminal authorities under Section VII Regulation VIII of 1832.

Para 10 — The last Clause appears unnecessary, the case of vagrants or Suspicious persons being provided for by Clause 3rd Section VI Regulation VII of 1832.

Sect. IX Para 18 — This para as being a recapitulation of the provisions of Clause 2nd Section XXXV Regulation VIII of 1832 appears to the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut superfluous.

Sect. X Paras 2 & 3 — Sections XLIV and XLV Regulation VIII of 1832 appear to the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut to render these Paras unnecessary.

Para 10 — The provisions of this para, so far as they affect Europeans not amenable to Military Law, cannot be acted upon. If found in possession of Liquor without a permit, Europeans must, under Sections VII and XX Regulation VII of 1832, be delivered over to the Civil authorities for trial by the Sessions or Subordinate Judge, under Section XV Regulation I of 1829, and Section IV Act XXXII of 1845.

Section XI Para 2 & 3 — See remark on Para 3 of the Chapter on the duties of Cutwale.

Para 6 — The Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut consider this para objectionable. They remark that it is always in the power of a party entrusting a valuable

valuable article to an artizan for repair to demand security prior to giving up possession of it.

Para 9 — See remark on Para 3 of the Chapter on the Duties of Cutwall.

Para 10 — The Court of Foujdaree Edalut would remark that the new power given by this para to the Superintendant of Police, is analogous to that which the Governor in Council is, under Clause 1 Section III Regulation I of 1833, competent to confer upon any officer who may be placed in charge of Convicts.

Para 11 — This para appears to the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Edalut superfluous, the proper course being defined by Section VI Regulation VIII of 1832.

2nd November 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

(No. 108)

To
The Secretary to Government
in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Edalut to state for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that,

that, in consequence of the Zillah Surgeon of Salem having been unable to analyze the contents of the stomach and abdomen of a child supposed to have been poisoned owing to the apparatus at his disposal for examination of this nature being very incomplete the Magistrate has thro' the Sessions Judge requested that such arrangements may be adopted as may prevent the recurrence of a similar difficulty.

It is believed that under the orders of Government noted marginally the Zillah Surgeons have been furnished with chemical Test chests of a cheap description, but under the circumstances now reported the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Edalut consider it desirable that a complete apparatus for proving the existence of poisons should be supplied to each Civil station.

4th November 1850 /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

To
The Sessions Judge
of
Salem.

Sir,

Communicating order of Government containing an Extract from a General letter from the Court

* March 1841

Court of Directors approving of the grant of gratuities to certain parties for spirited resistance to a gang of robbers.

4th November 1850 / Signed / G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

To

The Sessions Judge
of
Rajahmundry

Sir,

Communicating Order of Government.

I am directed to forward herewith for your information and guidance a copy of a letter from the Government of Fort St. George, containing an extract from a General letter from the Court of Directors approving of the grant of gratuities to certain Peons and others who resisted an outbreak of Convicts.

4th November 1850 / Signed / G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Secretary to Government
in the
Judicial Department

Sir,

1 With reference to the Order of Government dated 20th May 1847 No. 368 authorizing the Principal

Sudr Ameen of Vizagapatam to employ two Extra Jail Peons at the usual rate of pay until the Wall which it is proposed to raise round the Jail is completed.

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut to submit for the purpose of being laid before Government the accompanying Contingent Bill for (92-14-6) Ninety two Rupees Fourteen Annas and six Pice on account of the Salaries of two additional Peons employed from the 1st January to 9th October 1850 on which latter date their services were dispensed with.

2 The Court beg to recommend that the charge may be sanctioned.

5th November 1850 / Signed / G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

4 Printed forms of annual Abstract of Criminal work forwarded to the Session Judge of Salem with reference to his letter dated the 25th Ultimo.

The Remaining Printed forms of the Criminal Statement from No. 1 to 4 will be forwarded as soon as they are printed.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Adalut.

7th November / Signed / G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

Memo.

Memorandum-

A copy of each of the printed Circular Orders of the Sudder and Foujdaree Udalut dated the 13th 17th and 30th September 1850. forwarded to the Magistrate of Chingleput with reference to his letter dated the 26th Ultimo-

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.
7th November 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register-

To

The Session Judge
of Calicut.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to inform you that they sanction the disbursement of (4-14-6) four Rupees, Fourteen annas and Six Pices in the 3rd Quarter of 1850 for the maintenance of a Convicts child as set forth in the statement which accompanied your letter of the 23rd October 1850.

8th November 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register-

To

The Superintendent of Government Roads.

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated

the 25th Instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to inform you that there are no Convicts available at present for transfer to the Guindy Jail-

8th November 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register-

To

The Session Judge
of Chingleput

Copy to the Session Judge of Trichinopoly and Madura

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that as soon after the receipt of this letter as practicable you will detach from the Jail under your charge (100) one hundred Convicts to Trichinopoly and (50) fifty to Paumbum for employment on public works at those Stations, in doing which you will be pleased strictly to adhere to the prescribed rules for the safe conduct of Prisoners when on the march-

Intimation to Trichinopoly

8th November 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register-

Memorandum

The Session Judge of Masulipatam is informed that the translation of Police Proceedings necessary to complete the Record of referred Session Case No. 35 of 1850 has not been as yet received-

Registers Office
14th November 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

One Set of the amended annual Criminal Statements referred to in the Circular instructions to the Session Judges under date the 28th Ultimo is herewith forwarded to the Agents to the Governor of Fort Saint George at Ganjam and Vizagapatam -

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut

14th November 1850

Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Memorandum

8 Printed forms of annual abstract of Criminal work forwarded to the Agent to the Governor of Fort St George at Vizagapatam with reference to his letter dated the 21st Ultimo

The remaining Annual Criminal statements will be supplied as soon as they are received from the Press -

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut

15th November 1850.

Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Memorandum

8 Printed forms of Statement of Cases sent to the Criminal Court by each Head of Police -

8 Do. of Annual Abstract of Criminal work -

Forwarded to the Agent to the Governor of Fort Saint George at Ganjam with reference to his letter dated the 9th August 1850.

The remaining forms having been amended, will be supplied as soon as they received from the Press -

By order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut -

Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp

15th November 1850. Register

To

The Acting Subordinate Judge

of

Rajahmundry

Sir,

I am directed by the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit 12 forms marked B as requested in the Subordinate Judges letter of the 28th October 1850 and to state that the forms of the letters alluded to have not hitherto been printed and that in the opinion of the Court the transmission of a letter with the Nos. of the Name residence &c of prisoners discharged from

from Jail ordinarily furnished to the Magistrate is unnecessary.

(Signed) G.T. Beauchamp
Register.

16th November 1850.

(No. 110)

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

I am directed by Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut, with reference to the provisions of Act IX of 1849 to submit for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council copies of two letters dated respectively 20th September and 28th October 1850 with their original enclosures, the one transmitting the Proceedings of the Sessions Court in the Case of Atoor Paliyaye Choyd alias Tenbichy Cheeko, who was acquitted of the offence charged against him in No. 66 of the Collector for 1850, Viz. severe wounding on the ground of unsoundness of mind. the other reporting with reference to extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under Date 16th August 1849 that the said Prisoner is sound.

* to be returned

The Judges direct me to state that with reference to the circumstances of the Case they recommend that the said prisoner be detained in Custody for 3 months and that the Zillah Surgeon be required at the expiration of that period to submit a further report of his state, and I am to add that a doubt as to whether the Prisoner was of sound mind when placed upon his trial rendered a reference to the Sessions Judge necessary and was the cause of the delay

delay which has occurred in the transmission of the Proceedings of the 18th September 1850 to the Government.

19th November 1850. (Signed) G.T. Beauchamp Register.

To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue in the D.S.W.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of

1 the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to transmit to the Board for examination and eventual submission to Government a Plan and Estimate for the reconstruction of a Guard room attached to the Nellore Jail, prepared under the Order of Government No. 510 dated 13th August 1850.

I am also desired to forward

2 copies of a letter from the Civil Engineer of the 2nd Division and of certain correspondence relating to objections raised to the site of the proposed building, for consideration by the Board.

23rd November 1850 (Signed) G.T. Beauchamp
Register.

Memorandum.

With reference to his letter of the 16th August last the Collector of Malabar is requested to transmit without delay his statement of Contingent Charges for Fusly 1259.

Registers Office
25th Novr 1850

(Signed) G.T. Beauchamp
Register

No.

To

The Secretary to the Military Board

Sir.

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to forward to you five worn out cat of nine tails erroneously transmitted to this Office by the Officer in charge of the Agency in the Hill tracts of Orissa to be exchanged for new-

The Court recommend that they may be received into store and that orders may be issued for their being replaced from the arsenal at Masulipatam-

25th November 1850- (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge
of Nellore

Sir,

With reference to your statement dated the 12th Instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to intimate their

sanction of the charge of /2-1-7/ two Rupees, one anna and seven pies on account of Batta allowed to the children of Convicts during the 3rd Quarter of 1850.

26th November 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

To

The Principal Sudder Ameen
of Vizagapatam

Communicating Order of Government sanctioning a charge on account of employment of two temporary peons-

21st November 1850- (Signed) H. Lushington
Register

Memorandum

A copy of the Circular Instructions to the Sessions Judges dated 28th October last, is herewith forwarded to the agent to the Governor of Fort St. George at Vizagapatam with reference to his letter dated the 31st Instant--

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut

29th November 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

5 Copies of the Amended Forms of Annual Criminal Statements and Tables referred to in para 9 of the Circular Instructions of the Foujdaree Udalut dated 28th October 1850 forwarded for the use of the Sessions Courts.

29th November 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

A Copy of the Circular Instructions to the Sessions Judges dated 28th October last, is herewith forwarded to the Agent to the Governor of Fort St. George at Ganjam with reference to his letter dated the 23d Ultimo.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut
2nd December 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

12 Printed forms of the Monthly Criminal Report No XI
12 Do of the Do Labor of Convicts
3 Do of the Statement of Batta paid to Prosecutors & witnesses
36 Sheets of the Printed Calendars.
2 Printed forms of Half yearly Statement of Convicts
Forwarded to the Sessions Judge of Masulipatam with reference to his letter dated the 23d Ultimo
5 Sets of the revised annual Criminal Statements have already been forwarded on the 21st Ultimo.

*In two Parcels

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.
2d December 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To
The Sessions Judge of Rajahmundry

Sir

In reply to your letter dated the 31st October last, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to inform you that they sanction the

the Sale of the property brought into your Court from the year 1845 to 1849 in Criminal Cases--

3d December 1850. (Signed) G: I: Beauchamp
Register

To
The Sessions Judge of Chinglepet

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Soyndaree Udalut in reply to your Letter dated 22d November 1850 to inform you that with reference to the present urgent demand for Convict labor at Chinglepet they have seen fit to cancel their Order of the 8th Idem for the transfer of 50 Convicts to Paumbum.

3d December 1850. (Signed) G: I: Beauchamp
Register

Copy to the Sessions Judge of Madura for his information who will be pleased to forward the 25 Convicts referred to in his letter without delay.

To
The Magistrate of Salem

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Soyndaree Udalut to return to you for amendment the Statement of Contingent Charges incurred during Fusly 1259 in Order that an explanation may be submitted with reference to the charge entered under Items Nº 205, the charge incurred on account of the subsistence in Custody of the Convicts

thereon

therein reported to having been entered in the Statement submitted by the Magistrate of Chinglepet.

2 . . . . . The Judges observe that the sum of Rupees 25 entered in the supplemental Statement submitted that for Fusly 1258 the disbursement of which received the sanction of Government under date the 11th September 1850 should be included in the aggregate amount of charge incurred in the preceding Fusly to which no corresponding items are to be observed in the in the Fusly under review and that the charge entered on account of certain alterations to the Cook room of the Cofsoors Sail unless of an emergement nature should not have been incurred without previous Sanction having been received -

3d December 1850. (Signed) G.I. Beauchamp
Register

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

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Soyndaree Udalut in reply to your letter dated 14th October 1850 requesting that the

Sessions

Session Judge and Zillah Surgeon may be called upon to report clearly their opinion as to the expediency of building the new Jail upon the site formerly purchased for that purpose at Honor to transmit the Copy of a return dated 15th November 1850 from the Session Judge forwarding a report from the Zillah Surgeon upon the site in question.

The original Enclosures of your letter are herewith returned.

3d December 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

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

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of

Foujdaree Adalut to forward the accompanying copy of a letter from the Assistant Civil Engineer 1st Division dated 8th November 1850 which has been submitted by the Sessions Judge with the Original enclosures of the same being a plan and Estimate of the probable expense of building a brick wall round the Jail at Guntoor

The Judges direct me to add that the limited number of Convicts now confined in the Jails at Rajahmundry Masulipatam Nellore and Cuddapah and the nature of the works in progress at those stations will not at present admit of the transfer of any prisoners to Guntoor

5 Decr 1850 (Signed) G. T Beauchamp
Register

Memorandum

The Sessions Judge of Guntoor is requested to forward a copy of the letter from the Court of Foujdaree Adalut dated 13th October 1845 referred to in his communication of the 23d November 1850.

5 Decr 1850. (Signed) G T Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Guntoor

Sir

With reference to your letter dated 20th Ultimo seeking sanction for an estimate of the cost of a coping for the wall of the Burial grounds at Guntoor. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foydaree Udalut to intimate that your application should be made direct to Government.

9th December 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

(No. 111)

To

The Secretary to Government in the

Judicial Department

Recommending for sanction an Indent for tools from the Subordinate Judge of Bellary———

9th December 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

So

To

The Sessions Judge of Guntoor

Sir

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foydaree Udalut in reply to your letter of the 19th Ultimo, to inform you that the Government under date 24th November 1845 directed that in lieu of indenting upon the Commissary of ordnance for Wheel Barrows or Flat form Carts, the officers in charge of Jails should make their own arrangements for procuring upon contract the articles best adopted for the use of Prisoners and consequently to request that you will prepare and submit an Estimate of the cost of constructing the Wheel barrows you now require at Guntoor.

2 I am further directed to return the Indent which accompanied your letter and to request that you will submit a separate Indent for Manacles &c. for the use of the Jail.

11th December 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Memorandum

Memorandum

12 Printed forms of the Monthly Criminal Report No XI

12 Do Do Do labor of Convicts

3 Do Do of Statement created under Regulation X of 1842

Forwarded to the Sessions Judge of Cuddalore with reference to his letter dated the 5th Instant.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.

11th December 1850. (Signed) G.T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of Salem

Communicating Order of Government dated 30th November 1850 declining to supply each Civil Station Surgeon with complete tests for detecting poison.

12th December 1850. (Signed) G.T. Beauchamp

Register

Memorandum

Copy of the remarks of the Mahomedan Law Officer of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut on the Futwah in Session Case 76 of 1850 with a translation thereof is herewith.

be transmitted to the Sessions Judge of Cuddapah.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut.

14th December 1850.

(Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Registr

To

The Sessions Judge of

Tellicherry

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to request that you will forward to this Court with the least possible delay the rough translation of the records of cases No 2 Tellicherry additional Calendar 2d Quarter Sessions 1832 and No 1 Second additional Calendar 1st Quarter Session 1834 which it is supposed are procurable from the records of your Court; the fair translations of the records in questions which were forwarded to the Foujdaree Udalut having been mislaid.

2 You will likewise be pleased to forward copies of the letters of reference forwarded

forwarded to the Foujdaree Udalut by the Judge of Circuit by whom the said cases were tried together with the Calendars &c belonging to them and in the event of the records not being forthcoming the Futwas &c

Circular

heard by the Law Officer of the Circuit Court.

11th December 1850 (Signed) A. S. Arbuthnot

Head Asst to the Regr

(P. 113)

To

The Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department

Sir

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the Minute of Consultation of Govt under date the 12th November 1850 reviewing the Criminal Reports for the year 1849.

2 The Judges desire me with reference to para 3 of Bellary Circuit issued by the Sessions Judge of Bellary to transmit the Copy of a return by the Magistrate of orders of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut dated 22d March 1850 which conveys all the information which the Magistrate was able to afford in respect to the progressive increase of House breaking and Theft from 1842 to 1849 which he had attached the allowance of the Sessions Court a Copy of those for heard of his previous report to which allusion is

made by the Magistrate also accompanies.

3 The Judges further direct me to state that the inaccuracy pointed out in Para 31 has been caused by offences lapsed by the Courts as wants of authority having been entered under other Heads by the Police and Magistracy.

4 In para 60 the Government remark that the number of persons whose cases come under the investigation of the Foujdaree Udalut as stated in their returns of the 16th February 1850 falls short by 24 of the number inserted in the Table N as having been referred to them by the Sessions Courts and I am directed to explain that the statements submitted by the Session Courts include all cases set down for reference within the year whether the records of the trials have been transmitted to the Court of Foujdaree Udalut or not whereas the cases the records of which have been received during the year are alone entered in the Statements of the Foujdaree Udalut.

5 The modification of the Circular Order Foujdaree Ut: dated 11th April 1830 by the Circular Order Sudder Udalut 4th 1844 would seem to have been lost sight of by the Session Judge of Chicacole when noticing in his Criminal Report the examination of the Decrees passed by his subordinates allusion to which is made in Para 42 and the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut have directed that the attention of the Session Judge be called to the subject.

6 The Judges direct me to add that the information called for in Para 28 regarding the great delay in the disposal of cases by the Magistrate of Salem will be submitted hereafter and that the instructions conveyed in Paras 47 and 68 have been

Communicated to the Session Judges and Magistrates.
14th December 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

(No 114)

To The Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Depart

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Sudr and Foujdaree Udalut to submit for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council for sanction the enclosed two original Estimates of the cost of building two drains at Mouneapetam viz one at the entrance of the Zillah Court House the other in front of the main entrance to the Jail compound

2 In forwarding these Estimates which are stated to have been revised by the Civil Engineer, the Civil and Session Judge reporting that during the Monsoons the swamps and hollows around the compound of the Court House become filled with water; and there not being a single drain constructed at any of the Gateways, the people who have occasion to attend the Court are put to a great inconvenience by having to walk in Knee deep water which remains stagnant long after the

the rainy season the other drain is also required for similar reasons and this year half the Jail compound was for some weeks under water inconsequence of the want of proper drains and under these circumstances the Judges of the Court of Sudder and Fouydaree Adalut beg to recommend that sanction may be granted for the disbursement of Rs. 66-7- by Sixty, annas Seven and pice Six in building the drains in question.

16th December 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Chief Magistrate
and Superintendent of Police

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Adalut to request that you will transmit for their information a copy of the Dirt Tables prescribed for Europeans confined in the House of correction in Her Majestys Jail.

16th December 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register.

To

To,

The Sessions Judge of
Honore

Communicating an Extract from the Proceedings of the Revenue Board having reference to the proposed new Jail at Honore

16th December 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Sessions Judge of
Bellary

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Adalut to request you will submit without delay the Plans and Estimates for the proposed Divisional Depot for Lunatics at your Station called for in a letter from this Court dated 3d August last.

17th December 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp
Register

The same to the Sessions Judge of Fouydaree

Memorandum

12 Printed forms of the months of Criminal Report B

12 Do of the Do Do N° VII

12 Do of the Do labor of Convicts

Forwarded to the Acting Sub: Judge of Masulipatam with reference to his letter dated the 7th Instant.

By Order of the Court of Fouj:

Adavi Balakut.

17th December 1850 / Signed / G. T. Branchamp

Register

To

The Agent to the Governor

of Fort St. George at

Vizagapatam.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 7th Dec: ember 1850 I am directed to inform you that the abstract statements I to IX are to be cont: continued

17th December 1850 / Signed / G. T. Branchamp

Register

To

The Officer in charge of the Jail
at Calicut

Sir,

Fouydaree Diary 18th December 1850.

To

The Acting Sessions Judge
of Cuddapah

Sir

In transmitting to you the accompanying Petition received from one V. Coomarasamy Moodaliar, I am directed by the Judges of the Fouydaree Adalut to request that you will have the goodness to report the claims advanced by that individual to the sum of Rupees 137-14-11, as compensation for work performed by him in the capacity of extra translator in the Sessions Court --

18th December 1850 — Signed J. G. S. Beauchamp
Register

To

To

The Sessions Judges of

Tinnevelly.

Sir

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut with reference to the enclosed Original communication to request that you will cause it to be intimated to Moulevee Mahomed Jamaboodeen son of Mahomed Jauzooddeen Mooftly Sudr Ameen of your Court that the examination in the Regulations to which he alludes will take place on or about the 15th Pro-

: ximo at the Sudr Court House.

20th December 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

The Sessions Judge of

Chingleput.

Sir,

I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Foujdaree Udalut to forward to you the accompanying copy of an Extract from General Orders by His Excellency the Commander

in

-in Chief dated 21st November 1850 and to request you will receive charge of the Prisoner Lutchmun therein alluded to, for the purpose of carrying out the sentence of Transportation which has been passed upon him.

20th December 1850 (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

Memorandum

14 Printed forms of the half yearly Labor of Con-

victs

12 Do ____ of Monthly ____ Do ____ Do

12 Do ____ of statement created under Re-

gulation X of 1832.

Forwarded to the Subordinate

Judge of Mangalore with reference to his

Letter dated the 14th Instant.

By Order of the Court of

Foujdaree Udalut.

23d December 1850. (Signed) G. T. Beauchamp

Register

To

To

The Subordinate Judge of

Bellary

Communicating copy of the order of Government requesting the Military Board to cause the Indent of the Sub: Criminal Judge of Bellary for tools to be complied with.

24th December 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.

Register.

Memorandum.

The Acting Subordinate Judge of Salem is requested with reference to his communication of the 24th December 1850 to transmit without delay a translation/to be prepared under the orders of the Sessions Judge by the Foujdaree Translator/ of the depositions given by the two parties therein recommended to be admitted as approvers.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree Vellalut

27th December 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.

Register

Memorandum.

4 Dozens of Printed Calendars forwarded to the Sessions Judge of Nellore with reference

to

to his letter dated the 24th Instant.

By Order of the Court of Foujdaree.

Vellalut.

27th December 1850. /Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp.

Register.

To

The Session Judge of Tellicherry.

Sir

In reply to your letter dated the 1st Instant I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut to inform you that under the Order of Government dated 28th July 1843 they authorize your expending (5) Five Rupees in the purchase of two hand saws for which you will submit a Bill to this Court to be finally sanctioned after the articles have been procured

19th July 1850.

(Signed) G. I. Beauchamp
Register

To

The Session Judge of Cuddalore

Sir

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated the 5th Instant, I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Fouydaree Udalut under the power vested in them by the Order of Government dated 28th July 1843 to convey to you their Sanction for the disbursement of (39-8-8) Thirty nine Rupees, Eight Annas and Eight Fice made in the construction of a Brick and Chunam Cupboard &ca in the Jail Hospital at Cuddalore.

19th July 1850.

(Signed) G. I. Beauchamp
Register

Fouydaree Diary 19th July 1850

Wanted Letter
to the Sessions Judge
Good Conduct
Pay &c. &c.
Leave
Cuddalore 19th July

No. 70

To

The Secretary to Government in the
Judicial Department

Sir

With reference to the Order of Government No. 402 dated 25th Ultimo forwarding Copy of a letter from the Secretary to Government of India and requesting

the