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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
24th July 1863.*

No. 231. Read the following letter from G. R. SHARPE, Esq., Acting Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Madras; to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government in charge, Judicial Department, dated Madras, 17th July 1863, No. 76.

In annexing copy of a letter, dated 11th instant, No. 268, from the Magistrate of South Arcot, applying for permission for the Magistracy of all grades in that District to take down evidence with their own hand in their own vernacular language as laid down in Section 196 of the Criminal Procedure Code, I am directed to state that the Judges relying on Mr. Reade's representation recommend that his request be complied with.

From C. W. READE, Esq., Magistrate of South Arcot; to G. R. SHARPE, Esq., Acting Registrar of the High Court at Madras, dated Punrooty, 11th July 1863, No. 268.

I beg to submit for the consideration of the Judges of the High Court, the accompanying copy of a letter addressed by me to Government in January last, with the orders of the Governor in Council recorded thereon.

2. It having since been ruled under date the 29th June that applications of the kind shall be made through the High Court, I beg to solicit the orders of the Judges in respect of my application to permit the Magistracy of all grades in this District to take down evidence and to record the examination, in all cases adjudicable by them respectively, with their own hand in their own vernacular language as laid down in Section 196 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) G. R. SHARPE,
Acting Registrar.

No. 232. ORDER THEREON, 24th July 1863, No. 1,192.

Under Section 196 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the Governor in Council authorizes the Magistrates of all grades in the South Arcot District to take down the evidence of witnesses, each with his own hand in his own vernacular language.

2. This order will be published in the Fort Saint George and in the South Arcot District Gazettes.

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

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The Honble the Judges
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Magistrates of South Arcot
— Gazette.

25th Dec 63

