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No. 150. Read the following letter from P. GRANT, Esq., Magistrate of Coimbatore; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Coimbatore, 3rd December 1863, No. 83.

I beg to recommend that Mr. Cole, Acting Deputy Magistrate in this District, be invested with full Magisterial powers under Section 23 of the Criminal Procedure Code, and with powers to hear and dispose of Appeals under Section 412 of the same Code.

2. Mr. Cole has now been 8½ months in the service, and I can bear testimony to the care and diligence displayed by him in the conduct of his duties. He came to the District with a good knowledge of Tamil which his actual residence in the Taluqs among the people has much improved. I believe I am correct in stating that Mr. Cole has gained the confidence of the Natives in his Taluqs, one of the best signs of the way in which he conducts his duties is that I seldom or never receive Appeals from his decisions.

No. 151. ORDER THEREON, 16th December 1863, No. 1966.

The Governor in Council is not prepared at present to invest Mr. Cole with full Magisterial powers.

2. Mr. Cole should pass the examination prescribed for Deputy Collectors and Magistrates.

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

Exd. T. McMootry.

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