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Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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

No. 199. Read again Proceedings of Government, 20th December 1862, No. 2,077.

Read also the following letter from A. HATHAWAY, Esq., Magistrate of Bellary ; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Bellary, 13th February 1863, No. 4.

1. I have the honor, with reference to the Proceedings of Government, No. 2,077 of 20th December 1862, to submit the following particulars regarding the Dacoity therein alluded to.

2. One night, about thirty armed robbers attempted to commit a Dacoity in the village of Gajapur in the Taluq of Kudligi. On their entering the village, and commencing to throw stones, about twenty villagers combined to repel them.

3. M. Muga, (No. 2) and B. Rama, (No. 3) in stabbing two of the robbers with a spear, and wounding them, were severely wounded by the robbers.

4. Bulla, (No. 4) Sacriga, (No. 6) K. Kencha, (No. 5) B. Barma, (No. 7) S. Rama, (No. 9) and Karibusswa, (No. 1) threw stones at the robbers, and beat them with sticks ; and whilst thus acting they were wounded, the first two slightly and the 3rd severely.

5. Nandeppa, (No. 8) encouraged the villagers to combine, and attack the robbers.

No. 200. ORDER THEREON, 24th February 1863, No. 294.

His Excellency the Governor in Council does not consider the report submitted with the foregoing letter sufficiently detailed to justify the grant of the rewards recommended.

2. It is not shown what evidence has been adduced to prove the several facts stated. The robbers apparently have not been apprehended, and consequently the report of the trial which usually precedes the grant of rewards of this description, is not available in this case ; but the nature of the evidence upon which the Magistrate's recommendation is based, should be distinctly stated.

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

Exd. T. McMootry.

Judicial Department.

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Read again Pros of Govt. 20th Dec. 1862 N^o 2077
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(Recd letter 13th Febr 1863. N^o 4)

Order thereon 24th February 1863. N^o 294.

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