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27th February 1863.

No. 235. Read the following letter from JAMES INNES MINCHIN, Esq., Magistrate of Kurnool; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, on Circuit, dated Nundial, 20th February 1863, No. 4.

I have the honor to recommend that the Government may direct under Section 196 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, that the evidence shall be recorded in this District in the English language, by all Magistrates exercising full powers.

No. 236. ORDER THEREON, 27th February 1863, No. 320.

The Governor in Council will defer passing orders on the foregoing letter pending the reply of the Honorable the Judges of the High Court to a reference which has been made to them, regarding the principle to be observed in applying the provisions of Section 196 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

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

Exd. T. McMoony.

No. 320 — 25th February 1863

The Governor in Council will defer passing orders on the foregoing letter pending the reply of the Hon'ble the Judges of the High Court to a reference which has been made to them, regarding the principles to be observed in applying the provisions of § 195 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

The Magistrate of Tumkur.
" Hon'ble the Judges of the High Court