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Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 18*th March* 1863.

No. 99. Read the following letter from W. ROBINSON, Esq., Inspector General of M. Police; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 12th March 1863, No. 573.

Store Department.

With reference to Government Order, No. 330, dated 27th February 1863, Judicial Department, I have the honor to forward a detailed list of all articles now supplied to the lower grades of Head and Deputy Head Constables and Constables of the Madras Police.

2. Inspectors and Superior Officers provide themselves with uniform, &c.

3. No change whatever has been made in the nature, number, &c., of articles supplied at the cost of the State, since the organization first began in 1859.

4. Experience has fully established the fact that the provision now sanctioned by this Government is in the lowest scale at which the Force can be properly and respectably equipped.

MEMORANDUM.

Of clothing supplied to Head Constables, Deputy Head Constables and Constables.

Annually.

Two suits of stout cotton clothing with letter and number.
One Turband.
Two pairs common country sandals.

Biennially.

One warm coat.
One country blanket.
One brown leather waist belt.

For Head Constables.

Silver crown and stripes.
Red silk girdle.
A little distinctive lace for turband.

Arms, &c.

A baton per m .an
Swords at the rate of 2 to 3 men.
Carbines at the rate of 1 to 3 men.
A proportion of whistles, rattles and dark lanterns in each District.

CHIEF OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF M. POLICE, MADRAS, *12th March* 1863.

(Signed) W. ROBINSON,
Inspector General of M. Police.

No. 100. ORDER THEREON, 18th March 1863, No. 425.

Communicated to the Inspector General of Police in India, in reference to his letter of the 14th February last, No. 28.

2. This Government concurs with the Inspector General of Madras Police in thinking that the clothing and accoutrements issued to the Force are necessary.

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

Exd. T. McMootry.

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