

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
5th August 1864.*

No. 17. Read the following letter from J. W. B. DYKES, Esq., Magistrate of Nellore; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Judicial Department, Fort Saint George, dated Nellore, 26th July 1864, No. 31.

With reference to the Order of Government in the Judicial Department, No. 1026, dated 8th instant, I have the honor to forward a Statement of the arms, &c. remaining in my charge, drawn up with reference to the Government Order of 13th August 1862,* No. 1308, and

* Judicial Department.

state in reply to this latter order that, in my opinion, the arms had best be returned to the Ordnance Department, being of no use and occupying space in the Record-room required for other purposes.

2. Although returned as serviceable, most of the muskets, &c. are of obsolete patterns and will doubtless be found useless now, and I will make arrangements with the sanction of Government for the return of all these arms into the Arsenal, Fort Saint George, for disposal there as may seem best fit, within the course of next month.

3. I exceedingly regret the very great delay in the disposal of this matter in this District, but the order of 1862 was received during my absence from the District on leave.

P. S.—In excavating a reservoir in the Cutcherry square an iron cannon of large size has been half uncovered, which shall be dug out and reported on shortly.

(Signed) J. W. B. DYKES,
Magistrate.

No. 18. ORDER THEREON, 5th August 1864, No. 1177.

The Governor in Council authorizes the Magistrate of Nellore to break up the arms, &c. in his charge, and to dispose of the old metal.
(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Magistrate of Nellore.

„ Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, with List.

Exd. J. Tulloch.

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