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No. 48. Read the following letter from W. ROBINSON, Esq., Inspector General of Madras Police; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Kotagherry, 2nd August. 1864, No. 1603.

General Department.

I have the honor to submit the Statements called for by G. O., dated 27th May 1864, No. 762.

2. They are prepared for the actual number of men on the rolls on the 1st May 1864 as required.

3. But it will be observed, that, especially in the rank of Inspectors and Head Constables, we were considerably under the sanctioned and required strength. The fact is, as stated in my Administration Report, that we have had great difficulty to contend with consequent on high prices and other causes, in filling and keeping up these important grades. Competent men are scarce and resignations have been numerous. The efficiency of the force is naturally impaired by this state of things. However a gradual improvement is visible, and promotion and enlistments will gradually bring the force up to strength.

No. 49. To the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, Simla, dated Fort Saint George, 8th August 1864, No. 1195.

In acknowledging the receipt of Mr. Under Secretary Howell's letter of the 28th April last, No. 3204, I am directed to transmit to you the annexed copy of a letter from the Inspector General of Police, dated 2nd instant, No. 1603, together with the Statements in original received with it, showing the establishment of the Madras Police as it stood on the 1st May last.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. J. Tulloch.

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The Secretary to the Govt. of India.
Home Dept.
Simla.

Sir -

In acknowledging the receipt of Mr. Under Secretary Howell's letter of the 28th April last No 3,204, I am directed to transmit to you the annexed copy of a letter from the Inspector Genl. of Police, dated 2nd Inst. No 1,603, together with the statements in original received with it, shewing the establishment of the Madras Police, as it stood on the 1st May last.

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8th August 1864

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