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2nd June 1864.

No. 28. Read the following letter from W. ROBINSON, Esq., Inspector General of Madras Police; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 12th April 1864, No. 739.

General Department.

The law requires Village officers, Head of the village and Kurnam or Accountant, to keep certain Registers connected with the Police and Criminal administration of the country.

2. This duty is generally neglected. No registers are kept.

3. I beg that Government will instruct Magistrates to issue orders to the above-named Village officers to conform to the law.

4. I propose to instruct Police officers, in accordance with the law, to inspect during their tour of inspection the Registers; and when they find that the law is not conformed to, to bring the subject to the notice of the Magistrate. For this I request the support and sanction of Government.

No. 29. ORDER THEREON, 2nd June 1864, No. 813.

Communicated to the several Magistrates, who will issue stringent orders to the Village officers in their respective Districts to conform to the law in regard to the preparation of Registers of offenders dealt with by the Village Magistracy.

(True Extract.)

A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

To the Magistrate of
„ Inspector General of Police.

Exd. J. Tulloch.

