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Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
3rd May 1865.*

No. 42. Read the following letter from C. W. READE, Esq., Magistrate of South Arcot, to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George ; dated Punrooty, 28th April 1865, No. 31.

I solicit sanction from Government for the payment of Rupees 200, offered by me as a reward for the re-capture of a notorious convict, whose description and name will be found in the enclosed, taken from the local Gazette of this District.

2. I ought at the time to have applied to Government for the requisite authority for offering a reward beyond my own powers, but it was over-looked, and there was urgent need that no time should be lost in making the offer, and, accordingly, I took on my own responsibility, purposing to seek the required permission.

3. The convict in question is known to be a desperate character, as may be gathered from the column of remarks in the accompanying descriptive Roll, and possibly, under the temptation of the reward, additional efforts have been put forth to secure him, and happily those efforts have been recently attended with success, and the man has again been apprehended.

The Magistrate of Police has now applied to me for payment of the reward, and I trust that Government will be pleased to authorize me at once to disburse the amount, so that it may find adjustment in my accounts, and be passed by

No. 43. ORDER THEREON, 3rd May 1865, No. 670.

The Governor in Council sanctions the disbursement of a reward of Rupees (200) two hundred, for the re-capture of the escaped convict referred to in the foregoing letter.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Magistrate of South Arcot.
" Accountant General.
" Civil Paymaster.
" Inspector General of Jails.



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