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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 26th January 1866.

No. 180. Read the following letter from the Magistrate of South Canara, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Mangalore, 15th January 1866, No. 1.

With reference to the Orders of Government of the 6th May last, No. 683, Judicial Department, I have now the honor to report for their information, that all the guns in this District, and which are specified in the list which accompanied Mr. Morris's letter of the 1st August 1864, have been blown up and destroyed, with the exception of five small guns at the old Fort of Jemalabad, and which were not forthcoming.

2. In addition to the 156 guns specified in Mr. Morris's list, 16 guns have been further discovered and blown up, making the total number actually destroyed 172. Since the departure of Mr. Bay (the Conductor employed on this duty) three guns have also been discovered in the Udipi Taluq, and these, along with the five remaining to be found at the old Fort at Jemalabad, (and for which search will be made immediately the long grass is burnt), I propose having taken out some distance from the land and thrown into the sea.

3. I beg to add, that many of the guns destroyed were, to an unprofessional eye, in very fair order, and I am assured, although deemed unfit for Ordnance purposes, might have been used to advantage by mischievous or disaffected persons.

No. 181. ORDER THEREON, 26th January 1866, No. 105.

The Governor in Council approves and sanctions the arrangement proposed in the foregoing letter.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Magistrate of South Canara.
" Military Department.

Ord. R. H. Lee.

26 January 1866 No 105

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