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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
10th July 1866.

No. 92. Read the following letter from the Magistrate of Coimbatore, to the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Coimbatore, 26th June 1866, No. 56.

I have the honor to request that I may be favored with the orders of Government as to the mode to be adopted for the maintenance of children of Convicts sent to Jail for imprisonment. In their Order of the 20th September 1865, No. 1347, on a reference made by me on a certain case, Government remarked that the arrangements for subsisting the child therein referred to should have been made by the Officer in charge of the Jail, the charges incurred being drawn for in a contingent bill, under the sanction of the Inspector General of Jails. A similar case has recently occurred: a female was committed to the Jail at Coimbatore by the 1st Class Sub-Magistrate of Coimbatore for imprisonment; her child was sent with her, but the keeper of the Jail objected to receiving it, on the ground that his doing so would be contrary to Section 193 of the New Jail Rules. He suggests that arrangements may be made by the Magisterial Department for taking care of, and subsisting, this child, as well as another child belonging to a prisoner committed to Jail by the Session Court in February 1866, and which had hitherto lived with its mother in the Jail. Some specific rules, for the guidance of Magisterial Officers in such cases, are very desirable, and I request that the subject may receive the consideration of Government.

No. 93. ORDER THEREON, 10th July 1866, No. 1074.

The Magistrate is referred to paragraph 193, Section 12, of the Rules for the management of Jails, which clearly lays down the course to be pursued by the Magistracy in the case of children of Convicts, who are not permitted to become inmates of the Jail on attaining the full age of two years. A copy of the Jail Rules, which do not appear to have been communicated to the Magistrates, will now be furnished for their information and guidance.

(True Extract).

J. D. SIM,
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Magistrate of
with a copy of Jail Rules.
" Inspector General of Jails.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

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To the Magistrate of all Districts with a copy of Jail Rules
Inspector General of Jails — } dispd 13/7

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