

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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No. 283. Read the following letter from the Acting Magistrate of Kurnool, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Peapully, 8th August 1866, No. 34.

On the night of the 16th ultimo, some 50 or 60 gang robbers, armed with matchlocks and swords, attacked the houses of two merchants, named Singaraya and Kristniah, residents of the hamlet of Kottoor, in the Pattikonda Taluq, and though foiled in the attempt to break open the houses, by the villagers rising *en masse* against them, they succeeded in plundering one of the females of the household, who happened to be outside, of the jewels which were on her person, and then made off.

2. Three of the neighbours, named (1) Lutchmanna, (2) Vencatanna, and (3) Timana, although they had no personal interest in the matter, armed themselves with axes and sticks, and very pluckily gave chase to the gang. They were, however, out-numbered, and two of them were severely, and one slightly, wounded by the dacoits. As a recognition of their gallantry, and to encourage others to follow their example, the Deputy Magistrate proposes that a reward of Rupees 30, each, should be given to Lutchmanna and Vencatanna, whose wounds are so severe as to preclude the possibility of their working for a couple of months, and Rupees 20 to Timana, whose hurts are not so serious.

3. I beg to support the recommendation of the Deputy Magistrate in charge of the Division, and trust that Government will sanction the disbursement of the above sums.

No. 284. ORDER THEREON, 27th August 1866, No. 1336.

The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction rewards of Rupees 30, each, to Lutchmanna and Vencatanna, and Rupees 20 to Timana, in recognition of their courageous conduct in pursuing a gang of armed robbers, on the night of the 16th ultimo.

(True Extract).

Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Magistrate of Kurnool.
" Accountant General.
" Inspector General of Police.

Ed. J. H. Burns.

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Read letter from the
Acting Magistrate of
Tumacod.

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Order. 27th August 1886 N^o 1336.

The Governor in Council
is pleased to award
- five rewards of Rupees
50 each to Sutchamma
& Venkamma & Rupees
20 to Simmah in recog-
- nition of their courageous
conduct in pursuing
a gang of armed
robbers on the night
of the 16th ultimo.

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