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No. 57. Read the following letter from the Inspector General of Police, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Russelcondah, 11th December 1865, No. 2404.

I beg to bring the accompanying recommendation to the favorable notice of Government.

2. I have made local inquiry, and consider the conduct of the Inspector well worthy of this recognition.

From the Magistrate of Coimbatore, to the Inspector General of Police; dated Coimbatore, 24th November 1865, No. 24.

I have the honor to request that you will obtain the sanction of Government for the payment of a reward of 50 Rupees to Police Inspector Sajat Hussain, for meritorious service rendered in apprehending certain robbers in a case of dacoity which took place on the night of the 16th August 1865, in Neiliconampolliem, a hamlet in the village of Singanullore, in the Coimbatore Taluq.

2. The dacoity in question was a well organized one, and the value of property plundered amounted to Rupees 1382-9-0. The Police Inspector traced the perpetrators to Malabar, where he eventually succeeded in apprehending them. The Superintendent of Police writes as follows:—

"I could only recommend the Inspector for a reward of 20 Rupees (which is the limit allowed to the Inspector General of Police, to whom all applications for rewards to *Police Officers* should be sent; but I would indeed be glad if the Magistrate would see fit to recommend Inspector Sajat Hussain for the higher reward, and I am confident the Inspector General would be happy to make the necessary reference for sanction (to Government), on the Magistrate's recommendation. Inspector Sajat Hussain had a long and arduous search. The duty entrusted to him was carried out with admirable tact and perseverance. He suffered much from fever contracted on duty, and indeed still suffers. He has recovered nearly 700 Rupees worth of property. Ten dacoits have been convicted and sentenced to transportation."

3. Under these circumstances, I would strongly recommend the case for the favorable consideration of Government.

4. The village Moonsiff of Singanullore and a Moplah of Palghaut also exerted themselves in assisting the Police Inspector in the apprehension of the dacoits, and under the authority vested in me by the Government Order of the 23rd August 1862, No. 1389, rewards of 20 and 30 Rupees have been awarded to them respectively.

No. 58. ORDER THEREON, 8th January 1866, No. 32.

On the recommendation of the Magistrate of Coimbatore, supported by the Inspector General of Police, the Governor in Council sanctions the payment of a reward of Rupees (50) fifty to Inspector Sajat Hussain, for his meritorious service in apprehending certain dacoits.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector General of Police.
" Magistrate of Coimbatore.
" Accountant General.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

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On the recommendations of the Magistrates of Coimbatore supported by the Inspector General of Police, the Governor in Council sanctions the payment of a reward of Rupees Fifty to Inspector Bajati Ramanu for his meritorious services in apprehending certain Dacoits.

To Inspector General of Police
" Magistrate of Coimbatore
" Accts General