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## Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 477 Press Mis.

Dated 4 — 4 — 19 1866

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 4th April 1866.*

Read the following papers :—

No. 1. Proceedings of Government in the Military Department.

Communicating papers relative to the sentence of *seven years'* rigorous imprisonment passed upon a Private of the 27th Regiment, N.I., under Section 497 of the Penal Code, by the Session Court of Cuddapah, the Section prescribing *five years* as the limit. (Dated 28th February 1866, Nos. 769.)

Referred to the Magistrate of Cuddapah, for explanation, on the point noticed in paragraph 2 of the foregoing Proceedings.

*12th March* 1866. (Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
*Chief Secretary.*

No. 2. From the Magistrate of Cuddapah, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George ; dated Voilpad, 20th March 1866, No. 7.

With reference to your Endorsement, dated 12th March 1866, on the Order of Government in the Military Department, No. 769, dated 28th February 1866, calling for an explanation on the point noticed by Government in paragraph 2 of the above Order, I have the honor to enclose copy of a letter from the Session Judge of Cuddapah, stating that the prisoner Jagannadah was convicted, by the late Session Judge, of Rape, and not of *Adultery* as formerly stated, and sentenced to seven years' rigorous imprisonment.

From the Acting Session Judge of Cuddapah, to the Magistrate of Cuddapah ; dated Cuddapah, 15th March 1866, No. 127.

In returning the copy of the Proceedings of Government, Military Department, dated 28th ultimo, endorsed to you by the Chief Secretary, I have the honor to inform you that the prisoner therein referred to was convicted by the Session Court, in Calendar Case No. 61 of 1863, of the crime of Rape, under Section 376, and not of Adultery under Section 497 of the Penal Code.

No. 3. ORDER THEREON, 4th April 1866, No. 477.

Ordered that the letter from the Magistrate of Cuddapah, and its enclosure, be communicated to the Military Department.

(True Extract).

*Chief Secretary.*

To the Military Department.

Exd. J. H. BURNS.

Read the following papers.

Pro: of Govt: Milty Deptt. / Dated 28th Feby 1856. No 769)

Letter from the Mla. Magistrate of Vizagapatam — 20th March — 77)

Order. 4th April 1856 No 477.

Ordered that the letter from the Magistrate of Vizagapatam & its enclosure be communicated to the Military Deptt.

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To Milty Deptt