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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
18th April 1866.

No. 151. Read the following letter from the Magistrate of Vizagapatam, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Vizagapatam, 28th March 1866, No. 48.

I beg to invite attention to paragraph 3 of my letter, No. 373, of 8th November 1864, copy of which is subjoined:—

“ I take this opportunity of suggesting that Medical Officers placed in charge of Jails be gazetted as Magistrates (of any class), to meet the requirements of the Whipping Act, which enacts that all whippings under that Law shall be carried out in the presence of a Magistrate. It is very inconvenient for a Magistrate with other duties to attend the Jail on these occasions.”

No. 152. ORDER THEREON, 18th April 1866, No. 579.

Adverting to the large number of Officers having Magisterial powers at present employed in this Presidency, the Governor in Council does not deem it necessary to invest the Superintendents of Jails with any of the powers of a Magistrate, to enable them to superintend the execution of sentences of whipping.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Magistrate of Vizagapatam.
„ Inspector General of Jails.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

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Recd. letter from the Magistrate of
Vizagapatam.

27th March 1866. No 112.

Order thereon. 18 April 1866 No 579.

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Dated 18th April 1865.

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