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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 914	Press ~~Mis~~
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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,

9th June 1866.

No. 96. Read the following letter from the Magistrate of Malabar, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Calicut, 29th May 1866, No. 69.

Adverting to the inquiry made by Government in the concluding paragraph of their Order, dated 11th ultimo, No. 1118, (P. W. Department), communicated with

• Dated 20th April 1866.

the Proceedings* in the Judicial Department, No. 588, I have the honor to state

that the Deputy Magistrate of Wynaad, who was directed to report why no inquest was held in the case, observes that the Sub-Magistrate of Goodaloor, to whom the

† About 20 miles distant from Goodaloor.

accident was intimated on the evening of the 23rd February, on his return from

‡ 19 miles from Goodaloor. The Sub-Magistrate, who was knocked up with the journey from Davalah, was unable to proceed at once to Karkur.

Davalah,† sent immediate orders, by a Constable to the Adigherry of Nambal-lacode, to proceed at once to Karkur‡

and institute the necessary inquiry; and that the Constable failed to deliver the message till the 25th idem, when the Adigherry went with all speed to the spot, but was too late to be able to see the corpse and have the inquest held on it.

2. I understand that steps have been taken to bring the Police Constable, through whose remissness the irregularity noticed had been brought about, to punishment, and that the Sub-Magistrates have been strictly enjoined to have *post mortem* examinations immediately held on the occurrence of like accidents.

No. 97.

ORDER THEREON, 9th June 1866, No. 914.

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(True Extract).

J. D. SIM,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Pro. 20th April 1866 A. 105-106

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From

The Magistrate of Malabar

To
The Chief Secretary to Government

Dated 30 May 1866
No. 2 June 1866

A. 69.

No 1192.

Submitting, with reference to
G. O. dated 20th April 1866 A. 4588,
explanation why no inquiry
was held in the case alluded
to.

9 June 1866 A. 914.

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8 June 1866

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