

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Jurisdiction DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
27th March 1867.*

No. 336. Read the following letter from the Commissioner of Police, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George ; dated Madras, 20th March 1867, No. 35.

I have the honor to inform you that, consequent on the sanctioned reduction in the Madras Mounted Police from the 31st instant, the articles named in the margin will become surplus to the revised Establishment, and I, therefore, request to be favored with instructions as to their disposal.

22 Cavalry Swords, with scabbards and belts.
22 Revolvers (Colts).
43 Boxes Percussion Caps.
500 Revolver Cartridges (Patent).
22 Cartridge Pouches.

2. The Swords with belts I would suggest being kept in deposit in the Arsenal, in order to replace such as may become unserviceable, from time to time, in the wear and tear of the Police Troop, but the surplus Revolvers, &c. can be finally returned into the Arsenal, as this arm has rarely, if ever, been used by the Mounted Police.

3. The surplus horses and saddlery I purpose sending to Messrs. Waller and Co., to be sold by auction, as was done on a former reduction in the Police Troop.

No. 337. ORDER THEREON, 27th March 1867, No. 506.

The Governor in Council approves of the arrangements suggested in the foregoing letter for the disposal of the surplus Swords, Revolvers, Ammunition, and Horses belonging to the Madras Mounted Police.

(True Extract)

Chief Secretary:

To the Commissioner of Police.

„ Accountant General.
„ Military Department.
„ Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

No 506 of 27. March 1867.

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To the Commr. of Police.
Account General.
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