

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Dated	7—1—1868.	

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
7th January 1868.*

Read the following:—

No. 33. Recommendation for powers under Section 23 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Number.	Name of the Taluq or Division.	Present office.	Name in full of the incumbent.	Total service in the Magisterial Department.	How long has he exercised present powers.	Whether a passed candidate, and in what language has he passed.	Qualifications of the Officer.	Nature of recommendation, under what Section, and grounds thereof.	Remarks.
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.....		Assistant Magistrate of Coimbatore.	Mr. Ware Plumtre Austin.	Yrs. M. D. 1 8 0	Yrs. M. D. 0 3 17	Has not passed any examination; but the recommendation is made with reference to Government Order, dated 18th July 1867, No. 1147.	Qualified.	To be invested with full powers of a Magistrate, under Section 23 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	It is only intended at first that Mr. Austin shall dispose of such cases under the extended powers as are specially referred to him.

Forwarded to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George.
COIMBATORE MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE, (Signed) P. GRANT,
COIMBATORE, 17th December 1867. *Magistrate.*

No. 34. ORDER THEREON, 7th January 1868, No. 19.

The attention of the Magistrate of Coimbatore is called to paragraph 4 of the Proceedings of Government, dated 18th July 1867, No. 1147. Mr. Grant will observe that the Government are prepared to confer full Magisterial powers on Covenanted Assistants who have previously exercised the powers of a Subordinate Magistrate of the 1st class for *not less than six months*.

2. From the statement submitted, it appears that Mr. Ware Austin, who has not passed any examination; has only exercised his present powers, which are supposed to be those of a Magistrate of the 1st class, during three months and seventeen days.

3. Referring, further, to column 10 of that statement, it is observed that, in the event of full or minor powers being conferred on an Officer, it would not be competent to the Magistrate of the District to limit their exercise in the manner proposed by Mr. Grant in the case of Mr. Austin.

(True Extract).

To the Magistrate of Coimbatore.
Exd J. H. Burns.

Chief Secretary.

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Forw-arded to the Chief Secretary to Govt. of Saint George.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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(Here enter 17th December 1857.)

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Despatch to the Magistrate of Louisbourg.