

Judicial (1895) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 268

DATED 7th Feb. 1895.

INDEXED.

[Despatch Abstract.]

KURNOOL TORTURE CASES

Returning, with remarks, to the Inspector-General of Police certain papers relating to the case of 3rd-Class Inspector N. Varada Charry of Kurnool Police for resubmission to Government with the Inspector's full explanation.

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BACK PAPERS.

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Judicial

(1894) DEPARTMENT.

6650

8/5/74 No 1035 Jud. Sec.

S.O. 1752: 17. via James

Stapens

Ans. 6650/94 (telegram from the Secy)

FROM

Col. C. A. Porteous

INSPECTOR-GENERAL

OF POLICE.

CHIEF SECRETARY
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
13 DEC 1894

No. 7339

Dated

12th

Received

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December 1894.

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No.

SUBJECT.

Recommending the dismissal of 3rd Class Inspector R. Paradacharry B. A of the Kurnool Police.

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please do

Put up

For order

As the original records - depositions etc. - are yet in the High Court, perhaps the Jg. might be told to wait till they are available + resubmit the case with the Inspector's fuller explanation? The Tahs. (S. R. Rao) also is still under suspension, vide S.O. 2452: 8-10-94.

I see the Inspector complains that he could not give his explanation without copies of the depositions. He made + that he cannot get copies till the record gets back from the High Court. It is better therefore to ask the Sd. Pleader when the High Court is likely to have done with the records.

Refce only No. 35/10-1-95 with refce. to S.O. of 6 June 1894 No. 1870 the Sd. Pleader is requested to report when the High Court is likely to dispose of the appeal sanctioned therein.

In Sd. Pleader's 8 Jan

9/1/1895

Record of Service of

A. Vasada Chetty, 3rd Class Inspector, Kurnool Dist.

Has 5 years' service as Chief Constable Bombay Police prior to entering the Madras Police.

Appointed 3rd Class Inspector, Kurnool } 4th January 1877
on probation

Was confirmed _____ 1st February 1878

Transferred to North Arcot _____ 11th March 1878

Reduced to 4th Class and transferred to Kurnool for abuse of his power and cowardly conduct _____ 23rd June 1878

Reduced to 5th Class for wrongfully arresting one Sanjini Reddy on a charge of dishonestly receiving stolen property _____ 1st January 1879

Promoted to 4th Class _____ 1st April 1879

Promoted to 3rd Class _____ 1st April 1879

Suspended for abetment of hurt to extort confession and wrongful confinement _____ 2nd April 1879

Has passed the Inspectors' Test Papers

Re-intended to Annual Confidential

2/11/01. 1/1/90

On Superintendent's Annual Confidential
for 1888, Inspector General remarks
"Reported to be a poor detective and
never to look after his men."

On Roll dated January 1889 for promotion
4th Class, Inspector General remarks
"Has been twice reduced and is a doubtful
man."

On Superintendent's Annual Confidential
Report for 1892, Inspector General remarks
"Satisfactory."

On Deputy Inspector General's Inspection
Report for 1893, Inspector General remarks
"Unsatisfactory - Reported to be untrustworthy,
a poor detective and to be slack in
supervision."

W. H. D. A. S.
Asst. Inspector General of Police.

500-9-93.

DEPARTMENT.

No. 7339

CHIEF OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE,

Madras,

12th December

1894.

FROM

Colonel C. A. Portland,

INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE,

TO

THE Chief Secretary
to Government,
Fort Saint George.

SIR,

Enclosures
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I have the honor to submit the
accompanying minute (with the connected
papers) from the Superintendent of Police,
Kurnool, clearly setting forth the charges
against 3rd Class Inspector R. Parada Chari
B. A. in connection with the Palkonda
dacoity, and the Chellama, Padupala,
Jonnagiri Torture Cases which occurred in
September 1893.

2. I give below briefly the case against
Inspector.

On the afternoon of the 24th Aug
the wife of the Tahildar of Palkonda

Post

Kurnool

no paper in 6650

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with letter

Peypalli was attacked by 12 or 15 robbers on the high road near Ratna $4\frac{1}{2}$ miles from Pattikonda; they carried off her jewels and other property valued at Rs. 13,000. The Inspector was at the time in Pattikonda and received information of this at 7 P.M. and went to the scene of the robbery with some Constables without informing the Superintendent who was also at that time in Pattikonda. The Superintendent heard of this case two hours after its occurrence and at once proceeded to the spot and found that the Inspector had gone down the road to meet the Tahsildar instead of remaining at the spot and following up as he ought to have done the foot-prints of the dacoits. Up to 19th September, when he handed over the charge of his Division and went to Kurnool under the Superintendent's orders; he took no steps to arrest the offenders. His diaries which he submitted in batches and at irregular intervals, were most defective.

giving

was doing during the interval. He never examined the principal persons who were dacoited but went from village to village following the Tahsildar and his party who were endeavouring to detect the case notwithstanding the directions received from his Superintendent to work out the dacoity independently. Finding that the Inspector persisted in running after the Tahsildar's party, the Superintendent directed him to hand over charge of his Division, which he did on the 19th September. It was between the 28th August and 19th September 1893, that he became implicated in the Chellama, Pasupala and Jonnagiri Torture.

3. The Superintendent requested the District Magistrate to sanction the prosecution of this Inspector for hurt caused in endeavour to extort confession and for wrongful confinement; this the Magistrate refused to sanction but requested the Superintendent to suspend the Inspector; he was under suspension since 24th September.

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Kurnool

uttered deliberate falsehoods and denied
the statements made before the Superintendent.
The Judge noticed the Inspector's conduct
in his judgments (Calendar Cases Nos. 2
3, and 4 of 1894) herewith submitted. The
evidence in support of the denial is clearly
given in the Superintendent's Minute.

5. I agree with the Superintendent in
thinking that the Inspector has proved
himself to be most untrustworthy and
deceitful and that he ought not to be
allowed to remain in the force. I
therefore recommend that he be dismissed
the service. As he is a Confirmed Inspector
I submit his case for the orders of Governor
under G. O., No. 1035, dated 8th June 1894
J.D.

6. A record of the Inspector's service
is enclosed.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Wm. P. Forrest Col.,
Inspector of Police

Cal. 6650/94

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1,000-25-10-14

Current No. 12

DEPARTMENT.

From
J.D.

A. Varadachari
Police Inspector

No.

Dated 31/12/94

Received 1/1/95

Enclosures 7/1/95

SUBJECT.

repl. restoration to
appth or an enquiry
to the case before Govt.

Admitted to U.S.

This telegram lies over pending

disposal of the linked paper in 6650/94

will come over

The judgment is delivered in the
Karnal appeal.

INDIAN



TELEGRAPHS.

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Month
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Office
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To

Madras

From

Kurnool

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(Office)

Words.

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Minute.

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Instructions.

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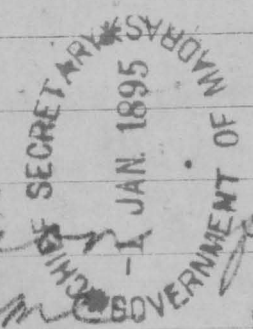
The Secretary
to government
judicial department

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Inspector

under suspension fifteen
months extreme distress
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government request restoration
or inquiry.



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INDIAN TELEGRAPHS

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From

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
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From

THE GOVERNMENT PLEADER,

Madras.

Dated 11

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3 January 1895

No. 8

CHIEF SECRETARY
ENCLOSURE
11 JAN 1895
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

For orders.

It is still uncertain when the records will be available. It does not seem fair to disprove of the Inspector's case without allowing him such copies of the record as may be required for his explanation. Submitted therefore that the Govt. Pleader should again be addressed - thus:-

Order 15 Jan 95 No 44.
The Govt. Pleader will be requested to inform Govt. of the date to which the other appeals may be posted.
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14/15/1

DESPATCHED

Govt. Pleader - 9
18 JAN 95
M.S.

Ch. Secy

Keep papers together

Stating that one of the Kurnool appeals was posted for hearing on the 10th inst and that the judgment was reserved, and the Jammajini appeals will come on for hearing after the judgment is delivered in the Kurnool appeal.

Government Pleader's Office,
High Court,
MADRAS, 11th January 1895.

No. 8.

From

E. B. POWELL, Esq.,
GOVERNMENT PLEADER,
Madras.

To

THE Chief Secretary to Govt.,
Fort St. George.

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt
of your Office Memorandum N^o 35 J. of the 10th Instant,
and in reply to inform you that one of the ^{*}appeals
referred to therein was heard yesterday and ^{the judgment was} reserved.
^{* Kurnool appeals.} ^{* Bangalore} ~~for judgment.~~ The other appeals will be posted for
^{* Jannagiri appeals.} hearing after the delivery of judgment in the present case.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most Obedt Servt

E. B. Powell

Government Pleader.

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Just Dep

W^o. 6650/94.

From

THE GOVERNMENT PLEADER,

Madras.

Dated 24- 1- 95
Reed. 24 - 1 - 95
Recd 25 - 1 - 95

NO. 3 SECRETARY
24 JAN. 1895
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
ENCLOSURE

Stating that Pasupala &
Jonnajini Cases will come
on for hearing on Monday
the 28th instant.

25/1

To await the result of the hearing on
the 28th inst.

D.
15.1

Sub brought my notice on
25/1 the 1st February

Government Pleader's Office,

Sigh Court,

MADRAS, 24th January 1895.

No. 53.

From

E. B. POWELL, Esq.,

GOVERNMENT PLEADER,

Madras.

To

THE Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George.

SIR,

With reference to the Proceedings of Government
N^o 44 Judicial of the 15th instant, I have the honor to
state that the Parapala and Jannagiri Appeals will come
on for hearing on Monday the 28th January 1895.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Yours most Obedt Servt,

E. B. Powell

Government Pleader.

C. 6650
12-12-94

NOTE FOR THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

The cases have now been decided by the High Court; the records will be shortly available. - The police ^{inspector} Constable has complained that he could not give his explanation for want of copies of the depositions which he made. - The records will be going back to the Sessions Court from which he will be able to obtain copies & submit his explanation. It seems inadvisable to dismiss him without an adequate explanation; it is suggested that the papers shd. be sent back to the S.G. for it - as proposed by the S.G. from the reverse of Current No.

6650
12-12-94
D.
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42 - This will be a nice job when the comes up. Complicated as it will be a knipic amount of paperwork and the delay that has taken place

RD
4/2/95

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings: -

Current 6650 of 12 Dec 1894 from the S.G. Police
Again G.O., dated 18, No.
Again G.O., dated 18, No. 10 - 1. 85 No 35:
Current No. 100 of 18 95, dated 11. 1 95 from the East. Pleader
Refer herein 15 - 1. 85 No 44.
Current 291 of 24. 1. 85 from the East. Pleader
Current No. 12 of 18 95, dated 31 Dec 94 from A Varadachari Police Inspector.

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It appears that the Inspector complained that he was unable to submit a full explanation for want of copies of the depositions he gave to the Courts. As the High Court has now disposed of the appeal cases, the records will shortly be returned to the Sessions Court & copies of depositions will be available. The papers will accept be returned to the S.G. of Police for resubmission together with the Inspector's full explanation. He should be afforded allowed a reasonable time within which to procure copies & prepare his explanation.

From order, RD

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The S.G. of Police, with C. 6650 & enclosure
The P.M. (at 9) 11 FEB 95
IN M.S.

Case of an Inspector

Cs.

from order

When given for copying _____
When copied _____
When examined _____
When signed _____

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READ AGAIN G.O., No.
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DATED

CURRENT No.

ENCLOSURES TO C. No.

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

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IN ORIGINAL.

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