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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
14th December 1872.*

as far as necessary the counterpart of the other will simplify if not expedite work by facilitating transfer. The new return being necessarily more comprehensive than the old one, is more easily intelligible. I can, therefore, with the greater confidence advise its adoption.

11. Advantage has been taken of this opportunity to codify the rules now in force (extending over many years and not always definite) for registering and ledgering crime, as given in the accompanying instructions for the preparation of the new return.

12. Referring to the omissions mentioned in paragraph 9 (clause 1), they virtually amount to nothing, but it is necessary to explain them to prevent misunderstanding. With a return of eighty-three columns not only had *every* addition to be avoided, but every unnecessary column had also to be removed. The three columns "Cases tried by Heads of Villages" have consequently disappeared. As Heads of Villages *can* only try cases under two Regulations, it follows that *such* cases *must* be tried by Heads of Villages, other Magistrates having no jurisdiction. It was, therefore, more waste to retain this heading. Such offences will now be entered in "Sub-Magistrates" columns with a foot-note showing that they were decided by Heads of Villages.

13. In the new Return columns 12 and 83 of the old Return are omitted.

BAILED BY POLICE.		DIED, ESCAPED, TRANS- FERRED.	
Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.

On a careful scrutiny they will be found not only useless but calculated to mislead. The number of persons "Bailed by the Police" or who "Die" or are "Transferred" *cannot* affect the number of "Cases," column 4; *e. g.*, if Police bail one, of two prisoners in a murder, the "*person*" so bailed alone has to be here accounted for, the "*case*" is shown elsewhere, columns 1 to 15, nor

does the release of this "*person*" affect the "*case*" in any way, or become a separate "*case*" of itself; these two columns were, therefore, a mistake.

14. Columns 26 to 37, "Operations of the Magistracy in Committable Cases," have been omitted as entirely unnecessary in the *Ledger* where their retention entailed much useless labour. All the information they afford, *viz.*, the number of cases inquired into and committed for trial to Sessions Court by each grade of

* *Vide* paragraph 25, Criminal Statistical Report for 1871, page 14.

*Magistrate,** can and will be readily furnished by District Superintendents from the records of cases so tried during

the year, the "total" thereof, columns 38 to 48, being alone shown in the return.

15. With reference to G. O., No. 1189, of 6th September 1870, Judicial Department, directing the Inspector-General of Police to submit the "Criminal Judicial Statements" required by the Government of India, Major Hearn, in his circular letter of 6th December 1870, No. 7561, attached, requested Magistrates to furnish a portion of the information in their B forms, a few extra columns being added to the *Ledger* for this purpose; but it seems to have been overlooked that the remainder of the information wanted for Returns 3 and 4 is not now ledgered,

nor can possibly be so, by this Department without additions to the Ledger which would render the book too bulky and complicated for any human intellect. What is asked for in these forms is the "number of persons dealt with, disposed of, and how punished" by each grade of Magistrate and Court throughout the Presidency. To enable this Department to give such details it would be requisite to keep a separate Ledger for each grade of Magistrate, which I need scarcely say would be an impossible task.

16. It consequently follows that these returns must be furnished by each class of Magistrate, and such being the case, the whole information wanted should be given rather than a part. I have, therefore, the honour to request Government may be pleased to direct all Magistrates to forward Judicial Statements 3 and 4 monthly to District Superintendents of Police (Madras Town Magistrates to Commissioner), in whose offices they will be tabulated for each class of Magistrate and compiled in the Chief Office annually for the Presidency. Sessions Court should furnish the statements to Superintendents early in January for the year ending 31st December. I have likewise to request that all Magistrates may be instructed to use the revised B Form from the 1st January 1873, and not to alter it in any way without orders of Government. A slightly modified B Form will be used by the Madras Town Magistrates, with whom I will personally arrange for its introduction.

17. In conclusion, I will briefly summarize the proposals herein referred to:—

(i.) To adopt the principles of the Government of India Forms, whereby the Annual Returns only include cases judicially decided on 31st December, carrying forward to the following year all cases pending trial on 1st January.

(ii.) To remodel existing Forms B, Police Ledger, and Annual Criminal Statistical Return in the accompanying forms, and to adopt them in lieu of those now used by order of Government.

(iii.) To accept the Bengal Committee Forms, as far as necessary, in Administration Report Appendix.

(iv.) That all Magistrates be instructed to furnish Superintendents monthly with Judicial Statements 3 and 4 and Sessions Court annually.

18. Copies of Forms hitherto in use are herewith submitted for comparison. I would respectfully solicit the early orders of Government on this subject.

No. 80. ORDER THEREON, 14th December 1872, No. 1637.

On the 19th June 1869, the Government of India forwarded a set of Police Returns drawn up by the Statistical Committee, and requested the opinion of this Government as to the feasibility of substituting them for those in use in the Madras Presidency.

2. The Inspector-General of Police having reported that the adoption of the proposed forms, in supersession of those in use, would necessitate manifold alterations in, and additions to, the Criminal Statistical Registers, and that much of the information required for the complete Returns of Criminal and Judicial Statistics, the compilation of which devolves on the Police Department, would be omitted,

—and having submitted certain suggestions with the view of modifying the proposed statements so as to render them capable of exhibiting, not only the points on which information was required by the Statistical Committee, but also those to which value was attached by the Local Government, a communication was addressed to the Government of India, under date the 1st September 1869, deprecating any more radical change in the existing forms of return than was indicated by the Inspector-General.

3. In their Resolution of the 9th of September 1870, No. 610, however, the Government of India overruled the objections raised by this Government, and directed the general adoption of the Police Forms as revised by the Statistical Committee, remarking at the same time that their adoption would not preclude the Local Government from calling for any additional information which might be deemed requisite.

4. A report on the subject being called for, the Inspector-General of Police intimated that the information required for the Police Administration Report would be available in its new shape for 1872.

5. The Acting Inspector-General of Police, however, in his letter above recorded, represents that, until the present system of criminal registration is modified, the returns prescribed by the Supreme Government cannot be prepared with accuracy, though an attempt is being made to comply with the requisition for the current year.

6. Major Drever points out that, in consequence of the returns devised by the Statistical Committee being framed on an entirely different principle from that adopted in the returns hitherto in use in this Presidency, the present system of registration does not enable him to furnish the forms recently prescribed for adoption, in addition to those hitherto submitted to this Government.

7. The main points of difference between the two sets of returns appears to be—

1st.—That the Statistical Committee's Forms are drawn up with a view to show the results of Police operations *only*, whilst the Madras Returns are far more comprehensive and embrace information in regard to every Magisterial and Judicial proceeding in criminal cases throughout the Presidency.

2nd.—The Statistical Committee's Returns are based on a division of crime into 1, Cognizable (in which Police can arrest without warrant), and 2, Non-cognizable (in which Magistrate's warrant is required), whilst the distinction maintained in this Presidency is between 1, Offences under the Penal Code, and 2, Offences against special laws.

3rd.—An entirely different method of grouping offences from that in force here has been adopted by the Statistical Committee.

8. It follows, therefore, that the Madras system of registration must be modified. The principal objection to this course is that pointed out by Major Drever, viz., that, owing to the radical change in form, the Annual Returns will, in future, except as regards a few of the more serious classes of crime, be useless for purposes of comparison with the results of the past, until sufficient time has elapsed for the accumulation of fresh data. The only alternative is to have

recourse to a double system of registration, but this, owing to the extra expense involved, cannot be entertained.

9. Major Drever proposes to remodel the Police Ledger so as to render it capable of furnishing all the information required by both Governments, and also the Magisterial B Form, which is the basis of the Ledger. It is further suggested that an exact duplicate of the Ledger shall be transmitted to the Chief Office as the District Return, and that from these several District Returns an Annual Return for the Presidency, in precisely the same form, be compiled and submitted to Government in supersession of the present Annual Return which, it appears, is not an exact counterpart of the Ledger on which it is based.

10. The Government approve of Major Drever's proposals, and sanction the adoption of the revised Ledger and B Form for the ensuing year. It appears to Government that the columns for details of punishment might be dispensed with, with reference to the statement (Judicial No. 4) prescribed by the Government of India, which affords the same information, and Major Drever is authorized to carry out this suggestion if he sees no objection.

11. In order further to reduce the labour of preparing the Ledger and the unwieldy extent of its form, the Governor in Council suggests, for Major Drever's consideration, that the return of castes and callings of offenders might be modified materially, but this change might be deferred till he has reported again. Major Drever will furnish all District Magistrates with a specimen of the B Form, with as little delay as possible, to enable them to make arrangements for issuing a supply to the subordinate Magistracy. The Government further direct that no alteration be made in the B Form without the sanction of the Inspector-General of Police, much inconvenience being reported to have resulted from unauthorized additions and alterations.

12. The omissions referred to in paragraphs 12, 13, and 14 appear to be judicious, but the Government observe that the designations of the several grades of the Magistracy (columns 33 to 44 of the Ledger) require revision with reference to the nomenclature adopted in Act X. of 1872, which will come into force on the 1st January next.

The Revised Rules for registering and ledgering crime, and for the preparation of Form B, do not require sanction; they will probably need modification from time to time as questions arise. Care should be taken that the provisions of the new Code of Criminal Procedure are referred to uniformly throughout.

13. In addition to the Police and Criminal Statistical Returns already alluded to, the Inspector-General of Police was required by G. O.; 6th September 1870, No. 1189, to submit annually the Judicial Statements 2, 3, and 4 (Criminal) prescribed by the Statistical Committee. These were intended for insertion in the General Administration Report of the Presidency, as the complement of the Judicial Returns furnished by the High Court, but have hitherto been received too late to admit of their inclusion. Major Drever represents that the information requisite to fill up Statements 3 and 4 cannot be obtained from the Ledger, and suggests that the Magistracy should be required to fill them up and forward them to Superintendents of Police *monthly*, and Sessions Judges *annually*. The Government concur in thinking that the several Magistrates and Sessions Judges

should be required to prepare the forms in question which are not complicated, and will not entail any appreciable extra labour on their establishments. It is presumed that the Police Department is in a position to provide the requisite supply of forms for the present at any rate.

14. It only remains to notice Major Drever's remarks in paragraphs 7 and 8 in regard to the Annual Report on Criminal Statistics and the Administration Report of the Police Department, which appear to be susceptible of improvement. The adoption of the revised form of Annual Return, which will include only cases *judicially decided* up to 31st December; those pending on that date being accounted for in the following year, will enable the Inspector-General of Police to expedite the submission of the Annual Report on Criminal Statistics. The new forms should, as proposed by Major Drever, be substituted, as far as possible, for those which have hitherto been appended to the Criminal Statistical and Police Reports. Bengal Form A appears to comprise most of the information of value contained in the several tables included in, and appended to, the former, whilst Forms F and G will supersede the majority of those relating solely to the organization and discipline of the force. There will still, however, remain several interesting returns, of which Major Hearn, in his letter of the 30th July 1869, advocated the retention.

16. The Government desire that the Acting Inspector-General of Police will take the subject into consideration and report whether he has any suggestions to offer for the more systematic arrangement of the two Annual Reports and appendices, at the same time stating how many of the Madras Returns it is desirable to retain in addition to the Bengal Forms, and how many may be dispensed with for the future.

(True Extract.)

W. HUDLESTON,
Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Police.

.. Honourable the Judges of the High Court.

To all Magistrates.

.. Session Judges.

Exd. J. Wright.

statistical.

Chief Office of the Inspector General of Police,
No. 4115
Madras, 29 November 1872

From

The Inspector General of Police,

To

The Secretary to Government
Judicial Department
Fort Saint George.

Sir,

Enclosures. 8.

With reference to this office
letter No 6172 of 23rd September 1870 to
your address from the Inspector General
of Police intimating that the information
regarding Criminal Statistics wanted by
the Government of India would be furnished
for the year 1872 in the Bengal Form,
I have the honor to report after
thoroughly going into the matter, that
until the present system of Criminal

Registration

Govt. of 1872

JUDICIAL.

To
THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE,
Esq.,
Do.,
Do.

Date: 29 November, 1872.

Per:

G. O. 1158 Dated 29 November 1872, No. 1037.

DISSEMINATED
HCS. 70-30.

During order in regard to the future prepara-
tion of the Criminal Statistical Returns for the
Madras Presidency.

Registration is slightly modified and
existing Magistrates B Form, Police Ledger
and Annual Returns entirely remodelled
the Bengal Returns cannot possibly be
accurately prepared. It will be
attempted for the current year, but the
Returns will only be approximately
correct. The fundamental difference
in the forms adopted by the 2 Governments
though most fully realized by the
Inspector General in his letter No 4951
of 30 July 1869 before their introduction,
appears to have been lost sight of
after their adoption was ordered. The
few columns added to the Madras ledger
by Major Hearn with a view to meet
Bengal requirements having proved
wholly insufficient.

9. 2
2. The Bengal Forms A and B
are intended to shew the results of
Police operations only in fact they are
but extracts from Police Crime
Registers; the Madras Returns on the
other hand not only give the information
but record every magisterial and
judicial proceeding in Criminal cases
throughout the Presidency. The general
principles and details of the 2 sets of
Forms are consequently so much at
variance that no additions to the one
could meet all the requirements of
the other nor could a double system
of Registration and Reports be
maintained in District Offices
without increased establishment and cost, was
a question which I scarcely thought
it

it desirable to place before Government.

3. The only other course seemed therefore to be to accept the Bengal Forms and Principles as far as necessary and to recast the Madras Forms now in use, in such a manner as would enable the Inspector General to comply with the orders of both Governments.

(1). With a minimum addition to work in District and Chief Office.

(2). Care being taken that no material information hitherto given in the Madras Returns was excluded.

(3). That such changes only be adapted as are essential.

4. This has now been most carefully

carefully done, and I have the honor to forward herewith draft form of the Changes proposed.

5. With so complicated a subject as a Return containing 83 columns it is not easy to place before Government in a way likely to be understood; the alterations in the Forms which the introduction of the Bengal Return has necessitated, the accompanying Memorandum dated 18 October 1872 N. 3634 will throw some light on the matter. I will therefore only assure Government that the conditions laid down in para 3 have been faithfully adhered to.

6. Although the Government of India Forms are not suited in all particulars

particulars, to existing circumstances, in Madras, their adoption will be found beneficial in some respects. One patent disadvantage must be however noted viz:- the impossibility for sometime owing to the revised groupings and other changes, of drawing accurate comparisons in regard to certain classes of crime viz. past and present, but in as much as the most serious offences will still be separately registered, the loss will not be great and must disappear in a few years as fresh data arise. In all other respects the forms are simple, but comprehensive as far as they go.

7. With one Financial Statement (E) excepted, the Bengal Returns appear to be all for the Calendar Year.

Cases

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"Cases and Persons" under trial on 31st December, are accounted for in the following year; the Madras plan of delaying District Returns till all results for the year are known is thus avoided. This is in itself an improvement. The early despatch of the District Returns will enable the Inspector General to place his Annual Report on the Criminal Statistics of the Presidency before Government in April or May instead of in September or October, and it may consequently take the place of various separate reports on special offences now submitted, not only separately but re-quoted in the Administration Report and in the Criminal Statistics.

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IV. Lastly I would request permission to substitute, for the present annual Return to Government, an exact duplicate of the Revised District Return, whereby the additional work entailed in the Chief Office by the preparation of the double Returns, will be reduced as far as practicable to its minimum. District Returns B. C. & E. H. and G. for the Presidency will also be compiled in the Chief Office from the District Returns.

10. Only those who have prepared the present yearly Returns in the Chief and District Offices can realize the enormous detailed labor involved

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had also to be removed. The 3
columns "Cases tried by Heads of
Villages" have consequently disappeared
as Heads of Villages can only try Cases
under 2 Regulations it follows that
such cases must be tried by Heads
of Villages, other Magistrates having
no jurisdiction. It was therefore more
waste to retain this heading. Such
offences will now be entered in
"Sub Magistrate" columns with a foot note
showing

Bailed by Police Did Escaped
Cases Persons Cases Persons

most
important
cases

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showing that they were decided by
Heads of Villages.
13. In the new Return Columns 12 and 83
of the old Return are omitted. On a
carefully scrutiny they will be
found not only useless but calculated
to mislead. The numbers of Persons
"Bailed by the Police" or who "die" or
are "transferred", cannot affect the
number of Cases Column 4. E.g. If
Police bail one of 2 Prisoners in a
murder, the Person so bailed alone
has to be here accounted for, the case
is shown elsewhere columns 1 to 15.
nor does the release of this Person affect
the Case in any way or become a
separate Case of itself, these 2 Columns
were therefore a mistake.

of the magistracy in Committable Cases have been omitted as entirely unnecessary in the Ledger where their retention entailed much useless labor. All the information they afford, viz. the number of cases required into and committed for Trial to Sessions Court by each grade of Magistrate, can and will be readily furnished by District Superintendents from the Records of Cases so tried during the year, the Total thereof Column 38, 48 being alone shown in the Return.

* Vide Para 25
Criminal Statistical
Report for 1871 Page 14

15. With reference to G.O. No. 1189
of 6th September 1870 J.D. directing the
Inspector General of Police to submit the
Criminal Judicial statements required by
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the Government of India Major Heaven
in his circular letter of 6th Decr 1870
N^o 7561 attached, requested Magistrates
to furnish a portion of the information
in their B. Forms, a few extra Columns
being added to the Ledger for this
purpose; but it seems to have been
overlooked that the remainder of
the information wanted for Returns
B and 4, is not now ledgered, nor can
possibly be so, by this Department
without additions to the ledgers,
which would render the Book too
bulky and complicated for any
human intellect. what is asked
for in these Forms is the number of persons
dealt with, disposed of and how
punished" by each grade of

of Magistrate and Court throughout
the Presidency. It is a little this department
to give such details it would be
3. requisite to keep a separate ledger for
each grade of Magistrate, which I
need scarcely say would be an impossible
task.

16. It consequently follows that
these returns must be furnished
by each class of Magistrate, and such
being the case, the whole information
wanted should be given rather
than a part. I have therefore the
hon^r to request Government may be
pleased to direct all Magistrates
to forward Judicial Statements 3 and 4
monthly to District Superintendents of
Police (Madras Town Magistrate to Commissioner)
in whose offices they will be tabulated
for

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for each class of Magistrate and
compiled in the Chief Office annually
for the Presidency. Sessions Court should
furnish the Statements to Superintendents
early in January for the year ending 31st
December. I have likewise to request
that all Magistrates may be instructed
to use the Revised B. Form from the
1st January 1873, and not to alter it in
any way without orders of Government.
A slightly modified B Form will be
used by the Madras Town Magistrates
with whom I will personally arrange
for its introduction.

17. In conclusion I will briefly
summarize the proposals herein
referred to:-

i. To adopt the principles of the
Government of India Forms,
whereby

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whereby the annual Returns
only include cases judicially
decided on 31st December—
carrying forward to the following
year all cases pending trial
on 1st January.

ii. To remodel existing Forms B, Police Ledger and Annual Criminal Statistical Return in the accompanying Forms and to adopt them in lieu of those now used by order of Government.

iii. To accept the Bengal Committee
 Honors as far as necessary
 in Administration Report Appendix

IV. That all magistrates be instructed to furnish Superintendents monthly with judicial statements 3 and 4. and Sessions Court Annually -

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the

Asst. Commr. of Police dated
29 Nov. 1892 No. 4115.

Read also Judicial Statement dated 14
Criminal submitted by Asst. Commr. of Police
under date 21 Nov. 1892.

Order thereon 14 Decr. 1892 No. 1037.

On the 19th June 1893
the Govt. of India forwarded
a set of Police Returns drawn
up by the Statistical Com-
mittee and requested the
opinion of this Govt. as to
the feasibility of substituting
them for those in use
in the Madras Presidency.

2. The Inspector
General of Police having
reported that the adoption
of the proposed forms in
supercession of those in
use, would necessitate
manifold

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Asst. Commr.

Mr. A. G. Chubb
of Police

Mr. G. G. G. G. G.

Mr. G. G. G. G. G.

Dated 29 Nov. 1892

Read 12 Nov.

No. 2316. No. 4115.

Suggests certain
alterations in the
existing Criminal
Statute & Returns.

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manifold alterations in,
and additions to, the Crimi-
-nal Statistical Registers
and that much of the informa-
-tion required for the complete
returns of criminal and judi-
-cial Statistics, the compilation
of which devolves on the
Police Department, would
be omitted and having
submitted certain suggestions
with the view of modifying
the proposed statements
so as to render them
capable of exhibiting not
only the points on which in-
-formation was required
by the Statistical Committee
but also those to which
value was attached by
the Local Board, a commu-
-nication was addressed

to

to the Lord of India under
date the 1st Sept. 1879, propos-
-ing a more radical
change in the existing
forms of Returns than was
indicated by the Inspector
General.

2. In the instructions
of the 9th of Sept. 1879, &c.,
however, the Lord of India
overruled the objections
raised by the Local Board and
directed the general adop-
-tion of the Police forms
as revised by the Statis-
-tical Committee, intimating
at the same time that their
adoption would not pre-
-clude the Local Board from
calling for any additional
information which might
be deemed requisite.

3. In its report on the
subject being called for
the drafts of Police

intimated

appears to be
1st That the Statistical
Committee's forms are
drawn up with a view
to show the results of
Police operations only
whilst the Madras Returns
for more comprehensive
and embrace infor-
mation in regard
to every Magisterial
and Judicial pro-
ceeding in Criminal
Cases throughout the
Presidency.

2nd The Statisti-
cal Committee's Returns
are

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are based on a division
of crime into 1. Cognizable,
(in which Police can arrest
without warrant) and 2. Non-
cognizable, (in which
Magistrate's warrant is re-
quired) whilst the distinc-
tion maintained in this
Presidency is between 1.
Offences under the Penal
Code, and 2. Offences against
Special Laws.

3rd An entirely different
method of grouping offences
from that in force here,
has been adopted by the
Statistical Committee.

It follows there-
fore that the Madras system
of Registration must be
modified. The principle ob-
jection to this course is that
pointed out by Major Dwyer
namely)

namely that owing to the radical change in form, the annual returns will, in future except as regards a few of the more serious classes of crime, be useless for purposes of comparison with the results of the past, until sufficient time has elapsed for the accumulation of fresh data. The only alternative is to have recourse to a double system of registration; but this, owing to the extra expense involved, cannot be entertained.

9. Major Dyer proposes to remodel the Police Ledger

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Police Ledger so as to render it capable of furnishing all the information required by both governments, and also the Magisterial W. Forum, which is the basis of the Ledger. It is further suggested that an exact duplicate of the Ledger shall be transmitted to the chief officer as the District Return, and that from these several District Returns, an Annual Return for the Presidency, in precisely the same form, be compiled and submitted to Government in supercession of the present Annual Return, which, it appears, is not an exact counterpart of the Ledger on which it is based.

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10. The Government approve of Major Driver's proposals, and sanction the adoption of the revised Ledger and B. Form for the ensuing year. It appears to Government that the columns for details of punishment might be dispensed with, with reference to the Statement (Judicial N^o 4) prescribed by the Government of India, which affords the same information, and Major Driver is authorized to carry out this suggestion if he sees no objection.

11. In order further
to

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to reduce the labor of preparing the Ledger, and the unwieldy extent of its form, the Governor-in-Council suggests, for Major Driver's consideration, that the return of castes and callings of offenders might be modified materially, but this change might be deferred till he has reported again. Major Driver will furnish all District Magistrates with a specimen

for

Form of the B form
with as little delay
as possible to enable
them to make arrange-
ments for issuing
a supply to the
subordinate magistracy.
The Government further
direct that no alteration
be made in the B. Form
without the sanction of
the Inspector General of
Police, much inconvenience
being reported to have
resulted from unau-
thorised additions and
alterations.

12. The provisions referred
to

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to in paras 12, 13 and 14,
appear to be judicious, but
the Government observe that
the designations of the
several grades of the Magis-
tracy (columns 33 to 44
of the Ledger) require revi-
sion with reference to
the nomenclature adopted
in Act X of 1872, which
will come into force on
the 1st January next.

13. The Revised Rules for
Registering and Ledgering
Crimes and for the prepara-
tion of Form B do not re-
quire sanction; they will
probably need ~~the sanction~~ ^{approval}
from time to time as
questions arise. Care
should be taken that
the provisions of the
new Code of Criminal
Procedure

Procedure are referred to
uniformly throughout.
13. In addition to the
Police and Criminal Sta-
tistical Returns already
alluded to, the Inspector
General of Police was
required by G.O. 6th
September 1878, N^o 1189,
to submit annually the
Judicial Statements 2,
3 and 4 (criminal), pre-
scribed by the Statistical
Committee. These were
intended for insertion in
the General Administra-
tion Report of the Re-
sidence, as the complement
of the Judicial Returns
furnished by the High
Court, but have hitherto
been received too late to
admit

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the Inspector General of
Police to expedite the sub-
mission of the Annual
Report on Criminal Sta-
tistics. The new forms
should, as proposed by Ma-
jor Drew, be substituted,
as far as possible, for
those which have hitherto
been appended to the Criminal
Statistical and Police Re-
ports. Bengal Form A
appears to comprise most
of the information of value
contained in the several
Tables included in, and
appended to the former,
while Forms F and G
will supersede the majority
of those relating solely
to the organization and
discipline

discipline of the Force.
There will still, however,
remain several interesting
Returns, of which Major
Hearn, in his letter of the
30th July 1869, advocated
the retention.

16. The Govt desire that the
Inspector General of
Police will take the subject
into consideration and report
whether he has any sugges-
tions to offer for the more
systematic arrangement of the
two Annual Reports and Ap-
pendices, at the same time
stating how many of the
Madras Returns it is desira-
ble to retain in addition to
the Bengal Forms, and how
many may be dispensed
with for the future.

L.B.

To
The Inspector General of Police
and the Honorable the Judges of the High
Court and Magistrates of Districts
Session Judge of Districts

admit of their inclusion
Major Hearn represents
that the information
requisite to fill up state-
ments 3 and 4 cannot
be obtained from the
Ledger, and suggests that
the Magistracy should
be required to fill them
up and forward them to
Superintendents of Police
monthly, and Sessions
Judges, annually. The
Government concur in
thinking that the several
Magistrates and Sessions
Judges should be required
to prepare the forms in
question which are not
complicated, and will
not entail any appre-
-ciable extra labor on
their

their establishments. It
is presumed that the
Police Department is
in a position to provide
the requisite supply
of forms for the
present, at any rate.

14. It only remains to
notice Major Dwyer's remarks
in paras 7 and 8 in regard to
the annual report on Crimi-
nal Statistics and the Adminis-
tration Report of the Police
Department which appear
to be susceptible of improve-
ment. The adoption of the
revised form of Annual Returns
which will include only the judicially decided
cases up to 31st December; those pending on that date being
accounted for in the fol-
lowing year, will enable
the

Chief Office of Inspector General of Police,
MADRAS, 6/12/73

Muller Gellin.
He is a little
better now B. Gellin
in each district.
I do not know what
stock they may have
on hand, but do not
suppose much. He
must have the new
B. Gellin however.
p. 1st. Jan. 73 of the
I think you know about.

29-7-73

Cont. of 1872 Murders.

Subscribed

To

The Secy. Genl. of Police

Dated 11 Dec 1872

Recd. No. 163

Nos. 1

in regard to the
information of the
Commissioner of Police
Madras for the year
1872-73

12/12/73

Amn when sent
for p. Office.
It was stated that
be had no objection
the case of the
letter. All have
been today.
Yours truly
W. P. M. S.

Chief Office of Inspector General of Police,
MADRAS, 29. 187.

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Messrs. M. S. Mulliston.
I herewith send
the Criminal Statistical
Form to be filled
as proposed, and shall
be happy to attend
you any further
information, or seeing
notice to that effect.
Yours truly
W. P. M. S.

My dear Sir

I have the honor

to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst.

and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,

1637-87 14th Dec 1872

No. 3634.

MEMORANDUM

1. It having been decided by Government that the Annual Returns of Crime, in the forms adopted by the Government of India, shall be furnished by this Department, the Acting Inspector General has had the subject of the changes involved under consideration.

2. The first matter for remark is that while the New Returns are evidently intended to show the operations of the *Police alone*, in certain given offences, the Madras Returns now in use, embrace the entire Police and Magisterial and Judicial operations of every Criminal Court throughout the Presidency, the Police in Madras being, under the orders of its own Government, the recognized Registrars of *all* Criminal Statistics.

3. It is assumed that the Madras Government while accepting these Bengal Forms, are not prepared to surrender their own in exchange, and as it is impossible that *both* sets of these Annual Returns could be furnished by this Department from the Forms now in use *without an increased Establishment*, it becomes necessary to re-arrange those Forms so as to admit of the requirements of both Governments being complied with. At the same time keeping the additional work necessitated by this change to its minimum in District and Chief Office.

4. It seems to the Acting Inspector General that the simplest plan to obtain these results will be to compile the Government of India forms as far as possible, *in the Chief Office*, from those for the Presidency, which are but a collection of the District Returns. The Bengal Forms which cannot be so prepared, must be specially filled in by Superintendents from their *Ledgers*.

5. The principle of compilation in the Chief Office being admitted, the next point is to see what changes of existing Forms *must* be introduced, *it being essential—*

*Enclosed
is a letter from the
Inspector General
dated 18/12/1872
S.O. No. 1637 of 4-12-72
Home regarding
Criminal Statistics.*

sent 20/1/72

1st, that no material information now contained in Madras Return, or required by the Government of India, is omitted.

2nd, that no more changes be introduced than are imperatively demanded.

6. For a correct understanding of the changes of Form required, it is first necessary to notice the principal difference between the Forms adopted by the two Governments.

7. In the Bengal Returns "Cognizable" and "Non-cognizable" cases are shown separately in statement A. Each class having offences under "Penal Code," "Criminal Procedure Code," and "Special Laws" grouped together. There are 24 heads in this return under which information is called for.

In statements B and C there are respectively 18 and 17 more, and it is a singular fact that owing to the peculiar arrangements of the Bengal Returns, a few columns only could with any degree of accuracy be filled in from the Madras Form containing 86 columns.

8. In the Criminal Statistical Return for the Government of Madras, there is no distinction shown between "cognizable" and "non-cognizable" offences, although certain information on the subject of Police and non-Police cases under the Penal Code, is furnished by District Superintendents in a "Supplemental statement." In the Madras Returns moreover all offences under the Penal Code are kept distinct and shown separately, as are "Offences" under Special and Local Laws.

9. There are other points, such as groupings, &c., in which the Forms are at variance, but it is not here necessary to refer to them.

10. From what has been said it will be tolerably evident that the District Ledger, which forms the basis of the Madras system, must be so re-cast as to show the information required for the Government of India Forms in addition to what is already recorded. Magisterial Forms B being, at the same time, with the sanction of Government, revised so as to supply these extra headings in the Ledger.

11. The necessary "Groupings" of offences, their sub-divisions into "cognizable" and "non-cognizable" cases, as laid down by the Government of India, as well as those required for the Madras Returns will be adopted in the Revised Form, and must be carefully followed in Ledgering Penal Code offences and in Special and Local Laws from the 1st January 1873.

12. It is proposed that the District Returns shall hereafter, so far as they relate to the statistics of case be an exact duplicate of the District Ledger, a change which it is hoped will relieve District and Chief Office of much labor; the Inspector General's return to Government will be in precisely the same form.

13. A Revised Form based on the above principles is herewith circulated to officers for trial, comment and early report. A Revised B Form corresponding, as far as possible with the proposed Ledger is also herewith circulated for remark. It is suggested that a few cases from Magisterial B Forms be "ledgered" and "Totalled" as a practical test of the suitability of the New Form.

The "Totals" in the District Ledger under any special offence, or group of offences, would, under the plan here sketched, be those for the Return to the Chief Office.

14. The columns of the new Form have been so arranged as to simplify check in regard to such internal "Totals" in the Ledger as should correspond, and the Acting Inspector-General trusts the Form may consequently be found more workable than the old one.

15. The Roman Figures under the numerals in the Form refer solely to corresponding columns in the Bengal Returns and are intended for use in the Chief Office only. Detailed instructions accompany the Revised Form.

16. Major Drever requests officers will favor him with an expression of their views as to whether a 2nd Ledger for Special and Local Laws, would not be an advantage.

W. S. DREVER,
Actg. Inspr. Genl. of Police.

CHIEF OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE,
MADRAS, 18th October 1872.

To

All Superintendents of Police.

REVISED RULES,

For Ledgering Crime and preparing the Annual Return of Criminal Statistics.

1. All existing orders on the subject are hereby cancelled.

CASES.

2. "Cases" struck off *before trial*, (whether referred by the Magistrates to the Police Sec. 110 or by Police to Magistrates Sec. 117) wherever registered or ledgered, will be scored through and will *not* be entered in this return.

3. "Cases struck off as false *after trial*" will be shown in Cols. 1 and 3 only.

4. "Cases" referred under Secs. 110 or 117 *not* ordered to be struck off, will be retained in Col. 1 and treated in all respects *as true cases*.

5. Col. 1, "Cases reported during the year," &c. Enter all cases coming under the heading thereof, including cases referred to in Rules 3 and 4.

6. Col. 3 "Cases struck off as false *after trial*." Enter ~~only cases struck off by order of Magistrate or Court~~ competent to proceed to "Trial" thereof.

7. Cols. 6 and 8. "Value of property Lost and Recovered." Omit fractions.

8. N. B. Cols. 9 to 11, "Investigated by Police." The entries here refer to details of procedure in cases *included* in Col. 4 "Balance of offences actually committed," and in Col. 12, show number of non Cognizable Cases in which Police were employed, arrests made, or summons served by them under Magistrate's orders.

9. In Col. 13. "Cases convicted." No case to be entered here unless the person charged has been found guilty.

10. The Totals of Cols. 13 and 14, Cases "Convicted" and "Not convicted," must agree with the aggregate Totals in Cols. 33, 36, 39, 42, 45, and 49, "Total number of cases tried by Magistrates and Courts."

11. Col. 15. "Cases remaining undetected" will be the total of Cols. 13 "Convicted," and 53 "Went by default" deducted from Col. 4, "Balance of offences actually committed."

PERSONS.

12. Col. 16. "Persons concerned." Exaggerated numbers should *not* be entered. The figures should be as near an approximation to the supposed facts as possible.

13. Col. 18. "Persons received by Transfer." Entries only to refer to "Cases" "received by Transfer," from other Districts included in Col. 1.

14. Col. 20. "Persons" bailed, Sec. 125, will be shown as arrested, Col. 20, "Arrested without warrant" and accounted for as "Bailed by Police," Col. 56.

15. Col. 21. "Persons summoned." "Enter only persons who have attended on summons."

16. Col. 23. "Total Compelled to appear" is the total of Cols. 17 to 22, both inclusive and it must also agree with the aggregate totals of "Convicted," Col. 29 "Acquitted or Discharged after trial" Col. 30 and 31 and "Otherwise disposed of 62."

17. Every "Person" included in Col. 23, "Compelled to appear," must be accounted for, either as "Convicted," Col. 29, "Acquitted, or Discharged after trial" Cols. 30 and 31 or "Otherwise disposed of" Col. 62.

18. Col. 24 "Actually put on Trial." The total must be the aggregate total of Cols. 29, 30 and 31 "Convicted," "Acquitted or Discharged after trial." It will also be the totals of Cols. 34, 37, 40, 43, 46 and 49, "Persons tried by Magistrates and Courts."

19. Col. 29. "Total Persons convicted," must be the aggregate total of Cols. 35, 38, 41, 44, 47, and 50 "Convicted by Magistrates and Courts."

20. Cols. 30 and 31. "Acquitted or Discharged after trial" will be the difference between Col. 24 "Actually put on trial" and Col. 29. "Total convicted."

21. Col. 32. "Arrested by order of Magistrate." The entries are explanatory only and refer to persons arrested in cases entered in Columns 10 and 11.

22. Cols. 51 and 52. "Cases and persons released without trial by Magistracy and Courts." Enter all Cases discharged or dismissed by Magistrates under Section 195 or 215 C. P. C. or by Sessions or other Courts in which the persons charged are not put on "Trial."

23. In Col. 52. Account for all "Persons" not put on trial, such as "Insanes," "Approvers" "Suicides" "Died or Escaped during trial" after having been placed before a Magistrate, giving details of each case in a foot note.

24. In Cols. 53 and 54 show Cases and Persons transferred to Military authorities detailed in the separate statement, and in Col. 54 enter persons if any, transferred to other Districts and arrested in Cases so transferred and excluded from Col. 1 in consequence. Persons "Cautioned," "Juveniles handed over to Parents" will be accounted for in Col. 54, the "Cases" being shown in Col. 13 "Convicted."

25. Entries in Col. 55. "Died, Escaped or Transferred before Trial," refer only to persons in Police Custody prior to being placed before a Magistrate.

26. Where Persons are tried under two or more heads of offence and acquitted or convicted of all, show the case under the principal head of charge only, e. g. Persons tried for

1st Murder
2nd Culpable Homicide
3rd Grievous Hurt

and is acquitted of all, case remains "Undetected" head "Murder." If convicted of all show under head murder only. If convicted under a minor head show it under that head only.

27. Where a person is charged with one offence say House-breaking and found guilty of another; say Theft, transfer case and person to head under which convicted. This rule also stands where a person is charged with a cognizable offence and found guilty of a non-cognizable one.

28. Where a Person is charged with two or more distinct offences either concurrently committed or perpetrated at different times and is only tried for and convicted of one of them, the other cases remain undetected, e. g. a Person is charged with 3 House-breakings on the same night in different places, he is convicted of one only, the other 2 cases will remain "Undetected." Or 10 men are charged with committing 2 Dacoities on different dates, but are only tried and convicted in one case, the other remains undetected. An explanatory note should however be made at foot of the Return, in both these cases of House-breaking and Dacoity. In the above Cases if 5 of the prisoners were convicted in one and three in the other both cases would be "Convicted."

29. Enter stolen property opposite Crimes of Theft, Robbery, Dacoity, &c., and not opposite "Receiving." Shew property recovered also opposite Theft, &c., except property recovered from Receivers which cannot be traced, which should be shewn under "Receiving" only. Care should be taken to avoid double entries

30. With reference to cases of Contempt committed before Civil Courts, shew Contempts punished by Munsiffs in the Sub-Magistrate's column. All punished by superior Courts, should appear in the column of Magistrates with full powers. Add a foot note specifying the number of cases which belong to Civil Courts.

31. In the case of Maintenance Orders being issued shew persons as "Convicted" and explain non-entry

under head "Punishment" by a note. The same rule applies to Security to keep the peace and Security for good behaviour.

32. Cases and persons remaining under trial on 1st January 1873 will not be shown in this Return, but will be carried forward into the new year's Ledger *Col. 2 et Sequitur.*

33. A note should invariably be made as to the number of cases in which suicides or murders followed (C. M. 123 of 1866) and also of persons sentenced to enhanced punishment under Section 75, Indian Penal Code (C. M. 57 of 1870).

34. No alteration in the printed headings or offences should be made in this Return. Any additional entry that may be necessary should be made at the foot of the Return, where space is left blank for the purpose.

35. Only offences falling under the following heads,

1st. Sections 352, 355, and 358 I. P. C. Criminal Force.

2nd. Petty Assaults, Regulation XI of 1816.

3rd. Petty Thefts, Regulation IV of 1821 will in future be grouped by Magistrates in B Forms. In Ledgering these, the totals under each head for each month should be shown *in one line* for the District, and *not* as at present for each Magistrate separately.

N. B.—Cases tried by Village Magistrates will be entered in Sub Magistrate's Col. a foot note being added.

W. S. DREVER,

Acting Inspector General of Police.

CHIEF OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE, }
MADRAS, 20th November 1872.

CHIEF OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE,
MADRAS, 6th December 1870.

CIRCULAR No. 7561.

FROM

THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE,

TO

THE MAGISTRATE OF

DISTRICT.

SIR,

The Government having directed me, in their Order No. 1189, dated 6th September 1870, to submit, in addition to Criminal and Judicial Statistics, certain Statements* of the Bengal Statistical Committee, I have therefore the honor to request you will be good enough as instruct all grades of the Magistracy in your District, to cause all the requisite information for filling them up duly entered in their B Forms submitted monthly to the Superintendent of Police from 1871.

* Blank forms herewith enclosed.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

C. S. HEARN,

Inspector General of Police.

*Enclosed
in a letter from
the Inspector
General of Police
to the Magistrate
of District
No. 1637 of 14th Decr 1870
S.O. No. 1637 of 14th Decr 1870
for preparation of
the Annual Return
of Criminal Statistics.*

Recd 20/12/70

1870—DEPARTMENT.

From

THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE.

To

THE MAGISTRATE OF
DISTRICT.

Dated 6th December } 1870.
Received

No. 7561.

ENCLOSURES—2.

Requests to instruct all grades of the Magistracy to enter in their B Forms all the requisite information for filling up the accompanying Statements (Judicial) of the Bengal Statistical Committee.

STATE OF EDUCATION ON 31st DECEMBER 187 .

Rank.	Can read and write.	Cannot read and write.	Passed General Test.	Remarks.
1	2*	3	4	5
Inspectors ...				
Head Constables ...				
Deputy do. ...				
Constables ...				
Total...				

* The number entered in Col. 4 should be included in Col. 2.

INSTRUCTION DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 187 .

Rank.	Number who have been in District Head Quarter School.	Passed prescribed Test of Rank.	Passed Inspector's Test.	Remarks.
1	2*	3	4	5
Inspectors ...				
Head Constables ...				
Deputy do. ...				
Constables ...				
Total..				

* Make entries without reference to Col. 4.

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Enclaved 3
In a letter from the
Inspector General
Police dated 19th Dec 1872
S. O. No 1637 of 14th Dec 1872
regarding to forward
the information required
for Judicial Students
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Number of men treated in Hospital.	Remarks:

SHORT SENTENCED PRISONERS IN SUBSIDIARY JAILS DURING THE YEAR 187 :

Number of Jails.	Total number of convicts during the year.	Total number of days.	Average duration of confinement.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5

Col. 3 will show the total No. of days to which all convicts were sentenced. The sum divided by number of convicts gives average duration of confinement of each convict (Col. 4.)

PRISONERS ESCAPED DURING THE YEAR 187 .

[illegible]

DEPREDATORS, OFFENDERS AND SUSPECTED PERSONS.

[illegible]

JUSTIFIABLE HOMICIDES, SUICIDES AND ACCIDENTAL DEATHS

FOR THE YEAR 187 , CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THE RESULTS OF THE INQUESTS HELD.

	Males ..	Females.	Total...
Murder.			
Culpable Homicide not amounting to Murder.			
Justifiable Homicide.			
SUICIDES.	By Drowning.		
	" Hanging.		
	" Poison.		
	" Lethal Weapons.		
	" Other causes.		
	Total.		
ACCIDENTAL DEATHS.	By Drowning.		
	" Wild beasts.*		
	" Snakes.		
	" Railway.		
	" Other causes.		
	Total.		
Found dead, injuries and causes unknown.			
DEATHS.	From drinking.		
	" Neglect or Want.		
	" Exposure.		
	" Other causes.		
	Total.		

Males. Females.

** By tigers...*

„cheetahs...

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STATEMENT OF FIRES AND PROPERTY LOST DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 187 .

Number of Fires.	Number of Houses, &c., burnt.	Value of Property de- stroyed.	Number of lives lost.
1	2	3	4

STATEMENT OF SALT THEFTS DURING THE YEAR 187 .

Number of cases of Theft.	Value of Salt stolen.	Number of arrests.	Number of convictions.
1	2	3	4

15th January.

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CALENDAR YEAR 187

for the

ANNUAL RETURNS

BOOK I.

DISTRICT.

CLASSIFIED STATEMENT OF CRIMES FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER 187 :

Nature of Offences.	Above 500 Rs.	Above 100 Rs.	Above 50 Rs.	Above 10 Rs.	Under 10 Rs.	Under 5 Rs.	Under 1 R.	TOTAL.		No. of cases in which no property was lost.	Remarks.
								Offences.	Amount Rupees.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
<i>Robbery.</i>											
Robbery in Houses...											
Do. on Highways and Thoroughfares.											
Do. in Fields ...											
Total*											
<i>Dacoity.</i>											
Dacoity in Houses...											
Do. on Highways and Thoroughfares.											
Do. in Fields ...											
Total†											
House-breaking ...											
Theft ...											

* Columns 9 and 10 should correspond with the aggregate of offences committed or reported and property lost respectively under the Heads "Robbery," "Robbery aggravated," and "Robbery on the highway," as shown in the Annual Return of Criminal Statistics.

† Do. do, under the Heads "Dacoity," and "Dacoity aggravated," as shown in do. do.

STATEMENT OF DACOITIES AND ROBBERIES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THE
CIRCUMSTANCES OF EACH CASE, FOR THE YEAR 187 .

Nature.	Number of offences.	Number of cases detected.	PROPERTY.		PERSONS.			Remarks.
			Lost.	Recovered.	Concerned.	Arrested.	Convicted.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Dacoities.	1. In House or Village ...							
	2. In Fields or Jungles ...							
	3. On Highways and Thoroughfares							
	*Total...							
Robberies.	1. In House or Village ...							
	Attempts.†							
	2. In Fields or Jungles ...							
	Attempts.†							
	3. On Highways and Thoroughfares.							
	Attempts.†							
	Total†...							

* These totals should correspond with the aggregate of the totals under the heads "Dacoity" and "Dacoity aggravated" in the Criminal Statistics.

† The total of Attempts at robbery in this Statement should correspond with the total under the same head in the Criminal Statistics.

‡ These totals should correspond with the totals under the heads "Robbery," "Robbery on the highway," "Robbery aggravated" and "Attempt at robbery," in the Criminal Statistics.

§ A Special Report in Form laid down in C. M. 58 of 1870 should accompany.

STATEMENT OF TORCH-LIGHT GANG ROBBERIES* COMMITTED AND ATTEMPTED
DURING THE YEAR 187 .

Number of cases.	Number of persons concerned.	Number of persons arrested.	Number of persons convicted.	Number of persons imprisoned.	Number of persons transported.	Property lost.	Property recovered.	Cases detected.	Remarks.

*Included under head "Dacoities" in page 3.

RETURN OF HIGHWAY ROBBERY FOR 187 .

Highway Robbery.*	CASES.			PERSONS.			Remarks.
	Reported.	Detected.	Percentage.	Arrested.	Convicted.	Percentage.	
By day							
" night							
Total...							

* Includes all Dacoities on highways and thoroughfares and also all Robberies by less than 5 persons on highways and thoroughfares.

STATEMENT OF CASES REFERRED BY AND TO MAGISTRATES UNDER SECTIONS 133, 137 & 153, C. C. P., AND DIRECTED TO BE STRUCK OFF AS FALSE, AND OF CASES FOUND TO BE FALSE AFTER TRIAL BY COURTS DURING THE YEAR 187

Offences.	a. Cases referred by Magistrates for inquiry under Section 133, C. C. P.						b. Cases referred by Police for orders under Sections 137 & 153, C. C. P.						c. Cases directed to be struck off as false after inquiry and trial by Courts and Magistrates.					
	By Justices and Magistrates with full powers.		By Sub-Magistrates of 1st Class.		By Sub-Magistrates of 2nd Class.		To Justices and Magistrates with full powers.		To Sub-Magistrates of 1st Class.		To Sub-Magistrates of 2nd Class.		By Session and Principal Sudder Amin's Courts.		By Justices and Magistrates with full powers.		By Sub-Magistrates of 1st Class.	
	Referred to Police.	Struck off as false.	Referred to Police.	Struck off as false.	Referred to Police.	Struck off as false.	Referred for orders.	Struck off as false.	Referred for orders.	Struck off as false.	Referred for orders.	Struck off as false.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.
Murder																		
Robbery																		
Dacoity																		
Lurking House-Trespass and House-breaking ...																		
All other offences under Penal Code																		
Offences against Special Laws																		
Total...																		

a., b., and c. will show three different classes of cases quite independently of each other.

a. will show all offences into which Police could not inquire without Magistrate's Order, and which were referred by any Magistrate to Police for inquiry, and no others.

b. will show all cases in which complaint was laid or information given to the Police of any offence, and which they on inquiry believed to be false, and referred to Magistrates for orders.

c. will show all cases that were charge-sheeted by the Police as true, or taken up by Magistrates themselves as true, but which the Magistrates after inquiry and trial declared to be false, and also all cases that were committed to Sessions Court as true, but declared to be false, after trial, by that Court.

RETURN OF CASES TRIED BY THE SESSIONS COURT FOR OFFENCES COMMITTED DURING THE YEAR 187 .

Provisions of Law.	Cases.		Persons.		Remarks.
	Tried.	In which de- tection was obtained.	Tried.	Convicted.	
Under Penal Code ...					
Special Laws ...					
Total...					

This Return should show all offences committed within the year to which it appertains without reference to date of trial. It will thus correspond with the Criminal Statistics.

DRUGGING CASES FOR 187 .

Number of cases.	Detected.	No. of persons ar- rested.	Convicted.	Property.		Cases in which death ensued.		Remarks.
				Lost.	Recover- ed.	Cases.	Persons.	

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE,
187 : }

Superintendent of Police.

DISTRICT.

STATEMENT SHEWING THE STRENGTH OF FORCE, ENLISTMENTS, CASUALTIES,
FINES AND REDUCTIONS, DURING THE OFFICIAL YEAR 187 -7

Sanctioned strength of Force.	Actual strength of Force on 31st March 187	Actual strength of Force on 31st March 187	Casualties during the year.					* Enlisted during the year 187 -7	Fined.		Reduced.
			Dismissed.	Resigned and deserted.	Discharged on Medical grounds.	Died.	Total.		Number.	Amount.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

* Enlistment to include received by transfer.

CASTES AND RACES ON 31st MARCH 187

Rank.	Strength of Force on 31st March.														
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Inspectors															
Head Constables															
Deputy Head Constables															
Constables															
Total ...															

N. B.—To be furnished in full detail adding as many columns as may be necessary.

District.

Book II.

ANNUAL (CRIMINAL) RETURNS

for 187

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To be despatched along with the Annual Return of Criminal Statistics.

HUTTING AND BUILDING DURING THE OFFICIAL YEAR 187 -7

Budget grant with reference to transfers.	Expended.						Total Expenditure.	Amount lapsed approximately.	Remarks.
	1	2	3	4	5	6			
	No. of huts built.	Cost.	No. of Station Houses built.	Cost.	No. of Hospitals built.	Cost.	Miscellaneous expenditure, such as Latrines, Magazines, alterations to buildings, &c.		
							8	9	11
								10	

JUDICIAL STATEMENTS.—3. (Criminal.)

in the year 187

Statement showing the general result of Criminal Trials in the Tribunals of various classes in the District of

Class of Tribunal.	Number of persons dealt with.						Persons disposed of.						Remarks.		
	Remaining at end of last year.	Brought to trial during present year.			Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped or transferred.	Remaining at end of year.		Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.
		By arrest.	By summons.	Appeared voluntarily.											
Village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Unpaid Magistrates	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Local and subordinate paid Magistrates	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Full power Magistrates exercising jurisdiction throughout the District	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chief Magistrates of Districts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Magistracy...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sessions Courts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
High Court	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand Total...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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JUDICIAL STATEMENTS—4 (Criminal.)

Statement shewing the Punishments inflicted by various Criminal Tribunals in the District of

in the year 187

NATURE OF PUNISHMENT.	NUMBER OF PERSONS PUNISHED.								REMARKS.
	By Village Officers.	By Unpaid Magistrates.	By Subordinate and local paid Magistrates.	By full power Magistrates of General Jurisdiction.	By Chief Magistrates of Districts.	By Sessions Courts.	By High Court.	Total.	
PERSONS SENTENCED TO—									
1. Death									
2. Transportation { For life... For a term ...									
3. Penal servitude									
4. Imprisonment. { Rigorous. { With solitary confinement... Without do. ...									
5. Forfeiture of property									
6. Fine .. { With imprisonment Without do. ...									
7. Whipping ... { In addition to other punishment... In lieu of do... ..									
DETAIL.									
Imprisonment—Not exceeding									
15 days ... { Rigorous									
Simple ...									
6 months... { Rigorous									
Simple ...									
2 years ... { Rigorous									
Simple ...									
7 years ... { Rigorous									
Simple ...									
Exceeding 7 years { Rigorous									
Simple... ..									
Fines—Not exceeding									
Rupees 5									
" 50									
" 200									
" 1,000									
Exceeding " 1,000									
Total fines ..									
Amount realized...									
Persons ordered to find or give—									
1. Surety of the peace									
Recognition									
2. Sureties for good behaviour ...									

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE,

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*Revised instructions for the preparation of Form B. Magistrate's
File of Criminal Cases.*

1. *Number, Col. 1.*—Here enter the consecutive number of all cases inquired into or judicially disposed of from 1st January to 31st December. All complaints referred to a Subordinate Officer, whether Sub-Magistrate or other, will be noted in the Register of referring Officer, and in the column of Remarks will be shown whether for disposal or report. In the Register of the Officer to whom the case has been referred, the case will appear under its consecutive number. If disposed of by him, the whole information will be recorded, and a remark will be added showing it to be a Referred Case No. — of — Magistrate's File. The following offences *only* are to be shown in "Groups" for each month, and are not to be separately numbered.

1st.—Offences under Sections 352, 355 and 358, I. P. C.

2nd.—Petty Assaults, Regulation XI of 1816.

3rd.—Petty Thefts, Regulation IV of 1821.

2. *Date, Col. 2.*—Under two columns show—1st, the date of the commission of the offence; 2nd, the date on which the complaint was preferred or information received or *when* the reference reached the Magistrate's office.

3. *Locality, Col. 3.*—Here show the Village and Taluq where the offence was committed.

4. *Nature of Offence, Col. 4.*—Here show the Section of the Penal Code or the provision of the Law under which the charge is preferred, and name of the offence thus "I. P. C. 353, Assault."

5. *Cognizable or non-cognizable.*—Columns 5 and 6. Make an entry opposite each case according as it is "cognizable" or "non-cognizable" by Police.

6. *Value of property.*—Columns 7 and 8. Care should be taken to reduce exaggerated values as nearly as possible to the truth.

N. B.—Columns 9 to 15 refer to **CASES** only.

7. *Investigated by Police.*—Columns 9, 10 and 11. The headings explain themselves.

8. *Non-cognizable cases referred to Police for enquiry,* Column 12.—Show non-cognizable cases only in which Police have been employed, arrests made or summons served by them, by order of Magistrate.

N. B.—Columns 16 to 35 refer to **PERSONS** only.

9. *Concerned.*—Column 16 "Concerned." Exaggerated numbers not to be given.

10. *Pending trial at end of last month.*—Column 17. "Pending trial at the end of last month." Except as in Rule 18 (for December) persons shown in this column, say for February, will be accounted for in Return for March, the No. of the case being noted in column 1 to facilitate reference.

11. *Summoned.*—Column 21. "Summoned." Enter only number of persons who attended on summons.

12. *Compelled to appear.*—Column 23. "Compelled to appear" is the total of columns 17 to 22, both inclusive.

13. *Actually put on trial.*—Column 24. "Number of persons actually put on trial." Any difference between the Nos. here entered and the totals "Convicted," Col. 29 and "Acquitted or Discharged after trial," columns 30, 31 must be accounted for in columns 32 to 35 according to circumstances.

14. *Juveniles.*—Columns 27, 28. Juveniles are offenders under 16 years.

15. *Released without trial.*—Column 32. "Released without trial." Enter persons so discharged without having been put on "trial," (Secs. 195, 215, C. P. C.) also "Insane," "Approvers," "Accused," or "Died" during trial, after being placed before a Magistrate.

16. *Went by default, &c.*—Column 33 "Went by default," "Withdrawn by parties," "Transferred," &c. If transferred, note in remark column 38, "To other Districts" or "To Military authorities," as the case may be.

17. *Committed to higher Court.*—Column 34 "Committed to higher Court." Note the Court to which "committed" in column 38, remarks.

18. *Pending trial.*—Column 35. Persons shown in this column as pending trial on the 31st December in each year, will, with their cases, be carried forward to the B. Form for January for the succeeding year. These cases will receive fresh numbers and be specially noted in the column of Remarks "Reported last year and brought under enquiry this year" to ensure their entry in column 2 of the Ledger.

19. In cases in which all the Persons tried are "Acquitted or Discharged," Cols. 30 and 31, specially note in Col. 38, Remarks, if the case is to be struck off as false, to admit of corresponding entries being made in Col. 3 of Ledger.

20. B. Forms for December in each year to be forwarded on 1st January.

CHIEF OFFICE OF THE INSPR. GENL. OF POLICE, }
MADRAS, 20th November 1872. }

W. S. DREVER,
Acting Inspector General of Police.

S.O. No. 1637-27 14th Decr 1872. Judicial Dept.

Enclosure 11

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JUDICIAL STATEMENTS 2, 3 & 4.—(*CRIMINAL.*)

JUDICIAL STATEMENT.—2 (Criminal.)

Statement of Offences reported, and of Persons tried, convicted and acquitted for each offence in the Madras Presidency during the year 1871.

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENCE.		No. of offences reported during the year.	No. of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	REMARKS.
No. 1.—Offences against the person.							
302,303 ... Murder...	...	242	483	355	125	...	1 person was discharged without trial, 1 was made an approver, and 1 died before trial. 1 person was made an approver.
307 ... Attempt to Murder	...	59	120	97	23	...	
304,304 A ... Culpable Homicide	...	95	299	179	119	...	
308 ... Attempt at do.	...	5	6	5	1	...	
305,306 ... Abetment of Suicide	...	2	1	1	...	...	
309 ... Attempt to commit Suicide	...	247	251	103	148	...	
311 ... Being a Thug	...	...	...	...	...	...	
312 to 316 ... Causing miscarriage	...	89	97	76	21	...	
317 ... Exposure or abandonment of Children	...	22	15	7	7	...	
318 ... Concealment of Birth	...	60	50	19	31	...	
325,326,329,333,335,338,339,340,341,342,343,344,345,346,347,348,349,350,351,352,353,354,355,356,357,358,359,360,361,362,363,364,365,366,367,368,369,370,371,372,373,374,375,376,377 ... Causing Grievous Hurt	...	386	746	365	381	...	
...	...	398	735	349	386	...	
...	...	7,153	14,037	8,692	5,365	...	
...	...	31	110	91	19	...	
...	...	1,209	1,794	1,232	562	...	
...	...	9	21	23	1	...	
...	...	322	659	332	327	...	
...	...	25,960	27,196	17,930	9,266	...	
...	...	24	81	59	22	...	
...	...	69	171	129	42	...	
...	...	8	8	2	6	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	4	5	5	...	...	
...	...	8	12	5	7	...	
...	...	87	119	95	24	...	
...	...	6	8	2	6	...	
Total of No. 1...		36,495	47,047	30,153	16,889	1	

No. 2.—Offences against property with violence.

302 ... Robbery	...	354	541	298	241	...	1 person was discharged without trial and 1 escaped.
302 ... Robbery on the Highway	...	110	155	69	86	...	
302 ... Robbery (aggravated)	...	44	68	40	28	...	
304,307 ... Attempt at Robbery	...	21	18	13	5	...	
305,304,308 ... Dacoity	...	286	1,285	993	288	...	
305 ... Dacoity (aggravated)	...	18	98	70	28	...	
306,307 ... Being a Dacoit, &c.	...	2	3	1	1	...	
309,401 ... Preparing or assembling for Dacoity	...	3	7	6	1	...	
309,402 ... House-trespass with intent to commit an offence	...	230	459	255	204	...	
419 to 452 ... Lurking house-trespass, house breaking	...	838	769	242	527	...	
453,454,455 ... House breaking by night	...	5,422	3,284	1,222	2,062	...	
456,457,458 ... Do. with aggravating circumstances	...	3	3	2	1	...	
459,460 ... Breaking open closed receptacle of property	...	169	117	27	90	...	
461,462 ...	...	7,500	6,807	3,238	3,562	...	
Total of No. 2...		...	...	...	...	...	

No. 3.—Offences against property without violence.

264 to 267 ... Frauds relating to weights and measures	...	57	113	41	72	...	1 person was discharged without trial. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do.
379 to 382 ... Theft	...	17,302	22,042	9,478	12,563	...	
384 to 389 ... Extortion	...	420	985	833	151	...	
403,404 ... Misappropriation	...	842	1,531	916	635	...	
406 to 409 ... Criminal Breach of Trust	...	1,095	1,127	735	390	...	
411 to 414 ... Receiving or possessing stolen property	...	438	657	287	369	...	
417 to 420 ... Cheating	...	520	653	510	142	...	
Total of No. 3...		20,674	27,128	12,800	14,322	...	

No. 4.—Malicious offences against property.

426,427,434 ... Mischief	...	4,995	7,235	4,863	2,372	...	1 person was discharged without trial. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do.
428,429 ... Mischief to animals	...	220	411	319	92	...	
430,433,437, to 440 ... Mischief with aggravating circumstances	...	229	663	528	135	...	
435,436 ... Mischief by fire	...	285	195	164	31	...	
431 ... Mischief by injury to public road, bridge, river, &c.	...	28	72	37	35	...	
432 ... Mischief by causing inundation to a public drainage	...	37	156	113	43	...	
Total of No. 4...		5,794	8,732	6,024	2,708	...	

No. 5.—Forgery and offences against the Currency.

231,232,244,246, to 249 ... Counterfeiting or altering Coin	...	6	15	10	5	...	1 person was discharged without trial. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do.
239 to 243,250 to 254 ... Uttering or possessing counterfeit or altered Coin	...	127	167	103	64	...	
233 to 238,245 ... Other Offences relating to Coin	...	1	4	1	3	...	
255 to 263 ... Frauds relating to Stamps	...	4	3	2	1	...	

Statement of Offences reported, and of Persons tried, &c., &c.—(Continued.)

DESCRIPTION OF OFFENCE.		No. of offences reported during the year.	No. of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	REMARKS.
465 to 477	... Forgery	179	406	404	53	.....	9 persons were discharged without trial.
482 to 489	... Offences relating to trade and property-marks	6	9	5	4	.....	
Total of No. 5...							
No. 6.—Contempt and offences against Public Justice.							
172 to 175, 178, 179, 180, 188.	Contempt of Legal Process or Orders	2,572	4,394	718	3,676	.....	Do.
176, 202	... Withholding information	41	60	30	30	.....	
177, 182, 203	... Giving false information	110	123	60	63	.....	Do.
181	... False Statement to a Public Servant on Oath	3	3	...	3	.....	
182, 183, 184, 186, 187, 189, 224, 225	... Obstructing or omitting to aid Public Servant	192	420	191	229	.....	Do.
185	... Illegal bidding at authorized sale...	...	...	...	...	.....	
193 to 200	... False evidence	...	...	...	...	.....	Do.
201, 204	... Causing disappearance of evidence	339	418	246	156	.....	
205	... False personation in judicial proceeding	19	47	33	14	.....	Do.
206 to 210, 421 to 424	... Fraudulent disposal of property and false claims	6	9	7	2	.....	
211	... False charge	98	272	198	74	.....	Do.
212, 216	... Harbours Offenders	186	200	113	86	.....	
213, 214	... Compounding Offences	14	22	9	13	.....	Do.
215	... Taking gift to recover stolen property	42	76	41	35	.....	
221, 222	... Omission to apprehend by Public Servant	8	14	6	8	.....	Do.
223	... Negligent escape	5	10	5	5	.....	
224	... Escape	57	75	18	57	.....	Do.
225, 225 A	... Rescue	272	325	65	260	.....	
226, 227	... Return from transportation	24	82	41	41	.....	Do.
228	... Contempt of Court...	...	...	...	...	.....	
Total of No. 6...		4,117	6,683	1,785	4,881	5	

No. 7.—Offences not included in the above classes.

No. 7.—Offences not included in the above classes.							
115,116	... Abetment	50	90	50	40		1 person committed has been withdrawn. 1 person was discharged without trial.
118,120	... Concealment of Criminal designs	1	1	1	...	.....	
121 to 130	... Offences against the State	1	2	2	...	.....	
505	... Spreading false and alarming rumours...	...	...	...	...	.....	
131 to 139	... Abetment of Military and Naval Offences	...	...	...	...	.....	
143,144,145,149,150	... Unlawful assembly	15	1,507	798	769	.....	
151,157,158	... Rioting	705	7,102	3,890	3,212	.....	
147,148,153	... Land-holders, &c., failing to prevent a Riot	1	...	...	...	.....	
154,155,156	... Affray	261	1,150	240	910	.....	
160	... Giving or receiving illegal gratification.	167	209	158	51	.....	
109,161 to 165	... Breaches of duty by Public Servant	32	37	20	17	.....	
119,166 to 169, 217 to 220	... Personating Public Servant	15	58	26	12	.....	
140,170,171,229	... Spreading dangerous diseases, &c.	5	20	9	11	.....	
269 to 271	... Adulteration and selling noxious food, &c.	26	50	12	38	.....	
272 to 276	... Nuisance	1,147	3,961	1,096	2,865	.....	
277,278,290,291	... Acts against Public safety	314	408	132	276	.....	
279 to 289	... Acts against Decency	47	74	30	44	.....	
292,293,294,294 A	... Offences against religion	33	92	55	37	.....	
295 to 298	... Criminal Trespass	7,316	9,717	7,365	2,352	.....	
417	... House-trespass	788	1,867	1,220	647	.....	
448	... Criminal Breach of Contract	10	15	1	14	.....	
490 to 492	... Bigamy	12	24	21	3	.....	
494,495	... Adultery	119	161	144	16	.....	
497	... Other offences relating to Marriage	158	187	150	37	.....	
493,496,498	... Defamation	287	589	474	114	.....	
500,502	... Insult	910	1,250	774	476	.....	
504,508,509	... Criminal Intimidation	114	190	159	31	.....	
190,506,507	... Misconduct in public by a drunken person	79	132	13	119	.....	
510	... Attempts not otherwise provided for	1,949	442	223	219	.....	
511	...	...	...	...	...	.....	
Total of No. 7...		14,703	29,375	17,063	12,310	...	
Total offences against I. P. C.		89,606	1,26,436	71,588	54,802	6	

JUDICIAL STATMENT.—2. (Criminal.)

Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, &c., &c.—(Continued.)

REMARKS.					
Remaining under trial.					
Convicted.					
Acquitted or discharged.					
No. of persons under trial during the year.					
No. of offences reported during the year.					
DESCRIPTION OF OFFENCE.					
SPECIAL AND LOCAL LAWS.					
Offences against Salt Laws I. of 1803, XVII. of 1810, VII. of 1852 & VI. of 1871.					
Petty Assault (triable by Heads of Villages) Regulation XI. of 1816					
Trespass, &c., by European Subjects, Reg. II. of 1820 and Act VII. of 1853					
Petty Thefts (triable by heads of Villages) Regulation IV. of 1821					
Breach of Moplai (Malabar) Act XVIII. of 1854 and XXV. of 1871					
Offences against Railway Act XXIV. of 1854					
Conservancy Act XIV. of 1856					
Offences against Port Regulation XXII. of 1855, and Boat Rules...					
Offences against Compulsory Labor Act I. of 1853					
Marine Police Act XXVIII. of 1858					
Offences against Merchants' Seamen's Act I. of 1859					
Offences against Contract Act XIII. of 1859					
Offences against Police Act (by Police-men) XXIV. of 1859					
Offences against Police Act (by others) XXIV. of 1859					
Offences against over-crowding Native Passengers' Act XXV. of 1859					
Offences against Madras Boundary Marks Act XXVIII. of 1860					
Contempt and disobedience and frivolous charge, Act XXV. of 1861					
Security to keep the Peace, Act XXV. of 1861					
Security for good behaviour, Act XXV. of 1861					
Maintenance of Wives and Children Act XXV. of 1861 and Vagabonds					
Disputo concerning occupancy of land, &c., Act XXV. of 1861					
Disposal of Lunatics, Act XXV. of 1861					

Breaches of orders to prevent obstructions, &c., Act XXV. of 1861	2,016	2,806	158	2,648	...	
Breaches of orders not to repeat Nuisances, Act XXV. of 1861	804	1,260	25	1,235	...	
Disobedience to order of Sub-Magistrate, Act (Madras) I. of 1863	...	...	4	2	...	
Offences against Consolidated Sea Customs Act VI. of 1863	2,014	3,275	747	2,528	...	
Offences against Abkari (Madras) Act XIX. of 1852 & III. of 1864	6,475	10,266	1,595	8,671	...	
Offences against Municipal Act X. of 1865 & III. of 1871	598	853	61	792	...	
Breach of Military Cantonment Act (Madras) I. of 1866	19	14	6	8	...	
Offences against Post Office Act XIV. of 1866	53	54	15	41	...	
Offences against property without violence under Police Act VIII. of 1867	825	1,180	120	1,060	...	
Miscellaneous Offences under Police Act VIII. of 1867	1,988	3,936	193	3,743	...	
Breaches of Peace under Act VIII. of 1867	41	26	3	23	...	
Offences against Contagious Diseases' Act XIV. of 1868	3	3	...	...	...	
Offences against Act V. of 1869, Clause C. Part 3 Articles of War	67	130	4	126	...	
Offences against Stamp Act XVIII. of 1869	15	14	3	11	...	
Offences against the Indian Vagrancy Act XXI. of 1869, & XXVIII. of 1871	...	...	...	...	...	
Offences against Native Passengers' Shipping Act XII. of 1870	1,802	2,210	13	197	...	
Offences against Income Tax Act XVI. of 1870, and XII. of 1871	2,836	4,961	3,253	1,708	...	
Offences against Cattle Trespass Act I. of 1871	5	5	...	...	...	
Emigration Act VII. of 1871	10	45	18	27	...	
Offences against Registration Act VIII. of 1871	41	62	20	42	...	
Miscellaneous and Old Laws	39	53	7	46	...	
Offences against Jails Act (Madras) V. of 1869	2,805	168	28	140	...	
Offences against Municipal Act IX of 1867 (Madras Town)	...	...	...	...	...	
Total Offences against Special Laws	58,982	83,076	16,282	66,794	...	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT.—3. (Criminal.)

Statement showing the general result of Criminal Trials in the Districts of the Madras Presidency during the year 1871.

CLASS OF TRIBUNALS.															Persons disposed of.															Number of persons dealt with.															REMARKS.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
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JUDICIAL STATEMENT 4.—(Criminal.)

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various Criminal Tribunals in the Districts of the Madras Presidency during the year 1871.

CLASS OF TRIBUNALS.			TRANS. PORTATION.			IMPRISONMENT.			FINE.			WHIPPING.			ORDERED TO FIND OR GIVE SURETY FOR GOOD BEHAVIOUR.			IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING												FINES NOT EXCEEDING																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
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(a) 179 persons were otherwise punished, 2 were punished in other cases, and 720 were imprisoned in default.

(b) 59 do. do. do. 53 do.

(c) 1 person was do. do. and 21 were imprisoned in default.

(d) Amount not realized the prisoner is still undergoing punishment.

