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Miscellaneous.

THE attention of the Governor in Council has been drawn to the fact that in the Famine Narrative recently forwarded to the Government of India, the thanks of Government were accorded to Colonel Drever, C.S.I., as *Acting Inspector-General of Police*, he having been in charge of the Department only from March 1878, to the date of his relief by Colonel Hearn, C.I.E., in November 1879.

2. The Government consider it due to Colonel Hearn, the Inspector-General of Police, to place on record the fact that *he* was in personal charge of the Department from the commencement of the Famine in 1876 until March 1878, when he returned to England in impaired health. The excessive strain on the Department consequent upon the prevalence of violent crime, and the necessity for raising extra forces and undertaking unusual duties, was met by his very efficient arrangements, and the acknowledgments of Government are due to him for his able administration and untiring exertions during this prolonged period. When he took leave the extreme pressure upon the Head of the Police Department was passing away, the famine being almost at an end.

3. Colonel Drever's excellent service was connected chiefly with the Town of Madras where he held the appointment of Commissioner of Police.

(True Extract.)

J. P. Davis
For Secretary to Government.

To Colonel Hearn, C.I.E., Inspector-General of Police.
„ Colonel Drever, C.S.I., Commissioner of Police (on leave).
„ the Military Department.
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SUBJECT.

Colonel Hearn, Inspector-General of Police.
With reference to the thanks of Government
accorded to Colonel Drever, C.S.I., as Acting
Inspector-General of Police, in the Famine Nar-
rative recently forwarded to the Government
India, resolving to place on record the fact that
— was in personal charge of the Department from
the commencement of the Famine in 1876 up to
March 1878; according him thanks for his
administration and untiring exertions during the
prolonged period; and observing that Colonel
Drever's excellent service was connected chief-
ly with the Town of Madras where he held the
appointment of Commissioner of Police.

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