

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 287

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Dated

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Read the following letters:—

No. 297. From the Superintendent Government Chinchona Plantations, Ootacamund, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Ootacamund, 7th June 1865, No. 82.

1. I regret to have to report, for the information of Government, a robbery of the office cash chest, which took place last night; fortunately only a small sum of money (as per list annexed) was in the chest at that time, and this fact to my mind removes suspicion from those connected with the office. I am however convinced that the thieves are parties in our employment, as they were evidently well acquainted with the position of the cash chest, and the locality. A false key had been obtained by which the office door was opened, an iron clamped teak-wood box containing the cash chest carried out into the centre of the garden, broken up by some heavy instrument immediately behind the hinges, and the cash chest removed, and no trace of it has yet been found; fortunately the valuable papers and books contained in the teak-wood box were not removed.

2. The case was immediately reported to the Inspector of Police, who was on the spot soon after the robbery was detected; two keys which had been dropped by the thieves while endeavouring to open the locks of the box were found lying near it, and this, together with the orders and postage stamps contained in the cash chest will, I trust, give sufficient clue to the Police to enable them to detect the perpetrators of the robbery.

Contents of the cash chest when stolen.

Cash in Rupees	...	...	...	115	0	0
Do. in 4 Anna pieces	...	...	...	5	0	0
Do. in 2 do. do.	...	...	...	5	0	0
Do. in Coppers, mostly $\frac{1}{2}$ Anna pieces	...	...	...	6	0	0
					131	0 0
Postage Stamps in 4 Annas	...	...	...	34	0	0
Do. in 2 do.	...	...	...	7	0	0
Do. in 1 do.	...	...	...	23	0	0
Do. in $\frac{1}{2}$ do.	...	...	...	9	0	0
					73	0 0
One Canara Treasury note No. 77/1						
endorsed, but payment stopped	...	...	...	22	0	6
One Bill of Exchange drawn on th O. B.						
C. by Colin Cowie & Co., Calcutta	...	...	...	66	0	6
					88	1 0

Total... 292 1 0

(Signed) W. G. McIVOR,

Superintendent Government Chinchona Plantations.

No. 298. From the Superintendent Government Chinchona Plantations, Ootacamund, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Ootacamund, 5th October 1865, No. 84.

With reference to your Official Memorandum, No. 118, dated 21st August 1865, I have the honor to forward copy of a letter from the Inspector of Police, relative to the robbery of my office cash chest.

No. 299. ORDER THEREON, 17th October 1865, No. 2,517.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Superintendent of the Government Chinchona Plantations will report how he proposes to adjust his accounts as regards the money lost.

2. Mr. McIvor will also report what arrangements are made for guarding his cash chest at night.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent of the Government Chinchona Plantations.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Police Station
Coty
30th September 1865

From

J. W. Jackson Inspector
Madras Police Cotacamund

To

H. G. M^r Joor Enge
Supt. Govt. Chinshana Plant. Cotacamund

Sir,

Referring to your letter No. 67 dated 22nd Inst.
I have the honor to inform you that, "Police Records",
show, that enquiries and search have been made in the
case of "Theft" committed in your office in June 1864.
The case remains undetected, and no further information
likely to lead to detection, has been obtained up to this
date.

I have the honor to be
(Signed) J. W. Jackson
Insp. M. Police

(True Copy)

H. G. M^r Joor Enge
Supt. Govt. Chinshana Plant.

No. 2577-

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 17th October 1865.

Recd the following letters from the Superintendent of the Govt. Chingleput Plantations, Ootacamund.

Reports the robbery of the Cash Chest from the Office of the Govt. Chingleput Plantations - Ootacamund. - (Here enter 7th June/64 N^o 82.)

Forwarding Copy of a letter from the Inspector of Police, Ootacamund, relative to the robbery of his Office Cash Chest. (Here enter 5th Oct^r 1865 N^o 84.)

The Superintendent of the Government Chingleput Plantations will report how he proposes to adjust his accounts as regards the money lost.
2. Mr. M. S. Dron will also report what arrangements are made for guarding ^{this} the Cash Chest during ^{at} night. The robbery could not have occurred if this precaution was taken.

To the Supd Govt Chingleput Plantations Ootacamund

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1. The first step is to identify the problem.

 2. The second step is to define the problem.

 3. The third step is to analyze the problem.

 4. The fourth step is to develop a solution.

 5. The fifth step is to implement the solution.

 6. The sixth step is to evaluate the solution.

 7. The seventh step is to monitor the solution.

 8. The eighth step is to maintain the solution.

 9. The ninth step is to improve the solution.

 10. The tenth step is to document the solution.

The Government of the United States
 Department of the Interior
 Bureau of Land Management
 Washington, D. C.
 May 1, 1906
 To the Honorable Secretary of the Interior
 Sir:

[Handwritten signature]

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Co. of 1st Gen. Detach.

2 Nov 25 17
Co. of the Madras Fort
21/17 October 1865

With reference to the
Order of the Cash Clerk of
the 1st of 1865
and request of the Madras
to report on the progress to date
the money has and what are
the arrangements and make for
gaining the cash clerk.

From the Comptroller of the Madras
18 October 1870 @ 1865

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