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11. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. HEARN, Inspector-General of Police, to the Hon. W. HUDLESTON, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Ootacamund, 30th June 1876, No. 36-C:—

I have the honor to forward, for the information of Government, a report from Superintendent of Police, Godavery District, regarding the successful destruction of wild beasts by traps in the Rumpah country.

From Captain C. A. PORTEOUS, Superintendent of Police, Godavery District, to Lieutenant Colonel C. S. HEARN, Inspector-General of Police, dated Rajahmundry, 21st June 1876, No. 166.

I have the honor to report that, up to the beginning of May, the Police have been instrumental in destroying in traps, &c., in the Rumpah country the following wild animals:—

Eight Tigers.
Forty-eight Cheetahs.
Eight Bears.
Three Hyenas.
Three Wild Dogs.

2. Owing to the hill people setting fire to the grass in the jungles, nearly all the traps have been burnt, consequently no captures were made in May, and none up to date this month.*

* June. During this time one man unfortunately met his death, being killed by a tiger when going out to pick up some fruit. This is the first casualty for many months; the first and only one in fact where the system of traps was fairly established.

3. As the hill fires have now all been extinguished, the re-erection of traps all over the country has been commenced.

12. ORDER THEREON, 5th July 1876, No. 1353.

The report is satisfactory.
(True Extract.)

W. H. H. Col.
W. H. H. Secy. S. H. H.
Chief Secretary.

the Revenue Department. ✓
District Magistrate of Godavery.
Inspector-General of Police.

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