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No. 50. Read the following letter from H. D. PHILLIPS, Esq., Acting Magistrate of Tanjore; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Trivalore, 27th February 1858, No. 113.

SIR,

I have the honor to report the transmission to Madras of a Cashmeeree named Gunnais Gheeree, in order to his being delivered over to the Commissioner of Police at the Presidency, Act XXXIII of 1857. under the provisions of the law marginally noted.

2. Gunnais Gheeree appears to be a harmless person, who, leaving wife and children in the Punjab, has taken to the convenient and easy life of Sunneeasee. This District is one of those where persons of his class are likely to be more comfortable than elsewhere and in the absence of any suspicion attaching to him, I might have allowed him to stay on with the numerous idlers who inhabit Chuttrums and Pagodas, had not the orders of Government prescribed a different course.

3. A copy of some notes of his statements before me is transmitted.

MEMORANDUM.

I am a Gowda Bramin, a native of Shaor Ghurry, in Cashmere, 35 years of age. My name is Gunnais Gheeree. I left Cashmere seven years ago. Goolabsing was then Raja, my object was to go to the celebrated places of Pilgrimage. I went to Husdwar, Hinglaj, Hydrabad, Oobly, Darwar and Ramnad, thence I came to the Tanjore District where I have been ten months. Intermediately I proceeded for one month to Trichinopoly. I have passed 3 months lately in the Strayaree Choultry just outside the North gate of the Fort. There I lived free of all cost, ate, slept and drank, occasionally visiting the Pagodas for my prayers. I left a wife and 2 children at a village near Lahore and have had no news of them since I quitted them. My father and mother and my relatives look after them, I have no anxiety in their respect, nor love for them, I am a Sunneassy; a Bramin. I did not quit Lahore to avoid any prosecution, my father traded in timber on borrowed funds. He lost by it several thousand Rupees and being afraid of our liabilities we all got away. He has since returned to Lahore.

(True Copy.)

27th February 1858. (Signed) H. D. PHILLIPS,
Acting Magistrate.

No. 51. ORDER THEREON, No. 308; dated 8th March 1858.

Ordered to be communicated to the Commissioner of Police, who will report the arrival of the party referred to.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

No 508.

Copie de communication de Cour.

Mr. Secretary of State

Sir

I have the honor to transmit herewith a Copy of a Letter which I have received from Mr. Secretary Fox, and to request that you will submit the same to the President of the United States.

I am Sir
Your most obedient
Humble Servant
Jno. Forsyth

The Hon.ble
Secretary of State
&c. &c. &c.

Washington

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