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Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 8th February 1859.

No. 7. Read the following letter from P. GRANT, Esq., Acting Magistrate of Malabar; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Judicial Department, Fort Saint George, dated Calicut, 17th January 1859, No. 2.

SIR,

On the sequestration of the Island of Menakai, disgraceful disturbances ensued on the establishment appointed to manage its affairs, proceeding to engage in their duties.

Extract Minutes Consultation, dated 21st May 1858, No. 671, Revenue Dept.

- 1 Tindal Goodalikai.
- 2 Casim of Kalpein.
- 3 Tindal Ibrahim Kaloo.
- 4 Gundy Ismail.
- 5 Kalliba Beebee.
- 6 Addoo Kaka.
- 7 Tindal Boodoo.
- 8 Maloomy Avoal Moossa.
- 9 Kamba Mahomed.
- 10 Beeroo Ibrahim.

* Para. 10.

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2. The result of a reference to Government on the subject, was that the 10 persons marginally noted, were authorized to be detained, until further orders, under Section 2, Regulation 2 of 1819, and the Magistrate was directed* to inform Government when he thought it expedient to allow them to return to their Island.

3. Of the 10 persons seven only have been apprehended, the remaining three having left the Island soon after the disturbances took place are still at large, not having returned to their homes.

4. The 7 persons now in custody have been under restraint for more than 9 months, their conduct has been orderly and quiet, they appear to have been misled and made the tools of designing people, and as the Island has been perfectly quiet for the past season, I think it will be well to allow them to return to their homes. Their separation from the Island and their families has been a severe trial to them, and will no

doubt prove a lesson not to be forgotten for some time to come.

5. I request to be informed of the orders of Government as to the disposal of these 7 men.

- 1 Addoo Kaka.
- 2 Maloomy Avoal Moossa.
- 3 Beeroo Ibrahim.

6. With regard to the 3 parties still at large, perhaps it would be well considering the circumstances under which they engaged in the disturbances, and the present peaceable conduct of the Menakai Islanders, to extend a general pardon to all parties, but should Government dissent from this opinion, I shall use every endeavour to secure them.

No. 8.

ORDER THEREON, No. 137; dated 2nd February 1859.

Resolved, on the recommendation of the Acting Magistrate, that the seven prisoners to whom he refers and who have been for nine months under restraint on account of their participation in the disturbances in the Island of Minicoy, be permitted to return to their homes.

2. The Government approve the course advised by Mr. P. Grant in para. 6 of his letter, and direct that all further proceedings against the three Islanders in question be dropped.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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At Mag
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2^d February 1859

In Dy. to Cons: 8th February
Judicial 1858

R.C. 25th May 1858 No.
Ct. No. 71.

* - 18th Jan^y 1859 Ct. No. 8.

Department

From
The Acting Collector
of Malabar,

To,
The Chief Secretary to Govt.
Judicial Department,
Fort St. George.

Dated 17th January 1859.
Received 24th

No. 2.

No. 113.

Recommends that the 7
Moplas of the Menakiri Island
now under restraint may be
allowed to return to their
homes.

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With an order
J.D.