

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	<i>784</i>	Press Mis.
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Dated	<i>17.6.1861</i>	<i>19</i>

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
17th June 1861.

No. 125. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Military Department, dated 6th June 1861, No. 1,942.

Communicating letter from the Adjutant General of the Army with a view to enquiry being made whether employment can be found for Serjeant McMarquise in the Mofussil Police, or as an Overseer of Convicts. } (Vide Proceedings Military Department, dated 6th June 1861, Nos. 86 and 87.)

No. 126. ORDER THEREON, 17th June 1861, No. 784.

Referred to the Inspectors General of Police and Jails and to the Commissioner of Police.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter :—

*From the Adjutant General of the Army, Head Quarters, Ootacamund, 10th May 1861, No. 77 ;
to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.*

I have the honor, by order of the Provincial Commander-in-Chief, to request you will bring to the notice of Government that consequent on the breaking up of the Nagpore Irregular Light Field Battery, the Commissioner had dispensed with the services of Rough Rider Serjeant John McMarquise.

2. This man was Farrier Major of the 4th Light Cavalry and upon a requisition* of the Government of India he was transferred to the Effective Supernumeraries, as Private in G. O. C. O. dated 10th December 1855, for the purpose of being appointed Assistant Farrier of the Horse Battery of the Nagpore Irregular Force. Subsequently on the 1st March 1856 he was promoted to Serjeant in the Effective Supernumeraries, agreeably to the orders of the Supreme Government. *Vide Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 523, dated 26th February 1856.*

3. McMarquise not being an attested Soldier is ineligible under Regulation, though a Serjeant, for employment on the Garrison Staff or as a Non-Commissioned Officer of a Native Corps. As the man has however been promoted to the rank of Serjeant under the orders of the Supreme Government, Major General Budd directs me to request the orders of Government as to what capacity McMarquise is to be employed in.

ORDER, No. 342, 6th Jan 1861.

Communicated to the Judicial Department, with a view to enquiry being made, whether employment can be found for Serjeant McMarquise in the Mofussil Police, or as an Overseer of Convicts. It is observed that as Farrier and Saddler, he might be found useful in the Mounted Police.

2. The Quarter Master General will also report, whether a situation, in the Barrack, Road, or Rest House, Departments, cannot be made available for Serjeant McMarquise if necessary.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Adjutant General.

Judicial Department.

Quarter Master General.

Military Auditor General.

