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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
12th February 1862.

No. 75. Read the following letter from G. THORNHILL, Esq., Magistrate Kistna District; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Kollipara, 29th January 1862, No. 38.

With reference to the Proceedings of Government, dated 9th July last, No. 880, directing that K. Narsimulu a British subject charged with house-breaking in the Nizam's territory should not be delivered to that Government but should be tried before the established Courts under Act I of 1849, I have the honor to bring to the notice of the Government that I have not been able to procure the attendance of the Prosecutor although repeated applications have been made, through the Resident, to the Nizam's authorities.

In reply to my last application a statement given by the Prosecutor before the Nizam's authorities, positively refusing to prosecute before the British Courts, has been forwarded to me. I beg to enclose a translation of this document and to request the authority of Government to release the Prisoner who has now been in custody 9 months.

No. 76. ORDER THEREON, 12th February 1862, No. 212.

The Magistrate is authorized to release K. Nursimulu from custody. His case ought to have been reported to Government at an earlier date.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Statement of Undamarala Appayah a Ryot
an inhabitant of Tanikalla. Pergana Hanali
Surkar Channarayana.

Whilst two robbers who dug a hole
to the house where I slept, were, at about
12 O'clock in the night of the month Sharda
in the current year, in the act of carrying away
certain articles, I heard the noise and coming
from the back of the house, saw a thief
standing near the hole - He observed me
and ran away. Mean while another thief came
out of the hole. I caught hold of him - from
the effect of the blows and wounds which
he inflicted on me, I suffered for three
months - I narrowly escaped death by the
grace of God. I found in the possession
of the thief whom I apprehended in the
hole, some ornaments worn by my women on
their feet; three silver Panalalu and one
Hab sicca Rupee - The thief that ran off
carried away with him before that time,
a box containing considerable property ^{consisting} of
Rs.

Rupee &c. The name of the apprehended thief is Kolla Narsimlu an inhabitant of Singavaram appertaining to Jaggayapeta; that of the escaped thief is stated by Narsimlu, as Sunharda hotaya. The said Narsimlu on being delivered up to the Sirkar with the things &c found on him, was incarcerated.

In the mean time the adherents of Narsimlu misrepresented to the Tahasildar of Jaggayapeta.

Rajasweroo the sader Naib told me that he /Tahsildar/ wrote to send me and the said Narsimlu who was apprehended, and that I should therefore go to Jaggayapeta.

I then represented to him that property was stolen from my house; that I attached and apprehended the thief; that I cannot go into the Company's (British) dominion for being examined; that I shall be ready

ready to proceed to any place within the Mogul Adalat; and that if I am told to go to the Company's dominion I must give up my life. He (sader Naib) then said "I shall get and deliver up to you your property. you need not go into the Company's dominion." So he sent me and the thief who was apprehended, to the Adalat who is examining us. Now Veni Rao Salugdar is pressing me to go to Jaggayapeta. I am told to proceed to Jaggayapeta I shall die by eating poison. If you will send me, out of regard for my preservation, to the Hyderabad Adalat, tho' not to your Sirkar Adalat, I shall be ready to go to that place. but if I am ordered to go to the Company's dominion, I shall give up ^{my} life.

I cannot venture to say any thing more.

27th Maha. Jamadissani 1278 Hijiri
/A true translation/

Thurkell
Magistrate.

E. P. Martin Paul

N^o 212 - 13th February 1862

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The Magistrate
of the Krishna
District.

Sept 12th 1860

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In a letter from the
Magistrate of the
District dated 29 January
1862

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Statement of
Gundamarala Appayya
a Deputy Commissioner
of Tanjore District
Karnal District, Tanjore
District.

Sept 12th 1860
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