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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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No. 102. Read the following letter from J. B. NORTON, Esq., Clerk of the Crown; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 9th May 1861.

The Queen, against Moonichee—for Murder.

I have the honor to enclose an Extract (in duplicate) from the Proceedings of the last Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery containing the Verdict of the Petty Jury in the case of the abovenamed Moonichee who was on the 24th ultimo tried on a charge of Murder and the Order made by His Lordship Mr. Justice Scotland thereon.

Supreme Court, Madras, Crown Side. } { The Queen, against Moonichee, For Murder.

Verdict. -Guilty, that she did the act charged against her, being then of unsound mind so as to excuse her according to Law.

(Signed) JOHN BRUCE NORTON,
Clerk of the Crown.

Ordered that the said Moonichee be kept in safe custody in the Madras Penitentiary apart from the other prisoners until the pleasure of the Government shall be known thereon.

Extracted from the Proceedings of the 2nd Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery this ninth day of May 1862.

(Signed) JOHN BRUCE NORTON,
Clerk of the Crown.

No. 103. ORDER THEREON, 14th May 1862, No. 787.

Under Act IV, 1849, the Government direct that the prisoner, Moonichee, be kept in strict custody for life.

2. Ordered that a Warrant for the removal of the prisoner from the Penitentiary to the Lunatic Asylum, be forwarded to the Commissioner of Police.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Acting Chief Secretary.

WARRANT.

Whereas Moonichee was tried on the 24th April 1862, before the Supreme Court at Madras on a charge of Murder and was acquitted on the ground that she did the act charged against her being then of unsound mind so as to excuse her according to law, and it was ordered that she should be kept in the Madras Penitentiary apart from the other prisoners until the pleasure of the Government should be known thereon.

His Excellency the Governor in Council directs, under Section VI, Act IV, 1849, that the prisoner, Moonichee, be removed from the Penitentiary to the Lunatic Asylum at Madras, there to be kept and treated until remanded again to prison.

By Order of His Excellency the Governor in Council.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Acting Chief Secretary.

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Asylum at Madras therein the Right Hon'ble Transportation for life to Prison.

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