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To

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY, COLOMBO.

SIR,

With reference to the correspondence noted in the margin, I am directed to transmit to you the annexed letter from the Commissioner of Police, dated 12th July 1864, No. 199, together with the Warrant and Subpœnas referred to in it, and to request that the Government of Ceylon may be moved to authorize the delivery of Super Mahel Waganum *alias* Myil Wahanum into the custody of the Police Officers, who will be despatched for the purpose on the Mail Steamer. The witnesses, Caderwasser Appoopully, and Coomarietchum, may follow afterwards, if they are not prepared to come to Madras by the same opportunity with the prisoner.

To Government, 11th June 1864, No. 21.
" 28th " " " 933.
Despatched on the 12th instant.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
12*th July* 1864.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Secretary to Government.

From Lieutenant Colonel W. J. WILSON, Commissioner of Police; to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 12th July 1864, No. 199.

With reference to my letter of the 25th ultimo, No. 64, I have the honor to report that Mr. Stevenson arrived from Colombo on the 9th instant, accompanied by one Chella Moottoo, and I herewith forward a Warrant, founded upon their information, and those of other witnesses, for the apprehension of Super Mahel Waganum *alias* Myil Wahanum at present in custody in Ceylon upon Mr. Stevenson's complaint.

2. Should the Government see fit to forward this Warrant to Ceylon with a request that the prisoner may be delivered over for transmission to this country, I propose to send two Native Police Officers by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steamer expected to leave this on the 14th instant, in order that they may take charge of the prisoner and bring him to Madras by the Steamer expected at Galle on the 19th instant.

3. As the prisoner is now at Colombo, it is very doubtful whether the Police Officers could go there from Galle and return in time for the Steamer. I therefore beg to suggest that a telegram may be sent to the Ceylon Government mentioning the intended despatch of the Warrant, and requesting that the prisoner may be sent to Galle, there to be made over to the Police Officers from Madras. This course would in all probability ensure the arrival of the prisoner in time to admit of his being committed for trial at the next Sessions. I made inquiries at the office of Messrs. Dymes & Co., regarding the Coasting Steamers, but it is not certain that any of these vessels will touch at Colombo about the time required.

4. I also enclose Subpœnas for the attendance of two witnesses who reside in the neighbourhood of Jaffna, but request that the transmission of the prisoner may not be delayed on their account.

Ed. J. Tulloch.

desp.d 13th per P&O Steamer Bremen.

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The Colonial Secretary - Colombo.

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