

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1710	Press Misr
²⁶⁴⁻²⁶⁵ Dated	29-11-	1864

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29th November 1864.

No. 24. Read the following letter from Lieutenant Colonel W. J. WILSON, Commissioner of Police; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 22nd November 1864, No. 113.

Having received intimation that six European convicts can be accommodated in the Prison at Ootacamund, I have the honor to request that Government will be pleased to sanction the transfer from the Penitentiary to that place of the under-mentioned individuals:—

Names.	Sentence will expire
Alfred Lees.....	2nd May 1868.
William Atkinson <i>alias</i> Stanton.....	" " 1866.
John Williams <i>alias</i> Cockey.....	" " "
John Albert Newton.....	1st April "

2. It is expedient to transfer European prisoners sentenced for periods exceeding one year when convenient opportunities occur for so doing, in order to ensure accommodation for men imprisoned for minor offences, and for seamen who generally strike work either in a body or in numbers of four or five at a time.

No. 25. ORDER THEREON, 29th November 1864, No. 1710.

It appears from the Warrants of Commitment that Alfred Lees was sentenced by the High Court to Penal Servitude. As accommodation is available in the European Prison at Ootacamund, the Commissioner is authorized to arrange at once for his transfer from the Penitentiary at Madras.

2. The three other convicts named in the foregoing letter are under sentence of imprisonment for terms exceeding one year. Application will be made to the Government of India, under Section 8, Act XXIV of 1855, for sanction to their removal to Ootacamund.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Commissioner of Police, with 2 Warrants returned.

" Inspector General of Jails.

" Sessions Judge of Ootacamund.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read letter from the Commr. of Police Enter 22 Nov. '84 N^o 113.

Order — 14/10/84 to Nov 1884.

It appears from the Warrants of Commitment that Alfred Lee was sentenced by the High Court to Penal Servitude. As accommodation is available in the European Prison at Botacamund, the Commissioner is authorised to arrange at once for his transfer from the Penitentiary at Madras.

2. The three other convicts named in the foregoing letter are under sentence of imprisonment for terms exceeding one year. Application will be made to the Govt. of India under § VIII - Act XXIV - 58, for sanction to their removal to Botacamund.

Commissioner of Police. With
Inspector Genl. of Police.
Sessions Judge of Coa.
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18/10/84

Transfer of European
prisoners taken
made, 13 Dec.

1864. Department.

No. 1710.

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT.

Dated 20th Dec 1864.

At a meeting of the
General Committee
of the Prisoners of War
Association, held at
the residence of Mr. J. H.
Parker, on the 20th Dec 1864.

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