

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 482	Pracg ~~Mis.~~
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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
4th April 1864.*

No. 19. Read the following letter from J. ROHDE, Esq., Inspector General of Jails ; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Ootacamund, 15th March 1864, No. 627.

In reference to the Order of Government, No. 196 (16th February 1864), desiring information as to the case on which Pilliengar, the prisoner under sentence of transportation, who is said to have warned the Salem Police of the intended escape of the gang, I have the honor to forward the finding and sentence together with the notes. I do not think the prisoner's case shows any thing that should exclude him from the consideration that the Government may propose in his case.

No. 20. ORDER THEREON, 4th April 1864, No. 452.

The case of the prisoner referred to in the foregoing letter was called for by the Government, in consequence of his praiseworthy conduct in having given warning to the Police escort of an intended outbreak among a gang of 36 convicts, including the prisoner, *en route* to Madras for embarkation. The particulars of the outbreak, which was a very serious one, are recorded in Proceedings 16th February, No. 196.

2. On a reference to the Calendar, No. 78 of 1863 of the Sessions Court of Tinnevely, and the Judge's notes in the case, it appears that Pilliengar was sentenced to seven years' transportation for having obtained possession of the key, and opened, and entered the house of a near relative, during his absence and taken away from it and kept in his own house a box containing Rupees 237 worth of property. The property was nearly all recovered, and the prisoner confessed and pleaded guilty.

3. In recognition of his conduct in connection with the outbreak, the Governor in Council is pleased to commute the sentence of transportation passed on Pilliengar into rigorous imprisonment for two years.

4. These orders will be communicated to Pilliengar, who is at present in the Penitentiary, by the Commissioner of Police, and this officer will also arrange with the Inspector General of Police for sending Pilliengar back to Tinnevely.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Commissioner of Police.

„ Inspector General of Police.

„ Sessions Judge of Tinnevely.

„ Inspector General of Jails, with enclosures returned.

Exd. J. Tulloch.

Prs. No. 196/64

16th Feb. No. 196.

Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read from the
Inspector of Sails — Enter 15th Mar '84 N^o 1
Order — dated 4th April 1884 — 16452

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L. R.

The Commr. of Police

" Inspector Genl. of Police.

" Sessions Judge of Zimmiwelly.

" Inspector Genl. of Sails.

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With Encl. returned

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