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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
18*th January* 1865.

No. 174. Read the following letter from J. ROHDE, Esq., Inspector General of Jails, to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Ootacamund, 24th December 1864, No. 436.

I have the honor to submit a letter from Mr. Phillips, in charge of the European prison, relative to the prisoners who will have to be released in the next four months; namely, Cormick, Berry, DeGarey, and Jackson.

Dated 21st December 1864, No. 137, (in original).

2. Berry, whose sentence expires on the 25th February, was sentenced by Court Martial to four years' Penal Servitude, for striking a Non-Commissioned officer; he wishes a free passage to Ireland, which I trust may be accorded.

3. The others, whose sentences expire, Jackson's on 3rd April, DeGarey's 4th April, and Cormick's 4th February, desire a free passage to Calcutta.

4. I understood from Jackson that his object in going to Calcutta is to ship for England, which, as a ship's carpenter, he thinks he can do better from that port than from Madras.

5. I would request that in each case the passage solicited may be granted.

6. The payment to be made in Madras, on account of each prisoner, will be notified hereafter.

From A. W. PHILLIPS, Esq., Session Judge in charge of the European Prison, Otacamund, to J. ROHDE, Esq., Inspector General of Prisons; dated Ootacamund, 21st December 1864, No. 137.

I have the honor to bring to your notice that the sentences of the four prisoners, Cormick, Berry, DeGarey, and Jackson will expire on the 4th February, 24th February, 3rd and 4th of April respectively, of the ensuing year.

2. Berry has expressed a hope that the Government would grant him a free passage to his native country, Ireland, and the other three have desired that they might be sent back to Calcutta.

3. I have the honor, therefore, to request that you will make the necessary application to Government in their cases, so that orders, regarding them, may be issued and received here before their sentences shall have expired.

No. 175. ORDER THEREON, 18th January 1865, No. 105.

The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the grant of free passages, to Calcutta, to John Jackson and Thomas DeGarey, on discharge from Jail at the expiration of their sentences.

2. The Inspector General of Jails applied for the same indulgence to prisoner Cormick in a former letter, dated 9th ultimo, No. 383, and reference was thereupon made to the Government of Bengal, under date the 20th idem, letter No. 1837. His Excellency in Council observes that Mr. Rohde stated that Cormick's sentence would expire "on the 20th February next", whereas it appears from his present letter that it will expire on the 4th of that month.

3. Prisoner John Berry belonged to the "1st Madras Fusiliers." His application for a free passage to Ireland will be referred to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, through the Military Department.

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18*th January* 1865.

4. Ordered that a copy of these Proceedings be forwarded to the Government of Bengal, with reference to the remarks in paragraph 2, supra.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector General of Jails.
" Session Judge of Ootacamund.
" Military Department.
" Superintendent of Marine.
" Commissioner of Police.
" Civil Paymaster.
" Accountant General.
" Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read letter from the Inspector General of Jails — dated 24th Decr. '64 No. 436.

Order — 18th January 1865 No. 105.

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The Inspector Genl. of Jails. 3
" Sessions Judge of Dota- 3
" Milty. Debt. Cairnend.
" Supdt. of Marine. Desp 21/
" Commr. of Police.
" Civil Paymaster.
" Asst. Genl. the Govt. of Bengal.

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