

# MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

*Jurisdiction* DEPARTMENT.

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| G.O. No. | 1395  | Press<br><del>Mis.</del> |
| Dated    | 28-8- | #1867                    |

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,  
28th August 1867.*

No. 340. Read the following letter from the Acting Magistrate of the Kistna District, to the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort. Saint George; dated Masulipatam, 12th August 1867, No. 223.

In a letter, No. 19, dated 14th February last, the Superintendent of the Jail at Guntoor brought to the notice of the District Magistrate that a female prisoner, named Mekala Nagi, had a child which had just turned two years old, and could not; therefore, under rules, be permitted to remain longer within the Jail precincts. After long and careful inquiry, no friend of the prisoner could be found, and the Tahsildar was directed to make arrangements for the custody of the child. He at first reported that he could find no one willing to do so. The woman is of the snake charmer caste, none of whom are resident in Guntoor, and this increased the difficulty of finding any one to look after the child. On the 26th July last, he reported, in answer to a further order, that a woman, named Vurri Mootyalacca, of Guntoor, had consented for a monthly wage of 8 Rupees to take the child. This seemed exorbitant, and I requested the Superintendent to inform me when the term of the prisoner's sentence would expire. By a letter, No. 63, dated 5th instant, he informs me that it will be up on 16th December of this year; and, considering the difficulty of finding any one to look after the child for a reasonable consideration, and the short term of the sentence that still remains, I have the honor to suggest that the child be allowed to remain with the mother as now.

No. 341. ORDER THEREON, 28th August 1867, No. 1395.

The Governor in Council sanctions, as a special case, the arrangement proposed, by which the prisoner Mekala Nagi's child will be allowed to remain with her mother until the 16th December 1867.

(True Extract).

*Acting Chief Secretary.*

To the Magistrate of the Kistna District.  
,, Inspector General of Jails.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

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Judicial Department.  
From, Pro. 28 Aug.  
The Acting Magistrate  
Kistna District  
To  
The Acting Chief Secretary  
to Government  
Frisland House

Dated 12 August 1897.  
Received 9 - } 1897.  
No 2231395  
Enclosure 28-8-97  
No 1783

Requesting to be furnished  
with instructions regarding  
the child of Ma Kallu Kapi  
a female prisoner in Quiloot  
gaol.

With an order

28 August 1897 No 1395  
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on the 16th Dec. 97 -

The Magistrate of the  
Kistna District  
The Inspector General of Prisons

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