

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 634

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Dated 22nd May 1880

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
for the month of May 1860.*

No. 5. Read the following letter from Colonel J. C. BOULDERSON, Commissioner of Police, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 15th May 1860, No. 55.

"2. David Lacon was discharged from the Mounted Police on the 17th September 1858, having shewn some aberration of mind which rendered him unfit for the duty. Some months afterwards it was reported to me that he was giving much annoyance to the men on duty by coming to their Stations, in a very dirty state, and lying on their beds, which though they did not like, neither did they like to be harsh to an old comrade who did not then appear to be able to take care of himself. He also laid violent hands upon their food whenever he got an opportunity. I represented the case to you and the result was his admission to the General Hospital.

He has relatives in England, Sisters I believe. Some letters that came for him, two I think, I sent to Doctor Blacklock, one he destroyed, but as Doctor Blacklock determined not to give him an opportunity of destroying the other, he may perhaps have the means of ascertaining the address of his family, which is not known to any body in the Police."

MADRAS,
15th May 1860.

With reference to Order of Govt., dated 5th instant, No. 565, Judicial Department, I have the honor to give in margin, extract from a letter to my address from Lieutenant Mitchell, Superintendent Mounted Police, dated this day, respecting the Lunatic, Daniel Lacon.

2. I beg, with reference to paragraph 3 of Lieutenant Mitchell's letter, to enclose for the information of Government, an original letter from the sister of Daniel Lacon, by which the address of his family may be ascertained.

No. 6. ORDER THEREON, 22nd May 1860, No. 634.

The Superintendent of Marine will provide a passage to England for the lunatic, Daniel Lacon.

2. The letter belonging to the lunatic will be transmitted to the Secretary of State, for the purpose stated by Colonel Boulderson.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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The Commissioner
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" Supt. of Marine." }

24th 28th

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See Letter to Eng^d 10:1 Aug¹
N^o 28^d of 1860. —

31 May.

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Colonel J. C. Roulidson
Commissioner of Police

to J. Dwyer Esq^r
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St George

Patent 15th May 1860.
Rec^d 18th May 1860.

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The letter given to the Horse
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With an Order.