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[Despatch Abstract.]

Convict - Classification - Madras City - Mrs. R. Lakshmiipathi -
C.C. 7089/32 on the file of the Fourth Presidency Magistrate, Madras -
A class - Recommendation of the Fourth Presidency Magistrate accepted.

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Station Egmore, Madras, Dated the 15th March 19 32.

From (Name) M.R.Ry., S. David Nadar Ayl.,
(Designation) Fourth Presidency Magistrate.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Law (General) Department.

Fort St. George,

Madras.

Sir,

I have the honour to send herewith a copy of my
judgment dated 14-3-32 in C.C.No.7089/32 on my file with a
brief report regarding the social status, education etc.,
of the accused Mrs. R. Lakshmipathi. In the circumstances
I recommend that she may be placed in "A" class.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Fourth Presidency Magistrate.

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In the Presidency Magistrates' Court, Egmore, Madras.

C.C. (Application No. 7089/1932)

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Before M.R. Ry., S. David Nadar Ayl.,

Fourth Presidency Magistrate.

The 14th day of March 1932
 Rex - vs - Mrs. R. Lakshmipathi B.A., --- Sec. 17 (Cl.1) Criminal
 Law Amendment Act XIV of 1908.

Judgment.

The police have charged the accused for an offence under section 17 (1) of the Indian Criminal Law Amendment Act XIV of 1908

2. P.W.1 who is Sub Inspector of Police, C. station swears that on 12-3-32 at about 5-15 P.M. accused and some others numbering about 12 went in a procession along the China Bazaar Road, -- holding a national flag and singing national songs, and were asking people to boycott foreign clothes, and that they did not disperse when asked to do so. The accused admits that she did form part of a procession organised in honour of Dandi Day. She thus practically admits the truth of what P.W.1 states.

3. P.W.2 proves that the working committee of the All India Congress committee and the City congress committees have all been declared unlawful associations, and that the All India Congress committee advocated the organising of processions and boycott of foreign goods as items in the programme of the Civil disobedience movement. The accused by joining a procession and by asking -- people to boycott foreign goods assisted the operations of the said committees which have been declared unlawful. She was Vice President of the Madras District congress committee Tamil, and member of the Madras Tamil Provincial congress committee and of the All India congress committee also, and although warned by the Commissioner not to say or do anything in furtherance of the aims of the unlawful associations has proceeded in the procession -- advocating boycott of foreign goods which are distinctly items in

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the programme of the Civil Disobedience movement. Accused says she has assisted the operations of these committees, but adds that though Government have declared them unlawful they are not really unlawful. She has thus practically admitted the offence, which has been proved by the evidence of the prosecution witnesses - - examined in the case. The accused has no defence witnesses. I find her guilty of an offence under section 17 (1) of the Indian Criminal Law Amendment Act and sentence her to undergo rigorous imprisonment for 6 months and to pay a fine of Rs.100/- or in -- default to suffer rigorous imprisonment for 1½ months more.

Provisionally "A" class.

(Sd) S. David,

Fourth Presidency Magistrate.
14-3-32



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[Signature]
Chief Clerk.

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Brief report regarding status, education etc., of accused
Mrs. R. Lakshmipathi B.A.:--

1. Social status. - Mr. A. Lakshmipathi husband of the accused is a doctor and has an extensive practice and gets about Rs.600/- a month. He possesses property worth about a lakh of rupees and owns one Sanitorium in Avadi. She has travelled in Europe as a delegate of the Women's Association.
2. Education - She is a B.A. of the Madras University
3. Mode of living - High class
4. Extent of property owned. - her husband owns property about a lakh of rupees.
5. Character & antecedents - Respectable person and a staunch congress worker.

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Chief Clerk.

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Abstract

Convict - classification -

Madras City District -

~~From~~ Mrs R. Lakshmiipathi - C.C. 7089/32 in the file of the 4th Presidency
Magistrate, Madras - A class - recommendation of ~~Magistrate~~ Magistrate accepted.

Law (General) Department

G.O. No. Ms. 1144.

Dated the 21. 3. 32.

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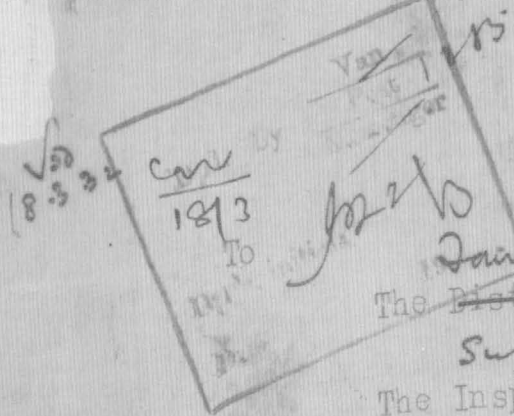
From the Fourth Presidency Magistrate, Madras No C.C. 7089/32 dated
15. 3. 32

O R D E R:-

The Government accept the recommenda-

tion of the ~~District~~ Fourth Presidency Magistrate, Madras that
Mrs R. Lakshmiipathi convicted on the 14th March 1932
in C.C. 7089/32 as his file
may be classified as A class prisoner.

(By Order of the Governor in Council)



Secretary to Government

Fourth Presidency
The District Magistrate, Madras
Superintendent Presidency Jail, Wandiwash
The Inspector-General of Prisons.

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The convict was placed in 'A' class during her conviction
in 1930. vide G.O. No. 2229 L. (Pud) dated 21.5.30

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