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15th July 1874.*

No. 308A. Read the following letter from W. S. HARRINGTON, Esq., District Engineer, Malabar, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Calicut, 9th July 1874, No. 77 :—

With reference to G. O., No. 1,690 A, dated 23rd ultimo, I have the honor to forward copy of a letter, No. A, dated 8th instant, from the Officer in charge of the Cannanore Range, and to request the sanction of Government for the employment of the Barrister referred to. After the expression of the Magistrate's opinion in the case of *ex Maistry Kurpagam*, relative to Mr. vanSomerén, I should have preferred engaging some other Barrister; but, as explained by Lieutenant Dobson, no other is available.

No. 308B. ORDER THEREON, 15th July 1874, No. 1,911A.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 22A.

THE action of the Range Officer in engaging the services of a Barrister to conduct the prosecution of Serjeant Mahoney is, under the circumstances, confirmed.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Malabar. ✓
,, Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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Camp Tellicherry
8th July 1874.

From

Lt. A. C. Dobson R. E.

Asst. Engineer Cannanore Range.

To

W. S. Harrington Esquire

District Engineer Malabar.

Calicut.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that the Agt. Joint Magistrate considers it desirable that I should appoint a Vakeel or a Barrister to conduct the trial against Sergeant Mahoney and he moreover does not approve of my appearing both as a prosecutor and a witness in the same case.

The Govt. Vakeel of this place does not speak English; he only knows the Vernacular and I do not consider it desirable to have every thing expressed by the Prisoner at the trial to be translated word for word to the Vakeel in Malayalam. The Prisoner Sergeant Mahoney has already been committed in one case yesterday to the High Court of Madras and as the next Sessions is rapidly approaching viz: 3rd Proximo I wish to have the remaining charges tried speedily

speedily to facilitate which I have appointed
Mr Van Someren as my Wakil to conduct
the remaining charges, he being a Barrister-
at-Law and a British born subject, I
have every confidence in him and have
taken the responsibility on myself of
appointing him pending your sanction
to prevent delay and great inconvenience,
which would otherwise occur. under these
circumstances, I have the honor to request
you will be good enough to obtain the
sanction of Govt. to my paying the
Barrister the charges which he might demand.

I have &c
Wm A. C. Dobson Esq. R.C.
Asst. Engineer -
(True Copy)

W. Harrison
District Engineer in charge



Malabar Dist. Engin. Office

No 77

Calicut 9th July 1874

From

The District Engineer
Malabar

To

The Secretary to Government
P. H. Department
Madras

Sir,

With reference to G. O. No. 1890 A dated 23rd ultimo, I have the honor to forward copy of a letter No. A dated 8th Instant from the Officer in charge of the Cannanore Range and to request the sanction of Government for the employment of the Barrister referred to. After the expression of the Magistrate's opinion in the case of en-maistry Kurpagan, relative to Mr. Van Someren, I should have preferred engaging some

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P. H. D. 23 July 74
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Copy of letter
No 11 dated 8th
July 1874 in the
Commissioner's
Range Office

Madras

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Sir,

Yours most obedt. Servt.

W. Cunningham

District Engineer

Malabar

G.O. No: 1911 A dated P.W. Deptt
15th July 1874 -

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To

The Dist. Injr.
Malabar

Dated

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G. O., 15th July 1874, No. 1911 A

Nos. 308A-308B.

Sergeant Mahoney - Oversee
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