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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1508

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Dated 22-11-1918

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
22nd November 1870.

No. 106. Read the following letter from the President of the Strangers' Home, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 19th November 1870:—

I have the honour to submit, by direction of the Committee, the names of six inmates of the Strangers' Home who wish to leave the country, under the provisions of the Vagrancy Act, for the places noted against their names, respectively.

John Ray..... James Connor..... William Gregory..... William Callagher..... Lindsay..... William Wallace.....	} England. } } } Australia. } }
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2. I submit, likewise, a short statement of their antecedents, as learnt from the men themselves.
3. They have no prospect of employment in India.

STATEMENT.

JOHN RAY.—Born in Liverpool ; age 28 years ; healthy-looking and able man ; married (wife and child in England). Has been employed in Iron Foundries. Was reduced to great straits consequent on a strike in the trade, and left England (a stow-away) to better himself at the Cape ; failed to get employment there and worked his passage to Colombo, and thence came across country to Madras. No hope of employment.

JAMES CONNOR.—Born in Dublin ; age 22 ; healthy-looking and able man. Furnace-man by trade, and a fellow-worker with the above individual, with whom he left England and came to Madras. As above, has no hope of employment.

WILLIAM GREGORY.—Born in Leeds ; age 27. Turner and fitter by trade. Left England in May last ; worked his passage in the *Conqueror* to Negapatam ; came thence to Madras. No hope of employment.

WILLIAM CALLAGHER.—Born in county Mayo. Fitter and blacksmith by trade. Came to India as a covenanted servant of the Indus Steam Flotilla Company in 1859. Served since in Abyssinia and Calcutta. Has failed in life. Sickly and in hospital.

LINDSAY.—Born in Belfast ; age 36. Came to Ceylon in 1854 as an assistant planter at Japan, but health failed. He came to India in March 1869 ; has failed to get employment ; wishes to leave for the Colonies. Steady good man who has seen better circumstances.

WILLIAM WALLACE.—Born in Clerkenwell, London ; age 32. Came to India as soldier in 7th Dragoon Guards in 1857, remained four years in the army, and bought his discharge. Went Home and returned to India in 1865. Went to Victoria (Australia) in 1869 and came up with horses to Calcutta. Wishes to leave for Colonies.

No. 107. ORDER THEREON, 22nd November 1870, No. 1508.

Under the circumstances stated in the foregoing letter, His Excellency the Governor in Council resolves, under the provisions of Section 17 of the European

1. John Ray..... 2. James Connor..... 3. William Gregory..... 4. William Callagher..... 5. Lindsay..... 6. William Wallace.....	} England. } } } Australia. } }	Vagrancy Act, to sanction the grant to the six persons named in the margin of free passages to England and Australia respectively.
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2. The Commissioner of Police will cause the persons referred to, to execute the agreement prescribed by Section 17 of the Act, and arrange, in communication with the Acting Master Attendant, for the provision of passages.

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3. The charge will be met from the assignment of Rupees 20,000 in the current year's Budget.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Committee for the Management of the Vagrancy Home.

„ Commissioner of Police.

„ Acting Master Attendant, Madras.

„ Accountant-General.

Public Department

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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from the
President of the Strangers
Home dated 19 Nov 70
Order thereon 22^d Nov - 1870 No. 1508.

Under the circum-
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provisions of Section 17 of
the European Vagrancy
Act, to sanction the grant,
to the six persons named
in the margin, of free
passages to England
and Australia respec-
tively.

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execute the Agreements
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| 1. John Roy. | England. |
| 2. James Connor. | |
| 3. William Rogers. | Australia. |
| 4. William Gallagher. | |
| 5. Lindsay. | |
| 6. William Wallace. | |
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TO
THE COMMITTEE FOR THE
MANAGEMENT OF THE
VAGRANCY HOME

Secy. Asst.

Dated November 22nd.

Recd.

G. O., 22nd November 1870, No. 1508.

NOVEMBER.
Nos. 106-107.

Sanctioning the grant of free passages to six
European vagrants to England and Australia.

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To
 the Com^{rs} for the management of
 the Vagrancy Home
 "Com^{rs} of Police.
 "A^d Master Attendant, Madras.
 "Accountant General, Madras.

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George

London

My dear Mrs

Kindly get
papers passed on the
as soon as possible

The mail to Mrs
broken leave her to the
end of next week

In love

Wm. W. W. W.

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