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No. 8.

Forwarded to the Chief Secretary to Government with reference to G.O., dated 9th July 1890, No. 494, Public Department.

ORDER—dated 28th March 1892, No. 205, Public.

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3. The vagrants admitted during the period under review compare with those of the previous year in regard to nationality as follows:—

	1890.	1891.
(1) European British subjects	16	14
Other Europeans	1	3
Americans	1	..
Australians	..	2
Other British subjects	5	7
	—	—
Total ..	23	26
	—	—

The previous occupation of these are compared below:—

	1890.	1891.
(2) Sailors	6	3
Soldiers	2	3
Shopkeepers	2	..
Clerks	1	3
Mechanics	..	2
Railway employés	4	7
Artisans and laborers	1	1
Other occupations	4	7
No occupations	* 3	..
	—	—
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* A wife and children.

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4. The decrease under this last head is satisfactory. It was anticipated in G.O., dated 25th March 1891, No. 233, paragraph 4.

(True Extract.)

J. F. PRICE,
Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Police.

" Commissioner of Police.

" Accountant-General.

" District Magistrate, Nilgiris,

" " " Tinnevely, }

with reference to the remarks on Form 1.

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FORM III.—GOVERNMENT WORKHOUSE

STATEMENT showing the operation of the European Vagrancy Act IX of 1874 for the year ending 31st December 1891.

1		2			3			4														
		Nationality.				Age.				Previous occupation.												
		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o	
Work-house.	British-born subjects.																					
	Others.																					
	Number of Americans.																					
	Number of Australians.																					
	Number belonging to other classes of British-born subjects																					
	Total of columns a to d.																					
	Under 16.																					
	16 to 40.																					
	40 to 60.																					
	Above 60.																					
	Sailors.																					
	Soldiers.																					
	Grooms.																					
	Shopkeepers and traders.																					
	Clerks and others holding similar ministerial offices under Government.																					
	Clerks and others holding similar ministerial offices in private firms, &c.																					
	Mechanics.																					
	Railway guards, drivers, fitters, plate-layers and others holding similar appointments under Railway Companies.																					
	Carpenters, shoemakers and others in similar occupation.																					
Laborers.																						
No occupation.																						

FORM IV.—(EXPENDITURE.)

STATEMENT showing the operation of the European Vagrancy Act IX of 1874 for the year ending 31st December 1891

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MADAKS,
1st March 1891.

(Signed) H. W. H. COX, Colonel,
Commissioner of Police.

Vagrancy Report

Hon. Mr. Stokes

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URGENT No. 623

Public DEPARTMENT.

From The Commissioner
of Police

No. 8

Dated 25/3/91
March 1892

Re
No. 4

SUBJECT.

Forwarding statements showing the
operation of the European Vagrancy
Act for the year 1891.

25/3/91 No. 223/4
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" " " Tinnevely, 6
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Chief Secretary.

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FORM IV.—(EXPENDITURE)
Statement showing the Operation of the European Vagrancy Act IX of 1874, for the
year ending 31st December 1891.

EXPENDITURE IN WORK-HOUSE.		REMARKS.
1	Expenditure under Section 8, Act IX of 1874.	
2	Expenditure in removal from British India under Section 16.	
3	Clothing and rations.	
4	Hospital charges.	
5	Establishment.	
6	Contingencies and Miscellaneous.	
7	Total of columns 4, 5, 6 and 7.	
8	Average cost of each inmate of Work-house during the year (column 8).	
9	Charges connected with the working of the Act not accounted for in previous columns.	
10	Total cost to Government (columns 2, 3, 8 and 10).	
11		
12		

OFFICE OF THE
 COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,
 Madras, 1st March 1892.

No. 8

Forwarded to the Chief Secretary to Government, with reference to G.O., No. 100, dated 1st March 1892.
 Public Department.

Attest
 Commissioner of Police.

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Statement showing the Operation of the European Vagrancy Act IX of 1874, for the year ending 31st, December 1891.

Statement showing the Operation of the European Vagrancy Act IX of 1874, for the year ending 31st, December 1891.

* The nationality only of persons admitted during the year should be shown.

† The figures in this column should agree with column 8, Form 1.

Statement showing the Operation of the European Vagrancy Act IX of 1874, for the year ending 31st December 1881.

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connected	14
regulated by relations and presents	6
discharged under and held by conditions	3
connected to imprisonment	2

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Wm. J. Folger

Statement showing the Operation of the European Vagrancy Act IX of 1874, for the year ending 31st December 1891.

1	Number of arrests by the Police under Section 4.	15
2	Number of voluntary appearances before the Magistrate or Justice of the Peace under Section 5.	15
3	Number of declarations recorded by the Magistrate or Justice of the Peace under Section 5.	27
4	Number of Vagrants sent direct to the Government Work-house by an order of the Magistrate of Police or Justice of the Peace under Section 5.	24
5	Number of Vagrants made over to the Police under Section 6.	3
6	Number subsequently sent to Work-house under Section 7.	"
7	Number sent to Work-house under Section 24.	2
8	Total of columns 4, 6 and 7.	26
9	Number of certificates issued under Section 9.	2
10	* Number of convictions by Magistrates under Sections 14, 15, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 25.	4
11	REMARKS.	43 were arrested at the Magistrate's office and were declared and sent to the Workhouse.

- The detail of convictions under each Section might be explained in a foot-note.

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25 - 25 to one west R.R. each, at Salinas

Total 4.

of 3 men arrested
at the Georgetown
and were declared
and sent to the
Marshall.

Miss Mary
Carmichael.