

Public Works (1899) Department.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Suit. Confirming the sanction accorded by the L E VI Circle to the prosecution of certain ryots of Shodaneri, who interfered with the water supply to the Vyavanatham tank, Madurai Dt, and prevented the Channel Super from discharging his duties, &c and calling

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No.	Names of the accused and the witnesses for Prosecution	Place of residence.
	<u>Accused.</u>	
1	Paramasamy Pillay son of Palany Andy Pillay	
2	Kistnan Sarvai son of Velayutham Sarvai.	
3	Parady Pillay	
4	Periyakaruppan Sarvai son of Kandasamy Sarvai	
5	Kandasamy Pillay son of Vathia Subbaromana Pillay	
6	Kothukulam Muthusamy Sarvai	
7	Sundaraga Sarvai son of Kistnan Sarvai	
8	Sargily Sarvai son of Kalyany Sarvai	
9	Subbia Sarvai younger brother of 8.	
10	Sokku Pillay son of Kandasamy Pillay	
11	Moyamayambalam	
12	Vellandy Ambalam son of Kattamayambalam	
13	Velaachary Vellayanambalam.	
14	Vellandy Ambalam son of Mayandy Ambalam.	
15	Alagusingham Pillay son of Aruchachalan Pillay	
16	Kundan Ambalam son of Palany Ambalam	
17	Samayan Sarvai younger brother of Sinai Sarvai	
18	Parakannan	
19	Paraveera kullar	
20	Para Kundan.	
21	Para Andy	
22	Para oothukelian's son Latehmanan.	
23	Para Raman elder brother of 22.	
24	Para Settan.	
25	Para Santhanam Madayan.	
26	Para Peria karuppan son of Para Kottayan.	
	<u>Witnesses for prosecution.</u>	
1	Kanniappa kundan	} Bankers of Periyal Main channel Kuranen-galam Alagapuri
2	Perumal kundan	

No.	Names of the accused and the witnesses for prosecution	Place of residence
3	Kulanthai	Puduppathy
4	Lasear Haruppanna Pillay	Madura
5	Ramakonan	Puduppathy

(Sd.) G. Venkataramakiel
Superintendent P.W.D.
22-11-99

(True copy)

J. V. No. 1111 Lt. Col. R. K.

Supg. Engineer, C. Circle.
6-12-99

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No. 580.

To

The Assistant Engineer.
Madura Sub Division.

1 Enclure Sir,

With reference to your order of the 13th instant about the water supply to Inam Vyraanatham tank, I beg to inform you that I made arrangements to supply the same on 15-11-99 by damming the odai in the bed of the Vyraanatham tank at the usual place and also sent an order on 14-11-99 per banker Kulanthai to the village Munsiff and the ryots of Thodaneri stating that they should not interfere with the dam and prevent the supply from entering the Vyraanatham tank. The dam was put by the ryots of Vyraanatham on the 15th morning and the bankers Kamniappakamundan, Perumal Kamundan Kulanthai and Lasear Haruppanna Pillay were employed to watch the same. I was informed that at about 2 P.M. the same day Vaikuntarama Pillay and about 10 others of Thodaneri village, came to the spot where the

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the dam is put and began to put open the same
in spite of the order given to them by me on 14-11-99,
but as the bankers who were watching the same
prevented them from doing so, they returned
quiet without doing anything; but on the 16th
instant at about 3 P.M. while I was sitting
by the side of a tree about a furlong to the
east of the dam after having inspected it
which was all right, and the water diverted
to Vyraanatham^{tank} which was found to have
received some 5 or 6 days' supply, I saw before
me the throng of Vyraanatham village
running towards me and crying that a large
number of Thodaneri ryots have come down
and put open the dam and when I rose, I ob-
served from the very spot where I remained,
about 50 persons some putting open the same
dam and some standing by the same and
before I reached the place, they started off
and went at a distance of about 500 feet
and refused to come to me in spite of my
several calls. The bankers who were watching
at the spot informed me on my approach
that one Paramasamia Pillay, the 1st accused,
beat

beat banker Kulanthai and pulled him
down towards the east and the 2nd accused,
Kistnan Sarvai, beat lascar Karuppanna
Pillay and pulled him down towards the
west and bankers Perumal Hanundan
Kannappa Hanundan, and the 5th witness
Ramakonan kept aloof lest they would
also be beaten. As it was unable to
learn the names of all the persons only the
names of 26 persons who were present
amongst others that did the mischief,
were noted

As the accused noted in the accom-
panying list have beaten the bankers, put
open the dam without orders, diverted the
water to Thodaneri tank while they are in
need of no water as the Thodaneri tank
is full, caused the diminution of the supply
of water used for irrigation purposes
in the village of Vyraanatham and
thus committed the offences under sections
426 & 430 I.P.C. a complaint is given as
per your order of the 13th instant to the
Stationary Second class Magistrate of

Madura

No. Madura, who is requested to Summon them
and the witnesses noted in the list for
enquiry before the court and render justice

I beg to
Sd/ G. Venkatarama Aiyar
Superintendent P.W.D.
22-11-99 -

No. 2847.
26.11.99.

Forwarded to the Executive
Engineer for information.

In anticipation of your approval
I have ordered the Channel Superintendent
to prosecute the pulpits for beating the
mule coolies and preventing the Channel
Superintendent in the discharge of his
duties. Inam Vyranamatham tank has
applied for Periyal water this year and
could not be supplied ^{by} any other way
except by damming the odai supplying Tho-
danery tank. The village officer here
informed that the dam will be removed

as

as soon as the tank is filled.

Sd/ A. V. Ramalingam Aiyar
Asst. Engineer
25-11-99.

No. 231 S.L.
1.12.99.

Submitted to the Superintend-
ing Engineer, B. circle, for information and
favour of sanction to the prosecution of the
accused.

Sd/ W. J. J. Howley
Executive Engineer,
Periyal works -

No. 1803 Ind. of 6 December 1899.

The prosecution of the offenders is
sanctioned under G.O. No. 2050 W., dated
7 July ~~1898~~ ¹⁸⁹⁹. The Special Executive Engineer
is requested to engage a wakil through
the District Magistrate, conduct the case
and report the result.

(Sd) G. V. Boddy Lt. Col. R.D.
Supg. Engineer, B. circle.

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No. 1804 Ind. 276 December 1899

Enclosures - 1

Copies submitted to the Chief

Engineer for Irrigation with a request that
Sanction of Government may be
obtained to the procedure adopted

J. V. No. 1111 Lt. Col. R. E.

Supg. Engineer, Circle

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