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Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for OUR SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, near

*the Chenga Bazar in Narain Moodelly Street at
the Black Town*

of Madras, on the *Twenty first* day of *December* in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty *Two*
before me *John Mughart* Esquire, Coroner
of OUR LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of *Ramakistnen Chetty*
then and there lying dead *Upon the Oath of Messrs*

*Henry Le Tang, Henry Yettie, Henry
Sexton, Gregory David Stevens, and
Pondichay Maselamony Moodelly*

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said *Rama
Kistnen Chetty* came to his Death, do
upon their Oath say, *That the said Ramakistnen*

*Chetty on the Twenty first day of the said Month
of December in the year aforesaid was found*

lying dead near the Chenga Bazar in Narain Moodelly

Street at the Black Town of Madras aforesaid

*and within the local limits of the Criminal
Jurisdiction*

Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Judicature
 at Madras aforesaid that the said Ramakrishna
 Chetty had no marks of violence appearing
 his body, but how or by what means he came
 by his death no evidence thereof doth appear
 to the knowledge of the said Jurors. In Witness
 whereof as well the said Coroner as the Jurors
 aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their
 hands and seals on the day year and at the
 place above mentioned.

21st December 1854
 An Inquisition taken
 near the Changa Bazar
 in Narraimoodally Street
 at the Black Town of Madras
 on view of the body of Rama-
 Krishna Chetty.

Signed John Nugent
 Coroner
 " Henry Le Tang
 Foreman
 " Henry Yettie
 " Henry Dexter
 George David Stevens
 " Pondicherry Maselamony Mordally

Verdict
 Found Dead.

Madras } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in
 to Wit.

Saint Thome Main Road at Royapettah within
 the limits - - - - -

of Madras, on the Twenty fifth day of December in
 the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Four
 before me John Nugent Esquire, Coroner
 of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
 thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Valaythumma
 then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Messrs.

Philip Brodie Gordon, John Leonard,
 Henry Leonard, John Marcar, Joseph
 Gregory Fonseca, and Thomas Gregory Fonseca -

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
 then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
 LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Valay
 :thumma - - - - - came to her Death, do
 upon their Oath say, That the said Valaythumma on the

Twenty fifth day of the said month of December in the
 year aforesaid whilst in the act of drawing water in a Well
 situate in Mr. Moraes Compound in Royapetta Road leading
 to Saint Thome aforesaid and within the local limits
 of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Judi-
 :cature at Madras aforesaid. It so happened that the said
 Valaythumma

Valaythumma accidentally Casually and by Misfortune
 fell into the said Well and in the waters thereof
 was then and there suffocated and drowned of
 which said Suffocation and drowning she the said
 Valaythumma then and there instantly died and
 so the Jurors aforesaid upon their Oath aforesaid
 do say that the said Valaythumma in Manner and
 by the Means aforesaid accidentally Casually and by
 Misfortune Came to her death and not otherwise -
 In Witness whereof as well the said Coroner as the
 Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their
 hands and seals on the day year and at the place above
 mentioned -

Signed John Nugent
 Coroner.

25th December 1854
 An Inquisition taken
 in Saint Thome Main
 Road at Royapettah.
 within the limits of Madras
 on view of the body of
 Valaythumma -

Verdict
 Accidental death
 by drowning in a
 Well.

" Philip Bradie Gordon
 Foreman.
 " John Leonard
 " Henry Leonard
 " John Marcar
 " Joseph Gregory Fonseca.
 Thomas Gregory Fonseca

Madras
 to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in
 Vellayah Street at Pussawalkum within the
 Limits - - - - -

of Madras, on the Twenty seventh day of December in
 the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Four
 before me John Nugent - Esquire, Coroner
 of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
 thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Poyner
 then and there lying dead Upon the Bath of Messrs

Claudio Augustus Taylor, Pussawalkum -
 Saravana Pillay, Covelong Soobarayaloo Prados,
 Trichnapolly Soondaram Pillay, Pussawalkum
 Appavoo Moodelly, and Cuthyrvados Parthasarathy Pillay -

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
 then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
 LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Poyner
 came to his Death, do

upon their Oath say, That the said Poyner on the Twenty seventh
 day of the said Month of December in the year aforesaid
 whilst in the act of walking near a Well Situate in
 Vellayah Street at Pussawalkum aforesaid and within
 the local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the Supreme
 Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid - It so happened
 that the said Poyner accidentally Casually and by Misfortune
 fell into the said Well and in the waters thereof was then
 and

and there Suffocated and drowned of which said
Suffocation and drowning he the said Poyner then
and there instantly died. and so the Jurors aforesaid
upon their Oath aforesaid do say that the said
Poyner in Manner and by the Means aforesaid
accidentally Casually and by Misfortune came to
his death and not otherwise. In Witness whereof
as well the said Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid
have to this Inquisition set their hands and
Seals on the day year and at the place above
mentioned.

Signed John Nugent
Coroner

Claudio Augustus Taylor
Foreman

"Pursawalkum Saravana Pillay

"Covelong Soobangaloo Kaidoo

"Trichnapolly Soodrum Pillay

"Pursawalkum Apparao Moodetty

"Cuthaypadoo Parthasarathu Pillay

27th December 1864

An Inquisition taken
in Vellayah Street at
Pursawalkum within
the limits of Madras on
view of the body of Poyner

Verdict

Accidental death
by drowning in a Well.

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, near

the Market in Adyappan Street at the Black
Town

of Madras, on the Twenty seventh day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Four
before me John Nugent Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Sheikh Ali -
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Messrs.

Henry Brown, Lucas D'Royas, -
Lazarus Rondo, Paulum Kristnamachary,
and Sundalum. Venkataswamy Kaidoo.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Sheikh
Ali - came to his Death, do

upon their Oath say, That the said Sheikh Ali on the

Twenty seventh day of the said Month of December

in the year aforesaid near the Market in Ady

appan Street at the Black Town of Madras aforesaid

and within the local limits of the Criminal Juris-

diction of the Supreme Court of Judicature at

Madras aforesaid departed this life by the
Visitation

Visitation of God in a Natural way, but not
from any hurt or injury received from any
person or persons to the knowledge of the
said Jurors. In Witness whereof as well
the said Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid
have to this Inquisition set their hands
and Seals on the day year and at the
place above mentioned.

Signed John Nugent

Coroner.

" Henry Brown

Juror

" Lucas D'Noyano

" Lazarus Rondo

" Pankum Kristnam-cherry

" Tandalam Venkatasawmy Aund

27th December 1854

An Inquisition taken
near the Market in
Audyuppen Street at
Black Town of Madras
on view of the body of
Sheik Ali.

Verdict

Died from Natural
Causes.

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

Arimayuppah Moodelly's Street at Royapettah within
the limits - - - - -

of Madras, on the Twenty Eighth day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Four
before me John Nugent - Esquire, Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Parthasarathie -
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Messrs

Thomas John Lavery, Charles De Le Sang,

Thomas Gregory Fonseca, John Huggens,

Joseph Gregory Fonseca, and Lazarus D'Noyano

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Partha-

Sarathie - - - - - came to his Death, do
upon their Oath say, That the said Parthasarathie on the

Twenty Seventh day of the said Month of December in
the year aforesaid was found drowned and

Suffocated in a Well situate in Arimayuppah
Moodelly's Street at Royapettah aforesaid and

within the local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction
of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras
aforesaid.

Visitation of God in a natural way, but not
from any hurt or injury received from any
person or persons to the knowledge of the
said Jurors. In Witness whereof as well
the said Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid
have to this Inquisition set their hands
and seals on the day year and at the
place above mentioned.

Signed John Nugent

Coroner.

" Henry Brown

Juror.

" Lucas D'Noyano

" Lazarus Rondo

" Pantham Kistnam-cherry

" Pandalam Venkataswamy Hindu

27th December 1864
An Inquisition taken
near the Market in
Aduyuppen Street at
Black Town of Madras
on view of the body of
Sheik Ali.

Verdict
Died from natural
causes.

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for OUR SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in
Ammayappah Moodelly's Street at Royapettah within
the limits - - - - -

of Madras, on the Twenty Eighth day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Four
before me John Nugent - Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Parthasarathie -
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Mefor

Thomas John Loverry, Charles De Le Sang,

Thomas Gregory Fonceca, John Huggens,

Joseph Gregory Fonceca, and Lazarus D'Noyano

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Partha-
sarathie - - - - - came to his Death, do
upon their Oath say, That the said Parthasarathie on the

Twenty Seventh day of the said Month of December in
the year aforesaid was found drowned and

Suffocated in a Well situate in Ammayappah
Moodelly's Street at Royapettah aforesaid and

within the local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction
of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras
aforesaid.

aforesaid that the said Parthasarathie
had no marks of violence appearing on his body
but how or by what means he became drowned
and suffocated no evidence thereof doth appear
to the knowledge of the said Jurors. In
witness whereof as well the said Coroner as
the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
set their hands and seals on the day year and
at the place above mentioned.

Signed John Ingham
Coroner

Thomas John Lavery
Foreman

Charles De Le Tang

Thomas Gregory Fonceca

John Higgins

Joseph Gregory Fonceca

Lazarus De Rose

28th December 1854

An Inquisition taken
in Ammyuppah Moodally
Street at Royapettah
within the limits of
Madras on view of the
body of Parthasarathie
Verdict

Found Drowned in
a Well.

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for OUR SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in
the Samadai Station near Custom House Beach
at the Black Town
of Madras, on the Twenty ninth day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Four
before me John Ingham Esquire, Coroner
of OUR LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Basarah
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Messrs.

Philip Brodie Gordon, Poddawakum Rathi-
nam Moodally, Pulekat Rathanam Chetty,
Nagoor Jagapah Chetty, and Tranquebar
Sabapathie Moodally. - - -

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Basarah
came to his Death, do
upon their Oath say, That the said Basarah on the

Twenty Eighth day of the said Month of December
in the year aforesaid on Board the Ship Balisay
in the Madras Roads on the seas opposite the Sea-
Custom House Beach aforesaid and within the
local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the
Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid
departed.

departed this life by the Visitation of God
in a natural way, but not from any hurt
or injury received from any person or persons
to the knowledge of the said Jurors. In
Witness whereof as well the said Jurors
as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
set their hands and seals on the day year
and at the place above mentioned.

Signed John Ingham
Coroner.

Philip Brodie Gordon
Steward

Poedwahum Ruthnum Moodelly
Pulecut Ruthnum Chetty

Nagoo Yagapah Chetty
Tranquebari Sabapathu Moodelly.

29th December 1854
An Inquisition taken in
the Samadai Station near
Custom House Beach at
the Black Town of Madras
on view of the body of
Basarah.

Verdict
Died from natural
Causes.

Madras
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for OUR SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

Bangaroo Raich's Street at Meersawpettah within
the limits -
of Madras, on the Thirtieth day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Four
before me John Ingham Esquire, Coroner
of OUR LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of a Man Name Unknown
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Me -

Michael Vancal. John D'Rosario,
William Haws. Samuel D'Easter, and
Edward Erskine. - - -

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Man
Name Unknown - - - came to his Death, do
upon their Oath say, That the said Man Name Unknown

on the Twenty Ninth day of the said Month of December
in the Year aforesaid was found drowned and suffocated
in a drain situate in Bangaroo Raich's Street at
Meersawpettah aforesaid and within the local limits
of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court
of Judicature at Madras aforesaid that the said
Man

departed this life by the Visitation of God
in a natural way, but not from any hurt
or injury received from any person or persons
to the knowledge of the Said Jurors. In
Witness whereof as well the Said Crown
as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
Set their hands and seals on the day year
and at the place above mentioned.

Signed John Nugent
Coroner.

Philip Brodie Gordon
Juror.

Paidwarum Rathanum Moodally
Juror.

Pulicat Rathanum Chetty
Juror.

Nagoo Yagapah Chetty
Juror.

Tranquebar Sabapathu Moodally
Juror.

29th December 1854

An Inquisition taken in
the Samadai Station near
Custom House. Beach at
the Black Town of Madras
on view of the body of
Basarah.

Verdict
Died from natural
Causes.

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

Bungaroo Raich's Street at Meersawpettah within
the limits.

of Madras, on the Thirtieth day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Four
before me John Nugent Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of a Man Name Unknown
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Meys.

Michael Vancal, John D'Nezario,

William Haws, Samuel D'Easter, and

Edward Encher. - - -

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Man
Name Unknown - - - came to his Death, do
upon their Oath say, That the Said Man Name Unknown

on the Twenty Ninth day of the Said Month of December
in the Year aforesaid was found drowned and suffocated
in a drain situate in Bungaroo Raich's Street at
Meersawpettah aforesaid and within the local limits
of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court
of Judicature at Madras aforesaid that the Said
Man

Man Name Unknown had no marks of violence
appearing on his body, but how or by what means
he became drowned and suffocated. No evidence
thereof doth appear to the knowledge of the
Said Jurors. In Witness whereof as well
the Said Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid
have to this Inquisition set their hands and
Seals on the day year and at the place above
mentioned -

Signed John Nugent
Coroner.

"Michael Vanceil
Foreman

"John De Rozario

"William Haves

"Samuel Deaster

"Edward Eyker.

30th December 1854

An Inquisition taken
in Bangaroo Kach's street
at Meersewpettah within
the limits of Madras on
view of the body of a Man
Name Unknown

Verdict
Found Drowned
in a drain.

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

Cochran's Canal near the Second bridge North of
the Canal Basin within the limits

of Madras, on the Thirty first day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Four
before me John Nugent Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of a Man Name Unknown
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Messrs

John Henry Bernaldi, Daniel Johnson,
Gilbert De Cunha, William Roff, and
Cotocoori Pickum Balakistna Naidoo -

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Man
Name Unknown - - - came to his Death, do
upon their Oath say, That the Said Man Name Unknown
on the Thirty first day of the Said Month of December
in the year aforesaid was found drowned and
Suffocated in Cochran's Canal near the Second
bridge North of the Canal basin aforesaid and within
the local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the
Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid
that

that the said Man Name Unknown had no
 Marks of violence appearing on his body, but how
 or by what means he became drowned and
 suffocated no evidence thereof doth appear
 to the knowledge of the said Jurors. In
 Witness whereof as well the said Coroner
 as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
 set their hands and seals on the day year
 and at the place above mentioned.

31st December 1854

An Inquisition taken
 in Cochran's Canal near
 the second bridge north
 of the Canal Basin -
 within the limits of
 Madras on view of the
 body of a Man Name
 Unknown -

Verdict
 Found drowned in
 Cochran's Canal.

Signed John Nugent

Coroner.

" John Henry Bernald
 Foreman

" Daniel Johnson

" Elliot DeLunha

" William Ross.

" Cotoorooni Pichum Balakrishna Kaidi

Madras }
 to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

Rattan Shop Street near the Evening Bazar at
 the Black Town

of Madras, on the First — day of January in
 the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
 before me John Nugent — Esquire, Coroner
 of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
 thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of a Man Name Unknown
 then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Meffor.

Vunthavasee Ramasamy Chetty, Soothursemum Pappasamy
 Naidoo, Poothisagayloo Vuntharagalloo Naidoo, Pocala
 Parthasarathie Naidoo, and Pondicherry Narasim-
 maloo Naidoo.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
 then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
 LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Man
 Name Unknown — — — came to his Death, do
 upon their Oath say, That the said Man Name Name Unknown

on the First day of the said Month of January in the
 Year aforesaid was found drowned and suffocated
 in a Well Situate on the Esplanade near the Rattan
 Shop Evening Bazar at Black Town aforesaid and
 within the local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction
 of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras
 aforesaid.

aforesaid that the said Man Name Unknown
 had no marks of violence appearing on his body
 but how, or by what means he became drowned
 and suffocated no evidence thereof doth appear
 to the knowledge of the said Juras. In
 Witness whereof as well the said Coronor as
 the Juras aforesaid have to this Inquisition
 set their hands and seals on the day year
 and at the place above mentioned.

1st January 1855.
 An Inquisition taken
 in Rattan Shop Street near
 the evening Bazar at the
 Black Town of Madras on
 view of the body of a man
 Name Unknown
 Verdict
 Found drowned in a Well

Signed John Nugent
 Coronor.
 "Nanthavase Ramaswamy Chetty
 Thammam.
 "Soothusensum Pappaswamy Naidoo
 "Pooshoogayloo Vuntharagooloo Naidoo
 "Pocala Parthasarathi Naidoo
 "Padichay Narasimmaloo Naidoo

Madras }
 to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in
 the General Hospital at the Black Town —

of Madras, on the First — day of January in
 the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
 before me John Nugent — Esquire, Coroner
 of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
 thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Papa —
 then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Mess^{rs}
 George Rauben Fox Juria, James Wright,
 Joseph Monck, Chettagonge Amackellum
 Moodelly, and Davah Dawaseecomony Naidoo,

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
 then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
 LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Papa
 came to his Death, do
 upon their Oath say, That the said Papa on the Thirtieth
 day of December in the year One thousand Eight
 Hundred and fifty Four was found drowned and
 suffocated in a Well situate near the Flower bazar
 at the Black Town of Madras and within the local
 limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the Supreme
 Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid. That the
 said

Said Papa had no marks of violence appearing
on her body, but how or by what means she
became choked and suffocated no evidence
thereof doth appear to the knowledge of the
Said Jurors. In. Witnesses whereof as well
the Said Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have
to this Inquisition set their hands and seals
on the day year and at the place above
mentioned.

Signed John Nugent
Coroner.

" George Crauden Esq. Juror

" James White Foreman

" Joseph Monck

" Chettagongee Amachellum Juror

" Davah Davasee commony called

1st January 1855 -
An Inquisition taken in
the General Hospital at
the Black Town of Madras
on view of the body of Papa.

Verdict
Found choked in a Well

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, near

the Round Tannah on the Road leading to Triplicane
within the limits - - -

of Madras, on the Second day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
before me John Nugent Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of a Woman Name Unknown
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Messrs -

Philip Brodie Gordon, Lazarus Thompson,

Simon Hendricks, Surgey Hoosain, and

Goolam Dustagheer. - - -

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Woman
Name Unknown - - - came to her Death, do
upon their Oath say, That the said woman Name

Unknown on the Thirty first day of December in
the year of Our Lord One thousand Eight hundred
and fifty four near the Round Tannah on the
Road leading to Triplicane aforesaid and within the
local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the Supreme
Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid departed
this

this life by the Visitation of God in a natural way, but not from any hurt or injury received from any person or persons to the knowledge of the said Jurors. In Witness whereof as well the said Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day year and at the place above mentioned.

2^d January 1855

An Inquisition taken near the Rotund Tannah on the Road leading to Triplicane within the limits of Madras on view of the body a woman name unknown

Verdict
Died from natural Causes

Signed John Nugent

Coroner.

" Philip Brodie Gordon

Townsmen

" Lazarus Thompson

" Simon Hendricks

" Lurfrey Hoopsam

" Goolam Dastagheer

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

Permall Civil Garden at Chancery Column near the Chenga Bazar at the Black Town

of Madras, on the Third day of January in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five before me John Nugent Esquire, Coroner of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Annachellum Moodelly then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Me

John D'Arcy John James, Suppliants
Ramasamy Moodelly, Palrumpankum Perovvannagadam Moodelly, and Ponnayy Mootosamy Moodelly

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Annachellum Moodelly came to his Death, do upon their Oath say, That the said Annachellum

Moodelly on the Third day of the said Month of January in the year aforesaid was found drowned in a Tank

Situate in Permall Civil Garden at Chancery Column

Near the Chenga Bazar at the Black Town of Madras

aforesaid and within the local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction

this life by the Visitation of God in a natural way, but not from any hurt or injury received from any person or persons to the knowledge of the said Jurors. In Witness whereof as well the said Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition Set their hands and seals on the day year and at the place above mentioned.

2^d January 1855
An Inquisition taken
near the Round Tannah
on the Road leading to
Triplicane within the
limits of Madras on view
of the body a woman
name unknown -

Verdict
Died from natural
Causes.

Signed John Nugent
Coroner.
" Philip Brodie Gordon
Freeman
" Lazarus Thompson
" Simon Hendricks
" Lurfrey Hoopsam
" Goolam Dastagheer

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

Pennall Covils Garden at Chancery Column near the Chinga
Bazar at the Black Town - - -

of Madras, on the Third day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
before me John Nugent Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Annachellum Moodelly
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Meys -

John D'Errey John James, Suppliants
Ramasawmy Moodelly, Puhumpankum Perovvan-
sgadam Moodelly, and Ponnayy Mootosawmy Moodelly

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Anna-
chellum Moodelly - - - came to her Death, do
upon their Oath say, That the said Annachellum

Moodelly on the Third day of the said Month of January
in the year aforesaid was found drowned in a Tank
situate in Pennall Covil Garden at Chancery Column

near the Chinga Bazar at the Black Town of Madras
aforesaid and within the local limits of the Criminal

Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Judicature
at Madras aforesaid that the said Amachellum
Moddely had no marks of violence appearing
on his body, but how or by what means he became
drowned and suffocated Providence thereof doth
appear to the knowledge of the said Jurors.

In Witness whereof as well the said
Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this
Inquisition set their hands and seals on the
day year and at the place above mentioned.

3^d January 1855

An Inquisition taken
in Permall Corals Garden
near Chenga Bazar at
the Black Town of
Madras on view of the
body of Amachellum
Moddely.

Verdict
Found drowned
in a Tank.

Signed John Nugent

Coroner
John D. Gray

John James
Juror

Triplicane Ramasamy Moddely

Pulrampallam Perovangadam Moddely

Ponnave Moddely Moddely

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, 111

Moore Street at the Black Town

of Madras, on the Sixth day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
before me John Nugent Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Amath Deen
then and there lying dead and by adjournment at the Coroner's Office Beach
on the Tenth and Eleventh days of the said month of January in the year
aforesaid Upon the Oath of Messrs Thomas Michael Kelly,
Francis Fraser, David William Tomesfield, John Watkins,
John Martine, Joseph David Gaudoin, and Eugene De Monte,

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Amath
Deen came to his Death, do

upon their Oath say, That Neyamuth ally of Madras labourer not
having the fear of God before his eyes but being moved and seduced by the
instigation of the devil and of his malice aforethought contriving and intend-
ing him the said Amath Deen to deprive of his life and him feloniously
to kill and murder on the Fifth day of January in the year aforesaid
with force and arms in Moore Street aforesaid in and upon the said Amath
Deen in the Peace of God and of Our said Lady the Queen then and there
being feloniously wilfully and of his malice aforethought did make an
assault and that the said Neyamuth ally with a certain sharp
instrument made of Iron and Steel of no value which he the said
Neyamuth ally then and there had and held in his right hand him the
said

Said Amath Deen in and upon the left breast of him the said Amath Deen did then and there Strike Stab and penetrate and that the said Niyamath ally by the striking and stabbing aforesaid did then and there give unto him the said Amath Deen in and upon his left breast aforesaid with the Sharp instrument aforesaid one Mortal wound of the length of one inch and of the depth of five inches of which said Mortal wound he the said Amath Deen then and there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their Oath aforesaid do say that the said Niyamath ally him the said Amath Deen in Manner and by the Means aforesaid feloniously wilfully and of his Malice aforethought did kill and Murder against the peace of Our said Lady the Queen Her Crown and Dignity. In Witness whereof as well the said Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the Eleventh day of January in the year aforesaid in the Coroner's office Beach at the Black Town of Madras aforesaid.

(Signed) John Megawhat
Coroner.

Thomas Michael Kelly
Foreman

6th January 1855.
An Inquisition taken in
Moor Street at the Black
Town of Madras on the 6th day of
January 1855 on view of the body
of Amath Deen and by adjourn-
ment at the Coroner's office Beach
on the 10th and 11th days of January
in the year aforesaid.

Francis Fraser
David William Temasfield
John Watkins
John Marting
Joseph David Gandon
Eugene D Monte

Verdict

Wilful Murder against
Niyamath ally touching
the death of Amath Deen

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for OUR SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

Moor Street at the Black Town

of Madras, on the 5th day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
before me John Megawhat Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Moyoo Deen
then and there lying dead and by adjournment at the Coroner's office
Beach on the Tenth and Eleventh days of the said Month of January in the year
aforesaid. Upon the Oath of Messrs Thomas Michael Kelly, Francis
Fraser, David William Temasfield, John Watkins, John Marting,
Joseph David Gandon, and Eugene D Monte.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Moyoo Deen
came to his Death, do

upon their Oath say, That some person or persons to the Jurors
Unknown Not having the fear of God before his her or their eyes but
being moved and seduced by the instigation of the devil on the Fifth
day of the said Month of January in the year aforesaid with
force and arms in Moor Street aforesaid and within the local
Limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of
Judicature at Madras aforesaid in and upon the said Moyoo-
Deen in the Peace of God and of Our said Lady the Queen
then and there being feloniously wilfully and of his her or their
Malice aforethought did make an assault and that the said
person or persons to the Jurors unknown with a certain Sharp
instrument to the Jurors unknown which he she or they in his her

or their right hand then and there had and held him the said
Mogooden in and upon the left breast of him the said Mogooden
then and there feloniously wilfully and of his her or their Malice aforethought
did strike and stab and that the said person or persons to the Jurors
unknown with the Sharp instrument aforesaid by the striking and
stabbing aforesaid did then and there give unto him the said Mogooden
one Mortal wound of the length of one inch and of the depth
of one inch of which said Mortal wound he the said Mogooden
in Moor Street aforesaid of the Mortal wound aforesaid
instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their oath
aforesaid do say that the said person or persons to the Jurors unknown
the said Mogooden in manner and by the means aforesaid feloniously
wilfully and of his her or their Malice aforethought did
kill and Murder against the peace of Our said Lady the Queen
Her Crown and Dignity. In Witness whereof as well the said
Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their
hands and seals at the Coroners Office Beach in the Black Town
of Madras on the Eleventh day of the said Month of January
in the year aforesaid.

Signed John Reginald
Coroner

Thomas Michael Kelly
Foreman

6th January 1855
An Inquisition taken in
Moor Street at the Black
Town of Madras on the 6th day of
January 1855 on view of the
body of Mogooden and by
adjournment at the Coroners
Office Beach on the 10th and 11th
days of January in the year
aforesaid.

Verdict

Wilful Murder against
Some person or persons
unknown touching the
death of Mogooden.

Francis Fraser

David William Temasfield

John Watkins

John Martiney

Joseph David Gaudoin

Euge D Monte

Madras
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for OUR SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

the General Hospital at the Black Town

of Madras, on the Eighth day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
before me John Reginald Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Callemmoolah
then and there lying dead and by adjournment at the Coroners Office Beach
on the Eleventh day of the said Month of January in the year aforesaid
Upon the Oath of Major John McIntyre, James
Trevor, Morton, John Lawrence Chana
William James Beck, James Edwards
James Wylie and Angole Ragavaloo Naick,
good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Callem
Moolah came to his Death, do

upon their Oath say, That the said Callemmoolah on the
Seventh day of the said Month of January in the year
aforesaid was found lying dead in the General Hospital
at the Black Town of Madras aforesaid and within
the local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the
Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid that
the said Callemmoolah had a mortal wound of
the length of one inch and of the depth of four
inches appearing on his right breast between the Seventh
and Eighth ribs Caused during the life of the said
Callemmoolah of which said Mortal wound
he

he the said Calceemmodah died - but how or
by what means he the said Calceemmodah
did receive the mortal wound aforesaid
no evidence thereof doth appear to the
knowledge of the said Jurors. In Witness
whereof as well the said Coroners as the Jurors
aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their
hands and seals at the Coroners office Bench
in the Black Town of Madras on the Eleventh
day of the said Month of January in the year
aforesaid -

Signed John Nugent
Coroner.

John McIntyre
Foreman

James Trevor Morton

John Lawrence O'Hara

William James Beck

James Edwards

James Nyle

Ongole Raghavooloohaich.

8th January 1855.

An Inquisition taken
in the General Hospital
at the Black Town of
Madras on the 11th day of January
1855 on view of the body of
Calceemmodah and by
adjournment at the Coroners
office Bench on the 11th
day of January in the year
aforesaid -

Verdict

Found dead with
certain marks of violence
upon his body caused during
life -

Madras
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

Goondoo Sooboo Pillay's Garden at New Washerman's Pettah
within the limits -

of Madras, on the Eighth - day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
before me John Nugent - Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Venkataswamy
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of M^{rs}

James Collins, W. Venkataswamy Pillay,

P. Bothunda Naicken, P. Mooneswamy
Pillay, and C. Venkatachella Moodelly -

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Venka-
taswamy - came to his Death, do

upon their Oath say, That the said Venkataswamy on the
Eighth day of the said Month of January in the year
aforesaid was found drowned and suffocated in

a Tank Situate in Goondoo Sooboo Pillay's Garden
at New Washerman's Pettah aforesaid and within the

local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the
Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid -

That

had no marks of violence appearing on her body
but how or by what means she became drowned
and suffocated no evidence thereof doth appear
to the knowledge of the said Juras. In
Witness whereof as well the said Coroner
as the Juras aforesaid have to this Inquisition
set their hands and seals on the day year and
at the place above mentioned.

Signed John Arguehart
Coroner.

13th January 1855
An Inquisition taken
near the Elephant
Gate at the Black
Town of Madras on
view of the body of
a woman name
Unknown.

" John Clement D'Silva
Foreman
" Moses Savil
" C. Soondrum Moodally
" P. Armoogum Moodally
" C. Narainsamy Kaidos.

Verdict
Found Drowned
in the Coom River.

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in
the Compound of Condasaamy Pagoda at the Black
Town
of Madras, on the 17th day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
before me John Arguehart Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Condaloo Chetty
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Messrs.
Charles Trutwen, Peter Benjamin Joseph,
George James Cassell, Gilbert D'Souza,
and Robert Holding.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Conda-
loo Chetty came to his Death, do
upon their Oath say, That the said Condaloo Chetty on
the Seventeenth day of the said Month of January
in the year aforesaid was found drowned and suffo-
cated in a Tank Situate in the Compound of
Condasaamy Pagoda at the Black Town of Madras
aforesaid and within the local limits of the Criminal
Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Judicature
at

at Madras aforesaid that the said Condaloo
Chetty had no marks of violence appearing on
his body but how or by what means he became
drowned and suffocated no evidence thereof
doth appear to the knowledge of the said
Jury. In Witness whereof as well the said
Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to
this Inquisition set their hands and seals
on the day year and at the place above
mentioned -

Signed John Meguhart
Coroner.

16th January 1855.
An Inquisition taken
in the Compound of Conda-
sawmy Pagoda at the
Black Town of Madras
on view of the body of
Condaloo Chetty.

Verdict
Found Drowned
and Sunk.

Charles Fritwein
Foreman
Peter Benjamin Joseph
George James Cassell
Gilbert Souza
Robert Holding

Madras
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for OUR SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in
the Commissary General's Office at the Black Town

of Madras, on the Twenty Second day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
before me John Meguhart Esquire, Coroner
of OUR LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Sheik Sooban
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Mepe

John Joseph Fonceca, William Burns,
Edwin Court, George Charles Dailly,
and Gerold Casmo Rodgers -

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Sheik
Sooban - came to his Death, do
upon their Oath say, That the said Sheik Sooban on

the Twenty Second day of the said Month of January
in the year aforesaid in the Commissary General's
Office at the Black Town of Madras aforesaid,
and within the local limits of the Criminal Juris-
diction of the Supreme Court of Judicature at
Madras aforesaid departed this life by the Visitation
of

of God in a natural way, but not from
any hurt or injury received from any person or
persons to the knowledge of the said Juro.

In Witness whereof as well the said
Coroner as the Juro aforesaid have to this
Inquisition set their hands and seals on
the day year and at the place above mentioned.

Signed John Magahart
Coroner.

" John Joseph Francisco
Fireman

" William Burns

" Edwin Court

" George Charles Dailly

" Gerold Cosmo Rogers

22^d January 1855
An Inquisition taken
in the Commissary General's
Office at the Black
Town of Madras on
view of the body of
Sheik Sooban -

Verdict
Died from natural
Causes -

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

Nallunnay Moodelly's Street at Royapettah within
the limits - - - - -

of Madras, on the Twenty Second day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
before me John Magahart Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Parvathee
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Messrs

Thomas Soaris, David Star Benbrough,
White, Thomas Desloyed, T. Annasawmy
Moodelly, and R. Annasawmy Moodelly, -

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Parvathee
came to her Death, do

upon their Oath say, That the said Parvathee on the

Twenty Second day of the said Month of January in
the year aforesaid was found drowned and suffocated
in a Well Situate in Nallunnay Moodelly's Street
at Royapettah aforesaid and within the local
limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the Supreme
Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid that the
said

Said Parvathee had no marks of violence
appearing on her body, but how or by what means
she became drowned and suffocated no
evidence thereof doth appear to the
knowledge of the said Jurors. In Witness
whereof as well the said Coroner as the
Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
set their hands and seals on the day year
and at the place above mention.

Signed John Nugent
Coroner

Thomas Soaris

Foreman

" David Star Benbrough White

" Thomas Desloyed -

" T. Annasammy Moodelly

" R. Annasammy Moodelly.

22nd January 1855.
An Inquisition taken
in Kullumay Moodelly's
Street at Royapettah
within the limits of
Madras on view of
the body of Parvathee
Verdict
Found Drowned.

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for OUR SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in

Seerungapatnam Soobary Moodelly's Street at the
Black Town - - - - -

of Madras, on the Twenty third day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Five
before me John Nugent - - Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places
thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of a woman Name unknown
then and there lying dead Upon the Oath of Me -

Joseph McKerstick, Thomas De Cruz,

John De Achey, C. Ceroorum Moodelly,

and A. Ramakrishna Chetty. - - -

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being
then and there duly sworn, and charged to enquire for Our said
LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said woman
Name unknown - - - came to her Death, do
upon their Oath say, That the said Woman Name

Unknown on the Twenty Second day of the said
Month of January in the year aforesaid was

found lying dead in Embas Iyer House in Seerunga-

patnam Soobary Moodelly's Street at the Black Town

of Madras aforesaid and within the local limits

of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court
of

aforsaid that the said woman name unknown
had no marks of violence appearing on her body,
but how or by what means she became drowned
and suffocated no evidence thereof doth
appear to the knowledge of the said Jurors.

In Witness whereof as well the said
Coroner as the Jurors aforsaid have to this
Inquisition set their hands and seals on the
day year and at the place above mentioned.

Signed John Hughes
Coroner.

26th January 1864
An Inquisition taken
near the Grand East
at the Black Tavern
of Madras in view of
the body of a woman
name unknown

Verdict
Found drowned
in a Well -

- " William Cadell Haylewood
Juror
- " Richard Geils
- " C. Sabapathie Moodelly
- " P. Ruthnum Moodelly
- " A. Sevaroyaloo Chetty.