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Madras to Wit. AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Venkatachella Moodelly's Garden at Pondicherry
pet within the limits

Serial No. 86
General No. 13542

of Madras, on the *thirteenth* day of *July* in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty *Seven*
before me *Robert Slater Mair* *acting* Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereto adjacent,
on view of the Body of *Ayasawmy Moodelly*
then and there lying dead upon the *oaths and solemn affirmations*
of Messrs Albert John James Janson, John La-
zaro, George Albert, Pondicherry & Albion Naik, Pondicherry
pet Narayanaswamy & Radoo, and Pondicherry & Go-
vindarajooloo Naik &

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there *duly*
sworn affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said *Ayasawmy Moodelly*
came to *his* Death, do
upon *their oaths & affirmations* say, that the said *Ayasawmy*
Moodelly on the *thirteenth* day of the said month
of *July* in the year aforesaid whilst in the
act of leaning against a wooden beam in a well
situated in *Apparoo Grammy's* Garden at *Pondicherry*
pet within the local limits of the *General*
Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at

Madras

Madras aforesaid it so happened that the said
 Iyasawmy Moodelly then and there accidentally
 Casually and by misfortune fell from the said wooden
 beam to and against the stone step of the well aforesaid
 by means whereof the said Iyasawmy Moodelly
 then and there received one mortal fracture in and
 upon the head of him the said Iyasawmy Moodelly
 by means of which he the said Iyasawmy Moodelly
 then and there instantly died and so the jurors aforesaid
 upon their Oaths and affirmations aforesaid
 do say that the said Iyasawmy Moodelly 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 Acting Coroner as the jurors aforesaid have
 to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the
 day year and at the place first abovementioned

Signed R. L. Mair
 Acting Coroner

13th July 1867

Verdict

Accidental death by falling
 into a well causing fracture
 of the skull.

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Madras
 to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
 in Loganadoo Moodelly's Garden at Washermanpettah
 within the limits

of Madras, on the fifteenth day of July in
 the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty seven
 before me Robert Mair Esquire, Acting Coroner
 of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
 on view of the Body of Rungama
 then and there lying dead upon the oaths and solemn affir-
 mations of Messrs David Isudasen Bellay, Raja-
 saram Soobaroya Chetty, Sydasaram Soobaroya
 Moodelly, Currongosy Peromarraviamy Moodelly
 and Abraham Pathman Chetty.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there duly
 sworn affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
 when, how, and by what means the said Rungama
 came to her Death, do
 upon their Oaths and affirmations say, that the said Rungama

on the fifteenth day of the said month of July
 in the year aforesaid was found drowned and
 suffocated in a certain well situate in Loganadoo
 Moodelly's Garden at Washermanpettah aforesaid
 and within the local limits of the Criminal
 Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras
 aforesaid that the said Rungama had no marks

of violence appearing on his body but how or by what means the said Pungama became drowned and suffocated no evidence doth appear to the knowledge of the said Jurors In witness whereof as well the said Acting-Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day year and at the place first abovementioned.

Signed / R. J. Mair
Acting Coroner

15th July 1867

Verdict

Found drowned in a well
without mark of violence

23
Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
at the Royapettah Hospital within the limits

of Madras, on the Thirteenth day of July in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Mair Esquire, ^{Acting} Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Goolam Hossain
then and there lying dead and by adjournment at the same place
on the sixteenth day of the same month and year upon the oaths
and solemn affirmations of Mess^{rs} John Francis D'Ros, Ed-
ward Ralph Carville James Johnson, Masulipatam Kristu-
nasawmy, Raider, Cullatoot Pama Linga Moodelly, and
Royapettah Amoozum Moodelly,
good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there duly
sworn affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said Goolam Hossain
came to his Death, do
upon their oaths & affirmations say, that Sunnay of Madras
laboured on the twelfth day of the said month of July
in the year aforesaid in Triplicane High Road
Triplicane and within the local limits of the Crimi-
nal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature
at Madras aforesaid being then and there driving a car-
tain jutha bandy, drawn by one horse It so happened
that the said Goolam Hossain then and there being in the
said road as aforesaid then and there accidentally casually
and

and by misfortune was knocked down by the said horse of the
said jutka bandy, and the right wheel of the said jutka bandy
did go upon and pass over the left side of him the said Goolam
Hossain by means whereof the said Goolam Hossain then
and there received one mortal injury of the left lung of him
the said Goolam Hossain of which said mortal injury the
said Goolam Hossain did die and so the Jurors aforesaid upon
their oaths and affirmations aforesaid do say that the said
Goolam Hossain in manner and by the means aforesaid accident-
ally casually and by misfortune came to his death and not
otherwise and that the said jutka bandy was moving to
the death of the said Goolam Hossain and is of the value of
thirty Rupees of Madras Currency and the property and in the
possession of Abdul Kareem of Mafos Khans Garden at
Black Town In witness whereof as well the said Acting
Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set
their hands and seals on the sixteenth day of July in the
year aforesaid at the Royapettah Hospital aforesaid

Signed / R. V. Mair

Acting Coroner

13th July 1867

Verdict

Accidental death by a jutka
bandy wheel passing over the
body of the deceased

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
at The Royapettah Hospital at Royapettah within
the limits.

of Madras, on the sixteenth day of July in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, ^{acting} Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Moorogen

then and there lying dead upon the oath and solemn affirma-
tions of Messrs John Francis D Rose, Edmund Ralph
Cornille, James Johnson, Masulipatam Kistaru,
Royapettah Manavullam Moodelly, and Cuddapahum
Cothundy Moodelly.

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

came to his Death, do
upon their oaths and affirmations say, that the said Moorogen
on the twenty fifth day of the month of June in
the year aforesaid in Sja Moodelly's Garden at
Kistnapett within the local limits of the Criminal
Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at
Madras aforesaid then and there being alone in a
cook room or apartment in a certain house situate
in Kistnapett aforesaid it so happened that he the
said

said Moorogen was standing then and there by the fire place
he the said Moorogen fell towards the said fire on which was a
certain pot of boiling water that the said Moorogen accidentally
casually and by misfortune was burned by the said pot of
boiling water falling over his body, of which said burning he the
said Moorogen at Kistnapetta aforesaid and also at the
Royapettah Hospital aforesaid did languish and languishing
did live from the said twenty fifth day of June in the year
aforesaid until the fifteenth day of July in the year aforesaid
on which last mentioned day of lockjaw the result of the burn
aforesaid the said Moorogen did die and so the Jurors aforesaid
do say that the said Moorogen in manner and by means aforesaid
accidentally casually and by misfortune came to his death
and not otherwise In witness whereof as well the said
acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
set their hands and seals on the day year and at the place
first above mentioned

(Signed) R. S. Mair
Acting Coroner

16th July 1867

Verdict

Accidental death from lock
jaw the result of Burns with
Boiling water.

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
at the middle gate near the Coorn River in
the Black Town.

of Madras, on the Seventeenth day of July in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Esquire, Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Pungiah

then and there lying dead upon the solemn affirmations
of Messieurs Proor Nathamoone Naidoo, Angaloo
Moosawmy Naidoo, Culpau Rumm Pananjoo-
loo Naidoo, Sathes Vutharajooloo Naidoo, and
Doodoo Gidda Coorasooloo Naidoo.

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

came to his Death, do
upon their affirmations say, that the said Pungiah
on the sixteenth day of the said month of July
in the year aforesaid whilst in the act of washing
himself in a certain River then and there being
called Coorn River at Black Town aforesaid
and within the local limits of the Criminal
Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at

Madras

Madras aforesaid it so happened that the said Rungiah
then and there got out of the depth in the said River accident-
tally Casually and by misfortune and in the waters there
of was then and there suffocated and drowned of which
said suffocation and drowning ~~He~~ the said Rungiah
then and there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid
upon their affirmations aforesaid do say that the said
Rungiah 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 Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid
have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals
on the day year and at the place first abovementioned

Signed R. L. Mair
Acting Coroner

17th July 1867

Verdict

Accidental Death by
Drowning in a River

26
Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Vengadala Gramamei Garden in Solay
Women Covill street at Pussarakum within the limits

of Madras, on the Seventeenth day of July, in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, ^{Acting} Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Seeraramoo Saick
then and there lying dead Upon the Oaths of Messieurs,
Francis Vinson, Chintamance Bonnoosamy Pillay,
Chintamance Pillay, Elias Gracepath, and
Peter Lazarus.

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 Seeraramoo Saick

came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths say, that the said Seeraramoo
Saick on the Seventeenth day of the said month
of July in the year aforesaid whilst in the
act of washing himself in a certain Tank
then and there being in Vengadala Gramamei
Garden at Pussarakum aforesaid and
within the local limits of the Criminal
Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature
at

at Madras aforesaid it so happened that the
said Seervamoo Saick then and there fell in the
said Tank accidentally casually and by misfor-
tune and in the waters thereof was then and there
suffocated and drowned of which said suffocation
and Drowning he the said Seervamoo Saick then
and there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid
upon their Oaths aforesaid do say that the said
Seervamoo Saick 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
acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this
Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day
year and at the place first above mentioned

Signed / R. J. Mair
Acting Coroner

17th July 1867

Verdict

Accidental death by
Drowning in a Tank.

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
at the Mylapoor Big Tank at Mylapoor within
the limits

of Madras, on the Twenty first day of July in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Esquire, ^{acting} Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Saganathen
then and there lying dead upon the solemn Affirmations
of Messrs. Tiripathe Theeneerava moorthie Syengar,
Mylapoor Chuckeravur the Modelly, Mylapoor Moorga-
va Modelly, Pungathoor Soobharoya Modelly, and
Madayanoor Theeneerava Modelly.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there
solemnly affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said Saganathen
came to his Death, do
upon their affirmations say, that the said Saganathen
on the Twentieth day of the said month of July
in the year aforesaid whilst in the act of washing
or bathing in a certain Tank called the Mylapoor
big tank at Mylapoor aforesaid and within
the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction
of the High Court of Judicature at Madras
aforesaid it so happened that the said Saganathen
then

then and there got out of the depth in the said Tank acci-
-dentally casually and by misfortune and in the waters thereof
was then and there suffocated and drowned of which said
suffocation and drowning the said Saganathern then and
there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their
Solemn Affirmations aforesaid do say that the said Sagan-
nathern in manner and by the means aforesaid accident-
ally casually and by misfortune came to his death and
not otherwise In witness whereof as well the said Acting
Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set
their hands and seals on the day year and at the place first
abovementioned

/Signed/ R. G. Mair
Acting Coroner

21st July 1864

Verdict

Accidental Death by
Drowning in a Tank

28
Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Veruppen Street in The Black Town

of Madras, on the *Twenty Third* day of *July* in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty *seven*
before me *Robert Mair* Esquire, ^{acting} Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of *Ummayee*.

then and there lying dead upon the solemn affirmations of
Messrs Teroconum Davasigamany Moodelly,
Mottoopully Pagarooloo Kaidoo, Coopala Saganai
-Kaloo Kaidoo, Tundalum Pamasawmy Moodelly,
and Anjeepauckum Narraiasawmy Kaidoo
good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there
duly affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said *Ummayee*
came to *her* Death, do

upon their affirmations say, that the said *Ummayee*
labouring under grievous disease of the body to wit
cough and pain in the chest and by reason of
the violence of the said disease the said *Umma-*
yee then and there being delirious and out of
her mind on the *Twenty second* day of *July*
in her dwelling house in *Veruppen Street*
at *Black Town* aforesaid and within the Local

limits

limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid into a certain Well there situate then and there did cast and throw herself by means of which said casting and throwing she the said Unmayee in the waters of the said well was then and there suffocated and drowned of which said suffocation and drowning she the said Unmayee then and there instantly died and the Jurors aforesaid upon their affirmations aforesaid to say, that the said Unmayee being delirious and out of her mind as aforesaid in manner and by the means aforesaid did kill herself In witness whereof as well the said Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day year and at the place first abovementioned.

/Signed/ R. L. C. Mair
Acting Coroner.

23^d July 1867

Verdict

2
Suicide by Drowning in a well while in a state of temporary insanity

29
Madras to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in the burning Ground at Choolay within the limits

of Madras, on the Twenty fourth day of July in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven before me Robert Walter Mair Esquire, ^{Acting} Coroner of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Synneammah then and there lying dead Upon the Oath and solemn affirmations of Messieurs Vortanum Davanaiagum Pillay, Gullasum Histnasawmy Naidoo, Sanyore Pungasawmy Saidu, Gulooyee Govindoo Saick, and Coomaleeswarenpettai Narraunasawmy Saick.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there duly sworn affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Synneammah came to her Death, do upon their Oath & affirmation say, that the said Synneammah labouring under grievous disease of the body to wit Rheumatism and by reason of the violence of the said disease the said Synneammah then and there being delirious and out of her mind on the twenty second day of July in the burning Ground at Choolay aforesaid and within the local limits of the

the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature
at Madras aforesaid into a certain well there situate then
and there did cast and throw herself by means of which
said casting and throwing she the said Syneammah in
the waters of the said well was then and there suffocated
and drowned of which said suffocation and drowning she
the said Syneammah then and there instantly died
and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their oath and affirmation
aforesaid do say that the said Syneammah being delirious
and out of her mind as aforesaid in manner and by the means
aforesaid did kill herself. In witness whereof as well the
said Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this
Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day year and
at the place first above mentioned.

Signed / R. J. Mair
Acting Coroner

24th July 1867.

Verdict

}{
Suicide by Drowning in a
well while in a state
of temporary Insanity

Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Varaswamy Saider's garden at Chetput within
the limits

of Madras, on the Twenty Sixth day of July in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Esquire, ^{Acting} Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Annachellum Saicker
then and there lying dead upon the Oath and solemn affirma-
tions of Messrs. Nathoor Varaswamy Saider, &
Circum Vator Moodelly, Eddamony Jagannathum,
Murry Chetty Vengadapathy Saider and Issudasen
Christian Martin.

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

Saicker on the twenty sixth day of the said month
of July in the year aforesaid whilst in the act of
drawing water in a certain well situate in Varaswamy
Saider's garden at Chetput aforesaid and within
the local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of
the High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid

At

It happened that the said Annachellum Saicker then and there
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 he the said Annachellum
Saicker then and there instantly died and as the Jurors
aforesaid upon their oath and affirmations aforesaid do say
that the said Annachellum Saicker in manner and by
the means aforesaid came to his death and not otherwise
In witness whereof as well the said acting Coroner as the
Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands
and seal on the day year and at the place first above mentioned

/Signed/ R. S. Maist
Acting Coroner

26th July 1867.

Verdict

Accidental Death by Drowning
in a well.

31
Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in the Madras Penitentiary at Paremmettoo within
the limits.

of Madras, on the Twenty eighth day of July in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Maister Maist Esquire, acting Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Syasawmy
then and there lying dead Upon the Oaths and solemn affir-
-mations of Messrs Alexander Edward Claudius,
Coralum Ganapathy Moodelly, Eolla Ramangooloo
Saideoo, Madavakum Sagarum Moodelly, and
Apparao Masclamany Pillay
good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there duly
Sworn affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said Syasawmy
came to his Death, do

upon their Oaths & affirmation say, that the said Syasawmy
on the Twenty eighth day of the said month of July
in the year aforesaid in the Penitentiary at Pare-
-mettoo and within the Local limits of the Cri-
-minal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judi-
-cature at Madras aforesaid departed this life
by the visitation of God in a natural way to wit from
extravacation

extravacation of Blood in the Brain 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 Acting Coroners as the Jurors aforesaid
have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the
day year and at the place first abovementioned.

(Signed) R. S. Mair

Acting Coroners

28th July 1867.

Verdict

Died from Natural Causes
to wit from Extravacation
of Blood in the Brain

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,

in Parthasarathie Pagoda Compound near
South beach Road within the Limits.

of Madras, on the Third day of August in

the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven

before me Robert Mair Esquire, acting
Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,

on view of the Body of Vencataroyaloo

then and there lying dead Upon the Solemn Affirmations of

Messrs Wangarasee Ramakishtrac Naiddoo, Custones

Pungasawmy Naiddoo, Theeroovate overanpetta Tha-

-myachalum Moodelly, Pagarow Mullhanceray, and

Triplixane Kishtrasaumy Moodelly.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there

Solemnly Affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,

when, how, and by what means the said Vencataroyaloo

came to his Death, do

upon their Affirmations say, that the said Vencataroya-

-loo on the Second of the said Month of August

in the year aforesaid whilst in the act of walking

near a certain nullul situate on the South beach

road side at Triplicane aforesaid and within the

Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the

High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid. It

so happened that the said Vencataroyaloo then and

there

there accidentally casually and by misfortune fell into
the said nullah and in the water thereof was then and
there suffocated and drowned of which said suffocation
and drowning he the said Venkataroyalor then and there
instantly died and so the jurors aforesaid upon their
affirmations aforesaid do say that the said Venkataroyalor
-loo in manner and by the means aforesaid came to his
death and not otherwise In witness whereof as well the said
Acting Coroner as the jurors aforesaid have to this Inqui-
sition set their hands and seal on the day year and at the
place first above mentioned.

Signed/ R. S. Mair
Acting Coroner

3^d August 1867
Verdict
Accidental Death by Drowning
in a Nullah

^{Madras}
^{to Wit.} } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Kelava Chetty Street at Chintadrepettah
within the limits

of Madras, on the *Fifteenth* day of *August* in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty *Seven*
before me *Robert Slater Mair* Esquire, ^{acting} Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of *James Perry*
then and there lying dead upon the Oaths of Messieurs
Daniel Hendricks, Walter Mathews, Thomas
Colman, John Shortt, Abraham Cooper, and
Henry Thomas Thistlewhite.

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 *James Perry*
came to *his* Death, do
upon *their Oaths* say, that the said *James*
Perry on the *fourteenth* day of the said month
of *August* in the year aforesaid in *Kelava*
Chetty Street at *Chintadrepettah* aforesaid
and within the Local limits of the Criminal
Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature
at

at Madras aforesaid departed this life by the visitation
of God in a natural way to wit from aneurism of the
Aorta 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 Acting
Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this inquir-
-ition set their hands and seals on the day year and
at the place first above mentioned.

(Signed) P. J. Mait
Acting Coroner

15th August 1867.

Verdict

Died from natural causes
to wit from Aneurism of
the Aorta

3.
Madras to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Armenian Street in the Black Town

of Madras, on the Sixteenth day of August in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Water Mait Esquire, ^{acting} Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Cundapah Naick

then and there lying dead upon the Oaths of Messieurs
Thomas Theophilus Jones, Charles D'Pozario,
Adolphus Chatelier, Thomas Gregory Honceca,
and Joseph Charles D'Cunha

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 Cundapah Naick

came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths say, that the said Cundapah
Naick on the sixteenth day of the said
month of August in the year aforesaid whilst
in the act of cleaning a certain well situate
in Parthasarthy Chetty's Stable at Armenian
Street aforesaid and within the local limits
of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court
of Judicature at Madras aforesaid it so happened
that

that the said Gundapak Naick then and there acci-
dentally 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 he the said Gundapak Naick then
and there instantly died and so the Jurors afore-
said upon their Oaths aforesaid do say that the
said Gundapak Naick in manner and by
the means aforesaid came to his death and not
otherwise In witness whereof as well the said
Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to
this Inquisition set their hands and seals
on the day year and at the place first above
mentioned

Signed / R. H. Maist
Acting Coroner.

16th August 1864.

Verdict

Accidental Death by
Drowning in a well

Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in the Penitentiary at Peramettoo within the
limits

of Madras, on the Twenty Fourth day of August in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Water Maist Esquire, Acting
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Reddi Ramad oo.

then and there lying dead upon the Oath and solemn affirmation
of Messieurs Jeremiah Lavocat, Cozum Sagana dum
Naid oo, Villapoodam Coopooosamy Moodelly, Pondicherry
Parthasarathy Said oo, and Vespempad oo Venkata-
chella Said oo

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

came to his Death, do

upon their Oath & affirmation say, that the said Reddi
Ramad oo on the Twenty fourth day of the said
month of August in the year aforesaid in the
Penitentiary at Peramettoo aforesaid and
within the Local limits of the Criminal Ju-
isdiction of the High Court of Judicature at
Madras aforesaid departed this life by the visi-
tation of God in a natural way to wit from
Pulmonary

Pulmonary Consumption 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 Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day year and at the place first above mentioned.

/ Signed / R. S. Maist

As Coroner

24th August 1867.

Verdict

Quod from Natural Causes
to wit from Pulmonary
Consumption

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for OUR SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in the Madras Native Infirmary within
the limits

of Madras, on the Twenty fifth day of August in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven

before me Robert Maist Esquire, Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,

on view of the Body of Ramasawmy

then and there lying dead upon the Oath of Messieurs
Basil Vancosted, D. Roza, Joseph Anthony,
Sero, Lazarro Mathews, Henry Frank, Gilbert
Dunkha, and Richard Dylva.

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 Ramasawmy

came to his Death, do

upon their Oath say, that the said Rama-

sawmy on the Twenty fourth day of August

in the year aforesaid at the Seven Wells in

the Black Town of Madras being upon a

certain picotah at the Seven Wells aforesaid

it so happened that accidentally casually and

by misfortune he the said Ramasawmy then

and there fell from the said Picotah to and

against

against the ground by means whereof the said Ramasawmy then and there accidentally casually and by misfortune received mortal injuries of which said mortal injuries the said Ramasawmy then and there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their Oaths aforesaid do say that the said Ramasawmy 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 Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day year and at the place first above mentioned

(Signed) R. S. Mair
Acting Coroner

25th August 1867

Verdict

Accidental Death by
falling from a Pootah

6
Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
at the side of De Mellow's Road at Choolay
within the limits

of Madras, on the First day of September in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Narainsawmy
then and there lying dead upon the solemn affirmations of
Messieurs Perumazesay Perumalay Moodelly,
Simhadree Puthmasawmy Naik, Panjore Ramachun-
dra Row, Coralum Soobarayaloo Naik, Gotapatee Ramas-
jee Naik, and Brinavettapalayam Narainsawmy Chetty
good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there
solemnly affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said Narainsawmy
came to his Death, do

upon their solemn affirmation say, that the said Narain-
sawmy on the Thirty first day of the month of
August in the year aforesaid whilst in the act
of bathing in a certain Ditch situate in the Curia
Ground Compound at Choolay aforesaid
and within the Local limits of the Criminal
Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature
at Madras aforesaid It so happened that
the

the said Narrainsawmy then and there got out
of the ditch in the said ditch accidentally casually
and by misfortune and in the waters thereof was
then and there suffocated and drowned of which
said suffocation and drowning the said Narrainsawmy
then and there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid
said upon their solemn affirmations aforesaid
say that the said Narrainsawmy in manner and
by the means aforesaid accidentally casually and
by misfortune came to death and not otherwise
witness whereof as well the said Esq. Coroner as the Jurors
aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and
seals on the day year and at the place first above
mentioned.

/Signed/ R. S. Mair
Acting Coroner

1st September 1867. }
Verdict }
Accidental Death by }
Drowning in a Ditch }
Water }

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Barber's Bridge Road at Kishlampet
within the limits.

of Madras, on the Second day of September in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Hamed Hoosain Khan Bahadood
then and there lying dead upon the Oaths and solemn affir-
mations of Messieurs Anthony Richard Low,
Mylapoor Parthasarathy Naick, Mylapoor Ven-
yaga Naick, Thomas Henry Fonseca, Simon Henriels,
and Vathamoottoo Gamalliel.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there duly
sworn affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said Hamed Hoosain Khan
Bahadood came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths & affirmations say, that the said Hoosain
Khan Bahadood on the first day of the said

month of September in the year aforesaid in
Barber's Bridge Road at his house at Kish-
lampet aforesaid and within the Local limits
of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court
of Judicature at Madras aforesaid died
from

from the effects of certain mortal injuries to the head but how or by what means the said injuries were produced no evidence thereof doth appear to the knowledge of the said Jurors In witness whereof as well the said Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day year and at the place first above mentioned

Signed R. S. Mair
Acting Coroner

2 September 1867.

Verdict

Died from Compression of the Brain from external injuries on the head how or by what means Caused there is no evidence to show

8
Madras to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, at the Madras Club at Royapettah within the limits.

of Madras, on the Sixth day of September in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven before me Robert Mair Mair Esquire, Coroner of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Sarathie.

then and there lying dead upon the Oaths of Messieurs John Rodrigues. William De Brafs Gregory D Monte Thomas William Arthur Edwards and William Highland.

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 Sarathie

came to his Death, do upon their Oaths say, that the said Sarathie on the fifth day of the said month of September in the year aforesaid in the Madras Club at Royapettah and within the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid departed this life by the visitation of God in a natural way to wit from inflammation of the Lungs but not from any hurt or injury received from any person

person or persons to the knowledge of the said Jurors
In witness whereof as well the said Acting Coroner
as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set
their hands and seals on the day year and at the
place first above mentioned

Signed / R. S. Mair
Acting Coroner

6th September 1866

Verdict

Dead from Natural Causes
to wit from inflammation
of the Lungs.

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,

in the Munggar Choultry at Washerman's
Pettah within the limits

of Madras, on the Thirtieth day of September in

the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven

before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,

on view of the Body of Cathoovaryen

then and there lying dead upon the Oaths and affirmation

of Messrs William Lazarus Goodman, Charles
Joseph Abree, William Sanctus, Karaca A Choo-

-keasawmy Pillay, and Toommo Narainsawmy
Naidoo

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there

sworn affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,

when, how, and by what means the said Cathoovaryen

came to his Death, do

upon Oaths & affirmations say, that the said Cathoovaryen

on the ninth day of the said month

of September in the year aforesaid at the beach

Black Town within the Local limits of

the Criminal Jurisdiction of the the High

Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid,

being then and there carrying a bale of thread

Also happened that the said bale of thread then

and there accidentally casually and by misfortune

thrust

Struck on the right side of the said Cathoovaryen
by reason whereof the said Cathoovaryen then and there
did receive one mortal fracture of the pelvis of which said
mortal injury aforesaid the said Cathoovaryen from
the said ninth day of September in the year aforesaid
until the thirtieth day of the month of September
in the same year at Washerman's petta and also in
the ellonygar Choultry did languish and lan-
guishing did live on which last mentioned day
in the year aforesaid of the mortal injury aforesaid
in the ellonygar Choultry aforesaid the said Cathoovaryen
did die and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their oaths
and affirmations aforesaid do say that the said Cathoovaryen
died in manner and by the means aforesaid acciden-
tally Casually and by misfortune came to his death
and not otherwise. In witness whereof as well the
said acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to
this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day
year and at the place first above mentioned

Signed R. S. Mair
Esq. Coroner.

13th September 1867.
Verdict
Accidental Death caused
by the falling of a bale of
thread on the deceased

10
Madras
to Wit.) AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in St. Thomas Gate Street at Fort Saint
George within the limits.
of Madras, on the Twentieth day of September in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Mair 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 oaths and solemn affirmations
of Messrs James Morton, Edmond Daily, Twigg, Do-
aniel Scott Colurson Thomas Barrett, Adla Ram-
jooloo Naidoo, and Colly Chella Pillay.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there duly
sworn affirmed 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 oaths & affirmations say, that the said man name
unknown on the twentieth day of the said month
of September in the year aforesaid was found
drowned and suffocated in a certain trench situate
in the new Park attached to the Arsenal at Fort
Saint George aforesaid and within the Local
limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High
Court of Judicature, at Madras aforesaid that the
Said

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

Signed / R. S. Mair
As Coroner.

20th September 1867.

Verdict

Found Drowned in a Tank
without marks of violence

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

of Madras, on the Twenty fourth day of September in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Stater Mair Esquire^{as} Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Gundasawmy
then and there lying dead upon the Caths of Messieurs Madras
Michael, Edwin Court, Lazarus Lindo, Samuel
Flicker and Daniel Adolphus Scott.

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 Gundasawmy
came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths say, that the said Gundasawmy
on the Twenty third day of the said month of September
in the year aforesaid whilst in the act of washing in a
certain Tank situate in Jagambam Eswaren Tank
at Black Town aforesaid and within the Local
limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court
of Judicature at Madras aforesaid It so happened
that

that the said Cundasawmy then and there got out
of the depth in the said Tank accidentally casually and
by misfortune in the waters thereof was then and there suffo-
cated and drowned of which said suffocation and drowning
the said Cundasawmy then and there instantly died
and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their Oaths aforesaid do say
that the said Cundasawmy 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 Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this
Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day year and
at the place first above mentioned.

1 Signed P. S. Mair
Acting Coroner.

24th September 1867
Verdict
Accidental death by drowning
in a Tank.

12
Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Permall Coril Compound at Chintadrepettah
within the limits
of Madras, on the Twenty fifth day of September in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Cooper
then and there lying dead upon the Oaths and solemn affirmations
of Messrs. Joel Schannes, Alexander Anthony,
Guibert, Michael Rodrigues, Madar Kan, and
Chintadrepettah Rajagopal Pillay.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there
sworn affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said Cooper
came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths and affirmations say, that the said Cooper on the
Twenty fourth day of the said month of September in
the year aforesaid whilst in the act of washing himself
in a certain tank situate in Permall Pagoda Compound
at Chintadrepettah aforesaid and within the Local
limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court
of Judicature at Madras aforesaid It so happened
that

that the said Cooper then and there accidentally casually
and by misfortune fell into the said tank and in the water
thereof was then and there suffocated and drowned of which
said suffocation and drowning he the said Cooper then
and there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid upon
their Oaths and affirmations aforesaid do say that the
said Cooper in manner and by the means aforesaid
came to his death and not otherwise In witness whereof
as well the said Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid
have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on
the day year and at the place first above mentioned.

[Signed] P. S. Mair
Esq. Coroner

25th September 1864. }
Verdict }
Accidental death by }
Drowning in a tank }

12.
Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Perembore Barracks Compound within the
Limits.

of Madras, on the Eleventh day of September in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Esquire Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Pydaya
then and there lying dead and by adjournment at the Doreton
College on the Twenty fifth and Thirtieth day of the same
month Year upon the Oaths and affirmations of Messieurs
George William Michael Taylor, George Alfred Regel, Andrew
Augustine, Philip Nathaniel Leell, Syacummas Cummo-
-Sawmy Pillay, Comaleswery Tholasinga Naicker, and
Paul Salvanatha Pillay.
good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there
Sworn Affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said Pydaya

came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths & affirmations say, that the said Pydaya on
the tenth day of the month of September in the
year aforesaid in Perembore Barracks at Perembore
aforesaid and within the Local Limits of the
Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judi-
-cature at Madras aforesaid died from Sanguine-
-ous Apoplexy but how or by what means the
said Sanguineous Apoplexy was caused no evi-
-dence thereof doth appear to the knowledge of the
Said

Said Jurors I'm witnesses whereof as well the said Acting
Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set
their hands and seals on the Thirtieth day of September in
the year aforesaid at the Donetown College at Veperay
aforesaid.

Signed P. S. Mair
Acting Coroner

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
at the Rope Godown Parakerry Royapooram
within the limits.

of Madras, on the Thirtieth day of September, in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Cooppew
then and there lying dead upon the Oaths and solemn affirma-
-tions of Messieurs Mathew Lindale, Edwards &
MacFarlane, Peter George Clump, Melnungalum
Dorasawmy Saidu, Ceengal Chetty Chyaloo Saidu.

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

came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths affirmations say, that the said Cooppew
on the Thirtieth day of the said month of Septem-
ber in the year aforesaid whilst in the act of playing
near a certain pond situated in Rope Godown Parakerry
at Royapooram aforesaid and within the Local
limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court
of Judicature at Madras aforesaid It so happened
that the said Cooppew then and there accidentally
Casually

11th September 1867

Verdict

Died from Sanguineous
apoplexy how or by what
means caused, there is no
evidence to show.

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brow

Casually and by misfortune fell into the said pond and
in the waters thereof was there and there suffocated and
drowned of which said suffocation and drowning by the
said Cooper then and there instantly died and so the
Jurors aforesaid upon their Oaths and affirmations
aforesaid do say that the said Cooper in manner and
by the means aforesaid came to his death and not
otherwise. In witness whereof as well the said Acting
Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
set their hands and seals on the day year and at the place
first above mentioned.

/Signed/ R. S. Mair
Acting Coroner.

30th September 1867.

Verdict

Accidental death by drowning
in a Pond.

15
Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Athemarrayan Street in the Black Town.

of Madras, on the Nineteenth day of October in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Abram Sail

then and there lying dead upon the Oaths and solemn affir-
-mations of Messrs. Francis Reynier Pantlemon,
George Abreu, Kadapa Ramakrishna Pillay,
Ginkala Venkataswamy Naidoo, Manabalan Venkata-
-ramanujosloo Naidoo, and Cheleput Ramaswamy
Moodelliairs.

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

upon their Oaths & affirmations say, that the said Abram Sail
on the Nineteenth day of the said month of October
in the year aforesaid in Athemarrayan Street
at the Black Town of Madras and within
the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction
of the High Court of Judicature at Madras,
aforesaid departed this life by the visitation
of God in a natural way to wit from

Ulceration

ulceration of the lungs intestine 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 Esquire as the Jurors aforesaid
have to this Inquisition set their hands and Seals on
the day year and at the place first above mentioned

Signed R. S. Mad
Esq. Coroner,

19th October 1867

Verdict

Died from Natural Causes

to wit from Ulceration of
the lungs intestine

16
Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in the Munggar Choultry at Washerman's pettah
within the limits

of Madras, on the Twenty Second day of October in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Stater, Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Comarappa Achary
then and there lying dead upon the Oath and solemn affirmation
of Messieurs Nullamungalum Dorasawmy Naidoo,
William Sanctes, Edward Clark Mitchell, Seros-
-masee Singaravaloo Moodelly, Sivareerooy
Kellavanderasawmy Moodelly and Angeloo
Adolphus Nicholas.

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 Comarappa Achary
came to his Death, do

upon their Oath ^{and} affirm ^{say}, that Comarappa Achary on the
Twenty first day of October in the year aforesaid at
the main Road in new Washerman's pettah and within
in the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction
of the High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid
being there and there riding a certain horse it so
happened that the said Comarappa Achary then
and there on the said Road came in contact with
the head of the said horse by means whereof the said
Comarappa Achary then and there received a mortal
fracture of the skull of him the said Comarappa
Achary.

Achary of which said mortal fracture the said Comarappa Achary
 from the said Twenty first day of the said month of October
 in the year aforesaid until the Twenty second day of October
 in the year aforesaid at New Washerman's Petta aforesaid
 and also at the Morygar Choultry aforesaid did languish
 and languishing did live on which said last mentioned
 day in the year aforesaid the said Comarappa Achary
 of the mortal fracture aforesaid at the Morygar Choultry
 aforesaid did die and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their
 Oaths and affirmations aforesaid do say that the said
 Comarappa Achary accidentally, casually and by misfortune
 in manner and by the means aforesaid, came to his death
 and not otherwise. The witnesses whereof as well the said
 Esq. Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
 set their hands and Seals on the day year and at the
 place first above mentioned.

Signed R. S. Mait
 Acting Coroner.

22nd October 1864.

Verdict.

Accidental death to wit
 from fracture of the skull.

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

in Ubbaya Naidoo's Garden at Tondoyar Petta
 within the limits.

of Madras, on the Twenty seventh day of October, in
 the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
 before me Robert Slater Mait Esquire, Coroner
 of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
 on view of the Body of Ramalingum
 then and there lying dead upon the Oath and so solemn affirmar-
 -tion of Messrs. Thomas Teater Rodriguez, Mullar-
 -see Parthavarathee Naidoo, Paravanthos Venkatasubra-
 -hmanyar, Sureshutter Rajum Naidoo, and Tondoyar
 Petta Vytheelingum Pandarum.

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

upon their Oaths and affirmations say that the said Ramalingum
 on the Twenty sixth day of the said month of
 October in the year aforesaid in Ubbaya Naidoo's
 Garden at Tondoyar Petta and within the
 Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of
 the High Court of Judicature at Madras
 aforesaid while then and there climbing a certain
 Coconut tree it so happened that the said
 Ramalingum then and there fell to and against
 the

the ground by means whereof he the said Ramalingum did then and there accidentally casually and by misfortune received a mortal Concussion of the brain or of which said mortal Concussion the said Ramalingum then and there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their Oath and affirmations aforesaid do say that the said Ramalingum 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 Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and Seals on the day year and at the place first above mentioned.

/Signed/ R. S. Mair
Esq. Coroner

27th October 1867

Verdict

Accidental death by
falling from a Cocoa
nut tree

18
Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in the Madras Penitentiary at Peremmettoo
within the limits
of Madras, on the Twenty Ninth day of October in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Kali Nairkolaya
then and there lying dead upon the Oaths and solemn affirmations
of Messrs Francis Oliver, Joseph Nathaniel Dawson
Golapunjary Vutharaja Moodelly, Neelum Syaloo
Naidoo, Cavelong David, and Beejaetty Ramangjooloo
Naidoo.
good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there
sworn affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said Kali Nairkolaya
came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths and affirmations say, that the said Kali
Nairkolaya on the Twenty ninth day of the said
month of October in the year aforesaid in the
Madras Penitentiary at Peremmettoo aforesaid
and within the Local limits of the Criminal Ju-
risdiction of the High Court of Judicature at
Madras aforesaid departed this life by the visi-
tation of God in a natural way to wit from diarrhoea
but

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 J^y Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day year and at the place first above mentioned.

Signed / R. S. Mair
As Coroner

29th October 1867

Verdict

Died from Natural Cause
to wit from Dysentery

19
Madras
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in the General Hospital in the Black Town.

of Madras, on the Twenty Eighth day of October in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Joseph Fowler

then and there lying dead and by adjournment at Port Saint
George on the Twenty ninth day of the same month and
year upon the Oaths of Messrs James Duncan King,
William Walsh, Joseph Anthony Le Fleur, Samuel
Halmes, Pondicherry Doraswamy Aidoor and Thomas
Anthony Lazaro.

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 Joseph Fowler

came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths say, that the said Joseph

Fowler on the Twenty ninth day of the said month
of October in the year aforesaid in the Barracks square
of H. M. 60th Rifles at Port Saint George afore-
-said and within the Local limits of the Cri-
-minal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Chedi-
-cature at Madras aforesaid died from fracture
of the skull but how or by what means the said
fracture of the skull was caused no evidence

thereof

thereof doth appear to the knowledge of the said Jurors. In witness whereof as well the said Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the Twentieth day of the same month and year at Fort Saint George within the limits of Madras aforesaid.

Signed / R. A. Mair
Esq. Coroner

28th October 1867
Verdict
Died from fracture of the skull how or by what means caused there is not sufficient evidence to show —

^{Madras to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN, in Fullon Lane Street at Mylapoor within the limits

of Madras, on the Thirtieth day of October in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven before me Robert Stater Mair Esquire, Coroner of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Kethyananthum then and there lying dead upon the solemn affirmations of Messieurs Mylapoor Seveganum Moodelly, Mylapoor Puttaram Moodelly, Mylapoor Dawmy-nathan Moodelly, Mylapoor Vathazerry Moodelly, Mylapoor Namasevoya Moodelly, and Mylapoor Moorgasen Moodelly, good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there duly affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN, when, how, and by what means the said Kethyananthum came to his Death, do

upon their affirmations say, that the said Kethyananthum on the Thirtieth day of the said month of October in the year aforesaid in Jumboligum Moodelly's house at Mylapoor and within the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid whilst walking at the entrance of the said Jumboligum's House then and there being was bitten a certain Shark by means of which the said Kethyananthum received one mortal wound of which said mortal wound he

He the said Kethyananthum then and there instantly
did and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their affirmations
aforesaid do say that the said Kethyananthum in man-
ner and by the means aforesaid came to his death and
not otherwise. In witness whereof as well the said sitting
Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
set their hands and seals on the day year and at
the place first above mentioned.

/ Signed / R. S. Mair
Esq. Coroner

30th October 1867.

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Did from Snake Bite.

Madras
to Wit.) AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Unnapillay Street in Black Town.

of Madras, on the Third day of November in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Raghee

then and there lying dead Upon the solemn affirmations of
Messieurs Vapumbadoo Valoo Moodelly, Pareepalayam
Gundasawmy Moodelly, Mylapoot Singaravaloo Moodelly,
Mylapoot Uroonachalum Moodelly, Mylapoot Rama-
sawmy Moodelly, and Mylapoot Goroosawmy Moodelly,

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

upon their affirmations say, that the said Raghee on
the third day of the said month of November
in the year aforesaid in a street Pyall in
Unnapillay Street in Black Town and within
the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction

of the High Court of Madras, at Madras, do
said departed this life by the visitation of God
in a natural way to wit from Pulmonary Consump-
tion but not from any hurt or injury received
from

from any person or persons to the knowledge of the
said Jurors. In witness whereof as well the said
Acting Coroners as the Jurors aforesaid have to
this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the
day year and at the place first above mentioned

(Signed) R. S. Mair
Esquire, Coroner

3rd November 1867.

Verdict

Died from Natural Causes
to wit from Pulmonary
Consumption

2
Madras to Wit.) AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Veerabudra Butten's Garden at New Washermen
Petta Road within the limits

of Madras, on the Fifth day of November in

the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven

before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,

on view of the Body of Chinnammall.

then and there lying dead upon the Oaths and solemn affir-

mations of Messrs George Peter Clapp, Wotheedoo

Nyneappa Moodelly, Parappalayam Moonosawmy

Moodelly, Cutherafoot Arnaagerry moodelly, and

Washermanpettah Govindoo Moodelly.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there

Sworn. Affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,

when, how, and by what means the said Chinnammall came to her Death, do

upon their Oaths affirmations say, that the said Chinnammall

on the fourth day of the said month of November

in the year aforesaid whilst in the act of con-

playing at a certain Tank situate in Veerabudra

Butten's Garden at New Washermen Petta afores-

aid and within the Local limits of the Cri-

minal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Ju-

dicature at Madras aforesaid It so happened

that

that the said Chinnummall then and there accidentally
Casually and by misfortune fell into the said
Tank and in the waters thereof was then and there
suffocated and drowned of which said suffocation
and drowning she the said Chinnummall then and
there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid upon
their Oath and affirmations aforesaid do say that
the said Chinnummall in manner and by the
means aforesaid came to her death and not otherwise
In witness whereof as well the said Acting Coroner
as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
set their hands and seals on the day year and
at the place first above mentioned

Signed R. S. Mair
Esq. Coroner

5th November 1864. }
Verdict }
accidental death by }
drowning in a Tank }

Madras } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
to Wit. } in Mr. Kay's Garden Parahary at Nungumpack
within the limits

of Madras, on the 5th day of November in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Stater Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Anoomunthen
then and there lying dead upon the Oaths & solemn affirmations
of Messieurs. John George Aaron, Tanampetil Govindoo
Pillay, Samuel Dorasawmy Pillay, Daniel Chockawmy
Pillay, Timothy Thavasia Pillay, and Cuthera Kum
Nurana Pillay.

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

upon their Oaths & affirmations say, that the said Anoomunthen
on the fourth day of November in the year aforesaid
at Mr. Arthur's Garden at Nungumpack within the
Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the
High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid be-
-ing then and there lying down it so happened that
a certain horse then and there being in the said Garden
then and there struck the said Anoomunthen with
one of his hind feet on the left side of him the said
Anoomunthen by means whereof the said Anoomunthen
then and there accidentally casually and by misfortune
received

received mortal fracture of the Ribs of the said Anomun-
= then of which said mortal fractures the said Anomun-
= then from the said Fourth day of the said month of
November in the year aforesaid until the Sixth day of
the said month of November in the year aforesaid
in Mr. Arthur's Compound aforesaid and also in his
dwelling house did languish and languishing did live
on which said last mentioned day at his dwelling house
aforesaid the said Anomun then of the mortal fract-
= tures aforesaid did die and so the Jurors afores-
= said upon their Oaths and affirmations aforesaid
do say that the said Anomun then accidentally
Casually and by misfortune in manner and by the
means aforesaid came to his death and not
otherwise and that the said horse was moving to the
death of the said Anomun then and is of the value
of Rupees Fifty and is the property and in the
possession of Colonel Mr. Govin of Madras aforesaid
On witness whereof as well the said Acting Coroner
as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set
their hands and seals on the day year and at the
place first above mentioned.

Signed of R. S. Chari
Esq. Coroner

6th November 1864. }
Verdict }
Accidental death from }
Fracture of the Ribs }
Caused by a kick of a }
horse }
}

Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Davaraya Moodelly's Street in the Black
Town

of Madras, on the Fifteenth day of November in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Pamasawmy
then and there lying dead upon the solemn affirmations of
Messieurs Nanyaneadoo Rajagopal Pellay Ponnammal
Gundasawmy Moodelly, Pandukerry Jumbaloo Lingam
Moodelly, Chendrakerry Vitharagaloo Naidoo and
Iruvalood Narasimbaloo Naidoo

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

came to his Death, do
upon their Affirmations say, that the said Pamasawmy
on the fourteenth day of the said month of
November in the year aforesaid in Davaraya
Moodelly's street at Black Town and within the
Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the
High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid
departed this life by the visitation of God in a
natural way to wit from Hoemanha from the
Stomach but not from any hurt or injury received
from

from any person or persons to the knowledge of the said
Jurors in witness whereof as well the said Acting
Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
set their hands and seals on the day year and at the
place first above mentioned

Signed / R. H. Maier

Esq. Coroner

15th November 1867

Verdict

Died from Natural Causes
to wit from Haemorrhage
from the stomach

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
at Thair Sails Garden at Triplicane within the
limits

of Madras, on the fourteenth day of November in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Maier Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Thammuth Sair

then and there lying dead and by adjournment at the same place on
the fifteenth and twenty second days of November in the year
aforesaid upon the Oaths and affirmations of Messieurs
Thomas Manuel, William Henry Smith, John Alexander Jessier,
Thurman Perumully Parthasarathy Naider, Vallavaroot
Gomarasawmy Moodley, and Sukeraj Ramaratna Sheva
Pray

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

came to his Death, do

upon their Oath affirmations, that Boodeen Sair on the
fourth day of the said Month of November in the
year aforesaid the said Thammuth Sair feloniously
and unlawfully did kill and slay against the Peace
of Our Lady the Queen her Crown and Dignity in
witness whereof as well the said Acting Coroner
as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition

Set

Set their hands and seals on the Twenty Second day of
the said month of November in the year aforesaid at
Thair Saib's Garden Triplicane within the limits of Madras
aforesaid.

/ Signed R. L. Mair
R. L. Mair

14th November 1867.

Verdict

Culpable Homicide not
amounting to Murder against
Boodeen Saib.

6
Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in the Penitentiary at Pareemnettoo within the
Limits

of Madras, on the Twenty Seventh day of in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Mair Esquire, ^{Re}Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Seemunder

then and there lying dead upon the solemn affirmations of
Messrs. Amursala Pazoorodoo Naidoo, Nayer Ramarajoo.
loo Chetty, Cothumbakum Rasappa Moodelly, Boodeen
Geddum Coorasooloo Naidoo, and Ummum Tokalabur-
-mum Naidoo.

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

came to his Death, do
upon their affirmations say, that the said Seemunder

on the Twenty Seventh day of the said month of
November in the year aforesaid in Penitentiary
at Pareemnettoo and within the Local limits
of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court
of Judicature at Madras aforesaid departed
this life by the visitation of God in a Natural

way

way to wit from Ulceration of the stomach but
not from any hurt or injury received from any person
or persons to the knowledge of the said Jurors and
witness whereof as well the said Acting Coroner
as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition
set their hands and seals on the day year and at the
place first above mentioned

Signed *R. M. Mair*
Acting Coroner

27th November 1867

Verdict

Died from Natural Causes
to wit from Ulceration of
the stomach

Madras
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in the People's Park in Paramettoo within the
limits

of Madras, on the Twenty Eighth day of November in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of a male child name unknown
then and there lying dead upon the Oaths and solemn affirmations
of Messieurs Benjamin Saragran, Musjaoosume
Gengadara Naidoo, Anoomarloo Alvar Naidoo, Tenzany
Chengleroya Moodelly and Chittoopackum Ragooooloo
Naidoo

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there duly
Sworn Affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said male child name un-
known came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths & affirmations say, that the said male child
name unknown on the Twenty Eighth day of Novem-
ber in the year aforesaid was found dead in the
Coorn River at the People's Park aforesaid and
within the Local limits of the Criminal Juris-
diction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras
aforesaid that the said male child name unknown
had no marks of violence appearing on his body
but how or by what means the said male child
name

Signed / R. S. Mavi
As Coroner

[illegible]

28th November 1867 }
Verdict }
}

Found dead without
marks of violence and
no evidence to show the
Cause of death—

upon their affirmations say, that the said Matharay
on the Thirtieth day of the month of November in the
year aforesaid whilst in the act of walking near
a certain Drain situate in Choolay Bazar Road at
Choolay aforesaid and within the Local limits of the
Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Ju-
-diciary at Madras aforesaid it so happened
that the said Matharay then and there got out of the
depth

depth in the said Drain accidentally Casually and by mis-
fortune and in the waters thereof was then and there suffo-
cated and drowned of which said suffocation and drowning
the said Matheray then and there instantly died and
so the Jurors aforesaid upon their solemn affirmations
aforesaid do say that the said Matheray 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 Acting Coroner as the Jurors
aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and
Seals on the day year and at the place first above
mentioned.

/Signed/ R. S. Mair
Acting Coroner.

1st December 1864 }
Verdict }
Accidental death by }
Drowning in a Drain }

Madras
to Wit,

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in the Coorn Road at Chintadrepettah within
the limits,

of Madras, on the Tenth day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Cannagummall,
then and there lying dead upon the solemn affirmations of
Messieurs Sadras Ramalingum Moodelly, Chintadrepettah Govindoo Naidoo, Cadakaloor Lutchman Moodelly,
Muraharoo Balagrouppe Chetty and Tellore Tadasellum
Moodelly.

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

upon their affirmations say, that the said Cannagummall
labouring under grievous disease of the body to wit
Fever and by reason of the violence of the said disease
the said Cannagummall then and there being deliri-
ous and out of her mind on the Tenth day of December
in the year aforesaid at Chintadrepettah aforesaid and
within the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction
of the High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid
into a certain River there situate then and there did cast
and throw herself by means of which said casting and
throwing

throwing she the said Cannagumall in the waters of the
 Said River was then and there suffocated and drowned
 of which said suffocation and drowning she the said
 Cannagumall then and there instantly died and so the
 Jurors aforesaid upon their affirmations aforesaid do say
 that the said Cannagumall being delirious and out of
 her mind as aforesaid in manner and by the means afore-
 said did kill herself In witness whereof as well the
 Said Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this
 Inquisition set their hands and Seals on the day year and
 at the place first above mentioned.

Signed R. S. Mair
 Acting Coroner

10th December 1867. }
 Verdict }
 Suicide by Drowning in }
 a River while in a state }
 of temporary insanity. }

10
 Madras } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
 to Wit, in Soosomull Lala's Garden near Tanchers Choultry
 within the limits

of Madras, on the Eleventh day of December in
 the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
 before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
 on view of the Body of Lutchmoo Annall

then and there lying dead upon the solemn affirmations of Messrs
 Palamecottah Chuckeravarthee Moodelly, Perumbore Esq
 Shunmoogum Moodelly, Perumbore Poonambala Moodelly
 Perumbore Cullyamma Soondra Moodelly, Bangalore Esq
 Venkatsw.

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

upon their affirmations say, that the said Lutchmoo
 Annall not having the fear of God before her eyes but
 being moved and seduced by the instigation of the devil
 on the Ninth day of the said month of December
 in the year aforesaid in Soosomull Lala's Garden
 at Tanchers Choultry aforesaid and within the
 Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the
 High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid
 then and there being in and upon herself in the
 Peace of God and of Our Lady the Queen then
 And

there feloniously wilfully and of her malice aforethought
did make an assault and that the said Lutchmoo Ammall
then and there into a certain well there situate then and
there did cast and throw herself by means of which
said casting and throwing as aforesaid she the said
Lutchmoo Ammall in the waters of the well aforesaid
was then and there choked suffocated and drowned
of which said choking suffocation and drowning the
said Lutchmoo Ammall then and there instantly
died and so the jurors aforesaid upon their affirmations
aforesaid do say that the said Lutchmoo Ammall in
manner and by the means aforesaid did kill and murder
herself against the Peace of Our Lady the Queen
Her Crown and Dignity and that the said Lutchmoo
Ammall at the time of committing the felony and
murder aforesaid had no land or tenements goods or
chattels here or elsewhere to the knowledge of the said
jurors. In witness whereof as well the said Acting
Coroner as the jurors aforesaid have to this inquiri-
-tion set their hand and Seals on the day year
and at the place first above mentioned

Signed J. P. S. Mair.
Acting Coroner

11th December 1867.
Verdict
Suicide by drowning in
a well.

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Gantys Garden Compound at Vasarapadee
within the limits of Madras

of Madras, on the Fifteenth day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Moorooogen

then and there lying dead upon the solemn affirmations of
Messieurs Poonmallee Thaneachalum Moodelly, Va-
-sarapadee Gopaloo Moodelly, Myna Rungelha Gatty,
Thazathathoola Ragooooloo Naidoo, and Triplianee
Veerasawmy Moodelly.

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

upon their affirmations say, that the said Moorooogen
on the thirteenth day of the said month of
December in the year aforesaid whilst in the
act of playing in a certain tank situate in
Gantys Garden Compound at Vasarapadee afore-
-said and within the Local limits of the Criminal
Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature
at

At Madras aforesaid it so happened that the
said Moorogen then and there got out of the depth
in the said Tank accidentally, casually and by mis-
fortunes in the waters thereof was then and there
suffocated and drowned of which said suffocation
and drowning he the said Moorogen then and there
instantly died and so the jurors aforesaid upon
their Affirmations aforesaid do say that the said
Moorogen 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 Acting Coroner as the jurors aforesaid
have to this Inquisition set their hands
and seals on the day year and at the place first
above mentioned

Signed R. A. Mair
As Coroner

15th December 1867 }
Verdict }
Accidental Death }
by drowning in a }
Tank }
_____ }

12
Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in the General Hospital Black Town.

of Madras, on the Eighteenth day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of James Bagley
then and there lying dead upon the Oath of Messieurs
Patrick Quinn, Daniel Pereira, R. Edmond Patrick
O'Hara, George Peter Clapp, and Harford Alexander
Gibbs.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there
and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
Sworn when, how, and by what means the said James Bagley
came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths say, that the said James

Bagley on the Seventeenth day of the said month
of December in the year aforesaid in the Port
Saint George at the Black Town aforesaid
and within the Local limits of the Criminal
Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature
at Madras aforesaid departed this life by
the

by the visitation of God in a Natural way to wit
from Aneurism of the Aorta 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 Acting Coroner as the Jurors
aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and
Seals on the day year and at the place first
above mentioned.

Signed / R. S. Blair
As Coroner

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Madras
to Wit, } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Yelluppen Street at Triplicane Jam Bazar
within the limits
of Madras, on the Twenty Second day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Moorogathall
then and there lying dead upon the solemn affirmations
of Messrs. Cusstoree Rungasawmy Naidoo, Theerova-
vateswarampettah Gumbodinjum Moodelly, Theerova-
teeswarampettah Cooprasawmy Moodelly, Theerovates-
warampettah Seetharamaya Naidoo, Theerovateswarampettah
Ramaiah Moodelly, and Theerovateswarampettah
Moonosawmy Moodelly,
good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there
affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said Moorogathall
came to her Death, do
upon their affirmations say, that the said Moorogathall
did on the Twenty first day of the said
month of December in the year aforesaid
whilst in the act of drawing water from certain
well situate in Kader Saib's House at Triplicane
Jam Bazar aforesaid and within the local
limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High
Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid
it

18th December 1867

Verdict

Died from Natural Causes
to wit from Aneurism of
the Aorta.

it so happened that the said Moorogathall then and there 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 Moorogathall then and there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their affirmations aforesaid do say that the said Moorogathall in manner and by the means aforesaid came to her death and not otherwise In witness whereof as well the said Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and Seals on the day year and at the place first above mentioned.

1 Signed R. S. Mair
Esq Coroner

22 December 1867. }
Verdict }
accidental death }
by drowning in a }
well }

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Madras } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
to Wit, }
in Carameeswarer Cool Street at Mylapoor
within the limits
of Madras, on the Twenty third day of December in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven
before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Colee Naick
then and there lying dead upon the solemn affirmations of
Messrs Mylapoor Moottoorungum Naick, Mylapoor Balas-
-sundaram Moodelly, Mylapoor Vathachellum Moodelly,
Mylapoor Venayagum Naick, Mylapoor Sabapathy
Moodelly, and Mylapoor Balasundaram Moodelly

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

upon their affirmations say, that the said Colee Naick
on the Twenty Second day of the said Month
of December in the aforesaid whilst in the act of
sitting on the parapet of a certain well situate in
Colee Naick's Compound at Mylapoor aforesaid
and within the Local limits of the Criminal
Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at
Madras aforesaid It so happened that the said
Colee Naick then and there fell into the said well
accidentally Casually and by misfortune and in
the

the waters thereof was then and there suffocated and drowned of which said suffocation and drowning the said Cole said then and there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their affirmations aforesaid do say that the said Cole said 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 J^r Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hand and Seals on the day year and at the place first above mentioned

Signed R. S. Mair
J^r Coroner

23rd December 1867
Verdict
accidental death
by drowning in well.

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

Theroovengada Moodelly's Street at Choolay within the limits

of Madras, on the Twenty Sixth day of December in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Seven before me Robert Mair Esquire ^{J^r} Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Venatasammy

then and there lying dead upon the Oaths and Solemn affirmations of Mess^{rs} William Gertow, Manemungalam Aroonachallum Pillay, Triplicane Suthabether Naik, Gallepet Rajagopall, Moodelly, Smeent Ruthmarai Naik, and Trihnapally Ramanooja Iyer.

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

upon their Oaths & affirmations say, that the said Venatasammy on the Twenty sixth day of the said month of December in the year aforesaid in his house at Choolay aforesaid and within the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid by excessive drinking and not from any hurt or injury or violence done or ever Committed to the Knowledge of the said Jurors

dict

did die. The witnesses whereof as well the said
Jy Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this
Inquisition set their hand & seal on the
day year and at the place first above mentioned

Signed R. Mear
Jy Coroner

26th December 1864 }
Verdict }
Died from Excess }
Drinking }
}

16.
Madras }
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in the Royapetta Hospital at Royapetta
within the limits

of Madras, on the Sixth day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight
before me Robert Mear Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,

on view of the Body of Mahomed Cassim
then and there lying dead and by an adjournment at the same
place on the eighth day of the same month and year
upon the oaths & affirmations of Messrs Trusty
Daly Breonaham, John Gloria, John Lushay, Sir
Vapadee, Narraimammy Moodelly, John Ramis
O Rose and James Johnson.

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

upon their oaths & affirmations say, that the said Mahomed
Cassim on the Fifth day of the month of January,
in the year aforesaid whilst in the act of making
water near a well at Shepauk and within the
Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction
of the High Court of Judicature at Madras
aforesaid It so happened that the said Mahomed
Cassim then and there accidentally casually
and

and by misfortune fell to and against the said well
by means whereof the said Mahomed Cassim then and
there received mortal injuries of the head causing Com-
pression of the brain of which said mortal Compression
he the said Mahomed Cassim then and there instantly
died and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their oaths and
affirmations aforesaid do say that the said Mahomed
Cassim in manner and by the means aforesaid &
accidentally casually and by misfortune came to his
death and not otherwise. The witnesses whereof as well
the said Esq. Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid
have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals
on the Eighth day of January in the year aforesaid
in the Royapetta Hospital within the limits
of Madras aforesaid.

Signed / R. S. Mair
Acting Coroner

6th January 1868 }
Verdict }
Accidental death by }
falling into a well }

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Madras } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
to Wit. } in the Monegar Choultry at Washermen Petta
within the limits

of Madras, on the Ninth day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight
before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Chinna Pyen
then and there lying dead upon the Oaths of Messieurs
Gilbert D. Cunha, Felix Christian, Richard
D. Silva, Samuel Martin, Lazarous Mather,
and Francis Peters.

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 Chinna Pyen
came to his Death, do

upon their Oaths say, that Chinna Pyen of Vasaf
moodoo Paraharee of Madras on the Twenty
Second day of December last in Vasaf moodoo
Paraharee of Madras aforesaid and within
the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction
of the High Court of Judicature at Madras
aforesaid the said Chinna Pyen feloniously and
unlawfully

unlawfully did kill and slay against the
Peace of Our Lady the Queen Her Crown
and Dignity. In witness whereof as well
the ~~Magistrate~~ as the Jurors aforesaid
have to this Inquisition set their hands and
Seals on the day year and at the place
first above mentioned.

/ Signed R. S. Mair
Esq. Coroner

9th January 1868

Verdict

Culpable Homicide not
amounting to murder
against Chimayew

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Madras
to Wit. } AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Nam Bahader's Burial Ground at Mowbray Road
Mylapore within the limits

of Madras, on the Eleventh day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight
before me Robert Maitland Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Sakuma Bee

then and there lying dead upon the oaths and affirmations of Messrs
Anthony Joseph, Charles Francis Hall, Augustus Hector,
Vellare Gopaul Rajah, and Madras Venbooly.

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 Sakuma Bee
came to her Death, do

upon their Oaths and affirmations say, that the said Sakuma Bee
on the Eighth day of the said month of January
in the year aforesaid whilst in the act of carrying
a light at Poodoopett of Madras aforesaid and
within the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction
of the High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid
It happened that the Petty Coat accidentally caught
and

and by misfortune then and there took fire by reason
whereof the said Sakema Bee was then and there burnt
of which said burning the said Sakema Bee in Poodloofet
and also at Mylapoor Coscofet aforesaid did languish
and languishing did live from the Eighth day of January
in the year aforesaid until the tenth day of the same
year in which said last mentioned day in the year
aforesaid in Channer Cospunn of Mylapoor aforesaid
of the burning aforesaid the said Sakema Bee
did die and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their Oaths
and affirmations aforesaid do say that the said
Sakema Bee 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 first above mentioned

Signed R. S. Mair
Esq. Coroner

11th January 1868. }
Verdict }
Accidental death }
by Burning. }

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

of Madras, on the Thirteenth day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight
before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Venataraya Pillay
then and there lying dead upon the Oaths and affirmations of
Messieurs William Tejada, Joab Johannes, Michael Rodrie-
gues, Antony moatto Athaysevan Pillay, Solomon
Mannell, Bindary Jagannathan Naidoo.

good and lawful Men of the said Town, duly chosen, and who being then and there duly
Sworn Affirmed and charged to enquire for Our said LADY THE QUEEN,
when, how, and by what means the said Venataraya Pillay
came to his Death, do
upon their Oaths & affirmations say, that Venataraya Pillay
not being of sound mind memory and understand-
ing but lunatic and distracted on the Twelfth
day of January in the year aforesaid at his dwelling
House in Anna Pillay Street Black Town aforesaid
within the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction
of the High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid
with a certain knife which he the said Venataraya
Pillay then and there had and held in his right
hand the penis and testicles of him the said
Venataraya

Venataraya Pillay then and there did strike and cut thereby then and there giving unto himself the said Venataraya Pillay with the knife aforesaid in and upon the parts as aforesaid one mortal wound of which said mortal wound he the said Venataraya Pillay then and there instantly died and so the Jurors aforesaid upon their Oaths and affirmations do say that the said Venataraya Pillay not being of sound mind memory and understanding but lunatic and distracted in manner and by the means aforesaid did kill himself but not feloniously nor of his malice aforethought and so the said Venataraya Pillay came to his death. In witness whereof as well the said Esquire Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their hands and seals on the day year and at the place first above mentioned.

1 Signed R. S. Mair
Esquire Coroner

13th January 1868
Verdict

Madras
to Wit.

AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,

in Saunee Pillay Street at Triplicane within the limits

of Madras, on the Fourteenth day of January in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight before me Robert Mair Esquire, Coroner

of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent, on view of the Body of Narraina Pillay

then and there lying dead upon the Oaths & solemn affirmations of Messrs Mahomed Zakeer Saib, Goolam Mohamedew Khan, Mylapoor Ellostoorungum Naik, Henry Gomes, George D Silva and Daniel Jacobs.

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

upon their Oaths & affirmations, that the said Narraina Pillay labouring under grievous disease of the body to wit Dysentery and by the reason of the violence of the said disease the said Narraina Pillay then and there being delirious and out of his mind on the Fourteenth day of January in the year aforesaid at Saunee Pillay Street at Triplicane aforesaid and within the Local limits of the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras aforesaid into a certain well there situate then and there did

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cast and threw himself by means of which said
casting and throwing he the said Narayana Pillay
in the waters of the said well was there and
there suffocated and drowned of which said
suffocation and drowning he the said Narayana
Pillay then and there instantly died and so the
Jurors aforesaid upon their Oaths and affirmations
aforesaid do say that the said Narayana Pillay
being delirious and out of his mind as aforesaid in
manner and by the means aforesaid did kill
himself In witness whereof as well the said
Acting Coroner as the Jurors aforesaid have to
this Inquisition set their hand and Seals
on the day, year and at the place first above
mentioned.

Signed R. S. Mair
Esq. Coroner

14th January 1868
Verdict

Suicide by drowning
in a well while in a
State of temporary
insanity.

27.
Madras
to Wit.} AN INQUISITION taken for Our SOVEREIGN LADY THE QUEEN,
in Reverend Mr. Symmon's Seminary at
Sullivan's Garden at Royapetta within the limits
of Madras, on the Twenty Second day of January in
the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Eight
before me Robert Slater Mair Esquire, Coroner
of Our LADY THE QUEEN, for the said Town of Madras, and places thereunto adjacent,
on view of the Body of Samuel Vadamanicuum
then and there lying dead upon the Oaths of Messieurs Edouard
Digue, Charles Joseph Joaguine, Daniel Jacob, John
Lushay, John Shafton and Mariam Paul

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

upon their Oaths say, that the said Samuel
Vadamanicuum on the Twenty first day of the
said month of January in the year aforesaid
in Reverend Mr. Symmon's Seminary at
Salaven's Garden at Royapetta aforesaid and
within the Local limits of the Criminal Juris-
diction of the High Court of Judicature at
Madras aforesaid departed this life by the
Visitation

visitation of God in a Natural way to wit from
Renal Dropsy but not from any injury received from
any person or persons to the knowledge of the said Jurors
In witness whereof as well the said Acting Coroner
as the Jurors aforesaid have to this Inquisition set their
hands and Seals on the day year and at the place first
above mentioned.

(Signed) R. S. Mauri
Acting Coroner

22nd January 1862

Verdict

Died from Natural Causes
to wit from Renal Dropsy