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The Queen on Prosn of Shaha Saib & ors

vs

Hoopanee Baigum & ors

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I am instructed by the Prisoners and particularly by the Baigum to request you will be pleased to give directions to the Sailer that they may not be conveyed to the Court House before the day appointed for their trial. and that on that day the Prisoners Hoopanee Baigum and Beerzah Mahdee may be accommodated with Palankeens for which I shall be happy to pay.—

I am quite certain you would not willingly put these parties to any unnecessary inconvenience. and if consistent with the Strict discharge of your duties it is hoped and there will be no objection to these requests being complied with

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. Brandon
Deptt Atty.

Madras
18th Jan 1841.

The Queen on Prosn of Shaha Saib & ors

vs

Hoopanee Baigum & ors

To

J. W. Brandon Esqre

Sir,

In reply to your Letter just received I beg to inform you that I will give direction to the Sailer not to bring the parties up until the Trial as also that they may be accommodated with Palankeens.—

I am
Sir
Your Obt Sert
(Signed) J. T. Baillie
D. Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th January 1841

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Supreme Court
Madras
Crown Side

The Queen
vs
Hoosanee Baigum & Ors
For Murder

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I request you will be pleased to forward the accompanying Copy of Sps. to Apt. Surgeon Ambrose Blacklock at St. Thomas's Mount and that you will forward the Copies of Spas to Ghoolam Mooteeza Khan (son of Sabut Jung Bahander) Hafiz Jar Jung, Hakeem Sibgathoolah Khan Seib, and Hakeem Abdool Ruzzah to the Chapauk Agent—

Your's Obedt.
Signed J.M. Branson
Deputy Sheriff

Madras
19th Jany 1841.

1 Hafiz Jar Jung Seib
2 Hakeem Sibgathoolah Khan Seib
4 Hakeem Abdool Ruzzah Seib

The Queen
against
Hoosanee Baigum and others

To
The Political Agent
Chapauk

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose Four Copies of Subpoenas for the individuals named in the Margin and request you will forward the same to them immediately and return them answer to me.—

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obedt Servt
Signed J.M. Branson
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th January 1841

The Queen
against
Hoosanee Baigum and others

To
Ambrose Blacklock Esqre
St. Thomas's Mount

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose Copy of a Subpoena issuing out of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras for you to give evidence before the Criminal Sessions and I request you will be pleased to attend at the Court House immediately.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obedt Servt
Signed D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th January 1841

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

In returning the accompanying Indent on the Commissary General for Articles required for the use of H.M. Criminal and Debtors Jail at Madras for the Current Month, we have the honor to request you will be so good as to have the estimated value of the articles indented for, specified in the Indent, to enable us to pass the same under the Orders of Government of the 15th Ultimo.— We have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Humble Servants
Signed J. Crawford
Accountant General
" J.C. Morris
Civil Auditor
" A.J. Cherry
Pt Treasurer

Fort St. George
30 January 1841

No 311

From Major's Office

To
The Sheriff of
Madras

Sir,

I am directed to acquaint you that the Solitary Imprisonment of Gunner Robert Kelly of the 2nd Battalion Artillery, will expire to morrow morning - when he will be forwarded under a Guard to the Grand Jail; and to request that you will issue the necessary instructions for his reception there -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) F. L. Dovetonbt
Town Major

Fort St. George
2nd February 1841

To
The Committee
for passing Contingent Charges
Fort Saint George

Gentlemen,

I have the honor to enclose Two Contingent Bills, one for Candles purchased for the use of the Supreme Court during the last Sessions and the other for refreshment furnished to the Petty Jury, who were detained a night and a day in the Court House in consequence of the great length of the trial, in which they were engaged as Jurors; and request you will be pleased to pass the same for payment -

I have the honor to be
Gentlemen
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
6th February 1841

D. Montgomerie Esqre ——— Dr

1841			Rupees	Annas
January 19th	To 2 Viss of Tapy Candles at 2 Rupees and 4 Annas per Viss is		4	8
" 20th	" do ——— do ———	do	4	8
" 22nd	" do ——— do ———	do	9	
		Company's Rupees	18	

Company's Rupees Eighteen

Madras
2nd February 1841

(Signed) D. Montgomerie

Sheriff

Received the Sixteenth day of February one Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty one from the Honorable Company through the Sub Treasurer of the Government of Fort Saint George the above mentioned sum of Company's Rupees Eighteen - Company's Rupees 18 a.

(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Dr

D. Montgomerie Esqre ——— Dr

Sheriff of Madras

1841			Rupees	Annas
Jany 22nd	To Dinner sent for the Gentlemen of the Petty Jury		63	
	12 Bottle of Sherry		27	
	24 " of Beer		21	
" 23rd	To Tea Coffee and Breakfast sent out for the Gentlemen of the Jury - 3/3		30	
	Co Rupees		120	

Madras
23rd Jany 1841

Contents Received
(Signed) I. Pollock & Co

Correct
(Signed) A Lowe
Foreman of the Jury on the 22nd & 23rd January 1841

(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

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(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Dr

To
The Secretary
Marine Board

Sir,

With reference to the Orders of
Government

Robt. Abernethy

Government under date the 22d December 1840 I have the honor to report to you, for the information of the Marine Board, that the Convict named in the Margin late a Private in Her Majesty's 94th Regiment under Sentence (by General Court Martial) of Transportation to New South Wales was received this day into my Custody.—

Sheriff's Office
Madras
9th February 1841

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor to forward by the direction of The Chief Justice a Warrant directing the Commitment of Private William Hood of Her Majesty's 87th Regiment of Foot, to the Gaol of Madras, therein to remain until his Sentence of Transportation shall be carried into effect in due course of Law.—

Crown Office
Madras
9th February 1841

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) C. H. Reed
Clerk of the Crown

To
The Acting Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir

I have the honor to annex hereto an Extract from the Calendar of Prisoners who were tried at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at Madras on the 18th day of January 1841 and request that you will order the Prisoners therein named to be kept to hard Labor agreeably to the sentence passed upon them by the Court.—

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10th February 1841

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Extract from the Calendar of Prisoners tried at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at the Town of Madras in the Eighteenth day of January One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One before the Honorable Chief Justice &c &c &c

No.	Names	Charges	Verdicts	Sentences
1	Boyd alias Brown alias Sandy	Housebreaking and Theft	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol of Madras for the Term of Seven years and kept to hard Labor during that Term
2	Sheridan Richardson	Feloniously receiving Stolen Property knowing the same to have been stolen	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol of Madras for the Term of Seven years and kept to hard Labor during that Term
3	Hoosla Reddy	Receiving Stolen Property knowing the same to have been stolen	Guilty —	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol of Madras for the Term of One year and kept to hard Labor during that Term
4	Gooje Ammee	Larceny	Not Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol of Madras for the Term of One year and kept to hard Labor during that Term
5	Purayyan	Larceny	Not Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol of Madras for the Term of Eighteen Calendar months and kept to hard Labor during that Term
6	Thayen	Larceny	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol of Madras for the Term of Six Calendar months and kept to hard Labor during that Term
7	Pathumuthy	Larceny	Not Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol of Madras for the Term of Six Calendar months and kept to hard Labor during that Term

Thomas Armstrong
Clerk of the Crown

N.B. Commencement of Imprisonment the 25th January 1841 the Calendar of whom 25th January 1841 was not sentenced.—

Sheriff

To
D. Montgomerie Esqr
Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

Herewith I send you a letter and commitment of the Sentence for the Prisoner named Mahomed Sellar, but the Superintendent of the House of Correction requires order from the Superintendent of Police to receive the Prisoner for Hard Labour.

Her Majesty's Gaol
Madras
24th February 1841.

I am
Your most Obedt Servant
(Signed) H. Gibbs
Marshal of H.M. Gaol

No 24

To
The Keeper of Her Majesty's Gaol
Madras

Sir

I do myself the honor to forward a copy of a Crime and Sentence awarded to Private Mahomed Sellar, of the Second Regiment N.I. under the Provisions of Act. XXIII. of 1839 and with reference to Act No 2. of 1840 beg to hand him over to your Custody.

Perumbore
24th Feby 1841.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servant
(Signed) E. Apthorp
Captain Commanding
2nd Regiment N.I.

To Captain E. Apthorp
Commanding 2d Regiment N.I.

Sir,

Mahomed Sellar

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter under date the 24th Instant to the address of the Keeper of Her Majesty's Gaol as also Extract of the Confirmed Proceedings of a Native General Court Martial accompanied by a Prisoner as per Margin for the purpose of his undergoing the Sentence passed by a Native General Court Martial.—

As the Prisoner is sentenced to suffer Imprisonment with Hard Labor for a period of 6 Lunar Months I beg to bring to your notice that the Sheriff of Madras or the Keeper of H.M. Gaol, has not the means of putting the Prisoner to Hard Labor. I would therefore beg to suggest that in future all Prisoners Sentenced by Regimental Court Martial to Hard Labor shall be at once sent to the House of Correction where the Sentence can be carried into effect.

Sheriff's Office
Madras.
25th February 1841.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir

With reference to the Orders from Government under date the 25th April 1819. I have the honor to transmit a General Return of Prisoners Confined in Her Majesty's Criminal Gaol for the six Months ending on the 31st day of December 1840.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
19th February 1841.

To D. Montgomerie Esqr
Sheriff of Madras
&c &c

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Madras
24th Febuary 1841.

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(Signed) R Gillet
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Captain Commanding
2nd Regiment N.I.

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Commanding 2d Regiment N.I.

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Sheriff's Office
Madras.
25th February 1841.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir

With reference to the Orders from Government under date the 28th April 1819. I have the honor to transmit a General Return of Prisoners Confined in Her Majestys Criminal Gaol for the Six Months ending on the 31st day of December 1840.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
19th February 1841.

A General Return of Prisoners in Her Majestys Criminal Gaol at Madraspatnam for the Six Months ending on the 31st day of December 1840

№	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdict	Sentence	Remarks
1	Peter Duffy	European	Assault and Larceny	1st June 1837	In July 1837 and In July 1838	Guilty	Sentenced to be imprisoned in the Common Gaol of Madras for the term of Two Years and further sentenced on the 5th July 1838 to be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the term of One Year and to be kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and that such imprisonment shall Commence from and after the expiration of his former sentence for which he is now under Imprisonment	Discharged on the 11th July 1840.
2	Henry Handley	European	Piratically making a Revolt	6th April 1839	In April 1839	Not Guilty on the 1st and 2d Counts but Guilty on the 3d & 4th Counts	Sentenced to be imprisoned for the Space of Eighteen Calendar Months and then to be Discharged	Discharged on the 16th October 1840
3	William Jakes	European	Assault & other Military Offences	19th July 1839	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond the Seas for the term of Seven Years	Transported on the 26th December 1840
4	William Reilly	European	Larceny &c.	2 Oct 1839	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond the Seas for the term of Seven Years	Transported on the 26th December 1840.
5	William Hammond	European	Assault	7th Oct 1839	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond the Seas for the term of Seven Years	Transported on the 26th December 1840
6	John Arthur	European	Assault	7th Oct 1839	Not known	Guilty		
7	Coolcombee	Malabar	Larceny	26th Oct 1839	In January 1840	Found Guilty at the Sessions 1840	Let her be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Seven Years	Transported on the 2 July 1840.
8	John MacLaughlin	Portugese	Accessaries before the Forgery	26 Nov 1839	In January 1840	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Common Gaol of Madras for the Space of Six Calendar Months and then let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 22 July 1840

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A General Return of Prisoners

Nº	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
9	Kistnan	Hindoo	Larceny	25th. July 1840	In April 1840	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Seven years	Transported on the 2 July 1840.
10	Annunthiah	Hindoo	Larceny Bill found at Kellr. Sessions 1840	2 May 1840	In July 1840	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the term of two Years and let him be kept to hard Labor during such imprisonment and then let him be Discharged	Delivered over to the Superintt. of Police on the 16th July 1840.
11	Venkatasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	8th May 1840	In July 1840	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Seven Years	Transported on the 15th September 1840.
12	Narrainsawmy	Hindoo	Receiving Stolen Goods knowing the same to have been Stolen			Not Guilty	Discharged by Proclamation	Discharged on the 6th July 1840
13	Valen	Hindoo	Larceny	28th May 1840	In July 1840	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the term of One Year and let him be kept to hard labor during such imprisonment and then let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendent of Police on the 16th July 1840
14	Cassem	Mahomdan	Larceny	22 May 1840	In July 1840	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Seven Years	Transported on the 15th September 1840
15	Patrick Flaten	European	Assault	29th May 1840	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond the Seas for the term of Seven Years	Transported on the 26th December 1840
16	Zynoh Saiba	Mahomdan	Murder of Her Male Child	30th May 1840	In July 1840	Not Guilty	Let her be Discharged	Discharged on the 8th July 1840
17	Marvambee		Accessary			The Bill against Marimbi was returned by the Grand Jury Ignoramus	Let her be Discharged	Discharged on the 8th July 1840.
18	Babah Meeahn	Mahomdan	Larceny	31st May 1840	In July 1840	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Seven Years	Transported on the 15th September 1840
19	Maubobee					The Bill against Maubobee was returned by the Grand Jury Ignoramus	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 9th July 1840

No.	Names	Nation	Crimes	When committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
22	Maryambee	Mahomedan	Larceny	18th June 1840	In July 1840	Guilty	Let her be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 15th September 1840
23	Paulyattan otherwise Called Veerasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	24th June 1840	In July 1840	Pleads Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 15th September 1840
24	Monyan	Hindoo	Larceny	30th June 1840	In July 1840	Pleads Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Seven Years	Transported on the 15th September 1840
25	Khaderbee	Mahomedan	Larceny	1st July 1840	In July 1840	Not Guilty	Let her be Discharged	Discharged on the 7th July 1840
26	Paryah Mootoo Syrang alias Mootoo Curpenna alias Myremundy	Hindoos	Uttering a forged Receipt	9th July 1840	In July 1840	Not Guilty	Let their Recognizances be Discharged	Discharged on the 10th July 1840.
27	Siddooloo Naick Loobbyah							
30	John James	European	Felony and Rape	15th July 1840	In Oct. 1840	The Bill was returned by the Grand Jury Endorsed No Bill	Let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 5th October 1840.
31	Sabaputty	Hindoo	Larceny	2 Sept. 1840	In Oct. 1840	Pleads Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Space of Six Calendar Months and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendent of Police on the 13th October 1840.
32	Porinnan	Hindoo	Larceny	2 Sept. 1840	In Oct. 1840	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the term of Two Years and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendent of Police on the 13th October 1840.
33	Charles Mann	European	Manslaughter	15th Sept. 1840	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be imprisoned in Her Majestys Gaol at Madras for the Space of Two Years	In Gaol
34	Charles Hart	European	Assault	15th Sept. 1840	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported as a felon for the term of Fourteen years	Transported on the 26th Dec. 1840.

No.	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
35	Thomas Butler	European	Assault	15th Sept 1840	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported as a felon for the term of Seven years	Transported on the 26th Dec. 1840.
36	Chinny an	Hindoo	Larceny	22 Sept 1840	In Oct 1840	Not Guilty	Discharged by Proclamation	Discharged on the 5th October 1840.
37	Kistnen					Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol
38	Mungay	Hindoo	Larceny	22 Sept 1840	In Oct 1840	Not Guilty	Let her be Discharged	Discharged on the 6th October 1840
39	Ponnan otherwise Called Landoo		Receiving Stolen Goods knowing the same to have been Stolen			Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Fourteen Years	In Gaol
40	Donnah Gorrunah					Not Guilty		
41	Conadah Naidoo	Hindoo	Felony and Piracy	23 Sept 1840	In Oct 1840	Not Guilty	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 6th October 1840.
42	Nuttoopully Tantiah					Not Guilty		
43	Argillah Atchand					Not Guilty		
44	Bartholomew Tiernan	European	Offering Violence against his Superior Officer	28th Sept 1840	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond the seas as a felon for the term of Fourteen Years	Transported on the 21st Dec. 1840.
45	Mylapoor Verasamy	Hindoo	Larceny	2 Oct. 1840	In Oct 1840	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Seven Years	In Gaol
46	Morrogapah Moodelly	Hindoo	Riot	5th Oct 1840	In Oct 1840	True Bill	Let Morrogapah Moodelly Soobarey Moodelly Anathoo Moodelly and Vydee Moodelly enter into their Recognizances to be and appear and to try their traverses at the next Sessions	Discharged on the 8th Oct. 1840
47	Soobarey Moodelly							In Gaol
48	Anathoo Moodelly							In Gaol
49	Vydee Moodelly							In Gaol
50	Selar	Mahomedan	Murder	23 Oct 1840	Not Tried			In Gaol
51	Ettyapein	Hindoo						In Gaol
52	Kunnoo	Mahomedan						In Gaol
53	Panpah alias Lutchoomee	Hindoo	Assault	23 Oct 1840	Not Tried			In Gaol
54	Kristnyah	Hindoo	Larceny	24 Nov. 1840	Not Tried			
55	Choolam Mohseedeen	Mahomedan	Assault	30th Nov. 1840	Not Tried			

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35	Thomas Butler	European	Assault	15th Sept 1840	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported as a felon for the term of Seven years — Discharged by Proclamation	Transported on the 26th Dec 1840. Discharged on the 5th October 1840.
36	Chinnyan	Hindoo	Larceny	22 Sept 1840	In Oct 1840	Not Guilty		
37	Kistnen					Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years — Let her be Discharged	In Gaol. Discharged on the 6th October 1840
38	Mungay	Hindoo	Larceny	22 Sept 1840	In Oct 1840	Not Guilty		
39	Ponnan otherwise called Landoo		Receiving Stolen Goods knowing the same to have been stolen			Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Fourteen Years	In Gaol
40	Donnah Goorunah	Hindoo	Felony and Piracy	23 Sept 1840	In Oct 1840	Not Guilty	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 6th October 1840.
41	Conadah Naidoo					Not Guilty		
42	Muttoopully Tantiah					Not Guilty		
43	Arzillah Atchanah					Not Guilty		
44	Bartholomew Sirman	European	Offering Violence against his Superior Officer	28th Sept 1840	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond the seas as a felon for the term of Fourteen Years	Transported on the 21st Dec 1840.
45	Allyapoor Veerasamy	Hindoo	Larceny	2 Oct 1840	In Oct 1840	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Seven Years	In Gaol
46	Morrogapah Moodelly	Hindoo	Riot	5th Oct 1840	In Oct 1840	True Bill	Let Morrogapah Moodelly Soobarey Moodelly Anathoo Moodelly and Vydee Moodelly enter into their Recognizances to be and appear and to try their traverses at the next Sessions	Discharged on the 8th Oct 1840
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49	Vydee Moodelly							
50	Selar	Mahomedan	Murder	23 Oct 1840	Not Tried			In Gaol
51	Ettyapen	Hindoo						In Gaol
52	Nunnoo	Mahomedan						In Gaol
53	Panpah alias Lutchoomee	Hindoo	Assault	23 Oct 1840	Not Tried			In Gaol
54	Kristnyah	Hindoo	Larceny	24 Nov 1840	Not Tried			
55	Ebrolam Mohseedeen	Mahomedan	Assault	30th Nov 1840	Not Tried			

No	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
56	Soobbaroyloo	Hindoos	Murder	1st Dec. 1840	Not Tried			In Gaol
57	Allaghenny							
58	Venoatasawmy							
59	Surlow	Portugues	Larceny and Receiving	1st Dec. 1840	Not Tried			
60	Florisa Rozario							
61	Khasim Sahib	Mahomedan						In Gaol
62	Soobroyah Chitty	Hindoos						
63	Valoyoodan							
64	Reckee	Portugue						
65	Soondarem	Hindoos	Forging and Uttering a Bill of Sale	14th Dec. 1840	Not Tried			In Gaol
66	Maisty Verasawmy							
67	Ahmud Khan	Mahomedan						
68	John Martin	European	Assault and Larceny	18th Dec. 1840	Not Known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas as a Felon for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 21st December 1840
69	Andrew Goggan	European	Assault and Larceny	18th Dec. 1840	Not Known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas as a Felon for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 21st December 1840
70	John Cameron	European	Assault	18th Dec. 1840	Not Known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas as a Felon for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 21st December 1840.
71	George France	Portugue	Larceny	21st Dec. 1840	Not Tried			In Gaol

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th February 1841.

(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

To

The Chief Secretary

to Government

Sir,

The portion of Her Majesty's Gaol originally intended for female Prisoners having, for want of other accommodation, been appropriated to Prisoners sentenced to hard labour on the Roads, and as great inconvenience has been occasioned thereby, I beg to recommend, that an alteration may be made in the Gaol to obviate the inconvenience which would be attended with little expense.—

Two Rooms were erected some years ago at the Gaol for a Treadmill, one within the walls of the Gaol and the other adjoining on the outside, and as the latter from its construction has never been used.— I beg to suggest that it may be removed and that such alterations may be made in the buildings as will render them appropriate for the safe custody of Prisoners sentenced to hard labour, when that portion of the Gaol above adverted to, will become available for the purpose originally intended, namely for female Prisoners.—

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your most obed.t Serv.t

[Signed] D. Montgomerie

Sheriff

Sheriff's office
Madras
8th March 1841

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Accompanying I have the Honor to forward the Precepts for Convening the Next Sessions

Sessions. The Proclamation must be inserted as usual in the Fort Saint George Gazette—

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obed.t Servant

[Signed] C. M. Reed

Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
12th Madras 1841.

Proclamation

Madras
To Wit.

By Virtue of a Precept to me directed I hereby Proclaim and give notice that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery in and for Fort Saint George the Town of Madras and the Limits thereof and the places and factories Subordinate thereto will be holden at the Court House at Madras aforesaid on Friday the Sixteenth Day of April next ensuing the date hereof at Eleven O'clock in the forenoon for the Trial of all Treasons Murders Felonies and other Crimes and Misdemeanors had done or Committed within Fort Saint George or the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto and Dependant thereon.

And also that at the same time and place will be holden a Session of Admiralty for the trial of all Treasons Murders Piracies Felonies Trespasses Misdemeanors and other Crimes and Offences done

done perpetrated or Committed on the High Seas.

And I hereby require and enjoin all persons bound to prosecute and give Evidence at the above Sessions or in any wise Concerned therein to attend at the time and place above mentioned and not to depart without leave.

Dated this Twelfth Day of March 1841.

/Signed/ D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

To The Deputy Military Auditor General
Fort Saint Georg

Sir,

I have the honor to forward a letter to your address, together with its enclosure from J. R. J. Burgh late an Assistant Apothecary of Her Majesty's 39th Regiment of Foot, now a Prisoner in H. M. Gaol, under Sentence of Transportation by General Court Martial.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt. Servt.
/Signed/ D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
11th March 1841

Read the following letter

To The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to forward by the direction

of The Chief Justice, a Copy of an Order /in Duplicate/ which His Lordship has made upon the Requisition of His Excellency The Commanding the Army in Chief, for the Transportation of William Hoad late a Private in Her Majesty's 57th Regiment to the Eastern Coast of New South Wales, and a Statement /in Duplicate/ Containing the date of the Trial of the abovenamed William Hoad.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servt
/Signed/ C. M. Tees
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
11th February 1841.

No 168

Resolved that the Marine Board be Requested to adopt Measures for the transportation of the prisoner named in the foregoing Letter to New South Wales.

/Signed/ H. Chamier
Chief Secretary

Fort St. George
19th February 1841.

To the Marine Bd. Dispt. 19

Recd. 6 P M. 19 Entered 11 o'Cl a m 20th February

/Signed/ A R
Secretary

Sheriff Recd. 5 P M. 17 and Entered 11 o'Cl A. M. 18th March 1841.

/Signed/ D S D
Dy Sheriff

To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir

With reference to the Order of Government under date the 19th February last, I have the honor

honor to report to you, for the information of the Marine Board, that the Convict, named William Hoad, late a Private in Her Majestys 57th Regiment of Foot under Sentence (by a General Court Martial) of Transportation to New South Wales was received into my Custody on the 12th February last.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th March 1841.

42.

To
The Sheriff of Madras
Sir
I have the honor to forward by the direction of The Chief Justice Two Warrants directing the Commitment of the Individuals named in the Margin belonging to Her Majestys 39th Regiment of Foot to the Gaol of Madras, therein to remain until their Sentence of Transportation shall be carried into Effect in due Course of Law pursuant to the Orders made for that purpose.

Peter Berry Private
John Hinds Do

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) C M Reed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
17th March 1841.

2.

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Sir,
I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary Orders for striking off the undermentioned Copies of Writs as early as possible, as per order of Government dated 30th January 1835.

One Quire and one Sheets of Medeum and three Quires and Fifteen and a half Sheets of Demy are transmitted for the above.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
24th March 1841.

Recd.

Summonses against Europeans — Copies 50
do — do — Natives — 50
Capias ad Respondendum agt. Europeans — 50
do — do — Natives — 50
Executions — 25
Capias ad Satisfaciendum agt. Europeans — 25
do — do — Natives — 25
} Quires — Sheets: Medeum — Demy 3 — 15½

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To
The Fort Adjutant
Fort Saint George
Sir,
I have the honor to forward a letter to you addressed together with its enclosures from J. P. S. Burgess late an Assistant Apothecary of Her Majesty's 39th Regiment of Foot, now a Prisoner in H. M. Gaol under Sentence of Transportation, by General Court Martial.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
25th March 1841.

2

Read the following Letter

To

The Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to forward by the direction of The Chief Justice Copies of Two Orders (in Duplicate) which His Lordship has made upon the requisition of His Excellency the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief for the Transportation of the Individuals named in the Margin belonging to Her Majestys 39th Regiment of Foot, to the Eastern Coast of New South Wales, and a Statement (in Duplicate) containing the dates of the Trial of the above named Individuals —

Peter Percy Private
John Hinds Do

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) C. M. Feed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
18th March 1841.

No 247

Resolved that the Marine Board be requested to adopt measures for the transportation of the prisoners named in the foregoing letter to New South Wales.

The Sheriff will be desired to report to the Marine Board the arrival of the Prisoners —

(Signed) W. Chamier
Chief Secretary

Fort St. George
26th March 1841.

To the Marine Board Dispd 26th Recd & Entered 27th March 1841.
(Signed) J. L. L.
ag Secretary

Sheriff Recd & Entered 27th March 1841.
(Signed) J. B. Saunders

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor to forward, by the direction of The Chief Justice, Two Warrants, directing the Commitment of the Individuals named in the Margin, belonging to Her Majesty's 15th or Kings Regiment of Hussars, to the Gaol of Madras, thereon to remain until their Sentence of Transportation shall be carried into effect in due course of Law, pursuant to the Orders made for that purpose —

Edward McGrath Private
William Jahazan Do

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) C. M. Feed.
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
1st April 1841.

Copy

To

The Fort Adjutant
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward a letter to the address of the Deputy Military Auditor General from J. P. T. Burgess late an Assistant Apothecary of Her Majesty's 39th Regiment of Foot now a Prisoner in H.M. Gaol under Sentence of Transportation by General Court Martial —

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) J. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2d April 1841.

To The Clerk of the Crown

Sir, With reference to John Peter Thomson Burgess late an Assistant Apothecary attached to H. M. 39th Regiment a Prisoner under Sentence of Transportation for life by a General Court Martial at Hamptee and received into my Custody on the 8th day of March last by virtue of a Warrant of Commitment from the Honorable Sir Robert Buckley Comyn Knight, Chief Justice of H. M. Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras I have to request you will be pleased to procure and forward to me the necessary Order for the Transportation of the said Prisoner pursuant to his Sentence.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2d April 1841.

No 845 Town Mayors Office

To The Sheriff
of Madras

Sir I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 25th Ultimo with its enclosure and to state that, on a reference being made to the Military Auditor General, that Officer appears to be of opinion that J. P. T. Burgess late Senior Assistant Apothecary attached to Her M.'s 39th Regiment of foot, and now a Prisoner in the Grand Goal, is only entitled to pay and allowance

at Field Rate from the 19th September (the date of his Confinement in the Main Guard at Hamptee) to the 2nd November 1840, on which day he was Struck off the Strength of the Army, deducting therefrom the Amount of Subsistence drawn for him, and subsequently to subsistence at the rate of Annas 4 and Pice 6 per diem up to the 8th Ultimo provided none was drawn for him at Secunderabad on his Route to the Presidency for that period which you will be pleased to ascertain and inform me of the same—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servant
(Signed) Geo Logan
Fort Adjutant

Fort St George
3 April 1841.

Read the following Letter

To The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St George

Sir I have the honor to forward, by the Direction of the Chief Justice, Copies of Two Orders (in Duplicate) which His Lordship has made upon the requisition of His Excellency the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief for the Transportation of the Individuals named in the Margin belonging to His Majesty's 15th Kings Regiment of Hussars, to the Eastern Coast of New South Wales, and a Statement

Edward M'Grath Private
William Gahagan Do

(in

(in Duplicate) Containing the Date of the Trial of the above named Individuals —

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servt
/Signed/ C. M. Tees
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
2d April 1841.

№ 278

Resolved that the Marine Board be requested to adopt measures for the transport of the prisoners named in the foregoing letter to New South Wales —

The Sheriff will be desired to report to the Marine Board the arrival of the prisoners —

/Signed/ W. Chamier
Chief Secy

Fort St. George
6th April 1841

To the Marine Bd. Disp. 6th Rec. 6 P.M. 6 Entered 11 06 A.M./P.M.
/Sig.d/ J. L. J.
Extg Secy

&

Sheriff Rec.d and Pat. 7th April 1841.
/Sig.d/ D. M.
Sheriff

4D

To The Sheriff
of Madras

Respected Sir,

With humble submission I beg most respectfully to inform you that I have drawn no Subsistence at Secunderabad on my route to the Presidency; the Certificate forwarded to the Fort Adjutant of Fort Saint George on the 25th Ultimo will show that I only drew my Subsistence at Hemptee up to the 31st of November 1840. and to no later period —

I beg to remain
Respected Sir,
Your very Obedient & humble Servt
/Signed/ J. P. T. Burgess
Late Senior Assist. Apothy
H.M. 39th Regt

Madras
7th April 1841

4D

№ 895.

Town Major's Office

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I beg to call your attention to my letter of the 3d Instant and to request that an early reply to the same may be forwarded to me with a view to the adjustment of the claim made by I. P. T. Burgess, late an Assistant Apothecary attached to Her Majesty's 39th Regiment, and now a Prisoner in the grand Gaol —

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant —
/Signed/ Geo Logan
Fort Adjutant.

Fort St. George
8th April 1841

4D

To The Fort Adjutant
Fort Saint George

Sir

With reference to your Letters of the 3d and 8th Instant, regarding I. P. T. Burgess, late an Assistant Apothecary attached to Her Majesty's 39th Regiment of Foot, now a Prisoner in the Gaol, under Sentence of Transportation by General Court Martial — I have the honor to inform you, that he drew no Subsistance at Secunderabad on Route to the Presidency — The Certificate forwarded with his Letter the 25th Ultimo to your address, shews that Subsistence was drawn for him at Hamptee up to the 30th of November 1840, and to no later period —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
/Signed/ D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10th April 1841.

4D

To
The Committee
for passing Contingent Charges
Fort Saint George

Gentlemen,

Referring to the Order of Government under date the 4th August 1840 I have the honor to state, that there are Four files of Fort Saint George Gazette belonging to this Office which require binding from the Year 1837, and to request you will be pleased to obtain the sanction of your Committee for the Cost Viz.t Rupees Eight.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10th April 1841.

Rd.

To
The Agent
of the Fort Saint George Gazette

Sir

Be pleased to leave out the name of Ruthnala Veerasawmy Naicker in the Petty Jury List and insert the name of Pairpoody Latchmana Row immediately after that of Mr. Godlieb Vansomeren.

Yours &.a
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10th April 1841.

Rd.

Read the following Letter

No. 367

Madras Marine Board Office
8th April 1841

Sir

With reference to the Orders of Government noted in the Margin, I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board, to state that passage to Moolmeyne has been provided on the Bark "Favorite" for the Native Convicts therein mentioned, at the Rate of 25 Rupees each, the Commissariat finding Provisions &.a and the Commander providing a suitable guard and Prison for their safe Custody.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. L. Johnson
Acting Secretary

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

No. 286

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council desires that the Five Convicts sentenced to transportation by Her Majesty's Court may be embarked on board the "Favorite" on the terms mentioned above.

Ordered that the foregoing letter be Communicated to the Commissary General and the Sheriff of Madras for their information and guidance.

(Signed) W.m Chamier
Chief Secretary

Fort St. George
12 April 1841

To the Marine Bd. Disp.d 12 " Rec.d & Cn. 5 P.M. 12 " april (Sd) C.B.
Commissary Gen.l Rec.d Ent.d & Rt. 5½ P.M. 12 " april 1841. (Sd) J.B. for A.t Secretary
Sheriff Rec.d Ent.d & Rt. 12 & Co. 13 " April 1841. (Sd) D.M.
Sheriff

To

The Agent

of the Fort Saint George Gazette

Sir

Be pleased to leave out the name of Mr. George B. Shaw in the Petty Jury List and insert the name of Mr. Leander Meller immediately after that of Mr. Robert Howlison.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
13th April 1841

Yours &c
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Memo

It is requested that Orders may be given to strike off at the Fort Saint George Gazette Press by tomorrow One Hundred Calendars and Eighty Jury Lists as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1835.

Two Quires and two Sheets of Foolscap and Twenty Sheets of Long Post are transmitted for the purpose viz.t

Two Quires & Two Sheets of Foolscap for Calendars
Twenty Sheets of Long Post for Jury Lists.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
14th April 1841

/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

To The Chief Secretary
to Government.

To The Acting Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir

I have the honor to request that you will give Orders to a sufficient number of Constables and Tannah Peons to attend at Her Majestys Gaol, on Friday the 16th day of April Instant at 8 o'Clock in the morning, for the purpose of escorting the Prisoners for Trial, to the Court House, and thence to the Gaol, and to lend their assistance during the period the ensuing Sessions shall last.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
14th April 1841.

To The Private Secretary to
The Right Honorable the Governor

Sir

I beg to enclose for submission, to the Right Honorable the Governor, a letter from a Prisoner in Her Majestys Gaol, to His Lordship's address.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
19th April 1841.

No 402

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board, to request that the Native Convicts proceeding to Moulmein on the Bark "Favorite" may be embarked early on the morning of Thursday the 22d Instant.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servt
/Signed/ I. L Johnson
Acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Board Office
19th April 1841.

No Town Majors Office

To The Sheriff
of Madras

Sir

I have the honor to forward to you the sum of Company's Rupees 82. 11. 8. being the balance of pay &c as per particulars in the Margin, due to P. S. Burgess late a Senior Assistant Apothecary attached to Her Majesty's 39th Regt. and now a prisoner in Her Majesty's Grand Goal.

and to request that you will Cause the Amount to be paid to him, and transmit me the Acquittance for the Same.

The bill for his subsistence allowance has not been returned to me from the office of Audit as yet, which when passed, the Amount of it will be drawn, and forwarded to you.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Geo. Logan
Fort Adjutant

Fort St. George
19th April 1841.

D

Ad. Rs. 82-11-8.

Received this 19th day of April 1841 of Geo Logan Esq Fort Adjutant the Sum of Company's Rupees Eighty two Annas Eleven and Pice Eight being the balance of my Pay &c due to me.

Contents Received
(Signed) P. S. Burgess
Prisoner

Witness
(Signed) H Gibbs

To The Fort Adjutant
Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 19th Instant together with the Sum of Company's Rupees Eighty two Annas Eleven and Pice Eight which has been handed over to the Individual named by you in whose receipt is enclosed herein.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed. Servt.
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th April 1841.

2d. Soldiers

Messrs Willick & Co.

Gents

I am directed by the Sheriff to request that you will provide Dinner for the Petty Jury this evening at the usual hour.

Your Obt. Servt.
(Signed) J. B. Jauncey
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th April 1841.

D

To The Keeper of H. M. Gaol

You are hereby directed to embark the Five Native Convicts named in the Margin on Thursday Morning next the 22 Instant on the Bark "Favorite".

A Boat will be in readiness opposite the Custom House for the purpose of taking the above named Convicts to the said Bark.

(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

No. 1. Kistnan
2. Ponnan alias Laudoo
3. Mylapoor Veerasawmy
4. Surlow
5. Soondaram

Sheriffs Office
Madras
20th April 1841.

D.

To
The Master Attendant

Sir

I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary Orders for a Boat to be in readiness opposite the Custom House on Thursday morning next the 22d Instant for the purpose of Conveying Five Native Convicts under Sentence of Transportation to the Bark "Favorite".

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servant
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th April 1841.

D Kistnaswamy

To
The Officer Commanding
on the Barque "Favourite"
Madras Roads

Sir

I request you will receive on the Barque "Favourite" the Five Native Convicts named in the margin, under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast and sign the Receipt, which the Bearer of this, one of my Officers, will present to you for that purpose.

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servant
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

No 1. Kistnen
" 2. Ponnan alias Laudon
" 3. Mylapoor Veerasawmy
" 4. Surlow
" 5. Soondarem

Sheriff's Office
Madras
22 April 1841.

Received on the Barque "Favourite" this Twenty second day of April 1841 of Duncan Montgomerie Esquire Sheriff of Madras the Five Native Convicts named in the Margin, under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast together with Five pairs of Irons.

(Signed) Jas Scaddan.

D

No 1. Kistnen
" 2. Ponnan alias Laudon
" 3. Mylapoor Veerasawmy
" 4. Surlow
" 5. Soondarem

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of Government that the Five Native Convicts named in the Margin were this Morning embarked on the Barque "Favourite" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
22 April 1841.

D

No 1. Kistnen
" 2. Ponnan alias Laudon
" 3. Mylapoor Veerasawmy
" 4. Surlow
" 5. Soondarem

To
The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of the Marine Board that the Five Native Convicts named in the Margin, were this Morning embarked on the Barque "Favourite" for Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D Montgomerie

To
The Clerk of the Crown

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you that the Five Native Convicts named in the Margin were this Morning embarked on the Barque "Favourite" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

No 1.	Kistnan - - -
" 2.	Ponnan alias Landon
" 3.	Mylapore Veerasawmy
" 4.	Surlow - - -
" 5.	Soondarem -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
22.d April 1841.

Ex.d

To
D. Montgomerie Esq.r
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I herewith beg to inform you that the European Prisoner named Robert Kelly Gunner of D Company 2.d Bn. Art.y time is expired on the 26.th Instant.

The Town Major will require notice for the escort to receive him.

I am Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W Gibbs
Marshal of Her Majesty's Gaol

H. M. Gaol
Madras
22 April 1841

Ex.d

To
The Adjutant General of the Army
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward a letter to

to your address from J. P. T. Burgess late an Assistant Apothecary of Her Majesty's 39.th Reg.t of Foot, now a Prisoner in H. M. Gaol under Sentence of Transportation by General Court Martial.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
23.d April 1841.

Ex.d

Mess.rs Binny & Co. present their Compliments to the Sheriff of Madras, and request to be furnished with a Certificate of Embarkation of the Convicts proceeded to Moulmein on Board the Ship Favourite Capt.n Scadden to Enable them to prepare the Freight Bill for their passage.

Madras 23 April 1841.

Ex.d

I hereby Certify that the Five Native Convicts, named in the Margin, under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast, were on the Morning of the Twenty Second day of April Instant, embarked on the Barque "Favourite"

No 1.	Kistnan - - -
" 2.	Ponnan alias Landon
" 3.	Mylapore Veerasawmy
" 4.	Surlow - - -
" 5.	Soondarem -

(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
23.d April 1841.

Mess.rs Binny & Co.

Ex.d

To
The Town Major

Sir,

I have the honor to request that, an Escort may be sent to Her Majesty's Gaol, on Monday Morning next, the 26th Instant to receive Charge of Robert Kelly, late a Gunner in the 2nd Battn Artillery, now a Prisoner, in H.M. Gaol, whose third period of Solitary Confinement, will commence on that day

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
23rd April 1841.

To
The Sheriff &c &c &c
Madras

Sir

I have the honor to state that I have on board the H.C. Steamer Enterprize a Prisoner by name John Henry Quigley received at Bombay & whom I was directed to make over to your charge on my arrival at this place I have therefore to request you will be pleased to send off some person to take charge of said prisoner

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servant
/Signed/ C.H. West
Commander

H.C. Steamer Enterprize
Madras Rds 23 April 1841.

To
C. H. West Esqre
Commanding H.C. Steamer Enterprize

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, of yesterday's date, to the address of the Sheriff of Fort Saint George, stating that you have on board the H.C. Steamer Enterprize a prisoner by name John Henry Quigley, received at Bombay and whom you have been directed to make over to the Charge of the Sheriff at this place

I have to request you will be pleased to forward to this Office, the Warrant of Commitment of the said prisoner, on receipt of which, an Officer shall be sent off duly authorized to take charge of him. At the same time I beg to state, for your information, that unless you produce a sufficient and legal Warrant committing the said prisoner, to the custody of the Sheriff, he will not be justified in taking charge of him and I have also to suggest that the Superintendant of Police is the fittest person for you to apply to on this subject.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ I. B. Iauncey
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
24th April 1841.

Town Majors Office

No 1029.

To

The Sheriff of

Madras

Sir

With reference to your letter under date the 23d Instant, I am directed to acquaint you, that a Guard has been ordered to attend the Grand Gaol at day break on Monday next, for the purpose therein required.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obdt Servt

(Signed) F. L. Dovetun Lt Col

Town Major

Fort Saint George

24th April 1841.

To

The Acting Secretary

Marine Board

Sir

With reference to the order of Government under date the 6th Instant, I have the honor to report to you, for the information of the Marine Board, that the Convicts named in the Margin, late Privates of the 15th or Kings Regiment of Hussars, under sentence (by General Court Martial) of Transportation to New South Wales were received into my Custody on the 25th Instant.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obt Servt

(Signed) D Montgomerie

Sheriff

Edward M'Grath
William Gahagan

Sheriff's Office

Madras

26th April 1841.

2d

Town Major's Office

No

To

The Sheriff

of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor to forward to you the sum of Rupees 27-9- being the amount of Subsistence due to I. P. J. Burgess late an Apothecary, attached to H. M. 39th Regiment from 1st December 1840 to 8th March 41. and to request that you will acknowledge the receipt of the same.-

I have the honor to be,

Sir.

Your most obedient Servant

(Signed) F. L. Dovetun Lt Col

Town Major

Fort Saint George

29th April 1841.

To

The Town Major

Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 29th Instant, together with the sum of Company's Rupees Twenty Seven and Annas Nine, which has been handed over to the Individual, named by you, whose receipt is enclosed herein.-

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obdt Servt

(Signed) D. Montgomerie

Sheriff

Sheriff's Office

Madras

30th April 1841.

Received this 30th day of April 1841 of Lt. Col. F. L. Dixon, Town Major, the sum of Company's Rupees Twenty Seven and Annas Four, being the Amount of Subsistence due to me from 1st December 1840 to 8th March 1841.—

Witness (Signed) W. Gibbs

Contents received.

(Signed) J. P. T. Burgess.

To The Committee
for passing Contingent Charges.
Fort Saint George

Gentlemen,

I have the honor to enclose a Contingent Bill, for Candles, purchased for the use of the Supreme Court, during the last Sessions, and request you will be pleased to pass the same for payment.—

I have the honor to be
Gentlemen
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Sigd) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
3d May 1841.

Enl.

D. Montgomerie Esqre

1841.
April 19 To 4 Viſes of Wax Candle at 2 Rupees and 4 annas per Viſs is

20th do do at do
21st do do at do
22d do do at do

Company's Rupees

Madras
1st May 1841.

(Sd) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Company's Rupees
annas Eight.
(Sd) [illegible]

Enl.

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir,

I have the honor to forward a letter to your address, from J. P. T. Burgess, late an Assistant Apothecary of Her Majesty's 39th Regiment of Foot, now a Prisoner in H.M. Gaol, under Sentence of Transportation, by General Court Martial.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obedt Servt.
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
7th May 1841.

Enl.

Mr. Henry Townsend
Grand Gaol

Sir,

The Honorable the Chief Justice has handed me your letter of the 3d May Instant, addressed to him, with directions to inform you, that the Court have no power to make such an order, as you request.—

I am
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt.
(Signed) J. B. Francey
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriff's office
Madras
7th May 1841

Enl.

To D Montgomerie Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I herewith beg to inform you that a European Prisoner named Charles M'Kennies time is Expired tomorrow and he shall be Discharged Early in the morning.—

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. Gibbs
Marshal of H M Gaol

H M Gaol
Madras
18th May 1841.

(66)

I hereby Certify that the Prisoner William Boothroyd Gunner D Company of the first Battalion of the Madras Artillery was this day received into Her Majesty's Gaol from Pullicaurney escorted by Ristnamah Naick Dalayett -

/Signed D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
18th May 1841.

To

Statement of Boats employed on Account of the Sheriff for the Month of April 1841 in Transmitting Prisoners Committed for Trial and Conveyance of the Sheriff of Madras &c.

| Year Month and Date | Name of the Ships and Pattimars | Total Number of Boats | Private Boats | | |

(42)

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Piracies Felonies Trespasses Misdemeanors and other Crimes and Offences done perpetrated or committed on the High Seas.

And I hereby require and enjoin all persons bound to prosecute and give evidence at the above Sessions or in any wise concerned therein to attend at the time and place above mentioned and not to depart without leave.

Dated this Fourth day of June 1841.

/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Mems

It is requested that Orders may be given to strike off at the Fort Saint George Gazette Press by tomorrow Two hundred and Fifty Jury Summonses and One Hundred Subpoenas according to the accompanying forms as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1835.

Four Quires and Sixteen and a half Sheets of different sizes of paper are transmitted for the purpose Viz.

Two Quires and fourteen and a half Sheets of long post for Jury Summonses.

Two Quires and two Sheets of China Paper for Crown side Subpoenas.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
8th June 1841

To The Chief Secretary
to Government

Statement of Boats employed on Q

Military Department

No 2181

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
8th June 1841

"It will be intimated to the Convict Burgess in reference to his address of the 3 May 1841, to the Chief Secretary to Government, that by Act 9. Geo IV Cap 74 Section XXX. he not being born of European parents, is not liable to be transported to the Easter Coast of New South Wales, or any of the Islands adjacent thereto."

/A true Extract/
/Signed/ S. W. Steel Lt Col
Secretary to Government

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Ltr Communication to Mr Burgess

To The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir

I have the honor to request you will procure the Sanction of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council for the white washing as well as for the Ordinary Repairs which are required in Her Majesty's Gaol.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10th June 1841

Vide Order of Government 1st Page 78.

No 479.

To The Sheriff
of Madras

Sir

I have the honor to request you will will be good enough, at your earliest convenience to furnish me with a Certificate of Discharge from Her Majestys Goal Madras of Gunner Robert Kelly Genl No. 1068 of the 2d Battalion Artillery to regulate the disbursement of his pay at the Presidency Pay Office on the 11th instant.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obt Servt
/Signed/ F. Blundell Major
Comm 2 Bn Artly

A 2d 2 Bn Artly
St Thos Mount
9th June 1841.

Sir

I have the honor to enclose the Certificate required by you in your letter of the 9th Instant.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
10th June 1841.

To
Major F. Blundell
Commanding 2 Bn Artly
St Thos Mount

I Hereby Certify that Robert Kelly Gunner in the D Company 2d Battalion of Artillery was discharged on the 26th April 1841. from Her Majesty's Goal.

/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
10th June 1841.

Statement of Drafts employed on Account

To Messrs. I. Willick & Co.

Gentlemen

I am directed by the Sheriff to return the Bill forwarded to him by you for furnishing the Petty Jury at the last Sessions with refreshments and to say that he thinks the Charges therein exceedingly high and such as Government will not be inclened to sanction and to suggest to you the propriety of Amending the same previous to his transmitting the Bill to Government for allowance.

I am
Gentlemen
Your Obedt Servt
/Signed/ I. B. Jauncey
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
10th June 1841

To
I. B Jauncey Esqre
Deputy Sheriff of Madras

Sir

We beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 10th Inst. suggesting to us the propriety of reducing our charges for the refreshments supplied the Gentlemen of the Petty Jury in April last.

In answer we beg respectfully to invite your attention to the circumstance of our having on 2 former occasions (in April 1839 and January 1841) furnished similar supplies at the request of the then Sheriffs. Our charges on both those occasions we beg to assure you, were on a par with those now made as will appear by comparing the Bills.

If as above stated there be no discrepancy in this particular, we submit whether it would not be irregular in us to modify our present Bill? We trust on liberal consideration

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the Sheriff will, with such data before him recommend our account for liquidation—

Clarenden Hotel
Madras
11th June 1841

We are
Sir
Your most obt. Servts
(Signed) J Willick & Co

No. 490.

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir I have the honor to request you will be good enough to furnish me with a fresh Certificate of the discharge from H.M. Gaol, of Gunner Robert Kelly of the Battalion under my Command as the Gunner arrived at this station on the morning of the 24th instant, consequently he must have been discharged on that date and not on the 26th as stated in the Certificate herewith returned— This being required to draw pay tomorrow it is requested the Certificate may be furnished by the Bearer—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obt. Servt.
(Signed) F. Blundell Majr
Comdg 2d Bn Artly

Hd Qrs 2d Bn Artly
St. Thos Mount
11th June 1841

To
Major F. Blundell
Commanding 2d Bn Artly
St. Thos Mount

Sir I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of yesterday's date to the address of the Sheriff of Madras and in reply to state that the Certificate of the discharge of Gunner Robert Kelly from H.M. Gaol forwarded to you on the 10th June (and which is herewith returned) is perfectly correct, as it appears both by the Certificate of the [illegible]

Statement of Boat Crew Conveyed on Account of the Sheriff

from the Town Major's Office of the Escort sent to receive the Prisoner, that he was discharged from H.M. Gaol on the 26th of April last. There appears to be some mistake in your letter now under acknowledgement as you state that "the prisoner arrived at this station on the morning of the 24th instant" this I conclude should be the 24th of May, which is very probable, as I find on reference to the Correspondence that the Prisoner was handed over to the Escort sent by the Town Major to receive him for the purpose of undergoing his third period of Solitary Confinement from which supposing it to have been a Lunar Month's imprisonment he would be discharged on the 24th May—

Sheriff's Office
Madras
12th June 1841

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servant
(Signed) J.B. Jauncey
Deputy Sheriff

To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir With reference to the Order of Government under date the 26th March last, I have the honor to report to you for the information of the Marine Board that the convicts named in the margin belonging to Her Majesty's 39th Regiment of Foot under Sentence (by a General Court Martial) of Transportation to new South Wales were received this day into my Custody—

Peter Perry Private
John Hinds do

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
12th June 1841

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To The Clerk of the Crown

Sir, I have the honor to enclose for your information a Copy of a True Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date the 8th Instant relative to the Convict Burgess now in H.M. Gaol.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
Signed D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
12th June 1841

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No. 35

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir, I have the honor to request you will have the goodness to furnish me with a Certificate for Privates Peter Perry and John Hinds of Her Majesty's 39th Regiment stating the date of their admittance into Madras Gaol in order that I may be enabled to draw their Subsistence up to that Period together with a Certificate stating the date of the Delivery of the Prisoners in your Gaol by Serjeant Thomas Curties of the same Corps to draw his Fields rate Pay up to that date

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
Sgd/ W B Bernard
Deputy Paymaster

Poonamallee
Military Pay Office
15th June 1841

(x)

To The Keeper of H.M. Gaol

Be pleased to furnish me with the name of the individual who delivered the Two European Prisoners Peter Perry and John Hinds from Kamptee into your Custody in H.M. Gaol on the 12th Instant to enable me to furnish the necessary Certificates to the Military Paymaster at Poonamallee

/ Sgd/ I B Jauncey
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
16th June 1841

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Sir I herewith beg to inform you that the Two European Prisoners Peter Perry and John Hinds were delivered to my Custody in H.M. Gaol on the 12th Instant by Serjt. Curtes belongs to H.M. 39th Regt.

I am Sir
your most Obed.t
/ Signed H Gibbs
Marshall of H.M. Gaol

Her Majesty's Gaol
Madras
16th June 1841

To I B Jauncey Esqre
Deputy Sheriff of Madras

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To The Deputy Paymaster
Poonamallee

Sir, I have the honor to enclose the Certificate required by you in your letter of the 15th Instant

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Servt.
/ Signed D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th June 1841

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I hereby Certify that Privates Peter Perry and John Hinds of Her Majesty's 39th Regiment of foot were received into Her Majesty's Gaol at Madras on the 12th Instant having been delivered into my Custody on that day by Serjeant Thomas Curties of the same Regiment

/ Signed D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th June 1841

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To The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir

I have the honor to enclose a Contingent Bill, incurred at the last Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, for Refreshments supplied to the Petty Jury, who were detained four Nights and four days in the Court House inconsequence of the great length of trial in which they were engaged as Jurors, and request you will be pleased to obtain the Sanction of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council for the payment of the same.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th June 1841.

D. Montgomerie Esq.r ——— Dr
Sheriff of Madras

1840 April	19	To Dinner Supplied the Gentlemen of the Petty Jury	42	"	"		
		" 1 dozen Pale Sherry	27	"	"		
		" 2 " of Beer	21	"	"		
		" 2 Bottle of Portwine	4	8	"		
		" 4 Bundle Segars	3	"	"	97	8 "
	20	To Tea Coffee and Breakfast	30	"	"		
		" 2 dozen Soda	12	"	"		
		" Tiffin &c Supplied	30	"	"		
		" 4 Bottle Sherry	9	"	"		
		" 12 " Beer	10	8	"		
		" Dinner Supplied	42	"	"		
		" 12 Bot Sherry	27	"	"		
		" 24 " Beer	21	"	"		
		" 50 Segars	1	"	"	182	8 "
	21	To Coffee Tea & Breakfast	30	"	"		
		" Tiffin &c Supplied	30	"	"		
		" 18 Bottles of Beer	15	12	"		
		" 6 " of Sherry	13	8	"		
		" Dinner Supplied	42	"	"		
		" 12 Bottle Sherry	27	"	"		
		" 24 " Beer	21	4	"		
		" 50 Segars	1	"	"		
		" 12 Bottle Soda	6	"	"	186	4 "
		Carried				466	4 "

		Brought Over Rupees				466	4 "
1841 April	22	To Tea Coffee and Breakfast	30	"	"		
	"	" 12 Bottle Soda	6	"	"		
	"	" Tiffin &c Supplied	30	"	"		
	"	" 8 Bottle Beer	7	"	"		
	"	" 2 " Sherry	4	8	"		
	"	" 12 Dinner Supplied	42	"	"		
	"	" 18 Bot Beer	15	12	"		
	"	" 9 " Sherry	20	4	"		
	"	" 1 Bundle Segars	1	"	"	156	8 "
	"	To Tea Coffee & Breakfast	30	"	"		
	23	To Tea Coffee & Breakfast	30	"	"		
		" Tiffin &c Supplied	10	8	"		
		" 12 Bot Beer	9	"	"	79	8 "
		" 4 " Sherry	C.r Rupees			702	4 "

E E Contents Received
/Signed/ J. Wallick
Clk

Madras
23 April 1841.

Correct
/Signed/ M. G. Plumbe
Foreman of the Jury on the 19th April 1841

/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Received the Sixteenth day of July One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One from the Honorable Company through the Sub Treasurer of the Government of Fort Saint George the within Mentioned Sum of Company's Rupees Seven hundred and two and Annas four. Company's Rupees 702 - 4 -

/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

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No. 146

To The Sheriff of
Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Sir

In conformity with the Act No. XXIII of 1840. I have the honor to forward herewith three Notices to be served on the persons therein named, whom I request that you will cause to appear before the Court of Circuit at this station on the date therein mentioned.

The translations of the above mentioned Documents are also forwarded—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) W. Dowdeswell
Acting Criminal Judge

× No 2 on the Calr. Sessions 1841.

Zillah Court
Nellore
17th June 1841

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No. 547

Ordered to be Communicated to the Military Board with a request that they will cause an Estimate for such repairs as may be necessary to H. M.s Gaol to be prepared and submitted for the sanction of Govt.

(547) Ex
" C.M.L
" J.B.

(Sd) Robert Clark
Secy to Govt.

Fort St. Geo
19th June 1841

To the Military Board. Recd. Ent. Ret. 21st June 1841 (Sd) H. M.
" Sheriff of Madras - Recd. Ent. Ret. 22 June 1841 (Sd) J. B. D. Sheriff

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To W. Dowdeswell Esqre
Acting Criminal Judge
Nellore

Sir

In reply to your letter dated the 17th Instant I

Statement of Boats employed on Acc

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I have the honor to return the papers therein enclosed and to call your attention to the Second Para of the 1st Section of Act No 23 of 1840 published in the Fort St. George Gazette for 1840 page No 907 and request you will refer to that Para as it will shew you the manner of executing any writ, warrant or other process issued by any Court Judge or Magistrate in the Territories beyond the local limits of the Supreme Courts of Calcutta Madras and Bombay respectively.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) D. Montgmerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
23d June 1841

Ex.

Public Department.

No. 554

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation,
Dated 22nd June 1841.

Read the following letter from the Sheriff of Madras.

Here enter 19th June 1841

Para 1 The Right Honorable the Governor in Council Sanctions the Bill amounting to Rupees 1702 4 7 Seven hundred and two and Annas four, submitted with the foregoing letter for expenses incurred for refreshments supplied to the Petty Jury who were detained for four days and nights at the Court House during its last Sessions—

2. On future occasions the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is of opinion that a Sum of Money should be granted to each Juror for diem in preference to the employment of a general Purveyor as in the present instance - and His Lordship in Council

Council requests that you will state what in your openion would be an adequate allowance-

A true Extract
(Signed) Robert Clerk
Secretary to Govt.

To
The Sheriff of Madras

No. 41.

The Sheriff
of
Madras

Sir

I have the honor to request you will have the goodness to furnish me with a Certificate for Serjeant Thos. Dinner of Her Majesty's 94th. Regiment stating the date of the Delivery of Convict Patrick O Donnell of the same Corps in order to enable me to draw the Field rate of Pay up to that period to the above Serjeant-

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt. Servt.
(Signed) W.B. Bernard
Deputy Paymaster

Poonamallee
My Pay Office
24th. June 1841

To
The Keeper of H M Gaol

You are hereby directed to furnish me with the name of the individual who delivered the European Prisoner Patrick O Donnell from Cannanore into your Custody in H M Gaol on the 9th. February 1841 to enable me to furnish the necessary Certificate to the Military Paymaster at Poonamallee-

(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
26th. June 1841

To The Deputy Paymaster
Poonamallee

Sir

I have the honor to enclose the Certificate required by you in your letter of the 24th. Instant-

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt. Servt.
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
26th. June 1841

I hereby certify that Private Patrick O Donnell of Her Majesty's 94th. Regiment was received into Her Majesty's Gaol at Madras on the 9th. day of February 1841 under charge of Serjeant Thomas Dinner of the same Regiment-

(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
26th. June 1841

To The Acting Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir

I have the honor to request that you will give Orders to a Sufficient number of Constables and Tamul Peons to attend at Her Majesty's Gaol on Monday the 5th. day of July next at 8 o'clock in the Morning for the purpose of escorting the Prisoners for Trial to the Court House and thence to the Gaol and to lend their assistance during the period the ensuing Sessions shall last.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
(Sgd) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
30th. June 1841

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Memo

It is requested that Orders may be given to strike off at the Fort Saint George Gazette Press by tomorrow Eighty Calendars and Fifty Jury Lists as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1835.

One Quire and Eight and a half sheets of Medium are transmitted for the purpose Viz.t

Twenty sheets for Calendars.

Twelve and a half sheets for Jury Lists.

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2d July 1841

/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

To The Chief Secretary
to Government

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I have the honor to forward by the direction of The Chief Justice a Warrant directing the Commitment of Private Charles Paget of Her Majesty's 15th or Kings Regiment of Hussars to the Gaol of Madras therein to remain until his sentence of Transportation shall be Carried into effect in due Course of Law

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
/Signed/ C M Reed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
6th July 1841

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To
The Acting Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir,

I have the honor to annex hereto an Extract from the Calendar of Prisoners who were tried at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery holden at Madras on the 5th day of July 1841. and request that you will Order the Prisoner therein named to be kept to Hard labor agreeably to the Sentence passed upon him by the Court.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obed.t Servant
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
10th July 1841

Extract

Exp.d

Read the following letter

To The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward by the direction of the Chief Justice, a Copy of an Order (in Duplicate) which His Lordship has made, upon the requisition of His Excellency the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief, for the Transportation of Charles Paget late a Private belonging to Her Majesty's 15th or King's Regiment of Hussars, to the Eastern Coast of New South Wales, and a Statement (in Duplicate) Containing the date of the Trial of the abovenamed Individual.—

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servt
(Signed) C M Leed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
7th July 1841

N° 534

Resolved that the Marine Board be requested to adopt measures for the transportation of the prisoner named in the foregoing letter to New South Wales.—

The Sheriff will be desired to report to the Marine Board the arrival of the prisoner.—

(Signed) Th Chamier
Chief Secretary

Fort St. George
17th July 1841.

To the Marine Board. Despd 17th. Rec'd 6 PM. 17th. Cond 11 of Am. 19th July
(Sgd) J B B
Ag Secretary

Sheriff Rec'd entd & Rd 19th July 1841.
(Sgd) D M.
Sheriff

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Extract from the Calendar of Persons tried at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery holden at the Town of Madras on Monday the 5th day of July 1841 before the Supreme Court

Name	Charge	Verdict	Sentence
William Boothroyd	Larceny	Confessed	Let him be kept to Hard Labour in this Prison for the Term of One Year and Let him be Discharged at the Expiration of that Time

Edwd I Gambier
Actg Sheriff

C M Leed
Clerk of the Crown

N.B. Commencement of Imprisonment to be calculated from 5th July 1841 the day on which Sentence was passed.

To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir,

With reference to the Order of Government under date the 17th Instant, I have the honor to report to you, for the information of the Marine Board that the Convict Charles Paget, late a Private belonging to Her Majesty's 15th or King's Regiment of Hussars, under Sentence (by General Court Martial) of Transportation to New South Wales, was received this day into my Custody.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Sgd/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th July 1841.

To The Secretary to Government
Public Department

Sir,

With reference to your Communication dated the 21st of April 1840, I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of Government that I have been unable to ascertain from the Records of this Office the date on which the Almirah referred to was received, which it is reported however, was about the period that this Office was established. The Chairs at present in use by the Sheriff and Deputy Sheriff were supplied in 1819, and the Common Chairs in 1836, all

all of which are quite worn out and not worth repairs.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
7th August 1841.

To Duncan Montgomerie Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that an Inquest was held by me at the Village of Chetput on Thursday last the 5th instant on the body of a Native woman known by the name of Rajahthee, and that a Verdict was returned of "Died by the Visitation of God."

It appeared in evidence that the deceased had no relations. I therefore took possession of the property in her house Consisting of Brass Utensils &c &c I understand that the house in which the deceased lived, and a piece of ground Containing about Six Cawnies is also her property. And I have the honor to request that you will have the goodness to take possession of the same on the part of the Crown at your earliest Convenience.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
/Signed/ William Liddell
Coroner

Madras
Coroners Office
9th August 1841.

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Under the explanation afforded in the above letter the Rt. Hon. the Governor in Council requests the Military Board will cause an Almirah and Eight Chairs to be furnished for the use of the Sheriffs Office -

(Signed) Robert Clerk
Secy to Govt

10th August 1841.

To the Military Board
Rec. Ent. & Ret. 11th August 1841.
(Sign) H M.

" Sheriff of Madras
Rec. 11th Ent. & Ret. 12 August 1841.
(Signed) (Signed) D M.
Sheriff

Ex.

To W. Liddell Esqre
Coroner of Madras.

Sir,

In reply to your Letter dated 9th Instant I have the honor to acquaint you that I do not feel authorized to take possession of the property referred to, in your communication.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
12th August 1841

Military Board Office

To The Sheriff of Madraspatam -

Sir,

Referring to your application to Government dated 9th Instant, I have the honor by order of the Military Board to request you will submit an Indent agreeably to the annexed Form for the Furniture required for Your Office, for the purpose of being passed -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Sigd) H Moberly Majr
Secy Mily Bd.

Fort St. George
12th August 1841

Ex.

Indent for the Superintendant's Gun Carriage Manufactory for the following articles required for the use of the Office of the Sheriff of Madras.

	No.	For what Purposes wanted	Amount
Almirah -	1	For the use of the Office of the Sheriff of Madras	
Chairs -	8	Ditto of Officers in ditto	

Madras - 11th August 1841
(Signature)

To The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir

As Convict Burgess late Assistant Apothecary H. M. 39th Regiment is about to be transported to Moulmein and as he appears to be the first East Indian that has been so situated I have the honor to recommend that Government may be pleased to authorize Rations to their individual on board Ship the same as sanctioned for European Convicts -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
14th August 1841.

Ex.

98.

Indent on the Superintendent Gun Carriage Manufactory for the following delivery required for the use of the Office of Sheriff of Madras.

	No	For what purpose wanted	Admitted
Almirahs	1	For the use of the Office of Sheriff of Madras in lieu of others unserviceable	1
Chairs	8		8

Sheriff's Office
Madras
16th August 1841

Signed D Montgomerie
Sheriff

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Contents Received
Signed D Montgomerie
Sheriff

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor to forward by the direction of the Chief Justice, Three Warrants directing the Commitment of the Individuals, named in the Margin, belonging to Her Majesty's 39th Regiment of Foot, to the Gaol of Madras, therein to remain until their Sentence of Transportation shall be carried into effect, in due Course of Law, pursuant to the Orders made for that purpose.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedient Servt
Signed C M Reed
Clerk of the Crown

John Ryan Private
Charles Baker Do
John Donoghan Do

Crown Office
Madras
19th August 1841

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir,

With reference to the Order of Government under date the 28th April 1819. I have the honor to transmit a General Return of Prisoners Confined in Her Majesty's Criminal Gaol for the Six Months ending on the 30th day of June 1841.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
Signed D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
25th August 1841.

A General Return of Prisoners in Her Majestys Criminal Gaol at Madraspatnam for the Six Months ending on the 30th day of June 1841.

№	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
1	Robert Kelly	European	Burglary	13th July 1840	Not Known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to suffer Imprisonment for the period of Twelve Lunar Months the 4th 8th and 12th months Solitary imprisonment	Discharged on the 26th April 1841.
2	Charles Mann	European	Manslaughter	15th Sept. 1836	Not Known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be imprisoned in Her Majesty's Gaol at Madras for the Space of Two Years	In Gaol
3	Ristnan	Hindoo	Larceny	22 Sept. 1840	In Oct. 1840	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 22 April 1841.
4	Ponnan otherwise called Landoo	Hindoo	Receiving Stolen Goods knowing the same to have been Stolen			Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Fourteen Years	Transported on the 22 April 1841.
5	Mylapore Veerasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	2 Oct. 1840	In Oct. 1840	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven years	Transported on the 22 April 1841.
6	Selar	Mahomedan	Murder	23 Oct. 1840	In Jany 1841	The Bill was returned by the Grand Jury Endorsed "No Bill"	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 21st January 1841.
7	Ettyapen	Hindoo	Accessaries					
8	Nunnoo	Mahomedan	Accessaries					
9	Paupah otherwise Called Lutchoomee	Hindoo	Wounding with intent to disfigure &c	23 Oct. 1840	In Jany 1841	Guilty	Let her be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of Two Years and let her be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then Let her be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendent of Police on the 10th February 1841.

No	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdict	Sentence	Remarks
10	Thistniah	Hindoo	Embezzlement	24th Nov 1840	In Jany 1841	The Bill was returned by the Grand Jury Endorsed No Bill	Let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 21th January 1841.
11	Gholam Mohedeen	Mahomedan	Wounding with intent to do some Grievous bodily harm &c	31st Nov 1840	In Jany 1841	Not Guilty of Wounding but Guilty of an Assault	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the term of Three Years and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and then let him be Discharged	Delivered over to the Superintendent of Police on the 10th February 1841.
12	Soobbaroyalo							
13	Allagherry	Hindoo	Murder	1st Dec 1840	In Jany 1841	The Bill was returned by the Grand Jury Endorsed No Bill	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 21th January 1841.
14	Vencatasawmy		Accessaries					
15	Swalow	Portigue	Larceny	1 Dec 1840	In Jany 1841	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Seven Years	Transported on the 22 April 1841.
16	Floripa Rozario		Receiving Stolen Goods knowing the same to have been Stolen				Let her be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and let her be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then let her be discharged	Delivered over to the Superintendent of Police on the 10th February 1841
17	Khasim Saib	Mahomedan				Not Guilty	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 25th January 1841.
18	Soobroya Chitty					Not Guilty		
19	Vaiayoodan	Hindoo				Not Guilty		
20	Rack.	Portigue				Not Guilty		
21	Soondarum					Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 22 April 1841
22	Maisty. Veerasawmy	Hindoo	Uttering a forged Bill of Sale	14th Dec 1840	In Jany 1841	The Bill was returned by the Grand Jury Endorsed No Bill	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 23 January 1841.
23	Ahmud Khan	Mahomedan of a Boat						

No	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
24	George France	Portgue	Larceny	21st Dec. 1840	In Jany 1841	Pleads Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and let him be Kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendent of Police on the 10th February 1841.
25	Rungyan	Hindoo	Larceny	9th Jany 1841	In Jany 1841	Pleads Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Space of Six Calendar Months and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendent of Police on the 10th February 1841.
26	Veerasawmy					Not Guilty	Discharged by Proclamation	Discharged on the 19th January 1841.
27	Khyroo	Mahomdan	Larceny	9th Jany 1841	In Jany 1841	Guilty	Let her be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of Eighteen Calendar Months and let her be Kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then let her be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendent of Police on the 10th February 1841.
28	Hoosainee Begum otherwise Called Ballee Begum	Mahomdan	Murder	9th Jany 1841	In Jany 1841	Not Guilty	Let her be Discharged	Discharged on the 23 April 1841.
29	Jeyghee Maun					Not Guilty	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 23 January 1841.
30	Ghoolam Mohdee					Not Guilty		
31	Parthasarady	Hindoo	Larceny	15th Jany 1841	In Jany 1841	Pleads Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Space of Six Calendar Months and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendent of Police on the 10th February 1841.
32	Aroonachellum	Hindoo	Abduction	19th Jany 1841	In Jany 1841	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Common Gaol of Madras for the Term of One Year and let him Pay a fine of One Hundred Rupees to the Queen and let him be further imprisoned until such fine be paid and then Let him be Discharged	In Gaol

No	Names	Nation	Crimes	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
233	Veerasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	30th Jany 1841	In April 1841	Plead Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol
234	Patrick O'Donnell	European	Threatening to shoot his Superior Officer	9th Feby 1841	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond the seas as a felon for the period of Seven years	In Gaol
235	William Hoad	European	Deserting the Service and Negligence	12th Feby 1841	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond the seas as a felon for the period of Seven Years	In Gaol
236	Charlas M'Kennie	Europeans	Cutting and wounding with intent to Maim &c	19th Feby 1841	In April 1841	Guilty on the 2 Count to do some Grievous bodily harm	Let him be imprisoned in the Common Gaol of Madras until the 19th day of May 1841 and then let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 19th May 1841.
237	James Carter					Not Guilty	Let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 16th April 1841.
238	Mahomed Sillar	Mahomedan	Using disrespectful Language to his Superior Officer	24th Feby 1841	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a Native Regimental Court Martial to be imprisoned with Hard Labor for a period of Six Lunar Months	Delivered Over to the Superintendent of Police on the 25 February 1841.
239	John Peter Thomas Burgess	Portugue	Murder	8th March 1841	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond seas as a felon for the term of his Natural Life	In Gaol
240	Seringum	Hindoo	Larceny	14 April 1841	In April 1841	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Seven Years	In Gaol
241	Edward M'Grath	European	Killing a Bullock	25th April 1841	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond the seas for the term of Seven Years	In Gaol

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Nº	Names	Nation	Crimes	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
42	William Gahagan	European	Accessary for aiding and assisting Edward M'Grath to Kill a Bullock	25th April 1841	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas for the term of Seven Years	In Gaol
43	William Boitheroyd	European	Larceny	18 May 1841	Not Tried			In Gaol
44	Victoriano D'Rozario	Portugue	Embezzlement	9th June 1841	Not Tried			In Gaol
45	Peter Perry	European	Desertion	12th June 1841	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas as a Felon for the period of Seven Years	In Gaol
46	John Binds	European	Desertion	12 June 1841	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas as a felon for the period of Seven Years	In Gaol

Sheriffs Office
Madras
25th August 1841

/ Signed / D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Town Major's Office

No 2910

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I am directed to forward to you, per bearer, the Sum of Rupees /57/ Fifty Seven, being the amount due to convict Joseph Gilfoyle, late a Gunner of the 1st Battalian Artillery, now in Her Majestys Gaol and to request, that you will cause the same being paid to him and forward me his Acquittance at your convenience.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
/Signed/ F. Le Dovetor Lt Col
Town Major

Fort Saint George
27th August 1841

2d

To

The Town Major
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 27th Instant, together with the Sum of Company's Rupees (57) Fifty Seven, which has been handed over to the Individual named by you, whose receipt is enclosed herein.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
28th August 1841

2d

A.R. 57

Received this 28th day of August 1841.
of Lieut. Col. F. L. Dovetor, Town Major —
the Sum of Company's Rupees Fifty Seven being
the Amount due to me —

Witness /Sig/ H Gibbs

/Signed/ Joseph Gilfoyle
Contence Recave

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To

The Superintendent
Gun Carriage Manufactory

Sir

I have the honor to request, you will order the delivery of the Articles, mentioned in the Indent made in this Office, on the 16th Instant, as per Memo herein enclosed —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
31st August 1841

4d

Memo

One Almirah or Book Shelf —
Two large Sized Chairs with Arms for the use of the Sheriff & Deputy Sheriff —

Six do Common. for the use of the Office.

/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
31st August 1841

4d

To D. Montgomerie Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I herewith sent two lists of the Claims belongs to the Prisoners named Patrick O'Donnell, Patrick Keane and James Holland which they request to forward to the Town Major, or Commanding Officer.

I am
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) H. Gibbs
Marshal of H.M. Gaol

Madras
30th Augt 1841

Ex

To The Town Major
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to enclose Statements of Claims, made by Patrick O'Donnell, late a Private of H.M. 94th or Regiment, and James Holland, and Patrick Keane, late Privates of the 2d European Light Infantry, now on Prisoners in H.M. Gaol, under Sentence of Transportation by Military Courts Martial.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
1st September 1841

Ex

No 86

To The Sheriff
of Madras

Sir

I have the honor to request you will have the goodness to furnish me with a Certificate for Serjeant Joseph Davis of Her Majestys 15th Hussars stating the date of the Delivery of Convict Charles Paget of the same Corps, in order to enable me to draw the field rate Pay up to that period to the above Serjeant.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) W.B. Bernard
Deputy Paymr.

Poonamallee
My Pay Office
31st Augt 1841

Ex

To The Keeper of Her Majestys Gaol

Be pleased to furnish me with a Memo, stating the date of the delivery of Convict Charles Paget, late a Private of Her Majestys 15th or King's Regiment of Hussars, and also the name of the Individual, who was in Charge of the said Convict in order to enable me to furnish the necessary Certificate to the Military Pay master at Poonamallee.

(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
1st Septr. 1841

Ex

Sir, I hereunto beg to inform you that the Prisoner named Charles Paget late a Private of Her Majestys 15th or Kings Regiment of Hussars, was received in Her Majestys Gaol on the 18th July 1841 and the name of the Individual who was in Charge of the said Prisoner is unknown to me, and as I have nothing to do with the escort only to give the receipt for receiving the Prisoner. I am Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Sgd) H Gibbs
Marshal of H.M. Gaol

H.M. Gaol
Madras
2nd Septr 1841

To D Montgomerie Esqre
Sheriff of Madras.

Ex

To The Deputy Paymaster
Poonamallee

Sir.

I have the honor to enclose the Certificate required by you in your letter of the 31st Ultimo, and to inform you, that I am unable to give you the name of the individual who was in Charge of Convict Charles Paget, late a Private of Her Majesty's 15th or Kings Regiment of Hussars. I have the honor to be

Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Sigd) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
3d September 1841
4d

I hereby Certify that Convict Charles Paget, late a Private of Her Majesty's 15th or Kings Regiment of Hussars, was received into Her Majesty's Gaol at Madras on the 18th day of July 1841.

(Sgd) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
3d September 1841
4d

To The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir

I have the honor to request you will give the necessary Orders for striking off the undermentioned Copies of Writs, as early as possible, as per Order of Government, dated 20th January 1835.

One Quire and two Sheets of Medium, One Quire and two Sheets of Demy and Two Quires and Fifteen Sheets of Kings Arms are transmitted for the above.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
3d September 1841
4d

Memo	Copies		Quires Sheets
Summonses against Europeans	50	Medium	1 - 1
do do Natives	50		
Writs of Possession	25	Demy	1 - 1
do of Sequestration in Equity Side	25		
Commission of Rebellion	25	Kings arm	2 - 15
Attachments for Costs	25		
do for want of Appearance	25		
Bench Warrants	50		
Deputations			

4d

To The Sheriff of Madras.

Sir, Accompanying I have the Honor to forward the Precepts for Convening the Next October Sessions - The Proclamation must be inserted as usual in the Fort Saint George Gazette -

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) C. M. Teed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras.
3d Sept 1841

2d

Proclamation

Madras
To Wit

By Virtue of a Precept to Me directed Thereby Proclaim and give Notice that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery in and for Fort Saint George the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto will be holden at the Court House at Madras aforesaid on Thursday the Seventh Day of October Next ensuing the date hereof at Eleven O'clock in the forenoon for the Trial of all Treasons Murders Felonies and other Crimes and Misdemeanors had done or Committed within Fort Saint George or the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto and Dependant thereon -

And also that at the same time and place will be holden a Session of admiralty for the Trial of all Treasons Murders Piracies Felonies Treppasses Misdemeanors and other Crimes and Offences done perpetrated or Committed on the High Seas -

And Thereby Require and enjoin all persons bound to prosecute and give evidence at the above Sessions or in any wise Concerned therein to attend at the time and place abovementioned and Not to depart without leave

Dated this Third Day of September 1841 -

(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Judicial Department -

No. 659.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Under date the 2d September 1841 -

Read the following letter from the Acting Secretary Marine Board

(Here enter 24th August 1841 - No. 900)

Resolved that the Judges of the Faydaree Udalut & the Sheriff of Madras and the Acting Chief Magistrate and Superintendent of Police be requested to Communicate infuture to the Marine Board the Names of the Convicts despatched from Chingleput and Mysore received at Madras for transportation -

(A true Extract)
(Signed) Walter Elliot
Acting Sec. to Govt

To The Sheriff of Madras -

No. 965

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir, With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 2d Instant and by desire of the Marine Board I have the honor to request that you will be good Enough to furnish Me with the Names of the Convicts Now in Her Majestys' Jail under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boyson
acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Board Office
6th September 1841 -

Madras
To Wit.

Proclamation

By Virtue of a Precept to Me directed Thereby Proclaim- and give Notice that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery in and for Fort Saint George the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto will be holden at the Court House at Madras aforesaid on Thursday the Seventh Day of October Next ensuing the date hereof at Eleven O'clock in the forenoon for the Trial of all Treasons Murders Felonies and other Crimes and Misdemeanors had done or Committed within Fort Saint George or the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto and Dependant thereon.—

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Sheriff

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boyson
acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Board Office
6th September 1841.

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To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board.

Sir,

In acknowledging the Receipt of your letter of this days date I have the honor to inform you that there are Four Convicts Named in the Margin Now in Her Majesty's Gaol for Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
6th Septr 1841.

No 1 Veerasawmy
2. Seeramulu
3. Sohun Bhut
4. Victoriano DeRozario

Patrick Keane late a Privt 2d Bn 41 Regt
James Holland ——— do ———
Peter Daly ——— do ———
Joseph Gilfyle late a Gunner 6 Company 1st Bn 2d Artillery

To The Adjutant General of the Army
Fort Saint George

Sir,

The men, named in the Margin, now in H.M. Gaol, under Sentence of transportation, having applied to me, for Copies of the proceedings of the Courts Martial, by which they were tried, I have the honor to submit the same, for the consideration, of the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
9th September 1841

Memo

To D Montgomerie Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

William Hoad, Edward M'Grath, Patrick Keane, James Holland, Peter Daly, and Joseph Gilfyle, are requires their Copy of Proceedings of the Court Martial.

I am
Sir
Your Most Obedt
(Signed) H Gibbs
Marshall of H M Gaol

Her Majesty's Gaol
Madras
7th Septr 1841

William Hoad late a Privt 57th Regt of Foot
Edward M'Grath do 15th Regt of Hussars

To The Brigade Major Queen's Troops
Fort Saint George

Sir

The men, named in the margin, now in H.M. Gaol, under Sentence of transportation, having applied to me, for Copies of proceedings of the Court Martial, by which they were tried, I have the honor to submit the same for the Consideration of the Officer Commanding the Army in Chief.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
9th September 1841

Read the following letter

№ 979

Madras, Marine Board Office
8th September 1841

Sir,

With reference to the Orders of Government №s 353 and 533 on two letters from the Clerk of the Crown dated 28th April and 10th July last, and by desire of the Marine Board, I have the honor to inform you, that passage to Moolmeyne has been provided on the Bark "Victoria" for the 3 Native Convicts therein mentioned, at the rate of 25 Rupees for each, the Commissariat finding Provisions &ca, and the Commander providing a Suitable Guard and Prison for their safe Custody.

2. I have the honor also to forward the accompanying Copy of a letter from the Sheriff of Madras, specifying the names of the Convicts now in Her Majesty's Jail under Sentence of transportation to Moolmeyne, from which it appears that there are 4 Convicts awaiting the execution of such Sentence.

3 I beg therefore to request that the Government will authorize the Board to provide the necessary passage for this 4th Convict who can then be Conveyed on the "Victoria," no Orders having yet been received on the subject.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boyson
Acting Secretary

To
The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

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№ 673

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council desires that the 3 Native Convicts referred to in para 1 of the foregoing letter may be Embarked on board the "Victoria" on the proposed terms.

(Sgd) C.M.L.
J.B.

The Case of the remaining Convict Burgess will be referred to the Military Department for the issue of the necessary orders.

Ordered that the foregoing letter and Resolution be Communicated to the Commissary General and the Sheriff of Madras for their information and guidance.

(Signed) Walter Elliot
Ag Secy to Govt

Fort St. George
10th September 1841.

To the Military Department. 2P 10th Sept.

Marine Board Recd 6 P.M. 10 Entered 11 Sept. Lr. R.B.

Commissary Genl. { 11 A.M. Recd. Ent. & Ret. 2 P.M. 11 Sept. 1841 } Dft sent to Govt (Sgd) D.B. D.A.G.

Exd

Sheriff. Recd. Ent. & Ret. 11 Sept. 1841.
(Sgd) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

№ 4551

To
D. Montgomerie Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge your letter of the 9th Instant applying for proceedings of the trials of certain men who lately belonged to the 1st Battn Artly & 2d European Light Infantry and have the honor to inform you that the Communication has been transferred to the Judge Advocate General of the Army in whose charge are the Proceedings of all General Courts Martial and who has been requested to reply to you on the subject.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
(Sgd) R. Alexander Lieut Colt
Adjutant General
of the Army.

Adjutt Genls Office
Fort St. George
Exd 10th September 1841

Fifth

To

Duncan Montgomerie Esq.re

Sheriff

Madras

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of an application made by you to the Adjutant General of the Army, under date 9.th Instant, on the part of the Convicts as per Margin, for Copies of the Proceedings of the General Court Martial held upon their trials, which application has been transferred to my office by that Officer. I beg to acquaint you that Copies of the same shall be put in a course of preparation, and Notice shall be given to you when they may be ready for delivery on payment of the Regulated Charge for each.

1 Patrick Keane late a Private 24.th Regt.
1 James Pollard do do Pioneers
1 Peter Daly do do
1 Joseph Gilgoyle late a Private 94.th Regt.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
Signed Thos B.d Chalon
Judge Advocate General
of the Army

Judge Adv.t Gen.ls Office
Fort Saint George
XIII.th September 1841

Exd.a

Town Majors Office

No. 3086.

To

The Sheriff of

Sir

Madras

With reference to your letter under date the 1.st Instant, I am directed to transmit to you the annexed Copy of a Letter from the Officer Commanding H.

M. 94.th Regiment together with the original accounts of O'Donnell late a Private of that Corps.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
Signed F. Le. Doveton Lieut.t
Town Major

Fort Saint George
14.th September 1841

Cannanore
8.th September 1841.

No. 368.

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2.d Instant, enclosing a claim preferred by Private O'Donnell late a Private in the Regiment under my command and in reply to state, that upon reference to the Statement of the mans accounts it appears that a balance credit of One Rupee, nine annas and Eight Pice (1-9-8) remained upon the 18.th December 1840. the day upon which he became noneffective.

By the direction of Lieutenant Colonell Gascoyne then Commanding H.M. 94.th Regiment the Articles as stated in the enclosed Copy of this mans Accounts were sold at Auction and the balance paid to the Regimental Paymaster in Conformity with the instructions contained in the 130 Articles 5 Sect: page 67 of the Articles of War for H.M. Troops.

A Statement of this mans accounts together with the claim preferred by him is herewith enclosed and should be considered entitled to the balance remaining after the payment of his Regimental debts, the same will be remitted in any way that may be point out.

Signed H.R. Milner Majr
Comg H.M 94.th Regiment

To Town Major
Fort Saint George

(A True Copy)
Signed F. Le. Doveton
Town Major

Statement of the Accounts of N.o 426 Patrick O Donnell of the 94th Regt. of Foot ---

Enlisted at Ballymahon on the 18 of Sept.r 1825
Joined the Regt. at Plymouth on the 3d of Dec.r 1825
Transported at Cannanore on the 18th of Dec.r 1840.

Date	Dr	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s	d.
					Bounty (if a Recruit enlisted or Joined within three Months) 18			
					Days' pay at 9d. from 1st to 18th Dec.r	0	9	0
					Days' Beer Money at 1d. ----			
					Necessaries			
					Amount produced by the Sale of Necessaries, per Certified particulars annexed, Voucher N.o			
					Pairs of White Linin Trowsers 2	0	1	1
					Shirts 5	0	2	5
					Pairs of Socks 2	0	0	4
					Braces 2	0	0	2
					Knapsack with Straps 1	0	0	6
1840					Shoe Brushes 2	0	0	3
18 Dec.r	To 18 days Subsistence at 9d.	0	9	0	Turnscrew Worm, Brush & Picker 1	0	0	1
—0—	1 Pair Blue Cotton Trowsers	0	2	8	Gun Stopper 1	0	0	1
					Mess Tin and Cover 1	0	0	3
					Towels 2	0	0	2
					Other Effects Viz.t			
					White Jackets 3	0	1	0
	To Balance C.r	0	3	8	By Balance D.r			
	£	0	15	4	£	0	15	4

I do hereby certify that having carefully examined the above Account of Patrick O'Donnell of 94th Regiment who was Transported on the 18th of December 1840. I find the same correct in every particular, that it agrees in every respect with the Mans Account in the Ledger, and that the Necessaries and all other Effects and Credits of the Man are properly accounted for therein according to the Rules prescribed by Articles 197 and 198 of the Explanatory Directions.*
Dated at Cannanore this 28 day of January 1841. (Sig.d) H.C. Seton Captain {Commanding the Troop or Company

* The Statements of Men's Accounts are required by these Articles to be made up from the dates of Joining (including their Bounty) if they have not been presented with the Regiment more than three Months.
N.B The Accounts of Men who become non Effective are not chargeable with articles of Clothing, Arms Accoutrements, &c.

(a True Copy)
(Sig.d) H.C. Milner
Major Comm.g 94th Regt.

To The Keeper of H.M. Gaol

You are hereby requested to read over the accompanying Copy of a letter to my address from the Judge Advocate General of the Army to the European Convicts referred to, in the said letter and to inform me at your earliest convenience whether they are prepared to pay the regulated Charges for Copies of the Proceedings of the General Courts Martial by which they were tried.--

(Sig.d) D Montgomerie Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras --
15 September 1841.

N.o 3206

Brigade Major's Office
Fort Saint George
15th September 1841.

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 9th Instant, I have the honor to transmit the Copy of a letter from the Judge Advocate General of the Army respecting the Proceedings of Courts Martial you required upon the Privates now under Sentence of transportation in the Madras Gral

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servt.
(Sig.d) A.A. Anderson
B.M.H.M. Forces.

14th September 1841

To
The Sheriff
of
Madras

4d

N.o 150

To
The Deputy Adjutant General
Her Majesty's Forces
Fort St. George

Sir

With reference to the letter from the Sheriff of

1 William Bond, Corpl Private 57th Regt of Foot
1 Edward M Gaddi do 15th Regt of Hussars

of Madras under date 9th Instant, to the address of the Brigade Major Queens Troops, applying for the Proceedings of two General Courts Martial held upon the Convicts as per margin, now in the Grand Gaol of Madras under Sentence of Transportation.

I have the honor to inform you that all original Proceedings of Courts Martial upon Soldiers of Her Majesty's Service are transmitted with the least delay practicable to Her Majesty's Judge Advocate General in London, in accordance with the provisions of the 17th Clause of the existing Mutiny Act, for Her Majesty's Forces, who alone is authorized to give Copies of the same.

Judge Advocate Gen.ls Office
Fort Saint George
XIV September 1841

I have the hono.r &c.
(Signed) J. B. Chalon
Judge Advocate Gen.l
of the Army

A true Copy
(Signed) A. A. Anderson
B. M. H. M. Forces.

To
D Montgomerie Esq.re
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Agreeable to your Order I read over the Copy of a letter to the European Convicts and two of the Prisoners named Patrick Keane and James Holland agree to pay the Charges for Copies and the other named Peter Daly and Joseph Gilfoyle says that Shee has no means to pay for them.

I am
Sir
Your most Obed.t Servt
(Sign.d) R Gibbs

B. M. Gaol
Madras
16th Sept.r 1841

To
The Judge Advocate General
of the Army

Sir

With reference to your letter dated the 13th Instant I have the honor to acquaint you, that Convicts Patrick Keane and James Holland are willing to pay the Regulated Fees for Copies of proceedings of their trials. But Peter Daly and Joseph Gilfoyle state, that they have not the means of doing so.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed.t Servt
(Sign.d) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
16th September 1841

No 1040.

To
The Sheriff
of Madras

Sir

By desire of the Marine Board I have the honor to request that the 3 Native Convicts under sentence of transportation to Moolmeyna, may be embarked on the "Victoria" on the morning of Saturday next the 18th Instant.

1 Veeraswamy
2 Veerungum
3 Victorians
D.o Rogaris

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boyson
Acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Board Office
16th September 1841.

To
The Keeper of H. M. Gaol

You are hereby directed to embark the three Native Convicts named in the Margin on the Morning of Saturday next the 18th Instant on the "Victoria".

A

1 Veeraswamy
2 Veerungum
3 Victorians
D.o Rogaris

A Boat will be in readiness opposite the Custom House for the purpose of taking the above named Convicts to the said Barque

Sheriffs Office
Madras
16th September 1841

/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

I
The Master Attendant

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary Orders for a Boat to be in readiness opposite the Custom House on the morning of Saturday next, the 18th Instant, for the purpose of conveying three native Convicts, under Sentence of transportation to the "Victoria"

Sheriff's office
Madras
16th September 1841

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

To
The Officer Commanding
on the "Victoria"
Madras Roads

Sir,

I request you will receive on the "Victoria" the three native Convicts named in the Margin under Sentence of transportation to Moolmeyne

No 1 Veerasawmy
" 2 Seerungum
" 3 Victoriano
D'Rozario

Boyd

and sign the receipt which the Bearer of this, one of my Officers, will present to you for that purpose.

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servt
/Sgd/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
17th September 1841

Received on the Barque Victoria this Eighteenth day of Septr 1841 of Duncan Montgomerie Esquire Sheriff of Madras the three Native Convicts named in the Margin under Sentence of transportation to Moolmeyne together with three pairs of Irons.

No 1 Veerasawmy
" 2 Seerungum
" 3 Victoriano
D'Rozario

/Signed/ J P Weston
Comg Officer

To
The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of Government, that the three native Convicts, named in the Margin, were this morning embarked on the Barque "Victoria" for transportation to Moolmeyne.

No 1 Veerasawmy
" 2 Seerungum
" 3 Victoriano
D'Rozario

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th September 1841.

To
The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of the Marine Board, that the Three Native Convicts named in the Margin, were this Morning embarked on the Barque "Victoria" for transportation to Moolmeyne.

No 1. Veeradawmy
" 2. Soorungum
" 3. Victoriano
D. Roganis

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th September 1841.

To
The Clerk of the Crown

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you, that the Three Native Convicts named in the Margin, were this Morning embarked on the Barque "Victoria" for transportation to Moolmeyne.

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" 3. Victoriano
D. Roganis

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th September 1841.

To
Duncan Montgomerie Esq.re
Sheriff
Madras

Sir

With reference to your letter of 9th Instant, I have the honor to inform you that Copies of the Proceedings of the General Court to Martial therein called for, have been prepared and are ready for delivery on payment of the Charges specified in the Margin.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Thos B.r Chalon
Judge Adv General of the Army

Judge Adv Gen.ls Office
Fort Saint George
XVIIIth September 1841

Judicial Department

No 672

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 17th September 1841.

Read Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department
(Dated 17th August 1841. No 3129.)

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the grant to the East Indean Convict Burgess of the same Rations as are allowed to European Convicts.

(A true Extract)
(Signed) Walter Elliot
Ag Secretary to Govt

To
The Military Department

No
Order thereon

№ 3570

Ordered that the foregoing Extract be Communicated to the Commissary General and to the Marine Board.

Fort St. George
20th September 1841.

(Signed) S. W. Steel Lt Col.
Secy to Govt

To the Marine Board Entered 21st Sept. (sig) I R.B. Dy Secy

Commissary Genl. Rec. Entd & Rt. 12 M 21st Sept. 1841 (sig) I. B. Dy Secy

Sheriff of Madras Rec Entd & Rt. 21st Sept. 1841.
(sig) D. M.
Sheriff

(2)

To D Montgomerie Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I herewith beg to inform you that I read over the Copy of a letter which you sent yesterday to the Prisoners named Patrick Keane, J Holland, P. Daly and J. Gilfoyle who says that they have no money at present and they written to Bangalore for the money soon as they have, I will let you know-

I am
Sir,
Your most Obet. Servt.
(Signed) H. Gibbs
Marshal of H.M. Gaol

H M Gaol
Madras
22d Sept. 1841

№ 3164

Town Major's Office

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I am directed to forward to you for delivery

the accompanying Clothing and Half Mountings due to Patrick Keane, and James Holland, late Privates in the 2nd European Light Infantry- and request that you will cause their Signatures to be affixed to the accompanying Acquittance Roll and return it to this Office.-

I have the honor to be.
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) T. L. Donelan Lt.
Town Major.

Fort St. George
23d September, 1841.

Acquittance-

We do acknowledge to have received from the Town Major of Fort Saint George the undermentioned Articles being our Clothing and Half Mountings due to us as specified opposite to our respective Names-

Rank and Name	Corps	Clothing For 1840	Half Mounting For 1841			Signature
Corporal James Hamstead		1 Jacket	3	5	4	P J Hamstead
Private Patrick Kean		ditto	2	2	8	Patrick Keane
" James Holland		ditto	2	2	8	James Holland

Fort St. George
September 1841

Town Major

To D. Montgomerie Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I herewith beg to bring to your Notice that the European and Country born Prisoners in Her Majestys Gaol had no Bread last two days,

but

but Biscuits, has been served out one Oz. each instead of it and they are grumbling about it.

I am
Sir,
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
/Signed/ H. Gibbs
Marshal of H.M. Gaol

H.M. Gaol
Madras
24th Sept.r 1841.

Rd

To
The Commissary General
of the Army
Madras

Sir,

I beg to annex for your information a Copy of a Letter from the Marshal of H.M. Gaol relative to the non-supply of bread to the European and Indo Britain Prisoners.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
/Signed/ D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
25th September 1841.

Rd

To
The Town Major
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 23d Instant, together with the Clothing and Half Mounting, which have been handed over to the individuals named in the margin, and to return to you the enclosed Acquittance Roll duly signed as therein requested.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
/Signed/ D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
25th September 1841.

Rd

Private Patrick Keane
" James Holland

To
The Judge Advocate General
of the Army

Sir

With reference to my letter to your address dated the 16th Instant, I herewith send Four Rupees for the Copies of the Proceedings of the Courts Martial held on Patrick Keane and James Holland, being the Amount of Fees required, as specified in your letter of the 18th Instant.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
/Signed/ D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
25th September 1841

Rd

Commissary General's Office
Madras 25th September 1841

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

In reply to your letter of this date, I have the honor by desire of the Commissary General to inform, that Bread is not at present procurable for the Prisoners in H.M. Gaol, and that biscuit is therefore supplied in lieu thereof.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
/Signed/ J. Bower
D.A.C.G.

No. 157

To
Duncan Montgomerie Esq.r
Sheriff
Madras

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Sheriff's Office
Madras
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/Signed/ J. Bower
D.A.C.G.

letter of 25th Instant and herewith transmit attested Copies of the Proceedings upon the trials of the Convicts James Holland and Patrick Keane late Privates of the Second European Light Infantry—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
/Signed/ Thos Bn. Chalon
Judge Advo. General of the Army.

Judge Advo. Genl. Office
Fort Saint George
XXVIIth. September 1841

Memorandum

The following Articles are sent from the Gun Carriage Manufactory to the Sheriff's Office

Chairs without arms —— No 6
Do —— with arms —— 2

/Sgd/ J. Maitland Captain
Supdt Gun Carriage Manfy.

Gun Carriage Manufy
29th September 1841

Received the within Contents
/Sgd/ J. D'Montgomerie Sheriff

No 1128

To
The Sheriff of
Madras

Sir

By desire of the Marine Board, I have the honor to request, that you will be good enough to furnish me, with the usual Descriptive Roll of the European Convicts now in Her Majesty's Jail under sentence of transportation to New South Wales.

I

I have to beg the favor of your immediate Reply.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servt.
/Signed/ J. R. Boyson
Acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Board Office
30th September 1841.
2nd

To
The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir

In reply to your Letter of the 30th Ultimo, I have the honor to enclose a Descriptive Roll of Seven European Convicts, now in Her Majestys Gaol under Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales and to it I have added the General Character of each Convict so far as the same is known to me.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
/Signed/ D'montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2 October 1841.

D

Descriptive Roll of the European Convicts now under Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales.

Names	Where Born	Age	Hair	Eyes	Face	Marks & Remarks
Patrick O'Donnell	County of Longford	94th Regiment 21	Hair Light Brown	Blue	Round	None. Good behaviour
Do	Do	Do	Do	Light	Do	Do
William Mahon	Do	57th Do	Do	Grey	Do	Do
William Gahagan	Do of Antrim	15th Do	Light	Brown	Do	Do
Edward M'Grath	Do of Cork	15th Do	Hair	Dark Brown	Do	Do
John Kinds	Lane Caskie	39 Rs	Dark	Dark	Do	Do
Peter Perry	Clea County	39 Do	Do	D. Brown	Do	Do
Charles Paget	County of Yorkshire	15th Do	Hair	Light Blue	Do	Do

Signed D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2 October 1841.

No 1136

Madras Marine Board Office
1st October 1841.

Sir

With reference to the Orders of Government noted in the Margin, and by desire of the Marine Board, I have the honor to forward the accompanying tender of the Ship "British Sovereign" for the conveyance to New South Wales of the 7 European Convicts noted in the Margin at the rate of 500 Rupees for each, the Commander supplying Provisions, Water, Medical Comforts and a suitable Prison and Guard.

2 The Board consider the terms Reasonable and beg to recommend that the tender may be accepted provided the Vessel is detained until Tuesday next the 5th Instant.

3 The rates allowed on former occasions are as follows.

1834	May.	Merope	600 Rs for each Convict
	Sep	Victoria	600 do
135	Jany	Resource	400 do
	March	Patriot	400 do
136	May	Swallow	800. do
137	March	"Charles Dumergue"	700 do
138	July	Caledonia	550. do
	Sep	Gullardon	550 do
		Do	550 do
139	July	Sesostris	500. do
140	Dec		

To The acting Chief Secretary to Government Fort St G.

4

Descriptive Roll of the European Convicts now under Sentence of Transportation for Her Majesty's Gaol at Madraspatnam to New South Wales.

Names	Rank Regiment	Where born	Age	Hair	Eyes	Face	Mark	Remarks
Patrick O'Donnell	Pte 94th	County of Long Ford	24	Light Brown	Blue	Round	None	Good Labourer
William Read	Do 57th	Do of Kilkenny	25	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do
William Gahagan	15th Hussars	Do of Antrim	24	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do
Edward M'Grath	15th Hussars	Do of Cork	24	Light Brown	Grey	Do	Do	Do
John Knibbs	39th Regt	Lancashire	24	Fair	Dark blue	Do	Do	Do
Peter Perry	39 Do	Essex County	24	Dark	Dark	Do	Do	Do
Charles Paget	15 Hussars	County of Yorkshire	24	Do	Brown	Do	Do	Do
				Fair	Blue	Do	Do	Do

Signed D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
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	Sep	Gullardon	550 do
1839	July	Do	550 do
1840	Dec	Sesostris	500 do

To
The acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St George

4

4 I beg to observe that it has hitherto been customary to call upon the Commanders of Vessels conveying Convicts from this Presidency to New South Wales, to provide Medical Aid for them, and in Cases where any Vessel that may have been accepted for the transport of Convicts, did not carry a Surgeon, it has been the practice of Government to send a Medical Subordinate in Charge, on the Commanders undertaking to supply him with provisions, and provide him with passage to and from Madras.

5 It appears that the "British Sovereign" does not carry a Surgeon.

6 The Commander states that he has now on board 13 Convicts, who were shipped at Calcutta - That he has a well furnished Medicine Chest but does not carry a Surgeon -

7. It is presumed therefore that the fact of his having no Medical Man on board, was not Considered by the Supreme Government as a Sufficient obstacle to the engagement of the Vessel for the Conveyance of the Convicts.

8. The Commander states that he is unable to accommodate a Medical Subordinate even should the Government Consider it expedient to send one in Charge, his Ship being fully occupied.

9

9 The Board understand that the Convicts to be embarked from this Presidency are all in good health and under the — circumstances before mentioned, and as the requisition has in former Cases been waived, the Board beg to recommend that the Tender of the British Sovereign may be accepted on the Commander undertaking to supply all necessary Medical Comforts.

10 I have the honor to add that the Port and Marine Surgeon has been requested to survey the Medical Chest of the "British Sovereign" and that his report when received will be communicated to Government.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boyson
Acting Secretary

P. S. An early answer is requested.

No 750.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the acceptance of the tender of the "British Sovereign" on the terms and Conditions recommended by the Marine Board in the foregoing letter.

The Commissary General will see that Bedding and other articles usually supplied from the Commissariat on the embarkation of European Convicts are duly

duly furnished to the party to be embarked on the above named Vessel.

The Marine Board will prepare and submit without delay the usual Charter party agreement to be executed on the occasion as well as the Power of Attorneys

Fort St. George
October 1841

/Signed/ Walter Elliot
Acting Secry to Govt.

To the Marine Board. Rec.d Ent.d and returned /2/ p 11 A.m.
3 October 1841
/Sig.d/ J R B.
Actg Sec.y

Commiss.r General and
Sheriff of Madras Rec.d Ent.d & Ret.d 4 October 1841
/Sig.d/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

2d

To D. Montgomerie Esq.re
Sheriff of Madras
V.ea V.ea V.ea

Sir,

I herewith bring to your Notice that One of the Petty Court Prisoner Named Govindoo is Confined in a private room for defrauding a pair of cloth from another prisoner - named Veerasawmy Moodl.y I will thank you to Call down to the Gaol if convenient -

H. M. Gaol
Madras
2.d October 1841.

I am Sir
your most Obed.t Serv.t
/Signed/ H. Gibbs
Marshal

2nd

Supreme Court
Madras
Crown Side

The Queen on R.n Ramasaw
Buttoo Chitty alias Ramasawmy and Moottoosawmy

To The Sheriff of Madras.

Sir,

Being retained to defend the Prisoners in this Cause I have to request you will be pleased to give directions that I be permitted to see my Clients as I May have occasion -

I am Sir
your Obed.t Serv.t
/Signed/ J. W. Branson
Deft.y Advy.te

Madras
2.d Oct.r 1841

2d

To D. Montgomerie Esq.re
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V.ea V.ea V.ea

Sir,

Herewith I send the Enclosed Claims belongs to the European Prisoners named P. O Donnell, P. Keane, J. Rollad, P. Dally and Patrick Connd --

I am Sir
your Most Obed.t
/Signed/ H. Gibbs.
Marshal of H. M. Gaol

H. M. Gaol
Madras
4.th Oct.r 1841.

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No. 1152

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

By desire of the Marine Board, I have the honor to request, that the 7 European Convicts under Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales (whose names are noted in the Margin) may be embarked on the Ship "British Sovereign" Tomorrow evening at 5 O'clock -

Patrick O'Donnell
Wm Hogg
Wm Gahagan
Edward McGrath
John Hinds
Peter Povey
Charles Paget

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed.t Serv.t
/Sig.d/ J.R. Boyson
Acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Board Office
4.th October 1841.

To

The Keeper of H M Gaol

You are hereby directed to embark the Seven European Convicts named in the Margin at 5 O'Clock this evening on the Ship "British Sovereign"

A Boat will be in readiness Opposite the Custom House for the purpose of taking the above named Convicts to the said Ship.

No 1 Patrick O Donnell
" 2 William Hoad
" 3 Edward M Grath
" 4 William Gahagan
" 5 Peter Perry
" 6 John Hinds
" 7 Charles Paget

Sheriffs Office
Madras
5th October 1841

/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

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To

The Master Attendant

Sir

I have the honor to request you will give the necessary Orders for a Boat, to be in readiness opposite the Custom House at 5 Clock this evening for the purpose of Conveying Seven European Convicts under Sentence of transportation to New South Wales - on the Ship British Sovereign -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
Sigd D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
5th October 1841

Do

To

The Officer Commanding
on the Ship British Sovereign
Madras Roads

Sir,

I request you will receive on the Ship "British Sovereign" the Seven European Convicts named in the Margin under Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales and Sign the receipt which the Bearer of this, one of my Officers, will present to you for that purpose - I am

No 1 Patrick O Donnell
" 2 William Hoad
" 3 Edward M Grath
" 4 William Gahagan
" 5 Peter Perry
" 6 John Hinds
" 7 Charles Paget

Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
5th October 1841

Do

Memo

It is requested, that Orders may be given to strike off at the Fort Saint George Gazette Press by tomorrow One Hundred Calendars and Eighty Jury Lists as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1835 -

Two Quires and Two Sheets of Kings Arm and Twenty Sheets of Demy are transmitted for the purpose Vizt

Two Quires and Two Sheets of Kings Arm for Calendars -

Twenty Sheets of Demy for Jury Lists -

/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
5th October 1841

To

The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

To

The Acting Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir

I have the honor to request, that you will give Orders to a Sufficient number of Constables and Tannah Peons to attend at Her Majesty's Gaol on Thursday the 7th Instant at 8 o'Clock in the Morning for the purpose of escorting the Prisoners for trial, to the Court House and thence to the Gaol, and to lend their assistance during the period, the ensuing Sessions shall last—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th October 1841

To

The Town Major
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to enclose
* Statements of Claims made by Patrick O'Donnell late a Private of H M 94th Regiment, and Patrick Keane, James Holland, Peter Daly, and Patrick Conner late Privates of the 2 European Light Infantry, now Prisoners in H M Gaol, under sentence of Transportation by Military Courts Martial—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th October 1841

* Embarked this day on the Ship "British Sovereign"

To

J A Hunter Esqre

Sir

Finding your name in the List furnished to my Office as eligible to Serve on the Grand Jury, You were Consequently Summoned in due course—Should you have any objections to make, you must do so before their Lordships the Judges, as it is too late to substitute another Gentleman in your Stead—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th October 1841

Received on the Ship "British Sovereign" this Fifth day of October 1841 of Duncan Montgomerie Esquire, Sheriff of Madras, the Seven European Convicts named in the Margin under Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales together with Seven pairs of Irons—

(Signed) N. C. Played
Chief Officer

W J Patrick O'Donnell
" 2 William Hoad
" 3 Edward M'Grath
" 4 William Gahagan
" 5 Peter Perry
" 6 John Hinds
" 7 Charles Paget

To

The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint You, for the information of Government, that the Seven European Convicts, named in the Margin were, Yesterday Evening embarked on the Ship "British Sovereign" for transportation to New South Wales.

Patrick O'Donnell
William Hoad
Edward M'Grath
William Gahagan
Peter Perry
John Hinds
Charles Paget

Wales.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
6th October 1841.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
Signed D Montgomerie
Sheriff

To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board.

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of the Marine Board, that the Seven European Convicts named in the Margin were yesterday Evening embarked on the Ship "British Sovereign" for transportation to New South Wales.

Patrick O'Donnell
William Hoad
Edward McGrath
William Gahagan
Peter Perry
John Hinds
Charles Paget

Sheriffs Office
Madras
6th October 1841.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
Signed D Montgomerie
Sheriff

To The Clerk of the Crown

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you that the Seven European Convicts Named in the margin were yesterday Evening embarked on the Ship "British Sovereign" for transportation to New South Wales.

Patrick O'Donnell
William Hoad
Edward McGrath
William Gahagan
Peter Perry
John Hinds
Charles Paget

Sheriffs Office
Madras
6th October 1841.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
Signed D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Messrs. Binny & Co. present their Compliments to the Sheriff of Madras and request to be furnished with a Certificate of Embarkation of the Convicts of "British Sovereign" to Sydney to Enable them to prepare the Bill for their passage Money.

Armenian St. 6th October 1841.

I hereby Certify that the Seven European Convicts named in the margin under Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales were on the evening of the 5th Instant embarked on the Ship "British Sovereign."

1. Patrick O'Donnell
2. William Hoad
3. Edward McGrath
4. William Gahagan
5. Peter Perry
6. John Hinds
7. Charles Paget

Sheriffs Office
Madras
7th October 1841.

Signed D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Messrs Binny & Co

To The Acting Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir,

I have the honor to annex hereto an Extract from the Calendar of Prisoners who were tried at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at Madras on the 7th day of October 1841. and request that you will order the Prisoners therein named to be kept to Hard Labor agreeably to the Sentence passed upon them by the Court.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
13th October 1841

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
Signed D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Extract from the Calendar of Persons Tried &c. at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at the Town of Madras the Seventh day of October One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One Before the Supreme Court &c.

Nº	Names	Charges	Verdicts	Sentences
1	Frederick Lincoln	Forgery	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of Two Years and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then Let him be discharged.
2	Chengleroyen	Uttering	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of Two Years and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged.

C. M. Leed
Clerk of the Crown

N.B. Commencement of Imprisonment to be Calculated from 8th October 1841 the day on which Sentence was passed.

Robert Conyn
C. J.

/ A true Extract /
/ Signed D Montgomorie
Sheriff.

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Town Major's Office
Madras

To
The Sheriff &c &c
Madras

Sir

With reference to your letter under date the 5th Instant, I am directed to acquaint you, that the Charges preferred by Peter Daily and Patrick Conner, late Private of the 2d European Regt. Infantry, to clothing and Pay Allowances, have been received at this Office, and to request that you will acquaint me what manner they are to be disposed of, as the men have been sentenced for New South Wales.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
Signed J. L. Dundas D.A.G.
Town Major

Fort St. George
12th October 1841

To The Town Major
Fort St. George

Sir

In reference to your letter dated the 12th Instant I have the honor to inform you, that the Sentence passed on the Prisoners Peter Daily and Patrick Conner, late Private of the 2d European Regiment, are to be carried into effect as soon as practicable, and I request you will be pleased to direct the Officer commanding the Depot to cause their clothing and Pay Accounts to be duly forwarded.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient
Humble Servant
Signed Thomas Lee
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
11th October 1841.

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Extract from the Standing Orders of the Presidency of Fort St. George

Arrears and Severances and Generals

Persons Tried &c. at the Assizes

Last Delivery and Admiralty Sessions

No. 3345

Town Major's Office

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

With reference to your Letter under date the 16th Instant - I am directed to forward to you the Clothing and Half Mountings due to Peter Daly and Patrick Conner, late Privates of the 2d European Regiment, and to request, that you will obtain their Signatures to the accompanying Acquittance and return it to this Office.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) F.L. Dorville
Town Major

Fort St. George
18th October 1841

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I do hereby acknowledge to have received from the Town Major of Fort Saint George the Clothing and Half Mountings mentioned to our respective names.

Rank and Name	Corps	Clothing for 1840 Jacket	Half Mountings for 1841			Signature
Private Peter Daly	2d Eur Regt	1	2.	2.	8.	Peter Daly
" Patrick Conner		1	2.	2.	8.	Patrick Conner

Fort St. George
19th October 1841

Town Major

To

The Town Major
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter dated the 18th Instant, together with the Clothing and Half Mountings, which have been handed over to the individuals named in the Margin, and to return to you, the enclosed acquittance Roll, duly signed as therein requested -

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) De Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
19th October 1841

Private Peter Daly 2d European
Do Patrick Conner do. do.

Statement of Boats employed on Account of Government for the Month of September 1841 is transmitted for the Sheriff of Madras.

Year Month and Date	No. of Boats	Name of the Ship and Particulars	No. of Lascars	Private Boats: Government Water Casks	Tents	Cots	Cooking Pots	Iron Buckets	Tarpaulins	Total: Rupees	Annas	Pice
1841	1	For Embarking Convicts to the Bay and Victoria	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13		

Madras
Boat Pay Office
25th Octr 1841

Company's Rupees One and Annas Eight
J. F. H. Dennis
Asst Pay master

Signed A. Deas Thomson Esqr

Memmandum

The following article is sent from the Gun Carriage Manufactory to Sheriff's Office—

Almirah /new/ - - - - - - No. 1

Gun Carriage Manufactory
Madras 26th October 1841 } Signed/ J. Maitland Captain
Supt. Gun Carr. Mfy

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Judicial Department

No. 800

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 25th October 1841

Read the following letter from the Clerk of the Crown.

Transmitting Copies of Orders for the transportation of three Europeans of H.M. 39th Regt. to the Eastern Coast of New South Wales. (Here enter 2 October 1841)

As it appears that the three European Convicts referred to in the above letter were all sentenced previous on the 7th Augt. 1841 to the receipt of the letter from the Government of India dated 26th July 1841. Viz. two on the 17th June 1841 and one on the 14th July and that the orders of the Chief Justice, dated 18th August 1841 direct

their transportation to the Eastern Coast of New South Wales, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council resolves in Conformity to the instructions from the Government of India Communicated in Mr. Secretary Maddocks' letter of the 13th September 1841, to direct the Marine Board accordingly to adopt measures for the transportation of the Convicts in question.

The Sheriff will Communicate the arrival of the Convicts to the Marine Board.

(A true Extract.)
/Signed/ Walter Elliot
A.J. Secry to Govt.

To
The Sheriff of
Madras.

Madras 3d. November 1841.

To
The Sheriff of
Madras

Sir,

We have the honor to request you will be pleased to furnish us with a Certificate of the Number of Convicts embarked on the Bark "Victoria" for Moulmein in September last.

We have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servants
/Signed/ Arbuthnot & Co.
Agents

To

The High Sheriff

of

Madras

Sir

I beg most respectfully to forward the accompanying Papers through your Channel for transmission to the Supreme Court Judges and beg you will pardon me in trespassing on your valuable time.

I beg to remain

Sir

Your most Obed.t and

Humble Servant

(Signed) J. F. T. Burgess.

Prisoner

Madras
H.M.'s Gaol
1st Nov.r 1841

To D.r Montgomerie Esq.re

Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I herewith beg to inform you that Twenty Sets of Leg Irons Six Rs. each and Fifty Sets of Hand Cuffs requires in Her Majesty's Criminal Gaol.

I am

Sir,

Your most Obed.t Serv.t

(Signed) Henry Gibbs

Keeper of Her Majesty's Gaol

To

The Sheriff

of

Madras

Sir

Having observed an Advertisement in the Fort St. George Gazette offering tenders for the conveyance of 1 East Indian and 3 Native Convicts to Moulmein - I beg most respectfully and with the greatest reluctance to solicit your being kindly pleased to obtain for me

also

also the Rations of an European, by distinguishing me from the Natives or by a Recommendation to the Commissary General.

I claim it not, Sir, as a matter of right but beg it as a charitable indulgence and in consideration that no Mortal man is exempted from the infirmities of his Nature I trust you will be disposed kindly to accede to my request, and not punish me in this way also -

Your kindness will lay me under a deep debt of obligation, which I shall ever remember with the liveliest gratitude.

I am Sir

Your most Obed.t Humble Servt

(Signed) John H Quigley

Madras
H.M.'s Gaol
4th Nov.r 1841.

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To

The Commissary General

Sir,

As Government were pleased under date the 20th September last to authorize the grant to the East Indian Convict Burgess the same rations as are allowed to European Convicts, I have the honor to request the same indulgence may be granted to the East Indian Convict J. H. Quigley who is also under sentence of transportation to Moulmein.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obed.t Serv.t

(Signed) D. Montgomerie

Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
6th November 1841.

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1 Ramasawmy
2 Seerungum
3 Victorian
4 Soryanio

I hereby certify that the three Native Convicts, named in the Margin under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast, were on the Morning of the 18th September 1841, embarked on the Barque "Victoria"

/Signed/ D Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
6th November 1841.

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Mess.rs Abbuthnot & Co.

Indent on the Commissary General for the following supply

Quantity	Articles	For what purpose required
Twenty	Setts of Leg Irons	For the Criminals in Her Majesty's Gaol for the purpose of meeting any urgent demand which the Sheriff may have for them as per Order of Govt. dated 8th May 1835.
Fifty	Setts of Hand Cuffs	

Sheriff's Office
Madras
6th November 1841.

/Signed/ D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

To D Montgomerie Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I herewith enclosed a letter of a European Prisoner named Patrick Conner requires his Copy of the Proceedings of the General Court Martial.

I am Sir
Your most Obd.t Servt
/Signed/ H Gibbs
Fort St. G.e H.M Gaol

H.M Gaol
Madras
7th November
1841

Patrick Conner, late a Private of the 2d European Light Infantry

To

The Judge Advocate General
of the Army
Fort Saint George

Sir,

The person, named in the margin, now in H. M. Gaol, under Sentence of transportation, having applied to me for a Copy of Proceedings of his Court Martial; I have the honor to request you will be pleased to furnish the same, for which he will pay the regulated fees.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Servt.
/Signed/ D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
12th November 1841

Pd

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor to forward, by the direction of The Chief Justice, a Warrant directing the Commitment of Private Henry Jones of Her Majestys 39th Regiment of Foot, to the Gaol of Madras therein to remain until his Sentence of Transportation shall be carried into effect, in due Course of Law.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
/Signed/ C. M. Tead
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
16th November 1841.

To

Duncan Montgomerie Esqr.

Sheriff

Madras.

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge Receipt of your Letter of the 12th instant and to inform You, that Copy of the Proceedings held upon the Trial of Patrick Connor late a Private of the 2d European Light Infantry has been prepared and will be delivered at this Office on payment of Rupees. 5—10—8.

I have the honor to be

Sir.

Your Most Obedt. Servt.

Signed Thos. B. Chaloner

Judge Adv. General

of the Army

Judge Adv. General's Office
Fort Saint George.
17th November 1841.

XVII
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Read the following letter

No 1311

Madras Marine Board Office
19th November 1841.

Sir,

With reference to the Orders of Government noted in the margin, and by desire of the Marine Board, I have the honor to request that Orders may be issued for embarking the undermentioned Convicts on the Transport "Greenlaw," in order that they may be conveyed to Moulmein.

J. P. S. Burgess-
John Mc Crossin, otherwise called John Berry
Mc Crossin, otherwise called John Quigley-
Mootyan-
Soobben-

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
Signed J. R. Boyson
Acting Secretary

To
The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

No.

No. 864.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the Marine Board to embark the Convicts referred to in the above letter on board the Greenlaw to Moulmeyne-

Signed Walter Elliot
A.D. Secy to Govt.

Fort St. George
20th November 1841

To the Marine Board Received 6 P.M. 20th & Entered 11 A.M. 22d Nov. 1841.
Signed J.R.B.
acting Secy

Commissary General
Sheriff Rec'd Ent'd & Rel'd 22d Nov. 1841.
Signed D. M.
Sheriff

To

The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government.
Fort Saint George.

Sir

I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary Orders for Striking off Fifty Copies of Bills of Sale as early as possible as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1836.

Two Deeds and Two Sheets of Medium are transmitted for the above

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
Signed D. Montgomerie.
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office
Madras.
23d November 1841

To

The Judge Advocate General
of the Army
Fort Saint George.

Sir

With reference to your Letter dated the 17th Instant, I have the honor to send herewith the sum of Rupees 6—10—8 for Copy of the Proceedings of the Court Martial held on Patrick Connor, being the

the Amount of fees Required, as therein Specified.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
Signed J. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
24th November 1841

No. 1335

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board, to request, that the Convicts under Sentence of transportation to Moolmeyen, and whose names are noted in the Margin may be embarked on the "Greenlaw" at 5 O'Clock on the Morning of Friday the 26th. Instant.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
J. R Bayson
Acting Secretary.

Marine Board Office
Madras
23d November 1841

Ent

To
The Keeper of H.M. Gaol

You are hereby directed to embark the Four East Indian and Native Convicts named in the Margin on Friday morning next the 26th Instant on the Greenlaw.

A Boat will be in Readiness opposite the Custom House for the purpose of taking the above named Convicts to the said Barque.

Signed D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
24th November 1841

J. P. Burgess
John McGowan alias Thomas Callan
John Henry Mc Crossan alias Thomas Callan
Attendance Called Upon Quigley
Mortlyan
Coolen

To
The Master Attendant

Sir

I have the honor to Request you will issue the Necessary Orders for a Boat to be in Readiness Opposite the Custom House on Friday Morning Next the 26th Instant for the purpose of Conveying Four East Indian and Native Convicts under Sentence of Transportation to the Greenlaw.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
Signed J. D. Montgomerie.
Sheriff.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
24th November 1841

To
The Officer Commanding
on the Barque "Greenlaw"
Madras Roads

Sir

I Request you will Receive on the Barque Greenlaw the Four East Indian and Native Convicts named in the Margin under Sentence of Transportation to the Penal Settlements on the Coast and Sign the Receipt which the Bearer of this Order of mine Officers will present to you for that purpose.

I am.
Sir
Your Obed.t Serv.t
Signed D. Montgomerie.
Sheriff.

J. P. Burgess
John McGowan alias Thomas Callan
John Henry Mc Crossan alias Thomas Callan
Attendance Called Upon Quigley
Mortlyan
Coolen

Sheriffs Office
Madras
26th November 1841

Ent

Received on the Barque "Greenlaw" this 26th
day of November 1841 of Duncan Montgomerie Esquire Sheriff
of Madras the Four East Indian and Native Convicts named
in the Margin under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim
Coast together with Four pairs of Irons.

(Signed) L. Morice
Comdg.

1 L.P.S.P. Burges
2 Peter M.c Sheridan Ca.lled Peter M.c Sheridan
3 M.r Thomas Henry Ca.lled Thomas Henry
4 John Wesley Ca.lled Peter Quigley
Mon.l Rajah
Seedheer

To

The Chief Secretary.

Sir

to Government
Fort Saint George.

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of Government that the Four East Indian and Native Convicts named in the Margin were this morning embarked on the Barque "Greenlaw" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
26th November 1841

East Indian and Native Convicts named in the Margin were this Morning embarked on the Barque "Greenlaw" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
26th November 1841

To

The Clerk of the Crown

Sir, I have the honor to acquaint you that the Four East Indian and Native Convicts named in the Margin were this Morning embarked on the Barque "Greenlaw" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

1 L.P.S.P. Burges
2 Peter M.c Sheridan Ca.lled Peter M.c Sheridan
3 M.r Thomas Henry Ca.lled Thomas Henry
4 John Wesley Ca.lled Peter Quigley
Mon.l Rajah
Seedheer

Sheriffs Office
Madras
26th November 1841

To

The Acting Secretary
Sir
Marine Board.

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of the Marine Board that the Four

Statement of Boats employed on Account of the Sheriff's Office for the Month of October 1841 is transmitted for Countersignature of the Sheriff of Madras if Correct

1841	No. of Trips	Name of the Ships and Particulars	No. of Persons	Private Boats: Lighters of 50 Tons	Ditto of 25 Tons	Pilot Boats	Ditto of 20 Tons	Ditto of 15 Tons	Masula Boats	Ditto of 10 Tons	Ditto of 5 Tons	Catamarans	Total: Rupees	Annas	Pice
October 5th	No. 1	For Conveying 7 European Convicts to the Barque British Sovereign	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	"
			1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			

Total Rupees 1 3 "

Madras Boat Pay Office 25th Novr 1841

Company's Rupee One and Annas Three

(Signed) D. Montgomerie

Company's Rupees One and Annas Three

(Signed) J. F. McKennie

Boat Paymaster

Judicial Department

No. 902

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 4th December 1841.

Read the following letter from the Clerk of the Crown:-

Forwarding an Order of the Chief Justice for the transportation to New South Wales, of Private Henry Jones of H. M. 39th Regiment and a Statement of the date of his trial, together with a Descriptive Register of this individual and of privates John Donoghan, Charles Baker and John Ryan of the same Regiment sentenced to transportation.-

(Here enter 17th November 1841 No. 958)

The Prisoner referred to in the 1st Para of the above letter having been sentenced on the 7th July last and previous to the receipt of the letter of the Government of India dated 26th of the same month, resolved that the Marine Board be requested to adopt measures for transporting him to the Eastern Coast of New South Wales in conformity to the Orders of the Chief Justice.-

(A true Extract)

(Signed) Fy. Chaucer

Chief Secretary

To

The Sheriff of Madras.-

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor to forward the Receipts for Convening the Next January Sessions. The Proclamation Must be inserted as usual in the Fort Saint George Gazette.-

I have the Honor to be Sir Your most Obedient Servant

(Signed) C. M. Teed

Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office Madras 10th December 1841.

Proclamation.

Madras
To Wit. } By Virtue of a Precept to me directed Thereby
Proclaim and give Notice that a Session of Oyer and Terminer
and General Gaol Delivery in and for Fort Saint George the
Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and
Factories Subordinate thereto will be holden at the Court
House at Madras aforesaid on Monday the Seventeenth
Day of January next ensuing the date hereof at Eleven O'Clock
in the forenoon for the Trial of all Treasons Murders
Felonies and other Crimes and Misdemeanors had done or
Committed within Fort Saint George or the Town of Madras
and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate
thereto and Dependant thereon.

And also that at the same time and place will
be holden A Session of Admiralty for the Trial of all
Treasons Murders Piracies Felonies Trespasses Misdemeanors
and other Crimes and Offences done perpetrated or Committed
on the High Seas.

And Thereby require and enjoin all persons bound
to prosecute and give Evidence at the above Sessions or in
any wise Concerned therein to attend at the time and
place abovementioned and Not to depart without leave

Dated this Tenth Day of December
1841.

Signed/ D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Town Major's Office

No. 3809.

To The Sheriff of
Madras.

Sir I am directed to Request that you will acquaint me
whether the Men named in the Margin late of the 2d. European
Light Infantry are still under your Custody; their Claims on the
Service have been received from Bangalore.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your Most Obedient Servant
Signed/ Geo. Logan
Offg. Town Major.

Fort Saint George
14th December 1841

To
The Officiating Town Major
Fort Saint George

Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of
your Letter dated 14th Instant, I have the honor
to acquaint you, that the man alluded to,
in your Letter Vizt. James Holland and
Patrick Keane late of the 2d. European Light
Infantry, are still under my Custody in
Her Majesty's Gaol.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
Signed/ D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
15th December 1841.

My dear Sir

I feel it my duty to bring to your Notice the conduct of Sirsroo Sahib a Duffadar over Her Majestys Jail he has been repeatedly brought before the Magistrates forgetting drunk and Creating disturbances in the Streets of Black Town it was only about three weeks ago that he was brought before me and another Magistrate for being found in a very intoxicated State in Black Town creating a disturbance and was again brought before me this Morning on a similar Charge - I think it very probable that these offences may not be brought to your Notice and as the Duffadar holds a responsible Charge I take this opportunity of representing his Conduct to you

Yours very truly
Signed M. R. Taynton

Town Police Office
10th Dec.r 1841

To
The Keeper of H. M. Gaol.
Madras.

Sir
As it would appear from the annexed Note from the Sitting Magistrate that the Duffadar referred is unfit for the situation he holds. I desire that he may be discharged and that the best and most deserving of the Peons attached to the Gaol may be promoted in his room.

I am Sir
Yours Obed.t Sv.t
Signed D. Montgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
16th December 1841

Statement of Boats employed on Account of Government for the Month of September 1841 as Examined & found correct.

Signed W. L. Burnett
Boat Commissr.

Madras
22nd Dec.r 1841

Contingencies Rupees Two and Annas Three.
L. T. M. Flemie

Grass Numbers and Dates	No. of Boats	Names of the Hirers and Particulars.	No. of Coolies	Private Boats.	Hire of Boats	Hire of Cattle	Total Rupees	Total.
1841 Sept.r 26	1	For Embarking Camels to the Barque Freedom consigned to Messrs Leslie				1		

My dear Sir

I feel it my duty to bring to your Notice the conduct of Tippoo Sahib a Duffadar over Her Majestys Jail he has been repeatedly brought before the Majistrates for getting drunk and Creating disturbances in the Streets of Black Town it was only about three weeks ago that he was brought before me and another Majistrate for being found in a very intoxicated State in Black Town creating a disturbance and was again brought before me this Morning on a similar Charge - I think it very probable that these offences may not be brought to your Notice and as the Duffadar holds a responsible Charge I take this opportunity of representing his Conduct to you

Yours very truly
Signed M. R. Taynton

Town Police Office
10th Dec.r 1841

To
The Keeper of H. M. Gaol.
Madras.

Sir

As it would appear from the annexed Note from the Sitting Magistrate that the Duffadar referred is unfit for the situation he holds. I desire that he may be discharged and that the best and most deserving of the Peons attached to the Gaol may be promoted in his room.

I am Sir
Yours Obed.t &c.
Signed D.e Mantgomerie
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
16th December 1841

Statement of Boats employed on General duty for the Month of November 1841 as Examined & found correct.

Signed W. Sheriff Sheriff's Office
Countersignature of the Sheriff of Madras

Consisting of Two and Armed Pico. L. T. M. Hennie Boat Commander

Madras Bay Office 22nd Dec.r 1841

Years Month and Date	No. of Boats	Names of the Ships and Particulars.	No. of Guards	Private Boats.	Total.
1841 Nov.r 26	1	For Embarking Convicts to the Barque Greenlaw accompanied by Capt.n Sharpe Surgeon	1		
				Total Rupees	2
				Fowls	
				Ducks	
				Geese	
		Head Mallee Cattamaran (a) 2	1		
		Straits Peons &c. 3	"		
		Black Canoe Rowers 12	"		
		Screwed &c. 4	"		
		Black Canoe &c. 9	"		
		Black Canoe &c. 6	"		
		Kattamaran &c. 12	"		
		Oars &c. 10	"		
		Black Canoe &c. 9	"		
		Kattamaran &c. 12	"		
		Oars &c. 3	"		

No. 3895.

Town Majors Office

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Madras

Sir

I am directed to forward to you per bearer the Sum of Rupees 28–3–0 due to Patrick Keane and James Holland late Privates in the 2d European Lt. Infantry as per Accompanying Statements and to request that you will transmit their acknowledgements for the same.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant

(Signed) Geo. Logan

Offg Town Major

Fort Saint George
23 December 1841.

Bangalore 15th November 1841.

Statement of Patrick Keane's a/c

Effects produced by Auction
Compensation for Chakos

Dr

To amount due by you up to 12th June	14	6	0		
" Auctioneer's fees at 3 p Cent	3	0	0	17	6
	5	12	10		
	0	11	6	6	8
			Rs	10	13

(Signed) Gar Harvey Lieutenant
In Charge 4th Company

Bangalore 15 November 1841

Statement of James Hollands Account.

Effects produced by Auction
Compensation for Chakos

Dr

To Amount due by you up to 12 June	16	5	6		
Auctioneers fees at 5 p Cent	3	0	0	19	5
Found in his possession and taken from him	4	2	8		
	0	13	6	5	2
	3	0	0		
			Rs	14	5

(Signed) Gar Harvey Lieutenant

To

The Officiating Town Major

Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the Receipt of your Letter of the 23d Instant, together with the Sum of Company's Rupees Twenty Eight and annas Three (28–3–0) which has been handed over to the individuals, named by you, whose Receipts are enclosed herein.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedt Servt

(Signed) W. G. Burn

Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
24th December 1841

C 1801 10 13

Received this 24th day of December 1841 of G. Logan Officiating Town Major the Sum of Company's Rupees Ten Annas Thirteen and Pice Eight being the Amount due to me as per Statement dated Bangalore 15th November 1841 furnished to me this day.

Witness
(Signed) H Gibbs
Gr

(Signed) Patrick Keane

C 1801 17–5–4

Received this 24th day of December 1841 of G. Logan Officiating Town Major the Sum of Company's Rupees Seventeen Annas Five and Pice Four being the Amount due to me as per Statement dated Bangalore 15th November 1841 furnished to me this day.

Witness
(Signed) H Gibbs
Gr

(Signed) James Holland

To
The Officiating Town Major
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a State=
=ment of Claims made by Patrick Keane late
a Private of the 2d European Light Infantry, now
a Prisoner in Her Majesty's Gaol under Sentence
of transportation by Military Court Martial.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
24th December 1841.
Ed.

Madras 4th January 1842

To
The Sheriff of Madras.

Sir,

We have the honor to request that you will have
the goodness to send us a Certificate of Embarkation for Convicts
to Singapore p "Inverna" to Enable us to submit our Bill to
Government for passage Money.

We have the honor to be.
Sir
your Obedient Servants
Signed Hall. Bainbridge & Co.
Agents p "Inverna"

Ed

To Messrs Hall Bainbridge & Co.
Gentlemen

In acknowledging the Receipt of
your Letter of the 4th Instant I have the honor to

inform you, that no Convicts over whom the Sheriff of Madras
has any Control were embarked on the Barque "Inverna" for
transportation to Singapoor—

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your Most Obedt Servt
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th January 1842
Ed.

To The Officiating Town Major.
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to enclose a Statement of
Claim made by James Holland, late a Private of the
2nd European Light Infantry, now a Prisoner in
Her Majesty's Gaol under Sentence of transportation by
Military Court Martial.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
6th January 1842
Ed.

To The Agent of the
Fort St. George Gazette

Sir

Be pleased to leave out the name
of Mr Robert Daniel in the Petty Jury List
and insert the name of Mr George Alexander
Reynolds immediately after that of Mr William
Miller.

Yours &c
Signed W. G. Burn.
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
13th January 1842

Memo

It is requested that Orders may be given to strike off at the Fort Saint George Gazette Press by tomorrow one Hundred Calendars and Sixty Jury Lists as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1835.

One Quire and Sixteen Sheets of Medium are transmitted for the purpose Vizt.
One Quire and One Sheet for Calendars.
Fifteen Sheets for Jury Lists.

Sheriff's Office
Madras
14th January 1842

/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

To The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Ed.

To
The Acting Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir

I have the honor to request that you will give Orders to a sufficient number of constables and Tannah Peons to attend at Her Majesty's Gaol on Monday the 17th Instant at 8 o'Clock in the Morning for the purpose of escorting the Prisoners for trial to the Court House and thence to the Gaol and to lend their Assistance during the period the ensuing Sessions shall last.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ W G Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
14th January 1842

Ed.

To
The Acting Secretary Marine Board.

Sir

With reference to the Orders of Government under date the 25th October and 4th December 1841 I have the honor to report to you, for the information of the Marine Board that the Convicts, named in the margin, late Privates of Her Majestys 39th Regiment of Foot, under Sentence (by General Court Martial) of transportation to New South Wales, were received this day into my Custody.

John Ryan
Charles Baker
John Donoghan
Henry Jones

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
14th January 1842.

Ed.

To
J. B. Jauncey Esqre
Deputy Sheriff

Sir

Herewith Enclosed two Lists of the Claims belongs to the Prisoners Named John Donoghan and Henry Jones

I am
Sir
your most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ H. Gibbs
Keeper of H. M. Gaol

Ed

To

The Officiating Town Major
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose Statements of Claims Made by John Donoghan and Henry Jones late Privates of Her Majesty's 39th Regiment of Foot, now Prisoners in Her Majesty's Gaol under Sentence of transportation by Military Courts Martial--

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
24th January 1842.

To J. B. Jauncey Esqre
Dy Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I herewith beg to inform you that a Native Prisoner named Aroonachellum time is expired tomorrow and he shall be detained in Her Majestys Gaol for the fine One hundred Rupees to the Queen

I am Sir
your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) H. Gibbs
Keeper of Her Majestys Gaol

H. M. Gaol
Madras
24th January
1842

To J. B. Jauncey Esqre
Dety Sheriff of Madras:

Sir

I herewith send one hundred Rupees received from a Native Prisoner named Aroonachellum for a fine according to the Sentence Passed on the 25th January 1841. and the said Prisoner shall be Discharged tomorrow Morning--

I am Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) H. Gibbs
Keeper of H. M. Gaol

Madras
H. M. Gaol
25th Jany 1842.

To The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

With reference to the Order of Government under date the 28th April 1819, I have the honor to transmit a General Return of Prisoners Confined in Her Majesty's Criminal Gaol for the Sise Months ending on the 31st day of December 1841.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
25th January 1842.

A General Return of Prisoners in Her Majesty's Crimi nal Gaol at Madraspatnam for the Six Months ending on the 31st day of December 1841.

No.	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks.
1	Charles Main	European	Manslaughter	15th Septr 1840.	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be imprisoned in Her Majesty's Gaol at Madras for the Space of Two Years	In Gaol
2	Arooniachellum	Hindoo	Abduction	19th Jany 1841.	In Jany 1841	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Common Gaol of Madras for the Term of One Year and let him pay a fine of One Hundred Rupees to the Queen and let him be further imprisoned until such fine be paid and then Let him be Discharged	In Gaol
3	Veerasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	30th Jany 1841.	In April 1841	Pleads Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven years	Transported on the 18th September 1841.
4	Patrick O'Donnell	European	Threatening to Shoot his Superior Offr	9th Feby 1841.	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond the Seas as a felon for the period of Seven years	Transported on the 5th October 1841.
5	William Hoad	European	Deserting the Service & Negligence	12th Feby 1841.	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond the Seas as a felon for the period of Seven Years	Transported on the 5th October 1841.
6	John Peter Thomas Burgess	Portugue	Murder	8th March 1841.	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas as a felon for the term of his Natural Life	Transported on the 26th November 1841.
7	Seringum	Hindoo	Larceny	14th April 1841.	In April 1841	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transpated to the Tenasserim Coast for the term of Seven years.	Transported on the 18th September 1841.
8	Edward M'Grath	European	Killing a Bullock	25th April 1841.	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond the Seas for the term of Seven years	Transported on the 5th October 1841.
9	William Gahagan	European	Accessary for aiding and abetting Edward M'Grath to kill a Bullock	25th April 1841.	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond the Seas for the term of Seven years.	Transported on the 5th October 1841.

No.	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
10	William Botheroyd	European	Larceny	18th May 1841	1st July 1841	Confesses	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	In Gaol
11	Victoriano De Roza :Rlo: 3	Portigue	Embezzlement	9th June 1841	1st July 1841	Confesses	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 18th September 1841
12	Peter Perry	European	Desertion	12th June 1841	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas as a felon for the period of Seven Years	Transported on the 5th October 1841
13	John Hinds	European	Desertion	12th June 1841	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas as a felon for the period of Seven Years	Transported on the 5th October 1841
14	Patrick Keane	European	Military Offences	10th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	In Gaol
15	James Holland	European	Military Offences	10th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	In Gaol
16	Charles Paget	European	Disobeying to his Superior Officer	18th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas as a felon for the Term of Fourteen Years	Transported on the 5th October 1841
17	Peter Daly	European	Military Offences	19th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	In Gaol
18	Patrick Conner	European	Military Offences	19th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	In Gaol
19	Frederick Lincoln	Portigue	Forgery	24th July 1841	1st October 1841	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of Two years and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendent of Police on the 13th October 1841
20	Chengleroyen	Hindoo	Uttering			Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of Two years and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendent of Police on the 13th October 1841

No.	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
21	John M'Crossin otherwise Called John Henry M'Crossin otherwise Called John Quigley	Portigue	Forgery	11th Augt 1841	In October 1841	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years.	Transported on the 26th November 1841.
22	Moottyan	Hindoo	Larceny	26th Augt 1841	In October 1841	Confesses	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years.	Transported on the 26th November 1841.
23	Joseph Gilfoyle	European	Military Offences	27th Augt 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	In Gaol
24	Buttoo Chitty	Hindoos	Uttering a Forged Bill of Sale	31st Augt 1841	In October 1841	The Bill was returned by the Grand Jury Endorsed No Bill	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 7th October 1841.
25	Moottoosawmy							
26	Annasawmy							
27	Soobben	Hindoo	Larceny	1st October 1841.	In October 1841	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years.	Transported on the 26th Novr 1841.
28	Veerasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	16th October 1841	Not Tried			In Gaol
29	Lakeebee Commonly called Patchabee	Mohomedan	Larceny and Receiving	30th October 1841	Not Tried			In Gaol
30	Khyroom bee							
31	Comasasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	10th Dect 1841	Not Tried			In Gaol
32	Chinnappen	Hindoo	Burglary & Felony	17th Dect 1841.	Not Tried			In Gaol

Sheriffs Office
Madras
25th January 1842.

/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff.

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To
The Officiating Town Major
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to enclose a Statement of claim Made by James Holland late a Private of the 2nd European Light Infantry, now a Prisoner in Her Majesty's Gaol under Sentence of transportation by Military Court Martial.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
26th January 1842.

Ex

The Queen
Against
Aroonachellom

To The Clerk of the Crown

Sir I have the honor to forward to your Office the sum of Companys Rupees One Hundred being the fine imposed by the Court on Aroonachellom the above Prisoner who was tried and found Guilty of Abduction on the 25th January 1841 and to Request you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
26th January 1842

Ex

The Queen
against
Aroonachellam
} For abduction

To
The Sheriff of Madras.

Sir I have the Honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 26th instant, forwarding the sum of Company's Rupees One Hundred, being the Fine Paid by one Aroonachellom in Pursuance of the Sentence Passed upon him at the First Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery holden for the year 1841.

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servant
(Signed) C. M. Reed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
27th January 1842.

Town Majors Office

No 401.

To The Sheriff of Madras
Madras

Sir With reference to your letter under date the 26th Ultimo, I am directed to forward to you per bearer the sum of Rupees 6-2-4 being the amount due to James Holland late a Private of the 2nd European Light Infantry, and to request that you will acknowledge the receipt of the same.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) F. L. Doveton Dy Co.
Town Major

Fort Saint George
9th February 1842

To
The Town Major
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th Instant together with the sum of Company's Rupees Six Annas two and Pice four which has been handed over to the Invidual named by you whose receipt is enclosed herein

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obed.t Servant
(Signed) W.G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10th February 1842.

Ex.d

C.R. 6-2-42

Received this 10th day of February 1842 of Lt.Col.t Doveton Town Major the sum of Company's Rupees Six Annas Two and Pice Four being the Amount due to me

(Signed) James Holland
late a Private of the
2d European Light Infantry

Witness
(Signed) A. Gibbs

Ex.d

No. 69.

Official Memorandum

The Secretary to the Marine Board has the honor to request to be informed of the Number of Native Convicts now in Her Majesty's Jail under Sentence of transportation to Moolmein

(Signed) J. R. Bogson.
acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Bd. Office
18th February 1842

To
The Sheriff
of Madras.

Official Memorandum

With reference to your Official Memorandum of this days date I have the honor to inform you, that there are Three Native Convicts at present in Her Majestys Gaol under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

(Signed) W.G. Burn
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th February 1842

To
The Acting Secretary
Marine Board.

Ex.d

No. 72

Official Memorandum

The Secretary to the Marine Board has the honor to request to be informed of the names of the Convicts mentioned in the Memorandum of this date received from the Sheriff.

(Signed) J.R. Bogson
Acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Bd. Office
18th February 1842

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Ex.d

Official Memorandum

The Sheriff of Madras has the honor to inform the Acting Secretary to the Marine Board as requested by his Official Memo of this days date that the names of the Convicts mentioned in the Sheriff's Memo are noted in the Margin.

(Signed) W.G. Burn
Sheriff.

1 Veerasamy
2 Ramasamy
3 Chinnapeh

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th February 1842

To
The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Ex.d

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No 262.

Madras Marine Board Office
18th February 1842.

Sir,

With reference to the Order of Government No 78 on a letter from the Clerk of the Crown of the 29th Ultimo, I have the honor, by desire of the Marine Board, to request that orders may be issued for embarking the Native Convicts* therein mentioned on the Bark "Swallow," in order to proceed to Moolmein, on which Vessel passage has been provided for them, free of Charge.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Sigd) J R Boyston
Acting Secretary

To The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St George

* 1 Veer adawmy
2 Comara dawmy
3 Chinnapien

No 120

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the Marine Board to embark the Convicts referred to in the above letter on board the "Swallow" to Moulmeyne.

(Sigd) H Chamier
Chief Secretary

Fort St George
19 February, 1842

To the Marine Board. Endd in Coll. 21st February (Sigd) J D B acting Asst

Commissary Genl.
Sheriff Recd Entd & Retd 21st February 1842
(Sigd) W G B
Sheriff

No 281

To The Sheriff of Madras.

Sir

I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board, to request that the Native Convicts under Sentence of transporation to Moulmein, may be Embarked on the Morning of Wednesday the 23d Instant on the Barque "Swallow"

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servt
Signed J R Boyston
Acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Board office
21st February 1842

Ed

To The Keeper of H.M. Gaol

You are hereby directed to embark the three Native Convicts Named in the Margin on the Morning of Wednesday the 23d Instant on the Barque "Swallow"

A Boat will be in readiness Opposite the Custom House for the purpose of taking the above Named Convicts to the said Vessel.

Signed W G Burn
Sheriff

1 Veer adawmy
2 Comara dawmy
3 Chinnapien

Sheriffs Office
Madras
21st February
1842

To The Master Attendant

Sir I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary Orders for a Boat to be in Readiness Opposite the Custom House on the Morning of Wednesday the 23d Instant for the purpose of Conveying three Native Convicts under Sentence of transportation to Moulmein on the Barque "Swallow"

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obed. Servt
Signed W G Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
21st February
1842

To

The Officer Commanding
On the Barque "Swallow"
Madras Roads

Sir

I Request you will Receive on the Barque "Swallow" the three Native Convicts named in the Margin under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast and Signe the Receipt which the Bearer of this, One of My Officers will present to you for that purpose.

1 Veeradawmy
2 Comara dawmy
3 Chinnapien

Sheriffs Office
Madras
23d February 1842

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Ex.d

Received on the Barque "Swallow" this 23d day of February 1842 of William Gardiner Burn Esquire Sheriff of Madras the Three Native Convicts named in the Margin under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast together with three pairs of Irons.

1. Veeradawmy
2. Comara dawmy
3. Chinnapien

(Sig.d) R. L. Pinson
C.O.

Ex.d

To The Clerk of the Crown

Sir I have the honor to acquaint you, that the three Native Convicts named in the Margin, were this morning embarked on the Barque "Swallow" for

1. Veeradawmy
2. Comara dawmy
3. Chinnapien

for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Sig.d) W.G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
23d February 1842
Ex.d

To The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of Government, that the three Native Convicts, named in the Margin, were this morning embarked on the Barque "Swallow" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

I have the honor to be
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Your Most Obedt Servt
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Sheriffs Office
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23d February 1842
Ex.d

To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of the Marine Board, that the three Native Convicts named in the Margin were this morning embarked on the Barque "Swallow" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

I have the honor to be
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Your Most Obedt Servt
(Sig.d) W.G. Burn
Sheriff

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Sheriffs Office
Madras
23d February 1842
Ex.d

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No. 540

Town Major's Office

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I am directed to request that you will acquaint me of the date on which Prisoners Daly and Conners were admitted under your Custody, to enable the escort which accompanied them, recovering the Batta due on that account.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Servant
(Signed) F. L. Doveton Capt
Town Major.

Fort Saint George
25th February 1842

To
The Town Major
Fort Saint George

Sir,

With reference to your Letter of the 25th Instant, I have the honor to inform you, that Peter Daly and Patrick Conner late Privates of the 2d European Light Infantry, now Prisoners in Her Majesty's Gaol, under Sentence of Transportation by Military Court Martial, were received into my Custody on the 19th of July 1841.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
26th February 1842

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

Accompanying I have the honor to forward the Precepts for Convening the Next April Sessions. The Proclamation must be inserted as usual in the Fort Saint George Gazette.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servt
(Signed) C. M. Reed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
18th March 1842

Proclamation

Madras
To Wit.

By Virtue of a Precept to me directed Thereby, Proclaim and give notice that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, in and for Fort Saint George the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto will be holden at the Court House at Madras aforesaid on Monday the Eighteenth Day of April next ensuing the date hereof at Eleven O'clock in the forenoon for the Trial of all Treasons, Murders, Felonies and other Crimes and Misdemeanors had done or Committed within Fort Saint George or the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto and Dependant thereon.—

And also that at the same time and place will be holden a Session of Admiralty for the trial of all Treasons, Murders, Piracies, Felonies, Trespasses, Misdemeanors and other Crimes and Offences done perpetrated or Committed on the High Seas.—

And Thereby require and enjoin all persons bound to prosecute and give Evidence at the above Sessions or in any wise Concerned therein to attend at the time and place abovementioned and not to depart without leave.—

Dated this Eighteenth Day of March 1842.

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

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Statement of Boats employed on Account of the Sheriffs Office —
for the Months of February 1842 is transmitted for Countersignature of the Sheriff of Madras —

Fort Court

Year Month and Date	No. & Descr.	Name of the Ship and Particulars	No. of Passengers Embarking at Madras	Boats	Rupees	Annas	Pies
1842 Feby 23d	1	For Embarking Native Convicts to the Bargue Swallow in exchange of Vessel being anchored to far	1	Pinnis Boats — Sent at A. d. P. 2 3 0	1	—	—
				Ditto at A. d. P. 0 9 0	—	—	—
				Steamers Ditto at A. d. P. 1 4 6	—	—	—
				State Road Cutters at A. d. P. 0 12 6	—	—	—
				State Road Cutters P. A. d. P. 0 6 3	—	—	—
				State Road watermen A. d. P. 1 11 3	—	—	—
				Total Rupees	2	3	0

Constables Rupees Four and eleven Pies

Signed S. F. McKenzie
Deputy Commissioner
Boat Department

Madras
Boat Office
31st March 1842

Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

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To
The Agent of the
Fort St. George Gazette

Sir,

Be pleased to leave out the Names of Mr. William Grant, Mr. George Johnston and Sooroo Ramasawmy Naicker in the Petty Jury List and insert alphabetically the Names of Mr. Cyrus Grant Mr. Anthony Rodrigues and Doolepanty Venkatasoobiah Brahmin —

Yours &c.
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
11th April 1842 —

D.

To
The Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will give Orders to a Sufficient Number of Constables and Sannah Peons to attend at Her Majestys Gaol on Monday the 18th Instant, at 8 O'Clock in the Morning for the purpose of escorting the Prisoners for trial to the Court House and thence to the Gaol and to lend their assistance during the period the ensuing Sessions shall last —

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
15th April 1842

ED

Memo

It is requested that Orders May be given to Strike off at the Fort Saint George Gazette Peon by tomorrow One hundred Calendars and Sixty Jury Lists as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1835—

One Quire and One Sheet of Royal and Fifteen Sheets of Medium are transmitted for the purpose Vizt—

One Quire and One Sheet of Royal for Calendars—

Fifteen Sheets of Medium for Jury Lists—

/Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
15th April 1842.

To The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George—

Crown Side

The Queen
agt
Venkatanarranappa Chitty and Narsimmaloo Chitty

To The Sheriff

Sir,

Please to furnish Me with a Copy of Commitment herein—

Yours &ca
/Signed S. H. Wilkins
atty for Deft
16th April 1842—

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Madras— Victoria by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen Defender of the Faith and So forth To William Gardiner Burn Esquire Sheriff of the Town of Madras Greeting We Command you that you have the Bodies of Venkata = Narranapah Chetty & Narasimmaloo Chitty by whatsoever Name Called Now detained in your Custody, unlawfully as it is said, together with the day and Cause of the taking and detaining of the said Venkatanarranapah Chitty and Narasimmaloo Chitty before the Sitting Judge at his Chambers in the Court House of the said Town of Madras immediately on the receipt of this our Writ to do and receive and be Subjected to what the said Sitting Judge shall then and there Consider of them in this behalf Witness Sir Edward John Gambier Knight Officiating Chief Justice at Madras aforesaid the Eighteenth Day of April in the Fifth Year of our Reign—

/Signed C. M. Seed
Clerk of the Crown

/Signed S. H. Wilkins
Solr

Seal

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I William Gardiner Burn Esquire Sheriff of Madras do hereby Certify to the Justices of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras at the Court House that before the Coming of this Writ to me to wit on the Fourteenth day of April in the Fifth Year of our Soveryn Lady Victoria by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen Defender of the Faith and in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty two Venkatanarranappa Chitty and Narsimmaloo Chitty were Committed to My Custody by Montague Ross Taynton Esquire one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace in and for the said Town of Madras Presidency of Fort Saint George and its Dependencies by a Warrant under his Hand and Seal bearing

bearing date the Fourteenth of the Said Month of April and you aforesaid and which Said Warrant is hereto annexed and I do further Certify that this is the only Cause of taking and detaining of the Said Venkatanarranappa Chitty and Narsimmaloo Chitty whose bodies I have ready to produce as within I am Commanded.

The Answer of

/Signed/ William Gardiner Burn
Sheriff

2P

To William Gardiner Burn Esqre Sheriff of the Town of Madraspatnam and its Dependencies, and to the Keeper of Her Majesty's Gaol there, and to John McLaren & M. Norton or either of them Constables of Madraspatnam —

Whereas Venkatanarranappa Chetty and Narsimmaloo Chetty of Madras labourers stand charged before Me. M. R. Taynton Esquire One of Her Majesty's Justices of the Place in and for the Said Town of Madras Residency of Fort St. George and its Dependencies upon the Oath of Louisa Irwin, Veneo Naik, Malyappen, Nursojee, Tombyappa Pillay, Narrain Naik, Raumoo Chetty, Soondra Chetty, Sooboroyan, Parthasarady, Arnachellom Chetty, Appoo Chetty, Arnoudabutton, Raumarow, Casavaloo Chetty, Kristnasawmy Chetty, Chenglaroya Chetty, Audynarrain Chetty, Appasawmy Chetty, Soondaram Moodelly, Singanah Chetty, Ranganiah and Molunsingh with being in possession of Two Stolen Government Bank Notes of Fifty Rupees each, the property of the Said Louisa Irwin. These are therefore to Command you the Said Constables in the Name of our Said Lady the Queen forthwith to Convey the Said Venkatanarranappa Chetty and Narsimmaloo Chetty to Her Majesty's Gaol in and for the Said Town of Madras

and to deliver them to the Keeper therefore with this Receipt and Ido in the Name of our Said Lady the Queen Command you the Said Sheriff and the Keeper of the Said Gaol and each of you to receive the Said Venkatanarranappa Chetty and Narsimmaloo Chetty into your Custody in the Said Gaol and them Safely keep in your Said Gaol until they Shall be from thence discharged by due Course of Law —

Given under My hand and Seal of Office at Madras this 14th day of April 1842 —

/Signed/ M. R. Taynton
Justice of the Peace

Es

To The Sheriff

Sir. Please furnish me with a Copy of the Commitment under which Charles Mann Esqr is detained in the Madras Gaol —

Yours &c.

25 April 1842

/Signed/ W. H. Rose
Aj Lt. Hon Comptr

To The Town Major
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a Statement of Claim, made by Henry Jones, late a Private of Her Majesty's 39th Regiment of Foot, now a Prisoner in Her Majesty's Gaol, under Sentence of transportation by Military Court Martial —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
26th April 1842

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To The Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir,

I have the honor to annexe hereto an Extract from the Calendar of Prisoners who were tried at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at Madras on the 18th day of April 1842 and request that you will Order the Prisoners therein named to be kept to Hard Labor agreeably to the Sentence passed upon them by the Court.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) W. G. Burn Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
28th April 1842.

2d

Extract from the Calendar of Persons Tried &c. at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at the Town of Madras the Eighteenth Day of April One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty two Before the Supreme Court &c.—

No.	Names	Charges	Verdicts	Sentences
1	Abdoollah	Larceny	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Space of Six Calendar Months and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged
2	Runga Chary	Larceny	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged.—

C. M. Reed
Clerk of the Crown

N. B. Commencement of Imprisonment to be Calculated from 21st April 1842 - the day on which Sentence was passed.—

Edwd. J. Gambier

A true Extract
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

2 European Lascars &c.
Patrick de Keane — &c.
James Hollins — &c.
Peter Cahir — &c.
Patrick Cahir — &c.
Joseph Gilroy — &c. Settlers

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith an application for submission to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council from the European Private Soldiers named in the Margin, now Prisoners in Her Majestys Gaol, tried and under Sentence of transportation duly adjudged by Courts Martial.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
Do May 1842.

Ed

Madras - Victoria by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen Defender of the Faith and So forth

(Signed) John D. Norton

To William Gardiner Burn Esquire Sheriff of the Town of Madras Greeting We Command you that you have the body of Charles Mann by whatsoever Name called Now detained in your Custody (unlawfully as it is said) together with the day and Cause of the taking and detaining of the said Charles Mann before the Sitting Judge at his Chambers in the Court House of the said Town of Madras immediately on the receipt of this our Writ to do and receive and be Subjected to what the said Sitting Judge shall then and there Consider of him in this behalf Witness Sir Edward John Gambier Knight Officiating Chief Justice at Madras aforesaid the Second Day

L. S.

To The Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir,

I have the honor to annex hereto an Extract from the Calendar of Prisoners who were tried at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at Madras on the 18th day of April 1842. and request that you will Order the Prisoners therein named to be kept to Hard Labor agreeably to the Sentence passed upon them by the Court.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
28th April 1842.

2d

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C. M. Reed
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A true Extract
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

To The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Hon'ble Obed't Serv't
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Patrick Keane 2d European Light Infantry
James Hollins 39th do
Peter Connor 39th do
Patrick Fitzgerald 1st Battn 4th Regt

Sheriff's Office
Madras
21st May 1842

2d

Madras - Victoria by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen Defender of the Faith and so forth
(Signed) John D. Norton
To William Gardiner Burn Esquire Sheriff of the Town of Madras
Greeting. We Command you that you have the body of Charles Mann by whatsoever Name Called Now detained in your Custody (unlawfully as it is Said) together with the day and Cause of the taking and detaining of the Said Charles Mann before the Sitting Judge at his Chambers in the Court House of the Said Town of Madras immediately on the receipt of this our Writ to do and receive and be Subjected to what the Said Sitting Judge Shall then and there Consider of him in this behalf. Witness Sir Edward John Gambier Knight Officiating Chief [illegible] at Madras aforesaid the second Day

L. S.

Day of May in the Fifth Year of our Reign —

/Signed/ I. H. Wilkins
Solr.

/Signed/ C. M. Teed
Clark of the Crown

2d

I. William Gardiner Burn Esquire Sheriff of Madras do hereby Certify to the Justices of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras at the Court House that before the Coming of this Writ to me to wit on the Second day of May in the Fifth Year of our Sovereign Lady Victoria by the Grace of God of the united Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen Defender of the Faith and in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty two Charles Mann was Committed to My Custody by Lieutenant Colonel Charles George Alves 49th Regiment N. I. President by a Warrant under his hand and Seal bearing date the Twenty Second day of June One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty and which said Warrant is hereto annexed and I do further Certify that this is the only Cause of taking and detaining of the said Charles Mann whose body I have Ready to produce as within I am Commanded — —

The Answer of
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

2d.

To

Sergeant Michael Many of Captain William Woods Company of H. Mt 39th Regiment of Foot and to all the Officers Non. Commissioned Officers and Soldiers Serving with the army belonging to the Presidency of Fort Saint George thereunto lawfully authorized by the Command of their Military Superior and to the Adjutant General of the Forces of or belonging to the Presidency of Fort Saint George a Officer who may be exercising the functions of that Office at the said Presidency and to J. L. Johnson Esquire

the Sheriff in and for the Town of Madraspatnam and its Dependencies and to the Keeper of Her Majesty's Goal there — —

Whereas Charles Mann Lieutenant in the eleventh Regiment Native Infantry has by a General Court Martial duly Convened and held at Kamptee on the Twelfth day of May in the Year of our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and Forty been duly Tried and Convicted of Manslaughter And whereas the said Charles Mann has been by the said Court Sentenced to be Imprisoned in Her Majesty's Goal at Madras for the Space of Two Years, And whereas such Conviction and Sentence have been Confirmed by the Officer Commanding in Chief the Forces of or belonging to the Presidency of Fort Saint George — These are therefore to Command you Sejeant Michael Many or such other person as shall from you lawfully receive the said Charles Mann in Custody and you the Adjutant General aforesaid or Officer exercising the function of that Office at the Presidency of Fort Saint George to Convey and deliver and you J. L. Johnson Esquire the Sheriff aforesaid and you the Keeper of the Goal aforesaid to receive the said Charles Mann and him Safely keep for the Space of Two Years Next ensuing — —

By the Court
Witness My hand and Seal this
Twenty Second day of June One
Thousand eight hundred and Forty —
/Signed/ Chas Geo Alves
Lieut Col 49 Regt N. I.
President

Ex.

No 184.

Memorandum.

The Secretary to the Marine Board has the honor to request to be informed of the Name of the native convict now in H. Mt Jail under Sentence of Transportation to Moluccas & if he is in readiness to embark —

/Signed/ I. R. Boyston
Ag. Secretary

Madras Marine Bd Office
9th May 1842 — To The Sheriff of Madras

Memorandum

Official Memorandum

With reference to your Official Memorandum of this days date I have the honor to inform you, that there is a Native Convict named in the Margin, at present in Her Majesty's Gaol under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
9th May 1842.

To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board.

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(Original)

To The Sheriff
of Madras

Sir, I hereby require you to furnish me with a Copy of the Warrant by which you now detain me in Custody.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedient Servt
(Signed) Chas Mann

H. M. Gaol
Madras
13th May 1842.

Endd

To Chas Mann Esqre

Sir In Compliance with the requisition contained in your letter of this days date I beg to forward you a true Copy of the Warrant under which you are now detained in my Custody

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Madras
Sheriffs Office
13th May 1842.

Endd

Read the following letter.

No. 701.

Madras Marine Board Office
9th May 1842.

Sir,

With reference to the Order of Government No. 282 on a letter from the Clerk of the Crown dated 28th ultimo, I have the honor, by desire of the Marine Board, to report that passage to Moolmeyne has been provided

To The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

provided on the Brig "Sir Archibald Campbell" for the native Convict whose name is mentioned in the margin for the Sum of Rupees 25. the Commissariat finding provisions &c. and the Commander providing a suitable Guard and Prison for his safe Custody.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J R Boyson
Acting Secretary

*Poongappen

No 293

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council desires that the Convict sentenced to Transportation by Her Majesty's Court, may be embarked on board the "Sir Archibald Campbell" on the terms mentioned above.—

Ordered that the foregoing letter be communicated to the Commissary General and the Sheriff of Madras for their information and guidance.

(Signed) John Orr
Actg Secy to Govt

Fort St George
13th May 1842.

(Signed) J R B
Actg Secretary

To the Marine Board. Dispd 13th Inst. 2 Pm. 14th May 42

Commissary General (Rec'd 2 Pm 14th May 1842) (Signed) Clark Sally

Sheriff (Rec'd 1/2 past 5 P.M. 14th & Sent and Rd 10 May 1842) (Signed) W G B Sheriff

End

No 765

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to request that the Convict named in the margin and under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast may be embarked on the Brig "Sir archibald Campbell" at 3 Oclock in the afternoon of Tuesday next the 31st Instant in order to his being conveyed to Moulmeine

*Poongappen

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most Obedt Servant
(Signed) J R Boyson
acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Board Office
28th May 1842

Ex

To
The Keeper of H.M. Gaol

You are hereby directed to embark the Native Convict named in the margin at 3 Oclock in the afternoon of Tuesday the 31st Instant on the Brig "Sir Archibald Campbell."

A Boat will be in readiness opposite the Custom House for the purpose of taking the above named Convict to the said Vessel.

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
30th May 1842

Ex'd

Poongappen

To

The Master Attendant

Sir

I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary Orders for a Boat to be in readiness opposite the Custom House at 3 Oclock in the afternoon of Tuesday the 31st Instant for the purpose of Conveying a Native Convict under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast on the Brig "Sir Archibald Campbell."

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servant
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
30th May 1842

Ex.

To

The Officer Commanding
the Brig Sir Archibald Campbell
Madras Roads

Sir

I request you will receive on the Brig "Sir Archibald Campbell" a Native Convict named in the margin under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast, and sign the receipt which the Bearer of this, one of my Officers, will present to you for that purpose.

(Moneyappen)

Sam
Sir,
your Obedt Servant
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
31st May 1842

Ex.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Second Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery holden on Monday the 18th of April 1842.—

"The Court Directs that James Thompson Esqre be summoned to attend as a Grand Juror at the next Sessions".—

/A True Extract/
/Signed/ C. A. Reed
Clerk of the Crown.

Crown Office
Madras
30th May 1842.

For the information of
The Sheriff of Madras

Ex.

Received on the Brig "Sir Archibald Campbell" this 31st day of May 1842 of William Gardiner Burn Esquire Sheriff of Madras a Native Convict named in the margin under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast together with a pair of Irons.

(Moneyappen)

/Signed/ G. Hoskins Chief officer

Ex.

To the Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of Government that a Native Convict, named in the margin, was Yesterday Evening embarked on the Brig "Sir Archibald Campbell" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.—

(Moneyappen)

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
1st June 1842

Ex.

To

The Clerk of the Crown

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you, that a Native Convict, named in the Margin, was yesterday Evening (Moongyaffee) embarked on the Brig "Sir Archibald Campbell" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.—

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obed.t Serv.t

Signed W. G. Barn

Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
1st June 1842.

C.O.
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To

The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of the Marine Board, that a Native (Moongyaffee) Convict, named in the Margin, was yesterday evening embarked on the Brig "Sir Archibald Campbell" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obed.t Serv.t

Signed W. G. Barn

Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
1st June 1842.

C.O.
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To

The Sheriff
of Madras

Sir

We beg you will be pleased to furnish us with a Certificate of the embarkation of a Convict on the Brig Sir Archibala Campbell for Moulmein to enable us to recover the amount of his passage money from Government.

We have the honor to be

Sir

your most Obedient servant

Signed Hall & Phelps

Madras 1st June 1842

C.D.

I hereby Certify that a Native Convict named in the Margin under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast, was, on the Evening of the 31st May 1842 embarked (Moongyaffee) on the Brig "Sir Archibald Campbell"

Signed W. G. Barn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2d June 1842

Messrs. Hall & Phelps

C.

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir Accompanying I have the honor to forward the Precepts for Convening the Next July Sessions. The Proclamation must be inserted as usual in the Fort Saint George Gazette.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obed.t Servt

Signed C. M. Lee
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
3d June 1842

Proclamation

Madras
To Wit

By Virtue of a Precept to me directed I hereby Proclaim and give notice that a Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery in and for Fort Saint George the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto will be holden at the Court House at Madras aforesaid on Monday the Fourth Day of July next ensuing the date hereof at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon for the trial of all Treasons Murders Felonies and other crimes and misdemeanors had done or Committed within Fort Saint George or the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto and Dependant thereon.

And also that at the same time and place will be holden a Sessions of Admiralty for the trial of all Treasons Murders Piracies, Felonies, Trespasses, Misdemeanors, and other Crimes and Offences done perpetrated or Committed on the High Seas.

And I hereby require and enjoin all persons bound to prosecute and give Evidence at the above Sessions or in any Wise Concerned therein to attend at the time and place abovementioned and not to depart without leave.

Dated this Third
Day of June 1842
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary Orders for Striking off at the Fort Saint George Gazette Press by tomorrow Two Hundred and Fifty Jury Summons according to the accompanying Form as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1835.

Two Quires and Fourteen and a half sheets of long Post are transmitted for the above.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
6th June 1842.

P.S.

x Struck off by the 1st Battn of Artillery
Patrick Keane 2d European Fusiliers 2d Battn
Patrick Connor 2d — — — —
Peter Daly 2d — — — —
James Hurland 2d — — — —

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith an application, for submission to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, from the European Private Soldiers named in the Margin, now Prisoners in Her Majesty's Gaol tried and under Sentence of transportation, duly adjudged by Court Martial.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
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(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
10th June 1842

P.S.

Proclamation

Madras
To Wit } By Virtue of a Precept to me directed I hereby Proclaim and give notice that a Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery in and for Fort Saint George the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto will be holden at the Court-House at Madras aforesaid on Monday the Fourth Day of July next ensuing the date hereof at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon for the trial of all Treasons Murders Felonies and other crimes and misdemeanors had done or Committed within Fort Saint George or the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto and Dependant thereon.

And also that at the same time and place will be holden a Sessions of Admiralty for the trial of all Treasons Murders Piracies, Felonies, Trespasses, Misdemeanors, and other Crimes and Offences done perpetrated or Committed on the High Seas.

And I hereby require and enjoin all persons bound to prosecute and give Evidence at the above Sessions or in any wise Concerned therein to attend at the time and place abovementioned and not to depart without leave.

Dated this Third
Day of June 1842
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

To
The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary Orders for Striking off at the Fort Saint George Gazette Press, by tomorrow Two Hundred and Fifty Sixty Summons according to the accompanying Form as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1835.

Two Quires and Fourteen and a half sheets of long Post are transmitted for the above.

I have the honor to be
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x Joseph Gilroy 1st Battn 3rd Artillery
Patrick Keane 2d European Light Infantry
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James Hoolehan 2d — do — do

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10th June 1842

Pd.

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Henry Jones late of H.M. 39th Regt
John Donoghan Do — Do

To
The Deputy Adjutant General
Her Majesty's Forces
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith two letters to your address, from the European Private Soldiers named in the Margin under Sentence of transportation by Military Courts Martial.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W.G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
13th June 1842

Pd

Head Quarters
Fort St. George 13th June 1842

No. 2,878

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of this day's date, forwarding letters from two Convicts in Her Majesty's Goal at Madras, late Privates in the 39th Regiment and Claiming each certain Sums of Money on account of their Kits sold, which they must be quite aware can only be recovered from the Regiment, and not from this Department, and that they had no business to quite the Regiment with any unsatisfied Claims they have now been here a considerable time, and it is only at this late period they have thought proper to prefer their claims, which these are no means of adjusting, but by reference to the Regiment at Agra, which will accordingly be made.

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) R. B. Fearon
D. A. G. H. M. Forces

Henry Jones late of H.M. 39th Regt
John Donoghan Do

To
W.G. Burn Esqre
Sheriff of
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Esq.

Supreme Court
Madras
Crown Side

The Queen on the Prosecution of Mahomed Cajsin

vs

Ghoolam ally & ors

To The Sheriff

Sir

Be pleased to furnish me with a Copy of the Warrant of Commitment herein.

Yours &c
(Signed) Henry Crampton
Atty for the
Prisoners

14th June 1842

Pd

No 835

To The Sheriff
of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor, by desire of the Marine Board to request the favor of your furnishing me with a Statement, shewing the Nos and names of the European Convicts now in Her Majesty's Jail, and under Sentence of transportation -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boydon
Acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Board Office
18th June 1842 -

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Acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Board Office
18th June 1842

Encd.

To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir, With reference to your letter of this days date, I have the honor to inform you, that there

John Monaghan late a Private 39th Regt:
John Ryan — Do. Do.
Charles Parker Do. Do.
Henry Jones — Do. Do.

there are four European Convicts, named in the Margin, at present in Her Majesty's Gaol under Sentence of transportation to New South Wales.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W.m Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th June 1842

Pd.

M. D.

No. 2857

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
21st June 1842.

Read the following paper

Extract from the Mins Cons Jud.l Dep.t
Communicates a letter from the Govt. of India forwarding Copy of one from the Court of Directors respecting the removal of the prohibition against transporting European Convicts from India to Van Diemen's Land.

Here enter 13th June 1842 No. 355.

(Signed) C

" J.B.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council observes that a reference was made to the Government of India under date the 31st ultimo, No. 2558, for information respecting the course pursued in Bengal in regard to European Soldiers of the Company's Army sentenced to transportation, pending the receipt of the Order by Her Majesty in Council prescribed

prescribed by Section 14 of 3 and 4 Victoria Cap. 37.

Ordered that the foregoing Extract be communicated to the Commander of the Forces, with a view, if necessary, to having the place of transportation, Van Deemans Land, added to the Confirmation of the Sentence.

(Signed) S.W. Steel, Lt. Col.
Secretary to Govt.

To the Adjt. Genl. of the Army
with No. 3014 to be returned

Rec.d Int.a Ret.o 23d June 1842.
(Signed) R. A.

Sheriff of Madras
with do — do

Pd. Encd. and Ret.d 24th June 1842.
(Signed) W. B. S.
Sheriff

Gd.

Judicial Department

No. 355

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
13th June 1842

Read the following letter
No. 3 of 1842

From the Secretary to the Govt. of India with the Governor General

To
R. Clerk Esquire
Secretary to Govt. Fort St. George
Dated Allahabad 2d May 1842

Legl. Dept. Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India to transmit for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council of Madras the enclosed Copy of a despatch from the Honorable the Court of Directors, No. 5 dated 30th March last respecting the removal of the prohibition against transporting European

European Convicts from India to Van Diemen's Land-

Allahabad
The 24th May 1842

I have the honor to be, &c.
(Signed) T. H. Maddock
Secy to the Govt of India
with the Govr Genl

Legislative Department
No. 5 of 1842.

Our Governor General of India in Council

Transportation of Convicts
19th March 1842.

With reference to your Secretary's Letter of the 20th September (17) 1841, we have the satisfaction of transmitting to you the accompanying Copy of a Letter from the Secretary to the Board of Commissioners for the affairs of India, with a Copy of its enclosure and a Copy of the reply to it, from which you will learn that the prohibition against transporting European Convicts from India to Van Diemen's Land is to be withdrawn - you will take such measures as may endure the due observance of the Conditions on which the former practice is to be revived -

We are &c.

London -
30th March 1842

(Signed) George Lyall
" J. L. Lushington
" W. Wigram
" W. S. Clarke
" W. H. Sykes
" J. Cotton
" J. W. Hogg
" J. P. Muspratt
" W. H. le Plowden
" A Shank
" J. Lock
" H Lindsay
" A Robertson

J. C. Melvill Esquire

Sir

With reference to your Letter of the 17th Ultimo, I am directed by the Commissioners for the affairs of India to request that you will lay before the Court of Directors the

15th March 1842 enclosed Copy of a Letter which the Board has received from the Colonial Office, relative to the transportation of European Convicts, from India to Van Diemen's Land -

I have &c.
(Signed) J. Emmerson Tennent

India Board
March 19th 1842

(Copy)

J Emmerson Tennent Esqre
&c. &c. &c.

Sir

I have laid before Lord Stanley your letter of the 15th Ultimo, with the copy therein enclosed of a letter from the Court of Directors of the East India Company with reference to the transportation of European Convicts from India; and I am to acquaint you in reply for the information of the Commissioners for the affairs of India, that his Lordship would not object to withdraw the prohibition at present existing against the transportation of such Convicts from India to Van Diemen's Land, provided that European Convicts only are sent there and that their number does not exceed 50 or 60 in any One year and on the further understanding that the expenses of their transportation and maintenance shall be defrayed by the India Government according to a rate which shall be agreed upon -

Lord Stanley considers it necessary to limit the number of Convicts as there is an overwhelming

overwhelming pressure on the contracted limits of Van Dieman's Land from the increasing influx of British Convicts.-

Downing Street
15th March 1842

I am &c.
(Signed) Jas Stephen

J. E. Tennent Esqre M.P.
&c. &c. &c.
India Board

Sir,

I have laid before the Court of Directors of the East India Company your letter of the 19th Instant, transmitting a Copy of a letter from Mr Stephen in which it is stated that Lord Stanley would not object to withdraw the prohibition against the transportation of European Convicts from India to Van Diemans Land, provided that only European Convicts were sent thither, and that the number did not exceed fifty or sixty in any one year, and that the expense of their transportation and maintenance were defrayed by the Indian Government according to a rate to be agreed upon.

In reply I am commanded to state that as natives of India are not liable, according to Law to be transported to New South Wales, and that the Court of Directors will be happy to accede to the proposal that the Number of European Convicts to be transported from India to Van Diemans Land in any one year shall not exceed fifty or sixty and that the expense of their transportation and maintenance shall be defrayed by the Indian Government. The Court request to be informed whether it be intended that the Governments of India and of Van Diemans Land shall communicate together with regard to the rate to be charged for the maintenance

of Convicts from India and to the periodical returns shewing the Number of those Convicts from time to time remaining in Van Diemans Land.-

I have &c.
(Signed) J. C. Melvill
Secretary

True Copies
(Signed) T. H. Maddock
Secy to Govt of India
with the Govr Genl

Ordered that the foregoing letter and Enclosures be communicated to the Military Department, Marine Board, and to the Judges of the Supreme Court.-

The Marine Board will state what arrangements they propose making for the transportation to Van Diemans Land of the European Convicts now in the Custody of the Sheriff of Madras.

Ordered that the following letter be despatched to the Judges of the Supreme Court.-

(Signed) John Orr
Actg Secy to Govt

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I herewith beg to bring to your notice that the European Prisoner named William Postlethwayd Gunner D. Company of the 1st B. Artillery is expired on the morning of the 5th Instant. The Town Major will require notice for the Escort to receive him.

I am
Sir
your most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Henry Gibbs
Keeper of Her Majesty's Gaol

Hers majestys Gaol
Madras
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Sir
your most Obedt. Servt.
(signed) Henry Gibbs
Keeper of Her Majesty's Gaol

Hers majestys Gaol
Madras
1st July 1842--

To

The Town Major

Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to request that an Escort May be sent to Her Majesty's Gaol at 6 o'Clock in the Morning of Tuesday the 5th. Instant to receive charge of Gunner William Boothroyd in the D Company 1st. Battalion of Artillery, whose time of Imprisonment will have expired on the Morning of that day.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
1st. July 1842.

2d

Memo

It is requested that Orders May be given to Sheriffs at the Fort Saint George Gazette Press by tomorrow One Hundred Calendars and Eighty Jury Lists as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1841.

Two Quires and Two Sheets of Medium and Twenty Sheets of Long Post are transmitted for the purpose Viz.

Two Quires and Two Sheets of Medium for Calendars

Twenty Sheets of Long Post for Jury Lists.—

Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
1st. July 1842.

To

The Acting Secretary
to Government.

2d

To

The Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will give Orders to a Sufficient Number of Constables and Tannah Peons to attend at Her Majesty's Gaol on Monday the 4th. Instant, at 8 o'Clock in the Morning for the purpose of escorting the Prisoners for trial to the Court House and thence to the Gaol and to lend their Assistance during the period the ensuing Sessions shall last.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
1st. July 1842.

2d

Military Board Office

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I am directed by the Military Board to state that Canacapully Vencatarungum Naidoo Head Record Keeper of this Office who has been summoned to attend as a Petty Juryman at the Supreme Court on Monday next is very much occupied at the present time in the discharge of his Official duties and that it would be an accommodation to the Public Service if his attendance on the Petty Jury Could be dispensed with, which they feel satisfied will be done by you, if not productive of Serious inconvenience.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
Signed A. Moberly Lt Col.
Secy. Military Board

Fort Saint George
1st. July 1842

Pd

To

Lt. Col. B. Moberly

Secretary Military Board.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st. July instant and in reply to state that I have not the power to excuse any person whose name appears on the Jury List who has not claimed and obtained any exemption from serving, and even if I had the power it would now be too late to do so inasmuch as the Jury Rules require that every person shall be summoned one full week previous to the Commencement of the Sessions. I therefore regret that I cannot comply with the request contained in your letter which had it been in my power, I should have had much pleasure in doing.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed. Servt.
(signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2d. July 1842

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Sheriff's Office
Madras

Statement of Boats employed on Account of the Sheriff of Madras for the Month of May 1842. is transmitted for Countersignature of the Sheriff of Madras.

I Certify that the Boats mentioned in the annexed Statement were employed on the Service of this Office during the Month of May 1842. and that the Charges are correct.

Sheriff

Year Month and Date	No. of Boats	Name of the Ships and Vessels	No. of Charges	Summonses	Total
					Private Boats.
1842 May 31st	1	For Conveying A Native Convict to the Big Ship Sir A. Campbell in consequence of Fulwa Letter.	1		
					Total Private Boats
					Company's Pulled Two oared Boats
				3	Total
					Sheriff

Madras
Boat Pay Office
30th June 1842.

Sheriff

Pd.

№ 2,954

Head Quarters.

Fort St. George 15th July 1842

Sir

With reference to my letter of the 13th Ultimo, I have the honor to transmit for your information the annexed
1st July 1842 copy of a Communication received from the Officer Commanding
H. M. 39th Regiment respecting claims preferred by the
Henry Jones, John Donegha — Individuals named in the margin late of that Corps.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
(signed) R. B. Fearon
D. A. G. H. M. Forces

To
The Sheriff of Madras
Beach

Turn over

№ 224

Agra,
1st July 1842

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Memorandum dated Fort St. George 13th June 1842 enclosing two petitions herewith returned and to inform you that in conformity to the 130th Article of War the amount of their Kits after deducting debt due to Officers Commanding Companies was sent to the Secretary at War in the Quarter ending 31st December 1841.

Dept. Adjt. Genl.
H. M. Forces
Fort St. George

I have &c.
(signed) J. Wright. Lt. Col.
Commanding
H. M. 39th Regiment

(A true Copy)
(signed) R. B. Fearon
D. A. G. H. M. Forces

Memo

Debtors Gaol requires white washing, flowers repairing and Doors repairing to preserve the health of the Gaol.
Criminal Gaol requiring Do. Do. Do.
Palmara Rails round the Gallows and Gaol requiring repairs
Sentrie Boxes requiring immediate repairs.

H. M. Gaol
Madras
18th July 1842
To H. G. Burn Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

(signed) Henry Gibbs
Keeper of H. M. Gaol

To
The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir

With reference to the Order of Government under date the 28th April 1819 I have the hona to transmit a General Return of Prisoners Confined in Her Majesty's Criminal Gaol for the Six Months ending on the 30th day of June 1842.

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th July 1842
Encl.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(signed) H. G. Burn
Sheriff

A General Return of Prisoners in Her Majestys' Criminal Gaol at Madraspatnam for the Six Months ending on the 30th day of June 1842.

No.	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
1	Charles Mann	European	Manslaughter	15th Sept. 1840	Not known	Guilty	Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be imprisoned in Her Majesty's Gaol at Madras for the Space of Two Years	Discharged on the 21st June 1842.
2	Aroonachellum	Hindoo	Abduction	19th Janr. 1841	1st Janr. 1841	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Common Gaol of Madras for the Term of One Year and let him pay a fine of One Hundred Rupees to the Queen and let him be further imprisoned until such fine be paid and then Let him be Discharged.	Discharged on the 26th January 1842.
3	William Borthergd	European	Larceny	18th May 1841	1st July 1841	Confesses	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged.	In Gaol
4	Patrick Keane	European	Military Offence	10th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	In Gaol
5	James Holland	European	Military Offence	10th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	In Gaol
6	Peter Daly	European	Military Offence	19th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	In Gaol

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7	Patrick Connor	European	Military Offence	19th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	In Gaol
8	Joseph Gilfoyle	European	Military Offence	27th Augt 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	In Gaol
9	Veerasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	16th October 1841	In Jany 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 23d Febuary 1842
10	Sakeebee otherwise Called Patchabee	Mahomedans	Larceny	30th October 1841	In Jany 1842	Not Guilty	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 18th January 1842
11	Khyroombee	Mahomedans	Receiving Stolen Goods knowing them to Lave been Stolen	30th October 1841	In Jany 1842	Not Guilty	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 18th January 1842
12	Comarasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	10th Dect 1841	In Jany 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 23d Febuary 1842
13	Chinnappen	Hindoo	Larceny	17th Dect 1841	In Jany 1842	Confessed	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 23d Febuary 1842
14	John Donoghan	European	Larceny	14th Jany 1842	Not known	Guilty	Tried at Kamptee and Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas as a felon for the period of Seven Years	In Gaol
15	John Ryan	European	Larceny	14th Jany 1842	Not known	Guilty	Tried at Kamptee and Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol

No.	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
16	Charles Baker	European	Larceny	14th Jany 1842	Not known	Guilty	Tried at Kamptee and Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol
17	Henry Jones	European	Desertion and Larceny	14th Jany 1842	Not known	Guilty	Tried at Kamptee and Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol
18	Mooneyappen	Hindoo	Embezzlement	11th March 1842	In April 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 31st May 1842
19	Abdoollah	Mahomedan	Larceny	12th March 1842	In April 1842	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Space of Six Calendar Months and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendt of Police on the 29th April 1842
20	W. Parasooram Moodeliar	Hindoo	Forgery	12th March 1842	In April 1842	Not Guilty		
21	Runga Chary	Hindoo	Larceny	29th March 1842	In April 1842	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendt of Police on the 29th April 1842
22	Venkatanarranappah Chitty	Hindoos	Receiving Stolen Bank Notes	14th April 1842	In April 1842	The Bill was returned by the Grand Jury Endorsed No Bill	On the Motion of Counsel Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 19th April 1842
23	Narrasimmooloo Chitty							

No.	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
16	Charles Baker	European	Larceny	14th Janr 1842	Not known	Guilty	Tried at Kamptee and Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol
17	Henry Jones	European	Desertion and Larceny	14th Janr 1842	Not Known	Guilty	Tried at Kamptee and Sentenced by a Genal Court Martial to be Transported beyond Seas for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol
18	Mooneyappen	Hindoo	Embezzlement	11th March 1842	In April 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 31st May 1842
19	Abdoollah	Mahomedan	Larceny	12th March 1842	In April 1842	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Space of Six Calendar Months and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendt of Police on the 29th April 1842
20	W. Tarasooram Moodeliar	Hindoo	Forgery	12th March 1842	In April 1842	Not Guilty	Let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 19th April 1842
21	Runga Chary	Hindoo	Larceny	29th March 1842	In April 1842	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	Delivered Over to the Superintendt of Police on the 29th April 1842
22	Venkatanarranuppah Chitty	Hindoos	Receiving Stolen Bank Notes	14th April 1842	In April 1842	The Bill was returned by the Grand Jury Endorsed No Bill	On the Motion of Counsel Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 19th April 1842
23	Narasimmoolo Chitty							

№	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
24	Parthasarathee	Hindoo	Burglary	6th May 1842	Not Tried		In Gaol	
25	Ambagaun	Hindoo	Larceny	14th May 1842	Not Tried		In Gaol	
26	Veerabuddren	Hindoo	Murder	23d May 1842	Not Tried		In Gaol	
27	David Pereira	Portigue	Embezzlement	23d May 1842	Not Tried		In Gaol	
28	Poomathoo	Christian	Murder	31st May 1842	Not Tried		In Gaol	
29	Amoordappon — and							
30	Kithary							
31	Syed Moortaza	Mahomedan	Manslaughter	31st May 1842	Not Tried		In Gaol	
32	Ghoolam Hoyssain alias Ghoolamee	Mahomedan	Forgery and Uttering a Cadjan Malabar Bond	9th June 1842	Not Tried		In Gaol	
33	Ally Ahmed	Mahomedan						
34	Sheik Teppoo	Mahomedan						
35	Buddoo Sahib	Mahomedan						
36	Mahomed Khassim	Mahomedan						
37	Veerasawmy Naick	Hindoo						
38	Nunnoosah	Mahomedan	Counterfeiting a Stamp such as is used in the Custom House of Madras and fraudulently using the same	10th June 1842	Not Tried		In Gaol	
39	Ebram Sahib — and	Mahomedans	Sodomy	10 June 1842	Not Tried		In Gaol	
40	Sooltan Sahib							
41	Moonyan — and	Hindoos	Burglary and Larceny	18th June 1842	Not Tried		In Gaol	
42	Mottoo Moonyan							

No	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
43	Vadamalay	Hindoo	Larceny	18th June 1842	Not Tried			In Gaol
44	Ramasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	24th June 1842	Not Tried			In Gaol
45	Angan	Hindoo	Larceny	26th June 1842	Not Tried			In Gaol
46	Richard Stephen affance	Portigue	Larceny	28th June 1842	Not Tried			In Gaol
47	Lewis Peters	Portigue	Larceny	29th June 1842	Not Tried			In Gaol
48	Meerjan Mohamud ally Beg	Mahomedan Accessary						

Sheriffs Office
Madras
20th July 1842.

Pd

Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

To

The Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir.

I have the honor to annex hereto an Extract from the Calendar of Prisoners who were tried at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at Madras on the 4th day of July 1842 and request that you will Order the Prisoners therein named to be kept to Hard Labor agreeably to the Sentence passed upon them by the Court.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obet. Servt.
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
21st July 1842

Extract from the Calendar of Prisoners tried at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at the Town of Madras the Fourth Day of July One Thousand Eight hundred and Forty Two Before the Supreme Court &c.

	Names	Charges	Verdicts	Sentences
1	Vadamalay	Larceny	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of Two Years and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged.
2	Angan	Larceny	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged.

C. M. Reed
Clerk of the Crown

N. B. Commencement of Imprisonment to be Calculated from 9th July 1842 the day on which Sentence was passed.

John D Norton
(A true Extract)

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

N° 88

To

The Sheriff of
Madras

Sir

I have the honor to request you will be good enough at your earliest convenience to furnish me with a Certificate of Discharge from Her Majesty's Gaol Madras of Gunner William Boothroyd General number 240 of the 1st Battalion Artillery to regulate the disbursement of his Pay at the Presidency Pay Office.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obt. Servant
(Signed) G. M. Gumm
Lieutenant
A. O. Commg R. 2 Cos
2nd Batt. Artillery

Saint Thos. Mount
20th July 1842

Et.

To

The Officer Commanding
2nd Batt. Artillery
Saint Thomas's Mount

Sir,

With reference to your Letter of the 20th Instant, I have the Honor to enclose the Certificate therein required.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obet. Servt.
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
23d July 1842

Et.

I hereby Certify that William Boothroyd Gunner D Company of the 1st Battalion of the Madras Artillery was discharged on the 5th Instant from Her Majesty's Gaol.

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
23d July 1842

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Sheriffs Office
Madras
21st July 1842

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Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
23d July 1842

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To

The Committee

for passing Contingent Charges

Fort Saint George

Gentlemen,

I have the honor to enclose a Contingent Bill, for Candles purchased for the use of the Supreme Court, during the last Sessions, and Request you will be pleased to pass the Same for payment --

I have the honor to be

Gentlemen

Your Most Obedt. Servt.

/Signed/ W. G. Burn

Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th July 1842.

Dr.

W. G. Burn Esqre _____ Dr.

1842

July 9th To 2 Viss of Wax Candles at 2 Rupees and 4 Annas per Viss is Companys Rupees 4 - 8 — a 8

Companys Rupees Four and Annas Eight

0-150-0-8-0

A. I. Cherry

Madras
25th July 1842.

/Signed/ W. G. Burn

Sheriff

Received the Fifteenth day of August One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two from the Honorable Company through the Sub Treasurer of the Government of Fort Saint George the above Mentioned sum of Companys Rupees Four and Annas Eight -

Companys Rupees 4 - 8 - /Signed/ W. G. Burn

Sheriff

To W. G. Burn Esqre

Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

Have the kindness to send a pen knife for the use of Her Majestys Gaol as I did not get since five years.

I am Sir

Your Most Obedt. Servt.

/Signed/ A. Gibbs

Keeper of H. M. Gaol

Her Majestys Gaol
Madras
1st August 1842

To

The Acting Chief Secretary

to Government

Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will procure the Sanction of the Right Honorable The Governor in Council for the white washing as well as for the ordinary repairs which are required in Her Majestys Gaol.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedt. Servt.

/Signed/ W. G. Burn

Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2 August 1842

No 727

Ordered to be Communicated to the Military Board, with a request that they will cause an Estimate to be prepared and submitted for the Sanction of Government for such repairs as may be necessary to H. M's Gaol to be

/Sd/ Robert Clark

Sy Chief Secretary

/Sd/ E

C. M. L.

J. B.

Fort St. George
9th August 1842

To the Military Board. dispd 11th 1842 /Sd/ H. Dr.

Recd Ent. & Pstd 11 August 1842 /Sd/ J. W. J.

Sheriff of Madras. dispd 12th Recd Ent. & Pstd 12th Augt 1842 /Sd/ J. W. J.

Sy Clerk

I hereby Certify that the Prisoner Davis Rodwell Gunner General No 54 6 Comp.y of the 2d Battalion of the Madras Artillery was received on the 11th Instant into Her Majesty's Gaol from Cuttewauk escorted by Narrainsawmy Naidoo and Soobah Row Dalayetts.

/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
12th August 1842.

To

W. G. Burn Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I beg to inform you that a Criminal Prisoner Name Camatchee Button has drowned himself the Morning about 7 o'Clock in a well in the Gaol Mr Apothecary Mathews and Dresser Venkatakistnama Naik has inspected the body as soon as the deceased was taken out of the well and I have appraised the Coroner of the same —

I am
Sir,
Your Most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ R. Gibbs
Keeper of H.M. Gaol

H.M. Gaol
Madras
August 1842.

No 276.

Official Memorandum

The Secretary to the Marine Board has the honor to request to be informed of the Names of the Convicts Now in Her Majesty's Jail under Sentence of transportation to Moolmeyne, and whether they are in readiness for embarkation —

An early answer is requested —

/Signed/ J. R. Boyson
ag Secretary.

Madras
Marine Bd Office
23d August 1842.

To The Sheriff of Madras.

Official Memorandum

With reference to your Official Memorandum of this days date, I have the honor to inform you that there are four Native Convicts Named in the Margin at present in Her Majesty's Gaol under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast —

1. Pattasaratee
2. Ambagam
3. Morry ain
4. Veerayagaven

/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
23d August 1842.

To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board.

To The Acting Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of the Right Honorable The Governor in Council, that "
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Camatchee Patten one of the Prisoners for trial at the ensuing Sessions died in Her Majestys Gaol at 7 Oclock a.m. on the 23d Instant by drowning himself in a Well in the Gaol.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
24th August 1842

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obt Servt
(Signed) J. B. Saunders
Dy. Sheriff

To
The Clerk of the Crown
Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you, that Camatchee Patten one of the Prisoners for trial at the ensuing Sessions died in Her Majestys Gaol at 7 Oclock a.m. on the 23d Instant by drowning himself in a Well in the Gaol.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
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Your most Obt Servt
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Dy. Sheriff

No 387.

To The Sheriff
of Madras.

Sir

I have the honor in obedience to General Orders by the Honorable the President of the Council of India in Council under date Fort William 12th February 1840. to forward herewith Copy of the Sentence passed by a Regimental Court martial upon a Private of the Corps under my Command, together with Copy of Letters received from the Town Major Fort St. George, regarding the limitation of the Sentence to three (3)

131 months Simple imprisonment, and which is to be Calculated from the 16th Instant the day on which the Proceedings were Signed by the President.

2.- I have further the honor to request your being pleased to inform me when it may be most Convenient to you to receive the Prisoner as therein directed.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obt Servant
(Signed) C. Mandeville Lt Col.
Commd 1st N.V.B.

Madras
26th August 1842

Sentence.- The Court having found the Prisoner Guilty as above stated, doth Sentence him the said Condapah, General number Five hundred and Eighty eight, Private, in the ninth Company, of the First Native Veteran Battalion, to six Lunar month Imprisonment with hard Labour, at such time and place, as the Officer Confirming these Proceedings may be pleased to direct.

(Signed) Subadar Major Petcha, President. his x mark.

(Signed) Andrew Forsyth, Adjutant, First Native Veteran Battalion, Conducting Proceedings.

(Signed) John Macdougall, Bt Captain 17th Regiment N.I. Interpretor to the Court.

Approved.
(Signed) Charles Mandeville, Lieutenant Colonel.
Commanding First Native Veteran Battalion.

(A true Copy)
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Commanding First Native Veteran Battalion.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) C. Mandeville Lt Col
Commg 1st N.V.B.

I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board, to report for the information of the Right Honble the Governor in Council that passage to Moolmeyne has been provided on the Bark "Favorite" for the 4 Native Convicts whose names are noted in the Margin, at the rate of 25 Rupees for each, the Commissariat finding Provisions &c. and the Commander providing a suitable Guard and Prison for their safe Custody.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boyson
Acting Secretary

N° 518

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council desires that the Convicts sentenced to Transportation by Her Majestys Court may be embarked on Board the Bark "Favorite" on the terms mentioned above.

Ordered that the foregoing letter be Communicated to the Commissary General and the Sheriff of Madras for their information and guidance.

(Signed) Walter Elliot
A Secy to Govt

Fort St. George
24 August 1842
To the Marine Board. Disp. 24th Rec. 6 PM 24th Ent'd & Rec'd 29th August 1842
(Signed) J. C. B.
A Secretary

Commissary General { Rec. Ent'd & Rec'd 29 Augt 1842 } (Signed) J. B. Dalrymple
Sheriff — Rec. Ent'd & Rec'd 29th Augt 1842 } (Signed) I. B. I.

(Sig'd) C
" C. M. L
" J. B

N° 1104.

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to request that the Native Convicts whose names are noted in the Margin, under Sentence of transportation to Moolmeyne may be embarked on the Bark "Favorite" on the Evening of Friday Next the 2d Proxino.

1 Pathasaratthee
2 Ambagam
3 Moonjan
4 Vedanagam

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boyson
Acting Secretary

Madras
Marine Bd Office
29th August 1842.
Ent'd

To
The Keeper of H. M. Gaol.

Sir,

You are hereby directed to embark the four Native Convicts Named in the Margin on the Evening of Friday Next the 2d Proxino, on the Barque "Favorite."

A Boat will be in readiness opposite the Custom House for the purpose of taking the above Named Convicts to the said Vessel.—

1 Pathasaratthee
2 Ambagam
3 Moonjan
4 Vedanagam

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
30th August 1842.
Ent'd

To
The Master Attendant

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary orders for a Boat to be in readiness opposite the Custom House on the Evening of Friday Next the 2d Proxino for the purpose of Conveying the four Native Convicts under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast on the Barque "Favorite."—

I have the honor to be.
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
30th August 1842.
Ent'd

To

The Officer Commanding
The Barque "Favorite"
Madras Roads

Sir

I request you will receive on the Barque "Favorite" the four Native Convicts named in the Margin under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast and Sign the Receipt which the Bearer of this one of my Officers will present to you for that purpose.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

1 Puttiwarathee
2 Anthagan
3 Mongan
4 Veeraragavan

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2d September 1842

To

The Acting Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith an application for Submission to the Right Honorable The Governor in Council from the European Private Soldiers named in the Margin, Now Prisoners in Her Majesty's Gaol tried and under Sentence of transpalation duly adjudged by Courts Martial.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedt. Servt
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Patrick Keane	2d	European Light Infantry
Peter Daly	2d	do
Joseph Lilywhite	1st	Battn. Artillery
James Holland	2d	European Light Infantry
Patrick Conner	2d	do

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2d September 1842

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Accompanying I have the honor to forward the Precepts for Convening the next October Sessions. The Proclamation must be inserted as usual in the Fort Saint George Gazette.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) C. M. Reed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
2d September 1842

Proclamation

Madras
To Wit

By Virtue of a Precept to me directed I hereby Proclaim and give notice that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery in and for Fort Saint George the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and factories Subordinate thereto will be holden at the Court House at Madras aforesaid on Monday the Tenth Day of October next ensuing the date hereof at Eleven o'Clock in the forenoon for the trial of all Treasons Murders Felonies and other Crimes and Misdemeanors had done or Committed within Fort Saint George or the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and factories Subordinate thereto and Dependant thereon.

And also that at the same time and place will be holden a Session of Admiralty for the trial of all Treasons Murders Piracies Felonies Trespasses Misdemeanors and other Crimes and Offences done perpetrated or Committed on the high

high Seas.

And I Hereby require and enjoin all persons bound to prosecute and give Evidence at the above Sessions or in any wise Concerned therein to attend at the time and place abovementioned and not to depart without leave.

Dated this Second
Day of September 1842
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

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1 Parthasarathee
2 Ambagam
3 Moorgan
4 Veeraragavan

Received on the Bargue Favorite this 2d day of September 1842 of William Gardener Burn Esquire Sheriff of Madras the four Native Convicts, named in the margin, under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast together with the four pairs of Irons.

(Signed) P Cargey 1st Officer
of the Favorite

Madras 2 Septemr 1842

To
The Sheriff of Madras
Sir

We request you will have the Goodness to furnish us with a Certificate of embarkation of the 4 Native Convicts proceeding to Moulmain per "Favorite" to enable us to Submit our bill for the 2/3rds of the passage Money to Government.

We have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedient Servants
(Signed) Hall Bambridge & Co.

1 Parthasarathee
2 Ambagam
3 Moorgan
4 Veeraragavan

I Hereby Certify that the four Native Convicts named in the Margin under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast, were on the Evening of the 2 September Instant, embarked on the Bargue "Favorite".

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
3 September 1842

Mssrs Hall Bambridge & Co.

To
The Acting Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of Government that the four Native Convicts named in the margin, were, yesterday Evening, embarked on the Bargue Favorite for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

I have the honor to be.
Sir.
Your most Obedt Servt.
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

1 Parthasarathee
2 Ambagam
3 Moorgan
4 Veeraragavan

Sheriff's Office
Madras
3d September 1842

To
The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of the Marine Board that the Four Native Convicts named in the margen were yesterday

Yesterday Evening embarked on the Barque Favorite for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

Sheriff's Office
Madras
3d September 1842

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Barn
Sheriff

To
The Clerk of the Crown

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you that the four Native Convicts named in the margin, were, Yesterday Evening, embarked on the Barque Favorite for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

1 Sankarasubbee
2 Ambagum
3 Moony an
4 Veeranagoman

Sheriff's Office
Madras
3d September 1842

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Barn
Sheriff

No 545 J. D.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 7th September 1842.

Read the following letters

From the Ag. Secy. to the Marine Board with reference to Orders of Govt and Correspondence (Stated) Forwards Tender of the "Duchess of Kent" (Shortly expected from Calcutta) for the Conveyance to New South Wales of as Many European Convicts as may be in Readiness for transportation, at 500 Rs for each, the Commander supplying Provisions, Water, and a Suitable

(Here enter 2 Sept. 1842 - No 1139)

prison and guard for their Safe Custody and Recommends under the Circumstances that the Tender be accepted if found on Survey to be eligible.

From the Sheriff of Madras - - -

Submitting an application from certain European Convicts Now in Her Majesty's Goal requesting that a passage May be provided for them on the Ship Duchess of Kent Shortly expected to touch Madras for New South Wales.

(Here enter 2 Sept. 1842 - No 651.)

Para 1. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council authorises the acceptance of the tender of the "Duchess of Kent" for the Conveyance of European Convicts to New South Wales on the terms proposed, provided the Vessel is found on Survey to be thoroughly eligible.

Signed L

2. The Commissary General will see that Bedding and other articles usually supplied from the Commissariat on the embarkation of European Convicts, are duly furnished to the party to be embarked on the above Named Vessel.

C/Cts.

3. The Marine Board will prepare and Submit the usual Charterparty Agreement to be executed on the occasion as well as the Power of attorney.

C/IB.

4. The Sheriff of Madras will Communicate to the Parties who have petitioned Government that instructions have been issued for procuring for them passage on Board the Duchess of Kent.

(Signed) Walter Elliot
Ag. Secy. to Govt.

To the Marine Board - Dispt 7.
Rect 6 P.M. 7 & Cont 8 Sept.
Commissary General -
Rect 5 P.M. 8th & Cont & Rett 9th Sept 1842.

(Signed) J. R. B.
Ag. Secretary

(Signed) C. M. M. Sacgt

Sheriff's Rt Cont & Returned 10th September 1842.

(Signed) J. B. I
Dy Sheriff,

N.° 1183

To The Sheriff
of Madras

Sir I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to request that you will be good enough to furnish me with the usual Descriptive Roll of the European Convicts now in Her M.ty Jail and under Sentence of transportation to New South Wales.

I have the honor to be,
Sir.
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boyson
A.t Secretary

Madras
Marine B.d Office
10.th September 1842

Rd

Madras 12.th Sept.r 1842

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir We request you will have the goodness to furnish us with a Certificate of embarkation of the Twenty Native Convicts who have proceeded to Singapore Per Portly to enable us to Submit our Bill for the 2/3.d of the passage Money to Government.

We have the honor to be.
Sir
Your Obedient Servants
(Signed) Hall Bainbridges & Co
Agents Per Barque Portly

To Messrs.s Hall Bainbridge & Co.
Gentlemen,

In acknowledging the receipt of your Letter of the 12.th Instant, I have the honor to inform you, that no Convicts over whom the Sheriff of Madras has any Control were embarked on the Barque "Portly" for transportation to Singapore.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
13.th September 1842

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen
Your most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir,

With reference to your Letter of the 10.th Instant I have the honor to enclose a Descriptive Roll of Nine European Convicts in Her Majesty's Gaol under Sentence of transportation to New South Wales, and to it I have added the general Character of each Convict as far as the same is known to me.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
13.th September 1842

Descriptive Roll of the European Convicts on Her Majesty's Ship Grand at the Madras Roads that were now under sentence of Transportation to New South Wales.

Names	What Regiment	Where born	Hair	Eyes	Face	Beard	Make	Remarks
Patrick Keane	2d European		Light Brown	Grey	Round	Fine	Good	
James Holland	Sergt Corporal	County of Kilkenny	1818	Fair	Sandy	Hazel	D°	— " — D°
Peter Daly	2d D. D.	D° of Antrim	1820	D°	D°	D°	D°	— " — D°
Patrick Conner	2d D. D.	D° of Dublin	1817	D°	D°	Light	Blue	— " — D°
Joseph Gilfoyle	1st Battn	D° of Kilkenny	1815	D°	D°	D°	D°	— " — D°
John Donoghan	39th Regt	D° of Cork	1817	D°	D°	Light Brown	Grey	Round Fine
John Ryan	39th D°	D° of Kilkenny	1817	D°	D°	Light	Brown	D° — " —
Charles Baker	39th D°	D° of Kent	1817	D°	D°	D°	D°	D° — " —
Henry Jones	39th D°	D° of Shropshire	1817	D°	D°	D°	D°	D° — " —

Sheriff's Office
Madras
13th September 1842

/Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Memo

It is requested that Orders may be given to Strike off at the Fort Saint George Gazette Press by tomorrow One hundred Subpoenas according to the Accompanying form as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1835.

Two Quires and two Sheets of China Paper are transmitted for that purpose.

/Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
26th September 1842

To The Acting Secretary to Government

2d

To The Superintendent of Police
St. Thomas' Mount

Sir

I have the honor to enclose Nine true Copies of Writs of Subpoena issuing out of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras, for the individuals named in the margin, who are said to be residing at St. Thomas' Mount, and request you will be pleased to Cause the Same to be Served on them and inform me of your having So done in order to enable me to make a return to the Writs in question.

1 Ste Rosamond Blackburn
2 Richard Sec
3 Charles Barry
4 Thomas Jones
5 Mrs Abbot
6 — Reid
7 Sgt Grady
8 Christopher Cockerman
9 Parachutemaker

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servt
/Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29th September 1842

Descriptive Roll of the European Convicts on Her Majesty's Ship Sarah Scott to be sent to Sea Transportation to New South Wales.

Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales.

Names	What Regiment	When Born	Hair	Eyes	Face	Mark	Remarks
Patrick Keane	5th European Light Infantry	County of Kilkenny 1818	Brown	Grey	Round	None	Good
James Holland	2nd D. F.	1820	Fair	Sandy	Round	D°	— " —
Peter Daly	2nd D. F.	1817	Sandy	Hazel	D°	— " —	D°
Patrick Conner	2nd D. F.	1817	Light	Blue	D°	— " —	D°
Joseph Gilfoyle	1st Battalion	1815	D°	D°	D°	— " —	D°
John Conaghan	39th Regt	1817	D°	Brown	Long	Cut Eye	D°
John Ryan	39th D.	1817	D°	D°	D°	— " —	D°
Charles Baker	39th D.	1817	D°	Light Brown	Round	None	D°
Henry Jones	39th D.	1817	D°	Light	D°	— " —	D°

Sheriff's Office
Madras
13th September 1842

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

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(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
26th September 1842

To The Acting Secretary to Government

Dr

To The Superintendent of Police
St. Thomas' Mount

Sir

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1 Mr. C. Bonnaud Blacksmith
2 Mr. Charles Lee
3 Charles Lee Boy
4 Thomas Lee
5 Mr. W. Obert
6 — Reid
7 — Grady
8 Charles Lammark Carpenter
9 Parachurmah

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obet. Servt.
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29th September 1842

Descriptive Roll of the European Convicts on Her Majesty's Guard at Madras transmitted herewith under the Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales.

Names	What Regiment	Where born	When Received on Board	Hair	Eyes	Face	Mark	Remarks
Patrick Keane	2d European			Light Brown	Grey	Round	Nose	Good
James Holland	Light Infantry	County of Kilkenny	1818	Dark Auburn	Hazel	D°	— " —	D°
Peter Daly	2d D. D.	D° of Dublin	1817	Light	Blue	D°	— " —	D°
Patrick Conner	2d D. D.	D°	1817	D°	D°	D°	— " —	D°
Joseph Gilfoyle	1st Battn	D° of Kilkenny	1815	D°	D°	D°	Scar Left Eye	D°
John Donoghan	39th Regt	D° of Cork	1817	D°	D°	D°	— " —	D°
John Ryan	39th D°	D° of Kilkenny	1817	Light Brown	Grey	Round	Nose	
Charles Baker	39th D°	D° of Kent	1817	D°	D°	D°	— " —	
Henry Jones	39th D°	D° of Shropshire	1817	Light	Brown	D°	— " —	D°
				D°	D°	D°	— " —	D°
				D°	D°	D°	— " —	D°
				D°	D°	D°	— " —	D°

Sheriff's Office
Madras
13th September 1842

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Memo

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Two Quires and two Sheets of China Paper are transmitted for that purpose.

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
26th September 1842

To The Acting Secretary to Government

2d

To The Superintendent of Police
St. Thomas' Mount

Sir

I have the honor to enclose Nine true Copies of Writs of Subpoena issuing out of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras, for the individuals named in the Margin, who are said to be residing at St. Thomas' Mount, and request you will be pleased to Cause the Same to be Served on them and inform me of your having So done in order to enable me to make a return to the Writs in question.

1 Lieut Reverend Blomhiem
2 Richard Lee
3 Charles Berry
4 Thomas Peak
5 Mrs Chase
6 " Reid
7 " Loyalty
8 Chinnakummah Corkuman
9 Annakummah

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29th September 1842

To

The Superintendent of Police
St. Thomas' Mount

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose Three Writs of Subpoenas with Nine true Copies thereof, issuing out of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras for the individuals named in the Margin, who are said to be residing at St. Thomas' Mount, and request you will be pleased to cause the said Copies to be Served on them returning the Originals to me at your earliest Convenience in order to enable me to make a return to the Writs in question.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

1. The Reverend Blenkinsop
2. Richard Lowe
3. Charles Berry
4. Thomas Newall
5. Mrs. Reed
6. do — Reid
7. do — Fenwick
8. Christian Criminal Corburman
9. Armenian Criminal.

Sheriff's Office
Madras
30th September 1842.

Do

No. 267.

To

W. G. Burn Esquire
Sheriff Madras

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose two documents as per Margin the property of William Clarke Queens Pensioner now a Prisoner in the Gaol of Madras and request you will have the goodness to cause the same to be delivered to him.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
/Signed/ Ottowe Major
Commanding Vellore

One printed Descriptive Roll
One Parchment Certificate.

Vellore
28th Septr. 1842.

No. 171.
1842

To

W. G. Burn Esquire
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

With reference to your letter to my address of the 30th Ultimo as therein requested I have the honor to return the three Original Writs of Subpoenas issued out of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras for the individuals residing at this Station therein named, and I have to inform you that I have caused the nine true Copies thereof transmitted with your letter now acknowledged to be Served on them in the usual manner

I have the honor to be
Sir,
your most Obedt. Servt.
/Sgd/ R. R. Ricketts
In Charge of Police

Police Office
St. Thomas's mount
5th October 1842

Do

To

The Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police.

Sir

I have the honor to request that you will give Orders to a Sufficient number of Constables and Tannah Peons to attend at Her Majesty's Gaol on Monday the 10th Instant at 8 o'clock in the morning for the purpose of escorting the Prisoners for trial to the Court House, and thence to the Gaol

and

the Same must apply to the Court for Writs of Habeas Corpus directing me to bring them up for that purpose

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
8.th October 1842

Town Major's Office

N.o 2629 To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir In transmitting to you the annexed Copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding Detachment of the 40.th Regiment N. I. I am directed to request that you will furnish me with the arrival and departure of the Detail as therein required.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) F. S. Doveton Lt. Col.t
Town Major

Fort St.t George
11.th October 1842

To The Town Major
Fort St.t George

Sir The Paymaster of the Centre Division having required a Certificate of the Arrival and departure at and from Madras of one Naigue and four Privates of the Detachment of the 40.th Regiment as lately Stationed

at Chingleput, dispatched from that Station on the 6.th September to madras to escort Prisoners in order to regulate the travelling allowance. I have the honor to request you will be pleased to forward me one to this Station by the bearer.

(Signed) F. Welland Lt.t
late in Com.d of a detach.t
40.th Reg.t N. I.

Palaveram
11.th Oct.r 1842

(A true Copy)
(Signed) F. S. Doveton Lt. Col.
Town Major.

To Lieut.t Col.t F. S. Doveton
Town Major

Sir I have the honor to Acknowledge the receipt of Your letter of the 11.th Instant, with the Copy of a letter from the Officer Commanding a Detachment of the 40.th Regiment N. I. therewith transmitted, and in reply to inform you, that no prisoners under any escort from a Detachment of the 40.th Regiment N. I. nor any other prisoners have been received by me from Chingleput.

In all probability the letter of the Officer Commanding the Detachment above mentioned, refers to prisoners forwarded from Chingleput to the Police authorities here for transportation, which do not in any way come under my notice or Control.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
12.th October 1842

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I have the Honor to forward the Death Warrant for the Execution of Mootoo Convicted of Murder at the Present Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servant
/Signed/ C. M. Reed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
15th October 1842

Pd

To
The Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir

Having received the Warrant for the Execution of Mootoo on monday next the 17th day of October Instant I have the honor to request you will be pleased to send a Sufficient number of Constables and Tannah Peons to attend at Her Majesty's Gaol at 5 Oblock in the morning of that day for the purpose of keeping the Queen's Peace.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
15th October 1842

Pd

No 1368

To
The Sheriff
of
Madras

Sir

With reference to the Extract from the Government Minutes of Consultation in the Judicial Department under date the 7th Ultimo, and Numbered 545, I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to request, that the Five European Convicts whose names are noted in the margin, may be embarked at 5 Oblock in the afternoon of Monday next the 17th instant, on the Ship "Duchess of Kent" which Vessel has been engaged by Government to Convey them to New South Wales, in accordance with the terms of their respective Sentences of transportation.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
/Signed/ J. R. Boyson
Acting Secry.

Madras
Marine Board Office
15th October 1842

Pd

To The Master attendant

Sir

I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary Orders for a Boat, to be in readiness opposite the Custom House on the evening of monday next the 17th Instant for the purpose of Conveying the Five European Convicts under Sentence of transportation to New South Wales on the Ship "Duchess of Kent"

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt. Servt
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
15th October 1842

Pd

To

The Keeper of H. M. Gaol

You are hereby directed to embark the Five European Convicts named in the margin on the Evening of Monday next the 17th Instant on the Ship Duchess of Kent.

A Boat will be in readiness opposite the Custom House for the purpose of taking the above named Convicts to the said Ship.

Patrick Keane
James Holland
Peter Daly
Patrick Conner
and
Joseph Gilfoyle

Sheriffs Office
Madras
15th October 1842

Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

D.

To

The Officer Commanding
the Ship "Duchess of Kent"
Madras Roads

Sir,

I request you will receive on the Ship "Duchess of Kent" the Five European Convicts named in the margin under Sentence of transportation to New South Wales and sign the receipt which the Bearer of this one of my Officers will present to you for that purpose.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

1. Patrick Keane
2. James Holland
3. Peter Daly
4. Patrick Conner
5. Joseph Gilfoyle

Sheriffs Office
Madras
17th October 1842
(Buckly)

Received on the Ship "Duchess of Kent" this 17th day of October 1842 of William Garden Burn Esquire Sheriff of Madras the Five European Convicts named in the margin under Sentence of transportation to New South Wales together with the Five pairs of Irons.

1 Patrick Keane
2 James Holland
3 Peter Daly
4 Patrick Conner
and
5 Joseph Gilfoyle

Yours Obt
Signed John Miller
Chief Officer

To

The Acting Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint You, for the information of Government, that the Five European Convicts, named in the margin, were, Yesterday Evening embarked on the Ship Duchess of Kent" for transportation to New South Wales.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

1 Patrick Keane
2 James Holland
3 Peter Daly
4 Patrick Conner
and
5 Joseph Gilfoyle

Sheriffs Office
Madras
18th October 1842

To

The Acting Secretary

Marine Board

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of the Marine Board that the Five European Convicts named in the margin, were Yesterday Evening embarked on the Ship "Duchess of Kent" for transportation to New South Wales.

1 Patrick Keane
2 James Hallam
3 Peter Daly
4 Patrick Conner
5 Joseph Gilfoyle

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18.th October 1842

To

The Clerk of the Crown

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you, that the Five European Convicts named in the Margin, were Yesterday Evening, embarked on the Ship "Duchess of Kent" for transportation to New South Wales.

1 Patrick Keane
2 James Hallam
3 Peter Daly
4 Patrick Conner
5 Joseph Gilfoyle

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18.th October 1842

Judicial Depart.t

N.o 613.

To

The President and Members
of the Marine Board

Gentlemen

Doubts having arisen on the legality of transporting the four European Convicts who are named in the margin, and a reference having been made on the subject to the Advocate General, I am directed by the Most Honorable the Governor in Council to state with reference to the Extract Minutes Consultation dated the 7.th Ultimo, N.o 545, that pending the receipt of the Opinion of that Officer, His Lordship in Council apprehends that the Government cannot avail itself of the present opportunity of forwarding the Convicts by the Dutchess of Kent."

Charles Baker.
John Donoghan.
John Ryan.
Henry Jones.

Fort St.t George
15.th October 1842

(Signed) Walter Elliot
Act.g Secy.t to Govt.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) Walter Elliot
Act.g Secy to Govt.

To

The Sheriff of Madras

W. G. Burn Esq.re
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

We beg you will be pleased to furnish us with a Certificate of the embarkation of the 5 European Convicts on the Ship Duchess of Kent

To

The Acting Secretary

Marine Board

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of the Marine Board that the Five European Convicts named in the margin, were Yesterday Evening embarked on the Ship "Duchess of Kent" for transportation to New South Wales.

1 Patrick Keane
2 James Hallam
3 Peter Daly
4 Patrick Conner
5 Joseph Gilfoyle

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
18.th October 1842

To

The Clerk of the Crown

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1 Patrick Keane
2 James Hallam
3 Peter Daly
4 Patrick Conner
5 Joseph Gilfoyle

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18.th October 1842

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Fort St.t George
15.th October 1842

(Signed) Walter Elliot
Act.g Secy.t to Govt.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) Walter Elliot
Act.g Secy to Govt.

To

The Sheriff of Madras

W. G. Burn Esq.r
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

We beg you will be pleased to furnish us with a Certificate of the embarkation of the 5 European Convicts on the Ship Duchess of Kent proceeding

proceeding to New South Wales to enable us to recover their passage money from Government.

We have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedt Servants
/Signed/ Hall & Philips
Agents for the Duchess of Kent

Madras 18th October 1842

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1 Patrick Keane
2 James Holland
3 Peter Daly
4 Patrick Connor
and
5 Joseph Gilfoyle

I hereby Certify that the Five European Convicts named in the margin under Sentence of transportation to New South Wales were on the Evening of the 17th October Instant embarked on the Ship "Duchess of Kent"

Sheriffs Office
Madras
20th October 1842

/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Encl.
Messrs Hall & Philips

W. G. Burn Esqre Dr

To Cash paid for the Execution of Mootoo on the 17th day of October 1842 Rs. 14 — a. 0

Her Majesty's Gaol
Madras
18th October 1842

/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Contents Received
/Signed/ Henry Gibbs
Keeper of Her Majesty's Gaol

Received the Seventeenth day of November One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty two from the Honorable Company through the Sub Treasurer of the Government of Fort Saint George the above mentioned Sum of Company's Rupees Fourteen Company's Rupees 14 — —

/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

To
The Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir

I have the honor to annex hereto an Extract from the Calendar of Prisoners who were tried at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at Madras on the 10th day of October 1842 and request that you will Order the Prisoner therein named to be kept to Hard Labor Agreeably to the Sentence passed upon him by the Court.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
27th September 1842

(2)

Extract from the Calendar of Persons Tried &c at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at the Town of Madras the 10th day of October One Thousand Eight hundred and Forty Two Before the Supreme Court &c.

No.	Names	Charges	Verdicts	Sentence
1	Chenayah	Larceny in a Dwelling House above the Value of Fifty Rupees	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of Two Years and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such imprisonment and then let him be Discharged.

Madras
19th October 1842
C. M. Teed
Clerk of the Crown

Edw. S. Gambier
(A True Extract)
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

(2)

Statement of Boats employed on Account of the Sheriff's Office for the month of Sept.r 1842 to be transmitted for the countersignature of the Sheriff of Madras if Correct.

Year Month and Date	No. of Boats	Name of the Ship and Particulars	No. of Tindals	Private Boats: Hire of Boat	Hire of Boat Returning	Hire of Boat detained at	Hire of Boat detained at	Hire of Boat detained at	Hire of Boat detained at	Hire of Boat detained at	Hire of Boat detained at	Hire of Boat detained at	Hire of Boat detained at	Hire of Boat detained at	Total Rupees	Total Pence
1842 Sept.r 30th	1	To Boat Employed to Embark Convicts to the Barque Favorite as per Annexed Indent of the 30th August 1842.	1	Rs. A. P. 2 6 7	Rs. A. P. 0 8 0	Rs. A. P. 0 13 0	Rs. A. P. 0 9 0	Rs. A. P. 3 8 0	Rs. A. P. 0 13 0	Rs. A. P. 2 13 0	Rs. A. P. 0 12 0	Rs. A. P. 0 13 8	Rs. A. P. 2 11 7	Rs. A. P. 1 8 0	8	0
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Total Rupees 1 8 2

Madras
Master Attendant's Office
5th Nov.r 1842.

Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Compang.i Rupees One and Annas Eight

Signed C. Rivi Bridon
Master Attendant

№ 548

To
The Sheriff
of Madras

Sir

I Being desirous to draw the Pay and finally adjust the Accounts of the late Private Mootoo of the Corps under my Command, who was recently executed by Sentence of the Supreme Court. I have the honor to request your being so good as to furnish me with a Certificate exhibiting the date of his Committed or imprisonment by the Civil Authorities as he is entitled to pay upto that date, but which Cannot be drawn unless a Certificate to the above effect be furnished the Pay Department.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Ob.t Servant
Signed C. Mandvelle Scott.t Co.
Command 1 N.V.B.

Madras
15th November 1842

2

To
The Officer Commanding
1st N.V. Batt.n
Madras

Sir

With reference to your letter of the 15th Instant, I have the honor to forward herewith a Certificate exhibiting the date on which the late Private Mootoo of the Corps under your Command was committed to my Custody, as therein required.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obes.t Serv.t
Signed W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
16th November 1842

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I Hereby Certify that the late Master charged with the
Illegal Murder of Cheralingam was received into Her Majesty's
Gaol on the 12th day of October 1842.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
16th November 1842

/Signed/ W.G. Burn
Sheriff

Statement of Boats employed on Account of the Sheriff Office
for the Month of October 1842 is transmitted for Countersignature
of the Sheriff of Madras if correct.

Year Month and Date	No. of Boats	Name of the Ships and Particulars	No. of Hands	Private Boats Ordinary at R. A. P. 1. 8. 0	Total Rupees	Annas.	Pice.
1842 October 31st		To Boat Empd. for Embarking Convicts to the Barque Duchess of Kent as per annexed Indent of the 15th October 1842	1	1	1.	8.	
				Total Rupees	1.	8.	

Madras
Master Attds Office
15th Novr 1842

Company's Rupee One and annas Eight.
/Signed/ Chris Bidens
Master Attendant

/Signed/ W.G. Burn

1st Native Veteran Battalion

No. 333

Madras 22d Novr 1842.

From Lieut Colonel C Manderville Comdt 1st N.V. Bn

To

W.G. Burn Esqre
Sheriff of Madras.

Sir,

I do myself the honor with reference to your letter to my address under date the 16th Current, to annex for your information Copy of an Official Memorandum, recently received from the Military Paymaster Fort St George, and request your being so good as to furnish me with the document therein called for, as no arrears of pay due to the deceased can be drawn without such a Certificate.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obt Servt
/Signed/ C Manderville Lieut Col
Comm'g 1st N.V. Bn

Madras
22d Novr 1842

To W.G. Burn Esqre
Sheriff of Madras.

Memo for the Officer Commanding the 1st N.V. Bn.

As it appears by the certificate granted by the Sheriff that Private Mootoo was received into Her Majestys Gaol on the 12th day of October 1842 a Certificate is requested from that Office whether the Private was subsisted from the Civil Authority for that date or not to make stoppage prior to payment.

/Signed/ T.B. Forster
M.P.

21st November
1842

I hereby Certify that the late Mootoo charged with the wilful Murder of Chocalingum was received into Her Majesty's Gaol on the 12th day of October 1842.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
16th November 1842

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

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Statement of Boats employed on Account of the Sheriff Office for the Month of October 1842 is transmitted for Countersignature of the Sheriff of Madras if correct—

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Madras
Master Attds office
15th Novr 1842

Company's Rupee One and annas Eight—
(Signed) Chris Biden
Master Attendant

(Signed) W. G. Burn

1st Native Veteran Battalion
Madras 22d Novr 1842.

No. 535

From Lieut Colonel C. Mandeville Comdt 1st N.V. Bn

To
W. G. Burn Esqre.
Sheriff of Madras.

Sir,

I do myself the honor with reference to your letter to my address under date, the 16th Current, to annex for your information Copy of an official Memorandum, recently received from the Military Paymaster Fort St. George, and request your being so good as to furnish me with the document therein called for, as no arrears of pay due to the deceased can be drawn without such a Certificate—

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obt. Servt.
(Signed) C. Mandeville Lieut.
Comm. 1st N.V. Bn

Madras
22d Novr 1842

To W. G. Burn Esqre.
Sheriff of Madras.

Memo for the Officer Commanding the 1st N.V. Bn

As it appears by the Certificate granted by the Sheriff that Private Mootoo was received into Her Majesty's Gaol on the 12th day of October 1842 a Certificate is requested from that Office whether the Private was subsisted from the Civil Authority for that date or not to make stoppage prior to payment—

(Signed) T. B. Forster
M. P.

21st November
1842

To The Officer Commanding
1st N. V. Battn
Madras

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 22d Instant I have the honor to forward herewith a Certificate shewing the dates from and to which Subsistence was given to the late Private Mootoo of the Corps under Your Command as required by the Official Memo from the Military Paymaster Presidency.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
23d November 1842

I hereby Certify that the late Mootoo Charged with the wilful Murder of Chocalingum was received into Her Majesty's Gaol on the 12th day of October 1842 and was Subsisted from that date to the 16th of October 1842 - both dates inclusive.

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
23d November 1842

To The Acting Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you for the information of Government that two of the Native Convicts under Sentence of transportation, named Vurden and Ramen made their escape last night about Seven o'Clock P.M. from Her Majesty's Gaol - I am now in Communication with the Police Authorities on the subject, and the transaction is undergoing strict investigation.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
24th November 1842

To The Clerk of the Crown

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that two of the Native Convicts, under Sentence of transportation named Vurden and Ramen made their escape last night about 7 o'Clock P.M. from Her Majesty's Gaol.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
24th November 1842

To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you for the information of the Marine Board that two of the Native Convicts under Sentence of transportation named Vurden and Ramen made their escape last night about 7 o'clock P.M. from Her Majesty's Gaol.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
24th November 1842

N°. 313

Head Quarters 2nd Battalion Artillery
Saint Thomas Mount 26th November 1842

From

Lieutenant Colonel J. M. Ley Commanding
European Artillery Mount

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I have the honor to request you will have the goodness to furnish me at your convenience with a certificate stating the date of Release from H. M. Gaol Madras of Gunner David Rodwell Genl. N°. 54 of 2nd. Battalion Artillery to enable me to draw Pay for that Individual.

H. A. 2 C. 2nd Batt. Artly
St. Thomas Mount 26th Nov. 1842

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Jno. M. Ley. Lieut. Colonel
Commanding Euro. Artly. Mount

To
The Sheriff of Madras.

Sheriffs Office Madras
29th November 1842

From The Sheriff of Madras
To Lieut. Colo. J. M. Ley
Commanding European Artillery
St. Thomas Mount

Sir

With reference to your Letter of the 26th Instant I have the honor to forward herewith a Certificate shewing the date on which the Gunner David Rodwell of the Corps under Your Command was discharged from Her Majesty's Gaol.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your most Obet. Servt.
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

I hereby Certify that David Rodwell Gunner 2nd Batt. of Artillery was discharged from Her Majesty's Gaol at Madras on the 12th day of October 1842.

(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29th November 1842

N°. 701. J. D.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 29th November 1842.

Read the following

letters from-

The Advocate General

Here enter 22nd Octr. 1842. N°. 779.

The Acg Secretary to the Marine Board.

Here enter 22nd Novr. 1842. N°. 1549.

The Right Hon. the Governor in Cl. authorizes the acceptance of the tender of the Barque "Adele Marguard" for the Consequence of the four European Convicts referred to, in the Advocate Generals' letter above recorded, to New South Wales on the terms proposed provided the Vessel is found on Survey to be thoroughly eligible

G

Ms

JB

The Commissary General and Marine Board will on the Arrival of the Vessel Communicate with the Sheriff of Madras & do all that may be necessary on the occasion.

(Signed) Walter Elliot
Ag Secy to Govt.

To the Marine Board Dispd 29th
received 6 P.M. 29th & Entd. M.
30th Novr 1842 J.R.B. dating dispd

Commissary General } Rut Entd 7 Dated } R.B. 66
1st Dec 1842. } dating dispd

No. 1581.

Madras Marine Board Office
1st December 1842.

From

I. R. Boyson Esqre
Acting Secretary Marine Board

To

W. G. Burn Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

With reference to the Extract* from the Minutes of Consultation, I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to request that you will furnish me with the usual Descriptive Roll of the 4 European Convicts now in H. M. Jail and under Sentence of transportation to New South Wales.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
/Signed/ I. R. Boyson
Acting Secretary

Madras Marine Bd. Office
1st December 1842.

To
W. G. Burn Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

* Dated 29th November 1842 - No. 1561

To
The Keeper of H. M. Gaol

You are hereby directed to furnish me with a Descriptive Roll of the 4 European Convicts under Sentence of transportation to New South Wales at your earliest Convenience

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2d December 1842.

/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

To
The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir,

With reference to your Letter of the 1st Instant, I have the honor to enclose a Descriptive Roll of the Four European Convicts in Her Majesty's Gaol under Sentence of transportation to New South Wales, and to it I have added the general Character of each Convict so far as the same is known to me.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
3d December 1842

Descriptive Roll of the European Convicts in Her Majesty's Gaol at Madraspatnam Now Under Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales.

Names	What Regiment	Where born	When Born	Height	Complexion	Hair	Eyes	Face	Marks	Remarks as to General Conduct since under my Custody
John Donoghan	39th Rt.	County of Cork	1817	5 F. 6 I.	Fair	Fair	Grey	Roundstone		Good
John Ryan	39th Do	Do of Tipperary	1814	5 F. 6½ I.	Fresh	Dark Brown	Do	Do	"	Good
Charles Baker	39th Do	Do of Kent	1817	5 F. 5½ I.	Do	Brown	Hazle	Do	"	Good
Henry Jones	39th Do	Do of Shropshire	1812	5 F. 6½ I.	Fair	Dark Brown	Grey	Do	"	Good

/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Accompanying I have the honor to forward the Precepts for Convening the next January Sessions. The Proclamation must be inserted as usual in the Fort Saint George Gazette.

I have the honor to be.
Sir.
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Frest Orme
Dy. Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
9th December 1842

Ex.

Proclamation

Madras
To Wit

By Virtue of a Precept to me directed I hereby Proclaim and give notice that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery in and for Fort Saint George the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the Places and Factories Subordinate thereto will be holden at the Court House at Madras aforesaid on Monday the Sixteenth Day of January next ensuing the date hereof at Eleven Oblock in the forenoon for the trial of all Treasons Murders Felonies and other Crimes and Misdemeanors had done or Committed within Fort Saint George or the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the Places and Factories Subordinate thereto and dependant thereon.

And also that at the Same time and place will be holden a Session of Admiralty for the trial of all Treasons Murders Piracies Felonies Trespasses Misdemeanors and other Crimes and Offences done perpetrated or Committed on the High

High Seas.

And I hereby require and enjoin all persons bound to Prosecute and give evidence at the above Sessions or in any wise Concerned therein. to attend at the time and place abovementioned and not to depart without leave.

Dated this Ninth
Day of December 1842
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Ex

Madras General Police Office
The 10th December 1842

From. J. A. Oakes Esqre
Magistrate

To. W. G. Burn Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir I have the honor to report for your information, that the fugitive Convicts Raman, and Durden, who recently effected their escape from Her Majesty's Gaol at Madras, have been reapprehended, and are now in the Custody of the Police, and to request with a View to their Committal for trial at the ensuing Sessions for prison breaking, that you will be pleased to call at this Office on Tuesday next the 13th Instant. at any time most convenient to you after 1 Oblock. P. M. with the Warrant or other document addressed to you for the detention of these prisoners in the Gaol mentioned above in order to your evidence in this Case being taken.

I have the honor to be.
Sir
Your most Obet Servant
(Signed) J. A. Oakes
Magistrate

Ex

Madras, Genl. Police Office,
The 12th December 1842

From
J. A. Oakes Esqre
Magistrate

To
W. G. Burn Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

It having been found necessary to make a reference to the Honble Company's Solicitor relative to the Contemplated Committal of the Convicts Vurden and Ramen for trial before Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature for escaping from Gaol, I have the honor to inform you, with reference to my letter of the 10th Instant, that it will not be necessary for you to call at this Office until the receipt of the reply of that Officer, of which due notice will be given you.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedt Servant
(Signed) J. A. Oakes
Magistrate

The Queen
against
Murdanaegum, Peddo Rugiah, Devason pillay, and Yagambarum.

Sir

Have the kindness to Send the Commitment in the above Cause Mr Branson requires Copy of it within 6 hours.

Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) H. Gibbs
Keeper of H. M. Gaol

H. M. Gaol
16th December
1842

To J. B. Lauricy Esqre
Dep. Sheriff of Madras

No 338.

Head Quarters 2nd Battalion Artillery
Saint Thomas's Mount 12th December 1842

From
Lieut. Colonel J. M. Sey Commanding
European Artillery Mount

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I have the honor to request you will have the goodness to furnish me at your convenience with Certificates (in Duplicate) Stating the Date of admission in, and release from H. M.s Goal Madras, of Gunner David Rodwell Genl No 54 of the 2nd Battalion Artillery, to enable me to adjust the Pay and Claims of that Individual.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Jno. M. Sey Lieut. Colonel
Commanding European Artillery
Mount

H. M.s No 2 2nd Batt. Artillery
St Thos. Mount 12th December 1842

To
The Sheriff of Madras

To Lieut. Col. J. M. Sey
Commanding European Artillery
Saint Thomas's Mount

Sir

With reference to your letter of the 12th Instant I have the honor to forward herewith Certificates (in Duplicate) Stating the dates of admission into and release from Her Majesty's Gaol, of Gunner David Rodwell of the Corps under your Command, as therein requested.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
16th December 1842

I hereby Certify that David Rodwell Gunner 2nd Battalion Artillery was received into Her Majestys Gaol on the 11th day of August last and discharged the 12th of October 1842.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
16th December 1842

/Signed/ W. G. Burn
Sheriff

Madras Genl Police Office,
the 15th December 1842

From
T. A. Oakes Esqr
Magistrate

To
W. G. Burn Esqr
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

With reference to my letters of the 10th and 12th Instant. I have the honor to inform you that I will be prepared to take your evidence in the Case of the run away Convicts Vurden and Ramen tomorrow at the Town Police Office, at any time most convenient to yourself, between the hours of 11, a. m. and 3. P. M.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servant
/Signed/ T. A. Okes
Magistrate

Madras. Victoria by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen Defender of the Faith and so forth to Mr Henry Gibbs Keeper of Her Majestys Gaol at Madras Greeting We Command you that you have the Body of Pedda Rungian by whatsoever name Called Now detained in your Custody, unlawfully as it is said, together with the day and Cause of the taking and detaining of the said Pedda Rungian before the Sitting Judge at his Chambers in the Court House of the said Town of Madras on Monday Next the Nineteenth Day of December Instant at Eleven oblock in the forenoon to do and receive and be Subjected to what the said Sitting Judge Shall then and there Consider of him in this behalf Witness Sir Edward John Gambier Knight Chief Justice at Madras aforesaid the Sixteenth Day of December in the Sixth Year of our Reign.

L. S.

/Signed/ John D'Oyly Norton.

/Signed/ I. W. Branson
atty for Pedda Rungiah

/Signed/ Fredk Arme
Deputy Clerk of the Crown

I. Henry Gibbs, Keeper of Her Majestys Criminal Gaol at Madras, do hereby Certify to the Sitting Judge at his Chambers in the Court House that before the Coming of this Writ to Me to Wit on the Tenth day of December in the Sixth Year of our Sovereign Lady Victoria by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen Defender of the Faith and in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty two, Pedda Rungian was Committed to My Custody by William Liddell Esquire Her Majestys Coroner of Madras by a Warrant under

under his hand and Seal bearing date the Tenth day of the Said Month of December and Year aforesaid and a true Copy of which Said Warrant is hereto annexed and I do further Certify that this is the only Cause of taking and detaining of the Said Pedda Rungian whose body I have ready to produce as within I am Commanded.—

The Answer of
/Signed/ Henry Gibbs
Keeper of Her Majesty's Criminal Gaol—

Dd

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that Pedda Rungian has this day entered into his Recognizance with Two Sureties himself in Five hundred Rupees and his Two Sureties in Two hundred and Fifty Rupees each for his appearance at the next Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery there to answer Such Indictment or Indictments as may be preferred against him for Manslaughter—

Crown Office
Madras
19th December 1842.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servt
/Signed/ Fredk Orme
Depy Clerk of the Crown

Dd

Sir,

I beg with much deference to bring to your Notice that a Ghurry is essentially requisite for Her Majestys Gaol as the Centries Cannot accurately relieve each other in the Nights since the old one has been broke. at the Same time I beg to Suggest that the Outer Wall on the west Side of the Gaol Should be raised 4 or 5 Feet as in its present State it is no bar to the prisoners Making their escape. and further I beg you will Make application for a few rooms to be Made in the Work House which is between the Walls of the Gaol for the Women that are in the Debtors' Side as there are no Seperate Apartments for them. at present they are placed among the Men.—

H. M. Gaol
Madras
23rd December 1842.

I am
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servt
/Signed/ Henry Gibbs
Keeper of Her Majestys Gaol

To C. Byden Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Dd

To
C. Biden Esqre
&c &c
Sheriff of Madras

Sir, I herewith beg to inform you, that the Portegue Prisoner named Richard Stephen Affance will be Discharged on Monday the 9th of January 1843.

7th January
1843

I am
Sir
Your Most
Obedient Servant
/Signed/ H. Gibbs
Keeper H. M. Gaol

Dd

To

C. Biden Esqr.
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I herewith send the Gherry which has been broke in Her Majesty's Gaol the new one is requisite for the use of the said Gaol as the Centries Cannot accurately relieve each other in the night.

I am
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
/ Signed/ H. Gibbs
Keeper of H.M. Gaol

Her Majesty's Gaol
Madras
9th January 1843.

PS

Memo. No. 1.

It is requested that Orders may be given to Strike off at the Fort Saint George Gazette Press by tomorrow Two Hundred Twenty Five Calendars and Eighty Jury Lists as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1835.

Three Quires and Ten and a half Sheets of Long Post are transmitted for the purpose Vizt.

Two Quires and Fourteen and a half Sheets of Long Post for Calendars.
Twenty Sheets of Do. for Jury Lists.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
13th January 1843.

/ Signed/ Chrs. Biden
Sheriff

To The Acting Secretary
to Government

Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

I have the honor to request that you will give Orders to a Sufficient number of Constables and Tannah Peons to attend at Her Majesty's Gaol on Monday the 16th Instant at 8 o'Block in the Morning for the purpose of escorting the Prisoners for trial to the Court House and thence to the Gaol and to lend their Assistance during the period the ensuing Sessions shall last.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
/ Signed/ Chrs. Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
13th January 1843.

Ex.

No. 3.

To The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you, that the Gherry in Her Majesty's Gaol is broken, and have to request you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of the Most Honorable The Governor in Council for a new Gherry to be supplied.—

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedt. Servt.
/ Signed/ Chris. Biden
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
14th January 1843.

DSV.

No 4

Sheriff's Office Madras
18th January 1843

From Christopher Bidon Esqre
Sheriff of Madras
To Robert Clerk Esqre
Chief Secry to Govt
Fort St. George

Sir,

1. I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, that on the night of the 23d of November, two Convicts made their escape from Her Majesty's Gaol, and that they were soon after taken up and brought back to the Gaol. Several of the Peons who upon this occasion had grossly neglected their duty, were discharged from the Service.—

2. This circumstance having been reported to me on my first visit to the Gaol, I proceeded with the Keeper to inspect the Walls, and especially that part of the prison where the Prisoners effected their escape, and I found that they got with ease upon a low wall which is connected with the western or outer wall, and that they ascended and leaped from or dropped down on the outer wall, which is not above twelve feet high, without difficulty.—

3. Under these circumstances I consider it is my duty to submit to the notice of Government the very defective state of the Gaol, and to suggest the best means of making it secure, which I am of opinion can only be accomplished by taking down the inner wall which is of no use, and raising the western or outer wall four or five feet.—

4. On a further inspection of the prison, I found that no separate apartments are allotted for the Females on the Debtor's Side, and that there is no effectual remedy provided against the intercourse of both Sexes, whenever they can elude the vigilance of Peons; it is therefore necessary that a few rooms for the reception of females should be built in the workhouse which is between the Walls of the Gaol, and such an arrangement will, at a moderate expence, prove conducive to that restraint and good order which ought to be maintained throughout Her Majesty's Gaol.—

5. It further appears to me that the Gaol requires to be white washed throughout, as a considerable time has elapsed since the operation of that necessary purification.—

6. I cannot close this communication without assuring you, that on my several visits to the Gaol, I have found the System of order, regularity and cleanliness throughout very perfect and highly creditable to the Keeper; the escape of the Convicts is an instance of great neglect on the part of the Peons, but I fully exonerate the Keeper from all blame, as the orders he had given, and the watch he had set, were well calculated to guard against such an occurrence.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) Chris. Bidon
Sheriff of Madras

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th Jany 1843

To Robert Clerk Esqre
Chief Secretary to Govt
Fort St. George

The Queen---
against---
Dherasanum---
} For a Misdemeanor

The Queen---
against---
Dherasanum---
} For a Misdemeanor

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir.

I have the Honor to request that you will be Pleased to issue the necessary Order to bring up the abovenamed Dherasanum on Monday next the Twenty Third Instant at 4 Oblock in the afternoon for the Purpose of entering into his Recognizance with Two Sureties in the above Two Cases for his appearance at the Next Sessions of Oyer and Terminer, pursuant to an Order of Court made in that behalf at the last Sessions of Oyer and Terminer.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) C. M. Reed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office.---
Madras.---
21st January 1843.

No 69.

Before complying with the request contained in the above letter the Most Honorable the Governor in Council desires to be informed when the Gluery Mats to have been broken was supplied and of the circumstances under which it has been destroyed.

Sd E.
" Coll.
" SB.

Fort St George
21st January 1843

(Signed) Robert Clerke
Actg Chief Secretary

To the Sheriff of Madras dispd 21st Rd & returned

To C. T Beden Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

Sir I herewith beg you will send the Under mentioned articles for the use of Her majestys Criminal and Debtors Gaol.

Three	Quires of Medium Paper	Two	Pencil
Four	Do of Demy Do	One	Paper of Ink Powder
Four	Do of Foolscape Do	Four	Bundles of Quills
Three	Do of Kingsharm Do	One	Box of Wafers.
Two	Do of Letter Post Do		

I am
Sir
Your most Obet & Hble
(Signed) Henry Gibbs
Keeper of Her majestys Gaol

Her majestys Gaol
Madras
23rd January 1843

The Queen---
against---
Dherasanum.
} For a Misdemeanor

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir I have the honor to request that you will be pleased to issue the necessary Order to bring up the abovenamed Dherasanum to the Crown Office on Friday next the Twenty Seventh Instant at 11 Oblock in the forenoon for the purpose of entering into his Recognizance with Two Sureties in the above Case for his appearance at the next Sessions

200

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Sessions of Oyer and Terminer pursuant to an Order of Court made in that behalf at the last Sessions of Oyer and Terminer.

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) C. M. Seed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
25th January 1843

The Queen
against
Dherasanum
} For a Misdemeanor

The Queen
against
Dherasanum
} For a Misdemeanor

To
The Sheriff of Madras
Sir.

I have the honor to inform you that the abovenamed Dherasanum has entered into his Two Recognizances with Two Sureties in each himself in One Thousand and Five hundred Rupees and his Two Sureties in Seven hundred and Fifty Rupees in each Recognizance for his Appearance at the next Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery then and there to try his Traverse to the said Two Indictments found against him for a Misdemeanor

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) C. M. Seed
Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
27th January 1843

To The Keeper of H. M. Gaol
(To be Complied with by the discharge of the Prisoner)

27th Jany 1843

(Sigd) Chrisr Pridey

No 103. 293

The Military Board will be pleased to report on the Subject of the above letter, and Submit, if necessary an Estimate for making the improvements therein suggested to Her Majestys Gaol.

(Signed) I. F. Thomas
Ag Chief Secretary

(Sigd) I. F.
" C. M. S.
" I. B.

Fort St. George
24th January 1843.

To the Military Board dispd 27th Recd Entd & Ret
27 January 1843.
(Signed) H. M.

" Sheriff of Madras dispd 27th Recd Entd & Ret
28th January 1843.
(Signed) C. B.
Sheriff

End.

No 5

To The Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir. I have the honor to annex hereto an Extract from the Calendar of Prisoners who were tried at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at Madras on the 16th day of January 1843 and request that you will Order the Prisoner therein named to be kept to Hard Labor Agreeably to the Sentence passed upon him by the Court.

I have the honor to be.
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) Chrisr Pridey
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
28th January 1843

Extract from the Calendar of Sessions of Oyer and Terminer &
and General Gaol Delivery and Sessions of the Peace
Day of January One Thousand Eight hundred and forty three

No.	Names	Charges	Verdicts	Sentence
1	Doolly [illegible]	Larceny	Confesses	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such Imprisonment and then Let him be discharged.

Madras ---
20th January 1843
C. M. Reed
Clerk of the Crown

John D Norton
A True Extract
Signed C Briden
Sheriff

No. 206.

Madras, Marine Board Office
3d February 1843.

From J. R. Boyson Esqre
acting Secretary Marine Board

To C. Briden Esqre:
Sheriff of Madras

Sir, With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated as per margin, I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to report for your information the arrival from Calcutta of the Bark "Adele Marguard" and to request that the 4 European Convicts proceeding on that Vessel to new South Wales, may be held in readiness to Embark at the Shortest notice.

29th November 42 No. 701

John Donoghan
John Ryan
Charles Baker
Henry Jones

The Vessel will Sail either on Sunday or Monday next.

I have the honor to be.
Sir.
Your most Obedient Servant
Signed J. R. Boyson
Acting Secretary

Madras ----
Marine Board Office
3d February 1843 --

To C. Briden Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

No. 6

To The Keeper of H. M. Gaol

You are hereby directed to hold in readiness the Four European Convicts named in the margin to embark on the Barque "Adele Marguard" for transportation to new South Wales at the Shortest notice.

John Donoghan
John Ryan
Charles Baker
Henry Jones

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Extract from the Calendar of Persons Tried &c.a at the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery and Admiralty holden at the Town of Madras the Sixteenth Day of January One Thousand Eight hundred and Forty Three Before the Supreme Court &c.a

N.o	Names	Charges	Verdicts	Sentence
1	Soobbyen	Larceny	Confesses	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and let him be kept to Hard Labor during such Impreisonment and then Let him be Discharged.

John D Norton
(A True Extract)
Signed Chris.r Biden
Sheriff

Madras - - - -
20.th January 1843
C. M. Seed
Clerk of the Crown

No. 206.

Madras Marine Board Office
3.d February 1843.

From J. P. Bryan Esq.re
Acting Secretary Marine Board

To C. Biden Esq.re
Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of
the Marine Board to report for your information the
arrival from Calcutta of the Brig "Adele Braiguard; and
to request that the 4 European Convicts Proceeding on that
Vessel to New South Wales, may be held in readiness to
embark at the shortest notice.

The Vessel will sail either on Sunday or Monday

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
J. P. Bryan
Acting Secretary

Madras - - - -
3.d February 1843 - -

To C. Biden Esq.re
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

You are hereby directed to hold in readiness the four European
Convicts named in the margin to embark on the Barque "Adele
Vessel for transportation to New South Wales at the
shortest notice.

The

John Donoghan
John Ryan
Charles Baker
Henry Jones

Nov.r 1842
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John Donoghan
John Ryan
Charles Baker
Henry Jones

The Vessel will Said either on Sunday or Monday next.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
4th February 1843

/Signed Christr Biden
Sheriff

No 7 To The Keeper of H. M. Gaol

You are hereby directed to embark the Four European Convicts named in the margin by 4 Oblock this Evening — on the Barque "Adele Marguard.

A Boat will be in readiness opposite the Custom — House for the purpose of taking the above named Convicts to the Said Barque.

1 John Donoghan
2 John Ryan
3 Charles Baker
4 Henry Jones

Sheriffs Office
Madras
7th February 1843

/Signed Christr Biden
Sheriff

No 8 To The Master Attendant

Sir I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary Orders for a Boat to be in readiness opposite the Custom — House by 4 Oblock this Evening for the purpose of — Conveying the Four European Convicts under Sentence — of Transportation to New South Wales on the Barque "Adele Marguard.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
7th February 1843

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
/Signed Christr Biden
Sheriff

No 9 To The Officer Commanding
the Barque "Adele Marguard"
Madras Roads

Sir. I request you will receive on the Barque "Adele Marguard" the Four European Convicts named in the — margin under Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales and Sign the Receipt which the Bearer of this one of my Officers will present to you for that purpose.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
/Signed Christr Biden
Sheriff

1 John Donoghan
2 John Ryan
3 Charles Baker
4 Henry Jones

Sheriffs Office
Madras
7th February 1843

John Fielding Esqr

Received on the Barque "Adele Marguard" this 7th day of February 1843 of Christopher Biden Esquire Sheriff of Madras the Four European Convicts named in the margin under Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales together with the Four pairs of Irons.

Chief Officer
/Signed James Dale

1 John Donoghan
2 John Ryan
3 Charles Baker
4 Henry Jones

Madras 8th February 1843.

C. Biden Esqr
Sheriff of Madras

Sir, We beg you will be pleased to forward to us a Certificate of the Embarkation of 4 European Convict

Convicts on the Barque "Adele Marguard" proceeding to New South Wales, to enable us to recover their passage money from Government.—

We have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servants
(Signed) Hall & Philips.

Madras 8th February 1843.

End.

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1 John Donoghan
2 John Ryan
3 Charles Baker
4 Henry Jones

I hereby certify that the Four European Convicts name in the margin under Sentence of Transportation to New South Wales, were on the Evening of the 7th February Instant embarked on the Barque "Adele Marguard".—

(Signed) Chris Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
8th February 1843.

End. Messrs. Hall & Philips.

No. 10.

To
The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

1 John Donoghan
2 John Ryan
3 Charles Baker
4 Henry Jones.

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of Government, that the Four European Convicts named in the margin, were yesterday Evening embarked on the Barque "Adele Marguard" for transportation to New South Wales.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Chris Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
8th February 1843.

End.

No. 11.

To
The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

1 John Donoghan
2 John Ryan
3 Charles Baker
4 Henry Jones.

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of the Marine Board, that the Four European Convicts named in the margin were yesterday Evening embarked on the Barque "Adele Marguard" for transportation to New South Wales.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Chris Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
8th February 1843.

End.

No. 12.

To
The Clerk of the Crown

1 John Donoghan
2 John Ryan
3 Charles Baker
4 Henry Jones.

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you, that the Four European Convicts, named in the margin were yesterday Evening embarked on the Barque "Adele Marguard" for transportation to New South Wales.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Chris Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
8th February 1843.

End.

No 103.

Fort St George, 9th February 1843.

From Surgeon G Pearse, M. D.,
Secretary Medical Board.

To Captain C. Biden,
Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

In compliance with a request from the Military Board, I have the honor to acquaint you that the Medical Board are desirous of visiting the locality in which a Tread Mill has Lately been erected in Her Majesty's Jail, and to request that you will have the goodness to issue the necessary instructions for the place being opened for their inspection at noon tomorrow.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servant
(Signed) Geo Pearse M.D.
Secretary Med Board.

To Captain C Biden
Sheriff of Madras.

Fort St George, 9th February 1843.

From J. R. Boyson Esqre
Acting Secy Marine Board

No 238

To Captn C. Biden Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to request that the 4 European Convicts now in Her Majesty's Jail and under sentence of transportation to New South Wales, may be embarked on the Bark "Adele Marguard" this afternoon as the Vessel will sail tomorrow morning.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boyson
Acting Secy.

Madras
Marine Board Office
February 1843.

To Captain C. Biden
Sheriff of Madras

Superg Engineer's Office
Fort St George 16th Feby 1843

From Captain J. C. Boulderson Asst Aft Supt Engr P. D
In Charge of the Supt Engr Office

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

In forwarding the accompanyeng Copy of a letter from the Chief Engineer I have the honor to request you will be good enough to let me know when it will be convenient to you to meet me at Her Majesty's Jail.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. C. Boulderson Captain
Asst Aft Supt Engr P. D
In Charge of the Supt Engr Office

Supt Engr Office
Fort St George
16th February 1843

From Captain J. C. Boulderson Asst Aft Supt Engr P. D
In Charge of the Supt Engr Office

To The Sheriff of Madras

Chief Engineers Office
Fort St George 15th July 1843

No 38

From Lieutenant Colonel D. Sim
Chief Engineer

To The Superintending Engineer
Presidency Division

Sir,

I have the honor to forward Copy of a letter from the Sheriff of Madras, on the Subject of Certain improvements which

which he considers necessary to the Jail, and to request that you will in communication with that Officer examine the Building and prepare an Estimate with a plan of such improvements as may appear to both best suited to remove the evil Complained of, and render the Jail Secure.

It may be prudent to Consult the Medical Officer also.

I have the honor to be &c
(Signed) D. Sim
Lieut. Col. Chief Engineer

Chief Engr. Office
Fort St. George
15th February 1843

(A True Copy)
(Sig.) J. C. Boulderson Captain
Act. Afs. Supt. Engr. P. D.
In Charge of the Supt. Engr. Office

No. 13

To Captain J. C. Boulderson
Act. Afs. Supt. Engineer
Presidency Division

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 16th Instant, I have the honor to inform you, that it will be convenient to me to meet you at Her Majesty's Gaol tomorrow the 18th Instant at One P. M. and I shall be obliged by your apprizing me if it will be Convenient for you to attend at that time.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obet. Servt.
(Sigd) Christr. Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
17th February 1843

No. 14

To
The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

With reference to the Order of Government under date the 28th April 1819 I have the honor to transmit a General return of Prisoners Confined in Her Majesty's Criminal Gaol for the Six Months ending on the 31st day of December 1842.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Christr. Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th February 1843

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Chief Engr. Office
Fort St. George
15th February 1843

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(Signed) D. Sim
Lieut. Col. Chief Engineer

(A True Copy)
(Sig.) J. C. Boulderson Captain
Actg. Afs. Sup. Engr. P. D
In Charge of the Sup. Engr. Office

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Sheriff's Office
Madras
17th February 1843

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(Sigd) Christr. Biden
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Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th February 1843

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A General Return of Prisoners in Her Majesty's Criminal Gaol at Madraspatnam for the Six Months ending on the 31st day of December 1842.

No	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
1	William Bootheroyd	European	Larceny	18th May 1841	In July 1841	Confesses	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during Such imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 5th July 1842
2	Patrick Keane	European	Military Offences	10th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	Transported on the 17th October 1842
3	James Holland	European	Military Offences	10th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	Transported on the 17th October 1842
4	Peter Daly	European	Military Offences	19th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	Transported on the 17th October 1842
5	Patrick Conner	European	Military Offences	19th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	Transported on the 17th October 1842
6	Joseph Gilfoyle	European	Military Offences	27th July 1841	Not known	Guilty	Tried and under Sentence of Transportation duly adjudged by Court Martial	Transported on the 17th October 1842
7	John Donoghan	European	Larceny	14th Jany 1842	Not known	Guilty	Tried at Hamptee and Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond Seas as a felon for the period of Seven Years	In Gaol
8	John Ryan	European	Larceny	14th Jany 1842	Not known	Guilty	Tried at Hamptee and Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond Seas for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol

No.	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdict	Sentence	Remarks
9	Charles Baker	European	Larceny	11th Jan/1842	Not known	Guilty	Tried at Kamptee and Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond Seas for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol
10	Henry Jones	European	Desertion & Larceny	14th Jan/1842	Not known	Guilty	Tried at Kamptee and Sentenced by a General Court Martial to be transported beyond Seas for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol
11	Parthasarathe	Heindoo	Burglary	6th May 1842	In July 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Fourteen Years	Transported on the 2nd September 1842
12	Imbogaun	Heindoo	Larceny	14th May 1842	In July 1842	Confesses	Let him be forthwith Transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 2nd September 1842
13	Veerabuddeen	Heindoo	Murder	23d May 1842	In July 1842	The Bill was returned by the Grand Jury Endorsed "A True Bill"	The Prisoner was arraigned for murder upon the Coroner's Inquesition acquitted by the Jury and Discharged by Proclamation	Discharged on the 6th July 1842
14	David Pereira	Portegue	Embezzlement	23d May 1842	In July 1842	The Bills were returned by the Grand Jury Endorsed "No Bill"	Discharged by Proclamation	Discharged on the 4th July 1842
15	Poomathoo	Christians	Murder	31st May 1842	In July 1842	Not Guilty	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 7th July 1842
16	Amoordappon					Not Guilty		
17	Kithary					Not Guilty		
18	Syed Moortaza	Mahomedan	Manslaughter	31st May 1842	In July 1842	The Bill was returned by the Grand Jury Endorsed "No Bill"	The Prisoner was arraigned for Manslaughter upon the Coroner's Inquesition acquitted by the Jury and Discharged by Proclamation	Discharged on the 5th July 1842

№	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdicts	Sentence	Remarks
19	Ghoolam Hoosain otherwise Called Ghoolame	Mahomedan	Forgery	9th June 1842	In July 1842	Not Guilty	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 8th July 1842
20	Ally Ahmed	Mahomedan				Not Guilty		
21	Sheik Tippo	Mahomedan				Not Guilty		
22	Veerasawmy	Hindoo				Not Guilty		
23	Buddoo Saib	Mahomedan				Not Guilty		
24	Mahomed Khajeim	Mahomedan				Not Guilty		
25	Nunnoosah	Hindoo	Feloniously Counterfeiting a Stamp	10th June 1842	In July 1842		No Bill of Indictment being preferred, The Presoner was Discharged by Proclamation	Discharged on the 4th July 1842
26	Ebram Saib							
27	Soollan Saib	Mahomedan	Sodomy	10th June 1842	In July 1842	Not Guilty	Let him be Discharged Not Tried	Discharged on the 8th July 1842
28	Moonyan							
29	Mootto Moonyan	Hindoo	Burglary and Larceny	18th June 1842	In July 1842	Guilty Not Guilty	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years Let him be Discharged	Transported on the 2d September 1842 Discharged on the 4th July 1842
30	Vadmalay	Hindoo	Larceny	18th June 1842	In July 1842	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of Two Years and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during Such imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	Delivered over to the Superintendent of Police on the 21st July 1842.
31	Ramasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	24th June 1842	In July 1842	Not Guilty	Let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 8th July 1842
32	Angan	Hindoo	Larceny	24th June 1842	In July 1842	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of One Year and Let him be kept to Hard Labor during Such imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	Delivered over to the Superintendent of Police on the 21st July 1842
33	Richard Stephen Affanco	Portegue	Larceny	28th June 1842	In July 1842	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Common Gaol of Madras for the Space of Six Calendar Months and then Let him be Discharged	In Gaol

No.	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdict	Sentence	Remarks
34	Lewis Peters	Portugue	Larceny	29th June 1842	In July 1842	Not Guilty	Discharged by Proclamation	Discharged on the 5th July 1842
35	Meerjaw Mahomed Ally Beg	Mahomedan	Receiving Stolen Goods Knowing the same to have been Stolen			Not Guilty		
36	Veeriaragaven	Hindoo	Felony	6th July 1842	In July 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	Transported on the 2d September 1842
37	Coottayandy					Not Guilty	Let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 6th July 1842
38	Goorroonaden	Hindoo	Burglary and Larcey	23d July 1842	In October 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of his natural Life	In Gaol
39	Camatchee Putten							Died in H. M. Gaol on the 23d August 1842 drowning himself in a Well in the Gaol.
40	Cayjah Hyder	Mahomedan	Larceny by a Servant	23d July 1842	In October 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol
41	Roonagherry	Hindoo	Larceny in a dwelling house above the Value of fifty Rupees	28th July 1842	In October 1842	Guilty of Larceny	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol
42	William Clark	European	Assault with intent to Commit a Rape	8th August 1842	In October 1842	Not Guilty	Let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 12th October 1842
43	David Rodwell	European	Assault	11th August 1842	In October 1842	Not Guilty	Let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 12th October 1842
44	Sutwajee	Hindoo	Larceny by a Servant	17th August 1842	In October 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven years	In Gaol
45	Raunoodoo	Hindoo	Larceny by a Servant	23 August 1842	In October 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven Years	In Gaol

№	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdict	Sentence	Remarks
46	Vardan	Hindoo	Larceny	26th August 1842	3rd October 1842	Confessed	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven years	Escaped on the 23rd November 1842
47	Cottan	Hindoo	Receiving Stolen Goods knowing the same to have been Stolen	26th August 1842	3rd October 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven years	In Gaol
48	Vencataroyaloo	Hindoo	Receiving Stolen Goods knowing the same to have been Stolen	26th August 1842	3rd October 1842	Not Guilty	Let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 14th October 1842
49	Chensyah	Hindoo	Larceny in a dwelling house above the Value of Fifty Rupees	4th September 1842	3rd October 1842	Guilty	Let him be imprisoned in the Gaol at Madras for the Term of Two years and Let him be kept to hard Labor during such imprisonment and then Let him be Discharged	Delivered over to the Superintendant of Police on the 28th October 1842
50	Veerasawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	23rd September 1842	3rd October 1842	Not Guilty	Let them be Discharged	Discharged on the 17th October 1842
51	Vencatachellum	Hindoo	Larceny	23rd September 1842	3rd October 1842	Not Guilty		
52	Ramasawmy	Hindoo	Receiving Stolen Goods knowing the same to have been Stolen	23rd September 1842	3rd October 1842	Not Guilty		
53	Appaisawmy	Hindoo	Larceny	24th September 1842	3rd October 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven years	In Gaol
54	Raumen	Hindoo	Larceny	5th October 1842	3rd October 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven years	Escaped on the 25th November 1842
55	Gholam Hoosain	Mahomedan	Larceny	7th October 1842	3rd October 1842	Guilty	Let him be forthwith transported to the Tenasserim Coast for the Term of Seven years	In Gaol
56	George Pecktall	Portegue	Embezzlement	8th October 1842	3rd October 1842	Not Guilty	Let him be Discharged	Discharged on the 13th October 1842
57	Mooltoo	Hindoo	Murder	12th October 1842	3rd October 1842	Guilty	Let him be taken from hence to the Common Gaol of Madras and from thence on monday next the 17th October 1842 to the place of Execution and there to be hanged by the neck till he be Dead	Executed on the 17th October 1842

№	Names	Nation	Crime	When Committed	When Tried	Verdict	Sentence	Remarks
58	Kistnen	Heindoo	Larceny	24th October 1842	Not Tried			In Gaol
59	Veerasawmy	Heindoo	Larceny	24th October 1842	Do			In Gaol
60	Peter Setang	Portugue	Larceny	7th November 1842	Do			In Gaol
61	Murdanaigum	Heindoo	Manslaughter	10th Decr 1842	Do			In Gaol
62	Pedda Rungian							Discharged on Bail on the 19th Decr 1842
63	Davasoo Pillay							In Gaol
64	Yagambarum							In Gaol
65	Vurdan							
66	Raumen	Heindoo	Escaping out of Felons Gaol at Madras	17th Decr 1842	Do			In Gaol
67	Syed Peer	Mahomedan	Larceny	21st Decr 1842	Do			In Gaol
68	Woonamalay	Heindoo	Murder	27th Decr 1842	Do			In Gaol
69	Tayoo Ummah							
70	Ramasawmy	Heindoo	Larceny	30th Decr 1842	Do			In Gaol

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th February 1843

(Signed) Chrisr Biden
Sheriff

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59	Veerasawmy	Heindoo	Larceny	24th October 1842	Do			In Gaol
60	Peter Setang	Portugue	Larceny	7th November 1842	Do			In Gaol
61	Murdanaigum	Heindoo	Manslaughter	10th Decr 1842	Do			In Gaol
62	Pedda Rungian							Discharged on Bail on the 19th Decr
63	Davasoo Pillay							In Gaol
64	Yagambarum							In Gaol
65	Vurdan							In Gaol
66	Raumen	Heindoo	Escaping out of Felons Gaol at Madras	17th Decr 1842	Do			In Gaol
67	Syed Peer	Mahomedan	Larceny	21st Decr 1842	Do			In Gaol
68	Woonamalay	Heindoo	Murder	27th Decr 1842	Do			In Gaol
69	Tagoo Ummah							In Gaol
70	Ramasawmy	Heindoo	Larceny	30th Decr 1842	Do			In Gaol

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th February 1843

[Signed] Chrisr Biden
Sheriff

To C. Biden Esq^re
Sheriff of Madras

Sir.

I herewith beg to bring to your notice that 50. Sets of Leg Irons at 5 and 6 Hs each with nails and also Two Dozens nails. 1. hammer and 1 Steel Chizel for the use of Her Majesty's Criminal Gaol.

Her Majesty's Gaol
Madras
1st March 1843

I am Sir
Your most Obet. Servant
(Signed) Henry Gibbs
Keeper of Her Majt's Gaol

Indent on the Commissary General for the following Supply.

Quantity	Articles	For what purpose required
Fifty	Sets of Leg Irons with nails	For the Criminals in Her Majestys Gaol for the purpose of meeting any urgent demand which the Sheriff may have for them as per Order of Government dated 8th May 1835
Two	Dozens of Nails	
One	Hammer	
One	Steel Chisel	

Sheriffs Office
Madras
6th March 1843

(Signed) Christ Biden
Sheriff

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Accompanying I have the honor to forward the Precepts for Convening the next April Sessions The Proclamation must be inserted as usual in the Fort Saint George Gazette.

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your most Obedient Servt
(Signed) Fredk Orme
Dy Clerk of the Crown

Crown Office
Madras
10th March 1843

Proclamation

Madras
To Wit

By Virtue of a Precept to me directed I hereby Proclaim and give notice that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery in and for Fort Saint George the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and factories Subordinate thereto will be holden at the Court House at Madras aforesaid on Tuesday the Eighteenth Day of april next ensuing the date hereof, at Eleven Oblock in the forenoon for the trial of all Treasons Murders Felonies and other Crimes and misdemeanors had done or Committed within Fort Saint George or the Town of Madras and the limits thereof and the places and Factories Subordinate thereto and Dependant thereon.

And also that at the Same time and place will be holden a Session of admiralty for the trial of all Treasons Murders Piracies Felonies, Trespasses, Misdemeanors and other Crimes and offences done perpetrated or Committed on the high Seas.

Seas.

And I hereby require and enjoin all persons bound to prosecute and give Evidence at the above Sessions or in any wise Concerned therein to attend at the time and place abovementioned and not to depart without leave.

Dated this Tenth
Day of March 1843
/Signed/ Chris^r Biden
Sheriff

Received of Christopher Biden Esquire the Sheriff of Madras the undermentioned Stationery for the use of Her Majesty's Criminal and Debtors Gaol Viz^t

1½ Quire of Medium
2 — D^o — of Demy
2 — D^o — of Foolscap
1½ — D^o — of Kingsarm
1 Quire of Letter Post
1 Pencil
1 Paper of Ink Powder
2 Bundles of Quills
Few Wafers

Her Majesty's Gaol
Madras
16^th March 1843

/Signed/ H. Gibbs
Keeper of H.M. Gaol

The Queen &^c
against
A. Douglas Esq^r

To
The Sheriff

Sir, The Witness in the above Prosecution J Blackburne Esq^r is residing at Madura. Please to have the Subpoena transmitted to him with your usual letter.

Madras — — —
16^th March 1843

We are, Sir,
Your Obedient Servants
/Signed/ Rowlandson & Rose
Sol^rs for Capt^n Douglas

N^o 17

The Queen on the Prosecution of the Attorney General in England.
against
Archibald Douglas

To John Blackburne Esquire
Madura

Sir, I have the honor to enclose a true Copy of a Writ of Subpoena issuing out of the Supreme Court of Judicature at madras in the above Case and request you will be pleased to acknowledge the receipt thereof by return of Post.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obed^t Serv^t
/Signed/ Chris^r Biden
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
17^th March 1843

N^o 89

Official Memorandum

The Secretary to the Marine Board has the honor to request to be informed of the number of Native Convicts now in Her Majesty's Jail under Sentence of transportation to Moolmeyne.

/Signed/ J. R. Boyson
A^g Secretary

Madras — — —
Marine B^d Office
18^th March 1843

To Captain C. Biden
Sheriff of Madras

No 18

Official Memorandum

1 Goorroonaden
2. Cayah Hyder
3. Aroonaghurry
4. Saturangee
5 Raumoodoo
6 Vurdan
7 Cottan
8 Appasawmy
9 Raumen
10 Gholam Hoosain
11 Kistnen
12 Veerasawmy
13 Peter Setony
14 Cathan

The Sheriff of Madras has the honor to inform the Acting Secretary Marine Board with reference to his Official Memorandum of this days date, that there are Thirteen Native Convicts and one East Indian Convict named in the margin at present in Her Majesty's Gaol under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

/Signed Chrisp Biden
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
18th March 1843

To The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Madras--
To Wit---

Victoria by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen Defender of the Faith and Soforth To Henry Gibbs Keeper of Her Majesty's Gaol Greeting We Command you that you have the Body of Shuffee Beg by whatsoever name Called now detained in your Custody (unlawfully as it is said) together with the Day and Cause of the taking and Detaining of the Said Shuffee Beg before our Justices of our Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras at the Court House at Madras aforesaid on Tuesday next the Twenty first Day of March Instant at Twelve Oclock in the forenoon to do and receive and be Subjected to what our Said Justices shall then and there Consider of him in this behalf Witness Sir Edward John Gambeer Knight Chief Justice at

/Sig[ned] John D. Norton

(L. S.)

Madras aforesaid the Seventeenth Day of March in the Sixth year of our Reign.

Per Statutum Trecisimo Primo
Caroli Secundi Regis
/Signed J. W. Branson
Attg for Shuffee Beg

/Signed C. M. Reed
Clerk of the Crown

I Henry Gibbs Keeper of Her Majestys Criminal Gaol at Madras. do hereby Certify to the Justices of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras at the Court House that before the Coming of this Writ to me to Wit on the Fifteenth day of March in the Sixth year of our Sovereign Lady Victoria by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen Defender of the Faith and in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and Forty three Suffee Beg was Committed to my Custody by Edward Francis Elliot Esquire One of Her Majestys Justices of the Peace in and for the Said Town of Madras Presidency of Fort St. George and its Dependencies by a warrant under his hand and Seal bearing date the Fifteenth day of the Said month of March and year aforesaid and a true Copy of which Said Warrant is hereto annexed. and I do further Certify that this is the only Cause of taking and detaining of the Said Suffee beg whose body I have ready as within I am Commanded.

The answer of
/Signed Henry. Gibbs
Keeper of Her Majesty's Criminal Gaol

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Officeal Memorandum

1 Goorroonaden
2. Cayjah Heydes
3. Aroonaghery
4. Satarajee
5 Raumoodo
6 Vurdan
7 Cottan
8 Atpasawmy
9 Raumen
10 Gholam Hoofsaein
11 Kistnen
12 Veerasawmy
13 Peter Letong
14 Cathan

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Sheriffs Office
Madras
18th March 1843

/Signed Christ. Biden
Sheriff

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Marine Board

Madras--
To Wit---

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/Sig. John D. Norton

(S. S)

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Madras aforesaid the Seventeenth Day of March in the Sixth Year of our Reign.

Pr Statutum Trecisimo Primo Caroli Secundi Regis

/Signed J. W. Branson
Attg for Shuffee Baig

/Signed C. M. Reed
Clerk of the Crown

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The answer of
/Signed Henry. Gibbs
Keeper of Her Majesty's C

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Mily Board Office
Fort St. George 28th Febuary 1843

No. 436

From

The Military Board

To C. Biden Esqre

Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Government having directed the Tread Mill in Her Majesty's Jail to be put into a State of Repair the Military Board passed the necessary orders to the Superintendent of the Gun Carriage Manufactory for the execution of the work.

That Officer on visiting the Jail for the purpose of Inspecting the Mill to ascertain what Repairs and alterations were necessary was informed that the Medical Officer in charge of Her Majesty's Jail objected to the prisoners working in so hot and Confined a situation as that occupied by the Mill.

This having been Represented to the Military Board it was deemed advisable to request the Opinion of the Medical Board on the Subject, a Copy of which Accompanies this.

Vide Accompg Letter No 1.

No 2 By this document it appears that the

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Objections raised by Surgeon Lawder would be entirely removed by the Tread mill being placed in the outer Shed adjoining the Building in which it is now situated.

The position proposed by the Medical Board I am instructed to suggest might be rendered sufficiently secure for the Custody of the prisoners by placing a strong wooden railing round it of such height as may be deemed necessary and as the Prisoners when at work will be attended by a sufficient Guard of Peons and others it is not contemplated that their Safety would be endangered by the measure proposed.

Should the Legal Authorities have no objection to the arrangement now suggested. On your notifying the same to this Office the necessary steps will be taken for its due execution.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedt. Servant
(Signed) T Lavie
Dy Secy to Mily Bd

Mily Board Office
Fort St George
28th Febuary 1843

To C Biden Esqre
Sheriff of Madras

No 1

No 156

Fort St George 21st February 1843

From

Surgeon George Pearse M D

Secretary Medical Board

To

Lieutenant Colonel H Moberly

Secretary Military Board

Sir

With reference to your letters, noted in the margin, I have the honor to acquaint you that the Medical Board are of opinion, the ojections made by Surgeon Lauder to the building in which the Tread Mill is at present situated, would be entirely removed by its being placed in the outer shed adjoining that building, which appears to be sufficiently well ventilated.

No 8 Dated 3 February

No 181 Dated 17 February

2 The original enclosure of your letter No 8, is herewith returned.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant

(Signed) Geo Pearse M D

Secretary Medical Board

Fort Saint George 21st February 1843.

To Lieutenant Colonel H Moberly

Secretary Military Board

(True Copy)

(Signed) H Moberly Lt Col

Secretary Mil Bd

No 2

Gun Carriage Manufactory

Madras 1st February 1843.

From,

Captain I Maitland

Superintendant Gun Carriage Manuf

To Lieutenant Colonel H Moberly

Secretary Military Board

Fort Saint George

Sir,

When I visited the Treadmill at the Justices Gaol in Company with Captain Smith to see what repairs are required to be made to it, the Gaoler told me that Doctor Lawder had expressed an ojection to prisoners working in such a hot confined situation, and that he intended to remonstrate if men were ordered to work there, I wrote to Doctor Lawder to enquire if the Gaoler had stated his opinion correctly, and received the annexed Copy of a Note in reply.

As a Medical Officers opinion may have great weight with the Justices, I have the honor to request you will favor me with the Boards instruction as to whether I shall go on with the repairs to the House and Treadmill at the Gaol as ordered in their letter dated 14th November 1842.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Obedient Servant

(Signed) I Maitland Captain

Superint Gun Car Manuff

Gun Carriage Manuff

Madras

1st February 1843

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1.

My dear Maitland

On the 9th Ultimo in consequence of the Gaoler having informed me that you and Captain Smith had visited the gaol with the view of repairing or altering the Treadmill, so as to render it available for the employment of the Prisoners upon it, I wrote officially to the Superintending Surgeon stating my objection to it, within the limits of the Prison, and on a previous occasion, I stated those reasons to the Superintendent of Police my reasons are so strong that I do not think if it is repaired, it ever can be used without the risk of much loss of life, and under the that impression as matter of Course, I shall when the time comes object to their being employed upon it

Yours very Sincerely
/Signed/ I Lawder

1st January 1843

(True Copy)
/Signed/ J. Maitland Captain
Superintendent Gun Carriage Manuffy

/True Copies/
/Signed/ H Moberly Lt Col
Secretary Military Board

/Signed/ H Moberly Lt Col
Secretary Mil Bd

Supreme Court
Mad 1st 19
Crown

Supreme Court
Madras
Crown Side

The Queen
vs
M. Hee Baig

The Queen on the Prosecution of the East India Company
against
Dherasanum — For a Witness

To Seetharam Pauzoo
Vellore

I herewith enclose a true Copy of a Writ of Subpoena issued out of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras in the above matter and request you will acknowledge the receipt thereof by return of Post.

Sheriff's Office
Madras
7th March 1843

/Signed/ Chris. Baden
Sheriff

Crown Side

The Queen on the Prosecution of the East India Company
against
Dherasanum

To The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

The Witness S. Rajah ram Pillay Serishadar in the Zillah Court of Chengleput is at present residing in Chengleput you will be pleased to forward the subpoena to him in the usual way.

I remain
Sir
Your

Crown Side

The Queen on the Prosecution of the East India Company

against

Dherasanum

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

The witnesses Captain Nicholls and Seathan Ranzos are at present residing at Vellore you will be pleased to forward the Subpoenas to them in the usual way.

I remain

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant

Signed Alex.r Dale

Attorney for the Prosecution

28th March 1842

No 28

Supreme Court
Madras
Crown Side

The Queen on the Prosecution of the
East India Company

against

Dherasanum ——— For a misdem.

To

Captain H. S. Nicholls

Deputy Assistant Commissary General

Vellore

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a true Copy of a Writ of C.
of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Mad.
and request you will be pleased to ack.

True Copy
Signed R. Moberly Lt.
Secretary Mil. Bd.

I have the

No 28

Supreme Court
Madras
Crown Side

The Queen

vs

Shuffee Baig

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

It is represented to me on the part of Shuffee Baig that his friends are desired access to him that he is compelled to subsist on prison food and that his imprisonment is in all other respects as severe as if he were a convicted felon.

I have respectfully to submit to you on the part of my Client that his person is now placed in your keeping simply for Safe Custody and not for punishment and I am sure it cannot require argument to satisfy you that until conviction he is entitled to every reasonable indulgence consistent with the Security of his person. It may be and I believe it will so turn out in evidence that he is perfectly innocent of the charge on which he will be tried and if so no one I am persuaded will deplore it more than yourself that prison discipline should be enforced so as to operate as a positive degree of punishment upon this man over and above the more Safe keeping of his person.

All that he prays is that his friends may have access to him and that he may be allowed to retain those Small comforts of which (in his meals & dress &c.) which his means allow him and if these may be not altogether contrary to the Rules I submit to you that you will not allow them.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed.t Serv.t
Signed J. W. Branson
Deft.s Attz

Madras
27th March 1843

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№ 593

Military Board Office
Fort St. George 20th March 1843

From
The Military Board

To
The Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

The Board having learnt since the despatch of my letter of 28th Ulto. that you consider the removal of the part of the Tread Mill Building within the Walls, necessary for the Security of the Jail, and safe Custody of the Prisoners, it now becomes necessary that either some additions be made to the room without the enclosure, or an entirely new Building erected for the Tread Mill.—

The Board have requested Captain Maitland and the Superintending Engineer to communicate with you on the Subject and to prepare a Plan for a suitable Building for the reception of the Tread Mill, when its proposed improvements are completed, by either enlarging the present one, or erecting an entirely new one on the site that may be considered most suitable, as the case may be.—

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Obedt Servant
(Signed) H. Moberly Lt. Col.
Secretary Military Board

Military Board Office
Fort St. George
20th March 1843.

To
The Sheriff of
Madras

№ 20.

Supreme Court
Madras
Crown Side

The Queen on the Prosecution of
the East India Company
against
Dherasanum ——— For a misdemeanor

To T. Rajahram Pillay
Seristadar in the Zillah Court
Chingleput

Sir,

I beg to enclose a true Copy of a Writ of Subpoena issuing out of the Supreme Court of Judicature at madras in the above matter and request you will be pleased to acknowledge the receipt thereof by return of Post.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) Christr Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29th March 1843

№ 499

Madras Marine Board Office
29th March 1843

From
J. R. Boyson Esqre
Acting Secretary Marine Board

To
Captain C. Biden
Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I have the honor by desire of the marine Board to request that the 14 native Convicts, whose names are noted in the margin under Sentence of transportation to Moolmeyne, may be embarked on the Bark "Sarah Crisp" on the morning of Friday next the 31st Instant.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boyson
Acting Secretary.

1 Goorroonaden
2 Cauyah Ryder
3 Akoonaycherry
4 Sattyajee
5 Rambodoo
6 Veurdeu
7 Cottoan
8 Appasawmy
9 Rameer
10 Goolam Hoossain
11 Kistnen
12 Veerasawmy
13 Peter Setemy
14 Cottiun

To,
Captain C. Biden
Sheriff of Madras

N.21

To The Keeper of H. M Gaol

You are hereby directed to embark the Thirteen Native Convicts and one East Indian Convict named in the margin on the morning of the Friday next the 31st Instant on the Barque Sarah Crisp.

Two Boats will be in readiness opposite the Custom House for the purpose of taking the above named Convicts to the said Barque.

(Signed) Christr Biden
Sheriff

1 Govrenaden
2 Cauyah Hyder
3 Aroonagherry
4 Sulwajee
5 Raumoodoo
6 Vurden
7 Cottan
8 Appasawmy
9 Raumen
10 Gholam Hossain
11 Kistnen
12 Veerasawmy
13 Peter Letany
14 Cathan

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29th March 1843

Read the foll.g letter

No 477

From J. R. Boyson Esqre
Acting Secretary to the
Marine Board

Madras. Marine Board Office
27th March 1843

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Acting Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir.

With reference to the Orders noted in the margin I have the honor by desire of the Marine Board to report for the information of the Most Honorable the Governor in Council that passage to Moolmeyne has been provided on the Bark "Sarah Crisp" now in the Madras Roads, for the Fourteen native Convicts whose names are annexed, and who are awaiting the execution

Orders of Government No. 646 on a letter from the Clerk of the Crown dated 26th October 1842
Do No. 71 on Do Do dated 2d February 1843

1 Govrenaden
2 Cauyah Hyder
3 aroonagherry
4 Sulwajee
5 Raumoodoo
6 Vurden
7 Cottan
8 appatawmy
9 Raumen
10 Gholam Hossain
11 Kistnen
12 Veerasawmy
13 Peter Letany
14 Cathan

execution of their respective Sentences of transportation to the Tenasserim Provinces.

2. The passage money for these Convicts is included in the gross Sum of Rupees 2500 for which Sum the "Sarah Crisp" has been engaged by Government (in the Military Department) to Convey to Moolmeyne One Officer, 74 Men, the 14 native Convicts above alluded to, and 17 Tons of Commissariat Stores. This Sum after deducting Rupees 250 for the passage of the Officer, and 20 Rupees by way of freight for each ton of Stores, being the rates usually paid, gives as the average rate for the passage of each native man (inclusive of the Convicts) the Sum of Rupees 21. 11. 3. the Commander providing a suitable Guard and Prison for the safe Custody of the Convicts and the Commissariat Supplying Provisions.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. R. Boyson
Actg Secretary

Madras
Marine Bd Office
27th March 1843

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St George

No 151

(Sgd) J
J B
H. C

The Most Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the embarkation of the 14 Convicts referred to in the above letter on the Bark "Sarah Crisp" and directs that the necessary communication be made to the Commissary General and Sheriff of Madras.

Fort St George
28th March 1843

(Signed) J. F. Thomas
Ag Chief Secretary

To the Marine Board Disp 28th Entered 29th March (Sgd) J. R. B.
Ag. Secretary.
Commissary General Rect Ent'd & Ret'd 5 P.M. 29th March 1843 (Sgd)
Sheriff Read ent'd & Returned (Sgd) acc 29 (Sgd) GB
Sheriff

№ 22

To The Master Attendant

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will issue the necessary Orders for two Boats to be in readiness opposite the Custom House on the morning of Friday next the 31st Instant for the purpose of Conveying the Thirteen Native Convicts and one East Indian Convict under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast on the Barque "Sarah Crisp".

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obet Servt
(Signed) Christr Bidden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
30th March 1843

№ 237.

From Clement Dale Esqre Honorable Company's Solicitor

To The Sheriff of Madras

Fort St. George
Madras 30th March 1843

Sir,

I have the honor to hand you Subpoenas duces tecum in the case of the Queen on the information of the Attorney General in England v. Archibald Douglas Esqre directed to Ranguin pallave Row and Deanyum Pellay, two Witnesses who have been known to have left Tanjore and come down enroute to Madras as far as Poodoo Chaltrum but whether it is the Poodoo Chultrum near Challumbrum or the Poodoo Chultrum near Allemparai, is not known - but as the Witnesses above named are material and requisite - I have the honor to request you will be pleased to send off One of your Officers immediately with instructions to proceed down the Sadras Road until he meets the witnesses and to serve the Subpoenas on them - You will also be pleased to direct your Officer to make minute enquiries regarding these persons on his way down - The are respectable people, and I have no doubt he will

readily gain information of their movements -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Clemt Dale
Honble Compys Solicitor

To The Sheriff of Madras

№ 23.

To The Officer Commanding
The Barque "Sarah Crisp"
Madras Roads

Sir,

1 Gonoonaden
2 Cauiah Hyder
3 Aroonagherry
4 Sutwajee
5 Raumoodoo
6 Vurden
7 Cattan
8 Appasawmy
9 Raumen
10 Ghoolam Hoossain
11 Kistnen
12 Veerasawmy
13 Peter Letang
14 Cathan

I request you will receive on the Barque "Sarah Crisp" the Thirteen Native Convicts and one East Indian Convict named in the Margin under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast and Sign the receipt which the Bearer of this two Sets of my Officers will present to you, for that purpose —

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) Chris Bidden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
13th March 1843

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1 Goorroonaden
2 Cauiah Hyder
3 Aroonagherry
4 Sutwajee
5 Raumoodoo
6 Vurden
7 Cattan
8 Appasawmy
9 Raumen
10 Ghoolam Hoossain
11 Kistnen
12 Veerasawmy
13 Peter Letang
14 Cathan

Received on the Barque "Sarah Crisp" this 31st day of March 1843 of Christopher Bidden Esquire Sheriff of Madras the Thirteen Native Convicts and One East Indian Convict named in the Margin under Sentence of transportation to the Tenasserim Coast together with the Fourteen pairs of Irons.

(Signed) Fa Smith
Chief Officer

№ 24

To

The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of Government, that the Thirteen Native Convicts and One East Indian Convict named in the margin, were this morning embarked on the Barque "Sarah Crisp" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

1 Gorronaden
2 Cauyah Hyder
3 Bromaghury
4 Saluvajee
5 Raumoodoo
6 Vurden
7 Cottan
8 Appasawmy
9 Raumen
10 Gholam Hossain
11 Kistnen
12 Veerasawmy
13 Peter Letany
14 Cathan

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obet Servt
(Signed) Christr Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
31st March 1843

Exd

№ 25

To

The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of the Marine Board, that the Thirteen Native Convicts and one East Indian Convict named in the margin, were this morning embarked on the Barque "Sarah Crisp" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

1 Gorronaden
2 Cauyah Hyder
3 Bromaghury
4 Saluvajee
5 Raumoodoo
6 Vurden
7 Cottan
8 Appasawmy
9 Raumen
10 Gholam Hossain
11 Kistnen
12 Veerasawmy
13 Peter Letany
14 Cathan

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obet Servt
(Signed) Christr Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
31st March 1843

Exd

№ 26

To

The Clerk of the Crown

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you that the Thirteen Native Convicts and one East Indian Convict named in the margin, were this morning embarked on the Barque "Sarah Crisp" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

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6 Vurden
7 Cottan
8 Appasawmy
9 Raumen
10 Gholam Hossain
11 Kistnen
12 Veerasawmy
13 Peter Letany
14 Cathan

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obet Servt
(Signed) Christr Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
31st March 1843

Exd

№ 246

From Clement Dale Honorable Company's Solicitor
To C. Biden Esquire Sheriff of Madras Fort St George

Madras 31st March 1843

Sir

With reference to the Prosecution against Dhorasanum late a Post Office letter Carrier, I have the honor to hand you Subpoenas duces tecum directed to A Ramiah, Head Writer, and C. Sreneevasiah, Writer in the Office of the Military Paymaster at Bangalore, which you will be pleased to forward to Captain J. Alexander, Paymaster Bangalore, for the purpose of its being Served on the parties above named.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Clemt Dale
Honble Coys Solr

To C. Biden Esquire Sheriff of Ma

№ 24

To

The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of Government, that the Thirteen Native Convicts and One East Indian Convict named in the margin, were this morning embarked on the Barque "Sarah Crisp" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

1 Gorrunaden
2 Cauyah Hyder
3 Aroonaghury
4 Sutwajee
5 Raumoodoo
6 Vurdeen
7 Cottan
8 Appasawmy
9 Raumen
10 Gholam Hossain
11 Kistnen
12 Veerasawmy
13 Peter Setany
14 Cathan

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obet. Servt
(Signed) Christr. Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
31st March 1843

Encl.

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To

The Acting Secretary
Marine Board

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you, for the information of the Marine Board, that the Thirteen Native Convicts and one East Indian Convict named in the margin, were this morning embarked on the Barque "Sarah Crisp" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

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14 Cathan

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obet. Servt
(Signed) Christr. Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
31st March 1843

Encl.

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To

The Clerk of the Crown

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint you, that the Thirteen Native Convicts and one East Indian Convict named in the margin, were this morning embarked on the Barque "Sarah Crisp" for transportation to the Tenasserim Coast.

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(Signed) Christr. Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
31st March 1843

Encl.

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From Clement Dale Honorable Company's Solicitor

To C. Biden Esquire Sheriff of Madras Fort St. George

Madras 31st March 1843

Sir

With reference to the Prosecution against Dherasanum late a Post Office letter Carrier, I have the honor to hand you Subpoenas duces tecum directed to A Ramiah, Head Writer, and C. Srenevasiah, Writer in the Office of the Military Paymaster at Bangalore, which you will be pleased to forward to Captain J. Alexander, Paymaster Bangalore, for the purpose of its being served on the parties above named.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Clemt. Dale
Honble Coy's Solr.

To C. Biden Esquire Sheriff of Madras

No 21

Supreme Court
Madras
Crown Side

The Queen on the Prosecution of
The East India Company
against
Dherasanum ___ For a Misdemeanors

To
Captain J. Alexander
Military Paymaster
Bangalore

Sir

I have the honor to enclose a Writ of Subpoena duces Tecum with two true Copies thereof issuing out of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras in the above matter for the Individuals named in the margin who are said to be employed in the Military Paymaster's Office at Bangalore and request you will be pleased to Cause the said Copies to be Served on them returning the oreginal to me at your earliest convenience in order to enable me to make a return to the Writ in question.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obet. Servt.
(Signed) Christr. Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
31st March 1843

R. Ramaiah Head Writer
in the Military Paymaster's Office
C. Seeneevasalah Writer in Do Do

Police Office Vellore
29th March 1843.

To
Christopher Biden Esquire
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Referring to a Writ of Subpoena which came enclosed in your Letter of the 29th Instant, addressed to Seetharam Pauzoo, I have the honor to inform you, that that Individual late a Peon in the Police Establishment at this station died here of Cholera on the 13th Inst

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servt
(Signed) Henry Jas Nicholls
S.P.

Ed.

Commissariat Office Centre Divn
Vellore 30th March 1843

From
Captain H.J. Nicholls
Deputy Assistant Commissary General

To
Christopher Biden Esquire
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 29th Instant giving Cover to a Writ of Subpoena.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Henry Jas Nicholls
D.A.C.G.

Commissariat Office
Centre Division
Vellore 30th March 1843

To
Christopher Biden Esquire
Sheriff of
Madras

Ed.

To
The Sheriff of
Madras

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your

letter under date the 29th Ultimo, giving Cover to a Copy of a Writ of Subpoena issued out of the Supreme Court of Judicature at madras for my appearance before that Court in the matter of misdemeanor against Dherasanam.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedient Servt
(Signed) T. Rangaiah Chetty
Sheristadar

Chingleput
1st April 1843

Endd

To
The Sheriff of Madras
&c &c

Madras 1st April 1843

Sir,

We request you will have the goodness to furnish us with a Certificate of embarkation of the 15 Convicts proceeding to Moolmein per "Sarah Crisp" to enable us to Submit our bill to Government for their passage money.

We are,
Sir
Your Obedient Servants
(Signed) Hall Bainbridge & Co

No 28

To
Messrs Hall Bainbridge & Co

Gentlemen,

With reference to your letter of the 1st Instant, I have the honor to transmit herewith a Certificate of the embarkation of Thirteen Native Convicts and One East Indian Convict who have proceeded to the Tenasserim Coast per "Sarah Crisp" making Fourteen and not Fifteen Convicts as mentioned in your said letter.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) Christr Biden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
3d April 1843

Dft

I hereby Certify that the Thirteen Native Convicts and One East Indian Convict, named in the Margin under Sentence of Transportation to the Tenasserim Coast were on the morning of the 31st March last embarked on the Barque "Sarah Crisp"

(Sgd) Christr Biden
Sheriff

1 Goorroonaden
2 Cauyah Hyder
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Sheriff's Office
Madras
3d April 1843

Dft

Messrs Hall Bainbridge & Co

No 480

Pay Office Bangalore
8th April 1843

From
Captain J. Alexander
Paymaster in Mysore

To
Captain C. Biden
Sheriff Fort St George

Sir,

I have the honor to return the Original Writ received with your letter of the 31st Ultimo, and to acquaint you that the parties on whom the Subpoena was served, left this for Madras on the 5th Instant.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Sgd) J Alexander
Paymaster

Fort St. George
Govt. Bank
10th April 1843

No 429

From A. J. Cherry, Esqr
Supt & Treas. Government Bank

To C. Beden, Esqr Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

Observing by the Official Gazette, of the 7th Instant, that Mr. C. S. Corner, a Clerk in the Governmt Bank, has been Summoned to Serve as a Petty Juror at the ensuing Sessions, I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to excuse his attendance, inasmuch as another Clerk, belonging to this Establishment will be obliged to appear before the Supreme Court, to give evidence there. I beg to state that, I am induced to make this request, as the Government Bank, will soon close by order of Government, and in consequence Various calls will be made thereon, to answer which, the Services of the whole of this Institution, will be in requisition.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servt
(Signed) A. J. Cherry
Supt & Treas.

To The Agent of the
Fort St. George Gazette

Sir,

Be pleased to leave out the name of Mr. Charles Sedgeley Corner in the Petty Jury list and insert the Name of Mr. Robert Preston Dalgairns immediately after that of Mr. Arthur Henry Clarke.

Yours &c
(Signed) Christr Beden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
11th April 1843

No 29.

To The Chief Magistrate
and
Superintendent of Police

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will give Orders to a Sufficient number of Constables and Tannah Peons to attend at Her Majesty's Gaol on Tuesday the 18th Instant at 8 O'clock in the Morning for the purpose of escorting the Prisoners for trial to the Court House and thence to the Gaol and to lend their Assistance during the period the ensuing Sessions shall last.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) Christr Beden
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
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Sheriffs Office
Madras
13th April 1843

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Memo

It is requested that Orders may be given to Strike off at the Fort Saint George Gazette Press by Saturday the 15th Instant One Hundred and Twenty five Calendars and Eighty Jury Lists as per Order of Government dated 20th January 1835.

Three Quires and Ten and a half Sheets of Long Post are transmitted for the purpose Vizt

Two Quires and Fourteen and a half Sheets for Calendars.

Twenty Sheets for Jury Lists.

I Signed Christr Biden
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
13th April 1843

To
The Acting Chief Secretary
to Government

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