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Paneyore Linga Pauliapah Moodeliar
vers
Covoor Soobaroy Moodeliar

William Light Esqr
Plaintiffs Atty
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr Frownes Disney Attorney for Mootoo Naick and Auroo=moga Naick

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Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr Frownes Disney Attorney for Mootoo Naick and Auroomoga Naick dated and Recd. 23d Septr 1805 –

Paneyore Linga Pauliapah Moodr
vers
Covoor Soobaroya Moodeliar –

John Oakes Sheriff of Madras
Mr Thos. Blyth Deputy Sheriff

Take notice that the Grounds Situated at Royapooram East to the Garden of Venkoo Doss Ramoo Doss North to the Royapooram Church West to the Sea and South to the Public Street for wer to the Connya Covil according to your Advertisement Seized by you as the Sheriff of Madras and Advertised for Sale by Virtue of Writt of Execution which issued in this Cause is the joint Property of Mootoo Naick and Auroomoga Naick who having Sufficient Title to produce on the 13th May 1801 Commenced an Action at law in Ejectment in the late Court of the Recorder respecting this property against the said Defendant Covoor Soobaroya Moodeliar and others which Suit is Still pending in the Supreme Court you will under these circumstances I Imagine not be able to make a good Title to the premises in question untill the final decision of said cause in this Terms you will therefore proceed with caution as you shall be Advised

Yours &c

Forts George
23d Septr 1805

(A true Copy)

(Signed) Frownes Disney
Atty for Mootoo Naick and

Aulapaukum Vencatachella Chitty,
vers
Vengoor Mooroogappah Chitty –

To Mr James Sutherland

Sir

I think it necessary to give you Notice that I have by Virtue of a Writ of Fi: Fa: in the above Cause seized and Advertized for Sale certain Premises situated in Tomboo Chitty Street No. 7 and that I am Indemnified by the above named Plaintiff to sell the same who agrees to be made a Party in any Action you may be pleased to Institute against him or me for such seizure –

Sheriffs Office
Madras
25th Septr 1805

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) John Oakes
Sheriff

Plea Side

Paneyore Linga Pauliapah Moodeliar
vers
Covoor Soobaroy Moodeliar –

J. Oakes Esqr
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I am instructed by Vencatachella Moodelliar for whose behalf I applied to you on the 8th Instant to Stop the sale of the Premises seized by Virtue of a Writ of Execution which issued in this Cause) to inform you that the Garden at Royapooram on the North side by Mr Arathoons Garden part of the Property you seized in this Cause and which you have Advertized for Sale was previous to the Sequestration being issued in this Cause Mortgaged for 517 Pagodas in a Bond to One Teagaroy who Obtained the same in his name to and for the use and Account of the said Vencatachella Moodeliar who was the person that had Actually lent and advanced the Money thereon and in Consequence of a delay in the payment thereof a Suit was lately instituted by Teagaroy in the Supreme Court –

That the parties Afterwards came to an Amicable Settlement and by the desire of the said Vencatachella Moodeliar and at the particular request of the Defendant he the said Vencatachella Obtained the Bond in his own name for the sum of 830 Pagodas being the sum then due Mortgaging the Property of which you received Notice whereupon the Bond of Defendant to Teagaroy was immediately cancelled –

I therefore trust that you will under these Satisfactory Circumstances proceed with great Caution in the sale of the Garden and Premises aforesaid as the Original Mortgage for 517 was made to my Client tho in the name of another, before any Sequestration issued and that a Sequestration is only a Writt to compell an Appearance dated this 26th day of September 1805 –

(Signed) Fownes Disney
Attly for the Mortgagee

(A true Copy) John Oakes Sheriff

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr D. Neale Attly for Causoola Kistnama Chitty dated 27th Septr 1805

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I am instructed by Causula Kistnama Chitty and I am desired by him to Notify to you, that twelve grounds or a portion, containing in Length from East to West 80 feet and in breadth from North to South 360 feet – (and being on the North side of 7½ ground sold to Ninapella on the West Street and on West side of the ground situated in Attapollum Cooppum for which a grant was made by the Honble Company to Vencataram Moodelly were by a Cadjan bill of Sale dated on the 10th Chittery of Doormoody year bargained and sold for a Valuable Consideration unto Causula Kistnamah by Covoor Soobaroy Moodelly and that the Original Cadjan bill of Sale is ready for your inspection –

With this Notice I trust that you will not proceed with the sale of the 12 Pieces of Ground to which it relates –

Fort St George
27th Septr 1805

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) D: Neale Attly for Causola Kistnama Chitty –

(A true Copy) John Oakes Sheriff

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr J Sutherland Attly for Milapoor Nina Chitty dated & Recd 28th Septr 1805 –

Paneyore Linga Pauliapah Moodeliar
vers
Soobaroyen –

Jno Oakes Esqr
Sheriff

Sir –

Take notice that the House and Ground Situated at Peddo Nai[illegible] in Vencatasa Naicks Street Seized by you under an Execution in the above Cause and Advertized for Sale on Tuesday Next the first of October are with the Title

Deeds thereof Mortgaged to Milapoor Ninan Chitty by a Bond Executed by the above Named Defendant to him Dated 31st January 1804 as Security for the payment of Pagodas 220 and Interest the title Deeds in the name of the Defendants father with the Mortgage Bond are now in my possession and ready to produced for your inspection

I am Sir
Yours Obedt.
(Signed) J. Sutherland
Attly for Milapoor Ninan Chitty

Madras
28th Septr 1805

A true Copy
John Oakes
Sheriff

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr J. Sutherland Attly for Plaintiff dated Recd 28th Septr 1805

Latchoomy Ammah and Peroomall Chitty
vers
John Oakes Esqr

Jno Oakes Esqr
Sheriff

Sir

Be pleased to take Notice that the Summons with which you have been Served in this Suit is at the instance of Latchoomy Ammah and Peroomall Chitty for a trespass in Seizing a Certain House and Ground Situated in Maratta Town No 7 Tomboo Chitty Street in a Suit of Aulapaukum Vencatachella Chitty Plaintiff and Vengoo Moorogapah Chitty Defendant & which House you have advertized for Sale on the 3d day of October Next

And I hereby undertake on behalf of my Client that the said Action so commenced against you provided you Appear and plead forthwith and consent to take Short Notice of trial Shall be set down and come on for Trial at the Sittings after this present Term

As you have it therefore in your Option to try the Right of the said Seizure without further Damage to the Plaintiff by proceeding to Sell the Premises. I trust you will upon this Notice postpone the sale until the Title is determined

I shall be thankful to be informed of your intention in this respect as I shall advice my Client to move the Court on Affidavit in case you deem this Application insufficient

I am Sir
Yours Obedt
(Signed) J. Sutherland
Attly for Plaintiff

Madras
28th Septr 1805

(A true Copy)
John Oakes
Sheriff

Sadurangapatnam Venaya Moodeliar
vers
Seruwalore

Aulapaukum Vencatachella Chitty
vers
Vengoor Moorogapah Chitty

To Mr James Sutherland

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to inform you that it is his Intention to proceed to sell the Premises suzed in the above Cause (agreeably to the Advertisement in the Madras Courier of the 25th Ult.) unless otherwise ordered by the Supreme Court And he further desires me to inform you that the above Named Plaintiff will be made a party in the Action of Trespass you are about to commence against me

I am Sir
Your Most Obedt Servant
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
1st Octr 1805

Madapaukum Vardarajah Moodr
vers
Francis Ellis and others

Francis Ellis Esqr
Trechenapoly

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the receipt thereof

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servant
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Under Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
2d October 1805

James Dobbin
vers
Charles Rand

To Captn Charles Rand

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the receipt thereof

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servant
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
4th October 1805

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To George Buchan Esqr.

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St. George

Sir,

I beg permission for the information of his Lordship in Council, to trouble you with the following Statement of the Condition of his Majesties Debtors Goal Its Situation is between two narrow Street in the Most populous part of black Town surrounded by Houses and adjoining two the Walls of which form the boundaries of the Goal, and it is so attached to these Houses as to afford an easy means of Escape, notwithstanding the utmost Vigilance.

In dependant of this insecurity, the building itself is in so bad a State and admits so much water during the time of Rain that serious consequence may be expected as to the lives of the Prisoners from the almost impossibility of Keeping themselves dry in a Place so little accommodated to so great a number as are now in confinement this number I am sorry to add appears to be upon the increase, and at this time amount to Fifty three persons in a House originally intended for a small family, this short statement I trust will be sufficient to induce Government to take the case into their most serious consideration.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

your most Obedient

humble Servant

(Signed) John Oakes

Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
5th October 1805

Sheriffs Department

Major F. Thompson

Town Major

Fort St. George

Sir

Be pleased to direct a Guard as usual to the Felons Goal on Wednesday Next the 9th Instant at 8 O'Clock in the Morning to Escort the Prisoners from thence to the Court House and to Attend during the Sessions.

I am

Sir

your Obedient Servant

(Signed) John Oakes

Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
8th October 1805

Vencatasa Moodeliar

vers

Teruvarcaudoo Vencat[illegible]

Naick and Ramaso[illegible]

to Daniel Neale Esqr.

Attyr for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for [illegible]sal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr James Sutherland Attorn[illegible] for Mundalium Pa[illegible] Naick the Personal representative of Munda[illegible] Vencatachellam [illegible] Deceased to Stop the sale of a House and Gro[illegible] No. 24 Auroomogum Stre[illegible] in the above Cause. I request to be informed [illegible]hether it is the intention of you[illegible] Client that the sale should Proceed as [illegible] that case it will be necessary to [illegible] me with adequate Security or depos[illegible]te in Cash sufficient to cover any [illegible] Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause.

I am Sir

your Obedt Ser[illegible]

(Signed) John Oak[illegible]

Sheriffs Office
Madras
22d October 1805

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr James Sutherland dated and received 22d October 1805.

Vencatacha Moodeliar
vice
Teruvercaudoo Vencatakistnama
Naich and Ramasuwmy

John Oakes Esqr
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

On behalf of Mundalum Paupoo Naich the Personal Representative of Mundalum Vencatachella Naich deceased I give you notice that the House and Ground Situated at Peddoo Naich Pet Naichspettah No. 24 being part of the Premises seized by you under an Execution in this Cause and Advertized for Sale on the 23d Instant was with the title deeds thereof mortgaged to the said Mundalum Vencatachella Naich in his life time on a Bond Executed by Teruvercaudoo Vencatakistnamah Naich the Defendants above Named to him dated the 20d May 1801 [illegible] securing the payment of 513 Pagodas and Interest the title deeds with the Mortgaged Bond are now in my possession and ready to be produced for your inspection.

Madras
22d October 1805

Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) J Sutherland
Atty for Mundalum
Paupoo Naich

(A true Copy)
(Signed) John Oakes Sheriff

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr W. Light dated & Recd 22d Octr 1805

To the Sheriff of Madras and all other whom it may concern

Thomas de Mello
vice
Abick and Folliot

Sir

Take Notice that a Piece or portion of Ground Situated in the Village of Tondiavadoo containing fifteen Grounds and forty six and a half square feet or thereabouts bounded on the North by a Street South by a Garden of Alaban East by a Ground of Munnapah Moodeliar and West by a Road leading to Trevattore is, under and by Virtue of a Deed of Settlement made in contemplation of a Marriage between John Folliot and Francisca Slaney, now in Settlement upon the said Francisca Slaney (now Folliot) and her right thereto is Acknowledged and Confirmed by a Grant thereof by the Honble Company to her dated the 1st day of April 1803 which Ground I understand you have took possession of under a Process issuing out of the Supreme Court against the above Named Defendants therefore you are hereby required to quit the same and such possession - or an Action will immediately be commenced against you for Trespass.

The above mentioned Deed of Settlement and Grant are in my Office for your Inspection and for all others interested in the above Suit.

Dated 22d Octr
1805

Sam
Yours
(Signed) W. Light
Atty for the Sd Francisca Slaney
Folliot Sher Trustees

(A true Copy)
(Signed) John Oakes
Sheriff

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr James Sutherland dated and received 22d October 1805.

Vencatacha Moodeliar
vs
Teruvercaudoo Vencatakistnamah
Naick and Ramasuwmy

John Oakes Esqr
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I am Sir
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I am
Yours
(Signed) W. Light
Atty for the Sd Francisca Slaney Folliot & her Trustees

Dated 22d Octr
1805 -

(A true Copy)
(Signed) John Oakes
Sheriff

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras } John Smith vers John Edwd Branson

To Messrs. John Edward Branson, Thomas Jones & Luke Reddy — Copartners under the Firm of Branson, Jones, & Reddy

Sirs,

Take Notice that the remains of the Stock in Trade in your Shop and also the Premises known by the Name of your Auction Room and Shop, and all other property in which the Defendant above named is in any manner Interested are Seized by Virtue of a Writ of Execution Issued from the Supreme Court in this Cause, and that the Undevided Share and Interest therein of the said Defendant will be forthwith sold by me in Obedience to the same Writ. — After this Notice you will not remove any one article from the Premises. — The Bearer hereof one of my Office Peons has my instructions to remain on the Premises untill the Property is disposed of.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
24th October 1805. }

(Signed) John Oakes Sheriff

Pleas Side. } John Smith vers John Edward Branson

J. Oakes Esqr
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I am instructed by Mr Thomas Jones and Mr Luke Reddy to Caution you as to your Seizing their Property lately Sold at public Outcry and now ready to be delivered to the Owners who have paid for the same under color of the Execution in this Cause in which neither Thomas Jones or Luke Reddy are parties, nor did they ever receive any money of the Plaintiff or give or grant him any Security for money; they have at same time produced to me a Notice with your Signature to it dated 24th October Instant

In the event of your persisting according to the tenor of that Notice I am instructed by them to bring the matter before the Supreme Court and as circumstances shall occur if necessary to bring an action against you.

I am
Sir
your Obedt & Hble Servt
(Signed) Stowes Disney
Atty at Law

Fort St. George
24th October 1805. }

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. James Sutherland dated and Received 24th Octr 1805.

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Eq. Side } Avadaunum Paupiah
vers
John Tulloh and others

Jno Oakes Esqre

Sir

I request you will be pleased to Onsider the notice herewith Served upon you in the suit of Pushpagery Soobiah vers Paupiah as being also a Notice in the suit thereon above mentioned

I am Sir
your very obed. Servant
(Signed) J: Sutherland
Solr for Defendants.

Madras
24th Octr 1805.

Pishpagery Soobiah
Awadaunum Paupiah

John Oakes Esqr
Sheriff
Sir

Messrs Tulloh Brodie Halyburton & Co. whose premises you have lately entered under a Writ of Execution in the above cause and Seized same wood in their possession as the property of the Defendant have instructed me to give you notice which I hereby do as follows viz.

That the wood is a Concern of the owners of the Ship commence the Defendant Paupiah being one of those owners

That Messrs Tulloh and Co. received the wood as Factors being so at that time as well for Paupiah as the other owners

That

That in so far as the wood can be considered belonging to Paupiah it remains with Messrs Tulloh & Co subject to a demand of a very great Amount arising from Factorage Transactions besides a Jeugment for Pagodas 121652-3-72 upon which Execution has already issued and which is shall unsatisfied

That in so far as the wood may be demand joint property Messrs Tulloh & Co as the Factors of that concern claim their lien upon it for a Balance in their favour amounting on the 6th of July last to Pags 4705-32-43

That the accounts between Messrs Tulloh and Co and Paupiah and the property which by various Titles and liens stands involved in those complicated Transactions are now before the Supreme Court for decision in a suit commenced by Paupiah in the Equity side and still depending

That therefore the seizure in question is subject to the several preferable liens above stated and to the order of the Supreme Court in the Equity suit between my Clients and Paupiah and that You will be held Accountable accordingly

And Lastly as the sham actions (formerly in case) brought and Confessed by collusion between Plaintiff and Defendant for the purpose of forestalling the rights of third parties have been pointedly disallowed by the Court I would recommend the circumstance of the present Judgement to your particular Observation and Enquiry

I am Sir
your obed. Hble Servt.

24th Octr 1805.

(Signed) J. Sutherland
Atty for Messrs Tulloh and Co

(A true Copy)
(Signed) John Oakes
Sheriff

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. James Sutherland
dated and Received 24th Oct 1805

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your very obed. Servant
(Signed) J. Sutherland
Solr for Defendants

Madras
24th Oct 1805

Pishpagery Soobiah
Avvadaunum Paupiah

John Oakes Esq.
Sheriff
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I am Sir
your obed. Hble Servt

24th Oct 1805

(Signed) J. Sutherland
atty for Messrs Tulloh and Co

(A true Copy)

(Signed) John Oakes
Sheriff

Pishpagary Soobia
vers
A. Paupiah Bry.

To
Mr Light
Sir

You have herewith a Copy of a second Notice served on me in this Cause by which you will se I am threatned with an Action of Trover if Immediate restitution is not made of the Property Seized — as I by no means wish to defend such Action — I shall withdraw my Seals from the property unless I am very Sufficiently Indemnified.

I am
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) John Oakes
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 28th Octr.
1805 —

Pushpagery Soobbiah
vers
Avadanam Paupiah Braminy

To James Sutherland Esqr.
Sir —

In consequence of the Plaintiffs having given Indemnity for proceeding to Sale in this Cause, the Wood in question is again Seized and will be sold on Tuesday next

I am,
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) John Oakes
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
1st Novr. 1805

Peshpagery Soobiah
vers
Avadanam Paupiah —

John Oakes Esqr.
Sheriff
Sir

I addressed a Notice to you in the above Suit on the 24th Instant on behalf of Messrs. Tulloh & Co. stating that the Timber Seized by you upon their premises as the property of the Defendant was in their possession Subject to Sundry Specifick Lines As I have not received any Answer to that Notice nor any Acknowledgement of the receipt of it by you and as the Wood is Advertised by this days News paper to be Sold on Thursday next, I am induced to Suppose that by Some mistake my Letter may not have been Shewn to you — I therefore request the favor of being informed whether the said Notice has or has not come to your Knowledge —

If it has I cannot help expressing my Surprize that you should shewn so entire a disregard to it and to the very special facts contained in it and that you should have come to the determination of changing this property without allowing my Clients on oppurtunity of making out the right to it —

Their simple possession was sufficient Notice to you of that right untile the Contrary was made appear and from the Nature of the Circumstances which I Communicated to you Several of which are officially in your Knowledge and others are Record obvious to be referred to I find it extremily difficult to conjecture what proofs or explanations could have been offered to you to justify the Act of entering the Premises of my clients and Seizing the Property there deposited Subject to all their Climes —

I am now instructed by my clients to demand from you the immediate restitution of the wood in Question as Specified in the Annexed Schedule and to give you Notice which I hereby do that an Action will be Commenced against you on Monday next for recovery of the Property in failure of its being given up against that day — In the event of your persisting to Sell this Property I Subjoin for your information a Schedule of the average prices at which it has hitherto been Sold —

I Remain Sir
Your very Obedt. Servant
(Signed) J. Sutherland
Atty for Messrs. Tulloh & Co.

Madras
26th Octr. 1805

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Schedule of Selling prices

Duggus	Singly	2 Sqr. feet ⅌ Pagda.	
	in Lotts	2½	do. do.
Shinbim	in Lotts of 4 ⅌ Lott	Pagd. 22	
Do.	Cut	from 3½ to 4½ Sqr. feet ⅌ Pagoda	
Sheathing Boards		⅌ 100 Pagodas 25	

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Schedule of the Property

Shinbeams	245
Do. Pieces	297
Beams of Sorts	59
Joists	6
Staves	1411
Sheathing Boards	1230
Blackwood Pcs.	45

(Signed) J. Sutherland
Atty for Messrs. Tulloh & Co.

Pushpagery Soobiah
vers
Avadanum Paupiah Brammy

W. Wm Light

Sir

In reply to your Letter of Yesterdays date I can only say that your Client has been so very delatory in this business, that I have been under the necessity of taking off the Seals, but that if Mr Parry is ready to come forward & you can procure any other person of equally known Property, to join with him in a Bond of Indemnity for proceeding to Sale of the Wood in Question that it may be again Seized & the Sale in that case will go on, but if on the contrary your Client continue indifferent & delays coming forward with his securities I shall in that case consider myself at liberty to Proceed to the Sale of the Wood, in favor of another Writ of Execution against Paupiah, which I expect in the Office this day.

I am Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) John Oakes Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
29th October 1805.

Josias Dutton Porcher and Benjamin Roebuck Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Matthew Tudor Deceased
vers
Benjamin Heyne Admor of the Goods and Chattels of Alexander Denton Deceased

To Mr Benjamin Heyne
at Bangalore

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to inclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be Pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof.

I am Sir
Your Obed. Servt.
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Dep. Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
31st Oct. 1805.

P. Soobia
&
A Paupiah &c.

W. Thos Parry

Sir

I herewith send for your Perusal a letter from W. Sutherland on the Subject of the Timber Seized by me in this Cause for the Sale of which you have Indemnified me. If you have any Objection to the Sale taking place you may withdraw your Security.

I am Sir
your most Obed. Servt.
(Signed) John Oakes Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
2d Nov. 1805.

Pushpagery Soobia
vers
A Paupiah &c.

To W. Light Sir

Herewith I send you Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr Orme on the Subject of the Timber Seized by me in this Cause - I beg your Immediate Instructions how I am to procede as in the event of the Sale taking place I must be further Indemnified as to Mr Frasers claim.

I am Sir
your Obed Servt
(Signed) John Oakes Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 4th Nov.
1805.

Supreme Court
Pleas Side

Pushpagery Soobiah
vers
Avadanum Paupiah Brammy

To John Oakes Esqr
Sheriffs &c.

Sir

I am desired by Lieut. Thomas Fraser to inform you that the wood which you have Seized and advertised for Sale on Tuesday next as the property of the above named Defendant was purchased by Lieut. Fraser on the 30th of October last from Messrs Tullok Brodie Halyburton & Co. and at the time of such purchase the Same was delivered over to and is now in the actual possession of Lieut. Fraser - you will therefore see that the Seizure you have made is illegal and that if you proceed to sell the Wood you commit

Defiance

deliver the possession thereof to the Purchaser Dated this Second Day of November 1805.

Yours &c.
(Signed) R. Orme
for Lieut. Fraser

Nundeambaukum Nagapah Moodeliar
vers
Mootoo Graminy

Robert Orme Esqr.
Plaintiffs Attly
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr Townes Disney Attorney for Moorugapan to Stop the Sale of a House and Ground being one of the Houses Seized in the above Cause Situated at Sawmy Naidk Street.

I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale of the House so Alluded to in Mr Disneys Notice Should take Place as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damage that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
9th November 1805.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) John Oakes
Sheriff

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. Townes Disney Attly for Mooroogapan dated and received the 8. November 1805.

Nundombaukum Naugapah Moodelliar
vers
Mootoo Graminey

Plea Side

J. Oakes Esqr.
Sheriff
Sir

Take Notice that the House & Ground, situated in Sawmy Naidk Street (between the houses of Mootoocomaran and Veerapermall pillay) at Chendatrepettah, seized by you as the Sheriff of Madras and Advertized to be sold this day, by Virtue of a Writ of Execution which issued in the above cause is not the Defendants property but is the lawful property of One Mooroogapan, who has left the Title Deeds thereof at my Office with instructions to produce and convince you of his indisputable right thereto.

I hereby therefore caution you against Disposing of the said House & Ground at your peril.

I am
Sir,
your most Obedt. H. Servt.
(Signed) Townes Disney
Attly for Mooroogapan

Forts. George
8th Novr. 1805

John Wright, J. E. Branson & Jas. Frank
vers
George Shepherd
and
John Reilly vers Geo. Shepherd

To Lieutenant George Shepherd
Madras European Regiment
Cuttack

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you two Several Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the receipt thereof

I am Sir
your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Under Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras 9th Novr. 1805.

Shake Mooret
vers
Mootoo Naich & Arrnooga Naich

Fownes Disney Esqr.
Plaintiffs Attty

Sir

In reply to your letter of the 13th Instant demanding the reason of my not proceeding to sell the Ground Seized in this cause I beg to inform you that the Ground in question is the Property of the Honble Company as will more fully appear by the Accompanying Copy of Official letter to my Deputy from the Collector of Madras on the Subject.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servant
(Signed) John Oakes
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
16th Novr. 1805

Mr. Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sir

You will be good enough to inform the Sheriff that the Ground you mentioned to me is the Property of the Honble Company.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servant
(Signed) J. H. D. Ogilvie
Collr.

Madras
30th Octr. 1805

(A true Copy)
John Oakes
Sheriff

Sooreya Narrain Chitty Grandson and Personal representative of Moodoo Ramalinga Chitty Dd.
vers
Caumatchy Authey Narrain Chitty son & Pl. representative of Caumatchy Chinna Vecatachellum Dd.

Fownes Disney Esqr.
Plaintiffs Attty

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. James Sutherland Attorney for Soobaroya to Stop the Sale in the above Cause.

I request to be informed whethe it is the intention of your Client that the Sale Should Proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) John Oakes
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
16th Novr. 1805

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriffs by Mr. James Sutherland Attorney for Soobaroyan Dated 15th Novr. 1805.

Sooreya Narrain Chitty Grandson and personal representative of Moodoo Ramalinga Chitty Decd.
vers
Caumatchy Audey Narrain Chitty Son & perl. representative of C. Chinna Vecatachellum Decd.

John Oakes Esqr.
Sheriff

Sir

I am instructed by Soobaroya Chitty to give you Notice that the Goods and Effects Seized by you in the above Cause and in part advertised to be Sold to morrow are not the Property of the Dd.

aspersonal representative of his Father nor his own Property but was purchased by him and my Client in partnership together and with monies borrowed from Comarespen Chitty upon their Joint Bond and which Bond is still outstanding and unsatisfied —

Soobaroya therefore hopes that the Goods and Articles Seized will be restored and that you will Confine your Seizure to Such Property or Balance if any as may result to the Defts after Satisfying the Partnership Debts —

If this application should be refused and the Sale proceeded in please take notice that my Client holds you accountable for any Damage that he may Sustain in Consequence —

He hereby Offers in case of being Served with any notice of Seizure as to Narrains Interest in Partnership property to Come to an Account forthwith Respecting that Share.

I am Sir

Your very Obedient Servant

/Signed/ I. Sutherland

Atty for Soobaroya.

Madras
15th Novr 1805

Copy of a Letter addressed to the Sheriff by Mr I. Sutherland on behalf of Maumbalum Narasoo Naick Dated and Received 19th Nov 1805.

Hoornes Disney Esqr
vrs
Venkata Naranapah

Jno Oakes Esqr
Sheriff
Sir

I beg leave to inform you on behalf of Maumbalum Narasoo Naick that the Premises Seized by you in this Case are duly mortgaged to him and the Title Deeds in his possession which will be left at my Office for your information if you should wish to peruse to them —

I am Sir your very Obedt Servant
/Signed/ Sutherland
Atty at Law

Madras 19th Novr 1805.

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr D. Neale Atty at Law
Dated and Received 19th November 1805 —

To the Sheriff of Madras —

Sir

It is represented to me that in the execution of process from the Supreme Court issued into Actions Namely the one wherein Hoornes Disney is Plaintiff and Venkata Naranapah is Defendant and the other wherein Manaly Mootiah is Plaintiff and Kitchammal and Mungatoy as Representatives of Canacaloor Kistnasawmy Naick are Defendants you have caused to be Seized certain houses which are situated as under mentioned (Viz.)

One House No 5 in General Mootiah Moodys Street —

One House No 15 in Telesinga Moodys Street —
One House No 64 in Mandeivelly Street and
One House No 234 in Lingah Chitty Street

I am instructed that all these houses belonged to Ringapah Naick at the time of his death and that the Bills of Sale of them all were in his Name and in his possession at the time of his death — that Canacaloor Kistnasawmy Naick was his only son and the Successor to his property — and that Mungatoy Ammall (on whose behalf I address you) was his only surviving Widow — and consequently that on the death of Kistnasawmy without Wife or Issue Mungatoy become the Successor to the estate — that Venkatanarranapah (whose property the Houses in General Mootiah Moodellys Street and Telesinga Moodellys Street are supposed to be) is the Son in law of Ringapah Naick and possessed himself of the Bills of Sale of the houses last Mentioned under colour of a will which has since been declared to have been frabricated — and that he has not and has not ever had any sort of title to or Interest in them —

I am also instructed that the House No 64 in

Mandeivelly

Mondeville Street was Mortgaged by Kistnasawmy Naick in his life time to Manaly Moottiah - and was the only House so Mortgaged - and that it is now Worth more than the Sum of the Judgement against the Representatives of Kistnasawmy -

You will therefore I doubt not see the propriety of Selling the House No. 64 in Mandeville Street and of ascertaining its sufficiency or deficiency for the purposes of the execution at the Suit of Manaly Moottiah before that you proceed to a Sale of the house No. 234 in Lingah Chitty's Street

But after the explanation hereby given I trust that you will not proceed to a Sale of any of the houses as the property of Venkatanarrapah by whom as I am informed not any title can be manifisted -

It must be needless to apprize you that if Venkatanarrapah had not any title in himself he had not any which he could transfer to another - Yet it would seem that the Seizure of the houses No. 5 in General Moottiah Street and No. 15 in Tilesinga Moottiah Street has been occasioned by some title deduced from Venkatanarrapah

I am Sir
your most Obed. Servt.
(Signed) D. Neale
Atty at Law.

Fort St. George
19th Novr. 1805

Mr. Disney

I have to Acknowledge the receipt of your Polite Note of the 7th Instt. wherein you threaten Mr. Oakes with an attachment if I do not settle my account in the Cause of S. Veniaga Moodeliar vers T. Venkatachellam and several other Executions in your Office and that you have ordered a list for the Judge on Monday. In reply thereto I must inform you that so far from owing you Money, you are considerably in my Debt as will more fully appear by the Accompanying Bills allowed me by the Court - When I say you are in my Debt I beg leave to refer you to the 44th Rule of Court (Fee side) wherein it is ordered that the Attorney shall be responsible to the Sheriff for his fees -

It may however be necessary to inform you that your Client in the Cause alluded to in your Note became the Purchaser of the Property seized at his Suit and has not to this day paid the Amount of Purchase neither settled the Sheriffs Fees or Poundage and it will be the (your Clients / I should presume, in all cases) to whom you would apply for payment of Costs and not to the Sheriffs Officer -

As you seem inclined to have Accounts arranged I trust you will Order the payment of the Accompanying Bills together with Mr. Sutherland Costs, or I must refer the Matter again to the Honble Sir Henry Gwillim who I make no doubt on Mr. Sutherlands again Applying will grant Attachments for the Same -

Yours &
(Signed) J. Blyth
9th Decr. 1805 -

Take Notice Moorat Saib
vers
Muttu Naicker and Aeroomuga Naicker

To
Talesingah Chitty

Take Notice that you immediately tender to my Office in Black Town the Deposite Money (deer for two Several lots of Ground purchased by you on the 5th Instant at Sheriffs Sale in the above Causes) Amounting to Star. 38.22.40 - Indefault of which the Premises will be resold and an Action at Law shall be Instituted against you for any loss that may arise thereon -

(Signed) J. Parker
Cater [illegible]

Sheriffs Office
Madras 10th Decr. 1805

Sake Moorat Saib
vers
Mooltee Naicker and Aurroomoga Naick

To
Varadapah Chitty

Take Notice that you immediately tender to my Office in Black Town the Deposite Money (due for a lot of Ground purchased by you on the 5th Instant at Sheriff's Sale in the above Cause) Amounting to Star Pagodas 41 — In Default of which the Premisses will be resold and an Action at Law shall be Instituted against you for any loss that may arise thereon

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10th Decr 1805

(Signed) J. Oakes
late Sheriff

Manaly Mootiah Moodeliar
vers
Kitchammall & Mungatoy the Personal Representatives of Cockaloore Kistnasawmy Naick Deceased

To Poalavarum Abaranjee Chitty

Take Notice that you immediately tender to my Office in Black Town the full Amount of the Purchase Money due for the Premisses purchased by you on the 25th Novr last at Sheriff's Sale in the above Cause Amounting to Star Pagodas 192. — In Default of which the Premisses will be resold, and an Action at Law shall be Instituted against you for any loss that may arise thereon

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10 Decr 1805

J. W. Miller
Sheriff
for J. Oaker
late Sheriff

Manaly Mootiah Moodelliar
vers
Kitchammall & Mongatoy the Personal Representatives of Cocklow Kistnasawmy Naick Deceased

To Sawmy Naick,

Take Notice that If you do not tender to my Office in Black Town the Purchase Money (due for a House & Boutiques purchased by you on the 9th Instant at Sheriff's Sale in the above Cause) by 4 O'Clock this Evening Amounting to Star Pagodas 805 — the Premises will be advertised in tomorrow News Paper to be resold and an Action at Law shall be Instituted against you for any loss that may arise thereon

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th December 1805

(Signed) J. Wm Miller
Sheriff

To the Chief Secretary
of Government
&c &c

Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of the Right Honble the Governor in Council, that after taking Charge of the Office of Shriff to which his Lordship has been pleased to elect me, that I took a Survey of the Goals, and found them in a very bad and insecure State, and in particular that in which the Debtors are Confined; — in so much that I am apprehensive of some of the Prisoners making their escape; and by virtue of my Office being held responsible for them, I have thought it incumbent on me to represent to His Lordship in Council, that from its present situation, and the great Number of Prisoners under Confinement

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. Gilbert Ricketts Attg. for Mr. H. H. Smith dated and received the 28th January 1805 —

In the Supreme Court Madras — Plea Side

Oliver Colt, Joseph Baker, Wm. Hart, Gilbert Geddes Richardson, Plaintiffs
and
Wm. Melville Gibson, David Inverarity, Wm. Bruce Jack & Jno. Smith, Defendants

To
William Miller Esqr.
Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I am desired by Mr. Harry Harmood Smith to give you Notice that the Several Goods Wares and Merchandizes Seized by you, as the Property of the Defendant William Melville Gibson, under and by Virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias issued in this Cause, are the joint and Undivided property, and compose the Stock in trade, of the said Defendant Gibson and Mr. Smith; I therefore on behalf of Mr. Smith have to acquaint you that he will not consent to the removal of any one of the Articles in the Shop; and that in the event of your proceeding in the intended Sale, it can only be of Mr. Gibsons undivided Moiety and Interest in the joint Stock, and should be Advertised as such — The papers necessary to establish Mr. Smiths Claim to a Moiety of the property Seized will be shewn to you, on an Application to myself, at any time you may wish to see them. —

I am,
Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Gilbt. Ricketts
Attg. for H. H. Smith

Fort S. George
28th January 1806

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras —

Colt, Baker, and others vers Gibson & others
Alexr. Stewart vers Gibson

To
Mr. James Sutherland

Sir —

The Sheriff having appointed you to act as his Special Bailiff for the purpose of Executing the Writs of Execution in this Cause (a true Copy of which is annexed to the Warrant granted to you) I am directed to request you will pay due Attention to the Authority so delegated to you —

You will observe in the first place to fix one or two of the accompanying Impressions of the Sheriffs Seal of Office on the the Premisses in which is lodged the goods of Mr. Willm. M. Gibson observing at the same time that one half share only of the Stock is the property of the said Gibson —

You will not on any Account close the Shop of Messrs. Gibson and Smith nor in any wise Intercept Mr. Smiths Servants from Attending to their Masters Interest nor prevent them from disposing of any of the property (before you will be able to devide the Stock) observing at the Same time to keep an Acct. of what may be sold and removed before such devision is final —

You will as soon as possible together with Mr. Smiths servants take an Inventory of the whole of the Stock, (transmitting to me a true Copy thereof) and make an equal Devision of the same — It would I think be necessary — and I strongly recommend it — to you to call in some disinterested Person to be present and Attend you on this occasion, which may in a great measure prevent any misunderstanding that might otherways take place —

As Mr. Smith is desirous to retain the Shop in which the Goods now are, it may be necessary in this Case to remove the Share of Mr. Gibsons property to some convenient and Safe house or Godown untill they Shall be Sold by Sheriff's Sale or otherwise disposed of of which due Notice will be given you —

Whatever further Instructions may be necessary I shall forward to you —

I am Sir
Your Obt. Servt.
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Depy. Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
30th Jany. 1806

to J. Sutherland Esqr.

William Abbott — Plt

Moortza Hussein Khan — Deft.

Sir

On application to Mr. Abbott for the Sheriffs Poundage due on a Writ of Capias ad Satisfaciendum, executed on the above Defendant the Plaintiff has refused to discharge the Amount I therefore request you will be pleased to prepare a Motion for Council to make the necessary application to the Court for the recovery thereof

The Bearer attends to make Affidavit (if required) of the Demand

I am informed Mr. Marsh is Council for the Plt

I remain
Sir
Yours very Obedt.

Madras
31st Jany 1806.

(Signed) J. W. Miller Sheriff

William Fairlee Allan Gilmore and others

vers

John Stewart

Messrs. Tulloh, Brodie, Halibierton & Co.

Gentlemen

It having been represented to me that a Sum or Sums of Money to the Amount of the Plaintiffs Demand in the above Cause being the Property of and belonging to the above named Defendant is now in your Possession, and as a Writ of Sequestration Issuing from the Supreme Court and now in my Office in the above Suit (which I send for your perusal) I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of that said Writ you are not on any account to pay over or otherways part with that Money which is now in your hands belonging to the said Defendant untill the further order of Court

I am
Gentlemen
Your very Obedt. H. Servt.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
31 Jany 1806.

(Signed) J. W. Miller Sheriff

To The Right Honble Lord George Stuart

My Lord

I am directed by Mr. Miller Sheriff of Madras to enclose you a Precept of a Summons directed to him from the Supreme Court of Judicature and beg you will be pleased to acknowledge the receipt thereof

I have the honor to be
My Lord
Your Lordships
Most Obedt. Humble Servant
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Under Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
1st Feby 1806.

Madras 5th Feby 1806

to Mr. J. B. Pender

Assistt. Surgeon 2d Battn. 7th Regt. N. I.
Nizams Suby Force Camp near Akola

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th Ulto. and to inform you in reply thereto that the day is not yet fixed for the ensuing Sessions, but that Public Notification will be given in the Government Gazette after which you will have Sufficient time to procede to the Presidency that is if you alude to the next Sessions, the first of the Present year closed on the 25th Ulto. and the next will in all probability commence in April next

I am
Sir
Your Obr. Servt.
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriff's Department

To George Buchan Esquire
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have to inform you that the enclosed Bill has been paid by me, For Bamboo Matts thought Necessary for the health of the Prisoners in His Majesty's Debtors Goal and which has always been Annually allowed if therefore it cannot be paid without the Consent of Government Should be glad of the Bill being presented for their approbation

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
7th Feby 1806

Alexander Robert Finlayson
Vers
Peter Alexander, Richard Alexander
and Samuel Britain

To
Miss.rs Peter Alexander Richard Alexander & Samuel Britain

Sirs

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you three Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am
Sirs
Your Obed.t Servant
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
11 February 1806.

Vejiah Rungan and Iyah Infants
Sons & Successors of Manaly Annasawmy
Moodeliar Deceased by Manaly Tombeapah
Moodelly their Next Friend
Vers
Paulem Yagapah Chitty & Mootiah Chitty

To
Talesinga Pillay Sir

It having been represented to me that some Monies & other Particulars of Property belonging to the above Named Defendants is now in your Possession, as Executors of the Will of Moonea Pillay Deceased and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit, I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of that said Writ that you are not on any Account to pay over any Monies or Debts or otherwise part with any of the Property which is now in your hands belonging to the said Defendants Untill the further order of Court

I am,
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th Feby 1806

The same as above were sent to Pondicherry Mootusawmy Pillay and Pummel Soobbaray Mod.r the other Exec.rs of Mooneapillah Deceased

The same to Annasawmy Pillah and Miss.rs Coll: Baker: Hart & Co.

Mr. Sutherland

Madras 2nd March 1806

Sir,

On the 30th Ult.o I addressed a letter to you Instructing you how to act in the division of the property in the Shop of the Firm of Gibson & Smith and therein requested you to transmit me a copy of the list of the articles so divided so soon as you should have done so — I am much surprised at not having heard from you on this subject the more so as a great charge was officially committed to your care — I beg you will Immediately on receipt of this transmit me a list of Articles seized by you and inform me what you have done with them — I am
Sir
Yours Obd.ty
(Signed) T. Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Townes Disney
vers
Veeratanaranapah Naick

Sir

If you will inform me the amount of your Clients claim as Mortgage of the Premises sold under Execution in this Cause — together with Interest &c &c I will pay the Amount from the Proceeds of Sale before I hand the levy to the Plaintiff

I am Sir
your most Obed. Servt.
(Signed) Thos Blyth
D. Sheriff

9th March
1806.

Poonjary Conary Chitty
vers
Virava Chitty

to Mr D. Neale

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr Townes Disney Atty for Veerapah Chitty to Stop the Sale in the above Cause I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale should Proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am Sir
your Obedt. Servt
(Signed) J. Wm Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
12th March 1806

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr T. Disney Atty for Veerapah Chitty dated and Received 11th March 1806—

Supreme Court
Rea Side.

Poonjary Conary Chitty
vers
Virava Chitty

Wm Miller Esqr
Sheriff

Sir

Take Notice that the House and Ground Situated in Mootalepettah No 75 Lingah Chitty's Street Seized by you as Sheriff under and by Virtue of a Writ of Execution which Issued in this Cause and advertized for Sale on the 19th Inst. is not the Property of the above named Defendant but is the true and Lawfull property of Veerapah Chitty the Legal Owner thereof who has instructed me to give you this Notice Veerapah Chitty is living in the House

I hereby therefore Caution you against proceeding contrary hereto at your Peril

I am Sir
your &c
(Signed) Townes Disney
Atty for Veerapah Chitty

Fort St George
11th March 1806.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) J. Wm Miller
Sheriff

To Mr James Sutherland in charge of the Goods Seized by the Sheriff at Trichinopoly

Sir

Mr Thomas Jones of this place having purchased the whole of the articles Seized by the Sheriff as the Property of the late Mr Gibson and now in your Charge, I request you will immediately deliver over the whole (on the Gentlemen applying to you to do so) agreeable to the list you have sent to the Sheriff, have the goodness to let me know what charges you may have for your Attendance in this Matter

I am Sir
your &c &c
Servt (Signed) Thos Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 12 March 1806

Colt and others & Alex^r Stewart
vers
William Melville Gibson

The Sheriff request Immediate payment of the Accompanying Bill

Sheriff's Office
Madras
17th March 1806

(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Fownes Disney
vers
Vencatanarnapah Naick

Mr Disney Sir

The Sheriff has repeatedly informed you that he has not the smallest objection to pay you the Amount levied in this Cause so soon as he can ascertain the Amount due from the proceeds of Sale to the Mortgagee

this you have yourself assented to and promised to give me the Necessary Information you cannot be unacquainted that the Sheriff is bound to pay the Amount of Mortgage Prior to his handing over the Levy on the Execution after which the Plaintiff knows (and not till then) for what sum he can Issue out a Ca Sa

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th March 1806

Jam Sir
Your Obed^t Servt
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Deptg Sheriff

Sheriff's Department

To Major F. Thompson
Town Major
Fort S. George

Sir

Be pleased to direct a Guard as Usual to attend at the Felons Goal at day light on Saturday Morning Next to Escort a Convict from thence to the Place of Execution

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th April 1806

Jam, Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sawmy
vers
James Cathcart

To Major James Cathcart
at Ganjam

Sir

Jam directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to acknowledge the Receipt thereof

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th Apl 1806

Jam, Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Under Sheriff

The answer of this Rec^d on the 12th May 1806 - dated Ganjam Apl 29th 1806

Teroocaulatty Chettyar
vers
Shevacaumy

To Mr Daniel Neale

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr Wm Light to Stop the Sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale should proceed as in that case it will be Necessary to furnish me

with

with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

Sheriffs Office
Madras
22d April 1806

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) J. Wm Miller Sheriff

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr William Light dated & Received 25 April 1806 –

To
James William Miller Esqr.

Sir

On the part of Arny Callany I beg leave to give you Notice not to sell the Premises situated in Mootall Pettah No. 24 Lyapoo Chitty Street as the same is not the property Shevacaumy but of the said Arny Callany as appears by a Bill of Sale a translation whereof is herewith sent – I am

Sir
Your Most Obedt. Sr.
(Signed) Wm Light

25 April
1806 –

Know all Men by these Presents that I Arany Saubaupetty of Madras Inhabitant in Consideration of Arney Callaney of the same place Inhabitant, have paid me in hand the Sum of Two hundred and Sixty four Star Pagodas Current Money of Madras, I Arany Saubaupetty have bargained and Sold and made over to the said Aranany Callaney my house and Ground before the Witnesses to her and her heirs forever Witness my hand this 13th day of November 1805

Witnesses
(Signed) Teerocullaly Chitty
Veneatakistna Pillay

(Signed) Saubaupetty

John Shamier
Philip Jacob Pettoom

To Messrs. Sarquis Satur and Kiracose Arathoon
Executors of the Will of Jacob Pettum Deceased

Gentlemen,

It having been represented to me that some Monies and other Particulars of Property belonging to the above Named Defendant is now in your Possession as Executors of the Will of Jacob Pettoom Deceased and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit, – I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of that said Writ that you are not on any Account to pay over any Monies or Debts or otherwise part with any of the Property which is now in your hands belonging to the said Defendant untill the further order of Court

I am
Gentlemen
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
25 April 1806

The same as above were ~~sent~~ wrote to Mr. Kiracose
WJ Sintoshie Served the above letters the 25 Apl. Kiracose Personally & the other left

J. Goldie Esqre

Sir

The bearer hereof Gooverapah was tried at the late Quarter Session for an Officer best Acquitted on the Ground of Insanity. Sir Henry Gwilliam expressed an Anxious wish that the Poor Man should be taken care of and recommended to have him sent to you to be examined, and that if you should find his Intituits so Inspaired as to be an object recomendation to the Hospital he doubted not but the Poor man would be admitted Will you therefore be pleased to have him examined any communication you may be pleased to make, Sir Henry Gwillim will be happy to

I have the honor to be Sir
Yours. T. B.

24th April

Robert Dennison
vers
Pareyatomby

To Mr J Sutherland
Plaintiffs Atty

Sir Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr Townes Disney to Stop the Sale in the above Cause I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale Should Proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Suffecient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am Sir
your Obedt Servant
(Signed) J Wm Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 26th April 1806

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr Townes Disney dated 25th & Received 26th April 1806

Plea Side

Robert Dennison
vers
Pareatomby

Wm Miller Esqr
Sheriff

Sir

Take notice that the Upper roomed House and Ground No 5 in Meerah Labbay Street and a Small House and Ground No 13 Situated in Kistnasawmy Pagoda Street Seized and Advertized by you as Sheriff for sale on Monday the 28th and on Tuesday the 29th Instant under and by virtue of a Writ of Execution which issued in this Cause were mortgaged respectively for the Principal Sum of 1800 Star Pagodas by the above Named Defendant to Sadarangapatnam Vencataroy Moodelly on whose behalf I am instructed to give you this Notice

And I am further desired to inform you that the aforesaid sum with interest thereon still remains unpaid and due to the said S. Vencataroy Moody who hath left with me the Title Deeds of the said Premises to produce to you when required and also the Mortgage Bonds

I am
Sir
Yours &a
(Signed) Townes Disney

Fort S. George
25th April 1806

(A true Copy)

(Signed) J Wm Miller
Shiriff

J. Goldie Esqr.

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Sheriff

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(Signed) Townes Disney

Fort St. George
25th. April 1806

(A true Copy)
(Signed) J. Wm. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Department

To
George Buchan Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint your for the information of the Right Honble the Governor in Council, that Six Convicts are in the Felons Goal of Madras under Sentence of Transportation to Prince of Wales's Island and having received information that a Ship will shortly Sail for Penang, I beg leave to Apply to his Lordship in Council that a Passage may be procured for the purpose of having the Sentence carried into Execution

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) J. Wm. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
28th April 1806

Poonjary Conary Chittyar
vers
Virava Chitty

To Wottey Teagapah Chitty
Sir

Take notice that you immediately tender to my office in Black Town the Purchase Money due for the House and Ground you bought on the 19th March 1806 at Sheriffs Sale in the above Cause Amounting to Pagodas 553 — Indefault of which the Premises will be resold & an Action at Law Shall be instituted against you for any loss that may arise thereon —

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servant
(Signed) J. Wm. Miller Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
5th May 1806 —

To Captn. J. Prendergast
Deputy Mely Auditor General
Sir

A Writ of Sequestration having come into my Office against the Property of Mr. John Burden and it having been represented to me that a Bill Amounting to Star Pagodas One Thousand and Ninety two, forty fanams, and Twenty Cash (1092-40.20.) for Articles furnished to the Mess of the Madras Fencibles is in your hands, I beg you will be pleased to Order the Amount to be paid to my Office under and by Virtue of the said Writ of Sequestration —

I am,
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
7th May 1806

Copy of a Letter from Major James Cathcart dated Ganjam April 29th 1806.
In the Cause Sawmy vers J. Cathcart

Sir

I have to Acknowledge the receipt of yours dated the 19th Instt. being above seven hundred Miles from Madras, find it impossible to Attend to the contents of your letter upon so short Notice, which I trust will plead a Sufficient excuse from

Sir
Your Humble Servt.
(Signed) J. Cathcart

Thomas Blyth Esqr.

Sheriffs Department

To
George Buchan Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to acquaint your for the information of the Right Honble the Governor in Council, that Sea Convicts are in the Felons Goal of Madras under Sentence of Transportation to Prince of Wales's Island and having received information that a Ship will shortly Sail for Penang, I beg leave to Apply to his Lordship in Council that a Passage may be procured for the purpose of having the Sentence carried into Execution

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Thomas Blyth Esqr.

To Captn. J. Prendergast
Deputy Mely Auditor General

John Tullah & others
vers
John Burden

Sir

It having been represented to me that a Sum of Money Amounting to Pgs. 1092. fs. 40. Ch. 20 belonging to the above named Defendant (for Articles furnished by him to the Miss of the Madras Tenebles as ye Bill sent to you) is now in your Possession, and as Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit — I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of the said Writ that you are not on any Account to pay over or otherwise part with the above mentioned Sum or any part thereof which is now in your hands belonging to the said Defendant untill the further Order of the Supreme Court —

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
15th May 1806

Sheriff's Department

To George Buchan Esquire
Chief Secy. to Government
Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that the enclosed Bill for Lanthorns and Padlocks for the purpose of Lighting and Securing the Prisoners in His Majesty's Debtors Goal were Purchased and paid for by me. Should an Application to the Right Honble the Governor in Council be necessary I shall be obliged by your presenting the Bill for the Approbation of his Lordship in Council. —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
21st May 1806

The Honble Company — Dr.

To Sundry Articles Purchased for the Use of His Majesty's Debtors Goal

To Cash paid for 4 Wall Lanthorns	4	" "
To Do. for 1 Hand Do.		25.40
To Do. for 3 Double Padlocks	1	" "
Pags.	5.	25.40

Five Pagodas twenty five
fanx. & forty Cash
Crs. Cdr. (Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
16th May 1806

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Dated 23d. May 1806 —

Read the following Letter from the Sheriff of Madras —
Here enter Ao.

Resolved that the above Bill for Articles purchased for the Use of His Mys Debtors Goal be Countersigned & returned to the Sheriff of Madras Amounting to Pagodas 5. 25. 40 — (A true Extract)

(Signed) G. G. Keble
Secy. to Govt.

Exd.
W. Tydenham
To the Sheriff of Madras

Panyore Lingah Paulsapah Moodr.
vers
Maidavoyel Parasooraman

To Cayerambadoo Seeala Moodelly

Take Notice that you immediately tender to my Office in Black Town the Purchase Money due for the House & Ground you bought on the 13th day of May 1806 at Sheriffs Sale in the above Cause Amounting to Pagodas 180 — Indefault of which the Premises will be resold and an Action at Law Shall be instituted against you for any loss that may Arise thereon &c.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
27th May 1806

(Signed)

Pallecondah Chitty
vers
Annausawmy Iyangar & Sawmy Pillay

To Mr. Wm. Light
Atty for Plts —
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. Disney Attorney for Colandy pillay (in his Absence) Mr. J. Sutherland to Stop the sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale Should Proceed as in that case it will be Necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or deposit in Cash Sufficient to cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
3d June 1806

I am
Sir
your Obedt. Servant
(Signed) Js. Wm. Miller
Sheriff

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. Disney Atty for Colandy pillay (in his Absence) Mr. J. Sutherland dated 35th May & Recd. 2d June 1806 —

Pallecondah Chitty
vers
Annasawmy Eyangar and Sawmy Pillay

Plea Side)

Wm. Miller Esqre.
High Sheriff
Sir

Take Notice, I am instructed by Colandy Pillay the Adopted son & personal representative of Comara pillay deced. that you have in consequence of a Writt of Execution having issued from the Supreme Court against the Property of the Defendants in the above Cause, Seized by Mistake a Certain House and Ground situated at the Blacktown in Verda Motten Street No. 163 the Property of my Client Colandy Pillay, and that you have Advertized the same for Sale on Monday the 2d June ensuing —

As my Client can whenever required, prove his indisputable right to that property I trust you will on the immediate receipt of this Notice take your Seals off the same or you may proceed in the sale thereof.

Port St. George
35th May 1806

I am
Sir
your Most Obedt. H. Servt.
(Signed) For Mr. Disney Atty for Colandy pillay (in His Absence)
J. Sutherland
Atty at Law

(A true Copy)

(Signed) Js. Wm. Miller
Sheriff

Panyore Lingah Paulsapah Mood.
vers
Maidavoyel Parasooraman

To Cayerambadoo Seeala Moodelly

Take Notice that you immediately tender to my Office in Black Town the Purchase Money due for the House & Ground you bought on the 13th day of May 1806 at Sheriffs Sale in the above Cause Amounting to Pagodas 180 — Indefault of which the Premises will be resold and an Action at Law Shall be instituted against you for any loss that may Arise thereon —

Sheriffs Office
Madras
27th May 1806

(Signed)

Pallecondah Chitty
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Sheriffs Office
Madras
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I am
Sir
your Most Obedt. H. Servt.
(Signed) For Mr. Disney Atty for Colandy pillay (in His Absence)
J. Sutherland
Atty at Law

(A true Copy)

(Signed) J. Wm. Miller
Sheriff

To

Mr. J. Reilly

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to inform you that in consequence of the repeated complaints made to him by the Peons of the Goal of the many Acts of violence committed by you on them when in the execution of the Duties of their Office that he has determined on referring the Matter to the Honble Sir Henry Gwillim that he may know how to Act against you on the complaints so made being proved on Investigation.

I am

Sir

Your Obedient Servant

(Signed) Thos. Blyth

under Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
4th June 1806

Sir

Annexed is a Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr. Neale - please inform me if you have any Instructions to give me in this Matter I think it necessary to inform you that in consequence of the notice having been repeated (which I send Accompanying) I have removed the Sheriffs Seal of Office from the property Seized.

I am

Sir

Your Most Obedt. Servt.

(Signed) Thos. Blyth

Deptly Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 9th June
1806

James Sutherland Esqr.

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. D. Neale Attorney for Messrs. Kenworthy James Balfour and Thomas Parry - Trustees for the Affairs of the late Firm of Chase & Co. dated & recd. 7th June 1806.

Vencata Narrain Chitty
Agt.
John Chinnery

J. W. Miller Esqre.
Sheriff of Madras
His Deputy
or whom else it may concern

Sir

You will hereby be pleased to take Notice that the Furniture and Fixtures and other things seized by you under a Writ of Sequestration issued in this Cause in and upon the Garden House and Premises formerly Occupied by the Above Named Defendant and late in the possession of His Excellency Sir Edward Pellew were on or about the 19th Day of September last past (among other things) duly Assigned over by the said Defendant John Chinnery to Messrs. John Kenworthy, James Balfour and Thomas Parry in Trust for themselves and the other Creditors of the late Firm of Chase Chinnery McDouall and Co. of Madras Merchants and Copartners - And you will hereby further take Notice that from the time of such Assignment as aforesaid of the said Furniture Fixtures and other things by the said Defendant to the said John Kenworthy James Balfour and Thomas Parry up to the day of the date hereof the same have either been in their immediate possession and Charge or lett by them (together with the before mentioned Garden House and Premises wherein they now are) at a certain Monthly rent to the Government of Fort Saint George for the use and Occupancy of the said Sir Edward Pellew I therefore on behalf of the said John Kenworthy James Balfour and Thomas Parry Caution you against interfering in any manner with the said Furniture Fixtures and other things or any part thereof - and hereby require that you forthwith remove your Seals from the said Property - In default of which they will without delay commence an Action of Trespass against you in the Supreme Court for

Obtaining

Obtaining legal redress Dated this 7th day of June 1806

I am
your humble Servt.
(Signed) D Neale
Attorney for Messrs. John Kenworthy, James Balfour & Thomas Parry Trustees for the Affairs of the late Firm of Chase &c.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Deptg Sheriff

Pallecondah Chetty
vers
Annaus acomy Iyengaur & another

Wm. Light Esqr.
Sir

In reply to your letter of the 6th Instant relative to the Securitys offered on behalf of the Plaintiff in this Cause - I beg to say your Client has misinformed you; my reason for refusing the security tendered by him is the insufficiency and not as you state in your letter, because they are unknown to my Writer Altho it may be necessary some one in my Office should know them

The Notice I have received to Stop the sale of the Premises Seized in this Cause is such as to induce me to be very cautious how I proceed I beg therefore that you will be pleased to Instruct your Client to furnish good and Sufficient security, if it is his Intention that the sale should take place, otherwise I must return the Writ Nulla Bona

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) J. Wm. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
9th June 1806

Beemah Beeby & Adam Saib Personal Repres.
of Maulmeyar Mastry Deceased
vers
Uppoo Meerah Son & Personal Representative of
Cuppana Meerah Woosam Mastry Deceased

To Caujee Mydeen Ahomed Cawn

Take Notice that you immediately tender to my Office in Black Town the Purchase Money due for the House & Ground you bought on the 3d Instant at Sheriff's Sale in the above Cause - Amounting to Pag. 652. - Indefault of which the Premises will be resold and an Action at Law shall be instituted against you for any loss that may arise thereon

(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 10th June 1806

Trevingadum

I am directed by the Sheriff to inform you that your Attendance is no longer required in the Sheriffs Office and that you are from this day considered as discharged from the said Office

(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Deptg Sheriff

Madras
11th June 1806.

Madras 20th June 1806.

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to Acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th Instant and to inform you that the Glass you allude is in the Auction room of Wm Burden and will be delivered to your order - whatever Articles Wm Burden has sold can only be Accounted for by himself the Sheriff having no Authority invested in him to arrange any part of Wm Burdens affairs - I think it necessary to inform you that Wm B has returned to Madras an application to him would in all probability secure to you the payment of the Articles Sold

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) Tho Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Capt Taynton

Vardan Caspar
vers
Philip Marcar Cherinan
and
David Marcar Cherinan

To
Mr John Shamier
Surviving Executor of the Will of Johannes
Manoel Cherinan Deceased

Sir

It having been Represented to me that some Monies and other Particulars of Property belonging to the above Named Defendant is now in your Possession as Surviving Executor of the Will of Johannes Monoel Cherinan deceased and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of that said Writ that you are not on any account to pay over any of the Monies or Debts or otherwise part with any Property which is now in your hands belonging to the said Defendants untill the further Order of Court

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20 June 1806

Entered and Served Personally

Bernah Beeby & Adam said Personal
Representatives of Maulmeyar Mosby Deceased
vppos Murad Ton 2pc Exp. of Cuppoy Murad Noorani
Mosby Dr

To Caujee Mydeen Ahomed Lawon

Take Notice that you immediately
tender to my Office in Black Town the Purchase Money due for the
House Ground You bought on the 3d Instant at Sheriff's Sale in the
above Cause Amounting to Pgs 652 - together with Interest due
thereon, - In default of which I shall this day give Instructions
to my Attorny to commence an Action at Law against You for
the Recovery thereof

(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
23d June 1806

To B. Hurdis Esqr

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to request you will be
pleased to Return to the bearer the List of the Grand Jury detained by you
some days ago.

I am Sir
your most Obedient Servant
Tho Blyth
Dep Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
28th June 1806

Madras 20th June 1806.

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 4th Instant and to inform you that the Glass you allude is in the Auction room of Wm Borden and will be delivered to your order - whatever Articles Wm Borden has sold can only be accounted for by himself the Sheriff having no Authority invested in him to arrange any part of Wm Bordens affairs - I think it necessary to inform you that Wm B has returned to Madras an Application to him would in all probability secure to you the payment of the Articles Sold

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vers
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I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20 June 1806

Sworn before me Personally

Bermiah Beeby & Adam saib Personal
Representatives of Mailmeyar Marky Deceased
Uppoo Murat Son & Pr Rep. of Luppana Murah Noorana
Marky Dr

To Caujee Mydeen Ahmed Lavan

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Sheriff

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Tho Blyth
Dep Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
28th June 1806

Sheriffs Office ½ past 6 P.M. Monday
7th July 1806.

To the Printers of the Government Gazette

Sir

I am this Moment favoured with your reply to my letter of this day and am not a little surprised you should at this late period (almost at the Meeting of the Sessions) recollect that paper is wanted for the Calenders) I beg therefore you will return me by the bearer the Copy I sent you on Friday last and the one this Morning that I may be enabled to have it Printed elsewhere one thing Sir permit me to observe to you that the expence attending Printing Calenders for the use of the Honble the Supreme Court must be borne by Government and the one now in question will of course be submitted to the Secretary

I am Sir
your Most Obedt
Servt (Signed) Tho.s Blyth
Dep.ty Sheriff

To
Edward Croft Greenway Esqr.
Secy to Govt. in the Judicial Dept.
Fort St George

Sir

I beg you will be pleased to Grant a Pasport to the bearer here of Samuel Barnes to proceed to Masulipatam for the purpose of executing Process from the Supreme Court of Judicature on an Europe residing at that Place -

I am Sir
your Most Obedt Servt.
(Signed) J.s Wm.y Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
8th July 1806

David Newall
Vers
William Betty

Col Dickens at Wallajahbad

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to inclose you Copy of a Subpena from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to acknowledge the receipt thereof

I am Sir,
your obedient Servant
(Signed) Tho.s Blyth
under Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
12th July 1806

also to Col. Aldwell Taylor at Masulipatam
Capt.n James Conran of the 22d Dragoons at Seria
& Serj.t — Gaynor of the 20th Reg.t of N. I. at Trichinopoly

1806 July 16th sent another Letter to Lt.t Col.t R. M Deckens at Gooty -
18th Sent one Letter to Lieut. Col.t Strange Commanding Royapottah
Aug.t 1st Do. to Major James Leith Vellore.

James Poirs
Vers
William Gibbings Lockyer

To Serj.t Wm G. Lockyer
His Majy 34th Regt

I am directed by the Sheriff to inclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt

Thos Blyth
Dep.ty Sheriff

Receipt
Sheriffs Office
Madras 26th July
1806

Greegory Sam
vers
Philip Marcar Cheriman

To
Wm John Shamier

Surv. Exr. of the will of Johannes Marcar Cheriman Deceased

Sir

It having been represented to me that some Monies and other Particulars of Property belonging to the above Named Defendant is now in your Possession as Surviving Executor of the will of Johannes Marcar Cheriman deceased and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit. I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of that said Writ that you are not on any account to pay any Monies or Debts or otherways part with any of the property which is now in your hands belonging to the said Defendant in untill the further Order of the Court.

I am Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
J W Miller Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
11th August 1806

Served Personally by H J Sintoskie on the 12th August 1806

[illegible] may be belonging or forthcoming to or for the [illegible] Defendant by way of Legacy, Residuary Bequest or otherwise

Madras 14th August 1806

Wm Louis
Dear Sir

Permit me to beg you will have the enclosed sent as Addressed

perhaps you may hear of Wm Barnes by enquiring at Raunee Narrain Huldars or Caunecole Raunee Ayuts of Sessoonan Baboo

I beg you to pardon the trouble I give you

I am
Dear Sir
Yours very Obedt.
Signed Thos Blyth

enclosed in the foregoing a Letter with the Warrant of Commitment with an order of [illegible] Hereto the Lauree Sessoonan Baboo [illegible] Alexander [illegible] addressed to Samuel Barnes

Poonjary Conary Chitty
vers
Virava Chitty

James Sutherland Esqr.

Sir

The above named Plaintiff in a Writ of Fi - Fa - pointed out Premises to be Sold, of which I had Notice to Stop, Indemnity was given me Jointly with the Plaintiff by Pindejerry Vencatakistnama Chitty and Moottucaura Vencatachella Chitty on which the Premises were sold and purchased by One Wotta Teazapah Chitty the bearer hereof, who paid me the Amount Pagodas 553 as the Purchaser cannot have possession of the Premises, Sir Thomas Strange has directed the money to be restored to him the Plaintiff is in Goal and I have my remedy against the Security only before named I request you will demand from them the amount and in default of non payment to file a Bill Immediately against them

I am

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th August 1806

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) Js Wm Miller Sheriff

Razoonaud Doss Geereedara Doss
vers
Latchmy Boye Widow and Jaga Jeevana Doss son & Heir & Pl representatives of Streemunt Gocul Doss Moorly Doss Decd

To
Catta Vallaboo Doss
Sir

It is represented to me that Sundry Jewels and other Particulars of Property belonging to the above Named Defendts is now in your Possession and as a Writ of Execution is now in my Office in the above Suit, I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of that said Writ to me Directed that all such Jewels and other particulars of Property in your possession belonging to the aforesaid Defendants is Seized, together with the Title Deeds of a Certain house and Ground Situated in Yagambaraswara Pagoda Street.

You are therefore hereby required Immediately to deliver the said Jewels, Title Deeds &a to me.

The Bearer hereof my Peon has authority to receive the same.

I am Sir
your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
D J Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
21st August 1806

Parasoorawmah Pillay & Streenevasa Pillay the Sons & Ambanjee Amah the Widow & Pl Repres of Mooneya Pillay Deceased & Pl Mootoosawmy Pillay & Pl Soobaroy Mood.yr Actg Executors of the last will and Testament of the said Deceased —
vers
Iyah Pillay & Appausawmy Pillay the Brothers and Namasevoya Pillay & Soobaroy Pillay the sons & Pl Repres of Annasawmy Pillay Deceased

To
Sadras Venaiga Moodelly

Take Notice that you immediately tender to my Office in Black Town the Purchase Money due for the Emerald Mooraogoo You bought on the 9th Instant at Sheriffs Sale in the above Cause Amounting to Pags 133-17-5 — Indefault of which the Jewels will be resold and an Action at Law Shall be instituted against you for any loss that may arise thereon

(Signed) Js Wm Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
22d August 1806

The same as above sent to Sadras Venaiaroy Moodelly for Diamond Ring bought at Sheriffs Sale for Ps 220 — in the above Cause

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. D. Neale Atty at Law dated 21st & Rec. 22d August 1806

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

The Bankshaul and ground which by a Mortgage Bond in the Gentoo Language dated the Twenty fourth day of June 1804 (and of a Translation whereof a Copy is hereunder furnished) are expressed to be charged in favour of Baupanapully Raumy Chitty for Securing 200 Pagodas and interest at 12 per Cent have been (as I am instructed) Seized by you by Virtue of a Writ of Sequestration issued from the Supreme Court in a Cause wherein Vencatasha Chitty is the Plaintiff - and one Shasan and the Mortgagor Naughy Chitty (by the Name of Nagaloo) are Defendants

By the desire of Baupanapully Raumy Chitty I therefore acquaint you hereby with his title as Mortgagee to the Bankshaul and ground Comprised by the Mortgage Bond above Mentioned

Fort St George
21st August 1806

I am Sir
your Obedt Servant
D Neale
Atty At Law

(Copy)

Translation of a Mortgage Bond Dated Jasta Bahoola Tudea or 14th Auny of Ractautchy year answering to anno Domini 24th June 1804

I Praurarty Naughy Chitty do give this Mortgage Bond to Baupanapully Raumy Chitty that is to say

I have Mortgaged to you my Pantasaula or Bankshal situated at Mootteaula Pata on the Sea Side in the 3d Number South to the Bankshal of Chinny Vengana Chitty and North to the Bankshal of Pabby Chitty Paupiah (lying in the Middle of these) and the one fourth part of the open place I am intitled in the Street of the Bankshal together with the grant obtained in my name on the 5th December 1802 and borrowed in ready Cash the Sum of (200) two hundred Madras Pagodas which Sum I do hereby engage to repay you

you on demand with all such Interest as shall or may become due thereon at the rate of 12 ⅞ Cent 7 annum after having deducting the rent of the Bankshall Mortgaged to you which might be received thro your means and take back the Grant Mortgaged Indefault of paying you on demand you are hereby empowered to prosecute in the Recorders Court and recover with Court Charges by Shelling the Bankshal Mortgaged at Outcry - If there should appear any Balance after having deducted the amount Sale I am to pay it should therebe any Overplus I am to receive it Witnesses Codoory Chalama Chitty and Cotta Naurappa Chitty by their Knowledge this Mortgage Bond was drawn by Chemacooty Gooroppa Chitty -

(Signed) Naughy Chitty

Witnesses Signed
Codoory Chalama Chitty
Cotta Naurappa Chitty

A true translation as near as can be from the Gentoo Language - (True Copy)
(A true Copy)
(Signed) D Neale
(Signed) J Wm Miller
Sheriff

To
Ragoonaud Doss Gheredara Doss Plaintiff
Latchmy Boye and Jaga Jeevana Doss Defendants
and all other Persons Concerned

Gentlemen

You are hereby requested to Attend my Office Immediately for the purpose of Inspecting the two baggs said to Contain Jewels - that I may be enabled to particularize the same in the Advertisement for tomorrows News Paper -

I am
Gentlemen
Yours Obedt Servt
(Signed) J Wm Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
26th August 1806

Madras 26th August 1806

Mr L. Barnes

Sir

I have this moment received your letter under cover of one from Mr N Lewis to which Gentleman I am extremly obliged by his Kindness

I shall immediately write the Plaintiff in the cause on which you are now detained and request him to do what may be needfull in respect to the return of the writ being to expire in a few days it is of no consequence as you are justified in putting it in force even after such return it being only an order of Court I shall however (In order to prevent any unpleasant occurrence which might happen should you make a Caption before the return) have an Application made to Court tomorrow - to extend the return for one Month - I shall write you again tomorrow or Thursday at Utmost as also to Mr Louis unto whom I beg my Kind Compliment

Yours very Obedt
(Signed) Thos Blyth
D J Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 26 Augt 1806

P: S: C: Mackenzie vers Alexr is all settled long ago

W.B.

Poonjary Conary Chittyar
vers
Viravu Chitty

James Sutherland Esqr

Sir

The Bearer Wotte Teagapah Chitty was the Purchaser of the Property Sold under a Writ of Fi: Fa: in the above Cause & on which I addressed you on the 19th Ulto - I request you will demand from the Securities the repayment of the Purchase Money agreeably to the directions of Sir Thomas Strange and in failure of Payment to file a Bill against them for the recovery of the Amount without further delay

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) J W Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
26th August 1806

Joseph P. Drinkwater
vers
Nazar Jacob Shamier

James Sutherland Esqr
Attyat Law

Sir

Herewith I send you Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr Rot Orme on the Subject of the Seizure of the Garden pointed out by Mr Sherman in the above Cause - I beg your Immediate Instructions how I am to Act and to be

informed

informed if my Seals are to be removed

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
27th August 1806

(Copy)

Supreme Court
Plea Side

J. P. Drinkwater
vers
Nazar Jacob Shamier

J. W. Miller Esqr.
Sheriff &c.
Sir

I am desired by Mr. John Shamier the Acting Executor under the Will of the late Mr. Shamier Sultaner to give you notice that the House and Premises seized by you in this Cause under a Writ of Sequestration are not the Property of the Defendant but belong to the Estate of the late Mr. Shamier Sultaner of which you can be Satisfied by reference to the Title Deeds now in the Possession of the Acting Executor. I am therefore desired to require you to remove your Seals without delay

Yours Obedty
(Signed) Rt. Orme
Atty for Mr John Shamier

Fort S. George
26 August 1806

(A True Copy)

(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Arcott Chengleroy Chittyar
vers
Shunmogaroy Pillay the Brother
Latchmy Ummah and Cooppoo Ummah
Wos &c. Repres. of T. Vijiarangava Pillay
Deceased

Forones Disney Esqr.
Atty at Law
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. D. Neale Atty for A Narrain Chitty to Stop the Sales of a House and Ground and a Small Piece of Ground Opposite to the said House Situated Lying and being in Solly Street and also another Piece of Ground Lying in the 3d. Street of Mr. Jourdans Garden being part of the Premises Seized and Advertised for Sale in the above Cause.

I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale of these House & Grounds so Alluded to in Mr. Neals Notice should take Place as in that case it will be Necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
28th August 1806

T. O

In the Supreme Court
Plea Side

Arcot Chengleroy Chittyar
vers
P. Shunmoogaroy Pillay
Latchoomal and Cooppammal representatives
of T Vijiarangava Pillay deceased.

To the Sheriff of
Madras

Sir

I furnish to you herewith a Copy of a mortgage bond (as translated) made by Cooppammall One of the Defendants above named to A. Narraina Chitty in Order that you may be acquainted with his interest, to the extent of the principal money and interest payable to him, in the house and Grounds which are in this instrument described.

It is represented to me that the principal Sum of Eight hundred pagodas for which the property of the late Vijiarangava Pillay is by thes instruments charged is the Sum of moneys lent by A. Narrain Chitty to Cooppammal for defraying the expences of her Journey to madras in Order to the performance by her of the Ceremonies for her late Husband Vijiarangava and for enabling her to perform those Ceremonies

And that by means of thes loan the Ceremonies for her late Husband were [redacted] performed by her only —

The title deeds are now in the possession of Narrain Chitty and the whole Sum of principal and all interest accrued, are due upon the Bond

I am Sir
your obedient Servant
D Neale
atty for A. Narrain Chitty

Fort S. George
26th August 1806

Translation of a mortgage bond dated 14th January 1806 —

I Cooppamma wife of Teroovore Vejerangava Pillay do give this mortgage Bond to Addanky Narrain Chitty that is to say.

In Consequence of my urgent Occasion I have this day mortgaged to you the Title deeds of the dwelling House of Vejiarangava Pillay Situated at Peddo Naicks Pata in Sauly Street bearing No 73 South to the House of Mr Dighton Raumiah and north to the House of Voottaramallore Maumoo Pillay lying in the middle of these) the length and breadth Consisting 1 3/4 pieces of Ground the Estimation of which and the building &a thereon is pags 1000 and of the Ground Situated apposite to the said House measuring from East to West 120 feet and from North to South 120 feet the Estimation of which is pags 150 as well as of 3/4 piece of Ground Situated at the Grow called Condetopoo in the third Street of Jourdan North to the House of Madavoyel Parasooraumao Moodellear and South to the House of yetty Vencatasha Beemoo (lying in the middle of these) the Estimation of which is pagodas 90 In all Estimation pags 1240 and borrowed and received of you the Sum of (800) Eight hundred Star Pagodas Current money of Madras which Sum I do hereby engage to repay in the Space of Six months commencing from the date hereof with all such Interest as shall or may become due thereon at the rate of 12 ⅌ Cent ⅌ Annum and take back my bond In default of which you are hereby empowerred to dispose at Outcry the whole of the premises mortgaged to you and recover thees I have Voluntarily given this mortgage Bond —

(Marked) Cooppamma

A true Translation as near as Can be from the Gentoo language
Runganaudom
Interpreter

Witnesses Signed
Sunjeeveah
Sombooron

True Copy
(Signed) D Neale
(A true Copy)
J. W. Miller
Sheriff

In the Supreme Court
Plea Side

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(A true Copy)
J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Henry Bantleman
Mootlu Naicker & Aaroomoga
Naicker

Wm Leigh Esq.
Atty at Law
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by W. D Neale Atty at Law to Stop the Sale in the above Cause - Request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale should Proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damages that may eventually be liable to in this Cause -

I am Sir
your Obed.t Servt
(Signed) J W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
28th August 1806

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by W D Neale Atty at Law dated & received 27th August 1806 -

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir

By the publication of a Notice in writing under your hand which is dated the 19th instant it is understood that on the 2nd September next will be Sold a Large Spot of Ground Situate at Royapooram in the District of Tondyarpett near Cannega Cowl as the property of Mootloo Naick and Aaroomoga

I

I am instructed by Vacha Moodelly Vencatachella Moodelly and Gyanpah Moodelly the Headmen of the Village of Vattapullam (or Royapooram) to apprize you of their Claim to the whole of this ground as belonging to the Village and as being a part of the Village ~~and as being a part of the Village~~ grounds which has not ever hitherto been disposed of by the Inhabitants -

They desire therefore that you should understand their intention (if the Ground be Sold as the property of Mootloo Naick and Aviroomoga Naick or any other persons) to be that they will on the part of the Village Inhabitants contest the possession and property of the whole of it -

I am Sir
Your Obed.t Servant
D. Neale
atty at Law -

Fort St. George
27th August 1806 -

(A true Copy)
(Signed) J W Miller Sheriff

Arcott Chenglevoy Chittyar
Shanmogavoy Pillay the Brother and
Lakshmi Ammah Kooppammal the
Wo.s & D.r Rep.ves of Seenivasa Vejiaranga Pillay
Dec.d -

James Sutherland Esq.
Atty at Law
Sir

I beg to Acknowledge the Receipt of your Letter of Yesterday Informing me of the Mortgage of the Premises Lized in the Cause and advertised for Sale this day -

I am directed by the above named Plaintiff to inform you that he is aware of the Mortgage to which you allude in your letter and that he is ready to admit the same and as it is his intention to dispose of the said Premises agreeably to the Advertisement he begs to be informed of the Amount of Principal and Interest due thereon in Order that the same may be discharged from the Proceeds of the Sale thereof -

I beg the favour of an Answer as Soon as possible,

I am Sir
your Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
29th August 1806

Supreme Court
Plea Side

Arcot Chenglevaroya Chitlyar
vers
Shanmogaroy & Ors Rpts of Seravoi
Vezianangavn Pillay Deceased

Received of Arcot Chenglevaroya Chitlyar the Plaintiff above Named a Company Promissory note No. 1213. dated 4th March 1806 - granted to Corjeevnam Latchmanah Chitty for 1000 star Pagodas bearing interest at 10 ⅌ Cent with a blank indorsement thereon for the Satisfaction and Security required by me as Sheriff to indemnify me in the Sale of the premises Seized by Virtue of a Writ of Execution which issued in this Cause - and I hereby promise to re - deliver the said Companys 10 ⅌ Cent promissory note and be accountable for the Same to the Said Arcot Chengalvaroya Chitlyar as soon as the Claim now pending against the premises above mentioned is finally Settled or the Order of the Supreme Court to deliver up the Same dated in Madras this 28th day of August 1806 -

(Signed) Thos Bly th
Deputy Sheriff
for J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Henry Bantleman
vers
Mootoo Naicker & Arunoga Nr

Wm Light Esq
Atty at Law
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by W. Orme Solicitor for the H Company to Stop the Sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale should Proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may (undergo) be liable to in this Cause -

I am Sir
your Obed Servt
Signed J. W. Miller Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
2d Septr 1806

Supreme Court
Pleaside

Henry Bantleman
vers
Mootoo Naicker & Arunoga Naicker

J. W. Miller Esqr
Sheriff &c.

Sir In behalf of the Honble the East India Company I am desired to give you notice that the Ground in Royapooram Seized and advertized for Sale in this Cause as belonging to the Defendants, is the Property of the East India Company and in the possession of persons Authorized by the Government of Madras to occupy the Same You may have Satisfactory Evidence of the Right of the Company to the Ground in question Should you deem it necessary an application to the Board of Revenue or to the Office of the Collector of Madras and if after this notice you proceed to Sell the Ground in question you will be held answerable for the consequences

I am
your obed. Servant
(Signed) W. Orme
Solicitor for the H Company

Fort St. George
1st Septr 1806

James William Miller Esqr
Sheriff &c &c

Hy. Bantleman
agt
Armogum Naicker & another

Sir

I have received yours with a Copy of the Notice to you from Mr Orme my Client attends to give you whatever further Security you may require and you will then proceed in the Sale I have the honour to be

Sir

Yours most Obediently
(Signed) William Light

Madras
2d September 1806

Hy. Bantleman
agt
Armogum Naicker and another

To
Mr W. Light
Sir

In reply to your letter just received Informing me the Plaintiff is ready to give Security in Order to proceede to Sell the Ground Seized in the above Cause notwithstanding the Notice from Mr Orme Solisiter to the Honble Company I must refer you to the Rules of the Supreme Court wherein you will find that the Sheriff is particularly desired to take notice he does not Sell Honble Companys Lands —

as the Ground alluded to and which is the subject of this Execution is signified to me to belong to the Honble Company I cannot in such case proceede to sell it untill I am perfectly satisfyed to the Contrary

I by you will be pleased to enquire into the claim of the Honble Company at the different Offices refered to in Mr Orme letter of yesterday

Sheriffs Office
2d Sept 1806

(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Madras 4th September 1806 —

My Dear Sir

In my last I promised to write you again on the day after but as I have not had any communication from the Attorney since I shall withdraw the Sheriffs Officer - enclosed is an order to Mr Barnes to that effect —

May I intrude on you so far as to request you will in this Instance be my Banker and advance Barnes what cash you may think sufficient for his travelling expences and will you also assist him with your advice as to the mode of returning to Madras if you think he can come on a Doney be so kind as provide him a passage If by land I suppose he will require a Pallenkeen or Doly which will be very expensive - I should certainly prefer his comming by Sea

I have many apologies to make for the trouble I have given you

I remain
My Dear Sir
Yours very Obdiently
Thos Blyth

Mr N. Lewis
Masulapatam

V. Vencata Runzapillay
~~Vers~~
Moorogathy Ws Spl Repr of Kistnan Deceased

J. Sutherland Esqr
Atty at Law Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr Wm Light to Stop to the Sale of a House and Ground Situated at Tandyar put being Part of the Premises Seized and advertised for Sale in the above Cause —

I request to be informed wither it is in the intention of your Claim that the Sale of the House & Ground so allowed to in Mr Lights notice should take Place as in that Case will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am Sir
Your Obdr
Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff Office
Madras
5th Sept 1806 —

Vendalore Vencata Rungapillay
~~vers~~
Mooroogathy W.o & Personal Rep.tn of
Kistnen Deceased

James Sutherland Esq.r
Att.y for Plaintiff
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr W.m Light to Stop the Sales in the above Cause —

I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Claint that the Sale Should Proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

Sheriffs Office
Madras
4 September 1806

Jam Sir
your Obed.t Serv.t
J W Miller
Sheriff

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr Light dated & Rec.d 8th Sep.r 1806 —

To James William Miller Esq.r
Sheriff of Madras &.a &.a

Sir

Vendalore Vencatarungapillay
ag.t
Mooreyathy W.o & Personal representatives of
Kistnan Pillay deceased

I am directed by Venkiah Braminy to give you Notice that four Grounds of the Premises seized by you under the Execution issued above and Situated near the Bound Hedge of the Black Town in the Village of Tondyarpettah and advertised by you for Sale is under mortgage to him for the Sum of 60 P.s with Interest after the Rate of 12 ⅌ Cent per annum from Nov.r 1806 —

you will therefore in selling these premises take Care that you take sufficient Security to answer my Claints demand

Jam Sir
your Obed.t Serv.t
W. Light

8th Sep.r 1806 —

Alexander Anstruther Esq.r
~~vers~~
Vencata Rungap Pillay

To James Sutherland Esq.r
Att.y for Plaintiff
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr D. Neale Att.y at Law to Stop the Sale in the above Cause

I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale Should Proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

Sheriffs Office
Madras
15th Sept 1806

Jam Sir
your Obedient Servant
J W Miller Sheriff

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. D Neale
Dated & Received 13th September 1806 —

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir

It is Represented to me by Pooleyoor Soobaroy Pillay that by Virtue of some Process issued from the Supreme Court at the Suit of Mr. Anstruther you have seized as the property of Vencatarangapillay and advertised to be Sold on the 17th Instant a Piece of Ground Situated at Peddoo Naicks Pettah near to the North west bastion —

An original Bill of Sale from Francis Lind then Sheriff of Fort Saint George and the Town of Madras dated the 19th day of August in the year 1782 Sealed with the Seal of the Mayors Court at Madras and Registered upon the Registry of that Court (as appears by the Registers Certificate) on the 26th August 1782 Fol 208 and No. 291: is produced to me by Soobaroy pillay as having given title to the Ground which You have so Seized —

This Bill of Sale purports to convey to Pooleyoor Sasha Pillay, in consideration of 1600 Pagodas, Two Pieces of Ground late the Property of Cobongoor Pedda Naick Situated in Peddoo Naicks Pettah near to the North West bastion between the Ground of Frances Jourdan Esqr. and the Garden of Narriain Pillay a piece of Ground measuring in Length from East to west 390 feet and in breadth from North to South on the East side 390 feet and on the west side 340 feet or thereabouts together with another piece of Ground adjoining measuring in length from East to west 106 feet and in breadth from North to South on the East side 90 feet and at the Middle 100 feet or thereabouts

P. Sasha Pillay having died in the Year 1791
P. Soobaroy Pillay as his only Son became the Successor to this and all other the property which belonged to P. Sasha Pillay and on the 27th day of April in the 1799 Letters of administration of the Estate of P. Sashapillay were granted to Soobaroy Pillay as his Son and Heir

I am instructed that Vencatarranga Pillay first occupied this Ground as Tenant under P. Sasha Pillay in the year 1787 and that having Commenced his tenancy in that year he paid Rent at the Rate of Pagodas 129 per annum continually to Sasha Pillay untill the time of his death - that after the death of Sasha Pillay and thence forward untill the obtaining of the Letters of Administration by Soobaroy
Vencatarranga pillay declined the payment of rent but that in the year 1799 he recommenced and untill the year 1802 continued his payment to Soobaroy Pillay leaving however a large arrear which is still Due

Soobaroy Pillay claims and designs forthwith to assert by Course of Law, if Vencatarangapillay or any other Person should dispute his title, an absolute property in the Ground

And for acquainting you with this his claim I address to you this notice

I am
Sir
Your very obedient Servant
(Signed) D. Neale
atty at Law

Fort St. George
13th September 1806

Henry Bantleman
vers
Mootoo naicker and annoga naicker

To
Mr. Robert Orme Solicitor for the Honble Company

Sir

On Receipt of your letter under dated the 1st Instant giving me notice to Stop the sale of the Ground seized by me in the above Cause and advertised for sale I Immediately forwarded a Copy of it to Mr William Light atty for the above named Plaintiff at the same time Requesting to know if it were the Intention of his Client that I should proceed with the Sale In which case it would be necessary I should be Indemnified. This his Client has done

I beg therefore to inform you that in consequence of being Indemnifyed I have again advertised the Ground for Sale which Sale is to take place on Monday next at four Oflock in the Afternoon

Sheriffs Office
Madras 15th Sept 1806 —

I am
Sir
your most Obedient
Servant —

Manaly Comarapah Moodelly
vers
Syva Soobaroya Moodelliar

Fowrres Disney Esqr
Attg for Plaintiff
Sir

Sir,

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr Robt Orme Attg for Syvum Moottiah to Stop the Sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale Should Proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

Sheriffs Office
Madras
Sept 1806 —

I am
Sir
your Obedt Servant

Signed J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr R. Orme
Dated & Received 19th September 1806

Supreme Court
Plea Side

Manaly Comarapah Moodelliar
~~vers~~
Syva Soobaroya Moodelliar

J. W. Miller Esqr
Sheriff &a
Sir

I am desired by Syvum Moottiah to give you Notice that the Two Choultry Houses and Grounds Seized and advertised for Sale by you in this Cause are not the property of the Defendant but were Mortgaged for Pags 1000 to the Said Syvum Moottiah by one Causy Moodelliar Since deceased which money and Interest are now undischarged The Title deeds and the Mortgage have got in to the hands of the Defendant which he has repeatedly promised to deliver up to Syvum Moottiah, and if you will call for the Title Deeds you will find that the Defendant has no right to the Houses and Grounds and that you can make no Title through him to a Purchaser, and if you proceed to sell after this Notice Syvum Moottiah will held you as responsible to him

Yours &c
Robert Orme
Attg for Syvum
Moottiah

Fort St George
19th Sept 1806 —

A true Copy
J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Madras 20th September 1806

Mr Barnes

I have just received your letter and am surprised you have not had mine of the 4th Instant on which day I wrote you under cover to Mr Lewes desiring you would Immediately Return to the Presidency — I wrote Mr Lewes to furnish you Cash for your travelling expences and assist you in getting a passage if possible by Sea — I hope you will Immediately Return to Madras

Yours &c.

Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Francis Torrens

vers

Strickland Kingston

Messrs Harington &Co.

Gentlemen

It having been Represented to me that some Monies and other Particulars of Property belonging to the above named Defendant to the Amount of Four Thousand Pagodas is now in your Possession and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit, I hereby give you notice that by Virtue of that said Writ I seize and Sequester the Sum of One Thousand & four hundred Star Pagodas being a part of the aforementioned Sum of Four Thousand Pagodas which is now in your Hands & belonging to the said Def and I hereby further give you notice not to pay over or part with the said Sum of One Thousand and Fourhunder Pagodas until the further Order of this Honble Court

I am
Gentlemen
Your Obedt Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
25th Sept. 1806

Jancatum Nulla Ravoother
Ravother
vers
Mootoo Canoopoopillay

Chinna Meeroo

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Copy of a Subpoena from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and by you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

Thomas Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriff Office
Madras
25th Sept 1806

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Vardan Gaspar

vers

Philip Cheriman

Wm John Skarrier Surviving Exor of Johannes Monid Cheriman Deceased

Sir

It having been represented to me that some monies and other Particulars of Property belonging to the above named Defendant is now in your Possession as Surviving Executor of the Will of Johannes Monid Cheriman deceased, and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit - I hereby give you notice that by Virtue of that said Writ that you are not on any Account to pay over any Monies or Debts or otherwise part with any of the Property which is now in your hands or which may be belonging or forthcoming to, or for the Benifit of the Defendant by way of Legacy, Residuary bequest or otherwise belonging to the said Defendant untile the further Order of Court.

I am Sir
your Obedt Servt
J W Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
27th Sept 1806.

Chitty Bouchiah
vers
Nizam Mahaddy Ahammed Cawn
Bahauder

Wm Wm Light
Sir

Annexed is Copy of a Notice served on me by Mr I Sutherland to Stop the sale of the Premises seized in this cause, from the Nature of which it would appear I could not proceed to a Sale even under an Indemnity

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
J W Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras 29th Septr
1806.

David Newall
vers
William Betty

Surgeon William Betty

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
Thos. Blyth
Deptg Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
30th Septr 1806.

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

John Wright, John Edward Branson
and James Frank
vers
Jane Currie Admix of Thos Currie Decd

Messrs Harrington & Co

Gentlemen

It having been represented to me that the Proceeds of the Sale of the Effects of the late Captn Thomas Currie are lodged in your hands as agents for the above Named Defendants and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of that said Writ that you are not on any Account to pay over any Monies or Debts or otherwise part with any of the Property which is now in your hands belonging to the said Defendant (in prejudice to the said Writ) untill the further Order of this Honble Court

I am
Gentlemen
Your Obedt. Servt.
J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
6th Octr 1806

Archibald McDonald
vers
Henry Crompton

Mr H. J. Crompton

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
Thos Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
6th October 1806

To
Edward Croft Greenway Esqre
Secy to Govt in the Judicial Department
Fort St George

Sir

I beg you will be pleased to Grant a Passport to the Bearer hereof Samuel Barnes to Proceed to Arcott for the Purpose of executing Process from the Supreme Court of Judicature on an European residing at that Place

I am
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
13th October 1806

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side

John Sulloh
vers.
Avadaunum Paupiah Bazaring

To Cecil Smith Esqr.

Sir,

It having been Represented to me that a Sum of Money belonging to the above Named Defendant to the amount of Pagodas Eight hundred and Seventy Seven Twelve fanams and Fifty Eight Cash is now in Your Possession and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit, I hereby give you notice that by Virtue of that said Writ, I do Seize and Sequester the said Sum of Pagodas Eight hundred and Seventy Seven, Twelve fanams and Fifty Eight Cash which is now in your Hands and belonging to the said Defendant And I hereby further give you Notice not to pay over or part with the said Sum of Star Pagodas Eight hundred and Seventy Seven, Twelve fanams and Fifty eight Cash untile the further Order of this Honble Court

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signd) I W Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
24th. October 1806.

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side

John Sulloh
vers
Avadaunum Paupiah Bazaring

To Cecil Smith Esqr.

Sir

I hereby withdraw the Notice Served on You on the 24th Day of October Instant Sequestring in your hands the Sum of Eight hundred and Seventy Seven Star Pagodas Twelve fanams and Fifty eight Cash as the property of the above named Defendant - you will therefore consider such Notice

Vide

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
I W Miller Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
27 October 1806

Poovy Vencatachella Mood.r
vers
Myla Audepoory

To
Mr. Townes Disney
Atty at Law
Sir

On receipt of your letter under date the 4th Instant giving me notice to stop the sale of the Garden seized by me in the above Cause and Advertised for Sale, I Immediately forwarded a Copy of it to Mr. Wm. Light Attorney for the above named Plaintiff at the Same time requesting to know if it were the Intention of his Client that I should proceed with the Sale In which case it would be necessary I should be Indemnified — this his Client has done —

I beg therefore to inform you that in consequence of being Indemnified I have again Advertised the Garden for Sale which Sale is to take place at my Office on Thursday the 6th of November Next at 10 o'Clock in the forenoon —

Iam
Sir
Your Obed.t Serv.t
J. W. Miller Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
28th October 1806

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

John Tulloh, William Douglas Brodie
and George Haliburton
vers
Avadanum Paupiah Braminy

To Cecil Smith Esq.re
Sir,

It having been represented to me that a Sum of Money belonging to the above Named Defendant to the Amount of Pagodas Eight hundred and Seventy Seven, twelve fanams and fifty eight Cash is now in your Possession and as a Writ of Fieri Facias is now in my Office in the above Suit, I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of the said Writ I do Seize the said Sum of Pagodas Eight hundred and Seventy Seven, twelve fanams and fifty Eight Cash which is now in your Hands and belonging to the said Defendant, — And I hereby further give you Notice Not to pay over or part with the said Sum of Pagodas Eight hundred and Seventy Seven, twelve fanams and fifty eight Cash or any other Sums in your hands of Interest or otherwise belonging to the abovenamed Defendant but to my Office. —

Iam,
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29th October 1806

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Sembacksom Annasawmy Pillah

vers

Coolly Chitty

To Mr. Thomas Disney

Attys for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. W. Light Atty for Salesingah Chitty to Stop the Sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale should Proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or Deposite in Cash sufficient to cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am,
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) J.W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29th October 1806

Naugaroo Iyah Sawmy Pillay, Gopaul Krishna Pillay and Narrain Sawmy Pillay Sons and Successors of Naugaroo Verdapilley deceased

vers

Avadaunum Paupiah Braming

Mr. Daniel Neale

Plaintiffs Atty

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. James Sutherland Attorney for Mr. Thos Pullok to Stop the Sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale should Proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or Deposite in Cash Sufficient to cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
J.W. Miller Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
30th October 1806

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Pulloh and others

vers

Avadaunum Paupiah

Cecil Smyth Esqre

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to apply to you for the Sum of Eight hundred and seventy seven Pagodas, Twelve fanams and Fifty eight cash together with Interest due thereon as also any and every Sum or Sums of money or other Property which may be in your hands belonging to the above named Defendant the same being Seized under and by Virtue of a Writ of Fiera Facias Issued from the Supreme Court of Judicature in the above Cause, of which you had Official Notice Served on you Yesterday

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt & Humble
Servt Thomas Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
30th October 1806

Xd

Vardan Gaspar

vers

P.M. Cheriman and another

Mr D. Neale

Sir I herewith send you a letter addressed to me by Mr Sn Shamier surviving Executor of the Will of J.M. Cheriman deceased in Reply to one I wrote him demanding the Amount of £1494-40 being the Amount sequestred in his hands and in part of the Debt and damages Mention in the Writ of Fi Fa Issued in the above Cause

I have to beg your further Instructions Relative thereto

I am Sir
your obed Servt
Thos Blyth
D Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
31st October 1806

To

The Honble L. G. K. Murray

Collector of Madras &c. &c. &c.

Sir

A Cadjan Bill of Sale of a Spot of ground situated at Royapooram near the Cooppom in the name of Salesinga Naick was lodged in your Office about 18 or 20 Months ago for the purpose of having a Grant Issued thereon – the Ground has since been seized and Sold by order of the Supreme Court under and by Virtue of a Writ of Execution –

I beg therefore you will be pleased to order the Cadjan Bill of Sale to be sent to the Sheriffs Office in order to be conveyed to the Purchaser –

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obed^t. Servt.

Thos Blyth

D^y Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
31 October 1806

To

George Buchan Esqre.

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort S. George

Sir

I beg leave to inform you that the accompanying Bill for the making and erecting a new Pillory was by order of the Supreme Court, and which has been discharged by me, if therefore it cannot be paid without the Consent of Government I shall be obliged by your presenting the Bill for the approbation of the Right Honble the Governor in Council. –

I have the Honor to be

Sir

Your most Obedient

Humble Servant

(Signed) J. W. Miller

Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
4th November 1806.

Copy of M^r. Secretary Kibles letter dated & Received 8th November 1806 –

Public Department

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Your Letter of the 4 Instant having been laid before the Right Honble the Governor in Council, I have been directed to inform you that His Lordship in Council is pleased to sanction the Expense incurred in erecting a new Pillory, amounting to Pagodas 79 – 8.70. The Bill which you submitted is accordingly countersigned & returned to you with this Letter

I am

Sir

Your most Obedient Servant

G G Keble

Sec^y to Govr

Fort S. George
8th November 1806

E

W Tydmham

Sembaukum Annasawmy Pillay
vers
Cooty Chittyar

Mr Disney
Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to Acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 24th Instant requesting him to Procede with the sale of the Ground Seized in this Cause, and to inform you that he has no Objection to Proceede with the sale on your Client Indemnifying him against all risks inasmuch as he has had notice against it, a Copy of which was served on you on the 29th Ultto. I am further directed to request that if it is the Intention of your Client to Indemnify the Sheriff that it may be done Immediately

Sheriffs Office
Madras 26th Nov
1806.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side

Simon Ayver
vers
Sarad Marcar Cheriman

Mr John Shamier
Surviving Executor of the Will of Johannes Manoel Cheriman deceased —

Sir

It having been represented to me that Some monies and other Particulars of property belonging to the above named Defendant is now in your possession as Surviving Executor of the will of Johnnes Manoel Cheriman deceased, and as a Writ of Sequestration is my in my Office in the above Suit I hereby give you notice that by Virtue of that said Writ that you are not on any account to pay over any monies or Debts or otherwise part with any of the Property which is now in your hands or which may be belonging or forthcoming to, or for the Benefit of the Defendant by way of Legacy Residuary bequest or otherwise belonging to Said Defendant untill the further Order of this Hon'ble Court —

Sheriffs Office
Madras
28th November 1806

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) J W Miller
Sheriff

Ragoonauda Dava
vers
Mallaul Mooneyapah Naicker

Gilbert Ricketts Esqr
Plaintiffs Atty

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr J. Sutherland Atty for Condapa Moodelliar and Ramasawmy naick to Stop the Sale of 4 Cawnies of Ground being one of the Premises Seized in the above Cause Situated on the Road leading to Paramboor and on the North side of Mr Comptons Garden

I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale of the Ground so alluded to in Mr Sutherlands Notice Should take Place as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with Adquate Security or deposite in Cash Suffecient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause —

Sheriffs Office
Madras
4th December 1806

I am
Sir
your Obedt Servant
J W Miller
Sheriff

William Peters
vers
George Edward Gepp

To
Lieut.t George Edward Gepp

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof.

I am
Sir
Your Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Dep.y Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
17.th December 1806

Ergoodah Appiah Braminy
vers
Charles Rand Esqre

To Capt.n Charles Rand
Town Major
Seringapatnam

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose You a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg You will be pleased to acknowledge the Receipt thereof.

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
20.th December 1806

Francis De Silva
vers
A. Vencatasoyloo Braminy

M.r W.m Light
Att.y for Plaintiff
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by W. Dreale Att.y for Narasingiah Braminy to stop the sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale should proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish one with Adequate Security or Deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any damages that may eventually be liable to in this Cause.

I am
Sir
Your Obed.t Serv.t
Signed J. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
22.d December 1806

Padre D'Graue
vers
Manaly Comarapan

To Manaly Comarapah Moodelliar

Take Notice that you Quit the Premises you now occupying which has been sold at Sheriffs Sale on the 25.th April 1803 to one Pullingary Moodelliar in the above Cause in five days, in default of which I shall be under the Necessity of sending my Officers to Remove you from the said Premises and Put the Purchaser in Possession.

(Signed) J. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
24.th December 1806

John Doe
vers
Tunga Chitty

To
Mr William Light
Atty for Pltrs
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. D'Neale Atty for Sawmy Chitty and Narasimmah Chitty to Stop the Sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale Should Proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

Sheriff's Office
Madras
30th December 1806

Iam
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

I E Branson, Thos Jones & L. Reddy
vers
Sydenham Smith &
the same Complts agt { Hy Vincent, Willm Jones & Henry Swayne

To
Captn Sydenham Smith
Sir

Albin the — 1st Battn B. Regt N. I.
Captain Sydenham Smith
Lieut Henry Vincent
" — William Jones
" — Henry Swayne

...ted by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons ... at Madras ... and beg you will be pleased to

Iam
Sir
Your Obed Servt
Thos Blyth
Dy Sheriff

The Same as above none
Lieut Vincent Lieut Swayne &
" Jones &
1st B 13 R N I Calicut Malabar Coast

I. E. Branson, Thos Jones & L Reddy
vers
Henry De Gravers
the Same Complts agt { Charles Augustus Walker & James Walker

To
Lieutenant Henry De Gravers
Sir

Iam directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the receipt thereof

Iam
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th January 1807

The Same as above letter wrote to —
Lieut Chs A Walker & Lieut J Walker
1st B. 8 Rt N. I. Badnore

William Fraser & James Norris
vers
John Blair

To Captn John Blair
Engineers
Quilon
Travancore
Sir

Iam directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the receipt thereof —

Sheriff's Office
Madras
26th December 1806

Iam
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Captain Peter Le Coutier
Lieutenant Patrick Robertson
Lieutenant Charles Wilson } 1st

Residence

John Edward Branson, Thomas Jones
[illegible]he Reddy
Pltrs
[illegible]eter Le Coutier
[illegible]e Complts agt } Patrick Robertson & Charles Wilson

[illegible] Capt [illegible] of
[illegible]nes
[illegible] Bn 17th R[illegible]
from the Supreme [illegible] by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons
pleased to Acknowledge [illegible]ature at Madras and beg you will be
[illegible]pt thereof

Sheriff's Office
Madras
6th Jany 1807

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
Deptg Sheriff

the same as above letters wrote to
Lieutt Patrick Robertson
" Charles Wilson of
1st B 12 Rt N. I.
Hydrabad
the same as above letters wrote on the 9th Jany 1807 by the same Complainants
agt Captn Anselm Jones 1st B 17th Rt N I Cannanore
via Malabar
& Lieutt James Sharman Chamal
1st B 25th Rt N. I. Chicacole

William Pitus
Ills
James Tagg

To
Lieutt James Tagg
2d Bn 3d Rt N. I. Trichinopoly
Sir
I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from
the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased
to Acknowledge the receipt thereof

Sheriff's Office
Madras
9th January 1807

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
Deptg Sheriff

Publey Chitty Vencataraumoodoo
Ills
Pauntureddy Nauzooloo & Shashoo

To
Gilbt Ricketts Esqr
Attg for Plts
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal
Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr D Neale Attg at Law
to Stop the Sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed
whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale should
Proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me
with Adequate Secu[illegible] Cash Sufficient to cover
any damages that I m[illegible] [illegible]ible to in this
Cause

Sheriff's Office
Madras
9th Jany 1807

James Sharman
1st Battn 25th Rt
Chicacole

[illegible]
Gerald
Sheriff

Capt Anselm Jones
via Malabar

J. E. Branson, Thos. Jones & Luke Reddy
vers
[illegible]les Lester

Residence of
Captain Charles Lester 2d Bn. 3d Regt.
Lieutenant Alexr. Grant 2d Bn. 10th Regt.
and
Lieut. Alexander Turner 1st Bn. 3d Reg
Lieut. Bernard White 1st Bn. 20th Reg.

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[illegible]hiff to enclose you a Summons [illegible] at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the receipt thereof

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th January 1807

Jam
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
T. B.
U. S.

John Ed. Branson, Thos. Jones & Luke Reddy
vers
Alexander Grant

To Lieut. Alexander Grant
2d Bn. 10th Regt. Hyderabad

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the receipt thereof

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th Jany 1807

Jam
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
T. B.
U. S.

William Peters
vers
Alexander Turner

Lieutenant Alexander Turner
1st Bn. 3d Regt. Trichinopoly

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the receipt thereof

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th Jany 1807

Jam
Sir
Your Obedt. Servant
T. B.
U. S.

William Peters
vers
Bernard White

To Lieutenant Bernard White
1st Bn. 20th Regt. Nizapatam

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the receipt thereof

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th January 1807

Jam
Sir
Your Obedt. Servant
Signed Thomas Blyth
Under Sheriff

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Crown side

I do hereby Certify that Price Robbins Esqr. a Captn. in His Majesty's Sixty ninth Regt. is now in my Custody by Virtue of a Commitment under the hand and Seal of Charles Woodcock Esqr. Acting Majestrate for the Districts of Trichinopoly and One of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace

(Signed) Terence Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Madras
Sheriff's Office
22d January 1807

William Peters
vers
George Edward Gepp

Residence of
Lieut. George Edward Gepp
2nd Battn. 20th Regt.
Vellore

[illegible]

2nd Bn. 20th Regt.
Vellore

[illegible]ected by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons [illegible]icature at Madras and beg you will be pleased [illegible] thereof

Jam
Sir, your Obedt. Servant
Thos. Blyth
under Sheriff

to Acknow[illegible]

Sheriff's Office
Madras
23d Jany 1807

To

George Buchan Esquire

Chief Secretary to Government &c &c &c

Sir

I beg leave to request that you will inform His Lordship in Council that the Number of Peons at Present attending the Felons Goal are by no means Adequate to the discharge of the duty required of them, the late encrease of Prisoners and two Men now under sentence of death and to be shortly executed requires at least an Encrease of 12 Additional Peons their Attendance being required in Conducting so many Prisoners to and from the Goal to Court - and at all Executions no Military Guard whatever being allowed as was usual -

Government's reply to this refer to folio 111 -

Court House
Madras
26th January 1807

I have the Honor to be
Sir,
Your Obedient Humble Servant
(Signed) T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Veneatasha Chitty
ag.
Shasan and Naughy Chitty otherwise
Naugooloo Chitty

Mr D. Neale
Sir

In reply to your letter of yesterday I beg to inform you that the Property aluded to (tho not at the Suit of Veneatasha Chitty) is sold notwithstanding the Notice you served on me -

The Property (a Piece of Ground) was first Sequestered at the suit of Pubby Chitty Veneataramoodoo, and afterwards seized and sold in Execution at the suit of the same Person; - The Sale took place under Indemnity the Amount of which is still in my hands, - the Plaintiff Pubby Chitty Veneataramoodoo has instructed me not to part with the Purchase Money. -

Sheriff's Office -
Madras 24th Jany 1807

I am Sir
Your Obed. Servant
(Signed) T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

To George Buchan Esquire
Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

I am desired by the Grand Jury to request your attendance on them at 12 O'Clock tomorrow at the Court House -

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Obed. & very Humble Serv.
(Signed) T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Madras
Court House
23d Jany 1807

Thomas Chase, John Chinnery, John Mac Dowall & Edward Watts.
Vs
Richard Crewe

To

Richard Crewe

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am
Sir
Your Obed. Servant
Thos Blyth
Deps Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
24th January 1807

To

George Buchan Esquire

Chief Secretary to Government &c &c &c

Sir

I beg leave to request that you will inform His Lordship in Council that the Number of Peons at Present attending the Felons Goal are by no means Adequate to the discharge of the duty required of them, the late encrease of Prisoners and two Men now under sentence of death and to be shortly executed requires at least an Encrease of 12 Additional Peons their Attendance being required in Conducting so many Prisoners to and from the Goal to Court and at all Executions no Military Guard whatever being allowed as was usual

Government's reply to this refer to folio 111

Court House
Madras
26th January 1807

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your Obedient Humble Servant
(Signed) T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Vineatasha Chitty
ag.
Shasan and Naughy Chitty otherwise
Naugooloo Chitty

Mr D. Neale
Sir

In reply to your letter of yesterday I beg to inform you that the Property aluded to (tho not at the Suit of Vineatasha Chitty) is sold notwithstanding the Notice you served on me

The Property (a Piece of Ground) was first Sequestered at the suit of Pubby Chitty Vineataramoodoo, and afterwards seized and sold in Execution at the suit of the same Person; The Sale took place under Indemnity the Amount of which is still in my hands, The Plaintiff Pubby Chitty Vineataramoodoo has instructed me not to part with the Purchase Money.

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Thos Blyth
Deptt Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
24th January 1807

Residence of
William Hargrave 1st Bn 4th Rgt Trichinopoly
William Mac Leod Esqr – Negapata

John Edward Branson, Thomas
Luke Reddy
ctm
Mac Leod

... directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

Sheriff's Office
Madras
27th January 1807.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

The Same Complainants
agt
William Hargrave

To
Lieut. Wm Hargrave
1st Bn 4th Regt Trechinopoly

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

Sheriff's Office
Madras
27th January 1807.

I am,
Sir,
Your Obedt Servant
Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

John Edward Branson & others
ctm
James Sadler

Bn 1st Regt Masulipatam

... am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from ... at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29th January 1807

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

The Same Complainants
agt
James Mather

Mr James Mather
Conductor of Ordnance
Seringapatam

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29th January 1807.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

To
George Buchan Esqr
Chief Secy to Govr
Fort St George

Sir

I have to inform you that the enclosed Bill has been paid by me for Sundry Incidental Charges Attached to my Department if therefore it Cannot be paid without the Consent of Government should be glad of the Bill being presented for their Approbation

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most Obedt
humble Servant
(Signed) F. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th Feby 1807

Public Department

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

Your letter of the 26th Ultimo having been laid before the Right Honble the Governor in Council, I have been Directed to inform you that his Lordship in Council cannot sanction the addition which you have requested to your Native Establishment, but that you will be permitted to apply to the Superintendent of Police for the Assistance of his Peons at the Quarterly Sessions of Oyer and Terminer, or at an execution.—

Sheriffs Application to this refer to Folio back 107—

Fort St George
4th February 1807

Jam
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) G. G. Keble
Secy to Govr

Recd
W. Tydenham

Gundavady Sashachella Chitty
vs
Charles Rand

To
Captn Charles Rand
Town Major
Seeringapatam

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the receipt thereof

Jam
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10th Feby 1807

Honorable Sir Thomas Andrew Strange Kt

Sir,

At a late hour last night the keeper of the Felons Goal reported to me, that Velly Mahommed a Convict, under Sentence of Transportation had eluded the vigilence of the Guard, and effected his escape over the wall by means of a Rope.

Peons are sent out, in all directions in search of him, Hand bills will be got ready as soon as possible, and a reward offered, every deligence will be made use off both by myself and the Deputy Sheriff to have him secured.

I have the honor to be
with great respect
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) F. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sunday
15th February 1807.

The same as above was sent to other Judges.

G. Buchan Esqr
Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

By the enclosed Hand bill you will find the escape of a Convict under Sentence of Transportation from the Felon's Goal last night.

I

I have taken every necessary step to have him secured - & you will be pleased to give such directions as you may think proper to endeavor to apprehend him.

I have the honor
to be Sir
Your Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) J Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Madras
15th Feby 1807.

Velanjeambaukum Seenevasa Rungiah
Condappan

Mr James Sutherland
Atty for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr Frowner Disney to Stop the Sale in the above Cause I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale Should Proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause -

I am
Sir
Your Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) J Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
25. Feby 1807

Honorable Sir Thos. Andrew Strange Knight
Chief Justice &c &c &c

Sir

This Morning I had the Honor of informing you of the escape of Velly Mahomed a Convict under Sentence of Transportation from the Felons Goal and of my having taken every Step in my Power to have him again Scaned -

I have now much pleasure, in informing you that having Communicated with Capt.n Grant, Com.y the Police Department, and furnishing him with Some Printed Hand Bills, of which I enclose a Printed Copy one of his Peons, has had him taken, every Step possible Shall Shall be made use of to render the Goal and Prisoners in it as scane as Circumstances will allow -

I Have the Honor
to be with respect
Your Obed.t Serv.t
J Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Madras
15th Feby 1807

George Buchan Esq.r
Chief Sec.y to Government
&c &c &c

Sir

This Morning I had the honor of Notifying to you, the escape of Velly Mahomed a Convict under Sentence of Transportation, as also enclosing you one of the Printed hand Bills Circulated in Consequence -

I have now in much pleasure, in informing you that he is retaken by one of the Peons in the Police Department, and that every Step possible under Circumstance will be made use of to scane him and the other Prisoners in the Goal -

I Have the Honor
to be Sir
With Great respect
Your Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) J Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
15. Feby 1807

Between { George Yeates and Peter Boyd Plaintiffs
and
Thomas Povey, Henry Hall and John Chinny Defts

To Capt. Gabriel Hoffland

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Subpoena from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am
Sir
Your Obed. Servt.
(Signed) Tho. Blythe
Dep. Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
27th February 1807

To
George Buchan Esqre
Chief Secretary to Government
&c &c &c

Sir

I beg you will lay the enclosed Bill and Vouchers before the Right Honble the Governor in Council that they may be passed accordingly

I have the Honor to be
Sir
your very Obed
Humble Servt
(Signed) T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
2d March 1807

The Honble Company Dr

To Amount paid to Police Peon as a Reward for the Apprehending of Velly Mahommed a Felon who escaped on the 14th February last from the Felons Goal Agreeably to the Annexed hand Bill ---------- 25-
To Do for Printing 100 Hand Bills ---------- 2
Pagr. 27-

Sheriff's Office
Madras
1st March 1807

E. E. J. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Tulloh, Brodie and others
vs
John Burden, & Francis Hy Smith

Sir

I beg leave to refer you to an Advertisement published in Consequence of an Order of the Supreme Court made in this Cause dated 19th day of December 1806, and which appeared in all the News Papers, by which I am authorized to demand of you the Sum of being Amounts of your John Burden one of the Defts above named Debt to ~~the Defendants~~ which you will please to Transmit and a Regular discharge and Receipt shall be delivered accordingly

I have the Honor
to be Sir
your Obed Servt
(Signed) T Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

March 1807

Please to pay the bearer &c for which he will give you a Regular Discharge & Rect

To the Honble Sir Thomas Andrew Strange Kt.
Chief Judge &c. &c. &c.

Sir

I am Concerned to State to you that Sixteen Convicts under Sentence of Transportation effected their Escape last night from the Felons Goal by undermining the Outer Wall of the Bombproof.

Every deligent search and Exertion on my part and on the part of Capt.n Grant Commanding the Police department is using and I have already Succeeded in Retaking two of them.

I have requested of Government to order a Committe to Inspect the Goal and the mode in which the Escape was effected by which only, and their Report thereon, it will be evident that no neglect whatever can be Imputed to my Department -

I have the Honor to be
with great respect
Your Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) J. FitzGerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
10.th March 1807

To the Honble Sir Hy Gwillim Kt.
1.st Puisne Justice &c. &c. &c.

To the Honble Sir Benjamin Sullivan Kt.
2.d Puisne Justice &c. &c. &c.

Letter having addressed the same as above -

Alex.r Anstruther Esq.re Advocate General
&c. &c. &c.

Sir

The Statement of the Goals and the Having the Convicts therein transported, as soon as possible as will appear by Reference to Sir Thomas Stranges letter in your possession, I trust you will lay before Government as soon as possible, with a further representation that Sixteen Convicts have made their escape last night by undermining the Bomb Proof that every Search, and every Exertion on my Part and on the part of Capt.n Grant Commanding the Police department, is making and I have already Succeeded in Retaking two

I have now particularly to Request, you will be so kind as to demand of Government, that a Committe may be appointed to see and examine the present State of the Goal, the mode in which their escape was effected, by which only, and their Report thereon, it will be evident there was no neglect whatever in my Department, and that the insecurity of the Goal alone must, and will always, without a Military Guard admit of escapes -

Allow me to further trouble you, in this your Application, to demand of Government what Reward I should hold out for their, and each of their apprehension and any other mode - they might wish me to pursue in the apprehending them, besides that of Geting Hand bills printed and distributed -

I Have the Honor
to be Sir
Your very Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) J. FitzGerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
10.th March 1807

Patcheapah Moodellear
agt
Canneyammall

To
Mr. James Sutherland
Atty for Plaintiff
Sir

Herewith I send you Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr. D Neale on the Subject of the Seizure under a Writ of Sequestration of the House and Ground pointed out by the said Plaintiff in the above Cause, I beg your Immediate Instruction how I am to act and to be informed if my Seals are to be removed.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt
(Signed) J Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
11th March 1807

Caupoola Voosanecawn
vers
Goolaumoosane

To
Mr. James Sutherland
Atty at Plaintiff
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. Wm. Light Atty for Zynoola Abdeen & Goolam Mahomed to Stop the Sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale should proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause.

I am, Sir,
Your Obedt. Servt
(Signed) J Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
11th March 1807

Henry Bantleman
vers
Anjoo Labbay Mastry

To
Mr. Wm. Light
Atty for Plaintiff
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. Towns Disney to Stop the Sale of a House and Ground being one of the Premises Seized in the above Cause Situated in Mootale Pettah No. 167 Anzapah Naick Street —

I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale of the House and Ground so alluded to in Mr. Disneys Notice Should take Place as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause —

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt
(Signed) J Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
11th March 1807

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 13th March 1807 —

Read the following Letter from the Sheriff of Madras &c.

Here Enter No.

Resolved that authority be given for the payment

Know all Men by these Presents that We Poonjary Conary Chitty Pindegerry Vencatakistnamah Chitty and Moottucara Vencatachella Chitty Inhabitants of Madras are jointly and Severally held and firmly bound to James William Miller Esquire Sheriff of Madras in the Penal Sum of One Thousand One hundred and forty four Pazodas and Six fanams Current money of Madras to be paid to the said James William Miller his Certain Attorney Executors or Administrators for which payment Well and truely to be made, We bind ourselves and each of us our and each of our Heirs, Executors and Administrators firmly by these Presents Sealed with our Seals dated at Madras the Nineteenth Day of March in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Six —

Whereas under and by Virtue of a Certain Writ of Execution Issuing out of the Honble the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras in a Certain Suit wherein Poonjary Conary Chittyar is Plaintiff and Virava Chitty is Defendant directed to the Sheriff of Madras it was Commanded that the said Sheriff should cause to be levied and Made of the Houses, Lands, Debts, and other Effects Real and Personal which were of the said Virava Chitty a Certain Sum of money in the said Writ particularly Specified, And whereas in pursuance and by Virtue of the said Writ the said Sheriff aforesaid hath Seized a House and Ground Situated in Moottall Pettah No. 37 Linga Chitty Street and hath duly advertized the said House and Ground for Sale, And whereas the said Sheriff hath Received a Notice from Mr Frownes Disney Atty at Law on behalf of Veerapah Chitty that the said Veerapah Chitty doth alledge a Claim to the said House and Ground, And whereas the said Sheriffs having been assured by the said Plaintiff that the said Claim of the said Veerapah Chitty is fictitious and Groundless hath at the instance of the said Plaintiff agreed to Proceed to Seize and Sell the said House and Premises Notwithstanding the said Notice

Now

Now the Condition of this Obligation is Such that if the said Poonjary Conary Chitty Pindegery Vencata=Kistnamah Chitty and Moottucaurra Vencatachella Chitty or One of them their or Some one of their Heirs, Executors, or Administrators do and Shall from time to time and at all times hereafter Save harmless and Keep indemnified the said Sheriff His Heirs Executors and Administrators his and their Lands and Tenements Goods and Chattles of and from against all Actions, Suits, Costs, Charges, Damages and Expences whatsoever which Shall or may at any time hereafter be brought against incurred Suffered or Sustained by him or them for or by reason of Seizing and Selling the said House and Ground and Premises aforesaid or touching or Concerning the same or of the said Claim of the said Veerapah Chitty then the foregoing Obligation to be Void or otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue.

(Signed) [illegible] (L.S.)

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of Thomas Blyth Soobaroy

" Pendecoor Vencatakistnama (L.S.)

" [illegible] (L.S.)

Supreme Court Plea Side

James William Miller
vers
Poonjary Conary Chitty, Pindegerry Vencatakistnama Chitty and Moottucaura Vencatachella Chitty

Madras 17th March 1807 Received from Pindegerry Vencatakistnama Chitty one of the Defendants above named the Sum of Seven hundred and Eighty one Star Pazodas Eight fanams and forty Cash being the Amount Sued for in this Cause and in full thereof - and the further Sum of One hundred and Eight Rupees and Eight fanams to Answer the Plaintiffs Costs when taxed - I say received from the said Defendant Pindegerry Vencatakistnama Chitty -

(Signed) J. Sutherland
Atty for Plts -

A. Maliapah Naick Tremilapoor
vers
Maliapah Naick Son &c.

Supreme Court
Plea Side

Townes Disney Esqr.

Sir

In reply to your notice in this Case dated 17th Instant Wherein you mention your Mistake, in your notice of the 9th Instant (that you should have inserted Maliappa Naick Street Saint Thome) and not Pariapully Street as was mentioned, and desiring I should not proceed in the Sale, it being the Property of Maury Choury Naick

I have to inform you that your present Notice is late as the property alluded to was sold agreeable to advertisment no regular notice having arrived to stop the Same

That your notice alluded to stop the Sale in Pariapully Street arrived too late 5 P.M as one lot of Ground in that Street with Coconut Trees on it, was sold previous to the notice arriving —

That another lot in the Same street alluded to by that notice the Sale of which was going on, at the Moment the notice arrived was immediately stoped —

Those propertys so sold amounting to two hundred and fifty four Pagodas, is now in my Possession. —

I am,
Sir, your Obedt. Servant
(Signed) T. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
18th March 1807 —

Maliapah Naick
vers
Maliapah Naick

T. Disney Esqr.

Sir

I am just favoured with a letter from the Pls Atty in this Case, wherein he says "under the Particular Circumstances I have no Objection (on the part of the Pls) to your returning to the Writ of Tufa, Nulla Bona; —

The Premises have been already restored to your Client

I am Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) T. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Madras
19th March 1807 —

Thomas Chase, John Chinnery
John McDouall and Edward Heath
vers
Hugh O Donnell

Captn. Hugh O Donnell
8th Regt. N.C. Hyderabad

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will please to Acknowledge the receipt thereof

I am
Sir
your Obedt. Servt.
Thos. Blyth
Depy. Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
19th March 1807

Between } Savaby Singaura Moodelliar
and
Sayedaupaty Raumasacomy Iyer

Sackary Moodelly at Cuddalore

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Subpoena from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will acknowledge the receipt thereof

Yours
Thos Blyth
Dep.y Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19.th March 1807

James Frank
and
H.J Youngkent

Lieut.t H.J Youngkent
at Vellore

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am
Sir
Your Obed.t Serv.t
Thos Blyth
Dep.y Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20.th March 1807

George Buchan Esqr.e Chief Secretary to Government &c &c &c

Sir,

I beg you will Communicate to Government that the Brig Elinor Capt.n Cauty, now in the Roads and on the Point of Sailing to Penang, would be a favourable Opertunity to send of the Convicts under Sentence of Transportation.

I have the Honor to be
Sir,
Your very Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. FitzGerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras 24.th March 1807

The Honble Sir Thomas Andrew Strange Kt.
Chief Justice &c &c &c

Sir,

I beg leave to lay before You a Communication of mine to Government Yesterday, respecting the Convicts under Sentence of Transportation

I have the Honor
To be Sir,
Your Truely Obed.t Serv.t
J FitzGerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
25.th March 1807

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

John Tulloh & others

vers

Ship or Vessell Matilda

To George Taswell Esqr.
Master Attendant at Madras
or Harvey Hall Esqr. Deputy Master Attendant

Sir

I beg to Inform You that the above Named Ship or Vessel called the Matilda (Commanded by Capt. Scott) is Seized under and by Virtue of a Libel Issued from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras, You will therefore be pleased to take Notice Not to Deliver a Port clearance to the said Ship or otherwise permit her to Depart the Road without the Order of the said Court

I am Sir
Your most Obed. Servant
J. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras 26th March 1807

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

John Tulloh & others

vers

Ship Matilda

To the Officer Commanding
on board the Matilda

Sir

The above Vessel being Seized by Virtue of a Writ of Libel Issued from the Supreme Court at Madras of which the bearer is in possession you will be pleased to take Notice that you are not to Remove the said Ship or Vessel from the Road of Madras

I am Sir
Your Most Obed. Serv.
Thos. Blyth
Under Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras 26th March 1807

D

The Honble Company

To Amount Due to Police Peons and others who Apprehended the following five Convicts who Escaped on the 9th March last from the Felons Goal Agreeably to the Annexed Hand Bill at 25 Pags. for each Convict . . 125. —
To Do. paid for Printing 100 Hand Bills . . . . . 2. —
Pags. 127. —

No.	Names	When Retaken
1	Ramasawmy	March 10th
2	Soobban	
3	Dean Mahommed	
4	Govindoo	11
5	Hussain Mahomed	16th

(Signed) J. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras 5th April 1807

George Buchan Esquire
Chief Secty to Government
Fort St. George

Sir

I beg leave to lay before You, for the information of His Lordship in Council a list of the Prisoners, who lately escaped out of the Felons Goal and are Retaken and for whom I have accordingly drawn the Reward of 25 Pagodas each as Offered by Advertisement

1 Ramasamy	}	10th March
2 Soobun		
3 Dean Mahomed		
4 Govindoo		11th Do.
5 Hussain Mahomed		16th Do.

I have the Honor
To be Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
5th April 1807

Veneatachellah Chitty
wife
Saravanah Chitty &
Iyatomby Chitty } & Veneatachella Chitty
wife
Shasavanah Chitty

The Honorable L: G: K: Murray
Collector of Madras &c. &c. &c.

Sir

I Have received Two Several Writs of Fi: Fa: from the Supreme Court of Judicature in the above Causes to Levy Certain Sums of Money, and Understanding from the Plaintiff that you hold in your hands the Sum of One Thousand two hundred and Sixty Pagodas, nine fanams and forty Nine Cash & 1/2 together with the Interest thereon, being the Amount of Sale of One of the Premises which having been previously Mortgaged to him, by the above Named Defendants, such Sums, so in your hands, in consequence of those Several Writs become the Property of the Plaintiff

I Have therefore to request that you will pay into my Hands the above Sum together with such Interest as may be due thereon, for which you will get my Receipt Accordingly

I Have the honor
To be Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) T: Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras 6th Apl. 1807

Wm. Light Esqr.

Caupoloo Voosancawn
agst
Goolamoosan

Sir

In this Case wherein you are attorney for the Defendant I advertised some time since the Sale of Property belonging to the Defendant to be sold under a Writ then in my Possession

I received a Notice from you to stop the Sale which I did accordingly

The Plaintiffs attorney has since Charged the writ at that time in my Possession to that of a Venditione Exponas the property being previously under Sequestration the property is advertised to be sold to morrow, therefore if you mean to pursue the Claim formerly intimated, it will be necessary to move the Court without delay

I have the Honor to be
Sir
Your Obedt. Servant
(Signed) T: Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras 7th Apl. 1807

Venatachella Chitty
vers
Sharavana Chitty &
Iyatomby Chitty
} and
Venatachellah Chitty
vers
Sharavanah Chitty

To
Robert Orme Esqr.
Attly for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. Townes Disney Atty for P. Comarasawmy Chitty to Stop the Sale of a House and Ground being one of the Premises Seized in the above Cause Situated in Peddoo Naicks Pettah No. 122, Yazambarysvara Pagoda Street —

I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale of the House and Ground So Alluded to in Mr. Disneys Notice Should take Place as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or deposite in Cash Suffecient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause —

I am
Sir
your Obedt. Servt.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
9th April 1807

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. T. Disney dated & recd.
8th April 1807 —

Nagappan Venatachella Chitty
vers
Saravana Chitty & Iyahtomby Chitty.

I. Fitzgerald Esqr.
Sheriff.

Take Notice that the House Situated in Yazambara Issuer Street No. 122. Seized by you as Sheriff of Madras by Virtue of a Writt of Edn. which issued in this Cause is the Property of Poolcootty Comarasamy Chitty to whom such property was mortgaged by the Defendt. Iyahtomby Chitty above named for Pagos. 700. which such with Interest Still remains due to the said Poolcootty Comarasawmy Chitty as will appear by the Title Deeds thereof now in my possession to produce when required I hereby Caution you against proceeding Contrary hereto at

your peril —

Fort St. George
8th April 1807

Yours &c
(Signed) Townes Disney
Atty to P. Comarasawmy Chitty

Mootoocomarapah Chitty the Uncle & only Persl. representative of Caulatty Chitty deceased
vers
Ratnavela Venattanaranappa

To Gilbert Ricketts Esqr.
Attly for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. D. Neale Attly at Law to Stop the Sale in the above Cause; — I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale should proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am
Sir
your Obedient Servant

Sheriffs Office Madras
9th April 1807 —

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. D Neale Attly at Law dated & received the 8th April 1807 —

Mootoo Comarapah Chitty Uncle & Persl. Represe. of Mootoo Caulatty Chitty Deceased — Plaintiff
Between
and
Ramallah Venatanaranapah — Defendt.

I. Fitzgerald Esqr.
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Take Notice that the premises seized by you under a Writ of Execution in this Cause and now Advertised to be sold are not the property of the Defendant, but they were the Property of the late Cockalose Runzapah Naich — That any title which the Defendant ever could have claimed thereto was as Executor under a Pretended Will setforth by the Defendant — which Will has been proved to be a forgery and the Defendant

Defendant Convicted of perjury for publishing the same as a true Will — and therefore any person claiming this Living under the said pretended Will can make no Title to the Premises — You will please therefore to take Notice that the said Property so seized by You belongs to the Widow of the said Cockalow Rungapah Naick — and that she is now in Receipt of the Rents and profits thereof as Representative of her said husband — and that if You after this Notice shall remain longer in possession or proceed to sell the premises (to which You can make no Title) an Action will be Commenced against You without further Notice Dated this 8th day of April 1807 —

Yours &c
D. Neale
Attys at Law

To Lieut. John Moore
1 Regt N. C.
Hydrabad

John Howard
vrs
John Moore

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose You a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras, and beg You will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof.

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Jno Blyth
Dep.y Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
11th April 1807

Copy of a letter addressed to W.m I. Shaw Esq.r Clerk of the Crown

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of this date "directing the "Sheriff to send to the Public office the Watchmen "who lately apprehended the five Convicts who broke "Goal and were found at large after the sentence of "Transportation had been passed upon them" and to inform you that he has (in consequence) given directions to the Persons to which your letter alludes to attend the Public office accordingly and with as little delay as possible

I am
Sir
your most Obed.t Sev.t
(signed) Jno. Blyth
Dep.y Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 11th April 1807

Captain Grant Superintendant of Police
&c &c &c

Sir

The Peons who has lately taken up the Felons who made their escape out of His Majesty's Goal in Black Town and received the Reward advertized accordingly,

Their Attendance at Public Office of the Clerk of the Crown, is required as soon as possible. I have the Honor
To be Sir
your Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) J. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
13th April 1807

Captn. Grant Superintendant of Police &a. &a. &a.

Sir

I send for your Perusal a Letter I had from Government of date 4th. Febry. by which you will Find I am Authorized to Call on you for Assistance in respect to Peons during the Quarterly Sessions of Oyer and Terminer or at an execution –

I now beg leave to request you will afford me 12 (twelve Peons) during the ensuing Sessions Commencing on the 20th. Instt. –

Sheriff's Office
Madras
17th. April 1807

I Have the Honor
To be Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

The Honble. L. G. K. Murray
Colr. of Madras &a. &a. &a.

Sir

Vencatachella Chitty
vers
Sharavana Chitty & Iyatomby Chitty

In those Causes I some time Since addressed you, saying their was an Execution in my Hands, and requesting you would pay over such sums as was in your Possession to me & you Should have my Receipt accordingly

(To which I received answer that if the Defendants would come forward and Execute the Deed of Sale you would Comply with such request, agreeably to the Executions in my Hands) –

I now therefore send you the Old Deed of Sale and Sharavana Chitty the Principal Defendant and Son of Hellava Chitty whose name appears in the Old Bill of Sale, he is ready to Execute the Title Deeds you require.

You will be pleased in Consequence to pay into my hands the before mentioned Sum with the Interest due thereon, previous to my being obliged to make return to the Supreme Court –

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th. April 1807

I Have the Honor
To be Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras –

Plea Side

Francis Torens – Plts.
and
Strickland Kingston – Def.

Messrs. Harrington & Co.
Gentlemen

A Writ of Execution having Issued against the Property of the above named Defendant to the Amount of One Thousand Six hundred and ninety one Pagodas and Twenty one fanos, notice of which you have had by letter from Mr. J. Sutherland Atty. at Law under date the 17th. Instt. I herewith send one of my Officers with the said Writ and have to beg you will be pleased to pay over the sum therein stated together with my Poundage and other Incidental expences as of accompanying Bill –

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th. April 1807

I am
Gentlemen
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Vencatachella Chitty
vers
Saravana Chitty & Iyatomby Chitty
and
Vencatachella Chitty
vers
Saravana Chitty

To Mr. Robt. Orme
Attys. Plts.
Sir

Annexed is a Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr. D. Neale Atty. at Law – wherein I am directed not to part with any of the Proceeds of Sale of Property Seized and Sold by me in

in the above Cause untill the Matter in dispute Shall be adjusted

Sheriffs Office
Madras
27th April 1807

Iam
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) T. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

The same as above letter Sent to Mr. Disney as Atty for P. M. Comarapah Chitty with the Copy of Mr. Nealos Notice on behalf of Veerabadra Chitty

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Tottycala Comarapah Moody
Brother of Tottycala Condapah
Moodelly deceased
Vers
C. Soobaroya Son & Pe. Repve. of C.
Chengalroy Moodelly Decd.

To
Mr. Robt. Orme
Pth Atty
Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr. Disney atty at Law to Stop the Sale in the above Cause. I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale Should Proceed as in that Case it will necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
27th April 1807

Iam
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

The Honble Company ..... Dr.

To Amount due to Police Peons & others who apprehended the following 2 Convicts who Escaped on the 9th March last from the Felons Goal (Fifty) Pagodas 50.

No.	Names	When retaken	
1.	Careem	7th April 1807	25 Pag.
2.	Pareyatomby	8th April 1807	25 Do
		Totl.	50 Pag.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
1st May 1807

Errs. Ea. (Signed) T. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Francis Torrens
Vers
William Macleod

Wm. Macleod Esqr. Nagapatam
Sir

Herewith I enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

Sheriffs Office
Madras
15th May 1807

Iam
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Charles Darke
Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

Sheriffs Office
Madras
29th April 1807

Iam Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
Thos. Blyth
D. Sheriff

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side Between { Trevengada Mood.r is Pltt and Canagaroy Mood.r son Sp.r Up.r of Nineappan D.d is Defend.r

To

The Hon.ble L. G. R. Murray
Col.r of Madras &c. &c. &c.

Sir

A large Spot of Paddy field Ground Situated in the Village of Tandyarpett being Seized under and by Virtue of a Writt of Execution Issued from the Supreme Court in the above Cause which is Advertized for Sale on the 26.th Instant and being informed the Bill of Sale is lodged in your Office I beg you will be pleased to order the Same with a Plan of the Ground to be delivered over to me as Sheriff that I may convey the Same to the Purchaser

I Have the Honor

to be Sir

Your Most Obed.t Serv.t

(Signed) T Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19.th May 1807

Sheriff's Office 19.th May 1807

M.r Turing Keeper of His M.ys Felons Goal

M.r Blyth having Taken upon him the Duty of Deputy Sheriff again, and in Consequence was Sworn into that Office yesterday - you will obey His Orders in all things Concerning his Office accordingly

(Signed) T Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

The Same as above was Sent to the Debtors Goaler

Edward Atkinson
a.g.
N. Webb & D M Holford

To

Nathaniel Webb Esq.r
Circuit Judge Northern Division
Masulapatam

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Copy of Citation Issued from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am
Sir
Your Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) Tho.s Blyth
D.y Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19.th May 1807

The Same as above was Sent to Capt.n Dennis Montague Holford Commanding Ganjam

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To

Major John Colebrooke
5.th Reg.t N.C. Coyambottore

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am
Sir
your Obed.t Serv.t
Tho.s Blyth
D.y Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20.th May 1807

Fownes Disney Esqr

Vencatachella Chitty
vs
Saravana Chitty and another
and
Vencatachella Chitty vs Saravana Chitty

Sir

In reply to your letter of 20th Instt. in the above Cause rec.d Lation the Eq.y of the 25th to pay into your Office the Security delivered me by the Plaintiff and now in my Hands, I cannot do without an Order of Court, the security was delivered me by the Plt. as that he then thought Sufficient, without any particular requisition of mine, and I do not think I can change that security without an Order of the Supreme Court, and further I presume the Court will not order me to pay such sums away untill the business is finally adjusted.

Sheriffs Office
22d May 1807.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

P.S. You have no less than Served me with four notices to Stop the Sale in this Cause, besides Notices served on me by Mr. Neale and Mr. Sutherland I therefore trust on application to the Court you will Specify those Circumstances —

Paneyoore Lingapauliapah Moodr
ag
Aurany Nellamootoo

Messrs. Abbott & Maitland
Gentlemen

I beg leave to send you for perusal a Side bar rule served on me to produce the Body of the above named Defendant — It will therefore be necessary you either surrender him in discharge of his Bail or pay over the amount of the Debt Costs — I beg you will favor me with an Answer

Sheriffs Office
Madras
29th May 1807

I am
Gentlemen
Your Obedt. Servt.
T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

The Honble Company — — — — — — — — D.

To Amount Due to the Seapoys who Apprehended the Chinny Escaped on the 9th March last from the Felons Goal — Twenty five Pagodas 25 — —

Sheriffs Office
Madras
1st June 1807

Ers. Ea.

T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Para. 1st. I request you will be pleased to transmit to this Office, a detailed List of the Establishment belonging to your Department, including the Jails, as it Stood on the 30th Ultimo —

2d — This List Should Contain the whole Establishment, but Specify the names of those Persons only who are above the Rank or receive pay exceeding that of a Peon, as also the dates when they were first Employed and their Monthly Pay —

3d — Should there be Pensioners who are paid by you, I request you will also be pleased to transmit a List of them as they Stood on the 30th April last, Containing their names, the Annual Amount of their Pensions, & the dates when they first Commenced —

4th. The following Form will be the Most Simple, as it Contains only four Columns, and I request it may be observed, as it is necessary that all the Statements should be prepared in one Form, for the more easy transcribing into the Book of Establishments which they are called for to Complete —

Date of Employment or Pension		Names	Employ	Amount of Monthly Pay or Annual Pension		
				Pagd	f	Cr.

5th. It is of information that this Document Should be transmitted as early as possible —

Fort S. George
Accountant Genl's Office
23d May 1807 —

Ed. V.T.

I am
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Cecil Smith
AG

Cecil Smith Esqr. Accountant General Civil Auditor

&c, &c, &c

Sir

Your letter of the 23d ultimo received on the 2d Inst. desires me to transmit to your Office a detailed List of the Establishment belonging to my Department including the Goals; as it stood on the 30th April I beg leave to submit as follows:

Date of Employment	Names	Employ	Monthly Pay P	Pa	C
1806 Decr 19th	Terence FitzGerald Esqr	Sheriff	100	—	—
1800 Nov. 1st	Thomas Blyth	Deputy Sheriff	60	—	—
1782 Apl	Moorugapah	Head Writer	35	—	—
1804 Feby	Iyahsawmy	2nd Do	7	—	—
1805 Apl	Sababady	3rd Do	5	—	—
1803 Sept 1st	Henry Suntookie	Bailiff	6	—	—
1806 Janry 4th	John Carpenter	Do	4	—	—
July 12th	John Smith	Do	4	—	—
1807 Apl 12th	Moses Davies	Do	4	—	—
		Debtors Goal			
1806 July 1st	Thomas Barker	Goaler	15	—	—
		18 Peons	29	—	—
		2 Toalies	1	35	—
		2 Sweapers	1	3	—
		1 Waterwoman	"	30	—
		2 Braminy Do	3	22	40
		1 Cooley	"	36	40
		Felons Goal			
1805	Francis Twining	Goaler	12	—	—
		18 Peons	27	11	20
		1 Smith	"	35	—
		1 Sweaper	"	24	—
		1 Toaty	"	40	—
		1 Watererwoman	"	30	—
		1 Cooley	"	6	—
		6 Office Peons	12	—	—

I Have now to remark that there are various Charges which differ Monthly owing to the Number of Prisoners in the Goals, and that the Esta=

Establishment is about to be different altogether as soon as the New Goal now finishing is delivered over to me, as the Two Goals now in Seperate parts of Black Town, will then be concentrated in one, Shortly after which I shall have the Honor of Laying before Government the Proposed Establishement.

There are no Pensioners belonging to this Establishment

I Have the Honor
To be Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
(Signed) T. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
4th June 1807

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

John Fullok Sothers

Plea Side

vers

Peter Alexander & Robt Alexander

Messrs Harrington & Co and the following Gentlemen Members of the Madras Laudable Society

Coln T. A. Agnew
4th Dec 1st Lieut Col. John Munro
4th Dec 1st Cecil Smith
Alexander Falconar
J. B. Hurdis
J. Taylor
Alexander Cockburn
4th Dec 1st Joseph Baker
Lieut John Warren
Reverend Doctor Kerr
A. Fitz Gerald
4th Dec 1st J. H. Davies and
4th Dec 1st W. Hardeman

Gentlemen

It having been Represented to me that some Share or Shares of Captain Thomas Lonzan deceased late of the Honble Company Serving in the Madras Laudable Society (to whom you are Agents) are Lodged in your hands and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office

Office in the above Suit the same being the Property of the Defts by Mortgage from the said Captain Thos. Longan —

I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of that said Writ that you are not on any Account to pay over any Share or Shares of Monies or other property of the said Captain Thos. Longan or otherwise part with the same which is now in your hands and belonging to the said Defendants (in prejudice to the said Writ) untill the further Order of this Honble Court. —

I am
Gentlemen
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) J. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
4th June 1807

Tulloh and others
vers
Burdon & Smith

Terence Fitz Gerald Esqr.
Sheriff

Sir

We request that after full payment to Messrs. Francis Lautour & Co. of the Principal Money and Interest assigned to them from the levies in this Suit by Our letter Addressed to the late Sheriff dated 26th September last the further Collections Clear of your Charges may be paid to C. Yazambrum Moodelly to the Amount of Pags. 4000 —

We are Sir
Your very Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Tulloh, Brodie, Halyburton & Co.

Madras
30 Jany 1807

(Signed) J. Sutherland
Atty for Plaintiff

Vencatachella Chitty
vs
Iyabtomby Chitty & another

D. Neale Esqr.

Sir

There has been several Applications made in the above Case towards geting the Money you Allude to out of my Hands notwithstanding the several notices I had been Served with and at this moment the Plaintiff demands of me the whole money levyed Offering Jewels and other Securities as an indemnification —

I am Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) J. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Madras
Sheriffs Office
20th June 1807

Vencatachellah Chitty
vers
Sharavanah Chitty & Iyatomby Chitty
and
Vencatachellah Chitty
vers
Sharavanah Chitty

Townes Disney Esqre.

Sir

In the above Causes the Plaintiff has brought forward for the first time, the Alledged Security in Jewels you mentioned in your former Notice was before Offered for the Purpose of my Delivering over the Amount Monies received in the above Causes; — which is inadequate in at great degree to the Security which I should receive —

Independant of the Notices before mentioned I am this day served with One from Mr. Neale requiring of me Information of what I did with the Monies so received and acquainting me with his Intention of filing a Bill in equity for a Partition of the Family Propertys. —

And One of the Mortgagee for the Sum of 700 Pagodas

Admitted —

Admitted by the Plaintiff himself in the first Cause and for which the 800 Pagodas was lodged in my Hands waits now in the Office for that Sum,—

Sheriff's Office
Madras
20th June 1807

Jam
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

P.S.

I have desired your Client to attend the Sheriffs Office on Monday Next with Sufficient Security agreeably to your Note to me on the Subject

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Madras 19th June 1807

Received from Gilbt. Falconer Esqr. the Sum of Sixty nine Star Pagodas and Two fanams being the Amount due by him to John Burden as ƒ Bill rendered I say received by a Recd. of the Plaintiffs for the same account

Pgs. 69.2

(Signed) T. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

To
Mr. D. Neale

Walter Wilson Mt. Tulloh & others

Sir

Agreeably to your letter of Instructions of yesterday date I have (by Virtue of a Writ of Sequestration in the above Cause) seized at the Custom house Sixty Cases and twenty Casks (said to contain Glass ware) the Property of the above named Defendants as appears by the mark of T.B.H. on each Case and Cask.

As the above stated Property is now in in the Sheriffs charge it is necessary it should be removed to some place of safety, a Godown may be taken for the purpose, Mr. Sherson informed me the Duties must be paid, you will therefore be pleased to let me know if I may direct such charge to be presented to you for payment

Sheriffs Office
Madras 26th June 1807

I Am Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
[illegible]

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side

John Wright, John Edward Branson and James Frank — — — Pltr.
and
Jane Currie Admrix of Thos. Currie Dd. Dfs.

James Waddle — — — Pltr.
and
the Same — — — Dfs.

James Dobbin Admor. of Robt. Robertson Deceased — — Pltr.
and
the Same — — — Dfs.

Messrs. Harington & Co.
Gentlemen

It having been represented to me that some Monies Amounting to the Sum of Five hundred and forty Pagodas or thereabouts belonging to the Estate of the late Captn. Thos. Currie is lodged in your hands as agents for the above Named Defendant and as Three Several Writs of Sequestrations are now in my Office in the above Suits, I hereby give you notice that by Virtue of that said Writs that the said Sum of Five hundred and forty Pagodas is Sequestred — and have to beg you will be pleased to Send the said Amount to my Office —

Sheriff's Office
Madras
30th June 1807

Jam
Gentlemen
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) T. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

To the Seting Majestrate — Justice Office
Fort S. George
Sheriffs Office
June 12th 1807 —

Sir

The Bearer of this is a Peon employed by me, according to an Order of the Supreme Court to Collect the Debts of J Benden, due to the House of Messrs Tulloh & Co — in the Execution of which duty he has been repeatedly he informs me Struck by Lieut Palmer

It unfortunately becomes a duty incumbent on me to beg your receiving the Peons information and proceeding against Lieut. Palmer as the Law directs; so as that I may be ready to answer to the Supreme Court Should I be called upon

I Have the Honor
to be Sir
Your Obedt. Servt
(Signed) T. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

List of Jewels belonging to Mootealoo a Felon Convict —

1 Pair Gold Cummal
1 Do Do Cottery Pavel Mounted with Stones and Pearls
1 Do Silver Cadacum
1 Do Gold Addegay
1 Silver Ring

(Signed) J Shaw
D J Clerk of the Crown

List of Jewells and Brass Articles belonging to Mootegaudoo a felon Convict

1 Gold Necklace Called Pattady
1 Row of Gold Beeds with Potto
1 Pair Silver Paddagum
1 Do Paudy
1 Row of Rubies Containing 60 Stones and an Emerald attached to it
2 Brass Choomboos —

J Shaw
D J Clerk of the Crown

Received the following Jewels belonging to Mootealoo and Mootegaudoo Felon Convicts from the Crown Office

1 Pair Gold Cummel
1 Do Do Cottery Pavel Mounted with Stones & Pearls
1 Do Silver Cadagum
1 Do Gold Addegay
1 Silver Ring
1 Gold Necklace Called Pattady
1 Row of Gold Beeds with Potto
1 Pair Silver Paddagum
1 Do Paudy
1 Row of Rubies Containing 60 (say 75 T Blyth) Stones and an Emerald attached to it —
2 Brass Choomboos

Signed Thos Blyth
D J Sheriff

Madras
2d July 1807.

To
T Fitzgerald Esqr
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I am directed to transmit to you the Jewels and other articles Specified in the Accompanying Lists, being the Goods of Mootegaudoo and Mootealoo, Felons, Convicts, forfeited, in order to their being Sold by you and the Proceeds Paid into the Crown office —

I request you will sign the Accompanying Receipt —

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) John Shaw
D J Clerk of the Crown

Fort S George
1st July 1807

Alexander Anstruther Esq.r
as
Vencata Runga Pillay

Mr James Sutherland
Atty for Plaintiff.

Sir

Herewith you will receive for perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr Wm Light Atty at Law to Stop the Sale in the above Cause Request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale Should proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause —

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
T Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras —
2.d July 1807 —

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr Wm Light dated and Received 2.d July 1807 —

To
Terence Fitzgerald Esq.r
Sheriff of Madras
&c &c &c

Alexander Anstruther Esq.r
as
Vencata Runga Pillay

Sir

I am directed by Sashadry Pillay, Appauvoo Pillay and Seetapathey Pillay to give you Notice not to sell the property seized under an Execution in the above and advertized for Sale on the 4.th Instant as it is the property of an undivided family and which is now in

in dispute on the Equity Side of the Hon.ble the Supreme Court of Judicature

I am
Sir
your obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) Wm Light
atty at Law

Madras
2.d July 1807

(A true Copy)
T Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Alexander Anstruther Esq.r
as
Vencata Runga Pillay

Mr James Sutherland
Atty for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr D: Neale Atty at Law to Stop the Sale in the above Cause Request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale Should proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposit in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am
Sir
your Obedient Servant
T. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
3.d July 1807 —

Turn Over

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr D: Neale dated and received 2d July 1807 —

To
T. FitzGerald Esqr
Sheriff of Madras

In Consequence of an advertisement lately published which purports that on Saturday the 4th July will be sold by Sheriffs Sale a Piece of Ground Situated on the North Side of Kistnamah Naick Tank as the property of Vencatarunga Pillay I furnish to you herewith a Copy of a Notice in Writing respecting the Same Ground which on behalf of Pooleyore Soobaroy Pillay was addressed and delivered to the Sheriff on the 13th September last

Since that period an Action at Law has been Commenced in the Supreme Court by Pooleyore Soobaroy Pillay for recovery of the rent in Arrear from Vencatarunga Pillay and the Same Action is still pending —

I am
Sir
Your very Obedt
Servant
(Signed) D: Neale
Attyt Law

Fort S. George
2d July 1807 —

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side

Sadras Venaiga Moodellias Plaintiff
and
Codoongoore Teagapah Naick Defendt

to Walter Balfour Esquire

Sir

It having been represented to me that some money Amounting to the Sum of Five Hundred Pagodas or thereabouts belonging to the above Named Defendant is now in your Possession and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit, I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of that said Writ that the said Sum of Five hundred Pagodas is Sequestr and have to beg you will be pleased to send the said Amount to my Office

I am,
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) T. FitzGerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
18th July 1807

Copy of Mr Balfours Answer dated 18th July 1807 —

My Dear Sir

I have no money belonging to the Polygar, whose Office was abolished some time ago, but even admitting that I had, you must be perfectly aware that I could not take it upon myself to pay one fanam to any one without the express orders of the Government under whom I have the honor to serve, I remain

My Dear Sir
Yours very truly
(Signed) Walter Balfour

18th July 1807 —

N.B I have written to Mr Obbens upon the Subject

T. FitzGerald Esqre

In the Supreme Court Madras

Plea side

Between Avadanum Paupiah Braminy Plaintiff

and

Trevallore Teagaroy & Kattary Chengleroy Defendants

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Be pleased to Sequester (by Virtue of the Writ of Fieri Facias issued and delivered to you in this Cause) in the hands of Mr. Cachick Alexander or in the hands of any other person to whom the same Money has or may come the Sum of 508 Star Pagodas being a debt owing from the said Cachick Alexander to Kattary Chengleroy one of the Defendants in this Cause Dated this 15th day of July 1807

Yours &c

D. Neale

Pltt. Attorney

In the Supreme Court

Plea side

Avadanum Paupiah Braminy

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Trevallore Teagaroy and

Kettary Chengleroy

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir

You will be pleased to retain in your hands the money you have Sequestred in the hands of Mr Cachick Alexander due as alledged from the Defendant Chengleroy to the above plt. and belonging to him in the Suit of K. Chengleroy agt. him

The Money due by Mr Cachick Alexander to Kettary Chengleroy was as I am informed assigned to one Davaroy Chitty who is my Client & by whose directions I commenced this Suits under a full power for him to use his name in this Action

You will therefore not part with this Money without an indemnity as it is the intention of Davaroy Chitty to commence an action for the recovery

Yours Obediently

(Signed) Wm Light

Madras
17 July 1807

Royajee Braminy

vs

Nabob Cudbeen Mulk Bahauder

Received from the above named Defendant by the hands of Chinnatourby Moodelliar the Sum of Three hundred Star Pagodas as a Security for Bail which sum to be returned on Bail being put in Court in the above Cause or on Production of Counter Warrant -

Thos Blyth
D.J. Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
25th July 1807

Madras 28th July 1807 -

To

Lieut. Lowther

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th Ult. covering a Bill and receipt for Monies paid to Mr. J. Burden and which had been subsequently demanded from you at the Suit of Messrs Tulloh & Co - the Bill having been compared with the Book and found correct, I am directed to return it to you again, the demand having been made under an erroneous entry. -

I am Sir

Yours Obedient Servant

Thos Blyth
D.J. Sheriff

Mr J. Deering

Madras 31st July 1807

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to acknowledge the receipt of yours of the 24th Instt. covering an Order on Messrs Waddle & Co for three hundred and Eighty eight Pagodas & ten fanams (388.10. -) at Twenty days Sight in full of Mr Burdens demand, the draft was duly accepted and on payment made I will inform you and send you the necessary receipt

I herewith enclose you your former Bill which was Protested - an expence of Eighteen (18) Rupees has occurred as you will se by the Notary Publics Acknowledgement endorsed on it - you will be so good as send an order for that sum also. -

I remain Sir

Your most Obedient Servant

Thos Blyth
D.J. Sheriff

Sasiah Bramy
vs
Ramasawmy Iyar

To
J Fitzgerald Esqr
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

The accompanying letter is just brought to me by the Serg. Major of the Fort to receive in charge the above named Defendant but as he is not released from the debt (to which object your letter alludes) I have not complied with the request of the Town Major to deliver him over now –

The Defendant is still in Goal and as I understand your order to me is to release him only when discharged in a legal manner from the debt I shall hold him in Custody untill such release comes to the Office keeping in my mind that when such release does come, then, and then only, to deliver him over to the Officer duly authorized to receive him, of which I will give notice to the Town Major –

If I should have misconceived your Instructions please to correct me –

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
D J Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
½ past 6 PM
12th August 1807

To
Major R Barckley
Town Major Fort St George

Sir

The bearer hereof called at the Sheriffs Office to receive in charge a Person named Raumasawmy Iyer at present confined in the Debtors Goal – as he is not released from the Debt for which he is confined, and as the Sheriffs directions to me is to deliver him over to your order when discharged from the Process of the Court I still consider him a Prisoner untill such release comes to the Office, of which I will not fail to give you timely notice –

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
Dep Y Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
12th Aug 1807

Public Department

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir

The New Goal having been reported to have been completed I am directed by the Right Honble the Governor in Council to apprize you of this circumstance in order that the Prisoners under your Custody may be removed at such time as may be proper, to the New Goal –

I am
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) G Buchan
Chief Secy to Govr

Fort St George
12th August 1807

(Signed) Thos Sydenham
Ed

(A true Copy)
J Fitzgerald
Sheriff

To the Honble Sir Thomas Andrew Strange Knight
Chief Justice &c &c &c

Sir

I beg leave to lay before you a Copy of a letter Recvd from the Chief Secretary to Government Respecting the New Goal and wait the Instructions of the Supreme Court thereon

I Have the Honor
to be Sir
Your Obedient Servt
(Signed) J. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
13th August 1807

The same as above letter with the Copy of the Secretaries Letter Accompanied thereon Sent to the Honble Sir Henry Gwillim Kt 1st Puisne Justice and the Honble Sir Benjamin Sulivan Kt 2d Puisne Justice on the 13th Augt.

My Dear Sir

I understand there will be a joint Letter to yourself, Mr. Totten and me desiring of us to inspect the New Goal preparatory to the Court directing the Removal of the prisoners, if convenient to yourself and Mr. Totten, I would propose Meeting there sometime on Monday next it will be necessary however, that Capt. Fraser should accompany us, will you have the goodness to drop him a line, and fix any hour upon Monday after 11 Oclock

Yours truly
(Signed) Gilbert Ricketts

15th Augt. 1807

To J. Fitzgerald Esqr
Sheriff

To
S. D. Totton Esqr
Clerk of the Crown

Sir

I have the honor to enclose you Copy of a letter from Mr Ricketts to the Sheriff on the Subject of the New Goal and as I understand it is the wish of the Chief Justice that an Inspection should take place as early as possible may I beg to know if Mr Ricketts proposition meets your convenience

I have the honor to be
Sir your most Obed. Servt
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Under Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 15th Augt 1807

Public Department

To the Sheriff of Madraspatnam

Sir,

I am directed by the Right Honble the Governor in Council to transmit, for your Information and guidance, the accompanying Extracts of a Letter from the Honble the Court of Directors in the Public Department under date the 10th. February last, and of the orders which have been passed in consequence by His Lordship in Council.

I am,
Sir,
your Most obed. Servt.
(Signed) G.G. Keble
Secy to Govt.

Fort St George
12th August 1807

Ld
Lieut Lyndham

x 99

Extract of a General Letter from England in the Public Department dated 10th February 1807.

167 & 177. Respecting the escape of W. Babrick from Goal where he had been confined for Debt.

155. A sufficient secure and wholesome Goal is an object to be provided for at the public expense. We are much surprized that the repeated presentments of the Grand Jury and other notices, which our Government received of the insufficiency of the Goal at Madras should have been so little attended to. If the escape of W. Babrick arose, as is supposed, solely from the insecurity of the Prison in which he was confined and without any default either of the Sheriff or his Goaler or Officers, we cannot disapprove of your having relieved him from the responsibility which attached upon

upon him as a Public Officer. In giving this qualified approbation of your liberality towards Mr. Dalrymple, it is upon the presumption that he and his Officers took every precaution in their power to guard against an event, which the state of the Prison must have induced them to expect. The want of security in the building, required a proportionate increase of vigilance in the Sheriff and Goaler, and would by no means give a legal right to seek an indemnity from the Company most injurious consequences might arise if it was to be erroniously supposed that any such right existed, or that the liberality exercised towards Mr. Dalrymple, would be admitted as a precedent on any future occasion; and therefore we direct that it may be explained to every person called to the Office of Sheriff, that it is his duty to provide Guards in proportion to the insecurity of the Prison, and that no relief will be given on any pretence whatever against any loss he may sustain, or be liable to by reason of the escape of any Prisoner.

156 For the reasons we have already given, we approve of Your providing a new Goal, in which we direct that Your attention shall be drawn to the security and health of the place, combined with the strictest economy.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 3. July 1807.

The Board beg to observe that they would not have relieved W. Dalrymple from the responsibility which he had incurred; if they had not been satisfied that the escape of W. Babrick was exclusively owing to the insufficiency of the Goal. This inconvenience has been now obviated by the construction of a new Goal, and the Board were only restrained from an earlier adoption of that measure, from the desire of avoiding if possible, the necessity of incurring a heavy charge for that purpose.

Ordered that a Copy of these Paragraphs be furnished to the Sheriff for his information and guidance.

True Extracts
G.G. Keble
Secy to Govt.

Ld
W Crampton

x 99

Paupammah
vers
Paulapalthe Venkamah

Mr. James Sutherland
atty for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr F. Disney atty for Causy Chitty to Stop the Sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Claint that the Sale should proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servant
J Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
19th Augt. 1807

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr Fro: Disney atty for Causey Chitty dated & received 18th August 1807

Supreme Court
Plea Side

Paupammah
vers
Paulapalthee Venkammah

J Fitz Gerald Esqr.
Sheriff
Sir

Take notice that the Materials of a House Situated in Moottall Pettah No. 20 Catchaleesbaran Pagoda in Agraram Street Seized by you as Sheriff of Madras and

advertized for Sale on Thursday 20th Instants by Virtue of a Writ of Execution which issued in this Cause was Mortgaged by the Defendant above named to Causy Chitty for 164 Star Pagodas & 18 fanams which Sum with interest Still remains due to Causy Chitty as by the Original Title Deeds left at my office to produce when required will appear

I therefore Caution you against Disposing of the said Materials under Such Writ of Execution at your Peril without payment to my Client

yours &c
(Signed) Frownes Disney
atty for Causy Chitty

Fort S. George
18th August 1807

(A true Copy) J Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Chase & other
agt
R Crewe

Lieuth. Richard Crewe
1st Bn. 23d Rt. N.I. Vellore

Sir,

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the receipt thereof, I am
Sir your Obedt. Servt.
Thos. Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras 22d Aug 1807

the same as above letter in the same Plts. Wrote to Charles May Lushington Esqr. Rajamandry and to Wm. Godfrey Esqr. Invalids Condapellay of the same date

Vallavadoo Armogum Moodelliar
vers
Mily Mootiah Moodelliar

Chinny Iyasawmy Moodelliar

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Subpoena from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof and Attend accordingly

Sheriff's Office
Madras
4th Sept 1807

Your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
Dy Sheriff

David Potter
agt
Vineatachella Naick

Nellamootoo

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Subpoena from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof and Attend Accordingly

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10th Septr 1807

Thos Blyth
Dy Sheriff

William Peters
vs
John Lambe

Lieut John Lambe
1st Bn 17th Regt Tellicherry

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
Deptg Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
11th Sept 1807

The Seperate letters having been forwarded to Lieut Edward Sweetland 2d Bn 15th Regt Wallajabad, Lieut Geo: Llevellyn H:M: 12th Regt Foot Cannanore, Lieut Penford King 2d Bn 6th Regt Quilon, Lieut Wm Stewart Smith 2d Bn 19th Regt Goa and Lieut B.E. Tichborne 8th Regt Native Cavalry Hydrabad -

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John Edward Branson & others
vers
John Baxter

Lieut John Baxter
2d Bn 21 Regt N.I. Hydrabad -

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am Sir your Obedt Servt
Thos Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras 16th Sept 1807

The Seperate letters having forwarded to the folls of Persons Issued by the Pts above named -

Lieut Francis Bowman
1st Bn 7th Regt N I Sankery Droog
Lieut Edgar Foster
1 Bn 14 Regt N I Sheedasheyger
Lieut John Wm Browne
2d Bn 10 Regt N I Hydrabad
Lieut John Ford
1st Bn 2d Regt N I Poonah

Lieut Hugh Dalrymple
8th Regt N.C. Hydrabad
Capt H Y Cranstown
1 Bn 2d Regt N I Seringapatam
Capt G J Pepper 1 Bn 2d Regt N I Seringapatam
Lieut John Cozens
H M 80 Regt Seringapatam

Thos. Chase, John Chenney, John McDonald & Gt. Watts
vers
William M. Leod Esqr.

To William M. Leod Esqr.

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to acknowledge the receipt thereof

Sheriffs Office Madras 23d. Sept. 1807 — I am Sir Your Obedient Servant

Signed Thos. Blyth
under Sheriff

The same Plaintiffs agt. Peter Alexander & Richd. Alexander Summons enclosed in a letter as above and forwarded to Masulipatam on the same day

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To George Garrow Esqr.
Superintendant of Police

Sir

Be pleased to Direct 12 Peons as Usual to the Felons Goal on Wednesday next the 7th Instant at 8 O'Clock in the Morning to Escort the Prisoners from thence to the Court House and to Attend during the Sessions, —

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
T. FitzGerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
5th October 1807

To the Honble. Sir Thomas Andrew Strange Knight
Chief Justice &c. &c. &c.

Sir

The Enclosed Copy of a Letter received this day Notifying that the New Goal is now ready to be delivered over to me —

I beg leave to lay the same before you that an order may be passed for the Removal of the Prisoners from the Old Goals —

I Have the Honor
to be with Respect
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) T. FitzGerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
7th October 1807

The same as above were sent to both Sir Henry Gwillim Kt. 1st Puisne Justice and Sir Benjamin Sullivan Kt. 2d Puisne Justice

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Pauliam Arnachellah Chitty
vers
Ajee Labbay

Mr. Daniel Neale Plaintiffs Attly

Sir

Herewith You will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr. Wm. Light Attly for Ebranjee Maistry to Stop the Sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of Your Client that the Sale should proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or deposite in Cash sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) T. FitzGerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
8th October 1807

Turn over

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. William Light Atty for Ebranjee Maisthy Dated and Received the 8th October 1807 —

To Terence Fitzgerald Esqr.

Sheriff &c. Madras

I am directed by Ebranjee Maisthy to give you Notice that the Property Seized by you in a Suit wherein Pauliam Aromachellah Chetty is Plaintiff and Ajee Labbay Maisthy is is Defendant but Joint and undivided property of the family of which the above Defendant is a member and that the same has been mortgaged by him without the knowledge of my Client —

You will therefore take Notice after this explanation and act accordingly —

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Wm. Light
Atty for

Madras
8th October 1807

Public Department

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir,

I am directed by the Hon'ble the Governor in Council to inform you that the New Goal for the Town of Madras has been reported ready for the reception of Prisoners, and that the Superintending Engineer has been instructed in consequence to deliver it over to you on your application for that purpose

I am,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) G. G. Keble
Actg Chief Secy
to Govt.

Fort S. George
3d October 1807

Ex. W. Crampton

George Garrow Esquire
Superintendant of Police
&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

By an order of Court, I am directed, to cause the Prisoners now in the Goals of Madras to be Removed without delay to the New Goal, delivered over to me by order of Government —

I Have therefore to beg you will order 24 of your Peons to attend me at my Office tomorrow by Ten o'Clock —

I Have the Honor
to be Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) T. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
9th October 1807

To
The Sheriff of
Madras —

Sir,

I have to inform you that Government has been pleased to fix the pay of all Peons employed in the public Offices at the Presidency at Pagodas 2 7 Month and 3 Pagodas half yearly for Clothing —

(Circular)

I am
Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.
Cecil Smith
Ag

Fort S. George
Accountt. Genl's Office
2d October 1807

Exd
JM.

To the Honorable the Judges
of the Supreme Court
of Judicature
at Madras

Honble Sirs,

In Conformity to an Order of Sessions made on the 10th day of October 1807, I have Caused the Various Prisoners in my Custody to be removed from the Old to the New Goal, and in the distribution of the said Prisoners, throughout the Several Appartments of the said New Goal, I have Caried to be Separated those Committed on the Criminal Side of the Court, so far as Could be Conveniently done, as well in Respect to Persons Committed for Trial and persons Committed in Execution, as also in Cases, between European and Natives, persuant to Your Committees Report on that Head bearing date 17th Augt 1807- as also of Your Order of the 10th Instant

I Have the Honor
To be Honble Sirs
Your most Obedient
and Humble Servant
J. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
13th October 1807

The above Letter was drawn into Three Several Copies & Sent the Three Judges

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Copy of an Order of Sessions made on the 10th Day of October 1807.

It having been Represented to the Honorable the Judges of this Court by the Sheriff that the Building recently erected and fitted up at Vellore Commonly Called Allapauldom in the Black Town of Madras for the Safe Custody and Accommodation of the Prisoners of this Court is now ready to be Delivered to him on the part of Government and is in every Respect fit for the immediate Reception, It is hereby Ordered, That he do forthwith take Charge of

of the same, and with all Practicable expedition remove thereto all Prisoners now in his Custody, and not before Discharged, or that shall be in his Custody at the time of such Removal, this Court hereby Adopting and Constituting the said building as the Goal thereof, And in the Performance of this Order, the said Sheriff is hereby directed to take due Care to Prevent escapes, and in the distribution of the said Prisoners throughout the Several apartments of the said New Goal to Separate those Committed on the Civil from those Committed on the Criminal Side of the Court, distinguished, with respect to the latter, so far as can Conveniently be done, between Persons Committed for Trial and Persons Committed in Execution, as also in all case, between European and Natives; persuant to a Report made to the Judges on the Subject by the said Sheriff and others, bearing date the 17th of August 1807. And the said Sheriff is hereby Lastly directed, so soon as the said Removal shall be effected, to make a Report in Writing of the Manner in which this Order shall have been performed by him, to the Judges of this Court-

A true Copy
John Shaw
Deputy Clerk of the Crown

T. Fitzgerald Esqre Sheriff
S. D. Totton Esqre Clerk of the Crown
G. Ricketts Esqre Register & Prothy.

August 15th 1807-

Gentlemen

The Sheriff of Madras having from the information of Government reported the Completion of the new Goal, previously to the issuing of any Order for the removal of the Prisoners into it, it has occurred to the Judges that it should be visited and inspected on the part of the Court, to ascertain its fitness, and adjust in the first instance a Suitable distribution according to their respective classes; They have accordingly agreed to nominate you

You for the purpose; and, considering the Object in view, and that there is some Sickness in the Old Goal at this Moment, the Sooner the Service proposed is performed, the better. You will therefore take the earliest opportunity of repairing to the new Goal, and Conferring together what may appear to you to be the best arrangement to be adopted, having regard as well to the different description of prisoners with reference to Crime and debt, and the degrees of Crime before and after Conviction, as to the distinction between European and Native - In your Report to the Judges upon the Subject, which they request may be made as soon as possible, you will include any Suggestion you shall think proper, as conducive to the health the decent department, reasonable comfort, or Security of the Prisoners -

I have the honor to be
Gentlemen,
Your Obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) H. Strange -

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To the Honble the Judges
of the Supreme Court
of Judicature
at Madras

Honble Sirs,

Para 1st In Conformity with the Directions which we had the Honor to receive from you We have this day in company with the Superintending Engineer Visited and inspected the New Goal and we think we can with Safety State, that the Buildings with the exception of some few alterations which we think will essentially Contribute to the Comfort and Security of the Prisoners, are sufficiently large and Commodious for the Purposes for which they are intended -

2. We

2 We take the Liberty of Suggesting in reference to a Distribution of the Several apartments that the whole of the upper Part of the Building should be set apart for the Confinement of European Debtors Solely Except in the Event of the Goal being Unusually Crowded, when the most respectable of the Native Debtors might be Accommodated with detached rooms above. That the Two lower Ranges in the Debtors Court be allotted entirely to Natives. -

3 The Alterations that We Propose are that Doors should be made in a Piece of the Dead Walls devideing the Southern and Near Rooms of the Front Range of Upper apartments to Promote a greater Circulation of Air for the Health of the Europeans - That the Upper Arcades Commanding a view of the Felons Court below should be enclosed with Iron Lattice Gratings in Order to Prevent the Felons getting into the Debtors Wards which they otherwise might easily effect with a little Assistance -

4 Having visited the various apartments We find that the Felons Goal Consists of two Distinct Courts with two Wards and two Cells attached to each, the one of the latter being more Capacious is intended for Europeans the other for the Native generally, We would Suggest that the Wooden Outer Door of the Cells be taken away and Iron Grating Doors substituted in their room and that two Bulls Eye Windows be made in each of them above the Doors. This alteration will admit a greater quantity of air and at the same time Prevent Exposure of the Condemned Felon to the other Prisoners -

5. The Sheriff having brought to our Notice the late unfortunate Occurrence that took place Just previous to the Execution of the last European Criminal William Parkinson

Parkinson has induced as to Suggest that the Wells be Covered with a Wooden Grating bound with Iron with a Small Door in the center for the Convenience of the Prisoners Drawing Water.

6 Averting to the Proportion in Number between the European and Native Prisoners We think that one of the Felons Wards Should be set a part for the Confinement (before Conviction) of Europeans and the remaining three Felons Wards for the various Casts of Natives - There being a Sufficient Number of Conveniences - a Similar Distribution may be made for the Europeans and various Casts of Natives -

7 We have remarked that the Goal is well ~~supplied~~ Supplied with Water -

8 For the Convenience of the Double Guard Constantly Stationed at the Outer and Inner Gates of the Goal We recommend that Guard rooms Covering the Gate Ways be erected at each the Walls to be carried up upon a Level with the wall to which it is attached -

9 We Cannot Avoid representing to the Judges that the Open Space Surrounding the New Goal is at present a receptacle for Filth of every Discription from the daily resort to it by the Natives - We therefore recommend that effective Measures be adopted for removing this Nuisance which may eventially in our Opinion Prove Prejudicial to the Health of the Prisoners -

10. Should these alterations be approved and adopted We think that the removal of the Prisoners may instantly take place the Superintending Engineer having informed us that the alterations above recommended can be effected without Inconvenience to the Security of the Goal in the meantime -

In every other respect We think the New Goal is well Calculated for the accommodation Comfort Convenience as well as Security of the Prisoners -

We have the Honor to be
Hon'ble Sirs
Your most Obed.
& Humble Serv.
(Signed) T Fitzgerald
J D Tolson

Fort S George
17th August 1807

To
G. G. Keble Esquire
Actg Chief Secy to Government
&c &c &c

Sir.

I beg you will be pleased to lay before His Honor the Governor in Council the Enclosed letters from Mr. Blyth Deputy Sheriff of Madras, detailing to me the Circumstances of an attempt made by Captain M. H. West of the Hon'ble the Companys Native Cavalry to effect his escape from the Old Debtors Goal of Madras when in Custody there under Several Arrests Amounting in all to no less a Sum than Pas 2991. Fs. 42. Cs. 20 Knowing the insecurity of the Old Goal and receiving a Communication that day, that an Order had been passed by the Judges of the Supreme Court to remove the Several prisoners to the New Goal as Soon as possible -

I trust on the perusal of those letters written me by the Depy Sheriff my own Strict enquirys after and Captn. Wests Confession of his Intention to get to Tranquebar with the Chief Justice of the Supreme Courts approval Sanction to an Application to be made to Government for a Reward the Peon Vencatapaty, who with Such Vegelance, was the Cause of apprehending and Securing the said Captain West such reward might be a Medal - to be wore round the Peons Neck or Such other as may Seem most just to His Honor the Governor in Council -

I Have the Honor
To be Sir
Your Obed.
& very Humble Servt.
(Signed) T Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
16th October 1807

To
J. FitzGerald Esq.re
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I am Concerned to State to you that Capt.n West made an Attempt this Evening about Eight O'Clock to escape from the Debtors Goal but being (from his appearance) Suspected and followed by one of the Peons, who never Lost Sight of him he was Retaken before he had proceeded many Yards.

He had disguised himself as a Woomman by which means he eluded the Vezilance of the Peons Stationed at the Door through which he passed but luckely not remarked for having blacked his face too much it struck the Attention of the one of the Peons (not Immediatly on Guard) and induces him to follow and ask him what his was and on his (Capt.n West) offering Money to permit him to pass the Peon immediatly Secured him and Conducted him safe back to the Goal -

as this circumstance might Stimulate other Prisoners to make the like Attempt particularly on the eve of their Removal (as they all know) to a place of greater Security and for the better Security of the Present Debtors Goal I have procured and Stationed a Military Guard in and out side of the Prison untile the removal takes Place

While I condemn the in attention and want of vegilance in the two Peons Stationed at the Door I cannot sufficiently praise the Conduct of the one who Diserted and followed him, I therefore beg to Recommend him to your Notice as deserving of some Remuneration - The Goaler was very alert and assisted immediatly Captain West having a brace of Pistols in his Room I secured them no other Weapons are there -

The Goal is now in perfect Tranquility - I am anxious to Remove as soon as possible -

I have the Honor
to be Sir
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) Tho.s Blyth
Dep.y Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
Past 9 P.M.y Oct 1807

To
J. FitzGerald Esq.re
Sheriff of Madras.

Sir

In my letter to you last night I mentioned the Circumstance of Capt.n West having Attempted to effect his escape from the Debtors Goal and of his having been Secured through the exertions of one of the Peons whose name is Vencatapathy -

I now perform a pleasing part of my Duty in again Recommending that Peon to your Kind Notice as a Servant in your Department well worthy some distinguished Mark of Approbation for his Zealous Conduct in discovering and Securing the Person of Capt.n West after he had eluded the vegilence of the Peons and Guard and had actually got on the Outside of the Goal -

Should this Peon be Rewarded (and I make no doubt you Conceive with me that he merits some Remuneration for his good Conduct) I think it will act as a Stimulous to all the other Peons in the Sheriffs Department to be equally watchfull and Zealous in a due performance of their Duty -

I have the Honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) Tho.s Blyth
Dep.y Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
10th October 1807

Col.^e Nicholson

Adj.^t Genl Kings Army -

Sir -

I beg leave to lay before you the enclosed letter sent me by the Goaler of the Felons Goal by which you will find there is there an Unfortunate Lunatic belonging to His Mys 34 Reg.^t Sent down from Bellary for Murder. His State is truly watched being left distitute of Cloathing of every Kind excepting that on his Back on the day he was brought to Prison -

I trouble you with this as the proper Channel I suppose for obtaining Cloathing for the unfortunate Prisoner

I have the Honor

to be Sir

Your Obed.^t Servt

(Signed) T: FitzGerald

Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
16.th October 1807

Jafferjee Ismalljee Saib
Bunne Beebe

To Mr. Daniel Neale
Att.^y for Plaintiff

Sir,

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr. Fownes Disney Att.^y at Law to stop the sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale should proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or Deposite in Cash sufficient to cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am, Sir, your Obedient Servant

T. FitzGerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
20.th October 1807

Copy of a Notice Addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. Fownes Disney Att.^y at Law Dated and received the 19.th October 1807. -

Jafferjee Ismalljee Saib
Bunne Beebe

Supreme Court
Plea Side

T. FitzGerald Esqr
High Sheriff.

Sir,

Take Notice that the House & Ground Situated at Mootall-pettah in Moor Street No. 154 Seized by you as Sheriff and Advertized for sale on the 29.th Instant by Virtue of a Writ of Execution which Issued in the above cause is not the property of the above Named Defendant, but is the property of Sauhib Nebee to whom the same was given as her Marriage portion by her late Father Meeah Cawn to whom the said House and Ground belonged, as will fully appear by the Decision made and given by the Cauzee in a certain dispute between the said Sauhib Nebee and her Mother the Defendant above Named

I hereby caution you against proceeding in the sale of the said Premises at your peril -

Yours &c.

(Signed) Fownes Disney
Att.^y

19.th Octr 1807 -

To
Mr Daniel Neale
attly for Plaintiff

Coolapanjary Iyah Moodelliar
vert
Yagataul Akelandam and Chinglevaroyen

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr Thomas A: Browne attly for Canneammal to stop the sale in the above Cause I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale should Proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause —

I am
Sir
your very Obedt. Servant
T: Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
2d November 1807

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr Thos. A: Brown attly for Conneamal Dated and received the 3rd October 1807 —

Supreme Court
Pleaside
T: Fitz Gerald Esqr.
High Sheriff

Coolapanjary Iyah Moodelliar
vert
Yagataul Akelandam and Chinglevaroyen

Sir

I am directed by Canneammale the Widow and lawful personal representative of Taneachella Moodelly deceased to give you notice that the Premises seized by you in Execution in this Cause as the property of the above named Defendants and advertized for sale on Monday next the second November are not the property of the said Defendants nor have they or either of them any right thereto But that the same were the property of Taneauchellum in his Life time and that after his decease my client Canneammaul as his widow became entitled to the same according to the laws of the Hindoos —

After this Notice I trust you will not proceed in the sale of the Premises —

I am Sir your very Obedt.
(Signed) Thos. A. Browne

3rd Octo. 1807 —

Jaladoo Cundapah Chitty Personal representative of Jaladoo Singanah Chitty deceased
vert
Narrain Chitty and Paupoo Chitty sons & pl. representatives of Attooloory Padamanaba Chitty deceased —

To
Mr Townes Disney
attly for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr Wm Light attly for P: Vencatasa Pillay as mortgage in the above Cause I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale should Proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause —

I am
Sir
your Obedt. Servant
T: Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
4th November 1807

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr Wm Light attly for Vencatasa Pillay Dated and received the 3d Nov. 1807 —

Jaladoo Cundapah Chitty pl. repr. of Jaladoo Singana Chitty deceased —
vert
Narrain Chitty and Paupoo Chitty sons & pl. repr. of Attaloory Padmanaba Chitty deceased —

Supreme Court
Pleaside
T: Fitz Gerald Esqr.
Sheriff &a. Madras

Sir

I am instructed by Pootundalum Vencatasa Pillay to give you Notice that the premises seized by you in the above Cause and advertized for Sale on the 5th day of November Instant is mortgaged to him you will therefore be pleased to take Notice and act accordingly

I am Sir
your most Obedt. Servant
Signed Wm Light —
attly for P: Vencatasa Pillay

Madras
3d November
1807

John Kenworthy, James Balfour
and Thomas Parry
vers
Clement John Cozens

Lieut. C. J. Cozens
H M 80th Regt. foot Seringapatam

Sir,

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summ. from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to acknowledge the receipt thereof

Sheriffs Office
Madras 5th Nov 1807

I am
Sir
your Obed Servt
Thos Blyth
D J Sheriff

The same as above letter by the same Plaintiffs forwarded to Captain Nicholas M. Smyth on the Same day - 1st Bn 14 Regt N. I. Sydashygar

Thomas Chase, John Chinnery
John McDouall and Edwd Watts
vers
William Kinsley

Captn Wm Kinsley
1st Bn Artillery Seringapatam

Sir,

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summ. from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to acknowledge the receipt thereof

Sheriffs Office
Madras 5 Nov 1807

I am
Sir
your Obed Servt
Thos Blyth
D J Sheriff

The same as above letters by the same Plaintiffs forwarded to the foll. Gentlemen on the same day as follows -

Lieut. James Hampton
1st Bn 7th Rt N. I. Sankery drug
Lieut. James Dennett Webber Rand
2d Bn 4th Regt N. I. Aska
Lieut. Frederick Godfrey
2d Bn 19th Regt N. I. Goa
Lieut. James Cavendish
H M 12th Regt foot -

John Tulloh, Wm D Brodie and
George Halyburton
vers
Runga Pillay

Mr Robert Orme
Atty for Plaintiffs

Sir

Herewith you will receive for perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr Gilbert Ricketts Atty for Keelaunoor Soobramoneya Pillay to stop the sale in the above Cause - I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale should proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash to Sufficient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am
Sir
your Obed Servt
F Fitzgerald Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
10th Nov 1807 -

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr Gilbt Ricketts dated & received 9th Nov 1807 -

In the Supreme Court
Madras
Plea Side

John Tulloh, Wm D Brodie &
George Halyburton
vers
Rungah Pillay -

Terence Fitzgerald Esqr
Sheriff of Madras -

Sir -

I am instructed by Keelaunoor Soobramoneya Pillay to give you Notice that the two Houses Situated at Peddanaigs Pettah between the House of Nellatomby Moodelly and Pillian Pagoda Seized by you as the Property of the Defendant under a Writ of Execution in the above Cause, were by him (amongst other Property) Mortgaged to Soobramoneya Pillay on the Second day of October last for the Principal Sum of Eight Thousand One hundred and Ninety Pagodas as will appear by the Mortgage Bond and title Deeds in his Possession, ready to be produced to you; and that the whole of the said Sum with Interest is still due - I have therefore on behalf of Soobramoneya Pillay to request that your Seals may be forthwith removed from the Houses and premises so Seized by you -

I am Sir your Obed Servt
(Signed) Gilbt Ricketts
Atty for Keelaunoor Soobramoneya Pillay

Fort St George
9th November 1807

Sheriff's Department

To George Gilbert Keble Esquire

Acting Chief Secretary to Government
&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

I beg you will be pleased to lay this Letter with the enclosed Papers before His Honor the Governor in Council. N.1 & 2 are Indents for Oil and Necessarys &c. wanting for the use of the New Goal taken possession of very lately - this being an extension building and upon a Scale Hitherto unknown at this Residency I trust the necessity of an Application of this kind will be Obvious ten Pagodas per month was allowed for the Old Goals and this Application is only for an extension to about 18. the Application was made by the Goalers whom a Committee was ordered by the Court Attended Capt. Fraser of the Engineers &c. - Mr. Ricketts Register of the Court myself and it appeared to us the Application was Just and Correct

N.3 is a Letter from Mr. Blyth Deputy Sheriff requesting that I would lay before the Governor and Council the necessity that the Writers of the Sheriffs Establishment might be allowed to be drawn for, as well as the other Charges in the Monthly Indent, on a reference to the books, and Head Writer who is in that Office (about 27) I find that 30 years back an Allowance of 5 Pagodas per Month was granted for a Writer, from some (it appears to me neglect) no Sheriff has ever applied for an extension of this sum the business of the Office increasing in so much that 52 Pagodas p.r Month is paid to Writers - it must be Obvious that the Head Writer (27 years) in the Office must and has gained extensive Knowledge, and particularly as the increase of business of late years is so much, and the Supreme Court requiring such due Attention and strict execution of the process of the Court, the Head Writers Salary

increased accordingly. And it was Actually found necessary to employ two more those Writers never having been paid previous to April last by any Sheriff out of his Salary, I made a personal Representation of the same to Lord William Bentinck stating, as I thought, that it would be better have the same appear in the Indent, not considering the mode of payment previously adopted a Just one, Lord William was so good as to say, that as I was about to get possession of the New Goal shortly he thought it would be the most proper time to make application for the same, and that from the Justness of the Request, he had no reason to think it would be Objected to in Council, from this time (April last) I paid out of my own Salary (100 Pagodas p.r Month) thirty four Pagodas 30 fan.s and out of the Deputy Sheriffs (60 Pagodas per Month) he paid 17 Pag.s 15 fan.s Reducing my Salary to 65. 15 - and that of the Deputy Sheriffs to 42 Pag.s 30 fan.s, as I am now Shortly to retire from the Office I beg leave to State, - that the Salarys of the Sheriff and Dep.ty are so Moderate already that no Deduction ought to be made therefrom, and that as the present establishment of Writers are Actually necessary, I hope the same will be taken into the Consideration of His Honor the Governor and Council and that conceiving from my experience in that Office and from my Representation that this mode ought to be adopted to Lord William Bentinck in April last the same has ever since been carried into effect. I therefore trust I may be remunerated in the Sums paid to Writers, and I would also Hope the same may be Continued in future.

I further beg leave to inform you for the Information of His Honor the Governor in Council that the Old Goals &c. &c. are Delivered over to the Charge of Capt.n Fraser of the Engineers

J.

I Have the Honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. FitzGerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
12th Novr 1807

No 1

Monthly Indent of Sundry Articles Wanted for the use of the Debtors Goal

Lamp Oil	Measures		24
Cocoanut Oil	℔		12
Candles	℔		5
Large Pots	No		24
Small Pots			52
Sondys			52
Mondayi			52
Large Chattys			52
Small ℔			52
Frying ℔			52
Lamps			18
Tea Kettles			24
Foshams			24
Mollies			52
Guglets			40
Matts			52
Brooms			40
Ropes			40
Baskets			6
Large Wall Lamps for Upstairs		1	These Articles are drawn Annually or as Occasion may require
Wall Lamps		8	
Hand Lanthorns		1	

Debtors Goal
12th Novr 1807
Signed Thos Barker
Goaler

No 2

Monthly Indent of Sundry Articles Wanted for the use of the Felons Goal

Gram Pots	No	16	
Water Pots		18	
Rice Pots		12	
Sondys		30	
Large Chatties		30	
Small ℔		30	
Large Frying ℔		12	
Small ℔		12	
Mollays		24	
Mondays		24	
Lamps		12	
Guglets		24	
Tea Kettles		12	
Small Earthen Ovens		12	
Matts		49	
Broom Bundles		20	
Ropes		18	
Baskets		4	
Lamp Oil Measures		20	
Cocoanut Oil		8	
Wax Candles	℔	5/2	
Wall Lamps		8	These Articles are drawn Annually or as Occasion may require
Hand Lanthorns		1	

Felons Goal
12th Novr 1807
Signed Moses David
Goaler

No 3

Jerome Fitzgerald Esquire
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

Having had frequent applications from the Goalers complaining of the Insufficiency of the Oil and other Sundry Articles drawn for the use of the Goals and Incessant complaints from the Prisoners on the same subject I desired the Goalers on being removed to the new Goal to state the case to You and prepare and deliver a list accordingly this having been done Yesterday when You and Mr Erasmus were at the Goal I take leave to remind You of it and request You will be pleased to apply to the Honble the Governor for an encrease of the Sundry Articles as set forth in the Indent delivered to You by the Goalers, the Articles supplied to the late Goals were not more then half sufficient particularly the Article of Oil, and as the new Goal is much larger and the Prisoners greatly increased in Number of late I trust You will see the necessity of the application

As You will have occasion to refer the above application to Government, I beg you will also be pleased, at the same time, to state my frequent applications to You on the subject of the Writers in the Sheriffs Office whose pay has been a source of constant anxiety and solicitude to me, as I wished them to be placed on a permanent pay and footing on the establishment of the Office I believe every Sheriff since I have been in Office can inform You how frequent were my applications to them on the topic The Pay of the Writers now in the Office Amounts to Fifty Seven Pagodas ℔ month for which the Government allows the sum of 5 only And as a portion of my small Salary (which is only Sixty Pagodas per Month) is as well as yours appropriated to pay the writers, and having a large Family to support, it must be obvious to You that I can but

but very ill afford to pay so much as it Deprives me of One third of my Salary, I beg therefore You will be pleased to state this circumstance to the Honble the Governor in Council and obtain their Sanction to have the Writers pay included in the Monthly Indent

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
Signed Tho.s Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Madras
11th Nov.r 1807

Law Department

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir

1. In reply to your letter of the 15th ult.o I am directed to inform You that the Honble the Governor in Council is much pleased with the Conduct of Venkatapetty, the Peon at the Debtors Goal, who detected and secured the Person of Captain Montague West, when in the Act of making his escape from your custody, and that he permits You to procure and present to Venkatapetty a Medal, with an appropriate Inscription, and of the value of Twenty five Star Pagodas, accompanied by the usual pecuniary Reward of 10 Pagodas

2. The Governor in Council at the same time directs me to observe to You that it appears to be proper that Serious notice should be taken of the inattention and want of vigilance evinced by the two Peons who were on Guard when Capt.n West attempted to escape.

I am,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) G. G. Keble
Actg Chief Secy to Govt.

Fort St George
7th November 1807

Ent.d J. Sinclair

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

To Charles Woodcock Esq.r
acting Judge at
Trechonoply

Sir

The bearer hereof John Smith one of my Sworn Bailiffs being on duty to execute Process from the said Supreme Court may have occasion for some assistance should such be the case will you be so kind as under him every assistance he may require

I have the honor
to be Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. Fitzgerald
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
27th November 1807

Madras 27th November 1807

W. Thomas Jones

Sir

The bearer hereof is on Duty from the Presidency I have directed him in the event of receiving any Money to pay the same to You, will You therefore be so kind as receive it and inform me the particulars

Should this man be in want of any little pecuniary aid You will oblige me by Advancing him as far as Ten Pagodas this will only occur if he does not succeede in the arrest

I remain
Sir
Your very Humble
Thomas Blyth

Sheriff's Instruction for John Smith one of His Sworn Bailiffs on his Proceeding to Trichinopoly.

On your Arriving at Trichinopoly you will (acting under the Directions of the Plaintiff) proceede to the house of the Defendant, and if you Succeed in Arresting him you will Immediately write me a Letter on the Subject, and bring the Defendant with you to Madras, unless indeed the Debt and Costs of the undermentioned suits are paid, - in that event you will Release the Body of the Defendant and pay the Amount into the hands of W. Thomas Jones who will grant you his Receipt for the same - In the event of your meeting with any obstruction in the Execution of the Kings Writ, You will immediately Apply to the Judge for Assistance delivering to him the Sheriffs Letter as directed - You will take care not to use any force or violence, or use any bad Language but conduct Yourself in an orderly and sober manner paying due Attention to the business entrusted to your care, should you succeede in Arresting the Defr. (as I before stated) and he should Request to be indulged for time to write to the presidency, You will in such case allow him to remain until he may receive Answers to his Letters - of this You will take great care to give me immediate Notice by Letter, at the same time request the Defendant to write to the Sheriff also, - the Letter to be directed to the Sheriff of Madras

(Signd) Thomas Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Statement of Debts, Costs and Sheriffs Charges to be claimed from Charles Darke for two Several Writs against him as hereunder mentioned

			Rf. Pd
The Amount of Sum Sworn to Atts Wright & Hurst		368. —	
Attys Costs 140 Pr or		40. —	
		408 —	
The Amt of Sum Sworn to Atts John Smith	364.42		
Attys Costs 140 Pr or	40. —	904.42	1312.42
Sheriffs Charges		Rf. Pd	
To Drawing a Letter applying Passport		2. —	
To Attending for the Same		1. 2 —	
To Drawing a Letter to the Judge at Trichinopoly Requesting his Assistance in Execution		2. —	
To Attending thereon		1. 2 —	
To Drawing Instructions for the Bailiff		7. —	
To Translating D. into Country Languages		7. —	
To Drawing a Letter to W. Thos. Jones to receive the Money		2 —	
To Attending thereon		1. 2 —	
To Drawing 2 Bonds of Indemnity		35 —	
To Bailiffs Batta from Madras to Trichinopoly 207 Miles at 1 Pr Mile	207. —		
To Discharging the Defendant at 2 Pieces	6. 8. —		
	272. 2 or	77. 33	
	Total Pgs.	1390. 30	

Madras
27th Nov. 1807.

Thos Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Remarks made by the Sheriff on the Margin of his 1st Precepts forwarded as directed by the Atty for Plaintiffs to the following Gentlemen on the 23d Nov. 1807 -

Captain Edward W Snow Major of Brigade Malabar and Kanara

Lieut. Robert H. Sale H. M. 12th Regt. Foot Cannanore

Capt. Nicholas Mathew Smyth 1st Bn 14th Regt N I Tellicherry

Lieut & Adjt. Richard Lewis 1st Bn 25th Regt N. I. Cooty

Lieut Richd John Sabois 2d Bn 12th Regt N I Seringapatam

All to Frank and Thomson Plaintiffs Attys

Sir, on Receipt hereof you will be pleased to write me that it has reached You and you should write to some Atty of the Supreme Court without any delay to enter an Appearance for you in the Court sending him at the same time the Summons -

Yours &c J. Fitz Gerald
Sheriff

The same as above Letter on the Margin of this Precept to Frank and Thomson forwarded on the 30th Nov 1807 to Lieut. James Hampton 1st Bn 7th Regt N I Sankeridroog

Public Department

To the Sheriff of Madraspatnam

Sir,

Para 1

In reply to your Letter of the 12th ultimo, I am Directed to inform you that under the explanation which you have submitted, the Honble the Governor in Council has been pleased to accede to your request that some addition should be made to the Articles of a Contingent Nature hitherto allowed for the Debtors and Felons Goals. Copies of your Indents have accordingly been furnished for the Information and guidance of the Office of Audit.

2

I am further Directed to inform you that, under the explanation which has been furnished, relative to the mode hitherto in force of paying the Establishment attached to the Sheriff's Department, the Governor in Council has been pleased to Resolve that yourself and your Deputy shall be reimbursed in the Amount which has been expended by you on that account since the Month of April last at the rate of 52 Pagodas per month, and that the same Sum shall be allowed in future for the Sheriff's Establishment, to be drawn for in the monthly Indents.

I am,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant
(Signed) G. G. Keble
Actg Chief Secy to Govt

Fort St. George
2d December 1807

Ex. H. Frampton

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Dated 1st December 1807

Read the following Letter from the Sheriff of Madras with the Opinion of the Advocate General on the latter part of the Application therein Contained.

Here Enter No.

as it appears to be reasonable and proper, under the explanation submitted by the Sheriff, that some addition should be made to the Articles of a Contingent Nature hitherto allowed for the Debtors and Felons Goals, it is Resolved that the Sheriff's Application for that purpose be acceded to, and that Copies of the Indents enclosed in the foregoing Letter be furnished for the Information and Guidance of the Office of Audit.

The opinion of the Advocate General being strongly in favor of the Sheriff's application, in regard to the Establishment of his Office, it is further Resolved that the Sheriff and his Deputy be reimbursed in the Amount, which they have paid on that account since the month of April last, at the rate of 52 Pagodas p. Month, and that the same Sum be allowed in future on account of the Sheriff's Department to be drawn for in the monthly Indents.

(A true Extract)
(Signed) G. G. Keble
Acting Chief Secretary to Govt

To the Sheriff of Madras

Ex. J. Pratt

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Date the 4th December 1807—

Read the following Letter from the Deputy Sheriff

Vide entries &c

Resolved that Copies of the foregoing Letter and enclosure be transmitted to the Accountant General and Civil Auditor, and that he be directed to state his Sentiments on the Application therein Submitted

(A true Extract)

(Signed) G G Keble

Acting Chief Sec.t to Govt.

To the Deputy Sheriff

Ed.r W Frampton

Extract of a Letter to the Acting Accountant General and Civil Auditor dated 19th December 1807—

I am directed by the Honble the Governor in Council to acknowledge the Receipt of your Letters of the 15th & 16th Instant and to inform you that under the Opinion which you have Submitted in regard to the Application of the Deputy Sheriff for an Allowance for his Attendance as Provost Marshall at the late Admiralty Sessions, the Governor in Council is pleased to Authorize the payment to that Officer of the Sum of Pagodas 20. for the Duty in Question being in conformity to the Resolution of the Government in the 1788.—

(A true Extract)

G G Keble

Acting Chief Sec.t to Govt.

Ed.d I. Sinclair

To the Deputy Sheriff of Madras Fort Saint George

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to acknowledge the Receipt thereof—

I am Sir
Your Obed.t Serv.t
Tho.s Blyth D.y Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
19th Dec.r 1807

Twenty Pr.s

The above Letters forwarded to the following Gentlemen at 8 per Pagoda as per Margin

1807

Dec.r						Fs. Cs.
20th	Lieut.t Fried.k Otego	1st	1st B.n	21st	Reg.t	Vizagapat.m 9.—
	Charles J R Ellis Esq.r					Masulepat.m 4.40
	Capt.n Lew.s Rob.t Grand	1st	B.n	12th	Reg.t	Hydrabad 4.40
	Lieut.t Jas. Hampton	1st	B.n	7th	Reg.t	Sankery Drog 4.40
	Dr. Patrick Henderson	1st	B.n	21st	Reg.t	Vizagapat.m 9—
	Do. Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. 9—
	Dr. Jas. Jobson	Do.	2d B.n	4th	Reg.t	Samulcotah 6—
	Dr. H.y Young Kent	2d	B.n	15th	Reg.t	Wallajabad 1.40
	Do. Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. 1.40
	Dr. John Lambe	1st	B.n	17th	Reg.t	Tellicherry 7.40
	Dr. John Macleod	H.M.		33d	Reg.t	Hydrabad 4.40
	Do. Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. 4.40
	Dr. Tho.s Samuel Paget	1st	B.n	15th	Reg.t	Chittledrog 6—
	Dr. Rob.t Spears	2d	B.n	14th	Reg.t	Bangalore 4.40
	Dr. Rob.t Spears	2d	B.n	22d	Reg.t	Cumbum 4.40
	Dr. J B Fowler	1st	B.n	14th	Reg.t	Sadatheger[illegible] 7.40
	Major N. M. Smyth	1st	B.n	14th	Reg.t	mpannaca Tellicherry 7.40
	Capt.n Mathew Stuart	1st	B.n	17th	Reg.t	Bangalore 4.40
	Dr. Rob.t Spears	2d	B.n	14th	Reg.t	Wallajabad 1.40
	Dr. R.d S. Sweetland	2d	B.n	15th	Reg.t	Tellicherry 7.40
	Capt.n Sydenham Smith	1st	B.n	15th	Reg.t	Seringapat.m 4.40
	Lieut.t J. C. Williamson	2d	B.n	16th	Reg.t	Do. 4.40
	Do. Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Fs. 118.40
21st	William M.c Leod Esq.r					Negapat.m 3.—
	Doctor D.d Mackey					Do. 3.—
	Do. Do.					Do. 3.—
	Do. Charles M.c Donald					Hydrabad 4.40
	Do. Samuel Revier					Seringapat.m 4.40
	Brigade Major R.d W. Snow					Malabar 9—
	Capt.n J A Vernon					Vizagapat.m 9—
	Do. Do.					Do. 9—
22d	Capt.n Chas Lucas	2d	B.n	3d	Reg.t	N.d Trichinop.y 4.40

Mr. Robert Orme
Gilbert Ricketts
Daniel Neale
Thos. A Brown
William Light
Townes Disney

Gentlemen

The annexed Extract from the Table of Fees granting the Bailiffs two Rupees on every return of Cepi Corpus, I beg you will be pleased to direct that the same be paid accordingly on producing a Certificate to that effect from my Office

I am
Gentlemen
Your Obedt. Servt.
J W Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29th December 1807

Extract from Table of Fees - for Sheriff
For Bailiffs on return of Cepi Corpus to be paid by Plaintiffs - - - - - Rupees 2 -

(a true Extract)
Signed T. G.
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Deptg Sheriff

To
Mr. Thomas Barker
Keeper of His Majestys Debtors
Goal of Madras

Sir

It having been represented to the Sheriff that Mr. G. Passmore does not, in his visit to the Goal, confine himself to the regulation in as much as he insists on remaining to a late hour, I am directed to inform you that you are not in future to admit that Gentleman within the Walls of the Prison

I remain
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
Thos. Blyth
Deptg Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
31st Decr 1807

Lieut. George Wiltshire - in the Debtors Goal

Sir

I have received your letter complaining of the conduct of the Goaler but having had a Communication from the Goal on the same Subject I have every reason to believe the Goaler has been illtreated in adhering to the duties of his Office - he is advised to lay the case before the Sitting Majestrate in order to have redress for violent abuse received from you - I am sorry matters go to their length and I shall certainly advice with the Sheriff to state the circumstances to the Judge and have the Goaler, in all cases, protected in his Office

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
Thos. Blyth
Deptg Sheriff

Madras
31st Decr 1807 -

To

Mr Hugh Talvey

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to request your attendence this forenoon before the Sitting Majestrate in order to be sworn in as Constable for the present year agreably to the Summons served on you.

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 4th Jany 1808

Lieut. George Wiltshire

Sir

I have just received your letter and beg to refer you to my reply to yours of the 31st Ult. — or to the Sheriff who I am sure will satisfy you by having the Complaint, to which you abide, properly investigated

I am
Sir
Your Obed. Servt.
Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
4th January 1808.

To the manager of the Government Press

Sir

Be pleased to order an Almanac for the present Year to be sent & bearer for the use of the Sheriffs Office

I am
Sir
Your Obed Servt
Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
4th January 1808.

To

George Garrow Esquire
Superintendant of Police
&c. &c.

Sir

Be pleased to direct 12 Peons as Usual to the Felons Goal on Thursday next the 21st Instant at 8 o'clock in the Morning to escort the Prisoners from thence to the Court House and to attend during the Sessions;

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
19th Jany 1808

Frank & Thompson Plaintiffs

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to acknowledge the receipt thereof

I am
Sir
Your Obed. Servt
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
15th January 1808

Captn George Alexr Muatt - 4th Regt N.I. Palamcottah
Doctor Daniel Ainslie - - - - - - Mount
Captn James Daniel Crampton 18th Regt N.I. Chittore
Captn Charles Langton - 12th Regt N.I. Hydrabad -
Cornet James Boyn 3d Regt N.C. Arcott
Captn E. M. G. Showers Artly Mount Dated & forwd 16th January

Dated & forwd 15th Jany

Benjamin Forbes Compl.

Lieut Col. Hastings Fraser - Tellecherry
Kirkby Dalrymple Esqr Nellore

Drawn Seperate letters to each Gentn

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Copy of Subpoena from the Supreme Court of Judicature @ Madras & beg you will be pleased to ackd the recd thereof

I am Sir your Obed Servt
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 19th Jany 1808

Indent on the Military Board

Gentlemen,

Please to order Tent Lascars as undermentioned, to be Supplied for the Camp Equipage of the High Sheriff of Madras in order to proceed to Ballary Attended by proper Officers, to see carried into execution the Sentence of death passed by the Law on a man of H. M. 34th Regt. convicted of Murder at the Quarter Sessions

	Sepoys	Pindaly	Lascars
1 Field Officers Tent			
4 Private			3
1 Necessary			4

Madras
30th Janry 1808.

(Signed) S. D. Totton
Clerk of the Crown
to be Complied with
" G. G. Keble
Actg Chief Secy to Govr

Indent on Capt. Michl. Beauman, Commissary of Stores, in charge of the Arsenal of Fort S. George for the following delivery, required for the use of J. W. Miller Esqr. High Sheriff of Madras –

Madras 30th January 1808 –

Articles	Tents: Field Officers	Tents: Captains	Tents: Privates	Tents: Necessary	For what purpose wanted	Admitted of (and) ordered to be Supplied
Delivery Tents – with Caps – Poles Ropes – Pins – and Gunnies Complete	1	–	4	1	For the High Sheriff of Madras ordered to proceed to Ballary attended by proper Officers, to Superintend, & see Carried into execution the Sentence of Death passed by the Law on a Man of H. M. 34th Regt. convicted of Murder at the Quarter Sessions	

(Signed) S. D. Totton
Clerk of the Crown
To be Complied with
" G. G. Keble
Actg Chief Secy to Govr

To

Joseph Greenhill Esqr.

Sir

Garrison Paymaster

Please to order the following to be supplied for the High Sheriff of Madras ordered to proceed to Ballary, attended by proper Officers to see carried into execution the sentence of Death passed by the Law on a Man of H.M. 34th Regt. convicted of Murder at the Quarter Session

	Number	Total
Puckallies with Drivers		2
Bamboo Cooleis to carry Tent Poles		
1 Field Officers Tent	1	
4 Private Do	3	
1 Necessary Do		4
Bullocks to carray the above Tents		9
1 Dooley and Bearers for Culprit		

Madras
30th Janry 1808

(Signed) S D Tolton
Clerk of the Crown

To be Complied with
G G Keble
actg Chief Secy to Govt

To

James William Miller Esqr.

Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I beg leave to enclose you three Indent for Tents, Bullock, Dooley &c necessary for yourself and Escort for Conducting Wm Cogan a Culprit under Sentence of Death, from hence to Ballary, and beg you will be pleased to obtain the necessary Order for them

I have the honor
to be Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Madras
1st Feby 1808

Cash required to the High Sheriff for Escorting Wm Cogan (under Sentence of death) to Ballary

15 Bearers for High Sheriff to and from Ballary @ 2 Pags 7 Mo. say 2 Mo.	60	—
12 Cooleis to Do @ 5.13 each	63	21
2 Carts	24	—
6 Office Peons Batta @ 2 fans each 7 day say 2 Mo.	16	—
3 Executioners Batta as Do	8	—
To usual allowance to executioners for Executing a Felon	8	—
4 Constables at 20 Pags each	80	—
Cash required in Advance to High Sheriff for Travelling necessary Expences	120	—
	Pags 379	21

(Signed) J W Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
3d Feby 1808

Captn. James Hampton - 1st B 7 Regt. N. I. Sankarydroog
Lieut. W. R. Fair Fort Adjt. Masulapatam
Captn. H. J. Conway - @ Hydrabad
Captn. J. D. Crompton - 2d B 18 Regt. Calicut
Captn. G. A. Mulatt - 1st B 4 Regt. N. I. Palamcottah
Lieut. Henry McKedy H. M. 12 Regt. Cannanoor
Lieut. Charles Lungton 1st Bn. 12 Regt. N. I. Hydrabad
J. A. Andrews Esqr. Swegean 1 Bn. 14 Regt. N. I. Mangloor
Lieut. Lionel Hook 22d Dragoons Arcott

Drawn Seperate letters as folloing to the above Gentlemen

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and by you will be pleased to acknowledge the receipt thereof

Sheriffs Office
Madras
20th Janvy 1808.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Depy. Sheriff

P.S. be pleased to write to some Atty. of the Supreme Court to enter an appearance for you in the Court sending him at the same time this Summons =

Madras 2nd February 1808.

Sir.

I received the enclosed letter on the 29th Ulto. but from Presence of business in the Office and attending the Quarter Sessions I forgot to forward it to you before - you will recollect the Cause and that Mr. Disney wrote you you might levy your Poundage on the Amount of Execution, but I have since learnt that he advises his Client otherwise and who now positively refuses to receive the amount of Sale unless I refused the Over Charge of Poundage, as he calls it, I am really at a loss what to do with this man, and he threatens me with a Complaint to the Judges - no doubt if he does but the difference must be allowed for notwithstanding what Mr. Disney told you the Sheriff certainly cannot legally demand Poundage on a larger Sum then what he levies Mr. Disneys letter on that subject is some what Ambiguous, as he says. "no doubt if the parties Compromise you will be allowed your fees in full the Parties now declare they did not Compromise and blacky will swear to any thing the Plaintiff has promised to wait your reply to his letter

will you therefore have the goodness to write to Mr. Disney on the Subject requesting him to explain to his Client the Circumstance and to prevent any reference to the Court -

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Depy. Sheriff

J. Fitz Gerald Esqr.

Poundage on 770 is Rs.		92. 5
on the Amt. of Excn.		322 8
difference required by Plaintiff		230 3

To
Captn. J. Marshall
Secy. to Military Board

Sir

I have the honor to enclose you three Indents Countersigned by Acting Chief Secretary to Government and the Clerk of the Crown for Sundry articles required by the High Sheriff to proceed to Ballary and beg you will be pleased to order the Delivery of them as soon as Convenient

The Sheriff proposed leaving madras on Friday Morning next

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Depy. Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
3d Febry 1808.

(Service)

To

Edward Croft Greenway Esqr.

Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department.

Fort St George

Sir

I beg you will be pleased to grant passport to the Bearers hereof named Joseph Barley Robert Borrowman — Saver and Deedruck Bartels to proceed to Ballary for the purpose of Conducting a Felon under Sentence of Death

Sheriff's Office
Madras
4th Febry 1808

I am
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) J W Miller
Sheriff

To a Dooly & Bearers to Convey a Convict under Sentence of Death to Ballary
Fort St Geo. 5th Feby 1808

To Major Tratter

Commanding
Corps of Dooly bearers

S. D. Totton
Clerk of the Crown

To be Complyed with
G. G. Keble
Actg Chief Secty to Govt.

To Captn. Beauman

Sir

Be pleased to order One Mamaty, One Pickaxe and cutting Knife for the use of the lascars in charge of the Tents attending the Sheriff to Ballary

I am
Sir
Your Obed. Servt.
Thos Blyth
under Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
6th Feby 1808

J. W. Miller Esquire
Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I have addressed you twice heretofore on the behalf of Mareeam Sahebah with a Statement of her claim to a Mahomadan image which you had Caused by your Bailiffs to be taken from her Possession — and by my last letter I have acquainted you with her intention to commence an Action of Trover against you if the image were not immediately restored

The instructions of Mareeam Sahebah to me towards prosecuting her claim are very peremptory — but as I have not yet understood your purpose with respect to the detaining or the yielding the image — I now repeat to you my application and request your reply upon the Subject

and I am Sir
Yours very Obedt.
D. Neale
Atty for Mareeam Sahebah

Fort St George
10th Feby 1808

To Mr. D. Neale

Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 10th Instant claiming on behalf of Mareeam Sahebah a Mahommedan Image seized by the Sheriff by Virtue of a Writ of Execution in the above Cause and beg leave to inform you that the same is advertised to be sold on Friday next the 12th Instant unless indeed you should deem it necessary to give me a Notice to stop the Sale

I am
Sir
Your most Obed. Servt.
Thos Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
11th Feby 1808

(Copies)

To

Francis Whyte Ellis Esqr

Judge and Magistrate of the Zillah Court

at Masulipatam.

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the Receipt of your Letter of the 9th Instant last accompanyed by a Warrant of Commitment and the Body of Thomas Baxter a Private in the Madras European Regiment - and beg to inform you that the said Thomas Baxter is safely lodged in the Goal of Madras -

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
(Signed) Tho.s Blyth
Dep.y Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
10th Febry 1808

I do hereby Certify that the Bearers hereof some Naigues and six Seapoys have delivered into my Charge the Body of Tho.s Baxter a Private in the Honble East India Company's Madras European Regement charged with Murder - and I further Certify that the said Tho.s Baxter is safely lodged in the Goal of Madras - inconformity with a Warrant of Commitment under the hand and Seal of F. W. Ellis Esqr one of His Majestys Justices of the Peace bearing date at Masulipatam the 4th Day of January 1808 -

Sheriffs Office
Madras
10th February 1808

(Signed) Tho.s Blyth
Dep.y Sheriff

I do hereby Certify and acknowledge to have received the Body of Thomas Baxter a Private Soldier of the Honble East India Company's Madras European Regiment Committed to the Custody of the Sheriff of Madras by F. W. Ellis Esqr one of His Majestys Justices of the Peace -

Sheriff's Office
Madras
10th Febry 1808

(Signed) Tho.s Blyth
Dep.y Sheriff

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Pleas side

Saduringapatam Venetaroy Moodelliar is Plaintiff

Sadasheva Moodelly is Defendant

To John M.c Dowall Esqr

Sir

You will be pleased to take Notice that the House and Premises on which you reside are seized by Virtue of a Writ of Execut.n in my Office where you will also be pleased to pay any Rent that may be due or become due for the said House and Premises until sold -

Sheriff's Office
Madras
15th Febry 1808

I am
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
Tho.s Blyth
Dy Sheriff
for J. W. Miller
High Sheriff

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side, Between { Sadarangapatnam Vencataroy Mood.. is Plaintiff
and
Chinnamah the Widow, Keder Saib the Son & Bauwah Saib & Meerah Labbay the Brothers and personal representatives of Pareatomby Mastry Deceased and Def

To
Major Frederick Pierce

Sir

Having received a Writ of Fieri Facias from the Supreme Court in the above Cause in which I am directed to Levy the Goods and Chattles and Debts of Pareatomby Deceased in the hands of the above Named Defendants and the Plaintiff having informed me that you hold in your hands a Certain Sum of Money Amounting to One Thousand Four hundred and forty Star Pagodas or thereabouts being the Amount of Salary or Allowance due to the said Pareatomby Mastry Deceased, (the above Named Defendant) for work and Labor done by him during his Life time as Head Taylor Mastry for Making up the Cloathing for the use of the Troops of the Honble Companys Service on the Madras Establishment During the Period you acted as Agent for the same Viz. from the beginning of the Year 1803 to 1806. being 4 Years at 30 Pagodas ⅌ Month and which said Sum or any part thereof was never Paid to the said Defendant Pareatomby Mastry. I therefore beg leave to give you Notice that the said Sum of 1440 Pagodas must and is Considered Subject to Seizure by Vertue of the said Writ of Execution & that you will be pleased to pay the said Sum into the Sheriffs Office to Answer the said Writ and for which a Receipt will be Granted to you — Jam

Sheriffs Office
Madras
20th Febry 1808.

Jam,
Sir,
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) J. W. Miller
Sheriff

the above letter Served Personally by Narrain one of the Sheriffs Peon on the 20th — An Answer recd. from Major F. Pierce Contrary Saying no money in his hands or any part thereof dated 25th Rd. 22d Feby 1808 —

Sadarangapatnam Vencataroy Moodelly
vers
Chinnamall widow, Keder Saib the son, Bauwah Saib and Meerah Lubbay the Brothers and Personal representatives of Pareatomby Mastry Deceased

To
Mr. Townes Disney
attly for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr G. Ricketts attly at Law on behalf of Rathna Boye and Ramcoovoor Boye as the representatives of Visvanauda Tauker Deceased and Narrain Moodelly on the Subject of the Seizure of the Property pointed out by the Plaintiff above Named in this Cause — I beg your immediate instructions how I am to act and to be informed if my Seals are to be removed from the Property Stated in the said Notice

Jam
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) J W Miller
Sheriff —

Sheriff's Office
Madras
27th Feby 1808.

procuring a loan of Money upon it for the use of a certain Soucar Sawmy Pillay

But Sadashiva did not before his death make or procure to be made such loan — and the Certificate or Grant is consequently reclainable by Sawmy Pillay —

Sawmy Pillay has also in his Possession a bill of Sale from the Sheriff of Madras made on the 30.th august 1802 to — Mily Sadashiva for the Ground above Mentioned and for other Ground adjoining —

I therefore beg your Notice of this fact so that your Seals may be forthwith removed from the house above mentioned

and I am Sir
your very obe.t Servant
(Signed) D. Neale
atty for L. Sawmy Pillay

Fort St George
16.th July 1808 —

P. The house which is Concerned by the foregoing Notice is situation in Vencatarayenneah Street — N.o 28 —

(A true Copy) (Signed) Thos Blyth Dep.ty Sheriff.

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr D Neale Dated & Recd 26.th July 1808 —

To the Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I have received instructions from Cauleloor Narrain Moodelliar to Communicate to you his Claim as Brother and Survivor to the Estate of L. Ramakistna moodelliar Deceased to a House and Ground Situated N.o 32 in Erasapah maistry Street which you have seized as the property of Sadaseva Moodelliar at the Suit of L. Vencataroya Moodelliar —

The house and Ground above Mentioned are claimed by Reason of a Mortgage thereof made by Sadashiva Moodelliar on the 5. September 1798 in favor of L. Ramakistna moodelliar for Securing 200 Pagodas and interest —

And there is now due to L. Narrain Moodelly as Survivor to his said Brothers Estate the whole principal money and the interest thereon Accrued Amounting together to Pagodas 270 —

The documents of title which respect Sadaswahs interest in this premises are now in the possession of Narrain Moodelliar —

I am Sir
your very Obed.t Servant
(Signed) D. Neale
atty for L. Narrain Moodelliar

Fort St George
26.th July 1808 —

P.o

(A true Copy) (Signed) Thos Blyth Dep.ty Sheriff

Sadaranjapatnam Vencatarayy Moodr
is
and
Chinnamah Widow, Heer Saib the Son and
Bawah Saib and Menah Labbay the Brothers
and personal Representatives of Perceatomby Mudly
Deceased are - - - - - Defendants

To
Mr. Gilbert Ricketts
Atty at Law.

Sir

I beg to inform you that in Compliance with your letter to the Sheriff bearing date the 26.th Instant requesting him to remove his Seals from the Property seized in the above Cause, that his Seals has been removed accordingly and the property restored to your Clients —

I am Sir
your Obed.t Servt
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Dep.ty Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
29.th July 1808.

George Bold agt. Ellis
Do — Do
the same agt. J Boyn

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Sum from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am Sir your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
29. Feby 1808

P.S. Be pleased to write some Atty of the Supreme Court to enter an Appearance for you in the Court sending him at the same time this Summons

To Charles J.H. Ellis Esqr. Assistant to the Regr. in the N D of Arcot
Do — Do — Do
Cornet James Boyn 3d Regt. N C at Connatore —

I do hereby Certify and Acknowledge to have received the Body of William Rice a Private of His Majesty's 69th Regiment of Foot Committed to the Custody of the Sheriff of Madras by R H Lathom Esqr. one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
14th March 1808.

(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Depy. Sheriff

To

R. H. Lathom Esqre.
Justice of the Peace at Trichinopoly

Sir

Para 1. I have the honor to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 27th February last accompanyed by a Warrant of Commt. and the Body of William Rice a Private Soldier of His Majesty's 69th Regt. of Foot charged with Murder together with the Informations and other Documents relative to that case and beg to inform you that the said William Rice is Safely lodged in the Goal of Madras —

Para 2. It is usual to produce on the trial the Instrument by which death has been caused and if time will admit I think it is necessary the Musket and Ball should be forwarded to the Precidency By Law it becomes a Deodend to the King and is generally Sold —

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Depy. Sheriff
in the absence of J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
14th March 1808.

To
J. D. Totton Esqr.
Clerk of the Crown -

Sir

I beg leave to inform you that William Rice a Private Soldier of His Majesty's 69th Regement is Committed to the Goal of Madras by R: H: Lathom Esqre. Justice of the Peace for the Zillah of Trichinopoly Charged with Murder and that the accompanying Papers Numbered to 8. as I enclosed list have been reached by me from the same Gentleman -

I have the honor to be
Sir.
Your most Obedt. Servt
Signed) Thos. Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
15th March 1808

The King agt. William Rice
For Murder -

No. 1. John Arons Complaint
2. Wm. Rishtons Information
3. Francis Cordels Information
4. David Himmings Information
5. Charles Stewarts Information
6. William Rices Plea
7. John Arons Recognisance
8. Charles Stewart
David Himmings
Wm. Rishton and
F. Cordels } Recognisance's

(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
15th March 1808.

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras
Vencoo Coru is Plaintiff
and
Poo Teauzaroya Moodr. is Deft

Plea side

Received from Pauchah Saib Kistna Doss the following Jewels Seized under and by Virtue of a Writ of Fi. Fa. Issued from the said Supreme Court in the above Cause dated 8th March 1808.

One Pair of Ear Jewel or Bandarcammal Sett with Rubees, Diamonds & Pearls -
one Gold String
one Pair of Ear Rings or Cummal Sett with Rubees
one Pair of Plain Ear Rings or Cummal
one Cudookan
a Piece of Gold hand Ring and
one Pair of Diamond Ear Rings - Thomas Blyth Dy Sheriff

and I hereby undertake to pay unto the said Pauchah Saib Kistna Doss the Sum of One hundred and fifty eight Pagodas from the Proceeds of the sale of the said Jewels (provided they should realise that sum) and on his producing to me Mr. Neale's Authority to that effect, but should any Notice be served on the Sheriff to Stop the sale I hereby undertake to return the said Jewels to the said Pauchah Saib Kistna Doss on his returning me this Receipt & undertakings (Signed) Thomas Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
23d March 1808

Supreme Court
Plea Side —

Sadaranyapatnam Vencataroy Moodelliar
vers
Myla Shadashevah Moodelly

To Walter Balfour Esq.
Collector of Govt. Customs
&c &c &c

Sir

A Writ of Execution having Issued from the Supreme Court of Judicature in the above cause and now in the Sheriffs Office and it having been represented to me that Sundry Goods, being the Property of the above named Defendant, are daily expected to arive at this Port, I beg you will be pleased to give directions in your Office that all Goods which may arive, manifested in the name of the above named Defendant, be detained at the Customs house, the same being liable and subject to be seized under and by Virtue of the said Writ —

I have the honor to be —
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras —
25th March 1808

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side Between Sadranyapatnam Vencataroy Moodelly is Plaintiff
and
Myla Shadashevah Moodelly is Defendant

To Raumanadapooram Chedembara Pillah

It having been Represented to me that you hold in your possession a Certain Bond given by Suncarapooram Vencatachella Chitty to Mootoo Caroopoo Pillah for the Sum of Pags. 800 - being money delivered to the said Vencatachellah Chitty by the above named Defendant in his life time for Certain purposes (as the accompanying Copy of a letter from the Plaintiff to the Sheriff will more fully explain)

I therefore give you Notice that the said Bond is subject to Seizure as the property of the above named Defendant under and by Virtue

Virtue of a Writ of Execution in the above cause now in my hands and request you will Call at my Office and deliver over the said Bond Immediately —

Thomas Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras —
25th March 1808

Copy of a letter addressed to the Sheriff by Sadranyapatnam Vencataroy Moodelliar dated and Received 24th March 1808 —

Sadranyapatnam Vencataroy Moodelliar
vers
Myla Sadashevah Moodelly

To the Sheriff of Madras
or his Deputy

Sir

I beg to inform you that it has Come to my knowledge that the above named Defendant in his life time on or about the 19th January 1805 deposite a Sum of money amounting to Pags. 800 — in the hands of one Sunkarapooram Vencatachella Chitty for the purpose of bribing one Pallamcottah mootoo Curroppoo Pillay who at the trial of the above Suit was produced by the defendant as Subscribing witness to the Copy of the pretended Counter Agreement and that S. Vencatachellah Chitty executed to the said mootoo Curroppoo Pillay a Bond for the same Amount and which Bond is in the hands of one Ramanandapooram Sedumbara Pillay —

I request therefore you will be pleased to seize in the hands of the said Ramanandapooram Sedambara Pillay the said Bond of which I give you this notice - Date Madras 24th March 1808

I am
Sir
your obed. & humble Servant
(Signed) S. Vencataroy

(A true Copy) Thos Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sambasiva Moodelly
vers
Voonnamaly Ummall

To
Mr. D. Neale
Atty for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copies of Two Several Notices Served upon me by Mr. Thos. A. Brown Atty for T. Iyausawmy Moodelly One to Stop the Sale of a House and Ground Situated in Peddoo naicks Pettah No. 10 Chinnatomby Moodelliar Street and the other to Stop the Sale of the Gun Carriage Yard Situated in Mootall Pettah No. 15 Sumboo Doss Street and also Copy of another Notice Served upon me by Mr. R. Orme on behalf of Mr. Francis De Silva relative to the said Gun Carriage Yard being part of the Premises Seized and advertised for Sale in the above Cause —

I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sales of these House and Gun Carriage Yard so alluded to in Mr. Browns and Mr. Orms notices should take place as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause —

I am Sir
Your Obedt. Servant
J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras —
25th March 1808

Mily Chinna Meerah Labbay Mastry
vers
Ramasawmy Chitty & Vencatasawmy Chitty

Mr. Thos. A Browne
Atty for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. Townes Disney Atty at Law to Stop the Sale in the above Cause —

I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the sale should Proceed as in that case it will be Necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause —

I am
Sir
your obedient Servant
J. W. Miller
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras —
28th March 1808

To George Moore Esqr.
Acting Account. General &
Civil Auditor
&a &a &a

Sir

I have the honor to transmit you herewith a letter from Lieutenant Rs. Palin at Ballary informing me of the Death of Mr. J. W. Miller the late Sheriff which took place at Ballary on the 11th ultimo and beg therefore you will be pleased to direct the payment of his Salary from the 1st to the 11th March inclusive as 7 accompanying bill —

I am Sir yours Obedient Servant
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
4th April 1808 —

R: Scewen
vers
Joshua Crampton

To
Mr D: Neale
Attg at Law

Herewith you will receive for perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr R: Orme attg at Law to stop the sale in the above Cause I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Claint that the sale should proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Suffecient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servant
W. M. Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
2d April 1808

To George Moore Esquire
Acting Accountant General & Civil Auditor &c

Sir

I have the honor to transmit you herewith a letter from Lieut Robt Palin at Ballary informing me of the Death of Mr J W Miller the late Sheriff which took place at Ballary on the 11th Ultt and beg therefore you will be pleased to direct the payment of his Salary from the 5th to the 11th March inclusive as per Accompanying bill

I am Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
Thos Blyth
D.S.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
4th Apl 1808

Anna Moopenah Chetty
vers
Jatehoor Veerapermull Chetty &c

Mr Fowner Desney
Plaintiffs Attg

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr Daniel Neale Attg at Law on behalf of Palavay Sababathy Chetty on the Subject of the Seizure of the Houses Hereinafter pointed out by the Plaintiff in the above Cause

I beg your immediate instructions how I am to Act and to be informed if my Seals are to be removed

I am Sir
Your Obedient Servant
Willm Mc Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
4th April 1808

John McDowall Esqr
Sadarangapatnam Vencataroy Moodellear
vers
Mylla Shadashevah Moodelly

Sir

My letter under date the 11th Feby will have informed you of the Seizure of the house, in which you reside, under and by Virtue of a Writ of Execution in the above Cause and in which letter I requested you would be pleased to pay into the Sheriff Office any rent that might then and since become due thereon

I am now directed by the Sheriff of Madras to call on you for three months rent up to the 6th Instant which he is informed is due and to request you will be pleased to pay the same to the bearer who will present you an Official receipt for the amount

I am Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
9th April 1808

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Between Sadurangapatnam Venkataroy Moodellear is Plaintiff

and

Sadashevah Moodelly is Defendant

Received from John McDowall Esqr the Sum of Ninety Pagodas being the Amount of three Months Rent from the 6th January to 6th April 1808 for a Garden House Situated at Keelpauk and known by the Name of Sadashevahs Garden the same being seized under and by Virtue of a Writ of Execution in the above Cause Dated in Madras this 9th Day of April 1808

(Signed) Will. McTaggart
Sheriff

Sconsent to the above Sum being paid into the Sheriffs Office dated this 11th day of April 1808 — M. Tamey Rachellum

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In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side

Between Sadurangapatnam Venkataroy Moodelier Plaintiff

and

Sadashevah Moodelly is Defr

To Mylacpoor Mootiah Moodelly

It having been represented to me that a Sum of Money to the Amt of One hundd Pagd was lent you by the above Named Defr in his life time on or about the 21st Audy Month of Pingala Year, Ansg to Anno 31. July 1798 — for which you executed a Bond bearing Interest at 12 Pct per Annum a part of which to the amount of 40 Pagd has been repaid on the 6th Chittery Month of Caulayoolle year Ansg to Anno to 16th April 1799 — and as the residue of the said Bond is still Unsatisfied

I hereby give you Notice that the Balance is Subject to Seizure as the Property of the above Named Defendt under and by Virtue of a Writ of Execution in the above Cause now in my hands — and request you will call at my Office and pay the said balance immediately

Will McTaggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office Madras
9th April 1808

To George Garrow Esquire
Superintendant of Police &c &c

Sir

Be pleased to direct 12 Peons as Usual to the Tretons Goal on Monday Next the 18th Instant at 8 O'Clock in the Morning to escort the Prisoners from thence to the Court House and to attend during the Sessions

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
Willm McTaggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
16th April 1808

(Signed)

To George Garrow Esquire
Superintendant of Police &c &c

Sir

Be pleased to direct 24 Peons as Usual to attend at the Tretons Goal at day light on Saturday Morning Next to Escort 3 Convicts from thence to the place of Execution

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
Wm McTaggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
20th Apl. 1808

To

Edward Croft Greenway Esqr.

Sec.y to Governmt. in the Judicial Departmt.

Sir

Fort S. George

I beg you will be pleased to Grant a Pasport to the bearer hereof Robert Boroman to proceed to Colattoore for the purpose of executing Process from the Supreme Court of Judicature on a Native residing at that Place

I am,

Sir,

Your most Obedt. Servant

(Signed) Wm. M. Taggart Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
22d. April 1808.

Pasport to the Bailiffs
Granted in the Cause
Ponnapah Naick agt. Edwd. Stracey Munro
to Proceed to the Mount.

To Whom it may Concern

The Bearers hereof John Carpenter and Robert Boroman Sheriffs Officers being on Duty from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras - It is requested they be permitted to pass and repass without Molestation - dated in Madras this Twenty fifth Day of April 1808 -

(Signed) Willm. Mc Taggart (L.S.)
Sheriff

Vencoo Core
Mer
Poo Teaugaroyan

To

Chembarampaukum Sawmy Moodelly

Take notice that you immediately tender to my Office in Black Town the full amount of the Purchase Money due for the Jewel purchased by you on the 11th. April Instant at Sheriffs Sale in the above Cause amounting to Star Pagodas 138.. .. Indefault of which the Jewel will be resold, and an Action at Law shall be instituted against you for any loss that may arise thereon -

(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs office
Madras
26th. April 1808 -

N.B: There are another bill due by you for Sundries Purchased at the Sheriffs Sale in the Cause S: Vencatardy Moodelly agt. Sadasevah Moodelly Amounting to Pags. 11.. 5: 50 which I beg you will discharge immediately

(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Soobaroy
agt.
James Fullerton Esqr.

To

James Fullerton Esqr.
Commercial Resident
Maddapollum

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to enclose you a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and beg you will be pleased to acknowledge the receipt thereof

I am Sir your Obedt. Servt.

(Signed) Thos. Blyth
D. J. Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
3d. May 1808.

P.S. be pleased to write to some attorney of the Supreme Court to enter an appearance for you in the Court sending him at the same time the enclosed Summons

To
John Shaw Esqre
Dep.y Clerk of the Crown

Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of yesterdays date accompanyed by Copy of a letter from Sir Thomas Strange to Mr. Totton directing the Sheriff to detain in his Custody Anthony Constance untill further orders - and have to inform you that the Sheriff will pay due attention thereto -

I am
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
5th May 1808 -

Colla Narraina Naicker
vers
Chinnacaumanam Choliapah
Moodelliar.

To
Gilbt. Ricketts Esqr
Atty for Plaintiff -

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr. Wm. Light Atty at Law on behalf of Azarath Caujee Mahiadeen Ahmed Cawn Saib on the Subject of the Seizure of the Property pointed out by the Plaintiff above Named in this Cause - I beg your immediate instructions how I am to act and to be informed if my Seals are to be removed from the Property Stated in the said Notice -

I am Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
Wm. McTaggart
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
9th May 1808

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. Wm. Light dated & Recd. 6th May 1808

In the S. Court
Plea Side

Colla Narraina Naicker
Cn. Soliapa Moody.

Wm. McTaggart Esqr.

Sir

I am directed by my Client Azarath Caujee Mohiadeen Ahmed Cawn Saib to give you notice that the Ground at Tandiar=pettah Seized by you and advertised for Sale as the property of the above Defendant is not his but of my Client who got & possession thereof under a Writ of possession issued after a Solemn trial in a Cause where John Doe on the demise of my Client was Plaintiff and the above Choliapa was Defr.

I have moreover to give you notice that my Client is advised your seising the said Land in Execution is a Contempt of Court and that an Attachment will be moved for as soon as possible not only agt. you but the Plts and Defrs. in this Action and all others concerned in entering upon the said Lands. - You will therefore perceive that you will be receiving great Personal risks in persisting in Keeping possession of and Selling the same if you are even indemnified for so doing -

I am Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.
(Signed) Wm. Light
Atty at Law

6th May 1808.

(A true Copy)
Wm. McTaggart
Sheriff

Service

To

S. D. Totton Esqre

Clerk of the Crown

Sir

I beg leave to inform you that Thomas Bottom a Corporal of His Majestys 69th Regement is Committed to the Goal of Madras by Richard H. Lathom Esquire Justice of the Peace for the Zillah of Trechinopoly Charged with Murder and that the accompanying Papers, (numbered 1 to 14) as Enclosed list, have been received by me from the same Gentleman.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Most Obedt. Servt.

(Signed) Willm. McTaggart

Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
9th May 1808

List of Original Documents Sent by Mr. R H Lathom Justice of Peace in the Zillah Court at Trichinopoly in the Prosecution of the King agt. Thomas Bottom in a Case of Murder

No. 1. Nullapillays Complaint
2 Nullapillays Oath to the truth of the Complaint
3 Thomas Egelstons Information
4 Shavanthalingams Do
5 Veerapen alias Anthonys Do
6 Thausamanneyakums Do
7 Gooroovapah Naickens Do
8 Yagapens Do
9 Auroonachellams Do
10 Thos. Bottoms Plea
11 Thos. Bottoms Application for Witnesses
12 Nullapillays Recognisance to appear to Prosecute
13 Thos. Eglestons Recognisance to Do Do
14 Shevanthalingam
Veerapen alias Anthony
Thausamanayakum
Gooroovapah Naickens
Yagapen and Auroonachellam
} Recognisance to Do

Willm. McTaggart
Sheriff

Service

To

Richard H. Lathom Esqre

Justice of the Peace

at Trichinopoly

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th April last accompanyed by a Warrant of Commitment and the Body of Thomas Bottom a Corporal of His Majestys 69th Regemt. Charged with Murder together with the Informations and other Documents relative to that case and beg to inform you that the said Thomas Bottom is safely lodged in the Goal of Madras

It is usual to produce on the trial the Instrument by which death has been caused and if time will admit I think it is necessary the Musket and Ball should be forwarded to the Presidency By Law it becomes a Deodend to the King and is generally sold.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Most Obedt. Servt.

(Signed) Willm. McTaggart

Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
9th May 1808

I do hereby Certify and acknowledge to have received the Body of Thos. Bottom a Corporal of His Majys 69th Regt. Committed to the Custody of the Sheriff of Madras by R H Lathom Esqr. one of His Majestys Justices of the Peace.

(Signed) Thos. Blyth
D J Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras 9th May 1808

To

Major Austin

Commanding Poonamally

Sir

A Complaint having been made to me by Wm Green a Private of His Majestys 34 Regement (now under Confinement in the Goal of Madras) Stating that his pay which usually was drawn by Store Serjeant Trout has been withheld from him and having myself applied to the Serjeant for the same he has refered me to you — If I am not irregular in my application to you and as the poor fellow has no means of subsistance I beg you will be so kind as order his pay to be given to him or do me the favor to direct me to whom the Application should be made —

I am
Sir
Your Obed. Servt.
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
11th May 1808.

To

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I request you will, as Early as practicable, forward to this Office a detailed List of your Office Establishment as it stood on the 30th Ultd., similar in form, and agreeably to the directions, contained on that subject, in my letter of the 23d May last —

I am, Sir
Your Most Obed. Servt
(Signed) Cecil Smith
A.G.

Fort St. George
Accountt. Genl. Office
9th May 1808.

Ex V.S.

To Cecil Smith Esqr

Accountant General and Civil Auditor

Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th Instant requesting a detailed list of the Establishment of my Office as it stood on the 30th Ultd. and agreeably thereto enclose you the list required which you will find to be similar in form and agreeably to the directions, contained on the subject, in your letter of the 23d May last —

I am Sir, your Most Obt. Servt.
(Sgd.) Wm. McTaggart
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
11th May 1808.

A Detailed List of Establishment belonging to the Sheriffs Department including the Goals, as it stood on the 30th April 1808 —

Date of Employment	Names	Employ	monthly Pay Pag.	Fs	C
1808 March 26th	William McTaggart Esqr	Sheriff	100		
1800 Novr 1st	Mr Thomas Blyth	Deputy Sheriff	60		
1782 April	Mooroozapillay	Head Writer	45		
1804 February	Syasamy Soobbaroyem	Second Do	7		
1805 April	Sabaliady	Third Do	5		
1803 Septr 1st	Henry Sintorkee	Bailiff	6		
1806 Janry 4th	John Carpenter	Do	6		
1807 July	Joseph Barley	Do	6		
1808 Janry 8th	Robert Boroman	Do	6		
1808 April	John Fandricks	Do	6		
1800 Feby 28th		2 Messenger Peons	5		
	Debtors Goal				
1806 July 1st	Thos. Barker	Gooler	15		
		1 Head Peon	3		
		20 Watching Peons @ 2 Pags	40		
		2 Braming Waterwomen	3	22	40
		1 Waterwoman	"	30	
		2 Sweepers	1	3	
		2 Tonties	1	35	
		1 Cooly	"	36	40
	Felons Goal				
1807 July 1st	Moses David	Gooler	12		
		1 Head Peon	2	22	40
		23 Watching Peons @ 2 Pags	46		
		1 Smith	"	35	
		1 Sweeper	"	24	
		1 Waterwoman	"	30	
		1 Tonty	"	40	
		1 Cooly	"	6	

(Signed) Wm. McTaggart Sheriff

To

Edward Croft Greenway Esqre

Secy to Government in the Judicial Depart.

Fort St George

Sir

I beg you will be pleased to Grant a Passport to the Bearer hereof John Barrow to Proceed to Arcott for the purpose of executing Process from the Supreme Court of Judicature on an European Residing at that Place

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servt
Will.m M.c Taggart Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
25th April 1808

To Edward Croft Greenway Esquire
Secy to Govt in the Judicial Dept.
Fort St George

Sir

I beg you will be pleased to Grant a Passport to the Bearer hereof John Barrow to proceed to Wallajahbad for the purpose of executing Process from the Supreme Court of Judicature on an European Residing at that Place

I am, Sir,
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) Wm M.c Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
14th May 1808

To Lieut. H. M.c Kedy His Majestys 12th Regt Paymr of Detachmt

Sir

I was duly favoured with your Letter of the 12th Instant in reply to one I had the honor to Address to Major Austin on the subject of Wm Ennis subsistance, — Ennis was committed to the Custody of the Sheriff on the charge of Murder but labouring under ~~Partial~~ derangement has not yet been tried.

It is customary for Soldiers confined for Felony to receive their Subsistance during confinement. I never knew one exception to that Rule — there are three Soldiers now in the Goal who receive their subsist.ce regularly from their respective Corps, — under these circumstances I beg you will be pleased to order the payment of this mans Subsistance, he has not received any since the 24th March last

I am, Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Thos G Blyth
D.y Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
14th May 1808

To Edward Croft Greenway Esquire
Secy to Govt in the Judicial Department
Fort St George

Sir

I beg you will be pleased to Grant a Passport to the Bearer hereof Robert Boreman to proceed to Cuttack for the Purpose of executing Process from the Supreme Court of Judicature on an European Residing at that Place

I am, Sir,
Your Obed.t Serv.t
(Signed) Will.m M.c Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
18th May 1808

Pakenny Mahomed
vers
Mahomed Beeby

Mr. William Light
atty for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr D: Neale atty for Pasa Saib and Chinnoo Saib to Stop the Sale in the above Cause - I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale should Proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am
Sir
Your Obed.t Servant
(Signed) William M.c Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras —
19.th May 1808 —

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr Neale dated & Received 18.th May 1808 —

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Pakenny Mahomed
against
Mahomed Baby

To William M.c Taggart Esqr
Sheriff of Madras
or his Deputy

Sir

I am desired by Pasa Saib and Chinnoo Saib employed at the General Post Office to give you notice that the premises you have seized in Execution and have advertised for Sale in this Cause on the 19.th instant situated in Ollacatty Street in the Black Town of Madras are not the Property of the above named Defendant, but belong to my Clients, whose Ancestors obtained the said Premises as a Gift from the Honble Company many

many years ago in Consideration of Moorlonsins Services rendered by them to the Company - and who permitted them to use the same as a moonish Burial Ground which they have ever since done - I have accordingly to request that you will not only not Proceed to the Sale of the premises in question but that you will forthwith remove your Seals therefrom —

and am Sir
Your most Obed.t Servant
(Signed) D: Neale
atty for Pasa Saib and Chinnoo Saib —

Fort S.t George
18.th May 1808 —

(A true Copy)
(Signed) William M.c Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Instruction for Rob.t Brosman one of his Sworn Bailiffs on his Proceeding to Cuttack or Ganjam

On your arriving at Cuttack or Ganjam you will (acting under the directions of the Plaintiff) proceed to the House of the Defendant and if you succede in arresting him you will immediately Write me a letter on the Subject and bring the Defendant with you to Madras unless indeed the Debt and Costs of the undermentioned Suits are paid in that event you will release the Body of the Defend.t and pay the amount into the hands of John Byers Esq.r who will grant you his receipt for the same - In the event of your meeting with any Obstruction in Execution of the Kings Writ you will immediately Apply to the Judge for Assistance you will take care not to use any force or Violence or use any bad Language but conduct yourself in an Orderly and Sober Manner paying due Attention to the business entrusted to your care, should you Succede in Arresting the Defendant (as I before Stated) and he should Request to be indulged for time to write to the Presidency,

you

S. Vencataroy Mood
vs
Myla Sadasheva Mood

To
the Sheriff of Madras
or His Deputy

Sir

I hereby give you Counter Notice that the Notice Notice dated the 29th February last, which you received from my Attorney William Light Esquire in the above Cause in my named to Stop the sale of a Piece or Certain Parcel of Ground Situated in Peddoo Naicks Pettah @ Tandoo Vencataramnin new Street of which you have Siezed by Virtue of an Execution in the above Cause which ground I hereby solemnly declare that I have no manner of right or Claim whatsoever for the said Ground mentioned in Mr Lights Notice in my name

I therefore give you Notice that you are at liberty to proceed with the Sale of the said ground mentioned as above as the Plaintiff in the above Cause may desert. For your so doing this Shall be Sufficient Authority dated Madras 23d May 1808.

I also enclose you a letter to Mr Light on the same Subject.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. humble Servt.
(Signed) C. Mootiah

Madras
23d May 1808

The Honble Company
To Amount due to Sawmy Naick who apprehended Moo Healoo one of the Convicts Escaped on the 9th March 1807 from the Felons Goal Pagd 25

Ex Co
William Mc Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
1st June 1808

To
Edward Croft Greenway Esqr
Secretary to Government in the Judicial Departt.
Fort S George

Sir

I beg you will be pleased to Grant a Passport to the Bearer hereof Henry Sintorkee to proceed to Masulapatam for the Purpose of executing Process from the Supreme Court of Judicature on an European residing at that Place

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
8th June 1808

Sadarangapatnam Vencataroy Moodelliar
vers
Sadasheva Moodelly

To
John McDowall Esqr
Sir

The Garden in which you reside having been sold by the Sheriff (by Virtue of a Writ of Execution Issued in the above Cause from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras) to Sadarangapatnam Vencataroy Moodelliar to whom Possession has been given, you will be pleased to pay to him the rent from the day of Sale 1st June Instant. I incolse you a Bill for Rent from the 6th April to the 31st May and beg

beg you will be pleased to pay the same into the Sheriffs Office

I am
Sir
your Obed.t Servant
(Signed) Tho.s Blyth
Dy Sheriff.

Sheriffs Office
Madras
8 June 1808 –

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras.

Between Sadarangapatnam Venkatasy Moodelliar is Plaintiff
and
Sadasheva Moodelly is Def.t

Received from John M.c Dowall Esq.r the Sum of Fifty four Pagodas being the Amount of the Rent due from the 6.th April to the 31.st May 1808 being one Month and Twenty four Days @ 30 Pagodas P Month for a Garden House Situated at Kilpauk and known by the name of Sadasheva's Garden the same being Levied under & by Virtue of a Writ of Execution in the above Cause Dated in Madras this 1.st Day of June 1808

(Signed) Will.m M.c Taggart
Sheriff

Pakary Mahomed
vers
Mahomed Beebee

To
M.r William Light
Atty at Law

Sir

I beg leave to inform you that the Plaintiff above Name (your client) became the purchaser of the Premises sold under and by virtue of a Writ of Fi. Fa. in this cause and that he has not complied with the conditions of Sale although repeatedly called on to do so – I beg therefore to inform you that unless the conditions of Sale are complied with, or the Sheriffs charges paid, I will return the Writ nulla bona and sue your Client for the charges –

I am
Sir
your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Tho.s Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

23 June 1808

To
the Editor of the
Government Press
Egmore

Sir

Be pleased to order the accompanying Calender to be printed for the ensuing Sessions and send a Copy of a proved Sheet for my perusal early as possible for which the Bearer will deliver you 100 Sheets for that purpose

I am
Sir
Yours Obed.t
(Signed) Tho.s Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
29.th June 1808 –

S. Vencataroy Mood
vs
Myla Sadasheva Mood

To
the Sheriff of Madras
or His Deputy

Sir

I hereby give you Counter Notice that the Notice Notice dated the 29th February last, which you received from my Attorney William Light Esquire in the above Cause in my named to Stop the sale of a Piece or Certain Parcel of Ground Situated in Peddoo Naicks Pettah @ Tandoo Vencataramminha new Street of which you have Sized by Virtue of an Execution in the above Cause which ground I hereby solemnly declare that I have no Manner of Right or Claim whatsoever for the said Ground mentioned in Mr Lights Notice in My name

I therefore give you Notice that you are at liberty to proceed with the Sale of the said ground mentioned as above as the Plaintiff in the above Cause may Direct. For Your so doing this Shall be Sufficient Authority dated Madras 23d May 1808.

I also enclose you a letter to Mr Light on the same Subject.

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. humble Servt.
(Signed) C. Mootiah

Madras
23d May 1808

The Honble Company.
To Amount due to Sawmy Naick who apprehended Moottealoo one of the Convicts Escaped on the 9th March 1807 from the Felons Goal Pagd 25

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William Mc Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
1st June 1808

To
Edward Croft Greinway Esqr
Secretary to Government in the Judicial Departt.
Fort S George

Sir

I beg you will be pleased to Grant a Passport to the Bearer hereof Henry Sintorkee to proceed to Masulapatam for the Purpose of executing Process from the Supreme Court of Judicature on an European residing at that Place

I am
Sir
Your Obedt. Servt.

Sheriff's Office
Madras
8th June 1808

Sadarangapatnam Vincataroy Moodelliar
vers
Sadasheva Moodelly

To
John Mc Dowall Esqr
Sir

The Garden in which you reside having been sold by the Sheriff (by Virtue of a Writ of Execution Issued in the above Cause from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras) to Sadarangapatnam Vincataroy Moodelliar to whom Possession has been given, you will be pleased to pay to him the Rent from the day of Sale 1st June Instant. I incolse you a Bill for Rent from the 6th April to the 31st May and beg

beg you will be pleased to pay the same into the Sheriffs Office

Iam
Sir
Your Obedt. Servant
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Dy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
8th June 1808 –

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Between Sadarangapatnam Vencatarry Moodelliar is Plaintiff
and
Sadasheva Moodelly is Defr

Received from John McDowall Esqr the Sum of Fifty four Pagodas being the Amount of the Rent due from the 6th April to the 31st May 1808 being one Month and Twenty four days @ 30 Pagodas 7 month for a Garden House Situated at Kilpauk and Known by the name of Sadashevahs Garden the same being Seized under & by Virtue of a Writ of Execution in the above Cause dated in Madras this 1st day of June 1808

(Signed) Willm McTaggart
Sheriff

Pakary Mahomed
vers
Mahomed Beebee

To
Mr William Light
atty at Law

Sir
I beg leave to inform you that the Plaintiff above Named (your client) became the purchaser of the Premises sold under and by virtue of a Writ of Fi. Fa. in this cause and that he has not complied with the conditions of Sale although repeatedly called on to do so – I beg therefore to inform you that unless the conditions of Sale are complied with, or the Sheriffs charges paid, I will returne the Writ nulla bona and sue your client for the charges –

Iam
Sir,
your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

23d June 1808

To the Editor of the
Government Press
Egmore

Sir
Be pleased to order the accompanying Calender to be printed for the ensuing Sessions and send a Copy of a proved Sheet for my perusal early as possible for which the Bearer will deliver you 100 Sheets for that purpose

Iam
Sir
Yours Obedy
(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
29th June 1808 –

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side

Dulcel Khan ... Plaintiff

and

Sultan Meerza Tajuddeen Defendt

To John Kenworthy Esquire
Subtreasurer

Sir

It having been represented to me that a certain Sum of Four hundred Rupees, being a Salary for last month is due to the above named Defendant from the Honble Company and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit, I hereby give You Notice that by Virtue of the said Writ that the said Sum of Four hundred Rupees is Sequested in your hands and have to beg you will be pleased to send the said Amount to my Office.

I am, Sir,
Your most obed.t Servant
(Signed) Will.m M.c Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5.th July 1808

Sadarangapatnam Venkatarayulu Moodelly
vers
Sadashiva Moodelly

To
Chimbaram Baukum Sawmy Moodelly

Take notice that you immediately tender to my office in Black Town the full Amount of the Purchase Money due for the Two Pieces of Grounds Situated in Venkataramiah Garden Street, purchased by you on the 6.th of June last at Sheriffs Sale in the above Cause amounting to Star.d Pag.s 115.. .. Inse default of which the Premises will be resold and an Action at Law shall be instituted against you for any loss that may arise thereon.

(Signed) Wm M.c Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
8 July 1808

To
Cecil Smith Esquire
Account General
Fort S.t George

Sir

In conformity with your letter under date 2.nd Oct.r 1807 to the Sheriff of Madras informing him that Government had been pleased to allow half Yearly Cloathing to the Peons employed in his Office, I beg to transmit you herewith a bill for the same and request you will be pleased to order the same for payment

I am Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Wm M.c Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
9 July 1808

The Honble Company ... Dr.

To Cloathings for the following Numbers of Peons employed in the Sheriffs Department Viz.t

2 Peons in the Sheriffs Office from 1.st Oct.r to 31.st Dec.r 1807 being 3 Ms. at 3 Pag.s 3 a half year each			3.. —
1 Head & 23 Watching Peons in the Tulors Goal for 3 Ms. at Do			36.. —
1 Head & 20 Do. Do. in the Debtors Goal for 3 Ms. at Do.		31.. 22.40	70.. 22.40
2 Office Peons from 1.st Jan.y 1808 to 30.th June being 6 Ms. at Do.			6.. —
2 Head & 43 Watching Peons in both Goals for 6 Ms. at Do.		135.. —	141.. —
			Pagodas 211.. 22.40

E. E. Will.m M.c Taggart
Sheriff
Town Court

Sheriff's Office
Madras
1 July 1808

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side Duleel Khan Plaintiff

and

Sultan Meerza Tajuddun Defend.

To John Kenworthy Esquire

Sub Treasurer

Sir

It having been represented to me that a certain Sum of Four hundred Rupees, being a Salary for last month is due to the above named Defendant from the Honble Company and as a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Suit, I hereby give You Notice that by Virtue of the said Writ that the said Sum of Four hundred Rupees is Sequestred in your hands and have to beg you will be pleased to send the said Amount to my Office.

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th July 1808

Jam,
Sir,
Your most Obed. Servant
(Signed) Will M. Taggart
Sheriff

Sadarangapatnam Vencataroy Mood.

vers

Sadasheeva Moodelly

To

Chembarambaukum Sawmy Moodelly

Take notice that you immediately tender to my office in Black Town the full Amount of the Purchase Money due for the Two Pieces of Grounds Situated in Vencataramiah Garden Street, purchased by you on the 6th of June last at Sheriffs Sale in the above Cause Amounting to Star Pag. 115 .. .. Indefault of which the Premises will be resold and an Action at Law shall be instituted against you for any loss that may arise thereon

Sheriffs Office
Madras
8th July 1808

(Signed) Wm. Mc. Taggart
Sheriff

To

Cecil Smith Esquire

Account General

Fort S. George

Sir

In conformity with your letter under date 2nd Oct. 1807 to the Sheriff of Madras informing him that Government had been pleased to allow half yearly cloathing to the Peons employed in his Office; — I beg to transmit you herewith a bill for the same and request you will be pleased to order the same for payment

Sheriffs Office
Madras
9th July 1808

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Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
(Signed) Wm. M. Taggart
Sheriff

The Honble Company — — — Dr.

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Sheriff's Office
Madras
1st July 1808

Errs Ed.
Willm. M. Taggart
Sheriff
Twin over

To

The Sheriff

of Madras,

Sir,

In reply to your Letter of the 9th Instant, I cannot Consider the Watching Peons therein mentioned, under the denomination of Office Peons, to whom the Regulation of the 2nd October Extends, and I inconsequence return your Bill.

I am,

Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant

(Signed) Cecil Smith

Acct. General

Fort St. George
Account General's Office
11th July 1808

The Honble Company Dr.

To Cloathings for Peons employed in the Sheriffs Office Vizt.

To 2 Peons from 1st October to 31st December 1807 – being 3 Months at 3 Pagodas of a half Year each } 3 – –

To 2 do. from 1st January 1808 to 30th June being 6 Mo. at do. 6 – –

Pagodas 9 – –

Sheriff's Office
Madras
1st July 1808

To J. H. D. Ogilvie Esquire

Superintendent of Police &c &c

Sir,

Be please to direct 12 Peons as usual to attend at the Felons Goal at day light on Monday Morning next to Escort a Convict from thence to the place of Execution

I am

Sir

Your most Obedient Servant

(Signed) Wm. McTaggart Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
30th July 1808

To Edward Croft Greenway Esqr.

Sect. to Government in the Judicial Department

Fort St. George

Sir

I beg you will be pleased to Grant a Passport to the Bearer hereof Joseph Barley to proceed to Tranquiber and Nauzapatam for the purpose of executing process from the Supreme Court of Judicature on an European Residing at that Place –

I am

Sir

Your Obedt. Servt.

W. M. Taggart

Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
1st August 1808

To Joseph Barley

Sheriff's Sworn Bailiff

Immediately on your Arrival at Tranquebar you will (without producing your Pasport) procede to the house of the Defendant Mr. Jno. Chinnery and deliver the letter with which you are charges, and arrest him - if he pays you the full Amount of Principle Interest and Charges you will Immediately release him out of Custody and pay the same into the hands of the Companys Resident to be paid by him into the Companys Treseiry and to take Receipts in Duplicate for the same perhaps Mr. Chinnery may find it convenient to order the payment to be made in Madras, in that case you will Immediately communicate with me by letter and inform me the proposed mode of arrangement and remain with him in Custody untill you shall hear from me in reply - you will observe a Decorous deportment in the Execution of your Duty taking care at the same time that you do not subject yourself to any Impossion or deception - Should any resistance be offered you will Immediately apply officially to the Commanding Officer for assistance, informing him of your errand and on producing the Kings Writ call on him, in His Mys name, to assist you observe this, you are not only the sworn Bailiff of the Sheriff but you are also Sworn in as Constable of Madras and it Dependences

Madras
Sheriffs Office
12th Aug. 1808

(Signed) Thos. Blyth
Deptg Sheriff

Amount of Sum Sworn to		Pag. 800
Interest on Do. for 28 months		186 . 30
Costs to Mr. Brown	Ans. 122	
Do. to Mr. Disney	70	
to the Bailiff	160	
to the Sheriff	21	
to Do. for Discharging out of Custody	373 or Pag.	106 . 25 . 40
		1 . 24
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To Mr. Thomas Barker
Keeper of H. Mys. Debtors Goal of Madras

Sir,

I am directed by the Sheriff of Madras to inform you that in Consequence of the very great increase of the Number of Prisoners confined for Debt in His Majesty's Goal of Madras and of the necessity of Admitting the necessary attendants and Domestics to the various Prisoners, "thereby Crowding the Goal to an Uncommon Degree," that you are ordered in future from this present Date to Intimate to the Prisoners that the Gates will be closed at the hour of Six O'Clock in the Evening of every day - And you are therefore directed to Inform all Visoitors, and necessary Domestics thereof, that they may Depart the Goal before that hour, otherwise they will subject themselves to be Detained untill morning. As you are on no Account (Sickness only excepted) to permit the Gate of the Debtors Prison to be opened after the aforementioned hour of Six P.M.

I am also further directed to request your Due Obedience to this Order and that you will in any degree deviate from it at your Peril

I am,
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
Thomas Blyth
Deputy Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras 12th
Augt. 1808

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In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side

Dalel Khan is Plt

and

Sultan Meerza Tajudden is Defr

To John Kenworthy Esqr.

Sub Treasurer

Sir

I beg leave to withdraw my notice in the above Cause Served on you on the 5th day of July last

I am
Sir
Your Obed Servt
(Signed) Wm McTaggart
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th Sept 1808

To Robert Borrowman

Sheriff's Office

You are hereby directed and authorized to Execute the Warrants you have against Mr Ellis untile the end of this year — as the Court permits the Sheriff to extend his Return from one term tile another —

I request you will Immediately put the Writs in force — I have the order of Court and this is your sufficient authority —

Sheriff's Office
Madras 2d Sept
1808

Yours
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Dy Sheriff

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In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Yar Khan Sahib Khan & others are Plts

and

Hussain Newaz is Defendant

Plea Side

To John Kenworthy Esqr.

Sub Treasurer

Sir

It having been Represented to me that a Certain Salary of Rupees 83⅓ Pr Month is allowed to the above Named Defendant by the Honble Company, and whereas a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Cause Directing me to Sequester the Effects Debts &c &c of the above Named Defendant to the Amount of Pagodas 1241.36 — I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of the said Writ that the said Salary is Leg. in your hands untile it shall Amount to the said Sum of Pagodas 1241.36 — and that you will be pleased to direct the same to be Sent to my Office —

I am,
Sir,
Your Obed Servt
(Signed) Wm McTaggart
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th Sept 1808

259

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Dalel Khan is Plt

and

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Plea Side

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Sub Treasurer

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I beg leave to withdraw my notice in the above Cause Served on you on the 5th Day of July last

I am
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Your Obed Servt.
(Signed) Wm Mc Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th Sept 1808

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Sheriff's Office

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I request you will Immediatly put the Writs in force - I have the order of Court and this is your sufficient authority -

Sheriff's Office
Madras 2d Sept
1808

Yours
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Dy Sheriff

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In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Yar Khan Sahib Khan & others are Plts

and

Hussain Newaz is Defendant

Plea Side

To John Kenworthy Esqr
Sub Treasurer

Sir

It having been Represented to me that a Certain Salary of Rupees 85 Rs Month is allowed to the above Named Defendant by the Honble Company, and whereas a Writ of Sequestration is now in my office in the above Cause directing me to Sequester the Effects Debts &c &c of the above Named Defendant to the Amount of Pagodas 1241.36 - I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of the said Writ that the said Salary is Leg. in your hands untile it shall Amount to the said Sum of Pagodas 1241.36 - and that you will be pleased to direct the same to be sent to my Office -

I am
Sir,
Your Obed Servt
(Signed) Wm Mc Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th Sept 1808

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Plea Side

Dalel Khan is Plt

and

Sultan Meerza Tajudden is Defr

To John Kenworthy Esqr.
Sub Treasurer

Sir

I beg leave to withdraw my notice in the above Cause Served on you on the 5th. day of July last

I am
Sir
Your Obed Servt.
(Signed) Wm. Mc. Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th. Sept. 1808

To Robert Bowcowman

Sheriff's Office

You are hereby directed and authorized to Execute the Warrants you have against Mr. Ellis untile the end of this year — as the Court permits the Sheriff to extend his Return from one termtile another —

I request you will Immediately put the Writs in force — I have the order of Court and this is your sufficient authority —

Sheriff's Office
Madras 2d Sept.
1808

Yours
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Dy. Sheriff

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Yar Khan Sahib Khan & others are Plts

and

Hussain Newaz is Defendant

Plea Side

To John Kenworthy Esqr.
Sub Treasurer

Sir

It having been Represented to me that a Certain Salary of Rupees 83⅓ Rs Month is allowed to the above named Defendant by the Honble Company, and whereas a Writ of Sequestration is now in my Office in the above Cause directing me to Sequester the Effects Debts &c &c of the above named Defendant to the Amount of Pagodas 1241.36 — I hereby give you Notice that by Virtue of the said Writ that the said Salary is Seq. in your hands untile it shall amount to the said sum of Pagodas 1241.36 — and that you will be pleased to direct the same to be sent to my Office —

I am,
Sir,
Your Obed Servt
(Signed) Wm. Mc. Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
5th. Sept. 1808

Tanampaty Vencatakrishna Moodelliar

vers

Chenglevaroyan

Gilbert Ricketts Esq.

Atty for Plaintiff

Sir)

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. Townes Disney Atty at Law and behalf of Casavaroy Naick & others the Personal Representatives of Ramsapah Naick deceased to Stop the Sale in the above Cause I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale should proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause —

I am
Sir
your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Will.m M.c Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras —
12.th Sept.r 1808 —

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. Townes Disney Atty at Law dated the 9.th & received the 10.th Sept.r 1808 —

Supreme Court
Plea Side

T. Vencatakrishna Moodelliar

vers

Chenglevroyan

Wm. M.c Taggart Esq.r
Sheriff
Sir)

I am instructed by Casavaroy Naick & others the personal Representatives of Ramsapah Naig deceased to give you Notice that the House & Ground situated at Tanampettah which you have seized & advertized for Sale as the property of the Defendant under a Writ of Execution which issued in the above Cause are not the property of the said Defendant, but that the same are the property of mootoo Naick the Father of the said Defendant who mortgaged the same to my Clients Father in his life time for 200 — which with interest as yet remains unsecharged, as will appear by the mortgage Bond and Title Deeds of the said premises now in my Clients possession ready to be produced when required —

I therefore hereby caution you against proceeding contrary hereto at your peril

yours &c.a

(Signed) Townes Disney

9.th Sept.r 1808 —

(A true Copy) Signed) Will.m M.c Taggart Sheriff

A. D. Frees John D. Frees & Tho.s D. Frees

vers

Moopevala Soobaroyaloo Braming

and

Thomas D. Frees

vers

Moopevala Soobaroyloo Braming

W.m D. Neale
Plaintiffs Atty

Sir)

Herewith I send you Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr. Gilbert Ricketts Atty for Collah Peddasawmy Chitty on the Subject of the Seizure of the two Several Garden Situated at St. Thome being part of the Premises Seized and Sequestred under and by Virtue of two Several writs of Sequestrations issued in the above Causes and which said Premises were pointed out by the Servants of the above Named Plaintiffs. I beg your immediate Instructions how I am to act and to be informed if may be to

Tanampaty Vencatakerustna Moodelliar
vers
Chenglevaroyan

Gilbert Ricketts Esqr.
Attly for Plaintiff

Sir,

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr. Frownes Disney Attly at Law and behalf of Casavaroy Naick & others the Personal representatives of Rausapah Naick deceased to Stop the Sale in the above Cause I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale Should proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with adequate Security or deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause —

I am &c
Sir,
your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Willm. McTaggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras —
12th Septr. 1808 —

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. Frownes Disney Attly at Law dated the 9th & received the 10th Septr. 1808 —

Supreme Court
Plea Side

T: Vencatakistna Moodelliar
vers
Chenglevoyan

W: McTaggart Esqr.
Sheriff
Sir

I am instructed by Casavaroy Naick & others the personal representatives of Rausapah Naig deceased to give you Notice that the House & Ground Situated at Tanampettah which you have Seized & advertized for Sale as the property of the Defendant under a Writ of Execution which issued in the above Cause are not the property of the said Defendant, but that the same are the property of Mootoo Naick the Father of the said Defendant who Mortgaged the same to my Clients Father in his life time for 200 Ps — which with interest yet remains undischarged, as will appear by the mortgage Bond and Title Deeds of the said Grounds now in my Clients possession ready to be produced when required —

I therefore hereby caution you against proceeding contrary hereto at your peril

yours &c.

(Signed) Frownes Disney

9th Septr. 1808 —

(A: True Copy) (Signed) Willm. McTaggart Sheriff

A: D: Frees John D: Frees & Thos. D: Frees
vers
Mooperala Soobaroyaloo Braminy
and
Thomas De Frees
vers
Mooperala Soobaroyloo Braminy

Mr. D: Neale
Plaintiffs Attly

Sir

Herewith I send you Copy of a Notice Served on me by Mr. Gilbert Ricketts Attly for Collah Peddasawmy Chitty on the Subject of the Seizure of the two Several Garden Situated at St. Thome being part of the Premises Seized and Sequestred under and by Virtue of two Several writs of Sequestrations issued in the above Causes and which said Premises were pointed out by the Servants of the above named Plaintiffs, I beg your immediate Instructions how I am to act and to be informed if may Seal so to

to be removed from the said Premises —

I am
Sir
Your Obed. Servant
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Dep. Sheriff for Wm. McTaggart Esq. Sheriff

Sheriff's Office
Madras
16th Sept. 1808.

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr. Gillo. Ricketts dated 13th & Rec. 14th Sept. 1808 —

John D: Frees and others
vers
M: Soobbarayloo Brauniny

William Mc. Taggart Esq.
Sheriff

Sir

I am instructed by Collak Peddasawmy Chetty to give you Notice that the two Gardens situate at St. Thome seized by you under and by Virtue of a Writ of Sequestration issued against the above Named Defendant in this Cause are Mortgaged to him by the Defendant for Securing the payment of the Sum of 800 Pagodas. and interest thereon. The Mortgage Bond executed by the Defendant to Collak Peddasawmy Chetty bearing Date the 15th Day of July 1807. is now in my possession and will be produced for your inspection if required I have therefore to request that you will forthwith remove your Seals from the said Premises.

I am
Sir
Your Obed. Servt.
(Signed) Gillo. Ricketts
Atty for Collak Peddasawmy Chetty

Fort St. George
13th Sept. 1808.

(A true Copy)
(Signed) Tho. Blyth
Dep. Sheriff

Syed Mahomed Khan Saib
alias
Meer Zayned Ardeen alias
Tippoo Saib

To the manager of the Government Press

Sir

Be pleased to Xpial in your Gazette for tomorrow, the Sheriffs Sale in the above cause as appeared in the Courier of this day —

Yours Obediently
Tho. Blyth
under Sheriff

Sheriffs Office Madras 21. Sept. 1808 —

M. Vreydent

Sir please order one hundred hand Bills of Sheriffs Sale in this cause as advertised in this days Courier

Yours Obedt
Tho. Blyth
under Sheriff

Sheriffs Office Madras 21. Sept. 1808 —

Nagalah Sathachella Brauniny
alias
Parumbadoo Yagapillay & Mungatayarmall
the Son & Widow of Parumbadoo Arrodachichen
Pillah Deceased

Mr. William Light Attf for Plaintiff

Sir

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Petition Served on me by Mr. D. Neale Attf for Condapillah to Stop the Sale in the above Cause. I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale should proceed as in that case it will be necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or Deposite in Cash Sufficient to Cover any Damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

I am Sir
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) Will. Mc. Taggart
Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
5. October 1808 —

Sworn out

To the Sheriff of Madras
Sir

In consequence of your having seized and advertised for sale on the 3d October next a House and Ground situated in Pedda Naicks Pettah No. 215 in Govindapah Naicks street as the property of the Defendants in a Cause now or lately pending in the Supreme Court and prosecuted by Naugala Sashachellum Braming against Perambadoo Yagapillay and Mengatamall the Widow of Moodookistna Pillay I inform you that the house and Ground above described are now in the possession of Perambadoo Condapillay and are claimed to be his Property by him as Grandson of Moodookistna Pillay to whom the house belonged and in whose name the Original Bill of Sale yet it

And by the direction of Conda Pillay I also acquaint you that he is wholly unconcerned with the Plaintiff in the Cause above mentioned and that he does not acknowledge any Title of the Defendants or either of them to the house and Ground which you have seized as their Property

I am Sir
Your Obed. Servt.
D. Neale
Attorney for Condapillay

Fort St George
30th Sept. 1808

Madras 25th October 1808

Sir

I have received both your letters. As it does not rest with me, but with your Creditor Mr. Waddell, whether or not you shall be brought to Madras in Custody of the Bailiff, I immediately sent your first letter to him that he might answer it, which I understand from him that he did. — I have sent for Mr. Waddell again to see what he means to do with you, and I am sorry now to inform you, that he has officially called upon me to order the Officer to do his duty by bringing you on to Madras, unless the debt shall be settled in Three days after the receipt of this letter, which will be enclosed to the Bailiff to be delivered to you with orders to that effect. I regret your situation, but you must be aware that, called upon by Mr. Waddell as I have been, I should become responsible for the debt myself if I acted otherwise

I am, Sir
Your Most obedient Servt.
(Signed) Willm. McTaggart

C. Ellis Esqr.
Vizagapatam

To Robert Boroman
Sheriffs Officer

You will immediately on receipt of this, present the enclosed to Mr. Ellis and give him notice, that, unless Mr. Waddels mode of arrangement is immediately complied with that you are Peremptorily ordered to bring him on to Madras. I understand it is Mr. Waddels wish to allow Mr. Ellis three days after the delivery of the enclosed, you will therefore wait that time and if matters shall not then be arranged you will do your duty by bringing that Gentleman immediately on to the Precidency, but if Mr. Ellis complies with Mr. Waddels mode of arrangement, of which you will be informed by his

his Correspondence you will then release him from Custody and proceed to serve such other Writs as will be put into your hands by Mr. Waddels directions, your travelling charges and Batta will be allowed you the same, in every respect, as in Mr Ellis's care.

I am much pleased to hear (from Mr Ellis) that you conduct yourself with propriety and in a Manner to that Gentlemans Satisfaction — continue to do so in all cases, at the same time taking care strictly to adhere to your Duty.

Your Wife is well as also your little once

Yours Obedy
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
26th Octr 1808.

Statement of Debt, Costs and Sheriffs Charges to be Claimed from Mr. St. Erskine Atts James Waddel & others.

To Amount of Sum Sworn to	Pags. 303.3.25
To Attorneys Costs	50
To Sheriffs Charges	6
To Bailiffs Batta from Madras to Ganjam being 600 Miles @ 1 Rupee 7 each mile Rs 600 or	171.19.10
	Pags. 530.22.35

Sheriffs Office
Madras
26th Octr 1808.

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Statement of Debt, Cost and Sheriffs Charges to be Claimed from Mr James Jobson Atts James Waddel

To Amount of Sum as 7 Summons	Pags. 488
To Attorneys Costs	50
To Bailiffs Batta from Madras to	

Public Department

The Sheriff of Madras

Sir

I am directed to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 1st Instant and to inform you that the Honble the Governor in Council is pleased to permit you to have twenty four sets of Fetters made for the use of His Majestys Felons Goal agreeably to your Request

I am
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
(Signed) G G Keble
Secy to Eng

Fort St George
7th September 1808

G
Thos Sydenham

To Lieutenant Thomas Frasur
Superintendant Engineer

Sir

It being absolutely necessary that some Europeans, now in the Felons Goal should be confined in seperate apartments and as that part of the Goal does not in its present situations afford that seperation I have to request you will be pleased to direct that two Accades, in the large room, below, be railed in with strong wood latter or raiting.

If you will direct you people to call on my Deputy he will explain to them the necessary additions

I am authorized by the Honble the Chief Justice to inform you that he is desireous this addition should take place without delay —

I have also to request that you will be pleased to furnish the lamps for the use of boath Goals the lamp pots being erected for that purpose —

Sheriffs Office
Madras
8th November 1808

I am
Sir
Your Obedt Servant
Wm Mc Jaggart
Sheriff

Maniam Pattauley Ramah Pillah
vers
Codongayore Teagapah Naich, Vineatapah Naich
Chengla Naich and Veerasawmy Naich

to Gilbert Ricketts Esqr
Attys for Plaintiff

Sir,

Herewith you will receive for Perusal Copy of a Notice Served upon me by Mr Fownes Disney Attys at Law to stop the Sale in the above Cause, I request to be informed whether it is the intention of your Client that the Sale should Proceed as in that Case it will be necessary to furnish me with Adequate Security or Deposite in Cash Sufficient to cover any damages that I may eventually be liable to in this Cause

Sheriffs Office
Madras
12th Nov. 1808 —

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
Wm Mc Jaggart
Sheriff

Copy of a Notice addressed to the Sheriff by Mr Fownes Disney Dated & Received the 11th November 1808 —

Maniam Pattauley Raumah Pillay
vers
Codoongayore Teagapah Naich, Vineatapady Naich,
Chengla Naich and Veerasawmy Naich

Supreme Court
Plea Side
Wm Mc Jaggart Esqr
Sheriff

Sir

Take Notice, I am instructed on behalf of Bydepauty Venkiah Branning to inform you that the 2 Houses and Tank situated in Washermens Gate Street near the New Mint which you have seized under and by Virtue of a Writ of Execution issued in the above Cause and advertised for Sale, were Mortgaged to him by Codongayore Teagapah Naich for Pag 4750. as by the Bond and the Title Deeds of the said Houses now left in my possession ready to be produced when required will more fully appear, and that the said Sum and all interest due thereon remains as yet wholly undischarged —

I trust therefore you will be pleased after this Notice not to sell the said premises untill the demand of my Client is fully discharged and Satisfied.

I am
Sir
Your most Obedient Humble Servant
(Signed) Fownes Disney

Fort St George
11th November 1808

Private

Mr. Robert Borrowman

Sheriffs Sworn Bailiff

Accompanying I send you a Warrent against Mr. William Dodwell a Civillian who is on his way to Masulipatam he will live at the house of Mr. Maidman for a few days and will then go on to Madapolum.

You will be very secret in this business, you will not tell a single person of this, not even your own servant unless it is to get Intelligence - I expect you will meet Mr. Dodwell either at Masulipatam or else on the road to that place and in the event of your meeting him, you will of course Immediately arrest him and bring him on to Madras unless he shall give you some Security

I understand he has some funds in the House of Messrs. Harington and Co. - if he gives you an order on them for the amount herein Stated and a letter to them on the same Subject directing them to pay the Amount to the Pltt or his order you may in that case discharge him - otherwise you must bring him on to Madras:-

Statement of the Claim by Tanamundram Kistnasawmy Braminy against Wm. Dodwell -

	Pr.	Fo.	C.
The Amount of Sum Sworn to	3097	"	"
Interest on Do. up to 11th November 1808.	1535	22	40
Bailiffs Batta from Madras to Masulipatam being 290 Miles is Rs. 290 or	82	38	20
Probable amount of Attorneys Charges say	150	"	"
Sheriffs fee for Discharging the Defendant	1	24	-
Pagodas	4866	39	60

The above Statement of Claim Shews you for what sum you are to take an order on Messrs. Harington & Co.

I hope you will be attentive to the Execution of this Writ as also one against Mr. Easkin which I sent to you some time ago Mr. Waddel sent it inclosed your Batta is included above - wishing you well I remain

Yours
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Madras
17th Nov 1808

List of Title Deeds of Houses and Grounds belonging to Mr. G. Umpherston delivered to Mr. Thomas Blyth Deputy Sheriff -

Bill of Sale No. 2088. of a Piece of Ground Situated at Peddo Naicks Pettah in the 2d Street of Mr. Popham - by Willm. Moore Atty to T. Umpherston to Cootumbaukum Nineapa Moodelly dated 18th Decr. 1792 - with the said Cootumbauken Nineapahs Assignment of the same Piece of Ground to Mr. T. Umpherston annexed dated 1st August 1796

Bill of Sale No. 596. of a Piece of Ground Situated as above by Stephen Popham to T. Umpherston dated 21st Octr. 1785 with three Memorandums annexed thereto all dated 25th Octr. 1787 - referring to the following 3 Choultry Certificates -

No. 618. by Jno Hollond & R. Maunsell
No. 619. by Do - - - - Do.
No. 620. by - Do - - - - Do.

A Companys Grant No. 1830 to the Honble B. Cochrane for a piece of Ground Situated in Pedoo Naicks Pettah in Mundavelly Street dated 10th Febry 1804 -

An Assignment of the above by the Honorable B. Cochrane to Messrs. Balfour Baker and Hart and by them to G. Umpherston dated 31st March 1806 -

Bill of Sale No. 591 - of a House and Ground Situated at Peddo Naicks Pettah in Tayell Naick Moodelly's Street by Pasupalaty Chinnakistna

nama Naick to T: Umpherston dated 16th August 1785 —

A Companys Grant No. 1862 to T Umpherston for a Piece of Ground Situated in Pophams Street dated 1st March 1804 —

Received this 15th day of December 1808. the several deeds refered to in the foregoing, being Title Deeds of Premises Seized under and by Virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias wherein Messrs Lautour & Co are Plaintiffs and Geo Umpherston is Defendant (Signed) Thomas Blyth

Depy Sheriff

John Chinnery & others

ag.

Wm Godfrey Esqr

Wm Blyth
Deputy Sheriff
Sir

I request to know for the Information of my Clients, the Trustees of Messrs Chase & Co whether the writ in this Case has been Executed, & if not, you will be pleased to state the Nature of the last Communication you have received from the Officer charged with the Execution of it —

Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) D: Neale
Pltt Atty

16th Decr 1808 —

John Chinnery & others

vers

Wm Godfrey

To Mr D: Neale
Sir

In reply to your letter just received I have to inform you that the Bailiff John Carpenter charged to Execute the Writ in the above cause left Musulapatnam on the 26th alto this communication is made to me by Mr N: Losus of that place Carpenter not being able to imself to write the reason assigned by Carpenter for not being able to Serve the Writ is that Major Godfrey conceals himself I expect him daily when he shall wait on you and give you every Information I have advanced to him One hundred and Twenty seven Rupees which you will be pleased to state to your Clients that I may be reimbursed

I remain
Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) Thos Blyth Dy

Madras
16th Decr 1808 —

In the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras

Sadarangapatnam Vencataroy Moodr
is Plaintiff

Plea Side

Mily Sadaseva Moodelly is Defendt

To

Tottecala Casavah Moodelliar

It having been represented to me that you hold in your hands a Certain Sum of Money to the Amount of Ninety Pagodas upon a Bond given by you to the above Named Defendant Mily Sadaseva Moodelly in his Life time and which said Bond has not yet been discharged And Whereas a Writ of Execution is now in my Office in the above Suit directing me to recover all the Debts &c of the said Defendant — I hereby give you Notice that as that debt is Subject to Seizure under and by Virtue of the said Writ of Execution you will immediately tender the same to my Office, And on no account to pay it to any other Persons

(Signed) William McTaggart
Sheriff —

Sheriffs Office
Madras
17th Decr 1808

Not to be found

James Waddel

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James Jobson

To Lieut Jobson
Sir

I am directed by the Sheriff to Enclose You a Summons from the Supreme Court of Judicature at Madras and you will be pleased to Acknowledge the Receipt thereof

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servt
(Signed) Thomas Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
Madras
15th Decr 1808

P.S. be pleased to Write to some Atty of the Supreme Court to enter an appearance for you in the Court sending him at the same time the enclosed Summons (Signed) Thos Blyth — which may prevent much trouble

I have authorized a Native of the Name of Sabapaly to deliver you this Summons

Madras 23d Decr 1808

To
C. J. R. Ellis Esqr

I am directed by the Sheriff to acknowledge the receipt of your letter covering the Surgeons Certificate and to State to you however willing he might be to recall the Bailiff Still he cannot consistantly with the duties of Office do so - he desires me to express his concern at your Indisposition and his hope that you soon recover your health he also desires me to inform you that the Indiamen from Bengall will touch at Musulapatam to which place he takes leave to recommend you removal in order to avail yourself of so favourable an opportunity to procure a safe passage by sea you will also have Medical aid by doing so the Sheriff was desirous to Call the Bailiff away and for that purpose had a communication with Mr Waddell on the Subject, who states the very heavy expence he had already been at to bring you on so far and that now to relinquist would only be the means doubling the charges under these circumstances the Sheriff begs you to excuse him

I am
Sir
Your most Obedt Servant
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

To Robert Borrowman

I am directed by the Sheriff to inform you that you are by no means to quit Mr Ellis but remain with him untill he is able to proceede on his way to Madras - The Indiamen will touch at Musulapatam which will afford that Gentleman a safe passage by sea - deliver the enclosed as directed — your Wife and family are wile

Yours
(Signed) Thos Blyth
Depy Sheriff

Sheriffs Office
23d Decr 1808 -