

Approved and ordered this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July

, A.D. 1924

*W. Mitchell*  
Lieutenant-Governor.

At the Executive Council Chamber, Victoria,

PRESENT:

The Honourable

Mr. Oliver  
Mr. Bert  
Mr. Manson  
Mr. Sloan  
Mr. Pattullo  
Mr. Sutherland  
Mr.  
Mr.

in the Chair.

To His Honour

The Lieutenant-Governor in Council:

The undersigned has the honour to report

THAT WHEREAS JOSEPH MARAPODI was convicted on April 3rd, 1924, by John Leask, Police Magistrate, Cranbrook, B.C., of an infraction of the "Government Liquor Act", to wit, unlawfully selling liquor, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment, with hard labor;

AND WHEREAS an application has been made praying that clemency be granted to the said Joseph Marapodi, on the ground of ill-health;

AND WHEREAS medical certificates have been received certifying to the physical condition of the said Marapodi, which said certificates are as follows:-

Doctor Douglas Corsan reports:

"In conformity with your request, I have to-day examined Jos. Marapodi at the St. Eugene Hospital.

"A thorough examination reveals a serious cardiovascular condition which with the symptoms from which he has suffered during the past months leads me to the opinion that he should be under medical treatment for a considerable time, preferably in Hospital.

"Subsequent to my examination I asked Dr. McKinnon to check up some of my physical findings and these he verified."

The Gaol Surgeon, Nelson Gaol, reports:

"Re prisoner Marapodi Nelson Provincial Gaol.

"It is necessary that this man be taken to Hospital at once. I have kept him in Gaol as long as I dare but hate to take chances any longer.

"This man is a heart case, came here after being several months in Hospital with Doctors' certificates and now he must be transferred to Hospital again.

"It is not safe to keep this man in Gaol unless looking for fatalities."

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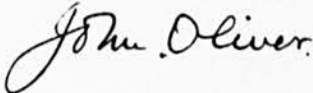
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THEREFORE THE HONOUR TO RECOMMEND that under the provisions of Section 9 of the "Constitution Act", being Chapter 44 of the Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1911, the sentence of hard labour imposed on the said Joseph Marapodi in addition to imprisonment, be remitted.

AND THAT a certified copy of this Minute, if approved, be forwarded to the Warden, Nelson Gaol, and to the Chief Constable, Cranbrook, B.C.

DATED this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July A.D.1924.

  
Attorney-General.

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Presiding Member of the Executive Council.