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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
28th March 1862.

No. 87. Read the following letter from Colonel JOHN IMPETT, Sheriff of Madras; to the Honorable T. PYCROFT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 25th March 1862, No. 10.

Since December 1861, when the Commissariat discontinued the monthly supplies of Oil for the use of Her Majesty's Grand Jail, it has been the practice of this Department to purchase Oil monthly at the bazar at the prevailing market rate, and to recover the value of the same by Treasury Order, pending the sanction of the Sheriff's Supplemental Budget Estimate for 1861-62. I think the better plan would be to invite tenders by Advertisement in the Fort Saint George Gazette for the supply of Oil at a certain fixed rate for the official year commencing on the 1st May next, the Oil to be supplied at the beginning of each month for that month. I have the honor to request the sanction of Government to this being done.

I have further to request that the Government Solicitor may be instructed to prepare, in communication with myself, forms of the Contract and Security Bond which will have to be entered into by the party whose tender shall be accepted.

No. 88. ORDER THEREON, 28th March 1862, No. 242.

The Government approve of the course proposed by the Sheriff of Madras for the supply of Oil to Her Majesty's Grand Jail at a fixed rate, and authorize its being adopted from the commencement of the ensuing official year. The necessary Contract and Bond will be prepared by the Acting Government Solicitor in communication with the Sheriff.

2. The Sheriff of Madras will be furnished with a copy of the Resolution in the Judicial Department, dated 26th April 1860, No. 517, and with an Order of the nature therein described, and he will be requested to execute such Contracts himself and not send them for execution by the Governor.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

No. 10

Sheriffs' Office
Madras 25th March 1862.

From. Colonel John Impett
Sheriff of Madras

To, The Honorable T. Pycroft Esqr.
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

Since December 1861 when the Commissariat discontinued the monthly Supplies of Oil for the use of H. M. Grand Jail, it has been the practice of this Department to purchase Oil monthly at the bazar at the prevailing market rate, and to recover the value of the same by Treasury Order pending the Sanction of the Sheriff's Supplemental Budget Estimate for 1861/62. I think the better plan would be to invite tenders by advertisement in the Fort Saint George Gazette for the Supply of Oil at a certain fixed rate for the Official year commencing on the 1st May next, the Oil to be supplied at the beginning of each month for that month. I have the honor to request the Sanction of Government to this being done.

I have further to request that the Government Solicitor may be instructed to prepare, in communication with myself, forms of the contract and Security Bond which will have to be entered into by the party whose tender shall be accepted.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant,

Sheriff

Exd. A.

requested to execute such Contracts himself and not send them for execution by the Governor.

J. P.

To the Sheriff of Madras } with G.O. No. 517 of 1860 Judl. Dept. & the Order referred to } Despd 28th

" Ag. Govt Solicitor

" Acct General

" Civil Paymaster } Despd 28th

~~iud of 1st April.~~

Finl 1862 Departt.
From The Sheriff of Madras
To The Chief Secy. to Govt.

Dated 25th March 1862.
Recd. 26

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No. 10.
Enclosure None.
No. 240

Requesting the Sanction of Govt. to invite tenders for the Supply of Oil at a certain fixed rate for the use of H. M. Gaol commencing from the Offl. Year 1st May next by discontinuing the present practice of purchasing Oil at the bazar at the prevailing market rate and also the Govt. Solr. may be instructed to prepare forms of the contract & Security Bond for that purpose.

With an Order

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Order thereon 28th March 1862. No. 242

The Govt. approve of the course proposed by the Sheriff of Madras for the Supply of Oil to Her Majesty's Grand Jail at a fixed rate, and authorize its being adopted from the commencement of the ensuing official year. The necessary Contract & Bond will be prepared by the Acting Govt. Solicitor in communication with the Sheriff.

2. The Sheriff of Madras will be furnished with a copy of the Resolution in the Judl. Depd. dated 26th April 1860 No. 17, and with an Order of the nature therein described, and he will be requested