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The Inspector-General of Jails estimates the receipts from jail manufactures, &c., for the year 1873-74 at Rupees 2,01,200, and the gross charges for the same period at Rupees 9,66,165.

2. The actuals for 1871-72, as given in the estimate, were—

	RS.
Receipts	1,21,931
Charges	7,76,447

3. As given in the accounts furnished by the Accountant-General they were—

	RS.	A.	P.
Receipts	1,33,044	1	7
Charges	8,24,140	3	10

4. An examination of the details in the Budget Estimate and the account referred to also shows great discrepancies which ought not to exist. The Inspector-General should, in future, in communication with the Accountant-General, ascertain what the actual receipts and expenditure were during the preceding year, and enter these sums in the estimate which he lays before Government.

5. To obviate the delay which must necessarily occur by returning the estimate to the Inspector-General for revision, the Governor in Council proceeds to review it.

6. The estimated receipts for 1873-74 amount to Rupees 2,01,200, viz., from—

	RS.
Sale proceeds of jail manufacture	1,95,000
Hire of convicts	4,600
Savings and refunds	1,400
Sale of old tools	200
Total ...	2,01,200

Those under the first head will be shown in future estimates under the following heads:—

Central Jails,
District Jails,
Penitentiary at Madras,

and the charges entered accordingly. The estimate should also be accompanied with an account current of the receipt and charges connected with jail manufactures, with such explanations as the Inspector-General may desire to offer. At present the Governor in Council is unable to arrive at any satisfactory conclusion as to how far jail manufactures pay. The Budget Statement gives the

	RS.
Receipts during 1871-72 at	1,11,643
Expenditure at	1,23,459
Difference against	11,816

According to the accounts of the Accountant-General, the

	Rs.
Receipts amounted to	75,072
Expenditure	1,23,045
Difference against...	47,973

7. The accounts for 1872-73 show that the receipts for the first six months amounted to Rupees 48,012. Taking the receipts at the same amouut for the second half of the year, the gross receipts will probably be Rupees 96,024, or Rupees 1,00,000 against Rupees 2,25,000, the estimate for the year. The Governor in Council is of opinion, from the facts before him, that the receipts from jail manufactures have been over-estimated in previous years, and that it would be safer to estimate them at Rupees 1,50,000, and the gross receipts at Rupees 1,56,200 for 1873-74.

8. The estimated charges for 1873-74 amount to Rupees 9,66,165 for the following purposes:—

	Rs.
Inspection and general supervision	38,108
Rations, establishments, &c.	6,20,093
Stores supplied by the Military Department	4,000
Advances for jail manufactures	2,10,770
Penitentiary and Grand Jail	73,004
Subsidiary Jails	20,190
Total ...	9,66,165

The actuals for 1871-72 were, as per Budget Statement, Rupees 7,76,447. As per accounts of the Accountant-General—

	Rs.
Inspection and general supervision	36,140
Rations, establishments, &c.	6,11,989
Jail manufactures	1,23,045
Penitentiary and Grand Jail	52,188
Subsidiary Jails	778
Total ...	8,24,140

Judging from the two sets of figures the Governor in Council resolves to pass the charges for—

	Rs.
Inspection and general supervision	38,108
Rations, establishments, &c.	6,20,093
Stores required from Military Department	4,000
Penitentiary and Grand Jail	73,004
Total ...	7,35,205

9. In respect of the allotment of Rupees 2,10,770, in addition to Rupees 10,000 under Penitentiary, for the purchase of raw materials for manufactures, &c., it is

observed that the actuals for 1871-72, according to the accounts of the Accountant-General, amounted to Rupees 1,23,045; that for the first six months of 1872-73 they were Rupees 95,731,* and that for the whole year they are not likely to exceed Rupees 1,91,462, or, say, Rupees 2,00,000. A corresponding provision for 1873-74 will probably be sufficient.

	Rs.
* Central Jails	80,000
District Jails	9,731
Penitentiary	6,000
Total ..	95,731

	Rs.
For Central and District Jails	1,90,000
Penitentiary	10,000
Total ...	2,00,000

10. The estimated charge† for Subsidiary Jails seems in excess of probable requirements, as in 1871-72 the actual did not exceed Rupees 778, and the assignment for 1872-73 is only Rupees 1,682. But, as there is every probability of many of the Subsidiary Jails in the provinces being completed during 1873-74, the Governor in Council thinks that a provision of Rupees 10,000 will meet all the charges likely to be incurred for additional peons, sweepers, &c.

† Rupees 20,190.

Rs.	
‡ 7,35,205	
1,90,000	
10,000	
9,35,205	

11. The estimate as above modified will amount to Rupees 9,35,205‡.

12. The Inspector-General will furnish, at an early date, the report called for in G. O., dated the 7th February 1872, No. 142, paragraph 7, regarding the reduction in the charges incurred for establishment in the Penitentiary.

13. He will also furnish an account current of the receipts and charges connected with jail manufactures during 1871-72, with such explanations as the entries therein may demand.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Jails.
,, Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1872} Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To

THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF JAILS

&c., &c.,

Dated December, 9th.

Recd. Encl.

G. O., 9th December 1872, No. 1650.

DECEMBER.
No. 79.

Reviewing the Budget Estimate of the Jail Department for 1873-74.

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200 000.
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The amount taken in the Hl. Resp. of the Secr. of India 8 Dec 170. was for fish £ 9,983 - or Rs 9,98,830. Deducting this from the Receipts £ 7,300, & the disposition of £ 55,428, leaves £ 70775 or Rs. 7,07,750

7,87,790 which sum it with the sum is Rs 52,587, in excess of the Budget appropriation for 1873-74. exclusive of the manufactures.

Kept with the Rs 7,87,790 on Jail Estimate

Financial Department 5a

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

~~Read the following letter~~

Dated 9th December 1872, No 1650

The Superintendent of Jails estimates the Receipts from Jail manufactures &c. for the year 1873-74 at Rs 2,01,200- and the gross charges for the same period at Rs 9,66,165.

2. The actuals for 1871-72, as given in the estimate, were:

Receipts ——— Rs 1,21,931

Charges ——— Rs 7,76,447

3. As given in the Accounts furnished by the Accountant General they were

Receipts ——— Rs 1,33,044-1-7

Charges ——— Rs 8,24,140-3-10

4. An examination of the details ~~between~~ in the Budget estimate and the account referred to also shows great

discrepancies such great differences. The Govt in Council is of opinion that these differences ought not to exist, in future, and that the Insp. Genl. should, in communication with the Accountant General, ascertain what the actual receipts and expenditure were during the preceding year, and enter them in the estimate which he lays before Government.

5. To obviate the delay which must necessarily occur by returning the estimate for revision to the Insp. Genl. the Governor in Council proceeds to review it.

6. The estimated receipts for 1871-74 amount to Rs. 2,01,200. Viz. from

Sale proceeds of Jail manufacture	1,95,000
Hire of Convicts	4,000
Savings & refunds	1,400
Sale of old Tools	200
	2,01,200

Those

Those under the first head will be shown in future estimates under the following heads

Central Jails
District Jails.
Penitentiary establishments.

and the charges entered accordingly. The estimate should also be accompanied with an account current of the receipt and charges connected with Jail manufactures, with such explanations as the Insp. Genl. may desire to offer. At present the Governor in Council is unable to arrive at any satisfactory conclusion how far as to whether Jail manufactures, do or do not pay. The Budget statement gives the

Note for the half year ending 31st March 1872 has been called upon to submit an acct. for 1871-72.

Receipts during 1871-72 at	Rs. 111,643
Expenditure at	Rs. 123,459
Difference against	Rs. 11,816

According to the accounts

of

of the Accountant General, the
Receipts amounted to Rs. 75,072
Expenditure ——— Rs. 123,045
Difference against Rs. 47,973

7. The accounts for 1872-73 show that the receipts for the first six months amounted to Rs. 48,012. Taking the receipts at the same amount for the second half of the year, the gross receipts will probably be Rs. 96,024, or Rs. 100,000, against Rs. 2,25,000 the estimate for the year. The Governor in Council is of opinion, from these facts before him, that the receipts from Jail manufactures have been over-estimated in previous years, and that it would be safer to fix the estimate at Rs. 150,000, and the gross receipts at Rs. 156,200 for 1873/74.

8. The charges for 1873/4 amount to

Rupees

Rupees 9,66,165 for the following purposes.

Inspection & Genl. Supervision	38,108
Rations, Establishment &c	6,20,093
Stores supplied by the Mily. Dept	4,000
Advances for Jail manufactures	2,10,770
Penitentiary & Grand Jail	73,604
Subsidiary Jails	20,190
Rs.	9,66,165

The actuals for 1871-72 were as per estimate / Budget Estimate Rs. 7,76,447-
As per accounts of the Accountant Genl.

Inspection & Genl. Supervision	36,140
Rations, Establishments &c	6,11,289
Jail Manufactures	1,23,045
Penitentiary & Grand Jail	52,188
Subsidiary Jails	778
	8,24,140

Judging from the two sets of figures the Governor in Council resolves to pass the charges for

Inspection & Genl. Supervision	38,108
Rations, Establishments &c	6,20,093
Stores required for Mily. Dept	4,000
Penitentiary & Grand Jail	73,004
Rs.	735205

9. In respect of the allotment of Rs. 210,770, in addition to Rs. 10,000 under Penitentiary, for the purchase of Raw Materials for manufactures, it is observed that the actuals for 1871-72, according to the accounts of the Accountant General, amounted to Rs. 123045; that for the first six months of 1872-73 they were Rs. 95731, and that for the whole year they are not likely to exceed Rs. 1,91,462, or say Rs. 2,00,000. A corresponding provision for 1873-74 will, it is thought, be sufficient.

	Rupees
For Central & District Jails	1,90,000
Penitentiary	10,000
Rs	2,00,000

× Central Jails — 80,000
District Jails — 9,731
Penitentiary — 6,000
95,731.

10. The charge for subsidiary Jails seems in excess of probable requirements, as in 1871-72 it did not exceed Rs. 778. and the assignment for

× Rupees 20,190

How is there came in the Jail Budget? Were they part of Jail Trade before Privatization?

× Rs. 735205
190,000
10,000
935205

Any cancelled expenditure was not from any of the Central Institutions

Papers bearing on question of Thos Estate are put up

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for 1872-73 is only Rs. 1682. But as there is every probability of many of the subsidiary Jails in the provinces being completed during 1873-74 the Governor in Council thinks that a provision of Rs. 10,000 will meet all the charges likely to be incurred for additional peons, Establishment &c.

11. The estimate as above modified will amount to Rs. 9,35,205.

12. The Inspector General will furnish, at an early date, the report called for in G.O. dated the 7th February 1872 No. 142 para 7, regarding the reduction in the charges incurred for Establishment in the Penitentiary.

13 He will also furnish an account current of the Receipts & Charges connected with Jail manufactures during 1871-72 with such explanations as the entries therein may demand.

L.R.

To The Insp. Genl. of Jails
Accountant General.

dated 18/12

Govt. of {1872} Madras.

Financial

To

The Insp.r Genl. of Jails

Dated Dec.r 9. } 1872, No. 637

Recd.

Nos. 79.

Reviewing the Budget Estt. of the Jail Dept: for 1873-74