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Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 4th August 1857.

No. 75. Read the following letter from Colonel J. C. BOULDERSON, Commissioner of Police; to E. MALTBY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated 31st July 1857, No. 98.

SIR,

With reference to Minutes of Consultation dated 25th Instant, in which the Government directs the construction of the outer wall of the Penitentiary to be resumed, as a work of necessity; I have the honor with reference thereto, to request you to favor me by bringing to the notice of Government, that it has been suggested to me by Colonel Browne, Military Secretary to Government, that that building might with much advantage be converted into a place of defence by the construction of a small Bastion on each face, or at each angle of the outer wall, and as I conceive his suggestion a good one and consider the construction of bastions will not render that building in any degree less secure for the safe custody of prisoners confined therein, I beg you to put Colonel Browne's proposal before Government with my request, that it may be favourably received.

(Signed) J. C. BOULDERSON,
Commissioner of Police.

No. 76. ORDER THEREON, No. 948; dated 4th August 1857.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council approves this suggestion, and directs that the letter be referred to the Chief Engineer through the Department of Public Works.

(Signed) E. MALTBY,
Acting Chief Secretary.

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The Right Honble the Governor in Council approves this suggestion, and directs that the letter be referred to the Chief Engineer thro' the Department of Public Works-/

Actg Chief Secretary

Fort St. George,
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