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No. 166. Read the following letter from J. ROHDE, Esq., Inspector General of Jails, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated Ootacamund, 8th August 1860, No. 337.

As I find that the works at Jackatalla are very limited for this year, and there is a large stock of material on hand, with abundance of labor and superintendence, I have personally communicated with both Mr. Fraser and Captain Farewell, and, with their full concurrence, I would submit that as the Government is urgent for the completion of the European Penitentiary, the work should be at once made over to Captain Farewell, to whose residence the place is convenient, with instructions, immediately, to commence the preparation of the site and conveyance to it of material, that he be further instructed to prepare all wood necessary to the completion of one wing of the building.

O. G., 2nd March 1860, *No. 256.*

2. I have repeatedly gone into the plans with Mr. Fraser, his notes on my remarks with corrected plans and specifications can be completed immediately and submitted within a week and handed over to Captain Farewell.

3. I think it will save much to Government if the work could be immediately commenced with resources provided for the barracks.

4. To commence afresh and organize an establishment for the speedy completion of the work, would, as I can assure the Government, be attended with difficulty and expense, nor will the Government long possess the resources they now have for the work.

No. 167. ORDER THEREON, 22nd August 1860, No. 1,065.

Referred to the Public Works Department.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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