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No. 171. Read the following letter from Lord H. ULICK BROWNE, Under Secretary to the Government of India, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated Fort William, 2nd October 1860, No. 2,170.

Home Department.
Judicial.

I am directed to transmit the accompanying copy of a letter from the Civil Finance Commission, No. 119, dated the 22nd instant, together with the Tabular form annexed to it, and to request that an Annual Return of Jail expenditure may be made in that form from the 1st of January last.

2. It will be observed that in the Return the "daily average number of prisoners in each Jail, in the year," is to be stated, and the Governor General in Council desires me to explain that this average should be obtained by adding together the number of prisoners in Jail on each day throughout the year, dividing the total by the number of days in the year, 365 or 366 as the case may be.

From the Civil Finance Commission, to W. GREY, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India, No. 119, dated Fort William, the 22nd September 1860.

We have found in the course of our enquiries into the Jail expenditure, that the Statistical averages, from which alone sound financial conclusions can be drawn, are not prepared on an uniform plan for the several local Governments of the Bengal Presidency, and are not prepared at all for the Madras and Bombay Presidencies, and we therefore venture to suggest that some form of financial Return be fixed for observance throughout India.

2. The form of Return which prevails in the lower Provinces of Bengal appears to us the one best adapted for general adoption. For facility of reference we append a copy of it. The North-Western Provinces and Punjab forms do not differ materially, but we would recommend that they be assimilated. And we submit that for financial comparison a similar form should be prescribed for Madras and Bombay.

3. We apprehend that if a comprehensive financial view could thus be taken of the cost of all Jails in the Empire, some additional degree of economy would be secured.

(Signed) R. TEMPLE, *President*,
(„) HUGH SANDEMAN,
(„) R. H. HOLLINGBERYR, } *Members.*

Heads of Expenditure.	Patna Jail.		Sarun Jail.		Behir Jail.		Shahabad Jail.		And so on.	
	* Prisoners in 1857-58. * Prisoners in 1858-59.		* Prisoners in 1857-58. * Prisoners in 1858-59.		* Prisoners in 1857-58. * Prisoners in 1858-59.		* Prisoners in 1857-58. * Prisoners in 1858-59.			
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Rations										
Money allowance										
Total										
Cost per Prisoner										
Fixed Establishment										
Cost per Prisoner										
Extra Establishment										
Cost per Prisoner										
Total										
Cost per Prisoner										
Hospital Charges. European Medicines										
Cost per Prisoner										
Bazar Medicines										
Cost per Prisoner										
Sick diet										
Cost per Prisoner										
Furniture, bedding, extra Blankets										
Cost per Prisoner										
Total										
Cost per Prisoner										
Clothing, including Blankets and beddings										
Cost per Prisoner										
Contingencies										
Cost per Prisoner										
Additions, Alterations, and Repairs										
Cost per Prisoner										
Gross cost of maintenance										
Gross cost per Prisoner										

* The daily average number in the year to be stated.

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25th October 1860.

No, 172. Order thereon, 25th October 1860, No. 1,381.

The Inspector General of Jails is requested to furnish Annual Returns of Jail expenditure according to the form supplied with this letter.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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The Surveyor General
Mail Contracts Branch

Feb. 2125.

Sir,

I have the honour to
transmit herewith
Form 25. Order for
the Conveyance of
Her Majesty's Mails
between Ottawa and
Aylmer.

I am, Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
[illegible]
Secretary.

The Inspector General of Mails.

No. 1381 — 25 October 1860.

W.H.C. 31/10/72

The Inspector General of Mails
is requested to furnish annual
returns of Mail expenditure
according to the form supplied with this
letter.

The Inspector Genl. of Mails &c &c &c