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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
11th December 1861.

No. 57. Read the following letter from Captain C. S. HEARN, Acting Inspector General of Madras Police; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 7th December 1861, No. 2,019.

Account Department.

With reference to Order of Government, No. 1,430 of the 22nd November, publishing Extract from Proceedings of the Supreme Government No. 2,158 dated 4th November 1861, I have the honor to state that I have been requested by the Inspector General of Jails to acquaint him with the probable cost of the Constabulary in charge of Jails during 1862-63, in order that he may include the amount in his Budget Estimate.

2. I am unaware whether Police Guards over Jails are intended to come under the definition of "watchmen furnished to Public Offices and Departments." These Guards are included in the general Estimate for each district sanctioned by Government. It would probably be better to introduce cash payments since Jail Guards are furnished at the rate of one Policeman to 6 Prisoners, and as the number of Prisoners in Jails is every where increasing, it may become necessary to exceed the sanctioned Estimates.

3. The cost of Constables employed to protect Courts, has also received the separate sanction of Government in their Order No. 408, dated 6th August 1861.

4. On receipt of the recent Order, I telegraphed to Colonel Bruce regarding Courts, but have received no reply, meanwhile the day for sending in the Budget Estimate draws near.

5. I therefore solicit the instructions of Government regarding cash payment for Police Guards furnished to Courts and Jails.

No. 58. ORDER THEREON, 11th December 1861, No. 1,519.

The Acting Inspector General of Police is informed that separate Orders have already been issued in the Financial Department, for giving effect to the Resolution of the Government of India, dated 4th ultimo, No. 2,158.

2. In reference to the remark contained in the latter part of paragraph 2, and to the instructions solicited in the last paragraph of Captain Hearn's letter, it is observed that Section 2 of the Rules passed by the Resolution above noted provides for *Cash* payments for Police supplied to *all* Departments.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

Order thereon 11 November 1861 No 1619.

The Acting Inspector General of Police is informed that separate orders have already been issued in the Financial Dept for giving effect to the Resolution of the Govt of India dated 4 Ultimo No 2158.

2. In reference to the remark contained in the latter part of para 2 and to the instructions solicited in the last para of Captain Hoare's letter, it is observed that Sec. 2 of the Rules passed by the Resolution above noted provides for Cash payments for Police Supplies to all Departments.

To the Actg Inspector General of Police

Dated 11th