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*Judicial* DEPARTMENT.

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Dated 22. 9. 1862 ~~18~~

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,  
22nd September 1862.*

how the Jail dietaries may be made more conducive to health, without pampering the individuals who are undergoing punishment.

13. In paragraph 12, Mr. Rohde notices the objectionable tone of Dr. Jackson's correspondence, and I concur in thinking his letters to the Civil and Sessions Judge wanting in courtesy.

14. Dr. Jackson has already been censured for his precipitancy in appealing on this matter direct to Government. I am of opinion that Dr. Jackson was clearly in the wrong, in certifying that the death of a prisoner had been hastened by insufficient diet. If it were so, Dr. Jackson was specially culpable, as the Medical Officer has always the power to order special diet for particular cases. There has been a want of consistency throughout on Dr. Jackson's part, in his explanations of the reasons for considering a change of diet necessary. Dr. Jackson is a zealous and earnest Officer, and no doubt was fully convinced in his own mind that some change was necessary; but it is to be regretted that the arguments put forward in support of his views, were not of a more satisfactory nature, and that they were not urged in a more courteous strain.

15. I beg to return the letter of the Inspector General of Jails with its enclosure.

No. 229. ORDER THEREON, 22nd September 1862, No. 1,565.

The Government concur generally in the views of the Principal Inspector General, as given in paras. 4 to 10 of his letter, but they will reserve any special observations that they may have to make, until they have before them the general report called for under date the 23rd December 1861, No. 1,585.

2. They agree with Mr. Cole in his remarks on the conduct and style of writing of Mr. Jackson, Zillah Surgeon of Bellary, and request the Principal Inspector General to communicate to that Officer the substance of his observations, and to caution him against a repetition of such behaviour.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,  
*Chief Secretary.*

Exd. F. Cartledge.

*Exd. F. Cartledge*

ny 109<sup>th</sup> St. N. Y.

1<sup>st</sup> P. Is. *insigne*  
Sopion-judge of Bellary

Sir, I have the honor to bring to you, in this  
that on my inspection of the Prisoners on Sundays,  
frequent symptoms of Scurvy with burning of  
the stomach and bowels with looseness, are made  
to me on 10 days that they use Camboo and Raggy.

There is a record in the records I find that 46  
admitted into Hospital with  
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seases. The Stomach and bowels, since 3.<sup>d</sup> April,  
so complained of the same symptoms.

In year 1859/60, thirty six cases only occurred  
 in 1860/61, forty seven, therefore, I consider.

I have the honor to be Sir  
Signed J. M. Jackson  
Zillah Longson.

No. 11. ...  
To the Hon. L. L. ...  
Beltary.

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No 28.

Sir,

No 411, under a  
with Original letter No 4  
1<sup>st</sup> October 1861, of  
of Jails.

2. I have the  
will not resort to  
which has proved highly  
I am the best judge  
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Medical Code Page 117, &c.

3. The correspondence on the  
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principles of inspection &c. of Jail  
the only provision made advantage  
to the Prisoners.

4. School in the stable food of all  
classes in the 108th district, at Bally,  
Duboo, who are very generally  
resorted to: the grounds of the  
the Prisoners the 108th district  
to the 108th district  
I have the honor to be &c.  
Signed J. M. Jackson  
Zillah Surgeon

1<sup>st</sup> 11.

September Bellary  
15<sup>th</sup> January 1862

The Zillah Surgeon Bellary.

Sir, Adverting to your Memo of this  
day's date in the Casualty book of the  
Jail stating that a Prisoner had died  
from great infirmity and decay of the  
system from being neglected by in-  
sufficient food. I further stating  
that all the Prisoners are all suffering  
from want of sufficient nourishment  
I have the honor to inform that it  
is the province of the officer in charge

I have 11 hours to be for  
 signed, P. J. Smith.  
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I enclose the letter back I expect  
of your letter of 14<sup>th</sup> under date 10<sup>th</sup> instant.  
II I respectfully beg to refer you to my letter  
of the 19<sup>th</sup> September 1861 & 8<sup>th</sup> October 1861.  
III I again urge upon you the necessity,  
for the whole of the Prisoner's diet;  
1<sup>st</sup> The loss of time, &c.  
proceeding from any want of health of the  
Prisoner, & that he should receive his entire  
food, and that cholera be given  
to him once a week, or rice twice a week,  
the assistance they (the prisoners)  
receive in it as soon as your terms expire.—  
IV I entirely differ with the 3<sup>d</sup> para of  
Mr. Rogers' letter of 14<sup>th</sup> Sept. under date 1<sup>st</sup> October  
1861, in which he speaks of "reducing the quantity  
of grain" for the men are now in my opinion  
very starved, for when the bamboo and raggs  
are properly cleaned, and freed of husk, which  
is not done before it goes to the Prisoners, there  
is more than a small quantity left for a man's  
sustenance for 24 hours.  
V I am satisfied with enquiring as

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 of the prison. had been a day  
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the things be more condemnatory  
 of those system of diet to the state  
 below given of admissions, deaths, and nature  
 of diet for the indicated, the one comprising  
 a period of one year.

Table showing number of admissions, and deaths  
 for 1859/1860-1860-1861, Two years.  
 Diet.

| Years   | Diseases           | Admitted | Died | Remarks      |
|---------|--------------------|----------|------|--------------|
| 1859/60 | Disease of stomach |          |      | Chol.        |
|         | Dysentery          | 36       | "    | with M. once |
| 1860/61 | "                  | 47       | 3    | with M. once |
|         | "                  | 83       | 3    |              |

Table showing number of admissions, and deaths  
 for 1861/1862, One year.  
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| 1861/62<br>months | Diseases. | Admitted | Died | Remarks        |
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|                   | "         | 43       | 7    | Dysentery once |
|                   | Dysentery | 10       | "    | once a         |
|                   | Cholera   | 1        | "    | once           |
|                   | Total     | 100      | 8    |                |

(Signature)  
 J. M. Jackson  
 Zillah Surgeon

No 25. Session Court Bellary  
 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1862.  
 From, P. Prime Esquire,  
 Session Judge of Bellary.  
 To, J. M. Jackson Esquire,  
 Zillah Surgeon of Bellary.

I regret to observe in the Casualty Book  
 that you state that another Prisoner has died  
 of "general infirmity and rapid break up of  
 constitution from insufficient and ill-adapted  
 diet."

I have occasion lately to address you in  
 the case of Prisoners who died in a sim-  
 ilar manner to point out to you that it was  
 in the Province exclusively to bring to notice  
 the cases of any Prisoners who from the state of  
 their health, old age or other causes required a  
 special supervision from that of the other Prisoners and  
 I then requested you to furnish me with the  
 names of the Prisoners so required, as stated in  
 the Casualty Book, such is the case I have since  
 received a Memo of one man only and have given  
 the necessary orders regarding him but no infor-  
 mation was made to me that the man who has  
 now died was insufficiently fed. Your letters of  
 19<sup>th</sup> September and 8<sup>th</sup> October 1861 have not been

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IV I now beg to say, that, I consider the whole  
of the prisoners in Cuba are exactly in the state, that they  
require to be removed, and am trying to obtain for the  
And health, since winter last, a perfect recovery of all

You accuse me of neglect of duty in the

of your letter under reply, and I have made it is

to bring to notice cases of prisoners requiring from

an age of sickness & have returned that there is generally

illness, and to express my hope that no further cases of

illness arising from neglect will occur in the

future. I am only the medical officer, and you are the

author. I cannot find it in my heart to

of you paras 14, and 15, page 117. Section X medical

appear to be in the points with regards to actual

neglect on my part. I can only say, and

anymore, that you are the person

in fault who has accused me of neglect in

service comprising 24 years and four months

in India. I have been eight years in medical charge

I have presided over by old British

and of known reputation, who always commended

various every change & recommended in a sanitary

and dietary points of view instantly in

I trust you will favour me by forwarding

communication to the Inspector General of Prisons

I shall submit it to the Principal Inspector

of the Medical Department more particularly

reference to a recent despatch from the Secretary

of India, under date 18<sup>th</sup> November 1861.

29, on this very subject, viz the diet of

Prisoners, being referred to medical officers of

prisons, by the Principal Honourable Sir C. Wood Bart.

and not as it appears to the Principal Inspector

General & Sails

I have the honor to be

Sir

Yours truly

W. H. Murray

To

Prison Judge

of Bombay



S. M. H. C.

No 27

Pollary 19<sup>th</sup> September 1861.

To

P. Orine Requin

Session Judge of Pollary.

Sir,

I have the honor to bring to your notice, that in my inspection of the Prisoners on Sundays frequent Complaints of Suffering with burning of the Stomach, and Bowels, with looseness, are made to me, on the days that they use Cumbrs, and Rogee, and on referring to the records I find that 46. Prisoners were admitted into the Hospital with Diseases of the Stomach, and Bowels, since 3<sup>rd</sup> April, these also complained of the same Symptoms - In the Year 1859/60, 36 Cases only occurred, and in 1860/61. 47: therefore, I consider it necessary to recommend that the Prisoners should be supplied with Cholera daily, instead of Cumbrs, and Rogee, which two latter should be entirely discontinued -

I have the honor to be,  
Sir,

Your Most Obedient Servant  
Signed / J. M. Jackson.  
J. M. Jackson.

True Copy -  
P. Orine Requin  
Session Judge

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From the Session Judge  
J. M. Jackson

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No 449 was d<sup>d</sup> 1<sup>st</sup>/10/61.

Military Surgeon, Freetown

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14<sup>th</sup> inst. enclosing over for me the enclosure from of the same date in which it is here proposed entirely to discontinue the use of Rugg's Food in the dietary of the prisoners & to substitute chicken.

The average number of prisoners since the 31<sup>st</sup> of April 1859.

This recommendation is based on the fact that since the 31<sup>st</sup> of April 1859, 40 prisoners have been admitted with hospital with diseases of the stomach & bowels whereas in the years 1859, 60 only 30 cases occurred and in 1860, 41 cases.

The Military prisoners have in their barracks remarkably healthy and I should be surprised to see a change from the old established diet. When I first wrote this fact in 1859, I found that a further increase it had been made at a cost of above £3000 the year, or any suggestion that Rugg's diet was returned to anchoring in it.

For the purpose of the  
report of the 14<sup>th</sup> inst.  
dated 19<sup>th</sup> of April 1861  
is the Surgeon-General  
of Freetown

Enclosure

Copy of letter to  
the Surgeon-General  
of Freetown

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quantity of grain  
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43 persons complaining  
in 5 months or about 2  
per cent per annum  
on the average of  
of grain in the

is it worth more or sufficient  
to condemn it? I think  
I should suggest that in the  
first instance at least no more  
should be had but a small  
allowance of it to be made  
at the full rate of the  
with.

W. D. R.

N<sup>o</sup> 28.

Bellary 8<sup>th</sup> October 1861.

To,

The Session Judge,  
Bellary.

Sir,

In acknowledging your letter N<sup>o</sup> 411. under date 7<sup>th</sup> Instant together with original letter N<sup>o</sup> 449, under date 1<sup>st</sup> October 1861, from the Inspector General of Jails.

2. I have the honor to request that you will not revert to the old system of diet (which has proved highly injurious) as I conceive, I am the best judge, as to what is beneficial in a dietary point for the health of the Prisoners, not Inspector General of Jails. Vide Medical Code Page 117 section 10 para 15.

3. The correspondence on this head will be submitted to Government; but in the interim I most respectfully request that my recommendation be attended to, which with all due deference of the weighty opinion of <sup>the</sup> Inspector General of Jails, has already proved most advantageous to the Prisoners.

4. Cholera is the staple food of all classes in the Ceded Districts, not Raggy, or Kummboo, which are only occasionally resorted to, the grains issued for the use of the Prisoners. should be husked, and cleaned before

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Loss being given.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,  
Signed/ Asst. Secy. to the  
Zillah Magistrate.

True

*F. Irvine*  
Session

No. 115.

Session Court at  
10th October 1861

From,

D. Irvine, Esquire,  
Session Judge of Bellary

To  
J. Rohde, Esquire  
Inspector General of Jails  
Ootacamund.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a  
copy of a letter received from the Zillah  
Magistrate of Bellary, No. 28, dated the 8th  
Instant, relative to the detaining of the  
Prisoners in the jail at this station, and  
to request that you will be so good as  
to send me instructions, as to how I am  
to act in the matter alluded to.

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your most obedt. servant.

*F. Irvine*  
Session Judge.

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A letter from the  
Session Judge of Bellary  
No. 115 dated 10th Oct. 1861,  
to the Inspector General  
of Jails, Ootacamund.

Copy of letter from  
the Zillah Magistrate of  
Bellary, dated 8th Oct.  
1861.

*E. H. C.*

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After a <sup>very</sup> long  
and <sup>of</sup> fine  
months I address the  
right & expect to receive  
soon <sup>one should</sup> be <sup>kindly</sup>

Before carrying  
any change in the ordinan-  
ces of the Bellary Co. I  
shall be obliged to lay your  
views on the cost of such change  
and whether the ancillary  
fund of the lower order. — The  
Bellary <sup>District</sup> as chosen is stated  
by Mr Jackson or rather Town-  
send grain also whether  
the comparative freedom  
on a small scale.

~~Mr Jackson says "The  
correspondence on this head  
settles substantially the  
point" it seems to me as well to  
remark that there is the proper~~

John R. Hill

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Session Court Bellary.  
28<sup>th</sup> October 1881.

From,

P. Chinnu Reguie,  
Session Judge of Bellary.

To

J. P. S. Reguie,  
General of Prison  
Coastguard.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the  
16<sup>th</sup> Instant. 44180, requesting to be  
informed of certain items regarding  
the diet of the Prisoners in the Jail,  
whence you can estimate a change; I  
have the honor to state that the  
difference in the present diet of  
the Prisoners as proposed by you,  
to that formerly adopted, is about  
Rs. 40, a month; and that if Cholum  
only is used, the saving would not be  
great.

2. The ordinary food of the lower  
class of people in the Bellary District,  
except in a few towns in which Raghee  
is used, is Cholum and Cumbroo-

3. I beg to observe that during  
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to continue for a time  
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think that the constitution in  
D. would become accustomed to  
the regimen.

4. With regard to the quantity  
of the Medical Officers of  
the army reported in the Ordinary  
list, I have to state, that not only  
no representation of the King was  
overruled, but the present system  
introduced by me after communica-  
tion with the late William &  
Dr. Forbes and with his official  
approval.

I have the honor to be,  
Sir,  
Your most Obedient Servant  
J. M. M.  
J. M. M. Mudge.

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not, dated 16<sup>th</sup> February 1862.

The Jail is kept clean and  
the food appears of good quality, but  
not adapted to the men's health; the  
cell is cleaned and freed of  
filth before which is not done.

Witnessed: Joseph M. Jackson,  
Jillak Surgeon.

Three copies

J. M. Jackson  
Sep. 1862

No 28

Sessions Court (Bellary)  
January 1862.

From, Mr. Pringle,

to, Mr. Judge of

Police,

Inspector General of Police  
at Bangalore.

I have the honor to forward for your  
information a tract from the Casualty  
Book of the Jail and a correspondence  
arising out of it with the Jillak Surgeon.

The Jillak Surgeon having in the  
Casualty Book stated that a Prisoner had  
died from general infirmity and decay of  
"system, from age, and was treated by insuffi-  
cient food," and added that "the older Pri-  
soners are all suffering from want of suffe-  
cient nourishment," I wrote to him pointing  
out that it was his duty to recommend that  
additional

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Mr.

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are.

Additional food would be given in the  
cases where it is considered necessary for medical  
reasons, and requesting to  
furnish a list of the men referred  
to me quoted.

To this I have replied  
to his letter of 19<sup>th</sup> September and October  
1861 in which I am arguing  
the point, alleging in addition to the objection  
he had made in these cases that the quantity allowed  
is inefficient.

I have this day perused the Memo  
in the Casualty Book stating  
that died from "general infirmity and rapid  
break up of constitution from insufficient and  
ill adapted food." To this I have replied by  
urging upon him the necessity of this  
he is bound to do recommending cases,  
or change of diet in cases when it appears  
necessary.

First. With regard to the case of the  
two Prisoners who have expressed having

to state that I considered the Hillah Surgeon  
who did not bring the cases of these

noticed in the increase  
in the diet, has not the degree  
reference to his former. However, I  
myself from the institution to have brought  
upon it and having neglected the means  
of saving their lives, and  
his reference to his letters of September and  
October is  
referred to in all the cases in the  
generally, to the cases of par-  
ticular Prisoners his recommendation  
in such cases have usually been alone  
attended to. I beg to call your attention par-  
ticularly to this as it is most painful to me  
to receive intimation from the Officer in  
Medical Charge of the Jail, of Prisoners dying  
from want of proper food, and to be at the  
same time prevented by that Officer's neg-  
ligence to be supplied with information from  
taking the proper steps as they are at all

ents, alleviate their sufferings.

second. With regards to the Dieting generally in the sub, I cannot agree with the Hillah Surgeon in considering the "sowen half starved" as they are generally a healthy body of men so far as can be judged from their appearance considerably Superior in stoutness and general appearance to the people their own class meet with generally on the roads here.

5. I opposed Dr. Ross for the usual regarding the men whose deaths are mentioned the second table at the end of the Hillah Surgeons letter one of the two referred to the beginning of the letter, and thinks that he should in fairness have added to his statement, that they had died of Diarrhoea the fact that 5 at least out of the 7 were old worn out men, whose deaths might reasonably have been expected at any time. I only two deaths which seem to me to reflect on any one, are the two last in which it appears that a change of diet might have prolonged life, but it was not recommended

recommended by the Hillah Surgeon.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Most Obedt. Servant.

H. Jones  
Session Judge.

(To,

The Inspector General of Jails  
Botetown.

P.S. I have not received the enclosed to be returned. letter from the Hillah Surgeon in reply to my letter of the 22<sup>nd</sup> Instant, which I send without having it copied.

H. Jones  
Session Judge

No. 61.

25  
S. P. M. 1862.  
May 1862.

From, P. P. M. Squire,  
Session Judge of Bellary.

To, W. P. M. Squire,  
Inspector General of Jails  
Coatamund.

Sir,

1. I have the honor to forward for  
your consideration <sup>Extracts of</sup> the General Weekly  
Reports sent us by the Bellary Surgeon  
with the remarks that the present diet  
allowed to the Prisoners in Jail is insuffi-  
cient, and request that you will be so  
good as to issue any instructions on the  
matter that you may think proper.

2. I am of opinion that the small  
number of prisoners in Hospital/and  
raging  $2\frac{1}{2}$  percent on the strength of the  
Jail/and the appearance of the prisoners do

No. 124. 1862. 280  
Extracts of Reports  
No. 28.

From  
the Session Judge  
of Bellary.  
To the Inspector Genl.  
of Prisons

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insufficiency of their diet.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obedt. Servant.

J. J. Jones  
Session Judge.

To,  
The Inspector General of Jails  
Washington.

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Abstracts from the Correspondence to  
 the Hon. the S. Union Judge and  
 the Hon. the S. Union Judge referred to in  
 the Hon. the S. Union Judge's letter  
 dated 23<sup>rd</sup> January 1862. 1049, 8

14 September 1861. From the Hon.  
 Judge Bellamy to Inspector of  
 Prisons stating that on the request  
 the Prison Surgeons he had directed the  
 inspection of the Prison of R. and  
 the result of the inspection was  
 that and the result was days in prison weeks  
 the result adopted.

14 September 1861. From the Hon.  
 Judge Bellamy to the Prison Surgeon  
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From the Hon. Judge  
 of the Hon. Judge

to the Hon. Judge  
 of the Hon. Judge

Dated 19<sup>th</sup> 1861.

1862.

From the Hon. Judge  
 of the Hon. Judge  
 to the Hon. Judge  
 of the Hon. Judge

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facts that might weigh  
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28<sup>th</sup> October 1861. From the  
Judge Bellamy to the  
at Dairs stating that the  
new dietary was about 1100 Rs  
monthly, that in the west part  
of the district, cholera and  
the grain, Paga being  
in a few balooks only that  
complaints had been somewhat  
more prevalent since the introduction

of the new diet but not more than  
might be expected on the first in-  
roduction of any change and that  
the prisoners would  
provanity become accustomed to an  
regiment; that so far from the diet  
any having been objected to  
Medical when it was introduced  
with the cordial approval of Dr  
Dover the late Pillah Surg.

15<sup>th</sup> January 1862. From the  
Judge Bellamy to the Pillah Surgeon  
noticing his entry in the casualty  
book that a prisoner had died from  
"general infirmity and decay of the  
system from age accelerated by in-  
sufficient nourishment" and observing  
that it is the province of the  
Medical officer to bring to notice  
cases in which particular prisoners  
require additional food and that  
such requisitions were invariably at-  
tended to that if there should be  
such cases remaining he requested

their cases might mine  
be brought to justice.

18<sup>th</sup> January 1862. From the Pitt-  
=rath Surgeon to the Chief Judge,  
answer to the above, referring  
letters of the 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, & 12<sup>th</sup> Dec. and  
insisting on an im-  
mediate change of diet in the whole  
Pril that cholera should be given  
bread from bust to live twice a week  
and rice twice a week and that the  
condemnt allowance should be raised  
from 4s to 6s per, that the prisoners  
were at present half starved that  
the tables appended (showing the  
disease and mortality in the two  
years to April 1861 and for the  
nine months from that date) were  
conclusive against the new dietary.

22<sup>nd</sup> January 1862. From the  
Chin. Judge to the Gallah Surgeon  
at Bellary, noticing a second case  
in which that officer had attrib-  
uted the cause of death "to insuffi-  
-sant and ill-adapted diet" and shewing  
that

that although the Gallah Surgeon  
had on a former occasion made  
similar entry and had been called  
on to report the cases required  
diet differing from that ordinarily  
given. He had not done so, but  
reference to former correspondence  
on bearing the matter and again  
insisting on the Medical Board  
bringing to notice the case of  
who from old age the case re-  
quired a diet other than that  
usually allowed.

25<sup>th</sup> January 1862. From the  
The Surgeon to the Sepoys' Lodge in  
acknowledgment of the above, insist-  
ing that had his recommendations been  
carried out there would be no occasion  
for isolated certificates being sent of  
separate prisoners and "we have  
"presented the older and weaker as  
prisoners from being in a  
"slut debilitated condition" and again  
insisting on a total change of diet &c.  
defending himself from the charge of  
neglect

with the Med. and Nat. Hist. Soc. of London.

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Stoddard  
Master of Sails.

STATEMENT OF ADMIS- *Sanitary Hospital*  
*to the 3rd*

Quarter 18  
May 1857.  
~~during the Quarter of 18~~

| Nature of Disease.                    | Remaining 1st of Quarter. | Discharged. | Died. | Transferred. | Remaining. | REMARKS. |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------|-------|--------------|------------|----------|
| Fevers.....                           | 78                        |             |       |              | 78         |          |
| Che.....                              |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| Atrophy.....                          |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| Anasar.....                           |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| Diseases of the Lungs.....            |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| Do Liver.....                         |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| Rheumatism.....                       |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| Venere.....                           |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| Ulcers and Sores.....                 |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| Wounds and Injuries.....              |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| DISEASE OF EYES.....                  |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| Do Skin.....                          |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| Small Pox .....                       |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
| <i>B... ..</i>                        |                           |             |       |              | 78         |          |
| <i>Sore</i>                           |                           |             |       |              |            |          |
|                                       |                           |             |       |              | 78         |          |
| Total.....                            | 78                        |             |       |              | 78         |          |
| Average strength for the Quarter..... | 78                        | XX          | XX    |              | XX         |          |

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Hospital of B. A. during the 2 Quarters of 1861/62

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Wm. H. Hunt  
Inspector General of Sails

# Judicial Department.

Pro. 23. Dec. 1861. No. 163 & 144.  
 " 10. Feb. 1862. No. 63  
 For March - 1869-70  
 No. 451 & 938-

Judicial 1862

No. Pros. Pet.  
 From R. Cole Esq. 'May' 62.  
 Principal Supt. Genl. 40.  
 Med. Depart.  
 Bangalore

To the Secy of the Judicial Department

J. Pycroft Esq. = 94A  
 Chief Surg. to Govt. 166.  
 Judicial Depart.  
 Fort St. George. No. 1565.

Dated 6<sup>th</sup> September  
 Recd. W.F. \_\_\_\_\_

No. 1821 No. 94A to go -  
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Submitting opinion views  
 on the subject discussed by the Prisoners in the Jail at Bellary with observations  
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QUARTER BY STATEMENT

QUARTER IS

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 JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT  
 BANGALORE

Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letters—

From the Inspector Genl.  
of Sails — Enter 3<sup>rd</sup> Mar. & 5<sup>th</sup> May '62.  
N<sup>o</sup>. 96 & 240.

the Principal In-  
spector Genl., Medl.  
Dept. — 6<sup>th</sup> Sept. N<sup>o</sup>.  $\frac{94A}{166}$ .

Order — 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept. 1862 N<sup>o</sup>. 1565.

The Govt. concur ge-  
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Mr. Cole in his  
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The Principal Inspector  
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" Inspector Genl. of Sails }

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