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T. PYCROFT, Chief S
20th October 1862, No

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2. The Plans and Estimates for the works in question will be s to Government through the Chief Engineer in due course, and I request that they may ned at an *early* date so tha the head

om want of Subsidiary Jails, and as the Superintendent of Police also represents that accommodation for the Police wards for which provision has been made in above Plans and Estimates is very much needed.

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RMICHAEL, Esq., Magistrate and Acting Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam; to the Honorable T. PYCROFT, Chief Secretary to Government Fort Saint George, date m, 23rd October 1862, No. 559.

ha bsidiary Jails I have selected e Superintendent of Police. The necessary Estimates have been and will be laid before Government through the regular channel. The probable cost Jails, it will be seen, amounts to Rupees 10,650.

2. I tak was
Agent's
ber last, No. 363. No reply has been received to this letter; the Go
awaited the receipt of the Estimate promised in Mr. Fane's concluding

3. This Estimate was duly prepared by the District Engineer, and submitted ief Engineer, Department Public Works, in whose office it was inspected by en show who, after suggesting some corrections in the design, declined to forward the scheme on the ground that "the urgent "want of prison accommodation on the plains will demand all the available resources that the "Government may be disposed to appropriate to prison purposes." Thi to September ultimo.

he accommodation was estimated for 50 Convicts, and attached to the prison were Sub-Magistrate's and Police Inspector's offices. The cost to be Rupees 3,480. The proposed building would answer both luq Jail and for all prisoners sentenced by the Assistant es disposed of by the Court of Session the priso ged in the Vizagapatam Distance from Jeypore to Vi m, the great tract of country in the Junior Assistant's jurisdiction lying north and no f Jeypore, the great mortality among Hill men when brought l-quarters of the country above the Ghauts. It must be remembered that the area of Jeypore and Gunipoor is between 8 and 9 thousand square miles; and unless short enced prisoners (by which I conclude all sentenced by the Junior Assistant who goes up very serious inconvenience and expense will result. A Medical Subordinate has already been ed for Jeypore and an Eur as Assistant Superintendent of Police. The ary for Jeypore will recruited from the surrounding cou onstable

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...Madras Go... ...partment,

23rd December 1862.

...eased to consider... ...pass the
Estimate (still in the Chief E... ...vince) for a small Ja... ...g on Mr.
Rohde to bring his suggestio... ...il to the not...

6. If the Governm... ...urse, then a Taluq Jail wi...
estimated for at ...ecomme...
the Taluq Jail.

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From ...ODSON, ...g Deputy Magistrate of South C...
...tary to Government, Fort Saint G...
...8
dated Manjeshwar, ...

With reference to para. 11 of the ... Estimate for a ... which
1862, No. 79, I have the ... N...shwar to s... double
I beg to propose should be erected at Karkal, Bettangady
purpose of a Subsidiary Jail and a Sub-Magistrate's Kache...

2. It will be observed that the building ...modation for prisoners on tr...
separation of males from fem...
neither Kac... ...ck-up at any of the above places, and prisoners sentenced
to short periods of imprisonment ... the 2nd Class Sub-Magistrates are sent to Udippi,
Bantwal, and Cassergode respectively.

3. At Udippi and Uppinangad... ...ion which the new Kacheries now
...equirements of Subsidiary Jail...
...elieve, su...
...itions, however, are necessary to the Taluq Kacheries at Casse...
Mangalore, and Coondapur, as also to the Sub-Magistrate's Kacheri at Buntwal. As there is
only one lock-up in each of these Kacheries, two additi... ...uld be p...
the estimated cost of which I have entered in the list which accompanies this letter, and it is
very necessary that this should be done w... ...little delay as possible, as the present accom-
modation is quite insufficient.

5. At Puttur, the Head Assistant Magistrate's Station, I see no necessity ... separate
...diary Jail ina... ...he required additional accommodation for the small number of
persons that will, at any one time, be undergoing short periods of imprisonment under sentences
of the Head Assistant Magistrate, may be provided in the Police Station house of that place at
a small outlay.

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No. ... BANBURY, Esq., Acting Collec... Kurnool ... J.
...q., Chief Secretary to G... ...ort Saint George, dated
Kurnool, 6th November 1862, No. 47.

In compliance with the orders of Government, dated 21st July last, I have the honor to
submit a list and Estimate amounting to Rupees 2,000 for repairs and additions necessary for
effect... ...he Sub-Magistrates' Jails, and for securing the separa-
...soners.

...ation Company having largely extended their ...
...and building materials is considerably increased.

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G. B... Acting Magistrate of Kur... J.
...o Government, Fort ...
Kur... ..., No. 48.

...letter regarding the formation of Subsidiary Jails, I have the honor to
...submit a Plan* and copies of a letter and Estimate received from the
...ct Engineer, regardin...
...ity
...istrates' offic... ...not include this Cusbah in the list submitted; but as it
Engineer's communication, likely that a considerable period will elapse before
...mpleted, the Estimates not having been as yet submitted, I request that the

...dicial Department,

...1862.

amount prop... ...-up (rec... as shown in th... ...g sket...
be incorpora... already ... , thus making th... ...this D...
Rup...

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From Lieut... ...I. S. O. E. LUDLO... ..., Dep...
...BIRDWOO... , Secret...
...vernmen... ...ment, dated Chepauk, 18th November 1862.

Es... I have the honor to forward for the sanction of Government, and
1 Plan. ...entry in the coming Budget, Plan and Estimate, amounting to Rupees
...additional accommodation for prisoners under
...trict Engineer N... ...quiry and short sent... ...uq Cutcherry at Kundakur, in
No. 2,345, dated 2... ...Nellore District.
...vember 1862.

2. Under the operation of the new Penal Code, prisoners who are to be committed, but for a short period, suffer punishment on the spot, not being sent to the Grand Jail, as was heretofore the case; and to ... description, additio... found to be very requisite.

3. The Collector of the Nellore District asked for the work, and has signed the Estimate, which is correct, I beg, therefore, to recommend that it may be sanctioned for entry in the Budget of 1863-64.

Rele...

FORT SAINT GE... (Signed) W. T. BIRDWOOD, Colonel, &c...
*20th November ...* *Secretary to Government.*

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No. 250 E. ORDE... ...1114.

With their letters here recorded the Magistrates of Tinnevelly, Vizagapatam, South Canara and Kurnool submit the lists, called for by Government,
Proceedings, 21st July 1862, No. 1,150. showing the number of Subsidiary Jails which they would recommend f... ...d the cost of
the repairs or additions necessary to pr... ...e requisi... ...modation.

2. An Estimate is also furnished through the Department Public Works for add... lock-ups at the Talook Cutcherry of Kundakur in Nellore, but the Magistrate's report s... the requirements of the ...
1,400 Rupees.

3. The Magistrate of Tinnevelly considers that a Subsidiary Jail should be attached to each Sub-Magistrate's office. He requires 6 entirely new Cutcherries to cost Rupees 29,900, and he estimates the expense of making additio... ...e other old Cutcherries at Rupees 15,24... These works he states are emergently requi... ...nediate sanct... the whole sum, amounting to Rup...

4. In Vizagapatam 16 Subsidiary Jails are required. The Talook Cutcherry at Vizagapatam already possesses adequate accommodation, and a separate Estimate for a Cutcherry at Nursipatam has been pr... ...a Hill J... Jeypore, in an Estimate amounting to Rupees 3,480, but the Inspector General of Jails has declined to forward it on the ground that the urgent want of Jails on the plains will demand all the funds available for prison purposes. The expense of the remaining 13 Jails is calculated by the Mag... ...sanctioned as requeste... ...pecial case, a sum of Rupees 11... Nursipatam Cutcherry.

5. In the South Canara ... necessa... suffi... ...modation ... others are required at Karikal, Bettangady and Nielesh... ...upees 980 e...

addition-

rooms r Cundapur and Buntwal are calculated to cost Rupees [illegible], or [illegible]
of 70 Rupees. Allowing a similar sum for the lock-ups at Casserogode, the cost of which
ated, the sum required for this District would [illegible]
There are 12 Sub-Magist[illegible]rries in Kurn[illegible]ich will require either
[illegible]sed as Subsidiary Jails. The [illegible]
mounting to Rupees [illegible],000, comprises the Huzùr and 11 Sub-Ma[illegible]
[illegible] plan of new buildings for the use of the Tahsildar,
[illegible]tla is about to be submitte[illegible] [illegible]e reports that
[illegible] for by the [illegible]
[illegible]vided for prisoners. This has [illegible]ct to Rupees
Engineer at a cost of Rupees 260, raising the total require[illegible] 1,400 Ru-
7. It appears then that the additions to a single Cutc[illegible]r the four Dis-

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| [illegible] | [illegible] |
| [illegible] | [illegible] |

Revenue Department.

## PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following Papers

From the Magte of Tinnevelly (Rece entd 30th October 1862 No 3491
the Agt Govr & Agent to the Governor of Fort St George Vizagapatam ( " 23d " " " 539
the Magte of Canara ( " 4th Nov " 101
the Collector of Kurnool ( " 6th & 11th Novr " Nos 147 & 148
the Deputy Chief Engineer Southern Circle ( " [illegible] " 177

Order thereon 23d December 1862 No 2114

With their letters here recorded the Magistrates of Tinnevelly, Vizagapatam, South Canara and Kurnool submit the lists called for by Govt in Para 6 of, showing number of subsidiary Jails which they would recommend for their respective Districts, and the cost of the repairs or additions necessary to provide

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provide the requisite accommodation.

2. An estimate is also furnished by the Dept. Public Works for additional lock up at Salute Cutcherry of Vellore, but the Magistrate respectfully thinks the requirements of the whole District has not been received. This estimate amounts to 14,000 Rs.

3. The Magistrate of Vizagapatam provides that a subsidiary Jail should be attached to each Sub-Magistrates office. He requires 6 entirely new Cutcheries to cost Rupees 29,900, and he estimates the expense of making additions to the other old Cutcheries at Rupees 15,240. These works by Statute are immediately required and he accordingly solicits immediate sanction for the whole sum, amounting to Rs: 45,140.

In

Dt. Vizagapatam 16 subsidiary jails are required. The old Cutchery at Vizagapatam already possesses adequate accommodation, and a separate estimate for Cutchery at Parvatipatam has been previously submitted. No new has also been made for a hill jail in Denpore, an estimate amounting to Rupees 3,480, but the Inspector General of Jails has declined to sanction it and that the sergeants of jails on the plains should demand all the furniture available for prison purposes. The remaining 13 Jails in each of the Agency Tracts at Rupees 14,130 will be required for this District, viz.

exclusive of the cost of the Municipalam Cutcherry.

5 In the requirements of the South Canara District are moderate, only 9 lock-ups are necessary. New Cutcherries with sufficient accommodation have already been sanctioned at Udipi and Uppinangadi, but three others are required at Karkal, Bellangady and Nileshwar at a cost of Rupees 980 each. The 4 remaining jails may be provided by slight additions to the existing Cutcherries. ... two rooms required at Mangalore Cundapur and Pernbwal are calculated to cost Rupees 211, or an average of 190 Rupees. Allowing a similar sum for the lock-up at Tasergode, the cost of which is not stated, the sum required for this District would be Rupees 3221.

6. There are 12 sub-magistrate's Cutcherries in Kurnool, all of which will require either improvements or additions, before they can be used as subsidiary jails. The Agency estimate amounts to Rupees 2001 ... prises the Kurnool and 11 sub-magistrate's offices. A separate plan of new buildings for the use of the Tahsildar, Deputy Collector and Police at Koilkuntla is about to be submitted, but pending its sanction the Magistrate reports that temporary accommodation should be provided for prisoners. This has been estimated for by the District Engineer at a cost of 260, raising the total requirements of the District to Rupees 2260.

7. It appears then that the additions to a single cutcherry in Bellary will cost 1400 Rupees while the total

Trivandrum - - -
Tinnevelly
Negapatam
S. Canara - 3,221
Kurnool - - 2,260
64,751
16,188
17
3 ... 572

to ... est ... the Jail ...
... the marginal ...
amounts to ... Rs 64,750 -
Of the ... Districts the same
... scale ... negate expenses
would exceed 3 lacs of
Rupees ... It is ...
... that an unusual -
-ly large allotment has al -
-ready been made in the
Budget for 1863 - 4 for the
~~Courts~~ of Sadr, ~~and the~~
~~Government have very to -~~
~~... they have obliged to adopt~~
~~the suggested provision for~~
~~Contingencies~~ end of
~~fraud~~.

8 Under these ... the Government Council
resolves to get the lists
received from the Magistrates
of Cuddapah ... duly,
South Ca ... Sanctioned
for ... by
... A did
not

not intend that every cut -
-cherry should be provided
with lock-ups. On the con -
-trary desired the
Magistrates "to look the
localities best fitted for
the subsidiary jails," and
though they considered it
"desirable to shorten as
much as possible the dis -
-tances which prisoners
should have to travel",
they did not contemplate
~~in the immediate adopting of~~
so expensive a ~~scheme~~ manner as
the provision of prison ac -
-commodation wherever
a Magistrate might be
stationed. In re-submitting
their lists the Magistrates
will be careful to submit
only those stations where
lock-ups are considered
absolutely necessary. They
will select for immediate
sanction ~~4~~ 5 places in
different quarters of their
Districts taking care to ...
consideration where the
requests

requisite accomodation can be most economically provided. The other stations may be shown in the [illegible] which they require notice with a view to the gradual extension of the number of jails as the funds available may permit.

9. There are a few points in the detailed arrangements proposed by the Magistrates at call for remark, one Magistrate of South Canara estimates for three rooms in each prison, two for convicts male & female, and the third for prisoners under trial. These latter should be kept in the Police station House.

10. The same Magistrate remarks in the last para, of his letter that short sentences of less than one months imprisonment are [illegible] at the Head Assistant Magistrates, and that the few persons who may be so sentenced may be confined in the station house at Puttur. The Government have already expressed its disapproval of this practice, such persons should be [illegible] to the subsidiary jail to be established at Uppinangady where appears [illegible] to be [illegible] of Puttur.

11. In the same District again a cutcherry at Uppinangady appears to have been sanctioned, and estimates for similar cutcherries at Karkal and Bettangady are submitted. A police station-house has also been sanctioned at each of these three stations, and it appears to the Government that

Bo: 24 Sept: 62, No. [illegible]

It would be well to build
at each convenient
station two offices
under his Bond. The
Magistrate would thus
[illegible] his attendance before
allowing the sanctioned
commencement.

12 The Magistrate of
Furreedpore makes provision
for two gaols at Pirrool,
one in the Burgur, the
other in the Sub Magistrate's
Cutcherry; such an arrange-
ment, as already stated,
was never contemplated
by Government & is
an unnecessary expense
which the [illegible] the
original construction of the
Lockups or their subsequent
guarding. Even ultimately one
prison in each Taluk
should suffice, and for the
present the Magistrate must
consider themselves restrict-
ed to 3 or 4 for their whole
Districts.

13 Under the same mind
the

the temporary lock-up he
proposes at [illegible]
to enable the Magistrate
Kumtla cannot [illegible] them
~~The Prisoners~~ Person, commence the
short [illegible] the
Sale [illegible] Magistrate of that place
[illegible]
nearest prison in the
District
overnment [illegible] cases.

14 The Government
Magistrate of Burgur appropriate for
[illegible] section
will gain at a very
& urgent. The Govern
give them further consideration
on receiving the Magistrate's re-
vised proposals.

15 The plan now sent [illegible]
the Cutcherry at Kundakeer in
Nellore would also remove in a
beyance pending the receipt of the
Magistrate's [illegible] general

~~For the proposition to build
the construction of new entirely
new buildings would be
omitted in the regular annual
estimate. Add to Public Works.~~

~~A copy of these proceedings
will be forwarded to each Magis-
trate for his information and~~
with enclosures

Mr Chief Engineer with
a memorandum & enter
the sum of Rs 200,000
in the Budget of the Public
Works Dept. for 1863/64
for the erection of Subsidiary
Jails.

Department of P.W.
All Magistrates
Executive Engineers
Circle Overseers

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Jud.l 1862 Department.

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PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT,

Dated 23d Decr 1862.

4. No. [illegible] Fort St. Geo. Dept.
— 137/63. 987/62
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Returning the Lists received from the Magists of Vizagapatam, Linnebelly, South Canara & Neilgherry respecting Subsidiary Suits for revision; and issuing some instructions to them for their guidance in resubsidizing the Lists

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