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*Judicial* DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,  
3rd September 1863.*

No. 25. Read the following letter from V. H. LEVINGE, Esq., Magistrate of Madura; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Madras, dated Madura, 22nd August 1863, No. 179.

I have the honor, with reference to the Proceedings of the Madras Government of the 22nd July last, No. 1,181, Judicial Department, to forward herewith for the consideration of Government copy of a letter of the Acting Joint Magistrate at Dindigul, dated the 4th instant, No. 33.

From G. VANS AGNEW, Esq., Acting Joint Magistrate; to V. H. LEVINGE, Esq., Magistrate of Madura, dated Dindigul, 4th August 1863, No. 33.

Observing that in your letter to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 7th July 1863, No. 135, with reference to Jail accommodation at Dindigul you only noticed the Bombproofs on the rock in the Fort, I have the honor to inform you that just at the foot of the rock there is a large square building formerly used as a Barrack well roofed and well ventilated, capable of holding several hundreds of Convicts, and in my opinion even more suitable for that purpose than the Bombproofs. There is a large open square Court in the centre with rows of shady trees along each side. The windows, which are near the ground, have at present only wooden bars. It would probably be necessary to substitute iron, but with that exception little else in the way of repairs would be required.

2. The Taluq School occupies at present a portion of the building pending the completion of the new School House, the walls of which are already up. For what reason I am not aware the work has been at a stand still for several months.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) V. H. LEVINGE,  
*Magistrate.*

No. 26. ORDER THEREON, 3rd September 1863, No. 1,423.

Referred to the Inspector General of Jails for report.

2. The Superintending Engineer of the 8th Division will be called upon to explain the great delay which has occurred in the erection of the Taluq School house which was sanctioned so far back as 2nd June 1860.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,  
*Chief Secretary.*

Exd. T. McMootry.

Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following  
letter from the Magistrate  
of Madurai.

(Here enter 22<sup>nd</sup> Augt 1863 No 179)

Order thereon 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1863 No 1423.

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To the Insp<sup>r</sup> Genl. of Jails } Resd. 5/9/63  
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Dated 22 September 1863.  
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and the [unclear] [unclear] House  
at [unclear].

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