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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
19th February 1863.

No. 156. Read the following letter from Lieutenant Colonel W. J. WILSON, Commissioner of Police; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 12th February 1863, No. 23.

I have the honor to forward a Memorandum of an increased charge to meet the expenses of transporting Convicts during the year 1863-64, and request you will be good enough to cause the sum of Rupees 22,000 to be substituted for that of Rupees 15,000 in the Budget for that year.

2. It is only very recently that the Bills of the Commissariat have been sent to me instead of to the Civil Paymaster, and I find from these Bills that the expenses incurred for building prisons on boardship is greater than I had supposed, besides which I am now directed to ship provisions sufficient for the maintenance of each Convict for three months after his arrival at Port Blair in compliance with the Order of the Bengal Government noted in the margin, which was not previously communicated to this Department.

Extract Minutes Consultation, No. 753, 8th June 1858, and Order No. 154, 2nd February 1863, Judicial Department.

No. 157. ORDER THEREON, 19th February 1863, No. 268.

A further addition of Rupees 7,000 will, as requested by the Commissioner of Police, be made in his Estimate for "Freight, Provision, Clothing, &c., for Convicts," thus raising the amount of this item to Rupees 22,000.

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

Exd. T. McMoetry.

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Rupees 7000 will, as requested ~~Rupees 7000 will, as requested~~
by the Commissioner ~~by the Commissioner~~
of Police, be made ~~of Police, be made,~~ to
this Estimate for Freight, ~~this Estimate for Freight,~~
Provision, Clothing, &c. for ~~Provision, Clothing, &c. for~~
Convicts, thus raising ~~Convicts, thus raising~~
the amount of this item ~~the amount of this item~~
to Rs. 22,000. ~~to Rs 22000~~

Memo,
Rs. 15,000 appears in the Estimate
" 7,000 will be added as per draft to be forwarded sent p.p.

The Commissioner of Police
" Deputy Asstt & Asstt Genl D. dispd 21/2
" Civil Engineer.