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Government of Madras.

Agitation **DEPARTMENT.**

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

No. 4. Read the following letter from J. ROHDE, Esq., Inspector General of Jails ; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated Vizagapatam, on Circuit, 4th February 1863, No. 763.

In acknowledging your communication under the Order of the 21st ultimo, of the Order of the 16th idem, Public Works Department, I have the honor to state that it is

• Returned. of no use now to comment on the District Engineer's letters,* had a specification been furnished the errors might have been avoided.

2. I need scarcely say that gable ends might have been put to the building and that without any great exercise of professional skill.

No. 5. ORDER THEREON, 3rd March 1863, No. 341.
To be recorded.

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

N^o. 341 - 3 March 1863.

To be recorded.

Forwarded to the Honorable
E. Malby & J. Pyeroff with
reference to the remarks of the
Governor.

It appears to me that this is another
instance of the impropriety of allowing
the head of one Department to interfere
with the work of another. and similar
instances will constantly occur if we
allow Mr. Noble, on the ground of his
supposed experience as a builder to
interfere with the details of the work
performed by the S. W. Dep^t - Mr. Noble
if he is allowed to meddle should be
held responsible for the work - if he is
not responsible he should hold his
tongue

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