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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
21st September 1864.

No. 160. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Public Works Department, dated 15th September 1864, No. 2686.

Communicating the report of progress made on the upper story of the Salem Jail for the quarter ending 31st July 1864. (Vide Proceedings, Public Works Dept., dated 15th Sept. 1864, Nos. 326 & 327.)

No. 161. ORDER THEREON, 21st September 1864, No. 1391.
Communicated to the Inspector General of Jails.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

To the Inspector General of Jails.

Exd. T. Cartledge.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 15th September 1864.

No. 326. Read the following Endorsement of the Acting Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, dated Bangalore, 9th September 1864, No. 940.

Read the following:—

FIFTH DIVISION, DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

Salem District, Salem Range.

Report for the quarter ending July 31st 1864 *of progress made with the upper story of the Salem Jail, called for in G. O. No.* 2,519 *of September* 1st 1863.

Estimate, Rupees 40,500, sanctioned in G. O. No. 380 of March 12th 1863.

Work commenced in January 1863.

Expenditure during the past quarter ... ... Rupees 4,526 11 3

Do. from commencement of work up to date „ 24,867 9 8

Particulars of work done up to date:—

1. One large block to accommodate fifty-four prisoners, and one small block to accommodate forty-two prisoners, completed and handed over to the prison authorities.

Another small block, to accommodate forty-two prisonors, finished, but not handed over to the prison authorities.

Basement and stair-case of another large block completed.

Wood work of verandah roofing and joists for terraced roofing of one large block ready for putting up.

Iron revolving doors, with granite lintels and bolt stones, ready for one large and one small block.

Corrugated iron sheeting ready for one large and one small block.

About 64,000 bricks ready for the second large block, which has just been commenced.

2.—During the period under report one hundred Convicts were available daily for work in the brick field, and one hundred and eighty for assisting the Contractor's bricklayers inside the Jail.

3. During the quarter, many thousands of raw bricks have, from time to time, been destroyed by sudden and heavy showers of rain, and there has, at times, been considerable difficulty in procuring lime for the work.

SALEM,
6th September 1864.

(Signed A. R. EDGCOME, Lieutenant, R. E.,
Assistant Engineer in charge of Salem Range.

Submitted to Government with reference to G. O. No. 2,519 of the 1st September 1863.

(Signed) C. HILL, Lieut.-Colonel, R. E.,
Acting Superintending Engineer, 5th Division.

No. 327. ORDER THEREON, 15th September 1864, No. 2,686.

1. Communicated to the Judicial Department.

2. The sum expended upon the Jail up to 30th April 1864 is given in the last return at Rupees 19,541-11-4; if to this amount be added Rupees 4,526-11-3, the outlay during th quarter ended 31st July, the aggregate expenditure up to that date would be Rupees 24,068-6-7. The Superintending Engineer will explain under what circumstances Rupees 24,867-9-8 are entered in the report recorded above.

(True Extract.)

Major, R. E.,
Deputy Secretary to G...nment.

To the Judicial Department.

Exd, S. T. Augustin.

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