

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 683	Press ~~Mis.~~
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Dated 11— 5— 19 1864	

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
11th May 1864.*

No. 93. Read the following letter from J. D. ROBINSON, Esq., Magistrate of North Arcot; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Puthalpat, 27th April 1864, No. 18.

I have the honor, with reference to the Proceedings of Government noted in the margin, to solicit their re-consideration of so much of the arrangement therein sanctioned as relates to the removal of the Police station from the

Proceedings of Madras Government, Public Works Department, 14th April 1864.

town and its location in one of the Fort buildings.

2. Since this project first came under consideration, the proposed transfer has in its Police aspects been practically tested, and the result has been a marked increase of crime, and two dacoities *within* the town.

3. It is easy to understand how the project came to recommend itself at first sight to all who were consulted about it; but as subsequent results have belied the expectations upon which an opinion was then formed, I have thought it my duty to intervene before further action can be taken in the matter, so far at least as it relates to Police accommodation.

4. I may mention that both the Deputy Inspector General and Superintendent of Police now deprecate the transfer: and the former in a note just received admits that he had his mis-givings from the first, and regrets that he did not allow them more weight, when giving his opinion.

5. With this explanation, I beg to recommend that the Police continue to be located within the town, and that the Superintending Engineer be requested to adapt the plan to this change of arrangement.

No. 94. ORDER THEREON, 11th May 1864, No. 683.

Under the circumstances represented by the Magistrate of North Arcot, the Governor in Council directs that the plan and estimate for converting the Commandant's house in the Fort at Arnee into a Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry, with a Subsidiary Jail and a Police station, sanctioned in the Proceedings of Government in the Department of Public Works, under date the 14th ultimo, No. 1066, be so far modified as to admit of the Police station being located in the town.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Magistrate of North Arcot.
" Department of Public Works.
" Inspector General of Police.

*Pro No. 231.232.
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Judicial Department,

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from J. D. Holmes,
Esq. Collector of North Arcot.

(Here enter 27 April 1864 No 18)

Order thereon 11th May 1864 No 683

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To
The Magistrate of North Arcot
The Asst. Commr. of Public Works
The Inspector General of Police

Police Station house at

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PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT.

Council

Dated 11th May 1874.

At 1304. *Almond & Co*

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The Police Station
at Elmer, ordered to
be located in the
Court