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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
23rd August 1865.

No. 178. Read the following letter from Lieutenant Colonel G. W. WALKER, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 7th Divison, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, Fort Saint George; dated Coonoor, 7th August 1865, No. 81.

With reference to the correspondence with G. O., No. 3572, of 14th December 1864, I have the honor to report, on the authority of the Assistant Executive Engineer in charge of Cannanore Range, and of the Cantonment Joint Magistrate, that there is accommodation available for 60 additional prisoners in the Fort Jail at Cannanore, whose services could be turned to advantage on the Military buildings in progress at Cannanore.

2. It is the more desirable that convict labor should be made available for the works at Cannanore, as the expectation that Sepoy labor would be available, raised by G. O., No. 2963, of 14th October 1864, has not been borne out by actual experience.—G. O. (in the Judicial Department), No. 1753, of 7th December 1864, seems never to have been acted on.

Referred to the Judicial Department.

(Signed) C. A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government, P. W. D.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
11th August 1865.

No. 179. ORDER THEREON, 23rd August 1865, No. 1168.

Communicated to the Inspector General of Jails.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector General of Jails.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter :—

From the Deputy Adjutant General, Head Quarters, Ootacamund, 23rd September 1864, No. 718; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George.

With reference to paragraph 7 of letter, dated 27th July 1864, No. 346,* I have the honor, by order of the Commander-in-Chief, to submit the following information received from Officers Commanding Divisions and Forces, relative to the number of men in the several Garrisons, &c., under their Command, available for employment in the execution of Public Works.

* *Vide Proceedings of Government, 26th August* 1864, *No.* 2956.

Divisions.	Garrisons or Cantonments.	All ranks available after allowing those remaining for duty to have 4 out of 5 nights in bed.					All ranks available after allowing those remaining for duty to have 7 out of 9 nights in bed.					Remarks.
		Native Officers.	Havildars.	Drummers.	Naigues & Lance Naigues.	Privates.	Native Officers.	Havildars.	Drummers.	Naigues & Lance Naigues.	Privates.	
Mysore Division.	New Cantonment, Mysore...	9	15	...	24	308	9	16	...	27	320	
	Hurryhur.....	11	9	2	17	286	12	10	3	20	304	
	Mercara.....	4	1	...	10	110	4	1	...	13	133	
	Bangalore.....	7	1	3	...	70	8	7	4	2	154	
Malabar & Canara.	Cannanore.....	4	15	...	13	115	5	17	...	18	140	On the arrival of the Right Wing of the 13th Native Infy. at Cannanore, the Privates would be double the number shewn in the Statement.
	Mangalore.....	10	12	...	12	328	10	11	...	15	345	
Southern Division.	Trichinopoly...	...	22	...	...	239	...	26	...	...	265	
	Palamcottah...	...	16	...	12	245	...	17	...	13	286	
	Quilon.....	...	4	...	6	58	...	5	...	13	77	
Centre Division.	Fort Saint George ...	9	3	...	...	42	8	5	...	...	86	
	Vellore.....	1	8	...	...	24	3	10	...	...	57	
Ceded Districts	Bellary.....	18	25	...	25	300	21	28	...	30	350	If the men are sent to a distance, there would not be more than 250 or 300 Privates available from the Garrison of Bellary, 125 or 150 from the Cantonment of Kurnool, and 175 or 200 from Cuddapah.
	Kurnool.....	10	20	...	15	150	10	20	...	20	175	
	Cuddapah.....	9	16	...	24	200	9	17	...	27	225	
H. S. Force.	Secunderabad..... ...	9	14	...	20	400	10	20	...	29	475	
Nagpore Force.	Kamptee.....	14	11	...	...	...	16	13	...	...	28	
	Raipore.....	6	11	...	...	93	7	13	...	...	134	
	Hoosungabad...	7	6	...	...	...	8	7	...	...	...	
	Detachment.											
	Seetabuldee..... ...	3	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	10	
	Chandah.....	5	3	...	...	...	6	4	...	...	...	
	Seroncha.....	3	5	...	...	27	4	6	...	...	43	

2. No reply has yet been received from the Northern Division.

ORDER, No. 3507, *4th October* 1864.

Ordered to be communicated to the Department of Public Works, with reference to paragraph 7 of the Adjutant General's letter, recorded in Proceedings of Government, No. 2956, of the 26th of August 1864.

2. It is observed, with reference to the correspondence recorded in the Proceedings of the above Department as marginally noted, that the intention of Government was the employment of the men of the Native Army on works within, or in the immediate vicinity of their Cantonments; the system of Camps or withdrawing the men to a distance from their Stations not being considered expedient at present.

No. 2710, 17*th September* 1864.

(True Extract.)

Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Adjutant General.
" Quarter Master General.
" Public Works Department.
" Controller of Military Accounts.
" Military Accountant.
" Examiner Pay Department.

Exd. T. Stubbs.

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

No. 253. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department :—

Communicating letter from the Deputy Adjutant General, submitting the information received from the Officer Commanding Divisions and Forces, relative to the number of men in the several Garrisons, &c., under their command, available for employment in the execution of Public Works. } (Here enter 4th October 1864, No. 3,507.)

No. 254. ORDER THEREON, 14th October 1864, No. 2,963.

9th June 1864, No. 1,685.
17th Sept. " " 2,710.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineers, with reference to the Orders noted in the margin, and with a request that they will, in communication with the Officers Commanding Stations, arrange for employing the men of the Native Army upon such works as may from time to time be carried out within or in the immediate vicinity of Cantonments.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Military Department.
" Superintending Engineers of Divisions.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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Judicial Department

Under Sec. Col. R.C.

Secretary to Govt

Pub Works Dept

Fort St George
11th August 1865

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Inward No. 2967
1866 Dept

The Superintending Engr
1st Division

&

The Secretary to Govt
P. P. W.

Dated 7th August
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No. 81

En 1717

Report that there is accommodation avail-able for 60 additional prisoners at the Fort Jail at Cannanore.
With Records
Referred

Encl Ret

dated 29 aug 1865

78/79.

No 1168 of 23d Augt 55-

Communicated to the
Inspector General of Jails.

To the Insp. General of Jails desp. 26/8