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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Coimbatore Magtes Office
6th July 1865

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From

P. Grant Esqre
Magistrate of Coimbatore

To

The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

I have received proceedings of Government dated 16th June 1865 No 877, and with reference to para 11 beg to recommend that Dr Davis be put in charge of the Jail at this Station. He possesses I believe "good business habits, energy and firmness of character". His knowledge of the Vernacular of the District is very limited, but if his retention of office depends on his acquiring a practical acquaintance with it, he will no doubt, without unnecessary loss of time commence its study.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedt Servt
P. Grant
Magistrate

Exd / Hd Clerk

No 42 –

Bellary Collector's Office
7th July 1865

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From, A. Hathaway Esquire,
Collector of Bellary.

To, A. J. Arbuthnot Esquire,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor with reference to para 11 of the Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, of the 16th Ultimo No 877/12 to recommend, for the charge of the District Jail at Bellary, the Zillah Surgeon Doctor James Robertson –

2. He is desirous to be nominated for the said Appointment; & doubtless feels satisfied that he will have sufficient leisure time at his disposal to enable him satisfactorily to fulfil its duties –

3. He has been for seven years attached as Medical Officer to the Jail at Cuddapah; has a good Knowledge of Hindustani; and, altho unable at present to pass an Examination in it, a sufficient Colloquial Knowledge of Telugu, to prevent his being misled by an interpreter –

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obed Servant –
A. Hathaway
Collector

Magistrate

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Pro: 16th June 1865 No 156 to 162

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From Pro: of Sepr
The Magistrate of Coimbatore
To The Chief Secretary to Government
Dated 6th } July 1865
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Recommends that Dr Davis be put in charge of the Jail at Coimbatore

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From The Collector of Bellary

To The Chief Secretary to Govt Madras

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Dated 7th

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Recommending Doctor Peterkin for the Charge of the District Jail at Bellary

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No. 34

3d North Arcot
Magistrate's Office
Chittoor 7th July 1865

From

J. D. Robinson Esquire
Magistrate of North Arcot

To

The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to
Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor with reference to Proceedings of Madras Government Judicial Department dated 16th June 1865 No. 877 to repeat Mr. Banbury's recommendation therein embodied that Doctor De Fabeck Zilla Surgeon be placed in Charge of the District Jail at this Station.

2. Doctor De Fabeck informs me that when the question of the Jail Charge was first mooted, he commenced to study Telugu in view to qualifying for a post which at that time appeared open to him, but that subsequently hearing that

Magistrate

that other arrangements were in contemplation he had latterly discontinued his studies. He now tells me that he is about to resume his studies in Telugu, and that he hopes within 6 months to have acquired a sufficient colloquial acquaintance with the language to be able to conduct the duties of the post in a satisfactory manner. I beg therefore in the absence of any other equally feasible and desirable arrangement to recommend that Doctor De Fabeck be placed in charge of the Jail on subject to any condition with respect to lingual qualification which Government may see fit to prescribe.

3. In conclusion I beg most earnestly to recommend that the suggestion contained in para 3 of Mr Banbury's letter already referred to may receive the favorable consideration of Government.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedt. Servt.
J. D. Robinson
Magistrate

North Arcot
Magistrate's Office
Chittoor 7th July 1865

To
The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to
Government
Fort Saint George

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From J D Robinson Esq
Collector of N Arcot
To Hble A J Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary
to Govt
Fort St George

Dated 7th July 1865
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With reference to the order of Govt dated 16th June 1865 recommends that the Zilla Surgeon may be placed in charge of the Jail at Chittoor

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Tanjore Magistrate's Office
8th July 1865.

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From G. Lee Morris Esqr.
Magistrate of Tanjore

To The Honble A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

As directed in paragraph 11 of the order of Government, Judicial Department, dated 16th June 1865, No. 877, I have the honor to recommend ~~that~~ Dr. James Ross, Zillah Surgeon Tanjore; and Dr. John Murray Civil Surgeon of Tranquebar; should have the charge of the District Jails at the stations of Tanjore and Tranquebar respectively.

2 Drs. Ross and Murray hold appointments which do not take them away from the Jail station, have each passed in Hindustani and know a little Tamil, though they have not passed in that language: and with regard to energy and firmness of character are well qualified for the appointments in question.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

G Lee Morris
Magistrate

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Tellichery
9th July 1865

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From

The Acting Civil Surgeon

To

G. A. Ballard Esqr
Collector of Malabar
Calicut.

Sir

I have the honor to return herewith, the proceedings of Government on the subject of Jails which you were kind enough to send me.

I am still desirous of being placed in charge of the Jail as Superintendent & will feel thankful if you would kindly recommend me for it.

Besides Profeſsional qualifications I can talk Tamil, Telegu and Hindoostanee, can now understand a deal that is spoken in the Language of the Coast, & with a little application will soon be able to talk it freely.

I have a good general knowledge of the Character of the Natives of India and since I have arrived here have made myself acquainted with the peculiarities of the different Claſses of the People of this coast, — their Character occupation mode of living &ca

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servt
D. R. Thompson M.D.
Ag Civil Surgeon

Pro: 16th June 1865 No. 156 to 162

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Judl 1865 Department

From Pro. of Sepr

The Collector and
Magte of Tanjore

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Madras

Dated 8th
Received 13th } July 1865

No. 1465

No. 158

Recommends that Dr James Ross, Zillah Surgeon Tanjore and Dr John Murray Civil Surgeon Tranquebar should have the charge of the District Jails at the stations of Tanjore and Tranquebar respectively

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Calicut. July 7th 1865. 7a

From R. E. Pearse Esq.
Civil Surgeon Malabar
To G. A. Ballard Esq.
Magistrate of Malabar

Sir

In reply to your letter of yesterday's date referring to recent proceedings of Govt. in the matter of Jails, I have the honor to inform you that I am prepared to undertake the duties of Superintendt. of the Jail at this Station, in doing so however I think it right to state, that the Medical duties of this large Station are so heavy as to allow me very little time for the study of the language, added to which my time is so much broken in upon that I can secure no fixed hour for the attendance of a Moonshee, I will however use my best endeavours to obtain the colloquial knowledge required within six months from the date of receiving the Appointment, as I feel it to be one which my duty requires me to accept.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Yr most obedt Servt.
Robert Pearse
Civil Surgeon

Encl: 1
In a letter from the Magistrate of Malabar d/10 July/65 No 88.

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Magistrate of Malab
10 July /65 No 88

Original letter from
the Civil Surgeon,
Calicut
Rd. [illegible]
No 1457

Malabar Collector's Office
Calicut 10 July 1865.

No 88

From

G. A Ballard Esqre
Magistrate of Malabar.

To

The Honble A J. Arbuthnot.
Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St George.

Sir,

Adverting to para: 11. Government Order dated 15th Ultimo No 877, I have the honor to recommend that Doctors Funnell, Pearse & Thompson be placed in charge of the district Jails at Cochin, Calicut & Tellicherry respectively.

They are all willing to undertake the charge.

2. Doctor Funnell's professional ability is well known. He has had considerable general experience with various races of men, & though his knowledge of the vernacular is not great his general qualifications (and energy) would render him a very efficient

efficient Superintendent; even in a much larger Jail than he will have under his charge at Cochin.–

3. Doctor Pearse has already had a good deal to do with the large Jail here– He is acquiring some Malayalum, and I strongly recommend him for the post of Jail Superintendent at Calicut–

4. Mr Thompson is an East Indian– He has visited Europe, and by his abilities & energy achieved so much general success that I think he must be well qualified for the charge of the Tellicherry Jail– He has indeed several special qualifications, as knowledge of various vernaculars, acquaintance with native characters &c.–

5. I have not heard from Dr Furnell officially, but I enclose original letters from Doctors Pearse & Thompson d/ 7th & 9th July respectively–

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6. I may add that except the Gentlemen I have named there are no others for the respective posts that I could name as available without serious drawbacks– As therefore there is so little choice, it is particularly satisfactory to be able to recommend the nominees on the ground of personal qualification and merit–

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obedt Servant–

Magistrate.–

P.S.– As I see no mention made of the Palghât Jail I presume the Prisoners are to be removed & the Jail at that station given up.– The Head Assistant Magistrate is the only Officer that could be named Superintendent if the Jail is continued & his frequent absence on his general duties must prevent continued & close supervision–

Magistrate–

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From The Magistrate of Malaba

To The Chief Secretary to Government Fort St George

Dated 10 July 1865
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Recommends with reference to G.O./16 June 18
No. 877 that Doctors Furnell
Pearse & Thompson be placed
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at Cochin, Calicut and
Tellicherry respectively

No. 29

Kurnool Magistrate's Office
10th July 1865

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From

James Innes Minchin Esqre
Magestrate of
Kurnool

To

The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir

1. With reference to para 11 of the Government Proceedings dated 16th June 1865 No. 877, I have the honor to state that the acting Sessions Judge not being desirous to retain charge of the Jail, I have the honor to nominate Doctor Keess the Civil Surgeon for the charge, which nomination has been already approved by the Inspector General of Jails.

2. Doctor Keess is acquainted with Teloogoo and Hindoostani, the vernaculars of the District, and disinterested in the charge. There is no other Officer available.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servt.
James Innes Minchin
Magestrate.-

Sd. Rd. M. Slate
Head Clerk

Pro 16 June/65 No 158-162

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Judicial Department

From
The Magistrate of
Cuddapah

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

Dated 10th July 1865

Recd 15 "

No 1494 No 29

Stating that the Acting Sessions Judge is not desirous to retain the charge of the Jail & nominating the Civil Surgeon to the Jail's charge —

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Cuddapah Magistrates Office
11th July 1865

No 27

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From A. G. Smith Esquire
Magistrate of Cuddapah

To The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Government
In the Judicial Department
Fort Saint George

Sir,

With reference to Para 11 of the Proceedings of Government dated 1st June 1865 No 877 I have the honor to report that the only 3 arrangements that I can see to be at all feasible are 1st that the Jail should be under the Magistrate of the District who during his absence from Head Quarters could delegate the charge to one of his Assistants but this can only be done on the understanding that there should be always one or two Assistants in addition to the Head Assistant the latter being the more appropriate number if the area, peculiar nature of the District, and heavy Magisterial work are considered. One great reason I think for the Jail being under the Magistrate is that he could always regulate the work of the prisoners where they were most wanted, within 2 miles circumference of the Jail, which has certainly not been the case in this District owing to the prisoners having been employed on the Railway and elsewhere and consequently the roads have been let go to ruin.

2nd The Zillah Surgeon might be and I think should be the person appointed as most of them have a fair knowledge of Hindustani and they might be obliged to pass the same test as the Police do now within 9 months of their appointment. They are residents all the year round and are more conversant with sanitary measures. The difficulty of this arrangement is there is now (and has ~~not~~ been for several months past) ~~&~~ no Zillah Surgeon in Cuddapah which is I believe the only Zillah without one. Until however one is appointed the Regimental Surgeon who has Medical charge of the Jail could perform the duties.

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3rd The Government in the Proceedings under review say "Superintendents should as a general rule be European holding an appointment who do not take them away from the Jail Station" &c. I am not quite certain whether the word appointment means a Government one but if not the only person I know of in Cuddapah with whose character I am well acquainted is Mr. Andrew an East Indian whom I consider well qualified for the post in every way. He is willing to accept the appointment but as he now holds one under Messrs Arbuthnot & Co who keep him entirely in Cuddapah he must of course obtain their leave to hold it in addition to his present one. The Firm have been written to this day and on the receipt of their answer I will acquaint you with the result. Of those holding Government appointments I know of no one in the Uncovenanted Service at all fit.

2. Of these arrangements I would if the Magistrate is to point out in

what locality the prisoners are to work prefer the 2nd and next to it the 3rd but if not I think the Jail should be under the Superintendence of the Magistrate.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant

A. G. Smith
Magistrate

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from the Magistrate
of Cuddapah to
To the Chief Secretary to
Government
in the Judicial Departt
Fort Saint George
Dated 11th July 1865.
Recd 14 " "
Lettr No 24
Reporting the arrangements
which he considers
feasible with reference to
para 11 of the order of Govern-
ment dated 16th June 1865
No 877, regarding the officers
to be appointed in charge
of the Jail at Cuddapah.

No: 16th June/65 No 1350

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Kistna District Magtes Court
Masulipatam 11th July 1865

From
G. Thornhill Esq
Magistrate of the Kist Dist

To
Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

With reference to the Proceedings of Government dated 16th June 1865 No 877, received in this office yesterday, in which Magistrates are called upon to send in the names of officers whom they think fitted to be placed in charge of the Jails in their respective Districts. I have the honor to state that there are two Jails in the Kistna District, one at Masulipatam and one at Guntoor.

2. For the Jail at Masulipatam I beg to recommend that Apstt Surgeon R. H. Alexander M.D., Acting Civil Surgeon, may be placed in Charge.

Doctor Alexander has passed in Hindustani and has acquired some little knowledge of Telugoo. It is his intention to qualify himself by passing in the latter language also.

3. Doctor Alexander was in charge of the Jail at Chicacole for some months and has lately been in charge of the Masulipatam Jail during the recess of the Small Cause Court. During the latter period I had frequent opportunities of knowing that his supervision was most efficient.

4. I consider Doctor Alexander to be an officer of good judgment and firmness of Character and well suited for the Control of Convicts.

5. For the Guntoor Jail I beg to recommend Assistant Surgeon J. C. B. Withers Zillah Surgeon of Guntoor. Doctor Withers has passed in Hindustani and is willing to apply himself to the Study

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of Telugoo if placed in charge of the Jail. I have no personal knowledge of Doctor Withers qualifications but I am informed that he is a man of active habits and I observe he was recommended by the Magistrate of Malabar for the Charge of the Jail at Tillicherry and that the recommendation was approved by the Inspector General of Jails.

6. As the Civil and Session Judge will generally be absent from Guntoor during the recess of the Court I have the honor to recommend that the Joint Magistrate be associated with him as visitor of the Guntoor Jail.

7. In the same manner it might be desirable that the Judge of the Small Cause Court should be associated with the Magistrate as

visitor

visitor of the Masulipatam Jail

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your Most Obed Servt

J. Thornhill

Magistrate.

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No. 179

Tinnevelly Magistrate's
Circuit Cutcherry
Nunnagarum near
Tenkasy 12th July 1865

From
A. Wedderburn Esqre
Magistrate

To
The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

I have the honor as required by para 11 Proceedings Madras Government 16th June 1865 No. 877, to submit the name of Dr. Wilson Zillah Surgeon of Tinnevelly whom I would recommend for the charge of the District Jail.

2 His duties keep him stationary at Head Quarters - he is well qualified as regards temper, discretion, zeal and ability. There is no other Officer equally fit, or available at the Station.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed. Servt.

A Wedderburn
Magistrate

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From
A. Wedderburn Esq
Magte Tinnevelly Dist

To Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secy to Govt

Dated 11 July } 1865
Recd 17th July }
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Enclosures None.

Wilson

Recommending the Civil Surgeon as the fittest for the Charge of the Jail at the Station

Pro 16th June/65 No 456-162.

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No 331. Periakolum
Circuit Cutcherry
12th July 1865

From
V. H. Levinge Esquire
Magistrate of
Madura
To
The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Governt.
Fort St. George

Sir,

1 - - As directed in Para 11 of the order of Government No 877 dated the 16th June 1865, I have the honor to recommend Mr. Nelson my Ag. Head Asst. to be Superintendent of the Madura Jail as he has all the qualifications which Government declare as a general rule to be necessary for a Superintendent.

2. I hope Government will not consider it inadvisable to appoint Mr. Nelson, for excepting Mr. Crole my Assistant

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Judicial 1865 Department 16
From V. H. Levinge Esqre
The Magistrate of
Tinnevelly
To The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George
Dated 12th July 1865
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Enclosure none
No. 1578

Recommending
Dr. Wilson Zillah
Surgeon of Tinnevelly
for the charge of the
District Jail.

no other officer of the class named as eligible by Government could I confidently recommend.

3 The Madura District is small consisting of only 4 Taluqs and I can easily arrange Mr. Nelson's work so as to avoid the necessity of his going into the Taluqs. Besides, Mr. Nelson is urgently required to be always present as a sitting Magistrate in the Town of Madura which in my opinion always requires the presence of an European Magte. containing as it does a population of at least 60,000, being the Head Quarters of the District & a place of great resort at all times by a large number of people.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt. Servt.
Magistrate

P.S.

Since writing the above, I see Mr. Nelson has been appointed to act as Small cause Court Judge at Madura but as he is not likely to hold that Post long, I beg still to recommend Mr. Nelson, however if Government object I beg to recommend that Mr. Crole my Assistant be appointed.

Magistrate

No 56 19

South Arcot Collectorate
Cuddalore 12th July 1865

From
C. W. Reade Esqre
Collector of
South Arcot

To
The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to
Government
Madras

Sir,

In reference to the Proceedings of Government dated 16th June No 877, I have the honor to state that I have ascertained from the Session Judge that he has no desire to retain charge of the Jail at Cuddalore, and I therefore beg to recommend that Doctor Bilderbeck the Civil Surgeon of the District be appointed Superintendent, the Session Judge, and myself as Magistrate being ex officio Visitors, as contemplated by the Government in Para 10 of the above Proceedings.

Doctor

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Judicial
From The Magistrate
of Madura
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To The Chief Secy
to Govt.
Madras.
Dated 12th }
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Encls None
Recommending that Mr. [illegible] Dy. [illegible] be appointed as the Supt of the Madura Jail as he possesses all the qualifications which Govt declare as essential for a Supdt.

Doctor Bilderbeck daily attends the Jail, and has an intimate acquaintance with the Vernacular of the District as well as other languages and this with other qualifications point him out as fully Competent and fitted for the duty in question.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

South Arcot
Magistrate's office
Cuddalore
12th July 1865

Charles Reade
Magistrate

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From
The
South Arcot

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St George

Dated 12th } July/65
Received 15 }

No 1491 No 56

Stating that the Session Judge has no desire to retain charge of the Jail & recommending Dr Bilderbeck for the Superintendance of the Jail —

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Trichinopoly Magistrate's Office
12th July 1865.

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From.
A. E. R. McDonell Esquire

tied to the station. to perform his
... duties efficiently he must
constantly out in the District.
... Bloomfield the Acting
... Magistrate has not
...ified in the vernacular so I am
...cluded from submitting his
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Taking all these circumstances
... consideration I consulted with
... Sessions Judge, and at my re:
...t Mr Harris has consented
...ould the Government approve of
... suggestion, to retain Charge of
... Jail an arrangement which I
...nestly recommend the Government
to sanction as a temporary measure.

Pr 16 June 1865 [illegible]

Magistrate of
Trichinopoly.

To,
The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to
Government
Fort Saint George.

Sir,

Para 1 As directed in the 11th para of the order of Government No 162. 16th of June 1865 No 877. I do myself the honor to submit the report called for regarding the arrangements I would propose for Superintending the zillah jail at this station.

2. Doctor Kennedy the Garrison Surgeon, whom I named to Mr. Rhode and which nomination he approved of, has left for Europe. I have no Covenanted assistant or European Deputy, so that the only Officer I could possibly nominate is Mr. Comyn the Acting Head Assistant Collector and Magistrate his Magisterial File is heavy and it is very advisable he should not be

of course on the completion of the 1st Class central jail at this station a Superintendent on a salary of 800 Rs. a month will be appointed.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obed.t and

Magistrate.

Trichinopoly
Magistrate's Office
12th July 1865.

To,
The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to
Government
Fort St. George.

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16th June/65 No 156-162.

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From,
The Ag Magistrate of
Trichinopoly

To,
Chief Secretary to
Government
Fort Saint George

Dated 13th
Despd 13th } July 1865.
Recd 15th

Enclosures.

No 1302 -"- No 27

Stating that, under the circumstances represented, Mr Morris, the Sessions Judge, has consented to retain charge of the Jail, and recommending that this arrangement may be sanctioned by Government as a temporary measure.

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Magistrate's Office
Mangalore 14th July 1865.

From
W. M. Cadell Esqre 24a
Magistrate of South Canara.

To
The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St George.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the orders of Government, Judicial Department, under date the 18th Ultimo, No 877, (which however only reached me on the 12th instant) and as directed in para 11, I beg to state that, in my judgment, Doctor King, the Zillah Surgeon of this station, is the only officer now available for the charge of the District Jail.

2. As the Government are aware, Dr King's Medical duties do not take him away from Mangalore; he is an Officer of nine years standing in the Medical Service, and from his habits and character, I consider that he is in every way qualified for the duty. I am permitted by Mr Walhouse, the Sessions Judge, to state that he concurs in this recommendation.

3. It is true, as remarked by Mr Morris in his letter of the 2d November 1864, that Dr King is not acquainted with the vernacular[x] of the District; but he has a considerable colloquial Knowledge of Hindoostani, a language which, I may observe, is

Known

[x] Mr Morris I presume alludes to Canarese -

known and spoken at Mangalore more or less by all Classes, while the Canarese language cannot, I think, be said to be the vernacular of the District for, in parts, the language as spoken will be found to be not Canarese but either Tulu, Malayalum, or Konkany.

4. I may further observe, that I have at present no Assistant, and that the Deputy Collector in charge of the Treasury is not under the orders of Government eligible.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obd.t Serv.t

Magistrate.

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1865 Jud^l Dep^t:

From

D. F. Esq^r

The Magistrate

of Vizagapatam

To

The Chief Secretary

to Government

Fort St George

Dated 14th } July 1865.

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Enclosure None

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No 1037

Stating, with reference to the orders of Government dated 16th Ultimo No 877, that Doctor Dougall the Zillah Surgeon of the Station is the only Officer now available for the charge of the District Jail, & that himself & the Insp^r Gen^l of Jails considers him in every way qualified for the duty.

No 232.

Vizagapatam 15th July 1865

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From,

D. F. Carmichael Esq^r

Magistrate of District

To

The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort St George

Sir

Referring to Para 10 of the order of Government, Judicial No 877 of 16th June ultimo, which I received yesterday only, I beg again to submit the name of Assistant Surgeon Joseph Dougall, Zillah Surgeon of Vizagapatam, as the Officer I would recommend for the charge of the District Jail at this place.

2 A Statement of his qualifications will be found at page 10 of the Proceedings of Government now under acknowledgment, and I observe that the Inspector General of Jails in Para 10 of his Report printed at the head of those Proceedings pronounces my nomination "unexceptionable."

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obed^t Servant

D F Carmichael

Magistrate

No. 20

Nellore Magistrate's Office
15th July 1865

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From

J. W. B. Dykes Esquire
Magistrate of Nellore

To

The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Government
Judicial Department
Madras

Sir,

With reference to Proceedings of Government Judicial Department — No 196 paragraphs 10 and 11. I have the honor to recommend that E. E. Lloyd Esquire be placed in charge of the District Jail as the Session Judge does not desire to retain it in his hands.

2 Mr Lloyd knows Hindustani and is studying Telugu.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obdt. Servant

W B Dykes
Magistrate

Compd J.B. Ap. 30/66

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Judicial Departt.
From Pro. of Sepr
The Magistrate of
Vizagapatam
To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George
dated 15th July 1865
Recd. 22nd —
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No. 232.

Begs again to submit the name of Dr. Dougall as the Officer he would recommend for the Charge of the Jail at Vizagapatam with reference to G. O. No. 877 of 16th June ultimo.

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No. 117

Madras Collectors Office
Saidapet 15th July 1865.

From

E. G. R. Fane Esquire
Collector of Madras.

To.

The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Govt.
Fort St. George.

Sir.

With reference to the Pro: of the Madras Govt. dated the 16th June last, I have the honor to state that in my opinion the Cantonment Joint Magistrate at St. Thos. Mount might very well be intrusted with the superintendence of the Guindy Jail, as he is a stationary Officer and can daily visit the Jail which is distant about one mile from his residence.

2. The Jail being a 2nd Class

1865 Judl. Depart.
Pro: [illegible]
From The Magistrate of Madras
To The Chief Secretary to Government Judicial Dept. Fort St. George
Dated 15th July 1865
Dispatched do.
Received 20 —
No. 20
No. 1536
Recommending that the C. J. Magte. be placed in charge of the Jail with reference to Government Proceedings No. 196 dated 10th; the Session Judge not desiring to retain it in his hands

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Class are Captain Clementson's salary will, I imagine, be 50 Rs. a month

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obt. St.

Collector

Pro: 16th June 1865 Nos. 156 to 162

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Judicial 1865 Departt.
From Pro: of Supr
The Collector of Madras
To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George.
Dated 15th } July 1865.
Recd. 17th }
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States that the Joint Magte. of St. Thomé Mount might be entrusted with the Superintendence of Guindy Jail.

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Ganjam District
Magistrate's Office
Chetterpur 17th July
1865

From,
E. B. Foord Esquire
Acting Magistrate of
Ganjam.

To,
The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Government
Judicial Department
Madras.

Sir,

1 With reference to Para 11 of the order of Government Judicial Department No. 877 dated 16th June 1865 (received by me this day), I beg to recommend that Dr. R. H. Cockerill Zillah Surgeon of Berhampur be appointed Superintendent of the Jail at that Station. —

2. During the 9 months I had charge of the Jail (then located at Chicacole) I always found him

most

most regular in his attendance to his duties and I believe him to possess sufficient energy and firmness of Character to enforce discipline. He has on several occasions had temporary charge of the Jail during the annual adjournments of the Court.

3 I observe that in Mr. Rohde's Letter dated 18th February 1865 embodied in the Proceedings of Government, he remarks that he had received no reply from the Magistrate of Ganjam on the Subject alluded to.—

4 I beg to say that I dispatched a Letter to him on the 17th October 1864. It must have miscarried.—

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obdt. Servant

Acting Magistrate

Cuddapah Magistrate's Office
31st July 1865.

No. 31.

From H. G. Smith Esquire
Magistrate of Cuddapah

To The Honorable A. J. Arbuthnot.
Chief Secretary to Government
In the Judicial Department
Fort Saint George.

Sir,

11th July 1865.
No. 27

With reference to my letter as per margin in which I recommended Mr. Andree to be the Superintendent of the Jail here, I have now the honor to request you will erase that gentleman's name as Messrs Arbuthnot have not acquiesced in his recommendation.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servt &c.

H. G. Smith
Magistrate

Ex Cmd Cuddapah [illegible]

Pro: 16th June 1865 No. 156 to 162

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Judl 1865 Dept
Pro: of Government No.
from Ag: Magistrate of Ganjam
To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Judicial Department
Madras

Dated 17th July 1865
Received 5th Augt 65
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No. 1661

Recommending that the Zillah Surgeon of Berhampur be appointed Superintendent of Jail at that Station.

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Pro. No 1483.

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Judicial 1865.

Appointment Depart.

From The Actg. Magistrate

of Cuddapah

To The Actg. Chief Secretary

to Government

In the Judicial

Depart.

Fort Saint George

Dated 31st July 1865

Recd 2nd August 1865

No 1643 No 31.

Requesting with reference to his letter of the 11th July 1865 No 29, to erase Andrew's name as Superintendent of the Jail, as therein recommended, as Messrs. Ashurst have not acquiesced in his recommendation.

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Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Letter[s fro]m the Magistrates of th[e] following Districts.

Bellary	Here under	7th	July 1865	No 49
Coimbatore	"	6th	"	" 77
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Ganjam	"	17th July	"	" 91
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Order thereon 8th September 1865 No 1279

His Excellency the Governor in Council resolves to appoint the under mentioned Officers to be Superintendents of the several District Jails specified

specified opposite to their respective names.

First Claſs Jails

Salem (temporarily) } Aſsistt Surgeon W. H. [illegible] M.D. Zillah Surgeon
Bellary — Captain W. S. Ma
Cantonment Magistrate
Cuddapah — The Collector and Magistrate, who will be competent to delegate his duty during his absence from head quarters to one of his Covenanted Aſsistants acting under his orders.

Nellore — Aſsistant Surgeon H. J. Lloyd, Acting Zillah Surgeon
Chittoor — " — W. F. De Fabeck, Civil Surgeon
Cuddalore — " — J. Bilderbeck — do
Trichinopoly — Captain H. J. F. Bloomfield, Ag Cantonment Magistrate
Coimbatore (temporarily) } Aſsistt Surgeon H. F. Davis M.D. Zillah Surgeon
Vizagapatam — " — J. Dougall, Acting Zillah Surgeon
Calicut — " — R. E. Pearse, Civil Surgeon

Second Claſs Jails

Berhampore — Aſsistt Surgeon [illegible] Cockerill, Zillah
Masulipatam — " — G. A. Alexander, M.D. Ag — Do
Guntoor — " — F. O. B. Wither, Actg Civil Surgeon
Rajahmundry — " — J. Crendace, Zillah — do
Kurnool — " — J. Kess, M.D. In medical charge of the Civil Establishments, &ca.

Chingleput

gleput — Aſsistant Surgeon W. J. Bustin, Zillah Surgeon
pore — " — J. Roſs M.B. — Do
nquebar — " — J. Murray M.D. Ag Civil Surgeon
nevelly — " — R. Wilson M.D. Zillah — do
Madura — " — S. Rule M. D. — do
— " — King, M.D. — do
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For the charge of 1st Claſs District Jails — Rs 100 per mensem.
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2 Under the orders of the Govt of India, Medical Officers appointed to be Jail Supdts will receive the allowances specified in the margin, but subject to any orders that may hereafter be passed regarding the Medl Deptt. Forty per cent of the allowance will be withheld in each case, until the Supdts shall have passed a colloquial examination in the vernacular of the District, corresponding to that which a Military Officer is required to pass for the charge of a company. The amount, however, of this deduction will be paid in arrears to every Supdt, who shall pass the prescribed examination within eight months from the date of his appointment.

3 The Govt of India will be requested to sanction payment of the allowance to Cantonment Magistrates, as well as to Medl Officers when placed in charge of Jails.

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To the Agent, Genl of Jails 3
— " — Session Judges of the several Districts 6
— " — Magistrate of do 6
— " — Accts General. 3
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Exd

G. W. Lyons.

Judicial 1865. Department.

No. 1279

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT.

J. No. 2021-1958-2033-
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Dated 8" Septem

Appointing certain Officers to be superintendents of District Jails and directing that Forty percent of the llowance of Medical Officers appointed to be ail Superintendents ill be withheld till they

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