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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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15th October 1866.

No. 177. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Fort Saint George; dated Coonoor, 3rd October 1866, No. 133.

Enclosures.
One Plan and one Estimate, No. 42 of 1866-67.

In forwarding a plan of the proposed New Jail at Calicut, revised according to the suggestions of the Inspector General of Jails, forwarded with G. O., No. 1536, of 14th May, together with estimate of the same, I have the honor to observe that the amount of the latter, which is Rupees 67,913, will have to be increased as follows, for separate worksheds and Cookrooms, if necessary, and for the purchase money of the site, viz:—

6 Separate Worksheds, at Rupees 700 =	Rupees 4,200
6 „ Cookrooms, at „ 350 =	„ 2,100
Cost of site, with stamps, &c... ..	„ 5,787

Total Rupees..... 80,000,

of which Rupees 20,000 will be the probable sum spent in the current year, and Rupees 40,000 my entry in next year's Budget.

2. The site has not yet been made over to this Department, and when it is, it will be unnecessary to locate Convicts and their Guards on it, as these may be marched from the Old Jail and back daily; in fact, they would be in the way on the site, until blocks of the puckah buildings were built for them, a course which I have also advocated as necessary at Cannanore. Report as to probable savings from the use of Convict labor will be made hereafter.

3. The Solitary Cells could not be altered to the dimensions laid down by Colonel Wilson, a building difficulty standing in the way. Standard Plans of Privies not yet having been adopted, those estimated for may have to be altered. Watch-houses in the walls have been shown as in the Coimbatore Plan, with addition of barred gates to them, but they can be dispensed with if objected to.

Referred to the Judicial Department.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
9th October 1866.

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

No. 178. ORDER THEREON, 15th October 1866, No. 1626.

The Governor in Council observes that the Superintending Engineer has revised the plan of the Calicut Jail, in accordance, as far as practicable, with the suggestions of the Inspector General of Jails. One point, however, he has left unnoticed, viz., the accessibility of the bastions from the Prisoners' yards, to which Lieutenant Colonel Wilson objected. The Inspector General, on the other hand, has not yet stated his views regarding the quarters for the Dresser and Warders. Except as regards these two points, the revised plan submitted with the foregoing letter is approved.

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tary grounds. The Inspector General of Jails will exercise his discretion on this point.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector General of Jails.

„ Public Works Department, with plan and estimate.

Ed. J. H. Burns.

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Mr Wilson to decide. I & J.

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The Sup. Eng. 7.29
To The Secretary to Govt. Madras.

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Col. R. L.
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Fort St. George
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Here under 3rd October 1866 No. 133

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