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Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
22nd August 1867.

No. 282. Read the following letter from the Acting Magistrate of Trichinopoly, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Calligoody Taluq, 12th August 1867, No. 42.

Major Brown, the Cantonment Magistrate, having been placed in charge of the convicts huttet on the site of the Central Jail, I have the honor, at his request, to invite the favorable consideration of the Government to the subjoined extract (paragraph 5) from the letter of the Inspector General of Jails to Government, dated 15th October 1866, No. 84, embodied in their Proceedings, dated 2nd November last, No. 1732.

2. For the same duty, Mr. Gribble was permitted by the Board of Revenue, on my representation, to draw extra tent allowance.

EXTRACT.

"Major Brown, the Superintendent of the District Jail, being also Cantonment Magistrate, I doubt whether his duties will enable him to visit the gang daily, but he might do so two or three times a week; and unless Government intend to appoint an Officer as Superintendent, I would recommend that Major Brown be placed in charge with some special emolument. He does not receive any allowance for the superintendence of the District Jail, being Cantonment Magistrate, but the additional charge of some 400 convicts, at a distance of 2½ miles from the station, gives him a fair claim to some remuneration on that account."

No. 283. ORDER THEREON, 22nd August 1867, No. 1363.

The Government do not consider it necessary to assign any special allowance to the Cantonment Magistrate for the temporary charge of the convicts engaged in building the Central Jail at Trichinopoly.

(True Extract.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Acting Magistrate of Trichinopoly.
,, Inspector General of Jails,

Answered in negative.
demi-officially. 18/12/17.
18/Jan/17.

Memo for orders

I submit that Major Brown's
case is exceptional. He
gets no pay for looking
after the district jail.
He is without continuous
limits - but for the
change of the limits.
building the central

the arrangement
conveniently suggested
for the W. D. Noble

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Jail. Major Brown
should I think draw
at 100 Rs. It is at
some distance about
2 miles and entails
a great deal of trouble
& responsibility

This arrangement
is conveniently suggested
by Major W. S. Dibble

I do not object to the
plan of providing a
chamber for the
Jail. Major Brown
should I think draw
at 100 Rs. It is at
some distance about
2 miles and entails
a great deal of trouble
& responsibility

performed by Captain Brown, also occurred 7000 ft. a month
 are of the most insignificant class. He must have
 a conveyance only by the 7000 ft. Captain Brown that he
 elects to pay his President with to the district jail
 in office. Brown, however 10 1/2 x 5 1/2, keeps in that conveyance
 how whether he has attention of his district road to
 his agent and caught 2 miles in our district or one mile
 in another. He has provided himself the 1000 ft. some
 other. Brown, however, both with and without been
 for his time & labor during the working
 hours of the day. But of course he has to the
 fact, as his working hours are a small
 I don't trace Mr. Brown's claim - the
 allowance was a dollar for his medical
 duties in a jail & the more walking
 through work of a general superintendent
 W. Brown

Trinidad

13th August 1867

Dear Sir

In the Proceedings of Court
 Ind. Sept of 2 Nov/66. L: 167 referred to the Inspector
 Letter L: 84 para 5. General of Jails proposed

L. Guern must that the
 Convicts to be kept at the site of the Central Jail
 here should be placed under his - for the
 reasons stated by him - he said would give me
 a fair claim to extra remuneration

Proc of Court Ind. Sept 23 January 87 L: 255. } Guern must at the time
 order L: 142 para 5. } preferred donating a
 Convicted Assistant

Magistrate and thereafter
 Ind. Sept 23 Feb/67 order L: 293 appointed Mr. Gribble
 for reasons having found this arrangement

Ind. Sept 15 Feb/67 L: 158. } in comments suggests
 Letter L: 22 para 10. } that I should release Mr. Gribble

Have accordingly recently
Jul 15 July 67 } been forwarded with the order
order 11/14 } transferring the Sup^r to me.

The official report of my assuming
charge on the 24 July has probably reached you
in the opinion of the Inspector General
of Jails visiting Tschinopol, in company with you,
at the latter end of last year - he left a record
of his satisfaction with the state of the District
Jail under me: I have no further acquaintance
with Col. Wilson than has been thus formed; I therefore
consider his recommendation of me to you
as complimentary, believing that had such not
been his intention, he would have mentioned me in
more proper language than a recommendation.

I believe you are personally aware of
the distance of the site of the District Jail
about 1/2 mile from Canton New River about 1/2 mile from the

district jail, under me, near the Fort. In the
harmage that I go to the district jail. I cannot
visit the central jail also - The distance is not
impossible - however inconvenient it would be
to accomplish both things there, but I have
little more to do at home, I have to do
looking into matters.

I have not much to say here
I have 2 of order 11/14 above } personally I think the Gang
Several times a week
so that I can have few prisoners without being
at the our jail in the order. I have a few
created establishment such as this is susceptible
of being brought into good working order, sooner
or later, proportionate to the amount of care and
interest exerted. I confess that I
I would not have it for a moment, supposed
that I should be carrying out an order with the
execution of which I may be favored by you:
- for men if remunerated for the charge

should conduct the duties so that when
relieved no sign of methodical arrangement
shall remain but I hardly suppose I was
intended that I should not be requested
and it might be possible that provision for
an allowance has not made itself from
the subject not being formally before Govt
for disposal, at the time when the Order
in his Agents reference was passed.

I understand that Mr. Agnew did not design
edly omit to mention this point, that he thought
I have a fair claim to an allowance.

Since placing him in charge of the Convicts
Proc of Govt. Jul Sep 17 July 67 } I believe that Govt. int
Order No 1139 June 2. } has appointed the

Tricky to the Med. charge of the Jail on an extra
allowance of Rs 150. and my objection is
troubling you at present in I expect that if you
think something of the kind may be done for me in
the matter. I am dear Sir
Yours obediently
N. S. Ellis Esq
As Chief Secy &c. &c. D. D. D.

No 1362 of 22 Aug 1867.

The Government do not
consider it necessary to assign
any special allowance to the
Santonment Magistrate for the
temporary charge of the convicts
engaged in building the Central
Jail at Trichinopoly. MR

To the big waste of Trichinopoly } dep. 20/8
- that part of it -