Judicial (1895.) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 2407–2408.

Dated 22nd Nov. 1895.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

GRADING THE JAILOR OF THE MERCARA JAIL ON THE MADRAS LIST.

Stating that there appear to be considerable objections to the proposal to--, and requesting the Resident in Mysore and Chief Commissioner of Coorg to favour Government with his opinion whether there are any objections to placing both the Mercara and Bangalore Jails under the Superintendence of the Inspector-General of Prisons, Madras, and inviting the remarks of the latter officer upon this suggestion.

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Judicial dept

CURRENT No 4076

From, The Sect of Leedia,
Home dept (Jails)

No. 326

Dated 17th } August 1895
Rec'd 26th }
Regd 27th }
Encl: -

Subject.

Enquiring whether there would be any objection to treating the appointment of the Tailor attached to the Cuddapah Jail as one on the Madras List and whether the Tailor of the Cuddapah Jail, could be transferred to Madras as a Tailor, with a view to his advancement.

Wm

Endt No. 2124 Dated 12/9/95

Referred to the Inspector General of Prisons for report.

12/9/95.

To the I. G. of Prisons (V)
with Current in regd to the rectd

Note.

The arrangement proposed is not quite without a precedent. For instance, Coorg is, as far as 'Education' is concerned, included in the charge of a Madras officer.

And 9.9.

Return to Secy's office
Please
9/9

CURRENT NO. 407/F

No. 326

From

J. P. Hewett, Esq., C.I.E.,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.

Home Department.

(Jails)

Simla, the 14th August 1895.

CHIEF SECRETARY
26 AUG 1895
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Sir,

It has been represented to the Government of India that Mr. Green , the Jailor of the Mercara Jail, joined his appointment in the year 1872 on a salary of Rs. 150/- a month and for a period of nearly 23 years has been in receipt of the same pay. This is the maximum salary which Mr. Green can hope to attain in Coorg. The Chief Commissioner considers Mr. Green's case a hard one in view of his long and valuable services and of the fact that successive Superintendents of the Jail have been unanimous in their testimony to his high character and ability.

2. In these circumstances it has been suggested that the appointment at the Mercara Jail should be graded with those of the Jailors in another Province and the present incumbent be given some promotion by transferring him. I am directed to enquire whether the Governor in Council would have any objection to treating the Mercara appointment as one on the Madras list so that arrangements could be made, when advisable, for an interchange of Jailors; and whether Mr. Green could be transferred to Madras with a view to his advancement.

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

J. P. Hewett

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Jail DEPT NO. 4475

1690 dy. 19.9.93 Recd
1484 dy. 24.9.93 Recd
14 papers.

JUDICIAL.

JAIL (1895) DEPARTMENT.

From

THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF ~~JAILS~~, Prisons.

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

CHIEF SECRETARY
21. SEP. 1895
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Dated 18th
Despatched
Received 21

September 1895.

Regd. 23
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No. C. 835.

ENCLOSURES. one.

Subject.	
Returns with remarks Letter No. 326 dated 17th August 1895 regarding the transfer on promotion of Mr. Green, Jailor of the Mercara Jail, to Jails in the Madras Presidency.	

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And papers recd
Dd 24/9
DD 25/9

Hr.

For Orders as to whether the substance of Mr. Carden's letter may be communicated in reply to Govt. of India. with Orders are also requested as regards para 3 of that letter. in reference to the letters on the same subject in 1893.

5-10-95 Hr

Hr 8/10/95

These letters were not to India, which must be originating the correspondence - Reinquiring, however, how to proceed. Approceeding, however, G.O. 1770 Jud. - Issues thereon G.O. 19.7.84 Govt. if India would make over Southern to Mangalore as well as the Mercara Jail the proposal might be well worth consideration - I dont think much of Mr. Butterworth's argument as to the remoteness of Coorg - The road journey cant be very long either.

DD 9/10/95

Mr. Carden's letter in G.O. 1690 19.8.93

I dont think we Govt Coorg C. take over the Coorg Jail only - There will apparently be no difficulty as to our taking over both Coorg & Mangalore with their Jails if India wished it. I will say so.

DD 12/10/95

C 9/10 C 12/10
R 10/10 R 12/10

CURRENT No. 4478

Camp Palamcottah Prisons
OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF ~~JAILS~~,
Dated 18th September 1895.

No. C. 835.

From

A. G. CARDEW, ESQ., M.A.,
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF ~~JAILS~~, Prisons.

To

THE Hon'ble Mr. J. F. Price C.S.I.
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

SIR,

One Enclosure.

I have the honour to return Home — Department Letter, No. 326 dated 17th August 1895, which was referred to me by Mr. Davidson's — Memorandum No. 2124 dated 12th September 1895, and in reply to request reference to my Letter No. C. 1027, dated 5th August 1893.

Go. M. No. 1702 dt. 8.93

2. The graded list of Tailors in the — Department includes the following officers, Viz:—

3rd Grade — 3 on Rs. 125 - 5 - 150 per mensem
2nd Grade — 3 on Rs. 150 - 10 - 200 "
1st Grade — 1 on Rs. 200 - 10 - 250 "

If the Tailorship of the Mercara Jail were added to this graded list as an appointment in the 3rd Grade, there would be an economy of a few rupees per — mensem, as the average emoluments of the 3rd Grade Tailorship is Rs. 143-12, and the Tailor of that Jail would be eligible for promotion, while the prospects of junior Tailors in this Department would be improved by the addition of an extra 3rd Grade Tailorship. I should

should, therefore, have no objection to this proposal. But it is obvious that it would be impossible to promote Mr. Green or any other Jailor of the Mercara Jail to one of the Madras 2nd Grade Jailorships unless the Inspector General of Prisons, Madras, had personal knowledge of the candidate's work. Any other course would be unfair to all parties, as I might find myself saddled with an unsatisfactory subordinate, while Mr. Green might find himself reduced to a very much smaller appointment than he held before if he proved not to be up to the mark.

3. Unless, therefore, the Government now considers it desirable that the Mercara Jail should be placed under my inspection, the Government of India's suggestion is not practicable. I have personally no wish one way or other on the subject, being willing to undertake the duty should Government desire it and in no way anxious to do so, if it is considered undesirable. Possibly raggi might be bought cheap at Mercara for the Cannanore Central Jail, but the cost of rations in the Mercara Jail in late years does not support this supposition. I should be very glad to have a Jail at Bangalore as a purchasing Centre, but this, I fear, is impossible.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
your Most obdt. Servant.
R. G. Carden
Insp. Genl. of Prisons.

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[G / 25]
600—23-7-95.

DEPARTMENT.

C. No.

FOR ORDERS.

With refce to the rdes + orders
within it is submitted that before
Mr. is addressed the I. G. of
Jails may be asked for remarks
on the proposal to give him
Bangalore Jail. He has not
expressed an opinion on the
point, but has only said that
he wd. like a jail at Bangalore
as a centre for supplies, +
perhaps there may be other
obstacles in the way.
I find that he wd. have to
serve two masters.
The D-C. of Coorg +
Resr. in Mysore might also
it is submitted be asked

Prisons

14/11/95

his
Madras opinion. Either India
or this Govt. must ask
before the scheme is
sanctioned, wh the Resh.
puts forward serious difficulties
the question as to what is
to be done for the Mercara
jailor will be brought down
again to the status quo.

W Griggs 10/11/85

Transfer of
Mercara &
Bangalore Jails
to Madras I.G.

FOR ORDERS.

H.M.

DEPARTMENT.

C. No. 25 10-5-10-95

C. No.

FOR ORDERS.

I think there can be no objection
to our I.G. taking over the
Inspection of the Bangalore &
Coorg Jails. The dual mastership
ought not to produce any friction -
and the effect of having all the British
Jails of the South of India under
one system could not fail to be
advantageous. - Now that all
parts of the Presidency are being
made accessible by railway - and
the small jails are being done away
with - our I.G. ought to find that
even with this proposed addition -
he could get over his inspections
much easier than was possible
20 years ago.

W
24 Oct.

C. 4479 is circulated to H.E.
the Govr by direction of the
Chief Secy. H.M.'s notes will
be found on the reverse of the
paper.

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23-10-85

FOR ORDERS.

H. E. THE GOVERNOR.

~~THE HON'BLE MR. H. W. BLISS, C.I.E.~~

~~THE HON'BLE MR. J. GROSE.~~

Agreed

H.E.
Hesitates
to
20.10

Ind. DEPARTMENT.

[G. / 24.]
200—5-10-95.

Papers to be read in proceedings :—

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.

Current No. 4076 of 1895, dated , from

" " 4479 " 1895 " , "

" " " 189 , " , "

ORDER. of 22 Nov. 1895 No. 2407

There appear to be ~~serious~~ considerable objections to the proposal to grade the Jailor of the Mercara Jail on the Madras list while ~~leaving~~ the Jail itself remains under the superintendence of an authority other than the Inspector General of Prisons in Madras.

2. The Resident in Mysore & Commr. in Coorg will be requested to favour Govt. with his opinion whether there are any objections to placing both the Jail at Mercara & Hospital at Bangalore under the superintendence of the Inspector General of Prisons, Madras, & their latter officer will also be asked to offer his remarks upon this suggestion. HD 20/11/95
(from orders)
W. Meiggs 20/11/95 P.T.O.

To Resr. & Mysore & C.O. of Coorg
(send him copies of whole correspondence)
- Inspr. Genl. of Prisons (X to) dispd 27/11/95

Letter d/ 22 Nov.r 1895 No. 2408
To The Sess.n in Mysore &.
C.C. of Cosy.
with Proc.s & Pet.n
dated 7/11

Sir,

I am directed to forward the accompanying copy of the Proc.gs of this Govt. of to-day, No. — and to request that the S. in C. may be favoured with your opinion as to whether there are any objections to placing the Jail at Mercara and that at Bangalore under the supervision of the Supt. Cent.l of Prisons, Madras.

I have &c
20/11/95

All
16/11/95.

Mercara &
Bangalore Jails

x Mr Hampshire

Cs.
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ENCLOSURES TO C. No.

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