1. Number of pages. 14
2. Number of maps 27.37

4

M.R.O. 1—82,400—28-11-30.

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

Cons. 7-7-57

G.O. No. 1286 Press Mis.

2324

Dated 3—7— 1857

Not to be folded or roughly handled

Fort Saint George, Public Works Consultation of 7th July 1857.

No. 23. Read the following Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Judicial Department, dated 23rd June 1857, No. 711.

Read the following letter from J. ROHDE, Esq., Inspector of Prisons; to E. MALTBY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George, dated 4th June 1857, No. 193.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward the plan I had prepared for a Jail to be attached to the Principal Sudr Ameen's office at Ootacamund. I have arranged the cells to suit any class of prisoners, and considering the mixture of classes within the Jurisdiction and anticipated changes in the law, I think the plan not only the best, but the most economical in the end. The building, as shewn, is suited, with upper story, for 36 prisoners, but may be modified by omitting the upper range of cells and extending it in length for 20 or 24 or any other number of prisoners.

2. I do not contemplate ordinarily, keeping natives sentenced to more than 2 months' imprisonment at Ootacamund.

---

1. The Government approve the plan submitted by the Inspector of Prisons, for the new Jail to be attached to the Principal Sudr Ameen's Court at Ootacamund, in which it is observed accommodation has been provided for 36 prisoners. The District Engineer will, as directed in Extract Minutes Consultation, 7th February last, para. 52, prepare and submit the necessary estimates for this building through the Public Works Department.

2. It is observed, that although the letter above recorded, has reference to previous correspondence, the Inspector has quoted none of the orders already passed, nor made any allusion to them. Dates and references, facilitate the despatch of public business, and he will therefore be careful in future to give in every instance the dates of earlier papers on the same subject.

(True Extract and Copy.)

(Signed) E. MALTBY,
Acting Chief Secretary.

No. 24. ORDER THEREON, No. 1286; dated 3rd July 1857.

Ordered to be communicated to the Chief Engineer in continuation of Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 3rd March 1857, No. 223.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

2

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 711.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 23rd June 1857,

Read the following letter from J. ROHDE, Esq., Inspector of Prisons; to E. MALTBY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George, dated 4th June 1857, No. 193.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward the plan I had prepared for a Jail to be attached to the Principal Sudr Ameen's office at Ootacamund. I have arranged the cells to suit any class of prisoners, and considering the mixture of classes within the jurisdiction and anticipated changes in the law, I think the plan not only the best, but the most economical in the end. The building, as shewn, is suited, with upper story, for 36 prisoners, but may be modified by omitting the upper range of cells and extending it in length for 20 or 24 or any other number of prisoners.

2. I do not contemplate ordinarily, keeping natives sentenced to more than 2 months' imprisonment at Ootacamund.

(Signed) J. ROHDE,
Inspector of Prisons.

---

1. The Government approve the plan submitted by the Inspector of Prisons, for the new Jail to be attached to the Principal Sudr Ameen's Court at Ootacamund, in which it is observed accommodation has been provided for 36 prisoners. The District Engineer will, as directed in Extract Minutes Consultation, 7th February last, para: 52, prepare and submit the necessary estimates for this building through the Public Works Department.

2. It is observed, that although the letter above recorded, has reference to previous correspondence, the Inspector has quoted none of the orders already passed, nor made any allusion to them. Dates and references, facilitate the despatch of public business, and he will therefore be careful in future to give in every instance the dates of earlier papers on the same subject.

(True Extract and Copy.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector of Prisons.
„ Public Works Department, with a plan.

Ed. F, Cartledge.

B. T. March 57 No 36-57

Public Works 1857 Dep.t
D.to Cons.rs 7th July
No 1312

Extract from the Mins.
of Cons.rs in the Judicial
Department.
Dated 2d. } June/57
Received 29th. }

1 Plan
T. Cons.rs 21 July/57. No 711/12

Approving the
Plan submitted by the Inspector of Prisons, for the new
Sail to be attached to the
Principal Sub Ament Jail
at Portarlington, & as ordered
in Mins. Cons.rs 7th Feby. last.
Directing the Distr. Engr to
submit the necessary Estimates for this Building.
through the P. W. Dep.t

No 1286

Ordered, to be communicated to the Chief Engineer
in continuation of Extract
Minutes of Consultation dated
3d March 1857 No 223.

Fort St George
3d July 1857

Copies to the Chief Engr
with Plan Disp.ch 43

No 1286
Write an order
No 1286. 3rd July