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20th December 1867.*

No. 405. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Tanjore, 14th December 1867, No. 1,388 :—

With reference to G. O. No. 3,613, of the 22nd November, I have the honor to inform you that Captain Vertue, the Executive Engineer, to whom the matter was referred by me, reports that he accompanied the Board of Officers who were appointed to report on the Solitary cells at Trichinopoly, and that the Board were of opinion that no alterations or improvements would render the cells suitable as places of confinement for European soldiers, because they are built on bare rocks, and large masses of bare rocks surround them.

No. 406. ORDER THEREON, 20th December 1867, No. 3,935.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 19.

Communicated to the Military
Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Military Department.
,, Superintending Engineer, 6th Division.

Exd. F. R. Lantleman.

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Supg Engr's Office 6th D^o
Tanjore 14th December/67.

From,
Captain R. F. Baker R.E.
Supg Engineer 6th D^o

To, Colonel C. A. M. R.E.
Secretary to Government
D. P. W.

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Sir,
Your most obed^t Serv^t
R. F. Baker Capt R.E.
Sup Engineer 6th D^o

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 Regt. Gen. J. G. Thompson
 Major Gen. J. G. Thompson
 to the Adj. Gen.
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Counsel to the Military
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 Gen. J. G. Thompson

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