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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
22nd April 1868.*

No. 382. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Public Department:—

Sanctioning the employment, without charge,
of a gang of convicts to build a wall round
the Civil Dispensary compound at Nellore,
and to straighten the road which now passes
close to that building. } (Here enter 8th April 1868, No. 464.)

No. 383. ORDER THEREON, 22nd April 1868, No. 1,225.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 49.

Communicated to the Superintend-
ing Engineer of the 2nd Division for
information.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division.

Ed. S. T. Augustin.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
8th April 1868.*

Read the following papers:—

No. 96. From the Acting Magistrate of Nellore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Nellore, 6th March 1868, No. 121.

I have the honor to request the sanction of Government for the employment of a gang of convicts, without charge, to build a wall round the Civil Dispensary compound at Nellore, and straighten the road which now passes so close to it in a curve as to prove an annoyance.

2. Subscriptions have been raised in the town for building the wall which is very much needed. The Municipal Commissioners will undertake the superintendence of the work. For the land required for straightening the road arrangements have been made with an Inamdar across whose land the road will pass, and the Dewan of the Rajah of Vencatagiri, who has a house close by, and who will also benefit by the alteration, has promised Rupees 100 towards the work.

Referred to the Inspector General of Jails for remark.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
10th March 1868.

(Signed) C. G. WALKER,
Under Secy. to Govt.

No. 97. From the Inspector General of Jails, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Tuticorin, 21st March 1868, No. 187.

I have the honor to return the letter from the Acting Magistrate of Nellore, No. 121, dated 6th instant, in which he applies for the use of a gang of convicts, free of charge, to be employed in building a wall round the Civil Dispensary compound at Nellore.

2. It is not clearly stated whether the work is municipal, but it is to be carried out under the superintendence of the Commissioners, and has for one object the improvement of the road. In accordance with the orders of the Government of India the labor of convicts is not given gratis to Municipalities, unless with the sanction of Government, which has not hitherto been granted unless in consideration of some special reason assigned in the application. It was recently refused in the case of Rajahmundry.

3. If the work is public, and yet not municipal, the labor may be given without payment, the nominal value only being entered in the Jail Returns.

No. 98. ORDER THEREON, 8th April 1868, No. 464.

The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the employment of a gang of convicts for the purpose specified in the Magistrate's letter, without charge. The work does not appear to be municipal.

(True Extract).

C. G. Walker
Chief Secretary.

To the Magistrate of Nellore.

„ Inspector General of Jails.

„ Public Works Department.

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With care W. H. W.

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