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Government of Madras.

Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
25th January 1870*

No. 567. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Judicial Department —

ORDERING certain additions to the new buildings } Here enter 4th January 1870, No. 11.
of the Lunatic Asylum, Madras

No 568. ORDER THEREON, 25th January 1870, No. 295.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 69.

COMMUNICATED to the Superintending
Engineer of the 4th Division, who will
submit as early as possible the requisite

plans and estimates for the works referred to.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

can be no doubt that such rooms are absolutely necessary; and it must, I presume, have been through some misunderstanding as to the difference between "padded" and "solitary" rooms, that the latter have not been provided in the plan of the Asylum.

5 Dr. Murray recommends that thirty (30) of these solitary rooms should be provided, viz, eighteen for Native males, six for European or East Indian males, and six (in the female enclosure) for European, East Indian, or Native females. I am of opinion that at least half that number should be built *at once*, to be added to hereafter in such proportion as experience may show to be requisite.

6. (b)—With regard to the alleged insufficiency of the fence enclosing the grounds I may state that the hedge-fence was adopted in accordance with the Bengal standard plan, both as being less expensive and less prison-like than a wall; and I think that if a deep ditch were dug on either side of the hedge, with the view of preventing the escape of the lunatics from within, and the intrusion of cattle from without, no other enclosure would be necessary.

7. (c).—On comparing the accommodation provided for the Apothecary at the new Asylum with the sanctioned standard plan of "Apothecary's quarters," I find that the former contains one room less than the latter; and I would accordingly recommend that another room be built contiguous to the quarters provided in the Asylum plan.

8. I beg also to mention that, owing to the distance of the site of the new Asylum from town, the Apothecary will be obliged to keep a conveyance, to enable his children to attend school; and I would, therefore, recommend that a coach-house and stable be provided in connexion with his quarters.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
4th January 1870.

No. 22. ORDER THEREON, 4th January 1870, No. 11.

The letter above recorded will be forwarded to the Public Works Department, with the intimation that the Government consider that fifteen solitary rooms for the confinement of refractory patients should, with the least possible delay, be added to the Lunatic Asylum, Locock's Gardens.

2. An additional room and a coach-house and stable should also be added to the Apothecary's quarters whenever the necessary funds are available.

(True Extract.)

J. I. Minchin
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department. ↗
„ Inspector-General of the Indian Medical Department.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government.

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W. H. P.

To the S. Eng. 4th Div.
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To The Superintending Engineer
4th Division

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