

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From the Hon. H. St. A. GOODRICH, Acting Collector of the Chingleput district, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Saidápet, 8th June 1885, No. 133.

With reference to the orders of Government relating to the institution of a reformatory and the selection of a site for that projected institution at Venkatapuram and the Adyar (G.O., Mis. No. 2264, dated 4th September 1884, Judicial department), I have the honor to suggest that the Government farm property, which is at the disposal of Government, offers several sites better than the one selected for such an institution as a reformatory which would be better placed for inspection by the Governor of the Penitentiary if on the hither bank of the Adyar. If this be the view taken by Government, I solicit immediate orders for the stoppage of the work, pending arrangements for building one on the farm sites.

From H. R. GRIMES, Esq., Inspector-General of Jails, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 18th June 1885, No. 176.

In reply to your endorsement, No. 1125, dated 13th June 1885, on the letter from the Collector of the Chingleput district, suggesting that the Government farm property offers several sites better than the one already selected for the reformatory school, I have the honor to report that, as a sum of Rs. 3,000 has already been paid for the plot of open land near Guindy on the right bank of Adyar, and as the Superintendent of Prisons for the town of Madras reports the construction of the huts sanctioned in G.O., dated 6th May 1885, Mis. No. 1190, has been commenced and materials purchased to the amount of Rs. 713, it appears to me too late to adopt the suggestion of the Collector of Chingleput to place the reformatory school on a site in the Government farm, though I quite admit that it would be more desirable to have the reformatory on that site than the one already selected for it.

2. The letter from the Collector of Chingleput is herewith returned.

ORDER—dated 26th June 1885, No. 1688, Judicial.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council resolves to request the gentlemen noted in the margin to form themselves into a committee for the purpose of considering the relative advantages of the two sites. Their report should be submitted to Government as early as possible. The

The Inspector-General of Jails.	
The Director of Public Instruction.	
The Hon. Mr. Goodrich.	
W. A. Symonds, Esq.	

Inspector-General of Jails will order the suspension of the work sanctioned in G.O., 13th March 1885, Mis. No. 685, Judicial, until further orders.

(True Extract.)

[Signature]

Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Jails,
the Director of Public Instruction,
the Hon. H. St. A. Goodrich,
W. A. Symonds, Esq.

Exd. J. Wright.

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G.O., 26th June 1885, No. 1688.

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Reformatory School.

Appointing a committee to consider and report on the relative advantages of the new site purchased for the — and of that of the Government farm, and ordering the suspension of the work on the school.



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Proceedings, dated 16 July 1885.
No. 1853

Subject.
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authorizing the Secy of
P.W. Accs to debit Rs
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