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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. *434* ~~Press~~
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Dated *31 - 3 - 1871*

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From C^{to} 50.

Lieut. Colt W. J. Wilson
To Inspector General of Jail
The Honorable R. L. Ellis C. B.
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George
Sir,

With reference to your demi
Official Communication of the 24th instant,
I have the honor to report the result of my
conference with Lt Forbes and Major Bower
on the subject of declaring a portion of the
Penitentiary to be fit for a workhouse for the
purpose of Act No. ~~XXI~~ of 1869 -

2. I am of opinion that it is objec-
tionable in principle, and that it will be
inconvenient in practice to convert any
portion of the Penitentiary into a workhouse,
and that such a step ought not to be taken
unless no other provision can be made for
the reception of European Vagrants. It how-
ever the existing state of matters is such
that there is no alternative the
Government

the concurrence of the Superintendent of the Presidency Jail I recommend -

I. That the upper wards of the Under trial block should be made over for the purpose; Convicts newly admitted being placed in the other half of the same block which is separated therefrom by a partition. They will pass in and out of Jail by the road between the outer and inner walls, and the same road can be used for the purpose of exercise -

II. They may obtain leave from the Keeper, between 6 A.M. and 6 P.M., no man being permitted this liberty oftener than once a day, the period of absence not to exceed 3 hours -

III. Communication with any prisoner in the Jail to be prohibited - any infringement of this rule to be punishable under the provisions of Section 14 of the Jails Act -

IV. Clothing and bedding to be provided for the Prisoners -

3.
V. The diet to be the same as that of the European Convicts, and to be paid for by the Work House -

VI. All other Contingent expenses to be raised in the workhouse -

VII. The men to be employed in cooking, tailoring, shoemaking and painting -

VIII. As to Commitments to be made direct to the Magistrate or to the selection of such Vagrants as are to be sent to the Penitentiary, being left to the Committee -

IX. It should be understood that no transfer is to be made to the Penitentiary unless the number of Vagrants in the Workhouse is in excess of that for which there is accommodation, and that in no case it is to exceed 12, any surplus beyond that number to be lodged in the Police Lock-up until vacancies occur -

3. As to the ventilation of the Jail will be increased in the

will be requisite that a Monthly Return
of Patients showing Remains admission
discharges sick in Hospital & should
be made to this office -

I have the honor to be
Sir

Yours Most Obedt. Servt.

Wm. H. H. H.

Respectfully,
Wm. H. H. H.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Here enter 28 March/71
No 50

Order 31 March 1914 434

It having been represented
to Government that the
Thompson Home at Washington
which has been Certified
under Section 11 of Act
~~XXX~~ of 1869 to be a Govt
work house for the purpose
of the Act is at present
overcrowded, the number
of its ^{inmates} being 53; and as
it appears from the letter
above recorded that the
upper wards of that block
of buildings forming the



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Dr. G. S. J.

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Regarding the matter

Letter of the Under-
Secretary

Penitentiary, which is intended
for prisoners under trial,
may be made available
as a temporary measure,
for the reception of vagrants
in excess of the number
which the Workhouse is
capable of accommodating.
The Governor in Council
resolves, under the general
Authority conveyed in para
3 of the Resolution of the
Govt of India in the
Home Dept (Public) order,
date the 20th Oct 1870,
No. 4817, and under the
provisions of Section 11 of
The European Vagrancy Act,
to declare the aforesaid
portion of the Penitentiary
to be a Branch Workhouse
for the purposes of the Act,
until further orders.

2. The Govt approve of
the arrangements proposed
for the ^{lodging} custody and dieting
of vagrants who may be
admitted into the Penitentiary.
They trust that the use
of the Penitentiary as a
branch workhouse will
only be temporary, and
will be glad to receive
from the Committee of
Management a proposal
for enlarging the work-
house at Pozapooram
on an economical plan
as soon as the premises
are the property of Govt.

The President to the Committee
for the management of the
Govt. Workhouse
Inspector General of Prisons
Supdt. Govt. Penitentiary
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To
The Board of the Committee for
the Management of the
East West London
or

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-ing to be a Board of
-house for the Board's
-further orders.

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