

# Public (1895) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 478

DATED 13 June 1895

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[Despatch Abstract.]

LIEUTENANT G.A.L. PUCHANAN.

Ordering that the Secretary of State be addressed regarding the recovery of Rs.11-14-0 due by---for articles supplied to him by the District Jail, Mangalore.

At

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21<sup>st</sup> JUNE 1895, No. 8 PUBLIC.

## PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

LETTER—to

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INDIA.

RIGHT HONOURABLE SIR,

With reference to paragraph 1 (M. 1865) of your Military Despatch, No. 8, dated 14th March 1895, we have the honour to forward for your information a copy of a report \* received from the

Inspector-General of Prisons, Madras, on the subject of the purchase by Lieutenant G. A. L. Buchanan of six rolls of coir matting from the District Jail, Mangalore, as well as the duplicate copy of the bill made out at the time of the purchase.

2. It will be seen from the Inspector-General's report that the letter, alleged by Lieutenant Buchanan in his communication to you of the 19th February last to have been written to the Superintendent, Mangalore District Jail, had not been received by that officer up to the 14th ultimo and it seems extremely unlikely that the letter would have miscarried if it had been posted.

3. In these circumstances we have the honour to request that steps may be taken for the early recovery and adjustment of the amount (Rs. 11-14-0) due.

We have the honour to be,  
Right Honourable Sir,  
Your most obedient, humble servants,

*[Signature]*  
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OOTACAMUND,  
21<sup>st</sup> June 1895.

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ANNEXURE.

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From A. G. CARDEW, Esq., M.A., Inspector-General of Prisons, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 24th May 1895, No. 2877.

With reference to the letter, dated 19th February 1895, from Lieutenant G. A. L. Buchanan, regarding the debt due by him to the Mangalore Jail, a copy of which was forwarded with the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State's despatch, No. 8, Military, dated 14th March 1895, communicated by G.O., 13th April 1895, No. 280, I have the honour to report that though Lieutenant Buchanan, on the 19th February 1895, stated that he *had* written to the Superintendent, Mangalore District Jail, asking for particulars, the Superintendent had not, up to the 14th May 1895, received any communication from Lieutenant Buchanan on the subject. As postal communication is fairly secure, it may be reasonably supposed that Lieutenant Buchanan's statement in his letter of the 19th February 1895 was contrary to fact.

2. I enclose a copy of Lieutenant Buchanan's bill for articles supplied on 30th January 1892. Ample evidence is forthcoming of the supply of the articles in question to this officer, whose recollection of his debts is apparently as defective as of his correspondence.

GOVT. OF FORT ST. GEORGE

PUBLIC (1895) DEPARTMENT.

LETTER to the Right Honourable  
the Secretary of State for  
India.

Dated 21<sup>st</sup> June,

No. 8 of 1895.

Forwarding with remarks copy of a letter from the  
Inspector-General of Prisons, Madras, regarding  
the purchase by Lieutenant G. A. L. Buchanan of  
certain articles from the District Jail, Mangalore,  
and requesting that steps may be taken for the  
early recovery and adjustment of the amount  
(Rs. 11-14-0) due.

No. 2877.

*Detachment*

Prison  
OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF JAILS,

*Annexure* Dated 24<sup>th</sup> May 1895.

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From

A. G. CARDEW, Esq., M.A.,

INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF JAILS, Prisons.

To

THE Hon'ble Mr. J. F. Pice. C. S. I.

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

SIR,

/ Enclosure.

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I have the honour to be,  
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

R. J. Carden

Inspector-General of Prisons.

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JAIL (1895) DEPARTMENT.

CURRENT NO. 1702

From

THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF JAILS,

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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CHIEF SECRETARY  
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The Rt Hon the Secy of State for India will be addressed.

To The Secy of Prisons.

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M.S.

*Letter* No 8

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with: dup: bill*

*11/10/95*

\* No 2877 d/ 24-5-95

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Dated *24* } *May* 1895.  
Despatched }  
Received *25* }  
*27* }  
*28* } No. 2877

ENCLOSURE

Subject.

Reporting that no communication from Lieut. G. A. L. Buchanan had, up to the 14<sup>th</sup> May 95, been received by the Sup<sup>t</sup> Mangalore Jail and enclosing a copy of the report for articles supplied to the Sup<sup>t</sup> on 30 Jan'y 1892

would  
be unlikely that the letter ~~should~~  
be inserted if it had ~~not~~ been  
sent.

In these circumstances we  
regret that ~~you~~ ~~will~~ ~~be~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~position~~ ~~of~~ ~~not~~ ~~being~~ ~~able~~ ~~to~~ ~~take~~ ~~the~~ ~~steps~~ ~~for~~ ~~the~~ ~~early~~ ~~recovery~~ ~~and~~ ~~adjustment~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~amount~~ ~~(Rs 11-14-0)~~  
and ~~on~~ ~~the~~ ~~bill~~.

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Delivered by Mr. G. A. J. Panchan on  
the Mangalore District

H. H.

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