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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
6th November 1868.

No. 111. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Judicial Department :—

Requesting that orders be issued for the erection of the Subsidiary Jail at Salem with as little further delay as practicable. } (Here enter 26th October 1868, No. 1,634.)

No. 112. ORDER THEREON, 6th November 1868, No. 2,800.

Miscellaneous. Communicated to the Revenue Board.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. SEWELL,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings Judicial Department, No. 1,634.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Govt. of 1868 Madras

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated November, 68.

Recd.

G. O., 6th November 1868, No. 2,800.

NOVEMBER.

Nos. 111-112.

Subsidiary Jail at Salem.—Order requesting the Public Works Department to issue instructions for its early erection, communicated to Revenue Board.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,

26th October 1868.

No. 171. Read the following letter from the Magistrate of Salem, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Salem, 9th July 1868, No. 40.

In February 1863, the old Jail in Salem was sold by order of Government, and was purchased by a Mr. Boalth for Rupees 1,330, as a new Central Jail was in the course of construction. Subsequently, it became requisite that quarters should be found as a Subsidiary Jail, and this same old building was accordingly rented by Government at a monthly rate of Rupees 35 or 420 Rupees per annum.

2. The Government have been paying this rent since December 1866, and it appears advisable that Government should no longer be put to this expense, more especially as I am informed that the ordinary repairs required are to be done by Government. If funds, therefore, are available for a new Subsidary Jail, I would request that Government should take into their early consideration this matter. The plans, &c., for the new Jails have, I believe, been all prepared according to the late proposals of the Jail Committee, and the order of Government and funds for the carrying out of the same are all that are required.

3. The following are the stipulations and condition on which the late Collector rented the building now used:—

1st.—"That I agree to give you the building on a lease for one year, absolutely so, at a rent of 35 Rupees per month."

2nd.—"After the expiration of the above period, if I want the building, I will give you six months' notice as requested; but, whenever you intend to vacate the building after the expiration of the lease, you will also then be so good as to give me six months' notice of your intention to do so."

3rd.—"As I have lately spent a large sum of money in the thorough repairs of the building, therefore I will make no further repairs, and if the Municipality want to make any repairs they may do so at their own expense, but no material alteration will be allowed without first obtaining my consent for the same."

4th.—"When any additions are made by the Municipality to the building for their convenience, the same cannot be removed when the building is vacated."

4. I annex an extract of a letter* of the Superintendent of Police on the state of this Jail:—

* No. 380, dated 24th June 1868.

"I have the honor to bring to your notice that the building at present used "as a Town Police Station and Subsidiary Jail is in urgent want of repair: the lower "portion of many of the walls has worn away to such an extent that to make a hole "right through the wall would be a work of very little difficulty.

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No. 172. ORDER THEREON, 26th October 1868, No. 1634.

The Government observe that their sanction has already been accorded, in G. O., dated the 23rd November last, No. 1902, for the construction of a Subsidiary Jail at Salem. As funds are now available for the purpose, orders will be issued in the Public Works Department for the erection of the building with as little further delay as practicable.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department.
" Committee on Subsidiary Jails.
" Collector of Salem.
" Revenue Department.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

Revenue Dept.
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To

THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated October, 26th.

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G. O., 26th October 1868, No. 1634.

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Nos. 171-172.

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