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passing orders in regard to the utilizing the
accommodation available in the old European
Jail Buildings at Olacammund &c &c.

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Old European Jail Buildings at Ootacamund

Passing orders in regard to the utilisation of the accommodation available in the
— and stating that the question of providing the Revenue subordinates who are
permanently stationed at Ootacamund with quarters can only be considered in the
event of buildings being available in excess of requirements.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
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READ—again the following papers :—

Memo. No. 228 D., dated 15th May 1897.
G.O., No. 2448 W. " 3rd September 1897.
" " 2359 W. " 12th October
" " 18 W. " 6th January 1898.

Read—also the following papers :—

G.O., No. 1638 W., dated 1st July 1898.
From the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, dated 30th July 1898, No. 408 W.

ORDER—No. 3174 W., dated 12th December 1898.

The correspondence read above relates to the utilisation of the accommodation available in the old European Jail buildings at Ootacamund. The Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, was called upon, in memo. No. 228 D., dated 15th May 1897, to report what accommodation was actually available in these buildings, and what public offices could be located therein. After several references regarding the number of public offices at Ootacamund held in hired buildings and the accommodation required by them, it has been ascertained that, after providing accommodation for the offices of the Government Epigraphist, the District Registrar of Assurances, and the Superintendent of the Geological Survey of India, the space still available in the old European Jail buildings consists of the entrance hall, the jail hospital and the keeper's quarters. The Revenue Department remits for consideration a proposal from the Collector of the Nilgiris to convert this portion of the buildings into quarters for Revenue subordinates; while the Commandant of the Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles applies for the keeper's quarters for the Sergeant Instructor of the Corps, much stress being laid on the necessity for the provision of quarters for the Sergeant Instructor in the same building as that in which the armoury is located.

2. His Excellency the Governor in Council directs that the three public offices mentioned above be moved as early as possible into the portions allotted to them in the old European Jail buildings.

3. After full consideration of the proposals made, His Excellency in Council further resolves to make the keeper's quarters available for the Sergeant Instructor of the Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles. The jail hospital should be utilised for providing additional quarters for the Secretariat clerks, some of whom are at present left unhoused. The Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, will submit the necessary proposals for so converting them. The entrance hall must remain as it is, being unsuited for quarters for subordinates. The question of providing the Revenue subordinates who are permanently stationed at Ootacamund with quarters can only be considered in the event of buildings being available in excess of requirements.

(True Extract.)

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Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle.

" Public Department.
" Revenue Department.
" Judicial Department.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

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