

Superintending Engineer's Office  
5<sup>th</sup> Division Bangalore 18<sup>th</sup> July 1868

From

Lieut. Col. H. W. Hitchens R. E.

Superintending Engineer 5<sup>th</sup> Division Bangalore

To

Colonel W. S. Birdwood R. E.

Secretary to Government G. P. W.  
Madras

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Memorandum N<sup>o</sup> 76 dated 14<sup>th</sup> inst. requesting me to furnish at once the traces of the Barracks in my Division, and to inform you that the Executive Engineer of Bangalore states that he has not yet been able to put the work in hand, as he is making every endeavour to complete the Register of Accommodation for Troops called for in N<sup>o</sup> 497 dated 25<sup>th</sup> February 1868 accompanied by Plans &c.

2 - He moreover states that the demands made upon him by the local authorities are such as to prevent his meeting every requisition with the promptitude he desires, but he is sanguine that the traces of the Barracks at this station will be submitted by the end of the month.

For -

3. From what I have personally witnessed during my tour of Inspection, I am quite prepared to accept Captain Goddard's excuse for his inability to furnish the Plan called for.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obedt. Servant

Ans. R. R. R. Lieut. Col. G. H. R.  
Supt. Engineer 5<sup>th</sup> Division

22<sup>nd</sup> 1863 D. 2666

From C. 2666.

The lady has received  
your letter

to the County of Cook

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Oct 18<sup>th</sup> - July 1863

Recd 20. 1863

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Information that the laws

of Massachusetts shall be  
will be submitted by the

end of the month as the

Executive Legislature  
is making every endeavor

to complete the Register

of Commissioners for

Superior - 1864

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