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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
26th August 1864.*

No. 573. Read the following letter from Captain J. BEAN, R. E., Officiating Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, to Major J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, R. E., Deputy Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Tanjore, 17th August 1864, No. 1,103 :—

SIR,

Dated 27th July 1864, No. 1,336, Revenue Department.
" 3rd Aug. " " 2,219, Public Works Department.

1. I have had the honor to receive the Order of Government, as per margin, directing the sale by auction of the Poriar Bungalow and

garden at Tranquebar at an upset price of Rupees 5,000.

2. I can scarcely expect Government to cancel their order on my representations on this subject, but I respectfully bring to notice that the sale of the Bungalow will cause considerable inconvenience as regards the storage of plant and tools belonging to my Department.

3. I am not aware of the grounds on which Lieutenant-Colonel Foord recommended the sale, further than that of applying the proceeds

Letter dated 15th August 1863, No. 409.

to the erection of an Office at Tanjore, but Lieutenant Mead, the Assistant Engineer in charge of the Range, has always been opposed to the measure as he has no other building in which to locate his stores* and tools.

* Including 43 doors and windows.

4. In the Poriar building, also, there are a steam engine, four chain pumps, a pile driving machine, anvils, and other stores, belonging to my own Office, and as the Government are aware there is neither a store-house nor a Superintending Engineer's Office at Tanjore. It is true that I can despatch the machinery to the Trichinopoly Store, but Lieutenant Mead ought to have a small substantial building erected in his Range at a cost of about 300 Rupees.

No. 574. ORDER THEREON, 26th August 1864, No. 2,472.

1. The Governor in Council observes that the removal of the machinery and stores of the Tanjore District to Trichinopoly was sanctioned in Proceedings of Government No. 2,492, dated 28th August 1863. The Superintending Engineer will now give effect to that order.

2. No funds are at present available for the provision of a store-room for the 3rd Range, Tanjore District.

(True Extract)

(Signed) J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, Major, R. E.,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 6th Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Recd. 30 August / 64 No 576.

To the Secy. to Govt.
The Secy. Engrs.
1st Div.

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Dated 17th August 1864
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To the Supt. Engr. 6th Div.

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