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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
9th August 1866.*

No. 197. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Public Department :—

Intimating that orders will be issued in the
Public Works Department, for inspecting } (Here enter 2nd August 1866, No. 760.)
and reporting on the Library of the Govern-
ment Central Museum, Presidency.

No. 198. ORDER THEREON, 9th August 1866, No. 2,515.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 33.

Communicated to the Superintend-
ing Engineer of the 4th Division who
will instruct the Executive Engineer
to examine the walls of the Museum Library and to report upon the present con-
dition of the building.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
2nd August 1866.*

No. 7. Read the following letter from the Superintendent, Government Central Museum, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Madras, 31st July 1866, No. 151.

I have the honor to report that the walls of the Museum Library are so very badly cracked in several places that there appears to me to be considerable danger of portions of the building falling.

2. I have, therefore, considered it necessary to close the Library, and remove the books to another building for security.

3. I have reported the state of the building to the Barrack Master, who will doubtless do what is necessary; but I may add that the building has been repaired two or three times already, and that, so far as I am able to form an opinion on the subject, no ordinary repairs can be of any avail, because the evil is evidently due to the nature of the ground on which the building is erected. Even the flooring is sinking in some parts; and if it will not support the floor, it can hardly be expected to support the walls.

No. 8. ORDER THEREON, 2nd August 1866, No. 760.

Orders will be issued in the Public Works Department, directing the Executive Engineer to inspect and report on the building.

(True Extract.)

H. J. Curthrust
Chief Secretary.

To the Public Works Department. ✓
„ Superintendent, Government Central Museum.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

*Respectfully
Yours*

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To the Supdng - 4th Division

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