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2. The walls of the building are of great thickness so that the cost of demolishing would not cover the value of the materials, but being situated near the canal, wharf, etc., would probably fetch a fair price.

3. In a military point of view it is useless.

No. 140. ORDER THEREON, 8th February 1870, No. 447.

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THE Superintending Engineer of the 2nd Division will be informed that, if the building referred to cannot be utilized for the purposes of the department, it may be either sold or demolished, and the materials appropriated to the construction of groynes, repair of roads, or in such other manner as Colonel Moberly may consider advisable.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 2nd Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. J. Wright.

No. 137

Superintending Engineer's Office
2nd Division
Bezwada 8th January 1870

From

Lieut.t Colonel F.J. Moberly R.E.
Superintending Engineer
2nd Division

To,

Colonel C.A. Orr R.E.
Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

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I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obed.t Servt.

F.J. Moberly
Lieut.t Colonel R.E.

Supdg Engr 2nd Division

P W Dept.

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To Supt Engr. 2nd Div. ✓
& Controller for ✓
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The Supg Engr 2nd Div
To
The Secretary to Govt
P.W.D. Madras

Dated 8th January /70.
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Requests to know whether G.O. 18th June 1869 is to continue in force or not.

Answered 8th February /70.

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Grand Magazine at Masulipatam

Passing orders on the letters from the Supdg Engr & the 2 Div Assistant Engr informing the latter of the sanction accorded in 1824 & 1867 to the selling the Grand Magazine at Masulipatam in the District &c.