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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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9th August 1872.*

No. 151. Read the following letter from the Consulting Architect to Government, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 19th July 1872, No. 108.—

I HAVE the honour to forward you, in original, letter No. 1,754, dated the 15th July 1872, from the Superintending Engineer of the 8th Division on the subject of temporarily making use of a chamber in Tirumala Naick's Palace as a Mahomedan School.

2 As Colonel Roberts points out, this room is used merely as a latrine, and it will be a positive advantage to locate the school in it. I may mention that the arrangement proposed will not in any way interfere with the restorations for some time to come.

From the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, to the Consulting Architect to Government, dated Madura, 15th July 1872, No 1,754

I HAVE the honour to inform you that a special meeting was held at this place on Monday the 1st instant for the consideration of the education of the Mahomedan youths of this city

2 The Mahomedans have responded most warmly and gratefully to the suggestion that means should be devised for the proper education of their children, and they are keenly alive to the necessity for early measures being taken in this respect

3 The Mahomedans of Madura are unfortunately in very poor circumstances, they have not the means and position of their fellow-countrymen in other parts of India, and it is simply impossible, therefore, for them to raise, unaided, the necessary funds for the establishment of such schools as are imperatively necessary for educational purposes

4 The Committee appointed at the meeting abovementioned are now busy in circulating subscription lists among their countrymen, and, when these are received, they are in hopes of obtaining grants-in-aid from local and municipal funds

5. Even with this assistance, however, they have no *locus in quo* for a school, and, until sufficient funds are found for the erection of a school-house, the scheme, it is feared, will fall to the ground unless the Government will kindly come to their aid

6 The Committee have, therefore, requested me to solicit the Government for permission for them to locate this school temporarily in some portion or other of Tirumala Naick's Palace. It appears to me that this can be effected without inconvenience by allotting for the temporary use of the school the dome immediately to the east of what is called, indifferently, "Westminster Hall" or "Tirumala Naick's Bedchamber," this dome is called "Judge's private rooms" on the diagram that accompanied Lord Napier's Minute printed with the G. O. No 69, dated 11th January 1872.

7. I shall esteem it a great favour, therefore, if you will kindly forward on this application, with your approval, to the Government. You are aware that there is no immediate intention of restoring this portion of the Palace, and that from its being so far removed from the other parts of the building, and having a separate entrance of its own, a school in this locality can prove of no kind of inconvenience to any of the offices in the Palace. A small expenditure (say Rupees 200) will be necessary to clean up the building, repair the floor, etc., and this can be charged to the Palace allotment of Rupees 10,000 for the current year from the balance of the same available for the purpose

8. As it will take some days to clean up the room in question, and as it is very desirable that the school should be opened as early as possible, I shall feel obliged by your forwarding on this application at your earliest convenience

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9th August 1872.

9. I may mention that I have consulted the Civil and Session Judge on the subject, and he has no personal objection to offer to the proposal. Indeed it cannot be denied that it is eminently desirable that the suggestion should be carried into effect, as the room in question is now used as a latrine by the weavers who live in the neighbourhood, and it may be inferred that the occupation of the apartment will at least tend to its decent maintenance if not repair.

No. 152. ORDER THEREON, 9th August 1872, No. 1,886.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 9.

THE Governor in Council has much pleasure in sanctioning as a temporary arrangement the appropriation of the room referred to for the use of the Mahommedan School which is about to be opened at Madura.

2. His Excellency in Council authorizes a special grant of Rupees 200 from the Provincial balance for the purpose of making the room fit for the reception of the school.

(True Extract).

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division
To R. F. Chisholm, Esq
To the Financial Department

a. f. m. d. m. g. m. m.

Exd S. T. Austin.

N^o 108

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Consulting Architect Office
Madras 19th July 1872

From

R. F. Chisholm Esq. F. R. S. B. A.
Consulting Archt to Govt.

To

Colonel G. W. Walker R.E.
Secretary to Govt. P. W. D.

Sir

I have the honor to forward you in original letter N^o 1754 dated the 15th July 1872 from the Superintending Engineer of the 8th Division on the subject of temporarily making use of a chamber in Tirumala Naick's Palace as a Mahommedan School

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I have the honor to be
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Yours most Obedient servt.

R. F. Chisholm
Consulting Archt to Govt.

No 1754 Superintg. Engineer's Office
Madras 15th July 1872

From.

Supt. Col. R. A. Roberts. R.E.
Superintending Engineer &c.

To.

R. F. Chisholm Esquire.
Consulting Architect. to
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P. M. 1872. Madras
R. F. Chisholm Esq.
No 3511.
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Consulting Architect
& Engineer.

Colonel G. M. Roberts
Secretary to Gov.
P. M. D.

Dated 19th July 1872.
Received 20th July 1872.
Per 1/17

Forwarding a Mahomedan
School in Madras to Gov.
P. M. D.

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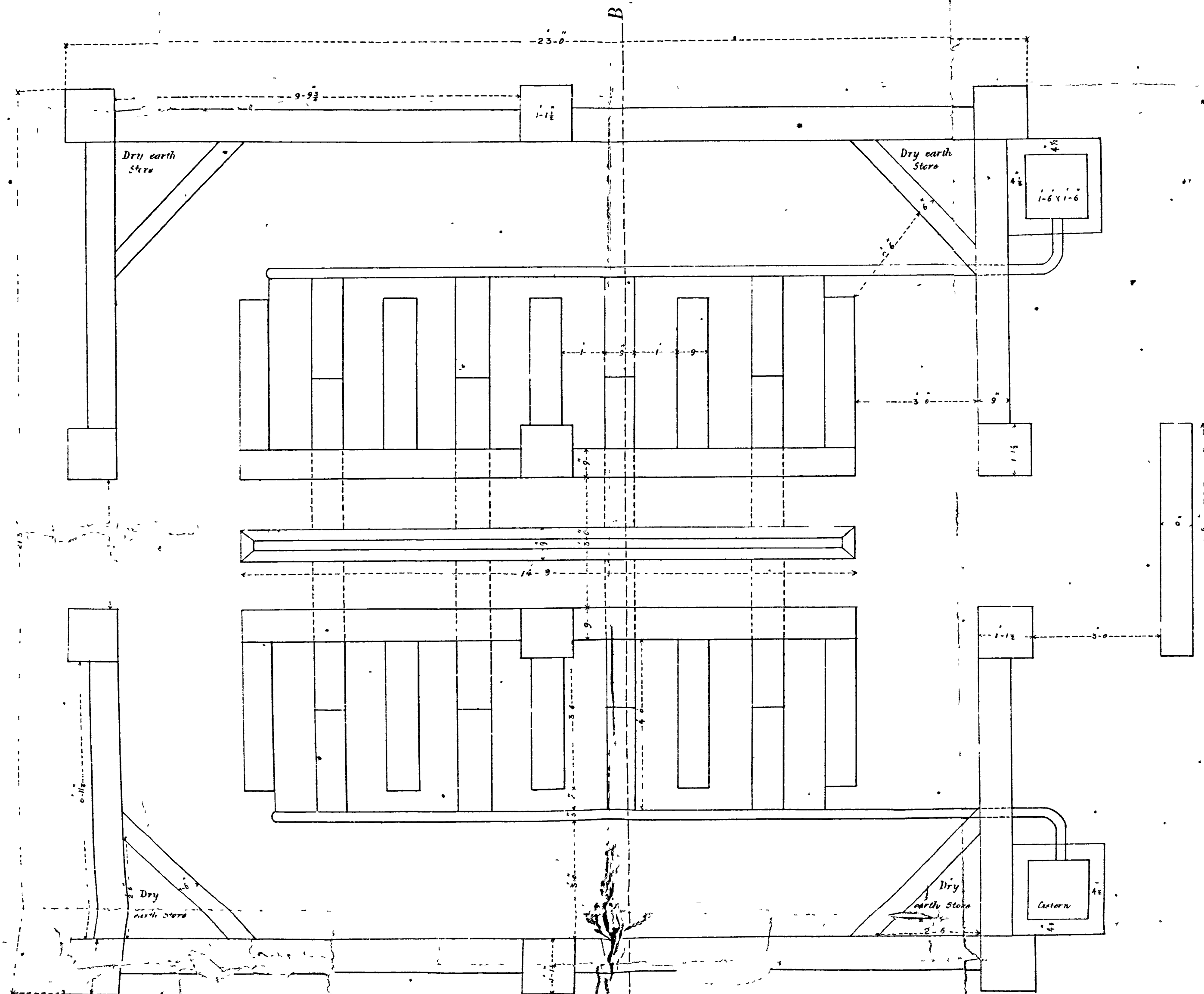
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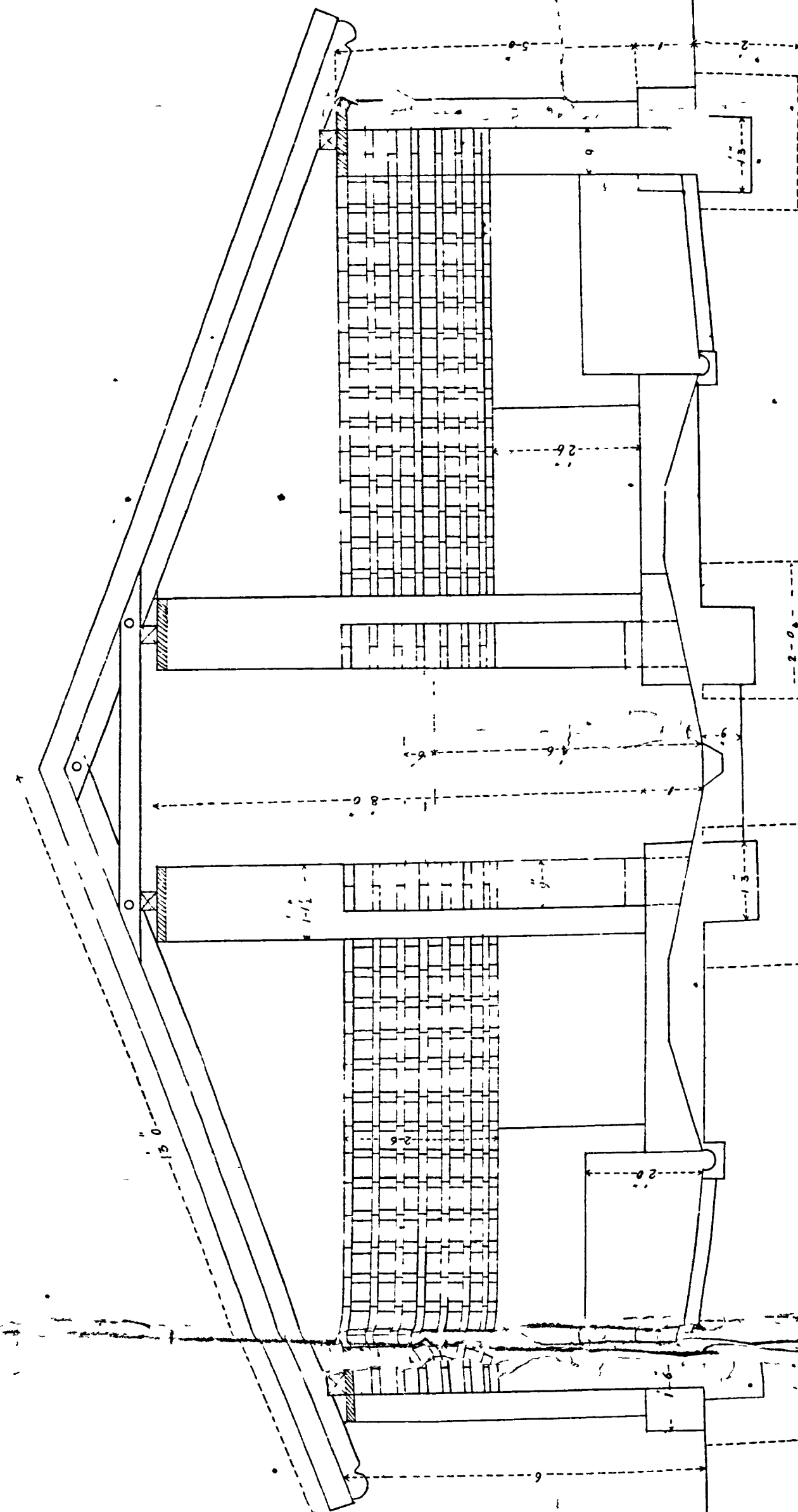
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REVISED PLAN OF A LATRINE

Scale 2 Feet to an inch



SECTION THRO A.B.



(True Copy)

Sup^d Engineer's Office 7th Division
Coimbatore 25th May 1872

(Signed) A Walderburn
Collector of Coimbatore

(Signed) W Farewell L^{ieut} Colonel S C
Off^{ce} Superintendent Engrs 7th Divⁿ

(Signed) V. B. Balaram
Sup^d and Mang^r
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to its decent maintenance if not
repair.—

I have the honor to be
Sir—

Your Most Obedt Servant

Richard H. Kite
Superintending Engineer

No 1886.

3511

The Governor in Council has much pleasure in sanctioning as a temporary arrangement the appropriation of the room referred to for the use of the Mahomedan school which is about to be opened at Madura

His

Received of the
 Madras Government
 the sum of Rs. 100/-
 for the use of the
 Mahomedan school
 at Madura
 11/11/11

No 1754
 The Sup: Engineer
 & Division
 to the Consulting Architect
 to Government

Dated 15th
 Dec: } July 1872
 P. N. 3511/72.

Requests to permit
 the application of
 with his approval for
 allowing a certain por-
 tion of the Government
 Palace for locating a
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 temporary establishment
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 King's College, Madras.

His Excellency in Council authorizes a special grant of Rs 200 from the Provincial balance for the purpose of making the room fit for the reception of the school.

W.M.

Planned at 11/11/12

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For Mr. P. S. S. S. S.
R. F. Chicholm
Chief Depart
Controller
Dec 14/12

I would desire the Superintending Engineer to understand that the use of the building is purely temporary & that the concession is not to commit the Govt. in any way to any thing further. Are there no schools in the locality which the home born boys can attend?

LOS

I would say nothing about what is the

The temporary use of a portion of Seromala Raik's Palace, for the purpose herein noted, may be conceded. But the Superintending Engineer will see from G.O. No. of July that no funds are available for cleaning and repairing it.

W.M.

project which is more
a useful one. I must
say

The former in June
has much pleasure in
a temporary appropriation
furnishing the use of the
room required for the
use of the Mohammedan
School which is about to
be opened at Madras.
The sum of Rs. 200 is
a small sum for
the purpose of making
the room fit for the
requirements of the school.

A/A

I quite agree I would
do as much as possible
a grace as possible / all
that is reasonable to
assist Mohammedan
education for

C No. 3511.

Govt. of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The Superintendent Engr.
8th Division

Dated

Recd.

Encl. /

G. O. 9th Aug 1886, No. 1886.

No. 1574/52

Terunala Rishi's palace

The appropriation as a tem-
porary measure of a room
in the Terunala Rishi's palace
for the use of the Mohammedan
School to be opened at Madras
sanctioned a sum of Rs. 200
granted for the necessary
alterations.