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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public works **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 347-348	2470	Press / Mis.
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Proceedings of the Madras Government Public Works Department,
19th October 1872.

No. 347. Read again Proceedings in the Revenue Department, No. 1,041, dated 10th July 1872, sanctioning the sale of the old Head Assistant Collector's Office in Madura, and approving of the provision for the office of the Deputy Collector in Tiroomal Naick's Palace.

No. 348. ORDER THEREON, 19th October 1872, No. 2,470.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 15.

THE sale of the Head Assistant's Cutcherry involves provision for a Range Office in Tiroomal Naick's Palace, which it is observed that the Consulting Architect has proposed to locate in a space marked on the diagram accompanying Lord Napier's Minute, recorded with G. O., No. 69, of January 1872, as to be left "vacant for a waiting hall." Mr. Chisholm will report whether such location will in any way mar the effect of the building or contravene his Lordship's plans.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Consulting Architect.
" Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.
" Revenue Department.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

Memorandum with
Draft Order on
Post Master General's
Letter -

Nov
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It is considered
in the Public Works
Department that the
allocation of sites of
offices in Peroomala
Vaic Ro Palace laid
down in Lord
Napier's Minute re-
-corded with G.O. &c.
69 of January 1872
should not be de-
-parted from with-
-out due consideration.
An order has been
passed

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passed in this Department, instructing the Supt Engineer & Dy Consulting Architect to Plan and Estimate for the Restoration of the Palace and accommodation of Public offices therein, in a connected manner, in consultation with the local heads of offices concerned.

In the Plan forwarded by the Collector of Madura the allocation of the Deputy Collector and Forest Department seems unobjectionable, and

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conformable to Lord Napier's intentions. But to place the Post office where shown on that plan, and the Range office where shown in a plan lately sent in by Mr Nicholson, immediately opposite, will directly contravene his wish that those sites should be considered the vestibule of the building to be reserved for people in attendance at the various Courts and offices.

Before any thing is done in the premises might be made by the Collector regarding the location of the Post Office & Range Office in the vicinity of the Public buildings or contiguous to Lord Napier's Island.

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2470 P.W. Dept.

Proceedings of the Madras Government.

Read again Proceedings in the Revenue Dept. No 1041, dated 10th July 1872, sanctioning the sale of the old Head Assistant Collector's Office in Madura and approving of the provision for the Office of the Deputy Collector in Tirumal Naick's Palace.

The Sale of the Headquarters Cutcherry involves provision for a Sessions Office in Tirumal Naick's Palace wh. it is observed must the Consulting Architect has proposed to locate in a space marked on the Diagram accompanying Lord Napier's Minute of the 18th recorded with G.O. No 65 of June 1872 to be left "open for a waiting hall" — Mr. Chisholm will report whether such location will not hereafter mar the effect of the building as contemplated by Lordship's plans.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Commanding Engineers

Dated

Read. Encl.

G. 19 Oct 1870.

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Terminal Chuckis Palace at Madura. The Consg. Archi. Asst Engineer to report whether the accommodation proposed to be provided for the Office of the Head Assistant Collector in the Palace will in any way mar the effect of the building in contravention Lord Napier's plans.