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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
1st March 1873.*

No. 1. Read the following letter from the Inspecting Engineer for Civil and Military Buildings, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 13th February 1873, No. 120 :—

I HAVE the honour to report that while at Bangalore last week I inspected the harness-room of the Royal Artillery which had been dismantled in accordance with G. O. of the 9th of January 1873, No. 70; I am of opinion that the harness-room should be entirely rebuilt. The cracks in the arches of the front verandah are very slight, but bad mortar having been used throughout the work, the front verandah and wall adjoining might possibly come down during the next monsoon. The saving that would be made by only partial re-building is not large. I did not, while at Bangalore, tell the District Engineer to proceed with the demolition of the building, but now after full consideration of the subject, I have written to him to do so.

No. 2. ORDER THEREON, 1st March 1873, No. 653.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 1.

ORDERED to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

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Office of the Inspecting Engineer
for Civil & Military Buildings
No 120 Chepauk 13 February 1873

From
Colonel Da Fond R.E.
Inspecting Engineer for
Civil & Military Buildings

Colonel G. M. Walker R.E.
Secretary to Government P.W.D.

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Your most Obedient servant

Edmond Charles R.E.

Inspecting Engineer for Civil
and Military Buildings

Per 9 January 1873 R 135-136

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The Inspecting Engineer
for Civil Works, Building

To the Secretary to
Govt PWD

No 120

Dated 13th Feb 1873
Recd 14th Feb 1873

Reports that he
inspected the harness
room of the Royal Artillery
is of opinion that it should
be rebuilt & written to the
District Engineer after
a full consideration
to proceed with the de-
mutilation of the building.
With an order

What has been done
with it is unknown

No 653
Ordered to be recorded

Wm

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Guidance, under the
Public Works at Bangalore.

Letter from the Inspecting
Eng for Buildings upon
his inspection of the
Public Works at Bangalore
and the Public Works
at Bangalore.