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27th July 1875.*

Read the following:—

No 714. From Superintending Engineer, Tanjore, dated 24th April 1875.
Return showing the remains of ancient, famous, and interesting buildings, &c, discovered during the year 1874-75 in the Tanjore District

Name of Taluk—Tanjore. *Village*—Covilady *Name of ruins*—Not known *Present state of ruins*—*Vide Remarks* *Amount required to put them in order*—Nil *Remarks*—This building is under the bed of the Coleroon, about 5 feet below the summer water level. As far as has been ascertained, the building is rectangular 62' x 16 feet, and in the centre of it, placed two and two in a circle, are the remains of 14 wooden posts which are 9 inches square at the bottom to a height of 3 feet, and above this they are octagonal. The bricks of this building are of unusual size, 16" x 11" x 3", very well made and burnt. The building being underneath a deep pool of water, it has not been thoroughly examined, and it could not be so examined, except at an enormous cost for baling the water, or until the bed of the river changes at this spot when it might be done for about Rupees 300.

(Signed) R. A. ROBERTS, Lieut.-Col., R.E.,
Superintending Engineer, Tanjore.

No. 715. ORDER THEREON, 27th July 1875, No 2,156.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 48.

Should a favorable opportunity occur, the ruins may be examined, but, unless the Collector should be able to obtain information showing that the ruins are of interest, no considerable outlay should be incurred.

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,
Offg. Joint Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Tanjore
" Revenue Department
" Public Department

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