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The Examiner, P.W. Accounts,  
Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,  
P.W. Department.

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Connemera Free Library etc.

Forwarding a copy of communication en-  
quiring whether any further action is  
necessary on the permission granted by  
the Local Govt. to the use of-----  
for theatrical purposes.

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in reply that permission was not granted to use the Connemera Free Library etc. for theatrical purposes, but that the Madras Dramatic Society have been permitted to use the lecture theatre for occasional performances, as it was constructed for general public utility & that no stores or other Government property are kept there.

5. The lecture theatre forms a portion of the whole building, and the other portion of which contains a library and furniture etc. of some value; and it is doubtful whether the lecture building can be looked upon as a separate building.

( True Copy )

*M. M. M. M.*  
for Supt. Routine Branch.

N.B.—In any future communication on this subject, the number and date of this letter should be quoted, and the communication should be addressed to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras, and not to any officer by name.

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FROM I. S. SHERLOCK-HUBBARD, Esq.,  
EXAMINER OF P. W. ACCOUNTS, MADRAS,  
To

The Secretary to Government,  
Public Works Department.

No. 2517 A. Madras, 15 July 1895.

SIR,

The following is forwarded to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, for information with reference to G.O. No. 1470 W. dated 18th June 1895.

I. S. Sherlock-Hubbard  
Examiner, P.W. Accounts, Madras.

Copy of letter from the Examiner, P.W. Accounts, Madras, to the Accountant General, P.W. Department, No. 2516 A dated 15 July 1895.

I have the honour to request to be informed whether I need take any further action on the following case:-

2. The Government of Madras has granted permission to the Madras Dramatic Society to use the Connemera Free Library and Victoria Technical Institute, free of rent, for theatrical purposes and permission has also been granted to that Society to make certain alterations to the lecture theatre of the building at its own cost, on the understanding that the alterations are not in any way detrimental to the purpose for which the building was intended.

3. With reference to these sanctions I represented that the use of the building for such purposes was apparently contrary to the rule in P.W. Code, volume I, chapter X, para 9; and I have been informed