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G.O., No. 224

Dated 8th April 1896

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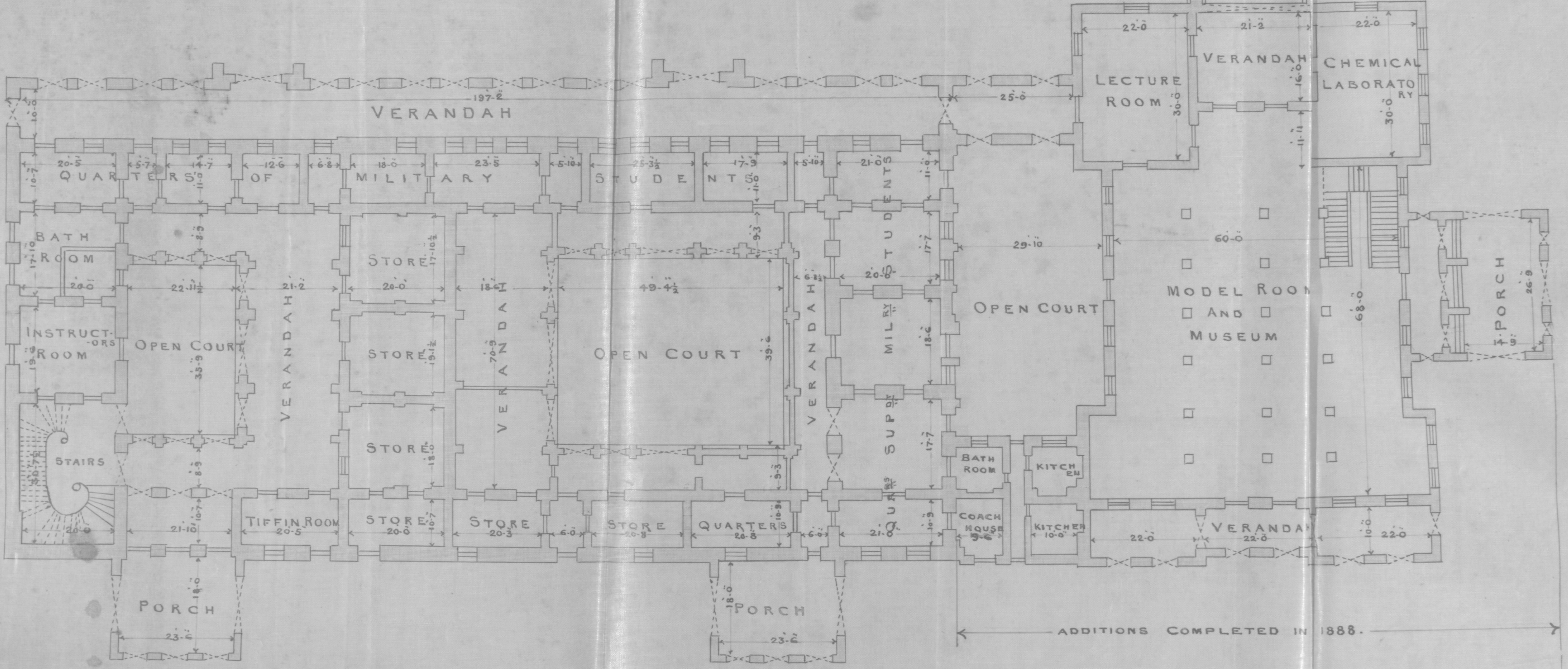
[**Despatch Abstract.**]

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING.

Stating that, in the opinion of Government, there is no necessity for additional accommodation in the College of Engineering and that the annual examinations of the College could be held in the Senate House.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING – MADRAS.

PLAN OF LOWER FLOOR



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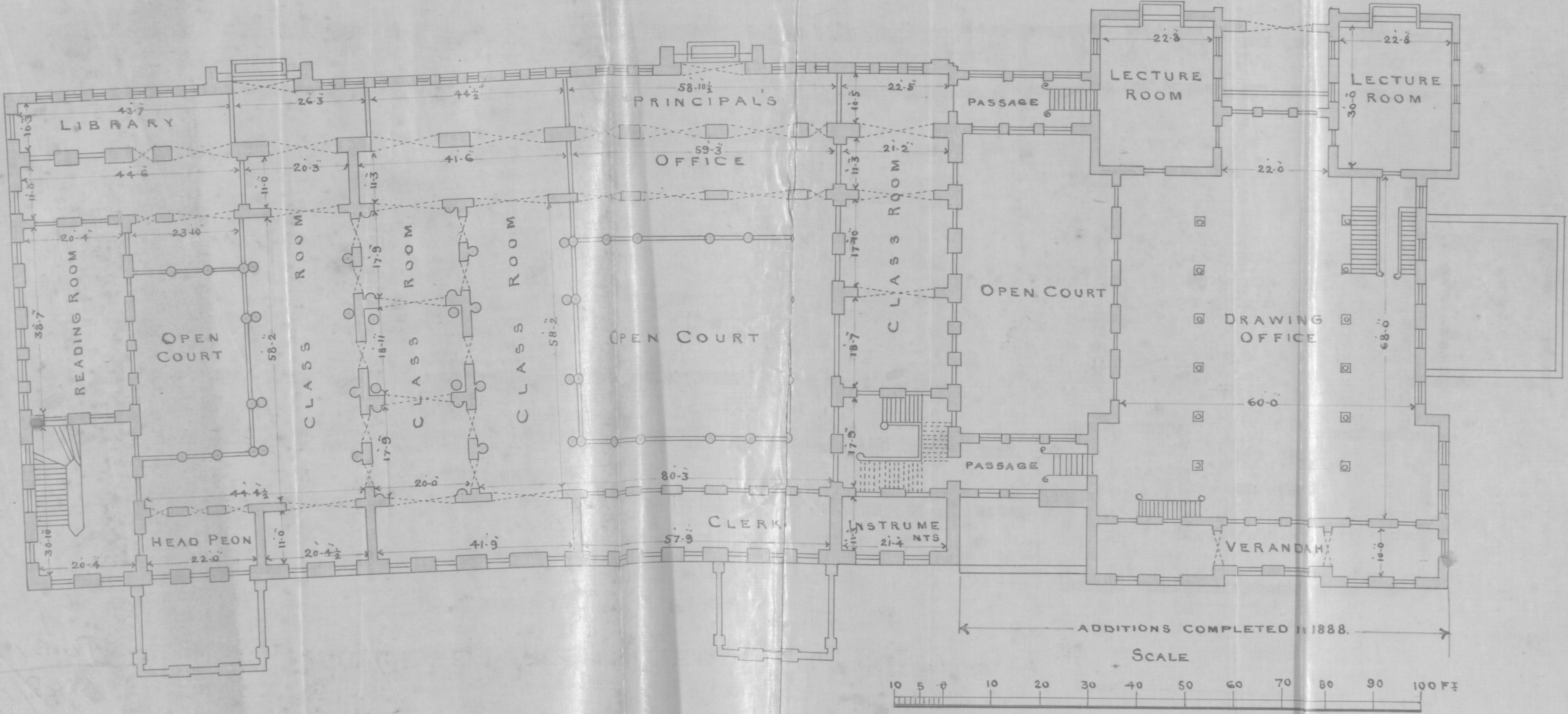

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No. 1020 C

Dated 29th November 1895.

FROM

THE PRINCIPAL,
COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, MADRAS,

To

The Director of
Public Instruction, Madras.

SIR,

Referring to your Proceedings No 10348 dated September 21st, 1895, I have the honour to report that I have been in communication with the Consulting Architect in regard to the best mode of increasing the accommodation in the College buildings. Mr Irwin recommends a new west front, with verandah, for the x old building. This will give one additional class room on the first floor and a room suitable for Library and Reading room on the ground floor.

x Please see plan
[illegible] "old buildings"
apparently means all the
buildings except that
are marked "additions
completed in 1888"
NF.

2. Further accommodation can be provided by shifting the barracks of the unmarried soldier students on the East front ground floor to the rooms occupied

ccupied by the Senior Resident Instructor, who s also Superintendent of Military students, and Constructing new quarters for that instructor — near the South East angle of the new buildings. This arrangement was mentioned in paragraph 5 of my No 299 C dated 26th July 1895, as having been suggested by the Honorable Mr Bliss some two years ago. Besides giving additional space, it would supply the soldier students with a mess-room adjacent to their kitchen. At present their food has to be carried round outside the College.

× in the new buildings.
please see plan

3. In regard to this proposal, I informed the Consulting Architect that the new quarters should in my opinion consist of at least

1 dining room	20' × 18'
1 sitting room	20' × 18'
3 bedrooms	18' × 12'
3 bath rooms	18' × 12'

It now consists of
two rooms 17'.7" × 20'
one room 18'.6" × 20'
one — 16'.9" × 21'
one — 11'.– × 21'
or total area of 1529 sq. feet
These proposals give a total area of 2076 sq. feet, or about a third as much again.

with kitchen, stable, coachhouse and latrine, while constructive convenience would probably make a fourth bed room and bathroom unobjectionable.

& a bath room.
Total area of rooms 768 sq. feet.
and Appendix III).

4. Mr Irwin points out that this accommodation is in excess of that allowed by the P.W. Code for non-commissioned or warrant officers attached to any Military Staff Department, and he asks that the sanction of Government may be obtained to plans and estimates being prepared on the scale desired.

Art 138. Chap X
Vol II of D.P.W.
Code seems to show that the quarters proposed are only less large than those usually built for a Colonel. (2048 sq. ft.)
They are larger than a Major gets (1664 sq. feet)

5. In recommending that sanction be given, I have the honour to point out that the quarters are required for the Senior Resident Instructor, who is also Superintendent of Military students. This officer does not occupy a military staff appointment, but is in the Educational Service. The present incumbent, is now in the third grade, and draws a salary of Rs 300. In the next grade he will draw up to Rs 400, and in the next up to Rs 500. The quarters provided for him should be commensurate with the important and responsible position that he holds.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
H. D. Love. Major R.E.
Principal.

R. No. 15,975/95

1895-96.

College of Engineering.

To the Director of Public Instruction,
Madras.

No. 1020 C

Dated 29th November 1895.
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Previous Paper.

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Letter No. dated

Abstract.

Reporting in regard to the best mode of increasing the accommodation in the College buildings and requesting that sanction may be obtained for the construction of new quarters for the Senior Resident Instructor and Superintendent of Military students.

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Encl. to D.P.I.'s letter No. 13820/95

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No. 1511
C. No.

CURRENT No 1511

Office of the Director of
Public Instruction,
Madras, 21st December 189

No. 13820/1

From

The Honorable Mr. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D.Sc.,
Director of Public Instruction,
Madras,

To

The Honorable The CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
Fort St. Georg

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No. 7
Educational dated 1st October last,
have the honour to submit the encl
letter from the Principal College of Eng
-neering, and to request that perm
may be accorded for preparation
plans and estimates for the constru
of new quarters for the Senior Residen
Instructor on the scale desired by
Major Love.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedient Serv

D Duncan

Director of Public Instruc

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CURRENT No. 1511

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From

The Director of Public Instruction
Madras

To

The Honorable the Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St George

DESPATCHED

No. 13820
Dated 21st Dec: 1895
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Enclosure 1

Recd 28/12/95
Rgd 2/1/96

SECRETARY'S OFFICE 27 DEC. 1895 GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Requesting Sanction for preparation of plan and Estimates for the Construction of new quarters for the Senior Resident Instructor, College of Engineering.

Telephone Message

From

The Under Secretary
Educational Deptt.

To

The Under Secretary
P. W. Department.

Hr
21.2.96

Can you kindly furnish me with a list of the names of the instructors in the College of Engineering who are occupying portions of the College buildings and of the family quarters attached to the College.

Received
12/55 pm.

Mb
20/2/96

No. 997 C d/ 20th Febry. 1896

To the Principal. C. of E.

Will you please give this information.

C. H. B. Butler.
Under Secy to Govt
Edn

No. 1426 C

To Under Secy. P. W. Dept.

College Building

Sergt. W. H. Goddard, permanent quarters.

Family Quarters

Sergt. B. O. Reynolds. } temporarily.
Mr. J. Hamilton }
Mr. W. H. Littlewood }
Mr. J. Perkins }

H. D. Love
Major R.E.
Principal.

21. 2. 96.

P. W. CURRENT No. 1768

Accs: 21. 2. 96

CURRENT NO 239

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No. 1019 Cd/21st Febry/96

Forwarded to
the Under Secretary
Educational Department

C. H. B. Brolton.
under Secy to Govt
P.W.D.

UNDER SECRETARY
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9 [G. / 25]
1,000—5-11-95

Ed DEPARTMENT

C. Nos 1511 of 95 & 239 of 96

FOR ORDERS.

At the examinations held in the Col. of Engng. by the Bd of Examrs in Dec '94, candidates were seated for want of space two at a table and wholesale copying was the result. In view of this fact the Govt in para 3 of G.O. $\frac{521}{21\text{-}6\text{-}95}$ Ed considered extra accommodation necessary and directed the D.P.I. to take steps to provide the necessary accommodation. The D.P.I. requested that the C.A. might be instructed to inspect the building and to prepare plans and estimates for the addl. accommodation necessary & this request was sanctioned in G.O. $\frac{791}{1\text{-}10\text{-}95}$.

Mr. Irwin has inspected the buildings and recommends, it is reported, a new west front with

with verandah, for the old building. This will give two rooms one on the ground floor and one on the first floor.

But ~~[illegible]~~ Major Love wants further accommodation and, to provide this, proposes to shift the barracks of the unmarried soldier students on the east front ground floor to the rooms occupied by the Supdt. of Military Students in the old building and to construct on an elaborate scale new quarters for the Supdt near the Southeast angle of the new buildings. The scale suggested by Major Love being in excess of the one allowed in the P. W. Code, the sanction of Govt is solicited for the preparation of the plans & estimates.

The construction of new houses for Govt officials is governed by art 17 Ch. X of the P. W. D. Code vol I. According to this (vide rule (3)) when the condition of rule (1) as to rent cannot be fulfilled the special sanction of the Govt of India must be obtained before construction.

FOR ORDERS.

H. E. THE GOVERNOR.
THE HON'BLE MR. H. W. BLISS, C.I.E.
THE HON'BLE MR. J. GROSE, C.I.E.

The case does not appear to be governed by the rules applicable to Military Staff officers in Vol II.

The question for consideration however is whether Major Love's proposal will give the additional accommodation considered by Govt to be necessary. What is wanted appears to be a large hall for examination purposes. This want the small rooms occupied by the Military Students will not supply. If candidates for examination are seated in these rooms, a large number of Supdts will be required to effectively supervise ~~them~~.

With the permission of the Syndicate, the Senate House might be made available for the Col. of Eng. Examns and the necessity for an Exam hall might thus be obviated.

If the rooms occupied by the Military Students are ~~necessary~~ wanted for class purposes, the Supdt of Military Students might be shifted to one of the family quarters attached to the College

It is, as far as can be discovered, only in connection with the Examns that any want of room has been felt, so that if the Senate House could be obtained the whole of these proposals could be put aside. Major Love does not even now explain why the additional accommodation is wanted. Perhaps before any further steps are taken he might be asked about this. WF, 19.5.96

New quarters for the Supdt. of Military Students Col. of Engg.

(For orders)

H.M.

From C no 239 it will be seen that Sergt. Reynolds and Messrs Hamilton, Littlewood and Perkins are all occupying family quarters. These instructors are not entitled to free quarters — vide Major Smart's letter printed in G.O. no 357 W dated 5th Feb. 92. One of these instructors may be asked to vacate the quarters he is occupying in order to make room for the Supdt. of Military Students.

This Supdt. is also not entitled to free quarters — vide G.O.s $\frac{386}{18\text{-}5\text{-}92}$ & $\frac{581}{8\text{-}8\text{-}92}$ Ed. But it is apparently necessary for the Supdt. to live near the Military Students whom he is to supervise. His claims for public quarters are therefore greater than those of the other instructors. Sergeant W. H. Goddard, Instructor in Surveying & Drawing, is the Supdt. Military Students. vide G.O.s $\frac{288}{29\text{-}4\text{-}93}$ & $\frac{411}{21\text{-}6\text{-}93}$ Ed.

W.L.Q. 3.96 H.M.

The ~~H.M.~~ Hon. Mr Bliss appears to have inspected the
llege in 1893 & found the accommodn.
ficient (Major Love's letter of 26/7/95
& in Co. 1.10.95 no 791 Ed.)

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Ask the D.P.I. this. I have no personal knowledge & do not see how the proposed additions will obviate the difficulty about examinations.

J G
30/3/96

But the papers in the fi
are vague as to the real
necessity of the proposed ex
accommodn. If it is require
because of the limited space
for examns., the D.P.I. might
be asked if the Senate House
c'd not be made available, &
generally ~~what~~ to explain fully
the need of the extra buildings

If the H.M. however has personal knowledge of the case, the query need not be made.

S.L. 25.3.6.

Hon Mr Scott

New quarters for the Supdt of Mily Students College of Engineering

C 26/3

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Ed DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in proceedings :—

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.
Again G.O., dated 189 , No.
Current No. 1571 of 1895, dated 23rd Dec from the D.P.I.
" 239 " 1896, " 21st Feb. " the P.W.D.
" " " 189 , " " "

No 224 d/ 8 April 96

ORDER.
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The Govt does not consider~~s~~ that the necessity ~~of~~ for the proposed extra accommodation has ~~not~~ been sufficiently made out. It would appear that want of room is felt mainly or only in connection with the annual examinations of the College and it is not understood how this want can be supplied by setting free the small rooms in the occupation of the unmarried soldier students. In the opinion of Govt the difficulty in question ~~above referred to can~~ might without trouble be obviated by holding the examns in the Senate House, & the D.P.I. will be requested to state whether this cannot be done.

(from orders)

M 6/4

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Addl. accommodation
for the College of Engg.

FROM ORDERS.

G. S. Forbes Esqr

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Read again G.O., No.   dated
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Order of Government .. .. .. A A A A A A A

Letter of Government.

Statement with ditto.

Papers not filed up, being meant for despatch in original.

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