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There are now in Fort St George quarters for 4 Officers of Royal Artillery and 26 of British Infantry. If 3 of the latter quarters are taken, as proposed by Brigadier General Stewart, for Warrant and Non. Commissioned Staff, there will still be left 23 quarters for Officers of British Infantry. So long as a half battalion only is quartered in Fort St George this will be ample. If a whole battalion is hereafter put in the Fort the proposal to move the Medical Departments and the Judge Advocate General's Office out of the Fort will have to be considered

The removal of the Band Master of the Governor's band to other quarters is very desirable and if he has to remain in the Fort, arrangements should be made to make his new quarters equally comfortable as those he has to vacate. At the same time there seems no absolute necessity for the Band Master residing in the Fort. At Bombay there is no longer any Fort and consequently neither Band Master nor band reside in a Fort. At Calcutta the band occupy one of the ravelins but I am not aware how the Bandmaster is accommodated. This will be ascertained.

The Fort is maintained as a place forte and as such, I think that preference should be given to the military over the Civil branches of the Administration when it comes to a question which has to be undisturbed. In Calcutta the Offices of the Accountant General and of the Control Department are not in Fort William and as regards Bombay there is no fort. I am certainly unable to discover any reasons why these two Offices should necessarily be retained in Fort St George except on the score of Economy. If military Offices have to be turned out, additional allowances for rent must be given.

Ever since I have held the Command there has been constant endeavour on my part to have the military hospital inside the Fort, so as to be within easy reach of the barracks and there has always been a desire on the part of the Civil Authorities to get the military out of the present hospital. I consider that the double object would be met by the removal of the Civil departments from the Fort and the Conversion of some of the buildings now occupied by those departments into a suitable military hospital.

I am not aware whether the Fort is at present garrisoned by only a ½ battalion. but if so, & if there is no immediate prospect of its being increased. the necessities of the case wd. for the present time be provided for by Col. Prendergast's proposals.

I see that Gen. Stewart alludes to the practising of Mr. Stradiot & his pupils (not meaning the band) being such a nuisance as to drive Officers away from his neighbourhood. If as wd. appear. these were private pupils, I don't think this shd. be allowed to continue & I think the provision of quarters shd. be [illegible] for the band conductor shd. be considered.

I don't know how long the Acct. Gen. has occupied his present quarters. but I think I can speak to 35 years occupation from personal knowledge. I can confidently assert that his removal to a distance from the Govt. Office wd. be fraught with most serious inconvenience both to Govt. & its Officers

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No. 2762

MADRAS,
Chepauk, 26th Oct. 1880.

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From

THE SUPERINTENDENT OF WORKS,
PRESIDENCY,

To

The Chief Engineer,
D.P.W.

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1. Endt in Mily Dept No 6652 of 20 Octr 1880.
1. Proceedings of Med. Board of 6th August 1880.

~~Enclosures~~

1. Letter from Surgeon General H.M. Forces No 275/80 of 16 Augt 1880.
1. Q. Mr Genls letter No 1008 of 25 Augt 80.
1. Letter from Officer Comdg Centre District No G/220 of 28 Sept. 80.
1. List Enclosure to above.
1. Q. Mr Genls letter No 1374 of 16 Octr 80.
1. G.O. No 4457 of 21st Decr 1866.

(Note. Plan said to have been sent by Banghy not received.)

Sir,

In reply to your Memo No 570 dated the 21st October 1880, I have the honor to report, that I need make no remarks on the proposal of the Brigadier General to move the 7 Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers into the Quarters proposed by him, as detailed in the List dated 28th September 1880.

Letter No 220, 28 Sept. 80. (para 12.)

2. The Brigadier General provides accommodation for 1 Captain in the present Judge Advocate Generals Office, and requires quarters to be found for another Captain and 2 Subalterns.

(para 13.)

Reference is made in the same letter to

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Deptt. of Works

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Excellency the Com-
-der-in-Chief for an
-sion of his opinion
to Col: Prendergast's
-posals.

R H Sankey Col: R.E.
Secy to Govt P.W.D.

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No 2804

Plan of permanent Barracks for British Troops
in Fort St. George.

Returned to the Chief Engineer P. W. D. with reference to letter No 2762 of the 26th October 1880.

Lieut. Col. R.E.
Chief Engineer.

Supdt. of Works Office Presy. }
Chepauk 28th October 1880 }
For Supdt. of Works Presy.

P. W. D.

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Letter from the Supdt. of Works
Presidency No. 2762 d/ 26th Octr. 1880.

Circulated to
His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief for an expression of his opinion as to Col: Prendergast's proposals.

R. H. Sankey Col: R.E.
Secy: to Govt. P.W.D.

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to the fact that the Surgeon General of the Army Medical Department has possession of the quarters allotted to a Captain and a Subaltern of the Regiment stationed in the Fort. This building, which was, a few years ago, occupied as the Office of the Examiner of P.W. Accounts, can be given over for 2 Officers of the Regiment, and for the remaining Officer, quarters can be provided, in the present Office, up-stairs, of the Surgeon General with the Government of Madras.

3. As regards the change of quarters for the Conductor of the Governor's Band, the Military Secretary to the Governor desired in 1866, that the sanction of the Government should be obtained to quarters being specially allotted to the Master of the Garrison Band, so that there should in future be no question

question as to his right to occupy them. The Government sanctioned the quarters being considered as the Band Master's quarters in G. O. 4457, Mily Dept, 21st December 1866. But the terms of the Covenant are, that free quarters are to be provided for the Band Master; and as there are good rooms on the upper floor of the former Executive Engineer's Office, free quarters can be given there, with the advantage that the inconvenience to the Military Offices of the musical practising will be removed; and the corner house opposite the Wallajah Gate is favorably situated for isolation.

4. In the event of the removal from the Fort of the Offices of both the Surgeons-General, and the Judge

Advocate General, houses will
robably have to be hired in
e town.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant
Alexr Wm Prendergast
Lt. Col. R.E.

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The Supt of work,
Presidency.

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Government of Madras.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT,

Ootacamund, the 20th October 1880.

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Accommodation & Quarters

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QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
H. Qrs. Ootacamund
25th August 1880.

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No. 1008.

From

BRIGADIER-GENERAL H. O'CONNELL,
Quartermaster-General,

To

Colonel J. Michael C.S.I.

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3. The Proceedings of the Medical Board were
submitted to the Surgeon General, H.M. Forces, who in
letter No. 275 dated 16th Instant enclosed, states that he
ully concurs in the Opinion of the Board.

4. In submitting this report His Excellency
bserves that these quarters have been occupied by Non-Com-
issioned Officers for many years past, but probably with
jurious results

Military 1880 Department

No 5789

P.W.D.
6 Nov 80
No 7070

From

The Quarter Master General

To

The Secretary to Government
Military Department

Dated 25th } August
Recd 26 }

No 1008

Submits for the consideration and orders of Government a report on some of the Quarters occupied by the Warrant and Non Comd Staff in Fort Saint George —

TO BE RETURNED WITH REPLY.

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W. O. Form 263.

*N.B.—The Form being applicable to any Board of Officers, or Committee, or Court of Inquiry, this blank to be filled in accordingly.

The Signature of each Officer composing the Board, &c., should be attached at the end of the Proceedings.

PROCEEDINGS of a * Special Medical Board

assembled at Fort Saint George

on the 31st July 1880

by order of Brigadier General R. C. Stewart Commanding Centre District

for the purpose of reporting upon certain Quarters in the Fort allotted to the Beach Subconductor, the Garrison Sergeant Major, the Garrison Quarter Master Sergeant, the Commissariat Sergeant, the Barrack Sergeant, and the two Key Sergeants —

PRESIDENT.

Dep: Surgeon General W. S. Murray A.M.D.

MEMBERS.

Surgeon Major W. L. Farmer A.M.D.
Surgeon Major J. Keys I.M.D.

Major A. R. Kenney-Herbert Dy. Asst. Quarter Master Genl. Centre District in attendance —

The Board having assembled pursuant to order, proceed to examine the Quarters in the following order.

Fort Saint George, on the South side of St. George's Gateway: they are low, dark, quite unventilated, and damp, the level of the floor of the rooms is below that of the road outside. The Board considers these Quarters quite unfit for habitation —

2. —— The next, the Commissariat Sergeant's (b) — Similarly situated under the Ramparts, a little to the North of Saint George's Gate — are likewise low and unventilated. Day light cannot reach the inner rooms, which are also extremely damp, — probably from ooze from the moat. It is reported to the Board that for several years past grave complaints have been made from time to time by various Commissariat Officers about these Quarters. The present occupant has been permitted, by special medical advice, to quit them, and occupy Subalterns' Quarters in North Gate Street. His family are stated to have been prostrated by sickness. These Quarters are mere Kennels and utterly unfit for occupation —

3. —— No. 2 Key Sergeant's Quarters / c / are merely a makeshift, contrived in the Choultry Gateway, which is permanently closed. — The Archway itself is airy but the dwelling rooms are small, dark, ill-ventilated and dungeony. They are quite unfit for habitation —

4. —— The Beach Sub-Conductor's Quarters / d / situated in a small outwork of the Fort, close to the North Gate, seem to present every possible insanitary feature. They lie on the very edge of the moat, and although protected by a very low wall, are subject to excessive damp during the monsoon, but they are never free from damp at

any

any period of the year. — With the exception of the exterior rooms which obtain a little light and fresh air, the dwelling is close, dark, and oppressively hot, without a movement of air. The bed room / so called / especially so. — The place is entirely shut in from the breeze from any quarter. The Board cannot express in sufficiently strong terms how utterly unfit for occupation these Quarters are —

5. —— The Garrison Sergeant Major's Quarters / e / are situated at the Northern end of the East face of the Fort, they are in a corner, hemmed in by the Ramparts; they are rather low, with flooring a little below the level of the road; but with these exceptions the Quarters are not in themselves particularly objectionable; their position however, and surroundings effectually prevent any perflation of air, and they are on that account very close and unfit for occupation —

6. —— The Quarters occupied by the Barrack Sergeant (f) a little further to the South, are less objectionable having an open space on their southern side, and being neither so low, nor so hot as the Garrison Sergeant Major's. — The flooring of the rooms is also above the level of the ground. When the improvements which have been sanctioned for these Quarters have been carried out, the dwelling will be satisfactory —

7. —— The Garrison Quarter Master Sergeant's Quarters / g / have already been vacated in consequence of the adverse report on them of the Fort Surgeon.

They are situated in the Casemates, close to the Caldwell's Magazine in the southern corner of the Fort, and at the extremity of the East, or Sea face. For ventilation, they depend solely upon the Casemates opening out upon the moat, and upon such air as can reach them from the pent up alleys without, which lead to them. Immediately beneath them are the water tanks which contain the water supply of Fort Saint George, and running alongside is one of the Main Sewers, ventilators of which open immediately in front; exhalations of a highly offensive nature find their way from these to the dwelling rooms, as well as through a wide crack in the masonry of the Fort. In themselves the Quarters are also low, dark, and damp. The Board considers them for these reasons unfit for habitation.

The Board, in conclusion, find some difficulty in expressing with sufficient emphasis their opinion as to the thoroughly objectionable character of the majority of the Quarters they have above reported on, but they recommend that those that have been reported as unfit for occupation should be vacated as soon as possible and the present occupants accommodated elsewhere.

W. [illegible]
Dy. Inspr. Genl. H.M. Forces — President

W. [illegible]
Engr. Major R.E.
Jas. [illegible] Surgeon Major M.D. — Members

A. Kenney Herbert — Major
Dep: Asst. Qr. Mr. Genl. C. Divn. attending the Board

No 3013
To H.Q. 2nd [illegible]
R.H. Stewart
B Genl.
Comd. Centre Distt.
6 Aug. 80

To the General [illegible]

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No. 932 d/. 12th Aug: 1880.

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Proceedings of a
Special Medl.
Board assembled
at Fort St George on
the 31st July 1880
by order of Brign. Genl
R. C. Stewart
Comdg. Centre District
for the purpose of
reporting upon Certain
Quarters in the Fort.

D/No 6503

No. 275/80

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Medical Department, British Forces,
Surgeon-General's Office.
H. M's. Forces in Madras
Fort Saint George, 16th Augt. 1880.

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From

The SECRETARY to SURGEON GENERAL,
British Medical Service,
H. M's. Forces

To

The Quartermaster General
Ootacamund

Sir,

Enclosures returned as requested

Adverting to your letter No. 932/5956 dated 12th Instant, I have the honor to state that I fully concur in the opinion of the Board as to the unsuitability of the quarter for human residence and in their recommendation that they be vacated as soon as reasonably can be.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

A. J. Horne
Surgeon General
H. M's. Forces.

From
The Surgeon General
H. M.'s Forces
To
The Quartermaster Genl
Ootacamund

No. 276/80
Fort St George, 16th Augt /80

Stating his opinion as to the unsuitability of certain Quarters in Fort St George

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QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
H. Qr. Ootacamund
16th October 1880.

No. 1374.

From
BRIGADIER-GENERAL H. O'CONNELL,
Quartermaster-General,

To
Colonel J. Michael C.S.I.
Secretary to Government
Military Department

SIR,

With reference to your Memo No. 5768 dated 10th Ultimo, I have the honor, by order, to submit a letter from the General Officer Commanding the Centre District No. 220 dated 28th Ultimo, detailing the arrangements proposed for allotting fresh Quarters in Fort St George for those Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers, whose present quarters have been condemned by medical opinion - a plan accompanies the letter.

2. His Excellency the Commander in Chief considers that medical opinion as to the unsuitableness of the old quarters must be accepted. He approves of the re-distribution of Quarters proposed by Brigadier General Stewart and recommends its being sanctioned.

3. If only a half battalion of British Infantry as recommended by the Simla Commission, is to be the future permanent garrison of Fort Saint George, the Quarters left for Officers will be sufficient, but if the strength is to be a complete battalion, it will be necessary to provide more Officers

quarters which can only be done moving some of the Offices of the Civil Department ou of the Fort.—

I have honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Brig. General.

Quarter Master General.

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From
The Quarter Master General
To
The Secretary to Government
Military Department

Dated 16th } October
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Submits letter from General Officer Commanding Centre District detailing arrangements proposed for allotting fresh quarters in Fort St. George for certain Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers whose present quarters have been Condemned by Medical opinion.-

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No. G/220.

Quartermaster General's Department,
Centre District.

Fort St. George, 28th September 1880

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From

Brigadier General R. C. Stewart
Commanding Centre District

To

The Quartermaster General
Fort Saint George

Sir,

With reference to your endorsement No 1156/6709 of the 16th September 1880, on Memorandum No 5760 dated the 10th Idem, from the Secretary to Government, Military Department, I have the honor to submit the information called for as follows:——

I.—— In order to allot quarters that, according to the most elementary ideas of sanitation, can be in any way considered fit for occupation by the Non Comd Officers whose quarters have been condemned by the Medical Board, a complete redistribution will be necessary as follows:——

II.—— Owing to the establishment of the Sergeants' Mess of the British Infantry Regiment in "No 2 Captains' Quarters" in North Gate Street, it is, in my opinion, impossible that the adjacent quarters in that block of buildings can be retained in future for occupation by officers.——

III.—— I accordingly suggest that the quar-

-ters be found there for:—

(a)— The Beach Sub Conductor.
(b)— The Garrison Quartermaster Serjeant.
(c)— The Commissariat Serjeant.

IV.—— The next step proposed is to move the Conductor of the Governor's Band, and the Superintendent of the Fire Engines, from their present quarters behind the Deputy Assistant Adjutant General's Office, to the upper story of the building lately occupied by the Office of the Executive Engineer, Presidency, and now vacant.——

V.—— Upon this story two excellent sets of quarters can be arranged with scarcely any outlay, and the measure is strongly urged upon the following grounds:——

The practising of music by Mr Stradiot and his pupils (I do not mean the Band) continually going on at the Bandmaster's house, has been for some years past an intolerable annoyance to those who inhabit the adjacent quarters. The Deputy Assistant Adjutant General has specially complained of it, and the Surgeon General I. M. D. urged it as a reason (and rightly so) for the recent vacation of his office.——

VI.—— In the building thus chosen for Mr Stradiot, his musical studies can be conducted without restraint, and without causing any annoyance for he will have no near neighbours.—

VII.—— It is proposed that the quarters vacated by the Band Conductor, and the Superintendent of the Fire Engines, should be given to the Garrison Serjeant

Serjeant Major, who would thus be brought close to his Office, and to the Deputy Asst. Adjutant General:— a most desirable step.——

VIII.—— Accommodation for the two Key-serjeants, superior to that which they now possess, could be provided (for one) in the basement of the building proposed to be handed over to the Conductor of the Governor's Band; and, for the other, in that of the building that was formerly occupied by the Office of the Surgeon General I. M. D.——

IX.—— Owing to the occupation of No. 2 Cattle "Quarters" by the Serjeants' Mess, British Infantry, and the rearrangement proposed with regard to the other officers' quarters in North Gate Street, quarters for two Captains, and two Subalterns, will be required to complete the allotment of the British Regiment.——

X.—— It must be here borne in mind that the Quarters proposed to be given in lieu of those handed over for the Serjeants' Mess, have now been taken possession of by the Surgeon General I. M. D.—

XI.—— The supply of Officers' quarters is at present equal to the demand, there being but half a Battalion in garrison in Fort Saint George, but the question should not be permitted to drop on that account.——

XII.—— Quarters for one Captain could be provided in the upper story of the building situated in Bankshall Alley, at present occupied by the Judge Advocate General's Office, but unless further accommodation be made available, I fail to see how the other quarters are to be obtained. ____

XIII. ____ It is a fact that the greater, and indeed the better part of Fort Saint George is now occupied by people who have no business in a fort. In the present case we see the Conductor of the Governor's Band turn out the Surgeon General, and the latter official take possession of the quarters allotted to a Captain and Subaltern of the Regiment stationed in the Fort. My idea is that both the [illegible] of the Band, and the Surgeon General, might very well perform their duties living outside the Fort: also the Civil Surgeon General, the Judge Advocate General, and all the Offices of the Civil and Military Accounts Departments. ____

XIV. ____ If the buildings in Fort Saint George were thus vacated, fitting quarters could be arranged for the Officers of its Garrison, and the Battery of Artillery could be located in Barracks more worthy of the name than the dark vaults that the men at present inhabit. ____

XV. ____ A plan of Fort Saint George indicating the various changes herein mentioned is herewith forwarded as requested. ____

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant

R. M. Stewart
Brigadier General
Commanding Centre District.

List of the occupants of Quarters in Fort Saint George whose quarters have been condemned by a Special Medical Board, together with the arrangements proposed for their better accommodation. ____

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Occupants of condemned Quarters.	New accommodation proposed	Remarks.
Shipping Sub Conductor ____	Quarters in North Gate Street ____	This Warrant Officer's present quarters are not shown in the plan. They being situated in an outwork. ____
Garrison Sergeant Major ____	The Quarters now occupied by the Conductor Governor's Band, & the Supdt. Fire Engines.	Shown in plan
Garrison Quartermaster Sergeant ____	Quarters in North Gate Street ____	Do. ____
Commissariat Sergeant ____	Ditto ____	Do. ____
Key Sergeant No. 1. ____	Basement of building late occupied by Office Surgeon General. A. M. D.	____ Do. ____
Key Sergeant ____ No. 2 ____	Basement of building late occupied by Ex. Engineer's Office ____	____ Do. ____
Conductor of Governor's Band ____ Superintendent Fire Engines ____	Upper Story of building lately vacated by Ex. Engr., Presidency	____ Do. ____

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Qr. General's Department C.D.
Fort Saint George 28th September 1886

A. Kenney Herbert, Major
Dy. a Quartermaster General
Centre District

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 1st Decr /80

Read the following:—

From the Supt. of Works Presidency } (H.E. No. 2762 of 26th October 1880.)

2. These quarters have been inspected and reported on by a special Medical Board by whom they have been declared to be (~~in the highest degree~~) unwholesome, and otherwise unsuitable; and for the most part unfit for (~~human~~) occupation.

3. His Grace the Governor in Council concurs in the necessity for some immediate measures being taken; and while while (~~assuming that~~) the Fort is (~~not for~~

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~~the present to be~~) garrisoned by only (~~only three~~) half a battalion, the measures advocated by Colonel Prendergast will probably meet the immediate necessities of the case. (~~These include the proposals of the Brigadier General for the accommodation of the seven warrant and Non Commissioned officers specified~~).

4. Accommodation can, it is stated, be found for one Captain in the present Judge Advocate General's Office. And

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quarters now temporarily occupy

quarters now temporarily occupied by the ~~(officers of)~~ the Surgeon General Army Medical Department ~~(will)~~ can accommodate two more officers of the Regiment. There will then remain one officer who can be provided for in the upper story ~~(several offices up stairs~~, of the office of the Surgeon General with the Government of Madras.

upper story

5. His Grace the Governor in Council sees no reason why the Judge Advocate General and the two Surgeons General should not leave the Fort, if suitable

The result of my enquiry as regards the Surgeon General H.M. Forces, & the J.A. General, is to raise no objection to their removal from the Fort — The former officer says he has little or nothing to do with the Civil Surgeon General & so their offices need not be together. [illegible] 24/1

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accommodation can be provided or hired elsewhere. Upon this point the Superintendent of Works, Presidency, will submit a very early report.

6. The question of the quarters for the Director of the Governor's Band ~~will also be reported~~ ~~may also be accommo-~~ ~~[illegible] with regard to~~ ~~[illegible] outside~~ ~~the conditions of his~~ ~~the Band.~~ ~~service and his duties.~~

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will also be reported on with regard to the conditions of his service and his duties

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~~X. It would appear that a sum of money ×was advanced from the Band Fund in 1861 for enlarging the quarters~~

~~× vide G.O. 4457 of 21st Dec/66 (Military)~~

~~of the Conclusion. The amount of this advance, and the circumstances under which it was made, should be reported by the Superintendent of Works, Presidency.~~

87 As regards the (suggested ~~fore-forced~~) removal of the Office of the Accountant General, and the Military Account Offices, His Grace the Governor in Council considers that such a measure ~~would~~ occasion ~~be fraught~~ ~~with~~ serious inconvenience to the conduct of business and is not necessary.

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~~to the Government and to officers of all each Departments.~~ The question need not therefore be entertained for the present.

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Supdt: of Works, Presidency with the plan ✓
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Govt. of (1879) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

Dated 5/12

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G. O., 1st Dec ~~1879~~ 1880, No. 2762, W

Nos. 3-4

Distribution of accommodation ~~inside~~ in Fort St George and provision of suitable quarters for the Warrant & Non-Commissioned Officers attached to the Garrison.

Orders on the subject of the —

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