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மடிக்கவோ கண்டபடி கையாளவோ கூடாது

Government House
 Gundy 29 October 1892
 From The Surgeon H.E. The Governor of Madras
 To The Military Secretary to H.E. the Governor of Madras

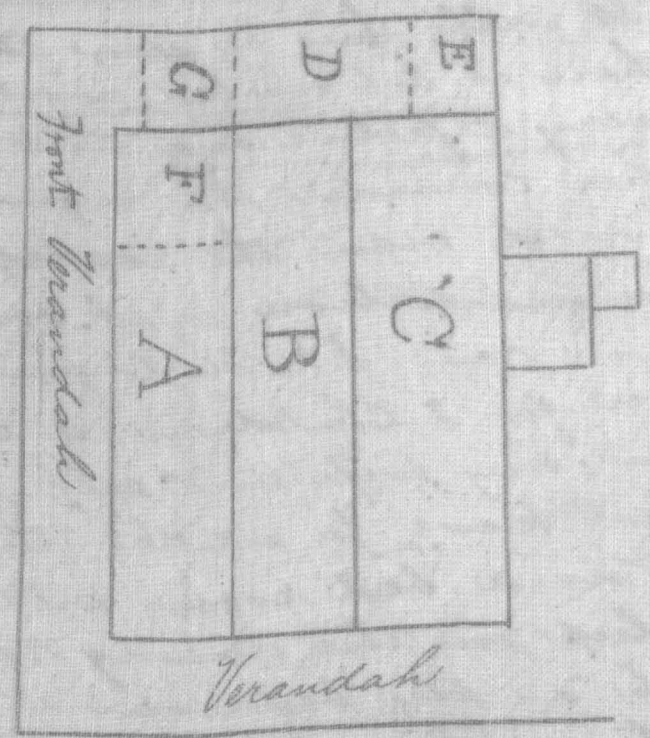
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Sir,

I have the honor to bring to your Medical Officer's notice the insufficiency and defective nature of the quarters furnished by the accommodation that this bungalow provides and to suggest measures for improvement.

2 The building as you are aware is not raised above the surrounding ground this defect cannot of course be rectified.

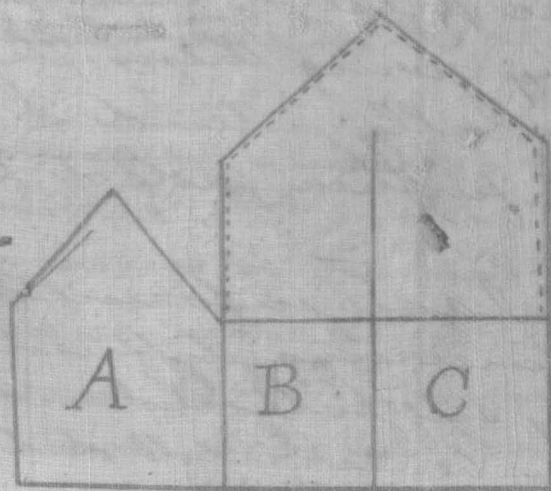
3 The bungalow originally consisted of three rooms A, B, C. surrounded by a verandah on three sides.



Years ago, bachelors presumably being the occupants, the verandah on the west side was bricked in apparently to provide a dressing room D and bath room E to room B. A portion of A and the

adjoining verandah was similarly treated. These changes whilst providing some additional accommodation did so at the expense of cutting off the air and light from rooms B & C. B is now the dining room and C the bedroom, both intolerably hot and close as can well be understood.

4 The roof over A is a sloping one that over B and C terraced. A rough sketch which also shows in dotted lines the proposed new rooms.



5 It will thus be seen that practically there is but one bed room and that a very defective one and when you further consider the requirements of a married man the inadequacy of the accommodation is at once patent. In my own case I have to find accommodation for 2 children, a Eurasian nurse and my wife and self. The result is that we have to utilize the dressing room D as a bed room and the others have to sleep in the dining room or verandah as the bedroom is very hot indeed at night. During the day the dressing room D is exposed to the sun and unfit for occupation.

6 The above conditions show the urgency there is for improving

the accommodation I would therefore request that this question take precedence of stabling which may be deferred till a future period. I suggest therefore that two bedrooms with one dressing and 2 bath rooms be built over B and C. The means of access being by a stair-case from D. which latter should again be opened out into a verandah by removing the part originally built in. These changes will not alone provide upstairs bedrooms - a desideratum in this climate but will also very much improve the present dining and bedroom B and C. by giving them the air and light originally intended and the new story will further protect them from the sun.

7 I am informed that there is no engineering difficulty connected with my suggestions and that the work can be carried out at once without ^{inconvenience} ~~inconvenience~~ in any way nearly all the work being external to the present building.

8 The dressing room & with its attached bath room G. may be allowed to remain. It provides me with a very convenient office and dressing room.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most Obedt Servant

W. B. B. B. B.

Surgeon Major.
Surgeon to H. E. M. B. B. B.

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No. 569.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
Gwinde Park
29th October 1892.

From

THE MILITARY SECRETARY TO THE

RIGHT HONORABLE THE GOVERNOR,

To

*The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Cotacamund*

Sir,

I have the honour to request that My No. 566 of 25th Instant, in reference to the construction of stabling at the Doctor's Bungalow at Gwinde Park may be cancelled, and that instead the Consulting Architect may be called on for plans and estimate for two top story rooms as set forth in enclosed letter from Surgeon Major Browning, this work being regarded as urgent.

2. The house under present conditions appears to be intolerably hot and altogether inadequate for the present occupants' wants. The proposal to add two bedrooms on the top of the house has I am told, no objection on structural grounds and could be done at a cost of about Rs. 2000/-.

3. Temporary stables have been run up which should last for 6 or 8 months at least, consequently the estimate for these could stand over to 1893-94.

4. I have the honour to request that this work may be treated as urgent.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

P. J. Lawley
Captain,
Military Secretary.

Read the following —

Letter from the Military Secretary to the Right
Honorable the Governor, 2569 of 29th October 1892.

FOR ORDERS.

Whether the Consulting
Architect may be directed
to prepare plans and
estimates for the required
upper storey to the
Doctors' quarters at
Quindry.

2 The previous proposal
for stabling accommoda-
tion will be cancelled.

The papers are at present
at Madras.

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Transmitted

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Communicated to
the Consulting Architect
who will prepare the
required plans and
estimate for adding
an upper story to the
Doctor's quarters at
Quincy Park. This
matter should receive
early attention.

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C. H. to Gov
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