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No 91 Municipal Commission
Office - Gabanary District

25th March 1871

From

James Fraser Esq
President of the Municipal
Commission

To

The Honorable R. S. Ellis Esq
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort George

Sir,

In reply to your Under Secretary's
Official Memorandum of 10th Instant
regarding the removal of Baahien's huts
in Sagannakpur, I beg to submit
the following information

1 There are two blocks of huts as the
plan originally sent will show. One on
the rivers Bank - the other divided from
it by a street.

2 In the first named block, there
are 38 huts covering a space of 3672
square yards. in the second 42 huts
occupying 4090 square yards.

3 The inhabitants of Block No 2

expressed to Municipal Commissioner
B. Ramisam, a wish to get the ground
west of the Bunal ground to build
their houses on when removed. This
request was perfectly voluntary on
their part. The inhabitants of Block
No 2 were present when I inspected
this ground and I then certainly
understood them to be perfectly willing
to transfer their houses there. Indeed
they actually told me they will. They
now deny having done so and wish
to remain where they are at present.

The residents in Block No 1 have all
wished to do the same. I send a plan
prepared to scale of the spot to which
it is ~~proposed~~ that these residents
in the 2 Blocks should be removed.

Pakayra tope No 1 contains 3797
square yards, and is Government property.
all the other lots may fairly be
considered

They do not
consent to the
removal

2 Considered Municipal property
3, 4 I think.

5 In lot No 1 is a small hut
containing & dedicated to the Village
Godress. If 100 square yards are
allotted for this purpose the rest
may be given up for building purposes
without any inconvenience. The
sum total of space available for
hut sites is in round numbers 14,000
square yards.

6 The Pakayra trees in Lot No 1
are not so numerous as represented
in the plan nor are they valuable.
— This ground is in a direct line
not more than at most 400 yards
from the river edge which is easily
accessible by a road which is almost
a straight line.

7 I think therefore that there is
no hardship whatever in making
the boatmen move here giving them

Lot No 47, 48
are unsuitable

reasonable Compensation for so
doing. It is impossible, without
removing entirely more than half
the huts, to provide for proper
sanitary arrangements. Besides the
reasons mentioned in para 4 of my
letter of 13th October 1870 shew, I think,
good cause why they should be entirely
removed. If Government will consent
to give the ground of Lot No 1 as building
sites, Compensation for the gift could
be made out of the purchase money
for the ground from which the huts
are proposed to be removed.

It is proposed to sell these for
the benefit of the Municipality. The
Boatmen are mere squatters there,
though of old date.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Serv^t

J. Fraser,
President Municipal
Commission

Why not do
this -
better than
moving all

The Mun.
will have
nothing to
do with it
the whole
of the money
go to the boatmen

Municipal Office
 Cocanada 8th May 1871.

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 From

James Fraser Esquire
 President Municipal Commission
 Godavery District
 To
 The Chief Secretary to Government
 Fort St. George

For
 In reply to the Under Secretary's
 Official Memo No. 1047 dated 27th Feb^{ry}
 I have the honor to inform you that
 the Commissioners named in the margin

Messrs James Fraser, President	who were present
" R. H. D. Towle	at the meeting
" J. M. Miller M.P.	of the 13 th July
H. Jagannatham Gar	Commissioners 1870 passed a
P. Rama Krishnayyalar	resolution
P. Sektaramaswami Gar	unanimously

to bring under the notice of Government
 the necessity of removing the lands
 in question, and that in pursuance

And will be in the
 5th of 1871
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1871
 Municipal Commission
 Godavery District
 The Chief Secretary
 Government
 Fort St. George

25 March 1871
 3rd April 1871
 9th April 1871
 2nd May 1871

Submitting information
 from regarding the
 removal of Government
 lands in Godavery District

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of the same, I laid the matter before Government after inspecting the ground, and taking the whole case into consideration. The only two Commissioners absent were Mr. E. de Linares and B. Ramis. The former since his appointment has never attended a meeting but once, and the latter in an after meeting fully concurring with the resolution exerted himself to remove the huts to another site as mentioned in my letter of the 25th ult.

It will be seen that there are no dissensions in the matter.

2. The ground to be taken is 3672 square yards in block No 1, and 4090 square yards in block 2, in all 7762 square yards.

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The Commissioners and myself had but one object in proposing their removal. No one without local knowledge and personal inspection can form an adequate conception how inconvenient the houses are built, and what the consequences would be if one of them is set on fire and all of them being built of thatch. I have endeavoured fully to depict the state of things in my letter dated 13th October 1870, No 55.

3. It is proposed to sell blocks Nos 1 and 2 separately and the condition of one tile house or godown being built on each.

In the Commissioners' estimation block No 1 may sell for Rs 2754 at 12 Annas a square yard, and

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Block No 2 for Rs 2045 at 8 annas
was a square yard. This I consider
to be the lowest estimate. It is
not the Commissioners wish
to make any gain by the transaction
and they would make over to
the Government any surplus
remaining after payment of
compensation to the boatmen
which would be Rs 2500 or there
abouts. The new ground to
be given measures 14000 and is
to the southwest of the present
huts only 680 yards distant
from block No 1 and 650 yards
from block No 2. A good
matted road exists to the
border of the new ground.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedt servt.

J. Tease
President
Municipal Commission

Miss J. B. Smith
No. 1004 9th Ave. N.W.

Dear Sir,

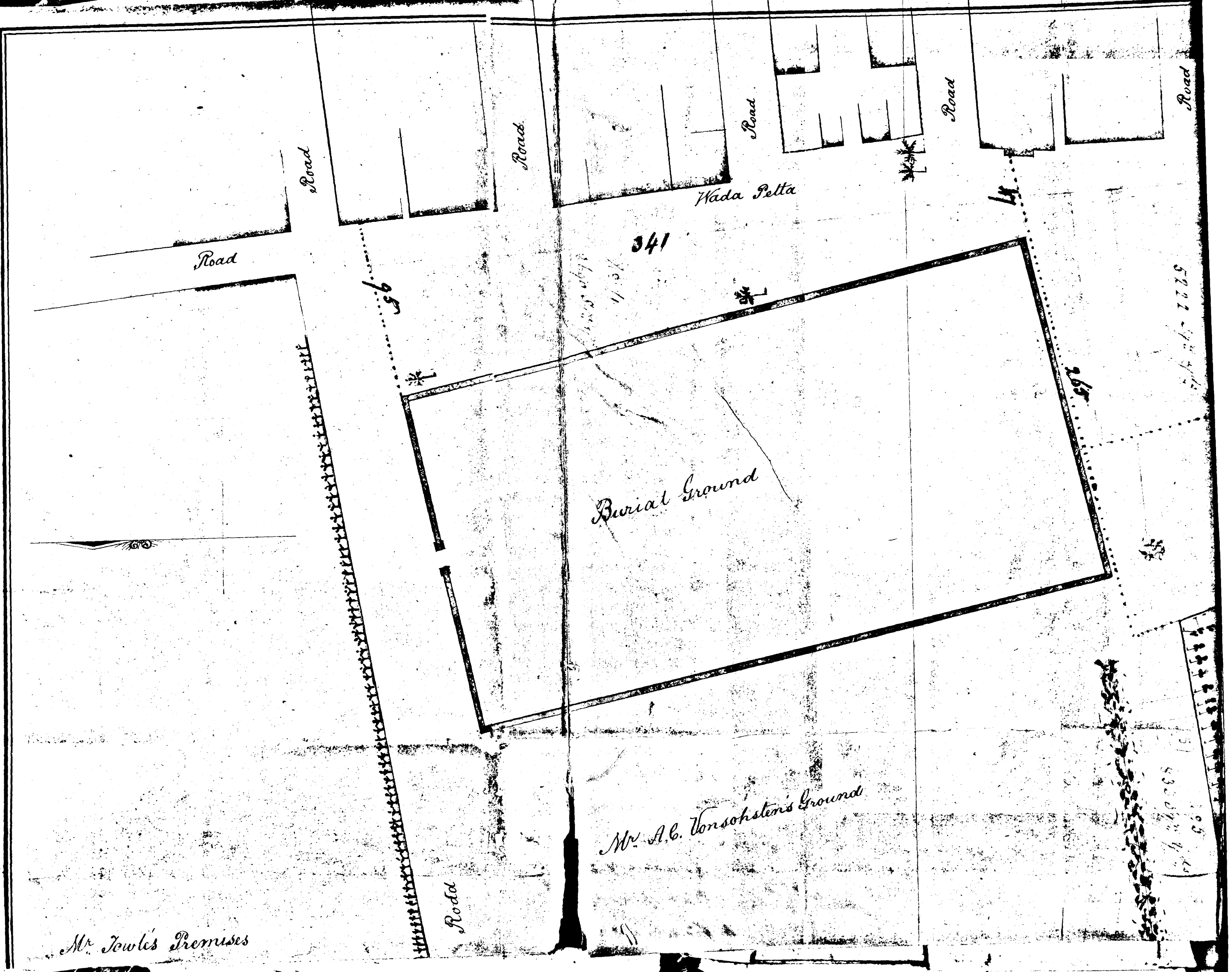
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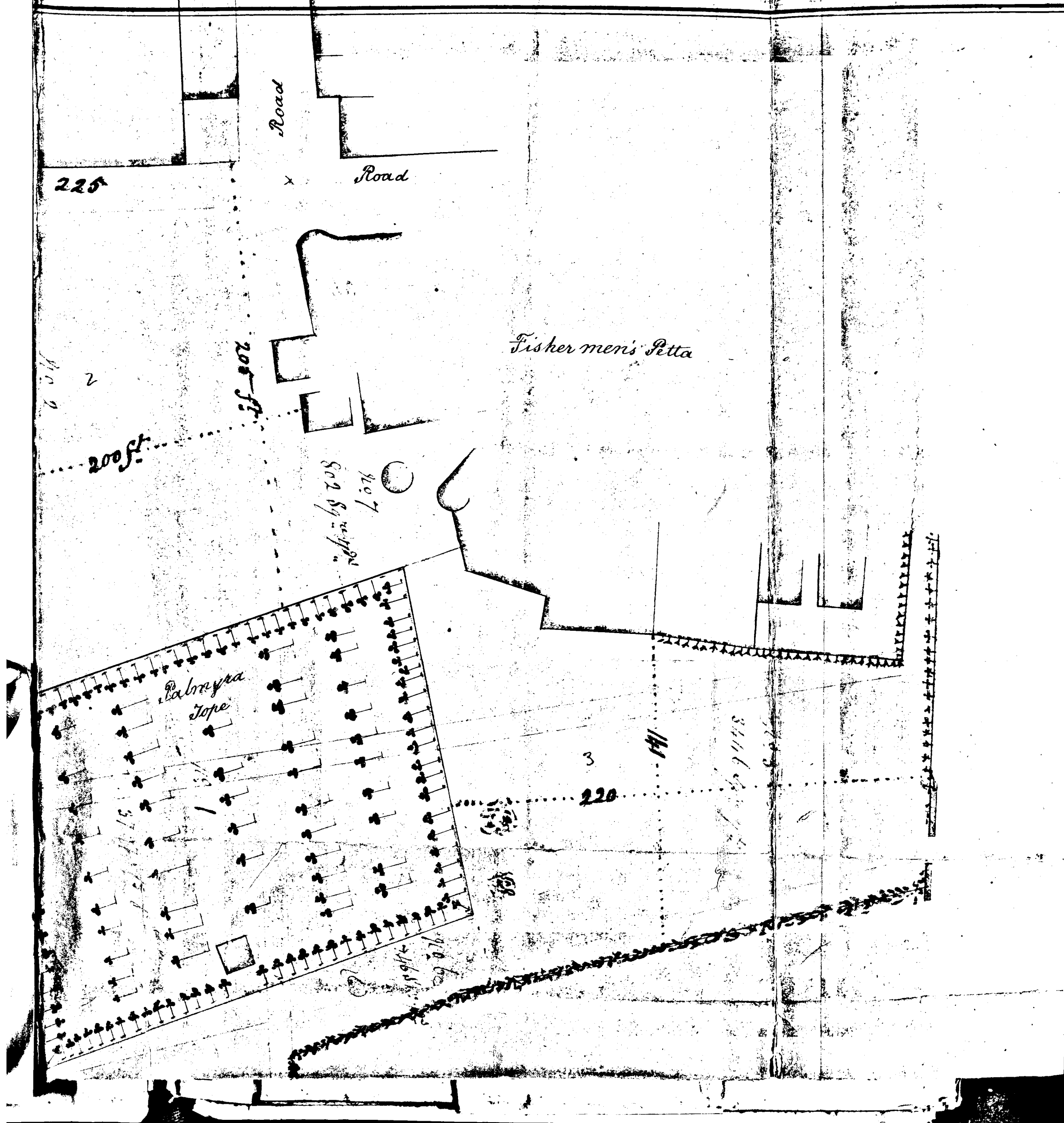
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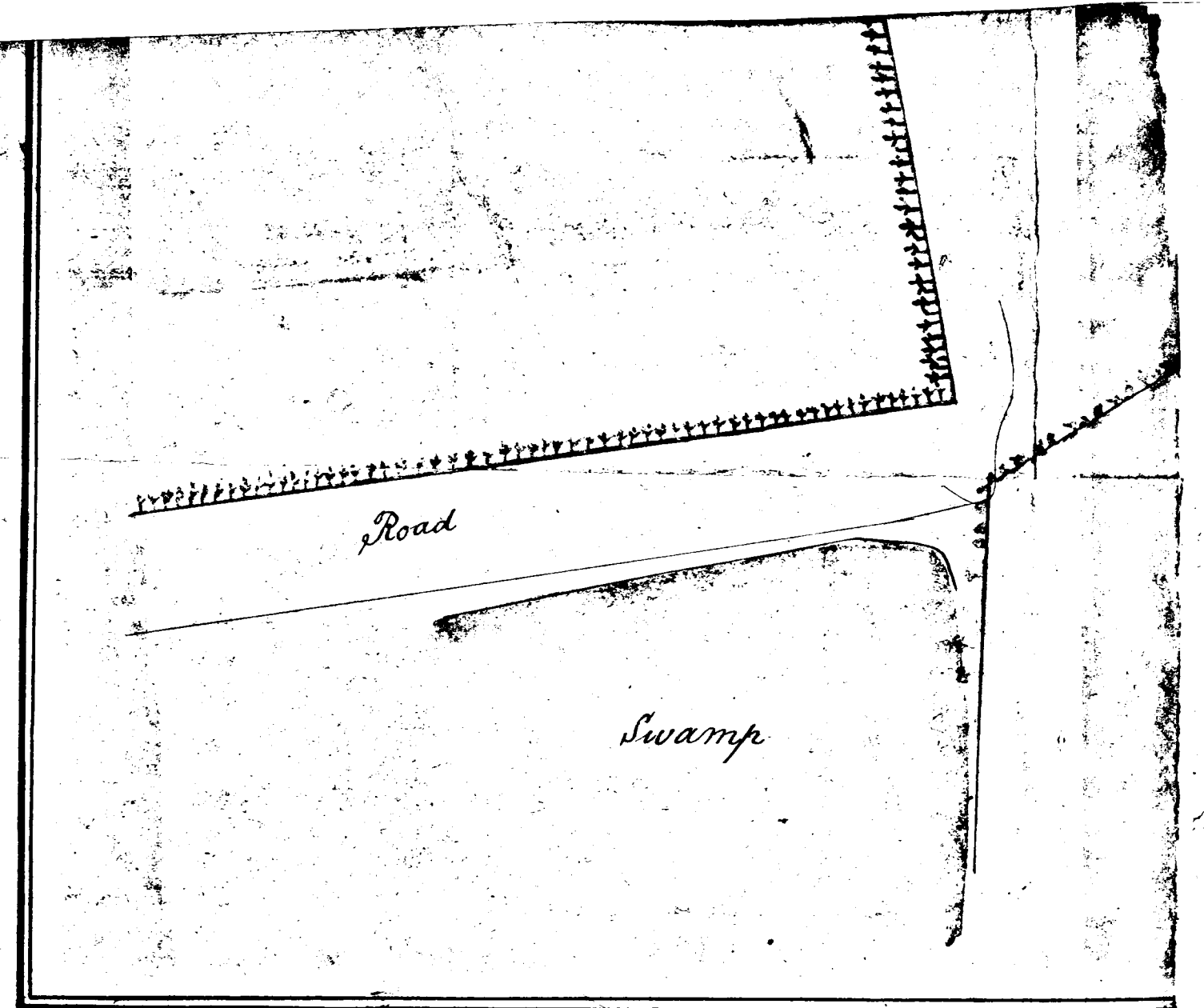
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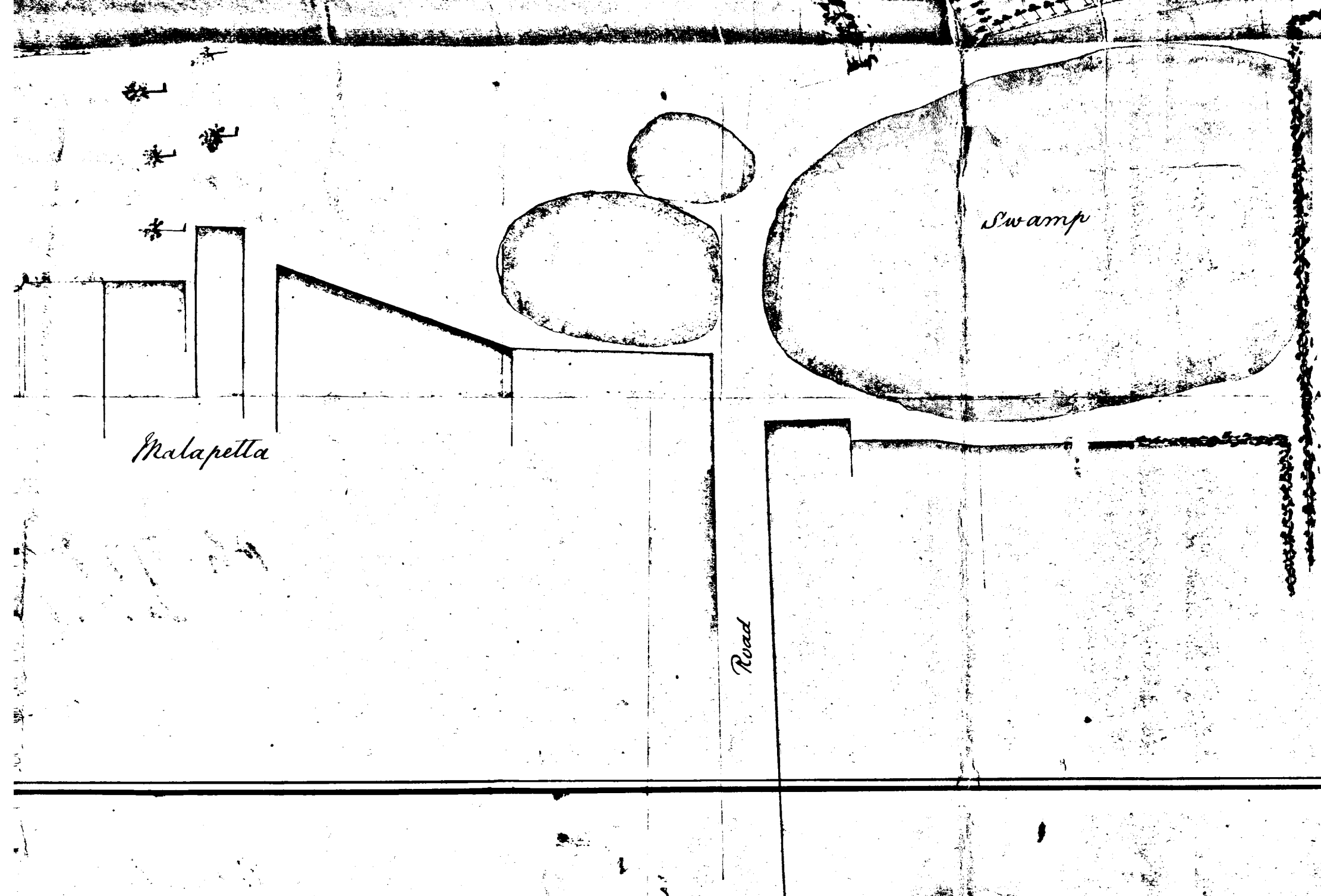
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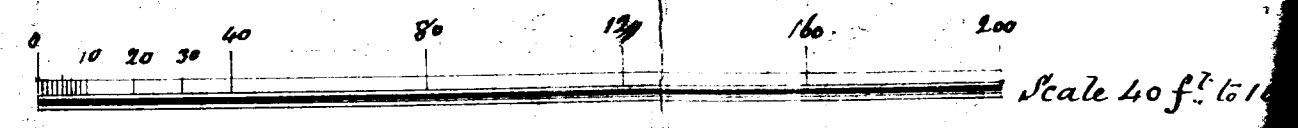




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Mr. A.C. Vonschoten's Ground



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J. K. K.
Pres.

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Notes
Municipal Commission 9. 01

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Captain Sargent's Premises

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Venkatasamy's
House

River

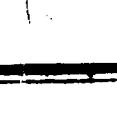
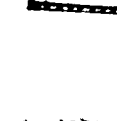
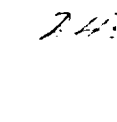
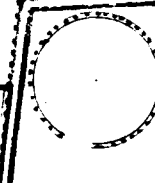
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House

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Kambala
Veeramah's House

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House

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Mrs. Beemana's Residence

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Sattennah's
House

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Soobana's

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Karany Venkata
= samy's House

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Premises

River

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GOVERNMENT.

Godavery Hotel

Tank

Roman Catholic Church

Mr. Braddy's House

Mrs. Butcher's House

Mr. Vansohster's Bungalow

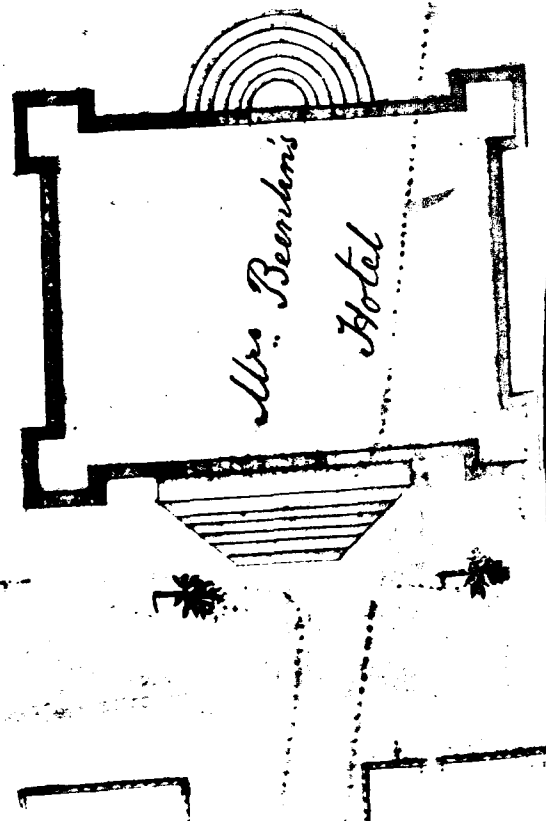
Immedi Somiah's Bungalow

Kam-bala
Verammah's
House

Street

To ask leave of absence
proposed to be
granted.

Have referred to in letter No: 55 dated
October 1870 to the Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George



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Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letters from the

President Municipal Commission
Hyderabad District dated 26th March
and 8th May 1871 Nos. 91 and 1.

Order thereon 7th June
May 1871 No. 782.

J. D. S.

Under the explanations
furnished, the Governor in Council
authorizes the Municipal Comm.
Commissioners of Cananda to
proceed under Section 148, Act
III of 1871 in respect of the blocks of
huts referred to.

2. If the huts are removed
and the ground sold, the
whole of the proceeds shall
be distributed among the
peasants whose habitations
are affected.

3. The Government will
grant the new site free of
charge

charge. The President ^{will see} that it
is properly laid out in blocks
for building sites, with due
regard to Sanitary consider-
ations, and will report on
the matter when all is com-
plete.

4 Petitions Nos 2281 and
2724 of 1870, and 576.740.856 &
1082 of 1871 will be endorsed.

The Government have
received full reports from
Collectors and President of
the Municipal Commission
and have acquiesced in the
necessity of removing petitioners'
huts. The whole of the sale
proceeds of the present site
will be made over to petitioners
to whom a new site for
their habitations will be
granted free of cost.

H.C.

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To
The President's Mun. Commission
Lodhna District
Endorsement to the Petitioners
the Petition Department with
Petitioners no. 146

Oct. of 1871 **Quadrant**

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Rev. S. Samuel Jones
Godsendy Station

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Learning instructions to
the Board of Trustees of
the General Assembly of
the General of the
Block of Teachers
in the General Assembly
in the General Assembly

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