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GOVERNMENT HOUSES.

1897.

## HOUSES OCCUPIED AS

Name and situation	Number and size of			What is the heating and lighting arrangement and at whose cost?	Amount and description of	
	Reception Rooms	Family Bedrooms	Servant's Bedrooms		Land	Garden
Valletta Palace ... ..	Billiard Room 35'-4" × 35'-1"	Spare Room 27'-4" × 17'-8"	One Room 18'-6" × 13'-5"	Heating by coals which are supplied at the Governor's expense. Lighting by Electricity at the average cost of £ 110 a year, of which £ 121 14 0 is paid by Government and only £ 30 by the Governor.	Nil.	Nil.
	State Drawing Room 35'-10" × 55'-2"	Spare Room 28' × 19'	One Room 18' × 13'-6"			
	Ball Room 82'-2" × 37'-3"	Spare Room 23'-7" × 19'-2"	A.D.C.'s Room Servants' Room 19'-10" × 9'-7"			
	Dining Room 66'-10" × 21'-6"	His Excellency's Room 24'-2" × 21'-5"	One Room 21'-2" × 14'-3"			
	Day Room 17'-3" × 16'-10"	His Excellency's Room 25' × 20'-4"	One Room 20'-6" × 14'-2"			
	Day Room 17'-0" × 16'-4"	His Excellency's Room 24'-10" × 20'-8"	One Room 23'-9" × 14'-3"			
	Private Drawing Room 45'-4" × 20'-9"	Spare Room 24' × 19'-3"	Steward's Quarters			
		Spare Room 24' × 19'-10"	Chief Messenger's Quarters			
		Spare Room 24' × 19'-6"	Fatiguesman's Quarters			
		A.D.C.'s Room 27'-11" × 18'-11"	Coachman's Quarters			
		A.D.C.'s Room 29'-4" × 17'-9"				
		A.D.C.'s Room 32'-11" × 12'-2"				
		A.D.C.'s Room 26' × 15'-9"				

## RESIDENCES BY THE GOVERNOR.

Number of Gardeners and Labourers required	Any expenses necessarily borne by Governor in 1897	Furniture			Other information useful for a new Governor	
		If supplied by Colonial Government	Percentage annually payable	Is Plate, Linen, Crochery, Glass supplied by Colonial Government?		Percentage payable
The only Gardener employed for cultivating the Palace and Yards is paid by the Colonial Government.	Nil.	Yes	5% on certain amount	Plate, table-linen, crochery, glass and kitchen utensils are supplied by the Colonial Government.	5%	Besides this Palace, the Governor enjoys also the use of other two Palaces (St. Antonio and Verdala) which may be considered as Summer Resorts.

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St. Antonio Palace and Gardens within the limits of Casal Attard.	Drawing Room 35'-6" X 27'-9"	His Excellency's Room 22'-7" X 21'-8"	Upper floor One Room 21'-1" X 19'	Heating is obtained by means of Iron coal Stoves, and Lighting by Petroleum Lamps and Candles all at the expense of the Governor.	Kitchen-garden on the other side of the road, of the extent of Acres 2. 0. 35.	Public Gardens of the extent of 15 acres. Private Gardens of 4½ acres.
	Dining Room 39'-5" X 26'-6"	His Excellency's Room 21'-0" X 17'-4"	One Room 15'-4" X 11'-1"			
	Day Room 34'-4" X 24'-4"	A.D.C.'s Room 24'-6" X 22'-5"	One Room 15'-2" X 11'			
		A.D.C.'s Room 25'-6" X 24'-1"	One Room 19'-2" X 15'-11"			
		A.D.C.'s Room 30'-1" X 14' X 1"	One Room 19' X 10'-4"			
		Spare Room 30' X 14'-3"	One Room 18'-10" X 16'-1"			
		Spare Room 21'-5" X 14'-3"	One Room 10'-6" X 9'-2"			
		Spare Room 19' X 17'-10"	One Room 18'-8" X 15'-10"			
		Spare Room 20'-5" X 18'	One Room 10'-5" X 9'-3"			
		Spare Room 22' X 19'-2"	One Room 13'-5" X 10'			
		Spare Room 21'-11" X 18'-3"	One Room 17' X 14'-1"			
		Spare Room 30'-10" X 24'-4"	Fatiguelman's Quarters			
		Spare Room 24'-2" X 21'-11"	Ground floor Spare Room 21'-10" X 18'-3"			
		Caretaker's Quarters				
		Gardeners' Quarters				

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<p><i>IN PUBLIC GARDENS.</i>                      Four Gardeners and Labourers and one Policeman, besides occasional extra Labourers, paid out of the Colonial Funds.  <i>IN PRIVATE GARDENS.</i>                      Five Gardeners and Labourers paid out of the Colonial Funds.</p>	<p>Nil.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>5% on certain amount</p>	<p>Plate, table-linen, crockery and glass are supplied by the Colonial Government.</p>	<p>5%</p>	<p>Independently of a kitchen-garden, used as such when required, its expenses being defrayed by the Governor, there exists at this Palace a Cow-house, where a Cow-man is employed, paid also by the Governor.</p>

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Verdala Palace situate at $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles to the south, and within the limits of Notabile.	Five	Nine	Twelve	None. It has to be provided at the Governor's expense.	Nil.	15 Acres planted for the most part with wild trees.
	29' X 17'	21'-7" X 20'	20'-10" X 24'-5"			
	21'-3" X 20'	21'-9" X 20'	9'-6" X 9'-6"			
	29' X 45'-3"	21'-3" X 20'	20'-4" X 19'			
	28'-3" X 19'-8"	21'-9" X 20'	21' X 8'-8"			
	29' X 48'	27' X 22'-9"	21'-9" X 17'-4"			
		24'-8" X 21'-7"	20'-10" X 7'-4"			
		24'-8" X 21'-6"	21'-8" X 14'-10"			
		24'-6" X 20'-5"	17'-7" X 16'-9"			
		24'-4" X 22'-5"	20'-10" X 15'-3"			
			21' X 15'-2"			
			21' X 15'			
		21' X 15'-2"				

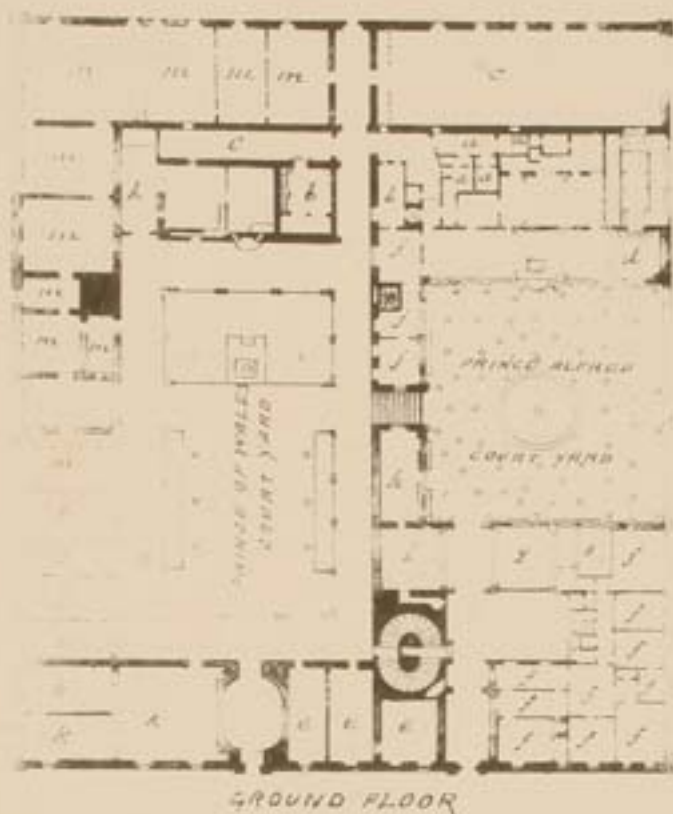
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Two men besides occasional Extra Labour.	Nil.	Yes	5% on certain amount	Plate, table-linen, crockery, glass and kitchen utensils are supplied by the Colonial Government.	5%



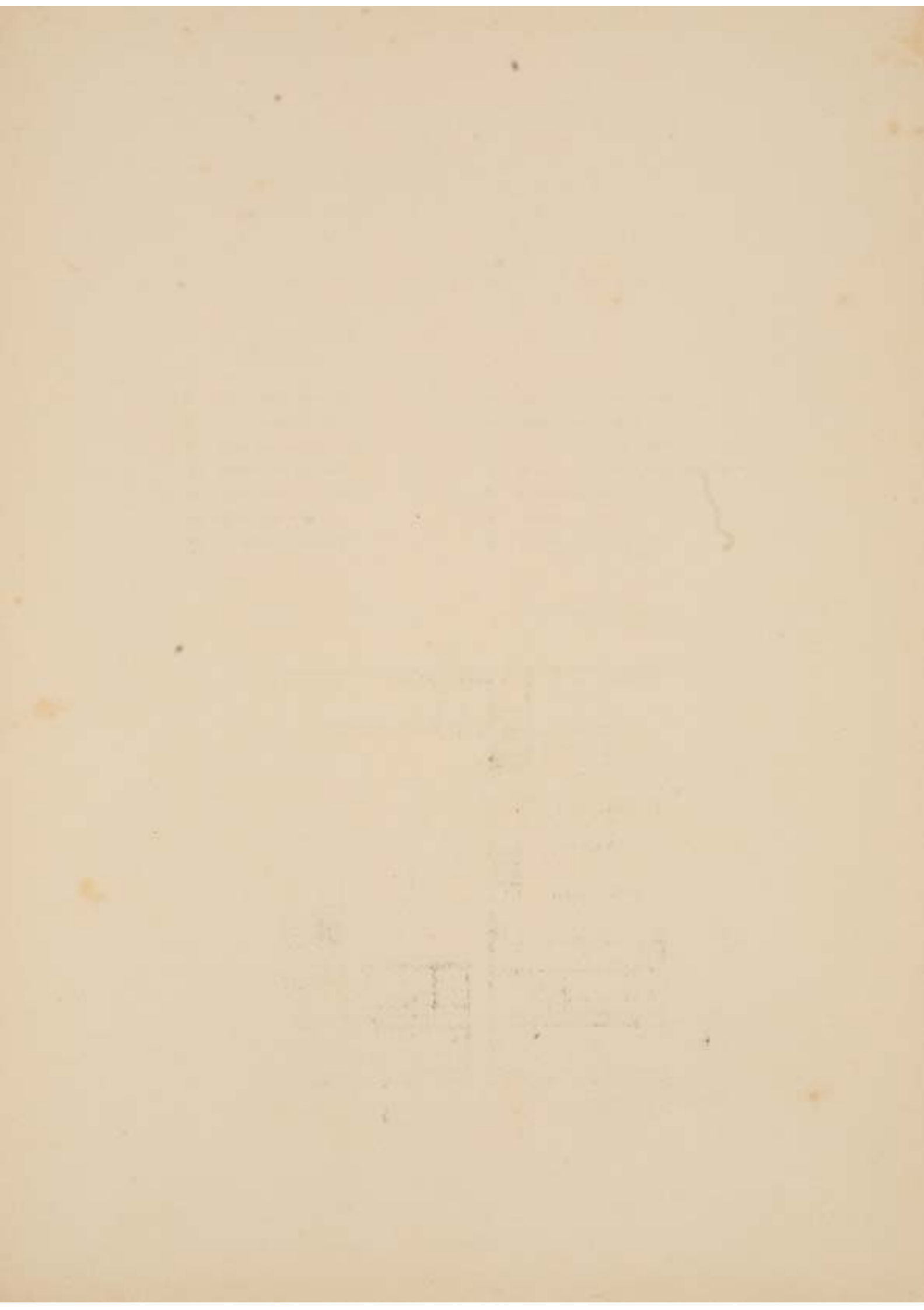


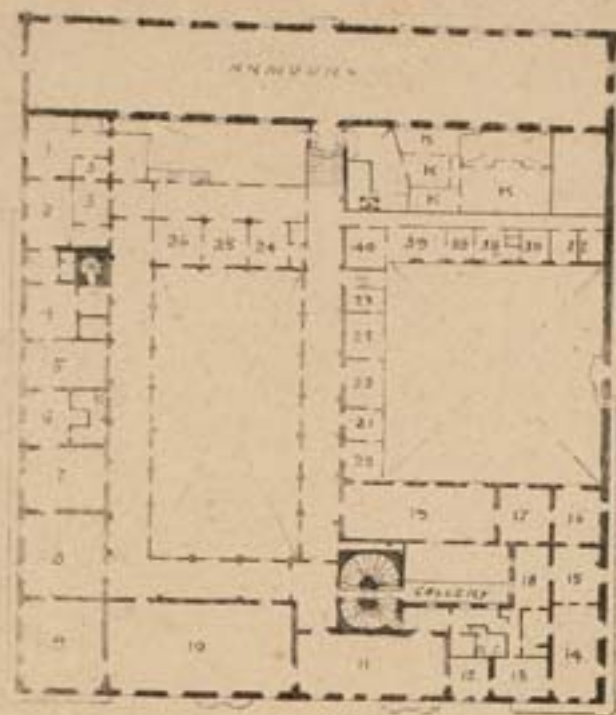
GOVERNOR'S PALACE VALLETTA



GROUND FLOOR

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|----------------------------------|---|
| a. Coachman's Quarters.          | h. Executive Council Office.                      |
| b. Harness Room.                 | i. Council Office.                                |
| c. Stables and Coal House.       | j. Printing Office.                               |
| d. Staircase to Armoury.         | k. R. M. Reg <sup>t</sup> . Orderly and Anteroom. |
| e. Chief Staff Officer's Office. | l. Receiver General's Office.                     |
| f. Chief Secretary's Office.     | m. Public Works Office.                           |
| g. Crown Advocate's Office.      | n. Public Works Store Room.                       |

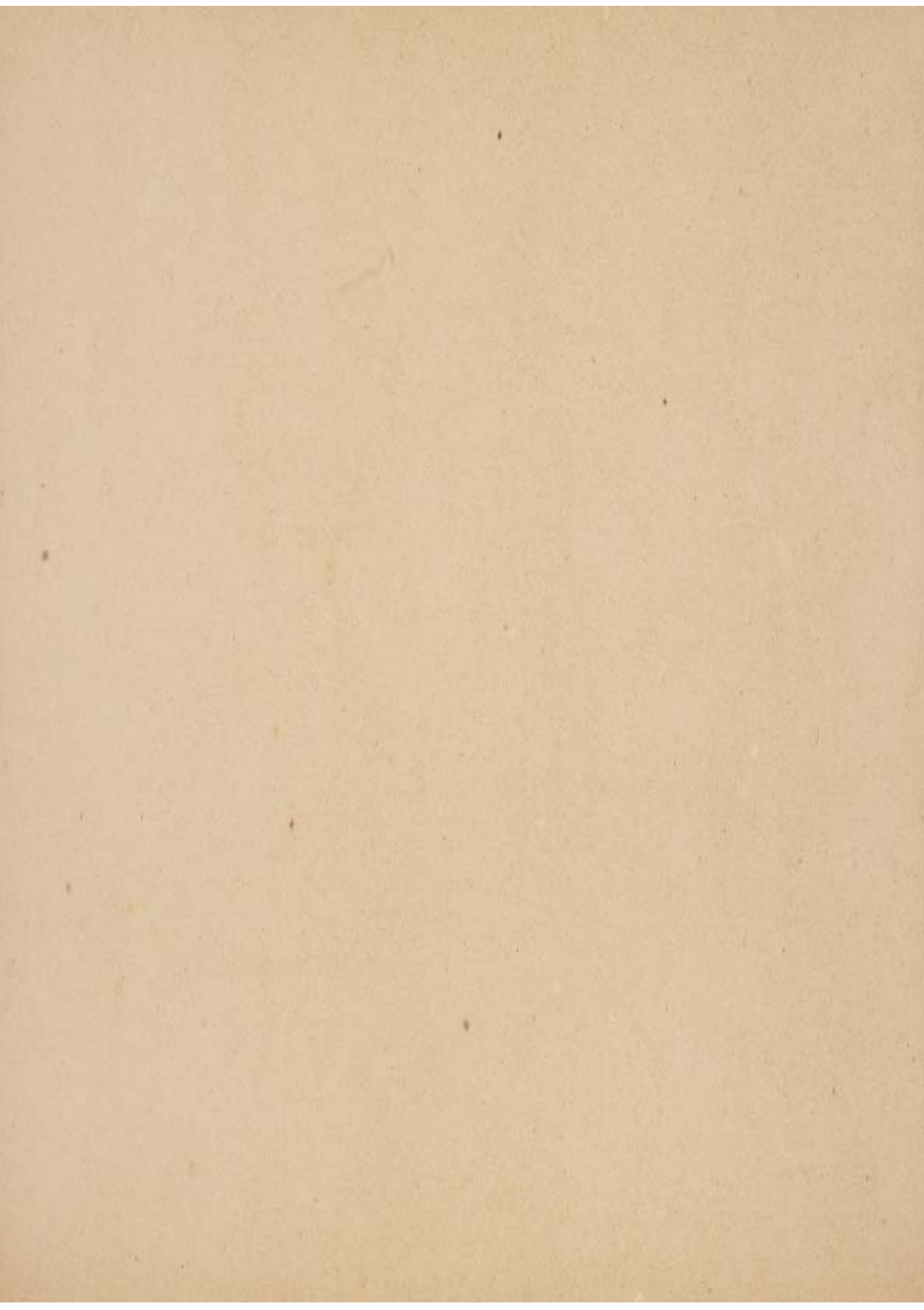


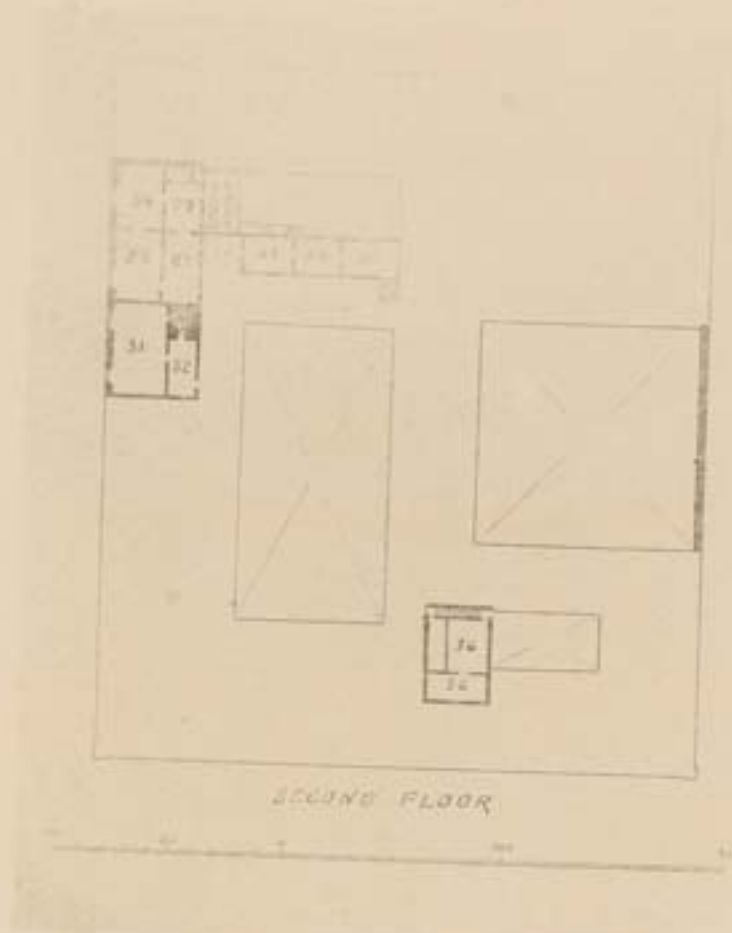


FIRST FLOOR.

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|----|---------------------------------------|----|------------------------------------|
| 1  | Bed Room.                             | 18 | Hall.                              |
| 2  | Do.                                   | 19 | Council Chamber.                   |
| 3  | Linen Rooms.                          | 20 | Cloak Room.                        |
| 4  | Bed Rooms.                            | 21 | Steward's Store Room.              |
| 5  | Asst. Mil. Secretary's Office.        | 22 | } Servants' Store Rooms.           |
| 6  | H. Excellency's Office.               | 23 |                                    |
| 7  | A. D. C's Office.                     | 24 | Bed Room.                          |
| 8  | Billiard Room.                        | 25 | Do.                                |
| 9  | State Drawing Room.                   | 26 | Do.                                |
| 10 | Ball Room.                            | 27 | Steward's Dining Room.             |
| 11 | Dining Room.                          | 28 | Steward's Store Room.              |
| 12 | } Day Rooms                           | 29 | Pantry.                            |
| 13 |                                       |    | 30                                 |
| 14 | H. Excellency's Private Drawing Room. | K  | Kitchen, Larder Room and Scullery. |
| 15 | } H. Excellency's Bed Rooms           |    |                                    |
| 16 |                                       |    |                                    |
| 17 |                                       |    |                                    |



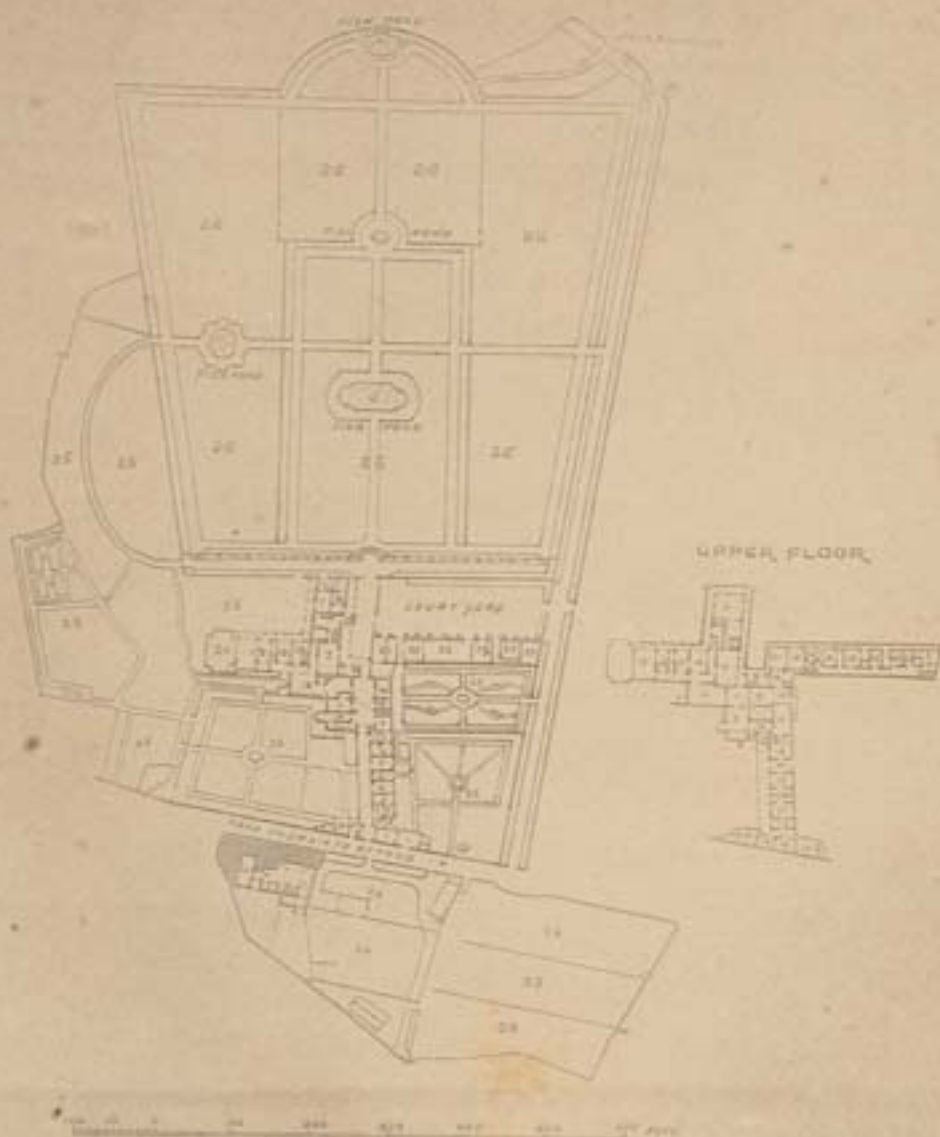


- 27. Room.
  - 28. Bed Room.
  - 29. Room.
  - 30. Bed Room.
  - 31. Bed Room.
  - 32. }  
33. } Servants' Bed Room.
  - 34. }  
35. }
  - 36. Steward's Quarters.
- Chief Messenger and Fatiguemen have accommodation on Terrace.



SANT ANTONIO PALACE & GARDENS

GROUND FLOOR

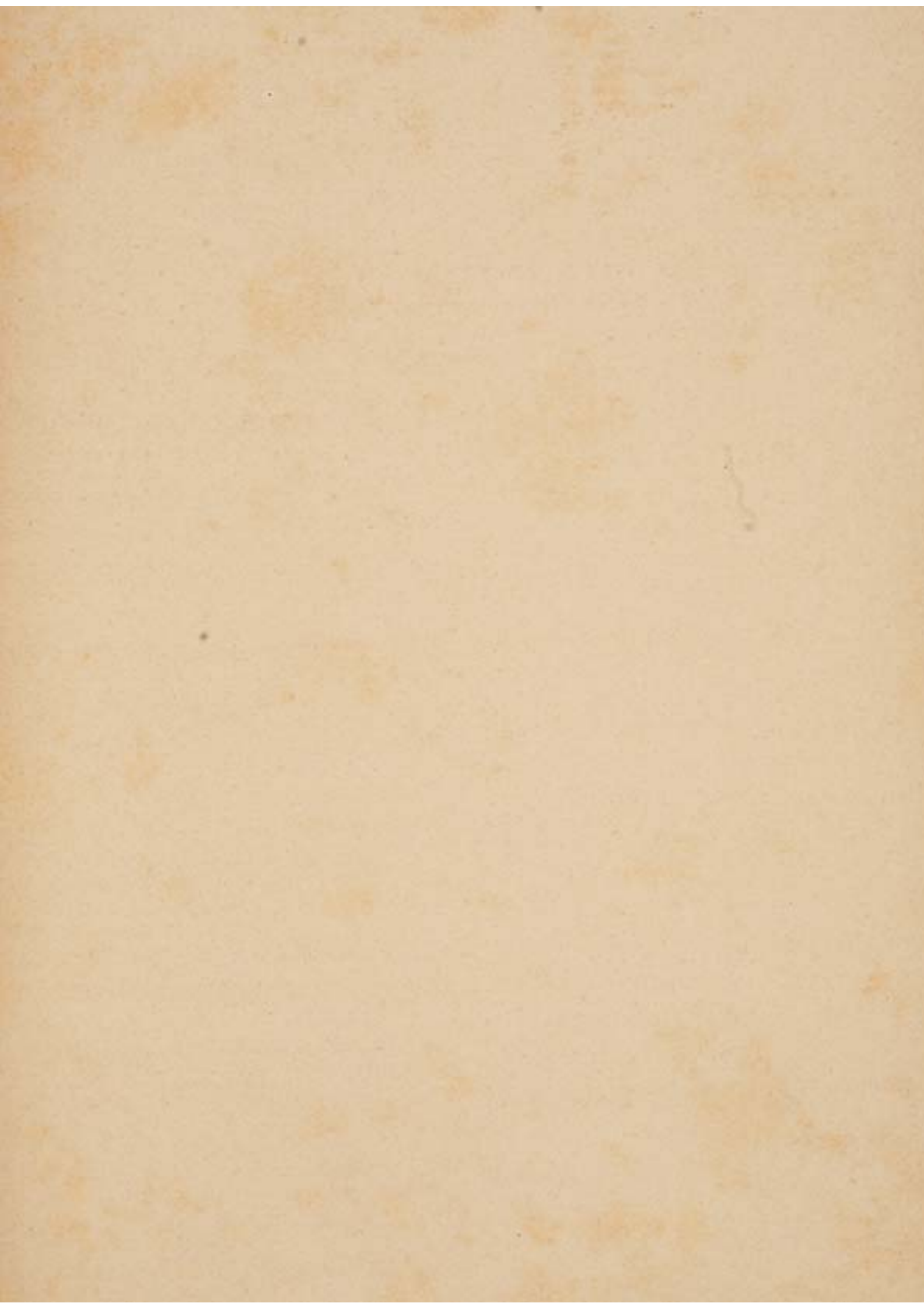


GROUND FLOOR.

1. Policeman's Quarters.
2. Keeper's Quarters (with upper floor).
3. Head Gardener's Quarters.
4. Covered space attached to the Private Gardens.
5. Entrance to Private Gardens.
6. Tools' Store.
7. Spare Room.
8. Store Room.
9. Passage and Winding Staircase.
10. Chapel (Roman Catholic).
11. Dairy.
12. Closet.
13. Kitchen.
14. Room for deposit of Seeds.
15. Entrance to the Palace.
16. Telegraph Office.
17. Scullery.
18. Pantry.
19. Servants' Room.
20. Chapel (Protestant).
21. Room for Harness and Groom.
22. Stables.
23. Coach House.
24. Room for deposit of Vegetable Earth.
25. His Excellency's Private Gardens.
26. Public Gardens.
27. Kitchen Gardens.
28. Cow-sheds.

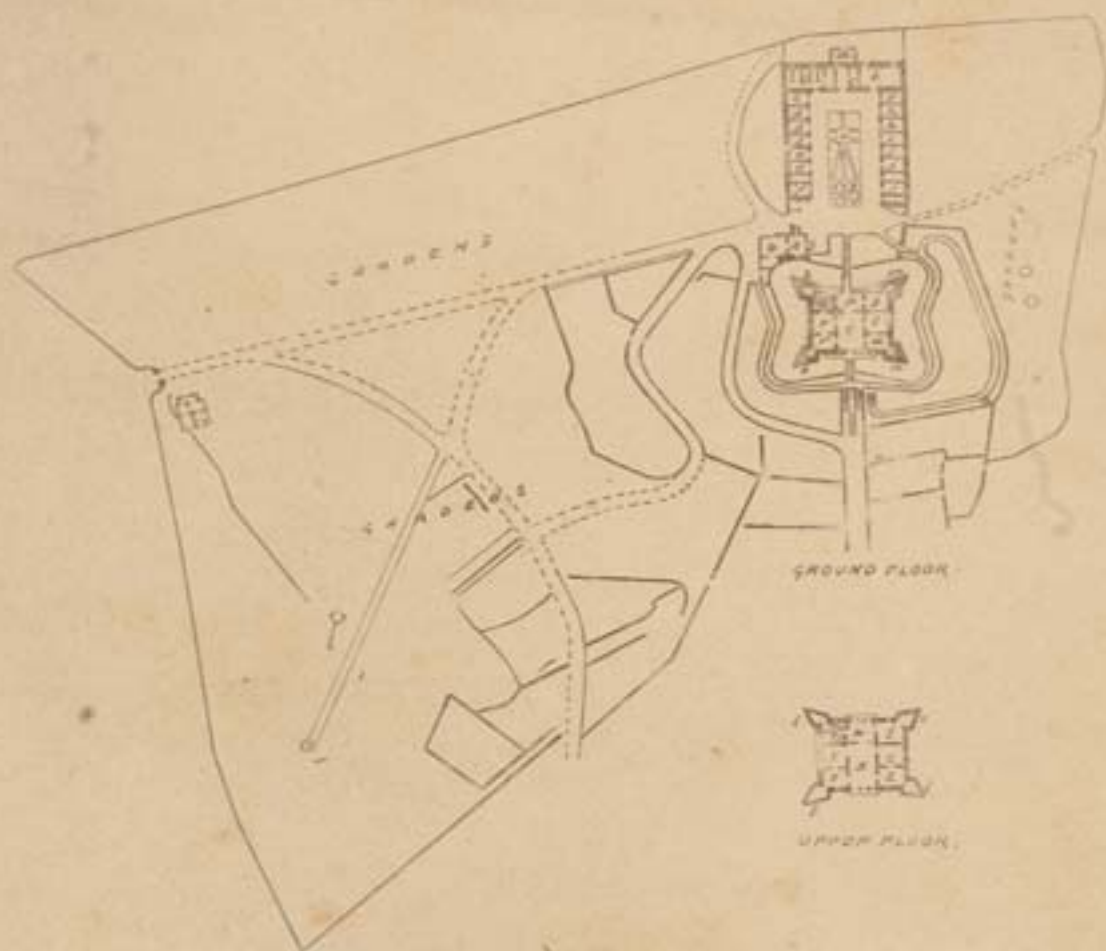
UPPER FLOOR.

1. Main Corridor.
2. Dining Room.
3. Closet.
4. Billiard Room.
5. Staircase and Lobby.
6. Drawing Room.
7. Octagonal Room.
8. Spare Room.
9. A. D. C.'s Office.
10. Access to the Private Garden.
11. Boudoir.
12. Passage.
13. His Excellency's Office.
14. His Excellency's Bed-room.
15. The lady's Boudoir.
16. Bath-room, Toilette and W. C.
17. The lady's Bed-room.
18. Spare Bed-rooms.
19. Pantry.
20. W. C.
21. Steward's Office.
22. Servants' Quarters.





VERDALA PALACE & GARDENS ATTACHED.



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|----|----------------------------------|-----|---|
| a. | Forge Room.                      | o.  | W. C. (larder under).                   |
| b. | Stables.                         | p.  | Hall (entrance under).                  |
| c. | Harness Room.                    | q.  | Drawing Room (room under).              |
| d. | Servants' Room.                  | r.  | Bed Rooms (kitchen and scullery under). |
| e. | Store.                           | s.  | Dining Room (servants' room under).     |
| f. | Keeper's Room.                   | t.  | Governor's Bed-room (room under).       |
| g. | Coach-House.                     | u.  | Office (room under).                    |
| h. | Cow-shed.                        | v.  | Bath Room.                              |
| i. | Dairy.                           | w.  | Lobby.                                  |
| j. | Servants' Room.                  | x.  | Billiard Room.                          |
| k. | Chapel.                          | y.  | A. D. C.'s Room.                        |
| l. | W. C.                            | z.  | Visitors' Room.                         |
| m. | Pantry (Telegraph office under). | zt. | Smoking Room.                           |
| n. | W. C. (room under).              |     |   |



I do hereby certify that the foregoing Financial Accounts, Return of the Establishments, &c. and other Statements, have been prepared under the Standing Regulations, and are to the best of my belief true.

MALTA, 30<sup>th</sup> July, 1898.

*J. C. C.*

*Acting* Chief Secretary to Government.