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Professor C. E. Pearse, University of the Witwatersrand, p. O. Box 1176, JOHANNESBURG.

Dear Professor Pearse,

re : HERBERT BAKER - LION HOUSE.

Thank you for yours of the 15th inst.

Regarding the Lion House at Groot Schuur, I find a roll of old drawings in this office through which I have been wading. They are really rather fragmentary, and there does not appear to be a set of finished drawings of a really definite scheme. I have, however, picked out four sheets (three on paper and one on tracing linen) which seem to give a tolerably good idea of the projected scheme, including two or three detail sketches, and am Sanding than one of the projected scheme.

From these you will probably be able to select something suitable for publication - and I presume I should ask you to be good enough to return the original drawings to me afterwards, so that they may be filed again with their fellows.

In regard to the Kimberley Bath, there do not appear to be any drawings in this office. Baker was under the impression that Solomn had had them, but does not know what eventually became of them. No doubt you will have asked Flemming if any of them are still in the Johannesburg Office; but if neither he nor Baker can lay their hands upon these, it would still be possible to photograph the model which was made for the bath, and which stands in the City Hall. Cape Town.

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