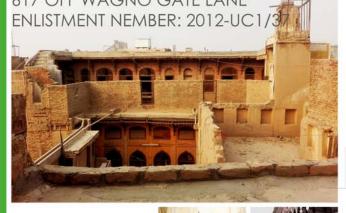
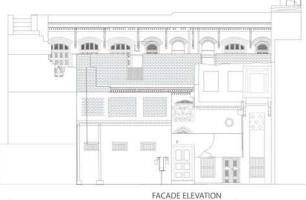
BUILDING OWNER: HASAN ALI SOOMRO 617 OFF WAGNO GATE LANE



DRAWINGS



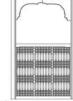












First glance of Shikarpur, all we saw was clusters of low rise houses and open gutters. We had heard that Shikarpur had an abundance of old and beautiful residences but they were nowhere to be seen. The entrances were small, and not revealing the grandeur that we had heard of but our perception changed as we entered the house assigned to us and we realized hidden behind all those broken doors laid gems from the past. Behind a derelict door was a beautiful

beautiful façade bearing the most intricate details that blew our minds away. Wooden ornamentation that was one of its kind and doors beautifully crafted left us in awe of the house that was not only beautiful but was also housing the most giving and amazing people. Their hospitality cannot be eplained in words and how they treated us, made us feel

courtyard with the most

This journey enlightened us and revealed what is taken for granted. This beautiful city needs to be taken care of and restored.

like a part of their family.

































SUGGESTOINS:

Lack of maintenance due to several reasons such as termite infestation which in turn has caused structural issues in various parts of the house.

Cleanliness to better the environment and decluttering is suggested.









SAFDAR AHMED RESIDENCE

CAPTAIN SAFDAR AHMAD AWAN 342 KOTU TABIB LANE/ DALLAL'S LANE 2012 - UC2/226



INTRODUCTION: •NAME OF BUILDING: Captain Safdar Ahmad

Awan House ·LOCATION: 362 KOTU TABIB LANE 342 KOTU TABIB LANE/

DALLAL'S LANE Other References Enrolment no.; 2012-UC2/227

2012-UC2/226 • ASSOCIATED PERSON:

Private

OCCUPANCY:

Owned

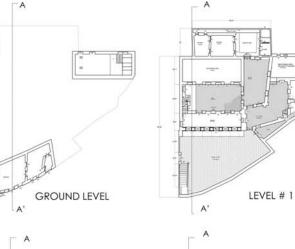
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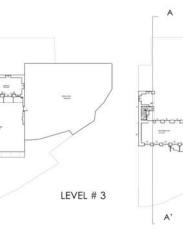
- Single . BUILDING MATERIALS:
- 1.Mud plaster 2.Brick masonry 3.Timber
- · FUNCTIONAL TYPE: Residential ·INSCRIPTION: Captain Doctor Safdar Ahmed Awan

PROMINENT ARCHI-TECTURAL FEATURES:

- · Arcaded Portico or Verandah
- Carved Timber Bracket
- · Carved Timber Door
- Courtyard
- Ornamented Ceiling
- · Decorative lamp stand
- Arches
- Wood section with carved windows

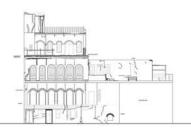


















DOCUMENTATION PROCES

SUGGESTION AND RESTORATION TIPS:

1. The lack of maintenance of the property.

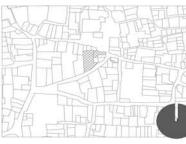
2.The current condition reflects the nartial collapse of different spaces is facing threats of complete col-

e of the structure. out be owned as the representa-of the remains of history unlike the of many historic buildings because agligible consideration, it should

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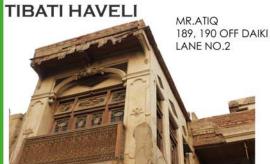
LOCATION MAP



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FRONT ELEVATION WITHOUT BOUNDARY WALL





THE BUILDING BELONGS TO THE PRE-PARTITION ERA AND IS ABOUT 100 YEARS OLD. INITIALLY IT BELONGED TO A HINDU OWNER AND LATER ON ABOUT 40 YEARS BACK WAS OCCUPIED BY CURRENT OWNER. IT CONSISTS OF A TREMENDOUS VARIETY OF INTRICATE DETAILS THAT REPRESENTS ITS RICH HISTORICAL BACKGROUND. EACH AND EVERY SPACE HAS ITS OWN ESSENCE IN TERMS OF DECORATION AND DETAILS, WHICH IS EXACTLY IN THE SAME STATE AS IT WAS AT THE TIME OF CONSTRUCTION SPECIALLY THE WOODEN DETAILS. THE FLOORING PATTERN IS DIVERSE IN TERMS OF COLOR AND DETAIL. THE DADOS WHICH ARE USUALLY SIMPLE ARE EVEN DECORATED.

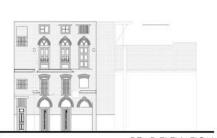
ONE IMPRESSIVE THING ABOUT THE HOUSE IS THAT IT HAS A PLANNED DRAINAGE LINES ON THE FIRST FLOOR LEVEL WITHIN THE INTERIOR IN ORDER TO DRAIN RAIN WATER.



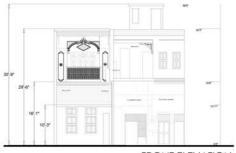




FIRST FLOOR PLAN

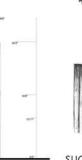


REAR ELEVATION



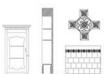
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PART SECTION





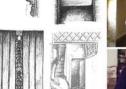












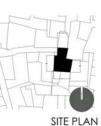


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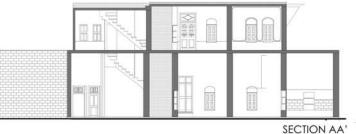
SUGGESTIONS

THE FIRST FLOOR LEVEL SHOULD BE MADE ACCESSIBLE BY RESTORING THE MEZZANINE LEVEL AS IT IS THE ONLY SOURCE OF ACCESS, THIS WILL IN TURN HELP IN MAINTAINING THE FLOOR PROPERLY BE-CAUSE IT IS CURRENTLY ABAN-DONED.

SECONDLY THE OWNERS SHOULD KEEP A RECORD OF EXISTING ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORIC ELEMENTS SO THAT IF THEY ARE DAMAGED LATER ON ONE HAS A PROOF OF THEIR EXISTENCE, IF THIS HAD BEEN DONE EARLIER WE COULD CHERISH THE SECOND FLOOR OF THE HOUSE AS



AHMAD RIAZ | AREEBA HASAN | TASHFEEN SHUNEED









Down the winding streets, arteries interlaced, near Hathi Dar we encounter a house of an ordinary façade. A single staircase leading to a metal gate on the upper right of a brick wall that may seem of the utmost ordinance. As you step in a surprise awaits of an extremely intimate courtyard overshadowed by an extremely detailed jharoka. A simply planned house with diverse details. From an original 'sher' bracket to little swans in the windows. The jharoka which is infested by termites has a beauty of its own that renders the history of Shikarpurs architecture. Passing that you enter a double heighted room that basks in its simplicity. Similar niches lace the walls on all side on both the levels and the

The upper level which is not in use has been deemed a victim to supernatural activities by the users but upon encounter seemed like murky cobweb covered rooms that had been sealed out of fear of structural failure. The walls on the roof are a new addition.

The user named Ahmed Ali resides in this house along with his sister and khala (aunt). During the whole process of documentation we were welcomed with generosity and treated as such. Positive input was given on their behalf and cooperation that helped a lot in the documentation















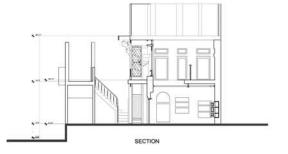


SCALE





FRONT ELEVATION

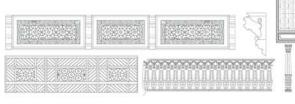








DETAIL BLOWUPS









DOCUMENTATION PROCESS



SUGGESTIONS







The intricate wooden facade is currently in a derelict state and may crack under the load. Hence it is in dire need of reinforcement while the wooden facade could act as a frame. The lack of maintenance has engendered a termite infestation and hence needs to be controlled.





