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Leave Application of Mr. W. H. James.

Recording letter from the D. P. D. submitting an application for furlough on behalf of Mr. W. H. James, Principal, College of Eng. Madras; and registering the application.

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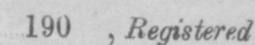
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From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. A. G. Bourne, D. Sc., F. R. S. C. I. E
(Designation) Director of Public Instruction.

To the Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Educational Department.

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June 29th 1908.

From. W. H. James Esq.
Principal, College of Eng.
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To The Director of Public Instruction.
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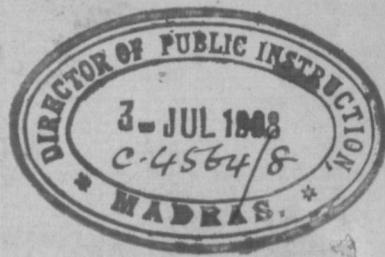
I shall have completed eight years' service in June next year and I desire to submit an application to Government for furlough for eight months in continuation of the next long vacation. This would enable me to return to duty about the middle of March 1910.

If however Government consider it would be of advantage that I should be put on special duty for three months for the study of Engineering and Technical Education in Germany I would apply for thirteen months furlough which would extend the time to the middle of August in that year.

I have the honor to be

Sir
Your Obedient Servant.

W. H. James



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Submitted to Government with the recommendation that the application for leave may be registered.

2. If the leave be granted, a locum tenens will have to be looked for in the Public Works Department.

3. Mr. James does not apply to be placed on special duty but leaves it to Government to consider whether it would be an advantage.

[Signature]

For Director of Public Instruction

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14-7-08
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W. W. H. *Application*
for leave during 1909

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be granted the application may be registered and the P.W.D. requested to spare the services of a suitable officer to act for Mr. James. In 1898 and 1904, when Colonel Love proceeded on furlough, his place was taken by officers of the P.W.D. (Mr. Davidson in 1898 and Mr. Keeling in 1904).

3. If Mr. James is to be placed on special duty for the study of engineering and technical education in Germany, an application will have to be made to the Government of India three clear months before Mr. James leaves for Europe, that is, before the 31st January next - vide para.3 of Home Department letter No.138, Education, dated 24th February 1904, on page 3 of G.O.No.143, Edl., dated 3rd March 1904. The application should contain a full statement of the points of inquiry and the reasons for inquiring into them - vide para.3(4) of the Home Department Despatch to the Secretary of State, No.6, Education, dated 2nd October 1902 on page 3 of G.O.No.49, Edl., dated 30th January 1903. It should further be explained whether Mr. James knows German and whether he has taken or will take preliminary measures to acquaint himself with the literature on the subject of Engineering and Technical Education in Germany - ~~the~~ ^{ch-} paragraph 4 of Mr. Risley's letter No.659, Education, dated 3rd November 1903 on page 3 of G.O.No.27, Edl., dated 13th January 1904.

4. If it is desired to place Mr. James on special duty, ^{S.P.D.} ~~he~~ may be requested to supply definite information on the points above referred to. ^{also} The D.P.I. may be requested to consider

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consider Mr. James proposals with reference to the needs of this Presidency and to certify as to the fitness of Mr. James to carry them out - Para.3(3) of the Despatch of the Government of India No.6 Edn. dated 2nd October 1902, on page 3 of G.O.No.49 Edl., dated 30th/ January 1903.

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16-7-08.

The application for leave may, if is submitted, be registered.

2. The question as to whether Mr. James should be placed on special duty is for orders. The D.P. I may be asked to state whether the deputation of Mr. James is necessary and to explain fully the necessity for it. During the summer vacation of the College of Engineering in 1907. Mr. James visited only the laboratories in the United Kingdom, although Col. Love's proposal was that he should visit some laboratories on the Continent - vide G.O. No. 249 Edl. dated 27th April 1907 & pages 4 & 5 of Kiv. to the G.O.

3. With regard to Dr. Bourne's suggestion that, if the leave is granted, alocum tenens will have to be looked for in the P.W.D, attention is solicited to G.O. No. 586 Edl. dated 7th September 1907 & the notes therewith, in which it was decided that the Staff of the College of Engineering should be recruited by

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Vide Col. Love's D.O. para. 10, on p. 2 of Kiv. G.O. 249 Edl. 27.4.07-H.

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Not would necessarily be an acting appointment of Principal. I think

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by the Educational Department. + not by the Public works Depart. Please see however the notes of the Secretary + the Honble Mr. Forbes on page 13 of Kw. G. No 586 Est. Dated 7th September 1907, from which it will be observed that the rule is not absolute & that there is no objection to make an appointment outside, for special reasons. As the period of leave is only about a year it is doubtful whether the Secretary of State will be able to find a suitable successor for this short period:

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Mr. James was ~~shown~~ allowed travelling expenses during the vacation of 1907 mainly in order to see what requirements were necessary for the new laboratories to be ~~con~~ constructed for the new College of Engineering. It is hoped that this work may be taken in hand before the period of leave appointed for by Mr. James. It would not therefore appear necessary to deputise Mr. James for further investigations in respect of Continental Laboratories

unless it is proposed to extend the scope of the College beyond the requirements anticipated last year.

2. The leave application may be registered. Mr. Jones has not taken any long leave since his appointment to the Board of Service in June 1901. The leave can hardly be denied him, though it is rather inconvenient to grant it at this juncture.

3. It would, I think, be necessary to obtain the services of an officer of the Board to act as Principal, seeing that the present Professor of Mechanical and Civil Engineering has not been a year in the country. Mr. Keeling acted as Principal on the last occasion during Mr. Love's absence on leave, while Mr. F. R. Morgan - now at San Francisco - has been employed temporarily as Lecturer at the College both in Civil and Mechanical Engineering.

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I suppose all that is necessary now is to register the application - I say that if

the Public interests allowed, leave will be granted - as to the special duty we cannot tell now - quite possibly before next year it may appear advisable to depute Mr James. We may then be proposing to put up new plant & want advice - It is impossible to say now -

Also as regards an offer to act for Mr James. we need settle nothing yet - The matter sh^d be brought up in usual course next year -

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~~The letter to Mr James~~

The application for leave may be registered.

As to whether it may be desirable to place Mr James on special duty or not we may be able to decide more definitely after our Conference on Industrial Development - and Technical Education in Sept.

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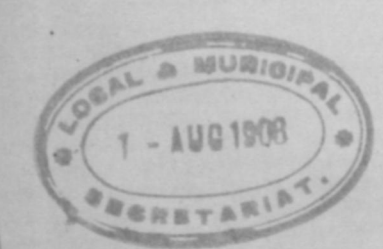
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