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Dated 21 11 1865.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
21st November 1865.*

No. 474. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division :—

Forwarding letter from Mr. Sub-Engineer C. W. } (Here enter 15th November 1865, No. 2,747.)
Maitland applying for promotion.

No. 475. ORDER THEREON, 21st November 1865, No. 3,508.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 44.

Mr. Maitland's application will be taken
into consideration in due course.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, with two Enclosures.

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N^o 3 Range Office
Poonamallee
13th November 1865.

From

C. W. Maitland Esq.
Sub Engineer D. P. W.
In Charge 2nd Range Madras

To

Colonel N. Boulton R. E.
Supg Engineer 4th Div

Sir

Enclosure 2.

I have the honor to submit for the favorable consideration of His Excellency the Governor in Council, the following circumstances connected with my past services, and beg your kind support in the matter.

1. You are aware that I was specially transferred from Tanjore to this District in December 1861, to take charge of the Palat, Co-tenion Project, in the position of a Range Officer and that I volunteered the acceptance of a Range in addition, whereby a considerable saving to Government resulted, as shown in my letter No. 215 dated 29th October 1862. a copy of which is herewith enclosed.

3. I have at all times conducted my duties to the utmost of my ability, and it has proved a high source of gratification and encouragement, that such testimony has been borne to the manner in which I acquitted myself, as I have elicited the approbation of Government on several occasions, and of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India.

4. My services being thus acknowledged, I was appointed to the grade of 2nd Class Sub Engineer.

Engineer, and was shortly after advanced to my present position, Vizt. 1st Class.

5 In July 1863 the offer of a 2nd Class Sub Engineer in Mysore was made me by Col: Lawford, & have charge of the "Mauri Kanvie Project" with eventual prospect of advancement to the rank of Assistant Engineer, strengthened with an assurance from the Commissioner, that he would support a recommendation in my favor should I accept the post definitely. This I declined being reluctant to forfeit my services under the Madras Government after having established strong claims, as I could not but help feeling, to consideration at their hands.

6 As to my past services no one in a better position to speak than yourself, having known me since 1856. I however, again, beg to draw your attention to Colonel Lawford's Report to the Chief Engineer's No. 7 of 26th July 1856 regarding the successful completion of the "Mungar Works" the first great experiment in Tanjore of the employment of Executive Agency, unconnected with the Revenue Department" with which I was entrusted under your control, - as also to Captain Oaker's No. 231 of 3 September 1861 to the same authority, testifying to my career in that Province, and particularly as to the manner in which my Range was managed on the occurrence of the destructive flood of 1858 & 59.

7. Under these circumstances I had reasonably hoped, and formed expectations, that whatever further advantages were likely

Name	Grade	Post held since
C. W. Ollant Hand	Sub Engineer	15 June 1863
J. Ollant Hand	Sub Engineer	22 Jan 1863
W. A. Goodchap	Sub Engineer	30 Aug 1863

to be held out to the Upper Subordinate. Established, I would be one of the first to derive benefit therefrom; I now feel grieved to find in the Official Gazette No. 4010 dated 31st Instant, that two of my juniors & Messrs. Ollant Hand and Goodchap, Officers of inferior standing in the Service, have been preferred for advancement to the grade of Assistant Engineer.

8 By a recent order of Government I am again selected for special duty and transferred to Tanjore as a temporary measure, a move, which though it distinguishes places me under pecuniary embarrassment, without offering any prospective advantage. I therefore, beg you will give me the fullest support in laying my claim before Government.

9 As however the salary of an Assistant Engineer 2nd Grade is Rupees 300, and I am now on the receipt of Rupees 400, I respectfully solicit that, if Government should see fit to advance me, a personal allowance of Rs. 100 be granted or that as a special case, I may be gazetted a Supernumerary Assistant Engineer of the 1st Grade for which I shall be ever grateful.

I have the honor to be Sir

Your most Obedt Servant

W. A. Goodchap

Sub Engineer D. P. V.
In Ch. 103 Range Madras.

N^o 247.

Submitted to Government for favorable consideration.

Enc 2.

2. The Supr. Eng. to D. has frequently brought to notice the value of Mr. Goodchap's services, & is regretted to see him superseded.

S. E. Offenberg }
Lundgren }
15 Nov 1865 }
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From
The Adj. Genl. D. P. W.
J. L. H. S. Camp
Madras District
To The Adj. Genl.
1st Div.
Dated 13th
Dec. 14. No. 100
Per
To the 13th
Dec. 14. 2.
Subject a statement of
the reasons for the pro-
-ble consideration of the
recommending the Governor in
Council, a large section
that 2 of his famous officers
of superior standing in the
service have transferred
him by advancement to
the grade of Lieutenant
Colonel and pay for
retiree.

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 21st Nov 1865
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Placing Geo for Pump
from B. 4. 576
The Super Engineer
4 Division

To the Secretary
to Government
P.M.D.

dated 15 }
Recd 16 } November 1865

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Forwarding Letter
from Mr. Sub Engineer
C. W. Mainland for In-
formation

no. 3508. 21st Nov/65

With an order

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Mr. Maithland's
tears will be taken
considerations in due

N. 474. 475

c. 17th hour, 1865.

[Handwritten signature]

Sept. 21st 1896

Pursued and pray for the dying Sinner, Am. Bro. *John A. Goodrich*
 brother
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