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Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
21st June 1866.*

No. 465. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Coimbatore, 7th June 1866, No. 30 :—

1. I have the honor to acknowledge Government Order No. 1,679, of 28th May, in accordance wherewith I have written to Mr. Cabral to offer him the post of Clerk on Rupees 30, now vacant by resignation of Mr. D'Cruz; the post of Accountant on Rupees 40, which he held on dismissal, having been abolished, at that very date.

2. I shall not have the slightest objection to Mr. Cabral's employment as a Clerk in my own Office, feeling that I was culpable in not taking up the subject of his letter of the 24th April 1865, when at last it fell into my hands in September 1865. I presume it is not intended to over-rule my determination not to employ Mr. Cabral as a Store-keeper, after my distinct declaration (in paragraphs 2 and 3 of the letter printed with the G. O. in question) that his removal from such post was decreed in the sole exercise of my own judgment.

3. I must take this opportunity of removing certain misconceptions under which Mr. Cabral's petitions have laid the Government, owing to my not having thought it necessary to go much into their details. It is not the case that the Manager was allowed to introduce three of his own relatives into appointments in my Office. Of the men named by Mr. Cabral, viz., Messrs. Pinto, Lobo, and D'Cruz, the former is no relative whatever of Mr. Fernandez, and joined my Office long before the latter became Manager; so did Mr. Lobo, who is certainly his maternal uncle, but a younger man, and not likely to possess influence over him. Mr. D'Cruz's appointment is the only improper one, and I am sorry for having sanctioned it, and glad that his own unsolicited resignation has rid me of a man who owed his place solely to my Manager's nepotism.

4. It is a very singular mis-statement in the Government Order that I forwarded *all* the Petitioner's appeals, *without perusal*, to my Manager; the real fact being that the only letter unread by me was that kept from me by the Manager for so many months. All others were read and endorsed for explanation, but not one of them was to the purpose except that withheld. And to the extreme folly, as well as dishonesty, of withholding that document does my late Manager owe his fall, driving me as he did into dismissing a man whose resignation was tendered and would have sufficed.

No. 466. ORDER THEREON, 21st June 1866, No. 1,944.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 40.

1. The Government are pleased to learn that the Superintending Engineer of the 7th Division has offered a post in his Office to Mr. Cabral, but as it is their desire that Mr. Cabral should be replaced in a situation of equal emolument to that which he formerly held, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council directs that the earliest possible opportunity be taken to carry out their wishes.

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Dear
Pearl

A.B.

To the Supg Engineer's Division.

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Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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2. The Government
having been led to believe
regret that Col^d Walker
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manager to contravene their
orders by introducing some
of his own near relations
into appointments in the
Superintending Engineer's
Office, and they observe
with satisfaction that
such was not the case and that
Col^d Walker did not omit
to peruse Mr Cabral's
petitions before transferring
them to his Manager

To
The S. Eng^r 7th

Sept. 22. 1860

P. W. 186 C. Department.

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Dated *24th December 1905*

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