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Government of Madras.

Public works **DEPARTMENT.**

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
29th January 1868.*

No. 605. Read the following letter from the Special Executive Engineer, Wynaad, to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Luckadie, 24th January 1868, No. 31 :—

* Dated 10th December 1867, page 1,786.

1. Captain Raynsford having been gazetted* to act as Assistant Engineer in place of Lieutenant Pennefather, Royal Engineers, without any mention being made as to grade, is under the impression that the intention is that he should take the same grade as that Officer occupies in the department, which is that of First Assistant.

2. I do not know whether any departmental promotion has been made owing to Lieutenant Pennefather's temporary absence on other duty, but if not, there will, I presume, be no further expense to Government by Captain Raynsford drawing the pay of a First Assistant.

3. I beg here to mention that besides Captain Raynsford's service with the Sappers, he has acted as Executive Engineer for about eighteen months at Saugor for Captain Prior on sick leave, and he is consequently by no means an inexperienced Officer, and as he will soon attain the rank of Major in the Staff Corps, unless he gets speedy promotion it will be scarcely worth his while to remain in the department.

4. I may perhaps be allowed to add that since Captain Raynsford was gazetted to his present post, an offer has been made to him by the Chief Engineer of Mysore to apply for his services, and to appoint him Executive Engineer in that branch of the department, which, however, under the circumstances, he considered it his duty to decline.

No. 606. ORDER THEREON, 29th January 1868, No. 310.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 60.

No. 1,823, dated 30th June 1865.
,, 3,946, ,, 14th December 1866.

Captain Kennedy is informed that, under existing rules, temporary vacancies in the Engineer Establishment are filled by appointments to the *class*, and not to the *grade*, to which the absentees belong.

(True Extract.)

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

To Captain Kennedy.

Erd. S. T. Augustia.

No 31.

Special Executive Engineer's Office
Wynaad, Larkarie 24th January 1868.

From,
The Special Executive Engineer
Wynaad

To,
The Secretary to Government
Department Public Works. Madras

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Dated 10 December
1867. page 1786.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant
 Robt W Himmig, Captain
 Special Executive Engineer
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17/1/1868
No. 307
The Special Executive
Engineer - Mysore
To The Secretary to Government
Department Public
Works - Madras -

Date 24th
Recd 27th January 1868

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No 310-29 January 1868

As no departmental
promotion has been
made owing to Lieutenant
Chinnappa's temporary
absence enquire whether
Captain Chinnappa can
occupy the grade of the
1st Assistant Engineer -

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To Capt Kennedy ✓

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Proc of Govt for Summary
No. 310

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT. *Shadros*

Dated 29th January 1868

Shadros

Passing orders on a
reference made by the Special
Executive Eng^r, Wynnaad, relative to
the appointment of Capt. Payne for
to act as an Asst Eng^r.

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