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Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

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14th December 1872.*

No 289. Read the following endorsement of the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, dated Madura, 5th November 1872, No. 3,626:—
From the Sub-Engineer in charge of Northern Range, Tinnevely, to the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, dated Covilputty, 30th October 1872, No. 321-B.

As the new re-organization of the Public Works Department is about to take place shortly, I beg you will be pleased to recommend me for promotion under it.

2. I entered the Department of Public Works in 1843, and on its first re-organization in 1867 I was put in charge of the then No. 5 Range of this district. In 1860, Mr. Assistant Engineer Bush, then in charge of the late No. 3 Range, having misbehaved himself, I was sent to relieve that officer, and in 1870, Mr. Sub-Engineer Colquhoun having committed himself, I was ordered to relieve him, and took charge of the then existing No. 1 Range from him, and had charge of it till relieved by Mr. Rundall, Executive Engineer, in April 1871. I was then put in charge of a Sub-division attached to the same range, and while there was sent on special duty to inquire into the frauds in the late No. 3 Range which I did, and which resulted in the summary dismissal of all the subordinates of that range. I was subsequently deputed in connection with Mr. Sage, Executive Engineer, then in charge of the Northern Range, to inquire into the numerous charges preferred against Supervisor Vyapoory Pillay, and on Mr. Sage's transfer to the Godavery District, I was put in charge of the present Northern Range, the onerous and responsible duties of which I hope I am discharging to your entire satisfaction.

3. I trust that the long and faithful services which I have rendered, and the frauds and misdoings in the department which were exposed by me and rectified by Government, will be recognized by them, and that I will not be overlooked in the new re-organization of the department, but receive promotion to a higher grade. My present appointment of Sub-Engineer was conferred on me in 1865, and since then many of my juniors have been promoted above me, while I have been overlooked.

4. As I have always used my best endeavours to render my superiors every satisfaction, and flatter myself that I have succeeded in gaining their good-will and confidence, I beg you will kindly comply with my request, a favour for which I shall ever prove extremely thankful to you.

FORWARDED for the favourable consideration of Government. Mr. McNair bears a highly respectable character, and as he has served the Government faithfully and well and is professionally deserving of promotion, the undersigned has no hesitation in recommending this application for favourable consideration.

(Signed) R. A. ROBERTS, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.

No. 290. ORDER THEREON, 14th December 1872, No. 2,961.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 22A.

MR. MCNAIR appears to have been employed as a Revenue Surveyor previous to his appointment to be a Supervisor of the 1st grade in the Public Works Department in 1857. Having risen to be

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I have &c

Signature D. McK. Fair Sub Engineer
in charge Northern Range.

(True Copy)

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Madura
5th November 1872. }
Richd. H. R. : Lieut. Col. R. E.
Superint. Engineer S. D. R.

Camp
S. D. R.

By Pro: of Govt. Secy
 No. 3480.
 The Supr Engineer
 & Co.

To The Secretary to Govt.
 S. P. W.

Dated 5th
 Recd. 8th Nov. 72

Forwarded for the
 favorable considera-
 tion of Govt. Mr. W.
 Nairs letter, with
 a recommendation
 that he may be
 promoted.

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Dr. D. D. D.

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From

The Supr Engineer

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His departmental
services appear therefore
to have met with ^{as}
knowledge ^{quite a}
speedy and ample ^{acknowledgment}
can have merited. And
His Excellency the Governor
in Council is ^{another} disposed
to perpetuate his favour
the preceptual practice
alluded to by him, of
transferring individuals
from the Upper Subordinate
to the Engineering List.
In the infancy of the
Department it might
have

have been necessary;
but the supply of Civil
and Military Engineers
is now more than adequate
to the demand; and the
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admits of being irregularly
supplemented.

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To the Secy. of the
The Secy. of the
Division - Despatch 18/12/72
Principal Civil Eng. Dept. 18/2/73.

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No 5460
Govt. of 1872 Madras.
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To The District Eng^r
Trinwelly

Dated
Recd. Encl.

G. O. 14th Dec 1872, No. 2961.

Nos. 289 & 290

Mr. P. H. M. Nair.

Whereby that the services
of Mr. M^r Nair have ~~been~~
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ledged & deeming to place
him on the Engineering
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