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15th May 1874.*

No. 338. Read the following endorsement of the Military Department, dated Fort St. George, 13th April 1874 :—
From E. B. POWELL, Esq., Director of Public Instruction, to Brigadier-General R. C. STEWART, Adjutant-General of the Army, dated Madras, 30th March 1874, No. 544.

I HAVE the honour to forward copy of a letter, No. 699 of the 26th instant, with enclosure, from the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, and request that you will place the same before His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.
2. I also transmit copy of an order of Government passed in connection with the promotion of a Serjeant Schoury on the staff of the Civil Engineering College. The order, it will be observed, was passed in the Public Works Department; but, I imagine, the principle involved applies to all departments.

From Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. ROGERS, R.E., Principal of the Civil Engineering College, to E. B. POWELL, Esq., Director of Public Instruction, dated Chepauk, 26th March 1874, No. 699-C.

I HAVE the honour to inform you that Serjeant W. Hyde, the Master of the Special Drawing Class, having the amount of service qualifying for the Warrant Grade is, under provision of Government Order in the Military Department, No. 1,398, dated 20th April 1866, eligible for promotion to the rank of Sub-Conductor.

2. Serjeant Hyde during the time of his employment at the College has performed his duties to my complete satisfaction, and from my personal knowledge of him I can conscientiously certify that his excellent abilities and unexceptionable character thoroughly fit him for the Warrant Grade. I shall therefore be much obliged if you will forward to the Adjutant-General of the Army the enclosed record of the Serjeant's Service, with your recommendation for his promotion.

No. 117.
MEMORANDUM.

SUBMITTED with the Commander-in-Chief's recommendation, and with the intimation that Serjeant Hyde is eligible for promotion to the rank of Sub-Conductor.

(By order.)
(Signed) G. De La P. BERESFORD, Major,
for Adjutant General.

REFERRED to the Public Works Department.
(Signed) L. A. CAMPBELL,
Ag. Under Secy. to Govt.,
for Military Secretary.

No. 339. ORDER THEREON, 15th May 1874, No. 1,306.
ESTABLISHMENT, No. 23.
It is objected in the Public Works Department, that of Serjeant Hyde's total service of five years as Serjeant, the first four and a half years were cancelled by his removal to regimental duty, and that such removal, though at his own request, took place under circumstances which

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do not render it advisable that he should now benefit retrospectively by such cancelled service. The precedent is not one that it is desirable to establish; and it is submitted to the Military Department that the qualifying service of Serjeant Hyde for promotion to the Warrant establishment of the Public Works Department does not properly commence till the date of his last promotion to Serjeant; viz., the 19th June 1873.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

Sect. of 1874 Madras.
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THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT

Dated May 1874

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28th August 1872.

No. 472. Read the following letter from the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 17th August 1872, No. 328-C:—

I HAVE the honour to bring to your notice that Sub-Conductor J. Schoury, Head Drawing and Surveying Master of the Civil Engineering College, is the senior Sub-Conductor on the Public Works list of Warrant Officers, and a vacancy in the rank of Conductor has existed since the retirement of Assistant Commissary (Honorary Captain) Howard, which occurred some short time since.

2. Sub-Conductor Schoury, by his high personal character and his superior abilities, is amply deserving of promotion to the grade of Conductor. I have, therefore, the honour to request that you will take his claims into your favourable consideration, and recommend him for the promotion to which his position in the list of Warrant Officers renders him eligible.

No. 473. ORDER THEREON, 28th August 1872, No. 2,053.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 24.

BEFORE referring this application through the Military Department for the favourable consideration of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the Governor in Council desires that it be intimated to Sub-Conductor Schoury that any further departmental promotion will entail his joining the Public Works Department as a Supervisor; and it is hereby ruled, for future information and guidance, that positions similar to that held by Sub-Conductors Schoury and Milne must be vacated for appointments on the active list of the department on promotion to the rank of Conductor, or continue to be held by them as civilians retired from Military service.

(True Extract.)
(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Principal of the Civil Engineering College.
To Superintending Engineers.
To the Educational Department.
.. Military Department.
.. Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Order

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

Order in the Eastern Herald
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Communicated to the
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(Marschall)
(signed) C. A. Gallen
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From the Director of Public
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The Secretary
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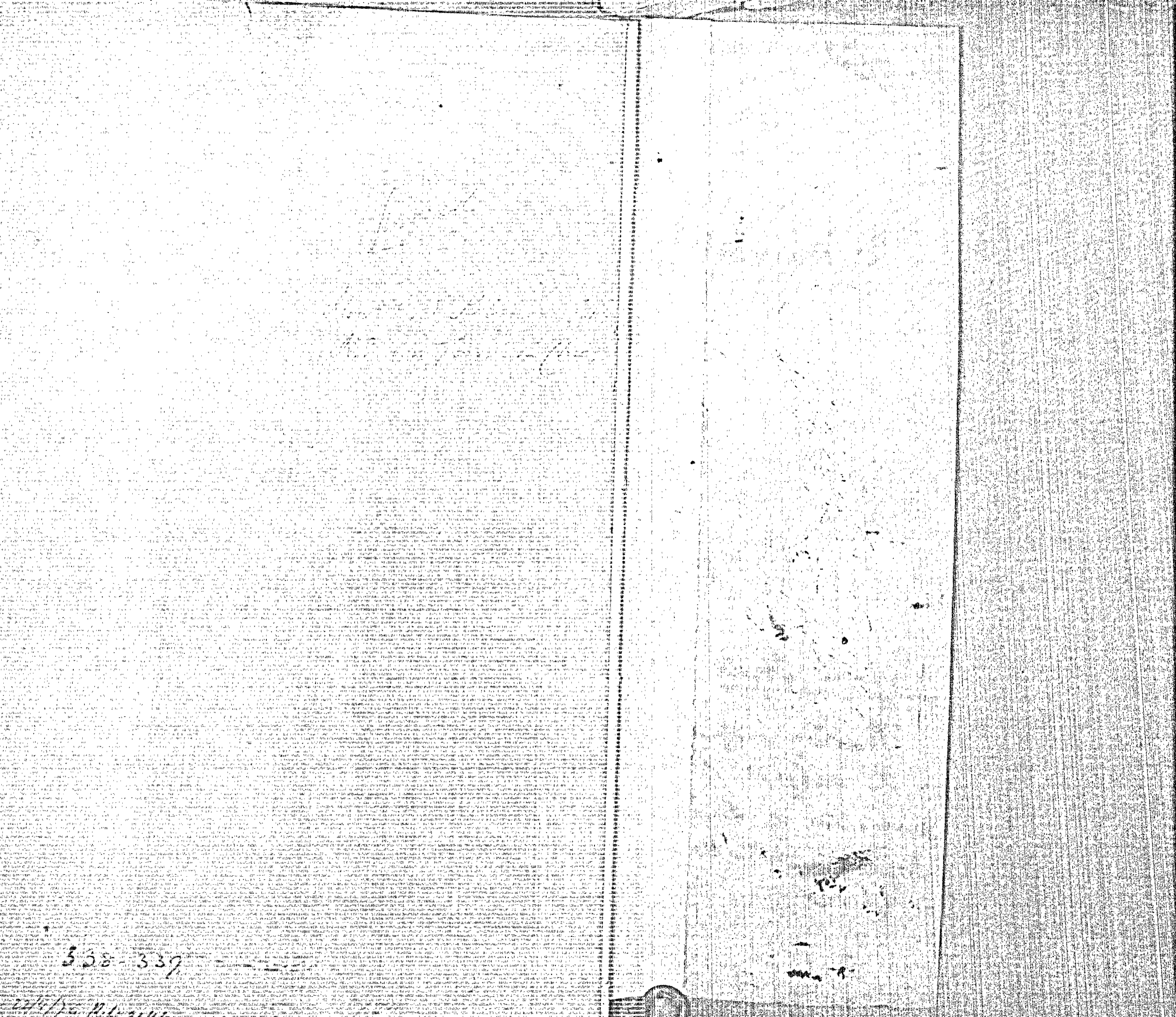
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Capt Rogers letter is one
of the most offensive
public papers I have
seen for a long time. It
mentions as it does most
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another officer in a matter
the facts and details of which
Capt H was in perfect
ignorance of. No doubt Capt
Rogers had some grounds
for what he recorded against
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Sergeant Hyde

Passing orders
on the subject of the
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