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Government of Madras

Public Works DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
29th April 1876.*

No. 436. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel H. T. ROGERS, R.E., Principal, Civil Engineering College, to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 10th March 1876, No. 838 C.:—

I HAVE the honor to inform you that T. Raghava Charry, B.A., a pupil in the Civil Engineering College, at the annual examination in January last passed with great credit the examination for the grade of Assistant Engineer, and that he obtained the degree of B. C. E. of the 1st class from the Madras University, as per Notification, dated 9th instant, page 411.

2. He is accordingly entitled under G.O., Public Works Department, No. 1,237, of the 14th May 1872, paragraph 2, to the grade of Probationary Assistant Engineer, and I have therefore the honor to request that he may be gazetted as such. I shall be also much obliged if you will, if possible, appoint him in the first instance to the Tanjore District, as his family reside there, and his studies at this College have necessitated his absence from his friends for a considerable time.

No. 437. ORDER THEREON, 29th April 1876, No. 1,075.

ESTABLISHMENT, Nos. 34 & 35.

THE Principal of the Civil Engineering College does not appear to have clearly realized the fact that the Government have never pledged themselves to find immediate employment for all who may pass examinations for higher grades than that of Overseer; although it is distinctly stated, in so many words, in paragraph 6 of G.O., No. 1,237, of 14th May 1872, to which he refers.

2. It is not possible at present to entertain any Probationary Assistant Engineers, as the Public Works Establishment has been brought up to more than its full strength by the recent arrivals from England.

(True Extract.)

To the Educational Department.
To District Engineers.

Colonel,
Offg. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

Exd. S. T. Austin,
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With reference to G.O. No 1075 of 29th April, in which the Principal of the Civil Engineering College is informed that the Govt. are unable to provide Naghava Chary B.A., B.C.B. with an appointment in the Engineer Establishment of the P.W. Dept; the Chief Engineer has the honor to intimate his willingness to appoint Naghava Chary to the Upper Subordinate Establishment with the rank of Supervisor 2nd Grade from the date of Sub Engineer Momeappa's retirement on pension, which will be ascertained from the Superintending Engineer Sanjiv, to whom Naghava Chary will report himself for employment.

Wm. G. Walker Major Genl. R.E.
Chief Eng^r P.W. Dept.

Noted
19 April 1876

To
The Supg. Eng^r Sanjiv } with M.O. No 1075
Principal C.E. College } of 19 April 76

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From the Engineering College
to speak to the

Lieut. B. Rogers B.
Principal Eng. Coll.

May 14th 1881
Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

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that Raghava Chariy B.A. pupil
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appointed. I shall be also much obliged
if you will if possible appoint him the
first instance to the same District.

2814: May/72 No 1237

P. M. 18/4/76
From the Principal
of Civil Engineering College
The Secretary to Govt
P. W. Department
Madras
Dated 10/5/76
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Referring that S. S. S. who
passed the degree examination
of B. E. & in the 1st class
in the Indian University
and requesting that he
may be appointed as a
Probationary Assistant
Engineer in the
Madras P. W. Dept.

No 436

RD 8/2/76 29/4/76

Re Civ-24-4-76

Civ-16-4-76- P.W. 24-4-76

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Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the

Read the following—

From,
The Principal
Civil Engineering College } (H. G. No 838 C. of 10 March/76)

The attention of the
Principal of the Civil
Engineering College will
be called to the wording
of the order on which
he rests his demand.
The Government were
careful to guard against
pledging themselves
to provide appointments
for all men who passed
higher qualifying Exa-
minations than that
for the post of Overseer;

Prin. C. E. College
Educ. Dept.
Director of Public Instruction

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R-5 under 29/4/76

Mr. C. 16-3-76

In submitting
the Chief Engineer's
Report on the
claim made by
the Principal
of the C.E. College
for admission
of one ~~graduate~~
~~and~~ B.C.E. of
the University
to the Engineer's
Establishment
of the P.W. Dept.
The Secretary
~~recommends~~ the
original file of
G.O. No. 1237 of
11th May 1872,
on which the
claim is based -
J. S. Raghunath
claim does not
from the Chief Engineer

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report, appears
to be correct for
want of a vac-
ancy, except
for a few months.
But it is reported
fully submitted
that persons, 2 or 6
of the E.O. taken
together, to make,
and were intended
to make, the
admission of
such candidates
to the Engineer
Grade, conditional
on the strength
of the Service at
the time.

But if this be
not admitted,
it is suggested
that the proviso
be now made
in terms of
limiting of

Dear Sir,
 I have the honor to acknowledge
 the receipt of your letter of the
 11th inst. in relation to the
 matter of the W. & A. Co.
 and in reply to inform you that
 the same has been forwarded to
 the proper authorities for their
 consideration.

I understand the fact
 there are few principles
 of administration in
 vogue there that no
 one can be 20 million
 in the United States
 that - I understand
 the United States
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 mine the whole lot
 of the same

Carlson

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Dept Code No.
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1876, has re:
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numbers of
Civil Students
to be admitted of
to the 1st Dept. of
of the Civil Engineer
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Hon: R. L. Ellis C.B.
- Sir W. Robinson K.C.S.
His Grace the Governor.

*Super-
elective staff*

Mr 2nd is the correct
job + advocate - the
manner or deal with
one passed man in the
then cannot seriously
influence the Education
Question 2/4 MR

I think this question to
must again be discussed
in Council - for it seriously
affects our Civil Engineering College
& the Standard of Education
to be maintained -

We can continue as at present
a superior class with the
prospect of immediate em-
ployment in the higher grade.

We can maintain this
superior class - with the
distinct understanding that
it will not necessarily lead
to employment in the higher
grade -

Or we may do away with
the highest class and only
educate for, & give employ-
ment in the lower grades

20/4/76 MR

Rd Madras 29/4/76

No. 1075

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 29th April/76.

Read the following:-

From
The Principal of the } P.W.D. No 838 C d 10th March/76
Civil Engineering College

See note overleaf

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John

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Ed. Steph.
St. Louis.

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Depd 10/5/16

5 dep^d to W. E. Yajiro. 29/4/66.

recent arrivals from
England.

One original note by Secy.
with Chief Asst. 29/6/76.

N^o 436/37

R^o to Madras 29/6/76.

1. There is at present (say April) an excess of over 50: establishment of
- 2 Executive Engineers, 1st grade, which by next Promotion Day, 1st Sept. will (so far as can be foreseen) be reduced to 1. Ex. Engr. 1st grade by Majors Hunter & Smalley going home, and Major Prendergast coming on to the Establishment.
2. There is an excess of 1 Ex. Engr. 2nd grade which will be cancelled by Capt. Pringle's going home in May.
3. There will be a vacancy of 1 Ex. Engr. 3rd grade caused by Mr. Henderson's going home in June.
4. There is an excess of 2 Ex. Engrs 4th grade

which will be answered
to a deficit of

1 Ex. Sup. 1st Grade -1
by Messrs Pringle & Wilson
going home, and a
promotion being made
within 1st Grade -

5. One promotion may acc-
ordingly be made from
the rank of Asst. Surg.
to that of Executive Engineer
on 1st September. Mr.
Northman's going home
in June -

6 - Messrs Brickwell, Martin
and Bell, Asst. Surgs 1st Gr.
are all going home before
1st Sept., which will involve
4 promotions from the 2nd
Grade, reducing the excess
of 5 in that grade to only
2 1 - And the complement
of Asst. Surgs 3rd Grade being
3 short, there will ultimately

be 2 vacancies in the 2nd
of Asst. Engineer. Filled
up on 1st September -

One of these must be given
to Northman in preference, B.C.E.
then a Prob. Asst. Engineer,
and there will yet remain
2 vacancies unfilled -

It is possible however that
these calculations may be
vitiated by the return of
Mr. Walsh. Ex. Sup. 2nd Grade
in July - But he is not then
expected to extend his leave -

Note also, that 2 applica-
tions for leave have been
received since this subject
was committed for report -

The conclusion is that
J. S. Raychowdhari B.C.E. (senior)
be admitted as Prob. Asst.
Surg. sometime between Jan-
uary and Sept., without the num-
bers of the Engineer Staff

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Govt. of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

Dated

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Encl.

a. o. 29 April 1876, No. 1075

Nos. 436/37.

S. Ragava charry
To A

Passing order on
letter from the Principal,
of the C. S. S. College re:
- requesting that _____
may be appointed as
a Probationary Assistant
in the P. W. Dept.