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and Honorary Assistant
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his willingness to accept
a temporary Engineership,
and withdraws his
memorial to the Secretary
of State praying for a
modification of the
rules under which he
is debarred from promotion
to the permanent Engineer
establishment.

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if it be found possible
and desirable, Mr.
Ottmann will be nominated
for a temporary Engineership
in due course.

25-4-84 ✓

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No: 1483 Wd/14-6-84
1484

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Cd. 11-6-84
6-6-84

Subscribed Regd
6-6-84

C.A.W.

There appears to be some confusion here on the part of C.L. & W. Ottmann. They talk of "temporary Executive Engineer." I take it that temporary Engineerships were offered by India. a sub-engineer would probably be made a temporary Assistant Engineer, not an Executive Engineer. Am I right in this supposition? It should be made clear to all concerned.

C.S.
9-2-84

To S.W.

Mr Ottmann was offered the appointment of Temp. Ex. Eng. 4th Grade. He would be benefited by being made a Temp. Asst. Eng.

R.S.
9-2-84

The file appears incomplete - Please has it completed

To S.W.
Please see paper added
R.S. 9-2-84

General

Secretary

C.A.W.

Recd draft letter
to India informing that Mr
Ottmann has withdrawn his letter
declining the offer of a temporary
appointment. — C.A.W.

13-2-84

To B.W.

Mr Ottmann does not
say whether he with-
draws his Memorial.
An express assurance
on this point is, I
think, necessary?

R.S.
13-2-84.

That is to late I fear. On
1.10.83 India was requested to
forward the Memorial to S. of S.
and they must have been submitted.

C.A.W.
13-2-84.

To B.W.

The principal grievance
set forth in the Memo-
rial is the bar now
existing to promotion
in the Permanent
Engineers Establish-

ment. The offer of a
temporary post was
intended as a com-
promise. The temporary
appointment cannot,
I think, be conferred
unless Mr Ottmann
withdraws his claim
to a permanent post.

R.S.
13-2-84.

Call on Mr Ottmann for the
necessary assurance. C.A.W.
14-2-84.

Secretary

W. A. Lister.

Birmingham Canal
Central Sub-District
Mendars. 5th February 84

From.

Mr. T. Obenham
My. Capt. Engineer P.W.D.
Mch. Canal, Red River

To.

Major R. R. E. Drake, Kitchener B.
Executive Engineer
Birmingham Canal D.

Re.

On the occasion - last August -
that the Government was pleased

*G.O. No. 23114 of
16 August 83, on
part. of India
letter No. 9646
of 10 July 83, con-
nected with
L. Engr. No. 1420
of 20 August 83.

sequently refused the appointment.

*My letter No. 578
of 28 Aug. 83 to
L. Engr. -

Therefore request to be permitted to
withdraw the refusal of the appoint-
ment that the Government desired
to bestow.

I have the honor to submit that
you will be so good, as to convey
the above, very respectfully, to the

Secretary

to offer me, - with the
My. Capt. Engineer, "Ten-
perary Executive Engi-
neerships", I concluded
all very many times the
difficulties that the
personal involved, conse-
quently refused the appointment.
I have understood the
intentions of the Govern-
ment, in the various
times proposed, and do

No. 3167
5/2/84

Ref. 5553
7.2.84

SW 12/11/84

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Submitted to the
Superintending Engineer
5th Circle with reference
to this Office No. 1052 dated
31st August/83 for disposal.

Frederick Bucknall

Major R.E.
Executive Engineer
Buckingham Canal
6 February 1884
resp 7-4

No. 3879

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
5TH CIRCLE, MADRAS,
Chepauk, 8th February 1884.

From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

5TH CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer
P.W.D.

SIR,

Enclosures.

I have the honor to forward a
letter dated 5th instant from
Honorary Assistant Engineer Mr.
Ottomaw, in which he requests
that he may be permitted to with-
draw his letter pleading to accept
the offer of the appointment of
temporary Executive Engineer
as sent with my letter No. 208
dated 3rd September 1883.

I have the honor to be
Your most Obedt Servt
Ans. Brender
J. P. B.
Superintg Engineer
5th Circle

Co. B 2768 Waj 3-10-83
2769
u 2311 Waj 16-8-83

Memor
No. 363 C. J. M. Deptt
Chaparral 15th February

The Sup. Eng. II
Circle is requested to
ascertain from Mr.
Ottmann, with refer-
ence to his letter of the
5th February 84, whether
he intends that his
Memorial to the Secre-
-tary of State, praying
for a modification
of the rules under which
he is debarred from
promotion to the per-
-manent Engineer
Establishment, should
be withdrawn.

(B.O.)

per B.O.

J.R.W.

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W. J. V.
To The L. & I. Circle

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From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

5TH CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer
P. W. D.

Dated 8th } February 1884
Recd. 9 }

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ENCLOSURES. 1

No. 363 Cap 15-2-84

No. 3879

Honorary Asst. Engineer
Mr. Ottmann - Forwarding
a letter from - requesting to be
permitted to withdraw his
letter declining the offer of
Temporary Executive Engineer.

Sub. Recd. Deptt.

To S.W.

Ch. No. 1211-2071

If this case goes to the
G. of I, it will apparently
be necessary to nominate
Mr. Ottmann to one of
the Temporary Ex. Engineer
ships now vacant.
The recent letter, however,
proposing to appoint
Asst. Engrs to these
places seems to alter
the position?

N.S.

7.3.84.

To W.

Mr. Ottmann withdrew of
his Memorial came up to be
dealt with after the proposal to ap-
point and by the time the vacant post
has been provided to G. of I.

I do not think it is necessary
to nominate Mr. Ottmann to one of
the Ex. Engineer ships. I take it that
the offer was made simply because
there was a difficulty in finding a temp.
Ex. Engr - if this difficulty is removed
by G. of I. according to an request a satisfactory
solution has been found, & Mr. Ottmann,
whose promotion would not be a satisfactory
solution - for from it - loses the temporary ship
simply from having depend on the term which
is quickly over. He has now changed his
mind, but I would not go back on the
move we have made. - C.S. 1/3

C. B. 2760

No. 1344
29.2.84

No. 3397
3-3-84

Mitcham Canal
Central Pub. Div.
Dublin. 20 Feb. 84

From.

The Officer in charge
Central Pub. Division

To

The Executive Engineer
Mitcham Canal Co.

Sir

In reference to the Memorial
dated 10.8.83 of 15 Instants, of the
Sgt. Chief Engineer R.W.D., and your
subsequent Memo No. 2181 of 20
Instants. Since the honor to state,
that my letter of 5 Instants, is a
withdrawal of the "Memorial". I have
the future, to the kindly intentions
of the Chief Engineer and of the
Government, on my behalf. And the
quest you will be so good, as to
submit this letter to the Sgt. Chief
Engineer, through the Sup. Engineer.
I am Sir

W. J. O'Connell
Sgt. Capt. (Ret. D. A.)
and O. L. B. 69.

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5-8-84

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No. 4181

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE
5TH CIRCLE, MADRAS,
Chepauk, 6th March 1884.

From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

5TH CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer
P. W. D.

SIR,

Enclosures. /

With reference to your
Memorandum No. 363 dated 25th
Ultimo, I have the honor to for-
ward a letter dated the 28th
Ultimo, in which Honorary As-
sistant Engineer Mr. Ottmann
states that he intends his Me-
morial to the Secretary of State
to be withdrawn.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt Servt
A. W. Henderson
Suptg Engr
5 Circle.

A. No 2311 W 7 16-8-83
" 2768 W 7 3-10-83
2769

Q. 6- No 1155 W 7-5-84
" " 1295 W 23-5-84
" " 1296 W 23-5-84

From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
5TH CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer
P.W.D.

(12)

Dated 6th } March 1884
Recd. 7 }

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Honorary Asst Engineer
Mr. Ottmann - Forwarding
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of State.

P.S. 22/6.

No. 1483 W

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 14th June/84

Read the following

From the Supg. Eng^r V Circle H. E. No 3879 dated 8th Feb/84
Do Do Do No 4181 dated 6th March/84

Ordered that
the Govt of India be
addressed.

H. E. No 1484 Wd/14th June/84

To

The Secy to the Govt of India
P. W. (D.)

Sir,

Adverting to
my letter No 2768 W
dated 3rd October 1883,
I am directed to state
that Mr. S. W. H. Ottmann,
Sub.

V Circle

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13/6

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M.
14/6

Subd. Sect. Reg.

6-6-84