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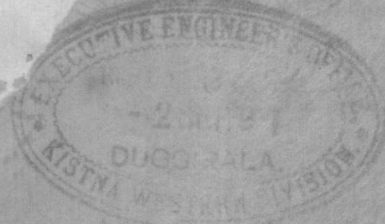
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No. 583

Mestun
Sub-Division Office,
Station. Chibrola
Dated 28.8. 1891

FROM THE OFFICER IN CHARGE
Mestun Sub-Division

TO THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER
KISTNA WESTERN DIVISION

24/8/91

SIR,

Enclosures.

I have the honor to inform
you that I got promotion to Asst.
Engineer 1st grade in January 1885,
and Mr. A. T. Mackenzie in March
of the same year and consequently, I
was getting my temporary promotion
to Executive Engineer 1st grade before
him and my reversions therefore
after him till about a year ago;
but from that time forward,
I find the case to be the reverse
as will be quite plain from a
perusal of the Despatch list of
Establishments just received. I am
doing hard work in an

heaviest sub Divisions with
Presidency And it is extremely
discouraging to find that for this
hard work I am superseded by
one whom I have been had to

Consider my junior. Of late there
have been a number of reversions
in my case all of which could
not have fallen to my lot had
I not been superseded. Therefore
request that if you and the Supg.

Cyriers do not think it unfit,
my case may be represented to
the Chief Cyrier so that I may
be restored to my place in the
order of seniority and be
getting my information in that order.

I am, Sir,
Yours obediently

G. M. S. S. S.

Gopalakrishna
S. S. S.

From the Executive Engineer, Western
Division to the Superintending
Engineer, 2nd Circle, No 309 S, 2/10.9.91

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I have the honor to forward letter
No 583 dated 28.8.91 from Mr S.
Gopalakrishna in original & to request
that if the facts of the case agree with
Mr S. Gopalakrishna's presumptions,
he may be favored with the reasons
for his being superseded.

It may be that Mr Mackenzie
was appointed Assistant Engineer 2nd
grade before Mr Gopalakrishna was
promoted to that grade & that Mr
Gopalakrishna was promoted first
to Assistant Engineer 1st grade owing
to Mr Mackenzie not having passed
his examinations, in which case,
I presume, Mr Mackenzie would

resume his original position in the
list as soon as he passed his
examinations. The information to
decide this may perhaps be
available in your office.

Encl. on

N^o 1399 H. of 17.9.91

Forwarded to the Chief
Engineer, Public Works Department,
for Consideration.

I am on
Supt. Engineer,
2nd Class
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Memo No 3428 of 10.8.90
2067 of 11.6.91

From
The Superintending Engineer,
II Circle.

Memo No 1729 of 20.6.90
for A No 333 of 16.6.90
Memo No 2428 of 18.5.90
2067 of 11.6.91

To
The Chief Engineer,
P.W. Department,
Madras.

Dated 17th September 1891.
No 21-9-91

No 1399 K.S.

Encl: one - S.S. & Co.
Letter

Gopalakrishna Chav. S. Mr. Engr.
In charge of Western Division of Madras District.
Forwarding letter of Engr. K.S. on
letter from - for consideration as to his
supercession by Mr. A.T. Mankuzin.

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For draft letter to
India regarding Mr
Massengie submitted.

The date 1-4-90 was
the first occasion on which
Mr Massengie was promoted
before Mr Gopal Krishna
Aiyar, & the letter was
reverted from the same
date to enable the former
to get the rank - The
letters were finally
notified only in June
of the present year
as correspondence has
been going on with
C. & the G.O. regarding
promotions administered
Vice Mr de Winton.

G.O. No 333 of 16.6.90
was not communicated
to India, & reference
to it has therefore been
inserted in pencil in
the margin of para 2
of the draft.

Yes

C

2-11-91

But I thought all

order connected with
the progress of the
work was sent to
India; this one
where all others should
have been sent -

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Ham. 6-4-91.

Dr

9/6/91

Mr MacKenzie
has been placed before
Mr Gopal Krishna Aiyar
for promotion, & after
him for revision,
under W's orders.

For orders.

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21.7.91

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For orders.

YOB

22.9.91

Let me have the original
report connected with
the J. O. or my report
regarding the formation
of the Prison Department.

I think there was a
reference to the H. O.
regarding Mr MacKenzie.
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Letter from the S.E. II (File No. 1399 K.S. a)

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Note by the Chief Engineer P. W. B. —

In consideration of the exceptionally good service rendered by Mr. Mackenzie in connection with the Perijar works the undersigned has recommended that he should not be allowed to revert to his permanent rank of Asst. Engineer. This view has been accepted both by Lord Canning and ^{by} H.E. the present Governor and whenever a reversion has been necessary which would under ordinary circumstances have affected Mr. Mackenzie, the next senior officer, Mr. Gopala Krishna

2. The Hon. Mr. Stokes in his note on the draft of G.O. suggested that Mr. Mackenzie should be permanently promoted to the rank of Executive Engineer, which would have caused him to supersede not merely the one or two men immediately senior to him but ten or twelve others.

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3. This proposal was not pressed in deference to the objections of the officiating Secretary, which ^{were} was to some extent shared by the undersigned.

4. It is unfortunate that Mr Mackenzie's immediate senior is a native of India which may give colour to the suspicion that the latter is persected.

over on account of
his nationality; it
may be said at once
that this is not the
case; the undersigned
will be prepared to
recommend precisely
similar action in the
case of Messrs Whitely
and Medlicott who
stand above Mr
Gopalakrishna Iyer
should further ^{revisions} ~~reference~~
be necessary.

5. At the same time it must be admitted as a hardship that an officer who has rendered such wholly exceptional service as Mr Mackenzie can only be rewarded at the expense of others who have done all that they had the opportunity of doing, and this hardship is intensified by the fact that the normal rate of promotion

among the junior officers of the Dept. is at present so slow that any additional retardation except in the case of an absolutely incompetent officer is much to be regretted.

6. To show how great the present stagnation is as compared with the rate in previous years, it may be mentioned that the undersigned, who never received any special or exceptional promotion, was ~~an~~ Executive Engineer 4th grade (permanent) after 4½ years' departmental service, 3^d grade after 6½ years, and 2^d after 12½. At present the junior 4th grade Executive Engineer (permanent) has fourteen years

service, 3^d grade the same, and 2^d grade seventeen years.

It is particularly in promotion from Asst. Engineer to Executive that the present rate is so slow.

7. Five senior officers (Col. Smith & Fraser, and Messrs. Mansson, Garratt and Washer) are expected to return from leave during the next three months, and only one (Col. Smalley) is known to be contemplating applying for leave during that period, which will cause the resignation of four more officers from Executive Engineer to Assistant.

8. Under these circumstances the undersigned submits for consideration

whether the Govt of India might not be asked to sanction Mr Mackenzie's permanent appointment as a supernumerary permanent Executive Engineer 4th grade until such time as he would be promoted in ordinary course, so that his services may be rewarded without injury to others.

8. So far as Mr Gopala Krishna Syer's present application is concerned it is suggested that he may be informed that it was ^{not} considered desirable that Mr Mackenzie should report to Assistant Engineer, and that the perversion must

Therefore fall upon Mr Gopala Krishna Syer who was next above him in seniority.

J. B. J. Col. R.E.,
Chief Engineer P.W.D.

Camp.
Trichinopoly. } 29/6/94
October 1. 1891. }

For Orders.

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I agree with the above remarks & proposals. Mr Mackenzie seems fully deserving the modicum of promotion they have received & justify what has been done.

Wes

7 Oct.

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H/W

For Orders

The Hon^r Mr. J. H. G. S.
By Hon^r the Governor

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No 2963 Wdy 6th Nov/91

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

Letter from Mr. S. Gopalakrishnan Esq. No. 583 D. 28.8.91
Encl^d from the Super^r Secy II. Circle No. 1399 H.S. 9. 17.8.91
Note by the Chief Secy No. 1-10-91

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His Hon^r the Gov^r

in Council observes that
in consideration of the exceptional services
rendered by Mr. Mankar, it was decided
that he should be promoted to the rank of Asst. Secy.
and that the revisions referred to therefore fall
upon Mr. Gopalakrishnan Esq., who was the next
above him in seniority.

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31st.
HCS
20/10/91*

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20/10/91*

*I think Mr. S. G. R.
addressed as supported by
K. C. R. 24/9
W/
31 Oct.*

2. The Govt of India will be
addressed on the subject of Mr.
Mankar's promotion.

1.10.91

S. S. II Circle 20/11

*CC
H. S. 14-2964 W. 8.6.11 Nov/91*

The Hon Mr. R. S. Tolson
The Hon Mr. J. H. Chandler
U. S. J.
R. H. Am the Governor

H. 2964 W. 2. 6th Nov/91

To
The Secy: to the Govt. of India
P. W. D.

Sir,

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With reference to the
enclosed extract from
proceedings of this Govt.,
I am directed to solicit
the sanction of the Govt. of
India to the permanent
promotion of Mr. A. J.
Mackenzie, Assistant
Engineer 1st Grade, to the
rank of Executive Engineer
1st Grade, as a supernumerary
until such time as he
would be promoted to
the latter rank in
ordinary course.

2. The circumstances are
explained in the Chief

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H. E. 27-10-91.

Engineers' note recorded
with the Proceedings
submitted; Mr Mackenzie's
services ⁱⁿ connection
with the Periyar Project
have again and again
been praised in the
highest terms by the Chief
Engineer and have received
the warm commendations
of this Government.

+ Vide Pros dated 16 June
1890, No 333 I, copy
enclosed.

3. At the same time
His Excellency the Governor
in Council, while considering
that an officer who has
rendered such admirable
service should not be
allowed to revert to the
position of an Asst. Eng^r,
recognises the hardships
of promoting him at

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at the expense of other
officers who have done
satisfactorily whatever work
has fallen to them, and
it is to avoid this hardship
that the proposal now
made is submitted.

4. Mr Mackenzie at
present stands 11th on the
list of Asst. Engineers
not counting those who
hold substantive pro tem
rank as Executive Engineer,
and in the ordinary course
of events it will probably
be four years before
he attains the latter rank
permanently. His present
service is ten years and
two months.

5. Should the proposal

now submitted be
sanctioned I am to
request that it may have
effect from the 1st April 60;
this date is selected as
being the first on which
it was necessary for an
officer senior to Mr.
Mackenzie to revert to
Assistant Engineer in order
to enable the latter to retain
the rank of Executive Engineer.

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No. 2963-64 W. J. M. Mackenzie

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