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The humble Petition of
A. R. R. R. formerly
signaller in the Electric
Telegraph Department of
Madras residing at
Chintalapudi on Lawry
Street Street Door
No. 94.

Respectfully Sheweth

That your Petitioner was
employed in the Electric Telegraph
Department from 1854 to December
1859 as a Signaller and that he had
earned the good opinion of the Officers of
that Department as will be seen from
the accompanying Copies of Certificates
granted to him by two successive Insur-
pectors in Charge of the Madras Office
in the years 1855 and 1857. In the middle
of the year 1859 Petitioner was directed
to proceed to Ceylon but because of
the failure of his health owing to tiring
night duty he had obtained leave of
absence

admission in Medical Certificate and
continued on leave until the end of the
year. When finding that his constitution
would not stand the change of climate
which a constant moving about from
station to station would bring about
and as a signaller is required to be
prepared to start to any place he may
be ordered. Petitioner was necessitated
to resign his situation in the Telegraph
Department.

He has succeeded in the
mean while in renovating his health, but
lacks that his entrance into the service
of Government in any other Department
and promotion therein, barred by the
Unconscientious service examination rules.
Your Petitioner therefore humbly prays
that he may be permitted to be enter-
tained in any Department of Government
and may secure promotion therein like
any other Servant of Government in
consideration of his protracted service of
upwards of 6 years in the Telegraph
Department and further that your
Petitioner may have the privilege ac-
corded to him of Combing the Service

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proposed in the Telegraph Department
as continuous to that of any other
Department he may be entertained
into. He pays the grant more
particularly in consideration of his
health having broken down because
of the harassing nature of the duties he
had to perform which necessitated his
resigning his post and losing all the
benefits of the labor and expenses in
bestowed in qualifying himself for the
peculiar duties of the Electric
Telegraph Department.

For these acts of con-
sideration your Petitioner as in duty
bound shall ever pray.

Madras
25th January
1863

March 25 January 1864

To

J. P. Croft Esq

Chief Secretary to Government

Fort Saint George

Sir

I respectfully beg your
will be pleased to submit the ac-
companying Memorial to the Honorable
the Governor in formal praying for
a recognition of my past services
in the Electric Telegraph Department
and that you will favor me with
the orders of Government thereon -
made to my seeking employment
in any other Department of Government

Obed leave to remain

Sir

Your most Obedt Servt

N. R. Raman

