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Court of Wards.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ~~BOARD OF REVENUE~~,

Dated 25 July 1872.

Read the following

No. 234.

From W. S. Whiteside Esqre
Acting Collector of North Arcot.

To J. Grose Esqre
Secretary to the Court of Wards.

Sir,

Adverting to Court's Proceedings dated 22nd Octr No 3706, I have the honor to state that Captain Rogers the Acting Principal Civil Engineering Officer in his letter dated 24th Idem informs me that no Student of that College is competent to take indefinite charge of works connected with the Minor Estates of Arni.

2. I quite concur with Captain Rogers in supposing that the services of some Experienced Subordinate of the D.P.W. should be placed at my disposal.

3. I therefore request that you will be good Enough to obtain the Sanction of the

the Court for appointing one from P.W.D. as I am not aware of any person who can be Entrusted with the works in this Estate. I request the Court will appoint one and order him to join forthwith.

4. Herewith forward a Copy of letter received from Captain Rogers.

North Arcot
Meeters Office
Camp Arnee Nugger
5 June 1872

I have &c
(Signed) W. S. Whiteside
Acting Meeter

No. 16

From Captain A. T. Rogers R.E.
Acting Pr. & C.E. College

To W. S. Whiteside Esqre
Acting Meeter of North Arcot

Sir

With reference to the Proceedings of the Court of Wards under date 22nd Instant, I have the honor to point out to you that no Student of the College

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College is immediately on leaving the institution Competent to take independent charge of works of any importance such as those connected with the Irrigation Works of the Jaghire.

The Students on completing their course of study though well acquainted with the theory of Engineering have no practical Experience whatever and to give any of them sole charge of the irrigation works of the Jaghire would be a complete failure & the Student as well as the interests of the Estate would suffer.

I would strongly recommend that the services of some experienced Subordinate of the Department Public Works whose ability and integrity have been proved in that Department should be temporarily placed at your disposal.

I have &c
Civil Engineering College
Chepauk 24th May 1872

(Signed) A. T. Rogers. R.E.
Acting Principal C.E.C.

(True Copy)
(Signed) W. S. Whiteside
Acting Meeter

The Court of Wards resolve to apply to Government for the services, during

the time that the Arni Estate may be under their charge, of J. Rathnavelu Mudali, now Overseer in the Vellore Range, who has been recommended therefor by the Acting Superintending Engineer, and who it is stated is willing to serve under the Court.

2. Colonel Moberly informs the Court that there is a strong feeling prevailing that if a man is absent from the Irrigation Branch of the Department of Public Works on the 1st October, there is danger that he may be overlooked in the reorganization of the Department which is believed to be impending. The Court therefore specially request that in the Event of Rathnavelu Mudali's services being temporarily placed at their disposal, he may be retained on the strength of the Department and allowed a lien on his present or a similar appointment.

3. In order that his services may count for pension, he will be allowed a salary of Rs 125 per mensem, which will give him Rs 100, after the prescribed deduction on account of pension.

And

and will receive batta & or travelling allowance in accordance with the Rules of the D.P.W.

(True Copies & Extracts)
(Signed) H. E. Stokes
Acting Sub Secretary

To the Secretary to Government D.P.W.

(True copy)
H. E. Stokes
Acting Sub Secretary

To the Chief Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

W. H. W. Locker
Capt. Madras Staff Corps

Revenue 1872 Dept.
No 2484 Court

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SUBJECT.

Applying for Services of Chubsear Rajnarain Mudali of Vellore Range as Head Assistant Inspector, for Employment as Amine Jaghire during the time that that Estate is under charge of Court of Wards. Forwarded

Rajnarain Mudali
Vellore
Amine Jaghire

Wards to Collr 1st Sept 72