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Deputy Conservator's office  
Buddalore  
8<sup>th</sup> January 1875

From

The Deputy Conservator  
of forests, S. Arcot

To

The Collector of  
South Arcot

Sir,

I have the honor to request you  
will be good enough to forward this my  
application for privilege leave for 3 months  
from 5<sup>th</sup> April 1875 or from such date  
after as I may avail myself of the leave.

2. I have taken no leave since  
my return to duty on 28<sup>th</sup> August 1871.  
& consequently have 40 months continuous  
duty against my name and am entitled  
to the above 3 months under Section 12  
Supplement F of the Civil leave code.

3. I propose to clear off the  
annual returns of my Range prior to  
giving over charge. and have selected  
April, May and June as being the slack  
time

time on Plantations and the most  
trying portion of the year in this  
District for Forest work.

4. I also trust to be able to prepare  
myself for the Vernacular Examination  
which owing to the continuous demands  
of duty on me, I regret to say, I have  
not yet passed.

5. In conclusion, I beg you  
will be good enough to recommend  
that this leave be granted to me as I  
really feel that I require change and  
rest for a time. I believe in no other  
District in the Presidency has the  
Forest officer to travel by road, to  
such distances as myself.

I have &c  
Wg<sup>d</sup> / H. L. Wooldridge  
Dy Commr. of Forests  
/ True copy /

J. H. Austen  
Collector.

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For letter from the Commr.  
for Forests. Dated 17  
22 January 1875. W.

Chert.  
J. H. Austen. 22/6/75.

Camp Salavasa

17<sup>th</sup> January 1875

My dear Garetin.

Your D.O. of 14<sup>th</sup> about  
my leave reached me this  
morning. I am very much  
obliged to you for your hint  
about promotions and for  
your kind suggestion to  
take "earlier leave"

I do think it is advisable  
that I should try to get leave  
earlier, and I should wish  
to change the date of  
commencement of it, to the  
10<sup>th</sup> February (inclusive) instead  
of the 5<sup>th</sup> April as I wrote in  
my letter of application, for  
taking from the 10<sup>th</sup> February  
would give me nearly 2 months  
before next quarterly examination

The closing of the official  
year and its accounts, however,  
will

will perhaps interfere with  
my obtaining 3 months as I  
proposed to do. But if you  
think the season would make  
no matter & that I should be  
likely to get 3 months, I would  
still apply for 3 from change of  
date, otherwise would content  
myself with 2 months which  
Board would admit of my  
returning to duty on 1<sup>st</sup> April -  
I am at all late for despatch  
of annual returns.

I am most anxious not  
to lose this opportunity of  
promotion, if by good fortune  
there is one for me. For want  
of having passed, and would  
beg you to represent that I  
am preparing for the examinations  
and certify to my qualification  
as a Forest Officer in other  
respects when I hope I should  
be given an acting step, subject

perhaps to confirmation or  
cancellation on my passing  
or not within a certain time.  
in the event of the Promotion  
list being likely to come out  
before I could go off for examination.

Truly Yours

J. G. Lamb  
Collector

SOUTH ARCOT.

No.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.

Camp Canoor  
22<sup>d</sup> January 1875.

From

J. H. Carstin Esq.  
Collector of South Arcot.

To

J. Grose Esq.  
Secretary to the  
Board of Revenue  
Madras

Sir,

In forwarding copy  
of a letter from the Deputy  
Conservator of Forests of this  
District W<sup>o</sup> 12 dated 8<sup>th</sup> Instant  
applying for privileged leave,  
I have the honor to state  
that in a demi official  
communication to me of  
a subsequent date Mr.  
Worlidge requests the leave  
may be given to him from  
the 10<sup>th</sup> February instead of  
from the 5<sup>th</sup> April and is  
content to take two instead  
of three months, to be availed  
of

of which a  
copy of an  
extract is  
enclosed.

I enclose from the  
Collector of South Arcot  
22<sup>d</sup> January  
1875

Ms. 330/75

Direct.

Madras 26/75.

of from the 15 February next.

2 I beg most strongly  
to recommend that privilege  
beve for three months be  
granted him from the  
above date, as, in my  
opinion, he has right  
well earned it.

I have the honor to be

Sir,  
Your most obed<sup>t</sup>. servant

A  
J. H. Gault  
Collector

For. Sec. Gen.  
Act. Genl. Office  
15 February 1875

The enclosed Declaration  
of Mr A. C. Woodbridge of  
Conservation of Forests S. Arcot  
is herewith forwarded as intimate  
in this office Report upon his  
Application for 3 months leave  
leave leave on the 26th ult.

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W. Roden  
Dep. Sec. Genl.  
To the Secretary to Govt.  
Rev. Sec. Genl.

For. Sec. Genl. No. 27  
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Submitted through the

Secretary General, for the former  
all consideration of Government.

1. The Collector should obtain  
from Mr Woodbridge the usual  
declaration required under Rule I  
of Section 22 of the Civil Service  
Code and forward it direct to  
the Secretary General.

Revenue Board Office } 103 by Order  
Madras } 26 January 1875

Accountant General's Office  
Recd 27  
Adsd 1 1875

By Acting Under Secretary

Chert  
No. 6. 1875.  
SOUTH ARCOT.

From

The Collector of

South Arcot.

To The Secretary to the  
Board of Revenue Madras

Dated 22 January 1875

Received 25 January 1875

ENCLOSURES. 2

No.

Subject

Recommending  
that Mr. Woodbridge  
the Sec. Conservation  
of Forests be granted  
3 months leave from the 1st  
of February next.

1875.

Eligible for three months privilege leave  
under Section 12 of the Government of S. & the  
Civil Service Code.

It will be observed that  
the Board of Revenue have called upon  
the Collector to obtain from  
Mr Woodbridge and forward to the Office, the  
necessary Declaration, which  
will be forwarded to Govt. when received.

W. Roden  
By Secy General

To the Secretary to Government

Rev. Secy Genl.

1691, 1875

I declare that I have no  
intention of retiring, or of  
taking furlough, special  
leave, or leave on private  
affairs, or medical certificate  
for 3 months after my  
return to duty

5th February 76 W Woodbridge  
Cuddalore Deputy Commissioner  
Forest, S. India

No. 330

Revenue 1875-Dept.

From

The Accountant General  
Madras

Dated 27<sup>th</sup> Jan'y. 1875.  
Recd. 28<sup>th</sup> Jan'y. 1875.  
No. 136.

Reports on apprehension  
of W. Worbridge Esq. J.P.  
of Freda L. Arest, for  
3 months privilege Case  
No. 226

sanctioned in  
Council 2 Feb/75  
2<sup>d</sup> Feb/75 C.W.