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In Collected Works

In Tarbell

May 6, 1861.---Letter to Secretary Chase.
Executive Mansion, May 6, 1861.

Hon. Secretary of the Treasury.

My dear Sir: I am told there is an office in your department called "The Superintending Architect of the Treasury Department, connected with the Bureau of Construction," which is now held by a man of the name of Young, and wanted by a gentleman of the name of Christopher Adams.

Ought Mr. Young to be removed, and if yea, ought Mr. Adams to be appointed? Mr. Adams is magnificently recommended; but the great point in his favor is that Thurlow Weed and Horace Greeley join in recommending him. I suppose the like never happened before, and never will again; so that it is now or never. What say you?

Yours truly,
A. LINCOLN.

Change the subj - put Adams
in a print - an explanation