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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 2331 Press Mis.

210-11

Dated 14. 9 1871.

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No. 210. Read the following letter from the Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Telegraph,) to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, (Railway,) dated Simla, 19th August 1871, No. 327-T.—

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letters noted on the margin submitting (1) an estimate, amounting to Rupees 25,204, for a telegraph from Coimbatore to Metapolliem on the Neilgherry branch of the Madras Railway; and (2) a revised estimate, amounting to Rupees 2,73,136, for renewing the telegraph posts on 410 miles of the South-West Line of the Madras Railway from Madras to Beypore.

No. 1,060, dated 15th April 1871.
„ 1,094, „ 19th „ „

2. In reply, I am to state that the Government of India desires to construct a telegraph on these lines, and to lease to the Railway Company the wires required for its use on terms similar to those arranged with the Oudh and Rohilkund Railway Company, a copy of whose license was forwarded to you with this office No. 328-T., dated 9th August 1871, and I am to request that you will obtain the consent of the Railway Company to this arrangement.

3. The materials which the Railway Company have got out from England for the re-construction of the line from Madras to Beypore and any serviceable materials now on that line will be taken off their hands by the Government Telegraph Department, and I am directed to request that a complete list of those which the Government Telegraph Department should take over, including all charges for freight, etc., may be submitted to the Government of India.

No. 211. ORDER THEREON, 14th September 1871, No. 2,331.

TELEGRAPH, No. 4.

COMMUNICATED to the Consulting Engineer for Railways with reference to the under-mentioned orders.—

G. O., No. 1,059, dated 15th April 1871.
„ „ 1,09[illegible] „ 19th „ „

2. Major Prendergast will intimate to the Agent of the Madras Railway the decision of the Government of India conveyed in paragraph 2, and the concurrence of the Company in the contemplated arrangement should be obtained.

3. It will be observed that the Government Telegraph Department will be instructed to take over all telegraph materials which may have been got out from England for the re-construction of the line between Madras and Beypore and other serviceable materials belonging to the line now in stock upon a complete list of the articles with their prices being furnished.

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,
Under-Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Consulting Engineer for Railways.
Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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To,
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Govt of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Secretary Govt for Railways

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Dated

Read

G.O. 14 Sept. No. 2331.

Nos. 210 & 211

Telegraph on the Beilshemy Branch line - Letter from the Govt. has been proposing certain arrangements in connection with the construction of the telegraph on the Beilshemy branch line the renewal of telegraph posts on the B.N. line of the Madras Ry.

G.O. 15/9/71.