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Government of Madras.

DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
4th March 1872.*

No. 53. Read the following letter from the Acting Consulting Engineer for Railways, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 20th February 1872, No. 90 :—

With reference to letter from the Government of India, No. 68-G. R., dated 17th January 1872, I have the honour to submit the Agent's statement of the approximate receipts, expenses, and profits of the Great Southern of India Railway for the half-year ended the 31st December 1871.

From the Agent of the Great Southern of India Railway, to the Acting Consulting Engineer for Railways, dated Negapatam, 16th February 1872, No. 4,384.

In compliance with the wish of the Government of India, communicated in your letter No. 45 of the 3rd instant, I have to report the following as the result of last half-year's working :—

	RS.
Receipts	4,08,455
Expenditure	2,30,516
Net Profits	1,77,939

In comparison with the corresponding period of the previous year open mileage being the same, the receipts show an increase of... 22,679

And the expenditure of 2,766

the net profits were therefore... 19,913

in excess of those during the half-year ending 31st December 1870.

2. The increased receipts are due entirely to an improved passenger traffic, the goods traffic having slightly fallen off.

No. 54. ORDER THEREON, 4th March 1872, No. 584.

RAILWAY, No. 9.

ORDERED that these papers be forwarded to the Government of India with reference to their letter, dated 17th January 1872, No. 68-G. R.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. CARPENDALE, Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

No. 55. DOCKET No. 585, dated 4th March 1872.

COPY of the above forwarded to the Government of India.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

Railway Deptt

Cons: Engineer's off.

No 90

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From

Major H. L. Prendergast R.E.
As Cons: Engineer for Railways

To

Colonel J. C. Spence R.E.
Secretary to Government
Public Works Deptt
Fort Saint George

Sir,

With reference to

G.O. No 316
dated 1st
February 1872

Letter from the Government of India,
No 68 G. O., dated 17th January 1872.
I have the honour to submit the
Agent's statement of the approximate
receipts expenses and profits of
the Great Southern of India Railway
for the half-year ended the 31st
December 1871.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

H. L. Prendergast Major R.E.

As Cons: Eng^r for Railways

Madras 3
20th February 1872

Oct 1st 1872 R 29.30

R. W. 1872 Depart
From No. 921.
The Ogden House
for 1 day
of the day to land
R. W. S.

Dated 20th 9/7/72
R. W. 22nd 8/6/72

Encl. No. 90

Submitting
Agenda statement
of the approximate
expenses
for the G. S. M.
I R. J. for the hall
Year ended 31st

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No. 584 with 585 - 4/2/72

to the 1st of June with reference to their letter
of 17th Jan'y/72. No 68 H. R.
to the Comptroller
of the Treasury
No. 585 of
copy of which are forwarded to
the 1st of June
No. 584/72
J. J.