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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
3rd October 1873.*

No. 57. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. M. SHAW-
STEWART, R.E., Consulting Engineer for Railways, to Colonel G. W.
WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department,
dated Madras, 12th September 1873, No. 483 :—

I HAVE the honour to submit an estimate* of the cost of providing a through
siding at the Pothanore Station on the
South-West Line of the Madras Railway,
and of removing a water column. A
plan accompanies the estimate.

	RS.	A.	P.
* Indian ...	1,427	11	0
English ...	4,665	5	0
	6,093	0	0

2. The Agent and Manager quotes

as follows from a communication received from the Traffic Manager :—

"The through siding at Pothanore is required to enable the branch train
engine to run round the train and shunt the vehicles, which are now run through
between Madras and Mettapollium, from the branch train to the main line train."

"I shall be glad if the Chief Engineer can be permitted to commence the
work at once, as since the branch was opened throughout on the 1st instant, the
want of a through siding is very much felt."

3. Funds to meet the departmental expenditure are available from the item
"works not specially provided for" in Schedule C. of the Budget Estimate for
1873-74.

4. I have satisfied myself as to the necessity for the siding, and in
recommending that application be made to the Government of India for sanction
to the estimated expenditure of Rupees 6,093, I have the honour to report that
I have authorized the commencement of the work in anticipation of sanction.

No. 58. ORDER THEREON, 3rd October 1873, No. 2,432.

RAILWAY, No. 11.

ORDERED that the plan and estimate
submitted with this letter be forwarded
to the Government of India, and that

confirmation be requested of the orders authorizing the commencement of the
work.

(Here enter No. 2,433, dated 3rd October 1873.)

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Consulting Engineer for Railways.

Exd. W. H. French.
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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
OOTACAMUND, 3rd October 1873.

No. 59.

No. 2,433.

FROM

COLONEL G. W. WALKER, R.E.,
Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Public Works Department.

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
Public Works Department.

RAILWAY, No. 12.

SIR,—I am directed by His Excellency the Governor in Council to submit for sanction the accompanying plan with estimate, amounting to Rupees 6,093, for constructing a through siding and removing a water column at the Pothanore Junction Station of the Madras Railway; and, looking to the urgent nature of the work, I am to request confirmation of the orders issued by the Consulting Engineer for the immediate commencement of the work.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. W. H. French.

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GOVT. OF 1873
PUBLIC WORKS,

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
FORT SAINT GEORGE.

Under Order of the Government,
No. 10, and dated 1873, 10th Decr.

ORDERED
1873

Estimated for construction of a branch line from
Pothanore station to the station of the
Railway, and for the removal of a water column
and for the construction of a water column
immediately commencing at the station.

Railway Department.

CONSULTING ENGINEER'S OFFICE.

No. 1483

From

LIEUT.-COLONEL J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, R.E.,

Consulting Engineer for Railways,

To

COLONEL G. W. WALKER, R.E.,

Secretary to Government,

Public Works Department,

Fort Saint George.

SIR,

I have the honour to
submit an estimate of the cost of providing
a through siding at the Pothanore station
on the South-West line of the Madras
Railway, and of removing a water column.
A plan accompanies the estimate.

2. The Agent and Manager
quoted as follows from a communication
received from the Traffic Manager:-

'The through siding at
'Pothanore is required to enable the
'branch train engine to run round the

'train

• train and shunt the vehicles which
• are now run through Selam and Madras
• and Allettapollam from the branch train
• to the main line train.

• I shall be glad if the
• Chief Engineer can be permitted to
• commence the work at once as since the
• branch was opened throughout on the
• 1st instant, the want of a through
• siding is very much felt.

3. Funds to meet the de-
-partmental expenditure are available
from the item "Works not specially
provided for" in Schedule C of the
Budget estimate for 1873-74.

4. I have satisfied
myself as to the necessity for the
-siding, and in recommending that appli-
-cation be made to the Government of
India for sanction to the estimated
expenditure

expenditure of Rs 6000, I have the
honour to report that I have autho-
-rised the commencement of the work
in anticipation of sanction.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Yours most obedient servant
Muntzworth L^t Col, R.E.,
Cons. Engineer for Railways.

Madras
12th September
1873
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Sd
R. B. P.

No 2432

Pro. of the Madras Govt.

Read the following:-

From the Madras Ry. (P.E. No 483 of 12 Sep/93)

Ordered that the Plan and Estimate submitted with this letter be forwarded to the Government of India and that confirmation be requested of the orders authorizing the commencement of the work.

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H.E. No 2

The Comg Engr for Railways, S.C. Engrs Dept.

The Secretary to the Government of India, Secy. Janu directed by His

Md 18/9

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT

From The Consulting Engineer for Railways, No 5031.

To The Secretary to Government, P. W. Department, Fort Saint George.

Dated 12th September 1893.

Rev. 2. No. 483

Submitting a plan of an estimate of the cost of providing a through siding at the Pottanore station on the C.P. line of the M. Ry. No 2432 of 30 Sep/93.

Recd. 13/10/93 B. 20

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His Excellency the Governor
in Council to submit for
sanction the accompanying
plans, with estimate
amounting to Rupees 6093
for constructing a through
siding and removing a
water column at the Po-
thanoor Junction Station
of the Madras Railway;
and, looking to the urgent
nature of the work, I am
to request confirmation
of the orders issued by
the Consulting Engineer
for the immediate com-
mencement of the work.

Yours

Dupd with the pre-
vious at 2 lines
9/10/73

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Submitting for
sanction plan & estimate
for constructing a through
siding & removing a water
column at the Pothanoor
Junction Station of the
Madras Railway and
confirmation of the orders
issued by the Consulting Engineer for
the immediate com-
mencement of the work.

His Excellency the Governor

C/5031

Govt. of 1873 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The Consulting Engineer
for Railways
and
To the Secretary to the
Govt India

Date

Place

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G. O. 3^d Oct. 1873 2432-2033

Nos. 57-58-459

Sanction
Pothanore Station, Madras

Railways. Plan and
estimate for constructing
a through Siding and re-
moving a water Column
at the Station ordered
to be forwarded for the
sanction of the Govt of
India and Confirmation
requested to the authority
granted for the commencement of
the work.