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5th August 1874.*

No. 123. Read the following letter from Colonel H. DRUMMOND, R.E., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Railway,) to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, (Railway,) dated Fort William, 8th July 1874, No. 1,545-R. :—

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your docket, No. 1,606, dated 16th June 1874, forwarding correspondence relative to the disposal of the broad gauge rolling stock belonging to the Great Southern of India Railway Company.

2. In reply, I am directed to request that a return may be submitted of the engines and rolling stock. The date of purchase of the former maker's name, and price as borne on the books of the Company, the cost of the carriages and wagons as borne on the Company's books, whether constructed in England or in India should be stated, and how long they have been running should be shown. The following particulars should also be given :—

Engines —

Diameter of cylinder.
Stroke.
Diameter of driving wheels.
Number of wheels coupled.
Distance of wheels apart.
Do. from leading to driving.
Do. from driving to trailing.
Length over buffers.
Loads on each wheel.
Total weight of engines.
Diameter of boiler.
Number of tubes.
Tube-heating surface.
Fire-box do.

Tenders—

Total weight.
Number of wheels.
Distance of wheels apart.

Carriage Stock.—

Number of each class.
Weight.
Wheel base.
Length over buffers.
Number of passengers accommodated in each class and compartment of a class.

Wagon Stock.—

Number of each kind.
Weight, empty.
Capacity, in cubic feet.
Do. in tons.
Total weight loaded.
Wheel base.
Length over buffers.

3. A list of plant, including trollies, with particulars and prices should also be sent.

4. I am also to invite your attention to paragraph 3 of letter, No. 821 G.R., dated 18th April 1874, and to request an early reply.

No. 124. ORDER THEREON, 5th August 1874, No. 2,157.

RAILWAY, No. 17.

COMMUNICATED to the Consulting Engineer for Railways, who will furnish the information called for in para-

graph 2, and expedite his reply to G. O., No. 1,230, of 8th May 1874.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Consulting Engineer for Railways.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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