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Public Works DEPARTMENT

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27th December 1875.*

No. 469. Read the following endorsement of the Consulting Engineer for Railways, dated Madras, 20th December 1875, No. 665 :—

From R. B. ELWIN, Esq., Agent and Manager of the Madras Railway Company, to Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. M. SHAW-STEWART, R.E., Consulting Engineer for Railways, dated Madras, 10th December 1875, No. 1,226.

I HAVE the honor to enclose, for the information of Government, a copy of paragraph 7 of the Secretary's letter, No. 562, dated the 5th November 1875, in which I am advised of the resignation by Mr. W. Barton Wright of his appointment as the Company's Locomotive Superintendent.

Extract from a letter from the Secretary, Madras Railway Company, No. 562, dated London, the 5th November 1875.

PARAGRAPH 7.—I am directed to inform you that Mr. W. Barton Wright recently, with the knowledge and consent of the Directors, became a candidate for a vacant appointment on one of the English Railways, which he has succeeded in obtaining. He has in consequence tendered his resignation of his present office of Locomotive Superintendent to the Company, which the Board have this day accepted, although regretting much to lose the services of an officer who has for a period of twenty-one years so zealously and efficiently performed his important duties. No time will be lost in selecting and sending out to India a successor to Mr. Wright.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. W. MELLIS,
for Agent and Manager.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government.

2. Mr. Wright entered the Company's service on the 4th January 1855 as Locomotive and Carriage Superintendent, and rose from a salary of £700 to £1,800 per annum.

3. He also acted as Agent and Manager during Mr. Elwin's absence on furlough, from 11th April 1873 to 5th January 1874.

4. Mr. Barton Wright's services have been of very great value to the Company, and his resignation cannot but prove a serious loss. His place will not be easily filled.

(Signed) J. H. M. SHAW-STEWART, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Consulting Engineer for Railways.

No. 470. ORDER THEREON, 27th December 1875, No. 3,636.

RAILWAY, No. 45.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Governor in Council recognizes the great value of Mr. Barton Wright's services, and agrees with the Consulting Engineer that his place will not be easily filled. His retirement

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is the more to be regretted at the present time as it happens just when the services of the Chief Engineer and his Deputy have also been lost to the Railway Company and Government.

(True Extract.)

Major-General, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Consulting Engineer for Railways.

No. 1226

MADRAS RAILWAY.

AGENT AND MANAGER'S OFFICE,

Madras, 10th December 1875

From

The Agent and Manager, of the M R Company

To

Lieut. Colonel J H Shaw Stewart R.E.

Consulting Engineer for Railways.

SIR,

I have the honour to enclose for the information of Government a copy of paragraph 7 of the Secretary's letter No 562 dated the 5th November 1875, in which I am advised of the resignation by Mr. W. Barton Wright of his appointment as the Company's Locomotive Superintendent.

I have the honour to be
Sir

Your most obedient servant

J. W. Nellis.
for the Agent & Manager

Extract from a letter from the Secretary
M. & Co. of 562 dated London the 5th
November 1875.

Paras. I am directed to inform
you that Mr. W. Barton Knight, recently,
with the knowledge and consent of the
Directors, became a candidate for a
vacant appointment on one of the English
railways, which he has succeeded in
obtaining. He has, in consequence, tendered
his resignation of his present office of
Deputy-Superintendent to the Company,
which the Board have this day accepted,
although regretting much to lose the
services of an Officer who has for a period of
21 years so zealously and efficiently per-
formed his important duties. At times
will be lost in selecting and sending out
to India a successor to Mr. Knight.

Yours Extractly

J. W. Nellis

for the Agent & Manager

MADRAS RAILWAY.

From

The Agent and Manager.

To

The Consulting Engineer

for Railways.

From Mr. W. Barton Knight

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Referring to the return
from the service of Mr.
W. Barton Knight,
the Co. does not object.

Mr 8090/
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RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

Consulting Engineer's Office,

Madras, 20th December 1875.

No. 665

SUBMITTED for the information OF GOVERNMENT.

Mr. Wright entered the Company's service on the 1st January 1855 as Locomotive and Carriage Superintendent, and rose from a salary of £700 to £1,800 per annum.

2. He also acted as Agent and Manager during Mr. Elwin's absence on furlough, from 1st April 1873 to 5th January 1874.

3. Mr. Pearson Wright's services have been of very great value to the Company, and his resignation cannot but prove a serious loss. His place will not be easily filled.

W. Maitland

District Engineer,

Cons. Engineer for Railways

To The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department
Fort Saint George.

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Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 27 Decr 1875

Read the following:-

From
The Consulting Engineer
for Railways (Ltr. No 665 of 20th Decr 75)

His Excellency the
Governor in Council
recognizes the great
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RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.
P. W. 1875. 27 Decr

The Consulting Engineer

for Railways,
No 8090

The Secretary to Government,
P. W. Department,
Fort St. George.

Dated 27 Decr 1875
Received 27 Decr 1875

No. 665

Enclosure

Substituting P. W.
information in letter
from Mr. J. C. B. B. B.
reporting the retirement
from the services of
Mr. J. B. B. B. B. B.
and the P. W. Department.

Dec 21-1875

To the Railway Company
and Government

The Comending Officer
will full ascertain and
report whether it is the
agent's intention to
recommend that any
line be ^{Mr. Wright} reported in ~~the~~

place to attend the
Committee on
ing and diverting
troops and war ma-
terials from
Railway trains; or
whether he will be
satisfied that the
Company be super-
vised by the
Manager

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the Consig. Dept. in P. H. district
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