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Read the following papers —

No 653 Endorsement of the Officiating Consulting Engineer for Railways, dated
Madras, 21st August 1876, No 419.

From W ELDER, Esq, Acting Consulting Physician, to R B ELWIN, Esq, Agent
and Manager of the Madras Railway Company, dated Madras, 19th August
1876, No 267.

I REGRET to have to report that cholera has reappeared at the Huggry. Two of
the coolies were attacked on the 17th instant. I have written to the Apothecary to
give sanitation his best attention and to endeavour, as far as possible, to prevent the
spread of the disease.

2 I purpose making my inspection of the North-west Line next week, and
will thereafter report on the state of the Huggry.

No 840.

To the Consulting Engineer for Railways for information.

(Signed) R B ELWIN,
Agent and Manager.

19th August 1876

SUBMITTED for the information of Government

2 Further particulars will follow.

3. Reports of the previous outbreak of cholera at the Huggry bridge are
recorded in the orders of Government noted below—

No. 990, dated 21st April 1876.

„ 1,079, „ 29th „ „

„ 1,183, „ 12th May „

(Signed) C. J. SMITH, Major, R E,
Officiating Consulting Engineer for Railways

No 653-A. Endorsement of the Officiating Consulting Engineer for Railways, dated
Madras, 22nd August 1876, No 423.

From W. R. ROBINSON, Esq, Acting Chief Engineer, to R. B. ELWIN, Esq,
Agent and Manager of the Madras Railway Company, dated Madras, 19th
August 1876, No 624.

I BEG to subjoin the following report received from the Resident Engineer, 3rd
Division, North-west Line (HB No. 516, dated 18th instant) regarding the reappear-
ance of cholera at the Huggry bridge —

“I regret to say we have cholera at Huggry again. One woman is doing well.
One East Indian died. Two coolies now *in extremis* in our epidemic shed.

“There were six cases yesterday in the village of Boodyall, which nearly adjoins
our premises, one fatal.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
30th August 1876. No 2,291.

"The moment the first case was reported to me as suspicious, I wrote to the Collector, who ordered precautions to be taken, as the village is filthy in the extreme. He also tells me that he gave orders to Mr Firth, the Tahsildar, late last night on receipt of a note from me, 'to expend what amount of money he might consider necessary upon sweepers, &c, to try and keep the village of Boodyall clean.'

"Mr Lee has been trying to establish a quarantine, and I have sent money to the Apothecary to feed up his patients that no panic may arise.

"There were no fresh cases when I was at Huggry this morning. We have men watching our coolies, and sweepers are spread about and a maistry watching them."

No. 844.

To the Consulting Engineer for Railways for information in continuation of my endorsement, No 810, of the 19th instant.

MADRAS,
21st August 1876

(Signed) R B ELWIN,
Agent and Manager.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government in continuation of this office endorsement, No. 419, dated 21st August 1876.

(Signed) C J SMITH, Major, R E,
Officiating Consulting Engineer for Railways

No 654

ORDER THEREON, 30th August 1876, No 2,291

RAILWAY, No 70.

RECORDED, and communicated to the
Public Department.

(True Extract)

Colonel,

Offy Under Secy to Govt, P.W.D

To the Public Department
" Consulting Engineer for Railways

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N^o 267

Madras Railway Company
Consulting Physician's Office
Madras 19th August 1876

The Agent and Manager
Madras Railway Company

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2. I purpose making my inspection of the North West Line next week and will thereafter report on the state of the Huggry.

I am, Sir,

Yr^{ly} William Elder

Acting Hon^{ble} Physician

(True copy)

W. B. Elder
Agent and Manager

N^o 840

The Consulting Engineer for Railways
for information 19th August 1876

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No. 844

To the Consulting Engineer for Railways for information in continuation of my endorsement, No. 840, of the 19th instant.

MADRAS,
21st August 1876.

(Signed) R. B. ELWIN,
Agent and Manager

Submitted for the information of Government in continuation of this office endorsement, No. 419, dated 21st August 1876

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I am, Sir,
Yr. Obedt. Servant
Wm. Elder
Acting Cons. Physician

(True copy)

The Agent and Manager

N^o 840

The Consulting Engineer for Railways
for information 19th August 1876

P.W.D.

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No 419

SUBMITTED FOR THE INFORMATION OF GOVERNMENT

2. Further particulars will follow.
3. Reports of the previous outbreak of Cholera at the Huggly bridge are recorded in the orders of Government noted below.

No 970 dated 21st April 1876
" 1079 — " — 29th — "
" 1103 — " — 12th May — "

CONSULTING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,

Madras, 21st May 1876

1876

Consng. Engineer for Railways.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Public Works Department,

Fort Saint George

From

MADRAS RAILWAY

The Agent and Manager

To

The Consulting Engineer

for Railways

Dated 19th August 1876

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Off. No. 841

Specimens of the soil
affected by cholera
at the Huggly bridge

804-4-76-1150.
 29-4-76-1079
 12-5-76-1153.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT

From 1872-1876
 The Consulting Engineer
 for Railways

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

Dated 27th Aug 1876.

Received 27th Aug 1876.

No. 419

Enclosures

Reporting re-
 appearance of Cholera
 at Huggary Bridge.

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 11/15

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 Refd to Govt 13-8-76

Mr. Endicott
 10624

Madras Railway Company
 Chief Engineer's Office
 Madras 19th August 1876

The Agent and Manager,

Dear Sir,

I beg to subjoin the following report
 received from the Resident Engineer's Division
 North West Line (H B No 516 dated 18th instant)
 regarding the re-appearance of Cholera at the
 Huggary Bridge

I regret to say we have Cholera at
 Huggary, again

One woman is doing well

one East Indian died

Two coolies now in extremes in our epidemic
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There were six cases yesterday in the village
 of Roadyall, which nearly adjoins our premises,
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panic may arise."

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at Haggery this morning. We have men
watching our coolies and sweepers over a bread-
about and a man staying watching them"

Yours faithfully,
W. R. Robinson
Chief Engineer

1 True Copy

W. R. Robinson
Chief Engineer

Op 844
The Consulting Engineer for Railways
for information in continuation of my
endorsement of 840 of the 19th instant

Madras
21 August 1876

MADRAS RAILWAY

From

The Agent and Manager

To

The Consulting Engineer

for Railways

Dated

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Recd

No

P.W.D.

22 1876

*Regarding the
reaffirmance of
orders at the
Mugany Boudy*

*Done 21st August 1876
Recd 22
C.E.J. No 844*

From
To
The Agent and Manager
The Consulting Engineer
for Railways

MADRAS RAILWAY.

No 423.

SUBMITTED FOR THE *information* OF GOVERNMENT.
*in continuation of this office endorsement
No 419 dated 21st August 1876*

At Smith

CONSULTING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
Madras, 22nd August 1876. } *offg.* Consq. Engineer for Railways.

Major R E.,

To

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
Fort Saint George

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Despd 19/9/76

P.W.D.

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RAILWAY DEPARTMENT

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From

The Consulting Engineer
for Railways,

To

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

Dated 22nd Aug 1876
Received

No. 423

Enclosures. 1.

Submitting further
letter in reply upon
the appearance of
Cholera at the Staying
Hills

Cc - 20-05/6-20-05-76
Desps to 605-23-8-76

N^o 2291

Public Works Department

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the

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Read the following —

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The Cons^g Engineer for
Railways

(H.C. N^o 419 d/21st Aug^r 1876)

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Recorded and com-
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Dept. The detailed report
promised by the Consulting
Physician will be awaited.

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No. 652-654

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