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No. 238. Read the following endorsement of the Consulting Engineer for Railways,
dated Madras, 7th November 1876, No. 542:—

MADRAS RAILWAY.

MINUTES of a Meeting held at the Agent and Manager's Office, Royapooram
Terminus, on Wednesday the 25th October 1876.

PRESENT.

Major C. J. SMITH, R.E., Deputy Consulting Engineer for Railways.
Major P. LAMBERT, R.E., Examiner of Railway Accounts.
Mr. W. R. ROBINSON, Acting Chief Engineer, Madras Railway.
Mr. H. E. CHURCH, Traffic Manager, „
Mr. F. H. TREVITHICK, Locomotive Superintendent, „
Mr. F. CHURCH, Chief Auditor, „
Mr. J. CRAMP, Chief Accountant, „
Mr. R. B. ELWIN, Agent and Manager, „

A statement of the claims paid during the month of September 1876 was
submitted and payment was sanctioned as under:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Amount paid on account of claims during the month of Sept. 1876...	212	15	1
Deduct—Amount recovered to the credit of this account during September 1876...	111	6	6
	101	8	7

2. Bills amounting to Rupees 64,865-8-4 for stores purchased in the month of
September 1876 were submitted for examination and were passed for payment.

3. An application for the following cash advances for the month of October 1876
was submitted to the Consulting Engineer with the Agent and Manager's letter,
No. 1,028, dated the 10th October 1876:—

	Capital.			Revenue.			Total.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Cash balance on 1st August 1876 ...	74,901	8	0	7,377	8	11	82,279	0	11
Amount received in August „ ...	60,000	0	0	2,80,000	0	0	3,40,000	0	0
Total ...	1,34,901	8	0	2,87,377	8	11	4,22,279	0	11
Amount actually expended in August 1876... ..	1,10,929	1	0	2,03,591	15	9	3,14,521	0	9
Balance in hand on 1st Sept. 1876.	23,972	7	0	83,785	9	2	1,07,758	0	2
Amount received for September „	1,40,000	0	0	2,00,000	0	0	3,40,000	0	0
Total ...	1,63,972	7	0	2,83,785	9	2	4,47,758	0	2
Estimated expenditure in Sept. 1876.	96,570	10	9	2,05,694	13	3	3,02,265	8	0
Do. balance on 1st October „	67,401	12	3	78,090	11	11	1,45,492	8	2
Amount now applied for ...	1,00,000	0	0	2,00,000	0	0	3,00,000	0	0

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4. It is requested that credit may be afforded on the following treasury :—

	Capital.	Revenue.	Total.
	RS.	RS.	RS.
Bank of Madras	1,00,000	2,00,000	3,00,000

5. Authority was given for the temporary employment of fourteen additional watchmen at Rupees 6 each per mensem, beyond those sanctioned in the Police Establishment list for the current half-year. This temporary addition to the staff is rendered necessary by the fact that large quantities of grain are now being carried over the line in consequence of the scarcity which prevails in various districts of the Presidency.

6. Authority was given for passing in the accounts a charge of Rupees 967-0-3 incurred in transshipping goods over the breaks on the North-west Line caused by the floods of October 1874.

7. The Agent and Manager reported that "Tenders had been invited by advertisement for the supply of rafts for landing heavy machinery from vessels in the roads, and that the only offer which had been received was that of M. Soobroya Chetty, son of the Company's late raft contractor, and who has himself carried on the contract since his father's death.

M. Soobroya Chetty offers to carry on the contract upon the same terms as those of his father's contract, and the Committee agreed that a new agreement for three years from the 1st of November 1876, should be entered into with him upon those terms, viz. :—

	RATES.
	RS.
For a large raft of thirty logs to land five tons per trip	15
For one bar boat for the day to attend a small raft (whether the raft makes one, two, three, or four trips) as per Government Regulations ...	10
For one bar boat for tying and untying a small raft	7
For a large raft of seventy logs to land locomotive engines per trip ...	40
For two bar boats for the day to attend a large raft	20
For a small raft to land tenders of locomotive engines per trip	20
For one bar boat for the day to attend a small raft engaged in landing tenders of locomotive engines	10
For one bar boat for tying and untying a large raft	10
For cooly hire for tying and untying a small raft	10
For cooly hire for tying and untying a large raft	15

8. Tenders, which had also been invited by public advertisement, for the supply of 1,000 candies of castor-oil to the Company were opened and considered, and that of C. Veerasawmy Chetty being the lowest was accepted at Rupees 58-8-0 per candy.

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

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

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SUBMITTED for the approval of Government.

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

No. 239. ORDER THEREON, 14th November 1876, No. 3,047.

RAILWAY, No. 36.

APPROVED.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Consulting Engineer for Railways.
" Examiner of Railway Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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MADRAS RAILWAY.

Minutes of a Meeting held at the Agent and Manager's Office, Royapooram
Terminus, on Wednesday the 25th October 1876.

PRESENT.

Major L. J. Smith, R.E. Dy. Cons. Engineer for Railway
Major P. Lambert, R.E. Examiners of Railway Accounts
Mr. W. R. Robinson, Asst. Chief Engineer Madras Railway
Mr. H. E. Church, Traffic Manager — do —
Mr. H. W. Greithick, Secy. Superintendent — do —
Mr. J. Church, Chief Auditor — do —
Mr. J. Cramp, Chief Accountant — do —
Mr. R. B. Elwin, Agent & Manager — do —

1. A statement of the claims paid during the month of September 1876 was submitted and payment was sanctioned as under:

Amount paid on account of claims } Rs. Rs. P.
during the month of September 1876 } 212-15-1
Deduct - Amount recovered to the credit of }
this account during September 1876 } 111-6-6
Rs. 101-8-7

2. Bills amounting to Rs. 64,865-8-4 for stores purchased in the month of September 1876, were submitted for examination and were passed for payment.

3. An application for the following cash advances for the month of October 1876, was submitted to the Consulting Engineer with the Agent and Manager's letter No. 1028 dated the 16th October 1876.

	Capital		Revenue		Total	
	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.	Rs.	P.
Cash balance on 1 st August 1876	74,901	8	7,377	8	82,279	11
Amount received in August	60,000		28,000		88,000	
Total	134,901	8	35,377	8	170,279	11
Amount actually expended in Aug. 1876	11,092	9	20,591	15	31,683	24
Balance in hand on 1 st September 1876	23,972	7	14,786	9	38,758	2
Amount received for September 1876	140,000		20,000		160,000	
Total	163,972	7	34,786	9	198,758	2
Estimated expenditure in September 1876	96,570	10	20,574	13	117,144	23
Estimated balance on 1 st October 1876	67,401	12	14,212	11	81,613	3
Amount now applied for	100,000		20,000		120,000	

4. It is requested that credit may be afforded on the following Treasury.

	Capital	Revenue	Total
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bank of Madras	100,000 - - -	20,000 - - -	120,000 - - -

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6. Authority was given for passing in the accounts a charge of Rs 67-0-8 incurred in transshipping goods over the breaks on the North West Line caused by the floods of October 1874.

7. The Agent and Manager reported that Tenders had been invited by advertisement for the supply of Rafts for landing heavy machinery from vessels in the roads, and that the only offer which had been received was that of M. Soobroya Chetty, son of the Company's late Raft Contractor and who has himself carried on the Contract since his father's death.

M. Soobroya Chetty offers to carry on the Contract upon the same terms

as those of his father's Contract, and the Committee agreed that a new Agreement for 3 years from the 1st of November 1876 should be entered into with him upon those terms viz:-

	Rates		
For a large Raft of thirty logs to land five tons per trip	15	"	"
For one Bar Boat for the day to attend a small Raft (whether the Raft makes one, two, three or four trips) as per Government Regulations	10	"	"
For one Bar Boat for tying and untying a small Raft	7	"	"
For a large Raft at seventy logs to land Locomotive Engines per trip	40	"	"
For two Bar Boats for the day to attend a large Raft	20	"	"
For a small Raft to land Tenders of Locomotive Engines per trip	20	"	"
For one Bar Boat for the day to attend a small Raft engaged in landing Tenders of Locomotive Engines	10	"	"
For one Bar Boat for tying and untying a large Raft	10	"	"
For Cooly hire for tying and untying a small Raft	10	"	"
For Cooly hire for tying and untying a large Raft	15	"	"

8. Tenders; which had also been

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C. Smith Major R.E.

Deputy Consulting Engineer
for Railways

J. W. Mills
Agent and Manager
Madras Railway.

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C. Smith Major R.E.
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