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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
13th April 1877. No. 1,267.*

No. 315. Read the following endorsement of the Consulting Engineer for Railways, dated Madras, 5th April 1877, No. 207 :—

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, 4th April 1877, No. 565.

With reference to your letter of the 2nd instant, No. 525, I have the honor to inform you that the Consulting Physician is of opinion that the Railway Apothecary at Arconum could not undertake the entire medical charge of the coolies now employed on the line between Arconum and Trivellore. Dr. Elder points out that, in the event of cholera or small-pox breaking out among them, the constant attendance of a medical subordinate would be required ; and he considers that, looking at the large number of coolies employed, there will in the ordinary course of events be ample work to occupy the whole time of an Apothecary, even should no epidemic appear.

2. He therefore suggests that a man should be specially appointed for the work on a salary of Rupees 60 per mensem, and I shall be glad if you will communicate to me the orders of Government upon the subject.

3. In the mean time the Railway Apothecary will render the best aid he can.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government, with reference to paragraph 2 of their Proceedings in the Revenue Department under date the 23rd March 1877, No. 1,208.

2. The Agent has been authorised to engage the temporary services of an Apothecary to be in medical charge of the coolies employed on the doubling of the line between Ambatoor and Arconum.

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

No. 316. ORDER THEREON, 13th April 1877, No. 1,267.

RAILWAY, No. 50.

ORDERED to be communicated to the
Revenue Department.

(True Extract.)

Lieut.-Col., R.E.,
Joint Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.,
Railway Branch.

To the Consulting Engineer for Railways.
" Revenue Department.
Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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Madras, 4th April 1877.

From

Robt B. Elwin Esq.

Agent and Manager.

M.R.C.

To

Lieut. Col. H. M. Shaw Stewart, R.E.

Consulting Engineer for Railways.

Sir,

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3. In the meantime ^③ the
Railway Apothecary will render the
best aid he can.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

H. H. H. H.

Agent & Manager.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
Railway Branch.

Consulting Engineer's Office,
Madras, 5th April 1877.

Letter from Agent, Madras
Railway No. 565, 4th April 1877.

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No. 207

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with reference to paragraph 2 of
their Proceedings in the Revenue
Department under date the 23rd
March 1877, No. 1208.

The Agent has
been authorised to engage the
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to be in medical charge of the
Coolies employed on the doubling
of

MADRAS RAILWAY.

From

The Agent and Manager.

To

The Consulting Engineer

for Railways.

Dated 4th April 1877
Recd. 5th April 1877

No. 565

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