

Public Works (1893) Department.

RAILWAY BRANCH.

G.O., No. 933-4 R

DATED 7th June

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*Minutes of Meeting, Madras Railway. — The
No 4 of 1893 held at Rayaputram on 28th April
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MADRAS RAILWAY.

MINUTES OF OFFICIAL MEETING
AND
STORES COMMITTEE.

No. 4 OF 1893.

HELD AT THE

AGENT AND MANAGER'S OFFICE, RAYAPURAM TERMINUS,

On Friday, the 28th April 1893.

PRESENT:—

LOUIS S. MOSS, Agent and Manager.

A. EDWARDS, Ag. Asst. do.

H. C. WEST, Offg. Chief Engineer.

F. W. READ, Traffic Manager.

A. PILKINGTON, Ag. Loco. Superintendent.

F. DUNSTERVILLE, Chief Auditor.

F. R. UPCOTT,
Consulting Engineer for Railways.

J. LIGHTFOOT,
Examiner of Railway Accounts.

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON THE 24th MARCH 1893, CONFIRMED.

No. 13 The Minutes of the Official Meeting and Stores Committee held on 24th March 1893, for the authorization of expenditure, &c., were approved by the Consulting Engineer and confirmed

GENERAL SANCTIONS.

No. 19. The following sanctions are recorded :—

(A) CAPITAL.

Serial No.	Authority.				Particulars.	Amount of Estimate.	Allotment out of current year's grant.		Date sanction lapses.	Remarks.
	No. of Letter.	Date.	Register No.	Company.			Cash.	Stores.		
15	224	11-3-93	...	Agent & Manager.	Alterations and additions to sidings at Erode.	2,519	424	2,385	30-9-93	The total estimate is for Rs. 2,514. Rs. 94 being chargeable to Revenue.
16	244	14-3-93	41 B. 92-13	Do.	Revised estimate for extension of goods shed, &c., at Coimbatore.	5,138	7	28	30-6-93	The total estimate is for Rs. 5,190. Rs. 52 being chargeable to Revenue. This cancels the sanction recorded in Minute No. 68 of 1892.
17	248	17-3-93	...	Do.	Steam pump at Central Station.	1,537	47	1,490	do.	The total estimate is for Rs. 2,000. Rs. 472 being chargeable to Revenue.
19	315	10-4-93	...	Do.	Alteration of sidings at Feroke.	1,614	787	827	31-12-93	...

(B) REVENUE.

Serial No.	Authority.		Particulars.	Amount of Estimate.	Chargeable to.	Remarks.
	Government.	Company.				
16	Cons. Engr. No. 224 of 11-3-93.	Agent & Manager.	Revenue portion of estimate amounting to Rs. 2,014 for alterations and additions to sidings at Erode.	94 0 0	Abstract A.	
17	Cons. Engr. No. 244 of 14-3-93.	Do.	Do. revised estimate amounting to Rs. 5,190 for extension of goods shed, &c., at Coimbatore.	52 0 0	Do.	This cancels the sanction recorded in Minute No. 68 of 1892.
18	Cons. Engr. No. 248 of 17-3-93.	Do.	Do. of estimate amounting to Rs. 2,000 for steam pump at Central Station.	472 0 0	Do.	
19	Do.	Do.	Gratuities—Schedule B.	1,220 8 0	Departments concerned.	

(C) REVENUE—NEW MINOR WORKS.

Against provision of Rs. 12,500 in the Establishment Estimates for the half-year ending 30th June 1893.

Serial No.	Authority.		Particulars.	Amount of Estimate.	Chargeable to.	Date sanction lapses.	Remarks.
	Government.	Company.					
7	Cons. Engr.	Agent & Manager.	Verandah on south of Locomotive Superintendent's Office at Perambur Works.	915 0 0	Abstract A—6th	30-9-93	
8	Do.	Do.	Three houses for subordinate staff (Traffic Department) at Kamasamudram.	930 0 0	Do.	Do.	
9	Do.	Do.	Do. at Krishnapuram.	884 0 0	Do.	Do.	
10	Do.	Do.	Kitchen for Assistant Traffic Manager's bungalow at Podanur.	390 0 0	Do.	Do.	
11	Do.	Do.	Assistant Station Master's house at Malur.	918 0 0	Do.	Do.	
12	Do.	Do.	Do. do. at Karamadai.	918 0 0	Do.	Do.	
13	Do.	Do.	Do. do. at Kamasamudram.	974 0 0	Do.	Do.	
14	Do.	Do.	Station Master's house at Gangayapalle.	918 0 0	Do.	Do.	
15	Do.	Do.	Goumra at Nagari.	278 0 0	Do.	Do.	
16	Do.	Do.	Flue from lathe shop to boiler shop at Perambur Works.	322 0 0	Do.	Do.	
17	Do.	Do.	Alterations and additions to Telegraph Engineer's bungalow at Arakonam.	569 0 0	Do.	Do.	
18	Do.	Do.	Interlocking level crossing gates at Perambur.	400 0 0	Do.	Do.	
				6,715 0 0			
				Amount brought forward	2,964 9 1		
					11,679 9 1		

LEAVE TO LOCOMOTIVE FOREMAN O. HORROCKS.

No. 20. Read letter from the Acting Locomotive Superintendent, No. B. 211/117, dated 21st February 1893, recommending Locomotive Foreman O. Horrocks for leave of absence for 12 months from 6th May next to enable him to proceed to England to recruit his health. Mr. Horrocks first entered the Company's service in August 1861, but resigned at the end of four years. He was re-entertained in January 1872 and with the exception of four months, in 1883, he has had no leave of any kind during the whole of his service. The Medical Officer having certified that the change asked for is necessary for his health, it was resolved that six months' leave be granted, that the Board of Directors be recommended to make the usual subsistence allowance during that period and that the application for a further period of six months' leave be submitted for the consideration and disposal of the Board.

CONTRACT FOR LANDING AND DELIVERY OF MATERIALS.

No. 21. The Agent and Manager reported that the Chairman of the Harbour Trust Board had expressed his desire to terminate from 31st March 1893, the contract for landing and delivering the Company's stores at Madras, which had been in existence for some years, and that he (the Agent and Manager) had made arrangements with D. Soobkarn Singh, the present Contractor of the Harbour Trust, to carry on the business for the period of one year from the 1st April at the same rates. A sum of Rs. 1,000 has been deposited by him as security.

Approved and ordered to be recorded.

No. 22. Resolved that the following Schedules, A to L, be approved and recorded, and that the total of Schedule B be included in the list of General Revenue Sanctions recorded in Minute No. 19.

SCHEDULE A.

Statement of Compensation Claims paid during March 1893.

Serial No.	Name of Claimant.	Amount claimed.	Amount settled.	Recoveries	Charge-able to Fire Insurance Fund.	Total charge against the Madras Railway.	Remarks.
6	Gillie, Messrs. Pratt & Co.	Rs. 232 0 0	Rs. 22 0 0	7 8 8	...	14 7 9	
7	Items below Rs. 100	319 3 6	306 3 3	85 2 10	137 15 11	37 1 9	* Rs. 43.14 0 is chargeable to General Joint Station account
	Total for month	551 3 6	328 3 3	92 11 1	137 15 11	51 9 6	
	Amount brought forward	...	...	...	...	577 12 0	
	Total for half year to date	...	...	...	...	629 5 6	

SCHEDULE B.

Gratuities and Special Leave to injured employees.

Serial No.	Name.	Department.	Salary or Wages.	Length of Service.	Amount of gratuity sanctioned	Period of Special Leave sanctioned.	Remarks.
27	A. Ragavan	Engineering; Gang Ministry	Rs. 12 0 0 per mensem.	31 3	72 0 0	...	Six months' pay sanctioned under Clause 4 of Government of India Circular No. XIV R., dated 28 8 89.
28	Sonnchellam	Do.; do.	Rs. 10 0 0 do.	30 0	60 0 0	...	Do. do.
29	Venkatasastry	Do.; Brick-layer.	Rs. 20 0 0 do.	21 0	120 0 0	...	Do. do.
30	Mahomed Husuff...	Traffic; Pankash-nan	Rs. 6 0 0 do.	32 0	36 0 0	...	Do. do.
31	P. Rajagopal Mudali	Locomotive; Clerk.	Rs. 30 0 0 do.	32 2	150 0 0	...	Do. do.
32	N. Venkatachellam Pillay	Do.; do.	Rs. 60 0 0 do.	36 11	360 0 0	...	Do. do.
33	P. Veeraswamy Naidu	Do.; do.	Rs. 30 0 0 do.	23 7	180 0 0	...	Do. do.
34	B. Herpolette	Do.; Boiler-smith	Rs. 2 2 0 per diem.	20 0	331 8 0	...	Six months' wages Do. do.
35	E. M. Lovett	Do.; Engine-turner	Rs. 3 0 0 do.	...	...	M. D. 0 4	Subject to confirmation by Local Government under G. O. No. 314 R., dated 8 2 92. Injured on duty by accidentally falling off an engine foot plate.
36	Narayanaswamy	Traffic; Print-man.	Rs. 7 0 0 per mensem.	...	...	3 0	Do. do. Injured on duty.
	Total for month	...	...	...	1,339 8 0	...	
	Brought forward	...	...	...	2,684 8 0	...	
	Total for year to date	...	...	...	4,024 0 0	...	

SCHEDULE C.

Alterations in Rates and Fares.

Rate or Fare altered.	Existing Rate or Fare.	New Rate or Fare.	Remarks.
Nil.	...	...	...

SCHEDULE D.

Monthly Stock Adjustment Memorandum.

Brief details of important fluctuations during current period, viz., those in excess of Rs. 50.

Name of Article.	Excess.		Deficiency.		Remarks.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
Tar, Coal	...	...	Barrels 73 1	Rs. 805 4 3	The Acting General Store-keeper states that the deficiency is due to excess issue of 39 lbs. to each barrel since the last receipt, owing to the issues having been made about 6 inches below the bung without consideration of the weight.

SCHEDULE E.

Tenders accepted.

Name of Article.	Quantity.	Date of commencement and completion of supply.	Special conditions, if any.	Name of Contractor.	Rate.	Security to be deposited, if any.	Remarks.
Firewood	Tons. 1,800	1-3-93 and 28 2 94.	Annas 14 per ton less for lighting wood.	C. Moonaswamy Naidoo and V. Raghava Chariar.	Rs. 6 3 0 per ton	200	Stacked at Arkonam.
Do.	2,400	Do.	Do.	A. G. Kuppuswamy Iyengar	7 0 0 Do.	300	Do. at Ravapuram or Perambur Works.
Do.	3,000	1-4-93 and 31 3 94.	Do.	A. Ramaswamy Moodelliar.	4 1 0 Do.	300	Do. at Jalarpot.
Do.	2,400	Do.	Do.	Yam Pulla Petha Oosain	5 8 0 Do.	300	Do. at Cuddapah.

SCHEDULE F.

Stores purchased.

Article.	Quantity.	Rate.	Amount.	Authority.	Remarks.
Items under Rs. 500 each.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		
General Stores	...	...	1,303 7 9	Agent & Manager	
Engineering	...	...	1,846 10 8	Do.	
Loco Superintendent	...	...	941 2 0	Do.	
Bills for landing and delivery charges	...	...	2,646 1 1	Do.	

SCHEDULE G.
Sales of stores including private work bills.

Article.	Quantity.	Rate.	Amount.	Authority.	Remarks.
SALVAGE. Engineering Department. Old iron rails, 20 feet, 64 lbs., sold to Messrs Binny & Co.					
Items under Rs. 500 each.	50	Rs. A. P. 11 4 0	Rs. A. P. 568 8 0	Agent & Manager.	
General Stores ...	...	...	251 7 8	Do.	
Engineering ...	...	...	468 5 0	Do.	
Locomotive ...	...	...	132 2 0	Do.	
WORKSHOP BILLS. Locomotive Department. Repairing boilers of Messrs Bur- nett and Sons ...					
Items under Rs. 500 each.	...	...	510 7 0	Do.	
Engineering ...	...	...	444 3 7	Do.	
Locomotive ...	...	...	551 15 0	Do.	

SCHEDULE H.

Revisions of estimates and allotments not involving additions to totals of estimates or budget grants.

Name of Estimate.	Proposed Revision.	Revised date for completion, if any.	Transfers.				Remarks.
			Head of Account. Dr.	Amount.	Head of Account. Cr.	Amount.	
Station house at Man- kari.	Re-allocation between Cash and Stores.	...	Cash.	112 0 0	Stores	112 0 0	...
Cabin for working grouped points and auxiliary signals at Jalarpet.	Do.	...	Do.	264 0 0	Do.	264 0 0	...
Extension of platforms at Kadambatur.	Do.	...	Stores.	59 0 0	Cash.	59 0 0	...
Lay-bye at Gudupalle.	Do.	...	Do.	37 0 0	Do.	37 0 0	...
Extension of platforms at Kadambatur.	Additional appro- priation from General Savings.	...	Budget 1902-93.	59 0 0	Extension of platforms at Kadambatur.	59 0 0	Excess over Bud- get allotment (Cash) approv- ed.
Quarters for Traffic staff at Gudupalle.	Do.	...	Do.	152 0 0	Quarters for Traffic staff at Gudupalle.	152 0 0	Excess over Bud- get allotment (Stores) ap- proved.
Well at 230 5 miles near Sankaridrug.	Do.	...	Do.	32 0 0	Well at 230 5 miles near Sankaridrug.	32 0 0	Do.
Two additional lay-byes at Mulanur.	Do.	...	Do.	900 0 0	Two additional lay-byes at Mulanur.	900 0 0	Do.
Sidings, &c., at Olavakode.	Do.	...	Do.	10 0 0	Sidings, &c., at Olavakode.	10 0 0	Do.
Platform and through siding for crossing station at Gudupalle.	Do.	...	Do.	1,482 0 0	Platform and through siding for crossing station at Gudupalle.	1,482 0 0	Do.
Sidings, &c., for loading coal at Salt Cotaurs.	Do.	...	Do.	90 0 0	Sidings, &c., for loading coal at Salt Cotaurs.	90 0 0	Do.
Extension of platform, &c., at Nandalur.	Do.	...	Do.	129 0 0	Extension of platform, &c., at Nandalur.	129 0 0	Do.
One composite carriage	Do.	...	Do.	376 12 10	One composite carriage	376 12 10	Do.

SCHEDULE I.
Works Completed.

Date of com- pletion.	Name of Work.	Reference to sanction.	Amount of Estimate.			Actual Outlay.			Remarks.
			Cash.	Stores.	Total.	Cash.	Stores.	Total.	
			Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1892.	Capital Works.	Minute No.							
Aug.	Sidings, &c., at Olavakode.	166 of 1891	4,469	6,002	10,471	4,468 12 1	2,970 13 8	7,439 3 9	
Do.	One composite carriage.	80 of 1892	2,219 14 7	4,633 1 5	6,853 0 0	2,219 14 7	4,626 5 0	6,846 3 7	
Sept.	Extension of through siding at Tudiyalur.	60 do.	971	1,378	2,349	171 13 6	1,090 12 4	1,262 3 9	
Do.	Extension of platforms, &c., at Kodur.	Do. do.	153	224	377	...	155 7 10	185 7 10	
Do.	Wash-out pit in carriage shed at Gooty.	52 do.	615	945	1,560	621 11 9	593 13 5	1,220 9 2	
Oct.	Running Guard's bunga- low at Erode.	54 do.	2,548	710	3,258	2,536 0 11	540 2 8	3,076 3 7	
Dec.	Extension of platforms at Avadi.	60 do.	1,579	1,151	2,730	1,579 5 5	1,151 0 8	2,730 6 1	
Do.	Six scavengers' huts at Cuddapah.	29 do.	1,204	131	1,335	1,203 15 7	132 15 9	1,336 15 4	
Do.	Well at 210 5 miles near Sankaridrug.	54 do.	536 7 4	1,469 8 8	2,006	536 7 4	1,473 2 11	2,010 10 4	
Do.	Four sheds at west end of carriage shop at Peram- bur Works.	29 do.	4,094	7,271	11,365	4,093 11 7	7,269 13 6	11,363 9 1	
Do.	Alteration of level crossing at Perambur.	63 do.	17,121	1,342	18,463	17,117 2 10	1,311 0 7	18,429 12 5	
1893.	Paving with Portland ce- ment and fixing sky- lights in five bays of carriage shop for use as a paint shop at Peram- bur Works.	70 do.	606	52	1,432	599 5 0	525 7 10	1,423 12 10	
Jan.	Total ..	...	36,116 5 11	26,085 10 1	62,202 0 0	35,146 4 6	22,512 9 2	57,659 13 8	
1893.	Revenue Works.	Minute No.							
Aug.	Revenue portion of esti- mate for sidings, &c., at Olavakode.	106 of 1901	...	...	399	...	...	399 0 0	
Sept.	Do. extension of through siding at Tudiyalur.	60 of 1892	...	...	132	...	...	136 0 0	
Do.	Do. extension of plat- forms, &c., at Kodur.	Do. do.	...	...	1,336	...	...	1,336 0 0	
Do.	Do. wash-out pit in carriage shed at Gooty.	52 do.	...	...	29	...	...	24 0 0	
Dec.	Do. extension of plat- forms at Avadi.	60 1892	...	...	99	...	...	99 0 0	
Do.	Do. alteration of level crossing at Perambur.	63 do.	...	...	1,035	...	...	1,035 0 0	
1893.	Do. paving with Port- land cement and fix- ing sky-lights in five bays of carriage shop for use as a paint shop at Perambur Works.	70 do.	...	...	130	...	...	130 0 0	
Jan.	Total ..	...	...	...	3,154	...	...	3,154 0 0	
1892.	New Minor Works.	Minute No.							
Oct.	Additions to Station Mas- ter's house at Salem.	60 of 1892	...	...	961	...	...	947 8 11	
Nov.	Oil and store room at Pachur.	68 do.	...	...	253	...	...	253 4 2	
Do.	Road from east end of goods shed to Company's boundary at Guntakal.	70 do.	...	...	841	...	...	849 11 4	
Dec.	Extension of Drawing office at Perambur Works.	69 do.	...	...	331	...	...	291 3 1	
	Total ..	...	...	...	2,392	...	...	2,343 11 6	

Excess whether on total of estimate or on cash or stores in any of these estimates to be met out of savings on the total of the class of estimates herein enumerated to which each belongs.

SCHEDULE J.

Works agreed to and for which estimates may be submitted to Government for sanction.

Works.	Estimated expenditure.	Remarks.
	Rs.	
Grouping points at Jalarpet	2,212	
Third line (Nilgiri Branch) at Podanur	5,905	
Eight houses for subordinate staff (Traffic Department) at Renigunta	2,104	
Do, do, at Cuddapah	2,057	
Two double blocks of bungalows for Guards at Jalarpet	8,260	
Double bungalow for Guards at Podanur	4,154	
Two double blocks of bungalows for European and East Indian drivers at Podanur	9,080	
Do, do, at Gooty	11,514	
Proposed lay-by at Coimbatore	2,630	

SCHEDULE K.
Changes in Superior Staff.

Department.	Name of Officer.	Designation.	Nature of change.	Remarks as to authority for change, allowances, passage money, &c.
Engineering	H. C. West ...	Deputy Chief Engineer.	Returned from 3 months' privilege leave on 11th April 1893.	Over stayed two days. Pay not drawn. Leave sanctioned by the Agent & Manager.
Do.	E. W. Stoney ...	Offg. Do.	Resident Engineer on "special duty" from 11th April 1893.	In consequence of Mr. West's return from privilege leave.
Do.	H. R. P. Carter ...	Chief Engineer ...	Two months' privilege leave from 17th April 1893.	File Agent and Manager's letter No. 2261, dated 20th March 1893.
Do.	H. C. West ...	Deputy Chief Engineer.	Offg. Chief Engineer.	During Mr. Carter's absence on privilege leave.
Do.	E. W. Stoney ...	Resident Engineer	Offg. Deputy Chief Engineer.	Do.
Traffic	G. Wallington...	Assistant Traffic Manager.	Special allowance of Rs. 100 per mensem from 7th September to 2nd November 1892 (inclusive) for doing duty at Head Quarters in the temporary arrangements consequent on the death of Mr. L. Gavaghan.	File G. O. No. 11 R., dated 9th January 1893, and para. 5 of Board's letter No. 880, dated 17th March 1893.
Do.	R. Greenall ...	Do.	Do. do.	Do.
Do.	W. Smith ...	Goods Agent ...	Special allowance of Rs. 50 per mensem from 7th September to 3rd November 1892 (inclusive) for being in charge of the Jalarpet Division in the temporary arrangements consequent on the death of Mr. L. Gavaghan.	Do.
Do.	G. R. Byron ...	Assistant Traffic Manager.	Two months' privilege leave from 14th April 1893.	File Agent and Manager's letter No. 2788, dated 8th April 1893.
Audit	W. J. Parr ...	Ag. 3rd Asst. Auditor.	One month's privilege leave from 21st April 1893.	Do. No. 2765, dated 7th April 1893.

SCHEDULE L.
Changes in Subordinate Staff.

Department.	Name of Officer.	Designation.	Nature of change.	Remarks as to authority for change, allowances, passage money, &c.
Traffic	W. H. Bates ...	Station Inspector.	Special allowance of Rs. 75 per mensem from 7th September to 4th November 1892 (inclusive) for doing duty as Goods Agent at Salt Cotaurs in the temporary arrangements consequent on the death of Mr. L. Gavaghan.	File G. O. No. 11 R., dated 9th January 1893, and para. 5 of Board's letter No. 880, dated 17th March 1893.
Locomotive	H. T. Walters...	Boilersmith	Increase of pay from Rs. 213 to Rs. 257 from 3rd April 1893.	File para. 5 of Board's letter No. 849, dated 17th April 1891.

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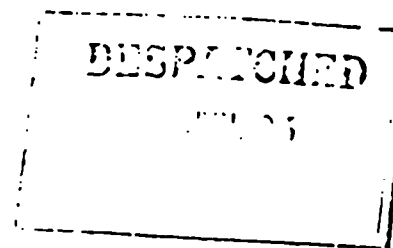
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