

Public Works (1897) Department.

G.O., No. 1049. 50.R

DATED 29th Nov 1897.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Transport by Railway of troops and
their baggage

Ordered that the Govt of India be informed
that the Madras Railway Coy. still desires certain
modification in item 17 of the revised schedule
of rates chargeable for military railway trans-
port

Govt of India informed accordingly

J.C.C. 11/11/97

9.12.97.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

Inquiring whether the
Im. Rep. boys still desire
the modification mentioned
in G.O. no 788 R ds 7-10-97
Re: —

Order

N^o 3431

8/11/97

Copy forwarded
to the agent & manager
Madras Railway for favour
of report with reference to
his letter.

no $\frac{7411}{81}$ of 2^d Feby: 1892

$\frac{9555}{930}$ of 27 Sept 1897

$\frac{9531}{932} \approx 28'$

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Despatched on 8/11/97

No. 804 R.T.
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

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The Joint Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Public Works Department, Railway Branch.

Simla, the 26th October 1897.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No.788 R.,dated the 7th October 1897, stating that the Madras Railway Company is unable to accept the rates mentioned in the Schedule to Government of India Circular No.8 Railway of 1897 against items 17,32 and 33 but that in the case of item 17 the rate will be accepted provided the words "at half the usual fare" are substituted for the words "at the next lower fare".

2. In reply, I am to point out as regards item 17 that in the letter from the Government of Madras No. 368 R., dated 9th February 1892, it was reported that the practice of allowing a servant in attendance on a lady or invalid gentleman, or in charge of children, to travel 1st class on payment of the 2nd class fare, or 2nd class at the intermediate class fare, obtained on both the Madras and South Indian Railways in the case of military passengers travelling under warrant. Both these lines were accordingly included in the footnote (d) to item 17, and I am under the circumstances to enquire whether the ^{railway} Madras will, for the sake of uniformity, adhere to that arrangement, or whether the Company still desire the modification mentioned in your letter under reply.

3. As regards items 32 and 33 I am to invite attention to the remarks in column 7 of the Schedule against those items, from which it will be seen that the rates of $\frac{1}{2}$ pie and $\frac{5}{6}$ pie for the carriage of Commissariat and Ordnance stores respectively, apply only to those lines which are mentioned in the last clause thereof from which the Madras railway has, it will be noticed, been excluded.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

G. A. M. M. M.

Under Secretary.

Documents accompanying:-

Nil.

28/10/97

(No. 1.)

No. 9555

1075

MADRAS RAILWAY.

AGENT AND MANAGERS' OFFICE,

Madras, 22nd November 1897

From

To

Sir,

The Offg. Consulting Engineer for Railways.

Madras.



Admrs Ind of India according

28/10/97

With reference to your memo-
randum N^o 3431 of the 8th instant forwarding
a copy of a letter from the Government of
India dated the 26th ultimo, I have the honor
to inform you that the concession which we
extend to the general public is that servants
may travel in the same class as their
mistresses on payment of half the IInd class fare,
and the same concession has in the past
been allowed to servants of ladies travelling
on Government Warrant or of Invalids.
The statement made in the letter from the
Government of Madras N^o 368 of the 9th February
1892 to which the Government of India refer
in para. 2 of their letter, that intermediate
class fares are charged in such cases, must
have

have been made under a misapprehension
as there is no intermediate class in existence
on this Railway and there never has been.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

R. Edmund.
Agent & Manager.

N^o 1049. Dated 29. 11. 97.
P. W. DEPARTMENT.
Ry. Branch

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following

Letter from the Govt.
of India P. W. Depto } H.E. N^o 804 R.T. of 26. Oct 1897

Letter from the
Agent & Man. Ry. } " " 9555 / 1075 of 22nd Nov 97

The Government
of India will be addressed:

CMK

H.E. N^o 1050. Dated 29. 11. 97.

The Comr. Engrs for Ry.
- Agent & Man. Ry.

30/11/97

Despatched on

MADRAS RAILWAY.

From

The Agent and Manager.

To

The Consulting Engineer

for Railways.

Dated

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Recd.

No.

No. 1050. R

Government of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
RAILWAY BRANCH.

To

THE Secy. to the Govt. of India

P. W. Department
CalcuttaDated the 29th Nov. 1897.

SIR,

With reference to
para 2 of your letter No.
804, R.T. dated 26th October
1897, I am directed to state
that the concession granted
by the Madras Railway
Company to the general pub-
lic is that servants may
travel in the same class
as their mistresses on
payment of 2nd Class
fares for 1st Class and
half 2nd Class fares for
2nd Class passengers & the
same concession has been
and

and is allowed to servants
of ladies travelling on Govern-
ment warrant & to servants
of invalids --

2. I am to inform you that

2. A. Owing to the fact
that there has never been
an intermediate class on
the Madras Railway ~~the~~

~~the~~ ~~Madras Railway~~ my
letter No 368 R of 9th Feb
1892 was not ^{explicitly} explicit.

to state that the Madras
Railway Company still desires
the modification mentioned
in my letter No 788 R of 7th
October 1897 --

3. A copy of the Company's
rules on the subject as pub-
lished in its Guide Book is
attached for ready reference.

MM

Documents Accep: 4/23/197
Copy of the Co's rules
referred

The words just drafted to set
in the letter before the intended
meaning: 7/11

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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RAILWAY.

FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1897.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Office of the Examiner, Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Madras.—Ordered that the Government of India be informed that Mr. A. Grant and Major E. A. Waller, R.E., respectively made over and received charge of the — on the forenoon of the 29th November 1897.	1st Dec. 1897, No. 1055 R.	1st Nov. 1897, Nos. 882-83 R.
Government of India informed accordingly ...	1st do. do. No. 1056 R.	
Land.—Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for raising the embankment for the Bezwada-Madras Railway at Veliceneria Agraharam (village), Kistna district, be published in the Fort St. George Gazette.	1st do. do. No. 1057 R.	
Land.—Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for raising the embankment for Bezwada-Madras Railway in Bapatla village, Kistna district, be published in the Fort St. George Gazette.	1st do. do. No. 1058 R.	
Land.—Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for raising the embankment for Bezwada-Madras Railway at Moolapalam village, Kistna district, be published in the Fort St. George Gazette.	1st do. do. No. 1059 R.	
Land.—Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for raising the embankment for Bezwada-Madras Railway in Bhartipudi Agraharam (village), Kistna district, be published in the Fort St. George Gazette.	1st do. do. No. 1060 R.	
Land.—Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for Bezwada-Madras Railway at Kondamudi village, Tenali taluk, Kistna district, be published in the Fort St. George Gazette.	2nd do. do. No. 1061 R.	
Land.—Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for the approach road at Vettapalam station, Bezwada-Madras Railway, in Bapatla taluk, Kistna district, be published in the Fort St. George Gazette.	2nd do. do. No. 1062 R.	

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Land.</i> —Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for raising the embankment for Bezwada-Madras Railway at Ieru village, Kistna district, be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	2nd Dec. 1897, No. 1063 R.	
<i>Land.</i> —Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for raising the embankment for Bezwada-Madras Railway in Gudipudi Agraharam, Kistna district, be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	2nd do. do. No. 1064 R.	
<i>Land.</i> —Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for approach road to Appikatla station, Bezwada-Madras Railway, at Bartipudi Agraharam, Kistna district, be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	2nd do. do. No. 1065 R.	
<i>Land.</i> —Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for the Bezwada-Madras Railway at Machavaram hamlet of Mulakaduru village, Tenali taluk, Kistna district, be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	2nd do. do. No. 1066 R.	
<i>Land.</i> —Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for the Bezwada-Madras Railway at Chintalapudi, Tenali taluk, Kistna district, be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	2nd do. do. No. 1067 R.	
<i>Land.</i> —Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for the Bezwada-Madras Railway at Nidubrolu, Tenali taluk, Kistna district, be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	2nd do. do. No. 1068 R.	
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<i>Official meeting, Madras Railway.</i> —The minutes of —, No. 10 of 1897, held on the 29th October 1897, approved and copies ordered to be forwarded to the Government of India.	2nd do. do. No. 1070 R.	
Forwarded	2nd do. do. No. 1071 R.	
<i>Mr. C. W. Hodson.</i> —Ordered that the letter from — requesting that any orders for him may be sent to Bombay, care of his agents, Messrs. Grindlay, Groom and Company, be forwarded to the Government of India for disposal.	2nd do. do. No. 1072 R.	16th Aug. 1897, No. 559 R.
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<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, directing the republication of the notification of the Government of India prohibiting the sale of railway tickets to intending pilgrims to Ajmere on the occasion of the Urs Fair to be held from the 25th November to 1st December 1897, recorded.	2nd do. do. No. 1074 R.	

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<i>Through-booking of Rice to Ceylon.</i> —Ordered that the Government of India be asked if certain temporary arrangements entered into by the South Indian Railway with the British India Steam Navigation Company for the — may continue until the definite permanent agreement is entered into and submitted for sanction.	3rd do. do. No. 1079 R.	16th Oct. 1897, Nos. 832-33 R.
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<i>Main line of the South Indian Railway.</i> —Ordered that the sanction of the Board of Directors, South Indian Railway, to the increase from Rs. 30,671 to Rs. 45,812 of the estimate for lowering on to a causeway and pitching that portion of the — which was damaged by the floods of 1884 and 1893, be communicated to the Government of India.	3rd do. do. No. 1081 R.	13th Aug. 1897, No. 553 R.
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<i>Classified List and Distribution Return.</i> —Ordered that the proof sheets of the — for the half-year ending the 31st December 1897 be returned, duly corrected to date, to the Government of India.	3rd do. do. No. 1083 R.	
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<i>Shoranur-Cochin Railway.</i> —Ordered that the estimate, amounting to Rs. 20,206, of the cost of the final location of the — be forwarded to the Government of India for sanction.	3rd do. do. No. 1085 R.	20th Sept. 1897, No. 694 R.
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Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Peralam-Karikal Railway</i> .—Ordered that His Excellency the Governor of the French Settlements in India be asked to arrange for the early deposit with the Accountant-General, Madras, of the sum of Rs. 94,840 which will probably be incurred in India on the construction of the — during the six months ending the 31st March 1898.	4th Dec. 1897, No. 1087 R.	
<i>Schedule of demands on Capital Accounts, South Indian Railway</i> .—Ordered that the — for 1898-99, with a note by the Examiner, Guaranteed Railway Accounts, Madras, be forwarded to the Government of India.	4th do. do. No. 1088 R.	
Forwarded	4th do. do. No. 1089 R.	
<i>Mr. F. J. E. Spring, C.I.E.</i> —Government of India memorandum forwarding copy of its notification confirming — in his appointment as Consulting Engineer for Railways, Madras, recorded.	6th do. do. No. 1090 R.	27th Sept. 1897, Nos. 733-34 R.
<i>Land</i> .—Ordered that the draft declaration for acquisition of — required for Bezwada-Madras Railway at Mulukuduru village, Tenali taluk, Kistna district, be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	6th do. do. No. 1091 R.	
<i>South Indian Railway Board's letter</i> .—Ordered that two copies of — No. 198, dated 5th November 1897, be forwarded to the Government of India.	6th do. do. No. 1092 R.	
Forwarded	6th do. do. No. 1093 R.	
<i>Peralam-Karikal Railway</i> .—Ordered that the Government of India be informed that the — will be ready for opening on the 1st January next and that the line will be inspected prior to opening by a special commission.	6th do. do. No. 1096 R.	
The Government of India informed accordingly.	6th do. do. No. 1097 R.	
<i>Bubonic Plague</i> .—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording letter from the Resident in Mysore forwarding copy of notification issued under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, recorded.	6th do. do. No. 1098 R.	
<i>Index map</i> .—Ordered that the — of His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed State Railway including the Bezwada Extension, be forwarded to the Government of India.	6th do. do. No. 1099 R.	
Forwarded	6th do. do. No. 1100 R.	
<i>Bubonic Plague</i> .—Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording memorandum by A. Wingate, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S., Plague Commissioner, Bombay Presidency, in connection with the —, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	7th do. do. No. 1101 R.	

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Six months' estimates</i> .—Government of India letter stating that Rs. 2,000 have been withdrawn from the grant for land for the current official year with reference to the — of 39. Guaranteed Railways (Land and Supervision) for 1897-98, communicated to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Madras.	7th Dec. 1897, No. 1103 R.	14th Oct. 1897, Nos. 824-25 R.
<i>Warnings of Cyclonic Storms</i> .—Proceedings, Revenue Department, embodying letter from the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India stating that the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal has been requested to send — on the East Coast Railway to the Traffic Superintendent, Waltair, communicated to the Manager of that railway.	7th do. do. No. 1104 R.	10th Nov. 1897, No. 939 R.
<i>Objectionable Items</i> .—Orders on the statement of — in the accounts of the Tinnevely Quilon Railway Survey for March 1896.	7th do. do. No. 1105 R.	
<i>Promotion Recommendation Roll</i> .—Ordered that the — of Executive Engineers, 1st grade, and above under this Government for the year ending the 31st December 1897, be forwarded to the Government of India.	8th do. do. No. 1106 R.	17th Dec. 1896, No. 1059 R.
Forwarded	8th do. do. No. 1107 R.	
<i>Restriction of expenditure</i> .—Government of India letter stating that the — enjoined in its Resolution No. 201 A.G. of 10th September 1897, may be considered as removed with effect from the 1st January 1898, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	8th do. do. No. 1108 R.	30th Sept. 1897, No. 751 R.
<i>Gratuity</i> .—Ordered that the application from the Agent, Madras Railway, for the grant of a — of Rs. 2,100 to Foreman J. Roach on his retirement after 22 years' service, be forwarded for the orders of the Government of India.	9th do. do. No. 1109 R.	
Forwarded	9th do. do. No. 1110 R.	
<i>Terminal charges</i> .—Ordered that the Government of India be informed of certain — in operation on the Madras Railway on the 1st January 1898.	10th do. do. No. 1111 R.	1st Dec. 1896, No. 1008 R.
The Government of India informed accordingly.	10th do. do. No. 1112 R.	
<i>Six months' estimate</i> .—Letter from the Government of India reducing the capital grant of the South Indian Railway for 1897-98 to Rs. 2,80,000 with reference to the —, communicated to the Agent.	10th do. do. No. 1113 R.	9th Oct. 1897, Nos. 794-95 R.
<i>Bubonic Plague</i> .—Government of India telegram prohibiting the sale of railway tickets to pilgrims to Trichinopoly for the Vikunta Ekadasi festival at any station except those in the Madras Presidency, Mysore, Bengal, and Assam, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	10th do. do. No. 1114 R.	

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Consignments of Commissariat Stores.</i> —Government of India memorandum forwarding for information copy of its letter to the Government of Bombay regarding certain — to an employé of the Commissariat Department which were paid for at ordinary tariff rates instead of at all-round rates, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	10th Dec. 1897, No. 1115 R.	
<i>Non-employment of women in the vicinity of soldiers' barracks.</i> —Government of India circular requesting that necessary instructions be issued to give effect to the wishes of the Secretary of State in the matter regarding the —, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	10th do. do. No. 1116 R.	
<i>Madura-Pámban Railway.</i> —Ordered that the further views of this Government on the construction of the —, be submitted to the Government of India.	10th do. do. No. 1117 R.	18th Jan. 1897, No. 38 R. 22nd April 1897, No. 277 R. 22nd April 1897, No. 278 R. 10th May 1897, Nos. ³³¹ / _A R.—332 R. 1st July 1897, Nos. 426-27 R. 26th July 1897, No. 501 R.
Submitted	10th do. do. No. 1118 R.	
<i>Lands.</i> —Stating that all notifications for acquisition of — for Bezwada-Madras Railway in the Kistna district have been published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> , and directing a notification to be issued authorising the Sub-Collector of the district to take immediate possession of the said lands.	11th do. do. No. 1121 R.	4th Nov. 1897, No. 907 R. 4th Nov. 1897, No. 908 R. 4th Nov. 1897, No. 915 R. 4th Nov. 1897, No. 916 R. 15th Nov. 1897, No. 989 R. 17th Nov. 1897, No. 997 R. 17th Nov. 1897, No. 998 R. 1st Dec. 1897, No. 1057 R. 1st Dec. 1897, No. 1058 R. 1st Dec. 1897, No. 1059 R. 1st Dec. 1897, No. 1060 R. 2nd Dec. 1897, No. 1061 R. 2nd Dec. 1897, No. 1062 R. 2nd Dec. 1897, No. 1063 R. 2nd Dec. 1897, No. 1064 R.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
		(Continued). 2nd Dec. 1897, No. 1065 R. 2nd Dec. 1897, No. 1066 R. 2nd Dec. 1897, No. 1067 R. 2nd Dec. 1897, No. 1068 R.
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording letter from the Government of the North-West Provinces and Oudh, forwarding for information, copy of notification issued under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	11th Dec. 1897, No. 1122 R.	
<i>Joint bogie carriages for the through journey between Madras and Bombay.</i> —Letter from the Government of Bombay forwarding resolution by that Government regarding the share of the cost of the — to be borne by the Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company, recorded.	11th do. do. No. 1123 R.	6th Sept. 1897, Nos. 625-26 R. 13th Oct 1897, Nos. 814-15 R.
<i>Land.</i> —The draft declaration for acquisition of — required for the railway site at Sathangadu village on the Ennur Branch of the Bezwada-Madras Railway, in the Saidapet taluk, Chingleput district, approved and ordered to be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	11th do. do. No. 1124 R.	
<i>Land.</i> —The draft declaration for acquisition of — required in the Kistna district for the construction of a goods siding for the Bellary-Kistna Railway from Tadepalle to the point where the Western main canal leaves the Kistna, approved and ordered to be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	11th do. do. No. 1125 R.	
<i>Land.</i> —The draft declaration for acquisition of — required for the diversion of a stream on the Bezwada-Madras Railway in Tallampaud village, Gudur ¹ taluk, Nellore district, approved and ordered to be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	11th do. do. No. 1126 R.	
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording letter from the Government of Bombay, forwarding a resolution by that Government regarding the pilgrimage to the Hedjaz during the current season, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	13th do. do. No. 1127 R.	3rd Dec. 1897, Nos. 1075-76 R.
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, appointing Trichinopoly Fort and Junction stations on the South Indian Railway for plague inspection, and prohibiting the sale of tickets to Trichinopoly and the adjacent stations to any pilgrim from Northern India, Bombay and Hyderabad, during the Vikunta Ekadasi festival, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	13th do. do. No. 1128 R.	10th Dec. 1897, No. 1114 R.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Bubonic Plague. —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording letter from the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, forwarding copy of regulations issued under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, for the medical examination of passengers at Abu Road railway station, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	13th Dec. 1897, No. 1129 R.	
Gratuity. —The grant of a — of Rs. 200 to the widow of P. Ragunath Singh, clerk, Locomotive Department, Madras Railway, sanctioned.	13th do. do. No. 1130 R.	
Compensation for dearness of provisions. —Proceedings, Revenue Department, recording letter from the Government of India stating that, pending general orders on the subject, acting menial servants holding no substantive appointments, and members of temporary establishments including those entertained under the Famine Code, may be granted —, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	13th do. do. No. 1131 R.	
Working of the East Coast Railway by the Madras Railway Company's Agency. —Ordered that a copy of letter from the Agent and Manager, Madras Railway, furnishing information as to how far his Company provides special carriages for their own officers, and stating that his Board would be prepared to accept the provision of such carriages for Police officers on certain terms, be forwarded to the Government of India in reply to their enquiry about the terms for —.	14th do. do. No. 1134 R.	1st Nov. 1897, Nos. 880–81 R.
Forwarded	14th do. do. No. 1135 R.	
Administration Report. —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, reviewing the — of the Trichinopoly Municipal Council for 1896–97, communicated to the Agent, South Indian Railway, with reference to the paragraphs relating to the maintenance charges of the water-works of the town.	14th do. do. No. 1136 R.	6th April 1897, No. 233 R. 1st Oct. 1897, No. 766 R. 2nd Dec. 1897, No. 1069 R.
Bubonic Plague. —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording letter from the Government of Bombay forwarding a copy of its resolution regarding the arrangements that are being made at Karachi for the embarkation of pilgrims to the Hedjaz, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	15th do. do. No. 1137 R.	3rd Dec. 1897, Nos. 1075–76 R. 13th Dec. 1897, No. 1127 R.
Bubonic Plague. —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, transferring letter from the Resident in Mysore urging that orders be issued to the effect that the Police should telegraph to Yarovantpur or Bangalore the name and other particulars of any person who having come from the Bombay Presidency alights at any station in this Presidency, and re-books thereat to any station in the Mysore State, communicated to the Inspector-General of Police and the Railway Administrations concerned.	15th do. do. No. 1138 R.	

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
Confidential G.O. —Ordered that copies of the —, Nos. 695–96 R., dated 21st September 1897, be forwarded to the Government of India and to the Under Secretary of State, to complete the Proceedings volume for September 1897.	16th Dec. 1897, No. 1142 R.	
Forwarded to the Government of India ...	16th do. do. No. 1143 R.	
Forwarded to the Under Secretary of State ...	16th do. do. No. 1144 R.	
Budget Grant, South Indian Railway, for 1897–98. —Ordered that a joint report by the Consulting Engineer for Railways and the Examiner, Guaranteed Railway Accounts, on the probable lapse that will occur on the — with regard to the purchase of stores in England, be forwarded to the Government of India.	16th do. do. No. 1145 R.	8th Dec. 1896, No. 1026 R.
Forwarded	16th do. do. No. 1146 R.	
Supplies of Timber. —Proceedings, Revenue Department, approving the suggestion of the Board of Revenue that all departments requiring — should adopt the procedure prescribed for the Ordnance Department, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	17th do. do. No. 1150 R.	
Disposal of a corpse at Urampadu station, Madras Railway. —Proceedings, Revenue Department, passing orders on the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue embodying a report on the —, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	17th do. do. No. 1151 R.	
Leave. —Government of India circular regarding the concession in respect of — granted by the Secretary of State for officers employed on Famine or Plague duty, recorded.	17th do. do. No. 1152 R.	
Additions to open mileage. —Proceedings, Revenue Department, embodying letter from the Director-General of Statistics forwarding a statement showing — for the quarter ending the 30th September 1897, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	17th do. do. No. 1153 R.	
Objectionable Items. —Orders on the statement of — in the accounts of the Tinnevely-Quilon Railway Survey for March 1896.	17th do. do. No. 1154 R.	21st May 1897, No. 363 R. 16th July 1897, No. 470 R.
Objectionable Items. —Orders on the statement of — in the accounts of the Arsikeri-Mangalore Railway Survey for October 1896.	17th do. do. No. 1155 R.	
Land. —The draft notification for acquisition of a small piece of —, in Vizagapatam town, required for the East Coast Railway for the construction of an approach road to the goods-shed on the wharf, approved and ordered to be published in the <i>Fort St. George Gazette</i> .	17th do. do. No. 1156 R.	

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Railway from Samalkota to Yeleswaram.</i> —Endorsement from the Local and Municipal Department, forwarding letter from the President, District Board, Godavari, submitting further statistics of traffic on the proposed —, recorded.	17th Dec. 1897, No. 1157 R.	10th May 1897, Nos. ³³¹ _A R.—332 R.
<i>Trichinopoly-Thondi Railway.</i> —Proceedings, Revenue Department, forwarding Proceedings of the Board of Revenue submitting, with remarks, the reports of the Collectors of Tanjore and Madura on the merits of the —, and the desirability of establishing any new stations for the registration of road traffic in connection with the proposed line, recorded.	17th do. do. No. 1160 R.	10th Dec. 1897, Nos. 1119–20 R.
<i>Peralam-Karikal Railway.</i> —Ordered that the Note by the Consulting Engineer for Railways, dated the 14th December 1897, on the —, be forwarded to His Excellency the Governor of the French Settlements in India through the Political Department.	18th do. do. No. 1161 R.	6th Dec. 1897, Nos. 1096–97 R.
<i>Revised Navigation Rules.</i> —Ordered that the Government of India be informed that the — to be issued in connection with the competition between the East Coast Railway and the canals running parallel to it, are still under consideration.	18th do. do. No. 1162 R.	
The Government of India informed accordingly.	18th do. do. No. 1163 R.	
<i>Tour of the first Prince of Travancore to Madras.</i> —Proceedings, Political Department, intimating to the officers concerned, the programme of the proposed —, communicated to the Agent, South Indian Railway.	18th do. do. No. 1164 R.	
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording the joint report by Mons. W. M. Haffkine and Surgeon-Major Lyons on the epidemic of plague in Lower Damaun (Portuguese India), and on the effect of inoculation there, recorded.	18th do. do. No. 1165 R.	
<i>Rolling-stock, South Indian Railway.</i> —Ordered that the estimate amounting to Rs. 31,280 for constructing eight composite 1st and 2nd class carriages on the South Indian Railway, be forwarded to the Government of India for sanction.	18th do. do. No. 1166 R.	
Forwarded	18th do. do. No. 1167 R.	
<i>Extension of Mayavaram-Mutupet Railway to Avadyarcoil.</i> —Ordered that the District Board of Tanjore be informed that the — is still under discussion with the Government of India.	19th do. do. No. 1168 R.	29th Jan. 1897, No. 72 R. 10th May 1897, Nos. ³³¹ _A R.—332 R. 15th Sept. 1897, Nos. 660–61 R.

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Peralam-Karikal Railway.</i> —Ordered that a copy of the Note by the Consulting Engineer for Railways, dated 14th December 1897, on the — together with a copy of letter to His Excellency the Governor of French Settlements in India on the subject, be forwarded to the Government of India for information.	18th Dec. 1897, No. 1169 R.	6th Dec. 1897, Nos. 1096–97 R. 18th Dec. 1897, No. 1161 R.
Forwarded	18th do. do. No. 1170 R.	
<i>Temporary appointments or deputations.</i> —Ordered that the Government of India be informed that no — have been sanctioned on the railways under the control of this Government during the half-year ending the 31st December 1897.	20th do. do. No. 1171 R.	28th July 1897, No. 515 R.
The Government of India informed accordingly.	20th do. do. No. 1172 R.	
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Ordered that a telegram be despatched to the Railway Administrations concerned stating that the Government of India in the Home Department is issuing a further notification extending the prohibition of the sale of tickets to Trichinopoly and adjacent stations.	20th do. do. No. 1173 R.	10th Dec. 1897, No. 1114 R. 13th Dec. 1897, No. 1128 R.
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording letter from the Government of Bombay forwarding certain notifications issued under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, recorded.	20th do. do. No. 1174 R.	
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording letter from the Agent to the Governor-General, Rajputana, forwarding copies of the additional regulations issued under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, recorded.	20th do. do. No. 1175 R.	
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Endorsement from the Government of India forwarding, for information, a copy of its notification in the Home Department prohibiting the sale of tickets to Trichinopoly and adjacent stations from the 10th to 24th December 1897, communicated to the Railway Administrations, concerned.	20th do. do. No. 1176 R.	10th Dec. 1897, No. 1114 R. 13th Dec. 1897, No. 1128 R. 20th Dec. 1897, No. 1173 R.
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, embodying the orders of the Public Department directing the republication in the Fort St. George and District Gazettes of the notification of the Government of India with regard to the pilgrimage to the Hedjaz during the current season, communicated to the Railway Administrations concerned.	20th do. do. No. 1177 R.	3rd Dec. 1897, Nos. 1075–76 R. 13th Dec. 1897, No. 1127 R. 15th Dec. 1897, No. 1137 R.
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, recording letter from the Government of Bombay forwarding, for information, certain notifications issued under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, recorded.	20th do. do. No. 1178 R.	

Subjects.	Number and Date of Order.	Numbers and Dates of previous Orders.
<i>Engineers below the rank of Superintending Engineers.</i> —Ordered that the Government of India be informed that no — will attain the age of 50 on the 1st January 1898, or during the next two years on the railways under this Government.	23rd Dec. 1897, No. 1179 R.	14th Dec. 1897, No. 1049 R.
The Government of India informed accordingly.	23rd do. do. No. 1180 R.	
<i>Engineering Establishment, Madras Railway.</i> —Ordered that the Government of India be requested to sanction a temporary increase of expenditure in the —, of Rs. 150 per mensem in consequence of the grant of 18 months' furlough to Mr. Pigott, Assistant Telegraph Engineer.	23rd do. do. No. 1181 R.	
The Government of India addressed ...	23rd do. do. No. 1182 R.	
<i>Máyavaram-Mutupet Railway.</i> —Proceedings, Financial Department, informing the Accountant-General that the half-yearly profits of the — may be distributed between Provincial and Local Funds in the manner suggested by the Examiner of Guaranteed Railway Accounts, communicated to the Agent, South Indian Railway.	23rd do. do. No. 1184 R.	
<i>Tour of His Highness the Maharajah of Travancore.</i> —Proceedings, Political Department, intimating to the officers concerned, letter from the Resident in Travancore and Cochin regarding the proposed — to Madras, communicated to the Agent, South Indian Railway, for information and necessary action.	27th do. do. No. 1185 R.	18th Dec. 1897, No. 1164 R.
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Proceedings, Local and Municipal Department, stating that the Government does not consider it necessary to prohibit the issue of tickets to "Kolattur South," on the line from Trichinopoly to Madura, South Indian Railway, communicated to the Agent.	27th do. do. No. 1186 R.	10th Dec. 1897, No. 1114 R. 13th Dec. 1897, No. 1128 R. 20th Dec. 1897, No. 1173 R.
<i>Mr. A. Grant, Examiner of Accounts, Bezvada-Madras Railway.</i> —Letter from the Government of India sanctioning an officiating allowance of Rs. 220 per mensem to — for the period he held charge of the office of the Examiner, Railway Accounts, Madras, during Major Waller's absence on privilege leave, communicated to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.	30th do. do. No. 1189 R.	5th Oct. 1897, Nos. 770-71 R. 23rd Oct. 1897, No. 837 R. 4th Nov. 1897, No. 914 R. 24th Nov. 1897, Nos. 1026-1027 R.
<i>Bubonic Plague.</i> —Memorandum from the Government of India agreeing to the despatch of a small batch of pilgrims to the Hedjaz in a special carriage under certain conditions, communicated to the Railway Administrations for information.	30th do. do. No. 1190 R.	3rd Dec. 1897, Nos. 1075-76 R. 13th Dec. 1897, No. 1127 R. 20th Dec. 1897, No. 1177 R.
<i>Peralam-Karikal Railway.</i> —Letter from His Excellency the Governor of the French Settlements in India intimating the rate of exchange at which certain funds for expenditure on account of the —, have been remitted to the Bank of England, communicated to the Agent, South Indian Railway.	30th do. do. No. 1191 R.	4th Nov. 1897, No. 918 R.