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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 Arcunum could not undertake the entire medical charge of the coolies now employed
on the line between Arcunum 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 Arcunum.

(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.

(True Extract.)

ORDERED to be communicated to the
Revenue Department.

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

To the Consulting Engineer for Railways.
" Revenue Department. ✓
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Armenia. The authority granted by the
Consulting Engineer to engage the tempo-
rary services of an Apothecary for affording
medical relief to the coolies employed on the
—, communicated to the Revenue Depart-
ment.