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PLANNING THE LINE

	Mssr. Stephenson's report on route for the railways	<i>Board Minutes</i>
1831 4. July	Mr. Creed's report to the Board. Review of Stephenson's report with recommendations for improvement. Does not consider the Buckingham route an improvement, but suggests several others.	<i>Board Minutes</i>
1831 25. July	Mr. Creed's report. Investigates in detail the possibilities for an alternative route between Weedon Beck and Meriden	<i>Board Minutes</i>
1831 19. Sept.	Mr. Creed's report. Discussion of alternative route to cross Meriden Ridge at a lower point and route to avoid Brock A Hall where the owner opposed the line crossing his lands.	<i>Board Minutes</i>
1831 21 Sept.	R. Stephenson's report. The matter is again referred to The engineers. Chiefly Robert's work. Bearing in mind landowner opposition and Mr. Creed's suggestions he recommends a line incorporating improvements, lowering costs in building and for future operation.	<i>Board Minutes</i>