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No. 50. Read the following letter from G. A. HARRIS, Esq., Madras Civil Service; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Coonoor, 8th June 1863.

I have the honor to request you will bring to the notice of Government the utmost impossibility of getting change for Bank Notes at this place. I had lately occasion to purchase five Rupees worth of postal labels at the Post Office, but the Deputy Postmaster was unable to change me a ten Rupees Bank Note which I tendered in payment, and stated that change was not procurable at this Cutcherry, but that he must send in to Ootacamund for it. I had accordingly to wait a day before I received it. The residents and others here complain justly of the inconvenience arising from the difficulty in changing Bank Notes.

No. 51. ORDER THEREON, 22nd June 1863, No. 406.

Referred to the Accountant General, who will be good enough to state whether some arrangement cannot be made for obviating the inconvenience experienced by the temporary residents and travellers at Coonoor from the difficulty of obtaining change for Currency Notes at that station. The Governor in Council would suggest that a small sum should be kept for this purpose in charge of the Cutwall.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. T. McMootry.

Toronto 8th June 1863

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Fort St George

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greatly of the inconvenience arising from
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I have the honor
to be
Sir
Your most obedient
Servt
J. H. Harris C.S.

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From

G. A. Harris Esq
M. C. S. Coonoor

Dated 8th June
Rec.d 10th June 1863

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To Accountant General. dispd 23

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