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P.W.D. DEPARTMENT

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

READ—the following papers:—

From P. V. LUKE, Esq., Chief Superintendent, Government Telegraphs, Madras Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 14th May 1884, No. 1050.

Now that the central telegraph office in Madras has been moved into the new building, the local branch office at Ráyapuram is no longer of much use to merchants, as is evidenced by the fact that the number of messages sent from there fell from 231, in January, to 73, in April.

2. The Postmaster-General has, at the request of the inhabitants and merchants of Sowcarpet, proposed to the Director-General of Post Offices to open a combined office there; and I have the honor to ask if there is any objection to my closing the Ráyapuram office and transferring it to the proposed site in Sowcarpet.

From the Chairman, Chamber of Commerce, Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 30th May 1884.

I have the honor to inform you that the Chamber has no objection to offer to the proposed closing of the telegraph office at Ráyapuram, or to the opening of a combined office at Sowcarpet, to which allusion is made in the letter of the Chief Superintendent, Madras Division, Telegraph Department, to yourself, under date the 14th instant, which you referred last week for remark to the Chamber.

I beg to enclose a true copy of that letter in lieu of the original, which, I regret to add, has been mislaid.

ORDER—dated 10th June 1884, No. 1443 W., Public Works.

The local branch telegraph office at Ráyapuram may be closed, and an office opened at Sowcarpet in combination with the post office, as proposed.

(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Chief Superintendent of Telegraphs, Madras Division.
" Public Department.

Exd. E. Fernandez.
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Dated June, 10th.

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G.O., 10th June 1884, No. 1443 W.

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Telegraph Office

Authorising the closure of the local branch
— at Rayapuram, and the opening of an
office at Sowcarpet in combination with the
post office.

No. 1050.

FROM

Chief
THE SUPERINTENDENT,

Madras DIVISION.

To

The Secretary to the Government

Public Works Department

Dated *Madras* the *14* of *May* 1884.

SIR,

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Madras has been moved into the new Building
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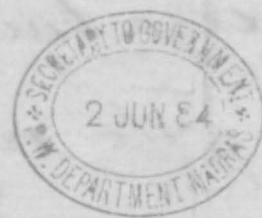
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Sir

Your most Obedient (s) *J. V. Luke*

12th May
Rayapuram
Public Works Office

Chief Superintendent
Madras Division



Chamber of Commerce,

Madras 30th May 1884.

From

The Chairman,

Chamber of Commerce, Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government, P.W.D.,

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Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the Chamber has no objection to offer to the proposed closing of the Telegraph Office at Royapooram, or to the opening of a combined Office at Sowcarpett to which allusion is made in the letter of the Chief Superintendent, Madras Division Telegraph Department, to yourself under date the 14th instant, which you referred

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THE SUPERINTENDENT,

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W. H. Hunt

Chairman.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the 10th June/84

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G.O. 16 June 1884, No. 1443w

Telegraph office

Authorising the Closure
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