

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	194	Press ~~Mis.~~
Dated	23-2-	1966.

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[Signature]

23rd February 1866.

No. 88. Read the following letter from the Civil and Session Judge, Tranquebar, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Tranquebar, 6th February 1866, No. 81.

I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to submit, for the favorable consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying communication from the European and Native inhabitants of Tranquebar, representing the great inconvenience that is experienced from want of a Telegraph Office in this town.

2. Near the western gate of the town and opposite the Post Office, there is a tiled room formerly used as a Police Station, but now unoccupied, which might, at a trifling cost, be converted into a very suitable building for the object in view.

To R. G. CLARKE, Esq., Civil Judge,
&c., &c., &c.,
Tranquebar.

SIR,

We, the undersigned, European and Native residents and Merchants of Tranquebar and its suburbs, beg respectfully to approach you with these few lines, in order to represent to you the great inconvenience, which has been, and is, experienced by us, for some years past, from the want of a Telegraph Office at this place, and which, we trust, will be obviated by your kind influence and interposition.

As it is, we are at a distance of above seven miles from the nearest Telegraph station (Kari-kal), and a delay of more than two hours takes place in the transmission of a message from that place to Tranquebar, and messages received there takes six hours and more to reach us here!

You are aware, Sir, that the Telegraphic line runs within three or four furlongs of the town of Tranquebar, and we, therefore, feel confident, that, if you kindly recommend to Government to extend a branch line to this town, by establishing at least a third Class Office here, our want in this respect, will be supplied, and the extension will not involve any great expenditure of money.

The town of Tranquebar has acquired considerable importance since the establishment of the Courts here, and all classes of people constantly resort to it on account of law suits and commerce, to whom, a local Telegraph Office, will, indeed, be a great boon.

TRANQUEBAR, (Signed) J. T. D. KIDD, *Senior Chaplain*,
9th January 1866. and others.

No. 89. ORDER THEREON, 23rd February 1866, No. 194.

The Civil and Session Judge of Tranquebar will ascertain and report whether the residents at that place are willing to guarantee the cost of a 2nd Class Telegraph station, viz., Rupees 90 per mensem, for a period of one year, as was done at Cuddalore.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Civil and Session Judge, Tranquebar.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

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N. J. Clarke Esquire,
Civil Judge

Tranquebar.

Sir, The undersigned, European and Native Residents and Merchants of Tranquebar and its Suburbs, beg respectfully to approach you with these few lines, in order to represent to you the great inconvenience, which has been and is experienced here, for some years past from the want of a Telegraph Office at this place, and which, we trust, will be abated by your kind intervention.

As it is, we are at a distance of about seven miles from the nearest Telegraph Station (Narikal) and a delay of more than two hours takes place in the transmission of a message from that place to Tranquebar, and messages received there, take six hours or more to reach us here!

You are aware, Sir, that the Telegraphic line runs within three or four furlongs of the Town of Tranquebar, and we therefore feel confident, that if you kindly recommend to Government to extend a branch line to this Town, it will be

We have the honor to be,
 Sir,
 Your most Obedt. Servant.
 9th January 1865.

Ave Fructum meum
 H. Cordes, St. Louis.
 Wadsworth
 merchant
 Van Dyke, (Surgeon)
 A. Blomstrand, Missionary
 Julius Döderlein, Luth. Miss.
 E. B. Haefler, Missionary
 J. F. Hobbes, Superior
 of the Frang. M. P. P.
 E. Schanz, Luth. Missionary.
 Heller, L. P. P.
 W. B. Thwerson
 L. P. P.

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Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter
from the Civil and Session Judge
of Tanjorebar.
(Enclosed, 6th February 1886. No. 81)

Order thereon 23rd February 1886. No. 19.

The Civil and Session
Judge of Tanjorebar will
ascertain and report whether
the residents at that place
are willing to guarantee the
cost of a 2nd Class Telegraph
station - viz. Rs 90 per annum -
for a period of one year, as was
done at Cuddalore.

The Civil & Session Judge, } despd 26/2
Tanjorebar.

Cuddalore No. 1.

See a letter from

the Civil & Session

Judge of Tanjorebar

dated 6th February

1886.

See P.O. No. 149/86

See P.O. No. 111/86

A Commissioner

has informed the

Commissioner of

Madurai that he

has received

hint of 27 Feb. 1911

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No. 144

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT.

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Dated 23 February 1866.

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