

Public (1897) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 693-4

DATED 2-6-97

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Forwarding to India for transmission to the
Secy of State a congratulatory address to
Her Majesty the Queen Empress enclosed
in a casket received from the U.S. & A.S.

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(1897) Department.

D. O No. 14.

From H. A. Sim Esq. J. L. A.

~~Order~~ O.M. No. 631
~~D.O.~~ 27/2.3.97

With reference to his letter of the 15th ultimo to the Private Secretary to H. M. the Governor, the undersigned has the honor to inform the Secretary to the United Planters' Association of Southern India that the address to H. M. the Queen which the Association desires to present on the occasion of H. M.'s Diamond Jubilee should be forwarded to the Chief Secretary to Government with the request that it may be duly transmitted through the proper channel.

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Spare copies —

March 1897

SUBJECT.

Enclosing a letter from the United Planters' Association re the presentation of an address to Her Majesty the Queen Empress on the occasion of her Diamond Jubilee.

11/3/97
6/3/97 To the Secy U. P. A. Southern India

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Madras, 15 February 1897

Dear Sir,

It has been suggested that an address (and a basket) should be presented to Her Majesty by the U. P. A. in connection with the coming Diamond Jubilee:

But you kindly let me know what is the right procedure as regards the forwarding of the address?

My present idea is to submit a draft to the Madras Govt. for approval, and then to send in the address + card to the same Govt. with a request that they may be forwarded through the proper authorities?

Would this be in order? I must kindly inform
me what ought to be done.

I am, dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
Harry Arncliffe
Secretary.

H. A. Cain &
Private Secretary
to the Governor.

Public (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 1357

From The Secretary of the
United Planters' Association of Southern India

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Order

Dec. 878

14-4-97

With reference to his

letter of the 3d instant the

same is signed by the hon.

Erasmus K. K. K. K. K.

Planters' Association of

Southern India that the

costs and address and

be submitted to this

foot for transmission

through the proper

channel, but that

the approval or

otherwise of the address

does not rest with

this foot

Dated 3

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No.

SUBJECT.

Submitting for approval

draft of an address

proposed to be presented by

the United Planters' Association

of Southern India to Her

Majesty the Queen Empress in

Connection with the "Dia-

mond Jubilee".

C.W.

10/4/97

Secy U.P.A.

Southern India

CS. (order)

10/4/97

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[Handwritten notes in Tamil script, mostly illegible due to fading and bleed-through.]

COPY OF PROPOSED ADDRESS.

To Her Most Gracious Majesty
VICTORIA,
of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen:
Empress of India;
Defender of the Faith.
-----oOo-----

May it please your Majesty,

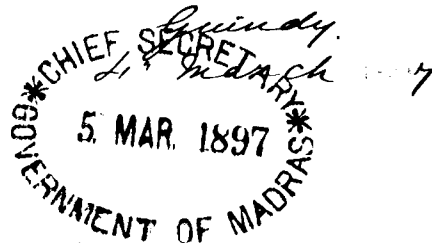
We, the United Planters' Association of Southern India, through our Executive Officers, desire most dutifully and humbly to approach your Majesty with our respectful and loyal felicitations on the duration of a reign, not merely the longest but the most glorious in our annals, and marked by the growth of an Empire such as the world has never hitherto seen: by gigantic strides in the Development of Industry, Science, and Art: by a love of Peace which has gone far to secure that blessing to Europe for the present generation: and finally by the example of your Majesty's Domestic Life.

The vast Empire of India, in common with other parts of your Majesty's Dominions, has felt to the full the benefits accruing from a wise and peace-loving reign, and that your Majesty's Most Gracious Majesty may long be spared to rule over us is the heartfelt prayer of your Majesty's faithful and loving subjects in India.

Joining with earnest sincerity in this prayer, we ask permission to subscribe ourselves

Your Majesty's most loyal, most obedient and

most devoted Subjects,



My dear Sir,

Thank you for
your note. Will you please
answer the enclosed then
as you suggest?

Yours sincerely

W. H. P.

UNITED PLANTERS' ASSOCIATION
OF SOUTHERN INDIA.

Madras, 3 April. 1897.

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit herewith, for
approval, draft of an Address which this Associ-
ation proposes to present to her Majesty the Queen-
Empress in connection with the Diamond Jubilee.
Requesting that you will kindly state at your
earliest convenience whether the draft is approved
or not.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
Harry Bennett
Secretary.

NOTE FOR THE ~~Chief~~ ~~Secretary~~
The ~~Chief~~ ~~Secretary~~ ~~W.H.~~
inquired ~~about~~ the right pro-
cedure to be followed in for-
warding the address of the
~~Association to the~~ ~~the~~ ~~Chair.~~
He then remarked that his
idea was to first submit
a draft to this post for
approval and then to in-
sert in the address formally
for transmission to the proper
authorities.

In am. 631 d/12.3.97 T
he was ~~what~~ to do, viz, to
forward the address to the Chief
Secretary with the request that it
maybe transmitted thro'
the proper channel.

Instead of doing so however
he ~~again~~ submits for approval
a draft of the address and
asks that he may be informed
(at earliest convenience) whether
it is approved or not.

There is ^{whatsoever} nothing objec-
tionable in the draft but
it is not for this post to
discuss such addresses
but

must be forwarded them
 to the Secretary of the Dept
 of the Interior, with
 the request that they may
 be undelivered, be
 forwarded to the Secy of
 State. Please see letter
 No. 440 dated 24.3.97 at K
 and No. 460 dated 15.7.97. A.
 It is the fact of record
 which settles the question
 of the address.
 It is submitted
 that the draft may be
 returned to the Secy U.P.A.
 and his attention be
 drawn to O.M. No.
 631 d/12.3.97 J

C.W. In his letter d. 15-7-97
 2/4/97 The Secretary said that he
 proposed to submit the draft
 for approval. He evidently has
 failed to understand from O.M.
 No 631 d/12/3/97 that this was
 not required. Submitted that
 under the circumstances he may be
 told that the draft & address
 should be forwarded to the Govt, who
 will forward them, but that this
 approval or sanction of the address
 does not rest with the Govt. M.K. 6/4/97.

Public (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 1200

From The Secy. United Provinces
 Association of Southern India

C.S.
 Order

O.M. No. 10927/21.5.97.
 With ref to his letter

of the 18th instant the undersigned
 has the honour to inform the
 Secy. to the U.P. Association
 of Southern India that
 he may send the draft
 and original address
 (carefully packed for
 transmission by post)
 to the Under Secy to Govt,
 Fort St George; but that
 a copy of the address
 should be sent to the
 - command with advertisement
 to the correspondence ending
 with O.M. No 878 d/14.4.97

No. 5-97
 Dated 18
 Received 19
 Registered 19
 Enclosures
 Spare copies.

SUBJECT.

Enquiring to whom the above
 Association address to the
 as from which Queen Empress should be headed
 should be sent to the
 in order that it may be for-
 warded to Her Majesty.
 to the correspondence ending
 with O.M. No 878 d/14.4.97

C.W.
 21/5/97
 Secy U.P.A.
 S. India

Fair signed by
 C.S.
 C.W.
 21/5/97
 Fair to
 O.M. - Submit with
 to C.S.

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UNITED PLANTERS' ASSOCIATION
OF SOUTHERN INDIA.

No. 1228

Madras, 18 May, 1897.

The Chief Secretary to Government,

Chotaramund.



Sir,

As it is expected that this Association's Address to the Queen Empress will be ready within the next few days, I have the honor to inquire to whom the Card and Address should be handed, in order that it may be forwarded to Her Majesty. Probably, instead of having it sent to Chotaramund, you will make arrangements for its receipt in Madras.

The Association is very anxious that it should be forwarded with dispatch so that, if possible, it may reach its destination on or before the 22nd June.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
Harry Ormerod
Secretary.

There are orders
which have been
made but are to
be made in the
all right
At the last
21/5/87

Ref
I think our
address has
already been
sent

[G.]
25
23-11-96

H. E. THE GOVERNOR.

THE HON'BLE MR. BLISS, C.I.E.

THE HON'BLE MR. GROSE, C.I.E.

C.S.

Public Department.

G.No.1888

SUBJECT.

Address from the
U.P.A., S.I.

FOR ORDERS.

G In Feb. last the Secy. to the United
Planters Association of Southern India en-
quired of the Private Secy. to H.E. the
Governor as to the proper procedure to be
followed in forwarding the address of the
Association.

Q In D.O. No.108, dated 27th Feb. 18
A the Private Secy. to H.E. the Governor was
referred to G.O.No.460 Poll., d/ 15th July
1893, and Mr. Ormerod was told that the
address should be forwarded to the Chief
Secy. to Govt., with the request that it
might be duly transmitted through the
proper channel.

2. In April the Secy. forwarded

for

O.M. No. 631, d/ 12-3-97 J

(Orders are solicited.) It is
submitted that the Secy may
be told to send the Castlet
address to the Madras
Office to be handed over
to the Head Clerk, and that
a copy of the address be
sent here for the perusal
of Govt. Cus 20/5/97

This will not do. ~~It is~~ Mr. Lane
brought the cartons and address labels
a covering letter. ~~There was also~~
~~the original address of the~~
~~transmission of the~~
~~transmission of the~~
Yes
This note to go to the G. G. ?
We might tell him to send the cartons and
original address properly packed for
transmission by post to the Under Secy for
Govt. Don't forget to send us also
once a copy of the address here. We can
then send the covering letter down
to traders in order that the date may
be filled in and cartons & address be
sent off. No 25/5797

Stating that the
Association address will
be delivered to by Messrs
Heggin & Co. who have
the address with them.
Sent to them and
La
This was sent back to me by

Blue
 26/1/77
 Brown
 As
 26/1/77
 Baylton sends himself
 perhaps - instead of sending the
 money to the bank

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UNITED PLANTERS' ASSOCIATION
OF SOUTHERN INDIA.

CURRENT NO.

Madras, 24 May 1897.

The Under Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George,
Madras.



Sir,

The Chief Secretary having authorised delivery to you of the Association's Address to Her Majesty the Queen, I have the honour to inform you that instructions have been given to Messrs. Wapnitham & Co. who have the Address in hand, to deliver it to you as soon as possible, carefully packed for transmission by post.

I trust you will, on receipt, give it prompt despatch. Any expenses you may incur will be funded by me on presentation of a memo. of the amounts.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,
Harry Edmund
Secretary.

NOTE FOR THE U.S.

As the address
will have to
be dropped
if necessary
it can't be sent
on until foot
has seen the
copy here &
approved of it.

The letter
is sent on to you
for your
information
destination

will be given
as soon as foot
decides to
send on the
address.

Office
note

Office

keep a copy

of 1980 for
ref here

CW
26/5/97

copy kept
in the file
26/5/97

CW
26/5/97

Public (189 7) Department.

CURRENT No.

From The Secretary,
United Planters Association
of S. India

No.

Order

Dated

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding 2 copies of
the address to H. M. the
Queen Empress.

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minutes read and signed 9. 1897

To

Her Most Gracious Majesty,

VICTORIA,

Of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen:

EMPRESS OF INDIA;

DEFENDER OF THE FAITH.

CHIEF SECRETARY
31. MAY. 1897
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

May it please Your Majesty,

We, the United Planters' Association of Southern India, through our Executive officers, desire most dutifully and humbly to approach Your Majesty with our respectful and loyal felicitations on the duration of a reign, not merely the longest but the most glorious in our annals, and marked by the growth of an Empire such as the world has never hitherto seen; by gigantic strides in the development of Industry, Science and Art; by a love of peace which has gone far to secure that blessing to Europe for the present generation; and finally by the example of Your Majesty's domestic life.

The vast Empire of India, in common with other parts of Your Majesty's Dominions, has felt to the full the benefits accruing from a wise and peace-loving reign; and that Your Most Gracious Majesty may long be spared to rule over us, is the heartfelt prayer of Your Majesty's faithful and loving subjects in India.

Joining with earnest sincerity in this prayer, we ask permission to subscribe ourselves,

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*Your Majesty's most loyal, most obedient and
most devoted subjects,*

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UNITED PLANTERS' ASSOCIATION
OF SOUTHERN INDIA.

CURRENT No.

Madras, 27 May, 1897.

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Madras.
30 MAY 1897
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Sir,

In response to the request that one copy of the
U. P. A. S. Address to Her Majesty the Queen should
be forwarded to you. I have the honour to send per post
a packet containing two copies.

The original, gilt illuminated, will be delivered in
a silver casket to the Under Secretary at Fort St. George during
the next few days.

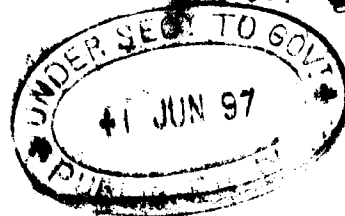
I am, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Harry Comenod
Secretary.

1897
Encls. No.
To
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UNITED PLANTERS' ASSOCIATION
OF SOUTHERN INDIA.

Madras, June 1897.

The Secy. Secretary to Government
Fort St. George.
Madras.

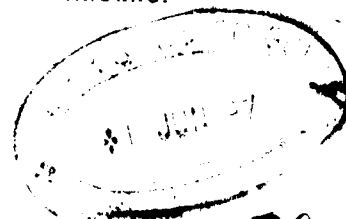


In continuation of my letter of 24th ult. I have the
honour to state that the basket containing the planters' address
to Her Majesty the Queen-Empress will be delivered to you by
Messrs. P. Orr & Sons, not Messrs. Dignidham & Co. It should be
sent on to-day, packed ready for despatch, and I trust you
will manage to post it to-day or that it may not miss this
week's mail.

I have the honour to be Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Harry Connell
Secretary

Put in the
former letter please
1/6/97

P. C. R. & SONS,
MADRAS.



Madras. 1st June 1901

The Under Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George
Madras

Sir,

By desire of the Secretary of the
United Bankers Association of Southern India
we are sending for bearer a packet containing
an address to Her Majesty the Queen-Empress
of India & shall thank you & acknowledge
receipt of same.

We remain, Sir
Your Obedient Servants.
for P. C. R. & Sons
P. C. R.

Requesting to authorise the Under Secretary to transmit the address if approved.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
1 JUN 1897
DEPARTMENT OF MADRAS

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Telegraph Master.

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OOTACAMUND-1 6-37

F.C.I.

The current will
be registered on
✓ return from the
C.S.

NOTE FOR THE C.S.

The U.S. has
already been told
that it has been deci-
ded to send on the
address. The slip
which was initialed
(the C.S. was sent
last night.

The key U.S.
may therefore be told
so. The following
draft is therefore
submitted in fair

C.W.

1.6.97

The C.S. is
advised as to whether a
course is to be seen
to the Under Secretary
at Madras.

It is the former
has passed the
letter vide link file
submitted with fair.

C.W.

2.6.97

It is wished to be
all addresses. It is sub-
mitted therefore

What need: he
cannot send
to the address
before the counter
letter is received

below

that no trouble will
be saved by not
sending him the
draft covering
letters.

Ced.
2.6.97

will be sent
all the
letters
sent
all the
letters
sent

Telegram
Secretary U. P. A.
Southern India
Madras

(389) Address approved.
Under Secretary authorized to
transmit.

(Sd) J. L. Price
Chief Secretary

Madras. 4th June 1897

The Head Clerk
Chief Secretariat
Fort St. George
Madras

Sir/ In reply to your letter of date we beg
to say, that the Casket made for the United
Planters Association is of Sterling Silver.
We are, Sir
yours faithfully.

[Signature]

Submitted to the Under Secy

Ch.

4/6/97

Papers to be read in proceedings:—

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.

Current No. 1888 of 1897, dated 18/5, from the Secy, U.P.A.S.I.

" " 2019 " 1897, " 29/5, "

" " " 189 , " , "

H. E. the Governor

with copy of address }
the orig. & casket will be }
delivered in the hands of the }
under Secretary & will be despatched }
thence with the sequel of the }
of the letter to the G.O. of }
12 1897

ORDER. W. 6938 2^d June 97

Ordered that
and casket &
address be forwarded
to the Govt of Ind
Home Dept, for trans-
mission to the Res. at
the Secy of State.

For order 4/6/97 3/15/97

Secy U.P.A.S.I. 4/6/97
These are the letters
received from the
Govt of Ind. 12
1897

C.W. 31/5/97 31/5/97

Letter 6948 2^d June 97
The Secy to the Govt of Ind.
Home Dept

E
No. 677 Home Dept Address themselves.
Public 1897
dated 30th April 1897

Sir
With reference to Mr. Thomson's letter of
I am directed to
forward a copy of address
to H. M. the Queen Empress
and casket received
from the Secy, U.P.A.S.I.
and to request that
it may be transmitted

Inclosed in a casket
despatched
separately
Note for the
Note shall be performed
accordingly

To the Rt Honble
the Secy of State for
India

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31/5/97

Cus
31/5/97

Y

Particulars of items forwarded to the
Home Office of the Govt of India, Calcutta,
per SS

Iron chain limited Planets Association of Southern India	Language of English	Shells plan or artistic artistic	Shells in Casket or with silver in ~~relation~~ casket
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AK
4/6/97.

Secy
Home Dep.
Calcutta

Sir,

I am directed to ^{advise} you
that the despatch by the

SS of case

to the Major to the
Dinner in press

containing an address from
the limited Planets Assocⁿ of
Southern India, particulars
of which are appended.

Advise for the

Please have this typed

it can be enclosed with
the letter to Sir. We
shall have used the box
again. The Order for
transmission to Calcutta.

As soon as we know the
date of the steamer we can
write to Calcutta, enclosing

enclosing despatch, & enclosing the
description as above. AK. 4/6/97

AK
4/6/97

transmission to Calcutta
enclosing despatch
enclosing despatch
enclosing despatch

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DATED

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RELATES TO C. No.

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

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