

Public (1897) Department.

ORDINARY M.S.

G.O., No. 502

Dated 4-5-98

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Informing the Rev A.W.
Brough of the London Mission, Coimbatore,
by telegram, that the post reports
that it cannot advise him on the
question of the legality of a native
Christian marrying his sister's
daughter.

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8/10/98

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CURRENT No.

Telegram

Cuo. 1344 + 1349. From
Order no 502074-5-99. *Per Mr. George L.*
Re. ... *... ...*
The following telegram - *... ...*
will be dispatched to the
Rev. A. W. Trough.

Dated 3. May 99
 Received 3. "
 Registered 4 -
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234x Your telegram yesterday.
 Request cannot advise ...
... ...
4/5/99

SUBJECT.

Requesting to be informed by
me if a native Christian deacon
can legally marry his sister's
daughter.

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Case Class. *1* To *Cothamund* From *Bombay* (Office)

26 Words Day 2 Hour 1 Minute 40 Official Instructions.

To *The Chief Secretary* (Person) From *Mr. A. W. Brough*

32 Word Form. *Feel greatly obliged*
informing whether native
Christian dissenter
can legally marry his
sister to daughter of

LN. Sent to LN. Telegraph Master
 A: Hrs. Min. 96
 G O P- No. 201 T-17 9 97 - 00.600. **OUTACAMUND 3 5-99**

Public (1897) Department.

CURRENT No.

Order

From

Rev. A. M. Brown
Comptroller

No.

Dated 3 May 97

Received

Registered

Enclosures -

Spare copies.-

SUBJECT.

Submitting further information
with reference to his telegram
dated 3 May 97 requesting to be
informed if a native Christian
minister can legally marry his
sister's daughter.

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R.O.

London Mission.

Coimbatore.

3rd May 1899.

The Rev A. B. Brough
Coimbatore

The Chief Secretary to Government
Madras.



Sir,

In reference to a telegram I sent you this afternoon I have the honor to state the question more fully herein.

This morning there was to have been a marriage between two native Christians but as the bridegroom was the brother of the bride an objection was raised. I at once applied to the Registrar who doubted its legality but was not prepared to give a definite opinion. I then went to the Registrar-General who replied "not authorized to give opinion. Please apply Government." On receipt of this reply I telegraphed to you. The urgency in the case arises through friends having come from Bangalore & other distant places to be present on the occasion and also because they parties have made all the usual preparations.

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DETTO.

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