

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	410	~~Press~~ Mis.
Dated	July	18 61.

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H. M.'S TELEGRAPHS IN INDIA.
SOUTHERN DIVISION.

PREPAID MESSAGES ARE TRANSMITTED ON THE FOLLOWING SCALE:

For distances of 400 miles and less, Messages of 16 words and under are charged one Rupee.

Over 16 words the charge increases at the rate of one anna for every additional word.

Beyond 2 miles Post-hire is charged at the rate of 2 annas per mile, from each Telegraph Office.

Cypher Messages are sent at the ordinary price, but can only be received in numbers written in full, or in common English words.

The Rates are Doubled for distances over 400 miles and under 800 miles.

" " Tripled for distances over 800 and less than 1,200.

" " Quadrupled for distances over 1,200 and less than 1,600; and so on, an additional rate is charged for each distance of 400 miles, or part of 400 miles.

When the Messages are to be repeated, one-half extra is charged and it is only for "repeated" messages that refunds of charges are granted on account of inaccuracies or delays.

FROM *Calcutta. Bengal* 22nd 10 *Madras*
FROM *Bombay* 27th 10 *Chitt. Schy. to Govt*
W. 27th 10

These expedite the report called for in the
 Home Dept letter number three hundred
 and 35 dated 18th February last regarding
 the export duty on saltpetre.

Madras
H. M.'s TELEGRAPH OFFICE
Sent on 26th July 1861

W. D. Regal
for Inspector Assistant in Charge.

