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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 80.	Press ~~Mis.~~
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Dated 13-1-1926	

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 13th January 1863.

No. 155. Read the following letter from G. A. BALLARD, Esq., Collector of Malabar, to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated on circuit Ponany, 22nd December 1862, No. 109 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to inform you that the postal line from Manantoddy to Ootacamund will be opened on the 1st proximo.

Dated 1st instant, No. 2,519.

2. The entertainment of a Gumáshta at Gudalur has been already sanctioned. There is no office at Gudalur ; but I beg that Rupees 200 may be sanctioned in addition to the Rupees 400, requested by me (and recommended for sanction by the Board), for the erection of a Sub-Magistrate's Cutcherry, so that the Post Office may be established under the same roof, meantime a hut will be hired.

Dated 28th October 1862.

Dated 3rd November 1862.

3. The Deputy Collector strongly represents the necessity of a Post Office at Sultan's Battery, a considerable place through which this line passes ; but which is 23 miles from Manantoddy and 27 from Gudalur. There is a hut there that will do for a temporary Post Office, and as the necessity of the case is clear, I shall venture to entertain a Gumáshta there also in anticipation of sanction, which I request may be accorded.

I regret I have not the scale to refer to, but would propose the same pay being granted to the Gumáshta at Sultan's Battery as to the one at Gudalur.

4. Perhaps it would be well to publish the enclosed in the "Fort Saint George Gazette." I shall of course publish it in my own Gazette, and have sent a copy to Coimbatore.

Notification dated 22nd December 1862.

Transferred to the Revenue Department.

(Signed.) P. P. HUTCHINS,
Acting Deputy Secretary to Government.

6th January 1863.

No. 156. ORDER THEREON, 13th January 1863, No. 80.

1. The Government approve the erection of a Post Office at Gudalur at an expense not exceeding Rupees two hundred.

2. The Collector's proposal to hire an Office at Sultan's Battery, and to entertain a Gumáshta on Rupees 15 per mensem, the salary assigned to the Gumáshta at Gudalur, will be referred to Mr. Pelly for early report. The notice submitted will be published in three successive issues of the "Fort Saint George Gazette."

G. O. 2,658, 23rd December 1862, Revenue Department.

(Signed.) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

1st Dec 23 Circular dated 30th Nov 1863 No —

Transferred to the Revenue Department

W. Hamilton
24 Sep 64

5th January 63

From Lieut & Postmaster Amherstburgh dated 17 Jany 63 C.N. 153 in Rec.

From the Post Master General Montreal 28th Dec 63. C.N. 996 in Rec

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Post Office Department Toronto 31st January 1863

The Collector of Customs

To The Chief Secretary to the Govt

Fort St George

Rec'd 22nd December 1862.

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No 109.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No 1619

Informing that the postal line from Amherstburgh to Gosfield would be opened on the 1st proximo forwarding a Notice to that effect for publication in the Post Office Gazette, & declining that Power may be sanctioned for the erection of a Post Office at Gosfield —

I have &c
Wm. Hamilton
Collector

No. 80 - 13th Jany

With an Order

11th. 80.

The Govt. sanctions the creation of a Post Office at Gosfield at an expence not exceeding Rupees Two hundred.

2. The Collector [struck: is authorized] to have an office at Gosfield built, & to entertain a Postmaster on Rs 15 per mensem, the salary assigned to the Postmaster at Gosfield, will be referred to Mr. Pelly for early report.

The Notice shall be published in three successive issues of the Fort St George Gazette.

Sd/ [illegible]

13th January 1863

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