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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 6th September 1873.

Read the following telegrams :—

From Collector of Bellary, to Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Ootacamund, dated 3rd September 1873.

SUFFICIENT rain for cultivation of dry lands throughout district. Tanks, however, not supplied. In Bellary fall scanty. Dry fodder still scarce. Prices stationary. Public health good. Prospects improving.

From Collector of Ganjam, to Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Ootacamund, dated 4th September 1873.

RAIN general throughout district last week. Copious in sub-division. Freshes in rivers. Tanks moderately supplied. Dry crops good. Prospects paddy favourable on whole. Large imports from Orissa. Fodder abundant. Prices slightly risen. No special sickness.

From Collector of Cuddapah, to Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Ootacamund, dated 4th September 1873.

RECENT rain-fall is sufficient to further dry cultivation, excepting two taluqs.

ORDER THEREON, 6th September 1873, No. 33.

COMMUNICATED to the Board of Revenue.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. STURROCK,
Acting Under-Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Erd. F. R. Bantleman.

Class 1. | INDIAN TELEGRAPH. | Local No. 32

To (Station) Vellaimund | From (Station) Berhampore

No.	Words.	Time tendered for transmission. (Madras time.) Day.	H.	M.
28	41	4	7	38

Official Instructions.—

To (Person) Revenue Secretary Government | From (Person) Collector

1 Rain	2 General	3 throughout
4 District	5 Cut	6 off to -
7 Cocoanut	8 in	9 sub-division
10 Trees	11 in	12 Vellaimund
13 Taluq	14 inundated	15 & Palakode
16	17	18
19 Palakode	20 Taluq	21 Gudalur
22 in	23 Nilgiri	24 Taluq (in
25 Gudalur	26 Taluq	27 Ootacamund
28 Taluq	29 communication	30 Trees
31 Nilgiri	32 Taluq.	33 Two
34 Special	35 Instructions	36

Recd. from _____ (L. L.)

At ____ H. ____ M., on the _____

By _____

Date OOTACAMUND 4.6.73

Sent to _____ (L. L.)

At ____ H. ____ M., on the _____

By _____

Telegraph Master.

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INDIAN TELEGRAPH.

Local No. 28

To (Station) Ootacamund

From (Station) Bellary

No.	Words.	Time tendered for transmission. (Madras time.) Day.	H.	M.
14	31	3rd	15	20

Official Instructions.—

To (Person) Madras Revenue

From (Person) Collector

Sufficient rain for cultivation of dry lands throughout District - Tanks however not replenished - Bellary Ootacamund 3 Crops - Prices stationary - Public health good - Prospects improving

Recd. from _____ (L. L.)

At ____ H. ____ M., on the _____

By _____

Date

OOTACAMUND 3·9·73

Sent to _____ (L. L.)

At ____ H. ____ M., on the _____

By _____

Telegraph Master.

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Received 18th 3 P.M.

Telegram

From Collr. Bellary

Dated 8th Sept. 73

Rec'd 9th — 8 A.M.

Season, Autumn

Sufficient for the Cultivation of dry lands throughout District

Revenue 1873 Sept 4 No 2080

Telegram
from Collr of Bellary

Dated 3rd Sept 1873
Rec'd 4th ditto

Seven Surveyors
reported the District

Proc. 9th Sept 1873 No 2081
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INDIAN TELEGRAPH.

RECEIPT.

Received for { Telegram Rs. / Delivery by } "

Initials of Telegraph Master

(NAME)

FOR INLAND MESSAGES ONLY.

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The upper halves, after defacement, are returned with the Receipt to the Sender.

SPACE FOR STAMPS.

STAMPS in any way defaced cannot be received.

A FOREIGN TELEGRAM IF WRITTEN ON THIS FORM WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

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			4 September	

NOTHING TO BE WRITTEN BY THE SENDER ABOVE

To (Station)

From (Station)

To (Person) Revenue Secretary to Government

From (Person) Collector

(Address)

CLASS OF MESSAGE (SERVICE OR PRIVATE.)

1 Rain	2 general	3
4 district	5 last	6
7 Copious	8 in	9
10 Freshes	11 in	12
13 Tank	14 moderately	15
16 Dry	17 Crops	18 good.
19 Prospects	20 [illegible]	21 favorable
22 on	23 [illegible]ole	24 large
25 imports	26 from	27 Orissa
28 Fodder	29 abundant.	30 Prices

SENDER'S SIGNATURE AND ADDRESS. (NOT SIGNALLED.)

(L. L.) at Hrs. Mins. Day Month Year

TELEGRAPH MASTER

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IV.—... the transmission of the address. (Names of stations from and to which the message is to be despatched, and the names of sender and addressee, and the sender's address).

V.—The following are the rates of charges for a message in ordinary English language:—

1. Between any two stations in India, or between any two stations in British Burmah, one Rupee for every six words or less.
2. Between any station in India and any station in British Burmah, or between any station in India and any station in Ceylon, one Rupee eight annas for every six words or less.
3. Between any station in British Burmah and any station in Ceylon, two Rupees for every six words or less.

VI.—Between any station in Section and any station in a foreign language, is double the charge for a message in ordinary English.

VII.—The charge for a message in Cyphers, in Code or in a foreign language, to any Railway Telegraph Station, or *vice versâ*, without additional charge.

VIII.—A message in Cyphers in Cyphers, in Code or in a foreign language, to any Railway Telegraph Station, or *vice versâ*, without additional charge.

IX.—A message can be sent from any station of the Government Telegraph Department to any Railway Telegraph Station, or *vice versâ*, without additional charge.

X.—A double charge is levied on all messages tendered for transmission between the hours of 6 P. M. and 6 A. M. (local time), also on Sundays and the following holidays:—Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Good Friday, and the Queen's Birthday.

XI.—The charge for registering a message has the power of registering it.

XII.—The day, hour, and minute of receipt of a message into a Telegraph Office for despatch are added by the Department and telegraphed free of charge.

XIII.—The charge for registering is equal to the charge for the message. A registered message is indicated by the word "recommandée," which, to insure the greatest accuracy, is telegraphed (free) both in the official instructions and as the first word of the text of the message.

XIV.—When a message is registered the different stations employed in its transmission counts it as it passes by, repeating it to each other integrally, and the terminal station immediately after the delivery of the message despatches a telegram to the sender announcing the exact time at which it reached its destination.

XV.—The sender of a message can prepay a reply. He must add the words "reply paid" or "answer paid." These must form the concluding words of the message, but will not be charged for. On depositing the above sum the sender can add (free) to the words "reply paid" or "answer paid" the amount to which he wishes the reply to be limited.

XVI.—Messages will be delivered free of charge at any place within five miles of a Telegraph Station. Beyond this distance, messages will be sent by Post or by such other means as the sender may arrange and pay for.

XVII.—No refund will be made for a message delivered wholly or partially in an unintelligible state (or for late delivery, mis-delivery, or non-delivery) unless it be registered (recommandée). Applications for refunds, as also all complaints respecting messages, should be addressed to the TELEGRAPH CHECK OFFICE, CALCUTTA. Every claim should be made, under penalty of rejection, within three months from the date of the message.

MESSAGE.—*continued.*

Night	Fever	No
Special	sickness.	

SENDER'S SIGNATURE AND ADDRESS. (NOT SIGNALLED.)

Send to _____ (L. L.) _____ at _____ Hrs. _____ Mins. _____ Day _____ Month _____ Year

_____ TELEGRAPH MASTER.

Class P

INDIAN TELEGRAPH.

Local No.

To (Station) Podacamund

From (Station) Cuddapah

No.	Words.	Time tendered for transmission. (Madras time.) Day.	H.	M.
945	14	4th	15	5

Official Instructions.—

To (Person) Madras Revenue

From (Person) Collector

Recent	rainfall	is
Sufficient	to	further
dry	Cultivation	excepting
two	talugs	

RECD. FROM _____ (L. L.) _____

AT _____ H. _____ M., on the _____

BY PODACAMUND 4 8 73

Date _____

SENT TO _____ (L. L.)

AT _____ H. _____ M., on the _____

BY _____

Telegraph Master.

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No 2695

From Coll: of Customs

Dated 4 Sept.
Recd 4 — 1873

Reporting on the
Season in the Dist.