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My dear Forstin.

The present state of matters is this:

At the head quarters of every District & Sub Divisn. including Guddapah there is a Govt. Telegraph Office, by which the Collector, or anyone else, can send messages to every Telegraph Office in India, not belonging to the M. & C. Co.

In addition to this, every Collector has the special privilege of using the M. &

Restrictions on the Railway Telegraph—
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being connected by Government wires.

wires within the limits
of his own District.

No doubt the restricted
use of the Railway wires is
the cause of [illegible]
but that is inevitable.
I do not think there is the
slightest chance of prevailing
on Govt. to reconsider their
decision, which they have
re-affirmed repeatedly.
The only concession which
appears to me feasible would
be to open a Govt. Tel. Office

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at Sooty, if Master is of
opinion that it is likely
to aid the public service
materially.

I return the papers—
I would explain to the
Collectors how matters
stand. Master might
be asked to say if an
Office at Sooty would
prove of great service
to him.

Yours sincerely
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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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From Pro: Board of Revenue

Dated 17th April 1877.

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Much trouble would be saved if Officers ascertained facts before forwarding Sowcar Bellary's (undoubted) petitions!

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J. Steele
Asst Sec to Govt

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(Collr's Collectorate Office)
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