

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 485	Press Mis.
28-29	
Dated	2-3-1861.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
2nd March 1861.*

No 28. Read the following Telegram from the Collector of Tinnevely, to the Secretary to Government, Madras, dated Tinnevely, 28th February 1861 :—
27th February—Colonel Babington objects to detach Dr. Morgan to Tuticorin. Will Government agree to pay Dr. Reid ten Rupees a day for his services.

No. 29. ORDER THEREON, 2nd March 1861, No. 485.

Ordered that the following reply be sent by telegraph to the Collector of Tinnevely :—
“ Engage Dr. Reid at ten Rupees a day.”

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

The evidence with which
I have been furnished
is a medical officer
is necessary to give at-
tendance to the thousands
of persons who will be
congregated for the health
fishing. The Govt. were
willing to give \$1000 a
day. I was asked a price
for attention, I believe, at
\$1000 a day, but I declined
to come on those terms. The

Govt. - Then concluded that
the medical officer of the
Regiment at Timmely
should be sent on the
day; but it appears
from the present letter
- means that the commanding
officer wishes the
going.

With the first of
10 sent a day to
Reed - a medical

officer is really wanted,
& it is not a matter of
a few weeks -

An order, & 2 to
immediately; as the
biking begins tomorrow
the 1st week.


Feb 28.

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

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[Faint handwritten text, mostly illegible]

From *Collector* To *Secy to Govt*
Words *262 Ph.*

27th Feb. Col. Barington objects to detain Dr. Morgan to inspect. Will Govt agree to send Dr. Reid the same a day for his service.

I think it would be wise to allow - I never liked the idea of detaining a company with the medical officer in the hospital the people implicated in the strike.

The 10 rupees can be given

[Handwritten notes and stamps]

[Signature]
Supt. in Charge.

H. M.'S TELEGRAPH OFFICE.
Sent on 28 Feb 1861.

Revenue 1885-2
Short Govt for March.
No 572.

1885

Telegram
Home
The Secretary
San Francisco
March 28th 1885
March 29th March 30th
No 221.

States that Col. Mearns
being two objects for
release Dr. Morgan to
testimony, and requires to
be informed whether
he may keep Dr. Reed's
devices on to 10 a day.

Ordered that the
following reply be sent by
telegram to the collector of
San Francisco
"Gladly Dr. Reed will
be free a day."

[Signature]

Dr. Reed's
a - Dr. Reed's
13 days

- 1. To the
13th of March 1885
- 2. To the
13th of March 1885
- 3. To the
13th of March 1885
- 4. To the
13th of March 1885

1885-29

March 29th 1885

William