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Recording letter from
the S.D. submitting a copy of Dr Oggle's letter dated
29th November 1906 on the state of Mr Atkinson's health

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Submitting a copy of Dr. Ogle's letter, dated 29th November 1906, on the state of Mr. Atkinson's health.

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From (Name) The Hon'ble Mr. T. T. LOGAN, E. A.,

(Designation) Ag: Director of Public Instruction,

Madras.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Educational Department.

Sr,

With reference to the correspondence ending with G. O. No. 812 Educational, dated 11th December 1906, I have the honour to submit herewith for the information of Government a copy of Dr. Ogle's letter, dated 29th November 1906, on the state of Mr. Atkinson's health. It is understood that he intends to rejoin his appointment on or about the 14th instant.

I have the honour to be,

S i r,

Your most obedient servant,

Arthur to Ashby

For Director of Public Instruction.

M.S.S.

2 sent to 114 East
96. Gloucester Place

Portman square

London W.

November 29th. 1906.

Dear Sir,

I received a telegram from you on November 16th, asking me to reply, by telegram, concerning Mr. Atkinson.

This I did the day before yesterday (November 27th) directly after I had had the opportunity of seeing Mr. Atkinson. I had not seen him for over two months, as he had been living at Bedford, and I was much struck with his great improvement in energy and good spirits and activity, so much so that it was quite clear to me that he was fit to resume his work, as I said (shortly) in my telegram to you.

He has, as you may be aware, a growth in the abdomen. He has probably had it for some length of time. It is so situated that, according to the best advice, it would be most undesirable to attempt its surgical removal.

It has been under observation now for a considerable length of time and it is obviously of very slow growth: indeed hardly any (if any) change has been observed in it since he landed in England, nearly 4 months ago.

His general health during this time has very much improved: so that now he is obviously, in my opinion, able to resume the duties to which he is accustomed, and will, I feel sure, be able to perform them efficiently for a year at any rate and possibly for a good deal longer; but for how long I will not venture to predict. So much depends upon what course the local condition may pursue: whether, as at present, extremely slowly, or not.

You ask for a full explanation of the case, and I think the above statement fulfils this request. The main issue to my mind, is that Mr. Atkinson is now perfectly able to efficiently perform such work as he has been accustomed to do and that he will continue to be able to do it well, for some length of time, but for exactly how long, i.e., for how many years it is impossible to say, as so much depends on factors

33, Gloucester Place

Portman Square

London W.

November 25th. 1906.

I received a telegram from you on November 14th, asking me to
write, by return, concerning Mr. Atkinson.
This I did the day before yesterday (November 23rd) directly
after I had had the opportunity of seeing Mr. Atkinson. I had not seen
him for over two months, as he had been living at Bedford, and I was
much struck with his great improvement in energy and good spirits and
activity, so much so that it was quite clear to me that he was fit to
regain his work, as I said (briefly) in my telegram to you.
He has, as you may be aware, a growth in the stomach. It has
probably had its full growth of time. It is no longer that
associated to the past history, it would be most undesirable to attempt
its surgical removal.
It has been under observation now for a considerable period of
time and it is obviously of very slow growth; indeed hardly any (if any)
change has been observed in its size since it landed in England, nearly 4
months ago.
His general health during this time has very much improved; so
that now he is obviously, in my opinion, able to resume the duties to
which he is accustomed, and will, I well trust, be able to perform them
efficiently for a year or more at least. But a word about his lungs;
but for now I will not venture a prediction. He must depend upon
the course the local condition may further develop, which present
entirely apart, or not.
You ask for a full explanation of the case, and I think the
above statement fairly fully explains the case. The point is, in fact,
Mr. Atkinson is not a patient who is liable to relapse, and even if
he has been accustomed to do so, he will not relapse in this case.
He is well, but more liable to relapse than he was before, but for
now there is no possibility of relapse, and he is perfectly capable of

which one cannot estimate.

You kindly ask me to let you know what fee should be payable
to me on account of reports. I think one of 2 guineas would be quite
suitable, in addition to the charge for telegram, which came to £1-12-0.

I am

Yours very sincerely

10/21/07. J. C. Ogle M.D; F. R. C. P.

Physician to
St. George's Hospital
London.

(True Copy)

C. Simpson

Lovedale. Nilgiris.

18th December 1906.

Ag. Principal and Secretary

Ootacamund Lawrence Asylum.

C.No.114 From the D.P.I. No.12, dated 17th January 1907.

Subject.

Submitting a copy of Dr. Ogle's letter,
regarding the ^{health of the Rev. Mr.} state of ^{Atkinson's} death.
Principal of the Lawrence Asylum, Ootacamund.

Hon'ble Member for information.

H.D.T.
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18th December 1906

As. Principal and Secretary
Ootacamund Lawrence Asylum

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