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MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No.

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DATED

9th April 1895

[Despatch Abstract.]

Sanitation.

Stating that the Government is not prepared to direct the Committee appointed under G.O., dated 6th February 1895, No. 170 M., to enter upon questions of such wide scope as those referred to by the Sanitary Commissioner in Proceedings No. 4, dated 4th March 1895.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPT.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Sanitation.

Noting that the Govt.
is not prepared to direct
the Committee appointed
under G.O. 8 6-2-95 No 170
to enter upon questions of
such wide scope as those
referred to by the same
Committee in P.O. No 4 of
4-3-95.

188.

Order. 49.4-1905 644

The Govt. is not prepared to direct the Committee to enter at present upon questions of such wide scope as those proposed by the San. Comm. Especially as there is little if any prospect of funds being available to carry out the any measures which might be recommended.

M. S. S. (P. M. S. S.)
29/3/95

The Sanitary Commission
29/3/95

No. 855

L.M.

DEPARTMENT.

Dated

189 .

R O R D E R S .

Submitted to H.M. Director
Continuation of the note for
orders on O. King's D.O. to the
Asst. Sec. which has been sent
to H.M. today. The proposals are
even wider than

W. N. S. 95 the D.O. gave
cause to suspect.

The outcome of this ^{unless H.M. is satisfied} will probably be
by the way ^{may be} members
a large & magnificent but utterly
unfeasible scheme.

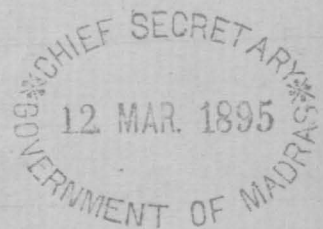
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12/3/95

Government of Madras
Sanitary Department
Local & Municipal Dept.

PR. CURRENT No. 855-M

Dated 4 }
Desp'd 11 } March 1895
Recd.

Proceedings of the Sanitary Board
No 4 dated 4 March 1895



Requesting Government
to extend the scope of
the Committee appointed
under G.O. dated 6 Feb.
1895 No. 140 M. to frame a
complete set of rules for
combating Cholera in
Municipal Towns.



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Recd. 6.3.95

No 78 d/8 March 1895

Seen and approved.

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and in contending with epidemics affecting rural populations generally;

(2) the Sanitary regulations requisite in connection with fairs and festivals, and with pilgrims by road, rail and sea;

(3) the nature of the administrative and executive staff they consider desirable, and the legal and financial measures they would advise to effect these ends.

W. King

Surgeon Lieut Col
Hq. Sanitary Commission
Secretary (Genl. Sanitation Dept)
Sanitary Board.

Sr.

To

The President

Sanitary Board

with a copy of G.O.

Government of Madras
Sanitary Board Office
General Sanitation Department

Surgeon Lieut Col. W. G. King M.B.C.M.D.C.H.
Ag. Sanitary Commissioner for Madras and
Secretary (Genl. Sanitation Dept) Sanitary
Board.

Proceedings of the Sanitary Board No. 4
dated 4th March 1895.

Read G.O. No. 170 M dated 6th February
1895 directing that a Committee be formed to
frame a complete set of rules for combating
Cholera in Municipal towns

Resolved that it be respectfully
represented to Government that the appoint-
ment of a Committee constituted as contem-
-plated, offers an admirable opportunity
for questions concerning the check of epidemic
diseases in areas subject to the administra-
tion of Zamindars and Local Fund Boards
as well as of Municipalities being correctly
and carefully investigated, and that, conse-
-quently, it would be advisable to direct that
the Committee be required to report also as to
(1) the best measures practicable in preventing
and

fairs and festivals the Govt. has
not even expressed the opinion that
either of them want regulating, & it
is not at all clear that they do.
The Committee ^{Before them} ^{except} have nothing
but Dr. King's own
personal opinion on these questions
before them on which to deliberate, &
it is submitted that little good will
come of their going into the
question.

It is submitted that the A.S.
may write to Dr. King & say that
Govt. does not propose to alter in
any way the scope of the Com-
mittee's work, which was clearly
laid down in the G.O. appointing
it.

11/3/95 It is submitted that
if Dr. King has his way in his report
Govt. will be landed in a mass of
writing and suggestions out of which
hot heads can come. Dr. K. is much
content with doing what a G.O.
direct and nothing more. He
was when appointed cautioned against
too much writing, but he began
to be somewhat trying in his
respect

11/3/95

Suggestion by Dr. King
that the scope of the
Cholera Rules Committee
should be enlarged

HM:

(for orders).

DEPARTMENT.

No.

D.O. dated 10th inst. from D^r King.

From

Dated

189 .

FOR ORDERS.

I wrote to D^r King as secretary to the Cholera Rules Committee, requesting that he would make it convenient to come in to Madras one day this week for the preliminary meeting of the Committee.

In the attached D.O. in reply to my note he says he has suggested that the scope of the Committee's work should be enlarged & that this suggestion is now submitted for orders.

The letter referred to by D^r King has not been received in the office, but it seems that his D.O. affords sufficient information for orders to be passed, and it is necessary that the Committee should meet at an early date.

It is submitted that it would be useless for the Committee — even were Govt. disposed to trust the task to a Committee composed as this one is, & even had Govt. decided ~~upon~~ that any steps in the direction suggested, & what steps, were necessary — it would be useless for the Committee to deliberate upon the "legal, financial, & sanitary aspects" of the protection of rural population from cholera for the reason that there is no hope of any funds whatever being available to put the result of their deliberations into practice.

As to the pilgrim traffic and the

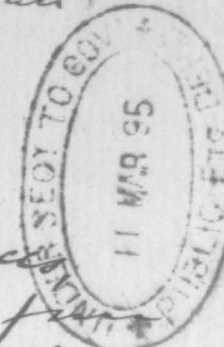
[D. O. 500—10-5-94.]

Sanitary Commissioner's Office,

Post Office, 10-3-

1895

Camp Tirupattur



Dear Mr. Francis
I moved from
here to a new house
Chungpattur, and will
then keep near the
line of rail. I am
giving me a day's
notice, I will at once
run into Madras.

I have drafted a
Proceeding for the
Sanitary Board, which
does not appear to have
yet reached post.

In this, I have sug-
gested that the scope
of the Committee work
should be enlarged, so
as to embrace the
legal, financial, and
sanitary aspects of the
protection of not only
municipal but rural
populations. This
would of course include
the great question of
juggernaut traffic and
the regulation of fairs
and festivals. It
would be of much advantage
if you could ascertain
the intentions of Govt.
in the matter before

our joint meeting.
I shall with pleasure
draw up the draft - reviewed
by the President of the Committee.
Very respectfully
W. B. Thayer

Copy

Chief Secretary's Office.



March 20th 1895.

My Dear Dr. King,

I am desired to suggest to you the propriety of not placing before Govt. proposals which for financial reasons are obviously impracticable.

These, however good they may be, can have only one fate—rejection. and not only are time and trouble on your part expended in vain in bringing them forward but the time of Secretaries and
members

members of Govt. is need-
lessly taken up with going
into them only to find when
this has been done that
they are far too costly
and elaborate to allow
of their adoption.

I take this opportunity of
asking you to kindly make
your letters &c as concise
as possible. You will
remember no doubt that
when you were first appoint-
ed, I mentioned to you personally
this matter. Your Inspection
notes, for instance frequently

contain considerable matter
which might be omitted
without detracting from
their value.

The use of diagrams and
sketches unless absolutely
necessary not only adds to
the cost of printing but gives
rise to considerable delay
in the publication of reports.

Yours Sincerely

(Signed) J. F. Price.

MS
Sept 20/95

L.M.

DEPT.

24-3-93.
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
22 MAR 1895
CHIEF SECRETARY

Dear Mr. [Name]

I am in receipt
of your D.O. of the 20th
inst., in which you
inform me that I have
wasted the time of Govt.
by submission of
schemes. I have re-
ceived this statement
with deep regret, and
trust that Govt. will
be pleased to accept
my humble apology
for having so acted.
You having called

attention to the waste
of time thus incurred
by Secretaries, I also
beg to tender to you
personally my sincere
apology.

Your further instructions
as to curtailment
of letters, of Inspection
Notes, and the disposal
of diagrams shall
receive my implicit
obedience.

As Reports which
may not meet the above
requirements are in

the hands of local
authorities and have
still to reach Perumputt,
I trust in dealing
with them the date of
your instructions reaching
me may be kindly held
in memory.

Yours faithfully

W. H. King.

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DEPT.

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D. King's proposal
to enlarge the scope
of the Cholera Rules
Committee's work

H.M.

(for orders)

From

FC

I quite agree in the remarks in the note forwarded on Dr. K's D.O. - I am not prepared to enter at present on questions of such wide scope as he proposes, especially as I see no prospect of funds being available for carrying out the probably expensive measures which would be recommended.

The C.S. might tell Dr. K. D.O. that he really must moderate his ardour

RS

13/3/95

D.O. sent accordingly by C.S.

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W. S. S. S.

RS. Sec. also wrote D.O. to Dr. King stating that Govt. did not propose to enlarge the scope of the children rules Committee's work.

W. S. S. S.

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