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Local & Munl. (1895) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 691 M.

DATED 23rd April 1895.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Burial-grounds.

Stating that the Palghat Municipal Council should itself select two or three sites for the new burial-ground for Moplahs and should take the opinion of the Sanitary Commissioner as to their respective merits, and requesting that officer to inspect and report upon the mosque, burial-ground and well &c.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

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No. 229

Municipal Office

Palghat 22nd January 1895

From

M.R.Ry P.I. Chinnasawmy Pillay Avargal Rao Bahadur,
Chairman, Municipal Council,
Palghat.

To

The Honourable E. Gibson,
Ag: Chief Secretary to Government,
Local and Municipal Department,
Madras.

Thro'

The Collector of Malabar
&
The Head Assistant Collector of Malabar,

Sir,

With reference to G.O. dated 13th November 1894, No 1703 M. Mis, I have the honour to submit the following for such orders of Government as it may deem necessary in the matter.

2. The Council did not select any place for the burial of the Mopla community in October last as they were of opinion that a convenient place could be selected within two months (the period allowed for the closing of a ground under Section 240 (1) of Act IV of 1884) if the Government decided to close the existing burial ground. The Council having now requested me to select a site in consultation

with the Mopla community, I went over to the Mosque accompanied by Councillor M. R. Ry Achutha Menon Avargal, and explained to the Kadiar and several members of the Mopla community the circumstances under which it was proposed to select a suitable burial ground. The Kadiar and the Moplas refused to take any part in the selection of a site, and expressed the strongest opposition to the closure of the existing burial ground. They consider the action of the Council as an innovation, and assert that Government had never disregarded the religious susceptibilities of the Mopla community, and closed any of their cemeteries in Malabar.

3. The Mosque cemetery was also inspected by Dr. King, Ag. Sanitary Commissioner, during his inspection of this town in the latter part of the month of November 1894. When I suggested that he might a select a suitable site for the cemetery, he thought that it would be advisable to select two or more sites in consultation with the Moplas as required in G. O. No 1703, and to inform him of the same, so that he might select, after personal inspection, the most suitable of the sites.

G.O. not rec'd. since rec'd

4. Dr. Carruthers, Ag District Medical and Sanitary Officer who also visited this town, was of opinion that the selection of a site by him would be of very little use whatever, in asmuch as the Mopla community refused

refused to take any part in its selection.

5. Under these circumstances, the Council have passed the following resolution on the 19th December 1894.

Present.

" M. R. Ry P. I. Chinnasawmy Pillay Avargal Rao Bahadur Chairman
" Mr. T. Matthai
C. M. Barrow Esquire
M. R. Ry K. P. Achutha Menon Avargal.
" V. Krishna Aiyar "
" T. K. Mahadeva Aiyar "
" P. K. Subramania Aiyar "
" C. S. Swaminadha Pattar Kariakkar "
" P. Appathura Pattar "
" Tirumalai Veeraraghavan Pattar "
" Syed Mahomed Alvi Sahib

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" 15 Read resolution dated 5th December 1894, No 12 in re " the selection of another convenient place as burial ground " for the Mopla community and the Chairman's " remarks thereon.

" "The Chairman is requested to address the " Government on the subject"

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant
P. I. Chinnasawmy Pillay
Chairman

Local & Municipal Dept.
PR CURRENT No. 1895 R 91 362 M

ASSISTANT COLL[illegible]
28 JAN [illegible]

From

The Chairman,
Municipal Council,
Palghat

To

The Ag Chief Secretary to Govt
Local & Municipal Department
Madras

Thro' The Collector of Malabar
& The Head Assistant Collector of Malabar,

Dated 22nd.
Despatched
Received } January 1895.

H. MOBERLY.
31 JAN.95

UNDER SECRETARY
No 22 3 FEB 95
[illegible] DEPt

Enclosure - Nil.

Subject

Submitting Council's Resolution No 15 dated 19th December 1894 in re the selection of a suitable site for the Mopla Burial Ground, for orders of Government.

| with endt

1703 lch 13-11-94
413 h 30-3-94

R. $\frac{41}{m}$ of 95

Forwarded.

M. J. Moberly
28/1/95

End on Rec $\frac{41}{m}$ of 95

Forwarded

2 I do not understand the necessity for this reference. If the Tahsildar ~~could~~ will not assist in selecting a site for a new burial ground the Council itself should select a site.

C. Moberly
Ag Collector

1.2.95

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No.

Referred to the Sanitary Commissioner for remarks.

| By order

Ag Assistant Secretary

V.R.
11/2/95
Fort St George } Feb 95

To, The Sanitary Commissioner.

7/2. [illegible]/2.

Where is the analysis which the Collr was told to [illegible]?

[illegible]

No information has been furnished by [illegible] the Collector in the matter –

May the Collector be asked for it?

W. 19/2/95

Sanitary Commissioner.

| with endt | 7/2. All/2.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.

Current No. of 189 , dated from the

~~Order~~. **Reference** 271 / 1/3/95

The Collector of Malabar is requested to report the result of the analysis of the water of the well and the tank referred to in paragraph 2 of G.O. dated 13th November 1894 No. 1703

P.D.
25/2/95

W. 26/2/95

To,
The Collector of Malabar

Despd. 1/3/95

	'Malanka Ravuthan's Kalkelti well'	'Well within the big bazaar mosque compound'
Total solids ... Grms. per litre	0. 880	0. 870
Volatile solids ... do. do.	0. 280	0. 220
Chlorine ... do. do.	0. 166	0. 181
Total hardness ... ... Clark's scale	16°. 450	13°. 300
Permanent hardness ... ... do. do.	9°. 100	6°. 650
Free ammonia ... Mlgrms. per litre	0. 064	trace
Albumenoid ammonia do. do.	0. 384	0. 104
Nitric acid ... do. do. ... ... (as Ammonia)	22. 500	18. 000
Apparent quality of the water as inferred from the results obtained on examination.	Bad	suspicious

REMARKS.—

(True copy)

No. 372
25-3-9

M.B., Lm., F.C.S., F.I.C.
Surgeon Major
Chemical Examiner

Analysis of the water of the wells in Palghat

291/95

Reference

The Collector of Malabar is requested to report the result of the analysis of the water of the well and the tank referred to in paragraph 2 of G.O. dated 13th November [illegible]

Copy despatch recd
papers lft.
28/2

189

From

THE CHEMICAL EXAMINER,

Madras.

No.

Dated }
Received }

ENCLOSURES.

To

THE

REFERENCE.

Your No. dated

SUBJECT.

Chemical Examiner.

1/1100 M of 95

No. 377

CHEMICAL EXAMINER'S OFFICE,

Madras, 26th March 1895.

From Surgeon Major J. L. Van Geyzel M. B. C. M. F. C. S. F. I. C.
CHEMICAL EXAMINER,
Madras,

Local & Municipal Dept
CURRENT No. 1100 M

To
THE Chief Secretary to Government
Local and Municipal Deptt
Fort St George

SIR,

With reference to Government Memo: Local and Municipal Department No: 291, dated 1st March 1895, and addressed to the Collector of Malabar, I have the honor to forward copy of the results of analyses of two samples of water, in order to save further delay. I have intimated to the Collector that I have done so, and have furnished him also with copy of the analyses.

I desire to take this opportunity of explaining the cause of the delay which has occurred in the examination of these waters.

It

It appears that in para 2 G.O. No: 1703
n. Mis of 13th November 1894, Samples of water
were ordered to be Sent for Chemical Examination.
Two Samples, insufficient in quantity, were
received by me about 11th December last from the
Collector of Malabar without any previous
warning as required by the orders of
Government and without any explanation
of the reason for the analyses - in Short
without attention to the rules on the
Subject. I was at the time engaged
in examining 24 Samples of water
from Ooty on behalf of the Sanitary
Engineer to Government in consequence
of an urgent reference from him on
behalf of Government; and the Samples
received from the Collector were useless
for the purposes of a Chemical Examination.

I accordingly Sent the Collector of
Malabar on 22nd December last a copy of the Rules, explained
why I could not at once undertake
the examination of the water which
he Sent, and I requested him to
Send fresh Samples So as to reach
me

me on 20th January for which date I
booked his engagement. My letter was
communicated by him to the Head Assistant
Collector Palghat only on 18th January and
these Samples were not received here till
26th February; and then without any
allusion to the fact that the official
engagement with me had been broken.
I was unable then to undertake the
analyses at once, as other work was
proceeding in accordance with previous
engagements. On 4th March the Collector
Sent me a copy of the G.O. requiring
an analysis of the waters information
which Should have reached me very
much earlier; and Subsequently an
urgent request for the report of the
analyses. The analyses had in the
meantime been begun.

Government will See from
this Statement of facts where the
blame for the delay lies. I am
reluctantly obliged to bring this case
to

to the notice of Government in accordance with para 2 of G.O. Pub. No: 685 of 24th August 1893

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant
M.B. C.M. F.C.S
F.I.C
Surgeon Major
Chemical Examiner

~~Urgent~~

1895.

Local & Municipal Dep.
CURRENT No. 1100 M

From

THE CHEMICAL EXAMINER,

MADRAS,

To

THE ~~C~~hief Secretary,
to Government
Local & Munib. Deptt.
Fort: St. George

CHIEF SECRETARIAT
27 MAR 1895

No. 377

Dated 26th } March 1895.
Received }

ENCLOSURE. 1

Subject.

Submitting copy of the results of analyses of the two samples of water received from the Collector of Malabar with reference to G.O. No: 291 dated 1st March 1895.

Memo 291/95
1703 L&M 13-11-94
413 L 30-3-94
685 P.D 24-8-93

L+M DEPARTMENT.

C- No.s 362 M + 1100 M -

From

Dated 189 .

FOR ORDERS.

In G.O. $\frac{1703 M}{13-11-94}$ the Chairman was told to select an alternative site for the burial ground in consultation with the Moplahs. He reports that the Moplahs al together decline to cooperate in making this selection, & evidently wants orders.

The reference to the Sanitary Comm proposed by the office, would not seem to advance matters. If the Govt. is resolved to close the burial-ground what ever the Moplahs think, it may now as the Chairman to select a couple of sites, get the Dist. Med. & San. Officer to say which is the better of them, & then direct the Council to close the ground in accordance with the Resolution that they have already passed.

The Collector & the Dist. M. & San. offic & (apparently) the San. Commr. also agree in thinking that the ground shd. b closed, & the Palghat Moplahs may bluster but wd. probably make no particular disturbance if they saw that the closing was finally resolved upon.

W.C. 13. 2. 95

C.No. 1100 M furnishes the information regarding the analyses of the water in the well & the tank referred to in para 2 of G.O. of 13-11-94 No. 1703 M. The Chemical Examiner finds the water in one case to be "bad" & in the other "suspicious". ~~It is submitted that steps should now be taken~~

~~to close the burial ground in question as soon as possible~~.
~~Some notice may probably have to be taken~~ of the failure on the part of the Collector to comply with the rules regarding chemical examinations.

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1/4/95

W. 2.4.95

The Moplahs may be and probably are only blustering but at the same time they may be in earnest. It seems undesirable to give in. They have had the chance of pointing out a site which they would wish made over to them for a burial ground and of this chance they have deliberately refused to avail themselves.

It is submitted that matters should now be proceeded with without further consultation with the Moplahs and that when a new burial ground has been obtained and prepared for use that existing should be closed

6/4/95

Let the Municipal Council select 2 or 3 sites & show them to the Sanitary Commr. the next time he is that way, for approval. At the same time, the Sanitary Commr. might inspect & report on the Mosque burial ground as well. The Municipal Council should estimate for properly fencing the sites selected & forming roads & building a musjid therein as has been ordered in the case of Madras. The Collector should be asked to explain his (apparent) entire neglect of the rules for sending water for analysis.

8/4/95

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362 1100 L.

Closing of a Moplah burial ground in Palghat

H.M.

(for orders.)

[G/24.]

L. & M. DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings :—

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.
Again G.O., dated 189 , No.
Current No. of 189 , dated from

Current No 362 & 1100 of 1895, dated from

ORDER. dy 23-4-95 No 691 [illegible]

The Council should ~~[illegible]~~ have estimates drawn up for fencing the site that the San. Commr. may ~~select~~ prefer, for laying it out with paths, & for providing a musjid in it, & the Chairman should forward these with his report upon the matter for the orders of Govt.

The Municipal Council should itself select two or three sites for the new burial-ground which appear to ~~them~~ it to be suitable, & should take the opinion of the San. Commr. on the occasion of his next visit to Palghat as to their respective merits from a Sanitary point of view.

2. The Sanitary Commissioner will also be requested to inspect ~~report~~ upon the Mosque burial ~~ground~~ ground and will.

3. The Collector will be ~~requested~~ ~~[illegible]~~ furnished with a copy of th letter from the Chemical Examiner above and he will be requested to his apparent entire neglect of the rul laid down for ~~sendi~~ observance sending water for analysis.

W. 9.4.95 (from 13/4/95

To C.M.C. Palghat (paras 1 and 2)
San. Commr. (do. do)
Collector of Malabar.

P.R.C. 362 M 1100 M & O

Desp. 29/4/95

1100 h

Burial ground for Moplahs in Palghat.

(from orders)

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