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# Local & Munl. (1896) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 67 L

DATED 11th January 1896.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL  
DEPARTMENT.

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Press. No. 68 1896  
Miscellaneous.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Birth and Death Registers.

Communicating to the Sanitary Commis-  
sioner Proceedings of the Board of Revenue submitting that no  
instructions on the lines suggested by the Sanitary Commissioner  
in his letter No.1614-S., dated 20th September 1895, regarding daily  
entries in --- can be usefully issued.

# BACK PAPERS.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.

Current No. 3682 of 1895, dated 16<sup>th</sup> Dec 1895 from the Revenue Department.  
Current No. of 189 , dated from the

Order. No. 67 Luns 27 11-1-96

Communicated to the Sanitary

Commissioner

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To The Sanitary Commissioner ✓

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Birth and Death Registers.

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## Memorandum.

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture.)

Dated the 26<sup>th</sup> November 1895.

No. 1601 Routine

The following erratum  
to para 4 of Board's Proceedings  
No. 6130 sub. dated 14<sup>th</sup> November  
1895 will be forwarded to Govern-  
ment, Revenue Department.

For Proceedings No. 3107 dated 21<sup>st</sup> November 1898  
Read Proceedings No. 506 dated 30<sup>th</sup> November 1894.

To

My Assistant  
Secretary

The Secretary to Government,  
Revenue Department.

Revenue 1895 Dept  
Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records  
and Agriculture),  
MADRAS.

Current Number 8711.

To

The Secretary to Government

Revenue Department

Read 27 Nov

No. of Enclosures

Memorandum, dated 26<sup>th</sup> November 1895,  
No. 1601 Routine

Subject.

Issuing Erratum to

Boards' Proceedings

6130 Mis :

14.11.95

No. 6130

14-11-95

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture).

Dated 14<sup>th</sup> November 1895.

No. 6130 Mis.

READ Endorsement from Government,  
Revenue Department, dated 30<sup>th</sup>  
October 1895, No. 4286.

Resolution

Before issuing instructions  
that the Karnams should  
be required day by day  
to enter in their Birth  
and Death Returns the  
date, and the word nil,  
for each day on which there  
is no domestic occurrence  
to enter, the Board  
begs to represent that  
this rule would ignore  
hard facts which make

obedience  
the reverse of common sense

obedience to it impossible.

2. In most districts, the Karnam is in charge not of one, but of several villages often at a considerable distance from each other. In South Canara and Malabar, the Karnams' charges are very large, and the dwellings are scattered throughout them.

In the Eastern districts also, the Karnams' charges are frequently so extensive, and the villages and hamlets, which they embrace, so many and distant from each other, that it is a physical impossibility that the village servants should inform themselves of births and deaths on the very day they occur.

3. Even in Municipalities, the registrar is only required by the act to register births and deaths

deaths "as soon as conveniently may be after the event," and the father or mother of a child are given a week to report the birth.

4. If the reporting of births and deaths to the Village Head be made compulsory as the Board has advised in its Proceedings No

506  
Visc C. No 87<sup>11</sup> 1894  
n.c. dated <sup>36<sup>th</sup></sup> ~~21<sup>st</sup>~~ November 1894

a similar interval of some days would probably be allowed; and so long as the Village officers are left to inform themselves of the occurrences as best they can, it is inevitable that many births and deaths should not be heard of for a week or more after the event.

5. The Board therefore doubts whether a general rule that the register should be written up

( 1895. )

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Current Number. 8397

Read CN<sup>o</sup> 8397 & 287116-95

Local & Municipal Dept.

CURRENT NO. 3683 L

Endorsement No 5086 Mis.

From

The Board of Rev.,  
Rev. Secy.

Transferred to the Local  
and Municipal Department  
with an expression of con-  
currence in the Board's

Remarks  
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Dated 14 Novr.

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Enclosures

Don Davidson  
As. Under Secy. to Govt

No. 6130 Mis.

SUBJECT.

Submitting that no instruc-  
tions on the lines suggested  
in his letter No 1614-S. of 20<sup>th</sup> Sept 1895  
by the San. Comr. re: daily  
entries in Birth and Death  
Registers can be useful

Fort St. George, }  
16<sup>th</sup> December 1895 }

To  
The L & M. Dept.  
" Bd. (Rev. Secy)

with 1 Encl.  
19/12/95

and closed every day would  
in any wise promote a  
correct registration. At the  
same time there may be  
some, or many, thousands  
charges so small that the  
rule can be, and is being,  
successfully worked, and the  
Board is therefore unable  
to see any advantage in  
prescribing one uniform pro-  
cedure.

To the best of its judgment,  
no instructions to the effect  
suggested by the Sanitary  
Commissioners can be usefully  
issued.

(True Extract)

My attention  
Sanitary

The Secretary to Government  
Revenue Department.

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ORDER OF GOVERNMENT .. ..

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