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G.O., No. 742 M.

DATED 30-3-97

DESPATCHED

[Despatch Abstract.]

Bombay Plaque

Recording letter from the Collector of Anantapur
submitting explanation regarding the selection of the
original site at Guntakal, for the erection of
sheds in connection with the —

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., dated

189 , No.

Current No. 1285th of 1897, dated 21st March 1897 from the Collector of Anantapur.

Current No. of 189 , dated from the

his
Order. No. 742 Min. 30/3/97

Recorded with the remark
that the site approved in G.O. No.
518. in 13th March 1897 cannot
be changed again.
(From orders) *SR*

V.R.
29/3/97

30/3/97

To. The Collector of Anantapur *Do*
.. Surgeon-General *Copy 30/3/97*
.. Sanitary Commissioner

Local & Munl. (1897) Department.

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CURRENT No. 1285M

1. 1/14/97
2. H.S. the previous

From

The Collector of Quantipur

Order.

Between the Ag. folk & Dr. King there is rather a mess about the site.

The Ag. folk say the hamlet is a mere squatters' hamlet & that the inhabitants have moved in 24 hours. The Med. Off. in his explanation however does not say so - he only asserts that he "was given to understand by the Tahil".

It seems clear however that the Ag. folk never visited the site for at any rate & acquiesced apacely, for he says the existence of the hamlet was not brought to his notice by the Med. Off.

It is not easy to move a hamlet & I venture to doubt very much whether it has been moved at any rate in 24 hours.

Dr. King certainly did not consider the hamlet as that of mere squatters. At the same time he ought to have visited the site in company

Ref on C No. 631

22-3-97

Dated 21st March 97

Received 23-3-1897

Registered 23-3-1897

Enclosures 1

Spare copies

SUBJECT.

Submitting explanation for the selection of the first site at Guntakal for the erection of plague sheds & also for omitting certain facts in this office letter no R.C. 631 of 6th March 97 -

after Tab's or other authority
 & disclosed his objections to them
 at the time.

we cannot change again
 now. S.K. 24/3/17 8

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Let them stick to the
 with they have - I don't
 know what it is, but that
 doesn't matter

RS

24/3/17

(Dhuig told me yesterday that
 there were 40 huts in the hamlet
 & it was not a mere collection
 of 10 or 11 huts.)

He also tells me that the site
 selected by him has clay
 within 18 in. of the surface

OK

27/3/17

General T. T. T. T.

No: 59.

From Surgeon Captain J. L. Macrae M.D.C.M.
 on special plague duty

To The Collector of
 Dacca.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No: 631
 17.3.97

I have the honor to state that I chose the
 so called first site by which I presume you
 mean the site 300 yards from the boundary of
 the host camp with the assistance of the Tahildar
 and the District Board Engineer. The inhabited
 hamlet you mentioned is 324 yards from the site
 and consists of a few wretched chupparas from which
 I was given to understand by the Tahildar that
 the inhabitants could be removed at 24 hours
 notice and that they had been given notice.

Consequently the position of the
 hamlet with regard to the site did not alter
 as being objectionable as I considered 400 yards
 ample for isolation purposes as plague is
 essentially not an air borne disease.

Then again the site is an excellent one
 as regards water supply which is close and the
 means of access, a good track leading up to it.

The reason why I did not mention
 it in my letter No: 18 of the 5th March 1897 was

I had not been informed that the
 reason why Dr: Hiep had condemned it was
 the proximity of the hamlet in question.
 I have to
 187 J. L. Macrae
 Surgeon Captain I. M. S.
 on special plague duty.
 (true copy)
 K. R. S. L. M. S.
 District Collector
 Dated 21st March 1897
 21.3.97

Ref No. 631
 21.3.97
 Anantapur District Collector's Office,
 Dated 21st March 1897.

FROM
 R. C. Manamudam Raja Esquire
 Collector of the
 Anantapur District,
 Local & Municipal Dept
 CURR NO. 1285/M
 To
 THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
 Local & Municipal Department,
 Fort St George,
 Madras.
 Sir,

Referring to G.O. No: 518 M. dated 13th
 March 1897, I beg to state that the original site
 condemned by the sanitary Commissioner was
 selected by the special medical officer on
 plague duty at Gundakal with the assistance
 of the Tahsildar of Gooty and the District Board
 Engineer for various advantages such as convenience
 of water supply, accessibility from roads &c. The
 medical officer reports in his letter No: 59 dated
 19th March 1897 (copy enclosed) that the proximity
 of the hamlet to the site was not taken into
 consideration as the distance between them is
 324 yards and the occupants were more squatter
 and could be made to remove at 24 hours' notice.

2. As regards the omission of the fact
 in my letter, Ref: an L.O. No: 631 dated 6th March 97
 I beg to state that the same not having been
 brought to my notice by the medical officer in
 his letter No: 18 dated 5th March 1897 (copy already

He says he was
 given to understand
 they were removed.
 There is no positive
 assurance of
 518 M
 13-3-97

Then the H. L. M. S.
 did not inspect
 personally?
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submitted to Government), I was not aware of this objection until the receipt of the G. O. under reply.

3. With all respect to Dr: King, I am still of opinion that the old site is undiscussable. If Dr: King had informed me or my Divisional officer of his intended visit, matters could have been explained to him in person and considerable delay avoided. I understood at Gundakul station that Dr: King is again intending to visit the place, as the site selected by him was reported to be bad cotton soil and open to other objections. Though the former site is undiscussable, I beg to state that the present site cannot now be conveniently given up as the huts are being constructed expeditiously.

4. A sketch showing the two sites, handed over to be prepared and will be submitted on its receipt.

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

K. R. S. L. S. L. S.
For the Collector.

When sent for copying
When copied 22/3/17
When examined 30/3
When signed 30/3

READ AGAIN G.O., No.
189

DATED

CURRENT No.

ENCLOSURES TO C. No.

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT

STATEMENT WITH DUTY

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