

Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 662 P

DATED 11. 7. 98

[Despatch Abstract.]

Observation Scheme Requesting the
Collector of Kistna, with remarks, to
submit a revised Scheme for
the establishment of observation
Circles & inspection Station.

BACK PAPERS.

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FURTHER PAPERS.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Again G.O., dated 19-4-98, No. 361 P
 Current No. 898 P of 1898, dated 8-6-98 from the Coll. of Kestus
 Current No. 933 P of 1898, dated 15-6-98 from the
 950 P of 1898, dated 22-6-98

SUBJECT.

Observation scheme for the
 Kestus St

H. M.

FOR ORDERS.

Flag A

Flag B.

In G.O. No 361 P dt 19-4-98, the
 Coll. of Kestus was requested
 to prepare a scheme for placing
 his district under observation
 under the Adm. Regulations
 Sanctioned in J.O. No 93 P
 dt 26-2-98. Plague was then
 reported in the Naldurg St of
 H. H. the Nizam's Dominions, and
 the object of calling for the scheme
 was to take immediate action
 for the protection of Kestus should
 plague approach it. So far as
 official returns go, there has been
 now no plague anywhere in
 Hyderabad since the 21-5-98.

2. The following are the
 from details of the scheme
 prepared

prepared by the Colls. The frontier taluks of Kistna are Palnad, Sattenapalli, Nandiyama and Tinnur division. The whole length of the border is 145 miles or 95 including heads. This length to a depth of about 20 miles has been divided into 24 circles & 4 Supervisors' Ranges as follows

Gurajala Range	- 3 ² / ₅ circles in front line & 3 circles at back
Pidugumala Range	- 3 do + 3 - do -
Nandiyama	— 4 do + 2 2 do
Mailavaram	— 5 do + 2 1 do.

3. Ry frontier Station. There is one at present at Kondaipalli & the Colls does not think any other is required.

(4) Road frontier inspection Stations
Only two are recommended viz at Pondugala in the N. E. corner of Salnad taluk and at Epikupad in Nandiyama taluk. There are the only two places where roads enter the St from Hyderabad. There are the following ferries

9 ferries in Salnad taluk under British management
3 ferries in Sattenapalli taluk under Hyderabad Govt
1 ferry in Sattenapalli taluk at the trijunction

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The last ferry lies between places in British territory, and of the rest, that at Pondugala is the only one carrying both men & carts and the others are quite unimportant. The whole of the western and northern boundaries of Salnad taluk is hilly and so is the opposite bank of the Kistna in Hyderabad territory. As regards Sattenapalli, it is also hilly and the river here is unfordable. The western portion of the Nandiyama taluk and the Zemindari portion of Beguda and the Tinnur division consist of hills and jungle. Under these circumstances, the Colls is content to have only 2 road frontier inspection ^{stations} ~~posts~~. As regards the tongue of Hyderabad territory between Nandiyama & Tinnur the Colls points out that carts do not enter Nandiyama taluk from the east and that the Ry takes all the traffic from this tongue to Beguda. A cart track enters the St near Tinnur

Timmer and the Head Asst C.M.s
is of opinion that an inspection station
may be established there but
the Col. does not think one
necessary as the traffic is
insignificant.

5. The number of boats plying
up and down the river is reported
by the Capt of Bazarada to be 18.
These do not ply further west
than Mankiyala on the Sandigama
frontier.

6. The Col. As regards Mankiyala
and Lingaji Semindaris, the
C.M.s is of the same opinion as
H.M., i.e. that they must be
left to their fate, as the establishment
of observation circles within those
Semindaris cannot in any
way affect the spread of the
plague to the main frontier from
the surrounding Hyderabad territory.

7. It is submitted that the
C.M.s proposals may be
approved. Whether the whole
frontier or only a portion of it
should be placed under observation
will depend upon the decision
from

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Yes
H.A.

11/17/98.

from which plague might be
approaching the district.

Rev.

29/6/98 Dear H.M. I think these
papers should be submitted to the
Hon. Mr. A. Arnold before the
C.M.s scheme is finally approved?
The scheme seems well worked
out.

11/17/98.

The Hon. Mr. Arnold knows the
district so well that his opinion
will be of special value. Perhaps
he will look at the scheme - I may
then be held over a bit, until we see
the course which the plague takes.

My own opinion is that, with so
much of the frontier hilly & sparsely
inhabited, less elaborate
arrangements may perhaps suffice in
any case.

H.M.
4/7/98

Hon. Mr. A. Arnold with
reference to H.M.'s letter above.

11/17/98.

The proposals are sound
enough provided action is
necessary. But I quite agree
with the Hon. Sir R. Bliss

that ~~the~~ the scheme
should be questioned or it should
not be brought into force

unless & until plague is found
to be making way towards the frontier.
Meanwhile the Col. can as suggested work out a
less elaborate scheme. Act 7.7.98

c. No. 898 P

Telegram

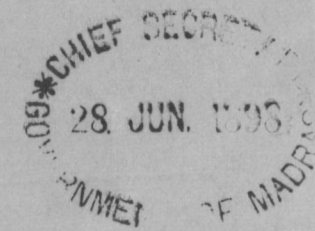
To. The Collector of Kistna

(The) plan mentioned in
your letter (No.) 269 of
8th. ^{plan not} (has) not (been) received.
Please send ^{immediately} at once

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21/6/18.

Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 958P



From

The Collector
Kistna

Order

Ref No. $\frac{269}{m} 228$

Dated 22nd June 1898
despatched 23rd June 1898

Received 28-6-1898

Registered 28-6-1898

Enclosures

Spare copies

SUBJECT,

Submitting that the map
of the District showing
Plague observation circles
was despatched by packet
post on the 10th June 1898.

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20/6/98

COLLECTOR & MAGISTRATE,

MASULIPATAM,

KISTNA DISTRICT,

22nd June 1898.

FROM,

A. Morris Esquire,
Acting Collector, Kistna District.

TO,

The Chief Secretary to Government,

Local and Municipal Department,

Cotacamund. Fort St. George.

SIR,

With reference to your telegram of the 21st, I have the honor to state that the map of the District showing Plague Observation circles which formed an enclosure to my letter dated 8th instant Dis. No 269 was despatched by packet post on the 10th.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

K. V. Srinivasan
for Collector.

23/6/98

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Pres' informs not
true: but CS
to be consulted
on Monday

May 7, 1898

Very dear Remembrance
It is true, as the paper
says, that there is plague in
Hyderabad. I take it that we
should bring our latest regulations
into force along the Krishna frontier.
We have already, I think, told the
Colrs. to prepare schemes, but he
might be told to hurry up & at
the same time advised as to the extent
of frontier to be dealt with. The
frontier taluks are Palnad,
Lalleshpalle, Nandigama &
Vissannapet. A great part
of the frontier of the two former

Local & Municipal Department.



OOTACAMUND,

Hon. Sir H. T. Bliss. 7. 5. 1898

Hon. Mr. Gosse.

I have been up to
See the Res. Hyderabad,
who tells me the report
of plague in Hyderabad
was false, & a malicious
fabrication.

I shall see H. E. this evening
& shall inform him personally.
H. T.

On Her Majesty's Service only.

Handwritten notes, possibly "H. Bliss" and "W. Grose" with initials.

On Her Majesty's Service only.

*Hon Sir H. Bliss K.C.B.
Hon. Mr. Grose C.B.*

Local & Municipal Department.

NOTE FOR THE Secretary.

For orders if the H. M. letter
of the 7th May may be over
till the Weston Collis reply
to the reference made today
is received.

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F = Copy
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as the report of
plague at Hyderabad
was contradicted
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From "Leig" L.H.
To Mr. H. Nelson

See last night's mail!
As plague is
reported in Hyderabad
City, may the
apparatus
disinfectant
ordered now
for
Rondapalle

(Sent by post as telephone
line is not working).

Long
7/5

HT
7/5/98

I wrote you this morning along with
about the steps to be taken, if it is true that
plague is in Hyderabad - I have disinfectant
can be added to the other measures, if the
news is true -

BS

7/5/98

Even today I have tried to get the exchange to be
started - I think a call / the usual formal one
came this morning but am not sure - Also
I think, a man came up to look at the telephone
as I saw him go away -

BS

"Dall chid (A) 10/11/98"