# PROCEEDINGS OF THE PLAGUE COMMISSIONER.

## (1898)

MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 1021

Dated 27-12-98

Despatched 2-1-99

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[Despatch Abstract.]

~~Head Quarters~~ Police guard for Plague purposes

Communicating to the Inspector General of Police letter from the Collector of South Canara stating that the police guard on duty at the Mangalore Plague camp cannot be dispensed with as travellers are detained there occasionally and approving the proposals of the Collector to withdraw the the police guard stationed at other plague camps & their place being supplied by watchmen their pay being fixed and the P. C's sanction being duly obtained

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C No 2824

DEPARTMENT.

FROM

THE Collector of

To

THE

Dated

Despatched } 189

Received

ENCLOSURES.

SUBJECT.

D/Prop Dis No 1021 of 98

8-21-12-98

Communicated to the D.S. of Police in continuation of letter Ref no Cus 1514 dy 1-12-98. The Collector's proposals are approved. The pay of the proposed watchmen should be found under Sanction of the S.C. duly obtained.

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To The Coll: of Customs
& D.S. of Police.

Cus
Dist to the
Establt Branch

C No 2324

Eng Department. South Canara Collector's Office,

II Rt No. 2029 / 1665 Camp, Mangalore 12th December 189 .

From

A. F. Pinhey Esq.,
Collector of South Canara

To

The Plague Commissioner,
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to para 1 of your letter Ref. on C. No 1574 dated 1st instant, to the Inspector-General of Police, Madras, I have the honor to state that the Police Guard on duty at the Plague Camp at Mangalore cannot be dispensed with as travellers are detained there occasionally and as baggage &c of passengers is taken there almost daily for being disinfected. As regards the other Plague Camps referred to in your letter, I have no objection to the withdrawal of the Police stationed at those places as no passengers are reported to be usually detained there. But I think the services of 2 watchmen at each of those Camps are necessary. I have accordingly arranged for their entertainment on a monthly salary of Rs 5 or 6 and the replacement of the Police.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obed.t Servant.

D. Ross Mc
for A. F. Pinhey
Collector

Copy sent
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No

PLAGUE.

Camp

Dated 189 .

Repre No. 1514 of 98

From

M. HAMMICK, Esq., I.C.S.,
Plague Commissioner,
Madras,

To

The I.G. of Police
Madras

Sir,

Ref in Cos. 1574, 1581, 1665 1704 & 1705.

In reply to your letter R.C No 4558 dy 21-11-98, I have the honour to state that 1 Head Constable and 15 Constables are now actually employed in South Canara for guarding plague camps at Mangalore Malpe, Gangoli, Baindur & Hangarkatta. The Collector will be requested to report whether these camps are actually in use, and if not, whether the Police on duty there may not be sent back, their place being taken up by one or two watchmen at each camp.

2. Besides the above staff,

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C No 2824

Eng Department. South Canara Collector's Office,

II Rpt No. 2029 / 1665 Camp, Mangalore 12th December 189 8.

From

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Actg Collector

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PLAGUE.

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Refore No. 1514 of 98

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~~M. HAMMICK, Esq., I.C.S.,~~

~~Plague Commissioner,~~

Madras,

To

The I.G. of Police

Madras

Sir,

Ref on Cors. 1514, 1581, 1665 1704 & 1705.

In reply to your letter R. C. No 4558 dy 21-11-98, I have the honour to state that 1 Head Constable and 15 Constables are now actually employed in South Canara for guarding plague camps at Mangalore Malpe, Gangoli, Baindur & Hangarkatta. The Collector will be requested to report whether these camps are actually in use, and if not, whether the Police on duty there may not be sent back, their places being taken up by one or two watchmen at each camp.

2. Besides the above staff,

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3 Head Constables and 35 Constables are at present temporarily employed at the Subramanya festival. Their services will not be required after the 20th of this month.

3. Five road frontier Inspection stations will be opened this month and 10 Constables are required for duty at these stations.

4. Assuming that the staff mentioned in para 1 cannot be reduced, the total number of Police required for Plague duty in S. Canara is One Head constable and 25 Constables.

D.C. [illegible]

Copy to the Collr of S. Canara for early report on para 1 of the letter.

Secy to Govt 1/12/98

D.C. [illegible] 1/12/98

Despd 1/12/98.

12/12 12 [illegible]

Chas 1514, 1581, 1665, 1704, 1705

NOTE ~~FOR THE~~

The present police forces on Plague duty in the S. Canara Dt are given below.

| Hd Constable | + | Constables | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | + | 15 | To guard the quarantine Camps at Mangalore, Bantwal, Gangolli, Malpe & Udupi respectively. |
| 3 | + | 35 | To guard & patrol in connection with Subramania fest. |

Of these, the latter will not be reqd after the 20th Dec. The Collr wants 10 men to be attached to the new 5 Frontier Inspn stations sanctioned to be opened in Orders Do 192 16-11-98. The requirements of the Dt may be stated to be 1 Hd Constable + 25 Constables. It has to be considered whether 1 Hd Constable & 15 Constables are really reqd to guard the 5 quarantine camps

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# PLAGUE COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

## (1898)

**CURRENT No.** 1514

*From* The Inspector General of police

~~*Order*~~

R.C. No. 4558

*Dated* 21-11-98

*Received* 22-11-98

*Registered*

*Enclosures*

*Spare copies*

**SUBJECT.**

Forwarding to the plague Commr. copy of letter from the Supdt of police S. Canara with the request whether 1 Asst Constable & 29 men are required for plague duty in S. Canara

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Plague

P. C. 22 NOV 1898

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Copy of letter, C.No. 1730/Genl of 98, dated 27th September 1898 from the Superintendent of Police South Canara, to the Inspector-General of Police, Madras, thro' the D.I.G.

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With reference to Your endorsement No. 1939, dated 26th May 1898, upon a G.O. about the Plague, I have the honour to inform You that Head Constable and 22 men of the Reserve are now on "Plague duty" and further application for more men was received only the other day and more may be expected as steamers commence revisiting the port regularly.

2. Though the reserve here is a large one, it is overtaxed at present with this additional demand upon its Strength and I was unable to supply an escort a couple of days ago, applied for to escort money to the Treasury at Mercara.

3. I have the honour to request permission to enlist Special police for plague duty.

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Remarks of the Deputy Inspector-General of Police on para 2 of the above letter:-

This must never be done. The men must be found.

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Copy of letter, Dis. No. 950/Conf 98, dated 19th October 1898 from the Ag. Collector of South Canara to the Superintendent of Police, South Canara.

In reply to Your letter, Reference C.No. 1758/Genl, dated 8th October 1898, inquiring whether Police employed on plague duty should not be withdrawn, I have the honour to state that I do not consider the G.O. referred

referred to by you, is an thority for withdrawing Police from Inspection Stations. It appears the Police were expected to do a great many things on the outbreak of plague, which Government now disapprove. I, however, think that the number of men detailed for plague duty at Baindur and at the Mangalore Port may be reduced by one and four hands respectively.

2 In this connection, I would draw your attention to Ruling 3 at page 22 of the Madras Plague Regulations, which lays down that "The requisite Police Force will be drawn from the district Reserves and, if these prove insufficient, the Inspector-General will apply for sanction to the entertainment of additional men as a temporary measure."

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Copy of letter R.C. No. 1730/Genl/98 dated 27th October 1898, from the Superintendent of Police, South Canara, to the Inspector-General of Police, Madras, Rec'd 28.9.

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In continuation of my letter C. No. 1730/Genl/98 dated 27th September 1898, copy of which is forwarded herewith, for reference and in forwarding copy of Collector's letter disposal No. 950/Eng of 19-10-98, I have the honour to report that I do not anticipate much difficulty in enlisting Special Police for duty at Plague outposts and camps so long as there is not increased danger of infection, as physical standard and educational qualifications need not, I conclude, be considered. There are now 19 men and 1 Head Constable on plague duty and under latest orders 10 more men will be required for outposts about to be established.



2. The district can ill spare these men from its sanctioned strength, particularly as there is some dificulty in filling vacancies in the Department itself; I would therefore again suggest that Special Police be enlisted to replace these men.

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Remarks of the Deputy Inspector-General of Police on the above letter:—

A Small district in which all extra duty is done by the Reserves.

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R.C. No 4558.

Forwarded to the Plague Commissioner with the request that he will kindly inform the undersigned whether 1 Head Constable and 29 men are really required for plague duty in South Canara. If so, the enlistment of temporary men seems necessary.

Chief Office of the Superintendent of Police, Madras. 21-11-98.

Inspr. Genl.

For Dy. Insp. Genl. of Police.

Dy

C No 1514

If we have not to report absence to hospital - write "C No 6"
report at once - Number & duties of all Police now on Plague duty.

27 xi 98

NOTE FOR THE

Reply C No 1514. 7 1898

Telegram to the Collr
of Canara.
Plate - Deferred.

Have Report immediately
number and duties
of all Police now
on Plague duty in district
Limy
for S.C.
22/xii/98

Recd
22/12/

# PLAGUE COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

## (1898)

**CURRENT No.** 1581

Telegram
**From** The Collector of South Canara
Mangalore

**Order** 25/11

Telegram fr the Collr of South Canara.

"Your telegram twenty third is quite understood. Please ~~report by post~~ report by post details of numbers & duties of police now on plague duty and state whether any increase required & why."

H.S.M.
for S.C.
25-11-98.

Despatched
25/11/98

No.

**Dated** 23-11-1898
**Received** 24-11-1898
**Registered** 24-11-1898
**Enclosures**
**Spare copies**

**SUBJECT.**

Reporting on the number of police on plague duty in the South Canara Dt.

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To Madras | From Mangalore Kna

Words. | Day. | Hour. | Minute. | Official Instruction.

To (Person) | From (Person) Collector

Plague Commd
Madras

Sixteen police guard
five marine quarantine
Camps 38 detailed
guard patrol duty
Subramanya festival
and fair 24

P. C. 24 NOV 1898

MUNGUMBAKURU 23 NO. 98

RECD. FROM L. N. | SENT TO

At Hrs. Mts. By | At Hrs. Mts. By

Date Postmaster.

Plague

C No 1665

Dup. No. 1114 ex 28

South Canara Collector's office,
Mangalore, 23rd November 1898.

From

A. F. Pinhey Esqr,
Ag. Collector of South Canara.

P. C. 28 NOV 1898

To

The Plague Commissioner,
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to your telegram of 22d inst, I have the honor to report that as shown in the printed statement of establishment dated 14th November 1898, one 4th grade Head Constable, six first class constables and nine second class constables are employed to guard the quarantine camps at Mangalore, Malpe, Hungarkatta, Coondapoor & Baindur. Besides the above number three Head constables and 35 Constables are temporarily employed on the guard and patrol in connection with the

1 Hd constable
15 Constables
3 Hd "
35 Constables

4 + 50

the Sabaramanya Festival & Kalgamuda Buddh

Fair agreeably to G. O. No. 1347 P dated 21 oct/98.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt Servt

P. [illegible]

For dy Collector.

Confd
[illegible]

C No 1865-

1898

From

The Collector of
South Canara

To

The Plague Commission
Madras.

Date 23d Nov. 1898
Rec'd 25th —
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Dis N°. 1114/Reg 28
Encl: — < —

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Police employed on plague duty

Reporting with reference
to his telegram of the 22d
Inst. the No & duties of —
in the District.

Dis N°. 1118/Reg 28

SOUTH CANARA, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
Mangalore, 23d Nov 1898.

FROM

A. J. Pinhey, Esq

Collector of
SOUTH CANARA.

To

The Plague Commissioner
Madras

SIR,

With reference to your telegram of this date I have the honour to state that as already reported by me under date the 23d Instant, there are at present employed on plague duty in this District 4 head Constables and 80 Constables. Of these one Head Constable & 15 Constables guard the Quarantine Camps at Mangalore, Malpe, Mangarkatta, Coondapur & Baindur ports. The remaining 3 Head Constables & 35 Constables are temporarily employed on guard and patrol duty to stop & turn back people coming from Mysore to Subramanya agreeably to Go. No. 1347 P dated 21st Oct. 1898.

2. As to the increase required

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I have the honor to state that the 5 frontier stations proposed to be opened in this District will begin work from about 1st Dec. next and then ten more Constables will be required to be attached to these Camps. It is however to be remarked that the services of the 38 men employed in connection with the Subramanya festival will be dispensed with after the 20th Dec. next and that thereafter only 26 hands will be required for plague duty at the quarantine Stations at the ports and the frontier inspection stations.

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16/12/94

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obdt. Servant

D. [illegible]

For a/ Coll.

C No 1705

English (1898.) DEPT.

FROM

THE COLLECTOR OF

SOUTH CANARA.

To

THE Plague Commissioner Madras

Dated 25th
Despatched 26th } Nov. 1898.
Received

Rev. No. 1118 Enc 1 of 28.

ENCLOSURES No.

SUBJECT.

Police employed on Plague duty - Reporting the present No and the duties of ——.

Enc: Com. Department.

Rev. No. 1117 Enc of 28.

South Canara COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.

Camp, Mangalore, 26th 1898.

P. C. 29 NOV 1898

FROM

A. J. Pinhey ESQ.

ag COLLECTOR OF South Canara

To

THE Plague Commissioner Madras

SIR,

As requested in your telegram of yesterday's date I have the honor to forward herewith two copies of the printed list of plague Establishment in this District therein ordered to be

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obdt Servant

D. Beatty

For ag Collector

26/11/98

DEPARTMENT.

FROM

THE COLLECTOR OF

TO

THE Plague Commissioner

Dated 26
Despatched } 1898.
Received

No. 1117/25

ENCLOSURES.

SUBJECT.

Plague Expenditure

With reference to
telegram No. 657
25. 11. 98.

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