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DATED 11.10.98

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Plague at Kodakanal.

Recording letter from Mr. Humphrey asking
the receipt of G.O. no 939 P. of 3-9-98
the case of ———

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From

Mr. Humphrey
Kodakamal

No.

Order No. 1322 P. No. 2711-10-98

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Dated 4-10-1898.

Received 10-10-1898

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SUBJECT.

Acknowledging receipt
of G.O. 989 P at
3-9-1898.

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No 26058
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Kodakand

The Secretary
To the Madras Government.
(Local & Municipal Dept.)
Madras

Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 3rd September enclosing to me a copy of Government order 989 of the same date and for which I beg to thank you.

I have delayed replying thereto until I had learned the decision of the Collector of Madras with respect to paragraph 4, I am now informed the sum of Rs 55 has been awarded as compensation for clothing destroyed, and also for services rendered by my Cook in nursing the patient, and I am pleased to be able to state that this decision is in every way satisfactory.

With regard to the first paragraph of your communication, I am again pointing out that my experience in this case, is widely at variance from that of other Europeans living in infected quarters at Bombay, I submit that ^{the} rigid application of similar rules must necessarily in many cases not only cause serious inconvenience, but render the discharge of business functions impossible.

It is also evident that the steps taken by the Bombay Government in issuing Plague passes, as well as the trouble taken by Travellers in procuring them, is useless and

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I propose on my return to Bombay to bring this matter more directly under the notice of the Plague Committee in that City, in order that the Public may be made acquainted that the Passes are ineffectual, so far as the object provided for is concerned, for all holders that may pass into the Madras Presidency.

Although it is admittedly difficult to prove that the lad Pereira became infected at Tungabhadra it appears equally difficult to prove that none of the passengers who have passed through that station were not at the time of their detention, infectants, and therefore became the means of spreading the contagion to others who might occupy the Sheds subsequently.

I have the honor to be

Yours most obedient servant
Wm. P. Carey

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