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Local & Munl. (189⁸) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No.. 163P

DATED 8. 3. 98

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Bubonic Plague Recording for Political department forwarding to the Resident in Travancore & Cochin, copy of the notification of the Govt. of India ~~withdrawing~~ cancelling the prohibition against the importation of second hand gunny bags from the Bombay Presidency, and requesting him to move the Darbars to issue similar notifications.

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Dated *4th March 1898*

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SUBJECT.

*Comg to the Residence in Tananariva
 and Cochis notification of the Govt
 India making certain alterations
 its notification of 1897 issued
 the Epidemic Diseases Act
 1897, with the request that
 Governors of those states may
 proceed to issue similar orders*

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No. 332-340.

R. Nathan, Esq.,

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

To
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Calcutta, the 18th Feb. 98

Home Department.
Sanitary.

SIR,

I am directed to forward, for information a copy of a Notification issued by the Governor-General in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by the Epidemic Diseases Act, cancelling the prohibition against the bringing of used gunny bags from the Bombay Presidency into other parts of India.

2. The grain and seed merchants of Bombay have represented that the prohibition operates as a serious hindrance to the trade in grain and seeds, by compelling importers to use new bags for the transport of their produce. The Governor-General in Council recognizes the gravity of this obstruction to trade and has carefully considered the question of the necessity of maintaining the prohibition. His Excellency in Council is advised that the uses to which gunny bags are put in the course of trade are not such as to render them subject to the contamination of plague infection, and that the withdrawal of the prohibition in the case of gunny bags will not entail any danger. The Notification which accompanies this letter has accordingly been issued.

I have &c.,

(Signed) R. Nathan,

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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No. 332-340.

Copy, with enclosure, forwarded to the
Department for information.

Foreign
Public Works
Finance & Commerce

(By order)
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.
(Signed) R. Nathan,

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Under Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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Under Secretary to the Govt. of

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Political Department.



PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following paper:—

No. 546 I/A.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

Foreign Department.

Port William, the 24th February 1898.

Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2,
sub-section (1) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, (III of
1897), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct
that, in the Notification of the Government of India, dated
the Foreign Department, No. 1334 I/A, dated the 3rd April 1897
as amended by Notification No. 3582 I/A, dated the 21st Sep-
tember 1897, for the words "rags, waste paper, and used gun-
ny bags" the words "rags and waste paper" shall be substituted.

(Signed) W.J. Cunningham,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 547 I/A.

A copy of the foregoing notification, together with
a copy of the letter in the margin, is forwarded to the
Chief Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 353 I/A,
dated the 21st September 1897, with reference to the endorsement from the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 353 I/A,
dated the 18th February 1898.

From the Government of India in the
Home Department, to Local Govern-
ments+Administrations, No. 332-340,
dated the 18th February 1898.

ment of Port St. George, for information,
with reference to the endorsement from the Govern-
ment of India in the Foreign Department, No. 353 I/A,
dated the 21st September 1897, with reference to the
endorsement from the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 353 I/A,
dated the 18th February 1898.

LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPT.

CURRENT No. 1908

that the Travancore Darbar may be moved to issue similar orders

(By Order etc.)

(Signed) S.F. Bayley,

Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Foreign Dept.,
Fort William,
The 24th February 1898.

O.R.D.E.R.:-No. 167, dated 4th March 1898.

Communicated in continuation of the correspondence ending with G.O.No. 640, Political, dated 30th September 1897, to the Resident in Travancore and Cochin with the request that the Darbars of those States may be moved to issue similar orders.

(True Extract)

A. S. S. S.

for Chief Secretary.

To the Resident in Travancore and Cochin.

.. Local and Municipal Department.

.. Marine Department.

Political Department.

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(Signed) W. J. Cunningham,

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 547 I.A.

A copy of the foregoing notification, together with a copy of the letter from the Government of India in the margin, is forwarded to the Local Government, Madras, for their consideration, dated the 18th February 1898.

Chief Secretary to the Govt. of India, Fort St. George, Madras, for information, with reference to the endorsement from the Govt. of India in the Foreign Department, No. 546 I.A., dated the 24th February 1898.

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