PROCEEDINGS OF THE PLAGUE COMMISSIONER.

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DATED 20-10-98

[Despatch Abstract.]

Persons arriving from Bangalore

Reporting report of the Collector

of North Arcot re the arrangements

made at Kuppam Railway Station

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6. No. 313.

From

The Collector and

District Magistrate,

North Arcot.

To

The Plague Commissioner
Fort Saint George
Madras.

No. of Enclosures. Nil.

Letter, dated 9th Oct 1898.

Memo No. 172 of 1898.

Subject.

Reporting the arrangements made at the Kuppam Railway station for watching persons coming from Bangalore, who have fever or other suspicious symptoms.

Received 10.10.98.

The usual Sale fashion

Plague

North Arcot, Collector's Office,

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Dis No. 172 of 1898.

From

J. K. Batten Esqr.

Ag Collector and District Magistrate,

North Arcot,

To

The Plague Commissioner

for Saint George

Madras.

Sir,

With reference to your officemake dated 6th october 1898, on Salem Collectors letter Rfon 300 P.C. dated 4th October 1898, I have the honor to state as follows:—

2. On receipt of your telepram of the 3rd instant requesting me to specially attend to the Bangalore Jalarpet line, I wired to the Collector of Salem to let me know if a passport was issued at Kuppam to the man who died of plague in his district. He telegraphed that a passport was issued and that two other suspicious cases also arrived in his district through Kuppam

Kuppam and suggested the establishment of an Inspection station on Kuppam side. In reply I wired to him to give full particulars by letter. He has sent a copy of his letter to you.

3. I see from the said report that all the three persons who are reported to have arrived in Salem district via Kuppam were noticed at Kuppam and that necessary intimations were given in their cases. So far everything that should ordinarily be done was done. The Police Inspector of Vaniyambadi or special duty on the ~~Jolarpet~~ Jalarpet - Bangalore line reports that the rules regarding the issue of passports are worked well in all the railway stations situated in North Arcot and Salem districts. As regards stations in the Mysore state I have asked the Collector of Salem to let me know whether he has arranged or will arrange with the Mysore Authorities for the proper working of the passport rules.

On receipt of his reply I shall take the necessary steps.

4. Since 29th September 1898, I have also appointed a Hospital assistant to the dispensary at Kuppam and I have directed him to examine all the passengers alighting at Kuppam station and to detain under Regulation 29 of the original Infected Plague Regulations such of them as have fever or other suspicious symptoms in a suitable place pending the erection of sheds by the District Board. He will also supervise the work of the passport issuing office at Kuppam Railway station.

5. One of the certificated Sanitary Inspectors who was appointed by the Sanitary Commissioner for plague duty in this district reported himself to me yesterday and I have directed him to proceed immediately and assume charge of the Jolarpet circle. The other circles will be started as soon as the Sanitary Inspectors arrive.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant
E. M. Walton
Ag. Collector

Ch. 3rd Oct.

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