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regarding the — of plague infected
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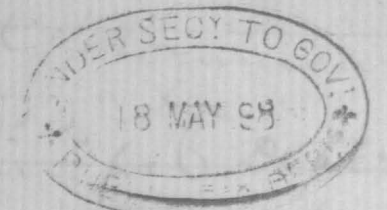
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From R. H. Shipley Esqre,
Collector of
Trichinopoly.

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The Coll: is referred to Rules
16 of the rules printed in G.O. No 523M
of 13-3-97, Imperial Reg No 6 of
the 10 Dec 1897, and Adm. Reg. No 35
of the 1-3-98, which provide for the
disinfection of the plague infected
floors and houses. It will be pointed
out to him that infected houses
cannot be effectually disinfected
unless evacuated for some days,
and it follows that the inmates of
such houses cannot be allowed
to disperse and spread the infection
everywhere, but must be separated
and detained until all danger of
infection is over.

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SUBJECT.

Suggesting for the Consi-
deration of Government,
a simple and very efficacious
method of checking the
Bubonic Plague when
once it has attacked a
house.

To the Collector of Trichinopoly
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Trichinopoly Collector's Office
16th May 1898.

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From

R. H. Shipley Esq.,

Ag. Collector of Trichinopoly.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Local and Municipal Department,
Fort Saint George.

Sir,

I have the honour to suggest for the
consideration of Government ^{that} a simple
and probably very efficacious method of
checking the Plague when once it has at-
tacked a town, would be to enforce the
disinfecting of the floors of all the houses
in it; or, at the very least, of all the houses
in the quarter attacked by the Plague.

2. Both sequestration and inoculation
appear to be inoperative, and even danger-
ous, owing to the opposition they excite.
I do not imagine that there would be
a similar outcry against disinfection.
3. The inhabitants themselves would pro-
bably be only too glad to avail themselves
of the help of Government, if this method

were adopted - and all that would be wanted would be a few dozens of water-carts containing the disinfectant and perambulating the streets of the town. Watering Cans with hoses for the more effectual scattering of the fluid might be made in thousands and sold at cost price to the householders - and the only expense to the Municipality or Board would be that of supplying the disinfectant and of the distributing carts. The streets would in a similar manner be watered with the disinfectant.

4. The Plague Bacillus is evidently a ground bacillus, and I believe that the best way of exterminating him is the one indicated above.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt Servt.

Mundana

For Agt Collector.

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