Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 817 & 818 P

DATED 16-8-98.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Brahmotsavam festival at Tirupati.

Ordering the publication of a notification prohibiting the attendance of persons from infected areas at the _____, and requesting the Government of India to prohibit the sale of tickets to such persons at Stations within infected parts.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

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Papers to be read in Proceedings :—

Again G.O., No. dated 189 ,

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Current No. 1263P of 189P, dated 13th August , from Colls! Sanitary Comrs.

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ORDER.

The Colls proposal to prohibit the attendance of pilgrims from the plague infected ports at the festival is accepted, and the draft notification submitted by him is approved and ordered to be published in the Fort St George Gazette. The Government of India will be requested to prohibit the sale of railway tickets to persons from the infected ports intending to attend the festival.

To Mr Colls of N. Arcot
" Sanitary Comrs
" Surgeon General
Pto

Despd 18-8-98
CRs

Letter to the Secy to the Govt of India, Home Dept, No 8187 dy 16-8-98

Sir,

I am directed to request with reference to the enclosed

Copy of this Govt. No P. dy

that H.E. the G.G. in Council may be moved to issue an order under the E.D. Act 1897, directing that no tickets to travel by railway to the Stations of Seddapadu, Ramanduy, Renigunta, Gudi, Tadakan and Puttur on the Madras Railway, and Tirupati (East), Tirupati (west), Chandragiri, Ramapatnam and Vakalu on the South Indian Railway shall be sold from the 15th ~~September~~ to the 30th September 1898 (both days inclusive) within the Bombay Presidency or the Provinces of Bengal or H.H. the Nizam's dominions to any pilgrim or other person intending or believed to be intending to proceed on pilgrimage to the ensuing Brahmotsavam festival of Sri Venkateswara Swami at Tirumalai near Tirupati in the North Arcot District.

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Part I-A

To issue in Tuesday's Gazette.

20/8/98

Plague

OFFICE OF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
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Local & Muni. (1898) Department.

CURRENT No.

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
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LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT

From The Ag Collector of North Arcot

Order

No. 1475 Dis Emg 98

Dated 12th August 1898.

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SUBJECT.

Submitting for approval & publication Draft Notification prohibiting people from infected parts from attending the ensuing Brahmotsavam festival at Tirumalai

tification

Whereas the Governor of Fort St George in Council is satisfied that there is a danger of an outbreak of plague at Tirumalai near Tirupati in North Arcot District if persons from the Bombay and Bengal Presidencies and H. H. the Nizam's dominions are permitted to visit that place on the occasion of the ensuing annual Brahmotsavam festival of Sri Venkateswara Swami,

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, His Excellency in Council is pleased to direct that no person from the Bombay or Bengal Presidency or H. H. the Nizam's dominions shall be permitted to visit Tirumalai and Tirupati from the 15th September 1898 to 30th September 1898, both days inclusive.

H Walter
Ag Collector

Draft as returned requested
1-9-98

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Statement of Proceedings in G.O. No 279. P. Rules 25th March 1858

Name of Festival or Fair	Place where held	Distance to the nearest Railway station	Date of Commencement and Termination of Festival or Fair	Number of persons (as expected from Polagues instructions) last attended fair	Average attendance during the last three years	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Brahmo Samaj Festival of Evil Karma Samaj	Simulia near Sirur in the North West District	8 miles	Commences on the 7th of September 1858 and ends on the 27th September 1858	20,000	5,000	

W. Watkins
Ag Collector

Brahmo Samaj Festival
Simulia, Rules 12th August 1858

Notification

Whereas the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that there is a danger of an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease at Tirumalai near Tirupati in the North Arcot District of the Madras Presidency if pilgrims or other persons from the Bombay Presidency, the Province of Bengal, and the Hyderabad and Baroda states are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the annual Brahmotsavam festival of Sri Venkateswara Swami;

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2, sub-section (1) of the Epidemic Diseases Act (III of 1897), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that no ticket to travel by railway to the stations of Peddapadu, Ramanduru, Renigunta, Pudi, Tadpatri and Puttur on the Madras Railway, and Tirupati (East), Tirupati (West), Chandragiri, Panapakam, and Pakala on the South Indian Railway, shall be sold from the 15th September to the 30th September 1898 (both days inclusive) within the Bombay Presidency, the Provinces of Bengal, or the Hyderabad or Baroda state, to any pilgrim or other person intending or believed to be intending to proceed on pilgrimage to the Brahmotsavam festival of Sri Venkateswara Swami at Tirumalai

W Ellerton
Ag Collector

"Plague"

NORTH ARCOT, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,

Chittur, Dated 12th August 1898.

No. 1475 of 1898.

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From

J. K. Batten Esquire

Ag Collector & District Magistrate,

North Arcot.

To

The Secretary to Government

Local and Municipal Department

Fort St George

Through The Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of Madras

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No. 279. P. Dated 25th March 1898, I have the honor to report that the annual Brahmotsavam festival of Sri Venkateswara Swami at Tirumalai Commences on the 18th September 1898 and lasts for 10 days. The Divisional officer reports that no restrictions as to the conduct of the festival are necessary as the attendance of pilgrims from the South is decreasing since the outbreak of plague there. The enclosed draft Notifications prepared on the model of those published on the occasion of the recent Brahmotsavam festival at Tiruvannamalai are submitted for approval.

J. K. Batten
Ag Collector

Collector

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FROM

THE COLLECTOR OF

NORTH ARCOT.

To

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Forwarded to Government. The arrangement proposed would seem to suffice provided (1) the local sanitary arrangements both at Upper & Lower Tirupatti are complete and (2) the Sanitary Staff is sufficient to exercise full supervision.

W. Thomson.
Surgn: Major
& Sanitary Commr

Fort St George
13th Augt 98

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SUBJECT.

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Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

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