

Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

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G.O., No. 841P

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Inspection Station

Ordering the publication
of a notification appointing the
Jalarpet Ry Stn as an — under
the Plague Regulations and passing
orders for the establishment of
Camp Camps, posting of Staff etc.

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AUGUST.

Plague Inspection Station.

Ordering the publication of a notification appointing the Jalarpet Railway Station as a—
issuing instructions as regards sheds, staff, &c.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

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ORDER—No. 841 P., dated 18th August 1898.

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(True extract.)

H. TREMENHEERE,
Secretary to Government.

To

The Collector of Salem (A.—L.) with copy of G.O., No. 804 P., dated 13th August 1898.

„ Sanitary Commissioner.

„ Surgeon-General.

„ Inspector-General of Police.

Copy to Public Works Department (Railway Branch.)

„ Judicial Department.

„ Public Department.

„ Marine Department.

„ Political Department.

„ President, Municipal Commission, Madras.

„ all other Collectors (A. F. G. H.)

„ Accountant General.

„ Agent and Manager, Madras Railway.

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20/8/98

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" Surgeon-General.
" Inspector-General of Police.
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" Judicial Department.
" Public Department.
" Marine Department.
" Political Department.
" President, Municipal Commission, Madras.
" all other Collectors. (A.P.S.H.)
" Accountant General.
" Agent and Manager, Madras Railway.
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[L. & M.]

500-10-3-93.

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(1) Read Cas. 1291 P.

(2) " Cas. 1293 P

(3) " Telegram to the Coll. of Salem

ORDER. No 836 dy 17-8-98

(4) " Telegram to the Sanitary Commr.
No 836 dy 17-8-98.

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To P. W. D. (Ry)
Public Dept
Judicial Dept } for favour of Committee members

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~~Solely and take~~ ⁱⁿ ~~tune~~ with the Commissioned

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Two Inspectresses, and

Two Hospital Assistants.

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One watchman

Two Cooks

One waterman

One waterwoman

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One female sweeper

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Two rollers.

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The sheds may be built ^{general} in accordance with the Hospital pattern, regarding which the Sanitary Commr will furnish the necessary information to the Collector.

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such period as may be necessary
for their medical examination,
and to instruct the railway staff
to give every assistance to the
inspecting medical officers. Special

W. benches similar to those supplied
for the other inspection stations should
also be furnished to the medical officers
at Jalapet. An inspection
shed like that ordered at
Ahmednagar in G.O. No 804 P of 1908-09
should, if required by the Collr, be
erected on the platform, and
properly

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under the order of
the Collr of Salem
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instructions contained in para 3 of the
latter order.

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administration at its cost.

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under G.O. No 720 Fin of 4-9-97
for No 547 Fin of 10-6-98 (para 10
of 126-131 of the Madras Plague
Regulations and Rules), and should be

(From order)

18/4/98
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15.8.98

- To the Collr of Salem (
- " Sanitary Commr
- " Inspr General
- " Dy. of Police
- Copy to D.W. Dept (By Branch)
- " Judicial Dept
- " Public Dept
- " Revenue Dept
- " P.W. Dept
- " Resident and Madras
- " all other Collrs

Copy to Resident in Mysore with covering
letter.
Extra table
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When to Agent
Madras Ry
JMS

Again G.O., dated

189 , No.

Current No.

of 189 , dated

from the

Current No.

1291P

of 1898, dated

Dec 16/98

from the Resident in Mysore.

SUBJECT.

Plague in Bangalore.

FOR ORDERS.

H.M.

The following telegram has been sent to the C.M.S. of North Arcot.

"Have you traced and are you watching for the and two children who, as Resident Mysore advised you, left Bangalore for Dindigul on 12."

2. Now that indigenous plague is reported in Bangalore, it is submitted that the time has arrived for opening an inspection station at Jalapet. This seems the most convenient site on this line.

X Or / Comm. office & 1 Asst. Surg. or capable apothecary

Long Staff. Two Comm. officers

17/8/98 X. Forth house of detention

Two Inspectresses,

2. Hospital Asst.

2 Clerks.

and Subordinates on the Hospital!! P. T. O.

Trains arriving from Bangalore.

12.0.

0.26.

20.45

17.20.

And there are probably good
trains as well, the drivers &
guards of which must be examined.
Ans

It can be seen that is one
train abt. 9. pm. & another
just after mid night.

When the Med. offrs. are
to come from, I don't know;
but I suspect they must be
got.

Then the Colrs. must at
once run up a small camp
like that at Hoopet. This
will cost abt. 10,000 Rs.

A. T.
17.8.98.

The Sg. must, if necessary, take
one of the men from England arriving
Charg. of Cpt. or S. A. - Then districts
(or one of them) must be run by an
Asst. Surgeon - The Sg. is in town - He'll
write d.o. to his best & explain that
on no account is he to move any of the
Sahar men we have in Bellary, Kurnool,
Kitha or Godavari or Chaddapich -
Ans

Yes - order him to the spot by
wire & send him full instructions
by letter to Bellary - unless that is,
when info has already been circulated
to those as to the accommodation &
arrangements of the Hoopet camp -
Ask Mr. Spring if he can find a
boiler for disinfection -
Ans

17/8/98

21.8.98

We have
approx. 100
Sahar
men in
Bellary

Ans. Mr. Spring
to let it ready
17.8.

Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 12918

Telegram
From

The Resident in Mysore

Order

No.

Dated 16-8-1898

Received 17-8-1898

Registered 17-8-1898

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SUBJECT.

Stating that a suspicious
case of plague ^{was} ~~has been~~
discovered on the 11th August
1898 and it has been ascer-
tained that two members
of the same family died
on the 11th August 1898 and
that 3 more members one
of them ill left for Tiruvallur
North Arcot Dt on the
12th August 1898.

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To
(Person)

Secy L & M
Deptt.

From
(Person)

Resident

Suspicious case plague
apparently Indigenious discovered
here pettah station
Bangalore today also
ascertained that two
members same family
died Eleventh father
and two children
left for Trivallam
Twelfth father reported
ill Collection North
Arcot advised

64 Word Form.

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Circ. this with copy of
letter to N.A.
recomm. that
inspecting staff
etc be
posted at Jalohar
17.8.98

OOTACAMUND 16-8-98

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At

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Telegraph Master

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Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 1293 P

Telegram
From

The Sanitary Commissioner
Madras

Order

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Dated 17-8-1898

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Stating that the Sanitary Commissioner Mysore wired that one suspected plague case from Hahli segregated at Bangalore on Friday the 12th August 1898 died on the 15th and that one very suspicious indigenous case admitted on the 16th.

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Sanitary
Commissioner

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
17-AUG-1898
LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT

32 Word Form.

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Sent to

L.N.

At

Hrs

Mts. by

At

Hrs

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Transmitted at 11.30 a.m.

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Desp above B
17-8

To The Sanitary Coms. Madras
Before going to Juntakal!
Please proceed to Jalarpet where
plague inspection ordered and select
site for plague camp. Hospital
Collector ordered meet you.
Plan to be adopted.

To The Dycom General, Madras
Inspection station ordered at
Jalarpet

Jalapa. Please arrange to
send

D.O. 55P d 12-8-98
Ep. 767 P d 8-8-98
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.. 717 P d 26-7-98
- 571 P d 25-8-98
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