

PROCEEDINGS OF THE PLAGUE COMMISSIONER.
(1898)

MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 985

Dated 24-12-98

Despatched 26/12/98
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[Despatch Abstract.]

Siruvadimarudur Pushyam festival

Stating that it is unnecessary
to issue a prohibitory notification
on the attendance at ————— Tanjore
District

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Statement showing the number of persons expected to arrive from plague infected parts during the important days of the Pushyam festival at Tiruvadamardur in January 1899.

Name of festival or fair	Place where held the nearest Railway Station	Date of commencement and termination of festival or fair	Average attendance during the past 3 years	Number of people expected from plague infected parts.
Pushyam Festival	Tiruvadamardur Railway Station	Commences on the 17 th and terminates on the 26 th January 1899.	About 20000	It is reported that people are not likely to come from infected parts.

/ Signed S P Rice
De Collector

/ True copy
Comm. Secy
For Agl Collector

Plague

Copy of a Communication from the Sub Collector of
Tanjore to the Collector of Tanjore, dated 3rd December
1898. R.C. 4628 of 1898.

I have the honour to inform you that the
Pushingam Festival at Tiruvadamardur
Commences on the 17th January 1899 and will
continue for a period of 10 days till the 26th
idam. The Festival is one of local importance,
and will command a large gathering of
pilgrims especially on the last day. It
is reported that the festival does not invite
people from outside the Tanjore District and
that the publication of a notification pro-
hibiting pilgrims from plague-infected
areas from attending it, is unnecessary. I
doubt if it is wise to run any risk. If no
one comes, no harm is done by the notification.
I therefore leave it to you for orders.

Put up in the
Plague file.

2. A statement in the form given
in G. O. 279 P dated 25th March 1898
is enclosed.

R.C. No 5034 of 98

Enc. one Submitted to the Plague
Commissioner, Madras for orders.

Tanjore Collecting Office
7th December 98 } (Signed) J. Twiss
acting Collector

(True Copy)

R.C. No 5034 of 98 Forwarded to the Sanitary
Enc. one Commissioner and the District
Medical and Sanitary Officer, Tanjore.
for information.

Atminder to the
Tanjore Collecting Office, } For A.C. Collector

From The As. Commr of
Tampore

To The Sanitary Commr.
Madras.

Dated 7 December 1898
sent 9-12-98
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Rb No 5034
on 28

Memorandum
Subject

Forwarding copy of
letter to the Plague Commission
regarding the Puchyam
Festival at Tiruvadam.

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Statement showing the number of persons expected to arrive from
Plague infected parts during the important days of the Puchyam
Festival at Tiruvadam whether in January 1899.

Name of Festival or Fair	Place where held	Distance to the nearest Railway Station	Date of Commence- ment and ter- mination of festival or fair	Average attendance during the past 3 years	Number of people expected from infected parts.
Puchyam Festival	Tiruvada- ma- nthur	Self a Railway Station	Commences on the 17th and terminates on the 26th Janu- ary 1899.	About 2000	It is reported that people are not likely to come from infected parts.

Signed S. P. Rice
Attn: S. P. Rice
For Asg. Commr

True copy
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For Asg. Commr

Plague

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Tanjore Collector's office
7th December 98 }
Number to the
For acting Collector

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From
The Collector of
Tanjore

To The Plague Commr.

Madras.

Thro the Sanitary Commissioner
Dated 4 December 98

Recd 9/12-98

A.C. No 5034
GR

Enc. One

Subject

Forwarding Sub
Collector's letter soliciting
Orders whether a notification
should be issued pro-
hibiting pilgrims from
plague infected parts from
attending the Cushtyam
Festival at Tiruvadam

No 3175
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Forwarded.

2. It would seem (as new
it being ordinarily
recognized as of "great
importance" only in ordi-
nary years) unlikely
that any change will
occur in the character of
pilgrims on this occasion.
Hence, close attention
to conditions of arrival
and stoppage of "suspicious
persons" who the Govt.
would seem able to
is requisite.

W. King.
Lt. Col. J. H. S.

Sun. Comd for Madras
20/12/98

Prop No 985 of 24/12/98

Consider it necessary to
issue a prohibitory noti-
fication. The local authorities
may adopt the Sanitary
Commissioner's proposal.

27/12/98
To the Collector of Tanjore
"Sanitary Commr"

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