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G.O., No. 1056

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Jigger

Recording Gov. Marine dept, ordering
that Govt of India be addressed ~~to~~ regarding
the risk of importation of the — from ~~Lanzarote~~
and Mombassa through ~~Marmagoa~~
and that they be asked to move the Portuguese
authorities to take measures to prevent
such importation.

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G.O., No. 556, 21st June 1899.

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Order No 1056 Pmis

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Copy to Sanitary Comm.

as S.C

12.7.99

Chigo

Ordered that the Government of India be informed of the imminent risk of importation into this country of the —, from Zanzibar and Mombassa through Marmagoa, and that they be asked to move the Portuguese authorities to take measures to prevent such importation.



GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From A. F. PINHEY, Esq., Acting Collector of South Canara, to the Secretary to Government, Marine Department, dated Mangalore, 16th June 1899, Ref. on C. No. 998-Eng.

With reference to G.O., No. 208, Marine, dated 6th March 1899, I have the

This office letter C. No. 998-Eng., dated 4th May 1899, to the British Consul for Portuguese India. Letter No. M./11, dated May 1899, from the British Consul for Portuguese India, and its enclosure.

I made the reference to the British Consul because when I passed through Goa en route for Bombay in May 1898, I saw a German steamer arrive from Zanzibar or Mombassa with a number of returning natives of India and troops and coolies on board. If the authorities in Goa continue to be indifferent in the matter, there is great danger of the pest being spread into British India from Marmagoa. I would suggest that steps be taken to move the Portuguese Government to take the necessary precautions.

ENCLOSURES.

From A. F. PINHEY, Esq., Acting Collector of South Canara, to the British Consul, Marmagoa, dated Mangalore, 4th May 1899, C. No. 998-Eng.

I have the honour to request that you will be so good as to let me know at an early date whether there is not a direct line of steamers trading between Goa and East Coast of Africa, and, if so, what precautions, if any, are being taken to prevent the importation of "jigger."

From Her Britannic Majesty's Consul for Portuguese India, to the Collector of South Canara, dated Bombay, May 1899, No. M./11.

In reply to your letter No. C. 998, dated 4th instant, I have the honour to state that there is a direct line of steamers, running somewhat irregularly, between the East Coast of Africa and the Portuguese Indian port of Marmagoa. The Goa Government apparently take no precautions to prevent the importation of "jigger" or "chigger" into Portuguese Indian territory. A translation copy of the reply of the Goa Government to my communication on the subject is herewith forwarded.

From A. M. NORTON deMATTOS, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary, Nova Goa, to Her Britannic Majesty's Consul for Portuguese India, Bombay, dated 25th May 1899.

In reply to your letter No. L.A./4, dated the 13th instant, I am directed by His Excellency the Governor-General to inform you that as the parasite insects "chigger" are imported, in the case in question mixed with the ballast and cargo of the vessels, and as such ballast and cargo are not landed at Marmagoa by the vessels coming from Mombassa, this Government is of opinion, on the strength of the information given by the health authorities, that there is no need for the present to take any prophylactic measures against the importation of such insects.

ORDER—No. 556, Marine, dated 21st June 1899.

Ordered that the Government of India be informed by telegram of the state of affairs in Portuguese India and asked that the Portuguese Government be moved to take measures to prevent the introduction of the chigo to this country.

(True Extract.)

Alfred

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Collector, South Canara.
" Presidency Port Officer.
" Local and Municipal Department.

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