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Statement showing the progress of Plague in the Madras Presidency during the fortnight ending 18th November 1899.

District and place.	Previously reported up to 21st October 1899.						Reported during fortnight ending 4th November 1899.						Reported during fortnight ending 18th November 1899.					
	Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.	
	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.
Anantapur District ..	66	47	676	519	742	566	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bellary District—																		
Bellary	4	4	..	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
Hiremegalageri ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	11	23	11
Kampli	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	2
Other places ..	26	23	306	251	332	274	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	30	27	306	251	336	278	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2	23	11	26	13
Chingleput District ..	10	9	..	..	10	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Coimbatore District—																		
Alahalli	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1
Malligahalli ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	* 1	* 1	1	1
Muddumallihundi (hamlet of Silukkavadi)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	† 5	† 2	5	2
Tagarapuram ..	..	..	8	5	8	5	..	..	3	3	3	3	..	..	..	1	..	1
Other places ..	5	2	..	..	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	5	2	8	5	13	7	..	..	3	3	3	3	..	..	7	5	7	5
Cuddapah District ..	2	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ganjám District ..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kurnool District ..	5	5	167	143	172	148	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madras	18	11	..	..	18	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madura District ..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malabar District ..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nellore District ..	2	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nilgiri District ..	2	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
North Arcot District—																		
Naditiramdasallapalli	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
Polur	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Other places ..	133	104	692	508	825	612	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	134	104	692	508	826	612	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1
Salem District—																		
Hosúr	16	7	112	89	128	96	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Jalarpet	82	46	..	..	82	46	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	1	..	..	2	1
Jibi	..	..	6	5	6	5	..	..	4	2	4	2	..	..	1	1	1	1
Kalukondapalli ..	1	1	16	10	17	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1
Komaranapalli ..	2	1	19	11	21	12	..	..	2	1	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
Kudiraipalaiyam ..	..	..	10	5	10	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..
Mukondahalli ..	..	..	9	6	9	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..
Ulaviranapalli ..	..	..	6	5	6	5	..	..	5	1	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vániyambádi ..	11	6	1	1	12	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	3	3
Other places ..	77	54	388	291	465	345	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	189	115	567	423	756	538	1	..	12	5	13	5	4	2	5	5	9	7

* Suspicious. † One attack and one death are suspicious.

Statement showing the progress of Plague in the Madras Presidency during the fortnight ending 18th November 1899—*cont.*

District and place.	Previously reported up to 21st October 1899.						Reported during fortnight ending 4th November 1899.						Reported during fortnight ending 18th November 1899.					
	Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.	
	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.
South Canara District	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trichinopoly District	7	4	..	..	7	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Total ..	474	330	2,416	1,849	2,890	2,179	1	..	15	8	16	8	8	5	35	21	43	26

STATEMENT showing the number of persons inoculated during the fortnight ending 11th November 1899.

Serial number.	Name of district.	Number.
1	Bellary	4
2	Malabar	10
3	Salem	72

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Kampli	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	2
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Coimbatore District—																		
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Malligahalli ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	†1	†1	1	1
Muddumallihundi (hamlet of Silukkavadi)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	‡5	‡2	5	2
Tagarapuram ..	..	..	8	5	8	5	..	..	3	3	3	3	..	..	..	1	..	1
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Other places ..	133	104	692	508	825	612	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
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* Six attacks and six deaths are suspicious. † Suspicious. ‡ One attack and one death are suspicious.

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	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.
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STATEMENT showing the progress of Plague in the Madras Presidency during the fortnight ending 18th ~~4th~~ November 1899.

District and place.	Previously reported up to 21st ~~7th~~ October 1899.						Reported during fortnight ending 4th November ~~21st October~~ 1899.						Reported during fortnight ending 18th ~~4th~~ November 1899.					
	Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.	
	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.
~~Anantapur District~~																		
~~Guntakal~~ ..	~~2~~	~~1~~	~~135~~	~~115~~	~~137~~	~~116~~	~~1~~	..	..	..	~~1~~	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
~~Other places~~	~~63~~	~~46~~	~~541~~	~~404~~	~~604~~	~~450~~	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
~~Total~~ ..	~~65~~ 66	47	676	519	~~741~~ 742	566	~~1~~	..	..	..	~~1~~	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bellary Dt.																		
Bellary	4	4	"	"	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	"	"	"	1	"
Hiremegalageri	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	~~21~~	"	21 ⊙	11 ⊙	21	11
Kampli	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	2
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Chingleput Dt.	10	9	-	-	10	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coimbatore Dt.																		
Alahalli	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1
Malligahalli	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 †	1 †	1	1
Muddumallihundi ~~Muttumallanahundi~~	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5 *	2 *	5	2
(hamlet of Silukkavadi) Jagarapuram	-	-	8	5	8	5	-	-	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	1	-	1

⊙ 6 attacks & 6 deaths are suspicious

† Suspicious

* 1 attack & 1 death are suspicious

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Statement showing the progress of Plague in the Madras Presidency during the fortnight ending ~~4th~~ November 1899—*cont.*

District and place.	Previously reported up to ~~7th October~~ 21st 1899.						Reported during fortnight ending ~~21st October~~ 4th Nov. 1899.						Reported during fortnight ending ~~4th~~ 18th November 1899.					
	Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.	
	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.
South Canara District																		
Tri	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	7	4	..	..	7	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		~~326~~ [illegible]	~~2,392~~ 2416	~~1,828~~ 1849	~~2,858~~ 2890	~~2,154~~ 2179	~~8~~ 1	~~4~~ –	~~24~~ 15	~~21~~ 8	~~32~~ 16	~~25~~ 8	~~1~~ 8	~~..~~ 5	~~15~~ 33	~~8~~ 21	~~16~~ 41	~~8~~ 26

STATE[illegible] er of persons inoculated during the fortnight ending ~~28th October~~ 1899.

Serial number.	Name of district.	Number.
1	Bellary	4
~~1~~ 2	~~Salem~~ Malabar	~~81~~ 10
3.	Salem	72

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Plague Report Bellary District.

Date 7th November 99, *No.*

1. Name of town or village.— Bellary

2. Population of town or village.— 59,467

Plague cases up to date of last report.
- Number of seizures.— "
- Number of deaths.— "
- Date of last report.— 7th February 99

4. Date of present attack.— 7th November 1899

5. When reported by telegram ?— "

6. Imported or indigenous ?— Imported from Bombay

7. Brief history of case.— Maty Subbroyan went to Bombay to meet & [illegible] arrival of his master and mistress Robertson returning from England. for them to Madras on the 30th October 1899, where a passport was issued to them. He was [illegible] as undergoing observation, till the 6th and on the 7th morning he was suffering from fever with a temperature 103.6, Pneu[illegible] [illegible] with enlargements of both groins [illegible] and inclining to be dry, [illegible] coated with [illegible] [illegible]nally — complains of thirst [illegible] bed — no delirium [illegible] drawn up.

8. If imported, had patient a passport ?— 5266 was issued [illegible] imported from Bombay. Pass[illegible] at Madras on the 30th October 1899

9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient.— He was taken to Plague [illegible] and is being treated there

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of contacts.—

Contacts kept in a separate shed built temporarily

11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house.—

The house in which the patient was found & the houses of the contacts have been evacuated and disinfected.

12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?—

Nil

13. Remarks.— Nil

(Signed) P. Ramalan
Tahsildar 7.11.99

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Submitted to Government. Mr Elwin visited Kampli on the 5th instant and made arrangements for the treatment of this case. The man has since died. The usual precautions are being taken in regard to the relatives

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Plague Report Bellary District.

Date 13. 11. 99, No. Hospet Taluk

1. Name of town or village.— Kampli.

2. Population of town or village.— 10529.

3. Plague cases up to date of last report.
   - Number of seizures.— one
   - Number of deaths.— 1
   - Date of last report.— 6th Novemb

4. Date of present attack.— 9th November 1899

5. When reported by telegram?— 11th November 1899.

6. Imported or indigenous?— Imported.

7. Brief history of case.— One Nalgar Hussain Saheb [illegible] Saheb, Mussalman, resident of Kampli aged 38 years went to Chi[illegible] on the other side of the river, an infected area on the morning of the [illegible] and returned to Kampli the same evening. He was given a passp[illegible] and was thus under observation. He was foun[illegible] in the Asst Plag[illegible] the 8th instant at 4 P.M. He was at once re[illegible] Plague Supervisor [illegible] the [illegible] shed and kept there. The contacts [illegible] in the [illegible] The patient had a pne[illegible] form of plague and succumbed [illegible] by the [illegible] at about 7 A.M. The [illegible] by wire to the [illegible] Sanitary officer who declared [illegible]

8. If imported, had patient a passport?—

9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient.—

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of contacts.—

The contacts were segregated in the Road Frontier Inspection sheds till noon of the 12th instant when the private sheds erected at the people's cost were ready & they were removed thither. They are doing well.

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11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house.—

The house was thoroughly disinfected. The floor was dug up and burnt and previous to it it was flushed with perchloride of mercury solution. The grain and other articles were exposed to the Sun. The cloths also were well boiled in solution.

12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?— Nil.

13. Remarks.— Nil

(Signed) C. V. Subramanya Iyer.
13.11.99.

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16/11/99 (This may go to Secy)

Plague Report Bellary District. Harapanhalli Taluk

Date 10 — 11 — 1899, No.

1. Name of town or village.— Hiremegalkeri & its hamlet Araibasapuram

2. Population of town or village.— 1728

3. Plague cases up to date of last report.
- Number of seizures.—
- Number of deaths.—
- Date of last report.—

4. Date of present attack.— About the 8th instant

5. When reported by telegram?— 10th November 1899

6. Imported or indigenous?— Indigenous.

7. Brief history of case.— There were fever cases in the Vi
last fortnight or so. The 1st case of death occurred o for
series followed from the 5th. On the 8th rumour spread village
at deaths were due to glandular swelling and that rats were
und dead in some houses and that the
n fear of being segregated. The Karnam suspected them as plague probably
ses on the 8th and reported them as such. Steps are being taken by the
Officer to segregate the the contacts & to evacuate the village.

8. If imported, had patient a passport?

patient.—

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of contacts.—

11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house.—

12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?—

People seem to be forward in evacuating the villages.

13. Remarks.—

(Signed) B. H. Vedavyasalu
Sheristadar
10/11/99.

(True copy)

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Submitted to Government L & M Deptt. There has been plague for some time past in the Mysore villages clo… to the frontier and Mr. Elwin placed a Road Frontier In… spection station at Puggavatti recently. The present … break seems to show that more Road Frontier Inspection are required … [illegible] … ing to the spot at once and will … the necessary.

It shows that sufficient watch is not kept over sickness & deaths in villages

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14/11/99

Karnam ought to have been prompter to report

fever. ?
17-11-99

G.O. Await report
we have called for

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Detailed report of a case of death from – in …alatti Village Kollegal Taluk Coimbatore District.

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Plague Report Coimbatore District.

Date 16th November 98 *No.* R.O.C. 1503/P of 98.

1. Name of town or village.— Alahalli Village in the Kollegal Taluk.

2. Population of town or village.— 1,380

3. Plague cases up to date of last report.
   - Number of seizures.— Nil
   - Number of deaths.— Nil
   - Date of last report.— —

4. Date of present attack.— 11th November 1898

5. When reported by telegram ?— 13th November 1898.

6. Imported or indigenous ?— Indigenous.

7. Brief history of case.— The deceased a Madiga (Chuckler) and native of the village is stated to have been in the habit of going to Marahalli Market (in the Mysore State) and Jaganpuram. He probably got the infection in those places. Farther Alahalli is close to Mugur and Thellanur (both in the Mysore State) which are also infected villages.

8. If imported, had patient a passport ?— Not imported

9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient.— Information received only after death. Body burnt.

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of contacts.— The Contacts segregated in a hut outside the village.

11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house.— The hut in which the patient died will soon be disinfected or burnt.

12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?— None. But the Deputy Collector Kollegal says that he had a conference with the leading villagers who are of opinion that immediate evacuation of the village is unnecessary and expensive; but that they have expressed their willingness to evacuate it, if more cases occur and to collect materials in the mean time for the erection of sheds. I have, however, ordered by wire the immediate evacuation of the village if the Case was ~~has been~~ found to be one of genuine plague.

13. Remarks.— The Tahsildar says this is only a suspected case and that when the man was observed by a salt peon two days prior to his death he was all right. But the Hospital Assistant who examined the body of the deceased and found the glands on the right groin enlarged, has expressed his opinion that the Case is one of genuine plague.

Acting Collector.

To

The Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, Madras and to the Sanitary Commissioner. Madras.

Local & Munl. (1899) Department.

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Detailed report of a plague case in Malligahalli village Kollegal Taluk. Coimbatore District

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Plague Report Coimbatore District.

Date 16-11-99 R-o- C, *No.* 1512(a)/P of 99

1. Name of town or village.— Malligahalli village in the Kollegal Taluk
2. Population of town or village.— 292
3. Plague cases up to date of last report.
   - Number of seizures.— Nil
   - Number of deaths.— Nil
   - Date of last report.— -
4. Date of present attack.— 12-11-99
5. When reported by telegram?— 14-11-99
6. Imported or indigenous?— Indigenous
7. Brief history of case.— No reliable information seems available in respect of this case. The parents of the deceased (a pariah boy aged 10 years) have stated that the latter was suffering from stomach ache for some time and that he had a severe attack of it for about 4 days from the effect of which he died. He was, however, after death examined by the Civil apothecary of Kollegal who is of opinion that it is a ~~suspected~~ case of suspected plague.
8. If imported, had patient a passport?— Not imported
9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient.— The case was [illegible] after the patient's death and burnt after the

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Plague Report Coimbatore District.

Date 20" November 99, R.C. No. 1525 Plague of 1899.

1. Name of town or village.— Muttumallankaudi, hamlet of Chilukavadi in Kollegal Taluk

2. Population of town or village.— 667 for the whole village

3. Plague cases up to date of last report.
   - Number of seizures.— nil
   - Number of deaths.— nil
   - Date of last report.— —

4. Date of present attack.— 15" November 1899

5. When reported by telegram?— 17" November 1899.

6. Imported or indigenous?— Indigenous.

7. Brief history of case.— The hamlet is said to be very near Malligatti and also the Mysore frontier already infected. The Tahsildar of Kollegal is of opinion that the men got the infection from the places above mentioned. The first case discovered was a death from suspected plague. Two other persons found suffering from plague were among the contacts

8. If imported, had patient a passport?— Not imported

9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient.— The dead body is said to have been burnt and the two patients segregated and placed under treatment.

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of contacts.— The Contacts are said to have been segregated.

11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house.— Evacuation is said to have been ordered. Disinfection will be commenced.

12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?— None.

13. Remarks.— The hamlet is a very small one consisting of about 20 houses.

17th November 1899.

C. H. Mornsey

Acting Collector.

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To
The Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, Madras; and
The Sanitary Commissioner, Madras.

Weekly plague report

of the

Deputy Collector, Kollegal Division, Coimbatore District

for the week ending

Saturday the 11th November 1899.

(vide Plague Commissioner's letter dated 21·2·99 No 457)

1. Name of infected village — Tagarapuram in Kollegal Taluk
Population 1529.

2. Number of attacks 1
(a) In previous weeks 11
(b) During present week "

umber of deaths 1
(a) In previous weeks 8
(b) During present week "

Measures taken for the uppression of plague. — The people still live in huts outside the infected village. Disinfection will be completed by the begining

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of next week. Necessary preventive measures are being carried out.

5. Success of plague measures. There has been no fresh attack since the 1st instant. Of the three cases which are in Camp one has been discharged thoroughly cured of plague. Another is progressing favourably towards recovery and the third (viz the police constable) is in the same bad state. The plague measures may be said to have proved successful upto now.

6. Attitude of the people towards plague measures. This continues to be satisfactory.

7. General remarks. On the 8th instant an old man aged about 85 or 90 years died of diarrhoea. He was ailing for some months past and died in Health camp. This case is believed to be not one of plague.

Kollegal Deputy Collector's
Office Camp Sivasamudram
Dated 10th November 1899.

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From

The Deputy Collector
Kollegal Division

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To

The Secretary to
Government
Local and Municipal
Department
Fort Saint George
Madras

Dated 10 } November 99
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Plague report for the week ending Saturday the 11th November 1899

Weekly Plague report of the Deputy Collector, Kollegal Division, Coimbatore District for the week ending Saturday the 18th November 1899

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(vide Plague Commissioner's letter dated 21.2.99 No 457)

1. Names of infected or suspected villages

		Population
(1)	Tagarapuram	1529
(2)	Alalli	1380
(3)	Malligalli	292
(4)	Silukkavadi (In the hamlet of Muddumallihundi)	657
(5)	Kollegal Town	9946.

2. Number of attacks

		In the previous weeks	During Current week	Total
	Genuine plague cases			
(1)	Tagarapuram	11	"	11
(2)	Silukkavadi	"	2	2
	Suspicious cases.			
(3)	Silukkavadi	"	1	1
(4)	Alalli	"	1	1
(5)	Malligalli	"	1	1
(6)	Kollegal Town	1	"	1

3. Number of deaths

Genuine plague cases	In previous weeks	During current week	Total
(1) Tagarapuram	8	1	9
Suspicious cases			
(2) Alatti	"	1	1
(3) Malligatti	"	1	1
(4) Silukkavadi	"	1	1
(5) Kollegal Town	1	"	1

4. Measures taken for the suppression of plague (a) The people of Tagarapuram still live in huts outside the village. Disinfection has been completed and the village cleaned. Of the three cases in Camp one died on the 11th instant. Another has been discharged cured and the third is still lingering. There have been no fresh cases in the villages since the 1st November 1899.

(b) In Muddumallihundi, a hamlet of Silukkavadi village, there were two attacks and one suspicious death on the 15th instant. The patients and the contacts have been removed to sheds and their houses which are of trifling value have been burnt.

The people are evacuating the village in view to its being thoroughly disinfected and cleansed. Health camps are being built outside the village and protective measures taken to prevent the spread of plague.

5. Success of plague measures. Owing to the lingering of plague in the frontier villages vigorous efforts are necessary to stamp out the disease. They are being taken as far as practicable.

6. Attitude of the people towards plague measures. This continues to be satisfactory.

7. General remarks. It is believed that fresh villages become infected owing to the presence of plague on the frontier side. The villages are being carefully watched; but owing to the interlacing of British and Mysore villages there is some difficulty in keeping away plague.

Kollegal Deputy Collector's office 16 November 1899

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From

The Deputy Collector
Kollegal Division

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To The Secretary to
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for the week ending
Saturday the 18th November 1899

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Plague Report North Arcot District.

Date 13th November 1899, No. 3435/P of 99

1. Name of town or village.— Nadutheeram Dasalapalli

2. Population of town or village.—

3. Plague cases up to date of last report. { Number of seizures.— Number of deaths.— Date of last report.— } nil

4. Date of present attack.— not known

5. When reported by telegram?— 10th November 1899

6. Imported or indigenous?— Imported

7. Brief history of case.— On 9th November 1899 a telegram was received from the Plague officer, Marikuppam gold mines, that one Ramudu suffering from plague escaped from Perandahalli village near Marikuppam to Varadakuppam near Rajpet, Palmaner Taluk. The Tahsildar of Palmaner was at once wired to find out and segregate the man. The Tahsildar having been absent from the headquarters, the Sheristadar in charge was able after a detailed enquiry to trace the man the next day. He was found lying down under a Pingam tree in the bed of the Palar River in the village mentioned in answer to query 1. He had high fever and a swelling in the right groin.

8. If imported, had patient passport?— No

9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient.— He was at first removed to a shed erected for the purpose near the place where he was found out. Subsequently in the evening he was removed to the Patrapalli Frontier shed on the recommendation of the medical officer in charge of the Frontier Station who attended on the patient. The deputy Tahsildar [illegible]

Venkatagirikota reports that the patient was a little better on the 11th.

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of contacts.— It is reported that there were no contacts. I have, however, directed the Tahsildar to find out all about the patient's wanderings in order that the necessary steps might be taken to prevent any contacts from spreading the infection.

11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house.— It has not yet been fully ascertained whether the patient entered any house but enquiries are being made. The places where he was lying before removal to the plague camp were properly disinfected by the medical officer of the Patrapalli station.

12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?— No

13. Remarks.— As stated in reply to question 11 I have already directed the Tahsildar to find out all about the patient's wanderings – the route by which he came to Dasalapalli, the villages or houses he stopped on the way, the conveyance if any used by him &c. I have now again directed the Deputy Tahsildar of Venkatagirikota to depute a Revenue Inspector to keep a careful watch over the village to which the patient belongs, and particularly of the patient's relatives to whose house he might probably have gone at first. The detailed report was received only this morning from the Tahsildar. Hence the delay in the submission of this report

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Plague Report Salem District.

Date 9th November 99, No.

1. Name of town or village.— Jolarpet

2. Population of town or village.— „

3. Plague cases up to date of last report
   - Number of seizures.— 84
   - Number of deaths.— 49
   - Date of last report.— 4-11-99.

4. Date of present attack.— 6-11-99.

5. When reported by telegram?— 8-11-99

6. Imported or indigenous?— Imported

7. Brief history of case.— Kuppandy aged 28 years Coming from Balaghat mines admitted in to Plague camp on 6-11-99 suffering from Pneumonia which at the time of admission seemed to be of an ordinary type but since then was on 8-11-99 decided to be plague.

8. If imported, had patient a passport?— no

9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient.— Removed to Plague Hospital

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of contacts.—

Brother detained with him.

11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house.—

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12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?—

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13. Remarks.— As this patient was found to be suffering from pneumonia and came from an infected area he was removed to the plague camp on 6th November 99 and only intimated as plague when the diagnosis was certain on 8th November 99.

(Signed) Herbert R Power
Chief Medl officer.

(True copy)

Endorsement No 1855/S d/ 11-11-99

Submitted to the Secretary to Government Local and Municipal Department and the Sanitary Commissioner for Madras.

Salem Collector's Office }
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Plague Report Salem District.

Date 12th November 1899 No.

1. Name of town or village.— Jolarpet

2. Population of town or village.— "

3. Plague cases up to date of last report

	Number of seizures.—	85
	Number of deaths.—	50
	Date of last report.—	9-11-99.

4. Date of present attack.— 11-11-99

5. When reported by telegram?— 11-11-99

6. Imported or indigenous?— Imported

7. Brief history of case.— Krishna Nayar aged 24 Malayali by caste coming from Coregam was admitted into Plague Hospital on 11th November 99 having been in detention camp one day.

8. If imported, had patient a passport?— NO

9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient.— Removed to Plague Hospital

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of contacts.—

nil

11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house.—

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12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?—

13. Remarks.— nil

(Sd) Herbert R Power
Chief Medical Officer

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Plague Report Salem District.

Date 13th November 99 No.

1. Name of town or village.— Mukondapalli

2. Population of town or village.— 343

3. Plague cases up to date of last report
   - Number of seizures.— 9
   - Number of deaths.— 6
   - Date of last report.—

4. Date of present attack.— about 10 days ago but found on ~~the~~ 11th instant

5. When reported by telegram?— 13th November.

6. Imported or indigenous?— Indigenous.

7. Brief history of case.— A man named [illegible] brother of the village toty was found with all symptoms of plague by the circle Inspector on 11th. Seen by the Additional Medical Officer and pronounced to be plague. The Munsiff says he has been ill for last four days. yet did not report the case.

8. If imported, had patient a passport?— no - nil.

9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient.— Isolated in fields. Have suggested to Additional Medical Officer to have him sent to Guzuvadi Frontier Inspection station for treatment.

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of contacts.— The usual steps taken.

11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house.— The villagers are still in the fields and waiting to go in when compensation has been paid to them for thatch burnt but now they will have to remain out a month longer. The hut of patient has been disinfected.

12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?— None.

13. Remarks.— It is impossible to get any clue to the infection in this case. All we have been able to ascertain is that the man was working in a garden belonging to a Hosur Pleader about 12 days ago when he was taken ill (according to the statement of all the gardeners). So the Village munsiff's statement does not seem correct. He has probably got a grain store hidden somewhere which is infected and which has been hitherto untouched, to somewhere between the garden he worked in to [illegible]giri and Munkondapalli.

(Sd) J. French. Captn.
Special Plague Officer.

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Plague Report Salem District.

Date 8th November 1899 No.

1. Name of town or village.— Kudraipaliem (Matigiri)

2. Population of town or village.— 2442

3. Plague cases up to date of last report

		Imported	Indigenous
	Number of seizures.—	2	118
	Number of deaths.—	2	86.
	Date of last report.—		

4. Date of present attack.— not known (found on 7th instant)

5. When reported by telegram?— 8th November 1899.

6. Imported or indigenous?— Imported (as far as we know)

7. Brief history of case.— It was reported to ~~Assistant~~ Additional Medical Officer yesterday that a man called Madurai aged 20 was ill with plague in a house in Kudraipaliem (Matigiri). As the ~~Assistant~~ Additional Medical Officer was feeling unwell and could not go I went to see him. He had been removed to the Matigiri plague shed by the circle Inspector with his only contact his mother. I saw him ~~that~~ thus; he had a bubo the size of an orange in the left groin and had fever blood shot eyes and every symptom of plague.

8. If imported, had patient a passport?— Imported from Sub Kelta's house – no passport.

9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient.— Removed to day for treatment to Hosur Plague Sheds

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of contacts.— Only Contact (his brother segregated).

11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house.— House in Kudraipoleem evacuated and disinfected also servants quarters and kitchen in the Sub Collector's house.

12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?— None.

13. Remarks.— When I questioned the man he said that he had got leave from the Sub Collector (in whose employ he was a cook) on the 2nd instant to go and see his sister in Bangalore, that he went as far as Zuzuvadi Frontier Station and having got fever by that time returned and being afraid to go back to the Sub Collector's house he went to his own house in Kudraipoleem where he was found. He was in the habit of sleeping always in the kitchen of the Sub Collector's house and never went home at Matigiri. His brother who had worked as "Tannicari" [illegible] instant went

head & he was ~~too~~ ill unknown to me, and has not been in my house since.

The following I have elicited from the Sub Collector himself :- He says:

The man left his house on 29th ultimo asking one day's leave of his butler to go to Bangalore to see a sick sister. Whether he went there or not he does not know. His servants say the man was not at all ill when he left. A dead rat was found in the Sub Collector's cook house on the 16th October and I had the place thoroughly disinfected at the time. It is possible that the kitchen and other godowns are also infected so I have had the whole lot disinfected today.

(Sd) J. J. French, Capt.
Special Plague Officer.

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Submitted to Government in the Local and Municipal Department and the Sanitary Commissioner for Madras.

Salem Collector's Office
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for Dy. Collector

Venkatagiri … was a little better on the 11th.

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ASSISTT SECY TO GOVT 23 NOV. 1899 LOCAL MUNL EDL & LEG DEPTS

Plague Report Salem District.

Date __________, No. ______

1. Name of town or village.— Vaniambadi.

2. Population of town or village.— 16090.

3. Plague cases up to date of last report	Number of seizures.—	11
	Number of deaths.—	8
	Date of last report.—	8. 11. 99.

4. Date of present attack.— 15. 11. 99

5. When reported by telegram?— 16. 11. ~~99~~

6. Imported or indigenous?— Indigenous.

7. Brief history of case.— Among the Contacts of the late Abdul Manaf (who died of plague on the 10th inst.) that were kept under observation Sahebbivi the mother of the deceased who was attending upon him during his illness was found to be suffering from fever yesterday morning the thermometer reading 104° The Hospital Assistant segregated her at once in a separate vacant house

8. If imported, had patient a passport?—

9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient.— about 200 yards off the building in which all the Contacts were originally segregated at Chennampet. One female was allowed in the house to attend upon her

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of contacts.—

11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house.—

12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?—

13. Remarks.—

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the patient breathed her last at about 8^{30} a.m today.

8. If imported, had patient a passport? Not imported.

9. Steps taken to isolate and treat the patient. The patient was removed to and segregated in a separate vacant building where the patient died this morning. Two police Constables were at once posted at the house to guard the same in view to prevent ingress and egress.

10. Steps taken towards the segregation of Contacts. The (deceased) patient was one of the Contacts who were already under observation. Out of the remaining three Contacts in the same house one old woman aged about 80 years (some say about 100 years) died this morning (vide details in the last para) and the remaining two are kept under observation guarded by the Police.

The female who was allowed to attend upon the deceased (Sahibbivi) in the new house is now kept in the same house which is also guarded.

11. Steps taken towards the evacuation and disinfection of the infected house. Both the original house in which the deceased Sahibbivi was and the house to which she was removed yesterday evening are being disinfected thoroughly. The floor and the walls have been well saturated with perchloride of mercury lotion and the disinfection of the other samans clothing &c is being done. A further report as soon as this is completed will be submitted.

12. Was there any opposition on the part of the inmates of the infected house or of the people of the village to the plague measures?

No opposition except their refusal to permit the removal of the patient to the plague hospital.

3. Remarks - The deceased Sahibbivi —

as stated above was the mother and one of the Contacts of the late abdul Manaf segregated in Esuf Sahib's house at Chennampet. She was last evening found to be suffering from fever with a temperature of 104°. There was no enlargement of glands or any other symptom of plague but however considering it desirable to have her separated from the other contacts the hospital Assistant and the municipal Manager (in my absence at camp) repaired to the spot forthwith and segregated her in another separate vacant house selected by the relatives and approved of by the hospital Assistant

A female (not one of the Contacts) was allowed to attend upon the patient. The two police Constables who were guarding the ~~Makan where~~ Makan where abdul Manaf died which has been thoroughly disinfected and which was not found to need a guard any longer were orally asked on the spot by the hospital Assistant and the Manager to be guarding the new house in which the deceased Sahibbivi was segregated and were also informed that a formal requisition will be sent to that effect to the Police Inspector. The said two officers posted the Constables at the new house before they returned.

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3. At about 9 A.m information reached me that the patient Sahibbivi died and the hospital Assistant and the Certificated Sanitary Inspector were sent at once to the spot to arrange for the removal and burial of the dead body with the necessary sanitary precautions. At about 10:20 a.m. as I was proceeding to the place to supervise what has to be done I received information hat another Contact Habib Sahibbivi who was one of those originally segregated n Syed Esufs Sahib's house also died

From the report of the hospital Assistant received immediately (a copy herewith submitted) it is however, observed that as soon as she heard of the death of Sahibbivi which had been preceded by the death last night from dysentery of her (Habib Sahibbivi's) son-in-law she fainted and expired an hour after owing, it is surmised by the hospital Assistant to the failure of the hearts' action (Syncope). It is also stated by him that he observed her at 8.a.m today when her temperature was 97.8. with no symptoms of any suspicious character. I at once hastened to the spot and first arranged for the removal of the dead body of Sahibbivi under the supervision of the hospital Assistant. As usual the dead body was bathed in perchloride of mercury lotion and well wrapped up with a new cloth saturated with the same lotion and then removed with all sanitary precautions to the burial ground near the Chennampet mosque and buried in a pit of 5 feet deep. The corpse bearers were all bathed in the mercuric lotion and their clothes disinfected. The clothes, bedding etc of the deceased were also burnt to ashes. The coffin after the removal of the dead body was thoroughly disinfected. The same process was repeated in the removal and burial of the dead body of Habib Sahibbivi also. A thorough disinfection of the two houses including the Samans, furniture, clothing etc is going on.

4. There are at present two houses under police guard the first Syed Esuf Sahib's house in which the present remaining two contacts of Abdul Manaf are segregated and the second in which the deceased Sahibbivi was segregated yesterday with one contact and where this contact is now stopping. Tin canisters are placed in both the houses for the collection of the excreta of the contacts and steps are being taken to carefully disinfect the same twice daily by the toti attached to the plague observation staff. The contacts in the two houses will be very closely watched for a period of 10 days. The contact of Sahibbivi will be accommodated in a pandal which is being put up in a portion of the house in which Sahibbivi died as this house is being untiled and there is no other place in it for the purpose.

Sd/. M. A. Hafiz
Vice Chairman

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Plague-Urgent

Local & Munl. (1891) Department.

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Office of Sanitary Commissioner,
Madras, 18th November 1899.

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From
Lieut.-Colonel W. G. King, M.B., C.M., D.P.H., C.I.E., I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Madras,

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

Enclosure.

Sir,

I have the honor to subjoin a statement showing the number of cases inoculated against plague in certain districts of the Madras Presidency during the week ending 11th November 1899.

Districts	No. of cases inoculated
Salem	56
Malabar	×8
Total	64

These operations were performed during the week ending 4-11-99. They were reported late and could not therefore be shown in that week's return.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant,

Manager & assistant
for Sanitary Commissioner

Plague - Urgent

Local & Munl. (1899) Department.

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding a Statement showing the progress of inoculation against Plague in Certain Districts ~~for~~ of the Madras Presidency for week Ending 4th Novr. 1899

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PLAGUE.

Office of Sanitary Commissioner,

Madras, 11th November 1899.

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From

Lieut.-Colonel W. G. King, M.B., C.M., D.P.H., C.I.E., I.M.S.,

Sanitary Commissioner for Madras,

To

The Secretary to Government,

Local & Municipal Department,

Fort St. George

Enclosure.

Sir,

I have the honor to subjoin a statement showing the progress of inoculation against plague in certain districts of the Madras Presidency for the week ending 4th November 1899.

Districts	Number inoculated during the week
Bellary	4
Malabar	2
Salem	16
Total	22

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant

Balasundram

Manager & assistant

for Sanitary Commissioner

for Madras

JH

16/11/99.