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district. Consequently, when there was no obligation on the part of persons wishing to leave a place actually infected to take out passports or passes before proceeding to healthy towns or villages situated within the taluk or district notified as infected. The people thus escaped all sanitary restrictions, simply because they happened to be within the tract of country which, though only partially affected, was notified as infected, and the result was that plague spread rapidly to villages in the unaffected portion of the taluk or district. The Sanitary Commr. noticed this point in para 8 of his letter No. 4018, d/4-5-98 printed in J. O. 8787, d/12-6-98, and since then, only the places actually infected are notified as such.

The Sanitary Commr. now considers that the Plague Regulations should be so modified that the passport system shall commence at the infected town

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or village, and from the first of the letters read at the head of this order, forwards a memorandum showing the necessity for making clearer the distinction between passports and passes and for amending the Regulations accordingly. He suggests

(a) that when a person leaves an infected quarter to transact his daily business, involving his absence for a few hours, or when he leaves the infected quarter to reside in the immediate neighbourhood, he shall be required to take out a pass and kept under sanitary discipline;

(b) that when he comes to reside in an infected village or town, he shall be required to take out a passport and subjected to the usual surveillance for ten days under the passport system.

H.R. the Governor in Council accepts the Sanitary Commr's recommendations. The necessary alterations will be made in the Regs.

Page (ie as amended by this resolution)

4. As regards Ambulance Staff,
Major Robertson found in Anantapur page 9 of 2
that this present Constitution was
inconvenient. The S.C. discusses
this matter in para 38 of his letter page 50 of 2
printed in G.O. No 1569 P. d/31-10-99
and proposes to divide the Staff
into two sections - one Sanitary & the
Other medical - with view to make
full use of one section or the other
according to requirements and local
Circumstances. His proposal which is
supported by the S.G. is sanctioned.
The equipment of the medical
section will be the same as that
shown in pages 129-133 of the
Madras Mysore Regulations &
Rules commencing from "Medical
Stores". The list of the Sanitary section
is given in the appendix. Some i.e. as laid down by S.C. at May M
The following notification
incorporating the proposals sanctioned
above will be published in the
Fort St George and all St Gazette
The Translators to Fort are requested
to furnish the necessary translation
to the Capt. Fort Over, who will
print the required number of
Copies

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Some i.e. as laid down by S.C. at May M

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note of City Reg 22 & Reg 17
are thus amended, passports
under these Regs will be
issued only to persons coming from
an infected area outside
the Madras Prov. - The amendment
is necessary; otherwise a person will
have to take out a passport both
when leaving an infected area &
when reaching his destination.

A. Madras City Regulation 22 published in Notifs No 321
Fort St George Gazette, d/11-4-99, Part I-A, pages 137-138

B. Original Mysore Regulation 17-1 published in Notifs
No 321 d/11-4-99, Part I-A, pages 139-140

Copies in English & in the vernacular
for circulation with District
Gazettes:-

Notification
On exercise of the power delegated
to him by the G.G. in C. under the
E.D. Act 1897, H.E. the G. of M.S. in C
directs that the Regulation under
the said Act be amended as
follows:-

In the words - "unless exempted under
Regulation 21"

Read - "unless he is exempted under
Regulation 21 or unless he already
holds a passport under ~~Act 34~~
Mysore Reg 34,

In the words "unless exempted under
Regulation 31"

Read - "unless he is exempted under
Regulation 31 or unless he already
holds a passport under ~~Act 34~~
Mysore Reg 34, published in
Notifs No 208 d/1-4-99 Part I-A
page (i.e. as amended by this Notif)"

C. Additional Important Regulations published in

Notifs No 169, 7-8-35, Part I-A, pages 55-64

as amended by Notif. No 582, 2-3-36, Part I-A, page 206

"	512	"	13-6-35	"	page 235
"	303	"	17-4-36	"	92
"	524	"	13-6-35	"	235-240
"	816	"	3-10-35	"	348

(1) Add the following at the end of Regulation 5.

"No passport shall be given under this Regulation to a person who already holds a passport ^{in possession of} under Regulation 34 or a valid inoculation certificate."

(2) Substitute the following for Reg 9

"The Collector shall make all arrangements for being able to concentrate immediately when ^{available} an Ambulance Staff, which may be constituted as follows:-

Sanitary Section

Medical Section

1 Certified Sanitary Inspector

2 Hospital Assistants

2 male toties

1 or more trained nurses

1 female totie

4 male ward attendants

2 Shoochy bearers

3 female trained attendants

Drumbeaters (any number up to 50 for a single section to be recruited locally in the infected area)

1 Drury

2 Cooks

(3) Substitute the following for clauses of Regulation 21.

"may notify by town-town (the notification to be as soon as possible

published in the St Gazette) that any town or village, or part of a town or village, or group of villages is infected, whereupon

Part I of these Regulations ~~shall~~ & Original Important Regulation 17 shall come into force in the St if they have not been put in force by Govt already."

(4) Substitute the following for the ²⁹ ~~last~~ sentence of Regulation 22 -

"~~Special passes shall be given~~ permitting persons to leave ~~infected~~

"Passports and passes shall be in the forms attached. Passports may be granted as prescribed in Regulation 5 to persons entering the district from an infected area and to persons permitted leaving an infected town or village as prescribed in Regulation 34; passes by a Magistrate or the officer authorized by the Collector in this behalf, to persons leaving an infected area under the circumstances mentioned in Regulation 32."

(5) Substitute the word "passports" for "passes" in Reg 31

(6) Substitute the following for the ^{last} ~~first~~ sentence of Reg 32 -

Special

"Special passes shall be passes permitting persons to leave inhabited areas of an infected ^{or notified} town or village & reside on sites approved by the Plague Authority beyond them, and may be granted for households, provided that the name and description of each person covered by the pass is entered therein. The Plague Authority may always require before the pass is given the disinfection in the prescribed manner of all clothes and other articles to be taken away. Persons holding these passes shall not be allowed to return to the inhabited areas otherwise than in such manner as the Authority may from time to time require or until the pass shall have been cancelled by the Plague Authority, and disinfection of clothing and articles to be taken back with them be effected, should the Plague Authority consider such disinfection necessary."

(b) Substitute the following for Regulation 34:-

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"A Plague Authority or other officer authorized by the Colls may require that all persons desiring to leave an infected or notified town or village to reside in a town or village not infected shall apply to & obtain from him passports before doing so, provided that no passports be issued to persons suffering or suspected to be suffering from plague, or to have so lately suffered from plague as to be in an infectious state or likely from recent contact with plague cases to have been infected or to be in an infectious state, and that the Plague Authority may always require before a passport is given the disinfection in the prescribed manner of all clothes & other articles to be taken away."

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(a) In the heading of the Passport form, enter the words "or leaving" after the words "arriving from" & the words "and Report" after the words "Passport". Substitute the words "under Regs 5 & 34" for the words "under Reg 5".

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To all Colls (A-L)
 The S. E.
 "President M. C. Madras
 " Marine Dept.
 " Field Dept.
 " Supt. of Stationing, new
 " Supt. of Port."

(b) Substitute the following for the heading of Form II
 "[Special Pass - Regulation 32]
 (To be issued to persons leaving an infected area to live in the immediate neighbourhood)"

L. & M.
1,000-16-5-90.

PLAGUE.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Again G.O., No.

, dated

189

Current No. 3563

of 189, dated

from the

Current No. 3744

of 189, dated

from the

SUBJECT.

Amendment of regulations regarding
passport & passport ambulance
staff.

FOR ORDERS.

Throw paras
1-3 & 5 into form
of a draft G.O.
H. I. 12 99.
4.12.99.

Please to pass 7-11

pass
refuse

X Till May 1899, when several
villages were infected with plague
in a taluk, the whole taluk used
to be notified in the Gazette as
an infected area. In para 8 of
his letter printed on page 26 of
G.O. No. 887, 12 June 1899, the
Sanitary Commr. pointed out that
"it was most undesirable that
persons from infected villages
should be allowed to wander to
healthy villages without any impediment
merely on the ground that both
are included in an area officially
judged as infected". The V.C. considered
this to be the block of the late
plague operations. The Government
agreed with the Sanitary Commr.
(para 10 of the G.O. quoted above)

Finer

2. Under the add'l mufassal
Hygiene Regulation^x 29, passports
are granted to persons entering a
healthy district from an infected
area, and passes to persons leaving
an infected area within the district.

Recommended that the Regulations should be so modified that the passport system should commence at the infected time. Attention was again drawn to this point by the C.P. in para 26 of his letter printed on page 47 of G.O. No 1869 P.

2. (Para 9 off. no 1569 P/95)

(12) That when a person leaves and
infected quarters & transacts his
"daily business involving the absence
of his person, or when he

(b) but when he evinces a desire
to migrate to a hither to
uninfected village or town,
he will be required to take out
a passport and to subject
himself

himself to the actual surveillance
for ten days under the
passport system.

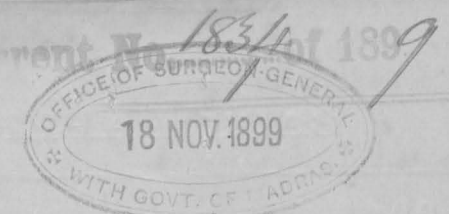
The Sanitary Committee
considers that the above procedure
"will limit the necessity to
declare large areas infected,
and will prevent, or at least
aid in preventing villagers from
infected villages passing to those
uninfected without the advantage
of surveillance, simply because
they happen to be within a large
tract of country which, in absence
of the absence of such a system
with partial failure, it is necessary
to define as an infected area."

4. A draft order referring
to the S.C. draft amendment of the
regulations is put up. The
amendment have been slightly
altered in pencil in this office.

5. In the paper printed in the
No 1569 P of 31-10-55, it was
remarked that the ambulance
staff as at present constituted
was too large, and the S.C.
suggested that it might be
split up into two sections -
one

one medical & the other Sanitary.
This point, too, was reserved
for separate orders. The V.C.
has now submitted detailed
proposals as regards the division
and the equipment of each
section. These proposals have
been accepted by the Surgeon General
& may be sanctioned subject
to pencil alterations shown in
pencil in the draft order.

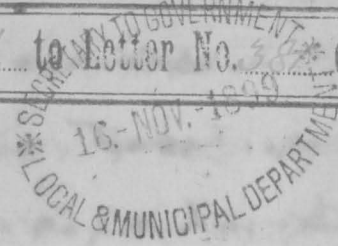
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Local & Munl. (1899) Department.

CURRENT No. 3563-P.

Enclosure No. 1 to Letter No. 3563-P dated 17/11/99



From The Sanitary Commr. for Madras.

Ref. on C. No. 3563 P d 17-11-99.

Order

Forwarded to the Surgeon General for favour of remarks on the proposals relating to the division of the ambulance staff into two sections & their equipment.

M. Samuels
Secretary to Government

No. 2832

Dated 15th November 1899.

Received 16. 11. 99

Registered 17. 11. 99

Enclosures one.

Spare copies.

SUBJECT.

Submitting a memorandum giving details of the suggestions made in paras 26 & 38 of this office No. 60-P dated 26.8.99 in the passports referred to in para 9 of No. 1569 P d 31-10-99.

To The Surgeon General with the Government of Madras (in original to be returned)

from 17/11/99

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Enclosure No. 2 to Letter No. 387 d/27/1899

Memorandum by the Sanitary Commissioner for Madras dated 15 November 1899.

18 NOV. 1899

Reference Paras 26 & 38 of this office letter No 60 P dated 26 August 1899.

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1. Amendment of Regulations relating to passports. To effect what is suggested in the above reference, the following modifications of the Additional ^{to} ~~Madras~~ Regulations would be necessary:

* Suggested additions or alterations in Regulations are italicized.

Regulation 29 would read as follows:-

"Passports and passes shall be in the forms attached. Passports may be granted as prescribed in Regulation 5 to persons entering the district from an infected area, and to persons previously to leaving an infected town or village as prescribed in Rule 34 &c.

The last sentence of Regulation 32 would read as follows:-

"Special passes shall be passed permitting persons to leave inhabited areas of an infected town or village and reside at sites approved by the Plague Authority beyond them, and may be granted for households; provided the name

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and description of each person covered
by the pass is entered therein,
and that the Plague Authority
may always require before the
pass is given the disinfection
in the prescribed manner of all clothes
and other articles to be taken away.

Persons holding these passes shall not be
allowed to return to the inhabited
area otherwise than under such
sanitary restrictions as the Plague
Authority may from time to time
require, or until the pass shall
have been cancelled by the Plague
Authority, and disinfection of
clothing and articles to be taken back
with them be effected, should the Plague
Authority consider such disinfection ne-
cessary.

Regulation 34 would read as fol-
lows: A Plague Authority or other officer
authorized by the Collector may require that
all persons desiring to leave an infected town
or village to reside in a town or
village not infected shall apply
to and obtain from him passports
before doing so, provided that no
passports be issued to persons
suffering or suspected to be suffering
from

from plague, or to have so lately
suffered from plague as to be
in an infectious state or likely
from recent contact with plague
cases to have been infected, or be
in an infectious state, and that
the plague Authority may always
require before a passport is
given the disinfection in a
prescribed manner of all clothes
and other articles to be taken
away.

Additional Regulation 21 clause
3 to meet requirements would be
modified as follows:-

+ + + may notify by town
the notification to be as soon
possible published in the District
Gazette) that any town or village
or part of a town or village is
infected or group of villages is
an infected area, whereupon

2. The above slight alterations
will ensure that (1) persons leaving
an inhabited area for the purpose
of camping in its neighbourhood
shall intimate the fact to the
Plague Authority who will there-
upon be able to approve the site
chosen, and to require that
disinfection

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removed. In this way,
sanitary discipline can be main-
tained, whilst every facility would
be afforded for orderly departure
from the infected inhabited
area. It will also be possible to
make sure that should evidence
of disease incidence during
residence on such site exist,
~~disinfection~~^{infection} will be duly effected
before permitting of return to
the village.

A clear distinction will be
made between the functions
of passports and passes. Passes
will cover all cases where a
person resides, subject to
sanitary discipline, in the
immediate neighbourhood
of an infected town or village
of which he has lately been
resident, but as soon as
he evinces a desire to migrate
to a hitherto uninfected village
or town, he will subject himself
to the usual surveillance under
the passport system. This will
limit the necessity to declare
large areas infected, and will
prevent

prevent, or at least, aid in
preventing, villagers from in-
fected villages passing to those un-
infected without the advantage
of surveillance, simply because
they happen to be within a huge
tract of country which, on account
of the absence of such a system
or its partial failure, it is ne-
cessary to define as an "infected
area".

II Ambulance staff. The division
required would be as follows:-

Ambulance staff

Sanitary Section

1 Certificated Sanitary Inspector

1 Ohoby.

2 male and 1 female tot

2 Ohoby bearers.

Disinfectors (Any number up to
50 for a single section - to be re-
cruited locally in an infected
area, but preferably, if available,
pepays should be employed
under Regulation II)

Equipment

The following equipment
should be allowed for every 50
disinfectors employed:-

Printed as
appended

1 H 1
7 R 8 a

20 Pick axes

10 Axes

100 Yards rope

10 1349 (all)

12. *Chrysomelid*

30 Earth. ¹⁸⁴⁴

12. K...

10 large and 10 small
5 T. and 1

12. B. ...

Jack Kier

10 - No

10 Stenat

50 pairs Sleep

Descript

Soft Soap

First Aid "Comforts."

Arrack 4 bottles

Arundo 2 pounds

Condensed milk 6 tins

Booril 6 "

Two-foot black line 2

China bowls of sizes 6

Furniture for Certificates

Planting Inspector.

Cot with bed and pillows 1

Towel rack 1

Table

Chair

Clinical Thermometers 2

Зероу пат

Books and Stationery

Plague Regulations & Rules 1 Copy

Leather bound books fold map 1

Marble covered quarto size 3
note books

D. & Post thin 59 mg

French foolscap paper Superior 10

Penholders	2
31	10

Rebs	12
...	...

read pencils 1
1 pair ill. (1400) ill. 2

24K bottles (1 red 1 orange)

Rules

Medical Section

2 Trained European or Eurasian nurses

1 do - native nurse

4 male ward attendants

3 female do

1 Dhoby

2 Cooks

2 Hospital Assistants

1 Compounder

Equipment and stores for this staff should be as shown under "medical stores," "for nurses," "medical and surgical appliances" pages 108 to 112 Madras Plague Regulations and Rules.

W. G. King
Lieut. Col. Rms
Sanitary Commissioner
for Madras

[1000-10-4-99]

Plague

No. 2832

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From

Enclosure No. 3 to Letter No. 38 d/27-11-99

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

Sanitary Commissioner for Madras,

To

The

Secretary to Government
Local & Municipal Dept

Enclosures. 1

Sir,

With reference to paras 26 & 38 of this office letter N° 60P dated 26 August 1899, I have the honor to forward herewith a memorandum giving details of the suggestions therein made.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Yours most obedt Servt.

W. G. King
Lieut. Col. Rms
Sanitary Commissioner
for Madras

Local & Munl. (189⁹) Department.

CURRENT No. 3744P



From

Surgeon General
D. Sinclair Esq.

Surgeon-General

No. 381.

Order

Dated

27th November 99

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SUBJECT.

Recommendation re
preparation relating to the
division of the ambulance
staff into two sections
& their equipment.

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Signature.

No. 387.

From

SURGEON-GENERAL D. SINCLAIR, M.B., C.S.I., J.M.S.,

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Local & Municipal DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

Adverting to your Ref on Ch
No. 5563 P, dated 17th November 1899, herewith
returned, I have the honor to state
that I see no objection to the Sanitary
Commissioner's proposals and to recommend
that they may be accepted.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

D. Sinclair, M.B.
Surgeon General

Surgeon General

with the Govt of Madras.

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DATED

31-10-98

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Abstract.

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Stating that separate
orders will be passed on the
Sanitary Commissioner's
proposal to amend
A.M.R. 34 and to divide
the Ambulance staff
into ^{two} sections Sanitary
& medical

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