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1899-12-9-97]

# Local & Munl. (1899) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 3<sup>✓</sup> P mis ✓

DATED 2-1-1899

[Despatch Abstract.]

Treatment of persons arriving from plague infected areas.

Recording Copy of Plague Commissioner's letter to Collectors requesting them to issue instructions to their subordinates to deal with utmost care with persons arriving from plague infected areas & presenting symptoms of pneumonia.

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*Instructions to the officers under  
Collectors as to how they should  
deal with persons arriving  
from infected areas.*

Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 2774 P.

*nos 2707, 2774 P*

*H. 24*

*This is vague, but not  
defat. Quite safe!*

From The Plague Commission

Order No. 3 Pms of 2-1-99  
Recorded *H. 31.12.98*  
*H.T.*  
*30 12 98*

No. 978

Dated 22. 12. 98

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Registered } 24. 12. 98.

Enclosures

Spare copies.

## SUBJECT.

*Forwarding Copy of his letter  
to Collectors, requesting them  
to issue instructions to the officers  
under them to deal with the  
utmost care with persons arriving  
from infected areas and present-  
ing symptoms of fever with a acute  
affection of the lungs until they are  
pronounced by competent medical  
officers to be suffering from pneumonia  
plague.*

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C. 20-27/11  
 Plague Commissioner's Office  
 Fort St. George,  
 Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1898.

No 978

From L. E. Buckley Esquire, J. C. S.,  
 Plague Commissioner, Madras

To The Collector of

Sir, In supersession of the instructions issued in my Proceedings No. 909 dated 14 December '98 I have the honour to request you to issue instructions to your officers to deal with the utmost care with persons, — arriving from infected areas and presenting symptoms of fever with acute affection of the lungs, until an opportunity is afforded for a competent medical Officer to pronounce whether there is reason to suspect the existence of pneumonic plague.

I have the honour to be,  
 Sir,  
 Your most obedient servant  
 J. B. Mascarenhas  
 22/12/98  
 Jt. Plague Commissioner

To  
 All Collrs.  
 Sanitary Commrs.  
 Surgeon Genl.  
 President, M. C. M.  
 Secretary to Govt. (L & M.)

# Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 2707 P

H.M. I am afraid this  
is not legal, the SD Act & Regs not applying.

HT  
15-12-98

The P.C. had better  
reconsider it & make  
sure of his ground.  
Order

From

The Plague Com-  
missioner

At 16.12.98

V.4. to P.C. a.o.

No. 909

HT  
17-12-98

I am consulting the Sanitary  
Commissioner, & hope to issue  
a revised proceeding in  
a day or two. I wish it  
rigorously perused further  
instructions as 2 cases  
at least <sup>preliminary</sup> had been obtained  
from Bangalore  
knowledge, & H. persons  
affected had died within  
a few hours of inspection

Dated 14-

Received 15-

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## SUBJECT.

Submitting copy of his Proceeding  
requesting Collectors to deal  
with persons travelling from  
the plague-infected parts and  
suffering from pneumonia, as  
though they are suffering  
from plague.

I am inclined to  
think that a  
person may be  
sent to the  
hospital

P.T.O.

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To P.C.U.O.  
 So far as a person suffering from apparent pneumonia may be suspected of having pneumonic plague, precautions might be ordered; but the wording of the Circulars included true pneumonia, as distinct from plague.

H.T.  
 23 12 98

A new circular has already been issued after making the L.C.  
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# Proceedings of the Plague Commission Madras.



No. 909 of 14<sup>th</sup> December 1898  
 Pending further instructions, Collectors are requested to deal with persons coming from affected parts who are suffering from pneumonias as though they are suffering from plague.

J. S. Mascarenhas  
 14/12/98.  
 For Plague Commissioner

To  
 All Collectors (Except Madras)  
 The Sanitary Commissioner  
 The President M. C. Madras  
 The Secretary to Govt. L & M Dept.  
 The Surgeon General.

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H.T.  
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CNo 27078

Proceedings of the Plague Commission Madras.



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J.S. Makarembas  
 14/12/98.  
 For Plague Commission

To  
 All Collectors (Except Madras)  
 The Sanitary Commissioner  
 The President M.C. Madras  
 The Secretary to Govt. L & M Dept.  
 The Surgeon General.

14/12/98

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