

Local & Munl. (1899) Department.
Plague.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 802 *D*

DATED 29-5-99

[Despatch Abstract.]

Segregation of contacts

Forwarding to the Resident in Mysore
for communication to the Plague Comm.^y of that
province, letter from the President Madras
Municipal Commission reporting that
certain contacts left Dargam within 10
days from the date of attack, & arrived at
Madras.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

[L. & M.]
5-1-10-3-95.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., No. dated 189 ,
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Current No. 1010 P. of 189 , dated , from
" " " 189 , "
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AS ORDER. No 802 P. 189 828-5-38

B. H. 1/5 The President's letter will be forwarded to the Resident in Mysore for communication to the Mysore Comm. of Nat. Provis.

29/5/99
29/5/99 The Resident, M.C. Madras (P. & O.)

29/5/99 Letter to the Resident in Mysore No 802 P. 189 828-5-38

I am directed to forward the accompanying communication from the President M.C. Madras & to request that the papers may be forwarded to the Mysore Plague Comm. for such action as he may think necessary.

27/5/99 *29/5/99*

Note for the Examining
Please keep copies of the Health Officer's letter & President's letter & send the originals with encls. to the Resident in Mysore.
29/5/99

C. No. 1010 P. from the District M. C.

SUBJECT.

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FOR ORDERS.

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Segregated & left the place
unobserved by anybody, or
that they were never segregated
at all.

The word used in Regulation 3
(both Madras & Mysore) is 'may' &
not 'shall' & as in practice
Compulsory segregation has been given
up, no action in this case seems
called for.

Handwritten notes:
Send to Col. 13
to Pleague Comm.
for his action
clearly
25-5-99
Can be g.c. Mysore
of this - he can stop it
come to do so
25-5-99

Local & Munl. (1899) Department.

CURRENT No. 1010 P



From
THE PRESIDENT,
Municipal Commission,
Madras.

Order

G. No. 97

Dated 16th May 1899

Received
Registered 17/5/99
Enclosures Four
Spare copies

SUBJECT.

Forwarding Copy of letter
from the Health Officer of 13-5-99
together with duplicate pass
ports nos: 1337, 1338 and 1344
for the information and
orders of Government.

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Copy of letter from the Health Officer Madras Municipality to the President, Municipal Commission, Madras, dated 13" May 1899.

On May 2nd a girl died of plague at Oorgaum. It is stated by her people that the house and kit were disinfected.

On the 9" May the rest of the family, 7 persons, arrived at Perambur. Four, holding valid inoculation certificates were not given passports. The remaining 3 were given passports. They brought with them clothes and poultry and went to live in Pudupet.

It was only by chance that this story came to light. I don't know what the Mysore regulations on the subject are, but it is obvious that the three uninoculated persons at least should not have been allowed to leave the infected district until their ten days were up. It is true that we have them under close observation and shall probably, unless they run away, be able to detect any illness at the earliest moment. Nevertheless they are a source of great danger and might have been of the number of passport holders who were entirely evade observation.

Of course we might have segregated the 3 uninoculated persons but as I did not hear of it until 11" May 1899 it did not seem to be worth while.

In the absence of the Plague Commissioner, I beg that you will address Government on this subject.

(True Copy)

For Secretary to Govt.

20/5/99

Copy of letter from the Ag. President, Municipal Commission, Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department G.No.97 dated 16" May 1899.

I have the honour to forward herewith copy of letter from Health Officer dated 13" May 1899 together with duplicate passports Nos.1337, 1338 and 1344 for the information, and orders of Government

OK

June 4/9

2/6/99

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

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