

Local & Munl. (189) Department.

Plague.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 939

DATED 17-6-88
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[Despatch Abstract.]

Equipment

Sanctioning the purchase of 100
date mats for the Jalapet Suspect Camp

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From The ag Collector
Salem

Order No 398, 17-5-88

The purchase of 100 date
mats is sanctioned.

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SUBJECT.

Requesting that Sanction
may be accorded for the
supply of 100 mats for
persons detained at the
Jalarpet Police Camp

To

The Collector of Salem.

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Plague Inspection Station
Jalarpet dated 18th May 1899

From J. Thomas M.B.
Chief medical officer in Plague duty,
Jalarpet

To The Collector of Salem

Sir
The scale of equipment is only
prescribed for the inmates of the special
observation shed in the observation camp,
and of the plague hospital. Taking
the special observation ward to mean
the isolated shed in the observation camp
in which men suffering from fever but
not from actual plague are kept I have
to state that the practice here has been
that all detained men whether suffering
from fever or not have been supplied
with mats whenever they have none of
their own. Those who have their own
bedding do not require any equipment
at

at all. Considering the nature of the floor
and the condition of the sheds in which
these people are required to sleep during
nights, I think that all the detained men
whether suffering fever or not who
have no beds of their own should be
supplied with mats at least. Sometimes
are only supplied occasionally when it
is rainy and very cold. These mats
are not even given one to each indi-
-dual. When the detained men are in
family groups they get one or two mats
for each group. At any rate it does
not seem fair to deny a mat when
actually we see they have none with
them. Further now that men from the
Gold Mines and Townspeople who
form the major portion of the inmates
of the Camp are detained for the full
period of observation viz today they
feel the want of proper accommodation
Very much and fine trouble as regards
the supply of mats etc. The total number
of mats supplied up to date to the
Camp.

Camp is 154 of which about 50 have
already been burnt having been used
by the plague patients. Of the remaining
104 about 10 mats have been worn by
wear and tear. The remaining 94 mats
are in use. Occasionally there are
as many as 300 to 500 men detained.
On such occasions the deficiency is
much felt. Hence the necessity
for the additional supply of mats.

I have etc

(Signed) J. Thomas

Chief Medical Officer

(True extract)

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For a Collector

W. H. E.
10/6/22

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SALEM COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,

Ref No. 936
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9th June 1897.
Camp Yercaud.

FROM Robert B. Clegg Esq., J.B.S.
Collector and District Magistrate,
Salem,

To
THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
Local & Municipal DEPARTMENT,
Madras.

SIR,

For the use of ~~the~~ persons detained for observation in the Suspect Camp at Jalarpet 152, 100 mats were supplied. Of these 50 have been burnt having been used by persons who developed plague or by plague patients. The Chief Medical Officer has indicated for a further supply of 100 mats. They cost about 4 annas each. In the scale of equipment drawn up by the Surgeon-General and the Sanitary Commissioner and circulated with Plague Commissioner's Proceedings No 785 dated 20th March 1895 the requirements of persons detained in the special observation ward and of plague patients only are provided ^{but}

but not of persons detained in the Suspect
Camp for observation or disinfection.

These persons do require the supply of
Some articles such as mats, and cloths
to be worn when their own are being
disinfected. I have called for a list
of all the articles required and shall
submit the same on receipt. Mean-
-while sanction is requested for the
supply of 100 mats in default for. An
extract from the Chief Medical Officer's
letter dated 18th May is enclosed.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant

Samachandran

For ag Collector

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