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Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

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" Dy Adjutant G. with M.G. C.t
" General Offrs Comg Dists
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CURRENT No. 9148

From The Plague Commissioner

For Orders

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Dated 2. May '99
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SUBJECT. Clothing to peons employed on Plague duty

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Note

Apparently no charge will be made until the clothing is actually supplied, as the whole clothing is always kept in stock. If so, it is presumed that payment can be made from the proper source when the clothing is applied for. If the troops are supplied by municipality, the municipality will pay & subsequently the Govt. will pay = Perhaps here the indication that as the clothing is always in stock, it apparently need not be paid for until applied for, & that the question as to who is to pay will depend upon the locality where the troops are employed.

CURRENT No. 14228

From The Dy. Adjutant General Madras Command. Ootacamund.

No. 4 M.T. 8958

Referred to the Accountant General for favour of opinion as regards para 2 of the D.A.G.'s endorsement No A/M.T. 8958 dy 9th June 1899.

Dated 9-6-99

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To

The Accountant General with file in original (A) p. 210 of P.C.'s circular No I returned

SUBJECT.

Forwarding for information copy of letter from the Superintendent Army Clothing, Madras stating that 600 suits of White drill clothing are available and can be supplied at the shortest notice, and enquiring how the cost of supply should be dealt

Note Para. 5 of G.O No (X) 213, Financial dy 11.2.99 directs that the charges on account of clothing to the troops on disinfection work shall be borne by Local or Municipal funds, according to the area within which the troops are employed. But in the present case it is proposed to have clothing in readiness

to meet future contingencies. Perhaps the cost should be borne in the first instance by Provincial and then recovered from the public body concerned when the troops are sent out.

HHS
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