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[Despatch Abstract.]

Jatra at Buttabalu

*Forwarding to the Resident in Mysore
Copy of G.O. no. 317 P of 2-3-99. &
requesting that the Mysore Govt.
may be moved to notify the prohibi-
tion of attendance of persons at the
in the Combaone Dist.*

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Local and Municipal Department

(PLAGUE),

FORT ST. GEORGE,

Madras, March 1899.

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From

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Local and Municipal Department,

To

THE Resident in

Mysore
Bangalore

Sir,

I am directed to forward a copy of the Proceedings of this Government, No. 317 P, dated 2nd March 1899, and to request that the Mysore Government may be moved to notify the prohibition therein referred to.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

W. W. 399

for Secretary to Government.

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G.O., No. 317 P., 2nd March 1899.

MARCH.

Jatrai at Buthabalu.

Ordering the publication, in the Fort St. George and certain District Gazettes, of a notification prohibiting the attendance of persons from plague-infected parts at the ensuing — in the Coimbatore district from the 20th to 31st March 1899.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

Proceedings of the Plague Commissioner, Ref. on C. No. 2456, dated 27th February 1899.

Read—the following paper :—

From M.R.Ry. V. CHAPPAN MENON Avargal, B.A., Deputy Collector, Kollegal, to the Collector of Coimbatore, dated Lokkanhalli, 14th February 1899, R.O.C. No. 103-Sub.

I have the honour to report that a festival occurs on the 27th March next at Buthabalu in Kollegal taluk and it is desirable to prevent pilgrims from plague-infected districts attending that festival.

2. A statement showing the required particulars is herewith submitted.

3. A Government notification similar to the one issued for the Deepavali festival at the Madeswaran Hills may now be issued with the necessary alterations.

ENCLOSURE.

STATEMENT showing the particulars regarding Jatrai at Buthabalu in the Kollegal taluk of the Coimbatore district.

Name of festival or fair.	Place where held.	Distance to the nearest railway station.	Date of commencement and termination of festival or fair.	Average attendance during the past three years.	Number of people expected from plague-infected parts.
1	2	3	4	5	6
Buthabalu Jatrai.	Buthabalu village in Kollegal taluk.	1. From Maddur via Kollegal, 50 miles. 2. From Nanjan-god via Kollegal, 40 miles.	From the 27th to the 29th March 1899.	About 2,000 in 1898. About 3,000 in 1897. About 3,500 in 1896.	About 1,000.

R.O.C. No. 52-Pl.

Submitted with a copy of the enclosure to the Plague Commissioner, through the Sanitary Commissioner, Madras.

2. A draft notification is also herewith submitted.

3. Arrangements will be made with the District Superintendent of Police to turn back the pilgrims proceeding to the place in contravention of the terms of the notification.

18th February 1899.

(Signed) C. H. MOUNSEY,
Acting Collector.

Forwarded.

No. 617-S.

2. The Collector gives no information as to what numbers he expects from any special "infected area."

23rd February 1899.

To the Plague Commissioner.

(Signed) W. G. KING, Lieut.-Col., I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner for Madras.

Proceedings—Ref. on C. No. 2456, dated 27th February 1899.

Submitted to Government with the recommendation that the draft notification as altered may be approved and ordered to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

2. In forwarding proposals for the prohibition of fairs and festivals, the Collector is requested to specify invariably the places both within and outside the Madras Presidency from which pilgrims are expected, together with the number of pilgrims from each of such places.

3. The arrangements referred to in paragraph 3 of the Collector's letter for enforcing the prohibition are approved.

(Signed) L. E. BUCKLEY,
Plague Commissioner.

To the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department.
" Collector of Coimbatore.

ORDER—No. 317 P., dated 2nd March 1899.

The Plague Commissioner's recommendation is approved and the following notification will be published in the *Fort St. George* and the *Coimbatore, Salem and North Arcot District Gazettes* :—

NOTIFICATION.

Whereas the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague at Buthabalu village in the Kollegal taluk of the Coimbatore district if persons from the districts of Salem and North Arcot, the Mysore State and other plague-infected parts are permitted to visit that place on the occasion of the ensuing Jatrai (festival) there :

In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council prohibits the attendance at the said festival of persons from the districts of Salem and North Arcot, Mysore State and other plague-infected parts from the 20th to the 31st March 1899, both days inclusive. All persons proceeding to the place in contravention of this notification will be sent back.

2. The Resident in Mysore will be requested to move the Government of that State to notify that, in consequence of danger of plague, attendance at Buthabalu village in the Kollegal taluk of the Coimbatore district, on the occasion of the ensuing Jatrai, of persons from the Mysore State from the 20th to 31st instant, has been prohibited under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897.

(True Extract.)

H. TREMENHEERE,
Secretary to Government.

To the Plague Commissioner.

" Collector of Coimbatore (A—L).

" " of Salem, } (A).

" " of North Arcot, }

" Sanitary Commissioner.

" Surgeon-General.

" Resident in Mysore (with C.L.)

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