Local & Munl. (1899) Department.

PRINTED.

G.O., No. 380 P

DATED 11/3/99

Dep^d Pu. Sn. 8/4

[Despatch Abstract.]

Plague Regulations

Approving certain Recommendations of the Plague Comm^n. & directing the publ^n. of revised list of areas in India declared to be affected with plague & stations notified for the purpose of the passport rules & making certain amendments to the Nos. 21 & 22 of the City of Madras & No. 31 of the Orgl. Manual

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.	G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

Government {1899} of Madras.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL.

Recd. } 1899. *Enclosures*

Regd. *Spare copies*

G.O., No. 380 P., 11th March 1899.

MARCH.

Plague Regulations.

Approving certain recommendations of the Plague Commissioner and directing the publication of revised lists of areas in India declared to be infected with plague and stations notified for the purpose of the passport rules, and making certain amendments in Nos. 21 and 22 of the City of Madras and No. 31 of the Original Mufassal —.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

Letter from the Collector of Anantapur, dated 7th January 1899, Ref. on C. No. 29 P.

I have the honour to bring to your notice that as the whole district has been declared infected, it causes much inconvenience to the general public. Persons who proceed on business to uninfected districts like Bellary, from Anantapur and other taluks in this district where there is no plague, are kept under observation there as they go from the infected district; and even after they return to their own villages, they have to appear before the local authority for observation until the full period of ten days expires. When no such restrictions were placed on them if they travel in this district except Guntakal (*vide* your Proceedings, No. 636, dated 16th November 1898), I fail to understand how they can infect an uninfected district like Bellary.

In these circumstances, I request that you will be good enough to declare Gooty and Hindupur taluks as infected, which are the only two taluks in this district where plague is prevalent.

From the Sanitary Commissioner, Madras, dated 9th January 1899, No. 83-S.

In view of the evident spread of plague from village to village in the Anantapur district, I have the honour to suggest that the ruling by your office that the giving of passports to persons inhabiting infected villages and travelling within the Anantapur district was not necessary, and the regarding of the whole district as infected, are premature. In my opinion, it is most desirable that every effort—granted there be great difficulties in the way—should be exercised to require that the persons from infected villages shall not pass to healthy villages without receiving passports.

Ref. on C. No. 325, dated 12th January 1899.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

I consider that the Hindupur and Gooty taluks alone should be declared infected. Persons booking from all the railway stations in Anantapur should be made to take passports, the stations being notified for this purpose under the newly amended regulation 17 (1). This is necessary to protect uninfected areas. The hardship undergone by persons travelling from Anantapur district must, I fear, continue, but the new arrangement will necessitate persons travelling from the Hindupur and Gooty taluks taking out passports in going to uninfected taluks and thus protect the latter.

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

To the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department.
" Collector of Anantapur.
" Sanitary Commissioner.

From the Plague Commissioner, Madras, dated 21st February 1899.

ABSTRACT.—Stating that the Collector of Salem reports that he could not issue passports to persons coming from Kuppam as it has not been declared infected and requesting that it may be now declared infected.

ORDER—No. 380 P., dated 11th March 1899.

The Plague Commissioner's recommendations to declare only the Gooty and Hindupur taluks of the Anantapur district, instead of the whole district as at present, and the town of Hospet in the Bellary district, and the town of Kuppam, the unions of Arcot and Ránipéttai and the Municipality of Walajapet in the North Arcot district to be infected with plague, are approved and the following notification will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*:—

NOTIFICATION.

In modification of notification No. 1, published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 17th January 1899, Part I-A, page 11, as amended by Notification No. 63, published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 24th January 1899, Part I-A, page 21, the following areas in India are declared to be infected with plague :—

In the Madras Presidency.

(1) Pattikonda taluk, Kurnool district, including the railway stations of Nancherla, Maddikera, Tuggali, Pendekallu and Malliyala.
(2) Alur taluk, Bellary district, including the railway stations of Nagarur, Aspari, Molagavalli, Bantanahal and Baivanhal.
(3) Hospet town, Bellary district.
(4) Gooty taluk, Anantapur district, including the railway stations of Guntakal, Timmancherla, Gooty, Jakkalacheruvu, Gulapalayam, Khaderpet and Kalluru.
(5) Hindupur taluk, Anantapur district, including the railway stations of Hindupur and Malugur.
(6) The municipalities of Vellore and Walajapet, the unions of Arcot and Ránipéttai, and the town of Kuppam in the North Arcot district.
(7) Hosur taluk, Salem district.

Outside the Madras Presidency.

(1) Mysore Province, including the Civil and Military station of Bangalore.
(2) Naldrug, Gulbarga and Lingsugur districts in the Hyderabad State.
(3) Wardha district in the Central Provinces.
(4) Bombay Presidency, including Sind.

2. No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations will be amended so as to require persons arriving from places, which are not actually infected with the plague but which have been notified for the purpose of the passport rules, to take out passports. The following notification will accordingly be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*:—

NOTIFICATION.

In the exercise of the power delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council hereby directs that the following alteration be made in No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations, published on pages 260 and

261 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 6th September 1898, Part I-A, as amended by Notifications Nos. 831 and 67, published on pages 292 and 22 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 18th October 1898 and 24th January 1899, respectively :—

In the first sentence in the first paragraph, *for* the words "Every person arriving from a plague-infected place" *substitute* "Every person arriving, or suspected of having arrived, from any place declared to be infected with plague, or from any place notified by His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council for the purposes of this regulation."

3. The Plague Commissioner's recommendation to notify the railway stations in the Anantapur district, outside the Gooty and Hindupur taluks, and certain railway stations in the North Arcot and Salem districts for the purpose of the passport rules is approved and the following notification will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* :—

NOTIFICATION.

In supersession of notification No. III, published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 17th January 1899, Part I-A, page 12, the following railway stations are hereby notified for the purpose of the passport rules prescribed in No. 17 of the Original Mufassal and No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations, published in notifications Nos. 444 and 727 on pages 137 and 260 and 261 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 27th May 1898 and 6th September 1898, respectively, as amended by the * marginally-noted notifications :—

* Mufassal Regulation 17, as amended by Notifications Nos. 1029, II, and 66, published on pages 379, 11 and 12 and 22 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 20th December 1898, 17th January 1899 and 24th January 1899, respectively.
Madras City Regulation 22, as amended by Notifications Nos. 831 and 67, published on pages 292 and 22 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 18th October 1898 and 24th January 1899, respectively, and the Notification in paragraph 2 of this order.

ANANTAPUR DISTRICT.

Madras Railway.

Rayalcheruvu.	Tadpatri.
Pennéru.	Vanganur.

Southern Mahratta Railway.

Garladinne.	Nagasamudram.
Anantapur.	Makkajipalli.
Kandakur.	Penukonda.
Dharmavaram.	Chakarlapalli.

South Indian Railway.

Chinnlkuntapalli.

NORTH ARCOT DISTRICT.

Madras Railway.

Gudupalli.	Virinchipuram.
Mulanur.	Latteri.
Vinnamangalam.	Kátpádi.
Ambur.	Tiruvalam.
Mailpatti.	Ponnai Road.
Valattoor.	Arcot.
Gudiyáttam.	Thalangai.
Kavanur.	Sholinghur.

South Indian Railway.

Chittoor.	Kaniyambadi.
Ramapuram.	Kannamangalam.
Kátpádi.	Kalambur.

SALEM DISTRICT.

Madras Railway.

Patchur.	Kettandapatti.
Jalarpet.	Vániyambádi.

4. No. 31 of the Original Mufassal and No. 21 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations will be amended so as to extend the privileges resulting from inoculation to persons arriving from places notified for the purposes of the passport rules under No. 17 of the Original Mufassal and No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations. The following notification will accordingly be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* :—

NOTIFICATION.

In the exercise of the power delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is pleased to direct that No. 31 of the Original Mufassal and No. 21 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations, published in Notification No. 944, on pages 321–22 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 15th November 1898, as amended by Notification No. 1030, published on page 379 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 20th December 1898, shall be further amended by the insertion of the words "or from any place notified by His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council for the purposes of No. 17 of the Original Mufassal Plague Regulations" and the words "or from any place notified by His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council for the purposes of No. 22 of the

City of Madras Plague Regulations" between "after arrival from a plague-infected place" and "but they may be observed at their own residence and shall, with this view, &c," in clause (*b*) of No. 31 of the Original Mufassal and No. 21 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations, respectively.

(True Extract.)

H. TREMENHEERE,
Secretary to Government.

To the Plague Commissioner.
,, the President, Municipal Commission, Madras.
,, all Collectors (A—L).
,, the Sanitary Commissioner.
,, the Surgeon-General.
,, the Marine Department.
,, the Public Works Department (Railway Branch).
,, the Political Department.
,, all Railway Administrations.
,, the Inspector-General of Police.
,, the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command.
,, the General Officers Commanding Districts.
Gazette.

Exd. P. Seetharam.

Government {1899} of Madras.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL.

Recd.
Regd. } 1899. Enclosures
Spare copies

G.O., No. 380 P., 11th March 1899.

MARCH.

Plague Regulations.

Approving certain recommendations of the Plague Commissioner and directing the publication of revised lists of areas in India declared to be infected with plague and stations notified for the purpose of the passport rules and making certain amendments in Nos. 21 and 22 of the City of Madras and No. 31 of the Original Mufassal —.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

~~Proceedings of the Plague Commissioner, Madras, Ref. on C. No. 325, dated 12th January 1899.~~

~~*Read* the following papers :—~~

Letter

From the Collector of Anantapur, dated 7th January 1899, Ref. on C. No. 29 P.

I have the honour to bring to your notice that as the whole district has been declared infected, it causes much inconvenience to the general public. Persons who proceed on business to uninfected districts like Bellary, from Anantapur and other taluks in this district where there is no plague, are kept under observation there as they go from the infected district; and even after they return to their own villages, they have to appear before the local authority for observation until the full period of ten days expires. When no such restrictions were placed on them if they travel in this district except Guntakal (*vide* your Proceedings, No. 636, dated 16th November 1898), I fail to understand how they can infect an uninfected district like Bellary.

In these circumstances, I request that you will be good enough to declare Gooty and Hindupur taluks as infected, which are the only two taluks in this district where plague is prevalent.

From the Sanitary Commissioner, Madras, dated 9th January 1899, No. 83[illegible].

In view of the evident spread of plague from village to village in the Anantapur district, I have the honour to suggest that the ruling by your office that the giving of passports to persons inhabiting infected villages and travelling within the Anantapur district was not necessary, and the regarding of the whole district as infected, are premature. In my opinion, it is most desirable that every effort—granted there be great difficulties in the way—should be exercised to require that the persons from infected villages shall not pass to healthy villages without receiving passports.

~~Proceedings~~—Ref. on C. No. 325, dated 12th January 1899.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

I consider that the Hindupur and Gooty taluks alone should be declared infected. Persons booking from all the railway stations in Anantapur should be made to take passports, the stations being notified for this purpose under the newly amended regulation 17 (1). This is necessary to protect uninfected areas. The hardship undergone by persons travelling from Anantapur district must, I fear, continue, but the new arrangement will necessitate persons travelling from Hindupur and Gooty taluks taking out passports in going to uninfected taluks and thus protect the latter.

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

To the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department.
" Collector of Anantapur.
" Sanitary Commissioner.

From the Plague Commissioner, Madras, dated 21st February 1899.

ABSTRACT.—Stating that the Collector of Salem reports that he could not issue passports to persons coming from Kuppam as it has not been declared infected and requesting that it may be now declared infected.

ORDER—No. 380 P., dated 11th March 1899.

The Plague Commissioner's recommendations to declare only the Gooty and Hindupur taluks of the Anantapur district, instead of the whole district, as at present, and the town of Hospet in the Bellary district, and the town of Kuppam, the Unions of Arcot and Ránipéttai and the Municipality of Walajapet in the North Arcot district to be infected with plague, are approved and the following notification will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*:—

NOTIFICATION.

In modification of notification No. 1, published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 17th January 1899, Part I-A, page 11, as amended by notification No. 63, published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 24th January 1899, Part I-A, page 21, the following areas in India are declared to be infected with plague :—

In the Madras Presidency.

(1) Pattikonda taluk, Kurnool district, including the railway stations of Nancherla, Maddikera, Tuggali, Pendekallu and Malliyala.
(2) Alur taluk, Bellary district, including the railway stations of Nagarur, Aspari, Molagavalli, Bantanahal and Baiyanhal.
(3) Hospet town, Bellary district.
(4) Gooty taluk, Anantapur district, including the railway stations of Guntakal, Timmancherla, Gooty, Jakkalacheruvu, Gulapalayam, Khaderpet and Kalluru.
(5) Hindupur taluk, Anantapur district, including the railway stations of Hindupur and Malugur.
(6) The Municipalities of Vellore and Walajapet, the Unions of Arcot and Ránipéttai, and the town of Kuppam in the North Arcot district.
(7) [illegible] taluk, Salem district.

Outside the Madras Presidency.

(1) Mysore Province, including the Civil and Military station of Bangalore.
(2) Naldrug, Gulbarga and Lingsugur districts in the Hyderabad State.
(3) Wardha district in the Central Provinces.
(4) Bombay Presidency including Sind.

2. No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations will be amended so as to require persons arriving from places which are not actually infected with the plague but which have been notified for the purpose of the passport rules, to take out passports. The following notification will accordingly be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*:—

NOTIFICATION.

In the exercise of the power delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council hereby directs that the following alteration be made in No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations, published on pages 260 and

261 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 6th September 1898, Part I-A, as amended by Notifications Nos. 831 and 67, published on pages 292 and 22 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 18th October 1898 and 24th January 1899, respectively :—

In the first sentence in the first paragraph, *for* the words "every person arriving from a plague-infected place" *substitute* "every person arriving or suspected of having arrived from any place declared to be infected with plague, or from any place notified by His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council for the purposes of this regulation."

3. The Plague Commissioner's recommendation to notify the railway stations in the Anantapur district, outside the Gooty and Hindupur taluks, and certain railway stations in the North Arcot and Salem districts for the purpose of the passport rules is approved and the following notification will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* :—

NOTIFICATION.

In supersession of notification No. III, published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 17th January 1899, Part I-A, page 12, the following railway stations are hereby notified for the purpose of the passport rules prescribed in No. 17 of the Original Mufassal and No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations, published in notifications Nos. 444 and 727 on pages 137 and 260 and 261 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 27th May 1898 and 6th September 1898, respectively, as amended by the marginally-noted notifications :—

Mufassal Regulation 17, as amended by Notifications Nos. 1029 II, and 66, published on pages 379, 11 and 12 and 22 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 20th December 1898, 17th January 1899 and 24th January 1899, respectively.

Madras City Regulation 22, as amended by Notifications Nos. 831 and 67, published on pages 292 and 22 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 18th October 1898 and 24th January 1899, respectively, and the notification in paragraph 2 of this order.

ANANTAPUR DISTRICT.

Madras Railway.

Rayalcheruvu.	Tadpatri.
Pennéru.	Vanganur.

Southern Mahratta Railway.

Garladinne.	Nagasamudram.
Anantapur.	~~Guttur.~~
Kandakur.	Penukonda.
Dharmavaram.	Chakarlapalli.

South Indian Railway.

Chinnakuntapalli.

NORTH ARCOT DISTRICT.

Madras Railway.

Gudupalli.	Viruchipuram.
Mulanur.	Latteri.
Vinnamangalam.	Kátpádi.
Ambur.	Tiruvalam.
Mailpatti.	Ponnai Road.
Valattoor.	Arcot.
Gudiyáttam.	Thalangai.
Kavanur.	Sholinghur.

South Indian Railway.

Chittoor.	Kaniyambadi.
Ramapuram.	Kannamangalam.
Kátpádi.	Kalambur.

SALEM DISTRICT.

Madras Railway.

Patchur.	Kettandapatti.
Jalarpet.	Vániyambádi.

4. No. 31 of the Original Mufassal and No. 21 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations will be amended so as to extend the privileges resulting from inoculation to persons arriving from places notified for the purposes of the passport rules under No. 17 of the Original Mufassal and No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations. The following notification will accordingly be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* :—

NOTIFICATION.

In the exercise of the power delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is pleased to direct that No. 31 of the Original Mufassal and No. 21 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations, published in Notification No. 944, on pages 321–22 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 15th November 1898, as amended by Notification No. 1030, published on page 379 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 20th December 1898, shall be further amended by the insertion of the words "or from any place notified by His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council for the purposes of No. 17 of the Original Mufassal Plague Regulations" and the words "or from any place notified by His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council for the purposes of No. 22 of the

City of Madras Plague Regulations" between "after arrival from a plague-infected place" and "but they may be observed at their own residence and shall, with this view, &c.," in clause (*b*) of No. 31 of the Original Mufassal and No. 21 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations, respectively.

(True Extract.)

for *Secretary to Government.*

To the Plague Commissioner.
" the President, Municipal Commission, Madras.
" all Collectors (A—L).
" the Sanitary Commissioner.
" the Surgeon-General.
" the Marine Department.
" the Public Works Department (Railway Branch).
" the Political Department.
" all Railway Administrations.
" the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command.
" the General Officers Commanding Districts.
" the Inspector-General of Police.
" ~~the Commissioner of Police.~~
Gazette.

Exd. P. Seetharam.

[L. & M.]
250—19-12-98.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in proceedings:—

Again G.O., No. dated 189 .

Again G.O , No. dated 189 .

Current No. 109 P. of 1899, dated 12. 1. 99 , from the Plague Commissioner

" " 379 P. " 1899, " 29. 2. 99, "

" " " 189 , " , "

ORDER. No 380 P 99 11. 3-99

The Plague Commissioner's recommendations to declare only the Gooty and Kundapur talukes of the Anantapur district ~~to be infected with plague~~, instead of the whole district, ~~as at present declared infected, and his recommendation to declare~~ and the town of Hospet in the Bellary district, and the town of Kuttapur and the unions of Arcot and Ranipettai and the municipality of Vallajapet in the North Arcot district to be infected with plague, are approved and the following notification will be published in the Fort Saint George Gazette:—

Notifica

Madras Plague
from inoculation

(5) The
Malugur.
(6) The
the town of Kupp
(7) Hosp

Corrected instead of 6 the P.C's allocation in item 6 in list I.

Notification.

In modification of Notification No I, published in the Fort Saint George Gazette, dated 17th. January 1899, Part I-A, page 11, as amended by Notification No. 63, published in the Fort Saint George Gazette, dated 24th. January 1899, Part I-A, page 21, the following areas in India are declared to be infected with ~~the~~ plague (N.E. List I, received from the Plague Commissioner)

2. No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations will be amended so as to ~~required~~ liable persons arriving from places, which are not actually infected with the plague but which ~~have~~ were notified for the purpose of the passport rules, ~~being required~~ to take out passports. The following notification will accordingly be published in the Fort Saint George Gazette.

AA
10.3.99.

Gazette:— 484.

Notification

In the exercise of the power delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, H.E. the Governor of Fort Saint George in Council hereby directs that the following alteration be made in No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations, published on pp 260 and 261 of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated 6th. September 1898, Part I A, as ~~subsequently~~ amended by Notifications No. 831 and 67, published on pages 292 and 22 of Part I A of the Fort St Geo: Gazette, dated 18th. October 1898 and 24th January 1899, respectively:—

In the first sentence in the first paragraph, for the words "Every person arriving from a plague-infected place" substitute "Every person arriving, or suspected of having arrived, from an

place declared to be infected with plague, or from any place notified by His Excellency the Governor of Fort Saint George in Council for the purposes of this regulation."

3. The Plague Commissioner is to notify the railway Stations in the Arantapur district, outside the Gooty and Hindupur talukhs, and certain railway stations in the North Arcot and Salem districts for the purpose of the passport rules is approved and the following notification will be published in the Fort Saint George Gazette:—

Notification

In supersession of Notification No. III, published in the Fort Saint George Gazette, dated 17th January 1899, Part I-A, page 12, the following railway Stations, ~~which are not declared to be infected with plague~~, are hereby notified for the purpose of the

S80 Pol/1/3

* Mufassal Regulation 17 — as amended by Notifications 1029, II and 61 published on pages 7, 11 & 12 and 22 of Pt. I-A of the Fort St. Geo. Gazette, dy 20.12.98, 17.1.99 and 24.1.99, respectively.

Madras City Regn. 22 — as amended by Notifications nos. 831 and 67, published on pages 292 & 22 of Pt. I A of the Ft. St. Geo. Gazette, dy 18.10.98 & 24.1.99, respectively, and the Notification ~~no. published on p. of Pt. I A of the Ft. St. Geo. Gazette, dy~~ in paragraph 2 of this order.

MA
10.3

passport rules prescribed in No. 17 of the Original Mufassal and No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations, published in Notifications Nos. 444 and 727 on pages 137 and 260 & 261 of Part I-A of the Fort Saint Geo: Gazette, dated 27th May 1898 and 6th September 1898, respectively, as subsequently amended by the * marginally noted notifications.

(H.E. List II received from the Plague Commissioner)

4. No. 31 of the Orig. Mufassal and No. 21 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations will be amended so as to extend the privileges resulting from inoculation to persons arriving from places notified for the purposes of the passport rules under No. 17 of the Original Mufassal and No. 22 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations. The following notification will accordingly be published in the Fort Saint George Gazette.

Notification.

In exercise of the

power delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, N.E. the Governor of Fort Saint George in Council is pleased to direct that No. 31 and No. 21 of the Original Mufassal and City of Madras Plague Regulations published in Notification No. 944, on pages 321-22 of Part I-A of the Fort Saint George Gazette, dated 15th November 1898, as amended by Notification No. 1030, published on page 379 of Part I-A of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated 20th December 1898, shall be further amended by the insertion of the words (x)

(x) "or from any place notified by H.E. the Governor of Fort St. George in Council for the purposes of No. 17 of the Original Mufassal Plague Regulations" and the words "or from any place notified by H.E. the Governor of Fort St. George in Council for the purposes of No. 21 of the City of Madras Plague Regulations" after the words "from" and before the words "and"

of G.O. 1423 Pol. dt. 8 XII 98.

The addition to clause (b) which is underlines with blue lead pencil is what is now proposed. The other additions were already sanctioned in G.O. 1577 P. dt. 15/12/98.

Orders.

(x) At this place insert the matter on the slip attached instead of the matter in the draft

To,

The Plague Commissioner
" President, M.C., Madras
all Collectors (A-L)
The Sanitary Commissioner
" Surgeon-General
" Marine Dept
" P.W. Dept. (Ry branch)
" Political Dept.
all Railway Administrations
The Dy. Adjutant General, M.C.
" Genl. Offrs Commanding Dists.
" Dept. of Police
Commr. of Police
Gazette

H.M.
11
8-99.
Approved.
H.M. 10.1.99

Clause (b).

V.R.
11/2/99.

11
G 3 99.

FA
I do believe H.E. has approved all these alterations: I
will let me know)

H.E. has approved the two proposals made by the P.C in C No 109 P (Plag. II) vide H.M. order thereon - regarding the amendment of the lists of infected areas and notified stations. The lists have been amended in paras 1 & 3 of the draft order with reference to these proposals and also some further proposals made by the P.C subsequently when the draft order flagged I was sent to him in G.O for remarks - The amendments of the Regns ordered in paras 2 & 4 of draft order and those both the drafts. The Municipal bills have not been approved yet

V.R.

I 784

The following areas in India are declared to be infected with plague

In the Madras Presidency

(1) Pattikonda taluk, Kurnool Dt, including the Ry stations of Pattikonda, Maddikera, Tuggali, Gundehalla & Mallipalle.

(2) Alur taluk, Bellary Dt, including the Ry stations of Alur, Aspari, Molagavalli, Balluru and Bairanhal

(3) Harpet taluk, Bellary Dt.

(4) Gooty taluk, Anantapur Dt including the Ry stations of Guntakal, Tadimanchela, Gooty, Jakkalacheru, Tadipatri, Kadiripet & Kallaru.

(5) Hindupur taluk, Anantapur Dt including the Ry stations of Hindupur & Malajur

(6) The Town of Karkpur, Vellore, Arcot & Wallajapet in the N. Arcot Dt.

(7) Hosur taluk, Salem Dt

Outside the Madras Presidency

(1) (a) Mysore Province

(6) The municipalities of Vellore & Wallajapet, the unions of Arcot & Ranipet, & the town of Karkpur, in the N. Arcot Dt.

Local & Mo... nt.

INDIAN TELEGRAPHS. Monthly Number.

Code Class.

To (Office) Telephonic | From (Office) Message from

Words.	Day.	Hour.	Minute.	Official Instructions.
	11	15	49	

To (Person) 1st Asst L & M | From (Person) 1st Asst P.W.D Ry Branch

The name of the station between Nagamangalam & Perukondan is Mukkaipalli.

64 Word Form. F.C 2.

from LN. | Sent to LN.

Wds. Mts. by | At Hrs. Mts. by

Telegraph Master.

Te. 303 T—8 12 97—70000000

and stating that the Taluks mentioned should be declared to be closed as requested by the Collr.

Local & Munl. (1899) Department.

CURRENT No. 1097

From The Plague Commissioner

Order

Refer C. No. 325

Dated 12-
Received 16-
Registered 16-
} Jan 4 1899

Enclosures

Spare copies.

SUBJECT.

Submitting copy of letter from the Collr of Anantapur bringing to notice that much inconvenience is being felt by the public on account of the whole Dt of Anantapur being declared infected, while the Taluks of Gooty & Hindupur alone are plague-infected and stating that the Taluks mentioned should be declared to be infected as requested by the Collr.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
	1263	P	7-10-98
	852	P	15-8-98

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

1098

Proceedings of the Plague Commissioner for India, Madras.

ASSISTT SECY TO GOVT OF INDIA
15 JAN 1899
LEGAL, MINL EDL & LE DEPT

Read:-

Letter from the Collector of Anantapur Ref. On.C.No.29P, dated 7-1-99.

"I have the honour to bring to your notice that as the whole district has been declared infected it causes much inconvenience to the general public. Persons who proceed on business to uninfected districts like Bellary, from Anantapur and other Taluks in this district where there is no plague, are kept under observation there as they go from the infected district; and even after they return to their own villages, they have to appear before the local authority for observation until the full period of ten days expires: When no such restrictions were placed on them if they travel in this district except Guntakal, (vide your Proceedings No.636, dated 16-11-98), I fail to understand how they can infect an uninfected district like Bellary.

In these circumstances I request that you will be good enough to declare Gooty and Hindupur Taluks as infected, which are the only two taluks in this district where plague is prevalent.

Also letter from the Sanitary Commissioner, Madras No.83/S, dated 9-1-99.

"In view of the evident spread of plague from village to village in the Anantapur District, I have the honour to suggest that the ruling by your office that the giving of passports to persons inhabiting infected villages and travelling within the Anantapur District was not necessary, and the regarding of the whole district as infected, are premature. In my opinion, it is most desirable that every effort—granted—the—be great difficulties in the way—should be exercised to require that the persons from infected villages shall not pass to healthy villages without receiving passports.

Ref. On.C.No.325, dated 12-1-99.

Submitted for the orders of the Government.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.
	1263 852	P P	7-10-98 15-8-98

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

1098

Loc

Orde

380P 8 d/3

Proceedings of the Plague Commissio

ASSISTT. SECY TO GOVT. 15 JAN 1899 JUDICIAL, MUNL. EDL. & LEGISLATIVE DEPTT.

Read:-

Letter from the Collector ~~from~~ of Anantapur Ref. On.C.No.29P, dated 7-1-99.

"I have the honour to bring to your notice that as the whole district has been declared infected it causes much inconvenience to the general public. Persons who proceed on business to uninfected districts like Bellary, from Anantapur and other Taluks in this district where there is no plague, are kept under observation there as they go from the infected district; and even after they return to their own villages, they have to appear before the local authority for observation until the full period of ten days expires: When no such restrictions were placed on them if they travel in this district except Guntakal, (vide your Proceedings No.638, dated 16-11-98), I fail to understand how they can infect an uninfected district like Bellary.

In these circumstances I request that you will be good enough to declare Gooty and Hindupur Taluks as infected, which are the only two talukas in this district where plague is prevalent.

Also letter from the Sanitary Commissioner, Madras No.83/S, dated 9-1-99.

"In view of the evident spread of plague from village to village in the Anantapur District, I have the honour to suggest that the ruling by your office that the giving of passports to persons inhabiting infected villages and travelling within the Anantapur District was not necessary, and the regarding of the whole district as infected, are premature. In my opinion, it is most desirable that every effort ~~granted there be great difficulties in the way~~ should be exercised to require that the persons from infected villages shall not pass to healthy villages without receiving passports.

Ref. On.C.No.325, dated 12-1-99.

Submitted for the orders of ~~the~~ Government.

I consider that the Hindupur and Gooty Taluks alone should be declared infected. Persons booking from all the railway stations in Anantapur should be made to take passports, the stations being notified for this purpose under the newly amended regulation 17(1). This is necessary to protect uninfected areas. The hardship undergone by persons travelling from Anantapur District must I fear continue, but the new arrangement will necessitate persons travelling from Hindupur and Gooty Taluks taking out passports in going to uninfected Taluks and thus protect the latter. (1) (2)

H Donelan
13/1
Plague Commissioner.

Hm for orders.
H I
16 (1) 99

I agree with the P.C.
K A
21.1.99

Secretary to Government Local & Municipal Department,
The Collector of Anantapur,
Sanitary Commissioner.

F A
H I
21/1/99

D

Local & Munl. (1899) Department.

CURRENT No. 379 P

From The Plague Commissioner

Order

No.

Dated	21-ii-99
Received	
Registered	
Enclosures	
Spare copies	

SUBJECT.

Reporting that the town of Kuppam may be declared infected and a notification issued to this effect to facilitate the issue of passports to people proceeding to Salem by road from Kuppam

Stating that the Coll of Salem reports that he could not issue passports to persons coming from Kuppam as it has not been declared infected & requesting that it may be now declared infected

BACK PAPERS &c

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

L+M C no 379

W Jenk

Note for the Secretary, Local & Municipal Department.

The Collector of Salem states that he cannot issue passports to people entering his district by road from Kuppam, as Kuppam town has not been declared infected, but only the railway station. He is requested that Kuppam itself may be declared infected. There is no sufficient reason yet to declare the whole of Kangundi infected.

RECEIVED 21 FEB 1899 REGISTRY BRANCH PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSIONER GOVT OF INDIA

Assmasangh
21/2/99
For Plague Commr.

A88
21/2/99

Plague Commr.'s Office
Madras, 21st Feb. 99.

H.S.
21.2.99

BACK PAPERS

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

L+M C no 379

W.J.G.K.

Note for the Secretary, Local & Municipal Department.

The Collector of Salem states that he cannot issue pass ports to people entering his district by road from Kuppam, as Kuppam town has not been declared infected, but only the railway station. It is requested that Kuppam itself may be declared infected. There is no sufficient reason yet to declare the whole of Kangundi infected.

ASST SECY TO GOVT
21 FEB 1899
MADRAS

Asst Surgeon
21/2/99
For Plague Commr.

ASB
21/2/99

Plague Commr's Office
Madras, 21st Feb: 1899

HJ
21.2.99

of the passport

from its operation. The prope

C. No: 109 P.

Note for the Secretary

In the current week ab
the Plague Commissioner propo
(1) that by the Godry and
depopulation of the Amantapo
district may be declared to be
infected with plague instead
of the whole of the district
(2) that all the railway
stations in the district may
under the newly amended
Mufassal Regulation 17 (1)
be notified for the purpose
of the passport rules. On the
draft order prepared with
reference to the above proposa
being sent to the Plague Commis
sioner for remarks
he has proposed certain
amendments in the list of
infected areas and suggested
the issue of a notification con
taining a list of all notifie
stations. He has accordingly
furnished two lists, (I) of
areas infected with plague
and (II) of stations not in
fected with plague, but proposed
to be notified for the purpos
of the passport

In connection with the
blication of list II, the
lowing is submitted for
sideration. At the instance
the Plague Commissioner,
No. 17 of the Original Mufassal
Plague Regulations was amended
(please see notification II in G.O.
80 P. dy 11-1-99) so as to enable
persons arriving from places,
not actually infected with
plague, but which may be
notified by Government for
that purpose, being required to
take out passports. A similar
amendment was not proposed
to the law in the Corresponding
gulation (No 22) of the City
Madras Plague Regulations.
It is therefore submitted that
the necessary amendment may
be made in the latter also. If
this is approved, the notification
publishing list II can be made
at the same time as the Mufassal.

last
recede
80 P.

Note A reference has since been received from the P.C. in which he proposes to re-issue Regn. 22 embodying this and certain other amendments. But before proceeding if, as suggested, it seems necessary that the City Regn. 21 should be amended as suggested in para 3 of the note.

to mention it again in the notification publishing a list of the notified Stations.

dy 11-1-99. This latter notifica
exempts inoculated person
from its operation. The prope
place for conferring the exempt
would appear to be No 31 of the
Original Mufassal and No 21
of the Madras City Plague
Regulations. It is unnecessary
as a similar concession applying
to persons arriving from infected
areas is not mentioned in the
already published notifications
of lists of infected areas. It is
therefore submitted that No 31
of the Original Mufassal and
No 21 of the Madras City
Plague Regulations may also
be amended so as to exempt
persons arriving from Station
notified for the purpose of the
passport rules from having to
take out passports.

The accompanying draft
ter embodying notifications
ter
ve with reference to the
publ
proposals submitted
ve George
ab.
prepared
foregoing p
for approv
V.R
11/2/99

P. C.
13 FEB. 1899

P. C for remarks
H.T
13-2-99

Note for the Secy:
Please see the P.C's
(Flag R) put up.
PRO

of stations not in
with plague, but proposed
for the purposes

...e infected with plag...

In the Madras Presidency

The railway stations of

Godupalli, Kuppam, &

Mulanur ~~on the Polelur~~

on the Bangalore branch

of the Madras Railway,

in the North Arcot district.

2) Vellor Municipality, Vellore

taluk, North Arcot district.

3) Gooty and Hindupur taluks,

Anantapur district.

4) Alur taluk, Bellary district.

5) Pattikonda taluk, Kurnool

district.

6) Hosur taluk, Salem district.

7) Patchur Railway station

on the Bangalore branch

of the Madras Railway

in the Salem district.

Outside the Madras Presidency

1) The whole of the Bombay

Presidency, including Sind

2) Nalong and Lingasugar

districts in the Hyderabad

state.

3) Upper Provinces,

4) Wardha district in the

Central Provinces.

...sent t...

...ur sign...

...dn print.

...O.,

...89

Notification II

Whereas there is indigen...

plague in the Gooty and Hind...

pur taluks of the Anantap...

district, H.E. the Governor of

Fort Saint George in Council

in exercise of the powers

delegated to him under s...

Epidemic Diseases Act, 189...

hereby directs that all

passengers commencing, or

suspected of commencing,

their journey from (all)

railway stations ~~and taluk~~

in the Anantapur district and

named below shall obtain

passports at the railway

station of destination, and

shall otherwise conform to the

regulations published in

Notification No. 444, page 1...

Part I A of the Fort Saint

George Gazette, dated 8th

May 1898. Persons who

hold certificates that they

have been inoculated ...

M. Haffkine's prec... within

a date not earlier than ...

...months and not later...

...days previously are
...xcepted from this order.

Madras Railway

Gantakal
Timmancherla
Pataköttacherie
Gooty
Jakkalacherumu
Rayalacheruvu
Penneru
Tadpatri
Vangaruu

Southern Mahratta Railway

Lukkadarapett
Kallurie
Harladimm
Anantapur
Koudakur
Dharmavaram
Nagasamudram
Guttur
Penukonda
Chakaralapalle
Malugur
Kadiripur

South Indian Railway

Chinnekuntapalle

To
The Plague Commissioner
" Collector of Anantapur (A.A.)
" Sanitary Commissioner
" Surgeon-General
" President, M.C., Madras
" Marine Dept.
" PW Dept. (By post)
all Railway Administrations
other Collectors

Gazette.

I.R.
26/1/97

...ont to Press.

...r signature. 8/4

...du print. 8/4.

...O., No. ... DATED ...
...89 .

...MBERS TO ... No.

...ER OF GOVERNMENT ..

...TCHER OF GOVERNMENT.

...STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

...PAPERS NOT FILED UP, BEING MEANT FOR DESPATCH IN ORIGINAL.

NUMBER OF COPIES REQUIRED.
Letter only.
Order complete with Letter.

me from 4 P.M. 26/3

9

...Please send proof as soon possible
By
11/3/98

342 Postage

N.B.—
A = Print in full.
B = No. to be printed.
P = Print abstract only.
Q = Print heading only.