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Statement showing the particulars of the Brahmotsavam festival of Sri Narasimhaswami at Sholinghur in the North Arcot district.

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No. 787-S.

Forwarded.

(Signed) W. G. KING, Lt.-Col., I.M.S.,
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5th March 1899.

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" Collector of North Arcot.

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(True Extract.)

H. TREMENHEERE,
Secretary to Government.

To the Plague Commissioner.
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" " Cuddapah., }
" " Salem, }
" " Anantapur, }
" Commissioner of Salt, Abkári and Separate Revenue.
" Inspector-General of Police.
" Sanitary Commissioner.
" Surgeon-General.
" Public Works Department (Railway Branch).
" Agent and Manager, Madras Railway.
" " South Indian Railway.
" " Southern Mahratta Railway.
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Current No. 5667 of 1899, dated 15-3-1899 , from the Plague Commissioner.

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ORDER. No 4327 of 18/3/99

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(Here enter the draft notification as amended by the Plague Commissioner)

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To
The Plague Commr
" Collr of N. Arcot (A-L)
" " Chingleput, Cuddapah, Salem, Trantapore } A
" Commr of S. A + S Rlys
" Dy. Insp. Genl of Police
" Sanitary Commr
" Surgeon General
" P. W. D (Ry Branch)
" Agent + Manager, M.R.
" — S.I.R.
" — S.M.R.
Gazette

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CURRENT No. 5669

From The Plague Commissioner

Order

Report No. 2749

Dated 11. } March '99
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SUBJECT.

Subg for approval and publication in the Fort St George Gazette a draft notification prohibiting [redacted] to the Brahmotsavam festival at Sholinghur in the North Arcot Dist and stating, with remark that the Collr is requested to make the necessary arrangements for the proper enforcement of the prohibition

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W. Wing
Lt. Col. I.M.S.
San. Com. for Madras
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To

The Plague Commr.

From The collector of North Arcot.

Re No. 894 dt 28

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SUBJECT.

Submitting proposals to prohibit Religious & the Brahmotsavam festival of Varadaraja swamis to be held at Sholinghur between 17th & 25th April 99.

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Notification

Whereas his Governor of Fort Saint George in Council is satisfied that there is danger of an outbreak of plague in the town of Sholinghur in his North Arcot District if pilgrims are permitted to assemble in that town on the occasion of the ensuing Brahmotsavam festival of Sri-Narasinha Swami &. In exercise of the powers delegated to him under the Epidemic Diseases Act 1897, His Excellency his Governor of Fort Saint George in Council is pleased to prohibit pilgrimage to Sholinghur from 10th to 16th April 1905 both days inclusive, and to direct that between the said dates no tickets to Katpadi & Arkonam junction, to travel by Railway to the Stations of Sholinghur, Palangai, Arcot, Ponnai road Timmalpan, ~~Katpadi~~, Mamal, ~~Arkonam~~ Tentani, Pompadi Nagari, ~~Upagunta~~, ~~Puttur~~, ~~Tadaka~~, ~~Padi and Renigunta~~ and the Stations of Villupuram on the Madras Railway, Ramapuram

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Katpadi S.R. & M.S. & Bc added

and Chittoor on the South Indian Railway shall be issued ~~at any Railway Station~~ within the districts of Salem, Anantapur, ~~Chingleput, Cuddapah~~ and North Arcot to any person intending or believed to be intending to attend the said festival ~~as a pilgrimage to Sholinghur~~. All ~~such~~ persons proceeding to Sholinghur in contravention of the notification will be turned back.

North Arcot Collector's Office
Chittoor 2nd Sept 99

A Macnaghten Esqr
for Ag Collector.

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Re No. 894 of 1899.

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To
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through the Sanitary Commissioner
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To the Sanitary Board for the Presidency of Madras.

I have the honour to submit herewith a statement of festivals to be held in the Chingleput District during the month of April 1899 and a draft notification under section 5 of Act III of 1895 for the purpose of declaring the said festivals to be infected places.

2. I have the honour to request that the notification may be published in the Fort St. George Gazette of the 28th instant.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
[illegible]
Deputy Collector.

Name of festivals.	Place at which held.	Distance from nearest Railway station.	Date of Commencement and termination of festivals.	Average attendance during last three years	Number of people expected from plague infected parts.	
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Recommended for approval

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Proceedings of the Plague Commissioner.

READ—

Endorsement of the Sanitary Commissioner, No. 787/S dated 6th March 1899, forwarding letter from the Collector of North Arcot, dated 3rd March 1899, Ref. on C. No. 894/P , submitting proposals to prohibit pilgrimage to the Brahmotsavam festival of Narasimhaswami to be held at Sholinghur between 17th and 25th April 1899.

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