

Marine (1897) Department.

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G.O., No. 188 Mar

DATED 2^d March 1897.

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3/3/97

[Despatch Abstract.]

Quarantine: Ordered that the telegram from the Secretary of State regarding the regulations enforced in Russia, Germany and at Antwerp and Dunkirk, be published in the Dorchester Gazette.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

Telegram from the Secretary of State, London, to the Viceroy, India, dated the 19th February 1897.

Russia.—All Indian ports declared contaminated. Basrah and Camaran report suspected cases of plague. *Germany*.—Prohibition to import from Indian ports and Persia rags, hides, old clothes, carpets, human hair, bristles, hair, wool, claws, hoops, personal baggage exempt, but disinfection possible. *Antwerp*.—Sanitary officials examine crew and passengers, but arrivals from healthy ports exempt. Hides, unless cured with arsenic, hoofs, animal refuse, etc., prohibited; wool, etc., admitted in transit, not for sale in Belgium, but liable to disinfection. *Dunkirk*.—Four days' quarantine arrivals from infected ports if there has been no sickness on board, otherwise nine after sick person removed, goods and passengers disinfected.

No. 685 (Sanitary).

Copy forwarded to the Government of ^{Madras} ~~Bombay~~ ^{Bengal}, the Chief Commissioner of Burma and the Finance Department for information.

(By order.)

HOME DEPT., CALCUTTA,
22nd February 1897.

(Signed) R. NATHAN,
Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To the Government of Madras.

ORDER—No. 188, Marine, dated 2nd March 1897.

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NOTIFICATION.

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(True Extract.)

C. H. B. B. B. B.
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent, Government Press, with notification.

,, Presidency Port Officer.

,, Local and Municipal Department.

Editors' Table.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

^{Urgent} Marine (1897) Department.

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Order No. 188 Marine of 2.3.97

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From

The Govt. of India
Home Dept.

No. 685

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SUBJECT.

Bubonic Plague:

Forwarding copy of
telegram from the Secretary
of State regarding appli-
-cation of quarantine rules
in Russia, Germany,
Antwerp & Dunkirk.

FURTHER PAPERS.

From—The Secretary of State, London,
To —The Viceroy, India.

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