

Marine (189) Department.

G.O., No. 371 Ma

DATED 12 May

[Despatch Abstract.]

Plague Telegram to the Govt. of Burma giving information regarding the instructions that have been issued to the Port Health Officer, Madras, for admitting healthy vessels from Calcutta into the Madras harbor to work cargo, and stating that the question of extending the measure to other ports is under consideration.

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G.O., No. 367, 11th May 1898.

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Plague Precautions.

Healthy vessels from Calcutta ordered to be admitted into the Madras Harbour, and allowed to work cargo on certain conditions.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
MARINE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following :—

Letter from Messrs. Best & Company, No. G.L. B/1, dated 5th May 1898.
Letter from Messrs. Wilson & Company, Madras, dated 6th May 1898.
Telegram from Messrs. Best & Company, Madras, dated 6th May 1898.
Telegram from the Secretary, Mining Board, Marikuppam, dated 6th May 1898.
Telegram from Messrs. Binny & Company, Madras, dated 7th May 1898.
Telegram from Messrs. Wilson & Company, Madras, dated 7th May 1898.
Telegram from the Port Health Officer, Madras, dated 8th May 1898.
Telegram from Messrs. Best & Company, Madras, dated 8th May 1898.
Letter from Messrs. Wilson & Company, Madras, dated 7th May 1898.
Letter from the Secretary, Kolar Gold Field Mining Board, Marikuppam, dated 7th May 1898.
Letter from Messrs. Best & Company, Madras, No. G.L. B/1, dated 6th May 1898.
Letter from Messrs. Binny & Company, Madras, dated 9th May 1898.
Telegram from the Sanitary Commissioner, Madras, dated 9th May 1898.
Telegram from the Presidency Port Officer, Madras, dated 9th May 1898.

ORDER—No. 367, Marine, dated 11th May 1898.

Recorded with reference to the following telegram which was sent to the Port Health Officer, Madras, on the 10th instant :—

“ Admit healthy vessels from Calcutta into harbour and allow them work
“ cargo on following conditions, namely, ships' crews to be inspected night and
“ morning and not to leave ship; list with addresses of shore coolies employed to
“ be maintained and those who do not return to work next day, to be inspected
“ under orders of Municipal Health Officer with whom arrange.

“ Indent on Commissioner, Police, for men to prevent any but registered
“ coolies from boarding ships, and ships' crews from landing, and to guard bathing
“ enclosures, and to compel their use by coolies.”

“ All coolies and police who have boarded ships to take disinfecting bath in
“ enclosure on beach after landing and before going home. Arrange with Har-
“ bour Board for enclosure.

“ Disinfect their clothes also. Examine boats and cargoes for rats.”

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. B. DEWINTON,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To
The Presidency Port Officer.
“ Local and Municipal Department.
“ Judicial Department.
“ Political Department.
Messrs. Binny & Co.
“ Best & Co.
“ Wilson & Co.
The Secretary, Kolar Gold Field Mining Board, Marikuppam.
“ Collectors of Maritime Districts.