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Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1489	Pres ~~Mis.~~
Dated	1-11-	1869

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
1st November 1869.

No. 5. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Military Department, dated 29th October 1869, No. 3789.

Requesting that necessary Orders may be
issued in the Public Department,
directing the Sanitary Commissioner to
visit Bangalore to report on the causes
of the outbreak of Typhoid fever. } (*Vide* Proceedings, Military Department,
dated 29th October 1869, Nos. 540 &
541.)

No. 6. ORDER THEREON, 1st November 1869, No. 1489.

With reference to the G. O., dated 29th October 1869, No. 3789, Military Department, the Government request Dr. Ranking, the Sanitary Commissioner, to proceed at an early date to Bangalore for the purpose of reporting on the causes which have led to the outbreak of Typhoid fever at Bangalore; and suggesting such sanitary measures as may be necessary.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

To the Sanitary Commissioner, Madras.
,, Military Department.

Exd. J. Wright.

Read the following letter :—

No. 540. From the Deputy Quarter Master General, to the Officiating Secretary to Government, Military Department; dated Fort Saint George, 11th October 1869, No. 6086.

The Officer Commanding Mysore Division has brought to notice, that the frequent recurring out-breaks of typhoid fever in the Royal Horse Artillery Lines at Bangalore, is attributable to the existence of the Hamlets and Native Huts in the neighbourhood, and recommends that

* Vide Proceedings of Committee of valuation marked A, B and C attached. their removal may be sanctioned, on sanitary grounds, at a cost of Rupees 13,076.*

2. In 1865, in consequence of a similar out-break in the followers' lines of the Royal Horse Artillery, Government was pleased to sanction† the re-construction of the lines of the Native followers,

† O. G. No. 3378, dated 11th September 1865. and to grant compensation to the unauthorised followers for the removal of their huts to another site, since that period, notwithstanding the sanitary improvements then effected, it is reported that the disease has from time to time made its appearance in the same locality.

3. Last year on the recurrence of typhoid fever in these lines, the Municipal Commissioners were communicated with on the subject, and Major General Haines states that the result has been greatly improved conservancy in Ulsoor, and in the Horse Artillery followers' lines, and the construction of additional latrines, &c. &c.: but that, notwithstanding the adoption of all these measures of reform, the disease has manifested itself this year also.

4. Under the foregoing circumstances, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief suggests, for the consideration of Government, that it seems desirable that the Sanitary Commissioner should be directed to proceed to Bangalore, with a view to his investigating the subject, and advising Government as to the course to be adopted.

5. The correspondence as per margin is herewith forwarded for reference.

1 Letter from Officer Commanding Mysore Division, No. 375, dated 7th August 1868, with enclosures.
1 Do. do. No. 355, dated 24th July 1869, with enclosures.
1 Do. do. No. 430, dated 16th Sept. 1869, with enclosure.
1 Do. do. No. 434, dated 17th Sept. 1869, with enclosure.

No. 541. ORDER THEREON, 29th October 1869, No. 3789.

The Government consider it highly desirable that a careful inquiry be made into the causes which have led to the out-break of typhoid fever at Bangalore.

2. The Sanitary Commissioner will (in the Public Department) be directed to visit Bangalore at an early date, and, in communication with the Military and Medical authorities, investigate and report on the subject, suggesting such sanitary measures as he may deem advisable.

(True Extract.)

Wickham Major,
Offg. Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General, with 12 enclosures.
Public Department. *with 5 copies*
Adjutant General.
Inspector General Indian Medical Department.

Exd. J. E. Cashart:

Govt. of Madras

PUBLIC.

To

THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER,
Madras.

Ac. Ac. Ac.

Dated November, 1st.
Recd.

G. O., 1st November 1869, No. 1489.

NOVEMBER.
Nos. 5-6.

Requesting Dr. Rankin to proceed at an early date to Bangalore for the purpose of reporting on the causes which have led to the outbreak of Typhoid fever at that station, and suggesting such sanitary arrangements as may be necessary.

Cont. of 1869 entries.

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From the MILITARY. *Dallas*

THE QUARTER MASTER GENERAL.

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Dated October, 20th

Recd. *J. A.*

E. O. Smith, 1900, p. 473.

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Requests for necessary orders may be issued in the native language, directing the Sanitary Commission to report on the cause of the outbreak of typhoid fever.

No. 3789

Proceedings of the Madras Government.

29th October — 1869.

Read the following Paper:—

From the Dy. Quarter Master
General

Forwards Correspondence regarding the expediency of removing on sanitary grounds, certain Native Huts and Hamlets in the vicinity of the Royal Horse Artillery Lines at Bangalore, and suggests that the Sanitary Commissioner may be directed to proceed to Bangalore for investigating the subject, and advising Government as to the course to be adopted. —

Here enter 18th October 1869,
M. D. S.

Order. The Government consider it highly desirable that a careful enquiry be made into the causes which have led to the outbreak of Typhoid fever at Bangalore. —

2. The Sanitary Commissioner will (in the Public Department) be directed to visit Bangalore at an early date, and, in communication with the Military and Medical

Medical Authorities, investigate and report on
the subject - suggesting such sanitary measures
as he may deem advisable. -

(True Extract.)

Respectfully,
M. J. Major,
Offg. Dy. Secy. to Govt.

To,
The Public Department. -

Phil G. Walker

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With an Order.

1st. Proceedings of 1869.

With reference to the Q. O. of 1869
No. 3789, Military Department, the
Government request Dr. Can King,
the Military Commissioner, to have
at an early date to Bangalore for
the purpose of reporting on the
causes which have led to the
outbreak of dysentery here at
Bangalore, and suggesting and
sanitary measures as may be
necessary.

Phil G. Walker

To the Military Council
The Military Department
Bangalore.

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To

The Sanitary Commr.,
Madras.
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~~J. M. 118 of 1871~~

Requesting Dr. Ranking to
proceed at an early date to
Bangalore for the purpose
of reporting on the cases
which have led to the
outbreak of typhoid fever
at that station, & suggesting
such sanitary arrangements
as may be necessary.