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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
7th June 1871.*

No. 50. Read the following letter from the Sanitary Commissioner for Madras, to the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 1st June 1871, No. 668:—

I have the honour to solicit sanction of Government to the publication, in the Official Gazette, of a monthly abstract of births and deaths registered in the several districts of the Presidency, beginning with the month of January of the present year.

2. The system of publishing vital statistics has been already adopted by the Governments of the Punjab, North-West Provinces, and Central Provinces, and the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India has begged me to follow the same course here. I do not propose printing the detailed particulars in regard to each "Registration Circle," which would occupy too much space and cause considerable expense, but merely an abstract showing the principal causes of death and total of births registered in each district, as per accompanying form, which will not occupy more than a simple page of the Gazette once a month.

3. I beg to forward, herewith, copy of letter from the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India for reference.

From the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India, to the Sanitary Commissioner for Madras, dated Simla, 22nd May 1871, No. 304.

I have the honour to request the favour of your informing me whether it is your intention to publish the results of mortuary registration in the Madras Presidency in the *Fort St. George Gazette* by months according to Form C., one of the standard series prescribed by the Government of India in Home Department Resolution, dated the 31st December 1869.

2. A monthly statement in this form is now regularly published for the North-West Provinces, the Punjab, and Central Provinces, and it will, I hope, soon be introduced in all the local Governments and Administrations of this Presidency.

3. If it were generally adopted throughout India the Sanitary Commissioners would be able to obtain much useful information regarding the current history of disease throughout the country, which would be especially valuable in the case of epidemics.

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Total Population of each District.		Name of District.	Population of the Villages from which Returns were received.	DEATHS.																																																				
				CLASS.	CAUSE OF DEATH.										AGE AT THE TIME OF DEATH.																																									
					Injuries.										Total Deaths.																																									
				Mahomedans.	Hindoos.	Other Classes.	Cholera.		Small-pox.		Fever.		Bowel Complaints.		Suicide.		Wounds.		Accidents.		Snake Bite or Killed by Wild Beasts.		All other Causes.		Male.		Female.		Total.		Born Dead.		Not exceeding 1 year.		1 to 6.		6 to 12.		12 to 20.		20 to 30.		30 to 40.		40 to 50.		50 to 60.		Exceeding 60.		Male		Female.		Total.	
							Male.		Female.		Male.		Female.		Male.		Female.		Male.		Female.		Male.		Female.		Male.		Female.		Male.		Female.		Male.		Female.		Male.		Female.		Male.		Female.		Total.		Ratio per 1000 of Births to Population.		Ratio per 1000 of Deaths to Population.					

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ORDER THEREON, 7th June 1871, No. 788.

The proposed publication is sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Sanitary Commissioner.

Supervisor, Government Press.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

The Sanitary Commissioner with the Govt. of India
The Sanitary Commissioner for Madras.

Dated Simla 22nd May 1871.

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/ True copy /

/ Signed / J. M. Cunningham

Wm Cornish F.R.C.S. Sanitary Commr. with the Govt. of India
Sanitary Commr. for Madras.

Govt. of Madras

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To THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER,
&c., &c.,

Dated June, 7th.

Recd.

G. O., 7th June 1871, No. 788.

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Sanctioning the proposed publication in the Official Gazette of a monthly abstract of births and deaths registered in the several districts of the Madras Presidency.

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Return showing the Births and Deaths in the Districts of the Madras Presidency during the month of _____ 1873 ^{9th} }

Total Population of each District	Name of District	Population of the Villages from which Returns were received.	Deaths		Age at the time of Death		Births		Ratio per 1000 of Deaths to Population		Ratio per 1000 of Births to Population
			Class	Cause of Death							
			Christians	Injuries							
			Mohomedans	Wounds							
			Hindus	Accidents							
			Other Classes	Shots hit or killed by M ^{ts}							
			Male Cholera	Beasts							
			Female	All other Causes							
			Male Small pox								
			Female								
			Male Fevers								
			Female								
			Male Bowel Com ^{plaints}								
			Female								
			Male Suicide								
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			Total								
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			Small pox								
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			Small pox								
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			Bowel Com ^{plaints}								
			All causes								

No. 668

OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER,

Madras, 1st June

1871.

From

The Sanitary Commissioner for Madras,

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
Public Department

Fort Saint George.

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Enclosure 2.

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Enclosure to No. 669 of the
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 Dear Sir,
 Yours most obedient servant.
 Wm Cornish. J. G. O. J.
 Sanitary Commissioner for Madras.

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From
 The Sanitary Commissioner
 for Madras,

To
 The Chief Secretary to Govt.
 Public Department
 Fort St. George.

Dated 1st
 Despatched "
 Received 3rd June 1871.

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 in the several districts of the
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With an order

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 Sanitary Commissioner
 Government of India
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