

Public (189 6) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 1182-3

DATED 6-11-96

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Informing the Govt of India that with a single exception which is being engaged in to no complaints have been lodged by pilgrims from Mecca against the Turkish authorities.

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1996
 Anantapur District Magistrate's office
 1896.

From,

The District Magistrate
 Anantapur.

To,

The Chief Secretary to Government,
 Judicial Department
 Madras.

Dated

Despatched

Received 19th

By

} September 1896.

Disposal No. 542 of 96, &

Subject

Pilgrims from Mecca

Reporting that no Complaints have been lodged
 by — regarding their treatment by the
 Turkish authorities

Put in

No.

13 September 1896

FROM

H. C. Manavedanraja Esquire
District Magistrate ~~Collector~~ OF THE Arcot
DISTRICT,

TO

Chief
THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
Judicial DEPARTMENT,
Madras.

SIR,

Adverting to Government Order 100 (Public)
21-1-96

I have the honor to report that no complaints
have been lodged by returning pilgrims
as to their treatment by the Turkish authorities
and Sheikhhs at Mecca during the past Haj.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

your most obedient servant

Annamalai
for a District Magistrate

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CHIEF SECRETARY
19. SEP. 1896
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Pub. no. 2056/96

C.A.

Only one reply has been received up to this time. See C no 2052 below.

May reminders be now sent? (2)
① The collectors concerned and I have told that information will be supplied on receipt thereof from the district officers. It is rather too early to expect reports, but a 2 percent bonus is a good reminder.

When
23/9/96

Reply
C no 2155

Reminders sent
When
23/9/96

② Notice sent

W.L.

CURRENT 3046

Home Department,
(Sanitary)
Simla, the 12th Sept 1896.

No. 244.

To
The Chief Secy to the Govt of
Madras

Subject.
Treatment received by Muhammadan
pilgrims from Turkish Authorities, and
Shikhs at Mecca and Jeddah during the
Haj of 1896.

CHIEF SECRETARY
19. SEP. 1896
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

SIR,

I AM directed to invite attention to the
communication marginally noted,* and to
request ^{the favour of} an early reply thereto.

* No. 7 dated 6th January/96
Subsequent revision
No. dated

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

W. D. D.
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.
W. D. D.

Pub c no 3063 of 1896
.. 40.611 21 11-6-96 mis
203 27 8-2-96 mis
100 27 21-7-96 orig
908 27 4-11-95 mis
882 27 24-10-95 2m

Public (1896) Department.

CURRENT No.

Order

From

*The Commissioner of Police,
Queensland*

No. 92.

Dated 25th Sept. 1896.

Received 26th }

Registered 28th }

Enclosures —

Spare copies —

SUBJECT.

Pilgrims to Mecca

*Reporting number of
passports issued to —
during past season and
about the treatment
received by those that
returned.*

C.A.

*Two subjects are mixed up in this
case. One is a contract hand
+ place with the other.
Done 2/10*

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No. 92.

City Police Office,

Madras, 25th September 1896

From J. J. Bagshawe Esq.

THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE,

MADRAS,

To

The Chief Secretary to Govt.

Fort St. George,

Madras,

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No. 1712
Public, dated 4th August 1884.
I have the honor to report that
during the past season 21-
passports (against 3 in the
one previous) were issued by
me to Pilgrims proceeding to
Mecca.

2 ——— The Pilgrims who
have returned make no
complaints as to their
treatment by the Turkish
authorities and Sheiks at
Mecca and Jiddah, but
on the other hand they state
they were very well treated
and the authorities afforded
them

them every protection.

3 — The Pilgrims bitterly complain of the stringency of quarantine rules at Camran (a place two days' journey this side of Jeddah) and the unwholesome provisions supplied to them, on payment, at that place.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Yours most obedt. Servt.,

J. W. P. H. C.

Commissioner of Police,
Meerut

CHIEF SECRETARY
26-SEP-1896
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Public (1896) Department.

CURRENT No. 3208

RECEIVED

From

The District Magistrate
of Bellary

Ref No. 115 of 96

Dated 26 September 1896

Received 30 - 80 -

Registered 18 October 1896

Enclosures -

Spare copies -

SUBJECT.

Informing that a report on the complaints lodged by returning pilgrims against the Turkish authorities and Sheikhs at Mecca and Jeddah will be submitted shortly for receipt of replies from the Sub Divisional Magistrate.

J. S. B. 1/2

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BELLARY DT. MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE,
Dated 26th September 1896

FROM

D. H. Campbell Esq.
DISTRICT MAGISTRATE OF
BELLARY.

TO

THE *Chief Secretary to Government*
Public Department

SIR,

With reference to your memo of the 23rd instant,
I have the honor to state that replies from Sub
Divisional Magistrates who were called
upon to report are due at the end of the current
month when the pilgrims from Mecca & Jeddah
will return.

A report will be shortly submitted

I have the honor to be,
Sir

Your most obedient servant
[Signature]
District Magistrate

[Signature]

FROM

To

THE

No:

Dated

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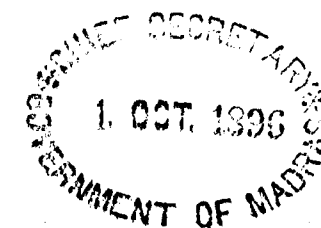
Received

Enclosures.

Abstract.

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CURRENT No. 64



From

The District Magistrate
Malabar

No.

Dated 26th September 1886

Received } 1st October 1896
Registered }

Enclosures —

Spare copies. —

SUBJECT.

Stating that the report called for
in G.O dated 21st January 1896 No. 100
Public on the Subject of Complaints
lodged by returning Pilgrims
against the Turkish authorities &c
will be submitted with the
Pilgrims Pass Port report due on
10th October 1896

Wm. H. Harrison

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CURRENT.

malabar District Magistrate
Calicut 26 September 1896.

Request

From

G. W. Dunge Esq.

Ap. District Magistrate
Malabar

To

The Chief Secretary to
Government,
Judicial Department.

Sir,

With reference to reminder
dated 23rd September 1896 calling
for an early reply to G.O. dated
21st January 1896 no 100 Public, on
the subject of complaints lodged
by returning pilgrims against the
Turkish authorities & sheiks at
mecca & Jeddah, I have the honor
to state that Sub Divisional Magis-
trates have been asked to report
on the point. When they forward
their reports on Passports issued to
Pilgrims during the season ending
30 September 1896.

2. The information will be mi-
nistered in my report due to Govern-
ment on the 10 October 1896.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Yours most obedt. servt.

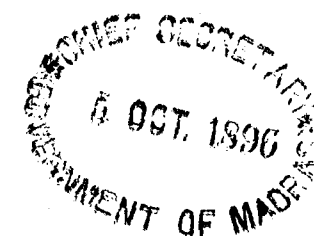
W. J. J. J.

For Ap. District Magistrate

[Signature]

Public (1896) Department.

CURRENT No.



Order

From H. J. W. Gillman Esq. &
Acting District Magistrate,
Kurnool

Dis No. 596
mag 1896

Dated 1st October 1896.

Received } 5th 1896
Registered }

Enclosures —

Spare copies —

SUBJECT.

Stating with reference to G.O. No. 100, Public, dated 25-1-96, that no complaints have been lodged by returning pilgrims against the Turkish authorities and Sheikhhs at Mecca and Jeddah.

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KURNOOL COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
KURNOOL,

Dated 1st October 1896

No.

ENCLOSURES.

FROM

A. H. W. Gillman Esquire

Acting ^{and District Magistrate}
COLLECTOR OF KURNOOL,

TO

Chief
THE SECRETARY TO Government,

Public Department

SIR,

With reference to Government
Order no 100 Public, dated 21-1-96,
I have the honor to state that no
complaints whatever have been
lodged by returning pilgrims
against the Turkish authorities
and Sheikhs at Mecca and
Jeddah.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

A. H. W. Gillman

Acting District Magistrate

Kia
2-10-96

Public (1896) Department.

CURRENT No. 3275



From
The District Magistrate of
Bellary

M. Disposal No. 913

Dated 2nd October 1896.

Received 5th } *over*

Registered 7th } *DESPATCHED*

Enclosures -

Spare copies -

SUBJECT.

Pilgrims to Mecca

Reporting that — have
encountered no difficulties on
their way and were all treated
well by the Turkish authori-
ties.

S.S. JWB
7/10

Order

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M. Dis No. 913

BELLARY DT. MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE,
Dated 2- 10 - 1896.

FROM

R. H. Campbell Esquire
DISTRICT MAGISTRATE OF
BELLARY.

TO

THE Chief Secretary to Government
Public Department

SIR,

With reference to G.O. No. ¹⁰⁰ ~~100~~ ^{Passes} ~~Passes~~ I have
the honor to report that 7 persons went from
this district on pilgrimage to Mecca during the
late Hajj. All of them are reported to have
returned safe except one who died of fever
at Jeddah. They encountered no difficul-
ties on their way and were well treated by
the Turkish authorities.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant
[Signature]
For D. Magistrate.

Public (1896) Department.

CURRENT No.



From

The District Magistrate
Tanjore

No. 736 of 1896
Chag

Dated 5th October 1896

Received } 9th Dec
Registered }

Enclosures Nil

Spare copies —

SUBJECT.

Report regarding the
treatment of pilgrims
to Mecca by the Turkish
authorities and sheiks
at Mecca and Jeddah.

J.S.

BACK PAPERS.

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No. 736 of 1896
Mail

FROM

Tanjore, District Magistrate's Office,
~~Channarayana~~ Vallam, 5th October 1896.

J. Andrew Esquire,
District Magistrate,
TANJORE.

TO

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Public Department,
MADRAS.

SIR,

I have the honour to reply to Government Order
dated 21st January 1896 No 100, Public, regarding
the treatment of Pilgrims to Mecca by the Turkish
Authorities and Sheiks at Mecca and Jeddah

2. On receipt of this Government Order, all
Sub Divisional Magistrates were, in the beginning
of February last, directed to make Enquiries
from returning pilgrims and submit reports
as to their treatment. Some of them have
reported,

reported that pilgrims were expected to return from Mecca only in June and July 1896. the paper was lying over until now.

3. From Enquiries made, it appears that the

1. Mahomed Abdul Kadir Ravuthan, son ^{marginally}
of Haji Mohideen Bava Ravuthan of Adiyak ^{noted indivi-}
-Kamanalam, Nelapatam Taluk. ^{-duals went}

2. Meera Hussain Ravuthan, son of Ilass. ^{to Mecca from}
-than Ravuthan of Tiruvalur Kodikkal. ^{this District}
-palayur, Nelapatam Taluk. ^{for the Haj}

3. Woothmansa Ravuthan son of Kulamsa ^{festival and}
Ravuthan, of Pandaravada, Kumbakonam ^{returned}
Taluk.

4. Abubaker Sahib son of Abdul Kari Sahib, ^{home in}
of Tiruvaduthurai, Mayavaram Taluk

Safety, some of them being accompanied on their journey by female relatives. They state that they experienced no sort of inconvenience or trouble either in their journey from Jeddah to Mecca or during their stay in those places, and that the Turkish authorities did not

molest

molest them in any way. They seem to have obtained Camels for ordinary hire, and one of them also states that he and his relatives were escorted on their way from Jeddah to Mecca by the Turkish mounted Police.

4. No other persons are reported to have returned to this District from Mecca.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant

Munhu Sam

For A. District Magistrate

W. S.

Department.

FROM

The District Magistrate of

TANJORE.

To

The Secretary

to Government,

Department,

MADRAS.

Dated

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No.

ENCLOSURE.

Subject.

Public (1896) Department.

CURRENT No.



From

*The District Magistrate of
South Canara.*

*Disposal No. 1198 of 1896
Eng*

Dated 10th October 1896.

*Received 15 } October 96
Registered 16 }*

Enclosures - nil

Spare copies - nil

SUBJECT.

*Pilgrims to Mecca - Stating
that - who have returned from
the Haj do not complain against
the Turkish Authorities or
the Sheikhhs.*

*J. S. 913.
22/10*

Order

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Disposal No 1198 of 86.
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SOUTH CANARA DISTRICT MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE

Mangalore,
10 October 1896.

From

W. H. Welch Esquire,

District Magistrate of

South Canara.

To

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Public Judicial Department,

Fort St. George.

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No 100 Public, dated 21st January 1896, I have the honor to state that from the reports received on the subject, it appears that pilgrims, that have returned from the Haj, do not complain of ill treatment on the part either of the Turkish Authorities or of the Sheikh. Some of them state that pilgrims from India are subjected to a quarantine of ten days at a place called Kambrani and have to pay at the rate of Rs 12 1/2 each, while those who are subjects of other Powers have to undergo quarantine only for five days and to pay each only Rupees five.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
your most obedient servant

W. H. Welch

The District Magistrate

copied 23/10/96

Extract para 5 of letter from the District
Magistrate of Malabar No ¹⁵⁵⁸_{mag} of 21st
October 1896 (Public C No. 3544 of 96).

With reference to G.O. dated 21st January
1896, No. 100, Public, the Tahsildar of Ponnani
reports that one of the pilgrims who
returned from the last Haj appeared before
him and stated that he was treated
cruelly by the Turkish authorities and
Sheiks, and that his passport was
not of any use to him. I am directing
him to report whether any statement
was taken from this individual
and shall submit it on receipt."

J. S. 29/10/96
26/10/16

The file is now complete

cf.
 * Cs. 3063, 3066, 3155, 3308, 3215,
 3263, 3275, 3321, 3420, and extract
 from C. 3544.

Read G.O. No. 100, Pub., d/ 31-1-96,
 and file of replies.

ORDER:-
 Mis.

N^o 1182876-11-96

The Govt. of India will be add-
 ressed.

M₂ 11.9.6

LETTER:-

N^o 1183

H. G. The Governor

To
 The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
 Home Department (Sanitary).

SIR,

With reference to Mr. Hill's
 letter No. 7, dated the 6th January
 last, I am directed to state that with
 only a single exception, the collectors
 of the Districts concerned report that
 no complaints have been made by pil-
 grims ~~returning from~~ ^{who attended} the last Haj. On
 the contrary they declare that they
 were well treated and, in some cases,
 even afforded every protection by the
 Turkish authorities. They complain,
 however, of the stringency of quaran-
 tine at Camran (a place two days'
 journey from Jeddah) and of the un-
 wholesomeness of the provisions supplied
 to them, on payment, at that place.

Some

Some of those who returned to the South Canara District state that while pilgrims from India are placed in quarantine for ten days and have to pay Rs. 12½ each, subjects of other Powers are required to undergo five days' quarantine only and to pay Rs. 5 each.

2. The Collector of Malabar reports that one of the returned pilgrims appeared before the Tahsildar of Ponani and declared that he had been cruelly treated by the Turkish authorities, as well as by the **S**heikhs, and that his passport had not been of any use to him. Enquiries are being made as to whether any statement was taken from him, and, if so, a copy of it will be forwarded on receipt.

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2.11.96

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READ AGAIN G.O., No. 189

DATED

CURRENT No.

ENCLOSURES TO C. No.

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