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[Despatch Abstract.]

PILGRIMS TO THE HAJJ.

Forwarding, with remarks, to the Government of India statements made by two pilgrims who recently returned from the Hajj as to their treatment by the Turkish authorities at Mecca and Jeddah.

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FROM

The District Magistrate of
 TANJORE.

To

The Chief Secretary
 to Government,
 Public Department,
 MADRAS.

Dated 28. } January 1896.
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 ENCLOSURE. 5 (in one file)

Subject.

Submitting the statements
 obtained from certain
 pilgrims who have returned
 from Mecca as to the
 treatment they received
 at the hands of the Turkish
 authorities.

Tanjore, District Magistrate's Office,

CAMP. Vallam 28th January 1896.

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From

G. S. K. Esquire,
District Magistrate,

TANJORE.

To

The Secy. Secretary to Government,
Public Department,
MADRAS.

SIR,

In continuation of my letter
Ref on car 2 1220, of the 8th October
last, I have the honour to state that
only two individuals viz Gulam
Khader Masoagar of Nagore and
Ahmed Sahb of Vijayapuram,
Nagapattinam Taluk, are reported
to have returned from Mecca
recently in the year 1895, and
their statements as to the treat-
ment received there by them
are enclosed (with translation)
Ahmed Sahb who went about
10 years ago and was trading the
in dishes seems to have been
pleased with the treatment
accord

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added to him at Mecca. The
 then individual Gulam Khadi
 complains of the Exorbitant
 camel hire demanded from
 and paid by him and of the
 indifference of the local
 authorities regarding the com-
 plaints to them in this —
 respect. He says that he paid
 Rs 80-8-0 as hire for 7 camels from
 Jeddah to Mecca at Rs 11-8-0
 per camel; the proper charge
 being only Rs 7 per head.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,
 your most obedient servant,

In Dist. Magistrate.

By M

with enclos.

Deposition of Gulam Khadi Sa-
 mazayyar of Nagore
 dated 16th Jan 1896
 Deposition of Ahmed Sahib, son
 of Dadamian Sahib of Vijayapur,
 Nagapatnam Taluk.
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No 203 d/8 Feb 96
 Letter to

The Secy to the Govt of India
 Home Dept
 (Sanitary)

Sir,

In continuation of my
 letters No 883 & 908 d/ the 2nd
 Oct & 14th Nov last respectively
 I am directed to forward
 the accompanying statement
 made by two pilgrims
 who recently returned from
 the Haj to the Tanjore District.

2. It will be observed
 that one of them, Gulam Khadi
 complains of the Exorbitant
 hire demanded of & paid
 by him, & of the indifference
 of the local authorities to
 the pending complaints made
 them in this respect. He
 says that he paid Rs 80-8-0 for
 7 camels from Jeddah
 to Mecca, at the rate of
 Rs 11-8-0 per camel, the proper
 charge being only Rs 7 per
 head. The other pil-

