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Chemico-legal examinations

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of no. 13 of the rules approved in
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and republished with G.O. No. 685 Pub.
of 24-8-93; and drawing the
attention of the Dy. of Police to
the case of suspected poisoning
which occurred in Tumurkode
village, Palnad Taluk, Kistna D.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers :—

G.O., No. 746, Public, dated 15th July 1896.
 „ No. 1062 „ „ 30th May 1883.

READ—also the following paper :—

From Surgeon-Colonel D. F. BATEMAN, Acting Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 11th August 1896, No. 366.

With reference to paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 746, Public, dated the 15th July 1896, I have the honour to forward, herewith, a copy of the separate report submitted by the Chemical Examiner giving particulars of the case referred to by Government.

2. As regards paragraph 5 of the Government Order, I am of opinion, in consultation with the Chemical Examiner, that the addition of the words “ pack them in cotton wool ” between the words “ suspicious stains ” and “ and forward them ” in rule 13—suspected seminal stains—in G.O., No. 1062, Public, dated the 30th May 1883, would meet the wants of the case and render any alteration in rule 8, which does not deal with seminal stains, unnecessary.

ENCLOSURE.

COPY of a report from the Chemical Examiner, to the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, No. 777, dated 6th August 1896.

Under the orders of the Sub-Magistrate of Tumerkode (A. V. Subbaya), the Medical officer, Tumerkode, sent to me for examination some Bengal gram which, it was reported by the Sub-Magistrate, was “ suspected to have been mixed with some poisonous or deleterious drug.” It was further reported that a person who had eaten some of this Bengal gram had suffered from vomiting. The examination of the suspected gram disclosed the presence of a datura seed and over half a grain of white arsenic mixed with the gram. The Sub-Magistrate in reporting the result to me in his No. 161, dated the 22nd February 1896, stated that the Station-house officer reported that he did not register this as a crime, as the woman had no suspicion against anybody and as the cause of the vomiting was attributed to the old and rotten state of the gram which contained some worms, &c. The fact that the Bengal gram was certified to be mixed with poison does not seem to have stimulated further enquiry.

ORDER—No. 960, Public, dated 4th September 1896.

No. 13 of the rules approved in G.O., No. 1062, Public, dated 30th May 1883, and republished with G.O., No. 685, Public, dated 24th August 1893, will be reconstructed as follows :—

“ Suspected Seminal Stains—vide section 1, paragraph 6. As the clothes requiring examination in these cases are usually exceedingly dirty, it is advisable when practicable to cut out any suspicious stains, pack them in cotton wool, and forward them only for examination instead of the whole garment. In cutting out stains about half an inch of the surrounding cloth should be removed also. In any case cotton wool should be used and every precaution taken to prevent the stains being damaged in transit. For information regarding packing and despatch of letter of advice, see instructions under head of blood stains—vide section 1, paragraph 8.”

2. The attention of the Inspector-General of Police will be called to the case reported on by the Chemical Examiner in his No. 777, dated 6th August 1896.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Judicial Department.
 „ the Revenue Department.
 „ the Inspector-General of Police.
 „ all District Magistrates.
 „ the Surgeon-General.
 „ the Chemical Examiner.
 „ the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Madras.

Ed Md. Pahlvan.

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Directing the reconstruction of No. 13 of the rules approved in G.O., No. 1062, Public, dated 30th May 1883, and republished with G.O., No. 685, Public, dated 24th August 1893; and drawing the attention of the Inspector-General of Police to the case of suspected poisoning which occurred in Tumerkode village, Palnad taluk, Kistna district.

FOR ORDERS.

1. Whether Judicial dept shall be asked to make further enquiries regarding the case.

2. Whether the proposed addition may be approved as sufficient. The rule wd. then read x x x x "it is advisable when practicable to cut out any suspicious stains, pack them in cotton wool, and forward them only for examⁿ instead of the whole garment".

It is proposed to add:-
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