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[Despatch Abstract.]

Stating that the Port does not consider it
necessary at present to engage the services
of Dr. J. F. Pearce as a temporary plague
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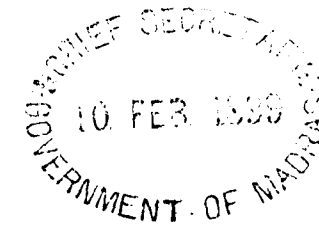
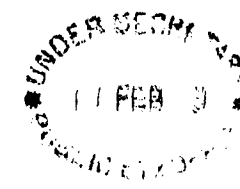
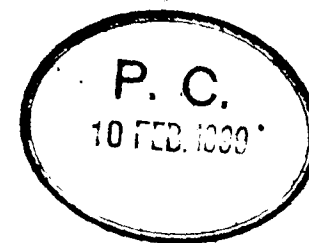
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Through the Public Commission
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CURRENT No. *1178*



CURRENT NO. *425*

From *Superior General*
C. S. K. R. R. Co. & Co.

Order

Forwarded.

I consider it would be as well to engage this man. As our men are now on duty.
W. H. R. R. Co.

No. *146*

Dated *8th February 99*

Received *10-2-99*

Registered *10-2-99*

Enclosures *2*

Spare copies.

SUBJECT.

Forwarding application from Mr. S. R. R. and recommending that he may be entertained for a term of 6 months from the date of his joining his appointment.

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*To the Chief Secy. Board
 with letter in of*

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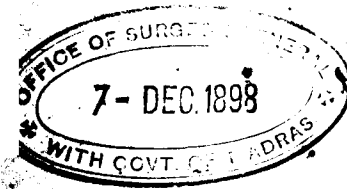
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Enclosure No. 1 to Letter No. 146 d/8-12-22 Bombay
5 December 1898

From T. Frederick Pearce F.R.C.S. Eng. D.P.H. Camb.
Late Special Plague Medical Officer.
To The Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras.



I have the honour to inform you that should the Government of Madras or the Government of India still require further Medical Officers I should be willing to be engaged on similar terms to those I came out under in November 1897. I resigned Plague duty after 7 months as I had at that time private lessons for remaining in Bombay. My old Colleague Dr. McLellan who is just reporting himself for duty has come out 12 months ago. He has come out under a similar agreement with the Secretary of State & I should be willing to engage on the same terms.

I have the honour to be Sir,

Your obedient servant

T. Frederick Pearce

P.S. I have had experience of Plague in Poona, Bombay, Karachi. I have been inoculated. My friend informs me that he understands the Secretary of State is still anxious for further men.

Yours faithfully

Enclosure No. 2 to Letter No. 141 of 8.2.99
 Copy of Letter from the Surgeon General
with the Govt. of Bombay to the Surgeon
General with the Government of Madras
 No. 16319, dated 20th December 1898.
Conf.

In reply to your letter No. 1664 dated 10th Instant I have the honor to state that for the following reasons, I recommended the Government of Bombay to accept the resignation of Mr. J. E. Pearce F.R.C.S. of his appointment as special Plague medical officer viz:-

- (1) Endeavouring to obtain private professional employment whilst engaged under Government in Bombay.
 - (2) Unnecessarily delaying departure when under orders for transfer.
 - (3) Declining reengagement (when asked as a matter of form, to state his intentions) except on condition of employment on particular kind of professional work.
- I believe Mr. Pearce to be highly educated and capable.

(True copy)

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[1] *through the Home Commission*
No. *176*
OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL
WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
Madras, *1899*

From
SURGEON-GENERAL C. SIBTHORPE, C.B., F.R.C.P.I.
SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To
THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
Public Department.

SIR,

A In continuation of my letter
No. 40, dated 16th January 99, applying
for 10 more Temporary Doctors from England
I have the honor to forward the enclosed
application from Dr. J. F. Pearce F.R.C.S.
and to recommend that he may be
entertained for a term of 6 months
from date of joining his appointment
in his Presidency on a salary of Rs 600
per mensem without extra allowances of
any kind.

2. I enclose for the information
of Government copy of a letter from the
Surgeon-General with the Government of
Bombay stating the circumstances under
which Dr. Pearce resigned his employment
in that Presidency. It will be seen
from para 2 of the letter that he is
considered to be a highly educated and
capable

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3 I request that early orders may be passed on his letter as I have no medical officers available for future requirements the only officer (Dr. Hanna) now in Madras being required by the Plague Commissioner for duty in Malabar.

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Surgeon General.

*Surgeon-General
with the Govt. of Madras.*

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Public DEPARTMENT.

C. No. 485	From the	<i>Surgeon General (Thompson)</i>	No. 746	dated	8-2-	1898
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For order.

The Surgeon General
submits an application
from Dr. J. F. Pearce, F.R.C.S.,
for employment on temporary
plague duty, and remuneration
his entertainment for a
period of 6 months on a
salary of Rs 600 per mensem.

2. The Plague Comm^{ee} supports
the recommendation on the
ground that all the temporary
doctors are now on duty.

3. Dr. Pearce states that
he came out for plague
duty in Bombay in Nov^r
1897, & belonged to the
same batch as Dr. McLean,
who has just been re-engaged.

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by the Secy. of State for duty
in this Presidency, on Rs 600
a month. The Surgeon Genl
with the Govt. of Bombay
reports that he asked the
Govt. of Bombay to accept Dr
Pearse's resignation for (1)
endeavouring to obtain private
professional employment whilst
engaged under Govt. (2) for
unnecessarily delaying departure
when under order for transfer,
(3) for declining re-employment
except on condition of
employment on a particular
kind of work - at the same
time he describes Dr Pearse
as a highly educated &
capable man.

4. In G.O. No 169 Public of
9 Feb 1899, passed on a request
from the Surgeon Genl that 10
more temporary doctors be
obtained from England, the
Govt. decided that it would
be premature at present to
get out any more men. It
may be pointed out however
that out of the 30 temporary

doctors sent out for duty
in this Presy, one has died
& two have returned to
England - It is possible
also that some of the first
batch will decline re-
engagement on the terms
offered to them.

5. Dr Pearse's employ-
ment for a period not
exceeding 6 months may
be sanctioned by the
Govt. under Art. 95 (b)
C.S.R. from the report
of the Surgeon Genl with
the Govt. of Bombay, he
appears to be not very
amenable to discipline

Dr. 11/5/99

I agree with the C.S. that we
need not engage any
more doctors at present
& I specially doubt the
expediency of employing Dr
Pearse whose services have
been dispensed with by the Bombay Govt. for the reasons assigned.

C.S. When are reported.
13.2.99 J.R.

13/2/99 I am doubtful
as to the expediency of employing
any more doctors just now.

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for the reasons assigned
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