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No. 21. Read the following letter from J. F. PRICE, Esq., Acting Collector of Salem, to the Hon. W. HUDLESTON, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Salem, 24th July 1873, No. 202:—

In continuation of my letter marginally noted, I have the honour to enclose, for the information of Government, a statement showing the number of persons treated by the Hospital Assistants sent out to afford medical help on the occasion of the late outbreak of fever at Alangayam and neighbouring villages in the Tripatur Taluq.

No. 109, dated 8th April 1873.

2. The people were at first unwilling to take English medicines, but afterwards came freely enough.

3. It will be observed that the number of deaths as compared with that of the cases treated was very small.

4. The Acting Head Assistant Collector has informed me that many deaths occurred amongst the people who remained under the treatment of native practitioners.

5. I am happy to say that fever has abated very much throughout the district.

STATEMENT of Sickness and Mortality in Alangayam and adjacent Villages from the 25th April to 16th May 1873.

Dressers' Names.	Villages.	Cases treated.	Results.		Died not under Dressers' treatment.	Total of Columns 3 and 6
			Cured.	Died.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Parenjodi Pillay... ...	Alangayam	413	407	6	19	432
	Badakuppam	99	99	.....	1	100
	Peddore	66	64	2	4	70
	Gajel Reddiyur... ...	17	17	.....	1	18
	Pullagore	19	19	.....	.....	19
	Nadimore	4	3	1	.....	4
	Rajapoliem	13	13	.....	.....	13
	Burgore	2	2	.....	.....	2
	Veeraragavavalasai ...	2	2	.....	.....	2
	Konkiyur	2	2	.....	1	3
	Total ...	637	628	9	26	663
	Alangayam	113	113	.....	.....	113
	Peddore	30	30	.....	.....	30
	Badakuppam	4	4	.....	.....	4
	Narasingapuram ...	8	8	.....	.....	8
	Rajapoliem ...	5	5	.....	.....	5
	Motur	87	87	.....	.....	87
	Balapanatham	4	3	1	.....	4
	Lalapett	2	2	.....	.....	2
	Marimanikupam ...	4	4	.....	.....	4
	Velamkuppam	5	5	.....	.....	5
	Total ...	262	261	1	.....	262
	Grand Total ...	899	889	10	26	925

(Signed) J. F. PRICE,
Acting Collector.

SALEM,
24th July 1873.

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No. 22. ORDER THEREON, 8th August 1873, No. 816.

Communicated to the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.

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for Offg. Chief Secretary.

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" Revenue Department.
" Sanitary Commissioner for Madras.

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Fever.—Letter from the Collector of Salem, forwarding statement showing the number of persons treated by the Hospital Assistants sent out to afford medical aid on the occasion of the late outbreak of fever at Alangayam and the neighbouring villages, communicated to the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.

With Order.