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17th September 1877, No. 2,744.

Famine Relief.

Read the following paper :—

No. 283. Endorsement of the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, dated Fort St. George, 8th September 1877, No. 574.

Read the following letter from Surgeon G. L. WALKER, M.D., Acting Zillah Surgeon, Chittoor, to Deputy Surgeon-General W. J. vanSOMEREN, M.D., Deputy Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Service, Presidency and Northern District, dated 3rd September 1877, No. 165.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 1,745, dated 6th March 1877, I have the honor to report on the physical condition of the coolies employed on the relief-works of Chittoor Taluq.

[illegible] who were within the connes of the town; they are on the whole in fair condition. Many of the gangs now work at some distance from the town, and receive their wages at their several places of labor, instead of, as before, all coming in once a week to the Taluq Cutcherry to be paid there. The number of laborers now on the works is 8,348. I examined 432 (196 men, 100 women, 104 children, and 32 infants) individually. The following tabular statement shows concisely the results of my examination :—

Number examined.		Condition.				
		Fair or Good.	Thin.	Emaciated.	Anæmic.	Percentage Anæmic.
432	196 men	162	31	3	19	9·69
	100 women	88	12	...	9	9·00
	104 children	96	8	...	11	10·57
	32 infants	28	3	1	...	...

No. 7,287.

Forwarded for information.

(Signed) W. J. vanSOMEREN, M.D.,
Deputy Surgeon-General, I.M.S.,
Presidency and Northern District.

Madras,
6th September 1877.

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Revenue Department, 17*th September* 1877, *No.* 2,744.

FORWARDED to the Additional Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

(Signed) G. SMITH, M.D.,
Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.

No. 284. ORDER THEREON, 17th September 1877, No. 2,744.

Miscellaneous.

COMMUNICATED to the Sanitary Commissioner.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Additional Secretary to Government.

[illegible] Surgeon-General, Indian Medical [illegible]

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,, the Financial Department.
,, the Collector of North Arcot.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.

Govt. of (1877) Madras.

REVENUE.

To

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
INDIAN MEDICAL DEPARTMENT,
&c., &c., &c.

Postal September 19th.
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FAMINE RELIEF, No. 1,818.

Physical condition of Coolies employed on Relief-works in Chittoor Taluq, North Arcot District.—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner letter from the Taluk Surgeon submitting report on the —.

No. 165

From

Surgeon G. L. Walker M. D.
Ag: Taluk Surgeon
Chittoor

To

The Deputy Surgeon General
Indian Medical Service
Presidency and Northern Division
Madras

Sir,

With reference to your Memo: No. 1745. dated 6th March 1877. I have the honor to report on the physical condition of the Coolies employed on the Relief works of Chittoor Taluq.

2. On the 31st ultimo I inspected those labourers who were within the confines of the town, they are on the whole in fair condition. Many of the gangs now work at some distance from the town and receive their wages at their several places of labour, instead of as before, all coming in once a week, to the Taluq Cutcherry, to be paid there. The number of labourers now on the works is ~~8348~~ 8348. Those ~~examined~~ examined 432. (196 men, 100 women, 104 Children and 32 infants) individually. The following tabular statement shows concisely the result

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196 Men	162	31	3	19	9.69
100 Women	88	12	"	9	9.00
104 Children	96	8	"	11	10.57
32 Infants	28	3	1	"	"

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obedient Servant

J. L. Walker Asst
Surgeon

Killock
Sept. 1877

Off. Killock Surgeon

No. 7287

Forwarded for information.

H. J. van Arman M.D.
Deputy Surgeon Genl
Dept. of the Platte

Madras
9/7/77

No 574.

Forwarded to the Additional Secretary to Government Revenue Department.

For Inspector General
Surgeon General I.M.D
Fort St George
8th September 1877

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From

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Surgeon G.S. Walkerkoil.

Dy. Gillah Surgeon

C. Pittoor

To

The Deputy Surgeon General

Indian Medical Service

Presidency & Northern Districts

Madras

Dated 5th September 1877.

Rec. 7-9-77 No. 165.

Subject.

Fortnightly report on the physical condition of the coolies employed on the Public works of C. Pittoor Taluq.

7/9/77

Surgeon Gillah
Sanitary Commr.
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