

Public Works (1895) Department.

RAILWAY BRANCH.

G.O., No. 205R

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Analysis of working S. I. Railway (including the Mayanar, Mutapet and Pondicherry Railways). Ordered that

Copies of the — for the half-year ended the 30th June 1895, be forwarded to the Director General of Railways & the Secretary of State.

Ditto — File Pro.: embodying the — for the half year ended the 30th June 1895.

Forwarding Pro.: embodying the analysis of working S. I. Railway (including the Mayanar, Mutapet and Pondicherry Railways) for the half-year ended the 30th June 1895.

By the Civil Apothecary - Chidambaram Municipality.

South Arcot District - Chidambaram. "The first case of Cholera was that of a pilgrim, a Malayalee, who with his relatives alighted in a house in the eastern part of the town on the 14th instant, coming directly from Tiruvannamalai, whether he had been for the festival, he is reported to have taken had the same night and died by the morning of the 15th. The other patient was found on the Railway Company's premises suffering from Cholera, and he was sent on to the Hospital on the forenoon of the 15th instant where he died a few hours afterwards in spite of treatment. As he was in a greatly exhausted condition, a detailed account of his attack could not be obtained, but it is ascertained that he was also a pilgrim coming directly from Tiruvannamalai and was a native of Sakin."

By the 1st Class Hospital Assistant.

Porto Novo. "The man had been to Shiyali, where he was attacked at 6 P.M. on the 13th instant and brought down by his relatives to Porto Novo, his native place, on the same night by the mail train."

"I hear that Cholera is prevailing at Shiyali being imported by the pilgrims who

"who had been to Tiruvannamalai for Karthigai festival."

South Arcot Dist. By the Hospital Assistant, Vaniar.

Vaniar. "In forwarding the enclosed Cholera report, I beg to report that the first case occurred in one named Papirraja Muddali who had been for the Karthigai festival at Tiruvannamalai where Cholera prevailed."

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Cuddalore Old Town. By the Hospital Assistant.

"I beg to report that 3 pilgrims, natives of Tiruvelly District (one female and two males), on their return from Tiruvannamalai festival last midnigh were attacked with Cholera, of whom the female died this morning in a Choultry near the Railway Station."

Pavanti. By 2nd Class Hospital Assistant. South Arcot Dist.
I beg to bring to your ^{kind} notice
that cholera of virulent type
was imported from Tiruvannamalai
by the pilgrims who had been
there for the late Narthigai festival.
None of them were the residents
of their place, but belonging to
different parts of this district
excepting one who was a na-
tive of Tanjore District.
All of them that were attacked
were Hindia males who ac-
tually brought cholera with
them. Amongst the three who
were attacked two of them
had been suffering from the
complaint on their way
home by the rail, since they
were objected to proceed further
to their destination, they alight-
ed at the station, and halted
at their friend's place and fell
victims to the dire disease. x x x.

By the Civil Apothecary - Cojicervam Municipality
Chingaput District. Cojicervam. x x x. On the
"13th current a Hindia male, weaver
"by profession, a resident of Cojicervam
"by name Kandaswami Mudali, re-
"turned to his permanent residence
"at Pillapalam (Cojicervam) from
"Tiruvannamalai by train. He went
"to attend the Narthigai festival that
"took place on the 10th idam. He stopped
"at Tiruvannamalai from Monday
"morning to Wednesday morning. He
"left the place as he was warned
"to leave it at once, as cholera was
"reported to have broken out in Katta-
"patti (cattle market) x x x. About
"7 miles from Cojicervam when coming
"by the South Indian train on the
"13th instant, he vomited. On arrival
"at Cojicervam station he walked
"into the latrine on the platform, ~
"vomited and purged once therein,
"and then went on walking home-
"wards. On the way, he entered ~
"Nannatchiamman Temple, washed
"his hands and feet and rinsed
"his mouth in the tank of the
"temple and then walked away,
"approaching another temple ~
"Nachaprasannaswami's he had
"another vomit, still further on
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