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prescribing certain Rules under the
Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1897
to be observed in the Port of Tuticorin
Tuticorin and directing the publi-
cation in the Fort St. George
Gazette.

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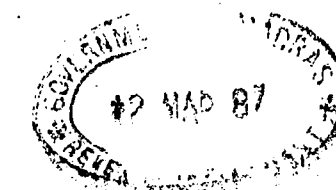
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Rules under the Epidemic Diseases Act

Prescribing certain — III of 1897 to be observed in the port of Tuticorin and directing their publication in the Fort St. George Gazette.

3/3/97. Note As the rules & regulations are published in the Fort St. George Gazette it seems unnecessary to communicate these papers to the Board of Health.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
MARINE DEPARTMENT.

ORDER—No. 149, Marine, dated 22nd February 1897.

The Government considers it necessary that special precautionary measures should be adopted to prevent the importation of the bubonic plague into Colombo by vessels sailing from the port of Tuticorin, and is accordingly pleased to prescribe, under the Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1897, the following temporary regulations, which will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

2. The Surgeon-General will at once submit the name of the medical officer to be appointed under Rule 6.

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers delegated to him by the Governor-General in Council under section 2, sub-section (3) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is pleased to prescribe, under the said Epidemic Diseases Act, the following temporary regulations to be observed in the port of Tuticorin:—

1. No person shall be permitted to embark on board a vessel within the port of Tuticorin bound for any port in the island of Ceylon who has within the preceding ten days resided in or visited a part of India believed by the Health officer of the port of Tuticorin to be infected by the plague.

2. No vessel shall leave the port of Tuticorin for any port in Ceylon until she has been inspected by the Health officer of the port of Tuticorin and the master or person in charge of such vessel has obtained a Bill of Health or certificate in the form given below from such officer that the master or person in charge, officers, crew and passengers (if any) of such vessel are free from the bubonic plague.

3. Should the Health officer of the port be of opinion that any person on board of any vessel so inspected is suffering from the bubonic plague or is not free from the infection of the plague, he shall refuse to give a Bill of Health or certificate as aforesaid unless and until such person is removed from the vessel, and such parts of the vessel as have been frequented by any such person shall have been disinfected to the satisfaction of the Health officer.

4. After the master or person in charge of the vessel has obtained a Bill of Health or certificate under the provisions of these rules, no person or cargo shall be admitted or taken on board such vessel before she leaves the port of Tuticorin unless such vessel is again inspected by the Health officer of the port and another Bill of Health or certificate obtained from such officer by the master or person in charge of such vessel.

5. No Port clearance shall be delivered to any vessel unless and until the master or person in charge thereof shall produce the Bill of Health or certificate so to be obtained as aforesaid, and it shall be the duty of Customs officers to refuse delivery of the Port clearance without the production of such Bill of Health or certificate.

6. The Government of Madras may appoint any person or persons by name or by virtue of office, Health officer or Health officers of the port for the purpose of these rules as regards any class or classes of vessels and may cancel any such appointment.

7. Disobedience to any of the above rules Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 will subject the offender and all persons aiding or abetting him to a prosecution under section 271 of the Indian Penal Code.

Bill of Health.

This is to certify that the ship (or steamer) sailing under the flag and under the command of as master of tons bound for with a crew of persons* and passengers and laden with a cargo of is at the time of leaving this port in a satisfactory sanitary condition, and that no case of bubonic plague exists among her officers, passengers or crew, all of whom have been inspected by me.

† Or as the case may be.

It is further certified that the town and port of Tuticorin are at present † free from plague.

[Here enter No. 150, Marine, dated 22nd February 1897.]

(True Extract.)

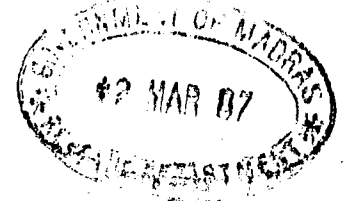
C. H. R. Purcell.

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent, Government Press, with notification.
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" the Presidency Port Officer.
" the Collector, Tinnevely.
" the President, District Board, Tinnevely.
" the Sanitary Commissioner.
" Local and Municipal Department.
" Revenue Department. ✓
" Public Department.

Exd. T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.

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G.O., No. 162, 26th February 1897.

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Regulations under the Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1897

Prescribing certain temporary — to be observed in the port of Madras and at all other East Coast ports north of Madras, in regard to vessels and persons leaving those ports for Burma, and directing their publication in the Fort St. George and Maritime District Gazettes of the East Coast.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper :—

G.O., No. 151, Marine, dated 23rd February 1897.

Read—also the following paper :—

Telegram from the Collector of Ganjám, dated 24th February 1897.

ORDER—No. 162, Marine, dated 26th February 1897.

His Excellency the Governor in Council considers that special precautionary measures should be adopted to prevent the importation of the bubonic plague into Burma by vessels sailing from the East Coast ports of this presidency and is accordingly pleased to prescribe, under the Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1897, the following regulations for observance at the port of Madras, and at all other East Coast ports north of Madras in regard to vessels and persons leaving those ports with the intention of proceeding to Burma.

2. The regulations will be published in the Fort St. George, and Maritime District Gazettes of the East Coast.

3. The Surgeon-General will at once submit the names of the Medical officers to be appointed in accordance with rule 6 at each of the ports in question.

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers delegated to him by the Governor-General in Council, under section 2, sub-section (3) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is pleased to prescribe, under the said Epidemic Diseases Act, the following temporary regulations to be observed in the port of Madras, and at all other East Coast ports north of Madras in respect to vessels and persons leaving those ports with the intention of proceeding to Burma :—

1. No vessel shall leave any such port with the intention of proceeding to any port in Burma until she has been inspected by the Health officer of such port and the master or person in charge of such vessel has obtained a bill of health or certificate in the form given below from such officer that the master or person in charge, officers, crew and passengers (if any) of such vessel are free from the bubonic plague :—

Bill of Health.

This is to certify that the ship (or steamer) _____ and under the command of _____ as master of _____ sailing under the _____ flag for _____ persons * and _____ which a crew of _____ tons bound laden with a cargo of _____ is at the time of leaving this port in a satisfactory sanitary condition, and that no case of bubonic plague exists among her officers, passengers or crew, all of whom have been inspected by me.

† Or as the case may be.

2. Should the Health officer of such port be of the opinion that any person on board of any vessel so inspected is suffering from the bubonic plague or is not free from the infection of the plague, he shall refuse to give a bill of health or certificate as aforesaid unless and until such person is removed from the vessel and such parts of the vessel as have been frequented by any such person shall have been disinfected to the satisfaction of the Health officer.

3. After the master or person in charge of the vessel has obtained the bill of health or certificate mentioned in rule 2 above, no person or cargo shall be admitted or taken on board such vessel before she leaves such port unless such vessel is again inspected by the Health officer of the port and another bill of health or certificate obtained from such officer by the master or person in charge of such vessel.

4. No port clearance shall be delivered to any such vessel unless and until the master or person in charge thereof shall produce the bill of health or certificate so to be obtained as aforesaid, and it shall be the duty of customs officers to refuse delivery of the port clearance without the production of such bill of health or certificate.

5. The Government of Madras may appoint any person or persons by name or by virtue of office, Health officer or Health officers of the ports in question for the purpose of these regulations as regards any class or classes of vessels and may cancel any such appointment.

6. Anything in these regulations heretofore contained notwithstanding, it shall not be necessary that any vessel, which has been inspected at the port of Madras as hereinbefore provided, and which may subsequently call at any other port to which these regulations apply before final departure for a port in Burma, shall again be so inspected at any such port of subsequent call, provided always that no such vessel as aforesaid shall embark any passenger or other person at any such port of subsequent call without a certificate from the Health officer of such port of subsequent call in the following form :—

Bill of Health.

This is to certify that no case of bubonic plague exists among any of the passengers or other persons embarked at the port of _____ on board the ship (or steamer) _____ as master bound for _____ It is further certified that the town and port of _____ are at present free * from plague.

* Or as the case may be.

7. Disobedience to any of the above rules Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 will subject the offender and all persons aiding or abetting him to a prosecution under section 271 of the Indian Penal Code.

[Here enter No. 163, Marine, dated 26th February 1897.]

(True Extract.)

C. H. Burlin
Under Secretary to Government.

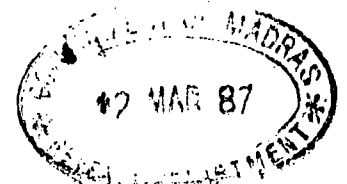
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" " of Kistna.
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" " of Madras.
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Rules under the Epidemic Diseases Act

Prescribing certain — III of 1897 to be brought into effect immediately at the port of Madras, and directing their publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

Telegram from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Burma, to the Secretary to Government, Marine Department, dated Rangoon, 15th February 1897, No. 81.

All vessels leaving Calcutta are inspected with view to detaining any suspicious case. Please telegraph if any similar measure adopted at Madras.

Telegram from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Burma, to the Secretary to Government, Marine Department, dated Rangoon, 19th February 1897, No. 100.

Please reply to my 81 of 15th about inspection vessels leaving Madras.

Telegram from the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Burma, to the Secretary to Government, Marine Department, dated Rangoon, 21st February 1897, No. 101.

Yours of 20th. Chief Commissioner accepts proposed arrangements for inspection.

ORDER—No. 151, Marine, dated 23rd February 1897.

The Government considers it necessary that special precautionary measures should be adopted at the port of Madras to prevent the spread of the bubonic plague by vessels sailing from that port, and is accordingly pleased to prescribe, under the Epidemic Diseases Act III of 1897, the following temporary regulations which will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

The Port and Marine Surgeon is appointed Health Officer of the port under these regulations. The Surgeon-General will at once submit the name of this officer, and of any other officer, should an additional officer be considered necessary, for notification in the Gazette.

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers delegated to him by the Governor-General in Council under section 2, sub-section (3) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897, His Excellency the Governor of Fort St. George in Council is pleased to prescribe under the said Epidemic Diseases Act, the following temporary regulations to be observed in the port of Madras :—

1. No person shall be permitted to embark on board a vessel within the port of Madras bound for any port out of India who has within the preceding ten days resided in or visited a part of India believed by the Health Officer of the port of Madras to be infected by the plague.

2. No vessel shall leave the port of Madras for any port out of India until she has been inspected by the Health officer of the port of Madras and the master or person in charge of such vessel has obtained a Bill of Health or certificate in the form given below from such officer that the master or person in charge, officers, crew and passengers (if any) of such vessel are free from the bubonic plague.

3. Should the Health officer of the port be of opinion that any person on board of any vessel so inspected is suffering from the bubonic plague or is not free from the infection of the plague, he shall refuse to give a Bill of Health or certificate as aforesaid unless and until such person is removed from the vessel and such parts of the vessel as have been frequented by any such person shall have been disinfected to the satisfaction of the Health officer.

4. After the master or person in charge of the vessel has obtained the Bill of Health or certificate under the provisions of these rules, no person or cargo shall be admitted or taken on board such vessel before she leaves the port of Madras unless such vessel is again inspected by the Health officer of the port and another Bill of Health or certificate obtained from such officer by the master or person in charge of such vessel.

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Bill of Health.

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as master of tons bound for with a crew of persons* and passengers and laden with a cargo of

* Including officers and able bodied seamen.

is at the time of leaving this port in a satisfactory sanitary condition, and that no case of bubonic plague exists among her officers, passengers, or crew, all of whom have been inspected by me.

† Or as the case may be.

It is further certified that the town and port of Madras are at present † free from plague.

[Here enter No. 152, Marine, dated 23rd February 1897.]

(True Extract.)

C. R. B. L.

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent, Government Press, with notification.

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