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[Despatch Abstract.]

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additional statistical clerk for preparing a detail
analysis of vital statistics and requesting him to
submit ^{the necessary} ~~the necessary~~ propositions statements

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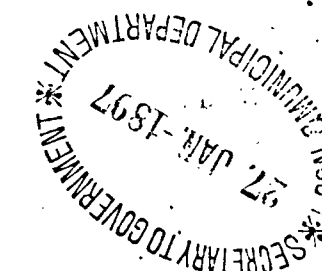
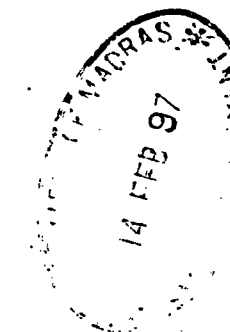
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Fort Saint George.
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SUBJECT.

stating that in the circumstances
stated it is impossible for him
to undertake the analysis of
returns of vital statistics re-
ferred to in para 3 of the
Board's Proceedings No 341 da
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To

The Revenue Department.

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From

SURGEON LIEUT.-COL. W. G. KING, M.B., C.M., D.P.H.,

To

THE

Secretary to Government,
Local & Municipal Department,
Fort Saint George.

SIR,

With reference to G.O. No. 2378 L. dated 16th December 1896, I have the honor to state that the suggestion conveyed in the last two sentences of para 7 of my letter No. 2072_S dated 8th Nov 1896 was to the effect that I should supply Collectors with factors for calculation already available in my office, thereby hoping to secure uniformity and accuracy of results in regard to fixed data for the past years, with which current statistics could be compared. These current statistics I proposed should be quoted by the Collectors of Districts concerned, because these officers actually have available such statistics before they can reach my office. These officers have at their disposal clerks, who are accustomed to compile statistics in the simple form necessary. It, therefore, seems to me both on the ground of distribution of work and of rapidity that my original proposal should be adhered to. The staff allowed me is so slender

C. No. 1337

From

Sanitary Commission
Hq. Sanitary Commission

Dated

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FOR ORDERS.

Please see the printed papers under
G.O. 4861 of 30 Nov. 1896. The Board
placed itself in correspondence with
the San'y. Com^r as to how the normal
death rates are to be calculated for
the mortality returns to be prepared by
Ch^r and by itself in accordance
with 55-47(g) and 48(viii) of the
Famine Code. In his reply of 8-11-96,
the San'y. Com^r pointed out the causes
which render a comparison of the
mortality statistics collected in times
of famine with those compiled in ordinary
years somewhat misleading, and
suggested enquiry in particular direction
which will enable us to eliminate the
disturbing influences due to the
above causes; he also furnished
Board with certain normal rates
statistics to be adopted for comparison
in forms adapted to the detailed

Ref memo no. 5300
28-10-96
at p. 1 of 12 in p. 4861
30-11-96
page A.

San'y. Com^r letter
at page 1 of the same MS.

I could not, in justice to it, advise Government
to require the compilation to be effected in my office
beyond the statement named; but, should Government
consider this desirable, it could be accomplished on
Government sanctioning an additional statistical
clerk during the existence of scarcity in the Presidency.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

W. Ross
Surgeon General Col
Sanitary Commission President

C. 18/2/97.
R. 25/4/97.

suggested by him, and proposed that the varying items, viz, the figures relating to the birth and death rates of the months reported upon should be supplied by the collrs.

2. The Bd. accepted the suggestions of the San'y. comr., but being of opinion that the San'y. comr. himself should make the detailed analysis and comparison with the aid of monthly returns of vital statistics received by him, it submitted the point for the order of Govt. The Bd's suggestion was referred to the San'y. comr. and the current read above is his reply -

3. He thinks that the Bd's proposal will involve some loss of time, and feels inclined to adhere to his original proposal that collrs. should furnish the current statistics. He is, however, prepared to undertake the work if the Govt. sanctions an additional statistical clerk, as his present staff is too slender to take up the additional work. Submitted that the work will be better done by the San'y. comr. than by collrs. and that the additional clerk may be sanctioned.

FOR ORDERS.

Para 3 of Bd. in p. 4264
20-11-96.
H. S. S.

Yes. The addl clerk
shd be sanctioned

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adl clerk
H. S. S.
21-2-97

20-11-96

H. S. S.

The requirements of the Enr. of India Comr. will have to be for birth & death rate of the months. But I think the Govt. this arrange & view the figures in the way he suggests.

H. S. S.

G.O. No. 126 of 25th Feb 1897.

The Govt is of opinion that the ^{special} detailed analysis of the vital statistics should be done under the direction of the Sanitary Commr. is authorized to entertain an ~~he will submit the necessary~~ additional statistical clerk & is requested to submit the necessary proposition statement

17/12/97

25/12/97

There is an order of the Enr. of India put it up with this
1/12/97
Put up with this

To the Secretary to Govt L & M Dept
To the Chief Secretary to Govt
To the Local & Municipal Dept
To the Civil Dept
To the Bd of C. & L.
for consideration
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Vital Statistics.

Considering that the special detailed analysis of the—should be done under the direction of the Sanitary Commissioner, and authorizing him to entertain an additional statistical clerk for the purpose.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following letter from Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. KING, M.B., C.M., D.P.H., Sanitary Commissioner for Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Fort St. George, 26th January 1897, No. 252-S. :—

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No. 150, Local and Municipal.

Transferred to the Revenue Department.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
12th February 1897.

(Signed) G. S. FORBES,
Secretary to Government.

To the Revenue Department.

ORDER—No. 126, Revenue, dated 25th February 1897.

Miscellaneous.

The Government is of opinion that the special detailed analysis of the vital statistics should be done under the direction of the Sanitary Commissioner. He is authorised to entertain an additional statistical clerk, and is requested to submit the necessary proposition statement.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. STOKES,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Local and Municipal Department.
,, the Financial Department.
,, the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture).

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