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[Despatch Abstract.]

Recording with remarks letter from
the Sanitary Commⁿ offering certain suggestions
with reference to C. C. $\frac{120}{24-2-97}$ regarding the
submission of a monthly death rate return
for distressed districts.

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The Sanitary Commission

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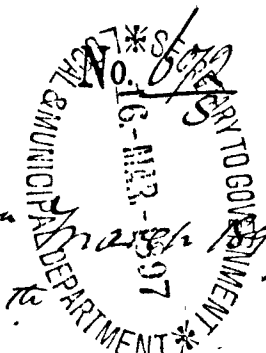
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2. The proposals made in the postscript to exhibit also the results calculated on the census population is appropriate return for distressed districts.

The Sanitary Commission
The Board (sett.)

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SUBJECT.

Offering certain suggestions with reference to G.O. No. 120 of 24-2-97 regarding the submission of a monthly death return for distressed districts.

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

THE

Secretary to Government,
Local & Municipal Dept.

SIR

With reference to G.O. No 120-R dated 24th Feb 1897, I have the honor to suggest that the requirement made in the foot note to the form therein circulated for information that a ten years average be employed would not be advisable, having regard to the conditions that obtained in the Madras Presidency during 1890-92 when famine prevailed in 9 districts. In para 8 of my letter No 2072/S dated 8th November 1896, which was communicated to Government with Proceedings of the Board of Revenue No 341 dated 12th November 1896, I stated my preference for obtaining an average from the years 1894 & 1895. These may be regarded as normal years, and it would be safer to rely upon an average so obtained than upon a decennial period, as the latter would yield, owing to the inclusion of famine years, incorrect results. This I have already pointed

out in my Sanitary Report for 1893, in respect of
both the birth and the death rates.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient Servt,

W. L. Kemp

Surgeon Col,

Sanitary Commissioner
for Madras.

P.S.

Since the above was written, I am in
receipt of ^{Revenue} Board's Proceedings No. 198 dated 6th
March 1897. In my opinion, it is essential that
the estimated population should be adhered to
as the basis of calculation, and that side by
side the results obtained on the census popu-
-lation should be shown - vide G.O. No. 3492 dated
19th Feb 1894 and my Memorandum embodied in
G.O. No. 476 R dated 21st Sep 1896. *W. L. Kemp*

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