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Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

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Dated 12-4- 1872.

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No. 175. Read the following letter from the President of the Municipal Commission, Trichinopoly, to the Under Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Trichinopoly, 1st February 1872, No. 5:—

With reference to Government Order, No. 1646, dated 28th October last, I have the honour to forward Statements I., I.-A, II., II.-A, and II.-B, estimates of this Municipality for the year 1872-73, and also the statement called for in Government Order, No. 1854, dated 15th December last.

No. 176. ORDER THEREON, 12th April 1872, No. 494.

The Government proceed to review the Trichinopoly Municipal Estimates for 1872-73.

2. The details of the Budget of 1871-72 should have been entered in the last column of Statements I. and II. The balance brought forward is merely the amount of funded capital belonging to the Dispensary. This is wrong as the estimate should refer to current transactions only. The several taxes are retained at the rates in force under the old Act, except the trades tax which is levied according to the revised schedule. The receipts are estimated at Rupees 86,530, as shown in the margin. The market, it is observed, yields a net revenue of Rupees 4,540. The estimated receipts from taxes include arrears amounting to Rupees 11,700, of which 10,000 or two-fifths of the current collections are from house and trade taxes. An estimate of the demand should have accompanied the budget.

	Rs.	Rs.
Assignments by Government		2,550
Rates and Taxes.		
Rates on houses	19,000	
Tax on arts, &c.	18,000	
Vehicles	5,900	
Registration of carts	1,000	
Tolls	22,700	
Fees	780	
Fines	3,000	
	70,980	
Endowments	3,410	
Contribution from Local Funds	2,360	
Miscellaneous	7,200	
Total	86,530	

3. The grant for public works, Rupees 34,430, includes Rupees 5,000 for a clock tower, which seems a somewhat extravagant appropriation of municipal money. Under Grant II., the sum of Rupees 600 for results' grants will probably be found insufficient. The contribution for Educational Inspection has been raised to Rupees 170, the sum entered in the Local Fund Budget. The grant is Rupees 770. The provision for the Dispensary is adequate. The Vaccinators are to be paid on the results' system, for the success of which, the Government remark, very close supervision is necessary. The amounts entered in Statement II. for establishments under the heads "Conservancy," "Registration," "Lighting," and "Office" are in excess of the entries in the detailed statement and are corrected accordingly. The slaughter-house establishment is not detailed. The Government decline to sanction the expenditure of municipal funds on keeping up the bandstand, and the allotment is struck out. The estimates contain provision of Rupees 1,300 for interest on the Dispensary loan to the 15th January 1872, the date it is presumed of the repayment of the principal. The amount should have been discharged in 1871-72, but was deferred probably for want of funds. Explanation ought to have been given.

4. The grants, as revised by Government, are as follow :—

		Rs.
Grant	I.	34,430
,,	II.	779
,,	III.	25,510
,,	IV.	5,250
,,	V.	6,040
		72,009
Refunds		2,810
Balance		11,720
	Total	86,530

5. The estimates are passed as revised by Government. The usual Notification for the levy of the taxes will be published.

NOTIFICATION.

Under the provisions of Section 38, Act III. of 1871 (the Towns' Improvement Act), the Governor in Council authorizes the Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Trichinopoly in the Trichinopoly District, to levy during the year beginning 1st April 1872, and ending 31st March 1873—

A rate on houses, buildings, and lands, according to the annual value thereof.

A tax upon arts, professions, trades, and callings.

Tolls on carriages, carts, and animals entering the municipal limits at half schedule rates.

Taxes on carriages, horses, and other animals as described in Schedule C to the above Act annexed.

Fees on the registration of carts.

(By Order of the Honourable the Governor in Council.)

W. HUDLESTON,
Officiating Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commission, Trichinopoly.
,, Public Works Department.
,, Revenue Department.
,, Board of Revenue.
,, Accountant-General.
,, Sanitary Commissioner.
,, Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department.
,, Director of Public Instruction.

Ed. J. Wright.

Govt. of (1872) Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To THE PRESIDENT OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSION, Tuticorin,

&c.

Dated April, 1872.

Read

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G. O., 1393, April 1872, No. 404.

Reviewing the estimates of the Tuticorin Municipality for 1872-73.

APRIL.
Nos. 175-176.

Tuticorin Municipality Branch Commrs Office
the 14th February 1872

No 65

From

The President
Municipal Commission
Tuticorin

To

The under Secretary to Govt
Public Department
Fort St George
Madras

Sir

With reference to Government order No 1616 dated 28th October last I have the honor to forward statements I. I. A. II. A & II. B Estimates of this Municipality for the year 1872-73 and also the Statement called for in Government order No 1854 dated 15th December last and to be

Sir

Your Most Obdt Servt

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President

Public Department.
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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the

Magistrate of

(Here enter 187 , No.)

ORDER THEREON, 9th April 1872 No ~~4199~~.

UNDER the provisions of Section 38, Act III. of 1871 (the Towns' Improvement Act), the Governor in Council authorizes the Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Trichinopoly in the Trichinopoly District, to levy during the year beginning 1st ~~May~~ April 1872, and ending ~~30th April~~ 31st March 1873.

A rate on houses, buildings, and lands, according to the annual value thereof.

A tax upon arts, professions, trades, and callings.

Tolls on carriages, carts, and animals entering the Municipal limits. at half Schedule rates

Taxes on carriages, horses, and other animals as described in Schedule C. to the above Act annexed.

Fees on the registration of carts.

To

The President of the Municipal Commission in

Inserted 9th March 1872

Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the President Municipal Commission Trichinopoly, dated 1st February 1872 No. 5.

Order thereon No. 494. 12 April 1872.

The Government proceed to review the Trichinopoly Municipal Estimates for 1872-3.

2. The details of the budget of 1871-2 should have been entered in the last column of Statements I and II. The balance brought forward is merely the amount of funded capital belonging to the dispensary. This is wrong as the estimate should only refer to current transactions. The several taxes are retained al-

at the rates in force under the old act, except the trades tax which is levied according to the revised schedule. The receipts are estimated at Rs 86 530. as shewn in the margin. The market, it is observed, yields a net revenue of Rs 4540. The estimated receipts from taxes include arrears amounting to Rs 11,700 of which 10,000 or two fifths of the current collections are from house and trade taxes. An estimate of the demand should have accompanied the budget.

3. The Grant for Public Works Rs 34,460 includes Rs 5000 for a clock tower, which seems a somewhat extravagant appropriation of Municipal money. Under Grant II, the sum of Rupees 600 for results

	Rs
Assignments by Government	2550
Rates and Taxes.	
Rates on houses — 19000	
Taxe on Arts &c — 18000	
Vehicles — 5900	
Registration of Carts — 1600	
Tolls — 22700	
Fees — 780	
Fines — 3000 —	70980.
Endowments	8440.
Contribution from Local Funds	2360.
Miscellaneous	7200.
	Rs 86 530

grants will probably be found insufficient. The contribution for Educational Inspection has been raised to Rs 170, the sum entered in the Local Fund budget. The grant is Rs 77. The provision for the dispensary is adequate. The Vaccinators are to be paid on the results system, for the success of which the Government remarks very close supervision is necessary. The amounts entered in Statement II for establishments under the heads conservancy, ~~and~~ registration, lighting, and ~~guards~~ offices, are in excess of the entries in the detailed statement and are corrected accordingly. The slaughter house establishment is not detailed. The Government decline to sanction the expenditure of Municipal Funds on keeping up the Band Stand and the allotment is struck out. The estimates

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amount should have
been discharged in 1871-72
but was deferred provi-
sionally for want of
funds. Explanation
ought to have been
given.

4. The grants as
revised by Government
are as follows:

Grant I	34,430
Grant II	770
Grant III	25,540
Grant IV	5,250
Grant V	6,040
	72,000
Refunds	2,770
Balance	11,720
Rs.	86,530

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5. The estimates are passed as revised by Government. The usual notification for the levy of the taxes will be published.

H.L.

To
The President of the Grant Commrs
Trichinopoly
" Public Works Department
" Revenue Department
" Board of Revenue
" Accountant General
" Navy Commissariat
" Surgeon Genl Med. Dept.
" Director of Public Instruction
" Inspector Genl Civil Engineer
" Postmaster for the Gazette

Govt. of {187} Madras.

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To

The Chief Secretary to Government

Dated 26th Dec 72
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Reviewing the Returns of the Municipality of the Madras Port for 1872-73