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29th May 1872.

Read the following papers :—

No. 143. From the Vice-President of the Municipal Commission, Dindigul, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Dindigul 20th December 1871, No. 37.

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No. 144. From the President of the Municipal Commission, Dindigul, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Madura, 1st January 1872, No. 1.

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2. The Commissioners propose to tax lands and gardens, to raise the house-tax from 5 to 7½ per cent., and to levy tolls at the full rates provided for in the Act on condition of paying over to the Local Fund Board of the Dindigul Circle three fourths of the net proceeds as a contribution towards the Road Fund.

3. I believe that Government will not always permit Municipalities to receive from tolls four or five times the sums they actually spend upon the town roads, but I am surprised to find a Municipality offering of its own accord to surrender three-fourths of the net proceeds of its tolls. On the principle that a Municipality has a right to raise by tolls the money actually spent in municipal roads and no more, the proposal of the Commissioners is just, and I recommend it for the favourable consideration of Government. I have nothing further to add to the Vice-President's letter.

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I have the honour to forward, herewith, the Budget Estimates of the Dindigul Municipality for 1872-73, as approved of by the Commissioners at a Meeting held on the 18th instant.

2. The estimates have been drawn up in the forms prescribed in the Order of Government marginally noted, with the exception that no returns are submitted in the forms of Statements III. and IV., which appear suitable only for reports. In the last line of paragraph 2 of the Government Order the word *statement* has been assumed to be a misprint for the word *grant*.

Government Proceedings, Public Department, dated 28th October 1871, No. 1646.

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From the Vice-President to the President, dated 9th May 1871, No. 1.
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5. *House-tax.*—The sum hitherto collected under this head has been about 900 Rupees per annum, at 5 per cent. on the annual value of the houses in the town, no charge having been hitherto made on agricultural lands and gardens. The Commissioners have long been aware that the omission to tax lands and gardens originally made on the incorporation of the Municipality was an error; and also that the house assessment was generally unduly low and not infrequently unequal. It appeared to them, however, better to leave things as they were so long as the old Act remained in force and they were unable to be certain what changes in the method of taxation and assessment might not be introduced by the new Act which was so long in contemplation, but which was brought into operation only from the commencement of the current official year; and no steps were taken until lately for the revision of the house assessment and for the taxing of lands and gardens. They have now commenced the necessary re-assessment, &c., which they propose to introduce from the commencement of 1872-73, raising simultaneously the rate of the house-tax from 5 to 7½ per cent. The effect of these changes will, it is anticipated, be to raise the revenue from this source from Rupees 900 to Rupees 1,600 per annum.

6. *Registration of Carts.*—The fees charged for the registration of carts are considered by the Commissioners to press somewhat hardly on the poorer classes, who are the chief owners of common bandies. They propose, therefore, to retain them at the rate provided by the old Act, which is only half of that allowed by the new.

7. *Tolls.*—The rates allowed by the new Act are double those provided in the old, and are proposed to be levied from the commencement of the ensuing official year. The effect, it is thought, will be to raise the revenue from this source from Rupees 4,500 (that of the current year) to not less than Rupees 7,500. The Commissioners are fully aware of the objections to the levy of tolls, more especially when the levy is for the benefit of a small community so situated that a considerable traffic from different quarters passes through their midst, but desire to represent to Government the impossibility of their raising sufficient funds for the improvement and conservancy of the town without recourse to this method of taxation. It will be noticed that they do not propose to put in force the sections of the Act which provide for the imposition of professional taxes. This is because they are of opinion that, while the professional tax is exceedingly burdensome and distasteful to the people, its proceeds in so small and poor a place as Dindigul would not enable them to provide entirely the necessary funds for carrying out the purposes of the Act without some (though it might be a small) levy of tolls. It appears to them, however, bad economy to levy tolls at all, unless at such a rate that the expenses of collection (which are constant) shall not bear an undue proportion to the amount collected; and they have, therefore, determined to propose, for the sanction of Government, that they shall be permitted to levy tolls at the full rates provided in the Act, on the condition of paying over to the Local Fund Board of the Dindigul Circle three-quarters of the net proceeds as a contribution towards the up-keep of the roads at the junction of which in Dindigul the levy is made. The balance (one-quarter) which will remain in the hands of the Commissioners will enable them to dispense with the distasteful professional-tax; but will not, after all, be much, if anything, more than they will require to spend on the through roads which intersect the town and lead to the railway station shortly to be established on its outskirts. In the hope that these proposals will approve themselves to Government, the necessary provision for a contribution to Local Funds has been made in Statement II.

8. The total revenue anticipated is Rupees 14,900.

9. STATEMENT II., EXPENDITURE.—*New Works.*—The only new road proposed to be made is one to connect the southern and western parts of the town with the railway station. A grant of Rupees 1,000 has been taken in the current year's budget for a similar purpose, which, it

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is anticipated, will be fully expended in the improvement of another road which leads directly from the northern and eastern side of the town to the same place. The provision of Rupees 1,500 under the head of "Sanitary and Miscellaneous" is intended to meet the cost of the provision of stone drains along the sides of several streets which is now being commenced, and of the erection of new dust-boxes, and one or two small latrines in outlying portions of the town hitherto unprovided with them.

10. *Repairs.*—The repairs of the town roads are usually made by the sweepers, whose proper work is over by midday. Hence the non-provision in Statement II.-B of any special establishment for the purpose. The sum of Rupees 1,000 is estimated to be required in the ensuing year for the purchase of material. It is somewhat high, but cannot be lowered as the roads which are now simply gravelled are found to cut up so much in wet weather with the increased traffic of the last year or two that it has become necessary to repair them in future with metal. This will prove cheaper in the long run.

11. *Education.*—The allotments under this head are purely conjectural. No certificates for payments of results' grants have yet been sent to the Municipal Commissioners by the officers of the Educational Department, and in the limited time now at their disposal for the preparation of this budget (which has been called for earlier than usual) it has not been possible to make inquiries which would enable them to do more than submit an approximate estimate. The provision is, however, believed to be on the safe side. The town is well supplied with educational establishments, as before reported in my letter marginally noted. The Commissioners are, therefore, of opinion that their direct intervention in the work of education is not necessary, and do not propose to establish any schools themselves.

From Vice-President, to President, No. 48, dated 26th April 1871, embodied in G. O., No. 892, dated 21st June 1871, P. D.

12. *Dispensary.*—The Dispensary in Dindigul was not the property of Government or of any public body, as most dispensaries were, and could not, therefore, be transferred to the Commissioners on the introduction of the Act. It is the property of the Rev. E. Chester, an American Missionary, who established, and has for many years maintained, it from funds privately contributed and with no assistance from the public, except (lately) a few free grants of medicine and an allowance of Rupees 600 per annum. This allowance Government directed, on the introduction of Acts III. and IV. of 1871, should be met from Local and Municipal Funds in the proportions of Rupees 400 and 200, respectively. Recently, however, it has been agreed that, of the annual cost of the dispensary (Rupees 1,400), the Local Fund Board shall contribute three-quarters, and the Municipality one-quarter; and that an additional grant for medicine of Rupees 500 shall be made in the same proportions. The Municipality's share of these lump grants is shown under the appropriate heads, and for the sake of information the establishment at present maintained by Mr. Chester is shown in Statement II.-B. It must be understood, however, that the institution is not a municipal one, and that, therefore, the contributions thereto of the Local Fund Board are not exhibited in the municipal accounts, nor the total expenditure entered therein; and that, subject to the expenditure on each head of service not exceeding on an average the monthly sums marginally noted, the establishment is subject to modification at Mr. Chester's discretion. So long as Mr. Chester continues to manage the dispensary, the present arrangements would appear all that are necessary to maintain the usefulness of the institution. Should he cease to do so, arrangements are under discussion whereby the buildings would become the property of the Municipal Commissioners, who would then make provision as best they could for the continuance of the services now carried on under much better supervision than they could afford to supply.

	Rs.
Establishment	77
Contingencies	10
Diet of pauper in-patients	5
Country medicines	25

13. The total estimated expenditure of 1872-73 is Rupees 13,750, which will leave a balance of Rupees 1,150 available at the end of the year.

14. No new Commissioners need at present be appointed.

15. A draft of the necessary Notification as to the levy of taxes in 1872-73 is enclosed.

No. 145. From the President of the Municipal Commission, Madura, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Pareacolum, 10th January 1872, No. 2.

In continuation of my letter dated 1st instant, No. 1, submitting the Budget Estimate of the Dindigul Municipality for 1872-73, I have the honour to state that, in my opinion, the rates of toll now levied at that town ought not to be increased. I believe that the traffic at Dindigul cannot bear higher rates, and I find that the Commissioners of the wealthier and more important town of Madura are opposed to any increase in the rates of toll. Under these circumstances, and the Municipal Commissioners of Dindigul not being unanimous on the point, I cannot recommend the proposed increase for the sanction of Government.

No. 146. ORDER THEREON, 29th May 1872, No. 706.

The Government proceed to review the municipal estimates for the town of Dindigul for 1872-73.

2. The Commissioners propose to re-assess the house-tax and to levy rates on lands at 7½ per cent., and the estimated yield is Rupees 1,600 against estimate 1871-72 Rupees 875 and actual 1870-71 Rupees 656. The Government observe that the old assessment of the house-tax gave an average annual rental of Rupees 15-14-3, and they approve the proposed revision. The Commissioners also desire to levy tolls at the maximum rates, paying over three-fourths of the net proceeds to the Local Fund Board; but this proposal has been disallowed by telegram and by G. O., No. 288, dated 11th March 1872. The estimate of toll collections will, therefore, be reduced to Rupees 3,750, and the proposed contribution of Rupees 5,600 to the Local Funds struck out. Carts are to be registered at the rates in force under Act X. of 1865. The total estimate of receipts, as modified by Government, is Rupees 11,150. The Commissioners are informed that Statements III. and IV. should be filled up in future. They are adapted to show the estimated as well as the actual demand, collection, and balance of the year.

Balance—	Rs.	Rs.
Municipal Funds		4,000
Assignments, &c.		80
Rates and Taxes—		
Houses and lands	1,600	
Vehicles	450	
Carts	350	
Tolls	3,750	
Fees	150	
Fines	150	
		6,450
Miscellaneous		620
Total ...		11,150

3. The allotments for Public Works call for no remarks. Under Education, Rupees 500 are assigned for results' grants and Rupees 200 for contribution for Educational Inspection. The Local Fund Budget takes no credit for this contribution, and with reference to the amount of the municipal expenditure it seems too great. It is, however, passed subject to discussion with the Local Fund Board. The Vice-President states that no applications for results' grants have been received in 1871-72 up to December; that the town is well supplied with educational institutions; and that the Commissioners propose to establish no schools of their own. There are, it is said, ten pyal schools in Dindigul. These may be sufficient in addition to the other institutions specified in the Vice-President's former letter, but steps

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should be taken by the Commissioners to ascertain why these schools do not seek aid, and to inquire as to their efficiency; and if the repugnance of their managers to introduce improved teaching and books, as required under the results' system, should be insuperable, the Commissioners should not hesitate to endeavour to afford these advantages to the people by supplanting the existing schools by schools under their own management. The municipal share of one-fourth of the dispensary charges is provided for, but there is no grant for the dispensary building. Funds are, however, available should the Commissioners be disposed to grant the money. The Government approve the provision made. The expenditure, as summed up in the margin, amounts to Rupees 8,150.

	Rs.	Rs.
Grant I.—		
New works	2,000	
Repairs	1,200	
Tools and plant	50	
		3,250
Grant II.—		
Results' grant	500	
Inspection	200	
		700
Grant III.—		
Dispensary	480	
Vaccination	120	
Registration of births, &c.	120	
Conservancy	2,580	
		3,300
Grant IV —		
Markets	120	
Other purposes	200	
		320
Grant V.—		
Office	380	
Miscellaneous	200	
		850
		8,150
Balance		3,000
Total ...		11,150

4. The estimates as modified are passed, and the usual Notification will be issued.

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 Dindigul, in the Madura 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.

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.

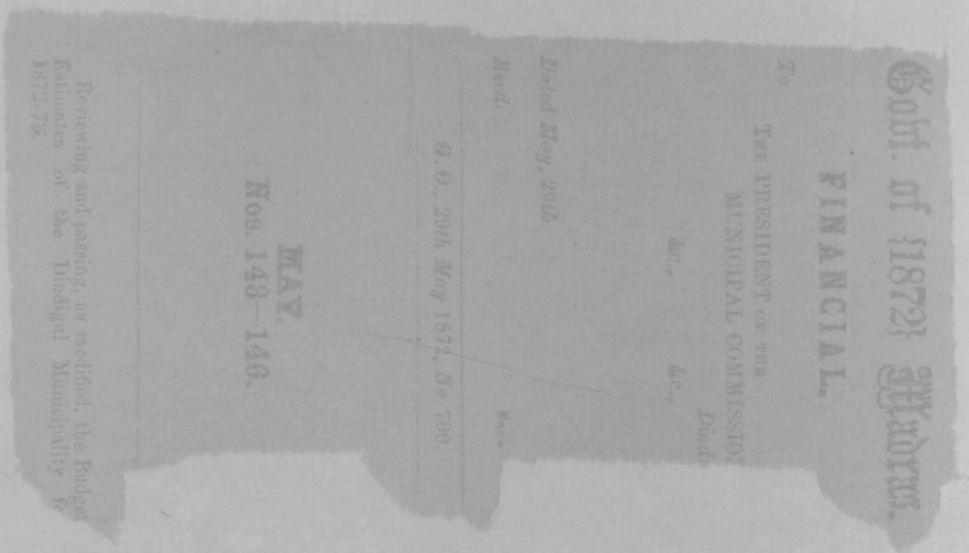
Fees on the registration of carts.

(By order of the Right Honourable the Governor in Council.)

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

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

Exd. J. Wright.


Govt. of [1872] Madras.

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To

The PRESIDENT of the
MUNICIPAL COMMISSION

Dindigul

&c., &c.,

Dated May, 20th

Read.

G.O., 20th May 1872, No 700.

MAY,
Nos. 143—146.

Reviewing and passing, as modified, the
Estimates of the Dindigul Municipality
1872-73.

Dindigul Municipal
office
No. 37 20th December 1871

From

A. W. Blair Esqre
Vice President, Dindigul Municipality

To

R. S. Ellis Esqre,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George.

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I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obd.t Servt

Vice President

No 1 President's Office
Madura
1st January 1872.

From

W. Sheddon Esquire
President, Dindigal Municipality

To

The Honorable R. S. Ellis
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Fort Saint George

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I have the honor to be
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Your most Obedient Servant

Ag't & Sec'y Adm'r & Collector for President

Dindigal Municipal
Office
20th December 1871

No 36

From

H W Bliss Esquire
Vice President
Dindigal Municipality

To

W Mc Dubae Esquire
Ag President
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Govt Proceedings, Public Department, dated 28th Octr 1871 No 1646

1872 Public Budget Estimates

From
The President
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To
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to Government
Fort St George

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Dated 1st January 1872
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(Signed) H W Bliss
Vice President
(True Copy)

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President.

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14 Madras, President's Office
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10th January 1872

From

H. McOnlee Esquire
President of the Madras Municipality

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To

Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

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Enclosure 1 in a letter
From
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Municipal Commissioners
Dindigul
= City

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. Geo

Dated 10th January 1872
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Copy of the Vice
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Mr. Asst. Secy Lee

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Balance - 4. This has been taken at Rs 5000 on the supposition that the sum of Rs 1855-15-4 due by Government to the Municipality and particularized in the letters marginally noted will be paid before the close of the current year.

From Vice President to the President dated 9 May 1871 No 1.
From D to Do dated 16 September 1871 No 18

House Tax - 5. The sum hitherto collected under this head has been about 900 Rs per annum at 5 per cent on the annual value of the houses in the Town, no charge having been hitherto made on agricultural lands and gardens. The Commissioners have long been aware that the omission to tax lands & gardens originally made on the incorporation of the Municipality was an error; and also that the house assessment was generally unduly low and not infrequently unequal. It appeared to them, however,

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the imposition of Professional Taxes, however, better to leave things as they were so long as the old Act remained in force and they were unable to be certain what changes in the method of Taxation and Assessment might not be introduced by the new Act which was so long in contemplation but which was brought into operation only from the commencement of the current official year; and no steps were taken until lately for the revision of the House assessment and for the taxing of lands and gardens. They have now commenced the necessary re-assessment & ca which they propose to introduce from the commencement of 1872-3, raising simultaneously the rate of the House Tax from 5 to 7½ per cent. The effect of these changes will, it is anticipated, be to raise the revenue from this source from Rs 900 to Rs 1600 per annum.

Registration of Carts - 6. The fees charged for the registration of carts are considered by the Commissioners to press somewhat hardly on the poorer classes, who are the chief owners of common

bandies

bandies. They propose therefore to retain them at the rate provided by the old Act, which is only half of that allowed by the new.

Tolls. 7. The rates allowed by the new Act are double those provided in the old, and are proposed to be levied from the commencement of the ensuing official year. The effect, it is thought, will be to raise the revenue from this source from Rs 4500 (that of the current year) to not less than Rs 7500. The Commissioners are fully aware of the objections to the levy of Tolls, more especially when the levy is for the benefit of a small community so situated that a considerable traffic from different quarters passes through their midst, but desire to represent to Government the impossibility of their raising sufficient funds for the improvement and conservancy of the Town without resource to this method of taxation. It will be noticed that they do not propose to put in force the sections of the Act which provide for the

the imposition of Professional Taxes. This is because they are of opinion that, while the Professional Tax is exceedingly burdensome and distasteful to the people, its proceeds in so small and poor a place as Dindigal would not enable them to provide entirely the necessary funds for carrying out the purposes of the Act, without some (though it might be a small) levy of Tolls. It appears to them, however, bad economy to levy Tolls at all, unless at such a rate that the expenses of collection (which are constant) shall not bear an undue proportion to the amount collected; and they have therefore determined to propose for the sanction of Government that they shall be permitted to levy Tolls at the full rates provided in the Act, on the condition of paying over to the Local Fund Board of the Dindigal Circle three quarters of the net proceeds, as a contribution towards the upkeep of the roads at the junction of which in Dindigal the

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coy is made. The balance (one quarter) which will remain in the hands of the Commissioners will enable them to dispense with the distasteful Professional Tax, but will not, after all, be much, if any thing, more than they will require to spend on the Kurnagh Roads which intersect the Town & lead to the Railway Station shortly to be established on its outskirts. In the hope that these proposals will approve themselves to Government the necessary provision for a contribution to Local Funds has been made in Statement II.

8. The total Revenue anticipated is Rs 14,900.

Statement II. Expenditure. New Works. 9. The only new road proposed to be made is one to connect the Southern & western parts of the Town with the Railway Station. A grant of Rs 1,000 has been taken in the current years Budget for a similar purpose which it is anticipated will be fully expended in the improvement of another road which leads directly from the Northern and Eastern side of the Town to the same

same place. The provision of Rs 1500 under the head of Sanitary & Miscellaneous is intended to mark the cost of the provision of Stone drains along the sides of several Streets which is now being commenced, and of the erection of new dust boxes and one or two small latrines in outlying portions of the Town hitherto unprovided with them.

Repairs. 10. The repairs of the Town Roads are usually made by the Sweepers whose proper work is over by midday. Hence the non-provision in Statement II B of any Special establishment for the purpose. The Sum of Rs 1000 is estimated to be required in the ensuing year for the purchase of material. It is somewhat high, but cannot be lowered as the roads which are now simply gravelled are found to cut up so much in wet weather with the increased traffic of the last year or two that it has become necessary to repair them in future with metal. This will prove cheaper in the long run.

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Education. 11. The allotments under this head are purely conjectural. No certificates for payments of results grants have yet been sent to the Municipal Commissioners by the Officers of the Educational Department, and in the limited time now at their disposal for the preparation of this Budget (which has been called for earlier than usual) it has not been possible to make enquiries which would enable them to do more than submit an approximate estimate. The provision is however, believed to be on the safeside. The Town is well supplied with educational establishments, as before reported in my letter marginally noted. The Commissioners are therefore of opinion that their direct intervention in the work of education is not necessary and do not propose to establish any schools themselves.

From Vice President to President Kopardah 26th April 1871 embodied in Govt Order No 892 dated 2nd June 1871. D. D.

Dispensary. 12. The Dispensary in Dindigal was not the property of Government or of any public Body, as most Dispensaries were, and could not therefore be transferred to the Commissioners on the introduction of the Act. It is the property of the Revd E. Chester, an American Missionary, who established and has for many years maintained it from funds privately contributed and with no assistance from the Public, except (lately) a few free grants of medicine, and an allowance of Rs 600 per annum. This allowance, Government directed on the introduction of Acts III & IV of 1871, should be met from Local and Municipal Funds in the proportions of Rs 400 & 200 respectively. Recently however it has been agreed that of the annual Cost of the Dispensary (Rs 1400) the Local Fund Board shall contribute three quarters and the Municipality one quarter, and that an additional grant for medicine of Rs 500 shall be made in the same proportions. The Municipality's Share of these lump grants is shown under the appropriate heads, and for the sake of information

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the establishment at present maintained by Manchester is shown in Statement II B. It must be understood however that the Institution is not a Municipal one and that therefore the contributions thereto of the Local Fund Board are not exhibited in the Municipal accounts, nor the total expenditure entered therein; and that, subject to the expenditure on each head of Service not exceeding on an average the monthly Sums marginally noted, the Establishment is subject to modification at Manchester's discretion. So long as Manchester continues to manage the Dispensary, the present arrangements would appear all that are necessary to maintain the usefulness of the Institution - Should he cease to do so, arrangements are under discussion whereby the Buildings would become the property of the Municipal Commissioners, who would then make provision as best they could for the continuance of

Establishment	Rs 77
Contingencies	10
Diet of paupers in patients	5
Country medicines	2.5

of the Services now carried out under much better supervision than they could afford to supply.

13. The total estimated expenditure of 1872-3 is Rs 13,750, which will leave a balance of Rs 1,150 available at the end of the year.

14. No new Commissioners need at present be appointed.

15 A draft of the necessary notification as to the levy of Taxes in 1872-3 is enclosed -

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/Signed/ A. W. Bliss
Vice President

/True Copy/

A. W. Bliss
Vice President

From

The Vice President

Dindigul Municipality

To The Ag President

Dindigul Municipality

Dated 20th December 1871

Received

No 36

Encl Nos 5

Forwarding Budget Estimate
of Receipts & Expenditures
of the Dindigul Municipality
for the Official year 1872-3

Ltr Rect No 2665 of 1871

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Dindigul Municipality

Budget Statement

No II A.

(Expenditure on
Public Works.)

Encl No 3, to letter No 36
of the 20th December 1871

Ltr Rect No 2665 of 1871

Statement II A. Detail of allotment for Expenditure on Public Works estimated to Cost Rupees 100 or upwards

Part I. New Works

No.	Project	Grant for the Year	Grant for Extra Estimates	Estimated value of Work to be done in 1872-73	Remarks
(a)	Communications				
1	Road from Nagulmarkanpatte to the Railway Station	500	-	500	Estimate will shortly be prepared
	Petty Works & reserve	-	-	-	
	Total	500	-	500	
(b)	Educational	-	-	-	
	Petty Works & reserve	-	-	-	
	Total	-	-	-	
(c)	Sanitary & Miscellaneous				
1	Erecting Stone Drains in Some of the principal Street - -	1000	-	1000	Do
	Petty Works & reserve	500	-	500	In the short time allowed for the preparation of the Budget under G. O. No 1646 dated 28th October & received only on the 7th instt it has been impossible to get estimates prepared
	Total	1500	-	1500	
	Grand Total	2000	-	2000	

Statement II A. Detail of allotment for Expenditure on Public Works &c

Part II. Repairs

No.	Project	Grant Rs	Remarks
(a)	Communications.		
1	Maintenance of Streets and roads and metalling some portions where the traffic is heavy	1000	
	Petty Works and reserve	-	
	Total	1000	
(b)	Educational	-	
	Petty Works & reserve	-	
	Total	-	
(c)	Sanitary & Miscellaneous	-	
	Petty Works and reserve	200	
	Total	200	
	Grand Total	1200	

(Signed) H. W. Bliss
Vice President

(True Copy) H. W. Bliss
Vice President

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Budget Statement

No. I

(Revenues)

Encl No. 1 to letter No. 36
of the 2d. December 1871

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See Public No. 2615 of 1871

Statement I – Expected Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the Official year 1872-3.

	1872-3 Details of minor head Rs	A P	1872-3 Totals of major head Rs	A P	Probable receipts of 1871-2 (11 months) Rs	A P
1. Balance brought forward –						
(a) Municipal Fund	4000	- -				
(b) Endowments	-	- -	4000	- -		
2. Assignment & allotment by Government						
(a) Surplus Pound Fund	80	- -				
(b) Ferry rents	-	- -				
(c) Fishery rents	-	- -	80	- -	80	- -
3. Rates and Taxes &c	Arrears	Current				
(a) Rate on houses &c (Section 40)	- - -	1600 - -	1600	- -		
(b) Taxes on Arts &c (Section 57)	- - -	- - -	-	- -		
(c) Taxes on Vehicles &c (Section 63)	- - -	450 - -	450	- -		
(d) Registration of Carts (Section 73)		350 - -	350	- -		
(e) Tolls (Section 77)		3750 - -	3750	- -		
		~~570~~ - -	~~570~~			
(f) Fees Sections 106, 123, 125, 130, 131, 136, bye laws and Schedule A		150 - -	150	- -		
(g) Magisterial fines Section (17)	- - -	150 - -	150	- -	10200	- -
					6330	- -
4. Fees in Schools & Training Institutions	- - -	- - -	-	- -	-	- -
5. Endowments & Sundry Contributions & Donations	- - -	- - -	-	- -	-	- -
(a) Hospitals		- - -				
(b) Charities		- - -				
(c) Education		- - -				
(d) Miscellaneous		- - -				
6. Contributions from Local funds –						
(a) For Public Works –						
Communications						
School Buildings						

Statement I – Expected Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund &c

	1872-3 Detail of minor head Rs	A P	1872-3 Totals of major head Rs	A P	Probable receipts of 1871-2 (11 months) Rs	A P
6. Contributions from Local fund – (Concluded)						
(b) Educational						
For training Schools	-	- -				
(c) Miscellaneous						
Hospital	-	- -	-	- -		
7. Miscellaneous						
(a) Rents of Municipal Market	500	- -				
(b) Rents & Fees in Municipal Slaughter houses	100	- -				
(c) Sales of Sweepings (Section 98)	10	- -				
(d) Private Conservancy	-	- -				
(e) Sale of Materials & Tools & Plant	-	- -				
(f) Avenues	10	- -	620	- -	120	- -
8. Advance recoverable						
			14900	- -	6530	- -

Notes to Statement I.

1. House & land rates are levied at 7½ per cent
2. Taxes on Vehicles are levied at the full rates
3. Carts are registered at half the maximum rate
4. Tolls are levied at the maximum Schedule rates
5. License fees are at the rates provided in the bye laws sanctioned in G. O. No. 705 dated 3rd June 1870.

(Signed) H. W. Bliss
Vice President

(Signed)
Vice President

Statement II. — Proposed Expenditure from the Municipal Fund &c (Concluded)

	1872-3 Detail Minor heads Rs A P	1872-3 Total Major head Rs A P	Probable Expenditure of 1872-3 Rs A P
Account V. — Supervision and Management —			
Office —			
Establishment	330 - -		
Contingencies	50 - -	380 - -	350
Miscellaneous —			
Printing forms	80 - -		
Pay of Assessors for forming (fresh assessment of the houses in the Town	120	200 - -	30 - -
Total, Account V		580 - -	380
Advance recoverable	- - -	- - -	
Refunds other than of current Taxes	- - -	- - -	
Gross Total Expenditure		1370 - -	6215 - - -
Balances —			
Municipal Fund		1150 - -	
Endowments		- - -	
		14900 - -	

(Signed) H. W. Bliss
Vice President.

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Vice President

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Statement II — Proposed Expenditure from the Municipal Fund &c

	1872-3 Detail (Minor heads) Rs A P	1872-3 Totals (Major heads) Rs A P	Probable Expenditure of 1872-3 (12 months) Rs A P
Grant I — Sanitation & Medical Services			
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries —			
(a) Establishment	235 - -		
(b) Medicines and Supplies	125 - -		
(c) Diet of Patients	15 - -		
(d) Sundries and Contingencies	105 - -	480 - -	350 - -
2. Vaccination —			
(a) Establishment	120 - -		
(b) Contingencies	- - -	120 - -	100 - -
3. Registration of Births and Deaths —			
(a) Establishment	120 - -		
(b) Contingencies	- - -	120 - -	110 - -
4. Conservancy			
(a) Establishment	1440 - -		
(b) Sanitary Services (Cost of Conservancy Carts &c)	840 - -		
(c) Cleansing of Tanks, wells and Drains	250 - -		
(d) Contingencies	50 - -	2580 - -	1800 - -
Total, Grant III		3300 - -	2360 - -
Grant IV — Miscellaneous Municipal purposes			
1. Lighting —			
(a) Establishment	- - -		
(b) Contingencies	- - -	- - -	- - -
2. Markets —			
(a) Establishment	108 - -		
(b) Contingencies	12 - -	120 - -	
(3) Choultries —			
(a) Establishment	- - -		
(b) Contingencies	- - -		
(c) Feeding travellers	- - -		
4. Watering Streets and Planting Avenues	200 - -	200 - -	100 - -
Total, Grant IV		320 - -	100 - -

Statement II — Proposed Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the Official Year 1872-3

	1872-3 Detail (Minor heads) Rs A P	1872-3 Totals (Major heads) Rs A P	Probable Expenditure of 1872-3 (12 months) Rs A P
Grant I — (Public Works) —			
1. New Works —			
(a) Communications	500 - -		
(b) Educational	- - -		
(c) Sanitary and Miscellaneous	1500 - -	2000 - -	1000 - -
2. Repairs —			
(a) Communications	1000 - -		
(b) Educational	- - -		
(c) Sanitary and Miscellaneous	200 - -	1200 - -	1800 - -
3. Establishment	- - -		
4. Tools & Plant and Contingencies	50 - -	50 - -	75 - -
5. Contributions to Local funds	5600 - -	5600 - -	
Total Grant I		8850 - -	2875 - -
Grant II — (Education) —			
1. Training Schools —			
(a) Establishment	- - -		
(b) Contingencies	- - -		
2. Municipal Schools —	" " "		
(a) Establishment	" - -		
(b) Contingencies	" - "		
3. Salary Grants	500 - -	600 - -	400 - -
4. Results Grants			
5. Contributions to Local funds for Educational Inspectorate	200 - -	200 - -	100 - -
6. Miscellaneous	" " "	" - -	
Total, Grant II		700 - -	500 - -

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Dindigul Municipality

Budget Statement

No. II

(Expenditure)

Encl no 2 to letter No 36
Letter 20th December 1871

In Public No 2615 of 1871

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Dindigul Municipality

Budget Statement

No. II B

(Detail of Estt)

Enclosure No 4 to letter No
the 20th December 1871

In Public No 2615 of 1871

Statement II B – Detail of Municipal Establishments

	Number	Salary Per Annum Rs	As	P	Allowances Per annum Rs	As	P	Total Gross Salary Rs	As	P
Grant I. – Public Works –										
Overseers	-	-	-	-						
Maistries	-	-	-	-						
Road Coolies	-	-	-	-						
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grant II. – Education –										
1. Training Schools –										
Masters	-	-	-	-						
Clerks	-	-	-	-						
Servants	-	-	-	-						
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
2. Municipal Schools –										
Masters	-	-	-	-						
Clerks	-	-	-	-						
Servants	-	-	-	-						
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grant III. Sanitation and Medical Service										
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries –										
Medical Subordinates	4	65	-	-	780	-	-			
Clerks	-	-	-		[illegible]					
Servants	2	12	-	-	144					
Total		77	-	-	924			924		
2. Vaccination –										
Vaccinators	1	9	-	-	108	-	-			
Peons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			

Statement II B – Detail of Municipal Establishments

	Number	Salary Per Annum Rs	As	P	Salaries Per annum Rs	As	P	Total Gross Salary Rs	As	P
Grant III. (Concluded)										
3. Registration –										
Registrars	1	10	-	-	120	-	-			
Peons	-	-	-	-						
		10	-	-	120	-	-	120	-	-
4. Conservancy. –										
Nuisance Inspectors	1	30	-	-	360	-	-			
Maistries	1	7	-	-	156	-	-			
	1	6	-	-						
Scavengers	14	4	8	-	756	-	-			
Jobbers	1	4	-	-	84	-	-			
	1	3								
Watchmen of drinking water tanks	2	3	-	-	72	-	-			
Total					1428	-	-	1428	-	-
Grant IV. – Miscellaneous Municipal purposes										
1. Lighting –										
Mapalgies	-	-	-	-						
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
2. Markets –										
Superintendents	-	-	-	-						
Servants (Sweepers)	2	4	8	-	108	-	-			
Total		4	8	-	108	-	-	108	-	-
Grant V. – Supervision & Management –										
1. Office –										
Managers	-	-	-	-						
Clerks	1	17	8	-	210	-	-			

Statement II B.— Establishment.

	Number	Salary Between	Salaries Per annum	Total Rupees
Grant I.—(Concluded)				
Accountants	-	- -	- -	
Peons	-	- -	- -	
Tax Collector	1	10 - -	120 - -	
Total		27 8 -	330 - -	330

Signed & Dr. Elly
Vice President

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Notification

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

A rate on houses, buildings and lands at 7½ Per Cent on the annual value thereof

Tolls on Carriages, Carts and animals entering the Municipal limits

Taxes on Carriages, horses, and other animals as described in Schedule B.

Fees for registration of Carts at half the rates provided in Section 63 of the said Act

From
The Vice President
Municipal Municipality

To The President
Municipal Municipality

Dated 20th December 19

Encl No 5

Draft Notification

Final Notification 29 June 1917

Govt Notice No 1639 dated 29th June 1917 published in the Gazette of the 13th July 1917

Statement II B— Detail of Municipal Establishments. (Concluded)

	Number	Salary Per mensem Rs As	Salaries Per annum Rs As	Totals Major heads Rs As
Grant III. (Concluded)				
4. Conservancy—				
Nuisance Inspectors	1	30 - -	360 - -	
	1	7 - -		
Maistries.	1	6 - -	156 - -	
Scavengers	14	4 8 -	756 - -	
	1	4 - -		
Sotes.	1	3 - -	84 - -	
Watchmen of drinking Water Tanks	2	3 - -	72 - -	
Total			1428 - -	1428 - -
Grant IV. Miscellaneous Municipal purposes				
1. Lighting—				
Massalyies	-	- - -		
Total	-	- - -	- - -	
3. Markets—				
Superintendents.	-	- - -		
Servants (Sweepers)	2	4 8 -	108 - -	
		4 8 -	108 - -	108 - -
Grant V. Supervision & Management—				
1. Office—				
Managers	-	- - -		
Clerks	1	17 8 -	210 - -	
Accountant	-	- - -		
Peons	-	- - -		
Tax Collectors	1	10 - -	120 - -	
		27 8 -	330 - -	330 - -

Vice President

Encl No 1 to the letter No
of the 20th December 1872

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Dindigul Municipality

Budget Statement

No. I

(Revenue)

Statement I – Expected Revenue and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul during the Official Year 1872-3

	1872-3 Detail of Minor heads Rs A P	1872-3 Totals of Major heads Rs A P	Probable receipts of 1871-2 (9 Months) Rs A P
1. Balance brought forward –			
(a) Municipal Fund	4000 - -		
(b) Endowments	- - -	4000 - -	
2. Assignments & allotment by Govt. –			
(a) Surplus Pound Fund	80 - -		
(b) Ferry rents	- - -		
(c) Fishery rent	- - -	80 - -	80 - -
3. Rates and Taxes &c	Arrears / Current Rs A P		
(a) Rate on houses &c (Section 40)	1600 - -	1600 - -	
(b) Taxes on Vehicles &c (Section 63)	450 - -	450 - -	
(c) Registration of Carts (Section 73)	350 - -	350 - -	
(d) Tolls (Section 77)	3750 / 1000 - -	3750 / 1000 - -	
(e) Fees (Sections 106, 123, 125, 130, 131, 136, by laws and Schedule A	150 - -	150 - -	
(g) Magisterial fines Section (17)	150	150 - -	10200 - - 6330 - -
4. Fees in Schools & Training Institutions	" " "	" " "	" " "
5. Endowments & Sundry Contributions & Donations	" " "	" " "	" " "
(a) Hospitals	" " "		
(b) Charities	" " "		
(c) Education	" " "		
(d) Miscellaneous	" " "	" " "	" " "
6. Contributions from Local fund –			
(a) For Public Works –			
Communications	- - -		
School Buildings	- - -		

Statement I. – Expected Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund &c (Concluded)

	1872-3 Detail of Minor heads Rs A P	1872-3 Totals of Major heads Rs A P	Probable receipts of 1871-2 (9 Months) Rs A P
6. Contribution from Local fund – (Concluded)			
(b) Educational –			
For training Schools	" " "		
(c) Miscellaneous –			
Hospital	- - -		
7. Miscellaneous			
(a) Rents of Municipal Market	500 - -		
(b) Rents & fees in Municipal Slaughter houses	100 - -		
(c) Sale of Sweepings (Section 98)	10 - -		
(d) Private Scavenging	- - -		
(e) Sale of Materials & Tools & Plant	- - -		
(f) Arrears	10 - -	620 - -	120 - -
8. Advance recoverable	- - -	- - -	
	1490 - -	6530 - -	

Notes to Statement I

1. House & land rates are levied at 7½ per cent.
2. Taxes on Vehicles are levied at the full rates.
3. Carts are registered at half the maximum rate.
4. Tolls are levied at the maximum Schedule rates.
5. License fees are at the rates provided in the bye laws sanctioned in G.O. No. 705 dated 3rd June 1870.

Vice President

Encl No 2 to letter No 36
20th December 1871

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Budget Statement

No II

(Expenditure)

Statement II.— Proposed Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1872-3

	1872-3 Detail (Minor heads) Rs	A	P	1872-3 Totals (Major heads) Rs	A	P	Probable Expenditure of 1871-2 (11 months) Rs	A	P
Grant I.—(Public Works)—									
1. New Works—									
(a) Communications	500	-	-						
(b) Educational	-	-	-						
(c) Sanitary and Miscellaneous	1500	-	-	2000	-	-	1000	-	-
2. Repairs—									
(a) Communications	1000								
(b) Educational	-	-	-						
(c) Sanitary and Miscellaneous	200	-	-	1200	-	-	1800	-	-
3. Establishment	-	-	-						
4. Tools & Plant and Contingencies	50	-	-	50	-	-	75	-	-
5. Contributions to the Local Fund									
Total, Grant I,				3250	-	-	2875	-	-
Grant II—(Education)—									
1. Training Schools—									
(a) Establishment	-	-	-						
(b) Contingencies	-	-	-						
2. Municipal Schools—									
(a) Establishment	-	-	-						
(b) Contingencies	-	-	-						
3. Salary Grants	-	-	-						
4. Results Grants	500	-	-	500	-	-	400	-	-
5. Contributions to the Local Fund for Educational Inspectorate	200	-	-	200	-	-	100	-	-
6. Miscellaneous	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total, Grant II				700	-	-	500	-	-

Statement II. Proposed Expenditure from the Municipal Fund &c (Continued)

	1872-3 Detail (Minor heads) Rs	A	P	1872-3 Totals (Major heads) Rs	A	P	Probable Expenditure of 1871-2 11 months Rs	A	P
Grant III.— Sanitation & Medical Services—									
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—									
(a) Establishment	235	-	-						
(b) Medicines and Supplies	125	-	-						
(c) Diet of Patients	15	-	-						
(d) Sundries and Contingencies	105			480	-	-	350	-	-
2. Vaccination—									
(a) Establishment	120	-	-						
(b) Contingencies	-	-	-	120	-	-	100	-	-
3. Registration of Births and Deaths—									
(a) Establishment	120	-	-						
(b) Contingencies	-	-	-	120	-	-	100	-	-
4. Conservancy:—									
(a) Establishment	1440	-	-						
(b) Sanitary Services (Cost of Conservancy Carts &c)	840	-	-						
(c) Cleansing of Tanks, wells and Drains	250	-	-						
(d) Contingencies	50	-	-	2580	-	-	1800	-	-
Total, Grant III				3300	-	-	2350	-	-
Grant IV— Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—									
1. Lighting—									
(a) Establishment	-	-	-						
(b) Contingencies	-	-	-						
2. Markets—									
(a) Establishment	108	-	-						
(b) Contingencies	12	-	-	120	-	-			
3. Cemeteries									
(a) Establishment									

Statement II.— Proposed Expenditure from the Municipal Fund &c (Concluded)

	1872-3 Detail (Unworked) Rs	a	p	1872-3 Total (Major heads) Rs	a	p	Actuals Expenditure of 1871-2 (11 months) Rs	a	p
Grant IV. Miscellaneous Municipal &c									
3. (b) Contingencies	-	-	-						
(c) Feeding travellers	-	-	-						
4. Watering Streets and Planting Avenues	200	-	-	200	-	-	100	-	-
Total, Grant IV				320	-	-	100		
Grant V.— Superviision And Management.—									
1. Office—									
(a) Establishment	330	-	-						
(b) Contingencies	50	-	-	380	-	-	350	-	-
2. Miscellaneous—									
(a) Printing forms	80	-	-						
(b) Perquisites for forming fresh Assessment of the houses in the Town	120	-	-	200	-	-	30	-	-
Total, Grant V.				580	-	-	380	-	-
Advance recoverable	-	-	-						
Refunds other than of Current Taxes	-	-	-						
Grand Total Exp.ᵗᵘʳᵉ				~~1,700~~ 8,150	-	-	625	-	-
Balance— (a) Municipal Fund Endowment	-	-	-	~~3,000~~ 1100 -	-	-			
Total	Rs			~~4,900~~ 11,150	-	-	-	-	-

D. M. Sathe
Vice President

Enclosure No 3 to letter No. dated the 20th December 1871

1872-3

Dindigul Municipality

Budget Statement

No. II. A

(Expenditure) — on Public Works

Statement II A. Detail of allotment for Expenditure on Public Works estimated to Cost Rupees 10 or upwards

Part I. New Works

No.	Project	Amount of Estimate	Paid to 31st March	Expenditure in 1872-3	Remarks
(a)	Communications				
1	Road from Agalawatte to the Railway Station	500	-	500	Estimate will shortly be prepared.
	Petty Works & Reserve	-	-	-	
	Total	500	-	500	
(b)	Educational.	-	-	-	
	Petty Works & reserve	-	-	-	
	Total	-	-	-	
(c)	Sanitary & Miscellaneous				
1	Forming Stone Drains in some of the principal Streets	1000	-	1000	Do
	Petty Works & Reserve	520	-	500	In the short time allowed for the preparation of the Budget under Government order No 1646 dated
	Total	1500	-	1500	
	Grand Total	2000	-	2000	

* 28th October & received only on the 7th Instt it has been impossible to get estimates prepared

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Statement II A - Detail of allotment for Expenditure on Public Works &c

Part II. Repairs

No	Project	Grant	Remarks
(a)	Communications		
1	Maintenance of Streets and roads and metalling some portions where the traffic is heavy	1000	
	Petty Works & Reserve	-	
	Total	1000	
(b)	Educational	-	
	Petty Works & Reserve	-	
	Total	-	
(c)	Sanitary and Miscellaneous	-	
	Petty Works & Reserve	200	
	Total	200	
	Grand Total	1200	

Vice President

Statement II B. — Detail of Municipal Establishments

	Number	Salary Per mensem Rs. A. P.	Salaries Per annum Rs. A. P.	Totals Major heads Rs. A. P.
Grant I. — Public Works —				
Overseers	-	- - -		
Mistries	-	- - -		
Road Cookies	-	- - -		
Total	-	- - -	- - -	
Grant II. — Education —				
1. Training Schools —				
Masters	-	- - -		
Clerks	-	- - -		
Servants	-	- - -		
Total	-	- - -	- - -	
2. Municipal Schools				
Masters	-	- - -		
Clerks	-	- - -		
Servants	-	- - -		
Total	-	- - -	- - -	
Grant III. — Sanitation & Medical Service				
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries				
Medical Subordinates	4	65 - -	780 - -	
Clerks	-	- - -	- - -	
Servants	2	12 - -	144 - -	
Total		77 - -	924 - -	924 - -
2. Vaccination				
Vaccinators	1	9 - -	108 - -	
Peons	-	- - -	- - -	
Total		9 - -	108 - -	108 - -
3. Registration —				
Registrars	1	10 - -	120 - -	
Peons	-	- - -	- - -	
Total		10 - -	120 - -	120 - -

Enclosure No 4 to letter
dte 20th December 1871

1872-3

Dindigul Municty
Budget Statement
for R. II B

(Expenditure
Detail of Estt)

Bulk
21/12/71
V.P.

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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 Dindigul in the Madura District, to levy during the year beginning 1st April 1872, and ending 31st March 1873,

A rate on houses, buildings and lands, at 7½ Per Cent on the annual value thereof.

Tolls on Carriages, Carts and Animals entering the Municipal limits

Taxes on Carriages, horses and other animals as described in Schedule C.

Fees on the registration of Carts at half the rates provided in Section 63 of the said Act

From

The Vice President
Dindigul Municy

To

The Chairman
Dindigul Municy

Dated
Rec'd 23d 20th December

No

Encls No 5

Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read letter from the Vice President, Mun. Com. Dindigul - 20 Dec. 1871

Read the following letter from the No 37
President of the Municipal
Commissioners Dindigul dated
1st & 10th January 1872. Nos. 142.

Order thereon 29 May 72 No. 706.

The Govt. proceed to
review the Municipal
estimates for the town of
Dindigul for 1872-3.

2. The Commissioners
propose to reassess the house
tax, and to levy rates on
lands, at 7½ per cent, and
the estimated yield is Rs. 1600
against estimate 1871-2 Rs. 875
& actual 70-1 Rs. 656. The
Govt. ~~observe~~ that
the old assessment of the
house tax ~~which~~ gave an
average

M.R.O. 1—77,000—8-6-37.

(1) Number of pages 38

(2) Date of repair 19-1-40

(3) Initials of the Referencer

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Finance DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 707 Press / Mis.
147-148.

Dated 29-5- 1872.

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Not to be folded or roughly handled

No. 147. Read the following letter from the Officiating President of the Municipal Commission, Tanjore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Vallam, 29th January 1872, No. 13 :—

With reference to the Order of Government, dated the 28th October 1871, No. 1646, Public Department, I have the honour to submit, in the prescribed forms, the estimates of receipts and disbursement of the Tanjore Municipality for the year ending 31st March 1873.

2. The gross receipts are estimated at Rupees 53,000, against Rupees 59,000, the estimate of the current year. It will be observed that the proceeds expected to be realized from rates and taxes are about the same as in the past year of 11 months only; it has been, however, found that the tax on trades and professions was overestimated, and this with an expected diminution in the leasing of tolls (which have been let this year at an exceptionally high rate), and a smaller balance at the end of the year, make up the decrease.

3. In their Orders of the 7th July 1871, No. 1002, Government have ruled that the surplus proceeds of pounds, situated within municipal limits, should not be considered a permanent source of income to Municipalities, and should not be made over to them without the special permission of Government. The Commissioners have, however, entered the sum as hitherto, and I trust the Government will be pleased to make the same concession as in the current year.

4. With advertence to paragraph 5 of G. O., 28th October 1871, No. 1646, I beg to state that the only endowed institutions capable of being transferred to the Commissioners are two of the minor chuttrums belonging to the late Rajah of Tanjore; but for reasons which will be hereafter reported through the Board of Revenue at length in reply to the Order of Government, 5th December 1871, No. 742, on the Budget of the Local Funds' Circles, and with reference to the Rajah's Chuttrums generally, it is not considered fitting or expedient to transfer them to the Municipality.

5. Expenditure.—Under the head of New Works the Government will see that the Commissioners have allotted a sum of Rs. 2,000 for the market, and a further sum of Rupees 3,500 for a Municipal Office. In the estimate of the current year a sum of Rupees 7,000 was put down for the former building, but the same has not yet been commenced, and the Commissioners are still waiting the receipt of the plan and estimate from the Executive Engineer of the Range. Immediately this is received the work will be put in hand, and the Commissioners are most anxious to have the building completed as early as possible. As regards the Municipal Office the building at present occupied as such is only rented, and is situated in a very noisy locality. The Commissioners are, therefore, desirous of having a building of their own, and are in treaty for one situated close to the Railway Station, and nearly equi-distant from the Fort and the large suburbs of Carootillangudy and Manambuchavadi.

6. From Statement No. II. it will be seen that Rupees 2,400 have been allotted for expenditure on education under the results' system. The contribution payable to Local Funds on account of Inspectors cannot at present be ascertained with any approximate accuracy, but it is believed the sum now entered will cover all the expenses which may be chargeable to the Municipality.

7. The Commissioners have it also under contemplation to establish a Branch Dispensary with a Pensioned Dresser to superintend the sale and distribution of medicines near the east gate of the Fort at Carootillangudy; for this a sum of Rupees 1,292 has been entered.

No. 148. ORDER THEREON, 29th May 1872, No. 707.

The estimated receipts of the Municipality of Tanjore for 1872-73 amount to Rupees 53,000 as exhibited in the marginal abstract. Rates and taxes yield Rupees 47,700.

	Rs.	Rs.
Balance.—Municipal Fund		4,330
Assignments, &c.		300
Rates and Taxes—		
Houses and lands	12,000	
Trades	13,000	
Vehicles, &c.	1,000	
Tolls	20,000	
Fees	500	
Fines	300	
		47,700
Miscellaneous		670
Total ...		53,000

2. With reference to paragraph 3 of the President's letter, the Commissioners are informed that, for 1872-73, half the surplus from pound fees will be made over to them. The President does not say whether the sum entered is the whole of the surplus, but the amount is small, and the question cannot make any appreciable difference in the budget.

3. Grant I. contains allotments for some apparently very useful works. The Government note a discrepancy between the entries for establishment in Statements II. and II.-B. It is presumed that the gang of coolies entered in the latter are included in the former in the allotments for repairs of roads. The grant for education, Rupees 2,400, is intended to cover results' grants and whatever charge may be settled as a contribution to Local Funds for inspection. This grant will no doubt be adequate to these purposes; but the Commissioners should endeavour to ascertain the present state of primary instruction in the town, and, by amalgamation or otherwise, to improve the existing indigenous schools, which are doubtless numerous. There is a grant of Rupees 1,290 for a Branch Dispensary. The establishment of such an institution is approved, but the Government desire to be informed under whose training and with what end two "probationers" are entertained. General orders on the subject of medical instruction in connexion with up-country hospitals are about to issue. The conservancy grant shows a considerable increase. The Government notice from Statement II.-B that a Pygust on Rupees 10 is employed to watch the proceedings of the toll renters and to look after the stable and coachyard. The President will report what stable and coach-house is referred to, and whether it belongs to the Municipality.

	Rs.	Rs.
Grant I.—		
New works	14,620	
Repairs	8,950	
Establishment	960	
Tools and plant	80	
		24,610
Grant II.—		
Results' grants		2,400
Grant III.—		
Dispensaries	1,290	
Vaccination	320	
Registration of births, &c.	580	
Conservancy	14,530	
		16,720
Grant IV.—		
Lighting	2,540	
Other purposes	2,130	
		4,670
Grant V.—		
Office, &c.	4,150	
Miscellaneous	450	
		4,600
Total ...		53,000

4. The budget of receipts and expenditure is passed and the usual notification for the levy of the taxes will be issued.

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 Tanjore, in the Tanjore 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.

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

(By order of the Right Honourable the Governor in Council.)

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

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

Exd. J. Wright.

FINANCIAL.

To

THE PRESIDENT OF THE
MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
Tanjore

&c., &c.,

Dated *May*, 29th.

Read.

Ends.

G. O., 29th *May* 1872, No. 707,

MAY.
Nos. 147-148.

Reviewing and passing the Budget Estimates of the Tanjore Municipality for 1872-73.

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Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the Magistrate of

(Here enter 187 , No.)

ORDER THEREON,

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 Tanjore in the Tanjore District, to levy during the year beginning 1st ~~May 187~~ 1st March 1873, and ending 30th ~~April 187~~ March 1874.

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

Tolls on carriages, carts, and animals entering the Municipal limits.

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

№ 13.

Vallam 29th January 1872

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From

N. M. Cadell Esq
Offg President Municipal Commission
Tanjore

To The Honble Lt. S. Ellis C.S.I.
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir

With reference to the order of Government dated 26th October 1871 No. 1646 Public Department, I have the honor to submit, in the prescribed Forms, the Estimates of receipts and disbursement of the Tanjore Municipality for the year ending 31st March 1873.

2 The gross Receipts are estimated at Rupees 53,000 against Rupees 57,000 the Estimate of the current year. It will be observed that the proceeds expected to be realized from rates and taxes are about the same as in the past year of 11 months only; it has been however found that the tax on trades and professions was over estimated and this with an expected diminution in the leasing of Tolls (which have been let this year at an exceptionally high

high rate) and a smaller balance at the end of the year, make up the decrease —

3 In their orders of the 7th July 1871 No. 1002 Government have ruled that the surplus proceeds of Pounds situated within Municipal limits should not be considered a permanent source of income to Municipalities and should not be made over to them without the special permission of Government. The Commissioners have, however, entered the sum as hitherto, and I trust the Government will be pleased to make the same concession as in the Current year —

4 With adverence to para 3 of G.O 26th October 1871, No. 1046, I beg to state that the only endowed institutions capable of being transferred to the Commissioners are two of the Minor Chatrams belonging to the late Rajah of Tanjore; but for reasons which will be hereafter reported through the Board of Revenue at length in reply to the order of Government,

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5th December 1871 No. 742, on the Budget of the Local Funds Circles and with reference to the Rajahs Chatrams generally, it is not considered fitting or expedient to transfer them to the Municipality —

5 Expenditure Under the head of New works the Government will see that the Commissioners have allotted a sum of Rupees 2000 for the Market and a further sum of Rupees 3500 for a Municipal office. In the Estimate of the Current year a sum of Rupees 7000 was put down for the former building, but the same has not yet been commenced and the Commissioners are still waiting the receipt of the Plan and Estimate from the Executive Engineer of the Range. Immediately this is received the work will be put in hand and the Commissioners are most anxious to have the building completed as early as possible.

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As regards the Municipal Office the building at present occupied as such is only rented and is situated in a very noisy locality. The Commissioners are therefore desirous of having a building of their own and are in treaty for one situated close to the Railway Station and nearly equidistant from the Fort and the large Suburbs of Carootitangudy and Maruambuchanadi —

6 From Statement No. II it will be seen that Rupees 2405 have been allotted for expenditure on Education under the results System. The contributions payable to Local Funds on account of Inspectors cannot at present be ascertained with any approximate accuracy, but it is believed the sum now entered will cover all the expenses which may be chargeable to the Municipality —

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7 The Commissioners have it also under contemplation to establish a branch Dispensary with a Pensioned Dresser to superintend the sale and distribution of Medicines near the East gate of the Fort at Carootitangudy; for this a sum of Rupees 1292 has been entered —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedt Servant
W Hubback
Offg President

Cont: 18th Dmo/71 to 26-63
" — 7" July " 56-87
" — 6" Dec 2 " — 2-46 Mt.

1872

Public Department

From

The Offg President
Municipal Commission
Tanjore.

To

The Chief Secretary to
Government
Fort St George.

Dated 29th January 1872
Received 1st February —

No 13 N° 193

Enclosure 1.

Forwards Budget Estimate of the Tanjore Municipality for 1872—73.

G.O 29th May/72 No 147

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Statement I Revenue and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Sanjie during the official year 1872/73.

		Detail of Minor heads	Totals of Major heads	Probable receipts for 1871/72 (Eleven months)
1	Balance brought forward			7500
	a Municipal Fund	4338	4338	
	b Endowments	"		
2	Assignments and Allotments by Govt			
	a Surplus Pound Fund	300		
	b Ferry rents	-		
	c Fisherry rents	"	300	
3	Rates and Taxes viz			47608
	a Rate on houses &c (Section 40)	12000	12000	
	b Taxes on Acts &c (Section 57)	13000	13000	
	c Taxes on vehicles &c (Section 63)	1900	1900	
	d Registration of Carts (Section 73)	"	"	
	e Tolls (Section 77)	20000	20000	
	f Fees Sections 123. 131 136. 138 Bye Laws and Schedule A)	500	500	
	g Magisterial Fines (Section 17)	300	300	
				47700
4	Fees in Schools and Training Institution			

Statement I Revenue and Receipts of the Municipal Fund &c Continued

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		Detail of Minor heads	Totals of Major heads	Probable Expenditure for the year 1871-72 (Eleven months)
	Brought forward		52332	
5	Endowments & Sundry Contributions and Donations			
	a Hospital			
	b Charities			
	c Educational			
	d Miscellaneous			
6	Contributions from Local Funds			
	a For Public Works			
	Communications			
	School buildings			
	b For training Schools			
	c Miscellaneous			
	Hospitals			
7	Miscellaneous			
	a Rents of Municipal Markets	"		
	b Rents & Fees in Municipal Slaughter houses	"		
	c Sale of Sweeping (Section 98)	200 10		
	d Private Scavenging	"		
	e Sale of Materials & Tools & Plants	300		
	f Arrears	110		
	g Fishery rents	50	670	
			53,000	

Statement I Revenue and Receipts of the Municipal Funds &c (Continued)

	Detail of Minor Heads	Totals of Major Heads
		53000 .
8 Advances recovered	" " "	"
a	" " "	"
b	" " "	"
c	" " "	"
Grand Total		

1. House and Land Rates are at 5 per cent
2. Tax on Carts as per Schedule B of Act III of 1871
3. Do Vehicles &c Do C Do
4. None
5. Tolls. The rates to continue as in the year 1870/71
6. License fees. Government Order No 1258 dated 12th December 1866.

W. Sutherland
Offg President

Statement IA Cruikshank Estimate to the Municipal Commissioners under Section 15 and 16 for the official year 1872/73

Amount of Estimate	Remarks
1 Establishments and Pensions	
2 Elementary	
3 Education	
4 Miscellaneous	
5 Establishment of Roads & Bridges	
6 Establishment of Markets	
7 Establishment of Ferries	
8 Establishment of Hackney Carriages	
9 Establishment of Pounds	
10 Establishment of Slaughter Houses	
11 Establishment of Conservancy	
12 Establishment of Lighting	
13 Establishment of Water Supply	
14 Establishment of Drainage	
15 Establishment of Public Gardens	
16 Establishment of Public Buildings	
17 Establishment of Police	
18 Establishment of Fire Brigade	
19 Establishment of Vaccination	
20 Establishment of Registration of Births & Deaths	
21 Establishment of Registration of Marriages	
22 Establishment of Registration of Boats	
23 Establishment of Registration of Dogs	
24 Establishment of Registration of Carts	
25 Establishment of Registration of Vehicles	
26 Establishment of Registration of Animals	
27 Establishment of Registration of Trades	
28 Establishment of Registration of Professions	
29 Establishment of Registration of Occupations	
30 Establishment of Registration of Businesses	
31 Establishment of Registration of Companies	
32 Establishment of Registration of Societies	
33 Establishment of Registration of Associations	
34 Establishment of Registration of Clubs	
35 Establishment of Registration of Unions	
36 Establishment of Registration of Leagues	
37 Establishment of Registration of Federations	
38 Establishment of Registration of Confederations	
39 Establishment of Registration of Alliances	
40 Establishment of Registration of Treaties	
41 Establishment of Registration of Agreements	
42 Establishment of Registration of Contracts	
43 Establishment of Registration of Deeds	
44 Establishment of Registration of Wills	
45 Establishment of Registration of Testaments	
46 Establishment of Registration of Codicils	
47 Establishment of Registration of Probates	
48 Establishment of Registration of Letters of Administration	
49 Establishment of Registration of Guardianships	
50 Establishment of Registration of Adoptions	
51 Establishment of Registration of Naturalizations	
52 Establishment of Registration of Citizenships	
53 Establishment of Registration of Passports	
54 Establishment of Registration of Visas	
55 Establishment of Registration of Permits	
56 Establishment of Registration of Licenses	
57 Establishment of Registration of Certificates	
58 Establishment of Registration of Diplomas	
59 Establishment of Registration of Degrees	
60 Establishment of Registration of Honours	
61 Establishment of Registration of Awards	
62 Establishment of Registration of Prizes	
63 Establishment of Registration of Medals	
64 Establishment of Registration of Ribbons	
65 Establishment of Registration of Orders	
66 Establishment of Registration of Knighthoods	
67 Establishment of Registration of Peerages	
68 Establishment of Registration of Baronetcies	
69 Establishment of Registration of Titles	
70 Establishment of Registration of Coats of Arms	
71 Establishment of Registration of Crests	
72 Establishment of Registration of Mottoes	
73 Establishment of Registration of Badges	
74 Establishment of Registration of Liveries	
75 Establishment of Registration of Uniforms	
76 Establishment of Registration of Flags	
77 Establishment of Registration of Standards	
78 Establishment of Registration of Banners	
79 Establishment of Registration of Pennants	
80 Establishment of Registration of Streamers	
81 Establishment of Registration of Ensigns	
82 Establishment of Registration of Jacks	
83 Establishment of Registration of Pennons	
84 Establishment of Registration of Guidons	
85 Establishment of Registration of Standards	
86 Establishment of Registration of Colours	
87 Establishment of Registration of Regimental Colours	
88 Establishment of Registration of Queen's Colours	
89 Establishment of Registration of Royal Standards	
90 Establishment of Registration of Imperial Standards	
91 Establishment of Registration of Presidential Standards	
92 Establishment of Registration of Vice-Regal Standards	
93 Establishment of Registration of Governor's Standards	
94 Establishment of Registration of Lieutenant-Governor's Standards	
95 Establishment of Registration of Commissioner's Standards	
96 Establishment of Registration of Chief Commissioner's Standards	
97 Establishment of Registration of Deputy Commissioner's Standards	
98 Establishment of Registration of Assistant Commissioner's Standards	
99 Establishment of Registration of Sub-Assistant Commissioner's Standards	
100 Establishment of Registration of Extra Assistant Commissioner's Standards	

W. Sutherland
Offg President

Statement II. Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Tanjore for the official year 1872/73.

	Detail minor heads	Total major heads	Probable Expenditure for the year 1871/72 (12 months)
Grant I Public Works			35620
1 New Works			
a Communications	5,278 - -		
b Educational	- - -		
c Sanitary and Miscellaneous	3,842 - -		
d Market and Municipal Office	5500 - -	14620 - -	
2 Repairs			
a Communications	7,400 - -		
b Educational	- - -		
c Sanitary and Miscellaneous	1550 - -	8950 - -	
3 Establishment		960 - -	
4 Tools and Plant and Contingencies		76 - -	
5 Contributions to Local Funds			
a			
b			
Total Grant I		24606 - -	
Grant II Education	- - - - - -		2200 - -
1 Training Schools	" " " "		
a Establishment			
b Contingencies			
2 Municipal Schools	" " "		
a Establishment			
b Contingencies			
3 Salary Grants	" " "		

Statement II. (Continued)

	Detail minor heads	Total major heads	Probable Expenditure for 1871-72 (eleven months)
Grant II Education (Continued)			
2 Rent Grants	2400 - -	2400 - -	
5 Contribution to Local Funds for Educational Inspectorate	" - -	- - -	
6 Miscellaneous	" - -	- - -	
Total Grant II		2400 - -	
Grant III Sanitation and Medical Service			16450 - -
1 Hospitals and Dispensaries			
a Establishment	576 - -		
b Medicines and Supplies	320 - -		
c Diet of Patients	180 - -		
d Sundries and Contingencies	96 - -		
e Midwife	120 - -	1292 - -	
2 Vaccination			
a Establishment	300 - -		
b Contingencies	20 78 - -	378 - -	
3 Registration of Births and Deaths			
a Establishment	564 - -		
b Contingencies	18 - -	582 - -	
4 Conservancy			
a Establishment	1036 - -		
b Sanitary Service Cost of Conservancy Carts &c	9400 - -		
c Cleaning of Tanks, wells & Drains	4056 - -		
d Contingencies such as purchasing Tools and Implements and Killing Dogs and Snakes &c	240 - -	14532 - -	
Total Grant III		16724 - -	

	Detail Senior heads		Total Junior heads		
Grant II Miscellaneous Municipal purposes					4020 ..
1 Lighting					
a Establishment	624				
b Contingencies such as oil wicks &c	1918 6		2542 0		
2 Markets					
a Establishment	. .. ..		.. .. ..		
b Contingencies	. .. ..		.. .. ..		
3 Chaultries					
a Establishment			.. .. ..		
b Contingencies			.. .. ..		
c Feeding Travellers			.. .. ..		
4 Watering Streets & planting Avenues	1848 50		1848 50		
5 Cart & Conservancy	1848		280		
Total Grant II			4670		
Grant V Supervision & Management					3180 .. ..
1 Office					
a Establishment	3,000				
b Contingencies	340 50		4,140 50		
2 Miscellaneous					
a Printing Forms &c	302 0				
b Auditor fees	150		452 0		
Total Grant V			4600		
Advances Recoverable					
Refunds other than those of current taxes			.. .. ..		
Grant Total Expenditure			53000		
Balances					
a Municipal Fund			.. .. ..		
b Endowment			.. .. ..		
Total			.. .. ..		

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Statement II A Detail of allotment for Expenditure on Public Works Estimated to Cost Rs 100 or upwards

Part I New Works 215

Projects	amount of estimate	Past Expenditure	
(a) Communications			
1 Widening Vadavar Bridge	2,000		
2 Do Panary Do	1,000		
3 Flood Arch	720		
4 Bridge across the ditch opposite the Big Pagoda	750		
5 Installing Mariammanfoor Road	800		
Petty works and Recess	.		
Total	5,273 1		
(b) Educational			
1	.	..	..
2	.	..	..
3	.	..	..
Petty works and Recess	.	..	..
Total	.	.	.
(c) Sanitary & Miscellaneous			
1 Drains	1,000	..	.
2 New Privies	1000		
3 New Slaughter houses	800		
4 Water works	1,000		
5 Boundary Stones	42		
Petty works and Recess	.		
Total	3842	..	.
(d)			
1 Market	2,000	.	..
2 Municipal office	3,500	.	..
Total	5500	-	-
Grant Total	14,620	-	-

Part II Repairs

No	Project	Grant	Remarks
	a Communication		
1	2½ Miles of Metalled roads @ 300 Rs a mile	6,450	
2	Tunnels and Culverts	194	
	Petty Repairs and Establishment	"	
	Total	6,644	
	b Educational		
1		"	
2		"	
3		"	
	Petty Repairs and Establishment	"	
	Total	"	
	c Sanitary and Miscellaneous		
1	Plastering Drains 175 Squares @ 2 Rs a Square	350.	
2	Ash Tubs 150 Squares @ Rs 2 per Square	300.	
3	Privy	250.	
4	Repairing Tanks	500.	
5	Toll gates	150	
	Petty Repairs and Establishment	"	
	Total	1,550.	
	Grant Total	8,194	

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Statement II B Detail of Municipal Establishments

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	No	Salary per mineem	Salaries per annum	Totals Major heads
Grant I Public Works				
Overseers	1	50 . .		
Tascars @ 5 Rs	2	10 . .		
Mistries	1	20 . .		
Do	1	7 . .		
Road Coolies @ Rs 4-8- " each	8	36 . .		
Do Boys @ Rs 2-8- "	8	20 . .		
Total		143 . .	1716	
Grant II Education				
1 Training Schools	"	" " "		
Masters	"	" " "		
Clerks	"	" " "		
Servants	"	" " "		
Total	"	" " "	" " "	
2 Municipal Schools				
Masters	"	" " "		
Clerks	"	" " "		
Servants	"	" " "		
Results Grants	"	" " "	2,400 . .	
Total		" " "	2,400 . .	
Grant III Sanitation & Medical Services				
1 Hospital and Dispensaries				
& Medical Subordinates				
Pensioned Hospital Assistant	1	25 . .		
Probationers @ 7 Rs	2	14 . .		
Peon	1	5 . .		
& Masalchi	1	4 . .		
& Midwife	1	10 . .		
Total		58 . .	696 . .	
2 Vaccination				
Vaccinator	1	15 . .		
Do	1	10 . .		
Total	2	25 . .	300 . .	

Statement II B Detail of Municipal Establishment (continued)

	No.	Salary per mensem	Salaries per annum	Totals Major heads
Grant III Sanitation &c				
3 Registration				
Registrar	1	20 - -		
Surnamed Sub Registrars @ Rs 3 each	9	27 - -		
Total		47 - -	564 - -	
4 Conservancy				
Nuisance Inspector	1	15 - -		
Do Do	1	25 - -		
Do Do	1	15 - -		
Scavengers @ Rs 6 each	8	48 - -		
Do @ " 5 "	20	100 - -		
Do " " 3 "	14	42 - -		
Do " " 3 "	17	51 - -		
Sweepers " " 4 "	24	96 - -		
Serang	1	7 - -		
Tank watchmen @ Rs 4 each	8	32 - -		
Total		481 - -	5772 - -	
Grant IV Miscellaneous Municipal purposes				
1 Lighting				
Serang	1	12 - -		
Lamp lighters @ 5 Rs each	8	40 - -		
Total		52 - -	624 - -	
2 Markets				
Superintendents		- - -		
Servants		- - -		
3				
Total	-	- - -	- - -	

Statement II B Detail of Municipal Establishments (continued)

	No	Salary per mensem	Salaries per annum	Totals Major heads
Grant V Superviesion & Management				
1 Office				
Manager	1	100 - -		
Clerk	1	25 - -		
Do	1	20 - -		
Do @ 15 Rs each	2	30 - -		
Cash Keeper and Accountant	1	40 - -		
Sheroff	1	10 - -		
Peons	1	7 - -		
Do	1	7 - -		
Do	1	6 - -		
Watchman	1	4 - -		
Tax Collectors @ 7 Rs each	3	21 - -		
Cost of collecting 12000 Rs @ 3 Rs p/c	-	- - -	360 - -	
& Batta Peons for 4 months @ Rs 5	-	- - -	20 - -	
Pykist to watch the Proceedings of the Toll renters and to Examine the Stable & Backyard	1	10 - -		
		280 - -	3360 - -	
Total			3800 - -	

Office President

Abstract Statment to be appended to the Budget relating to the year 1872—1873 called for in Government Order No. 1854 dated 15th December 1871.

	Actual of expired year 1870—71.	Current year 1871—1872. Budget 1870—71.	Eight months Actuals from 1st May upto December 1871.	Regular	New years. 1872—73.	
Borrowed	"	"	"	"	"	
1 Opening Balance	13,488 12 9	7,500 " "	8212 12 6	" " "	4,332 " "	
2. Assignments and allotments by Government	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	300 " "	
Government Contributions	12,793 * 15 4	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	* Rs 2,675—6—7 were refunded under G.O. No 1578 under date 18th October 1871 being the Govt contribution overdrawn in the 1870—71.
3. Rates and Taxes	41,906 3 6	47,608 " "	29,898 6 8	" " "	47,700 " "	
4. Fees in Schools and Training Institutions	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	
5. Endowments and Sanitary Contributions and Donations	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	
6. Contributions from Local Funds	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	
7. Miscellaneous	2,747 6 8	600 " "	1,827 8 3	" " "	668 " "	
Arrears	" " -	3,500 " "	2,789 15 1	" " "	" " "	
8. Advances recovered	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	
Total	70,936 6 3	59,208 " "	42,728 10 6	" " "	53,000 " "	
Expenditure						
Grant I Public Works	16,458 9 9	35,000 " "	9,051 15 10	" " "	24,606 " "	
Do II. Education	" " "	2,200 " "	206 8 "	" " "	2,400 " "	
Do III Sanitation and Medical Services	16,333 10 6	13,098 " "	9188 12 7	" " "	16,724 " "	
Do IV. Miscellaneous Mtc Purposes	× 24,506 14 4	" " "	* 943 9 "	" " "	4,670 " "	× This sum includes the Police charges under Act V of 1865.
Do V. Supervision and management including Contingency such as Printing Forms, Stationary, Office Rent &ca	5,424 7 2	8,910 " "	⊗ 11,404 14 5	" " "	4,600 " "	* This is nothing but the actual pay of Police for the month of April 1871. ⊗ This sum includes Rs 2675—6—7 which is re-funded on account of excess payment of Govt Contribution for the year '70-71
Debt paid	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	
Closing Balance	8,212 12 6	" " "	11,932 14 8	" " "	" " "	
Total	70,936 6 3	59,208 " "	42,728 10 6	" " "	53,000 " "	

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Offg President

Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the Offg. President of the Municipal Commission, Tanjore, dated 29th January 1872 No. 13.

Order thereon. 29 May 72 No. 707.

The estimated receipts of the Municipality of Tanjore for 1872-73, amount to Rs. 53,000 as exhibited in the marginal abstract. Rates and taxes yield Rs. 47,700.

Balance, Municipal Fund	4,330.
Assignments Yea	300.
Rates & Taxes.	
Houses & Lands	12,000.
Trades	13,000.
Vehicles &c	1,900
Tolls	20,000.
Fees	500.
Fines	300.
	47,700.
Miscellaneous	670
	Rs 53,000

2. With reference to para 3 of the President's letter, the Commissioners are informed that for 1872-73 half the surplus refunded plus from fees will be made over to them. The President does not say whether the sum entered is the whole of

To
The Offg. President
Municipal Commissioners
Tanjore

To
The Collector
&
Commissioner
Tanjore Circle

Dated 29th January 1872

No 213

Passed Ex. Board
Date Tanjore Municipality
Ex. Dist. 1872-73.

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of the surplus, but the amount is small, and the question cannot make any appreciable difference in the budget.

3. Grant I contains allotments for some apparently very useful works. The Govt. note a discrepancy between the entries for establishment in Statements II and II B. It is presumed that the gang of coolies entered in the latter are included in the former in the allotments for repairs of roads. The grant for Education Rs 2400 is intended to cover results grants and whatever charge may be settled as a contribution to local funds for inspection. This grant will no doubt be adequate to those purposes; but the Commissioners should endeavour to ascertain the present state of primary instruction

Grant I
- New Works — 14620
- Repairs — 8950.
- Establishment. 960.
- Tools & Plant — 80.

24610.

Grant II
- Results grants — 2400.

Grant III
- Dispensaries — 1290
- Vaccination — 320
- Registration of births &c. 580.
- Conservancy — 14530.

16720

Grant IV
- Lighting — 2540.
- Other — 2130

4670.

Grant V
- Office &c. 4150.
- Miscellaneous. 450.

4600.

Rupees 53000

papers on the subject are in circulation for orders.
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instruction in the town, and by amalgamation or otherwise, to improve the existing indigenous schools, which are doubtless numerous. There is a grant of Rupees 12 for a branch dispensary. The establishment of such an institution is approved, but the Government desire to be informed under whose training and with what end two "probationers" are entertained. General orders on the subject of medical instruction in connexion with upcountry hospitals are about to issue. The conservancy grant shows a considerable increase. The Government notice from Statement II B. that a Pygmy on Rs 10 is employed to watch the proceedings of toll renters and to look after

to

the stable and coach-yard.
The President will report
what stable and coach-
house is referred to, and
whether it belongs to the
Municipality.

4. The budget of receipts
and Expenditure is passed
and the usual notification
for the levy of the taxes
will be issued.

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To

The Presdt. Muml. Commrs.
Tanjore.

Dated May. 29 }
Recd. } 1872, No. 707

Nos. 147. 148.

Reviewing and passing the Budget Estimates of the Tanjore Municipality for 1872-73