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No. 194. Read the following letter from the President of the Municipal Commission, Godavery District, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Cocanada, 11th July 1872, No. 4:—

With reference to the Proceedings of the Government, Financial Department, No. 539, dated 19th April 1372, paragraph 2, requiring explanation regarding taxes on arts, &c., levied at Rajahmundry, I have the honour to report that the Vice-President of the Rajahmundry Municipality states as follows:—

"2. The tax on arts, &c., has been hitherto levied without reference to the schedule, otherwise than to keep within the maximum limit. The revision of the lists has been undertaken and is nearly complete, and from the current year the tax will be levied in strict accordance with the provisions of the Act. The rates adopted under each schedule will be those entered in the schedule, and should it be found desirable to depart in any case from these rates, special application will be made for sanction.

"3. The Commissioners have taken credit for Rupees 1,185 for the dispensary as it has been agreed by the Local Fund Board that two-thirds of the cost of that institution is to be borne by them; application will be made to that Board to increase the contribution to this amount.

"4. The funded capital of the dispensary had not been made over to the Municipality when the budget was sent in. The amount has not been expended, and will be entered in future budgets, or, if drawn upon, the sanction of Government will be first obtained.

"5. The amount to be contributed for school inspection will have to be revised in communication with the Local Fund Board, as it is much too high. This will be done shortly."

2. As regards paragraph 4 of the Government Order under reference, the Vice-President of the Ellore Municipality states "that the sum of Rupees 100 entered under (*f*) "Fees (Sections 106, 123, 125, 130, 131, and 136, bye-laws and Schedule A) in the Budget Estimate is purely on account of fines and fees that may be levied under bye-laws and Schedule A of Act III. of 1871, and that no fees under Sections 106, 123, 125, 130, 131, and 136 are levied in this Municipality."

No. 195. ORDER THEREON, 26th July 1872, No. 983.

To be recorded.

(True Extract.)

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. Wright.

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Recording letter from the President, Municipal Commission, Godavery District, submitting further explanation with reference to the orders passed on the Budget Estimate of the Rajahmundry Municipality.

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