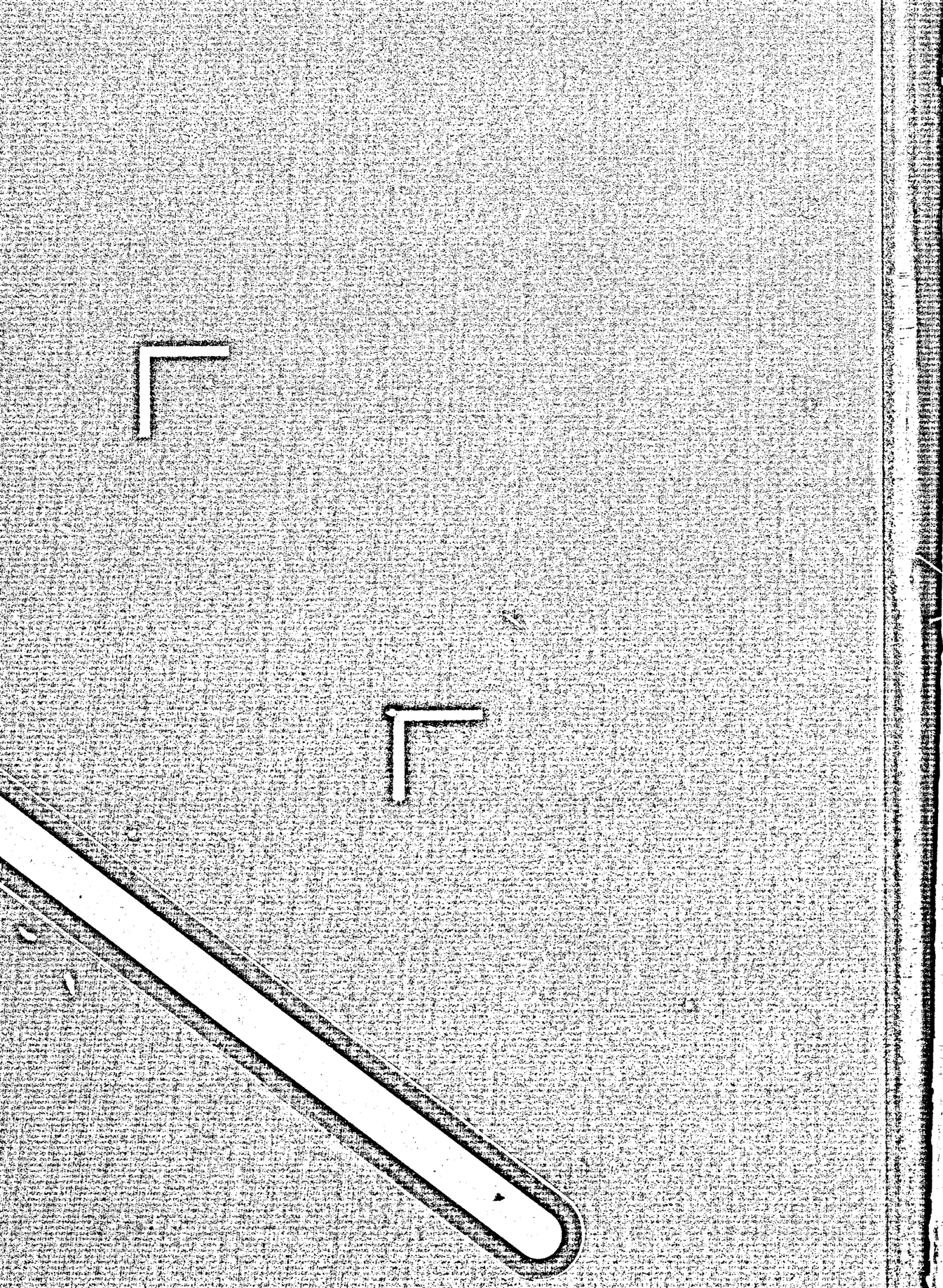


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2nd June 1873.

Read the following letter from G. D. LEMAN, Esq., President of the Municipal Commission, Masulipatam, to the Hon. W. HUDLESTON, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Bapatla, 14th February 1873, No. 214 :—

I have the honour to submit the Budget-Estimates of the Masulipatam Municipality for 1873-74.

2. RECEIPTS.—The expected balance at the beginning of the year is Rupees 2,000, to which is to be added Rupees 2,204-11-0, the "Funded Capital" of the Dispensary.

3. The receipts from all sources, as given in the Budget Statements, amount to Rupees 26,596, inclusive of an allotment of Rupees 200 from the Pound Fund. The amount estimated for collection under Tolls for the current year was Rupees 5,500, but they were leased out for Rupees 8,925 ; therefore the sum entered for next year is Rupees 8,000. The revenue of the Municipality including balances will amount to Rupees 30,800.

4. EXPENDITURE.—The Municipality propose to distribute expenditure for the year as follows :—Grant I., Rupees 12,110 : Grant II., Rupees 2,800 ; Grant III., Rupees 10,300 ; Grant IV., Rupees 3,200 ; Grant V., Rupees 2,390.

5. The allotments under Grant I. are the same as in the current year. Under Grant II. there is no provision for the share to be borne by the Municipality in the cost of a Training School. If the Local-Fund Board should establish one, the Municipality will be prepared to contribute its quota from the large sum provided for "Results' Grants." The Municipal Commissioners agree to give Rupees 150 towards the cost of the Educational Inspection, but the Local-Fund Board have only asked for Rupees 100. The excess provision, I beg to suggest, should be transferred to "Lighting," as the town requires more lighting than is now provided for. Under Grant III. provision is made for the new branch dispensary asked for in my letter, No. 2971, dated 19th December 1872. The other entries call for no explanation.

6. With reference to G. O., No. 103, dated 12th December 1872, Public-Works Department, I have the honour to state that the Commissioners have all along been under the impression that the funds required for making the supply of good water to the town permanent throughout the year would come from Government, and there are not any municipal funds available now for the purpose.

ORDER THEREON, 2nd June 1873, No. 765.

The following table is an abstract of the Estimates of the Masulipatam Municipality for the year 1873-74, compared with those for 1872-73 :—

RECEIPTS.

	1872-73.	1873-74.
	RS.	RS.
Balance	2,000	4,204
Assignment by Government.	200	200
Houses and Land-tax	6,300	6,500
Trades-tax	7,500	6,500
Tax on vehicles	1,000	1,000
Registration of carts	600	600
Tolls	5,500	8,000
Fees	1,000	1,400
Fines	600	350
Endowments, &c.	1,670	1,100
Contribution from Local Funds	890	890
Miscellaneous	130	56
Advances recovered	500	...
Total ...	27,890	30,800

CHARGES.

	1872-73.	1873-74.
	RS.	RS.
Grant I.—		
New Works	7,490	9,310
Repairs	1,600	1,500
Establishment	1,250	1,188
Tools and Plant	150	112
Grant II.—		
Municipal Schools	500	600
Salary Grants	1,200	1,420
Results' Grants	150	600
Inspection...	100	150
Miscellaneous	100	30
Grant III.—		
Dispensary	3,560	3,400
Vaccination	200	300
Registration of Births and Deaths	240	250
Conservancy	6,000	6,350
Grant IV.—		
Lighting	1,000	1,000
Other purposes	2,150	2,200
Grant V.—		
Office	1,800	2,035
Miscellaneous	400	355
Total ...	27,890	30,800

2. The appropriation from the funded capital of the dispensary should appear in Statement I. as an item of receipt, and not as a part of the opening balance. The anticipated increase of Rupees 2,500 from tolls, without any increase of the rates, is satisfactory. The estimated contributions from Local Funds should be raised to Rupees 3,000 to correspond with the entries in the Local-Fund Budgets, viz., Rupees 2,000 for the road from the Fort to Colonel Anderson's Bridge, and Rupees 1,000 for the Dispensary. The allotment for New Works, as detailed in Statement II.-A, is approved. The contribution to the Local Fund for Educational Inspection may be reduced to Rupees 100 to correspond with the Local-Fund Budget. The Commissioners will doubtless give due consideration to the President's suggestion that the difference be utilized for the improvements of the lighting of the town, and the additional receipts from Local-Fund contributions will enable them still further to increase the provision on that account.

3. With reference to paragraph 6 of the President's letter, the attention of the Public-Works Department is drawn to G. O., dated 16th July 1869, No. 981, in which it is decided that the cost of annually throwing up banks across the under-sluices at Bezwara to keep up the supply of water to the town should be borne by the

Public-Works Department in consideration of the contribution of Rupees 1,364 per annum paid by the Municipality to Government on that account. The Municipality are responsible for the distribution of the water, and Statement II.-A shows an allotment for 1873-74 of Rupees 1,500 for the construction and repair of conduits. Statement I.-A is not quite correctly prepared. The municipal contribution should not be entered in column 6. If it be omitted the entry in column 8 will correspond with the sum of the dispensary assets as shown in Statement I., and the municipal contribution will be represented by a deficit balance in column 12. Subject to the above remarks the budget is passed, and the usual notification will issue. The Profession-tax must be dispensed with in preparing the Budget for 1874-75, and it is desired that this may be done, as far as possible, by a reduction in the expenditure, rather than by an increase in the rates of the other taxes.

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 Masulipatam, in the Kistna District, to levy, during the year beginning 1st April 1873 and ending 31st March 1874,—

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 Right Honourable the Governor in Council.)

Acting Under Secretary,
for *Chief Secretary.*

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

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To

THE PRESIDENT OF THE
MUNICIPAL COMMISSION,
Masulipatam,
&c., &c.

Dated June, 2nd.
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G. O., 2nd June 1873, No. 765.

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Passing orders on the Budget Estimates of the Masulipatam Municipality for 1873-74.

No. 214

KISTNA DISTRICT COLLECTOR'S OFFICE
Bapatla
MASULIPATAM 11th February 1873

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FROM,

G. D. Leman Esquire,
President ~~Collector~~ of the Kistna District, Municipalities.

TO,

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Financial Department, Fort St. George.

SIR,

I have the honor to submit the budget estimates of the Masulipatam Municipality for 1873-74.

Receipts. 2. The expected balance at the beginning of the year is Rs. 2000: to which is to be added Rs. 2204-11-0, the "Funded Capital" of the Dispensary.

3. The receipts from all sources, as given in the Budget statements, amount to Rs. 26,596 inclusive of an allotment of Rs. 200 from the Pound Fund. The amount estimated for collection under Tolls for the Current year was Rs. 5,500, but they were leased out for Rs. 8925: therefore the sum entered for next year is Rs. 8000. The revenue of the Municipality including balances will amount to Rs. 30,800.

Expenditure. 4. The Municipality propose to distribute expenditure for the year as under:- Grant I, 12,110;

12,110; Grant II., 2,800; Grant III., 10,300; Grant IV., 3,200; Grant V., 2,390.

5. The allotments under Grant I., are the same as in the Current year. Under Grant II, there is no provision for the share to be borne by the Municipality in the cost of a training School. If the Local Fund Board should establish one, the Municipality will be prepared to contribute its quota from the large sum provided for "Local Grants." The Municipal Commissioners agree to give Rs. 50 towards the cost of the Educational Inspection; but the Local Fund Board have only asked for Rs. 100. The excess provision, I beg to suggest, should be transferred to "Lighting" as the town requires more lighting than is now provided for. Under Grant III. provision is made for the new branch dispensary asked for in my letter no. 2971 dated 19th December 1872.

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6. With reference to G.O. no. 108 dated 12th December 1872 P.W.D., I have the honor to state that the Commissioners have, all along, been under the impression that the funds required for making the supply of good water to the town permanent throughout the year would come from Government, and there are not any municipal funds available now for the purpose.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant
C. F. Maclean
for President.

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~~To~~

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Charges

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From,

The Collector

of Kistna District.

To,

The Chief Secretary to Govt.

Revenue Department

Fort St. George

Dated 14th January 1873

Received 24th January 1873

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Submitting the Budget Estimates of the Municipal Commissioners for 1873-74.

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Order thereon. Announced 2nd June 1873. No. 765

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The anticipated increase of Rupees 2,500 from tolls without any increase of the rates is satisfactory.

The estimated contributions from Local Funds should be raised to Rupees 3000 to correspond with the entries in the Local Fund Budgets, viz Rupees 2000 for the road from the Fort to Col Anderson's bridge, and Rupees 1,000 for the Dispensary.

The allotment for new works as detailed in Statement II A, is approved.

The contribution to the Local Fund for Educational Inspection may be reduced to Rs 100

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to correspond with the Local Fund Budget. The Commissioners will doubtless give due consideration to the President's suggestion that the difference be utilized for the improvements of the lighting of the town, and the additional receipts from Local Fund Contributions will enable them still further to increase the provision on that account.

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To

The Presidt & Mbrs
Municipal Council
Masulipatam
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Dated 2nd & 4th June
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