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No. 18. Read the following letter from G. D. LEMAN, Esq., President of the Municipal Commission, Guntoor, to the Hon. W. HUDLESTON, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Masulipatam, 14th March 1873, No. 375:—

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

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* Increase Rupees 1,160.

3. It has been proposed to take over the endowment and management of Mr. Wish's Choultry, and an application to that effect has been separately submitted.

4. The House-tax will be revised shortly, and the expected increase of revenue from this source is taken into account.

5. EXPENDITURE.—The several items of expenditure are as follow:—

Grant	I.	Rupees 15,556
,,	II....	,, 2,752
,,	III....	,, 10,086
,,	IV....	,, 1,994
,,	V....	,, 2,198
	Total ...	32,586

6. *Grant I.*—It is proposed to build separate school-rooms† for Mahomedans, Hindus, and other castes, new quarters‡ for a Hospital Assistant, and a cottage§ for a lying-in ward, and to purchase ground for and enclose three‖ separate cemeteries for Mahomedans, Hindus, and goldsmiths. These projects are estimated to cost Rupees 12,840, and an allotment of Rupees 9,500 is made for the purpose.

†	Rupees	6,000
‡	,,	2,660
§	,,	1,180
‖	,,	3,000
		12,840

7. Rupees 400 are put down for tools and plant and contingencies. One per cent. on the estimated expenditure on "New Works" and "Repairs," Rupees 114, ought to be sufficient for tools and plant, to which, adding Rupees 106, which seems ample for contingencies, a saving of Rupees 150 may be effected in the total expenditure.

8. *Grant III.*—The Rupees 6,600, provided in this year's budget for the Red and Black Tanks projects, have not been fully utilized owing to the heavy rains that fell preventing the execution of work in them. No provision has been made for the improvement of these works next year. A calingulah is very much wanted to prevent another accident by the bursting of the Black-Tank bund, which has now burst three times within the last ten years.

9. The other grants call for no remarks.

10. If the corrections proposed in paragraphs 2 and 7 be allowed to stand, the total receipts amount to Rupees 34,084, and expenditure Rupees 32,436, and the balance at the close of the year will consequently be Rupees 1,648.

11. I regret the delay in the submission of these papers. I had to return, for revision, the Budget originally submitted to me, and the amended one has just been received.

12. The alterations in red-ink are made in my office.

No. 19. ORDER THEREON, 4th June 1873, No. 774.

The following abstract shows the estimates of the Guntoor Municipality for the year 1873-74 compared with those for 1872-73 :—

RECEIPTS.

	1872-73.	1873-74.
	RS.	RS.
Balance	7,060	13,092
Assignment by Government...	250	250
House-tax	2,000	2,200
Trades-tax	4,500	5,000
Tax on vehicles	1,000	1,000
Registration of carts	900	900
Tolls	7,000	7,200
Fees	800	700
Fines	200	200
Endowments, &c.	390	435
Contribution from Local Funds.	1,800	1,500
Miscellaneous	50	447
Total ...	25,950	32,924

CHARGES.

	1872-73.	1873-74.
	RS.	RS.
Grant I.—		
New Works	3,620	12,500
Repairs	5,800	1,900
Establishment	680	756
Miscellaneous	...	400
Grant II.—		
Municipal Schools	900	1,752
Results' Grants	500	500
Inspection...	100	100
Training Schools	...	300
Miscellaneous	...	100
Grant III.—		
Dispensaries	2,880	2,976
Vaccination	120	330
Registration of births and deaths	180	180
Conservancy	6,560	6,600
Grant IV.—		
Lighting	700	1,092
Market	240	240
Other purposes	200	662
Grant V.—		
Office, &c....	1,940	2,198
	24,420	32,586
Balance	1,530	338
Total ...	25,950	32,924

2. The sum of Rupees 1,092, the amount of funded capital of the dispensary, appropriated for expenditure during the year, should appear as an item of receipt under 5 (*a*), Hospitals, and not as a part of the opening balance. The alterations made in the President's Office, in the entries in Statement I.-A, are incorrect. The municipal contribution should not appear in column 6, but in column 12 as a deficit balance to be made good from Municipal funds. By this arrangement, the entry in column 8 corresponds with the sum of the assets of the institution as shown in Statement I.

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4th June 1873.

3. The small increase under House-tax is said to beowing to a proposed revision of the assessment, but the larger increase of Rupees 500, under Profession-tax, is not alluded to in the President's letter. Explanation should have been submitted. The other items of receipts differ but little from those of 1872-73, and call for no remarks.

4. The large allotment for New Works appears to be a consequence of the short expenditure in 1871-72 and 1872-1873 having led to the year commencing with a very large balance on hand. The distribution of the amount, as shown in Statement II.-A, and explained in the President's letter, appears unobjectionable in itself; but the attention of the Commissioners is drawn to the remarks made in paragraph 8 of the President's letter on the absence of provision for the improvement of the Black and Red Tanks, as well as to the alterations proposed in paragraphs 2 and 7. The improvement of these tanks has hitherto been considered a work of very great importance, and the Government desire to know the Commissioners' reasons for abandoning it before permitting the money available for New Works to be employed for other purposes. In the meantime the Budget is sanctioned provisionally, and the usual notification issued to authorize the levy of taxes, it being understood that the allotment for New Works is not to be utilized until the orders of Government have been obtained on the report now called for.

5. 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 proposals for an increase in the rates of the other taxes.

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

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Fees on the registration of carts.

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

W. HUDLESTON,
Chief Secretary.

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

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~~To~~

~~The President of the Municipal Commission in~~

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FINANCIAL.

To

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

Dated June, 4th.

Read.

G. O., 4th June 1873, No. 774.

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Reviewing the Budget-Estimates of the Guntoor Municipality for 1873-74.

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~~Collector~~ of the Kistna District.

TO,

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President.

R. P. No. 1105 —

Statement I. Revenue and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Guntoor during the Official year 1873-74 135

	1873-74						Probable actuals of 1872-73		
	Detail of minor heads			Totals of major heads					
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Balance brought forward									
(a) Municipal Fund	12000	"	"				13507	"	"
(b) Endowments	1092	"	"				1092	"	"
				13092					
2 Assignments and allotments by Government									
(a) Surplus Pound Fund	250	"	"				250	"	"
(b) Ferry Rents	"	"	"						
(c) Fishery Rents	"	"	"						
(d) Contribution due for expenses of Census	82	"	"						
				332	"	"			

Fwd 1873 DEPARTMENT.

From The Collector of Kistna District.

To The Chief Secretary to Government Public Works

Dated 14th March 1873

Received 22nd "

No. 355

Enclosure 1

Submitting the Budget Estimate of the Guntur Municipality for 1873-74

Statement 1. Revenue and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Guntoor during the Official year 1873-74 (Continued)

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	Detail of minor heads			Totals of major heads					
	Arrear			Current					
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
3 Rates and taxes &c.															
(a) Rate on houses &c. (Section 40)	50	-	-	2150	-	-	2200	-	-				2100	-	-
(b) Taxes on arts &c. (Section 57)	-	-	-	5000	-	-	5000	-	-				5000	-	-
(c) Taxes on Vehicles &c. (Section 63)	-	-	-	1000	-	-	1000	-	-				1000	-	-
(d) Registration of Carts (Section 73)	-	-	-	900	-	-	900	-	-				900	-	-
(e) Tolls (section 77)				7200	-	-	7200	-	-				7300	-	-
(f) Fees (sections 106, 123, 125, 130 131, 136 byelaws and Schedule A)	50	-	-	650	-	-	700	-	-				700	-	-
(g) Magisterial Fines (Section 17)	-	-	-	200	-	-	200	-	-				200	-	-
										17200	-	-	17200	-	-
										30624					

Statement 1. Revenue and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Guntoor during the Official year 1873-74 (Continued)

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	Detail of minor heads			Totals of major heads					
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
4 Fees in schools and Training Institutions	300	-	-	300	-	-	160	-	-
5 Endowments and Sundry Contributions and Donations									
(a) Hospitals	375	-	-				375	-	-
(b) Choultries	60	-	-						
(c) Educational	-	-	-						
(d) Miscellaneous	-	-	-	435					
6 Contributions from Local Funds									
(a) For Public Works									
Communications									
School Buildings									
(b) Educational									
For Training Schools									
(c) Miscellaneous									
Hospitals	1500	-	-	1500	-	-	1000	-	-
7 Miscellaneous									
(a) Rents of Municipal Markets									
(b) Rents and Fees in Municipal Slaughter houses	-	-	-						
(c) Sale of Sweepings (sec 98)	50	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-
(d) Private Scavengering	-	-	-						
(e) Sale of materials and Tools & Plant									
(f) Avenues	15	-	-	65	-	-	15	-	-
Total				32924	-	-	33649	-	-

Note to Statement I.

1 House and land rates are levied at ¼ per cent.
2 Taxes on arts &c are at the maximum rates sanctioned
3 Taxes on vehicles are levied at do do do do
4 Boats are registered at R 1-8-0 each section 45
5 Tolls are levied at half rates
6 License fees are at the rates sanctioned in G. O. 14 88 dated 1st November 1869.

Statement I A. Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Commissioners under sections 15 & 16 for the official year 1873-74

Name of Institution	Amount of funded Capital	Balance	Interest or produce of land	Appropriation from Capital for expenditure	Contributions & donations of all kinds	Sale of medicines & sundry receipts	Total (Columns 3-7)	Current Charges (Statement II)	Allotment for Public Works (Statement III)	Total Charges	Balance	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1 Hospitals and Dispensaries	1092	.	.	1092	1800	75	2967	2976	3500	6476	"	It is proposed to transfer the funded Capital to be applied in part payment of cost of new buildings
2 Choultries	"	.	60	.	.	.	.	100	300	400	"	Mr Wish's Choultry has not yet been transferred but application was made to Government sometime since
3 Educational												
4 Miscellaneous												

1500
300
3200

Statement II. Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Guntoor for the Official year 1873-74

	1873-74 Detail of minor heads	1873-74 Totals of major heads	Probable actuals of 1872-73
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Grant I (Public Works)			
1 New Works			
(a) Communications	2500 . .	1000 . .	
(b) Educational	3000 . .	. .	
(c) Sanitary and Miscellaneous	7000 . .	12500 . .	2500 . .
2 Repairs			
(a) Communications	600 . .	. . .	300 . .
(b) Educational	. . .		
(c) Sanitary and Miscellaneous	1300 . .	1900 . .	1750 . .
3 Establishment	756 . .	756 . .	693 . .
4 Tools & Plant & Contingencies	400 . .	400	. .
5 Contribution to Local Funds	. . .		
Total Grant I		15356 . .	6243 . .
Grant II (Education)			
1 Training schools			
(a) Establishment	250 . .		
(b) Contingencies	50 . .	300 . .	
2 Municipal Schools			
(a) Establishment	1632 . .	. .	516 . .
(b) Contingencies	120 . .	1752 . .	325 . .
3 Salary Grants	. . .		
4 Results Grants	500 . .	500 . .	450 . .
5 Contribution to Local Fund for Educational Inspectorate	100 . .	100 . .	100 . .
6 Miscellaneous	100 . .	100 . .	36 . .
Total			

Statement II. Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Guntoor for the Official year 1873-74 (Continued)

	1873-74 Detail of minor heads	1873-74 Totals of major heads	Probable actuals of 1872-73
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Grant III Sanitation and Medical Services			
1 Hospitals and Dispensaries			
(a) Establishment	1476 . .	. . .	1308 . .
(b) Medicines and Supplies	600 . .	. . .	300 . .
(c) Diet of patients	600 . .	. . .	400 . .
(d) Sundries and Contingencies	300 . .	2976	400 . .
2 Vaccination			
(a) Establishment	180 . .		120 . .
(b) Contingencies	150	330 . .	60 . .
3 Registration of births and deaths			
(a) Establishment	180 . .		180 . .
(b) Contingencies	. . .	180 . .	
4 Conservancy			
(a) Establishment	4140 . .	. . .	3960 . .
(b) Sanitary Service (cost of conservancy carts &c)	2160 . .	. . .	2160 . .
(c) Cleansing of Tanks, Wells & Drains	100	. .	90 . .
(d) Contingencies	200	6600 . .	150 . .
Total Grant III		10086 . .	9128 . .
Grant IV. Miscellaneous Municipal purposes			
1 Lighting			
(a) Establishment	192 . .		192 . .
(b) Contingencies	900 . .	1092 . .	800 . .
2 Markets			
(a) Establishment	240 . .		240 . .
(b) Contingencies	. . .	240 . .	
2 (b) Choultries			
3 (a) Establishment	60 . .		. .
(a) Contingencies	40 . .	100	
(b) Feeding Travellers	. . .	. . .	
(c) Watering Streets & planting Avenues	168 . .	168 . .	168 . .
4 Bell Striking Establishment	144 . .	144 . .	144 . .
5 Killing Cobras and dogs	250 . .	250 . .	100 . .
Total Grant IV	. . .	1994 . .	1644 . .

Statement II Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Guntoor for the Official year 1873-74 (Continued)

	1873-74 Detail of minor heads			1873-74 Totals of major heads			Probable actuals of 1872-73	
	Rs	A	P	Rs	A	P	Rs	A
Grant V Supervision and Management								
1 Office								
(a) Establishment	1848	-	-				1692	-
(b) Contingencies	250	-	-	2098	-	-	256	-
2 Miscellaneous	-	-						
(a) Auditors remuneration	100	-	-	100	-	-	100	-
Total Grant V	-	-	-	2198	-	-	2048	-
Advances recoverable	-	-	-	-				
Refunds other than of Current taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Grand Total Expenditure	-	-	-	32586	-	-	20489	-
Balances								
(a) Municipal Fund				338	-	-		
(b) Endowments	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Total				32924	-	-		

Statement II A. Detail of Allotment for expenditure on Public Works Estimated to Cost Rs. 100 or upwards

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Part I New works

No.	Project	Amount of Estimate	Past expenditure	expenditure in 1873-74	Remarks
		Rs	Rs	Rs	
(a)	Communications				
1	Budampad road	-	580	2500	This road traverses the centre of the town
	Petty Works and Reserve	-		-	
	Total	-	-	2500	
(b)	Educational				
1	New building for the school now mainly attended by Mussalmans	2000	-	1000	
2	Do Do Hindoos	2000	-	1000	
3	Do Do for a new school	2000	-	1000	
	Petty works and Reserve	-	-	-	
	Total	-	-	3000	
(c)	Sanitary and Miscellaneous				
1	New quarters for Hospital Assistant	2660	-	2500	
2	New Cottage for a lying in ward	1180	-	1000	
3	New Cemetery for Mahomedans	1500	-	1500	
4	Do Do Hindoos	1000	-	1000	
5	Do Do Goldsmiths	500	-	500	
	Petty works and Reserve	500	-	500	
	Total	-	-	7000	
	Grand Total	-	-	12500	

Statement III A. Detail of Allotment for expenditure on Public Works Estimated to Cost Rs 100 or upwards

Part III Repairs

No.	Project	Grant	Remarks
(a)	Communications		
1	High road: to Madras	400	It is in good condition
	Other roads	200	
	Petty Repairs and Reserve	"	
	Total	600	
(b)	Educational		
	Petty Repairs and Reserve	"	
	Total	"	
(c)	Sanitary and Miscellaneous		
1	Repairing Mr. Wash's Choultry	300	
2	Repairing Latrines	400	
	Petty Repairs and Reserve	600	
	Total	1300	
	Grand Total	1900	

Statement III B. Detail of Municipal Establishment

	No.	Salary per mensem Rs A P	Salaries per annum Rs A P	Totals of major head Rs A P
Grant I. Public Works				
Overseers	1	36 " "	432 " "	
Maistries	1	15 " "	180 " "	
Road Coolies	2	12 " "	144 " "	
Total				756 " "
Grant II. Education				
1 Training School not yet Established				300 " "
Masters				
Clerks				
Servants				
Total				300 " "
2 Municipal Schools				
Masters	2	40 " "	480 " "	
D°	3	45 " "	540 " "	
D°	2	20 " "	240 " "	
D°	1	25 " "	300 " "	
Mistress	5	6 " "	72 " "	
Servants				
Total				1632 " "

Statement II B Detail of Municipal Establishment (Continued)

	No.	Salary per mensem Rs	A	P	Salaries per annum Rs	A	P	Totals of major heads Rs	A	P
Grant III Sanitation & Medical services										
1 Hospital and Dispensaries										
Medical Subordinates	1	60	-	-	720	-	-			
Clerks	-	-	-	-						
Training Midwives	4	20	-	-	240	-	-			
Servants	8	43	-	-	516					
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1476	-	-
2 Vaccination										
Vaccinators	1	15	-	-	180	-	-			
Peons	-	-	-	-						
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	180	-	-
3 Registration										
Registrars	1	15	-	-	180	-	-			
Peons	-	-	-	-						
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	180	-	-
4 Conservancy										
Nuisance Inspectors	1	40	-	-	480	-	-			
Maistries	1	15	-	-	180	-	-			
Scavengers	34	187	-	-	2244	-	-			
Jolies	16	80	-	-	960	-	-			
Peons	2	11	-	-	132	-	-			
Pensioned sepoys for Black Tank	2	12	-	-	144	-	-			
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4140	-	-
Grant IV Miscellaneous Municipal purposes										
1 Lighting										
Massalgies	3	16	-	-	192	-	-			
2 Markets Total								192	-	-
Superintendents	1	20	-	-	240	-	-			
3 Choultry servant	1	5	-	-	60	-	-			
4 Gardener and waterman	2	14	-	-	168	-	-			
5 Bell strikers at office	3	12	-	-	144	-	-			
Total								612	-	-

Statement II B:- Detail of Municipal Establishment (Continued)

	No.	Salary per mensem Rs	A	P	Salaries per annum Rs	A	P	Totals of major heads Rs	A	P
Grant V Supervision & management										
1 Office										
Manager	1	60	-	-	720	-	-			
Clerk	1	20	-	-	240	-	-			
Do	1	15	-	-	180	-	-			
Accountants	1	30	-	-	360	-	-			
Peons	2	12	-	-	144	-	-			
Tax Collectors	2	14	-	-	168	-	-			
Sweeper	1	3	-	-	36	-	-			
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1848	-	-

Assistant Municipal Commissioner
Office 5th March 1873

Vice President

Resident

Budget Estimates of Guntoor

Municipality for 1873-74

Fair 15/4/73

Budget Estimate
of the Gunter Muni-
cipality for 1873-74.

No 33

Revenue Department,

1873 April
Fwd a Letter from
the President of the
Rastua District &c &c &c.
Calicut, dated 14th March
1873.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from
G. D. Lewan Esqr. President
of the Municipalities of the
Kistna District, dated
14th March 1873 No 376.
forwarding the
Order thereon, 4 June 1873 No 774

The following abstract
shows the Estimates of the
Guntur Municipality
for the year 1873-74 Com-
pared with those for 1872-73.

	1872-73.	1873-74
Receipts		
Balance	7060	13092
Assignment by Government	250	250
House tax	2000	2200
Trades tax	4500	5000
Tax on vehicles	1000	1000
Keeping of Carts	900	900
Tolls.	7000	7200
Fees	800	700
Fines	200	200
Endowments &c	390	435
Contribution from Local Funds	1800	1500
Miscellaneous	50	447
	25.950	32.924

Charges.

Grant I.		
New Works	3620-	12500
Repairs	5800	1900
Establishment	680	756
Miscellaneous	.	400
Grant II.		
Municipal Schools	900-	1752
Results grants	500	500
Inspection	100	100
Training Schools	.	300
Miscellaneous	.	100
Grant III.		
Dispensaries	2880-	2978
Vaccination	120-	330
Reps of births &c	180-	180
Conservancy	6560	6600
Grant IV.		
Lighting	700-	1092
Market	240-	240
Other purposes	200-	662
Grant V.		
Offices &c	1940-	2198
	24420-	32586
Balance	1530	338
	25950.	32924

The sum of Rs 1092 the amount of funded Capital of the Dispensary, appropriated for expenditure during the year should appear as an item of receipt under

Her opening balance

for 72-3 was shd

28 pct. of the

Year's

revenue.

40 pct

is inadequate

other revenue. Last

year's

year it was necessary to

reserve that it

will not be specially

sufficient. Why cd

not to include this

state of things?

It wd. seem that this

Municipality completed and Hallowed to spend this year's the unusual sum expected to Rs. ~~Rs~~ ~~Rs~~ spend, but ~~but~~ did not spend was Rs 72 pct. last year's

I would not trust them as determined at a recent Council

Hardly necessary if certain not [illegible]

5(a) Hospitals and not as a part of the opening balance. The alterations made in the Presidents office in the entries in Statement IA are incorrect. The Municipal contribution should not appear in Statement col. but in Col 12 as a deficit balance to be made good from Municipal funds. By this arrangement the entry in Col 8 corresponds with the sum of the assets of this institution as shown in Statement I.

The small increase under House tax is said to be owing to a proposed revision of the assessment but the larger increase of Rs 500 under professional tax is not alluded to in the President's letter. Explanation should have been submitted. The other items of receipts differ

but little from those of 1872-73 & call for no remarks.

The large allotment for new works appears due a consequence of the short expenditure in 1871-72 & 1872-73 having led to the year commencing with a very large balance on hand.

The distribution of the amount as shown in State-ment II A and explained in the President's letter appears unobjectionable in itself but the attention of the Commissioners is drawn to the remarks made in para 8 of the President's letter on the absence of provision for the improve-ment of the Black & Red tanks as well as to the alterations proposed in paras 2 & 7. The improve-ment of these tanks has hitherto been considered a work of very great im-portance & the Govt desire to know the Commissioners reasons for abandoning it before permitting the money available for new works to be employed for other purposes. As the meantime the Budget is sanctioned provisionally & the usual notification issued to authorize the levy of taxes, it being understood that the allot-ment for new works is not to be utilized until the orders of Govt have been obtained on the report now called for.

The profession tax must be dispensed with in pre-paring the Budget for 1874-75 & it is desired that this may be done as far as possible by a reduction in the expen-diture rather than by proposals for an increase in the rates of the other taxes.

To H.E. President. Municipal Comm. Guntur.
Revenue Department.
Public Works Dept.
Board of Revenue
President of the Local Fund Cmte Guntur.
Accountant General
Sanitary Commissioner
Inspr Genl Sub Med Dept
Director of Public Instn
Gazette

Govt. of {1873} Madras.

Financial

To

The Presdt. Municl. Commrs.
Guntur
pea

Dated June 4 } 1873, No. 774
Recd.

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