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No. 189. Read the following letter from A. WEDDERBURN, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Coimbatore, 5th October 1874, No. 83 :—

In reference to G.O., 8th July 1874, No. 1143, I have the honor to forward a list of the proposed Municipal Commissioners of Caroor and estimate of receipts and charges for five months of the current official year commencing 1st November 1874.

Enclosures four

One letter from the Acting Sub-Collector, No. 226, of the 24th September 1874.
One list of persons to be appointed as Commissioners.
One Estimate of Receipts and Charges.
One copy of letter to the Sanitary Commissioner, dated 19th Sept. 1874, No. 219.

2. It will be noticed that the scale of a neighboring small Municipality of Erode has been followed, and I have to plead in favor of the allowance of tolls, as there is through railway traffic in this Municipality, and so the tolls will be more of the nature of an octroi, on local consumption, than of a transit duty.

3. In illustration of this argument, I have to point to the much more important town of Coimbatore, in which, after the opening of the through railway traffic on the 1st September of last year, and which opening was anticipated to have been earlier, the tolls only decreased from Rupees 10,000 in 1873-74 to Rupees 8,210 in 1874-75.

4. I am opposed to the proposal to have latrines dug and rubbish burned in the bed of the River Ambravatty although there is ample space, which is only covered by high floods, as it will be a waste of very valuable manure, and I should rather incur the expense of taking up land on which the trenches and cinerators can be erected. This scheme of burning combustible rubbish and using the ashes as deodorizers has the full approval of the Sanitary Commissioner, to whom a report on the subject, as carried into effect in Coimbatore Town, has been furnished, and which, I trust, will be printed in his proceedings ; a copy, however, is enclosed for the information of Government.

5. If possible, I should like to avoid the expense of pukka latrines, which are more suitable to large towns, like Coimbatore, than to small areas.

6. I would prefer beginning on a small scale, as more encouraging to the native population, than larger outlay at first. There is much conservatism, and there will doubtless be some complaints when taxes are introduced, and only when benefits are seen is opposition quieted. Erode is an instance in point.

7. The Sub-Collector should, I think, be Vice-President, and if this should be considered to give a preponderance of official members in Government Service, one* of the local Public Works Officers as well as the Hospital* Apprentice might be omitted.

* Nos. 2 and 6 in the Sub-Collector's list.

8. With these remarks, I beg to forward Mr. McWatters' letter for early consideration and orders.

From G. McWATTERS, Esq., Acting Sub-Collector of Coimbatore, to A. WEDDERBURN, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, dated Caroor, 24th September 1874, No. 226.

As requested in your endorsement, dated 22nd July last, No. 761, on G.O., of the 8th idem, sanctioning the extension of the Towns Improvement Act to the town of Caroor, I have the honor to enclose a list of the names of the proposed members and an estimate of receipts and charges during the remaining five months of the official year 1874-75 (November 1874 to March 1875, inclusive).

2. The undermentioned are the taxes proposed to be raised at present :—

(1.) A tax on houses at the rate of 6 per centum per annum on the estimated rental.

(2.) A tax on vehicles, &c., at the rates specified in Schedule C.

(3.) Registration of carts at the rate mentioned in Section 73 of the Act.

(4.) Tolls at half the rates specified in Schedule D.

(5.) Fees for licenses for butchers' stalls (Section 123) and bandypettahs (Section 136).

3. The total estimated receipts during the said five months are Rupees 2,335, and the charges amount to Rupees 2,015.

4. Four toll-gates are proposed to be established, one on each side of the town.

5. The scale of establishment in the Erode Municipality has been adopted with but slight variations. The estimate also provides for hand-carts according to the plans adopted in the Erode Municipality. There are at present two hand-carts and nineteen latrines with posts procured from funds contributed by the inhabitants of the town. These nineteen lanterns are sufficient for the present. Besides the two existing carts, four new ones are provided for in the estimate under the head "Sanitary Service—Cost of Conservancy Carts," Grant III., Item 4 (*b*).

6. As regards pukka latrines the Tahsildar says that two may be constructed inside the town towards the west where the greater portion of the inhabitants reside; but there is no Government land available for the purpose. The two sites proposed are private property for which compensation will have to be paid. The Tahsildar has been directed to negotiate for their purchase, and the result will be duly communicated. I think that the construction of pukka latrines may be deferred till next year, trench latrines being sufficient in the meantime, for which a sum of Rupees 50 is provided in the estimate under the head "Sanitary and Miscellaneous, Grant I." For this purpose and for rubbish there is no other convenient place than the bed of the Ambravatty River near its north bank. The Tahsildar says that this is the place which has been used for the above purposes since the town of Caroor came into existence. This use of the bed will not at all interfere with the flow of water, as it always flows near the southern bank, except during heavy freshes. I further understand that besides the bed of the river there is no Government land available either within the town limits or in its vicinity. All is valuable putta land for which compensation will have to be paid. I, therefore, think that the bed of the river may be used as suggested by the Tahsildar. Movable screens made of bamboo mats and tarred will be provided for trench latrines, and these can be shifted from place to place as necessity arises.

7. A sum of Rupees 500 is provided for the repair of two streets.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
22nd October 1874.

From A. WEDDERBURN, Esq., President of the Local and Municipal Boards, Coimbatore, to Surgeon-Major W. R. CORNISH, F.R.C.S., Sanitary Commissioner for Madras, dated Coimbatore, 19th September 1874, No. 219.

Adverting to G.O., 5th September 1874, No. 1492, Financial Department, in which Government wish Presidents of Municipalities and Local Fund Boards to take full advantage of the special knowledge and experience of the Sanitary Commissioner, I have the honor to report, for your information and opinion, a plan I have lately adopted for the utilization of combustible rubbish, deodorization of latrines, and formation of a fertilizing compost, suitable for trees and crops.

2. The large expense of time and labor entailed in carrying through the town, for long distances, excreta from latrines weighted with dry earth used for its deodorization, burying it in pits, whence it had to be redug and conveyed where it might be wanted, induced me to consider whether some cheaper mode of conservancy might not be equally effectual.

3. The conveyance of earth suitable for latrines from distances was also an element of expense, as also the disposal of the large daily accumulation of combustible rubbish, which not being in any demand formed large mounds in different localities just outside the town. Although these mounds were offered for nothing to those who would remove them as field manure no appreciation of their value is shown by the ryot cultivators.

4. It occurred to me that by combustion of this rubbish a valuable wood ash would be obtained, and I consequently erected brick-cinerators, not far from each latrine, where the street rubbish is daily taken and reduced to ashes. These ashes are used in the latrine to deodorize the excreta and being of no weight do not add appreciably to the bulk of the same, and this is a consideration in a large town where each of the latrines is frequented probably by hundreds of people daily and ton weights are deposited.

5. The result of this arrangement is that there is but one movement of the street rubbish and also of the excreta, and that is the final one as a fertilizing compost. The effect of the vegetable ashes in deodorization is very remarkable, and there is no need of pugmills, as when dry earth is used. The people are in the habit of using or disposing of the wood ashes of their cookrooms, so that none could be looked for from this source.

6. I took the pattern of small cinerator from that adopted at Railway Station compounds. It costs very little and quickly consumes the rubbish, which generally consists of straw, plantain leaves, old baskets and mats, large quantities of which are thrown into the streets and bazaars, &c.

7. The ashes are stored in the bins of the covered latrines, taking up less room, and being more effectual than the heavy and bulky earth, which used to be stored for that purpose. The combined excreta and ash, or deodorized compound, is kept in a walled pit near the latrine, which can be covered with a leaf roof in case of rain. The application of this compost to cocoanut and plantain trees has resulted in a rapid and apparently healthy growth. It has also been applied with success to vegetables and to cereals, raggy, &c., with great success, of course with large quantities of water, *a sine qua non* in fact combined with irrigation.

8. The expense of sanitary conservancy being such a serious item in a populous town, and the necessity of economy being impressed on my mind by the consideration of the numerous contributaries of small means, I think the subject of sufficient interest to communicate to you for your opinion.

9. In regard to conservancy of villages under Local Funds not having Municipalities, and where there are neither funds nor necessity for erecting covered latrines, the principle of trench (or camp) latrines, where decency is observed by being fenced in by tarred bamboo screens (like hurdles), has been adopted; the street rubbish which accumulates is removed and burned near these trench latrines, and the ash used to deodorize the excreta in the trenches which can then continue longer in use than when earth is employed as a deodorizer.

10. In villages the people are in the habit of going outside to the shelter of cactus, or hedges, and there, in the open, relieving nature, so that there is no change in not providing *covered* latrines, or hardship in using the decent trench screened ones; and land for changing the sites of these trenches is more easily procurable near villages than in the vicinity of a town.

11. You are quite aware from observation, that, by old custom and want of thought, the street or village lane is the usual resort, and what an insanitary result must ensue when the approaches to villages and houses are so used.

12. It seemed to me, therefore, that the combination of cinerators and screened trenches outside villages would produce a good and economical result.

13. The subject is an unpleasant one, but as it *so essentially concerns the health of the people*, I have thought it my duty to consider every possible expedient to lessen and so render practicable the cost of a too long delayed conservancy.

No. 190. ORDER THEREON, 22nd October 1874, No. 1802.

The receipts and expenditure of the newly constituted Municipality of Caroor during the five months from the 1st November to the 31st March are estimated as follow:—

RECEIPTS.	RS.
Assignments by Government	220
Rates on Houses	500
Tax on Vehicles, &c.	200
Registration of Carts	280
Tolls	1,050
Fees	40
Fines	20
Choultries	35
Total ...	2,345

EXPENDITURE.	RS.
Public Works.	
New Works—	
Sanitary and Miscellaneous	50
Repairs—	
Communications	500
Education	20
Hospitals	466
Vaccination	20
Registration of births and deaths ...	28
Conservancy	621
Lighting...	50
Choultry...	20
Supervision and Management	368
	2,143
Balance	202
Total ...	2,345

2. The rate on Houses is proposed to be fixed at six per cent. on the annual rental, and though the amount to be realized thereby is but small, the Government consider that it is quite as high a rate as should be levied on the first introduction of the Municipal Act. Tolls are expected to realize no less than 44·7 of the total Municipal income, but as the bulk of the traffic passing through the town is carried by rail, the Government will not object to sanction the establishment of Municipal tolls subject to any modifications with regard to the mode of levy or application of proceeds which may be decided on by Government with reference to the general question of Municipal tolls now under consideration.

3. The proposed expenditure is approved generally, but the President's remarks on the subject of Conservancy should receive the careful consideration of the Commissioners, and before the commencement of the year 1875-76 measures must be taken for the furtherance of elementary education within municipal limits. In the meantime the provision of Rupees 20 as a contribution to the Local Fund Board for Inspection may be dispensed with, as no provision is made for results grants and there are no Municipal schools to inspect. It is observed that the entry

against Choultries in Statement II. does not correspond with that in Statement I.-A. If the former be correct Rupees 15 of the closing balance should be shown under (*b*) Endowments.

4. The Sanitary Commissioner is requested to report on the sanitary proposals made in Mr. Wedderburn's letter, dated 19th September 1874, No. 219, so that, if approved, it may be circulated for the information of other Municipalities.

5. In the list of Commissioners as submitted the official members are in excess of the legal proportion, as the fact that the Collector is ex-officio President does not appear to have been taken into account. The Government also agree with the President in considering that the Sub-Collector should be a member, and to bring the proportion within the provisions of the Act the names of the Taluq Overseer and Police Inspector will be omitted in the list of appointments to be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*. The Commissioners will be given the option of electing their Vice-President as in the case of all other Municipalities.

(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commission, Caroor.
,, Public Works Department.
,, Revenue Department.
,, Board of Revenue.
,, Sanitary Commissioner.
,, Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
,, Director of Public Instruction.
,, Accountant-General.
,, President of the Local Fund Boards, Coimbatore.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To

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

Dated October, 22nd.

Recd. Instl.

G.O., 22nd October 1874, No. 1802.

OCTOBER.
Nos. 189-190.

Coimbatore Municipality.—The Budget Estimates for five months of the current official year reviewed and passed. The Sanitary Commissioner requested to report on the sanitary proposals, and orders passed regarding the constitution of the Commissariat.

No. 219.

Coimbatore Collector's
Office 19th September 1874.

From,

A. Wedderburn Esquire,
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To,

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I have &c.
(Signed) J. A. Wedderburn
President.

True copy.

Wedderburn

Forwarded with a letter from the Collector of Coimbatore to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 5th October 1874. No. 83.

Copy of letter from the Municipal Commissioner of Karur, dated 15th September 1874. No. 219.

Received 7th October 1874.

Statement I. Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Funds of the town of Karur, Coimbatore District, for 1874-75

	1874-75 Detail of minor heads	Totals of major heads	Budget allotments
1. Balance brought forward.			
(a) Municipal Fund.	"		
(b) Endowments	"		
2. Assignments and allotments by Government.			
(a) Surplus pound fines	60		
(b) Ferry Rents	160		
(c) Fishery Rents			
	220		
	Rupees Cowries		
3. Rates and Taxes viz.			
(a) Rate on Horses viz. Sections 40,	500		
(b) Tax on Arts viz. Section 57.	5		
(c) Tax on Vehicles viz. Section 63.	200		
(d) Registration of Carts Section 73.	280		
(e) Tolls Section (77)	1050		
(f) Fees Sections 123 and 136.	40		
(g) Magisterial Fines Section 17.	25		
		2090	
			2310
(4) Fees in Schools and Training institutions.			

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

	1874-75 Detail of minor heads	1874-75 Totals of major heads.	Budget allotments
5. Endowments and Sundry Contributions and Donation	" " "		
(a) Hospitals.			
(b) Charities	25 " "		
(c) Educational			
(d) Miscellaneous	" " "		
6. Contribution from Local Funds	" " "		
(a) For public works.			
Communication	" " "		
School buildings	" " "		
(b) Educational			
For training Schools.	" " "		
(c) Miscellaneous			
Hospitals	" " "		
Miscellaneous	" " "		
(a) Rents of municipal markets	" " "		
(b) Rents and fees in municipal Slaughter houses.	" " "		
(c) Rents and fees in municipal Cart stands	" " "		
(d) Sale of manures (Section 98).	" " "		
(e) Private Scavengering	" " "		
(f) Sale of materials and tools and plants	" " "		
(g) Amenes.	" " "		
		25 " "	

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

	1874-75 Detail of minor heads	1874-75 Totals of major heads.	Budget allotments
8. Advance recoverable	" " "		
Total Rupees	" " "	2335 " "	

Note to Statement I.

1. House rates are proposed to be levied at 6 per cent.
2. Taxes on vehicles are levied at the rates specified in Schedule C.
3. Carts are registered at the following rates, viz: Rupees 2 per half year.
4. Tolls are levied at (half the rates) specified in Schedule D.

Statement I A Condominiums entitled to Commissioners under Sections 15 and 16, for the official year 1874-75.

Names of Institutions	Amount of Assessment	Deficiency	Excess	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries				
2. Schools				
3. Education.				
4. Miscellaneous.				
Total				

Statement II. Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Trichy for the official year 1874-75.

	Total Grant	Expenditure	Remarks
Grant I Public Works			
1. New works			
(a) Communications			
(b) Educational			
(c) Sanitary and miscellaneous	38		
2. Repairs			
(a) Communications	500		
(b) Educational			
(c) Sanitary and Miscellaneous			
3. Establishment			
4. Tools and Plants and contingencies			
5. Contribution to Local Funds			
Total Grant I	538	538	
Grant II Educational			
1. Training Schools.			
(a) Establishment			
(b) Contingencies			
2. Municipal Schools.			
(a) Establishment			
(b) Contingencies			
3. Salary grants			

Grand Total	Amount of Assessment	Deficiency	Excess	Remarks
6	7	8	9	10
Grand Total - II + III	403 35/75		378 35/75	
Add Items in Public Works Statement - II A				
Total Charge	403 35/75		378 35/75	
Deduct Municipal Contribution	25			
Total Assessment	378			
Deficiency				
Excess				
Total	403 35/75		378 35/75	

Statement II. Expenditure from the Municipal Fund. (continued).

	1874-75 Detail of minor heads.	Totals of major heads.	Budget allotment.
Grant II Education (Continued).			
4. Contributions from Funds for Education.	20 " "		
6. Miscellaneous	" " "		
Total Grant II	" 20 " "	20 "	
Grant III. Sanitation & Medical Service.	" " "		
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries			
(a) Establishment	372 " "		
(b) Medicines and Suppliés	104 " "		
(c) Diet of patients	" " "		
(d) Sundries and Contingencies	50 " "		
2. Vaccination.	" " "		
(a) Establishment	" " "		
(b) Contingencies	" " "		
3. Registration of Births and Deaths			
(a) Establishment	28 " "		
(b) Contingencies	" " "		
4. Conservancy:			
(a) Establishment	492 " "		
(b) Sanitary Service, Cost of Conservancy carts-5	120 " "		
(c) Cleansing tanks wells & Drains	" " "		
(d) Contingencies	9 " "		
(e) Feeding for municipal bullocks	" " "		
(f) For digging wells.	" " "		
(g) Purchase of Bullocks	" " "		
Total Grant III	1027 " "	1027	

Grant II Expenditure from the Municipal Fund. (Continued)

	1874-75 Detail of minor heads.	Totals of major heads.	Budget Allotment.
Grant IV. Miscellaneous Municipal purposes.			
1. Lighting.			
(a) Establishment	22 " "		
(b) Contingencies.	30 " "		
2. Markets	" " "		
(a) Establishment	" " "		
(b) Contingencies	" " "		
3. Choultries			
(a) Establishment	16 " "		
(b) Contingencies	4 " "		
(c) Feeding travellers	" " "		
4. Watering streets and planting avenues	" " "		
5. Clearing prickly pear	" " "		
6. Office rent	" " "		
7. Railway fare &c.	" " "		
8. Stamp papers.	" " "		
Total Grant IV.	70 " "	70 "	
Grant V Supervision and management			
1. Office.			
(a) Establishment	128 " "		
(b) Contingencies	140 " "		
2. Miscellaneous.			
(a) Tax Collectors	80 " "		
(b) Tin Tickets	30 " "		
(c) Printing charges	20 " "		
Total Grant V	368 " "	368 "	
Advance recoverable	" " "		
Refunds other than of Current Taxes	" " "		
Grand Total Expenditure	" " "	2018 "	
Balances	" " "	220 "	
(a) Municipal Fund	" " "	202 "	
(b) Endowments.	" " "	" "	

Statement II A Details of allotments for expenditure on Public Works estimated to cost 100 - or upwards.

Part I New Works.

No	Projection	Amount of Estimate	Paid Expenditure	Expenditure in 1874-75
a.	Communications			
	Petty Works and Reserve			
	Total			
b.	Educational			
	Petty Works and Reserve.			
b.	Sanitary and Miscellaneous.			
	Bandy pettah and Cooking Shed			
	Constructing French Latrines	50		
	Total	50		50

Part II Repairs.

No	Project	Grants	Remarks
a.	Communication		
	Petty repairs and Reserve.	500	
	Total	500	
b.	Educational.		
	Petty Repair and Reserve		
	Total		
c	Sanitary and Miscellaneous		
		50	

Statement II B Detail of Municipal Establishment

	No	Salary per annum	Salary for months	Total charge
Part I. Public Works.				
Overseer				
Masalies				
Road Coolies				
Total				
Grant II Educational				
1. Training Schools.				
Masalies				
Clerks				
Servants				
Total				
2. Municipal Schools.				
Masters				
Clerks				
Servants				
Total				
Grant III Sanitation and Medical Service				
1. Hospitals and dispensaries.				
Medical Subordinates	1	50	200	
Clerks				
Servants	1	6	24	
Total			224	224
2. Vaccination				
Vaccinators				
Peons				

Statement II B Detail of Municipal Establishment (continued).

	No	Salary per mensem			Salary for 4 months			Total
Grant III Sanitation &c (continued)								
3. Registration								
Registrars	1	7	"	"	28	"	"	
Peons	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total	"	"	"	"	28	"	"	28
4. Conservancy								
Nuisance Inspector	1	30	"	"	120	"	"	
Maistries	4	6	"	"	96	"	"	
Scavengers	6	5	"	"	120	"	"	
Tollies	3	5	"	"	60	"	"	
Sweepers	3	5	"	"	60	"	"	
Do	3	3	"	"	36	"	"	
Total					492	"	"	492
Grant IV. Miscellaneous Municipal purposes.								
1. Lighting								
Mashalchi	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	1	5	"	"	20	"	"	
	"	"	"	"	20	"	"	20
2. Markets								
Superintendents	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Servants	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
3. Choultries								
Duongars	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Servants	1	4	"	"	16	"	"	
	"	"	"	"	16	"	"	16
Grant V Superintendence and Management								
1. Office								
Manager	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Clerks	1	20	"	"	80	"	"	
Accomtants	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Peons	2	6	"	"	48	"	"	
Do	2	10	"	"	80	"	"	
Total	"	"	"	"	208	"	"	208

Statement III Municipality of Caroor.
Abstract of deposit Accomts for 1874-75

Balance brought forward.	Credited to Municipal fund
Deposits by appellants	Returned to appellants
Do by Renters	Do to Renters
Do by Contractors	Do to Contractors
Do as Security for Servants	Do to Appellants
Deposited for the execution of works for which private parties are liable	Works done.
Deposits under Sections 55, 57, 79, 122, 143, bye laws.	Returned to parties.
	Paid to claimants
	Balance.

Statement IV Municipality of Caroor
Demand Collection and Balance Statement
for the year 1874-75. Current

	1 Demand assessed	2 Collected	3 Remitted on appeal or otherwise	4 Written off as irrecoverable.	5 Total Columns	6 Balance
Rates on Houses						
1. Tax on Arts &c						
Tolls						

Subcollectors office
Caroor, 24th September 1874

" Superintendent

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collector.

	Balance old	arrears of previous years	Total demand	Collected	Remitted	Written off	[illegible] columns 4, 5, 6	Balance
Rate on houses								
Taxes on arts								
Tolls.								

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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,

Ootacd 22 Oct 74

Under the provisions of Section 7, Act III. of 1871 (the Towns' Improvement Act), the Governor in Council hereby appoints the undermentioned persons to be Town Commissioners, for carrying out in the town of Cavoor in the Coimbatore District, the purposes of the said Act.

The Sub-Collector of Coimbatore
Mr J. Nicholson Range Officer
C. Sitaramaiyah Tahsildar
The Deputy Inspector of Schools
Munisami Mudaliyar - Pensioned Hospital Apprentice
Doraisami Aiyar Vakeel
Tammalappa Mudaliyar Vakeel
Pampati Pillai
Narasimma Chetti
Venkatrama Chetti
Hassain Sahib

Ootacamund
22nd October 1874

Fort St. George
22nd October 1874

Read a letter from the Collector of Coimbatore to the Chief Secretary to Govt. dated 5th October 1874 No 183.

Resolved and Ordered that the Cavoor Municipality for 1874/75 be constituted as follows

Fort St. George
22nd October 1874

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List of persons to be appointed Commissioners in the Cannor Municipality.

1	Mr. J. Nicholson,	Range Officer.
2	Mr. J. Kerby.	Taluk Overseer.
3	C. Sitaramaiyah.	Tahsildar.
4	T. Nilamegampillai.	Police Inspector.
5	T. T. Krishna Sawmiyar.	Deputy Inspector of Schools.
6	Munisami Mudaliyar.	Passed Vakeels apprentice.
7	Doraisami Aiyar,	Vakil, Cannor Immaffs Court.
8	Tirumalappa Mudaliyar	Do. Do. Do.
9	Pasupati pillai.	Pyot.
10	Varadamma Chetti,	Merchant.
11	Venkatrama Chetti	Do.
12	Kasiem Sait.	Do.

Sub Collector's office;
Cannor, 2nd September 1814

Confirmed
by Sub Collector

Rec'd 22nd Oct 74

In a letter from the Collector of Coimbatore to the Chief Secretary to Govt No 83 dated 5th October 1874

List of persons who offered as commissioners in the Carur Municipality

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Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Coimbatore dated 5th October 1874 No. 83.

Order thereon dated 22nd Oct 1874 No 1802

The receipts and expenditure of the newly constituted Municipality of Carur during the first months from the 1st April to the 31st March are estimated as follows:—

Receipts		Expenditure.	
Grants by Govt.	220	Public Works	
Rates on Houses	500	New Works	
Tax on Vehicles &c.	200	Sanitary & Miscellaneous	50
Regn of Carts	280	Repairs	
Tolls	1050	Communications	500
			550
Fees	40	Education	20
Fines	20	Hospitals	466
Charities	35	Vaccination	20
		Regn of Births & deaths	28
	2345		1084

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Conservancy

Receipts

Rs. 2345-

Expenditure. Rs. 1084

Conservancy —	621
Lighting — — —	50
Chowkey — — — —	20
Supervision & Managt.	368
	2143
Balance —	202
	2345-

The rate on Houses is proposed to be fixed at 6 per cent on the annual rental & though the amount to be realized thereby is but small the Govt. consider that it is quite as high a rate as should be levied on the first introduction of the Municipal Act. Tolls are expected to realize no less than 44·7 of the total Municipal income but as the bulk of the traffic passing thro' the town is carried by Rail the Govt will not object to sanction the establishment of Municipal Tolls

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subject to any modifications with regard to the mode of levy or application of proceeds which may be decided on by Govt with reference to the general Question of Municipal Tolls now under Consideration.

The proposed expenditure is approved generally but the Presidency remarks on the subject of Conservancy should receive the careful consideration of the Commissioners and before the commencement of the Year 1875-76 measures must be taken for the furtherance of elementary education within Municipal limits. In the meantime the provision of Rs. 20 as a contribution to the Local Fund Board for Inspection may be dispensed with as no provision is made for Results Grants & there are no Municipal

Municipal Schools to in-
-spect. It is observed that
the entry against Choultries
in Statement II does not
correspond with that in
Statement I A. If the former
be correct Rs. 15 of the
closing balance should
be shewn under (b) Ex-
-penditure.

The Sanitary Commr.
is ~~to be~~ requested to report
on the Sanitary proposals
made in Mr. Wedderburns
letter D/19th September 1874
No. 219, so that, if approved
it may be circulated for
the information of other
Municipalities.

In the list of Com-
-missioners as submitted
the Official Members are
in excess of the legal pro-
-portion as the fact that
the Collector is Ex-Officio
President

does not appear
to have been taken into
account. The Govt. also
agree with the President
in considering that the
Sub Collector should be
a Member & to bring the
proportion within the pro-
-visions of the Act the
names of the Taluq Overseer
and Police Inspector will
be omitted in the list of
appointments to be published
in the Fort St. George Gazette.
The Commissioners will be
given the option of electing
their Vice President as in
the case of all other Mu-
-nicipalities

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To The President & Office
" Municipal Commissioner, Coimbatore
" Public Works Department
" Revenue Department
" Board of Revenue
" Sanitary Commissioners
" Surgeon General & Sec. Med. Dept.
" Director of Public Instruction
" Accountant General
" President of the Local Fund Board, Coimbatore
Gazette

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To
The Secretary Municipal Commissioner
Cuddalore.
&c &c

Dated 22 Oct. 1874
Read. } 1802

No. 522.

Nos. 189 - 195.

Cuddalore Municipality - The Budget Estimate for six months of the current official year received and passed - The Sanitary Commissioner requested to report on the Sanitary proposals - and orders passed regarding the Constitution of the Commission -