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Municipal—Reports.

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No. 157. From H. ST. A. GOODRICH, Esq., Acting President of the Municipal Commissions, Vizagapatam District, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Vizagapatam, 21st May 1875, No. 904.

I have the honor to forward, herewith, the annual reports of the Municipalities of Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, and Vizianagram for 1874-75, accompained with the annual accounts, Auditor's reports, and the statements showing the incidence of taxation prescribed in G.O., dated 12th June 1873, No. 882.

2. *Vizagapatam.*—The year opened with a balance of Rupees 4,163-0-10, the receipts during the year amounted to Rupees 18,653-14-6, making a total of Rupees 22,816-15-4. The estimated receipts for the year were Rupees 20,310 and the actuals were Rupees 18,653-14-6, showing a net decrease of Rs. 1,656-1-6. The cause of this decrease is explained by the Commissioners to be chiefly owing to a lesser amount accruing as Surplus Pound Fund during the year as compared with that of the past and to the contractors for the town tolls and the western ferry having fallen in arrears. It is hoped that this will be collected during the year without recourse to law.

3. The actual expenditure incurred during the year was Rupees 17,161-14-11, or a net decrease of Rupees 7,308-1-1 as compared with the estimated expenditure amounting to Rupees 24,470.

4. The cause of the decrease, as explained, is owing to the sum provided for digging a tank and sinking wells not having been expended during the year. The execution of the works was postponed pending the visit of the Sanitary Commissioner to Vizagapatam, which took place in January last, and then it was too late to undertake the works so as to finish anything before the close of the official year. The principal works executed during the year were—

	Rs.
1. Raising floor of market	600
2. Constructing temporary privies	1,124

5. The sanitary condition of the town on the whole was satisfactory, and the public health has been fair. The number of deaths registered was 917, or a decrease of 63 below that of the previous year. There has been no cholera; small-pox prevailed to some extent, but deaths from it were fewer than in the previous year. The vaccinators have not done their work well. The number vaccinated was 894 against 1,264 of 1873-74. Of the number vaccinated, 852 were successful. In future it is intended to place the vaccinators under the supervision of the Civil Surgeon, and to pay them in proportion to results shown.

6. The report of the Civil Surgeon on the dispensary is enclosed.

During the course of the year the town was visited by the Sanitary Commissioner, and attention is being paid to the remarks made by him with reference to the sanitation of the town. The project of the reclamation of the swamp to the west of the town is under consideration. Tenders have been invited for the performance of the work needed ; and, as soon as the cost is known, the proposals of the Municipality as to the mode in which the funds needed should be raised will be laid before Government. The provision of a better water-supply to the town is also receiving attention.

7. *Bimlipatam.*—The balance at the beginning of the year was Rs. 314-11-6. The receipts during the year amounted to Rupees 13,542-8-10 against the budget estimate of Rupees 8,050. The cause of this large increase is owing to the receipts of the Civil Dispensary, which was taken charge of by the Municipality during the year, and to the tolls of the Municipality having realized at auction Rs. 1,250 more than the amount estimated. In expenditure there is an increase of Rupees 5,313-10-0 as compared with the estimate, which is also in consequence of the transaction of the Civil Dispensary which were not estimated in.

G.O., 6th August 1874, No. 1291.

The principal new works constructed during the year were—

		Rs.	A.	P.
1.	Construction of new roads	591	0	7
2.	Do. of drains	1,486	12	5
3.	Deepening a tank	262	6	0

8. The public health has been good. There is a decrease of 36 in the number of deaths registered. There has been no outbreak of cholera, and deaths from small-pox numbered only 18. The report of the Medical Officer on the working of the Civil Dispensary is enclosed. The total income of the institution from all sources amounted to Rupees 9,348-4-8 and the charges to Rupees 8,576-8-8, leaving a balance of Rupees 771-12-0 at the end of the year to its credit. The enclosed statement of receipts and charges gives the particulars. There is also an increase in the number of cases vaccinated, the successful cases being 374 during the year against 305 of the previous year.

9. *Vizianagram.*—The receipts, including the trifling balance of Pies 4, were Rupees 10,909-6-10, or Rupees 24-6-10 in excess of the estimate. The increase is small, and calls for no special remark. With the exception of Rs. 69-5-8, the whole assets were fully utilized, the principal works excuted being—

		Rs.	A.	P.
Construction of drains		449	9	6
Do. of parapet walls		521	13	8
Do. of culverts		338	5	5
Do. of a travellers' shed		198	0	0

10. There has been an increase in the number of births and deaths registered, which were 635 and 569 against 565 and 498 of the last year respectively, and the public health has been fair. Cholera has not appeared, and the victims to small-pox were so few as five. Vaccination has improved, the number of cases vaccinated being 989, or an increase of 433 over the number vaccinated during the last year.

11. The working of the Act in all the Municipalities has been satisfactory.

12. The accounts of the three Municipalities have been audited and found correct with the exception of Rupees 5 in Vizagapatam, the cause of which is explained in paragraph 9 of the Commissioners' report.

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Referring to G.O., No. 712, dated 17th April last, I have the honor to submit a report on the elementary education of the three Municipalities in this district together with the returns called for in G.O., No. 1704, dated 7th October 1874.

2. *Vizagapatam.*—There are altogether twenty-four elementary schools in this Municipality, of which three are middle-class schools receiving results grants from Provincial Funds. Nineteen are results-grant schools paid by the Municipality, and the remaining two are neither paid by the Municipality nor inspected by the Inspector of Schools. They are self-supporting private schools, the masters receiving only fees from the boys. There are no salary-grant schools in this Municipality, and the Commissioners are of opinion that the existing number of elementary schools is quite sufficient to meet the requirements of the town. Besides the above, there are seven schools of higher standard, in which 1,173 pupils receive their education.

3. *Vizianagram.*—In this Municipality there are two schools of higher standard and attended by 124 boys and 162 girls, and two middle-class schools attended by sixty-three boys and fifty girls entirely maintained by His Highness the Maharajah. There are ten schools receiving results grants from the Municipality besides a sufficient number of private pial schools.

4. *Bimlipatam.*—There are four elementary schools receiving results grants from the Municipality besides a preparatory school established exclusively for the European and East Indian children and maintained by the Municipality and private subscriptions.

There is also a middle-class Government school attended by sixty boys and a girls' school maintained by His Highness the Maharajah. The Commissioners do not think it necessary to take any further steps for the advancement of elementary education in that town.

5. A statement showing the schools supported within, but not by, the Municipalities is enclosed for the information of Government, as this second class of schools must be taken into consideration if a fair estimate be desired of the educational facilities enjoyed by the dwellers in Vizagapatam and Waltair.

No. 159. ORDER THEREON, 17th January 1876, No. 102.

With the letter above recorded, dated 21st May 1875, the President of the Municipalities in the Vizagapatam District submits reports on the working of the Municipalities in the district during 1874-75.

2. The subjoined abstract shows the receipts and expenditure of the *Vizagapatam* Municipality as compared with those estimated for the year:—

Receipts.	Estimate. Rs.	Actuals. Rs.
Balance	4,440	4,163
Assignment by Government—		
Surplus Pound Fund ...	30	5
Rate on Houses	2,000	1,969
Tax on Arts	5,000	4,778
Tax on Vehicles	2,400	2,172
Registration of Carts	180	161
Tolls	9,900	8,960
Fees	50	44
Fines	50	149
Miscellaneous	700	416
Total ...	24,750	22,817

Charges.	Estimate. Rs.	Actuals. Rs.
Grant I.		
New Works—		
Sanitary and Miscellaneous	5,898	854
Repairs—		
Communications	2,000	1,962
Sanitary and Miscellaneous	400	808
Contributions to Local Funds	...	75
Grant II.		
Results Grants...	1,348	5
Contribution for Educational Inspectorate ...	310	258
Grant III.		
Hospitals and Dispensaries	810	704
Vaccination	450	276
Registration of Births and Deaths	270	423
Conservancy	8,540	8,041
Grant IV.		
Lighting	1,373	527
Watering Streets, &c. ...	100	63
Other Items	50	105
Grant V.		
Office...	2,586	2,646
Miscellaneous	335	415
Balance	280	5,655
Total ...	24,750	22,817

3. The receipts of the Municipality, exclusive of the opening balance, amounted to Rupees 18,654, showing a decrease of Rupees 1,656 as compared with the estimate. The decrease is due chiefly to the fact of the toll-contractors not having paid the full amount of their contract within the year. Statement IV. shows that the collections on account of house and trades tax have been satisfactory, only Rupees 977 having remained uncollected at the close of the year out of a demand of Rupees 7,371, or about thirteen per cent.

4. The expenditure amounted to Rupees 17,162 against Rupees 24,470 estimated, leaving a large unutilized balance at the close of the year of Rupees 5,655. This balance is Rupees 655 more than the income anticipated at the beginning of the year from the tax on arts, &c., specially re-imposed in order to place funds in the hands of the Commissioners to supply the most important and urgent wants of the town. It is most unsatisfactory that, notwithstanding

additional taxation, the town has not benefited to a larger extent than it would have done without it. The large decrease in the expenditure on Public Works as compared with the allotments in the budget is explained as being due to the works noted in the margin not having been taken in hand owing to the expected visit of the Sanitary Commissioner, whose opinion it was deemed desirable to obtain before undertaking the works. The Government cannot accept this explanation as satisfactory, as, however valuable professional opinion may be in regard to general schemes of water supply, &c., there is no necessity for delaying action in simple measures of such unquestionable utility as the sinking of wells in localities where they are urgently required.

1. Digging a tank.
2. Sinking new wells.

5. Under Results Grants no expenditure was incurred beyond the sum of Rupees 5, which was paid on account of 1873-74. The Vice-President accounts for this by saying that no passed bills were presented for payment during the year. The Director of Public Instruction will report why the schools were not inspected more early in the year so as to admit of bills being presented for payment before its close.

6. The only other educational expenditure incurred was the contribution of Rupees 258 to the Local Fund Board for Inspection.

7. The charge for Lighting shows a decrease, which is not explained.

8. The Government are glad to observe that the indigent lepers in the town have been provided with a separate hospital.

9. The hospital and dispensary is reported to have worked well during the year, the number of patients who obtained relief at the institution being 7,549.

10. The number of persons vaccinated is returned at 894 against 1,306 in 1873-74, and the decrease is explained as being due to the prevalence of small-pox and the strong objection of the people to vaccination during the occurrence of the malady.

11. The sum of Rupees 600 expended in raising the floor of the market is erroneously shown against Communications in Statement II. instead of against Sanitary and Miscellaneous, and the establishment for native burial-grounds appears under Hospitals instead of under Conservancy.

12. Since passing the Budget Estimates for this Municipality for the current year, His Excellency the Governor in Council has had under consideration the relative amounts appearing under the different heads of receipts. It would seem that under the present arrangements the trades tax in Vizagapatam brings in more than double the amount collected from the house-tax, and that out of the whole income of the Municipality one-half is derivable from tolls and vehicles. The burden of taxation is thus thrown in a very large proportion on commerce to the undue relief of real property. Looking to the comparatively small amount realized by house-tax, His Excellency the Governor in Council cannot but surmise that this description of property is undervalued. The President will specially report on this matter.

13. The subjoined abstract shows the receipts and expenditure of the *Bimlipatam* Municipality as compared with those estimated for the year :—

Receipts.	Estimate.	Actuals.
	Rs.	Rs.
Balance	...	315
Assignment by Government ...	...	10
Rate on Houses	1,100	1,100
Tax on Arts	...	...
Tax on Vehicles	300	274
Registration of Carts	150	183
Tolls	6,500	7,750
Fines	...	28
Endowments, &c.	...	4,072
Contributions from Local Funds for Hospitals	...	75
Miscellaneous	...	50
Total ...	8,050	13,857

Charges.	Estimate.	Actuals.
	Rs.	Rs.
Grant I.		
New Works—		
Communications	1,560	591
Sanitary and Miscellaneous	150	1,749
Repairs—		
Communications	...	734
Sanitary and Miscellaneous	790	256
Grant II.		
Training Schools	...	210
Results Grants	350	154
Inspection	50	34
Grant III.		
Hospitals and Dispensaries.	600	3,774
Vaccination	120	170
Registration of Births and Deaths	...	90
Conservancy	2,592	2,746
Grant IV.		
Lighting	550	1,037
Watering Streets, &c. ...	150	72
Grant V.		
Supervision...	908	937
Miscellaneous	50	159
Balance	180	1,144
Total ...	8,050	13,857

14. The receipts exceeded the estimate by Rupees 5,492 owing to the transfer of the hospital with its endowment during the year to the Municipal Commissioners and to the fact of the tolls having been more productive than was estimated.

15. The collections appear to have been very satisfactory as no balance is shown in the demand collection and balance statement, but this account does not appear to be correctly prepared, it being shown therein that Rupees 485-10-0 were collected on account of tax on arts, &c., out of a current demand of the same amount, while no corresponding receipt appears in Statement I. and the tax was dispensed with by G.O., 7th May 1874, No. 791, paragraph 4. An explanation is needed on this head.

15. The expenditure amounted to Rupees 12,713, and an unexpended balance of Rupees 1,144 was left at the close of the year. The particulars of charges show that the funds in the hands of the Commissioners in excess of the amount originally estimated have been utilized to a great extent, the hospital charges absorbing the greater portion.

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17*th January* 1876.

17. The charge of Rupees 210 for Training Schools requires to be explained, and the reason for the results grant to a large pial school being paid by the Local Fund Board instead of, as heretofore, by the Municipal Commissioners should be stated for the information of Government.

18. The report on the working of the hospital is satisfactory and the various miscellaneous objects of the Act, *viz.*, conservancy, vaccination, registration of births, &c., appear to have been well attended to during the year.

19. The subjoined abstract shows the receipts and expenditure of the *Vizianagram* Municipality as compared with those estimated for the year :—

Receipts.	Estimate.	Actuals.
	Rs.	Rs.
Balance	...	...
Assignment by Government...	...	21
Rate on Houses	1,050	1,034
Tax on Arts	...	...
Tax on Vehicles	1,700	2,178
Registration of Carts ...	350	404
Tolls	7,700	7,010
Fees	10	4
Fines	10	5
Miscellaneous	65	103
Advances recovered	...	150
Total ...	10,885	10,909

Expenditure.	Estimate.	Actuals.
	Rs.	Rs.
Grant I.		
New Works—		
Communications ...	1,950	1,505
Repairs—		
Communications	1,400	1,813
Other Items	25	3
Grant II.		
Results Grants	600	511
Inspection	93	77
Grant III.		
Vaccination	120	163
Registration of Births and Deaths	270	270
Conservancy	4,021	4,022
Grant IV.		
Lighting	500	429
Grant V.		
Supervision	1,696	1,625
Miscellaneous	210	422
Balance	...	69
Total ...	10,885	10,909

20. The receipts of Vizianagram were slightly in excess of the estimate, notwithstanding a decrease of Rupees 690 in the collections from tolls, owing to the increase on the amount realized from tax on vehicles and on certain minor items.

21. In Statement IV. there appears an arrear collection of Rupees 107-12-3 and an arrear balance of Rupees 1,505-12-0 on account of tolls. The former is not shown in Statement I. The President will explain the omission. The arrear balance appears to be due to the suit referred to in paragraph 5 of the Vice-President's report. Fuller information should be furnished on the point.

22. The expenditure on New Works was short of the estimate by Rupees 445, while that on Repairs exceeded the estimate by Rupees 413. The details of the expenditure on New Works give a total of Rupees 1,507-12-9 as shown in Statement II.-A., Part I., while the amount entered in the Abstract Statement II. is Rupees 1,505.

23. The number of persons vaccinated increased from 556 in 1873-74 to 989 in 1874-75. Each successful case cost Annas 2 and Pies 11.

24. The lighting of the town and the registration of births and deaths appear to have received due attention, and on the whole the working of the Act in the town is reported to be highly satisfactory, the liberality of His Highness the Maharajah of Vizianagram contributing to this result in no small measure.

25. The remarks made in the case of Vizagapatam regarding the small proportion of income contributed by real property apply also to this Municipality, and an explanation is called for.

26. The issue of this review has been delayed in the expectation that Government might shortly be in a position to pass definite orders on the subject of education in the two towns concerned. This expectation however has not up to the present time been fulfilled, and it is undesirable to withhold the review longer. The Government observe that education does not appear to receive a proper share of attention at the hands of the Municipal Commissioners in this district.

(True Extract.)

W. HUDLESTON,
Chief Secretary.

To the President of the Municipal Commissions, Vizagapatam District.
,, Public Works Department.
,, Revenue Department.
,, Board of Revenue.
,, Accountant-General.
,, Sanitary Commissioner.
,, Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
,, Director of Public Instruction.
,, President of the Local Fund Board, Vizagapatam District.

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Govt. of Madras.

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To

THE PRESIDENT OF THE
MUNICIPAL COMMISSIONS,
Visagapatam District.

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Dated January, 17*th*.

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No 1923
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Vizagapatam Collectors Office
December 12th 1874.

From,

N. St. A. Goodrich Esquire
Ag President & Municpl. Commissioner

To, The Honble D. F. Carmichael
Ag. Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

Sir,

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Your most obt. servant,

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Ag. President Municipal Commissioners

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Returns of Elementary Schools.

Le 2 Février 1874.

Le Maire de Saint Pierre
Ile Maurice
à
Son Excellence le Colonel Commandant Supérieur des Etablissements Français dans l'Inde.

Pondichéry.

Monsieur le Colonel,

Conformément à la circulaire de votre Excellence en date du 17 Janvier 1874, j'ai l'honneur de vous transmettre ci-joint le tableau des écoles primaires de garçons et de filles de la Commune de Saint Pierre, pour l'année 1873.

Veuillez agréer, Monsieur le Colonel, l'assurance de ma haute considération.

Le Maire de Saint Pierre
Ile Maurice
Signé: [illegible]

Pour ampliation
Le Chef du Bureau
[illegible]

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Colonial Department
From (Municipal / Commune)
The President
Municipal Commissioner
Vizagapatam
Recd 4th February 1874

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint George

No 2680

Dated 12th December 1873
Recd 18th

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Reporting on the number of elementary schools that are in each Municipality in the District

No 158.

Statement of Schools supported wholly or partly by Municipalities Called for in G. O. dated 7th October 1874 to 1704.

Municipality	Population Each Census		Children of School age 7 to 15 per Cent		Number of Municipal Schools	Attendance		Number of Salary Grant Schools	Attendance		Cost per pupil after deducting fees. Municipal		Salary Grant		Result Grant		Total attendance		Total Municipal Income in 1873-74	School fees	Total Educational Expenditure 1873-74.
	Male	Female	Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls			
Vizagapatam	2 15458	16198	2318	2429	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	R a D 2-1-1	"	858	"	28084	"	1293
Bimlipatam	1 4383	4444	652	666	2	40	13	"	"	"	"	"	R a D 2-13-8	R a D 7-13-3	"	"	2-1-"	"	197	13	10327	495-"	400
Vizcanagaram	3 9886	10204	1481	1530	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3-5-"	3-5-"	200	9	13255	"	640

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Enclosure No 2.

In a letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly dated 12th December 1874 No. 1923.

Statement showing the Schools Supported entirely but not by Municipalities in the District of Trichinopoly

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Statement Showing the Schools Supported within but not by municipalities in the Dist.t of Vizagapatam.

Names of Municipalities	Population last Census		Children of elementary-School going age at 15 per cent.		Names of Schools	Attendance		Remarks.
	Male	Female	Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls	
1 Vizagapatam	15458	16198	2318	2429	1 Army Boys' & Girls' Schools	41	34	
					2 Roman Catholic orphanage and Day Schools Boys & Girls	172	136	
					3 Mrs. G. L. Nursing's girls school	"	204	
					4 Hindu Anglo Vernacular School	160	"	
					5 London Mission School	268	36	
					6 Govt. Normal School	93	"	
					7 Protestant Orphanage	14	15	
					8 Anglo Vernacular School	40	"	
					9 Mr. [illegible]'s School	30	"	
					10 Mr. Venkatanarsiah's Do	8	"	
					11 Mr. Ramamurty's Do	3	"	
					12 Mr. Lutchayyah's Do	3	"	
					13 S. Kristnulu's Do	10	"	
2 Bimlipatam	4383	4444	652	666	14 High School	124	"	
					15 Boarding Girl's School	"	162	
3 Vizianagram	9886	10204	1481	1530	16 Primary School	63	"	
					17 Miscellaneous girl's School	"	50.	

Vizagapatam
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12th December 1874.

A Gordon
Acting Collector

No. 904 Vizagapatam Collector's
Office 21st May 1875

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Dispensary is enclosed.

During the course of the year the town was visited by the Sanitary Commissioner and attention is being paid to the remarks made by him with reference to the sanitation of the town. The project of the reclamation of the swamp to the west of the town is under consideration. Tenders have been invited for the performance of the work needed and as soon as the cost is known the proposals of the Municipality as to the mode in which the funds needed should be raised will be laid before Government. The provision of a better water supply to the town is also receiving attention.

Vizagapatam 7. The balance at the beginning of the year was Rs 314-11-6. The receipts during the year amounted to Rs 13,542-8-10 against the Budget estimate of Rs 8050. The excess of the Receipts over the Budget estimate is owing to the receipts of the Civil Dispensary which was taken charge of by the Municipality during the year and to the Collections of the Municipality having realized at one time Rs 1250 more than the amount estimated. In Expenditure there is an increase of Rs 6313-10-10 as compared with the estimate which is also in consequence of the transaction of the Civil Dispensary which were not estimated in.

G.O. 6th August 1874. No 1291

The Principal new works constructed during the year were:-

	Rs
1 Construction of new roads	591 - 7
2 do Drains	1486-12-5
3 Deepening a tank	262 - 6 -

8 The

8. The public health has been good. There is a decrease of 26 in the number of deaths registered. There has been no outbreak of Cholera and deaths from small pox numbered only 18. The report of the medical officer on the working of the Lunatic Asylum is enclosed. The total income of the institution from all sources amounted to Rs 9348 4 8 and the charges to 8576 8 8; leaving a balance of 771 12 - at the credit of the year to its credit. The enclosed statement of receipts and charges gives the particulars. There is also an increase in the number of cases vaccinated the re-vaccinated cases being 374 during the year against 300 of the previous year.

9. The receipts including the opening balance Vide margin. of Rs - - 4 were Rs 10969 6 10 or Rs 24 6 10 in excess of the estimate. The increase is small and calls for no special remark with the exception of Rs 69 5 8 the whole excess was fully utilized. The municipal works executed being construction of drains at Rs 449 9 6
Do of parapet walls 521 13 8
Do of culverts 338 5 5
Do of a travellers shed 198 - -

10. There has been an increase in the number of births and deaths registered which were 630 and 569 against 565 and 498 of the last year respectively and the public health has been fair. Cholera has not appeared and the visitations by small pox were so few as 18. Vaccination has improved, the number of cases vaccinated

vaccinated being 989 or an increase of 433 over the number vaccinated during the last year.

11. The working of the act in all the municipalities has been satisfactory.

12. The accounts of the three municipalities have been audited and found correct with the exception of Rs 6 in Rozigapatnam, the cause of which is explained in para IX of the Commissioners report.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt Servant

J Woodcock
Acting President.

J T R D

Report of the Municipal Commissioners for the year ending 31st March 1875

1. Receipts, exclusive of opening Balance, exceeded the Estimate by the Sum of Rs 35492.10. This Sum is due (1) to our having taken over the Hospital, and from which source we derived Rs 4147.4.1; and (2) to Tolls, which realized Rs 1250/- in excess of Estimate. Independent of Hospital money, we had a sum of Rs 9395.4.9 against an Estimate of Rs 8805.0/-

2. During the year we have spent on Lighting Rs 1023.3.1, a mode of conveyance which will doubtless be sanctioned by Government, and seems to be appreciated by the townspeople. We have 24 Kerosine lamps in the two main streets of the Town, of the Madras muster, the iron posts having been got from the Napier Foundry — Alongside Tank has been deepened at an expenditure of Rs 462.6.0, towards which Rs 46 the Maharajah of Vizianagrum was good enough to contribute Rs 200/- Rs 340.1.7 has been laid out on the Embankment

+(including opening Balance Rs 9710.0.0)

No 157

Thereby Rs 20-12.
& Rs 1744 89-91.
" " 166-155-
" " 125-20
" " 30-10
Rs 2282-

and improvement of the Roads & Bridges Drainage has been improved by the construction of 1374 yards of Vitrified Stone drains — A Road of 425 yards in length has been made through a Marshy Swamp to the Village. Under the head of Revenue, the Expenditure is limited to £70.14.11 — Education Falls short of the Estimate by £8.182.7.1 — A large Public School, to which are formerly contributed under the Results Grant System, is now provided for in a similar manner by the Local Fund Board. At the suggestion of Mr Webster we have since the month of May given £3 monthly to a female Mussulman Pupil School. A School now numbering 50 boys and professing to give similar Education to that of the Anglo Vernacular School (about half fees now established in the middle of the Year) has made repeated application to us for support, but it was thought unable to post pone consideration of the matter. The number of boys attending the Government School is 38.

In Conservancy and Management there has been no change to call for particular Notice.

3 The Registers of Births gives a total of 2613, against 2773 in 1873-74 and 2667 in 1872/73; and of deaths 196, against 232 in 1873/74 and 236 in 1872/73. The foregoing figures, therefore, show a somewhat marked decrease; while we are not disposed to consider them inaccurate, for in the matter of deaths, the Registrar is checked by the police, in as much as all funerals pass close by the two police stations of the town and cannot be known to the police almost to a certainty. Since 1st October, on receiving Special orders from government, we dispensed with the Births and Deaths Registrar and Peons, but it is owing to this cause that the foregoing diminished number are due, for in the first six months of the year, the births and deaths are respectively set down at 103 and 93, and for the last six months at 110 and 103. We do not see a necessity for re-establishing the establishment

4 The Vaccination Return shows 3714 successful cases, against 3305 in 1873/74. Considering that since the month of June, at the instigation of Mr Webster, we have held out an inducement of 4 Annas to every adult

and 2 annas to every child, successfully
vaccinated, the result is not what it
should be. Nos. S.C. have been suspended
in this way, each successful
case being attested by the Medical
Officer. We have lost no opportunity
of preaching on the people the import-
ance of Vaccination, but it has re-
quired a considerable stopping on the back
of small pox to bring the matter home
to them, and to dispel prejudice. Since
the end of December the disease has
been prevalent, and led to 49 persons
being vaccinated in January, 58 in
February, and 58 in March, or a
total of for 165 cases in 3 months out
of 3714 in the whole twelve months.

5 The management of the Hospital
came into the hands of the Commissioner
on 11th December last, about a week
before the Deputy Surgeon General
made this Annual Inspection. The
recommendations of this Officer
regarding Ventilation, latrines,
bathroom for native males &c &c
have been for the most part carried
out; and the flagging of the whole
of the flooring and general alterations
will be completed by the end of the
present month at a new outlay of about
Rs 1300. The institution will then

be efficient in every respect, and its appearance pleasant, cheerful, and orderly. On taking charge we deemed it unexpedient, if not absolutely necessary, to close the Shop, which for some years had been worked in the interest of the Hospital. This will account for the large figures appearing at the debit and credit sides of the account heads respectively. Voluntary Contributions, since we took charge, have fallen off slightly as was to be expected —— From the Shipping we invite contributions of Rs 30 for Ships under 500 tons, and of Rs 50 for all others, and from this source we hope to realize Rs 50 monthly. Independent of the Sea Shop supplied, the Receipts in the last 3 months have amounted to Rs 818. 8. 0 and the Disbursements (exclusive of the cost of Medicines) to Rs 788. 7. 6. So now that Government have sanctioned a first class Assistant Apothecary being attached to the town instead of a First class Apothecary as before decided, we shall no doubt be able efficiently to carry on the work at a cost to the Municipality not exceeding Rs 50 to 75 Monthly. The Report and Returns of the Medical Officer are forwarded herewith: these speak for themselves of the high appreciation in which the institution is held.

The Apothecary's Quarters shows a most

lively interest in his work, and has secured the confidence of the Council.

6 The general health has been good: the Act has continued to work well. The Report of the Sanitary Commissioners as to the state of the Fisher Village will doubtless receive full attention from the new Commission, but as Government will be known, the subject is not without its difficulties. For some years past we have put a stop to the building of Circular Shops & huts, and in the case of new huts have insisted on their being constructed in line with moderately wide spaces apart. The deaths from small pox numbered 18.

Bimlipatam
16th April 1875.

G. Ripley
Vice President

No 2 of 1875

Bunlipatam 16th april 75

I hereby certify that I have audited the municipal accounts of Bunlipatam for the official year 1874-75. That I have carefully compared the vouchers with the Cash-book and found all the entries correct. The balance at credit of the Municipality at the commencement of the year amounted to Rs 314-11-6 and at the closing of the Books there was a credit balance of Rs 1143. 9. 8.

I have the pleasure to state that the Books are neatly kept and I have to express my thanks for the assistance received from Mr Payne the Secretary

Wm Bell auditor

Bimlipatam 16th April 1875

The Collector,
Vizagapatam District,
Vizagapatam.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that I have audited the accounts of the Bimlipatam Municipality and to enclose my certificate.

Please instruct the Secretary of the Vizagapatam Municipality to send in the Books and vouchers without delay.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obdt Servant

W Wm Blyth.

24-4-75
1875

From

To, The Collector
Vizagapatam

No 1 dated 8/16th April 1875.

Sir

Enclosed a certificate of his auditing the Bimlipatam Municipal Accounts and requests to instruct Municipal Secretary of Vizagapatam to send the books and vouchers

No 1 Secretary's Report dated 8/6/75

1874-75.

A annual concise report of the Bimlipatam Civil Dispensary and Hospital for the official Year ending 31st March 1875.

1. Seasonal phenomena. The period under review has probably been one of the healthiest this Station has ever experienced. The temperature on the whole has been equable and agreeable. The hot season which ranges from March to the latter end of May is greatly moderated by the long South Shore winds which prevail during this period of the year.

On the 21st May the S. W. Monsoons commenced and continued off & on till the beginning of September. The amount of rainfall has been less than normal, but from the latter end of September when the N.E. Monsoon set in the quantity of rain, has much above the Average of several years past, when the wet-crops flourished yielding a good harvest.

The amount of rainfall in both the Monsoons has been 36 1/16 Inches.

II Occupancies of life. Owing to the partial failure of the S.W. Monsoons the early wet-crops suffered to a great extent, when the prices of the several kinds of grain rose.

Ghee Cakes and Raggy the staple food of the working classes are sold at 30 seers per Rs. The 2nd & 3rd sort of rice at 18 & 20 seers for a Rupee. Country Vegetables & other ordinary articles of diet are plentiful and procurable throughout the year. Fish in abundance. Beef & mutton sold in the market are inferior in quality, but cheap and within the reach of the poorest. The better classes of

Natives

Natives live principally on a Vegetable diet. they very seldom have Animal food - Europe Vegetables are imported principally from Madras and Calcutta.

Drinking water is procured from 53 pucka built wells, scattered all over the Station, the supply is both good and abundant and scarcity could never occur.

Pasturage for cattle is just now scarce.

III. General State of Public health.

During the past year 2271 in patients were treated in this Dispensary of whom 49 dieted themselves - 1274 out patients were seen and prescribed for - Eight deaths have occured which was as a general rule to people being brought to the Hospital in a dying condition from starvation and mal practice - The European residents have enjoyed comparatively good health during the period under review - The former classes of fatmes suffered from them principally at the close of the monsoons & the commencement of the cold seasons. With the exception of Small pox, the Station has been on the whole healthy -

Children of all ages and castes suffer considerably from parasitical disease chiefly Round worms.

Venereal disease prevails to a lamentable extent in this Town, it is met with in all classes of people - The number of prostitutes who practice their trade is something enormous compared to the population of the Town -

The population by the last Census was 8927 and deaths for the year according to the Register in the Municipal Office amounted to 196 and births to 213 giving the death rate as 22.2 per 1000 and births 24.2

IV Cholera -

No Cholera prevailed during this period -

V. Small pox -

Small Pox prevailed during the greater portion of the year, especially in the Fishermen villages to the North & East of the Town, where the huts are densely crowded & the Sanitary condition unsatisfactory - None have sought admission or treatment for this dreadful disease - In fact the "Wadda" & "Pallar" people consider it wrong to do anything for those afflicted with this complaint - They attribute it to the presence of the Goddess "Mariamah" and think it almost sacrilege to use any remedial means to cut short her visit - The disease has been of an modified type, though a few of them are strongly pock pitted -

During the year 409 cases were Vaccinated of which 374 were successful and 32 unsuccessful - Eighteen deaths from small pox have been registered by the Municipality during the year 1 adult and 17 children -

VI. Malarious Fever -

Ague prevails equally throughout the year - is endemic to the Station but not throughout the district - There were several intimate cases of Jungle treated as out patients, they were chiefly Lascars, peons & Menials who were in the employ of the D. P. Works and other Survey parties who visited the Hill tracts of Teypore & Beypore - Intermittent fever of the Quotidian type prevails

prevails in this Town and neighbouring villages, is amenable to the usual treatment. Four cases of Enlarged Spleen the sequels of repeated attacks of Ague came under observation amongst the out-patients Two cases of Continued Fever with Typhoid Symptoms were treated, both made good recoveries.

VII. General working of the Institution.

The Dispensary as per G. O. dated 5th Decr 74, was handed over to the Municipality. Since then the Shop attached to the Hospital has been abolished.

This Institution is supported by subscriptions from the residents, by fees from Ships Non-Subscribers & by sale of Medicines. The Municipal & Local Funds each pay 25 Rs monthly. The Maharajah of Vizianagram gives 50 Rs per mensem towards the support of the Hospital. No Contribution is made by Government to aid in the maintenance of this Institution, although there are a number of Government Officials & their families who depend upon it for medicines & advice. The Dispensary has much benefited by the transfer to the Municipality, as funds are now always available for necessary alterations and repairs. Several changes have already been made in the Hospital accommodations for Males & Females which will be entered into at length in the Annual Medical Report for this year. The Dispensary continues to be well attended and year by year the numbers resorting to it, to increase. The average daily attendance of out-patients has been 34. The principal diseases amongst in out-patients during the year, has been Visceral, Worms, Ever, Rheumatism, General Dropsy and abscess & Ulcers.

No capital operations. A large number of Minor

Minor Surgery was performed.

Eight deaths occurred in Hospital from the following diseases. Visceral 1, Anæmia 1, General Anasarca 2, Acute Pneumonic Phthisis 1, Necrosis 1 (Pericardites Supervened.) General Debility 1 & Privation 1. (in an Old man).

One Casualty occurred in the out-door European Sick from Apoplexy.

VIII. Financial Condition and Funded Capital of the Municipality.

The management of the Hospital is in the hands

J. Stone Asst
In Dept. charge Station

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1st April 75
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Bimlipatam

Civil Dispensary

Annual Abstract Report

Rd 22nd April/75

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Bimlipatam.

Civil Dispensary

Annual abstract return of sickness and mortality for the year 1874-75

	Average Annual Strength	Remained 31st March 1874	Admitted 1874 April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	1875 January	February	March	Total	Total Treated	Discharged	Died	Remaining 31st March 1875	Average daily sick for the year
In patients	Population { Europeans 289, Natives 8538, Total 8,827																			
Europeans		1	"	2	3	4	1	3	"	2	2	1	4	3	25	26	26	-	-	3/4
Natives		5	13	16	13	18	21	22	16	17	26	12	12	16	202	207	182	8	17	15/2
Out patients																				
Europeans		"	185	177	102	217	143	129	172	101	94	113	80	86	1599	1599		1		4 1/3
Natives		"	896	808	996	891	1025	975	713	817	826	921	833	1174	10,875	10,875				29 2/3

Bimlipatam.
1st April 1875

John Ramer
1st Class Assist Apothy
In Medl Charge Station

Ad 22d Apl 75

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Civil Dispensary

Annual Abstract return of Sickness and mortality for the year ending 31st March 1875.

Ad 22d Apl 75

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Bimlipatam

Civil Dispensary

Annual Abstract return of Sickness and mortality for the year ending 31st March 1875.

Natives

1874-75 Dispensary at Bimlipatam Annual Return of Sick of In & Out Patients

In-Patients

Average daily sick 15 1/2

		Remained 31st March 1874	Admitted Since	Total treated	Discharged: Cured	Discharged: Relieved	Discharged: Not cured	Discharged: Total	Died	Remaining 31st March 1875
I	**General Diseases**									
Sub Division A	Ague	"	12	12	11	"	"	11	"	1
	Feb: Remitt	"	2	2	2	"	"	2	"	"
Sub-Division B	Gonorrhœal Rheut	"	5	5	5	"	"	5	"	"
	Rheumatism Chs	"	2	2	2	"	"	2	"	"
	Chr. Osteo. Arthritis	"	2	2	"	"	1	1	1	"
	Primary Syphilis	"	19	19	5	"	1	16	1	2
	Bubo	1	1	2	2	"	"	2	"	"
	Secondary Syphilis	"	15	15	13	"	2	15	"	"
	Lepra	"	16	16	3	7	1	11	"	5
	Scrofula	"	6	6	4	"	2	6	"	"
	Purpura	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Anæmia	"	6	6	2	"	"	2	1	3
	General Dropsy	"	8	8	5	"	1	6	2	"
	Beri Beri	"	4	4	4	"	"	4	"	"
II	**Local Diseases**									
Nervous System	Paralysis	"	2	2	1	"	"	1	"	1
	Epylepsy	"	2	2	2	"	"	2	"	"
	Neuralgia	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Dementia	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	1
Dis: of Eye	Amaurosis	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Respiratory System	Bronchitis act:	1	2	3	3	"	"	3	"	"
	Asthma	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Hæmoptysis	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Acute Pneumonia Phth:	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	1	"
	Chr: Pneumonic Phthisis	"	2	2	1	1	"	2	"	"
Digestive System	Dyspepsia	"	2	2	1	1	"	2	"	"
	Dysentery	3	2	5	5	"	"	5	"	"
	Hernia Obstructed	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Diarrhœa	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Colic	"	5	5	5	"	"	5	"	"
	Constipation	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Hæmorrhoids	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Condyloma of Anus	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Hepatitis	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Jaundice	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Splenitis	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Ascites	"	2	2	"	2	"	2	"	"
Genito Urinary System	Retention of Urine	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Gonorrhœa	"	4	4	4	"	"	4	"	"
	Paraphymosis	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Organic Stricture	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Orchitis	"	2	2	2	"	"	2	"	"
	Prolapsus Uteri	"	1	1	"	1	"	1	"	"
	Retroverted Uterus	"	1	1	"	1	"	1	"	"
	Abortion	"	2	2	2	"	"	2	"	"
	Metro. peritonitis	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Ostitis	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Necrosis	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	1	"
	Hyphosis	"	1	1	"	1	"	1	"	"
Cellular tissue	Abscess	"	5	5	5	"	"	5	"	"
Cutaneous System	Psoriasis	"	3	3	3	"	"	3	"	"
	Rupia	"	1	1	"	"	1	1	"	"
	Herpes	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	1
	Ulcer	"	12	12	11	"	1	12	"	"
	Carbuncle	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Whitlow	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Tumor	"	2	2	2	"	"	2	"	"
	Itch	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
III	**Conditions**									
	General Debility	"	7	7	5	1	"	6	1	"
	Privation	"	3	3	2	"	"	2	1	"
V	**Injuries**									
	Simple fracture	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Contusion	"	11	11	9	"	1	10	"	1
	Wounds	"	3	3	1	"	"	1	"	2
VI	**Surgical Operation**									
	Amputation	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
	Total	5	202	207	155	16	11	182	8	17

Bimlipatam.
1st April 1875

John R Shier.
Assist: Apothecary
In Med. charge Station

Abstract of the Preceding Return

Classes of Diseases	In-Patients: Remained 31st March '74	Admitted	Total treated	Discharged	Died	Remaining 31st March '75
Sub-Division A	"	14	14	13	"	1
-do- do- B	1	85	86	71	4	11
Nervous System	"	6	6	5	"	1
Eye	"	1	1	1	"	"
Respiratory System	1	7	8	7	1	"
Degestive	3	19	22	22	"	"
Urinary	"	7	7	7	"	"
Generative	"	7	7	7	"	"
Locomotive	"	3	3	2	1	"
Cell. T	"	5	5	5	"	"
Cutaneous	"	22	22	21	"	1
Conditions &c	"	10	10	8	2	"
Injuries	"	15	15	12	"	3
Surgical Operations	"	1	1	1	"	"
Total	5	202	207	182	8	17

Monthly Abstract of Sick of In & Out Patients included in the Annual Return

	In. Patients: Admitted	Died	Daily Sick	Out. Patients: Admitted	Died	Daily Sick
January 1875	12	3	10 26/31	"	"	29 22/31
February "	12	2	10 6/7	"	"	29 21/28
March "	16	"	9 2/31	"	"	37 27/31
April 1874	13	1	10 2/3	"	"	29 26/30
May "	16	"	10 18/31	"	"	26 2/31
June "	13	"	8 7/15	"	"	33 6/30
July "	18	"	22 16/31	"	"	28 23/31
August "	21	1	14 3/31	"	"	33 2/31
September "	22	"	31 4/5	"	"	32 15/30
October "	16	"	12 20/31	"	"	23
November "	17	1	16 19/30	"	"	27 7/30
December "	26	"	27 21/31	"	"	26 20/31
Total	202	8	565 3/365	"	"	10875/365
Average Annual	No		15 1/3	No		29 2/3

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Bimlipatam.

Civil Dispensary.

Annual Medical Report.

History of the Institution &c.

Bimlipatam is a small but rising sea-port-town in the Northern Circars in Lat 17°.53 North and Long 83°.27 East and 16 Miles to N.E. of Vizianagram. It is situated at the foot of a range of Hills composed chiefly of red-sand stone and Laterite - from 10 to 100 feet above sea level - bounded on the North by the backwater and Main road to Chittavalsa, on the South by Sand Hills and Sea, on the East by the Sea and on the West by a range of Hills. The Municipal limits comprise an area of 4 Square Miles. The population according to the latest census is 8827. Since 1872 a New Town composing chiefly of Brahmin houses has come into existence, it is situated to the extreme South end of Bimlipatam. Every available spot of ground is now taken advantage of and houses are being built daily.

The town proper is intersected by good broad Metallic roads which are kept scrupulously clean and in repair by the Municipality. The two principal roads are now lighted nightly. The fishermen villages on the East and North are overcrowded, a few by lanes are required to intersect these parts to insure ventilation & to prevent accumulation of filth & sweepings behind their houses.

The conservancy of the Town is attended to by the Municipality, the sweepings are removed to the adjoining fields by ryots for agricultural purposes

poor spaces. There are no public latrines. The people resort to sites set apart for that purpose. The wealthier classes have private latrines attached to their dwellings with a trap door facing the street, to prevent the Scavenger from entering into their houses. The conservancy of these privies is very unsatisfactory.

The water supply is good and abundant and is procured from 12 wells dispersed throughout the Town. The drainage of the Town is natural from its elevated position and natural configuration. The drainage from houses is effected by means of small artificial channels leading from inside the houses and terminating in the side drains.

The Town is rather bare of Vegetation. An attempt has been made by the Municipality to plant trees on the road sides, with every hope of success.

Hindus are buried or burnt out of Municipal limits. Mahomedans are buried at a distance from the Town. Christians are buried inside the Town near the beach facing the flag staff, it in no way interferes with the health of the public.

The Dispensary was first opened in April 1864 in a small temporary thatched building on the West end of the Town on a plot of ground known as the "Ward Factory". The present building was then in course of Construction and was completed, about the middle of 1866. This institution was established

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for the convenience of the Merchants and other residents of the town and Shipping in the roads, who would otherwise have to apply to Vizagapatam a distance of 16 miles the nearest station for competent Medical Aid. Prior to this, Messrs Arbuthnot & Co had a small Private dispensary attached to their factory at Chittivalsa, and a Pensioned Apothecary was employed to tend to the requirements of their workmen and other residents of Bimlipatam requiring medical advice.

From 1863 to the latter end of 74 the affairs of the Hospital was managed by a Committee of 3 Members chosen annually by the Subscribers. This Institution was up to the end of December last chiefly a Private one, being supported by the people, by fees from Ships & from sick non-subscribers, by sale of Medicines & profits derived from the sale of Wines, Spirits, Beer, Perfumery & other luxuries not provided by any other Native Shops in Town. The Municipal & Local Funds did contribute the 25 Rs monthly the payment of the salary of the Medical Officer on condition that he performs all duties required by Government.

On the 1st December last the Government was pleased to take charge of the Dispensary from the Hospital Committee and transfer it over to the Municipality for its better management. Since then the Charge has been abolished.

It is now supported by subscriptions from the people from the Shipping in the roads, Local fund contribution, by the receipts of Vizianagrams & mainly by the Municipality

There are several Hindoo Physicians in the town, none have as yet gained any kind of notoriety in the healing art - The better classes natives and Government have a recourse to the Hospital for treatment, rather than apply. -ing to their own native practitioners. Medical Cases in the wealthier classes seldom or ever apply for advice to the Hospital, unless their own Physicians fail in performing a cure, or when the patient is at deaths door, when they as call in one they expect a speedy cure - Surgical cases such as fractures, Carbuncles, large abscesses are all brought to the Dispensary - Native Doctors acknowledge the superiority of English treatment in these cases to their own. The following are some of the chief English medicines in use in their practice. Calomel is given in Venereal cases to salivation - Aqueous solution of Chloroform Mixed Sores Ulcers and as an injection in Gonorrhea in any stage - Potassio-Iodide in Secondary Syphilis - Tonic Sulphate and Quinine in Fever. Cajeputi oil in Chronic Rheumatism, Jalap & Croton Seeds as a purgative - Opium as an Anodyne - Peppermint oil in Colic and Dyspepsia - Linseed oil as an external application in Headaches & Pains in Rheumatism and Chronic Coughs.

A Mohammedan Doctor made his appearance a few months ago in the Town & opened out at a place of business in the main road near the market, where there is always a large concourse of people from morning till night - He soon informed & operated on

On several cases of Cataract and was successful in a few but failed in the majority - After a short stay here he abruptly left the Station to seek his fortune in some other place - There are no Lithotomists about the Station or District, in fact a Hindoo practitioner has not the power to operate in any Surgical case requiring cutting - they are afraid of injuring a "nerve" or some vital part which prevents them from operating.

The majority of the natives both educated & uneducated have an antipathy to be Vaccinated. that only a Comparatively few of them could be persuaded to avail themselves of the prophylactic. The lower classes are in such a depraved state of ignorance, that no argument whatever could overcome their deep prejudices - They are so truth to any innovation so Strong are this, & principally the Brahmin caste has for the past ten months held out a fee for all successful cases of Vaccination, & twice then the lower classes especially the Fishermen & Cuddalore caste people who were so averse to the operation, have now come forward readily & presented simply to receive the fee. Time and advance of Civilization will alone overcome their obstinacy. There are no Inoculators about the Station, they generally make their appearance once a year, from the Hill tracts about Coimpore, Seypore & Wynaad District.

The following Medical Warrant-Officers & Hospital Assistant have in charge of the Institution

Institution from the date of its establishment.

Apothecary J. Quinn from April 1863 to June 1873.

From June 73 to Feby 1874 2d Class Apothecary J. J. O'Flynn was Post Surgeon in Medical charge of the Station.

From 1st to 22d March 74 3d Class Hospital Apprentice P. Sathenanthen, during the indisposition of Mr O'Flynn.

From 23d March 74 up to date 1st Class Apprentice Apothecary S. C. Kenir has been in temporary charge.

The Dispensary is situated at the extreme S. W. end of the Town, at the foot of the Pagoda Hill. It is built on an eminence surrounded by a stone wall. The front of the building faces the South and is shut out from the cool winds by a range of hills. It is a great pity that the Institution is not more centrically situated, so as to be within easy reach of all the Town people. From the accompanying plan the different Sub-divisions of the Hospital are at once seen.

No 1 (Ward) or Native Male Ward is subdivided by an archway, the front half is 25-1/2 × 18 × 14½ feet high, it has 1 door and 4 windows all ventilated & could accommodate 6 patients, the rear or No 2 Ward is 23 × 18 × 14½ feet high, it has 4 windows & 3 doors all ventilated & could accommodate 6 patients; so that 12 male patients could with the present Comfort be housed in this long Ward.

* Forwarded to the Dy Surgeon Genl Madras.

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The European Ward is situated to the right of the 1 Ward, it is 23¼ × 18 × 16½ feet high, it has 2 doors & 2 windows all ventilated & could now accommodate 4 patients. This is the Ward which was reported as defective in ventilation in the last inspection by the Deputy Surgeon General Madras.

The Female Native Ward is to the left of No 1 Ward it is 23 × 18 × 14½ feet high, has 3 doors & windows all ventilated and has 8 feet Space for 4 cots. The female Venereal Ward is a portion of the Verandah enclosed on the West angle of the building, it is 25¾ × 8¾ × 16¾ feet high, has 1 door & 2 windows, the latter are ventilated and could accommodate 6 patients. The Lying in Ward is situated on the opposite Side, is of the same Dimensions as the female Venereal Ward, has 8 feet space for 2 cases. it has 1 door & 3 windows, the latter are all ventilated.

The whole of the Hospital flooring is being paved with granite.

The Caste work house has been converted into a Latrine & Lavatory for females, as it is, in close proximity to the female Ward.

The female Latrine with a few alterations has been made into a work house for Caste people & the dead house in contiguity into a Kitchen for Europeans Attached to the Hospital.

The Male Latrine with a few changes is being built like the plan forwarded to accommodate 2 persons at a time.

A dead house is in course of construction it is far away from the main building it is situated S.E. of the dispensary.

The native male ward is the enclosed verandah on the S.E. angle of the Hospital.

The dispensary continues to be well attended by all castes & sexes year by year the numbers resorting to it increasing. The following is a comparative table showing the No of admissions, Average daily sick & total of deaths of in & out patients from the Establishment of the Dispensary —

Year.	Total Admissions		Average daily sick		Total Deaths	
	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out
63-64	24	3979	Record	15	3	6
64-65	23	2875	not	9	3	7
65-66	"	"	"	"	"	"
66-67	"	"	"	"	"	"
67-68	"	"	"	"	"	"
68-69	"	"	"	"	"	"
69-70	"	"	"	"	"	"
70-71	38	8,588	3	Record	3	Record
71-72	106	10,951	3¼	30	4	"
72-73	145	11,041	6½	30½	11	"
73-74	156	8,036	5½	26	7	"
74-75	227	12,474	16¼	34	8	

Record Not found —

The sick of the Jail Tabulary are treated in common with the other patients — They are not included in the accompanying Annual Returns. During the year 20 cases, have been under treatment, most of these being Fever and Venereal diseases. Both Medicines required for the Public sick are obtained from the Dispensary Store.

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I. Observations on the climate and seasons of the past year, and the Conditions of public health in the Station and Surrounding district.

The climate of the Station and Surrounding district was good during the greater portion of the year. The temperature on the whole has been mild & agreeable. On the 21st May the S.W. Monsoons set in, there was a marked deficiency of rainfall for this season. The early wet crops were almost destroyed from want of water. In Septr the N.E. Monsoons commenced & made up for the deficiency of the first half of the year. The rainfall measured 36 6/16 Inches about the average. The large tank at Chittambur burst its Eastern bund and overflooded a portion of the neighbouring villages and paddy fields. The heavy N.E. Monsoons did not in any way prove prejudicial to public health. Towards the close of the 1st quarter of the year Small pox made its appearance in the Fishermen village to the South of the Town. There have been eighteen deaths from this disease recorded in the Municipal Mortuary returns. It has been of a modified type. The infection was imported into the Station from Trichinopoly, where it has been prevailing for several months before it first made its appearance here. On the whole public health has been good during the period under review.

II. Detailed narrative of any Epidemic disease.

With the exception of Small pox, no other Epidemic prevailed in the Town or in the Surrounding District.

III. Principal Diseases and Causes of disease prevalent during the year.

Venereal disease prevails to a lamentable extent in this Town, it is met with in all classes & castes of people. Ague is endemic. Abscess Ulcers Gleet

General dropsy and Contusions give the largest per centage Pitch Wk amongst the in and out door patients. Children of all ages suffer considerably from parasitical disease principally Round worms. The presence of this parasite is characterized by a variety of symptoms in some Diarrhœa, in others Dysentery but in the majority of cases Intermittent fever. The only class of people (Butchers) who live chiefly on inferior beef are prone to Tape worm. It is worthy of observation that Elephantiasis which is very common at Vizagapatam is not met with here. The people attribute this exemption to the purity of the water & salubrity of the climate. Lepers are not so numerous in this Station as in Vizagapatam. There are 20 of them under treatment, 15 are self supporting & the remaining 5 are dieted at the Hospital, but live outside.

IV

Special or remarkable cases suitable for communication to the Inspection, extracted from the Case Book

No cases of unusual interest presented themselves during the year with the exception of the 2 following cases of Tetanus which occurred amongst the out door patients.

The first was a boy about 12 years of age who accidentally put his right hand in an oil mill, while it was in motion, a portion of his fingers and hand got crushed. He was brought to Hospital on the 4th day of the accident, when the whole injured hand was greatly swollen and in the verge of gangrene. The little and ring fingers with their Metacarpal bones were entirely destroyed & the 1st & 2d phalanx of the middle finger laid bare to the bone. The dead tissues were removed and the hand

Sealed

sealed up with Carbolic acid oil & Castor oil cotton. The wound healed very kindly. On the 14th day of admission tetanus set in & continued to rise for a week. Small & repeated doses of Chloral Hydrate was given throughout the attack, with marked benefit. The paroxysms gradually subsided & the patient made an uninterrupted recovery.

The 2d case was Idiopathic in its nature. It occurred in a Fisherman Lad about 16 years of age. He was brought to the Dispensary in a violent spasm which came off & on, every few minutes which threw him into various painful contortions, of his features occurring at intervals. Jaws firmly closed. 1/8 of a grain of the Extract Calabar Bean was given every 6 hours with no effect. The boys bowels being constipated for several days before admission a strong dose of Calomel & Jalap was ordered, when he passed a large round brown. Suspecting worms, 2 grains of Santonine was given him to 3 doses when he passed several thin worms. But the paroxysms continued with the usual severity. The Extract Calabar Bean was again repeated in 1/2 grain doses every hours, in a couple of days. the Spasms gradually left him & the boy was quite restored to health & able to come about in a weeks time.

V.

Surgical Operations performed during the year with results.

No capital operations were performed during the year. A great number of Minor Surgery comprising the following were operated on. Paracentesis abdominis twice in the same case. Amputation of small joints in severe Contusions chiefly occurring on board Coasting & Pattimar Factory.

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A very large number of hydrocles tapped - Removal of tumors, foreign bodies & polypus - Circumcisions for Incipient Pulmonal disease & Phimosis & setting up fractures. With the exception of the case of Paracentesis abdominis all have done well -

VI

Economic Statistics & management of the Hospital, accompanied by a financial Statement showing the income & expenditure & Medical Capitula of the year -

Financial statement annexed. The Management & support of the Dispensary now made over to the Municipality on the 1st Dec. last Agreeably to G. O. dated 5th Dec. 1874 -

The change has much benefited the Dispensary & several alterations have been made in the accommodations for both sexes -

VII

Instructions as to suspension of dying in. Wards, if any -

During the past year 3 cases of Midwifery were attended to, in the Hospital one in Brahmin woman at her own house. A Portion of the Verandah on the N. W. angle of the female Ward has been enclosed and is intended for the Lying-in-Ward - Some prejudice has still to be overcome before this portion of the Institution is resorted to, as it ought to be - With the services of an Europeon nurse, there is every hope that such cases will hereafter come to the Hospital

See page 6.

VIII.

Changes in, or additions to Hospital buildings during the year -

Bishop Station
1st April 1875

John C Rainey
1st Class Assist. Surgeon
In Medl. charge Station.

Oct 22nd/75.

1874-75
Bimlipatam
Civil Dispensary
Annual Return
of Sick

Europeans

1874-75 Dispensary at Bimlipatam annual Return of sick of In & Out patients

	In-Patients Average daily Sick 3/4								
	Remained 31st March 1874	Admitted Since	Total Treated	Discharged: Cured	Discharged: Relieved	Discharged: No Letter	Discharged: Total	Died	Remaining 31st March 1875
Ague	"	4	4	4	"	"	4	"	"
Influenza	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Chronic Rheumatism	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Neuralgia	"	2	2	2	"	"	2	"	"
Purulent Ophthalmia	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Hypertrophy of Heart	"	1	1	"	1	"	1	"	"
Bronchitis	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Tonsillitis	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Dyspepsia	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Dysentery	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Diarrhœa	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Constipation	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Hæmorrhoids	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Hepatitis	"	2	2	2	"	"	2	"	"
Erythema	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Privation	"	2	2	2	"	"	2	"	"
Alcohol	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Contusion of Eye	"	1	1	1	"	"	1	"	"
Contusion	1	1	2	2	"	"	2	"	"
Total	1	25	26	25	1	"	26	"	"

Abstract of the preceding Return

Classes of Diseases	In Patients: Remained 31st March 1874	Admitted	Total treated	Discharged	Died	Remaining 31st March 1875
Sub-Division A.	"	5	5	5	"	"
- do - do - B.	"	1	1	1	"	"
Nervous System	"	2	2	2	"	"
Eye	"	1	1	1	"	"
Circulatory System	"	1	1	1	"	"
Respiratory System	"	1	1	1	"	"
Digestive	"	8	8	8	"	"
Cutaneous	"	1	1	1	"	"
Privation	"	2	2	2	"	"
Alcohol	"	1	1	1	"	"
Contusions	1	2	3	3	"	"
Total	1	25	26	26	"	"

Monthly Abstract of Sick of In & Out Patients included in the Annual Return

	In-Patients: Admitted	Died	Daily Sick	Out-Patients: Admitted	Died	Daily Sick
January 1875	1	"	1/8	"	"	6 1/6
February "	4	"	3/4	"	"	5 22/31
March "	3	"	1 1/2	"	"	3 2/5
April 1874	"	"	1/2	"	"	7
May "	2	"	1/2	"	1	4 19/31
June "	3	"	3/4	"	"	4 3/10
July "	4	"	1 1/4	"	"	5 1/2
August "	1	"	1/4	"	"	3 1/2
September "	3	"	3/4	"	"	3
October "	"	"	3/4	"	"	3 1/3
November "	2	"	1/4	"	"	3
December "	2	"	3/4	"	"	3
Total	25	"	8 1/8	"	1	1509/365
Annual Average No.			3/4	No.		4 1/3

Remarks.

Annual Statement of Expenses for 1874-75

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In the Management of the Municipality

Medical Officer in charge during the year.

1st Class Assistant Apothecary J. C. Rainier.

Bimlipatam
1st April 1875

John C. Rainier
Assist. Apothecary
In Med. charge of Station

22d/4/75

1874-74.
Europeans.
Dispensary at Bimlipatam
Annual Return of Sick.

J. Thos. D. Davies
Assist. Apothecary.

Bimlipatam
Civil Dispensary.

Financial Statement Exhibiting the working of the late Shop and Dispensary for the year 1874-75.

In Patients... 5896.
Out Patients... 12474. } Total 18370.

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To Balance in hand 1st April 1874	1269	9	5
" Received during the year viz:			
From Municipality	375	"	"
" Local Fund	300	"	"
" European Subscription or donations	2230	8	"
" Native do do	816	"	"
" Sales of Medicines &c to Persons not entitled to gratuitous issue	140	12	1
" Sales of Shop Articles	1216	7	2
Total income	9348	4	8
Total Expence	8576	8	8
Balance on hand 1st April 1875 Rs	771	12	"

Dr.

By Medical Officer's Salary	1843	8	8
" do Subordinates Salary	260	"	"
" Servants Wages including Shop Writer	648	8	9
" European Medicines from Medical Stores	367	11	9
" European Medicines purchased	659	15	5
" Wines and Spirits	118	1	8
" Other Charges Viz:			
Contingent Expence	644	10	7
Bills for Shop Stores	2943	10	6
" Alterations and repairs to Hospital building	562	"	"
" Boring Suits	528	5	4
Total Rs	8576	8	8

I Certify the above to be a correct return of the income and Expenditure of the Bimlipatam Civil Dispensary for the year 1874-75

Bimlipatam
31st March 1875

G. Ripley

Vice President Municipal
Commission Bimlipatam

Town of Bindlipatnam

Incidence of the various Rates and Taxes in the Municipality of Bindlipatnam for 1874.5

Distinctive Class of Assessable Income	Population affected	Description and Object of Tax.	Classes from and Property from which levied	Number of Persons	Amount of Tax	Incidence of Tax: Per head of population	Incidence of Tax: Per head of Tax payers	Sector under which, and date of Act under which levied
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		1 Rates on Houses and Buildings at 3 P. Cent	On all Sited and Leased Houses	415	Rs 1099.11.2	Rs 0.2.0	Rs 2.10.4	
		2 Rates on Lands at 1 P. Cent	None					
		4 Tax on Carriages Horses &c		23	Rs 274.2.0	Rs - - 6	Rs 11 14.8	
		5 Fees on the Registration of Deeds		85	Rs 182.12.0	Rs . . 4	Rs 2.2.4	
		6 Tolls at 1/2 rates			Rs 750.0.0	Rs 14.1	Rs	
		Object General purposes of the Act						

Bindlipatnam
19th May 1875.

J. M. Mallant
Vice-President.

Act XIII of 1871
1st April 1874

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Municipalatown during the Official year 1874 .. 5.

	1874.5 Detail of minor heads. Rs.	A.	P.	1874.5 Totals of major heads. Rs.	A.	P.	Estimate for 1874.5 Rs.	A.	P.
1. Balance brought forward—				314	11	6			
(a.) Municipal Fund									
(b.) Endowments									
2. Assignments and allotments by Government—									
(a.) Surplus Pound Fund				10	5				
(b.) Ferry Rents									
(c.) Fishery Rents									

3. Rates and Taxes, &c.—	Arrear. Rs.	A.	P.	Current. Rs	A.	P						
(a.) Rate on Houses, &c (Section 40.)				1099	11	2				1100		
(b.) Taxes on Arts, &c. (Section 57)												
(c.) Taxes on Vehicles, &c. (Section 63)				274	2					300		
(d.) Registration of Carts (Section 73)				182	12					150		
(e.) Tolls (Section 77)				7750						6500		
(f.) Fees (Sections 106 123, 125, 130, 131, 52, 136, bye laws, and Schedule A.)												
(g.) Magisterial Fines (Sections 17)				8	8							
1/2 Dog & Cart tax				204								
							9335	5	2			
4. Fees in Schools and Training Institutions							9660	5	8	8050		

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund &c. (*Continued.*)

—	1874.5 Detail of minor heads. Rs.	A	P	1874.5 Totals of major heads. Rs.	A.	P.	Estimate for 1874.5 Rs.	A	P.
Brought over.....	.	.	.	9660	5	8	8050	.	.
5. Endowments and sundry Contributions and Donations:—									
(a.) Hospitals...									
(b.) Choultries...	.	.	.	4072	4	1			
(c.) Educational...									
(d.) Miscellaneous...									
6. Contributions from Local Funds—									
(a.) For Public Works									
Communications...									
School Buildings...									
&c., &c., &c.,									
(b) Educational—									
For Training Schools...									
&c., &c., &c.,									
(c) Miscellaneous—									
Hospitals							75	.	.
&c., &c., &c.,									
7. Miscellaneous—									
(a.) Rents of Municipal Markets...									
(b.) Rents and Fees in Municipal Slaughter-house...									
(c.) Sale of Sweepings (Section 98)...									
(d.) Private scavenging...									
(e.) Sale of materials and Tools and plants.... ...									
(f.) Avenues...							49	10	4
(g.) Fines imposed on Municipal Servants...									
(h.) Fees on Pendals G. O. dated 7th November 1867.									
(i.) Fee on Commercial Shed...									
							13857	4	4
							8050	.	.

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund, &c.—(*Concluded.*)

—	1874.5 Detail of minor heads. Rs.	A.	P.	1874.5 Total of major heads. Rs.	A.	P	Estimate for 1874.5 Rs.	A.	P.
Brought over.....	.	.	.	13857	4	4	8050	.	.
(k.) Rent of Fishery Tank...									
(l.) Do of Back Water Ground.									
(m.) Fee on Cart Nos.									
8. Advances recovered—									
(a.)									
(b.)									
(c.)									
Total... ...	.	.	.	13857	4	4	8050	.	.

NOTE TO STATEMENT I.

1. House and land rates are levied at 3 per cent.
2. Taxes on Arts, &c. are at the following rates.

   (*e.g.*—The maximum schedule rates, or half schedule rates, or such and such classes and items at such and such rates. Half Rates.
3. Taxes on vehicles are levied at the rates mentioned in Schedule C.
4. Carts are registered at one Rupee for each registration.
5. Tolls are levied at half the rates mentioned in Schedule D.
6. License fees are at the rates sanctioned in G. O.

STATEMENT I. A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Commissioners under Sections 15 and 16, for the official year 1874-75

Name of Institution.	Amount of funded Capital.	Balance.	Interest or produce of land.	Appropriation from Capital for expenditure.	Contributions and donations of all kinds.	Sale of medicines or sundry property.	Total (Columns 3—7.)	Current charges (Statements II. and III.)	Allotted for Public Works, Statement II. A.	Total charges.	Balance.	Remarks,
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries.....												
2. Choultries...												
3. Educational.												
4. Miscellaneous,...												

STATEMENT II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Pimlapatam

for the Official year 1874-5

	1874-5 Detail of minor heads Rs.	A.	P.	1874-5 Total of major heads. Rs.	A.	P.	Estimate for 1874-5 Rs.	A.	
GRANT I.—(Public works)—									
1. New Works—							1710		
(a.) Communications — Roads	591		7						
(b) Educational. — Drains	1486	12	5						
(b.) Sanitary and Miscellaneous. — Tanks	262	6		2340	3				
2. Repairs.—	393	6	8				790		
(a.) Communications — Bandy Road	340	1	7						
(b.) Educational	256	5	5	989	13	8			
(c.) Sanitary and Miscellaneous,									
3. Establishment.—									
4. Tools and Plant and Contingencies									
5. Contributions to Local Funds—									
(a.) For									
(b.) &c, &c.									
Total, Grant I.				3330	8		2500		
GRANT II.—(Education)—									
1. Training Schools—	210						180		
(a.) Establishment.									
(b.) Contingencies.									
2. Municipal Schools—									
(a.) Establishment.									
(b.) Contingencies.									
3. Salary Grants									

STATEMENT II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund &c. (*Continued.*)

	1874.5 Detail (minor heads).			1874.5 Total (major heads.)			Estimate for 1874.5		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Brought over.....	210	.	.	.	.	.	180	.	.
GRANT II.—Education—(concluded)									
4. Results Grants.	154	.	.				350	.	.
5. Contribution to Local Funds for Educational Inspectorate...	33	8	11	.	.	.	50	.	.
6. Miscellaneous.									
Total, Grant II...	.	.	.	397	8	11	580	.	.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services.									
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries.—									
Civil Dispensary.									
(a.) Establishment.									
Hospital for contagious diseases	896	.	.	.	.	.	600	.	.
(b.) Medicines and Supplies.	2805	12	8						
(c.) Diet of Patients									
(d.) Sundries and Contingencies.									
2. Vaccination.—	724	.	.						
(a.) Establishment	374	8							
(b.) Contingencies...	120	.	.	.	.	.	120	.	.
3. Registration of Births and Deaths.—	50	8	.						
(a.) Establishment.									
(b.) Contingencies.	90	.	.						
4. Conservancy—									
(a.) Establishment.									
(b.) Sanitary Service. (cost of Conservancy Carts &c.)	2497	.	.	.	.	.	2350	.	.
(c.) Cleansing of Tanks, Wells and Drains... ...	249						234	.	.
(d.) Contingecies.									
Total, Grant III...				6780	8	8	3312	.	.

STATEMENT II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund &c. (*Continued.*)

	1874.5 Detail (minor heads).			1874.5 Total (major heads.)			Estimate for 1874.5		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Brought over.....									
GRANT IV.—Miscellaneous Municipal purposes.									
1. Lighting.—									
(a.) Establishment.	14	.	.						
(b.) Contingencies...	1023	3	1						
2. Markets.—									
(a.) Establishment									
(b.) Contingencies.									
3. Choultries.—									
(a.) Establishment.									
(b.) Contingencies.									
(c.) Feeding Travellers.									
4 Water Sheds.—									
(a.) Establishment.									
(b.) Contingencies.									
5. Watering Streets and Planting avenues.—									
(a.) Establishment.									
(b.) Contingencies.	71	14	11						
6.									
Total, Grant IV...				1109	2	.			
GRANT V.—Supervision and Management.									
1. Office.—									
(a.) Establishment.	827	.	.	.	.	.	804	.	.
(b.) Contingencies...	110	3	10	.	.	.	104	.	.
2. Miscellaneous.—									
(a.) Auditor's Fee	50	.	.	.	.	.	50	.	.
(b.) Postage & Stamps	27	.	.	.	.	.			
Printed Returns &c.	82	2	7	.	.	.	50	.	.
Total, Grant V...				1096	6	5	1008	.	.
Advances recoverable...									
Refunds other than of current taxes.									
Grand Total Expenditure...				12713	10	8			
Balance...				1143	9	8			
(a.) Municipal Fund.									
(b.) Endowments									
Total....				13857	4	4			

(a) includes Stationery

STATEMENT II-A.—Detail of Allotment for Expenditure on Public Works estimated to cost Rupees 100 or upwards.

PART I.—NEW WORKS.

No.	Project	Amount of Estimate.	Past Expenditure.	Expenditure in 1874,5.	Remarks.
(a)	Communications		3086.15.4	591.7	
1	Roads	500..			
2	Petty works & Reserve	150..			
	Total	650..	3086.15.4	591.7	
(c)	Sanitary & Miscellaneous				
1	Drains, Tanks & Wells.	1060..	2241.4.9	1486.12.5 262.6.	
	Total	1060..	2241.4.9	1749.2.5	
	Grand Total	1710..	5328.4.1	2340.3.0	

PART II REPAIRS.

No.	Project.	Grant.	Remarks.
(a)	Communications		
1	Roads	393.6.8	
2	Bandy Stand	340.1.7	
	Total	733.8.3	
(c)	Sanitary & Miscellaneous	163.14.7	
1	Drains	36.12.6	
2	Tanks & Wells	55.10.4	
3	Petty Repairs & Reserve		
	Total	256.5.5	
	Grand Total	989 13 8	

STATEMENT II-B.—Detail of Municipal Establishments.

—	No.	Salary per mensem. Rs.	A.	P.	Salaries per annum. Rs.	A.	P.	Totals, major heads.
GRANT I.—Public Works—								
Overseers.								
Maistries.								
Road Coolies.								
&c.								
Total..								
GRANT II.—Education—								
1. Training Schools—								
Masters								
Clerks								
Servants...								
Total..								
2. Municipal Schools—								
Masters								
Clerks.								
Servants...								
Total .								
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—								
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—								
Medical Subordinates	1	150	.	.	600	.	.	4 months at do
Clerks	1	25	.	.	100	.	.	
Servants...	7	49	.	.	196	.	.	
Total...	9	224	.	.				896.0.0
2. Vaccination—								
Vaccinators	1	10	.	.	120	.	.	
Contingencies					50	8	.	
Total..	1	10	.	.				170.8.0

STATEMENT II.-B.—Detail of Municipal Establishments—(*Concluded.*)

—	No.	Salary per mensem. Rs.	A.	P.	Salaries per annum. Rs.	A.	P.	Totals, major heads.
GRANT III.—Sanitation, &c.—(*Concluded.*)								
3. Registration—								
Registrars...	1	10	.	.	60	.	.	
Peons	1	5	.	.	30	.	.	
Total...								90 . . 6 Months
4. Conservancy—								
Nuisance Inspectors	3	90	.	.	1080	.	.	
Maistries	2	11	12	.	141	.	.	
Scavengers	12	39	.	.	468	.	.	
Toties	19 4	42	12	.	513	.	.	
Peons		28	.	.	336			
&c., &c. Carts & Bamboo Mats		.		.	249	.	.	
Total...								2787
GRANT IV.—Miscellaneous, Municipal purposes—								
1. Lighting—								
Massaljies...	2	7	.	.	14	.	.	
Total...								14 . 2 Months
2. Markets—								
Superintendents								
Servants								
3. &c., &c.								
Total...								
GRANT V.—Supervision and Management—								
1. Office—								
Manager	1	35	.	.	420	.	.	
Clerks	1	20	.	.	240	.	.	
~~Accountants~~ Auditors Fee ...		.		.	50	.	.	
Peons	2	14	.	.	168	.	.	
Postage Vernps & Stationery		.		.	27	.	.	
~~Tax Collectors~~ ... ... Printed Returns		.		.	82	2	7	
&c., &c. Tools		.		.	110	3	10	
Total...								1097.6.5

STATEMENT III.— Municipal of Nimlipatam

Abstract of Deposits Account for the year 1874-5

	RS	A	P		RS	A	P
Balance brought forward				Credit to Municipal Funds			
Deposits by appellants				Returned to appellants			
Do. by renters				Do. to renters			
Do. by contractors				Do. to contractors.			
Do. as security by Municipal servants.				Do. to Mnnicipal Servants. ...			
				Work done			
Deposited for the execution of work for which private parties are liable				Returned to parties....			
				Paid to claimants.			
Deposits under Sections 55, 76, 79, 122, 143, 149, or bye-laws.				Balance...			
Total...				Total...			

STATEMENT IV.—Municipality of Bimlipatam

Demand, Collection, and Balance Statement for the year 1874.5

CURRENT.

——	1 Demand asssessed.			2 Collected.			3 Remitted on appeal or otherwise.			4 Written off as irrecoverable.			Total, (Columns 2, 3, 4.)			Balance.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Rate on Houses, &c.,... ...	1099	11	2	1099	11	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1099	11	2			
Taxes on Arts, &c.	485	10	.	485	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	485	10	.			
Tolls.	7750	.	.	7750	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7750	.	.			
Total...	9335	5	2	9335	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	9335	5	2			

ARREARS.

——	1 Balance of old demand			2 Arrears of previous year.			3 Total demand			4 Collected.			5 Remitted			6 Written off.			Totals, (columns 4, 5, 6,)			Balance.		
	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs	A	P	Rs	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P
Rate on Houses &c.																								
Taxes on Arts, &c.																								
Tolls.																								
Total..																								

Bimlipatam
16th April 1875

Town Asst. auditor
G. Ripley
Vice President

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This is to certify that Rupees (69-5-8)
Sixty Nine, Annas five, and pice eight, of Municipal
Fund Remained in Deputy Tahsildar's Treasury
at this station on the 31st March 1875.

Vizianagram
1st April 1875

Deputy Tahsildar
In charge of Treasury

Vijeanagaram
3rd May 1875.

To,

H. St. A. Goodrich Esq^re
The Acting President
Municipality Vijeanagaram

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 549 of 3rd Ult: addressed to the Vice President, I respectfully beg leave to inform you that I have audited the accounts of this Municipality for the year 1874-75 and found them correct; and that the accounts are kept in a very satisfactory manner.

I beg to remain
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant.
V. V. Kothanda Rama

Vol II

To

The A.S President Mun.l Comm.rs Vizianagram
Vizagapatam

Sir,

I have the honor to Submit the Report on the working of the Municipal Commission Vizianagram together with the original Statements of Receipts and Expenditure for the year Ending on the 31st March 1875, and duplicate Statement left with Auditor.

2. The balance in hand at the close of the last official year was Rs 3-0-4 and the Receipts under all heads during the year are Rupees 10909-6-6 leaving a balance of Rs 69-5-8 on the 31st March 1875 as certified by the Vizianagram Deputy Tahsildar, Certificate herewith forwarded.

3. The numbers of Municipal Commissioners in this municipality including the Inspector and Deputy Inspector of Schools is 10, and the number of meetings held during the year is 27.

4. Tax on houses and lands. The demand under this head is Rs 1050-0-0 and the amount Collected is Rs 1034-5-1 and the decrease amounting to Rs 15-10-11 was written off on account of vacant houses and Individuals being too poor to pay the same.

5. The Contract of tolls for the year under review was 7700-0-0 or Rupees 690 less thereby the Collection under this head is only Rs 7010-0-0 on account of the Contract not having realized at auction the amount expected by the Commissioners. The Civil Suit is still pending of tolls for 1872-73, of this Suit a sum of Rs 107-12-3 was received from the Civil Court at Vizagapatam in our favor against the decision of Moonsiffs Court at Vizianagram. The plaintiff appealed to the High Court at Madras, who again decided the Case in our favor and returned the Suit to the Moonsiffs Court at this station to be tried again on its merits, thereby an additional outlay was expended under this head making in all outstanding Rs 1505-12-0 and not Rs 1497-8-0.

6. Registration of Carts. The Estimate was Rupees 350-0-0 and the amount Collected is Rs 404-0-0 being in excess of the estimate of Rupees 54-0-0.

7. Tax on Carriages and animals. The Estimate under this head is Rupees 1700-0-0 and the Collection is Rupees 2178-8-0 being an increase over the estimate of Rupees 478-8-0 on account of additional horses and Carriages belonging to His Highness the Maharajah and other native Gentlemen residing in Municipal limits.

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Secretariat
Rec.d May 5.75

8. The Expenditure under all heads are as follows:-

1 New Works	}	Rs 1505 – 2 – 9
2 Repairs		" 1812 – 13 – 4
3 Tools and plants works		" 2 – 9 – 10
4 Result grants & Inspecting Agency		" 588 – 2 – 8
5 Vaccination including fee for children		" 163 – 3 – 3
6 Registration of Births & Deaths		" 270 – " – "
7 Conservancy		" 3499 – " – "
8 Lighting		" 428 – 13 – 5
9 Office		" 1625 – " – "
10 Miscellaneous		" 443 – 3 – 11
Grand total Expenditure		" 10840 – 1 – 2

9. Works completed during the year are as follows:- 1464½ yards Brick arch tunnels of 2-3 and 4 feet wents. 2867½ yards of Rough stone drains of Rough stone and chunam. 2753½ yards V cut stone drains. One new travellers' Shed pucka built in room of an old one removed, and materials deducted from the new contract. The old shed was badly situated for travellers to occupy in passing through the Town. 620 yards of parapet wall built of Rough stone and chunam to prevent the roads from being washed away on tank bank in Monsoon weather.

10. Repairs 13879 yards of Road average breadth 8 yards were Repaired in different parts of the Municipality. 3227½ yards of Rough stone drains were chunamed. Bridge of 6 feet span widened 2 yards on account of the Road being narrow where the same was situated for Carriages to pass. 6 Wells and Latrine were placed in thorough Repair. Several pits were filled up; Earthen drains cut, and dirty Scum cleared away from the tanks during the year and Croton destroyed and removed in different parts of the Town.

11. The number of vaccine operation during the year was 989 being in excess of last year by 433, of this number under 1 year of age 123 and above 1 year 866. of the former 121 and 761 of the latter were Successful, and the Remainder not known not being Inhabitants of the Municipality but strangers. A small fee was given to the parents for having their children vaccinated. Though the fee was small only 3/4 of an anna or 9 pice, it was the means of enticing many of the parents to come forward. Taking into consideration the amount of expenditure under this head Costs Rs a – 2 – 11 per each Successful Vaccination.

12. The Registration of Deaths and Births for the year is as follows:- Births 635 and 569 Deaths against 565 Births and 498 Deaths during 1873. out of the deaths Registered during the year 5 from Snakes 387 from Fever, 9 from Bowel Complaints, 4 from one Accident, and the rest in number 164 from all other Causes. On the whole of the health of the Town has been good.

13. The latrines are cleaned daily. Sundry pits have been filled up, where stagnant water used to remain Disinfecting powder and Carbolic acid Constantly being used for the purpose of keeping the Town free from unpleasant Smells.

14 – 50 Lamps are in use in this Municipality to shew light to the Inhabitants and travellers passing through the Town in dark nights only.

15. The tanks and wells in this Municipality gave a good supply of water during the year.

16. In addition to the works Carried out by the Municipality. His Highness the Maharajah had an additional arch of 9 feet span added on to the Bridge of 3 arches of the same dimensions on tank bund, and parapet wall erected at his own expense to prevent people from falling into the tanks.

17. The Commissioners are highly Satisfied that the works and Repairs made during the year and the measures adopted for the Cleanliness and lighting of the Town has been of great benefit and Comfort to the Inhabitants Residing therein.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant

Vizianagram
3rd May 1875

P Jagannatha Rz
Vice President
Municipal Council Vizianagram

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STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Bijnagapuram during the Official year 1874-75

	1874-75. Detail of minor heads. Rs.	A.	P.	1874-75. Totals of major heads. Rs.	A.	P.	Budget Estimate of 74-75. Rs.	A.	P.
1. Balance brought forward—									
(a.) Municipal Fund	"	"	"	"	"	4	"		
(b.) Endowments	"	"	"	"	"	"			
2. Assignments and allotments by Government—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(a.) Surplus Pound Fund	21	"	10	21	"	10	"	"	"
(b.) Ferry Rents	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(c.) Fishery Rents	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

3. Rates and Taxes, &c.—	Arrear. Rs.	A.	P	Current. Rs	A.	P								
(a.) Rate on Houses, &c (Section 40.)	"	"	"	1034	5	1	1034	5	1	"	"	"	1050	"	"
(b.) Taxes on Arts, &c. (Section 57)	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(c.) Taxes on Vehicles, &c. (Section 63)	"	"	"	2177	8	"	2177	8	"	"	"	"	1700	"	"
(d.) Registration of Carts (Section 73)	"	"	"	404	"	"	404	"	"	"	"	"	350	"	"
(e.) Tolls (Section 77)	"	"	"	7010	"	"	7010	"	"	"	"	"	7700	"	"
(f.) Fees (Sections 106 123, 125, 130, 131, 52, 136, bye laws, and Schedule A.)	"	"	"	4	"	"	4	"	"	"	"	"	10	"	"
(g.) Magisterial Fines (Sections 17)	"	"	"	5	"	"	5	"	"	"	"	"	10	"	"
							"	"	"	10634	3	1			
4. Fees in Schools and Training Institutions							"	"	"	10655	14	2	10820	"	"

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund &c. (*Continued.*)

	1874-75						Budget Estimate of 1874-75		
	Detail of minor heads.			Totals of major heads.					
	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A	P.
Brought over.....	"	"	"	10655	14	3	10820	"	"
5. Endowments and sundry Contributions and Donations:—									
(*a*) Hospitals...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*b*) Choultries...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*c*) Educational...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*d*) Miscellaneous...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
6. Contributions from Local Funds—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*a*.) For Public Works	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Communications	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
School Buildings...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
&c., &c., &c.,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*b*) Educational—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
For Training Schools	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
&c., &c., &c.,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*c*) Miscellaneous—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Hospitals	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
&c., &c., &c,	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
7. Miscellaneous—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*a*.) Rents of Municipal Markets...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*b*.) Rents and Fees in Municipal Slaughter-house...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*c*.) Sale of Sweepings (Section 98 Covering)	27	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*d*.) Private scavenging...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*e*.) Sale of materials and Tools and plants.... ...	16	8	6	"	"	"	65	"	"
(*f*.) Avenues	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*g*.) Fines imposed on Municipal Servants...	59	11	1	103	3	7			
(*h*.) Fees on Pendals G. O. dated 7th November 1867.									
(*i*) Fee on Commercial Shed...									
Carried over	"	"	"	10759	1	10	10885	"	"

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund, &c.—(*Concluded.*)

	1874-75.						Budget Estimate of 1874-75		
	Detail of minor heads			Total of major heads.					
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P	RS.	A	P
Brought over.....	"	"	"	10759	1	10	10885	"	"
(*k*.) Rent of Fishery Tank...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*l*.) Do of Back Water Ground.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*m*.) Fee on Cart Nos.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
8. Advances recovered—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*a*.) On Account of Conservancy ...	104	12	3	"	"	"	"	"	"
(*b*.) On Account of Water Rent	42	8	9	150	5	"			
(*c*.)									
Total... ...	"	"	"	10909	6	10	10885	"	"

NOTE TO STATEMENT I.

1. House and land rates are levied at 3 per cent.
2. Taxes on Arts, &c. are at the following rates. Not levied

   (*e.g.*—The maximum schedule rates, or half schedule rates, or such and such classes and items at such and such rates.
3. Taxes on vehicles are levied at the rates mentioned in Schedule C.
4. Carts are registered at ~~one~~ 2 Rupee ~~for each registration.~~ per Cart per Annum
5. Tolls are levied at half the ~~rates mentioned in~~ Schedule D. Rates
6. License fees are at the rates sanctioned in G. O.

Vizianagram
21st April 1875

S Jagannatha Raz
Vice President Mc Com.

J Mayne Esq
Joint Superintendent and
Mc. Secretary

V Kothandarama
Auditor

STATEMENT I. A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Commissioners under Sections 15 and 16, for the Official year 1874-75

Name of Institution.	Amount of funded capital.	Balance	Interest or produce of land.	Appropriation from Capital for expenditure.	Contributions and donations of all kinds.	Sale of medicines or sundry property.	Total (Columns 3—7.)	Current charges (Statements II. and III.)	Allotted for Public Works, Statement II. A.	Total charges.	Balance.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
2. Choultries.	"	"	"	"	Nil.	"	"	"	"	"	"	
3. Educational...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
4. Miscellaneous.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	

Vizagapatam
28th April 1875

V. Kottunda Rama
Auditor

P Jagannatham
Vice President Mc Com.rs

J. Morgan
Junr Superintendent Mc Com.rs
and Secretary

STATEMENT II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Cuttack

for the Official year 1874-75

	1874-75 Detail of minor heads			1874-75 Total of major heads.			Budget Estimate of 74-75		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT I.—(Public works)—									
1. New Works—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(a.) Communications	1805	2	9	1805	2	9	1950	"	"
(b.) Educational.	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(b.) Sanitary and Miscellaneous	"	"	"	"	"	"			
2. Repairs.—	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(a.) Communications	1512	13	4	1512	13	4	1600	"	"
(b.) Educational	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(c.) Sanitary and Miscellaneous, ...	"	"	"	"	"	"			
3. Establishment.—	"	"	"	"	"	"			
4. Tools and Plant and Contingencies	2	9	10	2	9	10	25	"	"
5. Contributions to Local Funds—	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(a.) For	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(b.) &c. &c.	"	"	"	"	"	"			
Total, Grant I.	3320	9	11	3320	9	11	3575	"	"
GRANT II.—(Education)—	"	"	"	"	"	"			
1. Training Schools—	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(a.) Establishment, ...	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(b.) Contingencies...	"	"	"	"	"	"			
2. Municipal Schools—	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(a.) Establishment	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(b.) Contingencies, ...	"	"	"	"	"	"			
3. Salary Grants	"	"	"	"	"	"			

STATEMENT II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund &c. (*Continued*)

	1874-75 Detail (minor heads) Rs.	A.	P	1874-75 Total (major heads.) Rs.	A.	P	Budget Estimate of 1874-75 Rs.	A.	P.
Brought over.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
GRANT II.—Education—(concluded)									
4. Results Grants.	510	12	"	510	12	"	600	"	"
5. Contribution to Local Funds for Educational Inspectorate...	77	6	8	77	6	8	93	"	"
6. Miscellaneous.									
Total, Grant II...	"	"	"	588	2	8	693	"	"
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services.									
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries.—									
Civil Dispensary.	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(a.) Establishment, ...	"	"	"	"	"	"			
Hospital for contagious diseases	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(b.) Medicines and Supplies.	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(c.) Diet of Patients	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(d.) Sundries and Contingencies.	"	"	"	"	"	"			
2. Vaccination.—									
(a.) Establishment.	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(b.) Contingencies... Lues pus Cholerique ...	120	"	"						
3. Registration of Births and Deaths.—	43	3	3	163	3	3	120	"	"
(a.) Establishment.	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(b.) Contingencies.	270	"	"	270	"	"	270	"	"
4. Conservancy—	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(a.) Establishment.	"	"	"	"	"	"			
(b.) Sanitary Service. (cost of Conservancy Carts &c	3999	"	"						
(c.) Cleansing of Tanks, Wells and Drains... ...	"	"	"						
(d.) Contingecies. Washerb Charlies N. 25 ...	23	3	4	4022	3	4			
Total, Grant III...	"	"	"	4455	6	7	4021	"	"

STATEMENT II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund &c. (*Continued*)

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	1874-75 Detail (minor heads). Rs.	A.	P.	1874-75 Total (major heads.) Rs.	A.	P.	Budget Estimate of 1874-75 Rs.	A.	P.
Brought over.....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
GRANT IV.—Miscellaneous Municipal purposes.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1. Lighting.—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(a.) Establishment.	90	"	"						
(b.) Contingencies... Civil Hospital Bungalow ...	338	13	8	428	13	8	500	"	"
2. Markets.—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(a.) Establishment.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(b.) Contingencies.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
3. Choultries.—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(a.) Establishment.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(b.) Contingencies.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(c.) Feeding Travellers.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
4 Water Sheds.—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(a.) Establishment.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(b.) Contingencies.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
5. Watering Streets and Planting avenues.—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(a.) Establishment.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(b.) Contingencies.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
6.									
Total, Grant IV...	"	"	"	428	13	8	500	"	"
GRANT V.—Supervision and Management.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1. Office.—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(a.) Establishment.	1625	"	"	1625	"	"	"	"	"
(b.) Contingencies...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
2. Miscellaneous.— Vide detail Statement II	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(a.) B. Grant V Miscellaneous	255	12	7						
(b.) do 2	166	4	"	422	"	7			
Total, Grant V...	"	"	"	2047	"	7	1906	"	"
Advances recoverable...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Refunds other than of current taxes.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Grand Total Expenditure...	"	"	"	10840	1	2	10888	"	"
Balance...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
(a.) Municipal Fund.	"	"	"	69	5	8	"	"	"
(b.) Endowments	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total....	"	"	"	10909	6	10	"	"	"

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21st April 1875
Vice President Mc Comm

P. Jagannath Rao
Assistant Secretary
Assess Superintendent
and Mc Secretary

Verified and found correct
Auditor

STATEMENT II-A.-Detail of Allotment for Expenditure on Public Works estimated to cost Rupees 100 or upwards.

PART I.—NEW WORKS.

No.	Project	Amount of Estimate.	Past Expenditure.	Expenditure in 1874-75	Remarks.
1	Rough Stone drains	600-0-0	0	469-9-6	
2	V Cut Stone drains				
3	Parapet Walls	250-0-0	0	521-13-8	
4	Culverts	200-0-0	0	338-5-5	
5	Travellers Sheds	0	0	198-0-0	Not in Annual Budget
		8511	0	1503-12-7	X

PART II REPAIRS.

No.	Project.	Grant.	Remarks.
1	Roads	1666-8-4	
2	Budgi	30-0-0	
3	Cabbries	17-12-0	
4	Wells	37-4-0	
5	Drains	21-8-0	
	Conservancy		
6	Cutting drains. Filling of Pits clearing of Jaunts and destroying craters	40-0-0	
	Grand Total	1812-13-4	

Examined
21st April 1875

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Vice President M.C. Comm.

J Mayhew
Assn Superintendent and
M.C. Secretary

STATEMENT II-B.—Detail of Municipal Establishments.

—	No.	Salary per mensem. Rs.	A.	P.	Salaries per annum. Rs.	A.	P.	Totals, major heads.
GRANT I.—Public Works—								
Overseers.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Maistries.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Road Coolies.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
&c.								
Total..	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
GRANT II.—Education—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
1. Training Schools—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Masters	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Clerks	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Servants...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total..	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	
2. Municipal Schools—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Masters	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Clerks.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Servants...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total..	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Medical Subordinates	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Clerks	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Servants...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
2. Vaccination—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Vaccinators	1	10	"	"	120	"	"	
Fees for children being vaccinated	"	" "	"	"	43	3	3	
Total..	1	10	"	"	163	3	3	163-3-3

Vizianagram
28th April 1875
Vakkaluma Ramanna
Assistant

S Jagannadha
Vice President Mc. Com.

J. Macartney
Sanitary Inspector and Municipal Secretary

STATEMENT II.-B.—Detail of Municipal Establishments. (*Continued.*)

—	No.	Salary per mensem. Rs.	A.	P.	Salaries per annum. Rs.	A.	P.	Totals, major heads.
GRANT III.—Sanitation, &c. (*Concluded.*)								
3. Registration.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Registrars.	3	22	8	"	270	"	"	
Contingencies.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Stationery and Printing Charges ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total...	3	22	8	"	270	"	"	270
4. Conservancy.—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Inspectors.	3	31	"	"	378	"	"	
Do.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Do.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Do.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Do.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Do.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Maistries.	3	10	8	"	120	"	"	
Drain-flushers.	6	19	8	"	234	8	"	
Diggers....	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Men Sweepers.	13	42	4	"	507	"	"	
Women do.	80	112	8	"	1350	"	"	
Men Toties.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Women do	26	58	8	"	702	"	"	
&c. &c. Bandymen and Bandies	7	86	"	"	672	"	"	
Total...	108	334	4	"	3999	"	"	3999
GRANT IV.—Miscellaneous, Municipal purposes	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
1, Lighting.—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Massaljies.	3	7	8	"	90	"	"	
Contingencies.								
Total...	3	7	8	"	90	"	"	90
2. Markets.—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Superintendents.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Servants...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
3. &c. &c.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
GRANT V.—Supervision and Management—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
1. Office—	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Secretary.	1	75	"	"	900	"	"	
Accountants.	1	25	"	"	300	"	"	
Clerks	1	15	"	"	180	"	"	
Peons.	2	10	"	"	120	"	"	
Tax Collectors	1	7	"	"	84	"	"	
&c. &c. Tax Peon	1	5	"	"	5	"	"	Discharged
Office Sweeper	1	3	"	"	36	"	"	
Total...	8	140			1625	"	"	1625

Vizianagram
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Vice President Municipal Com.

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STATEMENT II. B.—Detail of Municipal Establishments (*Concluded.*)

—	No.	Salary per mensem. Rs.	A	P	Salaries per annum. Rs.	A	P	Totals, major heads
GRANT V. Supervision & Management (Concluded)								
(b.) Contingencies								
Stationery.		60	8	6				
Regulation Boards								
Printing Charges, ...		34	1	10				
Court and Law Expenses								
Binding Office Books.		116		3				
Purchase of land for Municipal Purposes								
Postage and Receipt Stamps.		9	11					
Sundries. Pens Ink & Sour Cans &c ...		12	12					
Totol....					255	12		
2. Miscellaneous.								
Auditing Municipal Accounts								
Travelling Expenses for Municipal Purposes								
Translating Municipal Proceedings ...		58	12					
House Rent of Municipal Office ...		108						
Total					166	12		

Vizianagrum
21st April 1875

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Vice President M.C. Vizn

Major Hall
Senior Superintendent and
Municipal Secretary

V. Kotthunda Raiu
Auditor

STATEMENT III.—Municipal of Vizianagrum

Abstract of Deposits Account for the year 1874-75

	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Balance Brought forward				Credit to Municipal Funds, ...			
Deposits by appellants... Fall .. Contractors	1752	8		Returned to appellants. Fall .. Contractors	1752	8	
Do. by renters.				Do. to renters.			
Do. by contractors				Do. to contractors			
Do. as security by Municipal servants.				Do. to Municipal Servants. ...			
				Work done.			
Deposited for the execution of work for which private parties are liable				Returned to parties.			
Deposits under Sections 55, 76, 79, 122, 143, 149, or bye-laws, ...				Paid to claimants.			
				Balance...			
Total...	1752	8		Total...	1752	8	

Vizianagrum
21st April 1875

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STATEMENT IV.—Municipality of Vizianagram

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			Total, (Columns 2, 3, 4.)			Balance.		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Rate on Houses, &c.,... ...	1050	"	"	1034	8	1	15	10	11	"	"	"	1050	"	"	"	"	"
Taxes on Arts, &c.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Tolls.	7700	"	"	7010	"	"	"	"	"	690	"	"	7700	"	"	"	"	"
Total...	8750	"	"	8044	8	1	15	10	11	690	"	"	8750	"	"	"	"	"

ARREARS.

—	1 Balance of old demand			2 Arrears of previous year.			3 Total demand			4 Collected.			5 Remitted			6 Written off.			Totals, (columns 4, 5, 6,)			Balance.		
	RS.	A	P	RS.	A	P	RS.	A	P	RS.	A	P	RS	A	P	RS	A	P	RS.	A	P	RS.	A	P
Rate on Houses &c.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Taxes on Arts, &c.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Tolls.	1497	8	"	"	"	"	1497	8	"	107	12	3	116	"	3	"	"	"	223	12	6	1273	12	"
Total...	1497	8	"	"	"	"	1497	8	"	107	12	3	116	"	3	"	"	"	223	12	6	1273	12	"

Vizianagram
24th April 1875

Signed
Town Superintendent
and Mc. Secretary

Countersigned
Vice President Mc. Comr.

W. Kothanda Rama
Auditor

Incidence of the various Rates and Taxes in the Municipality of Vizianagram for 1874-75.

District or Place in which Situated	Population at last Census	Description and object of Tax	Classes from and property upon which Levied.	Number of Tax Payers	Amount of Tax	Incidence of Tax Per head of Population	Incidence of Tax Per head of Tax-payers	Rate or Order, under which, and date from which, Levied
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
In the Town of Vizianagram	20090	1. Rates on houses and buildings at 3 per cent.	Houses & Buildings	1619	1034 5 1	0-0-9 17/20	0 10 2	27c/1619
		2. Rates on lands at 3 per cent.	Lands	37	30 8 11	0-0-0 5/20	0 13 2	21/37
		3. Tax on Carriages horses &c. at the rates mentioned in Schedule C.	Carriages horses & other animals	210	2177 8 -	0-0-5 16/20	10 5 10	180/210
		4. Fees on Registration of Carts at 2 Rupees per Cart per annum.	Carts	202	404 - -	0-0-3 12/20	2 - -	
		5. Tolls at half the rates mentioned in Schedule D.	For Carriages Carts, horses &c entering the limits.	-	7010 - -	0-6-6 12/20	- - -	
				2068	10656 6 -	0-8-5 16/20	13 13 2	

Vizianagram
21st April 1875.

W. Rothwell Rawes
Auditor

J. J. Agraudatter Esq.
Vice President M. C.
Vizianagram

F. Hillyard
Joint Superintendent &
Secretary.

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To,

H. St. A. Goodrich Esq.
President M. C.
Vizagapatam

Sir,

I have the honor to report the operations of the Municipality at Vizagapatam during the Official year 1874-75.

Under G.O. dated 7th May, No 791, & 9th October, No 1718, the following Estimates of Receipts & Expenditure were passed.

Receipts		Charges		
Balance.		Grant I.		
(a) Municipal Fund	4440	New Works	895	
Assignments & Allotments by Govt	30	Repairs	2400	8298
Rates & Taxes		Grant II.		
House Tax	2000	Results Grants	1348	
Tax on Arts &c	3000	Inspectorate	310	1658
Do Vehicles &c	2400	Grant III.		
Registration of Carts	180	Hospitals & Dispensaries	810	
Tolls	9900	Vaccination	450	
Fees	50	Registration of Births & Deaths	270	
Fines	50	Conservancy	8540	10070
Miscellaneous	700	Grant IV.		
		Lighting	573	
		Miscellaneous	950	1523
		Grant V.		
		Office &c	2586	
		Miscellaneous	335	2921
				24470
		Balance		280
Total	24750	Total		24750

No 1 Receipts.

The following Abstract of Demand Collection & Balance, gives the detail of the Receipts -

No	Heads	Estimate for 1874-75. R	A	P	Actual for 1874-75. R	A	P	Increase R	A	P	Decrease R	A	P
2	Assignments & Allotments by Govt.												
	(a) Surplus Pound Fines.	30	-	-	4	8	9	-	-	-	25	7	3
3.	Rates & Taxes.												
	(a) Rate on Houses &c.	2000	-	-	1968	8	8	-	-	-	31	7	4
	(b) Tax on Arts &c.	5000	-	-	4778	6	1	-	-	-	221	9	11
	(c) - Do - Vehicles &c.	2400	-	-	2172	8	-	-	-	-	227	8	-
	(d) Registration of Carts	180	-	-	161	-	-	-	-	-	19	-	-
	(e) Tolls	9900	-	-	8960	-	-	-	-	-	940	-	-
	(f) Fees (See S 24 No 36 Sche. dule A)	50	-	-	43	13	-	-	-	-	6	3	-
	(g) Magisterial Fines See 17	50	-	-	149	4	-	99	4	-	-	-	-
7.	Miscellaneous	700	-	-	415	14	-	-	-	-	284	2	-
		20310	-	-	18553	14	6	99	4	-	1755	5	6
											99	4	-
		Net decrease									1655	1	6

The causes of Increase & Decrease are specified below.

2. Assignments & Allotments by Govt.

(a) Surplus Pound Fines.

The decrease is consequent on the less amount collected under this head.

Rates

3. Rates & Taxes.

(a) Rate on Houses &c.
(b) Tax on Arts &c.
(c) Do - Vehicles &c.
(d) Registration of Carts.

} Requires no particular remarks, the differences being trifling.

(e) Tolls - The decrease is consequent on the Town Toll & Western Ferry Contractor having fallen in arrears - measures are being adopted for the recovery of the same, by recourse to the Civil Court.

(f) - Requires no particular remark.

(g) - Magisterial Fines - The increase is consequent on the Fines, which relate to the collection of Profession Tax of 1873-74, having been imposed on a greater number of defaulters, than was anticipated.

Miscellaneous -

The small amount of Fees collected, on goods passing thro' the Commercial Shed, arose from a falling off of the Exports & Imports in the current year -

No II. Expenditure -

The following is an Abstract shewing the Estimated and

Actual

actual Expenditure.

No	Heads	Estimate for 1874-75			Actual for 1874-75			Increase			Decrease		
	Grant I - Public Works.												
1	New Works	5898	-	-	853	13	7	-	-	-	5044	2	5
2	Repairs	2400	-	-	2770	4	7	370	4	7	-	-	-
3.	Contribution to Local Fund for a Tunnel near the Normal School	-	-	-	75	-	-	75	-	-	-	-	-
	Grant II - Education.												
1.	Results Grants	1348	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	1343	-	-
2.	Contribution to Local Fund for Educational Inspectorate	310	-	-	258	-	11	-	-	-	51	15	1
	Grant III - Sanitation & Medical Services												
	Municipal Imposts	1523	-	-	694	7	5	-	-	-	828	8	7
	Grant IV - Miscellaneous												
	Management	2921	-	-	3050	12	8	139	12	8	-	-	-
		24470	-	-	17161	4	11	585	1	3	7893	2	4
											585	1	3
					Net decrease						7308	1	1

The causes of Increase & Decrease are given below.

1. New Works.

The difference, is the sum provided for digging a Tank & Sinking new Wells. The work was held in abeyance, pending the arrival of the Sanitary Commissioner, whose opinion on the matter is given

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in para 2, under head III "Sanitation". The money it is now proposed to lay out in the construction of large drains across the Swamp, thereby securing an efficient drainage of the Swamp.

2. Repairs. Requires no particular remark, the difference being trifling.

3. Contribution to Local Fund.

This is mainly of cost for constructing a Tunnel near the Normal School, which being afterwards found to be not necessary, the money was returned by the Local Fund Board, as appears credited under "Miscellaneous," in Statement I, "Revenues & Receipts".

Education.

1. Results Grants.

No passed Bills were presented for payment in the current year - the sum of Rs 5, shown as a debit, appertains to 1873-74.

2. Contribution to Local Funds.

Requires no particular remark.

Sanitation & Medical Services.

The contribution to the Civil Dispensary, not being here fully drawn in

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the current year, coupled with items under "Conservancy," not having been incurred to the extent anticipated, is the cause of the decrease.

Miscellaneous Municipal purposes.

The charges for "Lighting," not having been incurred to the extent anticipated, occasioned the decrease.

Supervision & Management.

Requires no particular remarks.

III Sanitation.

The favorable setting in of both the Monsoons this year, has resulted in an abundant supply of water both in Tanks & Wells, all of which, numbering 7 in the former & 72 in the latter, were cleaned & disposed before the rains.

2. The drinking-water supply of the Vizagapatam Town, being considered bad, the Municipality had it in contemplation to dig a large Tank, in a locality about a mile distant from the Town, where good water existed and which it was intended to bring down by Iron Pipes; but the work being of great importance and attended with a large outlay, it was deemed advisable, the Sanitary Commissioner being at that time shortly expected, to submit the question in the first instance for his approval. This was one of the questions laid before the Commissioner, who did not approve of the work, his reasons being, that the Tank would soon silt in, the bulk of the water flowing into it, being by streams in the rainy season from the sandy parts of Waltair. The Sanitary Commissioner proposed the sinking of new wells and the utilizing of the water of the wells existing in the vicinity where the Tank was proposed to be dug, by removing the Shabyapetta in that vicinity to some other unobjectionable site.

3. Prickly Pear & Wild Cactus to the extent of about 6452 Square Yards, were removed in various parts of the Town where they most thickly abounded.

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4. The drainage of the Town has received the same attention as in previous years, the Excreta and other foul matter are removed twice a day and buried at a distance - the drains are daily flushed with fresh water - Surface drains, measuring 1555 Yards, have been constructed to improve the drainage - Hollows have been filled up and banks levelled at a cost of Rs 82 - Channels have been cut for drainage purposes. A new road measuring about 80 yards has been constructed at a place called Cumcherawady, for the convenience of Carriages & passengers - The reclamation of the Swamp, sanctioned in G.O. dated 23d January 1872, has been continued to some extent this year. 3357 Square Yards of the Land, have been filled up - the work had to be stopped during the Monsoons and the prevalence of Small Pox.

4. The number of destitute Lepers wandering thro' the Town, having increased of late, it was considered desirable

to provide them with a house, where they would be fed and clothed and their malady, as far as practicable, ameliorated - A Lepers Hospital, a short distance from the Civil Dispensary, has been established for the treatment and diet of Lepers - There are at present 26 Lepers in the Hospital.

IV. Vaccination.

The 2 Municipal Vaccinators, have vaccinated 894 persons, of which, 852 Cases were Successful - the number vaccinated is 412 less than in 1873-74 - this is owing to the prevalence of Small Pox and the strong objection of the people to vaccination at the time -

V. Births & Deaths.

The number of Births registered in the year, is, Males 595 and Females 472, in all 1067, being 5 more than in the preceding year - The number of Deaths registered, is, Males 538 and Females 379, in all 917, being 63 less than in the preceding year -

Public

VI. Public Health.

There was Small Pox in this year, but the mortality under that head was to a lesser extent than in the preceding year. There has been no Cholera. Fever prevailed to some extent; with this exception, the health of the Town has been good.

VII. Civil Dispensary.

From the Civil Surgeon's Annual Report, copy herewith sent, it appears that the health of the Town during the year was generally favourable. That owing to a deficiency of rain, the temperature was higher than usual in July & August; during which period, several persons suffered from a mild form of intermittent fever.

The Report also notices the Sanitation of the Town to be satisfactory, except in the direction of the Beach, where the Natives are in the habit of resorting for the purposes of nature and recommends two large Latrines being

being built in that direction. Also the objection of the Sanitary Commissioner to the drainage of the Town passing on to the Swamp and Suggesting that it should be conducted thro' a Channel to the Sea. Suggests also, as the water in the Wells in Town is brackish, that purer water might be conveyed to a Tank in Town, by Iron Pipes & Steam power from certain Wells near the high road leading to Wallaw.

It also refers to the operations of the Dispensary during the past year 300 In-patients & 7249 Out-patients were treated. The principal diseases were, Intermittant Fever, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Ulcers & Skin affections. Small Pox & Measles prevailed to a slight extent during the year, but not in an Epidemic form.

VIII. The Working of the Act.

The Order of Govt. for collecting the Profession Tax, which was done away with at first, not being Easily believed

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by the people, led to some delay & difficulty in the collection, and conciliatory measures have been used to avoid, as much as possible, the course prescribed by the Act.

The Fines credited, relate to Prosecutions made for the tax due for 1873-74.

The collection of the House Tax, has been made with the same ease as in the preceding year and much has been done to avoid having recourse to collection by Distress Warrants.

IX. Auditor's Report.

The cause of the discrepancy noted, is owing to Bills having been made for the half-instead of the full year 1874-75. The parties referred to, were prosecuted before the Sub Magistrate, who collected the Tax for the full year and sent it to the Municipal office. The amount is duly credited in the Cash Book, but in the Register of Bills issued, only half the sum is entered as shewn. Hence the difference.

A List of the Commissioners,

as

as they stood on the 31st March, is herewith appended.

Commissioners

Names.	Profession.
Officials.	
Mr. J. W. McMurray.	Sheristadar, Collectors Office.
—"— T. Ramdas Pahu.	Hd. Vernacular Clerk. Collector's Office.
—"— C. Raghunaikloo.	2d. do. do. do.
—"— P. Raghunaikloo.	Treasurer. do.
Inspector of Schools of the Division.	
Deputy — do — do — do —	
Non Officials.	
Revd. P. Richards.	Missionary, Roman Catholic Chapel.
Mr. J. D. Perriman.	Shop keeper.
—"— A. V. A. Appavoo Mr.	Sahoocar.
—"— B. Adeppa Saru.	do.
—"— T. Ramaswamy Saru.	do.
—"— G. Mallicarjuna Plu.	Vakil of His Highness the Maharajah of Vizianagram.
—"— A. Janikeroo Plu.	Manager of Mr. G. L. Nursingrow's Office.

Mr.

Mr. A. Boatchiah Jam. Land Holder.
—"— A. Venkatrow Plr. Manager of
the Honble G. A. Gaj.
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I have the honor to be.
Sir,
Your most Obed. Servt.

Vizagapatam
Municipal Office
31st March 1875.

Vice President M. C.

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Incidence of the various Rates & Taxes in the Municipality of Vizagapatam for 1874-75.

Districts or Places in which levied	Population of Place	Description & Subject of Tax.	Classes from & property upon which levied	Number of Tax Payers	Amount of Tax	Incidence of Tax. Per Head of Population	Incidence of Tax. Per Head of Tax payer	Refer to order under which and date from which levied
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Vizagapatam	32,191	1. Rates on Houses & Buildings @ 1½ per cent	Houses 39 Europeans on 55 Rt 156-13-5 37 East-Indians on 60 " 132-10-9 1595 Natives on 2281 " 1602-3-10 1671	1671	1891-12-"	" " 11	1-2-1	Act III of 1871 levied from 1st May 1871.
		2. Rates on Lands @ 1½ per cent	Square yards land 2 Europeans on 10,375 Rt 7-12-6 2 East-Indians on 2 lands 3 under rent " 13-" 41 Natives on 71 do do 68-3-2 45	45	76-12-8	" "	1-11-3	
		3. Tax on Arts Professions &c	13 Europeans 338-8-" 11 East-Indians 141-"-" 430 Natives 4298-14-1 454	454	4778-4-1	" 2-4	10-8-4	Act X of 1866 & III of 1871 levied from 1st November 1866.
		4. Tax on Carriages Horses &c	36 Europeans 700-4-" 22 East-Indians 154-4-" 140 Natives 1318-"-" 198	198	2172-8-"	" 1-1	10-15-6	
		5. Fees on the Registration of Carts	1 European 2-"-" East-Indians "-"-" 79 Natives 159-"-" 80	80	161-"-"	" "	2-"-2	
		6. Tolls @ ½ the rates mentioned in Schedule D.	Levied upon Animals & Vehicles entering the limits	-	8360-"	"	-	

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31st March 1875

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Secretary M.C.

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Enclosure No 1
to a letter from the
President of the Municipal
Commission Vizagapatam
dated 25th May 1875 No 904

Annual Report of
the Municipal Commissioners
of the Vizagapatam
Municipality for 1874/75

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STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Vizagapatam

during the Official year 1874-75

	1874-75						Budget Estimate		
	Detail of minor heads.			Totals of major heads.					
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Balance brought forward—									
(a.) Municipal Fund				4163		10	4440		
(b.) Endowments									
2. Assignments and allotments by Government—									
(a.) Surplus Pound Fund				489			30		
(b.) Ferry Rents									
(c.) Fishery Rents									
3. Rates and Taxes, &c.—	Arrear.			Current.					
	Rs.	A.	P	Rs	A.	P			
(a.) Rate on Houses, &c (Section 40.)	15	7		1953	1	8	1968	8	8	2000		
(b.) Taxes on Arts, &c. (Section 57)	369	14	1	4408	8		4778	6	1	5000		
(c.) Taxes on Vehicles, &c. (Section 63)	28	12		2143	12		2172	8		2400		
(d.) Registration of Carts (Section 73)	14			147			161			180		
(e.) Tolls (Section 77)				8960			8960			9900		
(f.) Fees (Sections ~~106~~ ~~123~~, ~~125~~, ~~130~~, ~~131~~, 52, 136, ~~bye-laws~~, and Schedule A.)				43	13		43	13		50		
(g.) Magisterial Fines (Sections 17)				149	4		149	4		50		
							18233	7	9			
4. Fees in Schools and Training Institutions												
Carried over							22401	1	4	24050		

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund &c. (*Continued.*)

—	1874-75 Detail of minor heads.			1874-75 Totals of major heads.			Budget Estimate		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Brought over.....	—	—	—	22,401	1	4	24,050	—	—
5. Endowments and sundry Contributions and Donations:—									
(a.) Hospitals...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
(b.) Choultries...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
(c.) Educational...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
(d.) Miscellaneous...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Contributions from Local Funds—									
(a.) For Public Works	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Communications...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
School Buildings...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
&c., &c., &c.,									
(b) Educational—									
For Training Schools...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
&c., &c., &c.,									
(c) Miscellaneous—									
Hospitals	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
&c., &c., &c.,									
7. Miscellaneous—									
(a.) Rents of Municipal Markets...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
(b.) Rents and Fees in Municipal Slaughter-house...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
(c.) Sale of Sweepings (Section 98)...	65	—	—				120	—	—
(d.) Private scavenging...	—	—	—				—	—	—
(e.) Sale of materials and Tools and plants.... ...	94	10	—				7	—	—
(f.) ~~Avenues~~ Interest on Tolls &c. Over due	—	9	7				—	—	—
(g.) Fines imposed on Municipal Servants..... ...	10	1	1				18	—	—
(h.) Fees on Pendals G. O. dated 7th November 1867.	47	8	—				50	—	—
(i) Fee on Commercial Shed...	24	15	4				400	—	—
Carried over	242	13	—	22,401	1	4	24,645	—	—

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund, &c.—(*Concluded.*)

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—	1874-75 Detail of minor heads.			1874-75 Total of major heads.			Budget Estimate		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Brought over.....	242	12	—	22,401	1	4	24,645	—	—
(k.) Rent of Fishery Tank...	84	—	—				80	—	—
(l.) Do of ~~Back Water~~ Ground. in Market ...	1	8	—				—	—	—
(m.) Fee on Cart Nos.	12	10	—				25	—	—
8. Advances recovered— (n) Refund of moiety of cost of Tunnel near Normal School	75	—					—	—	—
(a.)	—	—	—				—	—	—
(b.)	—	—	—				—	—	—
(c.)	—	—	—	415	14	—	—	—	—
Total.....	—	—	—	22,816	15	4	24,750	—	—

NOTE TO STATEMENT I.

1. House and land rates are levied at 1½ per cent.
2. Taxes on Arts, &c, are at the ~~following~~ rates. mentioned in Schedule B on classes I to V
   (~~e.g.~~ ~~The maximum schedule rates, or half schedule rates, or such and such classes and items at such and such rates.~~
3. Taxes on vehicles are levied at the rates mentioned in Schedule C.
4. Carts are registered at one Rupee for each registration.
5. Tolls are levied at half the rates mentioned in Schedule D.
6. ~~License fees are at the rates sanctioned in G. O.~~

Vizagapatam
Municipal Office
31st March 1875.

C. Watson
Secretary M. C.

W. M. West
Auditor

STATEMENT II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Vizagapatam

for the Official year 1874-75

	1874-75 Detail of minor heads			1874-75 Total of major heads.			Budget Estimate		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT I.—(Public works)—									
1. New Works—									
(a.) Communications	600	—	—				—	—	—
(b) Educational.	—	—	—				—	—	—
(b.) Sanitary and Miscellaneous	253	13	7				5898	—	—
				853	13	7			
2. Repairs.—									
(a.) Communications	1961	13	8				2000	—	—
(b.) Educational	—	—	—				—	—	—
(c.) Sanitary and Miscellaneous, ...	808	6	11				400	—	—
				2770	4	7			
3. Establishment.—									
4. Tools and Plant and Contingencies	—	—	—				—	—	—
5. Contributions to Local Funds—									
(a.) For Society of charges for a Tamil & Telugu Normal School	—	—	—	75	—	—	—	—	—
(b.) &c, &c.									
Total, Grant I..				3699	2	2	8298	—	—
GRANT II.—(Education)—									
1. Training Schools—									
(a.) Establishment.	—	—	—				—	—	—
(b.) Contingencies...	—	—	—				—	—	—
2. Municipal Schools—									
(a.) Establishment	—	—	—				—	—	—
(b.) Contingencies.	—	—	—				—	—	—
3. Salary Grants	—	—	—				—	—	—
Carried over				3699	2	2	8298	—	—

STATEMENT II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund &c: (*Continued.*)

	1874-75 Detail (minor heads).			1874-75 Total (major heads.)			Budget Estimate		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P	RS.	A	P.
Brought over.....	~	~	~	3699	2	2	8298	~	~
GRANT II.—Education—(concluded)									
4. Results Grants.	5	~	~				1348	~	~
5. Contribution to Local Funds for Educational Inspectorate...	258	~	11				310	~	~
6. Miscellaneous.									
Total, Grant II...				263	~	11	1658	~	~
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services.									
I. Hospitals and Dispensaries.—									
Civil Dispensary.	~	~	~	466	10	8	700	~	~
~~(or) Establishment.~~									
(a) Hospital for contagious diseases ... ... Establishment									
(b). Medicines and Supplies.	4	1	~				50	~	~
(c,) Diet of Patients	190	~	9				40	~	~
(d.) Sundries and Contingencies. ... ... Extra Conservancy Employed during the Mohorum Festival	9	9	11				20	~	~
~~2. Vaccination.~~ — Native Burial Ground (a) Establishment ..... 2 Vaccination									
(a.) Establishment.	34	~	~	257	11	8			
(b.) Contingencies...	266	~	~						
3. Registration of Births and Deaths.—	12	9	8	276	9	8	450	~	~
(a.) Establishment.	360	~	~						
(b.) Contingencies.	62	11	4	422	11	4	270	~	~
4. Conservancy—									
(a.) Establishment. ... ... Extra Conservancy	1754 23	8	~						
(b.) Sanitary Service. (cost of Conservancy Carts &c	154	5	5						
(c.) Cleansing of Tanks, Wells and Drains... ...	38	2	8						
(d.) Contingecies.	73	12	4						
				8040	12	5	8540	~	~
Total, Grant III..				9444	7	9	10070	~	~
Carried over				13406	10	10	20026	~	~

STATEMENT II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund &c: (*Continued.*)

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	1874-75 Detail (minor heads).			1874-75 Total (major heads.)			Budget Estimate		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P	RS.	A.	P.
Brought over.....	-	-	-	13406	10	10	20026	~	~
GRANT IV.—Miscellaneous Municipal purposes.									
1. Lighting.—									
(a.) Establishment.	108	~	~						
(b.) Contingencies...	404	1	9						
C. Miscellaneous	14	9	4	526	11	1	1373	~	~
2. Markets,—									
(a.) Establishment.	~	~	~				~	~	~
(b.) Contingencies.	~	~	~				~	~	~
3. Choultries —									
(a.) Establishment.	~	~	~				~	~	~
(b.) Contingencies.	~	~	~				~	~	~
(c.) Feeding Travellers.	~	~	~				~	~	~
4 Water Sheds —									
(a.) Establishment.	22	6	8						
(b.) Contingencies.	10	1	~	32	6	8	50	~	~
5. Watering Streets and Planting avenues —									
(a.) Establishment.	48	3	8						
(b.) Contingencies.	14	11	5	62	15	1	100	~	~
6. Miscellaneous				72	6	7	~	~	~
Total, Grant IV...				694	7	5	1523	~	~
GRANT V.—Supervision and Management.									
I. Office.—									
(a.) Establishment.	2489	8	~						
(b.) Contingencies...	156	10	2	2646	2	2	2580	~	~
2. Miscellaneous.—				414	10	6	335	~	~
(a.)									
(b.)									
Total, Grant V...				3060	12	8	2921	~	~
Advances recoverable...	~	~	~						
Refunds other than of current taxes.									
Grand Total Expenditure.....				17161	14	11	24470	~	~
Balance...									
(a.) Municipal Fund.	~	~		5655	~	5	280	~	~
(b.) Endowments									
Total.....				22816	14	4	24750	~	~

Vizagapatam Municipal Office 31st March 1875

Wm Bird auditor

C. Walton Secretary pro tem

Statement II A.– Detail of Allotment for Expenditure on Public Works estimated to cost Rupees 100 or upwards.

Part I.– New Works.

No.	Project	Amount of Estimate	Past Expenditure	Expenditure in 1874-75	Remarks
(a)	Communications.				
1	Raising floor of Market	877	.. .. ..	600	
(c)	Sanitary & Miscellaneous.				
1	Temporary Privies	112 4 ..	.. .. ..	112 4 ..	
	Petty Works and Reserve	216 9 7	.. ..	216 9 7	Of this sum Rs 275/- is on account of Contribution to Local Funds as Sperie in Grant "Public Works" Statement II.
	Total	1205 13 7	.. ..	928 13 7	

Part II. Repairs.

No	Project	Amount of Estimate	Past Expenditure	Expenditure in 1874-75	Remarks
(a)	Communications				
	Roads repaired under the maintenance grant systems	2034 13 ..	.. .. ..	1931 .. 2	
	Petty Repairs and Reserve	30 13 6	.. ..	30 13 6	
		2065 10 6	.. .. ..	1961 13 8	
(c)	Sanitary and Miscellaneous.				
1	Repairs to Dolphins Ferry flat	284 11 10	.. ..	284 11 10	
2	Do. to Western Ferry flat	100	.. ..	100	
	Petty Works and Reserve	423 11 1	.. ..	423 11 1	
	Total	808 6 11	.. .. ..	808 6 11	
	Grand Total	2874 1 5	.. .. ..	2770 4 7	

Vizagapatam Municipal Office
31st March 1875.

C. Watson
Secretary

Statement II B Detail of Municipal Establishments

	No.	Salary per Mensem	Salary per Annum	Total Major Heads
Grant II Education				
4 Results Grants, Grant to Lower class Schools			5 —	
5 Contribution to Local Funds for Educational Inspectorate			258 " 11	
Total				263 " 11
Grant III Sanitation and Medical Services.				
1 Hospitals & Dispensaries. Grant to Civil Dispensary			466 10 8	
Hospital for Contagious Diseases, (a) Establishment. Cook at Leper Shed from 21st January to 28th February 1875	1	3 —	4 1 "	
(c) Dieting Lepers			10 11 6	
Do Lunatics			179 5 3	
(d) Sundries & Contingencies. Punjam Cloth &c. to Lepers			9 9 11	
Extra Conservancy Employed to keep the Town clean during the Moharam Festival			[illegible]	
Saline Burial Ground (a) Establishment Bariki for March & April 74	1	2 —	4 —	
Do from May 74 to February 75 - 10 months		3 —	30 —	
			704 6 4	
2. Vaccination (a) Establishment Vaccinator	1	12 —	144 —	
— Do	1	10 —	120 —	
			264 —	
(b) Contingencies Stationery		21 8		
Printing Charges		108 "	12 9 8	
			276 9 8	
3. Registration of Births and Deaths. (a) Establishment. Superintendent	1	10 —	120 —	
Registrars	4	20 —	240 —	
Carried over			360 —	
			381 —	

Statement II B.- Detail of Municipal Establishments (Continued)

	No.	Salary per Mensem	Salary per Annum	Total Major heads
Brought over			981 —	
			300 —	
(b) Contingencies				
Stationery		10 11 4		
Printing Charges		52 —	62 11 4	
			422 11 4	
4 Conservancy				
(a) Establishment				
Inspector	1	25 —	300 —	
Do — from March to July 1874 - 5 Months	1	28 —	125 —	
Do — from Do - 5 Do	1	17 —	85 —	
Do — from August 1874 to February 1875 - 7 Months	6	18 —	126 —	
Do — from March to July 1874 5 Months @ Rs 15/- Each	3	45 —	225 —	
Do — from August 1874 to February 1875 - 7 Months @ Rupees 19/- Each	3	57 —	399 —	
Do	1	15 —	180 —	
Do — from March to July 1874 5 Months	1	8 —	40 —	
Do — from August 1874 to February 1875 - 7 Months	6	12 —	84 —	
Do — from Do to Do	1	8 —	56 —	
Maistries at Rs 1/- Each for March 1874	2	8 —	8 —	
Drain flushers @ Rs 3/4 Ea	21	68 4 —	819 —	
Diggers @ Rs 3/8 Each	10	35 —	420 —	
Do — @ Do for March 1874	1	3 8 —	3 8	
Street Sweepers (@ Rs 3/- Ea: for 2	2	6 —	6 —	
Men Sweepers @ Rs 3/4 Ea	34	110 8 —	1326 —	
Women — Do — @ Rs 2/- Ea	79	158 —	1896 —	
Privy Men Sweepers @ Rs 3/12 Ea:	23	86 4 —	1035 —	
Do — Women - Do — @ Rs 2/4 Ea:	23	51 12 —	621 —	
Carried over			7754 8 —	
			1403 11 4	

Statement II B.- Detail of Municipal Establishments (Continued)

	No.	Salary per Mensem	Salary per Annum	Total Major heads
Brought over			1403 11 4	
Extra Conservancy employed during the Mohorum			7754 8 —	
			120 —	
(b) Sanitary Service.				
Cost incurred in reclaiming the Swamp		504 —		
Removing Prickly pear &c		22 3 7		
Filling hollows		70 42		
Cutting Channels for drainage		11 3 8		
Sundries		6 —	154 5 5	
(c) Cleansings of Tanks, Wells and Drains			38 2 8	
(d) Contingencies				
Baskets		23 10 —		
Dust bins		6 13 4		
Brooms		19 15 —		
Cavady Slings		10 13 —		
Wooden Scrapers		8 10 —		
Pots, Ropes &c		315 —	73 12 4	
			8040 12 5	
Total			9447 9	
Grant IV Miscellaneous Municipal purposes.				
1. Lighting				
(a) Establishment				
Masalgies @ Rs 3/- Each	3	9 —	108 —	
(b) Contingencies				
Lamp Oil		392 47		
Cotton Wick, &c		11 132	404 19	
(c) Miscellaneous				
Lamp posts		54 —		
Repairs to Lanterns		5 11 —		
76 Tin Burners		3 10 4	14 9 4	
			526 11 1	
4 Water Sheds				
(a) Establishment				
Men from 18th May to 17th June 1874 @ Rs 3/8 Each	4	14 3 8		
Carried over		14 3 8	526 11 1	

Statement II B.- Detail of Municipal Establishments (Continued)

No		Salary per mensem	Salary per annum	Total major heads
	Brought Over	14 3 8	526 11 1	
	Women from 18th May to 17th June 74 @ Rs 2/- Each	4 8 2 -	22 5 8	
(b)	Contingencies			
	Butter Milk	7 9 -		
	Pals &c	2 8 -	10 1 -	
			32 6 8	
3.	Watering Streets & Ranting Avenues.			
(a)	Establishment			
	Gardener for March 1874	1 3 8 -	3 8 -	
	Women for 3 months @ Rs 2/- Each	2 4 -	12 - -	
	Coolies watering Streets	- - -	32 11 8	
			48 3 8	
(b)	Contingencies			
	Planting hedges by the side of the Beach road &c	14 - 5		
	Pals, Buckets &c	- 11 -	14 11 5	
			62 15 1	
5.	Miscellaneous			
	Repairs to Fire Engine	47 10 6		
	Rent of Ground occupied as Cart Stand	13 8 -		
	Sundries	11 4 1	72 6 7	
	Total			694 7 8
Grant V. Supervision and Management				
1. Hire.				
(a)	Establishment			
	Secretary & General Superintendent for 1 Months	1 125 - -	125 - -	
	Do Do for 11 Do	100 - -	1100 - -	
	Carried Over		1225 - -	

Statement II B.- Detail Municipal Establishments (Concluded)

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No		Salary per mensem	Salary per annum	Total Major heads
	Brought Over		1225 - -	
	Accountant for 1 Month	1 50 - -	50 - -	
	Do for 11 Months	40 - -	440 - -	
	English Clerk for 1 Month	1 25 - -	25 - -	
	Vernacular - Do - for 1 Do	1 15 - -	15 - -	
	Do - Do - for 1 Do	1 11 - -	11 - -	
	Do - Do - for 11 Do	12 - -	132 - -	
	Do - Do - from October 1874 to February 75 - 5 Months	1 12 - -	60 - -	
	Bill Collector for 1 Month	1 19 8 -	19 8 -	
	Peons @ Rs 5/- Each	2 10 - -	120 - -	
	Bill Collector	1 7 - -	84 - -	
	Do - Do - for 1 Month	1 6 - -	6 - -	
	Do - Do - at Rs 6/ Each	2 12 - -	144 - -	
	Do - Do - at Rs 5/- Each - Month	2 10 - -	10 - -	
	Do - Do - at Rs 5/- Each	2 10 - -	120 - -	
	Do - Do - from October 1874 to February 75 - 5 Months	1 5 - -	25 - -	
	Sweeper for 1 Month	1 3 - -	3 - -	
			2,489 8 -	
(b)	Contingencies			
	Stationery	47 10 11		
	Printing Charges	79 10 9		
	Binding Office Books	11 7 -		
	Postage & Receipt Stamps	6 3 6		
	Travelling allowance to Secretary to Municipality	11 10 -	156 10 2	
2	Miscellaneous			
	House rent	240 - -		
	Auditing Municipal Accounts	100 - -		
	Translating Municipal Proceedings	58 13 6		
	Registration Certificates	12 8 -		
	Sundries	3 5 -	414 10 6	
	Total			3,060 12 8

Vizagapatam
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31st March 1875

C. Watson
Secretary

STATEMENT IV.—Municipality of Vizagapatam

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.			Total, (Columns 2, 3, 4.)			Balance.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Rate on Houses, &c.... ...	2087	5	2	1953	1	8	32	10	6	—	—	—	1985	12	2	101	9	-
Taxes on Arts, &c.	5284	-	-	4,408	8	-	—	—	—	—	—	—	4408	8	-	875	8	-
Tolls.	10248	-	-	8,960	-	-	—	—	—	—	—	—	8960	-	-	1288	-	-
Total...	17619	5	2	15321	9	8	32	10	6				15354	4	2	2265	1	-

ARREARS.

—	1 Balance of old demand			2 Arrears of previous year.			3 Total demand			4 Collected.			5 Remitted			6 Written off.			Totals, (columns 4, 5, 6,)			Balance.		
	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P
Rate on Houses &c.	17	7	2	—	—	—	17	7	2	15	7	-	—	—	—	2	-	2	17	7	2	—	—	—
Taxes on Arts, &c.	785	10	7	—	—	—	785	10	7	369	14	1	—	—	—	415	12	6	785	10	7	—	—	—
Tolls.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total...	803	1	9	—	—	—	803	1	9	385	5	1	—	—	—	417	12	8	803	1	9	—	—	—

Vizagapatam
Municipal Office
31st March 1875

C. Watson
Secretary M.C.

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Annual Report
of the
Civil Dispensary Vizagapatam
for the year 1874-75

The town of Vizagapatam contains a population of about 50000. The Dispensary was established in August 1845 by the orders of Government, but is now chiefly supported by His Highness the Maha Rajah of Vizianagrum, who has endowed it with Rs 20,000, the interest of which is annually expended in Diet, Perishable Articles, Servants wages, Country medicines, Furniture, Clothing, Bedding and repairs. If further pecuniary assistance is needed, the Dispensary Committee is authorized to apply for the sum required to Sri P. Jagannath Raz Sahib, the Dewan to His Highness - European Medicines and the pay of the Medical Subordinate and peon are paid for by a joint contribution from the Local Fund Board and the Municipal Commission.

The following Medical Officers appear to have been incharge of the Dispensary; Doctors J. H. Blackwell, C A Andrews, J. Dougall, H. Adams and J. E. Whitton

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The following list exhibits the admissions, average daily sick and deaths in the Dispensary since 1853.

Year	Total admissions		Average daily sick		Total Deaths	
	In	Out	In	Out	In	Out
1853	166	4269	10	45½	14	.
1854	307	4541	16¾	55	44	35
1855	211	5498	11	28	23	2
1856	265	5016	11	27	18	1
1857	205	4346	12	74	13	1
1858	209	6026	13	50	13	3
1859						
1860	291	5530	16	58	21	4
1861	259	7268	11	50	18	28
1862	372	9934				
1863	374	8943	17	47	15	.
1864	310	7194	20¾	66	8	.
1865	467	11301	25	99¾	6	.
1866	346	7950	18¼	72¾	8	24
1867	218	6462	16¼	65¾	12	.
1868	187	7797	17	59	19	.
1869	205	7718	17½	66¼	23	2
1870	222	8321	15¾	80½	25	3
1871	224	8398	15½	91¾	22	5
1872	283	7452	17¼	82½	21	10
1873	287	7126	18½	61¾	12	8

The dimensions of the wards as follows:-

		Length.	Breadth	Height
Male Ward	feet	76	21	16
Do for special cases.		33	11	11
Female Ward		48	21	16
Do for special cases		21	11	11

There are several native practitioners in the town who sell native and also European Medicines. The European medicines chiefly purchased by the natives are Calomel, Quinine, Perchloride of Potassium, Chlorodyne, Peppermint, Caustic, Tinctures: Ferri, Tinct: Iodine, Cod liver Oil &c.

There are no native oculists nor Lithotomists in the District.

The climate during the past official year was generally favorable to public health. There was a deficiency of six inches of rain during the year and the temperature was higher than usual in July and August, during which period several persons suffered from a mild form of intermittent fever, which readily yielded to treatment.

The Sanitary condition of the town is satisfactory except in the direction of the beach; where the Natives are in the habit of resorting for purposes of nature. I have therefore recommended two large Latrines to be built in that direction. The Sanitary Commissioner during his recent visit objected to the drainage of the town passing on to the swamp in the direction of the proposed harbour, and suggested that it should be conducted through a channel to the sea. He also suggested that as the water in the wells in Vizagapatam is very brackish, that purer water might be conveyed to a tank in the town, by iron pipes and steam power, from certain wells near the high

high road leading to Waltair. Both suggestions will be duly considered by the Municipal Commissioners.

As a great number of lepers are to be seen in the town, a temporary Hospital has been created by the Municipality for their accomodation.

No epidemic disease prevailed during the year. One case of Cholera was reported in the District, but the disease did not extend to Vizagapatam or Waltair.

During the past year 300 in patients and 7249 Out patients were treated at the Civil Dispensary, including five in patients who visited themselves. These figures represent a slight decrease compared with the number treated during the previous year, but which is accounted for by the absence of epidemics, and the general healthiness of the climate during the period referred to.

The principal diseases were Intermittent fever, Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Ulcers and skin affections. Small pox and measles prevailed to a slight extent during the year, but not in an epidemic form.

No additions were made to the Dispensary buildings during the year, but as the Garrison Hospital will be closed shortly, it will be necessary to add one or two wards for the accomodation of those sick

persons

persons of European parentage, who are related to the men of the European Veteran Company, and who were formerly treated in the Garrison Hospital.

Vaccination is kept up in the town by two Municipal Vaccinators, who are now paid by the "successful result method" Inoculation is strictly prohibited by a recent order of Government.

A financial statement of the institution is herewith submitted.

(Signed) J. P. Nash
Civil Surgeon

Vizagapatam
1st April 1875. 3

(A true Copy)
J. P. Nash
Civil Surgeon.

N.B. Professional particulars omitted

Financial Statement exhibiting the working of the Civil Dispensary Vizagapatam for the year 1874-75

Cr.

	Rs	a	p
Balance in hand 1st April 1874	891	6	7
Do Invested at 6 per cent			
Received during the year, viz.			
From Government	78	13	-
" Local Funds	770	-	-
" Municipality	525	-	-
" Interest of Vested Funds { For. Rem. Bonds / " Saving Bank }	1044	14	11
" European Donations or Subscriptions	-	-	-
" Fees Do	-	-	-
" Sale of Medicines & Leeches not included in prescriptions fees	269	7	-
" Hospital Diet Rations	537	12	6
" Sale of Packing Articles	14	-	6
Total Income	4501	0	7
Total Expenditure	4187	12	5
Balance in hand 1st April 1875	313	10	1

Dr.

	Rs	a	p
By Head Subordinate's Salary	720	-	-
" Servants' wages	609	11	11
European Medicines from Head Office, Madras	919	3	1
Do	5	4	-
Bedsteads	114	7	8
Ice Machine	150	-	-
Country Medicines	48	11	9
Dieting Diet	970	2	-
Bandages and Sterile Perishable Articles	11	10	-
Cash Entered	370	14	10
Service Labels	110	7	10
Erection & Repairs	10	-	-
Bedding Blankets Mosquito Dieting Requisites	49	6	4
	19	-	-
	78	13	-
Total Charges	4187	12	5

Received a correct Return of the Income and Expenditure of the Civil Dispensary Vizagapatam for the year 1874-75.

Vizagapatam
1st April 1875. 3

(Signed) J. P. Nash
Civil Surgeon
(A true Copy)

Certified the above to be a correct Abstract of the Receipts and Disbursements for the year 1874-75.

Accountant to the Principal Commissariat

(Signed) J. P. Nash
Civil Surgeon
(A true Copy)

Bimlipatam 29th April 1875

To the President
of
Vizagapatam Municipality

Sir. I have the honor to inform you that I have audited the accounts of the Vizagapatam Municipality for the official year 1874-75.

On the 16th January 1875, I find the following entries on the credit side of the Cash Book,

No 316 - 2Rs. No 315, 2Rs. No 314 2Rs. No 288, 2Rs. No 318 2Rs.

On reference to the Registe of Receipts one Rupee only is entered as having been collected from the parties registered under the above Numbers.

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1159 Sanctioned
Received April 3rd 1875

1874-75
Civil Division of Vizagapatam
Annual Report.

I enclose a copy of a letter received from the Secretary on the subject.

With the above exceptions I found the accounts correct.

Annexed is a statement of receipts and disbursements during the year.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Serv.
Edmd Rich
auditor

Statement of Receipts & Disbursements.

Balance at credit on opening of the Books	£ 411 13 - 0 — 10
Total receipts during year	£ 18 053. 14 - 9
Total Expenditure during year.	£ 22. 816 - 15 - 4
Credited balance at credit of the Municipality on 31st March 1/35	£ 17. 191 - 14 - 11
	£ 5 655 - 0 - 5

Edmd Rich
auditor

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Hon.

Since I have had the
pleasure of addressing you
on the subject of Normal
education, I have had the
additional gratification
of being informed by the
Director of Public
Instruction, of the adoption of the
Municipal School System,
and soon to be established

[239] Samuel Lyman
Mark Lyman Hill
Esq. Burlington
Vt.
Rec'd Jan 13 1838
Ans'd Jan 16 1838

to- The Director not having yet replied, it would seem desirable not to further delay the review.

The same remarks will apply to other reviews now being prepared. It is submitted that the promise made in para 3 of G.O. d/30th July 1875 No 1575 will be difficult to redeem until certain matters of policy are settled; and these will probably be most conveniently considered when the Director has brought his general educational questions before Government.

22nd November 1875

Return despatch the draft G.O. Letter passed by 2 Members.

Add Rider

"The issue of this review has been delayed in the expectation that the Govt. might be in a position to pass definite orders on the whole subject of Edn. in the Province. As the expected proposals have not up to this time been fulfilled, it is undesirable to withhold these remarks longer.

The Govt. will merely observe on the present occasion that Edn. does not appear to receive a proper share of attention

With these Comments."

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Note for Orders

Vizagapatam Municipal Report for 1874-75

Letter

G.O. No. 102 Dt. 17-1-76

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Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the President of the Municipalities Vizagapatam District, dated 21st May 1875 No. 904.

Read again the following letter from the President of the City Municipality Vizagapatam District Dt. 12th Dec. 1874, No. 1923.

Order thereon, 17 January 76, No 102

1 With the letter above recorded the President of the Municipalities in the Vizagapatam District submits reports on the working of the Municipalities in the District during 1874-75.

2 The subjoined Abstract shows the Receipts and Expenditure of the Vizagapatam Municipality as compared with those Estimated for the year.

Receipts

The draft should be modified so as to contain the remarks upon the points in the Estimate of real importance, educational defects & the enormous proportion of Establishment

Receipts	Estimate	Actuals
Balance	4440	4163
Assignment by Govt (surplus Road Fund)	30	5
Rate on houses	2000	1969
Tax on Arts	5000	4778
Tax on vehicles	2400	2172
Registration of boats	180	161
Tolls	9900	8960
Fees	50	44
Fines	50	149
Miscellaneous	700	416
Total	24,750	22,817

This magnificent sounding "Assignment" is found to be due on Cattle Trespass fines (?) The Secy. (Thurston) explained to me that

Charges		
Grant I		
Sewerage. Sanitary & Incid.	5898	854
Repairs { Communications	2000	1962
Repairs { Sanitary & Incid.	400	808
Contributions to Local Fds.	"	75
Grant II		
Results Grants	1348	5
Contribution for Educational Inspectorate	310	258
Grant III		
Hospitals & Dispensaries	810	704
Vaccination	450	276
Registration of Births & Deaths	270	423
Conservancy	8540	8041
Grant IV		
Lighting	1373	527
Watering Streets &c.	100	63
other Items	50	105
Grant V		
Office	2586	2646
Miscellaneous	335	415
Balance	280	5655
Total	24,750	22,817

There seems to be some misapprehension. The valuation of real property is to be carried out by the Municipality & not by the Govt. Although Rs 2000 are shown as Rates on houses, this item is entirely contributed by Municipal Rates on Carriages, Carts & Vehicles, & Tax on Arts.

The receipts of the Municipality exclusive of the opening balance amounted to Rs. 18654, showing a decrease of Rs. 1656 as compared with the Estimate. The decrease is due chiefly to the Toll Contractors not having paid the full amount of their Contracts within the year. Statement II shows that the collections on account of House and Trades Tax have been satisfactory, only Rs. 977 having remained uncollected at the close of the year out of a demand of Rs. 7371, or about 13%.

The expenditure amounted to Rs. 17162 against Rs. 24470 Estimated, leaving a large unutilized balance at the close of the year of Rs. 5655. This balance is Rs. 656 more than the ~~amount~~ income anticipated at the beginning of the year from the Tax on Arts &c., specially re-imposed in order

order to place funds
in the hands of the
Commissioners to supply the
most important & urgent
wants of the town. It is most
unsatisfactory that notwith-
standing additional taxation,
the town has not benefitted
to a larger extent than it would
have done without it. The large
decrease in the
expenditure on Public Works
as compared with the allot-
ments in the budget is
explained as being due to
the works noted in the margin not
having been taken in hand
owing to the expected visit
of the Sanitary commissioner
whose opinion it was deemed
desirable to obtain
before undertaking
the works - The Govt cannot ac-
-cept this explanation as sa-
-tisfactory, as however valuable
professional opinion maybe
in regard to a general scheme
of water supply &c, there

1 Dysart a tank
2. Sinking new wells

The project Sanctioned was
Rs Ordinary for L. 30
Not the whole Sum Expended

is no necessity for delaying
action in simple cases
of such unquestionable utility
as the sinking of wells in
localities where they are
urgently required -

Under Receipts from
no expenditure has in-
-curred beyond an sum of
Rs 5 which
was paid in account of 1873/74.
The Vice President accounts for
this by saying that no passed
bills were presented for
payment during the year.
The Director of Public Instr
will report why the schools
were not inspected more early
in the year so as to ad-
-mit of bills being pre-
-sented for payment
before its close.

The only other educational
expenditure incurred was
the contribn of Rs 250 by the
Local Fd Board for Inspection.

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~~Bimlipatam hospl. report reports~~
~~abstract furnished regarding~~
~~the Educational operations~~
~~of the municipalities during~~
~~the year. The Govt. are pleased~~
~~to learn that the Judge Hospital~~
~~at Bimlipatam has~~
~~appreciated attention has been~~
~~paid to the important subject~~
~~of education.~~

7 The charge for lighting shows a decrease which is not explained.

8 The Govt. are glad to observe that the indigent lepers in the Town have been provided with a separate hospital.

~~for the year~~

9 The hospital & dispensary is reported to have worked well during the year, the number of patients who obtained relief at the visiting hours being ~~daily average~~ 7.49.

10 The number of persons vaccinated is returned at 894 against 1306 of 1873-74, & the decrease is explained

...ewing the Budget
...e for the Municipality
for the current year the
Excellency the Govr in Council has
had under consideration the
relative amounts appearing
under the different heads
of receipt. It will seem that
under the present arrange-
ments the Trades Tax in
Vizagapatam brings in more
than double the amount collected
from the Municipality,
of the whole income of the
Municipality one half is derivable
from tolls & vehicles. The
burden of taxation is thus
shown in a very large

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always — all known
for Tiers

proportion on carriers,
& the undue relief of
real property. Looking
to the comparatively
small amount realized
by House tax, His Excellency
the Govr in Council cannot
but consider that this

awakening spirit for the
as being due to the steps be-
ing taken by the people to vaccin-
taken at the house
during the prevalence of the malady.

The sum of Rs 600 expended
in raising the floor of the
market is erroneously shown
against Communications
in statement II instead
of against Sanitary Improve-
ments — & the Establish-
ment for hatha boards
& that on
Grants appears under Hospitals
instead of under Conservancy.

Bimlipatam

Receipts	Estimate	Actuals
Balances	"	316
Assignment by Govt	"	10
Rate on houses	1,100	1,100
Taxes on Arts	"	"
Taxes on vehicles	300	271
Registn of Carts	150	183
Tolls	6500	7750
Fines	"	28
Endowments &c	"	4072
Contributions from local Funds for Hospitals	"	76
Miscellaneous	"	50
Total	8,050	13857

Charges

Charges	Estimate	Actuals
Grant I		
Newworks { Communicatns	1560	591
Sanitary & Inis:	150	1749
Repairs { Communicatns	"	734
Sanitary & Inis:	790	256
Grant II		
Training schools	"	210
Results grants	350	154
Inspection	50	34
Grant III		
Hospitals & Dispens.	600	3774
Vaccination ——	120	170
Registn of births & deaths	"	90
Conservancy ——	2592	2,746
Grant IV		
Lighting	550	1037
Watering Streets &c. —	150	72
Grant V		
Supervision ——	908	937
Miscellaneous —	50	159
Balance ——	180	1144
Total	8050	13857

The receipts exceeded the estimate by Rs 5492 owing to the transfer of the Hospital with its Endowment during the year to the Municipality & to the following having been more favourable than estimated.

The Collections appear to have been very satisfactory, as no balance is shown in the D.C. & S. statement but this account does not

description of it is under valued. President will speak on this matter.

appear to be correctly prepared, it being shown therein that Rs 485-10- were collected on account of Tax on arts &c. out of a current demand of the same amount, while no corresponding receipt appears in Statement I, & the Tax was declared with by GO 7 May 1874 No 791 p. 4 - An explanation is noted on this head. The expenditure amounted to Rs 12713 & an unexpended balance of Rs 1144 was left at the close of the year. The particulars of charges shewn that the funds in the hands of the Commissioners in excess of the amount originally estimated have been utilized to a great extent, the hospital charges absorbing the greater portion.

The charge of Rs 210 for Training Schools requires to be explained & the reason for its

the result Grant to a large
pial school being paid by the
Local Fd Board instead of
as heretofore by the munic-
Commissioners, Std be
~~appeared~~ stated for the
enquamakin of fut-

The Report on the working
of the Hospital is satisfactory.
& the various miscellaneous
jects of the Arch. Engr & Sanitary
cumakin, Registration of
births &c appear to have
been well attended to
during the year.

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Receipts	Estimate	Actuals
Balance	"	-
Assignment by Govt	"	21
Rates on Houses	1050	1034
Tax on Arts	"	-
Tax on vehicles	1700	2178
Registration of Carts	650	404
Tolls	7700	7010
Fees	10	4
Fines	10	5
Miscellaneous	65	103
Advances recovered	"	150
Total	10885	10909

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Expenditure	Estimate	Actuals
Grant I		
Irrb Works - Communicatn	1950	1505
Repairs - Communicatn	1400	1813
other Items	25	3
Grant II		
Results grants	600	511
Inspection	93	77
Grant III		
Vaccination	120	163
Register of births & deaths	270	270
Conservancy	4021	4022
Grant IV		
Lighting	500	429
Grant V		
Supervision	1696	1625
Miscellaneous	210	422
Balance	-	69
Total	10885	10909

This requires looking into and a plot to be called for. The Rates on real property amount to Rs 1000 but a Carts & Rs 2000 & Tolls pay nearly 70% of the whole.

The receipts of Vizia-
nagaram were slightly in
excess of the Estimate, not-
withstanding a decrease of
Rs 690 in the collections from
Tolls, owing to the increase
on the amount realized
from Tax on vehicles and
on certain minor items

18 In statement IV there
appears an arrear collection
of Rs 107-12-3 and an arrear
balance

balance of Rs 1505. 12. 0
on account of tolls. The
former is not shown in
statement I. The President
will explain the omission.
The arrear balance appears
to be due to the suit referred to
in para 5 of the vice President's
report. Fuller information
should be furnished on the
point.

19 The expenditure on new
works was short of the Esti-
mate by Rs. 445 while that
on repairs exceeded the Esti-
mate by Rs 413. The details of
the expenditure on new works
give a total of Rs. 1507. 12. 9
as shown in statement II A
Part I while the amount
entered in the abstract state-
ment II is Rs. 1505.

20 The number of persons
vaccinated increased from
556 in 1873-74 to 989 in 1874-75-
Each successful case cost
annas 2 and pice 11.

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The lighting of the
town and the Registration
of births and deaths appear
to have received due atten-
tion & on the whole the
working of the Act in the
town is reported to be highly
satisfactory, the liberality
of His Highness the Maharajah
of Vizianagram contributing
to this result in no small
measure.

The remarks made in the
case of Vizagapatam
regarding the small
proportion of income
contributed by rent
property only by
Municipality, & an
explanation is called for.
by

Should these decrease &
much more search & call
attention & replaces & supply
information should seem &
the + imply apathy
Mere remarks a
become. Why are these
towns allowed & why the value
Need prevail. As I gather
I am sure must be
to refer to the report on
that information & the Con
Cattrall Condition of the
town - No of children of
school age no attend & what

dR 29.6.75

20. 6 The President Municipal Commrs Dt
Vizagapatam Dt
11 " 6 " Public Works departt
14 " 6 " Revenue departt
6 " 6 " Board of Revenue
6 " 6 " Accountant Genl
Sanitary Commissioner
Surgeon Genl Indn
Director of Public Instn
President of the Local Fd
Boards Vizagapatam Dt

– The amounts spent under Grant II on simple education – and except it last can always be – many expenditures most incidentally help the education of the children of the poorer classes. If the children of school age only 10 per ct. if the children under instruction all taken under municipal in and 5 p. ct. of municipal in come is spent on this object Grant-IV in the Region & municipal Revenue & municipal income – to no extent possible.

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last point. – The issue of these reports has been delayed in the expectation that Govt. might shortly be in a position to pass definite orders on the subject of education in the two towns concerned. This expectation however has not as to the present time been fulfilled, & it

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it is undesirable to withhold an answer longer. The Government observe that education does not appear to receive a proper share of attention at the hands of Municipal if not in Committees in these districts. Eng

Govt. of {1876} Madras.

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Municl. Reports. The Annual Report of the Municipalities in the Vizagapatam Dt. for 74-5, Reviewed