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86. Read proposal of the Chairman that application be submitted to Government for Cancelling the exemption from payment of water tax of buildings and lands situated at a distance of over 150 yards from hydrants.

Rejected

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(True Extract)

compd by

Secretary Municipal Council

Chairman Delegate

29/6

Application for a loan of Rs 31500 from Government required by the Madura Municipality

1. The loan is required for expenditure on the water Supply Scheme estimated to Cost Rs 39,000

2. It is proposed to borrow Rs 31,500 in addition to Rs 64000 already borrowed as per G. O. No 852 PW. dated 1st July 1893.

3. This Sum is to be borrowed on the Security of the Municipal Rates and taxes.

4. The law under which the said rates and taxes are imposed and Collected is the Madras District Municipalities Act III of 1884.

5. The loan is required for a period of 30 years. It is proposed to be repaid with interest at 3½ per cent by 30 equal instalments of Rs 1050.

6. A detailed account of the income and expenditure of the Municipal Funds for the last 3 years is given in the accompanying Statements I and II

7. The following are the existing prior Charges on the Municipal Fund:

(1) As the Government have had over charge of the old jail build

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a Payment of Rs 1800 has to be made for the Canal by direct Payments of Rs 1800 per annum each for 4½ Years at 4½ Percent

(2) Claim of Rs 4000 in the above bracket as Present worth of the extension to be made by Government

(3) Claim of Rs 27000 in the above bracket as Present worth of the extension by the Municipality

(4) Claim of Rs 16000 from Government for the Present worth of Rs 1200 per annum Salary

Dated (Signed) W. Price
Chairman

Statement I — Detailed account of receipts of the Madura Municipality for 1891-92. 1892-93. 1893-94.

	1891-92	1892-93	1893-94
I. Balance Brought forward.			
a. Municipal fund	- 9163 . .	592 . .	- 11589 . .
b. Endowments	3072 . .	26514 . .	2081 . .
c. Water Tax fund	. . .	174548 . .	6652 . .
II. Municipal Rates and Taxes.			
a. Tax on arts, &c (Section 63)	12854 . .	9418 . .	13007 . .
b. Tax on buildings (Section 63)	53356 . .	38312 . .	43003 . .
c. Tax on lands (Section 63)	1759 . .	1580 . .	1400 . .
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (Section 75)	11575 . .	6079 . .	7182 . .
e. Tax on Vehicles with springs and palanquins (Section 77)	1024 . .	918 . .	1086 . .
f. Tax on Animals. (Section 77)	1984 . .	1836 . .	2249 . .
g. Tax on Carts and other vehicles without springs (Section 85)	2309 . .	2193 . .	2155 . .
h. Tolls (Section 91) —			
Gross receipts			
Less Local Fund shares	22079 . .	21114 . .	22764 . .
i. Penalties on account of —			
i Tax on arts			
ii Tax on Buildings			
iii Tax on lands			
iv Water tax on buildings and lands.			
v Tax on Vehicles, &c.			
vi Tax on animals.			
vii Tax on Carts, &c			
viii Evasion of tolls.			
Carried forward.	106440 . .	81450 . .	93046 . .

Receipts (Continued).

	1891–92	1892–93	1893–94
Brought forward.	10440 . .	8450 . .	9306 . .
3. Realization under special Act—			
a. Funds			
b. Ferry rents			
c. Fees under Act II of 1888.	170 . .	90 . .	50 . .
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—			
a. i Rent of land	222 . .	261 . .	1355 . .
ii Rent of buildings	111 . .	57 . .	994 . .
iii Avenue receipts	516 . .	487 . .	1223 . .
ii Fees from Travellers' Bungalows	438 . .	408 . .	394 . .
b. i Sale-proceeds of land and buildings	. .	1602 . .	58 . .
ii Produce of lands, gardens, &c.	860 . .	. .	100 . .
iii Sale-proceeds of old material, empty oil tins, packing cases &c.	39 . .	17 . .	. .
c. Conservancy receipts.			
Sale proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c.	852 . .	561 . .	813 . .
d. i Fees from educational institutions	. .	10 . .	28 . .
ii Other revenue from educational institutions.	. .	. .	. .
e. iii Sale of books	. .	. .	. .
Sale proceeds and composition fees of medicines.	128 . .	227 . .	280 . .
ii Other Hospital receipts	961 . .	978 . .	31 . .
f. i Income from markets.	5299 . .	7260 . .	7329 . .
ii " Slaughter-houses.	653 . .	878 . .	1068 . .
g. Other fees.			
i Distraint fees.	63 . .	112 . .	137 . .
ii License fees.	2251 . .	1676 . .	2154 . .
iii Cart-hand fees.	1278 . .	1095 . .	1166 . .
iv Other fees.	1 . .	5 . .	4 . .
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts	1779 . .	1810 . .	1733 . .
i. Interest on investments.			
i General, including Chowkidari			
ii Educational.			
iii Medical.	1064 . .	1831 . .	1831 . .
iv Water supply.	. .	5165 . .	. .
j. Premium on loans.	. .	. .	148 . .
5. Grants and Contributions.			
a. From Government.			
i Education—			
Normal Stipends	191 . .	. .	391 . .
Buildings			
Municipal Schools			
Other purposes.			
ii Medical			
iii Other purposes—			
Communications			
Water supply	213525 . .	. .	. .
Drainage			
Sanitation			
Other purposes.	24451 . .	24451 . .	24451 . .
6. From Local Boards—			
i Education			
ii Medical	1300 . .	1300 . .	1300 . .
iii Other purposes.	1347 . .	1145 . .	253 . .
c. Other grants and contributions			
Carried forward.	341479	110901 . .	116404

Receipts (Continued).

	1891-92	1892-93	1893-94
Brought forward	241479 —	110901 —	116404 —
i Education	34 . .	. . .	. . .
ii Medical	. . .	20 . .	. . .
iii Other purposes	. . .	182 . .	5 . .
6. Miscellaneous—			
a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—			
i Private Scavenging	. . .	274 . .	340 . .
ii Other purposes	6 . .	42 . .	18 . .
b. Other items—			
i Fishery rents	8 . .	15 . .	. . .
ii Refunds of Expenditure of former years	11 . .	2 . .	967
iii Fee for numbering Carts, &c.	150 . .	78 . .	72 . .
iv Other items	19 . .	99 . .	174 . .
7. Extraordinary and Debt—			
a. Sale-proceeds of Government Securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank	. . .	92053 . .	51586 . .
b. Loans—			
i From Government	. . .	. . .	164000 . .
ii In the market from private individuals			
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans	123 . .	147 . .	. . .
d. Advances—			
i Permanent	3 . .	58 . .	88070 . .
ii Other	4241 .	1 . .	. . .
Total Receipts	84257 . .	203867 . .	423636 — —
Grand Total	326166 — —	381661 — —	420780 — —

(Signed) R. Fischer
Chairman
(True copy)
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Chairman Delegate

Detailed Account of Expenditure of the Madras Municipality for 1891-92 1892-93 and 1893-94

Statement II.

		1891-92	1892-93	1893-94
2				
Head I (Public Works)	1 New Works (a) Communication	1398 . .	5198 . .	1558 . .
	(b) Buildings	2884 . .	3070 . .	1384 . .
	(c) Drainage	3781 —	276 . .	1175 —
	(d) Water Supply	. — .	6a162 . .	22384 — —
	(e) Miscellaneous	. . .	. . .	. . .
2 Repairs	(a) Communications	22452 . .	14454 . .	8808 . .
	(b) Buildings	1783 . .	4866 . .	4614 —
	(c) Drainage			
	i Repairs to works	. — .	. — .	49 . .
	ii Establishment	. — .	. — .	1835 . .
	(d) Water Supply			
	i Repairs to works &c	5799 . .	6280 . .	4923 . .
	ii Establishment	1450 . .	1379 . .	1686 . .
	iii Contingencies	. — .	1043 . .	2346 . .
3 Establishment		876 —	1028 . .	1083 —
4 Tools and plants and other Stores		284 —	261 —	58 . .
5 Contributions.				
(a) To Local Boards for works				
(b) To provincial funds for Scrutiny				

H & Sundry

	1891-92	1892-93	1893-94
(C) To others for public works.	1500 --	-- --	-- --
Total Grant I	42147 --	98320 --	258327 --
Grant II (Education)			
1 Training Schools. (a) Contribution to Local Boards.	1000 --	1020 --	1020 --
(b) Stipends to Normal Students	372 --	506 --	503 --
(C) Expenditure on Reserved Schools	249 --	138 --	
2. Municipal Schools i On Salary System			
(a) Establishment			
(b) Contingencies			
ii On Salary Results System			
(a) Fixed payments	-- --	78 --	330 --
(b) Results Grants	--	--	74 --
(C) Contingencies	-- --	204 --	168 --
3. Salary Grants	2169 --	2433 --	2422 --
4. Results Grants	2898 --	3252 --	3167 --
5. Combined Grants (a) Fixed payments			
(b) Results Grants			
6. Inspection. (a) Contribution to Local Boards.			
(b) Municipal Inspectors			
i Establishment	360 --	360 --	418 --
ii Contingencies	19 --	42 --	32 --
7. Miscellaneous (a) Building furniture &c	-- --	-- --	686 --
(b) Common & Grants Training			
i Establishment	-- --	-- --	15 --
ii Contingencies	-- --	250 --	155 --
(C) Other Items	91 --	233 --	221 --
Total Grant II	7158 --	8816 --	9308 --
Grant III (Sanitation and Miscellaneous)			
1. Hospital and Dispensaries			
(a) Establishment	4220 --	4314 --	4508 --
(b) Medicines & Supplies	4116 --	3295 --	5222 --
(C) Diet of Patients	2495 --	2967 --	2619 --
(d) Sundries & Contingencies	1889 --	1983 --	3426 --
(e) Contributions to Local Boards	24 --	-- --	216 --
(f) Lodge Duties on funds	-- --	400 --	-- --
2 (a) Contributions out of Local Funds for			
i Medical College	67 --	627 --	416 --
ii Sanitary Inspection	239 --	1129 --	781 --
iii Medical Reserve Staff	54 --	254 --	144 --
iv Cullers Establishment	14 --	18 --	18 --
(b) Contributions to Local Boards &c for			
i Medical Schools.			

(Receipts Continued).

	1891-92	1892-93	1893-94
ii Reserve Staff			
(c) Other Contributions			600
3. Vaccination (a) Establishment	442	509	456
(b) Contingencies	212	407	287
4. Registration of Births & deaths (a) Establishment	479	475	477
(b) Contingencies	32	25	
5. Conservancy Road cleansing and Road watering			
a i Establishment	10668	10497	8749
ii Other Charges Such as purchase of Cattle	17148	17846	16018
(b) Private Scavenging i Establishment		438	708
ii Contingencies		212	
c Octroi Charges	707		1659
d. Contingencies	2369	1129	1321
	45965	47593	45677
Grant II Lighting & Miscellaneous Municipal purposes			
1 Lighting (a) Establishment	1821	1871	1895
(b) Contingencies	4366	5049	8020
2 i Markets (a) Establishment	180	305	240
(b) Contingencies		132	16
ii Slaughter Houses (a) Establishment	58	1	
(b) Contingencies		10	15
3. Chowkries (a) Establishment	891	825	767
(b) Contingencies	259	92	202
(c) Feeding Sparrows	2143	1640	1421
4. Sparrows Bangalow (a) Establishment	186	186	197
(b) Contingencies	23	29	293
5. Avenues (a) Establishment	1148	1002	265
(b) Contingencies			
6. Public gardens (a) Establishment	460	499	722
(b) Purchase of seeds &c	104	127	87
(c) Compensations for lands	807		
7. Survey of lands			
8. Fire (a) Establishment			
(b) purchase of fire Engines &c.			
9. Other Charges i Work done for private individuals			
Other than private Scavenging			
ii Rewards for destruction of wild animals &c	96		100
iii Printing	308	681	1215
iv Compensation for lands	1436	669	71
v Other items	60	924	1407
Total Grant II	13961	13249	13643

(Excerpts Continued)

	1891-92	1892-93	1893-94
Part V. General Establishment; i Office Establishment	2390 --	3084 --	3136 --
ii Inspecting			
(b) Collection of Municipal Taxes. i Establishment	1731	2136 --	2341 --
ii Purchase of account books &c	345 --	260 --	-- --
(c) Collection of taxes i Establishment			
ii Contingencies			
(d) Office Contingencies other than (b) ii	893 --	1274 --	660 --
(e) Contributions for Central Office and Audit Establishment	582 --	554 --	2022 --
(f) Bench clerk	-- --	-- --	59 --
Total Grand V	6942 --	7308 --	8218 --
Repayment of Debt			
(a) Instalments paid during the year			
(b) Invested on account of Sinking Fund	1100 --		
(c) Charges of investment	85 --		
Interest			
(a) on account of last year			
(b) " Current year	2120 --	2120 --	4236 --
Advances Recoverable			
(a) Permanent	2228 --	1620 --	105 --
(b) Others	2 --	90542 --	26099 --
Funds of other than Current Collections	116 --	503 --	14561 --
Discount			
Pensions and Gratuities	50 --	-- --	200 --
Investments - a In Government Securities for purposes other than the Sinking Fund	27016 --	113986 --	-- --
(b) In Savings Bank			
Total Expenditure	158373 --	384521 --	375514 --

(Signed) R. Fischer
Chairman

(True copy)

L. Brajraidu
Chairman's Delegate

29/6

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Madura passed at the meeting held on the 1st May 1894.

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33. Read memorandum by Councillor Mr. C. K. Veerasami Naidu Suggesting a Scheme for the better working of the Conservancy Carts

Scheme to be revised and brought forward again.

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(True Extract)

Chairman Delegate

29/6

There has been a general
Complaint that the town rubbish
is not promptly removed and that
in very many places are to be seen
heaps of rubbish, in some cases
assuming the size and forms of hills
For a time this was considered to
be due to the want of supervision
exercised by the Sanitary Inspectors
but recent experience has abundantly
shewn that with the existing number
of Carts and inadequate establishment
it is impossible to have the Sweepings
removed as promptly as they ought
to be. It is a notorious fact that
the tenders for Conservancy Carts have
been hired at the lowest possible rates
the result being that the Contractors
do employ the worst and most emaci-
-ated animals and the sight of these
poor dumb creatures dragging the
Carts through the streets and lanes
of this town cannot fail to touch
the tenderest feelings of the spectators.
Nor does it seem just and equitable
to inflict heavy fines on the Contractors
for unsatisfactory work.

I therefore propose for the
favorable Consideration of my Colleagues
the necessity which there exists for
remedying this unsatisfactory State of
things and for discontinuing the
present Contracts and securing better
and more Satisfactory Service.

I also propose that arrange-
-ments to be made for employing
such of the hands as are approved
of

of by the Chairman (a brand on the forehead being used as a distinguishing mark) and for locating them in sheds provided for the purpose. I think that at the present rates allowed to Contractors for Conservancy Carts. they Can not possibly supply good and serviceable bullocks.

(Signed) C. K. Veerasami Naidu
Councillor

28-4-94

/ True Copy /

Chairman Delegate

29/6

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council. Madura passed at the meeting held on the 18 October 1894

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126. Read memorandum by Councillors Rao Bahadur C. K. Veerasami Naidu Garu Suggesting a Scheme for the better working of the Conservancy Carts.

Resolved that the Chairman be requested to ascertain the terms upon which the present Contractors agree to withdraw from their Contract and to purchase the Municipal Carts and to supply both Carts and bullocks before disposing of the question

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Compared by AR

(True Extract)

Chairman Delegate

24/6

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Madura passed at the meeting held on the 29th January 1895.

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31. Read Memorandum from Councillor Mr. C.K. Veerasami Naidu Submitting with reference to the resolution of the Council. No 126 dated 18. October 1894 a revised Scheme for the better and more Satisfactory Service of Conservancy Carts.

Resolved that the recommendations made be carried out as early as possible and that there be 2. Contractors engaged if necessary.

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Compd by AL

(True Extract)

29/6

Chairman Delegate

Memorandum.

Madura is a growing city of importance with a population of 87428 as per last census and with the best endeavours of the Municipality, the town cannot be kept as clean as it ought to be. Heaps of rubbish are to be found here and there, and, as observed by the Sanitary Commissioner, who inspected the town in July last, "the "Main Streets are well swept and very clean, "but the smaller streets and lanes were in "the same insanitary state and largely "used as latrines and urinals."

The following table exhibits the existing number of carts, sweepers, and lorries employed by the Municipality for removing the rubbish and filth accumulating every day and it cannot be denied that they are quite

inadequate for the purpose:-

Carts drawn by two bullocks ... 56

---do---one bullock ... 13

Sweepers ... 87

Lotties ... 31

The bulls to these carts are supplied by different contractors for different circles (a circle comprising two wards) and the rates allowed to them are too low. I cannot conceive what could possibly have induced these contractors to accept such low rates except it be that they hoped they might practise fraud successfully upon the Municipality by bribing the Municipal servants, for I find, for instance, that Rs 13 allowed for carts for the 9th ward is hardly sufficient to meet the cost of maintaining two good and strong bullocks and of paying a driver. And according to the clear and unambiguous terms of the agreements executed by them, any excess expenditure that might be incurred by the Municipality towards the thorough cleaning of the town and prompt removal of the rubbish has to be recovered from them. But this does not appear to have been generally done except in a few cases on rare occasions, the sum thus spent and recovered being very small. The term of the Contracts extends up to the 31st March 1896 and it seems to be inadvisable to allow the present state of things to continue till then. The Contractors supply the worst bulls in contravention of the terms of the agreement and they have been permitted to do so, without a word of complaint by the Sanitary Staff, till last recently, after their attention was repeatedly drawn to the matter. I may here observe that when the proposed rules of the "Society for the prevention

prevention of Cruelty to animals" come into force, (I have no doubt they will come into force before long) the bulls of the Municipal carts will doubtless be the first object to be taken to the Infirmary to be maintained by the said Society. One more circumstance in this connection has to be mentioned. No efficient or Satisfactory check could be exercised in the matter of executing petty repairs to carts. I understand that the Contractors are paid the hire for the bulls even for the days when the carts are under repair, and the longer the repairs are delayed, the more advantageous for the Contractors. There have been instances in which the Contractors have wilfully caused some damage or other to the carts when their bullocks were ill or otherwise engaged, and instances in which the Contractors purposely induced the blacksmiths to delay repairs as long as they could. Each Sanitary Inspector is authorised to have repairs executed by whomsoever he pleases and to frame his own estimate of the cost of repairs. The cost under this item alone comes to nearly Rs 400/- a year and there is no means of knowing if the repairs are executed promptly and properly.

In view to remedy the several defects enumerated above, and in view to secure more Satisfactory Service, I beg to propose the following Scheme for the consideration of the Council :-

Scheme

The present carts should be sold to the contractors who will pay the cost from their monthly bills in instalments. It appears that a Sum of Rs 6,000 and upwards was spent during the year 1892 in making the carts. Persons could be found always, who are willing to supply carts, bulls, and all and the Municipality has simply to see that the carts supplied are of the required dimensions

prevention of Cruelty to animals" come into

and that the bullocks are good ones. The carts were made locally as I understand, except a very few of them made by Sangaralingam Asari and brothers of Dindigul at a cost of Rs 88/- each, and with all kind of repairs executed to them from time to time, I doubt whether they could fetch now more than Rs 30/ each. The materials used are of the worst type and the slightest neglect on the part of the drivers turns them to pieces and the cost of putting the disordered parts into order again is borne by the Municipality itself, while the stipulations in the agreement distinctly lay down that the Contractors through the neglect or carelessness of whose servants the repairs are rendered necessary should bear that cost. I would also suggest that ten more carts be employed at the rate of an additional cart for a ward and these as well as the existing ones, will have tendered according to the extent

and

age of the wards.

The rates for which bullocks are hired being too low, as already stated, I propose that they may be paid, say Rs 6 for carts and bullocks. The suggestion of a few members assembled at the last meeting that the carts allotted for the wards situated farther from the rubbish depots should be paid higher rates than those of the wards nearer the Depots, does not commend itself to me, as by paying such higher rates, the carts cannot be expected to do more work than others. I think a larger number of carts will have to be supplied for the wards situated at greater distance from the depots.

As regards the bullocks, I have to offer the following suggestion. For purposes of identification and check each approved bullock should be branded on the forehead or some other conspicuous part with the letter IV

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nals "come into

the choice of the best and strongest bulls

an leeing entirely left to the Chairman. The

nee contractors will lee informed that the

a parts drawn by bulls other than those

an thus chosen and branded, will lee rejected.

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The carts, sweepers and tothies

to are now mustered lay the different Sani-

= tary Inspectors at centres chosen lay them

in in their respective wards, which renders check

difficult, nay, almost impossible. To remedy

this, I suggest that there should lee two—

centres (Maingaard pettal and Athumandai

Pettal) where the carts and servants of the

wards close to each of them should lee

mustered and the Manager should attend

the musters every morning one centre, and the

Head Accountant the other, and certify to

the actual number of carts and servants—

present and employed. This I am led to

propose, as complaints reached me that

the full strength of the establishment noted

in

and

in the Nominal Muster Rolls has not leen

working in the wards. After the mustering

is over, the Sanitary Inspectors will lee held

responsible for exacting due and proper amount

of work from them.

I would further press upon the Coun-

= the desirability of strengthening the Menial

staff lay the entertainment of 13 additional

Sweepers and 9 additional tothies to lee dis-

= tributed in the lest manner possible.

I anticipate no difficulty—

whatever in giving immediate effect to the

several suggestions contained above, if the—

Council chooses to do, as the Contractors are

quite prepared and willing to with-draw

from the Contracts, whenever required. Unless

the above suggestions are given effect to, the

town cannot lee kept in a satisfactorily

fair and Sanitary condition.

Sdy C. K. Veerasawmirai

Councillor

19: May 15

(True copy)

29/6

Chairman Delegate.

Municipal Office
Madura 11th April 1895

No. 27.

From

R. Fischer Esqr
Chairman
Municipal Council
Madura.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St George.

Sir

I have the honor to submit further report and explanations called for in G.O. No 262 to dated 6 February 1895 reviewing the Madura Municipal Budget for the year 1895-96

2. With reference to the expression of regret by Government in the matter of the delay in acquiring lands for kimbedings and roads, I beg to submit that there has been none whatever in this office. Applications for acquiring lands were made to the Collector on the marginally noted dates and this office is not responsible for any delay in taking further steps required under the act.

× 15 October 1893
28 November "
19 January 1894
9 February "
4 April "

(from 3rd of the Collr's letter)

3 It will be seen from the enclosed Copy of resolution of the Council No 86 dated 3rd July 1894 that notwithstanding my endeavours to extend the levy of the water tax throughout the town soon after the opening of the water works the Council did not sanction my proposal under the impression that the tax itself would be felt as a great hardship by the inhabitants, when the fountains

have.

have been found to fail frequently and the success of the project is still doubtful.

4. An application in the prescribed form for the loan of Rs 31500 is herewith submitted for sanction and for payment of the amount this year as suggested by Government.

5. Care will be taken to see that the budget provision made on account of repair of roads is fully utilized during the course of the current year.

6. It is in contemplation to convert the old jail buildings into a large central Vegetable Market, estimates for which are under preparation and Rs 6000 was put down as probable expenditure in the ensuing year under that head.

7. The suggestions of the Director of Public Instruction for increasing the allotment under results grants and for appointing a drawing master will be laid before the next meeting of the Council for its consideration and its decision thereon will be submitted to Government in due course.

8. As regards the scheme for improving the conservancy of the town copies of the resolutions of the Council Nos 33 dt 5.5.94, 126 dt 18.10.94 and 31 dt 29.1.95 as well as of the memoranda prepared by one of the Councillors and referred to therein are enclosed. As the matter being fully discussed, the Council has decided to enhance the rate of wages allowed at present to the scheduled Castes and to bring the revised scheme into force from the current month which has accordingly been done.

It is hoped that with this scheme in operation and with the addition to the menial staff sanctioned by Government, the town could be maintained in a Sanitary Condition

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obdt Servant.

(Signed) R. Fischer.

Chairman.

Compd. by D.S.

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Local and Rural Dept.

From

The Chairman
Municipal Council
Madura

To

The Chief Secretary to Govt.
Fort St. George
Madras

No. 27

Dated 11th April 1895

Subject

Submitting further report and explanations called for in G.O. No. 262 M. dated 18th February 1895.

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Municipal Office
Madura, 23rd May 1895.

No. 28

From, M.R.Ry. Varaj Naidu Garu,
Chairman Delegate,
Municipal Council
Madura.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George
Madras.
Thro: The Collector of
Madura.

Sir,

Adverting to G.O. No 262 M. dated 18th February 1895 and in continuation of my letter No. 27 dated 11th April 1895, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of the Resolution of the Municipal Council No. 124 dated 6th April 1895, sanctioning the allotment under Results Grant Rs 3,000/- to Rs 3,200/- and Sanctioning the appointment of a Drawing Master for Primary Schools.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Chairman
Delegate.

Extract from Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Madura passed at the special meeting held the 6th April 1895.

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124. Read G.O no: 262 M dated 18th February 1895, forwarding the Madura Municipal Budget for the year 1895-96 and referring for the consideration of the Council, the suggestions the Director of Public Instructions for raising the allotment under Resultant from Rs 3000/- to Rs 3200/- and appointing a drawing Master for Pri[illegible] Schools.

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Signed/ R. Fischer
Chairman

(True copy)

Chairman delegate.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

FROM

THE CHAIRMAN,

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,

MADURA.

MADURA DIST.
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~~No. 28~~

ENCLOSURE. *one*

Dated } *23rd May* 1895.
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COLLECTOR'S OFFICE
9 JUN 95
MADURA.

SUBJECT.

Allotment under Results Grant:

Forwarding the Resolution of the Municipal Council raising the — and Sanctioning the Appointment of a Drawing Master for Primary Schools.

Collector's
MADURA ~~DISTRICT MAGISTRATE~~'S OFFICE,

4th July 1895

Dis No. 2300 of 95

From

J. Twigg Esquire,
as Collector
~~District Magistrate~~
Madura.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
Local & Municipal Department
Madras.

Reference:—

Sir, I have the honor to submit herewith letter to Govt from the Chairman, Municipal Council, Madura, No 28 dated 23rd May 1895, with its enclosure.

2 The Chairman's letter No 27 dated 11th April 1895, quoted in the above letter appears to have been sent in the first instance to the Revenue Divisional officer (Deputy Collector Madura Division). The Deputy Collector states in his letter No 1296/95 dated 21st June 95, that it was transmitted to this office on 20th April 1895, but the registers in this office do not show that it was received here and passed on to Govt. Copies of the letter referred to and of its enclosures have now been obtained from the Chairman and are submitted herewith.

3 In regard to the acquisition of certain lands referred to in para 2 of the Chairman's letter of the 11th April 1895, all the cases are awaiting settlement of Compensation by the Deputy Collector Madura Div: he has been requested to pass awards and hand over the lands to the Municipality at a very early date.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

J. Twigg
as Collector
~~District Magistrate.~~

Copied by RRS

Examined by [illegible]

Local & Municipal Dept.

From CURRENT No. 2177 M

The Collector of Madura.

To

The Chief Secretary to Govt.
Local and Municipal Dept.
Madras.

Dated 4th July 1895.
Received 8 JUL. 95

No. 2300 of 95

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SUBJECT.

Submitting with remarks, letter No. 28 dated 23rd May 1895, and copies of letter No. 27 dated 11th April 1895 and of its enclosures from the Chairman Municipal Council, Madura, regarding certain points referred to in G.O. No. 262 M dated 18th February 1895.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.

Current No. of 189 , dated from the

Current No. 2177 M of 1895, dated 4th July 1895 from the Collector of Madura.

Order. 9-8-95 No. 1259 Mun

Recorded with the following remarks

(1) The action of the municipal council in not having extended the levy of the water tax throughout the town in 1894-95 was ill advised. As the waterworks had been completed and were in working order, an occasional failure of the supply arising from causes over which the council had no control was not in itself a sufficient reason for postponing the imposition of the tax, the proceeds of which had been calculated upon, and would be absolutely needed, for repaying the loan from Government raised for the execution of the scheme. Immediate steps should therefore be taken to assess all the buildings classed in the taxon to this tax from the commencement of the current year.

(2) In the loan application submitted with the Chairman's letter, the amount of the instalments in which it

Ndé. The loan now wanted is Rs. 31.500. Revised estimate for the work is Rs. 3.91.000. (G.O. 1928/M. 21.11.92). Of this Rs. 7.60.000 was borrowed first as contract for the work, less the fitting-out amount had been arranged for, & this sum was wanted to meet liabilities. (San. Engr's letter in G.O. 754/M. 8.6.93 & G.O. 852/M. 1.7.93). The remainder of the loan is this Rs. 31.500.

it is proposed to repay the loan with interest should be given as Rs 1,877 instead of Rs 1,050 and the statement of receipts and charges of the municipality appended to the application, should give the figures for 1892-93, 1893-94 & 1894-95 instead of those for 1891-92, 1892-93 & 1893-94. A revised application should be submitted without delay with reference to these remarks.

(3) A proposition statement in the prescribed form for the entertainment of the additional sweepers and toties required for the conservancy of the town, and the drawing master required for the Primary schools referred to in the Chairman's second letter, with an application for the necessary allotment of funds should be submitted at an early date.

W.S. / C.S.

PR 23/7/95   M 2.8.95   7/8/95.

[The paper was slightly delayed pending further informat. from Madras.]

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To,

The Chairman M.C., Madura. } thro' the Collector.

" Director of Public Instruction

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