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STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of during the official year 1894-95.

—	Actuals, 1891-92.						Budget Estimate for 1891-92, *including* subsequent allotments.			Revised Estimate for 1891-92. 1894-95			Actuals, 1890-91 (audited figures.) 1893-94		
	Details of Minor Heads.			Totals of Major Heads.											
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Balance brought forward—															
a. Municipal Fund				87944	12	5	30915	-	-	87945	-	-	23802	-	-
b. Endowments				253	-	2	245	-	-	255	-	-	145	-	-
c. Water-tax Fund															
2. Municipal rates and taxes—															
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..	16336	8	-				8000	-	-	15550	-	-	8439	-	-
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	23684	6	7				21600	-	-	24000	-	-	18046	-	-
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..	2310	15	-				2500	-	-	2500	-	-	1770	-	-
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)															
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..	1616	6	9				1500	-	-	1500	-	-	1478	-	-
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..	2448	12	3				2400	-	-	2400	-	-	2104	-	-
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	2628	-	-				2600	-	-	2600	-	-	2188	-	-
h. Tolls (section 91)—															
Gross receipts 24594-7-3	16396	4	10				16070	-	-	16380	-	-	16108	-	-
Less Local Fund share 8198-2-5 ..															
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				65421	5	5									
3. Realizations under Special Acts—															
a. Pounds															
b. Ferry rents															
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..							10	-	-						
				65421	5	5	54650	-	-	64930	-	-	50128	-	-

Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of during the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

—	Actuals, ~~1891-92.~~						Budget Estimate for ~~1891-92.~~ including subsequent allotments.			Revised Estimate for ~~1891-92.~~			Actuals, ~~1890-91~~ (audited figures.)		
	Details of Minor Heads.			Totals of Major Heads.											
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—															
				65421	5	5									
a. i. Rent of lands	211	8	1				54680	-	-	64930	-	-	50128	-	-
ii. Rent of buildings ..	3	-	-				50	-	-	100	-	-	77	-	-
iii. Avenue receipts	66	9	-				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
iv. Fees from Travellers' Bungalows	327	-	-				50	-	-	50	-	-	62	-	-
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands				608	1	1	250	-	-	250	-	-	316	-	-
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c.	2899	10	6												
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c.	206	13	9				2400	-	-	2950	-	-	3037	-	-
c. Conservancy receipts—				3106	8	3	150	-	-	250	-	-	195	-	-
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c.	-	-	-				2000	-	-	-	-	-	235	-	-
d. i. Fees from educational institutions															
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions ..															
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines ..	-	2	6				10	-	-	10	-	-	2	-	-
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..				-	2	6									
f. i. Income from markets ..	6391	15	2				5000	-	-	5000	-	-	5413	-	-
ii. „ slaughter-houses.	960	12	6												
g. Other fees				7352	11	8	700	-	-	950	-	-	707	-	-
i. Distraint fees	161	-	-				50	-	-	100	-	-	69	-	-
ii. License fees	1191	13	8				700	-	-	1050	-	-	604	-	-
iii. Cartstand fees	1675	6	10				1300	-	-	1600	-	-	1519	-	-
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts	166	-					-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	-
	746	14	6	3044	10	6									
i. Interest on investments—				746	14	6	600	-	-	700	-	-	842	-	-
i. General, including choultries															
ii. Educational															
iii. Medical															
j. Premium on loans	125	11	1												
				125	11	1	150	-	-	100	-	-	112	-	-
				80406	1	-	68090	-	-	78040	-	-	63330	-	-

Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Muncipal Fund of the Town of during the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

—	Actuals, ~~1891-92.~~						Budget Estimate for ~~1891-92.~~ including subsequent allotments.			Revised Estimate for ~~1891-92.~~			Actuals ~~1890-91~~ (audited figures.)		
	Details of Minor Heads			Totals of Major Heads.											
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
5. Grants and contributions—				80406	1	-	68090	-	-	78040	-	-	63330	-	-
a. From Government—															
i. Education—															
Normal stipends ..															
Buildings															
Schools ..															
Other purposes	191	1	2												
ii. Medical				191	1	2	220	-	-	220	-	-	494	-	-
iii. Other purposes—															
Communications ..															
Water-supply	82920	-	-				82920	-	-	82920	-	-	150000	-	-
Drainage															
Sanitation															
Other purposes ..				82920	-	-									
b. From Local Boards—															
i. Education															
ii. Medical															
iii. Other purposes															
c. Other grants and contributions—															
i. Education															
ii. Medical															
iii. Other purposes															
6. Miscellaneous—															
a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—															
i. Private scavenging ..	992	4	-				1000	-	-	1000	-	-	821	-	-
ii. Other purposes				992	4	-									
b. Other items—															
i. Fishery rents	103	8	-				60	-	-	160	-	-	5	-	-
ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year	38	12	9				-	-	-	40	-	-	95	-	-
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c.	2	-	-	144	4	9	10	-	-	20	-	-	1	-	-

Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of during the official year 189 -9 cont.

—	Actuals, 1891–92.		Budget Estimate for 1891–92, including subsequent allotments.	Revised Estimate for 1891–92.	Actuals, 1890–91 (audited figures.)
	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.			
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
7. Extraordinary and debt—		16465 10 11	152300	162400	214746
a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.					
b. Loans—					
i. From Government ..	25900		25900	25900	
ii. In the market from private individuals					
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans.		25900			
d. Advances—					
i. Permanent					
ii. Others *	13 13 8	13 13 8		20	19
Total Receipts ..		190567 8 7	178200	188320	214765
Grand Total ..		278765 5 2	204360	276520	238712

Note to Statement I.

1. Tax on arts, &c., is levied on ~~the first~~ all classes.
2. Tax on buildings is levied at — per cent. and tax on lands at 7½ ~~annas~~ per cent. of rent value. ~~for every 80 square yards.~~
3. Water-tax on buildings and lands is levied at — per cent.
4. Tax on vehicles and animals is levied at —— the maximum rates.
5. Tax on carts, &c., is levied at Rs. 4 per cart per annum.
6. Tolls are levied at ¾ the maximum rates.
7. License-fees are levied at the rates sanctioned in G.O. No. 713 Jn. Mis. d.d. 20-4-92
8. The house-tax registers were last revised in the official year 92/93 and the land tax registers in the official year.
9. Total extent of land assessed is 2445 4 acres.
10. The mode of estimating the annual rental of houses and lands is as follows:— Based on rental

K. Ramadas
Chairman
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Statement I-A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Council under Sections 25 and 26 of Act IV of 1884 for the official year 189 -9 .

Name of Institution.	Amount of Funded Capital.	Opening Balance.	Interest or Produce of Land.	Appropriation from Capital for Expenditure.	Private Contributions and Donations	Sale of Medicines or Sundry Property.	Total (Columns 4—7).	Contribution from, Local Funds.	Contribution from, Provincial Funds.	Total Receipts (Columns 3, 8 and 9).	Appropriation from Municipal Fund (Column 16 *minus* Column 10).	Invested.	Current Charges.	Total (Statement II.)	Allotted for Public Works, (Statement II-A).	Total Charges (Column 14 *plus* Column 15).	Closing Balance (Column 10 *minus* Column 16).	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Devi's Garden Park	2500	253-2	639-6	-	-	-	639-6	-	-	892-8	-	-	367-4	367-4	-	367-4	524-4	

Chairman

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of for the official year 1894-95.

—	~~1891-92.~~ 1894-95 Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for ~~1891-92.~~ 1894-95 including subsequent allotments.	Revised Estimate for ~~1891-92.~~ 1894-95	Actuals, ~~1890-91~~ 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT I—(*Public Works*)—					
1. New Works—					
a. Communications	2751 7 6		1380 - -	3080 - -	1073 - -
b. Buildings	509 15 3		1000 - -	1900 - -	1668 - -
c. Drainage	- - -		- - -	- - -	2224 - -
Waterworks 88750-83 616-6--					
d. Water-supply ..	89366 14 3		116910 - -	187130 - -	88146 - -
e. Miscellaneous	900 - -		1000 - -	1000 - -	798 - -
2. Repairs—		93528 5 -			
a. Communications	9441 9 9		6220 - -	6220 - -	7367 - -
b. Buildings	1718 7 11		2000 - -	1600 - -	1718 - -
c. Drainage—					
i. Repairs to works ..	1385 10 7		2000 - -	2000 - -	897 - -
ii Establishment for flushing drains, &c.	2427 12 8		2650 - -	2650 - -	2378 - -
d. Water-supply—	3813 7 3		4650	4650	8235
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c.	359 14 9		1550 - -	1550 - -	464 - -
ii. Establishment	657 10 5		710 - -	710 - -	640 - -
iii Contingency	1 9 6	15992 11 7	- - -	- - -	- - -
3. Establishment		6294 - -	620 - -	620 - -	732 - -
4. Tools and Plant and other stores.	519 2 8	1088 - -	30 - -	140 - -	53 - -
5. Contributions—					
a. To Local Boards for works ..					
b. To Provincial Funds for scrutiny of estimates, &c.	59 - -	59 - -			
c. To others for public works ..					
Total, Grant I ..		110317 12 7	136070 - -	208600 - -	108158 - -
GRANT II—(*Education.*)					
1. Training Schools—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Stipends to Normal students ..	- - -		60 - -	60 - -	30 - -
2. Municipal Schools—					
i. On Salary System—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
			60 - -	60 - -	30 - -

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

—	~~1891-92.~~ 1894-95 Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for ~~1891-92.~~ 1894-95 including subsequent allotments.	Revised Estimate for ~~1891-92.~~ 1894-95	Actuals, ~~1890-91~~ (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT II—(*Education*)—cont.			60 - -	60 - -	30 - -
ii. On Salary-Results System—					
a. Fixed Payments	502 - -		560 - -	660 - -	459 - -
b. Results Grants	136 5 -		180 - -	180 - -	169 - -
c. Contingencies	138 13 9		180 - -	180 - -	94 - -
3. Salary Grants		777 2 9			
		1803 11 -	2000 - -	2000 - -	1760 - -
4. Results Grants		4672 11 5	4900 - -	4900 - -	5087 - -
5. Combined Grants—					
a. Fixed Payments					
b. Results Grants					
6. Inspection—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Municipal Inspectors—					
i. Establishment	355 - -		360 - -	360 - -	318 - -
ii. Contingencies	6 - -	361 - -	20 - -	20 - -	6 - -
7. Miscellaneous—					
a Building grants & Furniture	270 3 -		560 - -	560 - -	176 - -
b. Common gymnasium—					
i. Establishment	251 9 3		260 - -	265 - -	227 - -
ii. Contingencies	24 - -		30 - -	35 - -	- - -
c. Other items	8 1 -		20 - -	20 - -	- - -
Drawing Master	175 1 3		180 - -	180 - -	176 - -
			10 - -		3 - -
Total, Grant II ..		729 14 6 8343 7 8	9320 - -	9320 - -	8505 - -
GRANT III—(*Sanitation and Medical Services.*)					
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—					
a. Establishment	1279 12 3		1380 - -	1380 - -	1300 - -
b. Medicines and Supplies	293 3 2		300 - -	300 - -	334 - -
c. Diet of Patients					
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..	194 7 6		100 - -	130 - -	89 - -
e. Contributions to Local Boards ..	1500 - -		1500 - -	1500 - -	1500 - -
Provident Fund Bonus	68 - -		- - -	- - -	35 - -
		3335 6 11	3280 - -	3310 - -	3258 - -

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

—	1891-92. 1894-95 Details of Minor Heads.	1891-92. 1894-95 Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1891-92, 1894-95 *including* subsequent allotments.	Revised Estimate for 1891-92. 1894-95	Actuals, 1890-91 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
GRANT III—*Sanitation and Medical Services*—cont.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
		3335 6 11	3280 - -	3310 - -	3258 - -
2. *a.* CONTRIBUTIONS TO PROVINCIAL FUNDS FOR—					
i. Medical College ..					
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..	1427 - -		930 - -	930 - -	- - -
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..					
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..	- - -	1427 - -	10 - -	10 - -	4 - -
b. CONTRIBUTIONS TO LOCAL BOARDS, &c., FOR—					
i. Medical Schools ..	250 - -		250 - -	250 - -	250 - -
ii. Reserve staff	44 6 -		70 - -	70 - -	37 - -
Dal Singing &c., &c., &c. ..	87 9 4	381 15 4	30 - -	30 - -	5-9 - -
c. OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS					
3. VACCINATION—					
a. Establishment	239 7 10		240 - -	240 - -	219 - -
b. Contingencies	137 10 9		300 - -	300 - -	87 - -
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..		377 2 7			
4. REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS—					
a. Establishment	540 - -		540 - -	540 - -	536 - -
b. Contingencies	7 - -	547 - -	20 - -	20 - -	- - -
5. CONSERVANCY, ROAD CLEANING AND ROAD WATERING—					
a. i. Establishment	4934 7 1		5210 - -	5215 - -	4895 - -
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	4798 - 3		5770 - -	5765 - -	4157 - -
b. Private scavenging—					
i. Establishment	786 2 -		1140 - -	1140 - -	748 - -
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. ..	1 12 4		- - -	35 - -	2 - -
c. Cholera charges	516 13 7		780 - -	775 - -	685 - -
d. Contingencies	27 4 -		40 - -	20 - -	149 - -
Road watering &c., &c., &c. ..	112 8 11	11177 - 2	- - -	- - -	- - -
Total, Grant III ..		17245 9 -	18610 - -	18650 - -	15088 - -

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

—	1891-92. 1894-95 Details of Minor Heads.	1891-92. 1894-95 Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1891-92, 1894-95 *including* subsequent allotments.	Revised Estimate for 1891-92. 1894-95	Actuals, 1890-91 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
GRANT IV—*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes.)*	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
1. LIGHTING—					
a. Establishment	1307 3 2		1360 - -	1360 - -	1115 - -
b. Contingencies	2626 14 3	3934 1 5	3290 - -	3290 - -	2926 - -
2. i. MARKETS—					
a. Establishment	204 6 3		200 - -	200 - -	204 - -
b. Contingencies	421 9 8	625 15 11	500 - -	500 - -	422 - -
ii. SLAUGHTER-HOUSES—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies	40 6 6	40 6 6	- - -	- - -	38 - -
3. CHOULTRIES—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
c. Feeding Travellers					
4. TRAVELLERS' BUNGALOWS—					
a. Establishment	170 14 -		170 - -	170 - -	170 - -
b. Contingencies	124 11 -	295 9 -	50 - -	130 - -	48 - -
5. AVENUES—					
a. Establishment	279 13 7		290 - -	290 - -	250 - -
b. Contingencies	64 12 6	344 10 1	30 - -	30 - -	- - -
6. PUBLIC GARDEN— Peoples Park 131-5-4 New Grand 155-11-5 Cubbon Park 252-2-- 541-9--					
a. Establishment	287 1 -		310 - -	310 - -	280 - -
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..	297 4 -	584 5 -	240 - -	240 - -	240 - -
7. SURVEY OF LAND					
8. ~~FIRE~~ Clock Tower					
a. Establishment	120 10 7		130 - -	130 - -	64 - -
b. Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c.	- - -	120 10 7	30 - -	30 - -	- - -
9. OTHER CHARGES—					
i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging		704 15 7	710	710	584
		5945 10 6	6600 - -	6680 - -	5757 - -

Statement.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

—	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1891-92, including subsequent allotments.	Revised Estimate for 1891-92.	Actuals, 1890-91 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont.		5945 10 6	6600 - -	6680 - -	5757 - -
9. OTHER CHARGES—*cont.*					
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes ..	5 - -		50 - -	50 - -	15 - -
iii. Printing	1102 57		700 - -	800 - -	902 - -
iv. Compensation for lands ..					
v. Other items ..	305 5 6				
VI. Extraordinary Charges -		1412 11 1	- - -	40 - -	447 - -
Total, Grant IV ..		7358 5 7	7350 - -	7570 - -	7189 - -
GRANT V—					
a. General Establishment—					
i. Office Establishment ..	1899 14 -		2040 - -	2040 - -	1815 - -
Temporary Establishment	77 6 6				
ii. Inspection	451 9 10		480 - -	460 - -	288 - -
b. Collection of Municipal Taxes—					
i. Establishment	2317 - 8		2430 - -	2430 - -	1570 - -
Temporary Establishment					
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. ..	13 10 -		200 - -	200 - -	18 - -
c. Collection of Tolls—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies	18 - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
d. Office contingencies other than (b) (ii)	681 9 11		200 - -	250 - -	417 - -
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments ..	1167 7 4	6626 10 3	1160 - -	1160 - -	393 - -
Total, Grant V ..		6626 10 3	6510 - -	6540 - -	4754 - -
REPAYMENT OF DEBT—					
a. Instalments paid during the year.	- - -		2920 - -	- - -	- - -
b. Invested on account of Sinking Fund (Value of securities purchased)					
c. Charges of investment ..					
INTEREST—					
a. On account of last year ..					
b. „ „ of current year ..		6953 - -	6830 - -	6950 - -	6504 - -

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

—	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1891-92, including subsequent allotments.	Revised Estimate for 1891-92.	Actuals, 1890-91 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Advances recoverable—					
a. Permanent	- - -		- - -	- - -	5 - -
b. Others	450 6 -		100 - -	100 - -	311 - -
Refunds of other than current collections ..	8 2 -		- - -	- - -	- - -
Discount					
Pensions and gratuities					
Investments—					
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund					
b. In Savings Bank		458 8 -			
Total Expenditure ..		157303 5 1	187710 - -	257730 - -	150514 - -
Balances—					
a. Municipal Fund		120937 1 3	21650 - -	18790 - -	87945 - -
b. Endowments		524 14 10			253 - -
c. Water-tax Fund					
Grand Total ..		278765 5 2	209360 - -	276520 - -	238972 - -

NOTE TO STATEMENT II.

Position of the Municipality of *on 31st March* 1895.

Liabilities.	RS.	Assets.		RS.
Liabilities—		Municipal Balance..	Cash ..	12462 - -
Balance of Loans	169500 - -		Securities ..	.. - - -
Deposits to be adjusted ..	21718 - 9 - 11	Deposit Balance ..	Cash ..	.. 9871 - 1 - 11
Other Liabilities (in detail) ..	.. - - -		Securities ..	1847 - 8 - -
		Sinking Fund of loans ..	.. ..	..
		Funded Capital of endowed institutions, Hospitals, &c.		2800 - - -
			Total	145960 - 10 - -
		Value of Premises, &c.		46800 - - -
		Do. of Tools and plant		8200 - - -
		Do. of Live stock		.. - - -
		Do. of Furniture		500 - - -
		Arrears of taxes, &c.		20534 - 1 - 3
		Other assets (in detail) ..		.. - - -
			Total	76034 - 1 - 3
		Claims—		
		Advances Recoverable—		
		Permanent advance ..		.. 1018 - - -
		Advances for works, &c. ..		450 - 6 - -
			Total	.. 1468 - 6 - 0
Total	211218 - 9 - 11			

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Statement II-A.—Details of Expenditure on Public Works.

Part I.—New Works.

No.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.	Expenditure in 1891-92.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
(a)	Communications				
1	Constructing road dam				
2	to Vannia road at Killanoffa				
8	Mandapam	2200--		1747-12-3	
2	Extension of west main Street				
	at Sivaganga tank	222--		396-3-6	
		215--			
3	Improving Kodikaloor road	290--		222-9-11	
4	Do Kosa Street	190		133-14-10	
5	Cost of 2 pipes purchased				
	for the tunnel at Cadells road	85-10-0		85-10-0	
6	Construction of a tunnel at Vallur	99-10-0		83-3-0	
7	Cost of land purchased for the				
	Extension of road at Pattinulkara St.	26--		26--	
8	Do Do	25--		25--	
9	Placing granite Stones on the				
	drains for passages leading to lands	32--		31-2-0	
	Total ..	3385-4-0		2751-7-6	
(b)	Buildings				
1	Cost of 20 dust bins purchased				
2	for the use of the Municipality	280--		279-8-0	
82	Cost of erecting Cholarashas	130--		127-15-9	
3	Balance amount paid for				
	the improvement of Slaughter	748-5-0	666-2-0	70-7-6	
	House at Eastgate				
4	Cost of fixing iron latrins				
	at Big market	32-0-0		32-0-0	
	Total ..	1190-5-0		509-15-3	

Statement II-A.—Details of Expenditure, &c.—*cont.*

Part I.—New Works—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.	Expenditure in 1891-92.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
(c)	Drainage				
1					
2					
3					
	Total ..				
(d)	Water-supply				
1	Balance amount paid for	1032-0-0	800-0-0	232-0-0	
2	erecting the side wall of Hanipanai				
82	Purchasing a well at Dalavai Tank	259-15-0		259-7-0	
3	Improving the bank of Pukulam	35-0-0		34-13-0	
4	Do Supplying channel of Kallakulam	35-0-0		32-13-0	
5	Cost of an iron pipe purchased				
	for improving the good water Conduit	28-0-0		27-12-0	
	at South main Street.				
6	Balance amount paid for				
	Sinking a well at Thaiman Tank	200-0-0	186-7-0	12-9-0	
7	Providing Shutters to Servai				
	karan kolam	10-0-0		10--	
8	Do Samasi Kolam	7--		7--	
	Water Works	4,29,000--	2,60,989-6-5	88750-8-3	260989-6-5 88750-8-3 349739-14-8
		18420--			
	Total	4,49,026-15-0	2,61,975-13-5	89366-14-3	
	Miscellaneous				
	Demolition of Fort wall	1000		900	
	Total ..				

Statement II-A.—Details of Expenditure, &c.—*cont.*

PART II.—Repairs.

Number.	Project.	Grant.	Actual expenditure.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5
(a)	Communications			
1	Repairing Alghukulam road	225	211-4-0	
2	" attuncunthai Street	300	276-10-11	
3	" Big market road		23-5-0	
4	" Batchanna Lane		52-8-0	
5	" Court House road	62--	63-9-0	
6	" Cadells Road	400--	423-12-0	
7	" Dabeerkolam road		29-1-9	
8	" Eastgate road	200--	139-9-10	
9	" Ellaiammancovil Street	350--	334-10-4	
10	" Hospital Road		495--	
11	" Iyankadai Street		36-1-2	
12	" Kollupattai Road	300--	288-11-3	
13	" Kondirajapalliem Road		114-14-2	
14	" Mariammankovil Road	300--	259-1-6	
15	" Manrojappa Street	300--	282-3-11	
16	" Mambalam Road	200--	195-12-0	
17	" North asaram Road	100--	93-2-4	
18	" North gate Road		187-13-0	
19	" Nattuvanchavady Road	63--	63-11-8	
20	" Nanayakara Chetty Street		123-9-9	
21	" Pambatty Street tunnel	95 125	190-3-7	
22	" Pattunoolkara Street	100--	19--	
23	" Railway Road		918-14-10	
24	" Road no I	100--	192-11-6	
25	" Ramaswaram Road	300--	247-13-1	
26	" Sivarayer Garden Road		83-9-9	
27	" Thoppilpillayar Covil Street	200--	143-9-2	
28	" Tollgate no 2 Road		400--	
29	" Venkatasaperumal Covil Street		266-4-0	
30	" Valumbury Road		104-2-0	
31	" Vadavar Road		60--	
32	" Vandayar Road		57-8-0	
33	" Vannar Road	700 550 400	2123-0-7	
34	" Vandikara Street		20-5-0	
35	" ruts and pits of roads, Streets & lanes	850--	911-0-8	
	Total ..	6220--	9441-9-9	

Metalled roads .. 36½ miles
Unmetalled roads .. 18¾ "
Total mileage 55¼ "
Metalled 36½ Unmetalled 18¾
Total mileage under maintenance 15¾
Metalled 15¾ Unmetalled Nil

Statement II-A.—Details of Expenditure, &c.—*cont.*

PART II.—Repairs—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Grant.	Actual expenditure.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5
(b)	Buildings			
1	Shifting tiles of Big Market rooms	345-0-0	313-10-7	✓
2	Repairing the Butcher Stalls of the Big market	255-0-0	401-10-9	✓
3	Do Travellers Bungalow	100-0-0	253-6-4	
4	Do the Dust bins in the 54 b'rooms	300-0-0	210-10-5	
5	Do the latrine at Railway Station	400-0-0	197-0-0	
6	Do Karunthattangudy Dispensary building	45-0-0	97-7-0	
7	Do Office building	100-0-0	80-0-0	
8	Do thatched Shanbu in vegetable market		58-0-0	✓
9	Do the Minor buildings		50-12-0	
10	Do the gate of the Victoria Market	40-0-0	33-14-10	✓
11	" the Shed in front of Manambuchavady Dispensary	15-0-0	12-0-0	
12	Spreading Sand to Gymnasium ground		10-0-0	
	Total ..	1600-0-0	-7-11	

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—EDUCATION—							
1. TRAINING SCHOOLS—							
Pupils receiving scholarships @ Rs 5 each for 3 months ..	4	20	-	-	60	-	-
Total ..		20	-	-	60	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					60	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					-	-	-
2. MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS—.							
a. On the Salary System—							
Head Master							
1st Assistant Master							
2nd „ „							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—EDUCATION—*cont.*							
b. On the Salary Result System — Mahommadan School							
Head master	1	10	-	-	120	-	-
Assistant Do.	1	8	-	-	96	-	-
Tamil master	1	6	-	-	72	-	-
Peon	1	3	8	-	42	-	-
Telugu School							
Head Master	1	7	-	-	84	-	-
2d Master	1	5	-	-	60	-	-
Paraya School Master	1	7	-	-	84	-	-
Total ..	6	46	8	-	558	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages for the Paraya School not opened till november 1894					56	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					502	-	-

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—Education—*cont.*							
6. Inspection—							
Inspecting schoolmaster	1	25	-	-	300	-	-
Do allowance		5	-	-	60	-	-
Total ..		30	-	-	360	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					5	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					355	-	-
7. Gymnastic Instructors	1	12	-	-	144	-	-
Do	1	10	-	-	120	-	-
Total ..		22	-	-	264	-	-
Deduct fines and Stoppages					12	6	9
Balance Statement II					251	9	3
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Drawing Master	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..		15	-	-	180	-	-
Total					4	4	9
Deduct fines & Stoppages							
Balance (Statement II) ..					175	1	3

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—							
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—							
Medical Subordinates @ Rs. 25 each ..	2	50	-	-	600	-	-
" "							
Midwives .. @ .. Rs. 15 each ..	2	30	-	-	360	-	-
~~Clerk~~ Compounder .. @ Rs. 18 ..	1	18	-	-	216	-	-
Compounder .. .. @ Rs. 9 ..	1	9	-	-	108	-	-
~~Servants~~ .. .. .. @ Rs. 4 each.	2	8	-	-	96	-	-
"							
"							
Total ..		115	-	-	1380	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					100	3	9
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					1279	12	3

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
3. Vaccination—							
Vaccinators @ Rs. 10 each ..	2	20	-	-	240	-	-
Peons							
Total ..		20	-	-	240	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..						8	2
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					239	7	10
4. Registration—							
Registrar	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
Peons Do. @ Rs. 10 each	3	30	-	-	360	-	-
Total ..		45	-	-	540	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					540	-	-

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
5. *a.* "Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering."—							
Nuisance Inspectors	1	25	-	-	300	-	-
" Do.	1	20			240	-	-
" Do. @ Rs. 17½ each ..	2	35	-	-	420	-	-
~~Maistries~~ " .@ Rs. 15 .. " ..	2	30	-	-	360	-	-
~~Scavengers~~ Starkeeper	1	6	-	-	72	-	-
~~Sweepers~~ Peons @ Rs. 6. " ..	7	42	-	-	504	-	-
" @ Rs. 5	11	55	-	-	660	-	-
		213	-	-	2556	-	-
Sweepers.							
1st Class @ Rs. 5¼	5	26	4	-	315	-	-
2nd " " 4¼	4	17	-	-	204	-	-
3rd " " 3¼	10	32	8	-	390	-	-
4th " " 3	7	21	-	-	252	-	-
5th " " 2¼	5 / 11	11	4	-	135	-	-
Jobies @ Rs. 3¼	35	113	12	-	1365	-	-
		221	12	-	2661	-	-
Total ..		434	12	-	5217	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					282	8	11
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					4934	7	1

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
b. Private Scavenging—							
Inspectors							
Maistries							
Scavengers @ Rs. 6 each ..	7	42	-	-	504	-	-
" " Rs. 5 "	7	35	-	-	420	-	-
" " Rs. 3¼ "	4	13	-	-	156	-	-
" " Rs. 2½	2	5	-	-	60	-	-
Total ..		95	-	-	1140	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					353	14	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					786	2	-
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—							
1. Lighting—							
~~Superintendents~~ .. Maistry	1	8	-	-	96	-	-
~~Masalchies~~ .. Do assistant ..	1	5	-	-	60	-	-
Masalchies @ Rs. 5 each	20	100	-	-	1200	-	-
Total ..		113	-	-	1356	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					48	12	10
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					1307	3	2

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
2. i. Markets—							
~~Superintendents~~ .. Peon	1	5	-	-	60	-	-
Servants .. Sweepers @ Rs. 4 ..	3	12	-	-	144	-	-
Total ..		17	-	-	204	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					7	9	9
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					8	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					204	6	3
ii. Slaughter-houses—							
Superintendents							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
3. Choultries—							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
4. Travellers' Bungalows—							
~~Maty~~ Butler	1	7	-	-	84	-	-
Servants	1	2	8	-	30	-	-
Gardener	1	4	-	-	48	-	-
Dhoby	1	-	12	-	9	-	-
Total ..		14	4	-	171	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					-	2	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					170	14	-
5. Avenues—							
Servants .. @ Rs 4 each	6	24	-	-	288	-	-
Total ..		24	-	-	288	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					-	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					8	2	5
Balance (Statement II) ..					279	13	7
6. Public Garden—							
~~Gardeners~~ Maistry	1	6	-	-	72	-	-
Sivaganga Gardeners @ Rs 4	2	8	-	-	96	-	-
Peoples Park Gardeners @ Rs 4	3	12	-	-	144	-	-
Total ..		26	-	-	312	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					24	15	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					287	1	-

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
8. Fire—							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
9.— Clock Tower							
Clock winder	1	7	-	-	84	-	-
Watchman	1	4	-	-	48	-	-
Total		11	-	-	132	-	-
Deduct fines and Stoppages		-	-	-	11	5	5
Balance Statement II		-	-	-	120	10	7

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT V.—*a.* General Establishment—							
i. Office—							
Manager	1	60	-	-	720	-	
~~Head~~ Clerk	1	35	-	-	420	-	
Accountant	1	15	-	-	180	-	
Clerk	1	12	-	-	144		
~~Accountants~~ Shroff	1	14	-	-	168	-	
Peons @ Rs 7 each	2	14	-	-	168	-	
Masalchy	1	5	-	-	60	-	
Gardener	1	5	-	-	60	-	
Temporary Record Keeper	1	10	-	-	120	-	
Total ..	170	-	-		2040	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					62	11	6
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					1977	4	6
ii. Inspection—							
Chairman's ~~salary or~~ carriage allowance ..	1	40	-	-	480	-	-
Total ..	40	-	-		480	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					-	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					28	6	2
Balance (Statement II) ..					451	9	10

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT V.—*a.* General Establishment—*cont.*							
b. Collection—							
Clerks	1	17	8	-	210	-	-
~~Bill Collectors~~ Do	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
~~Peons~~ Do	1	12	-	-	144	-	-
Bill Collector	1	12	-	-	144	-	-
Do @ Rs 10 each	2	20	-	-	240	-	-
" Rs 9 "	3	27	-	-	324	-	-
" Temporary @ Rs 9	3	27	-	-	324	-	-
Peons @ Rs 5	6	30	-	-	360	-	-
Temporary Bill Collectors for 4 months @ Rs 9	9	81	-	-	324	-	-
Temporary Peons @ Rs 5 each for 4 months	9	45	-	-	180	-	-
Total ..					2430	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					112	15	4
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					2317	-	8
c. Collection of tolls—							
Inspectors							
Gate-keepers							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

Ad. Chairman

Statement III.—*Municipality of* Tayne

Deposits Account for the year 1894-95.

Abstract of

	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Balance brought forward ..	23178	2	3				
1. Deposits by appellants	9307	11	-	1. Credited to Municipal Funds ..	6695	13	-
2. Deposits by renters	10403	6	9	2. Returned to appellants	4196	7	-
3. Deposits by contractors	1143	8	-	3. Returned to renters	9866	14	1
4. Deposits as security by municipal servants	825	-	-	4. Returned to contractors	2055	-	-
5. Deposited for the execution of work for which private parties are liable..	-	-	-	5. Returned to municipal servants ..	325	-	-
6. Other deposits under the Act or bye-laws	-	-	-	6. Returned to parties	-	-	-
				7. Paid to claimants	-	-	-
				Total ..	23139	2	1
Total, Receipts ..	21679	9	9	Balance ..	21718	9	11
Total, including balance ..	44857	12	-	Total ..	44857	12	-

23338 acct Statement

Treasury balance 9871-1-11
Saving Bank. " 11847-8-"

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Ad Chairman

Statement IV-A.—*Municipality of* Tayne

Demand, Collection and Balance Statement for the year 1894-95.

Current.

Tax.	Demand as originally assessed by the Chairman.			Remitted by the Council on appeal.			Demand as finally settled (column 2 *minus* column 3).			Collected.			Remitted on account of vacant houses, &c.			Written off as irrecoverable.			Balance (column 4 *minus* columns 5, 6 and 7).		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
	1			2			3			4			5			6			7			8		
1. Tax on arts, &c.	16253	8	-	2674	8	-	13579	-	-	8808	8	4								4770	8	-
2. Tax on buildings	21685	7	-				21685	7	-	18461	8	7								3223	14	5
3. Tax on lands	3106	10	-				3106	10	-	1162	10	-								1944	-	-
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..																						
5. Tolls (gross receipts)	24570	-	-				24570	-	-	24570	-	-										
6. Market rents	6251	15	11				6251	15	11	5905	10	10								346	5	1
7. Slaughter-house fees	950	-	-				950	-	-	980	-	-										
8. Rent of cart-stands	1655	-	-				1655	-	-	1655	-	-										
9. Private scavenging fees ..	978	4	-				978	4	-	749	4	-								229	-	-
										243	6	-										
										992												
Total ..	75450	12	11	2674	8	-	72776	4	11	62262	9	5								10513	10	7

× Exclusive of interest

Ad Chairman

Statement IV-B.—Arrears.

—	Balance of old demand.	Arrears of previous year.	Total demand.	Collected.	Remitted.	Written off.	Balance (column 4 *minus* columns 5, 6 and 7).	Years to which the balance relates.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c.	6534	-	-	7047	-	-	13581	-	-	7534	-	-	✕ 6	-	-				6047	-	-
2. Tax on buildings	1235	12	9	5795	8	-	7031	4	9	6222	14	-							1808	6	9
3. Tax on lands	1344	3	-	1494	15	-	2839	2	-	1148	5	-							1690	13	-
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..																					
5. Tolls																					
6. Market rents	298	3	-	523	1	-	821	4	-	395	8	- ⊗							425	12	-
7. Slaughter-house fees																					
8 Rent of cart-stands																					
9 Private scavenging fees	14	4	-	277	2	-	291	6	-	243	-	-							48	6	-
Total ..	9426	6	9	15137	10	-	24564	-	9	14543	11	-							10020	5	9

A. B. C.

Por. Tax

1892-93 · 2919-4-
93-94 3128-4-

House Tax

1888-89. 4- 8-
89-90 13- 6-
90-91 41-10-
91-92 65- 8-
92-93 577- 9
93-94 1110-6-

Land Tax

1889-90 14-13-
90-91 36-1-
91-92 73-4-
92-93 916-2-
93-94 648-9-

Shop rents

Rooms rent - 1892-93 · 21-4-
93-94 · 84-
Butcher's stalls - 1889-90 - 128-10-
90-91 62-12-
91-92 5-
92-93 80-13-
93-94 43-9-
425-12-

Private Scavenging fees

1888-89 · 16-2-
92-93 3-6-
93-94 34-14-

✕ Refund Rs 6 included

⊗ Exclusive of interest

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Appendix A to Statements IV-A and IV-B.

Taxes.	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year.		Warrants issued during the year.		Total.		Warrants executed and warrants cancelled during the year.		Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year.		Collected after issue of warrants, but before distraint.		Property distrained, but not sold.		Property sold.	
	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount.	Number of cases.	Amount realized on distraint.	Number of cases.	Amount realized by sale.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17

	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c. ..	2364	6280	8	-	2202	6405	-	-	4566	12685	8	-	1120	1868	-	-	3446	10817	8	-	987	1533	-	-	133	335	-	-	-	-	-	-
2. Tax on buildings ..	6107	9870	6	9	5270	5052	6	6	11377	14922	13	3	4404	6255	11	1	6973	8867	2	2	4300	6001	2	1	104	254	9	-	-	-	-	-
3. Tax on lands ..																																
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands.																																
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins ..																																
6. Tax on animals ..	290	634	8	-	829	1469	12	-	1119	2104	4	-	990	1656	4	-	129	248	-	-	969	1798	4	-	21	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tax on carts, &c. ..																																
Total ..	8761	16785	6	9	8301	12927	2	6	17062	29712	9	3	6514	9979	15	1	10548	19732	10	2	6256	9232	6	1	258	647	9	-				

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8802
16342 8.

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Appendix B to Statements IV-A and IV-B.

Taxes.	Number of prosecutions instituted.	Collections before judgment.		Collections after judgment.		Balance.	
		Number of cases.	Amount collected.	Number of cases.	Amount collected.	Number of cases.	Amount involved.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
1. Tax on arts, &c.							
2. Tax on buildings							
3. Tax on lands							
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands			Nil				
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins							
6. Tax on animals							
7. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs ..							
Total ..							

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Chairman

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Statement V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Tanjore for the official year 1894-95.

STATEMENT V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Tanjore for the official year 1894-95.

Schools.	Number of schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 189 .		Average attendance throughout the year.	Receipts.					Expenditure.					Net cost to Municipality.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools.	Remarks.
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed in the year.	At the close of the year.	Boys.	Girls.		Grants from Provincial Funds.	Grants from Local Funds.	School fees.	Other receipts.	Total.	Masters. Fixed salary (masters, clerks and servants).	Masters. Results grant.	Masters. School fees.	Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
I.—Colleges								RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
										Nil										
II.—Upper Secondary Schools and Departments																				
(1)																				
(2)																				
(3)										Nil										
Total ..																				
Total of Colleges and Upper Secondary Schools and Departments ..																				
III.—Lower Secondary Schools and Departments																				
(a) Salary System—																				
(1)										Nil										
(2)																				
(3)																				
Total ..																				
(b) Salary-results System—																				
(1)																				
(2)										Nil										
(3)																				
Total ..																				
Total, Colleges and Secondary Schools.																				
IV.—Primary Schools and Departments																				
(a) Salary System—																				
(1)																				
(2)										Nil										
(3)																				
Total ..																				

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STATEMENT V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Tanjore for the official year 1894-95—*cont.*

Schools.	Number of schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 189 .		Average attendance throughout the year.	Receipts.					Expenditure.					Net cost to Municipality.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools.	Remarks.
													Masters.							
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed in the year.	At the close of the year	Boys.	Girls.		Grants from Provincial Funds.	Grants from Local Funds.	School fees.	Other receipts.	Total.	Fixed salary (masters, clerks and servants).	Results grant.	School fees.	Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
(b) Salary-results System—								Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
(1)																				
(2)																				
(3)																				
1. Muhammadan Salary Results School	1	-	-	1	66	-	50	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	330 - -	93 - -	- - -	53 9 9	476 9 9	476 9 9	9 8 6	Results grant was paid at 60 p.c of the maximum rate for the Muhammadan Salary Results School and at maximum rate for the Paturulgars' Salary-Results School for all the Standards
2. Paturulgars' Salary Results School	1	-	-	1	56	-	45	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	144 - -	43 5 -	- - -	45 4 -	232 9 -	232 9 -	5 12 8	
3. Paraiya Salary Results School	-	1	-	1	30	-	25	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	28 - -	- - -	- - -	40 - -	68 - -	68 - -	2 11 6	
Total ..	2	1	..	3	152	..	120	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	502 - -	136 5 -	- - -	138 13 9	777 2 9	777 2 9	6 7 7	
Total, Primary Schools ..	2	1	..	3	152	..	120	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	502 - -	136 5 -	.. .. ..	138 13 9	777 2 9	777 2 9	6 7 7	
Grand Total of all Schools and Colleges	2	1	..	3	152	..	120	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	502 - -	136 5 -	- - -	138 13 9	777 2 9	777 2 9	6 7 7	

Foot-note to Statement V-A.

NUMBER of Students from Municipal Schools and Colleges who appeared for and passed the several Examinations during the year.

Examinations.	Number of Pupils examined.	Number of Pupils passed.
First in Arts		
Matriculation ..		
Upper Secondary ..		
Lower Secondary ..		
Primary School ..	4	3
Infant Standard ..	10	4
First Standard ..	20	10
Second Standard ..	25	19
Third Standard ..	10	6
Fourth Standard ..	"	"
Total	69	42

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Statement V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Tanjore for the official year 1894-95.

Schools.	Number of Schools: At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 189 . : Boys.	Girls.	Number of pupils examined.	Number of pupils found qualified for grants.	Full amount of grant earned.	Amount of such grant payable.	Amount disbursed: For current year.	For previous year.	Total.	Paid as salaries to masters.	Total expenditure from Municipal funds, columns 14 and 15.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
									Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Grant-in-Aid.																
A. Result Grant (*i.e.*, Schools actually examined for results grants)—																
(*a*) Secondary										Nil						
Total ..																
(*b*) Primary																
Hindu Primary Chinniyapillai St.	1	..	..	1	71	..	65	61	448 3 ..		280		280		280	
S.P.G. Primary Manambucchavadi	1	..	..	1	155	..	75	62	405 9 6		300		300		300	
G.L.M. Primary —Do—	1	..	..	1	108	..	55	55	330		391 12 4		391 12 4		391 12 4	×Includes Rs 91-12-4 Furniture grant—
Bacchanna Lane Primary	1	..	..	1	128	..	81	72	495 14 ..		360		360		360	
Central Primary	1	..	..	1	107	..	73	66	534 13 ..		400		400		400	
S.P.G. Primary Karottellanguli	1	..	..	1	80	..	56	53	451 4 ..		225		225		225	
S.P.G. Primary, Fort	1	..	..	1	67	..	41	39	233 4 ..		170		170		170	
Veeraraghava Pillai Pillai's Pri. St.	1	..	..	1	67	..	43	38	217		217		217		217	
Do Do Branch St.	1	..	..	1	50	..	32	29	161 8 ..		161 8 ..		161 8 ..		161 8 ..	
S.P.G. Primary North Gate	1	..	..	1	75	..	45	38	248 7 ..		220		220		220	
S.P.G. Primary East Gate	1	..	..	1	61	..	34	32	235 7 ..		235 7 ..		235 7 ..		235 7 ..	
Vaikkakkara Street Primary	1	..	..	1	38	..	20	13	63 8 ..		63 8 ..		63 8 ..		63 8 ..	
H.H. The Princess' Primary	1	..	..	1	67	..	51	39	151 5 ..		155 12 ..		155 12 ..		155 12 ..	×Includes Rs 36-12-0 Furniture grant—
Servai Karan Street Primary	1	..	..	1	35	..	22	22	136 4 ..		78		78		78	
Krishnan Koil Street Primary	1	..	..	1	45	..	15	15	49 14 ..		49 14 ..		49 14 ..		49 14 ..	
A.V. Primary Manambucchavadi	1	..	..	1	53	..	32	28	155 10 ..		155 10 ..		155 10 ..		155 10 ..	
Sellappilleiyar Koil Street Pri. St.	1	..	..	1	58	..	47	35	96 6 ..		96 6 ..		96 6 ..		96 6 ..	
Manoji Appa Street Primary	1	..	..	1	47	..	34	34	86 8 ..		86 8 ..		86 8 ..		86 8 ..	
Pukkulam Street Primary	1	..	..	1	30	..	13	11	26 14 ..		26 14 ..		26 14 ..		26 14 ..	
Narayanakkottan Street ..	1	..	..	1	40	..	20	15	21		21		21		21	
Attumandai Street ..	1	..	..	1	65	..	43	41	86 3 ..		86 3 ..		86 3 ..		86 3 ..	
Attukkara Street ..	1	..	..	1	62	..	56	49	160 14 ..		90		90		90	
Imarthikkottan Street ..	1	..	..	1	36	..	28	26	47 10 ..		40		40		40	
Carried over ..	23	..	..	23	1545	..	981	873	4843 5 6		3910 6 4		3910 6 4		3910 6 4	

Results Grant was paid at maximum rates for all the Standards during the year.

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Statement V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Tanjore for the official year 1894-95—*continued.*

Schools.	Number of Schools				Number on Rolls on 31st March 189 .		Number of pupils examined.	Number of pupils found qualified for grants.	Full amount of grant earned.			Amount of such grant payable.			Amount disbursed.						Paid as salaries to masters.			Total expenditure from Municipal funds, columns 14 and 15.			Remarks.
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year	Boys.	Girls.									For current year.			For previous year.			Total.					
									Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			11			12			13			14			15			16			17
Grant-in-Aid.																													
A. Result Grant (*i.e.*, Schools actually examined for results grants)—*continued.*																													
Eraslan Rampart Primary	23	"	"	23	1345	5	981	573	4803	5	6				3910	4					3910	4							Result grant-was based at Maximum Rate in all the Standards alone.
Ramiran Koil Lane "	/	"	"	/	27	7	21	21	77	14					77	14					77	14							
Rayaran Street "	/	"	"	/	30		13	3	33	8					33	8					33	8							
Vannat bank "	/	"	"	/	28	3	13		28						28						28								
Mel Casbatti "	/	"	"	/	34	5	15		47	8					47	8					47	8							
Western Rampart "	/	"	"	/	37		26		111						146						146								
Nagiyakulam Keral Varma St.	/	"	"	/	67		41		107	2					80						80								
Valandair Primary	/	"	"	/	30	1	19		36	12					36	12					36	12							
Sorutti Street Muthumaniam	/	"	"	/	22	6	22		79						79						79								
Pandatti Street &c —— "	/	"	"	/	78		28		216	3					216	3					216	3							
A. V. Primary Pa. Y. West Main St.	/	"	"	/	41		19		48	2					48	2					48	2							
College Pathasalai Primary	/	"	"	/	30		21		79	8					79	8					79	8							
	/	"	"	/	41	5	20		45						45						45								
Total ..	32	3	..	35	2057	27	1224	597	5382	14	6				4803	13	4				4803	13	4						
Grand Total ..	32	3	..	35	2057	27	1224	597	5382	14	6				4803	13	4				4803	13	4						

× Includes Rs 163-8-4 Translation grant.

× Includes Rs 35-0-0 Translation grant.

Total Expenditure:— Rs. as. p. 4803-13-4

Add the Translation grant for the Sanskrit Language Pandit in the Girls' School Rs 32-6-5

Total 4836-3-9

Deduct Translation grant 163-8-4

4672-11-5 as per Statement

Statement V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Tanjore for the official year 1894-95—*continued.*

Statement V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Tanjore for the official year 1894-95—*continued.*

Schools.	Number of Schools: At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1895: Boys.	Girls.	Number of pupils examined.	Number of pupils found qualified for grants.	Full amount of grant earned.	Amount of such grant payable.	Amount disbursed: For current year.	For previous year.	Total.	Paid as salaries to masters.	Total expenditure from Municipal funds, columns 14 and 15.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
									RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
B. Combined Grant Schools—																
(a) Secondary										Nil						
Total ..																
(b) Primary										Nil						
Total ..																
Grand Total ..																
C. Salary Grant Schools—																
(a) Secondary																
St Antony's Lower Sec^{y}.	1	..	..	1	78									217 0 5	217 0 5	
R.M. Lower Secondary	1	..	..	1	80									358 8 ..	358 8 ..	
Hindu Lower Secondary	1	..	..	1	42									216 13 3	216 13 3	
Valliyammal L. Sec^{y}.	1	..	..	1	50									265	265	
Girls' Lower Secondary	1	..	..	1	126									521	521	
R.C. Lower Secondary	1	..	..	1	104									225 5 4	225 5 4	
Total ..	6	..	..	6	480											
(b) Primary														1803 11 ..	1803 11 ..	
Total ..																
Grand Total ..	6	..	..	6	480									1803 11 ..	1803 11 ..	

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Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Receipts) for 189 -9 .

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1890–91.	Actuals of the last four months of 1889–90.	Probable charges of the last four months of 1890–91.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1890–91, excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
1. BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD—						
a. Municipal Fund						
b. Endowments						
c. Water-tax Fund						
2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES—						
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..						
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..						
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..						
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)						
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..						
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..						
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..						
h. Tolls (section 91)—						
Gross receipts						
Less Local Fund share ..						

C. Sal[illegible]owing the [illegible]et Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of Tanjore for the year 1894-95.

Items of expenditure.	Original budget grant as sanctioned by Government.	Subsequent additions.	Subsequent deductions.	Total grant up to date of submission of the budget or report as the case may be.	Authority for the additions and deductions shown in columns 3 and 4.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. A.	RS. A. P.	
Entries as per Statement II wherever there is alteration ..					
Grant I. New Work. a. Communication	1000 - -	380 - -	+ 1740	1380 - -	Allotment sanctioned by the Munl Council as per quarterly list sent to Govt Kroy Dr. 3096 15-10-94
Buildings	1000 - -		+ 900		
d. Water Supply	500 - -	232 - -		732 - -	Do — Do
Water Works		116180 - -		116180 - -	Allot: Sanctioned in G. O. Rt. 1303 Rt. Mis 4.2.94
Repairs					
a. Communication	6000 - -	220 - -		6220 - -	Allot. Sanctioned by the Mul Council as their quarterly list sent to Govt Kroy Dr. 3096 Rt. 15.10.94
Buildings	2000 - -		-400 - -		
d. Water Supply Establishment	650 - -	60 - -		710 - -	Allot. sanctioned in G. O. Rt. 834 Rt. Mis dt. 2.7.94
Grant III 5. a. ii Hire of Dust Carts.	5180 - -	585 - -		5765 - -	Do Do
1 Hospitals & Dispensaries	1345 - -	35 - -		1380 - -	Do Rt. 913 Rt. Mis d. d. 17.7.94.
2. a. ii Sanitary Inspection	200 - -	735 - -		935 - -	Do Rt. 1563 Rt. Mis d. d. 29.10.94
5 c. Cholera Charges	- - -	775 - -		775 - -	Do Rt. 378 Rt. Mis d. d. 6.3.95
Grant IV a. General Establishment Office	1920 - -	120 - -		2040 - -	Do Rt. 834 Rt. Mis d. d. 2.7.94
b. Coll[illegible] of Munl Taxes.	1925 - -	504 - -		2430 - -	Do Rt. 1669 Rt. Mis d. d. 8.11.94.
				Rd.	K. Srinivasa Chairman

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Statement VI-A.—Showing the Budget Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of for the year 189 -9 .

Items of expenditure.	Original budget grant as sanctioned by Government.			Subsequent additions.			Subsequent deductions.			Total grant up to date of submission of the budget or report as the case may be.			Authority for the additions and deductions shown in columns 3 and 4.
1	2			3			4			5			6
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	

Statement VII.—Tolls.

Number of toll-gates.	Collection of tolls whether leased out or managed departmentally.	Amount of collections.	Expenditure on				Balance (column 3 *minus* column 7.)	Share due to the District Board.	Amount paid to the District Board.	Balance, if any, due to the District Board and date on which it was paid.
			Works.	Establishment.	Contingencies.	Total.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A P.	RS. A. P	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
11	Leased out	24594 7 3	- - -	- - -	~~-~~ 18 - -	~~-~~ 18 - -	~~24594 7 3~~ 24,576 7 3	~~8198 2 5~~ 8192 2 5	~~8198 2 5~~ 8192 6	- - -

Sd K Srinivasa Iyer
Chairman

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Statement VIII.—Loans.

Amount of loan and rate of interest.	For what purpose and terms on which obtained and year in which taken.	Date of Government sanction.	Amount paid.			Amount transferred to Sinking Fund.			Invested out of the total amount transferred up to end of 1891–92.	
			Up to 31st March 1891.		In 1891–92.	Up to 31st March 1891.		In 1891–92.	In Government Securities.	In the Savings Bank.
			Number of years.	Amount.		Number of years.	Amount.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
RS. A. P.				RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
In 92. 163600 / 95 25900 / Rs 189500 - - Interest at the rate of 4½ per cent.	For Tanjore Water Works Loan to be returned in 30 instalments. Loan taken in 1892 and in 1895	G. O. Rt 1720 In. date 20-10-92 and G. O. No 122 In. d.d 24-1-95		Sd	Sd			K Srinivasa Iyer Chairman		

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Statement IX.—Showing the Incidence of the House-tax.

Name of Municipality.	Number of houses as per census.	Number of houses on the municipal register out of the number in col. 2.	Assessed. Under 8 Annas. Number.	Under 8 Annas. Amount.	8 Annas to Rs. 1½. Number.	8 Annas to Rs. 1½. Amount.	Rs. 1½ to Rs. 5. Number.	Rs. 1½ to Rs. 5. Amount.	Rs. 5 to Rs. 15. Number.	Rs. 5 to Rs. 15. Amount.	Rs. 15 to Rs. 30. Number.	Rs. 15 to Rs. 30. Amount.	Rs. 30 and above. Number.	Rs. 30 and above. Amount.	Total. Number.	Total. Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
				RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.
Tanjore Municipality	Occupied 9742	11178	1322	509 12 -	5826	5830 4 -	3661	8608 - -	287	2170 15 -	49	1083 2 -	33	3483 6 -	11178	21685 7 -

5826 5830 4 "
3661 8608 - "
287 2170 15 "
49 1083 2 "
33 3483 6 "

11178 21685 7 "

K. Srinivasa Iyer
Chairman

Statement IX-A.—Showing the Incidence of the Tax on Arts.

Name of the Municipality.	Assessed in Class I. Number.	Class I. Amount.	Class II. Number.	Class II. Amount.	Class III. Number.	Class III. Amount.	Class IV. Number.	Class IV. Amount.	Class V. Number.	Class V. Amount.	Class VI. Number.	Class VI. Amount.	Class VII. Number.	Class VII. Amount.	Class VIII. Number.	Class VIII. Amount.	Total. Number.	Total. Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.
Tanjore Municipality	- - -	-	20	1000 - -	88	2187 8 -	180	2160 - -	460	2762 - -	1251	3751 8 -	34	68 - -	1652	1652 - -	3685	13579 - -

88 2187 8 "
180 2160 - "
460 2762 - "
1251 3751 8 "
34 68 "
1652 1652 "

3685 13579 "

K. Srinivasa Iyer
Chairman

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Statement X.

1. Name of Municipality .. .. Tanjore
2. Population as per last census 54390
3. Sanctioned number of Councillors { (a) Nominated .. .. 6 / (b) Elected .. .. .. 18 /
4. Actual number of Councillors on 31st March 1895— 20
   (a) Ex-officio 1
   (b) Nominated { Officials .. .. 3 / Non-officials 2
   (c) Elected .. { Officials .. .. — / Non-officials 14
   Total .. 20
   (d) Europeans and Eurasians 2
   (e) Natives 18
5. Total number of meetings actually held during the year 54
6. Number of meetings adjourned for want of a quorum 14
7. Average attendance at each meeting *actually* held—
   (a) Officials 1
   (b) Non-officials 11
   Total .. 12
   (c) Europeans and Eurasians 1
   (d) Natives 11
   Total .. 12
8. Is the Chairman appointed or elected .. .. Elected
9. Name and designation of persons who have held the office of Chairman during the year, with the date of appointment or election in each case .. ..

M. R. Ry. K. S. Srinivasa Pillai Avl.
1st Grade Pleader, Elected by the Council on 27/2/94 and Gazetted on the 20th March 94

K. Srinivasa
Chairman

AD

Statement X-A.—Showing the particulars of elections held in the Municipality of Tanjore in 1894-95.

Name of the wards, if any, into which the town is divided.	Population.	Number of registered voters.	Date of election.	Number of seats filled by election.	Whether election was contested or not and the number of seats contested.	If contested, number of voters who went to the poll.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Palliagraharam Ward	54,390	202	21-5-94	1	Contested	115
2. Karanthattangudi Ward		338				
3. Fort East Ward		424				
4. Fort West ward		328	21-5-94	1	not contested	
&c.						
5 Sylasapatai Ward		383	20-4-94	1	0	
			26-11-94	1	0	
6. Pookara Street ward		413				
Total ..		2088		4	1	115

K. Srinivasa
Ad Chairman

Statement XI.—Furnishing information regarding Municipal markets, houses served by the private scavenging agency, number of latrines and of lights, &c., in the town of Tanjore for the year 1894-95.

Area of Municipality in square miles.	Name of Municipal markets.	Whether collection of fees, rents, &c., was leased out or managed departmentally.	Number of houses served by the private scavenging agency on the registers on 31st March 189 .	Number of public latrines on 31st March 1891.	Number of latrines constructed in 1891-92.	Number of latrines demolished in 1891-92.	Number of latrines on 31st March 1892.	Number of lamps on 31st March 1891.	Number of lamps put up in 1891-92.	Number of lamps removed in 1891-92.	Number of lamps on 31st March 1892.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Vegetable market.	Petty Bazaars leased out Rooms managed departmentally									
	Big Market.	Petty Bazaars and Fish Stand leased out - Rooms and Butcher Stalls managed departmentally	710	29	-	-	29	436	26	-	462
	Victoria Market	Leased out			Urinals. Nil						

K. Srinivasa Iyengar
Chairman

Statement XII.—Showing particulars regarding the treatment of patients, &c., in the town of Tanjore during the year 1894-95.

Name of hospital and dispensary.	Patients treated.			Number and name of midwives employed.	Number of labour cases attended by the midwives.	Date and Number of G.O. sanctioning rules for the treatment of the sick under section 127 of Act IV of 1884.
	In.	Out.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Kamakattangudy Dispensary	"	12073	12073	Sundaram	59	
Maniamlunchavady - " -	"	9604	9604	Rayar	104	
			4677			

K. Srinivasa Iyengar
Chairman

II.—Statement Showing the distribution of pupils, distinguishing boys and girls under the general classes of population.

Class.	Population of school-going age.		Pupils under instruction.		Percentage.		Remarks.
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	
Europeans and Eurasians...	..	..	8	-	-	-	
Native Christians	313	312	448	4	143·1	1·3	
Muhammadans	219	252	316	..	139·7	..	
Hindus—Brahmans	349	340	944	3	270·5	·9	
Caste Hindus—Non-Brahmans.	2913	3264	2195	21	75·4	·6	
Paraiyas and kindred races.	83	81	43	-	51·7	..	
Others...	15	18	-	-	..	..	
Total 1894-95	3892	4267	3954	28	101·1	·6	The strength remains almost the same.
1893-94			3898	77	100.	1·8	

Madura
15th May 1895.

L. Chrishnaswami
Assistant Inspector of Schools
6th Division.

IV.—Statement showing the Results of Grant Examination.

(A.)—SALARY RESULT SCHOOLS.

Standard.	1894. Compulsory subjects only. No. of pupils presented.	No. passed.	Merit.	Ordinary	1895. Compulsory subjects only. No. of pupils presented.	No. passed.	Merit.	Ordinary	Remarks.
VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination ...									
VI. Standard									
V. Do.									
IV. Do. including Primary School Examination.	5	4	3	1	4	3	-	3	
III. Do. ...	6	5	2	3	10	6	-	6	
II. Do. ...	12	9	5	4	25	19	10	9	
I. Do. ...	21	18	15	3	20	10	3	7	
Infant	20	15	14	1	10	4	1	3	
Total	64	51	39	12	69	42	14	28	

Names of Subject.	1894. Optional subjects.				1895. Optional subjects.				
Geography	14	10	3	7	19	18	15	3	
Hygiene	10	8	1	7	5	4	1	3	
English	-	-	-	-	20	17	2	15	
Children's Occupation	23	23	-	23	26	26	-	26	
Second Language	33	15	6	9	32	17	2	15	
Gymnastics	26	26	-	26	43	43	-	43	

Madura
15th May 1895

Assistant Inspector of Schools

IV.—Statement showing the Results of Grant Examination.

(B) ~~SALARY~~ RESULT SCHOOLS.

Standard.	1894. Compulsory subjects only. No. of pupils presented.	No. passed.	Merit.	Ordinary	1895. Compulsory subjects only. No. of pupils presented.	No. passed.	Merit.	Ordinary	Remarks.
VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination ...									
VI. Standard...									
V. Do.									
IV. Do. including Primary School Examination.	214	186	100	86	217	195	69	126	There is an increase in the number presented and passed in all the Standards except the 1st.
III. Do. ...	253	220	143	77	254	223	90	133	
II. Do. ...	295 / 2	273 / 2	199 / 1	74 / 1	345 / 10	319 / 5	141 / 2	178 / 3	
I. Do. ...	333 / 14	294 / 14	224 / 11	70 / 3	292 / 9	261 / 4	136 / 3	125 / 1	
Infant	153 / 11	136 / 11	93 / 10	43 / 1	163 / 11	131 / 9	71 / 3	60 / 6	
Total	1248 / 27	1109 / 27	759 / 22	350 / 5	1271 / 30	1129 / 18	507 / 8	622 / 10	Redraft figures above.

Names of Subject.	1894. Optional subjects.				1895. Optional subjects.				
Object-lessons	17	5	-	5	20	20	-	20	Geography is included under Hist. Hygiene is included under Physiology. Object-lessons is omitted.
Kindergarten	143 / 24	143 / 24	-	143 / 24	163 / 11	163 / 11	-	163 / 11	
Geography	507	294	104	190	522	416	199	217	
Hygiene	371	243	110	133	367	277	162	115	
English	607 / 4	479 / 4	257 / 2	220 / 2	628 / 1	536 / 1	347 / 1	209 / 1	
History	163	87	33	54	118	63	22	41	
Agriculture	-	-	-	-	20	17	10	7	
Drawing	182	72	11	61	257	207	36	171	
Gymnastics	544	544	24	520	743	727	144	583	
Needle work	15	12	6	6	1	1	-	1	
Second Language	23	20	15	5	42	32	19	13	

Madras
15th May 1895

Asst. Inspr.

... work of Inspecting Schoolmasters.

Name.	Range.	No. of Schools visited.			No. of Schools examined			No. of Pupils examined.	No of New Schools		No. of days spent on.		No. of days spent on circuit.	No. of miles travelled	No. of villages visited	Remarks
		Board	Aided	Un-aided	Board	Aided	Un-aided		Started.	Brought under Inspection.	Examining Schools.	Other work,				
R Narayanasami ayar	Tanjore Municipality	3	58	28	3	58	21	10243	3	4	205½	79½	-	-	1	Work Satisfactory

Madura
15th May 1895

K K Nilakanta
Assistant Inspector of Schools,
6th Division.

bar … the Municipality of Jaupie for the official year 1894-95.

Am		Expenditure.							Net cost to Jaupie Municipal Funds.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of Schools.	Remarks.
	Other receipts.	Total.	Masters. Fixed salary.	Masters. Results stipends.	Masters. School fees.	Scholarships.	~~Rewards~~	Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Total.			
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	A. P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A P.	
			330	93				53 9 9	476 9 9	476 9 9	9 8 6	
			144	43 5				45 4	232 9	232 9	5 2 8	
			28					40	68	68	2 11 6	
			502	1365				138 13 9	777 2 9	777 2 9	6 7 7	
			502	1365				138 13 9	777 2 9	777 2 9	6 7 7	
			502	1365				138 13 9	777 2 9	777 2 9	6 7 7	

Results grant was paid at 60 p. c. of the maximum
rate from the Municipal and
maximum rate for the Patna Govt.
School from all the Standards.

6 Statement VA:-

Schools & Colleges which appeared for and passed the General Examinations during the year.

No. of pupils sent	No. of pupils passed
4	3
10	4
20	10
25	19
10	6
69	42.

Received Rs. 15 Fifteen only.

Assistant Inspector of Schools,
6th Division.

V A—Statement showing the Statistics of Municipal Sc

Schools.	Number of Schools. At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed in the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1893. Boys.	Girls.	Average attendance throughout the year.	Receipts. Grants from Provincial Funds. Rs. A P.	Grants from Funds. Rs. A P.	School-fees. Rs. A P.	R
1	2	3	4	5	6		7	8	9	10	11
i — Colleges Nil											
ii — Upper Secondary Schools & Departments. — Nil											
iii — Lower Secondary Schools & Departments: — Nil											
iv — Primary Schools & Departments: —											
(a) Salary System: — Nil											
(b) Salary Results System: —											
1. Muhammadan Salary Results School — 3	1	..	..	1	66	..	50				
2. Palamulgari Street S. R. S.	1	..	..	1	56	..	45				
3. Parcial S. R. School	..	1	..	1	30	..	25				
Total	2	1	..	3	152	..	120				
Total of Primary Schools	2	1	..	3	152	..	120				
Grand Total of all Schools	2	1	..	3	152	..	120				

Number of Students from Municipal Schools who passed the Examinations

P. S. Exam.	Inst. Std.	
i		..
ii		..
iii		..
Total		

V 13.—Statement showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the ...bality of Tanjore for the official year 1894--95

Schools.	Number of schools: At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1895.	Number of pupils examined.	Number of pupils found qualified for grants.	Full amount of grant earned. R.	A.	P.	Proportionate amount of such grant payable in the case of combined Schools R.	A.	P.	Amount disbursed: For previous year. R.	A.	P.	Total. R.	A.	P.	Paid as salaries to masters. R.	A.	P.	Total expenditure from Local Funds (columns 13 and 14). R.	A.	P.	Remarks.	In case of combined Schools A.	P.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9			10			12			13			14			15			16		
Grant-in-aid:—																												
A. Results Grants (i.e. actually Ent. for Grant-)																												
(a) Secondary Schools:—Nil																												
(b) Primary Schools:—																												
Hindu Primary School Chinniyapillai St	1	..	..	1	71	65	61	448	3	..							78	..	..				78	..	..			
S. P. G. Pri. Manambucchavadi	1	..	..	1	155	75	62	405	9	6							49	14	..				49	14	..			
G. L. M. Pri. — Do —	1	..	..	1	108	53	53	330	..	..							153	10	..				153	10	..			
Bacchanna Lane Pri.	1	..	..	1	128	81	72	495	14	..							96	6	..				96	6	..			
Central Primary—	1	..	..	1	107	73	66	534	13	..							86	8	..				86	8	..			
S. P. G. Karuthalangadi Pri.	1	..	..	1	80	56	53	451	4	..							26	14	..				26	14	..			
S. P. G. Primary Fort	1	..	..	1	67	41	39	233	4	..							21	..	..				21	..	..			
Veeraraga Pillai's Primary Branch A.	1	..	..	1	67	43	38	217	..	..							86	3	..				86	3	..			
Do Do .. B	1	..	..	1	50	32	29	161	8	..							90	..	..				90	..	..			
S. P. G. Primary North Gate	1	..	..	1	75	45	38	248	7	..							40	..	..				40	..	..			
Do East Gate	1	..	..	1	61	34	32	235	7	..							77	14	..				77	14	..			
Vaikkakkara Street Pri.	1	..	..	1	38	20	13	63	8	..							33	8	..				33	8	..			
H. H. The Princess Pri.	1	..	..	1	67	57	39	151	5	..							28	..	..				28	..	..			
																	47	8	..				47	8	..			
																	146	..	..				146	..	..	× Includes Rs 35. Franchise grant.		
																	80	..	..				80	..	..			
																	36	12	..				36	12	..			

Results Grants paid at maximum rate from all the Standards during the year.

Statement showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Ma...

Schools.	Number of schools				Number on rolls on 31st March 189 .	Number of pupils examin-ed.	Number of pupils found qualified for grants.	Full amount of grant earned.			Proportionate amount of such grant payable in the case of combined Schools		
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.				R.	A	P.	R.	A	P.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9			10		
Servaikaran Street Primary School	1	..	..	1	35	22	22	136	4	-			
Krishnan Kovil Street	1	..	..	1	45	15	15	49	14	..			
A. V. Pri.y Iruvambuvelavadi ..	1	..	..	1	53	32	28	153	10	..			
Sellappillaiyar Kovil Street Pri.y ..	1	..	..	1	58	47	35	96	6	-			
Manoseeyappa Street Pri.y ..	1	..	..	1	47	34	34	86	8	-			
Pukkulam Street Pri.y —	1	..	..	1	30	13	11	26	14	..			
Narayanakkottai Street Pri.y —	1	..	..	1	40	20	15	21	..	..			
Attumandai Street	1	..	..	1	65	43	41	86	3	..			
Attukkara Street	1	..	..	1	62	56	49	160	14	..			
Iruvattukkottai Street ..	1	..	..	1	36	28	26	47	10	..			
Eastern Rampart ..	1	..	..	1	31/7	21/3	21/3	77	14	..			
Ranivakkal Lane	1	..	..	1	70	19	17	33	8	-			
Koyavan Street	1	..	..	1	28/3	18	13	28	-	..			
Vennarbank	1	..	..	1	34/5	19	15	47	8	-			
Alilasapattai	1	..	..	1	37	33/7	26/7	111	-	..			
Western Rampart	1	..	..	1	67	44	41	107	2	..			
Alagiyakulam Keerai Karai Street	1	..	..	1	30/1	19/1	19/1	36	12	-			

...ity of Taupoo for the official year 1894-95

Amount disbursed. For previous year.				Amount disbursed. Total.			Paid as salaries to masters.			Total expenditure from Funds (columns 13 and 14).			Remarks.
12				13			14			15			16
P.	R.	A.	P.	R.	A.	P.	R.	A.	P.	R.	A.	P.	
..				55	..	..				55	..	..	Result Grant was paid at
..				216	3	..				216	3	..	maximum rate for all the Standards
..				48	2	..				48	2	..	during the year.
..				79	8	..				79	8	..	
..				45	..	..				45	..	..	
4				4803	13	4				4803	13	4	* Includes Rs 163-8-4 Furniture Grant paid to Contractors
													Expenditure Rs 106-10-8 for the following Schools
													1. Alexandra Street R a C Salary 36-10-8
													2. Eastern Pumpkator 25 —
				217	0	5				217	0	5	3. Western do do 45 —
				358	8	..				358	8	..	T.E. C 106-10-8
				216	13	3				216	13	3	
				265	..	..				265	..	..	
				521	..	..				521	..	..	
				225	5	4				225	5	4	
				1803	11	..				1803	11	..	
				1803	11	..				1803	11	..	

Mackean
15th May 95

L. C. Kirkham
Assistant Inspector of Schools
6th Division.

...case of combined Schools

...case of combined Schools

—*Statement showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the* Jaffna

Schools.	Number of schools				Number on rolls on 31st March 189 .	Number of pupils examined.	Number of pupils found qualified for grants.	Full amount of grant earned.			Proportionate amount of such grant payable in the case of combined Schools.			
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.				R.	A.	P.	R.	A.	P.	R
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9			10			
Valambury Primary School	1	..	..	1	22/6	22/6	22/6	79	-	..				
Southali Street Inak" School	1	..	..	1	78	34/19	28/7	216	3	..				
Pambatti Street Inak" ..	..	1		1	41	19	19	48	2	..				
A.V. Princess Primary School West main St.	..	1		1	30	21	15	79	8	..				
Pallaiyagaharam.	..	1		1	41/5	21	20	45	-	..				
Total	32	3	..	35	2057/27	1271/30	1129/18	5752	14	6				
B. Combined Grant Schools:—Nil														
C. Salary Grant Schools:—														
(a) Secondary:—														
St Antony's Lower Secondary School	1	..	..	1	75									
G.L.M. Lower Secondary ..	1	..	..	1	80									
Hindu Lower Secondary ..	1	..	..	1	42									
Vedavalliyammal Lower Sec.y ..	1	..	..	1	50									
Central Lower Secondary School	1	..	..	1	126									
S.P.G. Lower Secondary ..	1	..	..	1	104									
Total	6	..	..	6	480									
(B) Primary:—Nil														
Grand Total	6	..	..	6	480									

Office of the Assistant Inspector of Schools,
6th Division.

No. 3831 497

Dated 15th May 1895.

FROM W. R. Ry L. C. Williams Pillai A.B. B.A

THE ASSISTANT INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS,
6th Division.

TO

THE Chairman
Municipal Council
Tanjore

SIR,

I have the honor to forward herewith Board Statements I, II, IV A & IV B, V, V A, V B, for the official year 1894-95.

2. The statement for III will soon follow.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
Servant

L. C. Williams
Assistant Inspector of Schools,
6th Division

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Statement No. I relating to General

		1893-94		
		Number of Schools.	Number of pupils on 31st March 94	
			Boys.	Girls.
Colleges	Government			
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds			
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds ..			
	Unaided and Indigenous			
Secondary Schools ..	Government	1		6
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds	3		19
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds ..			
	Unaided and Indigenous			
Primary Schools ..	Government			
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds	9		44
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds ..			
	Unaided and Indigenous			
Training Schools ..	Government			
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds			
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds ..			
	Unaided and Indigenous			
Sessional Schools ..	Government			
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds			
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds ..			
	Unaided and Indigenous			
Industrial Schools ..	Government			
	Board or Municipal			
	Aided from Provincial Funds			
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds ..			
	Unaided and Indigenous			

Note.—1. *Where an institution is aided from Provincial or Local (or Municipal) Funds, it should be shown against P*
2. *No comments should be made except as notes entered in the column of remarks.*
3. *This statement should be submitted in time to reach the Presidents of Local Boards or the Chairmen of Mu*

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Statement No. III. giving particulars as to the qualifications

Classes of Institutions.			Number of Teachers employed.	Number possessing Trained Teachers' Certificates.	Number possessing Untrained Teachers' Certificates.
Colleges ..	Government				
	Board or Municipal				
	Aided from Provincial Funds				
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds				
	Unaided and Indigenous				
Secondary Schools.	Government	Females	4	3	1
		Males	-	-	-
	Board or Municipal	Females	10	2	4
	Aided from Provincial Funds	Males	7	2	3
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds				
	Unaided and Indigenous				
Primary Schools ..	Government				
	Board or Municipal	Females	24	5	4
	Aided from Provincial Funds	Males	3	-	1
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds				
	Unaided and Indigenous	Males	1	-	-
			49	12	12

Note.—1. *In the column of remarks it should be noted whether the provision made in the*
2. *No comments should be made except as notes entered in the column of remarks.*
3. *This statement should be submitted in time to reach the Presidents of Local B*

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Statement No. IV relating to the results of the Grant Examinations in Tanjore Municipality

Standard.	1893. 94 Compulsory Subjects only.				1894. 95 Compulsory Subjects only.				Remarks.
	Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	
VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination.	7	7	-	7	12	12	1	11	
VI. Standard	16	14	5	9	20	16	4	12	
V. Do.	18	17	13	4	18	18	6	12	
IV. Do. including Primary School Examination.	28	18	5	13	48	36	11	25	
III. Standard	58	34	9	25	52	46	13	33	
II. Do.	61	38	19	19	76	60	23	37	
I. Do.	76	47	22	25	88	70	38	32	
Infant Do.	70	42	23	19	85	58	27	31	

Name of Subject.*	1893. 94 Optional Subjects.	1894. 95 Optional Subjects.

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Statements relating to general statistics re, of Girls' Schools in the Tanjore Municipality during 1894 — 95

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Chairman,
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Tanjore.

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Forwarded to the Chairman Municipal Council, Tanjore, with reference to his letter No. 677, 11-5-95, to the Inspectress of Girls' Schools, Southern Circle.

Sub-Assistant Inspector of Girls' Schools,
Fifth Range.

1895.

TANJORE MUNICIPALITY.

From

THE CHAIRMAN,
MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,
Tanjore.

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Madras.

Through the Divisional Officer,
Tanjore.

Dated 13th June 1895.
Received

No.

Enclosure. *to letter No. 821*

SUBJECT.

Educational Statement

Girls Schools.

3 Book Inotes

From

THE COLLECTOR OF
Tanjore,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE COMMISSIONER
OF
Madras.

Dated } 188 .
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No.

ENCLOSURE.

Subject.

Enclosures
to an Endorsement

From

The Asst Collector of
Tanjore

To

The Chief Secretary to Govt
Local & Munl Dept
Madras

Dated 24th June 1895

Reference No. 495/Mis

Three Enclosures to the
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Tanjore Municipality for
1894—95.

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TANJORE MUNICIPALITY.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Tanjore, at a meeting held at 8 A. M. ~~P. M.~~ *on* Fri *day the* 24 *day of* May 1895, *at the Municipal Office, Tanjore.*

PRESENT.

18 Councillors

Resolution No.

~~Read~~

Mr. R. Ry. K. S. Srinivasa Pillayavl Chairman

" Vyapury Chettiar avl ——— Councillor

" Sammada Pillay avl ——— " ———

" Palaneyandy Pillay avl ——— " ———

" Sanjeevy Pillay avl ——— " ———

" T. K. Arunasamy Izer avl ——— " ———

" S. M. Govinda Row jee ——— " ———

" Thiruchi Kambalam Chettiar avl ——— " ———

Mahanadah Row Sher ——— " ———

" Hon: K. Kalayana Sundram Jer avl ——— " ———

" Rao Bahadur R. Subramonia Jer avl ——— " ———

" Raka Krishna Raidu Saheb ——— " ———

Khader Batcha Sahib ——— " ———

" L. C. Williams Pillay avl ——— " ———

" V. Appasamy Pandaya avl ——— " ———

" Vaz Thilugam Pillay avl ——— " ———

" Manoha Row Sahib avl ——— " ———

" Subbaraya Mudali avl ——— " ———

Read and approved the administration report for 1894-95 paras 1 to 8.

Meeting adjourned till 5 P.M. tomorrow for the consideration of the administration report.

/Signed/ K. S. Srinivasen
Chairman

/True Extract/

K Srinivasen
Chairman
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TANJORE MUNICIPALITY.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Tanjore, at a meeting held at 5 P. M. *on* Fri *day the* 31st May *1895, at the Municipal Office, Tanjore.*

PRESENT.

9 Councillors

Resolution No. I

~~Read~~

Mr. R. Ry. K. S. Srinivasa Pillay avl. Chairman

" C. Krungasen Pillay avl. dy Collector and Ex-Officio Councillor

" Sanjeevy Pillay avl. —— Councillor.

Mathurah Rowther —— " ——

" Rao Bahadur R. Subramonia Iyer avl. " ——

Khader Batcha Sahib —— " ——

" L. C. Williams Pillay avl. " ——

" Vy. Chilingam Pillay avl. " ——

" Subbaraya Mudali avl. " ——

I. Read and approved the draft Administration report

Of the Tanjore Municipality for
1894-95.

* * *

/Signed/ K. S. Srinivasen
Chairman

/True Extract/

K. S. Srinivasen
Chairman

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TH JULY 1895, No. M., LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

5/ READ—the following paper:—

From M.R.Ry. K. S. SRINIVASA PILLAI Avargal, Chairman, Municipal Council, Tanjore, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Divisional Officer, Tanjore), dated 13th June 1895, No. 821.

I have the honour to submit my report on the working of this municipality for the official year 1894–95, together with the statement of receipts and charges prepared in the forms prescribed by Government.

2. The draft report was placed before the council at its meetings, dated 24th and 31st May 1895, and adopted by it.

3. The budget estimate for the year under report was sanctioned by Government in its order, No. 398 M., dated 30th March 1894, and the revised estimates in G.O., No. 378 M., dated 8th March 1895.

4. The accounts of the year under report have not been audited yet.

I.—CONSTITUTION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

5. The maximum strength of the municipal council is 24 including one ex-officio councillor. Of these, six are nominated by Government and the remaining 18 elected.

6. The elective system is in force in this municipality and there were 2,088 voters registered at the close of the year.

7. At the beginning of the year under report, there were 23 councillors on the roll. During the year there were twelve vacancies in the council—eleven by the expiration of the term of office and one by transfer—besides the one vacancy which occurred but was not filled up during the previous year. Of these thirteen vacancies, nine alone were filled up within the year—five by nomination and four by election—and thus there were only 20 councillors on the roll at the close of the year under report.

8. *Office of Chairman.*—I have been in office throughout the year under report, having been elected by the council on 27th February 1894. My name was gazetted on the 20th March 1894 and I took charge of the office on the 21st of that month.

9. *Meetings.*—There were 68 meetings convened during the year, at 14 of which no business was transacted for want of a quorum.

10. The average attendance is compared below with that of the previous year:—

	1893-94.	1894-95.
Officials	1	1
Non-officials	10	11
Average attendance	12	12

II.—RECEIPTS.

11. The following abstract shows the opening and closing balances and receipts and charges for the year under report:—

—	Actuals, 1894–95.	Budget for 1894–95 including subsequent allotments.	Revised estimate for 1894–95.	Actuals for 1893–94.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Opening balance	88,197 12 7	31,160 0 0	88,200 0 0	23,947 0 0
Receipts	1,90,567 8 7	1,78,200 0 0	1,88,320 0 0	2,14,765 0 0
Total ..	2,78,765 5 2	2,09,360 0 0	2,76,520 0 0	2,38,712 0 0
Charges	1,57,303 5 1	1,87,710 0 0	2,57,730 0 0	1,50,514 0 0
Closing balance	1,21,462 0 1	21,650 0 0	18,790 0 0	88,198 0 0
Total ..	2,78,765 5 2	2,09,360 0 0	2,76,520 0 0	2,38,712 0 0

	RS.	A.	P.
Treasury balances	1,24,029	11	7
Cheques not cashed	2,567	11	6
Municipal office balances ..	1,21,462	0	1

12. The year closed with a balance of Rs. 1,21,462–0–1. The difference of Rs. 2,567–11–6 as per margin between this office and treasury balances is due to the cheques issued from this office not having been cashed within the close of the year under report.

13. I append below such remarks and explanations regarding the principal items of receipts as seem necessary for the purpose of ready reference.

14. *Tax on Arts.*—This tax was revised during the year under report as directed by Government in its order, No. 398 M., dated 30th March 1894. Tax under all classes of the schedule of Act IV of 1884 was levied.

15. *House-tax.*—This tax was levied on all buildings at the maximum rate of 7½ per cent. on the estimated annual rental. The tax was revised during 1892–93 and the demand registers were written up during the year under report.

16. *Land-tax.*—This tax was revised during the year under report and assessed at the same rate of percentage as buildings on estimated annual rental. The revision was reported to Government in my letter, No. 3333, dated 26th October 1894, and the matter was again referred by Government with the scale of assessment proposed by the Divisional officer for the consideration of the council which is still pending before it.

For the year under report the rates proposed and sanctioned by the council were adopted, reserving the final revision of land-tax for the current year.

17. *Tax on Arts—Current.*—The original demand as revised for the year under report was Rs. 16,253–8–0, of which a sum of Rs. 2,674–8–0 was remitted by the council on appeals. Out of the total number of appeals (1,273) preferred against the Chairman's assessment, 1,202 were disposed of during the year and 56 since then.

18. Out of the settled demand of Rs. 13,579 a sum of Rs. 8,808–8–0 was collected within the year, leaving a balance of Rs. 4,770–8–0 at the close of the year, of which Rs. 1,322 have since been collected. Sixty-four per cent. of the net demand was collected under this head before 31st March last against 34 per cent. in the previous year.

19. Of the arrear demand of Rs. 13,581, a sum of Rs. 7,534 was collected during the year, leaving a balance of Rs. 6,047 at the close of the year, of which Rs. 2,109 were written off the accounts by the council. Remission lists amounting to Rs. 2,015 have been referred to various sub-committees for verification. Thus the settled balance to be collected is Rs. 1,923. The percentage of arrear collection to the arrear demand was 55 against 27 in the previous year.

20. *House-tax—Current.*—The finally-settled demand for the year under report was Rs. 21,685–7–0 against Rs. 21,666–9–0 in the previous year. Out of this sum Rs. 18,461–8–7 was collected, leaving a balance at the close of the year of Rupees 3,223–14–5, of which Rs. 1,264–15–6 has since been collected. Eighty-five per cent. of the net demand was collected within the year against 73 per cent. in the previous year.

21. *House-tax—Arrears.*—Out of the arrears of Rs. 7,031–4–9, a sum of Rupees 5,222–14–0 was collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 1,808–6–9 at the close of the year. Of this balance, a sum of Rs. 568–14–0 has been since written off the accounts as irrecoverable. Remission lists involving an amount of Rs. 485–11–9 have been referred to the various sub-committees. The percentage of arrear collection was 74 against 52 in the previous year.

22. *Land-tax—Current.*—This tax was revised during the year as stated in paragraph 16 *supra*. The original demand was Rs. 3,106–10–0. One hundred and thirty-six appeals objecting to the revised assessment involving Rs. 693–3–0 were received, which the council intends to dispose of at the time of the final revision of the assessment ordered by Government in its order, Mis. No. 71 M., dated 18th January 1895. Out of the demand of Rs. 3,106–10–0, a sum of Rs. 1,162–10–0 was collected, leaving a balance of Rupees 1,944 at the close of the year. Thirty-seven per cent. of the current tax was collected against 40 per cent. in the previous year.

23. The council appointed a sub-committee in the month of May 1894 to ascertain the true values of the lands within the municipality for facilitating the revision of land-tax. The sub-committee did not submit its report till October following, on receipt of which the registers had to be newly prepared and that necessarily late in the year.

24. As pointed out by me in my letter to the Chief Secretary to Government, No. 3333, dated 26th October 1894, land-tax registers which were in use were devoid of information about description of lands, their extent, owner or occupier, and information had to be collected on all these points and great difficulty was experienced in so doing, there having been no general survey of the town nor any other easy source of information. Hence decrease in the collection.

25. *Land-tax—Arrears.*—Out of the arrear demand of Rs. 2,839–2–0, Rupees 1,148–5–0, *i.e.*, 40 per cent., were collected, leaving a balance at the close of the year of Rs. 1,690–13–0. Out of this, a sum of Rs. 438–1–0 has been since written off the accounts as irrecoverable. Remission lists amounting to Rs. 208–9–0 have been referred to the various sub-committees for verification. Forty per cent. of the arrear demand was collected during this year against 28 in the previous year.

26. *Tax on Vehicles, Animals and Carts.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 6,693–3–0 was collected during the year under report as noted below against Rs. 5,769–12–0 in the previous year :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Vehicles	1,616	6	9
Animals	2,448	12	3
Carts	2,628	0	0
Total ..	6,693	3	0

There was an increase of Rs. 923–7–0 over the last year's collections, which is evidently due to closer supervision.

27. *Tolls.*—The eleven toll-gates in this town were leased out for Rs. 24,570 for the year under report against Rs. 24,105 in the previous year. The whole of the lease amount was collected together with a sum of Rs. 24–7–3, being the amount of interest collected on the instalments allowed to fall into arrears by the contractor. The one-third contribution of tolls—Rs. 8,198–2–5—due to the district board was fully paid within the year under report. The net income under this head was Rs. 16,396–4–10 against Rs. 16,103–7–3 in the previous year.

28. *Rent on Lands.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 211–8–1 was realized against Rs. 76–14–0 in the previous year. These are rents charged for the temporary occupation of municipal lands for the sale of firewood, &c.

29. *Avenue Receipts.*—The sale-proceeds of avenue clippings amounting to Rs. 66–9–0 was shown under this head.

30. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—The number of travellers that halted in the bungalow during the year under report was 189 against 168 in the previous year. The fees charged on them and collected during the year were Rs. 327 against Rs. 316–4–0 in the previous year.

31. *Produce of Gardens, Lands, &c.*—Under this head the municipal gardens, named Sivaganga and Nílagiri or People's Park, the ditch and the glacis are included. These were all leased out during the year under report and the amount received was Rs. 2,899–10–6 against Rs. 3,037 in the previous year. The decrease is due to the non-payment of ditch kist for two months, February and March 1895, within the close of the year under report. The kists have been since credited in the current year's accounts.

32. *Sale-proceeds of old Materials.*—The sum realized under this head was Rs. 206–13–9 against Rs. 195.

33. *Sale-proceeds of Night-soil, Street-refuse, &c.*—During the year under report the municipality transferred the right to the street sweepings, &c., to the contractor, who removed them out of the municipal limits by means of village carts which were not limited in number. These village carts worked free of cost. Hence no receipts during the year under report under this head. The system has since been changed, as per G.O., No. 1096 M., dated 15th August 1894, and the sweepings are now leased out separately.

34. *Sale-proceeds and Composition Fees of Medicines.*—A very small sum of As. 2–6 was collected under this head during the year. The decrease is due to the free distribution of medicines to all patients in the Raja Mirasidar hospital.

35. *Income from Markets.*—There are three markets in this town. They were leased out during the year except the rooms and butcher stalls which were managed departmentally. The amount collected under this head was Rs. 6,391–15–2 against Rs. 5,412–14–9 in the previous year.

36. *Slaughter-house.*—The two slaughter-houses of this municipality were leased out. The whole of the lease amount with interest for late payments was collected during the year under report. The amount thus collected was Rs. 960–12–6 against Rs. 706–12–0 in the previous year.

37. *Distraint Fees.*—The amount collected under this head was Rs. 161 against Rs. 68–12–0 in the previous year.

38. *License Fees.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 1,191–13–8 was collected for temporary pandals and on dangerous and offensive trades, against Rs. 604 in the previous year, which is due to stricter supervision.

39. *Cart-stand.*—There are two cart-stands belonging to the municipality. They were leased out during the year. The whole of the lease amount was collected together with interest on arrear payments. The amount thus collected was Rupees 1,675–6–10 against Rs. 1,519–1–4 in the previous year.

40. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—The fines collected in the Bench Magistrates' Court under Police and Municipal Acts amounted to Rs. 746–14–6 against Rs. 841–12–4 in the past year. Although about 200 cases more than in 1893–94 were instituted by the police alone, the fines went below those of the previous year by Rs. 94–13–10 and the police represent that the parties are leniently dealt with by the bench magistrates.

41. *Interest on Investment—People's Park.*—The amount endowed for the Tanjore People's park, otherwise called Nílagiri garden, is Rs. 2,800. The sum is invested in Government promissory-notes and lodged in the custody of the Accountant-General. The sum collected during the year under report under this head was Rs. 125–11–1, being the interest on those promissory-notes.

42. *Grants from Government—Education.*—Under this head a sum of Rupees 191–1–2 was collected on account of salary grant, &c., on behalf of the drawing master and gymnastic instructors of this municipality.

43. *Water-Works.*—The estimate for the Tanjore water-works was revised during the year to Rs. 4,29,000. The half-grant promised by Government less Rs. 1,50,000

already drawn together with a grant of Rs. 18,420 promised by Government for the Pudukulam road works attached to the Tanjore water-works was drawn from the Huzur treasury, Tanjore, before the close of the year under report as detailed below:—

	Rs.
Half-grant of the revised estimate of Rs. 4,29,000	2,14,500
Deduct amount already drawn in 1893–94	1,50,000
	64,500
Grant for Pudukulam road as per estimate	18,420
Total ..	82,920

44. *Private Scavengering.*—The number of houses served during the year was 710 against 642 in the previous year. Thus there was an increase of 68 houses during the year served by this agency. Although this number may not be very large, yet endeavours are being made to extend the system. The fees collected during the year were Rs. 992–4–0 against Rs. 821–4–0 in the previous year and the amount spent under this head for payment of private scavengering establishment for the year under report was Rs. 786–2–0. The system was not only self-supporting but leaves a surplus of Rs. 206–2–0 over and above all costs.

45. *Loans.*—During the year under report a sum of Rs. 25,900, being the balance of the loan sanctioned in G.O., No. 1720 M., dated 20th October 1892, was drawn from Government as noted below as the estimate for the Tanjore water-works was revised during the year to Rs. 4,29,000:—

	Rs.
Half of Rs. 4,29,000 is	2,14,500
Deduct amount utilized from reserve fund	25,000
	1,89,500
Loan already drawn	1,63,600
Loan now drawn	25,900

46. *Incidence of Taxation.*—The incidence of taxation per head of population inclusive of tolls was Rs. 1–3–2 against As. 14–5 in the past year and the incidence of income excluding opening balance and including the Government grant for Tanjore water-works and loan per head of population was Rs. 3–8–0 against Rs. 3–15–2 in the previous year.

47. The other items of receipts call for no special remarks.

III.—Expenditure.

48. The following abstract shows the expenditure under each grant compared with the actuals of 1893–94 and the revised estimate for the year under report:—

—	Actuals for 1894–95.	Actuals for 1893–94.	Revised estimate for 1894–95.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Grant I	1,10,317 12 7	1,08,157 11 0	2,08,600 0 0
„ II	8,343 7 8	8,504 1 2	9,320 0 0
„ III	17,245 9 0	15,088 8 5	18,650 0 0
„ IV	7,358 5 7	7,189 8 1	7,570 0 0
„ V	6,626 10 3	4,754 0 11	6,540 0 0
Interest on loan	6,953 0 0	6,503 15 1	6,950 0 0
Advances recoverable	458 8 0	316 4 0	100 0 0
Total ..	1,57,303 5 1	1,50,514 0 8	2,57,730 0 0
Balance ..	1,21,462 0 1	88,197 12 7	1,8790 0 0
Grand Total ..	2,78,765 5 2	2,38,711 13 8	2,76,520 0 0

49. *Grant I, Public Works.*—The total expenditure under this grant amounted to Rs. 1,10,317-12-7 against Rs. 2,08,600 in the revised estimate and Rs. 1,08,157-11-0 in the past year. The decrease in the expenditure is due to the non-completion of the Tanjore water-works within the year under report.

50. *New Works—Communications.*—The sum provided in the revised estimate under this head was Rs. 3,080. The amount expended was Rs. 2,751-7-6. An important street (the west main street of the fort) was widened at the junction of the little fort at a cost of Rs. 396.

51. *Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 509-15-3, against Rs. 1,900 in the revised estimate, was spent. The decrease is due to the non-erection of iron privies as proposed by the council inasmuch as Messrs. Raju & Co., who undertook to supply them, failed to do so within the year under report; hence decrease in the expenditure.

52. *Water-supply.*—A sum of Rs. 89,366-14-3 against Rs. 1,87,130 in the revised estimate and Rs. 88,146 in the past year was spent. Out of this sum, Rs. 88,750-8-3 were spent on water-works and Rs. 616-6-0 on other miscellaneous purposes. During the year under report the estimate for the works was revised from Rs. 3,77,200 to Rs. 4,29,000 and another estimate for Rs. 18,420 was sanctioned for maintaining the Pudukolam road as part of the water-works. The total amount of the estimates for the work is Rs. 4,47,420. Out of this Rs. 3,49,739-14-8 as per margin have been spent on the works from October 1892 to 31st March 1895. As regards the progress of the water-works, I append below the Sanitary Engineer's report for the calendar year 1894 :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
1892-93	1,74,080	9	10
1893-94	86,908	12	7
1894-95	88,750	8	3
Total ..	3,49,739	14	8

"A revised estimate for this work, amounting to Rs. 4,29,000, was sanctioned by Government in G.O., No. 1509 M., dated 22nd September 1894, Local and Municipal. This amount is the same as the first estimate sanctioned by Government in G.O., No. 1938 M., dated 5th November 1891, Local and Municipal. The abstract of the estimate is given below :—

		Rs.
Infiltration works	Filter bed	49,000
	Catch-pit and valve-house	15,450
Engine and boiler house including store and woodshed and compensation for land		33,100
Engine drivers' quarters		6,000
Engines and boilers		70,000
Pipes and valves, &c.		1,70,000
Laying and jointing pipes, &c.		28,200
Contingencies		57,250
Total ..		4,29,000

"Considerable progress has been made at the head works. The filter-bed was commenced on the 15th March and completed on the 6th June. The satisfactory way in which the work has been carried out is due to the energies of Mr. Minchin and the contractor, B. Sivagnanam Pillai. The engine and boiler-house is now under construction.

"The following statement shows the length of pipes laid during the year as compared with that laid up to the end of the previous year :—

STATEMENT of length of pipes laid and number of single and double wall tap fountains erected during 1893 and 1894 at Tanjore.

Description.	Diameter of pipes in inches.										Number of single wall-tap fountains.	Number of double wall-tap fountains.
	18"	15"	12"	10"	9"	8"	6"	5"	4"	3"		
	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.		
Length of pipes laid and number of single and double wall-tap fountains erected in 1893 ..	6,500	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	600	2,600	..	..
Length of pipes laid and number of single and double wall-tap fountains erected in 1894 ..	10,129	2,422	1,147	843	1,346	2,863	4,377	4,439	9,320	36	1	5

"A statement of work executed and the expenditure incurred will be found in Table (8) of the appendix.

TABLE No. 8.

WATER-WORKS, Tanjore.—Statement of work done during the year 1894.

1	2	3		4		5		6	
No.	Main head.	Work done previously.		Work done during 1894.		Work to be done.		Total estimated cost.	
		Percentage.	Value.	Percentage.	Value.	Percentage	Value.	Percentage.	Value.
1	Filter bed	21·5	10,553	78·5	38,447	..	..	100	49,000
2	Catch-pit and valve house	22·9	3,548	70·1	10,835	7·0	1,067	100	15,450
3	Engine and boiler house including store-shed and land	24·5	8,111	18·9	6,275	56·6	18,714	100	33,100
4	Engines, pumps, &c.	54·1	37,920	24·6	17,182	21·3	14,895	100	70,000
5	Engine-driver's quarters	..	..	..	..	100	6,000	100	6,000
6	Supply and delivery of pipes, &c. ..	97·3	1,65,466	0·1	330	2·6	4,204	100	1,70,000
7	Laying and jointing pipes, &c. ..	10·6	3,000	58·1	16.368	31·3	8,832	100	28,200
8	Contingencies	22·1	* 12,648	44·6	* 25,512	33·3	19,090	100	57,250
	Total	2,41,249	..	1,14,949	..	72,802	..	4,29,000	

Materials at site.

	Rs.
1. Departmentally collected and paid for (Mangalore tiles)	544
2. Departmentally collected and unpaid	..
3. Supplied by contractor and paid for	..
4. Supplied by contractor and unpaid for	5,600
Total value of materials collected for work and remaining unused on 31st December 1894	6,144
Total value of work done up to 31st December 1894 (as per table above, columns 3 and 4, "Work done")	3,56,198
(*a*) Grand total	3,62,342
(*b*) Total estimated cost	4,29,000
† Percentage of work done (inclusive of materials at site, viz., items 1, 2, 3 and 4) ..	84·4

"Plans and estimates for the construction of culverts, bridges and repairs to Pudukolam road were submitted to Government on 25th June 1894, and sanctioned on 1st December 1894, and the work has already been commenced."

53. *Miscellaneous.*—For the demolition of the Fort [illegible]ern rampart wall a sum of Rs. 900 was spent during the year under report.

* These do not include Rs. 12,287, pay, &c., of the Assistant Engineer and Supervisor met from Provincial revenues.
† As (*a*) to (*b*), *i.e.*, percentage (*a*) bears to (*b*).

54. *Repairs—Communication.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 9,441–9–9 was spent against Rs. 7,366–7–8 in the previous year. Out of the $55\frac{1}{4}$ miles of roads maintained in this municipality inclusive of streets of every description, $36\frac{1}{2}$ miles are metalled and $18\frac{3}{4}$ unmetalled. Roads to a length of $15\frac{3}{4}$ miles were remetalled and were maintained in good order during the year. All other roads were kept in a fairly good condition. The increase in the expenditure is due to the utilization of the unexpended portion of the grants under other heads of public works (New Works —Buildings; Repairs—Drainage and Water-supply) for stacking gravel on the sides of some of the important roads for the purpose of metalling them during the current year in time.

55. *Tolls and Roads.*—The outlay on roads during the year was Rs. 12,193–1–3 and is 74 per cent. on the net receipts from tolls after deducting one-third contribution to the district board.

56. *Grant II, Education.*—The provision under this head was Rs. 9,320, and the expenditure was Rs. 8,343–7–8 against Rs. 8,505 in the past year.

57. *Training Schools.*—The provision under this head was Rs. 60 and there was no expenditure during the year under report as the bonus sanctioned to the inspecting schoolmaster for the sessional school was not paid within the year. Eight teachers were trained in this school of whom six appeared and passed the Primary examination.

58. *Salary results System Schools.*—There are three schools under the direct management of the municipal council—one for education of Muhammadan boys, another for Pattunoolgars and the third for Parayas. The Paraya school was started during the year under report as per G.O., No. 398 M., dated 30th March 1894. The number of pupils on the rolls in these three schools on the 31st March 1895 was 152 as per margin and these schools are in a satisfactory condition. The amount spent for maintaining these schools was Rs. 777–2–9 against Rs. 721–11–7 in the previous year. The average attendance in these three schools was 120 as per Statement V-A, and the average net cost of each pupil amounted to Rs. 6–7–7 against Rs. 7–12–2 in the previous year. As directed by Government in paragraph 4 (2) of its order in reviewing the administration report of this municipality for 1893–94, the cost of educating the pupils of the Muhammadan school was reduced by payment of results grants to the teachers from 75 per cent. to 60 per cent. Arrangements have been made with the Educational authorities to reduce the number of untrained teachers in the aided schools.

Muhammadan school	.. ..	66
Telugu school	.. ..	56
Paraya school	.. ..	30

59. *Salary Grants.*—The council aided six lower secondary schools on the salary-grant system during the year under report against the same number in the previous year. The total expenditure on account of these schools was Rs. 1,803–11–0, against the allotment of Rs. 2,000 in the revised estimate and Rs. 1,759–12–9 in the previous year. The number on rolls on the 31st March 1895 was 480 against 545 in the previous year. The decrease is due to the opening of a new school by private agency.

60. *Results Grants.*—A sum of Rs. 4,672–11–5 was spent in aiding 35 schools against Rs. 5,086–10–11 spent on aiding 34 schools in the previous year. The allotment for the year was Rs. 4,900. The decrease in the expenditure was due to the introduction of the assignment system in the revised Grant-in-aid Code. The number on rolls on the 31st March 1895 was 2,054 boys and 27 girls against 1,864 boys and 50 girls in the previous year. The result grant was paid at the maximum rates to "Infant to 4 standards" during the year. The increase in the number of boys is due to the closure of eight indigenous schools on account of the death of teachers and other causes. The decrease in girls is due to the opening of a Muhammadan girls' school.

61. *Girls' Schools.*—There are no girls' schools maintained by the municipal council as there are many maintained in the town from Provincial funds.

62. *Inspection.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 361, against an allotment of Rs. 380, was spent towards the pay and contingencies of the inspecting schoolmaster.

63. *Building and Furniture Grants.*—Out of the provision of Rs. 560 under this head a sum of Rs. 270–3–0 was spent against Rs. 175–13–1 in the previous year on payment of buildings and furniture grants to six results schools.

64. *Common Gymnasium Establishment.*—A sum of Rs. 251–9–3 was spent under this head against an allotment of Rs. 265.

65. *Drawing Master.*—A sum of Rs. 175–1–3 was spent towards the pay and contingencies to the drawing master against an allotment of Rs. 180.

66. *Sanitation and Medical Services.*—The municipal council maintains two municipal dispensaries— one at Karanthatangudi and the other at Manambuchavadi. They are under the direct control and supervision of the District Surgeon, whose report will follow. These dispensaries are intended for out-patients only. The number of patients treated in these dispensaries during the year under report was 21,617 against 21,404 in the previous year. For maintaining these dispensaries a sum of Rs. 1,279–12–3 was spent during the year against Rs. 1,380 in the revised estimate and Rs. 1,300 in the past year. Medicines were purchased at a cost of Rupees 293–3–2, and Rs. 194–7–6 were spent on account of contingencies and building rent of the dispensaries. A contribution of Rs. 1,500 was paid for the upkeep of the Raja Mirasdar Hospital as usual. A sum of Rs. 68 was paid on account of the Provident Fund bonus towards the two hospital assistants attached to the two municipal dispensaries.

67. *Contribution to Provincial Funds.*—A sum of Rs. 1,427 was paid as contribution on account of sanitary inspection. This includes the contribution paid for last year also, as no contribution was paid in that year as stated in paragraph 70 of my last year's report.

68. *Contribution to District Board.*—Rupees 381–15–4 were paid during the year to the Tanjore District Board on account of the Prince of Wales' Medical School, Reserve Medical Staff and District Surgeon's establishment.

69. *Medical Training of Women.*—No woman was trained in this municipality during the year.

70. *Vaccination.*—Compulsory vaccination was introduced into this municipality during the year 1893–94. The number of cases operated by the vaccinators and the medical subordinates attached to the two municipal dispensaries was 1,894 against 3,071 in the previous year. Of these cases, 1,831 were successful, 49 unsuccessful and 14 unknown. The large falling off in the number of cases vaccinated during the year is due to all unprotected cases having been vaccinated during the previous year when the compulsory vaccination was newly introduced into this town. Out of 1,894 cases, 958 cases were performed with lymph direct from calf and 936 cases with glycerine paste of animal lymph with a success of 928 and 903 cases respectively. The amount spent under this head was Rs. 377–2–7 against Rs. 540 in the revised estimate and Rs. 306 in the previous year. The establishment was working under the direct control of the District Surgeon. Of the sum spent Rs. 137–10–9 were under contingencies against a provision of Rs. 300. The decrease in the expenditure on contingencies is due to a large amount having been realized by the sale by this municipality of vaccine paste to the neighbouring municipalities in this district.

71. *Infantile Vaccination.*—Out of cases successfully operated during the year, the number of cases under one year of age was 438 and the number of successful cases was 428 against 437 in the previous year.

72. *Midwives.*—There are two midwives attached to the two municipal dispensaries. The number of cases attended by them during the year under report was 163 against 184 in the previous year. The system of payment by results was in force during the year under report.

73. The number of deaths from small-pox registered during the year was 14 against 34 in the previous year.

74. *Registration of Births and Deaths.*—The registration of births and deaths was conducted by a separate establishment during the year under report. A large number of notices pointing out the penalty for failure to give information of births

and deaths were printed and stuck up in various parts of the town and also notice boards to the same effect were prepared and hung up in all police stations within municipal limits and births and deaths sub-registrars' offices. The owners of burning and burial grounds and people engaged in cremation and burials were required on pain of prosecution to furnish information of deaths to this office as required in the Act. The expenditure under this head was Rs. 517.

75. The number of births and deaths registered during the year was 1,601 and 1,417 against 1,696 and 2,096 respectively. For the first time 60 prosecutions were instituted during the year for default in giving information of births and deaths.

76. *Deaths.*—The causes of 1,417 deaths are detailed below :—

Cholera	83
Small-pox	14
Fevers	264
Bowel-complaints	392
Snake-bite	..
Accidents	16
All other causes	639
Total ..	1,417

77. *Conservancy.*—The amount spent under this head was Rs. 11,177-0-2 against Rs. 10,636 in the past year and against the revised estimate of Rs. 12,950. There are 35 toties, 36 carts, 82 sweepers and 20 toties for private scavengering service, one store-keeper, six inspectors and 18 peons. Out of the 36 rubbish and night-soil carts, eight night-soil carts were purchased during the year under report at a cost of Rs. 1,045. These carts are of the same pattern as the Madras night-soil carts. During the year under report the removal of street sweepings was on contract system.

78. There were during the year 28 masonry latrines and one iron latrine. In addition to repairing and replacing many of the existing masonry dust-bins 20 moveable iron dust-bins of good size were purchased. Street boards were newly prepared and put up throughout the town. The houses were all re-numbered and the latrines and dust-bins were all numbered for the first time.

79. *Grant IV.*—The total expenditure under this grant was Rs. 7,358-5-7 against an allotment of Rs. 7,570 and Rs. 7,189, the actual expenditure in the past year.

80. *Lighting.*—The allotment under this head is Rs. 4,650 and the expenditure during the year was Rs. 3,934-1-5 against Rs. 4,041 in the past year. The number of lamps on the 31st March 1894 was 436. During the year 26 new lamps were put up. The total number of lamps on the 31st March 1895 was 462. The decrease in the expenditure is due to the cheaper rate at which oil was purchased. For the purpose of checking rightly the quantity of oil consumed a platform scale was sent for from Madras and the supervision of the department was put in charge of a councillor. Two maistries were working throughout the year against one in the previous year. Special arrangements were also made to test the quantity of oil consumed and the burning of the lamps.

81. *Markets.*—There are three markets in this town—one in the fort, one in Karanthatangudi and the third in Manambuchavadi. The first two markets are set apart for selling vegetables alone and the other—the big market—for selling miscellaneous articles, mutton, fish, &c. This market, the butcher and fish stalls of which were thoroughly repaired this year, affords ample accommodation at present for all the said purposes. The Karanthatangudi market and the petty bazaars of the other two markets were leased out during the year. The permanent stalls of these markets were maintained departmentally. The total expenditure under this head was Rs. 625-15-11 against the revised estimate of Rs. 700 and Rs. 626 in the previous year.

82. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—The cost of maintaining this institution was Rs. 295-9-0 against an allotment of Rs. 300 and an income of Rs. 327. The bungalow was during the year properly furnished. The building was completely repaired. A thatched verandah in front of the bungalow was put up.

83. *Avenues.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 344-10-1 was spent against an allotment of Rs. 320.

84. *Public Garden.*—There are two gardens in this municipality for recreation purposes—one is called the Sivaganga and the other the Nilgiri or Tanjore People's Park. The amount spent for the upkeep of these gardens was Rs. 584-5-0 against Rs. 520 in the past year. The produce of those gardens was leased out during the year under report. The increase in the expenditure is due to the improvement effected in the Sivaganga garden.

85. *Grant V.*—The amount spent under this head was Rs. 6,626-10-3 against Rs. 6,540 in the revised estimate.

86. *Repayment of Debt.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 6,953 was paid on account of the interest for 1894-95 as per Accountant-General's statement.

87. The other items of charges do not call for any special remarks.

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2. Several roads and streets were cut up and rendered uneven while laying pipes in connection with the water-works. The municipality has repaired the main roads and the most important ones of the streets by utilizing the unexpended portion of the grants under other heads of public works also. The roads and streets are in a fairly good condition.

(Signed) C. MURUGÉSAM,
Deputy Collector.

15*th June* 1895.

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2. *Paragraph 9 of the Report.*—The number of meetings dissolved for want of a quorum was 14 out of 68. The frequency having come to notice, on enquiries made it was elicited that proper notice of the meetings was not given. The Chairman has been requested to issue notices hereafter at least two days before the meeting. An improvement in this respect may be looked for in the current year.

3. *Paragraphs 17 to 25.*—Generally speaking, the council's work with regard to the assessment of the taxes shows improvement; almost all the important items exhibit increased receipts. But the collections under taxes on arts, buildings and lands are still very unsatisfactory, as will be evident from the following figures :—

Items.		Demand.	Collection.	Balance.	Percentage of balance to demand.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Tax on Arts ..	Current ..	13,579	8,808	4,770	35·14
	Arrears ..	13,581	7,534	6,047	44·53
,, on Buildings.	Current ..	21,685	18,462	3,224	14·87
	Arrears ..	7,031	5,223	1,808	25·71
,, on Lands ..	Current ..	3,107	1,163	1,944	62·59
	Arrears ..	2,839	1,148	1,691	59·53

The arrears under (1) Tax on arts, (2) Tax on buildings and (3) Tax on lands date from (1) 1892-93, (2) 1888-89 and (3) 1889-90, and are spread over two, six and five years respectively. And looking at the Appendix A to Statements IV-A and IV-B,

as many as 10,548 warrants covering Rs. 19,732-10-2 remained unexecuted at the end of the year. Twelve * bill-collectors and nine * peons were temporarily employed during the year for collection purposes, but their work and the work of the regular staff cannot have been duly controlled. I am afraid that so long as councils can interfere with punishments passed by their Chairmen, discipline will not be effective.

* Three bill-collectors for one year.
Nine " " four months.
Nine peons for four months.

4. *Paragraph* 26.—Taxes on vehicles, animals and carts do not find place in Statements No. IV-A and IV-B and the demands and balances under each are not therefore ascertainable. The report also does not give these particulars.

5. *Paragraph* 30.—The rates of fees charged for halts in the travellers' bungalow are nowhere given.

6. *Paragraphs* 35 *and* 44 (*Market Rents and Private Scavenging Fees*).—The remarks in paragraph 3 *supra* equally apply to the collections of these two taxes, the balances—current and arrears—under these heads being 5·53 and 51·76, and 23·31 and 16·49, per cent. respectively. The arrears exist from 1889-90 under "Market rents" and from 1887-88 under "Private scavenging fees."

7. *Paragraph* 40.—The Chairman's statement that the decrease in the income under "Fines under Municipal and other Acts" was due to the lenient punishments awarded will be referred to the magistrate for explanation and the necessary orders issued on its receipt.

8. *Paragraph* 70.—The reason for the decrease in the expenditure on contingencies given by the Chairman shows that the amount realized by sale of vaccine paste has been taken in abatement of the charges. In such case, the total charges and the deduction should be exhibited in the account thus :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Total charges			
Amount realized by sale of paste and taken in abatement ..			
Difference ..			

The average monthly number of cases vaccinated by the two vaccinators is 79—far too low. The reason assigned by the Chairman for this decrease in work is not at all satisfactory. The two hospital assistants have not vaccinated a single case although their stations—Manambuchavadi and Karanthatangudi—are in crowded parts of the town and away from the fort. The number of infants under one year of age vaccinated was only 438 against 1,601 births registered during the year. A more rigorous working of the provisions of sections 134 to 138 of the Act is called for.

9. *Paragraph* 77.—The entry "82" sweepers in this paragraph is not supported by the detailed scale of establishment given in Statement II-B.

10. *Paragraph* 82.—The expenditure of Rs. 253-6-4 on the repair of the travellers' bungalow has not been taken into consideration.

11. *Statement No. IX.*—The number of houses taxed is 11,436 (11,178—9,742) in excess of the number of "occupied" houses according to the census, the increase representing nearly 15 per cent. in four years.

12. The Chairman is doing his best in very difficult circumstances and I trust the improvement over previous years' administration will now continue.

VALLAM,
24*th June* 1895.

(Signed) J. THOMSON,
Ag. Collector.

M.R.Ry. K. S. SRINIVASA PILLAI Avargal, Chairman, Municipal Council, Tanjore, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Divisional officer, Tanjore), dated 26th June 1895, No. 943.

In continuation of my letter, No. 821, dated 13th June 1895, forwarding the administration report of this municipality for 1894-95, I have the honour to send herewith the District Surgeon's report on the working of the municipal dispensaries and on the general sanitation of the town. My remarks on this report and explanations on some of the points in the administration report will follow.

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ENCLOSURE.

CONCISE Report on the working of the Municipal Dispensaries of Tanjore for the official year 1894-95.

I.—Public Health.—The public health of the inhabitants of Tanjore appears to have been good for the greater part of the year. Cholera, which continued from the previous year's epidemic, finally disappeared in March and the town was free from it till December 13th, when a man residing in Sakanaik street was attacked who had been to Tiruvannámalai Kartigai festival in the South Arcot district. This case was not reported till the 16th, when the patient was seen by the hospital assistant in charge of the Police hospital; he died on the 17th. The second case was a girl who was admitted into the Rajah-Mirasidar hospital on 14th *idem* and died on 15th; this girl had been to Tiruvannámalai festival also. She arrived in Tanjore by the evening train and was at once taken to the hospital, where she died the same night. The next case was a man residing in Weaver street; he returned from Tiruvannámalai festival on the morning of 15th; he had been attacked with cholera on his way to Tanjore; he died on 17th. The next case was in Pookkara street, which is only about 250 yards from Weaver street where the third case occurred; he was attacked on 17th and died on 18th. From this date sporadic cases occurred in various parts of the town in Yellaiammankovil street, Fort, Mission street, Adaikara street, Weaver street—in fact, in all directions. The disease continued till 12th February, when it subsided. There were no cases till the 4th March, when it broke out again in an epidemic form in Palliagraharam, Karanthattangudi Division, and did not finally disappear till 1st April. From 13th December 1894 to 31st March 1895 there were 146 cases and 83 deaths.

From the above account of the outbreak of the disease there can be no doubt that it was introduced by infected persons returning from the Tiruvannámalai festival in South Arcot. The first four persons attacked had all been to the festival and returned to Tanjore in the early stage of the disease; these cases acted as *foci* for the further radiation of the disease, and, considering the numerous ways in which cholera can be disseminated when once it has obtained a footing in a town, the extraordinary thing appears to me to be that the disease did not assume a more marked epidemic form.

As cholera was known to be prevailing in both South Arcot and Trichinopoly, all arrangements were made to meet an outbreak in Tanjore long before the first case occurred. Three extra sanitary inspectors and six peons were entertained, dhobies engaged, sites selected for the burial of excreta, a cholera shed erected; the inspectors were provided with receipt forms to be given for cloths and linen soiled by excreta and which were required to be disinfected, and a disinfecting depôt was established; coolies were engaged to carry tin boxes containing a disinfecting fluid into which all soiled clothes were to be placed and carried at once to the depôt to be disinfected and boiled; the inspectors were provided with tin canisters with perforated lids containing McDougall's disinfecting powder, they were also given small bottles of commercial carbolic acid and told how to prepare a disinfecting lotion; short, simple instructions were printed in Tamil and distributed among the people; in fact, every possible precaution was adopted to prevent the spread of the disease.

A hospital assistant was put on special cholera duty and the hospital assistants at Karanthattangudi and Manambuchavadi dispensaries directed to visit all cases of cholera in their neighbourhood. I personally visited most of the patients and endeavoured to impress on the people the importance of isolating cases of the disease as they occurred, in their own houses, or better still by having them brought to the cholera shed for proper treatment, of destroying or disinfecting all clothes, &c., soiled with cholera excreta, and of reporting the occurrence of a case of cholera when it occurred without delay. I have no doubt whatever that several cases occurred which were never reported. The people refused to bring cholera patients to the special cholera shed. I believe that until the notification of cases of cholera to proper authorities and their removal to an isolation hospital is made compulsory, there will be little hope of cutting short an outbreak of cholera once the disease has obtained a footing amongst the population of a town. In the current year I shall endeavour to perfect all arrangements for isolating cases.

I regret to have to say that the work of the sanitary inspectors was not satisfactory. I did not obtain the assistance I might reasonably have expected from them. Most of them were careless and negligent in carrying out the orders which were given to them. In several instances cases of cholera were not reported to me for several days after the patients had been attacked, and this negligence in reporting cases was no doubt the means of spreading the disease amongst the people in the immediate neighbourhood.

Other diseases that were prevalent were diarrhœa and dysentery and fever, and the mortality from these was 382 and 264, respectively.

II.—Vital Statistics.—The number of births and deaths registered in the municipality was 1,691 and 1,415 respectively Of these 1,415 deaths, 83 were from cholera, 14 from small-pox, 264 from fever, 382 from diarrhœa and dysentery, and 672 from all other causes.

I have no doubt there are numbers of deaths which are never registered. There are numerous burning and burial grounds within the limits of the municipality, but none of these are under the control or management of the municipal council. The provisions of the Municipal Act relating to (section 234 and following) the supervision and registration of burning-grounds are not, and never have been, in force in this municipality. I consider it very necessary that the question of closing many of the existing grounds and registering as many as may be required, is one which should have the very early attention of the municipal council; I believe this matter is at present under the consideration of the Chairman.

III.—Sanitation. The system in force for the removal of all the rubbish and street-sweepings is the contract system which, I think, has many evident drawbacks; the sweepings, rubbish, &c., belong to the contractor, who binds himself to remove them to two rubbish depôts situated outside municipal limits; the sweepings, &c., are ultimately disposed of by sale to the highest bidder and are used as manure. It is clear that the interests of the contractor are intimately connected with the character of the sweepings deposited in the rubbish depôts, if these are suitable for manure he can sell them at a profit, if unsuitable he incurs the expense of removing to the depôts with little prospect of effecting a sale; the result is what might be expected, the cartmen, acting no doubt on orders, carefully select the rubbish for which a sale can be obtained and leave lying about the streets old broken pots, pieces of rags, broken glass, &c., which are of no use as manure. I am of opinion that the removal of rubbish should be effected by the municipality and that whatever can be utilised as manure should, until the sewage farm is established, be sold by auction and the remainder burned in suitable incinerators. The contractor also supplies carts at Rs. 10 per cart for removing drain filth, and fourteen night-soil carts at the same rate for removing night-soil.

There are twenty-eight masonry latrines and one patent iron latrine. They are in good repair, but do not appear to be made much use of by the people; in a great many cases the latrines are situated in places not easy of access, the consequence of this is that many persons, sooner than take the trouble of walking a short distance to a latrine, prefer to make use of such secluded places as they can find for the purposes of nature. If a properly-constructed latrine is kept clean its presence need not cause any annoyance even if situated in the midst of a thickly-populated area. The sanitation of the town would be vastly improved by the erection of numerous small latrines at suitable places in the Fort which is the most thickly-populated part of the town; these latrines need not cost much, an impermeable flooring properly drained and surrounded by a bamboo matting six feet high, properly coal-tarred inside and which could be easily renewed, is all that is required. There are no funds available to meet the expense of erecting properly-constructed masonry latrines, which would of course be preferable In addition to the twenty-nine public latrines, there are 710 private privies which are supposed to be daily cleaned by toties specially appointed for the purpose, to meet the payment of whom the municipality levy a fee of two annas per month on the occupiers of the house to which the privy belongs. The night-soil is removed by the contractor to a night-soil depôt and sold as manure; the night-soil is given to the contractor who supplies carts for its removal at the rate of Rs. 10 per cart per month. I trust an endeavour will be made in the current year to establish a sewage farm. This, in my opinion, is the only suitable plan for the disposal of night-soil in this country; there are no insuperable difficulties to be overcome and no doubt it would eventually prove a source of income to the municipality sufficient to cover the cost of the removal of all night-soil from the town. I understand that this question is at present engaging the attention of the council.

The conservancy establishment consists of 6 inspectors, 18 peons, 88 sweepers, 35 toties for public latrines and 20 for private ones. One of the inspectors has recently attended the course of lectures in Hygiene lately established in Madras and has obtained a certificate of efficiency; with possibly the exception of this man all the rest are totally ignorant of the most elementary of sanitary laws; some of them are Brahmins—a class totally unfit for this kind of work. I frequently inspect parts of the town, but I have never yet had the good fortune to meet a sanitary inspector, though I have at different times been to every part of the town; during the late outbreak of cholera I was greatly impressed with the ignorance and laziness of all the inspectors.

I am certainly of opinion that a special Health Officer should be appointed. The man selected should have gone through a regular medical training and might be deputed to attend the course of lectures in Hygiene in Madras. There are several eligible men of the Hospital Assistant grade who would be willing to take up the appointment, provided the terms offered were sufficiently liberal. A man who had received a medical training would be able to benefit by attending a special course of lectures in Hygiene far more than one who had received no such training. The Health Officer should be placed under the direct supervision of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

Water-supply.—The people in the Fort and Manambuchavadi Division get their water from the Sivaganga tank situated in the Little Fort. There are some cisterns in which water is stored; the water is brought to supply these cisterns by a system of covered channels. The people in Karanthattangudi get their drinking-water chiefly from the Vadavár and Vennár rivers. It is unnecessary to refer at length to the subject of the present water-supply as the new water-works are completed and in working order. The water is supplied from the river Vennár and passes through filter-beds; it is pumped into the town through pipes which have been laid in all directions.

Drainage.—There are masonry-constructed drains in the Fort, which empty into the main drains which discharge into the Vadavár river. A great many of the streets are without drains of any kind; in those parts of the town the drainage is collected in cesspools, which are kept fairly clean.

IV.—Vaccination.—The medical subordinates attached to the municipal dispensaries did not attend to vaccination during the year under review, as there are two municipal vaccinators who carry on vaccination. The number of cases performed by the vaccinators was 1,894 against 2,967 in the previous year. Of these 1,894 cases, 1,831 were reported as successful, 49 as unsuccessful and 14 as unknown. The large decrease during the year was due to the following cause. Vaccination was optional in the town till July 1893 when it was made compulsory and consequently there were a large number of cases unprotected, which were vaccinated during the year 1893–94. The total number of infants vaccinated under one year of age was 438 (428 successful and 10 unsuccessful) against 446 in the previous year. The proportion of the total number of vaccinations to the population of the municipality was 34·60 per mille. In regard to infantile vaccination the returns for the year show that the birth-rate was 29·2 per mille and the rate of vaccination of children under one year of age only 8 per mille. This shows that a very large number of children are either never vaccinated or die within six months of birth. I am inclined to think that the low rate of infantile vaccination can, in a great measure, be accounted for by the very imperfect system of registration. To take the returns for one month as an example, I find that in September 1894 there were 150 births; under ordinary circumstances all of these children should have been vaccinated before the end of March 1895, but the actual numbers returned by the vaccinators show that of the 150, only 25 were vaccinated, 53 died, 26 were unaccounted for and 17 left the town. These figures may be taken as a fair example of the accuracy of the returns for each month of the year. I have addressed the Chairman on this subject and suggested the adoption of measures to remedy the present unsatisfactory state of affairs. Of the 1,894 cases, 958 were vaccinated with lymph direct from the calf and 936 with glycerine paste. A separate depôt was maintained for the supply of calf lymph in the Rajah-Mirasidar hospital under the immediate supervision of the Assistant Surgeon. The total cost of maintaining the depôt for the year amounted to Rs. 347–12–0 and the amount of income was Rs. 209–6–0 derived from the sale of vaccine paste to the Kumbakónam Municipality. The cost of each successful case was 3 annas 4 pies. The vaccinators worked as in previous years under the supervision of the Assistant Surgeon.

V. Hospitals and Dispensaries.—There are two dispensaries maintained by the municipality—one at Karanthattangudi and the other at Manambuchavadi which are the suburbs of the town.

(*a*) *Nature and sufficiency of accommodation.*—These dispensaries are intended for out-patients only, and patients requiring treatment in hospital are sent to the Rajah-Mirasidar Hospital towards the upkeep of which the municipal council contribute a sum of Rs. 1,500 per annum.

(*b*) *Nature of repair of building.*—The dispensary at Karanthattangudi is located in a municipal building and is in good repair. The Manambuchavadi dispensary is situated in a rented building paying a monthly rent of Rs. 4. It is also in good repair. Both buildings are unsuitable for the purpose of a dispensary.

(*c*) *State of repair of furniture.*—In good order.

(*d*) Number of patients treated as compared with previous years :—

Name of dispensary.	1890-91.		1891-92.		1892-93.		1893-94.		1894-95.	
	Total treated.	Average daily attendance.	Total treated.	Average daily attendance.	Total treated.	Average daily attendance.	Total treated.	Average daily attendance.	Total treated.	Average daily attendance.
Karanthattangudi	11,389	55·95	10,527	53·96	11,184	60 21	11,196	61·09	12,038	60·51
Manambuchavadi	8,745	38·39	7,732	31·37	11,077	49·16	10,208	41·44	9,604	51·50
Total ..	20,134	94·34	18,259	85·33	22,261	109·37	21,404	102·53	21,642	112·01

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

From M.R.Ry. K. S. SRINIVASA PILLAI Avargal, Chairman, Municipal Council, Tanjore, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Divisional Officer, Tanjore), dated 13th June 1895, No. 821.

I have the honour to submit my report on the working of this municipality for the official year 1894–95, together with the statement of receipts and charges prepared in the forms prescribed by Government.

2. The draft report was placed before the council at its meetings, dated 24th and 31st May 1895, and adopted by it.

3. The budget estimate for the year under report was sanctioned by Government in its order, No. 398 M., dated 30th March 1894, and the revised estimates in G.O., No. 378 M., dated 8th March 1895.

4. The accounts of the year under report have not been audited yet.

I.—CONSTITUTION OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

5. The maximum strength of the municipal council is 24 including one ex-officio councillor. Of these, six are nominated by Government and the remaining 18 elected.

6. The elective system is in force in this municipality and there were 2,088 voters registered at the close of the year.

7. At the beginning of the year under report, there were 23 councillors on the roll. During the year there were twelve vacancies in the council—eleven by the expiration of the term of office and one by transfer—besides the one vacancy which occurred but was not filled up during the previous year. Of these thirteen vacancies, nine alone were filled up within the year—five by nomination and four by election—and thus there were only 20 councillors on the roll at the close of the year under report.

8. *Office of Chairman.*—I have been in office throughout the year under report, having been elected by the council on 27th February 1894. My name was gazetted on the 20th March 1894 and I took charge of the office on the 21st of that month.

9. *Meetings.*—There were 68 meetings convened during the year, at 14 of which no business was transacted for want of a quorum.

10. The average attendance is compared below with that of the previous year :—

	1893-94.	1894-95.
Officials	1	1
Non-officials	10	11
Average attendance	12	12

II.—RECEIPTS.

11. The following abstract shows the opening and closing balances and receipts and charges for the year under report :—

—	Actuals, 1894–95.	Budget for 1894–95 including subsequent allotments.	Revised estimate for 1894–95.	Actuals for 1893–94.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Opening balance	88,197 12 7	31,160 0 0	88,200 0 0	23,947 0 0
Receipts	1,90,567 8 7	1,78,200 0 0	1,88,320 0 0	2,14,765 0 0
Total	2,78,765 5 2	2,09,360 0 0	2,76,520 0 0	2,38,712 0 0
Charges	1,57,303 5 1	1,87,710 0 0	2,57,730 0 0	1,50,514 0 0
Closing balance	1,21,462 0 1	21,650 0 0	18,790 0 0	88,198 0 0
Total	2,78,765 5 2	2,09,360 0 0	2,76,520 0 0	2,38,712 0 0

	Rs.	A.	P.
Treasury balances	1,24,029	11	7
Cheques not cashed	2,567	11	6
Municipal office balances	1,21,462	0	1

12. The year closed with a balance of Rs. 1,21,462–0–1. The difference of Rs. 2,567–11–6 as per margin between this office and treasury balances is due to the cheques issued from this office not having been cashed within the close of the year under report.

13. I append below such remarks and explanations regarding the principal items of receipts as seem necessary for the purpose of ready reference.

14. *Tax on Arts.*—This tax was revised during the year under report as directed by Government in its order, No. 398 M., dated 30th March 1894. Tax under all classes of the schedule of Act IV of 1884 was levied.

15. *House-tax.*—This tax was levied on all buildings at the maximum rate of 7½ per cent. on the estimated annual rental. The tax was revised during 1892–93 and the demand registers were written up during the year under report.

16. *Land-tax.*—This tax was revised during the year under report and assessed at the same rate of percentage as buildings on estimated annual rental. The revision was reported to Government in my letter, No. 3333, dated 26th October 1894, and the matter was again referred by Government with the scale of assessment proposed by the Divisional officer for the consideration of the council which is still pending before it.

For the year under report the rates proposed and sanctioned by the council were adopted, reserving the final revision of land-tax for the current year.

17. *Tax on Arts—Current.*—The original demand as revised for the year under report was Rs. 16,253–8–0, of which a sum of Rs. 2,674–8–0 was remitted by the council on appeals. Out of the total number of appeals (1,273) preferred against the Chairman's assessment, 1,202 were disposed of during the year and 56 since then.

18. Out of the settled demand of Rs. 13,579 a sum of Rs. 8,808–8–0 was collected within the year, leaving a balance of Rs. 4,770–8–0 at the close of the year, of which Rs. 1,322 have since been collected. Sixty-four per cent. of the net demand was collected under this head before 31st March last against 34 per cent. in the previous year.

19. Of the arrear demand of Rs. 13,581, a sum of Rs. 7,534 was collected during the year, leaving a balance of Rs. 6,047 at the close of the year, of which Rs. 2,109 were written off the accounts by the council. Remission lists amounting to Rs. 2,015 have been referred to various sub-committees for verification. Thus the settled balance to be collected is Rs. 1,923. The percentage of arrear collection to the arrear demand was 55 against 27 in the previous year.

20. *House-tax—Current.*—The finally-settled demand for the year under report was Rs. 21,685–7–0 against Rs. 21,666–9–0 in the previous year. Out of this sum Rs. 18,461–8–7 was collected, leaving a balance at the close of the year of Rupees 3,223–14–5, of which Rs. 1,264–15–6 has since been collected. Eighty-five per cent. of the net demand was collected within the year against 73 per cent. in the previous year.

21. *House-tax—Arrears.*—Out of the arrears of Rs. 7,031–4–9, a sum of Rupees 5,222–14–0 was collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 1,808–6–9 at the close of the year. Of this balance, a sum of Rs. 568–14–0 has been since written off the accounts as irrecoverable. Remission lists involving an amount of Rs. 485–11–9 have been referred to the various sub-committees. The percentage of arrear collection was 74 against 52 in the previous year.

22. *Land-tax—Current.*—This tax was revised during the year as stated in paragraph 16 *supra*. The original demand was Rs. 3,106–10–0. One hundred and thirty-six appeals objecting to the revised assessment involving Rs. 693–3–0 were received, which the council intends to dispose of at the time of the final revision of the assessment ordered by Government in its order, Mis. No. 71 M., dated 18th January 1895. Out of the demand of Rs. 3,106–10–0, a sum of Rs. 1,162–10–0 was collected, leaving a balance of Rupees 1,944 at the close of the year. Thirty-seven per cent. of the current tax was collected against 40 per cent. in the previous year.

23. The council appointed a sub-committee in the month of May 1894 to ascertain the true values of the lands within the municipality for facilitating the revision of land-tax. The sub-committee did not submit its report till October following, on receipt of which the registers had to be newly prepared and that necessarily late in the year.

24. As pointed out by me in my letter to the Chief Secretary to Government, No. 3333, dated 26th October 1894, land-tax registers which were in use were devoid of information about description of lands, their extent, owner or occupier, and information had to be collected on all these points and great difficulty was experienced in so doing, there having been no general survey of the town nor any other easy source of information. Hence decrease in the collection.

25. *Land-tax—Arrears.*—Out of the arrear demand of Rs. 2,839–2–0, Rupees 1,148–5–0, *i.e.*, 40 per cent., were collected, leaving a balance at the close of the year of Rs. 1,690–13–0. Out of this, a sum of Rs. 438–1–0 has been since written off the accounts as irrecoverable. Remission lists amounting to Rs. 208–9–0 have been referred to the various sub-committees for verification. Forty per cent. of the arrear demand was collected during this year against 28 in the previous year.

26. *Tax on Vehicles, Animals and Carts.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 6,693–3–0 was collected during the year under report as noted below against Rs. 5,769–12–0 in the previous year:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Vehicles	1,616	6	9
Animals	2,448	12	3
Carts	2,628	0	0
Total	6,693	3	0

There was an increase of Rs. 923–7–0 over the last year's collections, which is evidently due to closer supervision.

27. *Tolls.*—The eleven toll-gates in this town were leased out for Rs. 24,570 for the year under report against Rs. 24,105 in the previous year. The whole of the lease amount was collected together with a sum of Rs. 24–7–3, being the amount of interest collected on the instalments allowed to fall into arrears by the contractor. The one-third contribution of tolls—Rs. 8,198–2–5—due to the district board was fully paid within the year under report. The net income under this head was Rs. 16,396–4–10 against Rs. 16,103–7–3 in the previous year.

28. *Rent on Lands.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 211–8–1 was realized against Rs. 76–14–0 in the previous year. These are rents charged for the temporary occupation of municipal lands for the sale of firewood, &c.

29. *Avenue Receipts.*—The sale-proceeds of avenue clippings [illegible] to Rs. 66–9–0 was shown under this head.

30. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—The number of travellers that halted in the bungalow during the year under report was 189 against 168 in the previous year. The fees charged on them and collected during the year were Rs. 327 against Rs. 316–4–0 in the previous year.

31. *Produce of Gardens, Lands, &c.*—Under this head the municipal gardens, named Sivaganga and Nilagiri or People's Park, the ditch and the glacis are included. These were all leased out during the year under report and the amount received was Rs. 2,899–10–6 against Rs. 3,037 in the previous year. The decrease is due to the non-payment of ditch kist for two months, February and March 1895, within the close of the year under report. The kists have been since credited in the current year's accounts.

32. *Sale-proceeds of old Materials.*—The sum realized under this head was Rs. 206–13–9 against Rs. 195.

33. *Sale-proceeds of Night-soil, Street-refuse, &c.*—During the year under report the municipality transferred the right to the street sweepings, &c., to the contractor, who removed them out of the municipal limits by means of village carts which were not limited in number. These village carts worked free of cost. Hence no receipts during the year under report under this head. The system has since been changed, as per G.O., No. 1096 M., dated 15th August 1894, and the sweepings are now leased out separately.

34. *Sale-proceeds and Composition Fees of Medicines.*—A very small sum of As. 2–6 was collected under this head during the year. The decrease is due to the free distribution of medicines to all patients in the Raja Mirasidar hospital.

35. *Income from Markets.*—There are three markets in this town. They were leased out during the year except the rooms and butcher stalls which were managed departmentally. The amount collected under this head was Rs. 6,391–15–2 against Rs. 5,412–14–9 in the previous year.

36. *Slaughter-house.*—The two slaughter-houses of this municipality were leased out. The whole of the lease amount with interest for late payments was collected during the year under report. The amount thus collected was Rs. 960–12–6 against Rs. 706–12–0 in the previous year.

37. *Distraint Fees.*—The amount collected under this head was Rs. 161 against Rs. 68–12–0 in the previous year.

38. *License Fees.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 1,191–13–8 was collected for temporary pandals and on dangerous and offensive trades, against Rs. 604 in the previous year, which is due to stricter supervision.

39. *Cart-stand.*—There are two cart-stands belonging to the municipality. They were leased out during the year. The whole of the lease amount was collected together with interest on arrear payments. The amount thus collected was Rupees 1,675–6–10 against Rs. 1,519–1–4 in the previous year.

40. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—The fines collected in the Bench Magistrates' Court under Police and Municipal Acts amounted to Rs. 746–14–6 against Rs. 841–12–4 in the past year. Although about 200 cases more than in 1893–94 were instituted by the police alone, the fines went below those of the previous year by Rs. 94–13–10 and the police represent that the parties are leniently dealt with by the bench magistrates.

41. *Interest on Investment—People's Park.*—The amount endowed for the Tanjore People's park, otherwise called Nilagiri garden, is Rs. 2,800. The sum is invested in Government promissory-notes and lodged in the custody of the Accountant-General. The sum collected during the year under report under this head was Rs. 125–11–1, being the interest on those promissory-notes.

42. *Grants from Government—Education.*—Under this head a sum of Rupees 191–1–2 was collected on account of salary grant, &c., on behalf of the drawing master and gymnastic instructors of this municipality.

43. *Water-Works.*—The estimate for the Tanjore water-works was revised during the year to Rs. 4,29,000. The half-grant promised by Government less Rs. 1,50,000

already drawn together with a grant of Rs. 18,420 promised by Government for the Pudukulam road works attached to the Tanjore water-works was drawn from the Huzur treasury, Tanjore, before the close of the year under report as detailed below:—

	Rs.
Half-grant of the revised estimate of Rs. 4,29,000	2,14,500
Deduct amount already drawn in 1893–94	1,50,000
	64,500
Grant for Pudukulam road as per estimate	18,420
Total ..	82,920

44. *Private Scavengering.*—The number of houses served during the year was 710 against 642 in the previous year. Thus there was an increase of 68 houses during the year served by this agency. Although this number may not be very large, yet endeavours are being made to extend the system. The fees collected during the year were Rs. 992–4–0 against Rs. 821–4–0 in the previous year and the amount spent under this head for payment of private scavengering establishment for the year under report was Rs. 786–2–0. The system was not only self-supporting but leaves a surplus of Rs. 206–2–0 over and above all costs.

45. *Loans.*—During the year under report a sum of Rs. 25,900, being the balance of the loan sanctioned in G.O., No. 1720 M., dated 20th October 1892, was drawn from Government as noted below as the estimate for the Tanjore water-works was revised during the year to Rs. 4,29,000:—

	Rs.
Half of Rs. 4,29,000 is	
Deduct amount utilized from reserve fund	2,14,500
	25,000
Loan already drawn	1,89,500
	1,63,600
Loan now drawn	25,900

46. *Incidence of Taxation.*—The incidence of taxation per head of population inclusive of tolls was Rs. 1–3–2 against As. 14–5 in the past year and the incidence of income excluding opening balance and including the Government grant for Tanjore water-works and loan per head of population was Rs. 3–8–0 against Rs. 3–15–2 in the previous year.

47. The other items of receipts call for no special remarks.

III.—EXPENDITURE.

48. The following abstract shows the expenditure under each grant compared with the actuals of 1893–94 and the revised estimate for the year under report:—

—	Actuals for 1894–95.	Actuals for 1893–94.	Revised estimate for 1894–95.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.
Grant I	1,10,317 12 7	1,08,157 11 0	2,08,600
„ II	8,343 7 8	8,504 1 2	9,320
„ III	17,245 9 0	15,088 8 5	18,650 0 0
„ IV	7,358 5 7	7,189 8 1	7,570 0 0
„ V	6,626 10 3	4,754 0 11	6,540 0 0
Interest on loan	6,953 0 0	6,503 15 1	6,950 0 0
Advances recoverable	458 8 0	316 4 0	100 0 0
Total ..	1,57,303 5 1	1,50,514 0 8	2,57,730 0 0
Balance ..	1,21,462 0 1	88,197 12 7	1,8790 0 0
Grand Total ..	2,78,765 5 2	2,38,711 13 3	2,76,520 0 0

49. *Grant I, Public Works.*—The total expenditure under this grant amounted to Rs. 1,10,317–12–7 against Rs. 2,08,600 in the revised estimate and Rs. 1,08,157–11–0 in the past year. The decrease in the expenditure is due to the non-completion of the Tanjore water-works within the year under report.

50. *New Works—Communications.*—The sum provided in the revised estimate under this head was Rs. 3,080. The amount expended was Rs. 2,751–7–6. An important street (the west main street of the fort) was widened at the junction of the little fort at a cost of Rs. 396.

51. *Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 509–15–3, against Rs. 1,900 in the revised estimate, was spent. The decrease is due to the non-erection of iron privies as proposed by the council inasmuch as Messrs. Raju & Co., who undertook to supply them, failed to do so within the year under report; hence decrease in the expenditure.

52. *Water-supply.*—A sum of Rs. 89,366–14–3 against Rs. 1,87,130 in the revised estimate and Rs. 88,146 in the past year was spent. Out of this sum, Rs. 88,750–8–3 were spent on water-works and Rs. 616–6–0 on other miscellaneous purposes. During the year under report the estimate for the works was revised from Rs. 3,77,200 to Rs. 4,29,000 and another estimate for Rs. 18,420 was sanctioned for maintaining the Pudukolam road as part of the water-works. The total amount of the estimates for the work is Rs. 4,47,420. Out of this Rs. 3,49,739–14–8 as per margin have been spent on the works from October 1892 to 31st March 1895. As regards the progress of the water-works, I append below the Sanitary Engineer's report for the calendar year 1894:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
1892–93	1,74,080	9	10
1893–94	86,908	12	7
1894–95	88,750	8	3
Total ..	3,49,739	14	8

"A revised estimate for this work, amounting to Rs. 4,29,000, was sanctioned by Government in G.O., No. 1309 M., dated 22nd September 1894, Local and Municipal. This amount is the same as the first estimate sanctioned by Government in G.O., No. 1938 M., dated 5th November 1891, Local and Municipal. The abstract of the estimate is given below:—

		Rs.
Infiltration works	Filter bed	49,000
	Catch-pit and valve-house	15,450
Engine and boiler house including store and woodshed and compensation for land		33,100
Engine drivers' quarters		6,000
Engines and boilers		70,000
Pipes and valves, &c.		1,70,000
Laying and jointing pipes, &c.		28,200
Contingencies		57,250
Total ..		4,29,000

"Considerable progress has been made at the head works. The filter-bed was commenced on the 15th March and completed on the 6th June. The satisfactory way in which the work has been carried out is due to the energies of Mr. Minchin and the contractor, B. Sivagnanam Pillai. The engine and boiler-house is now under construction.

"The following statement shows the length of pipes laid during the year as compared with that laid up to the end of the previous year:—

STATEMENT of length of pipes laid and number of single and double wall tap fountains erected during 1893 and 1894 at Tanjore.

Description.	Diameter of pipes in inches.										Number of single wall-tap fountains.	Number of double wall-tap fountains.
	18"	15"	12"	10"	9"	8"	6"	5"	4"	3"		
	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.	FEET.		
Length of pipes laid and number of single and double wall-tap fountains erected in 1893 ..	6,500	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	600	2,600	..	..
Length of pipes laid and number of single and double wall-tap fountains erected in 1894 ..	10,129	2,422	1,147	843	1,346	2,863	4,377	4,439	9,320	36	1	5

"A statement of work executed and the expenditure incurred will be found in Table (8) of the appendix.

TABLE No. 8.

WATER-WORKS, Tanjore.—Statement of work done during the year 1894.

No.	Main head.	3 Work done previously. Percentage.	3 Work done previously. Value.	4 Work done during 1894. Percentage.	4 Work done during 1894. Value.	5 Work to be done. Percentage.	5 Work to be done. Value.	6 Total estimated cost. Percentage.	6 Total estimated cost. Value.
1	Filter bed	21·5	10,553	78·5	38,447	..	..	100	49,000
2	Catch-pit and valve house	22·9	3,548	70·1	10,835	7·0	1,067	100	15,450
3	Engine and boiler house including store-shed and land	24·5	8,111	18·9	6,275	56·6	18,714	100	33,100
4	Engines, pumps, &c.	*54·1	37,923	24·6	17,182	21·3	14,895	100	70,000
5	Engine-driver's quarters	..	..	..	..	100	*6,000	100	6,000
6	Supply and delivery of pipes, &c. ..	97·3	1,65,466	0·1	330	2·6	4,204	100	1,70,000
7	Laying and jointing pipes, &c. ..	10·6	3,000	*58·1	16,368	31·3	8,832	100	28,200
8	Contingencies	22·1	*12,648	44·6	*25,512	33·3	19,090	100	57,250
	Total ..	..	2,41,249	..	1,14,949	..	72,802	..	4,29,000

Materials at site.

	Rs.
1. Departmentally collected and paid for (Mangalore tiles)	544
2. Departmentally collected and unpaid	..
3. Supplied by contractor and paid for	..
4. Supplied by contractor and unpaid for	..
Total value of materials collected for work and remaining unused on 31st December 1894	5,600
Total value of work done up to 31st December 1894 (as per table above, columns 3 and 4, "Work done")	6,144
(*a*) Grand total	3,56,198
(*b*) Total estimated cost	3,62,342
† Percentage of work done (inclusive of materials at site, viz., items 1, 2, 3 and 4) ..	4,29,000
	84·4

"Plans and estimates for the construction of culverts, bridges and repairs to Pudukolam road were submitted to Government on 25th June 1894, and sanctioned on 1st December 1894, and the work has already been commenced."

53. *Miscellaneous.*—For the demolition of the Fort southern rampart wall a sum of Rs. 900 was spent during the year under report.

*These do not include Rs. 12,287, pay, &c., of the Assistant Engineer and Supervisor met from Provincial revenues.
† As (*a*) to (*b*), *i.e.*, percentage (*a*) bears to (*b*).

54. *Repairs—Communication.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 9,441-9-9 was spent against Rs. 7,366-7-8 in the previous year. Out of the 55¼ miles of roads maintained in this municipality inclusive of streets of every description, 36½ miles are metalled and 18¾ unmetalled. Roads to a length of 15¾ miles were remetalled and were maintained in good order during the year. All other roads were kept in a fairly good condition. The increase in the expenditure is due to the utilization of the unexpended portion of the grants under other heads of public works (New Works —Buildings; Repairs—Drainage and Water-supply) for stacking gravel on the sides of some of the important roads for the purpose of metalling them during the current year in time.

55. *Tolls and Roads.*—The outlay on roads during the year was Rs. 12,193-1-3 and is 74 per cent. on the net receipts from tolls after deducting one-third contribution to the district board.

56. *Grant II, Education.*—The provision under this head was Rs. 9,320, and the expenditure was Rs. 8,343-7-8 against Rs. 8,505 in the past year.

57. *Training Schools.*—The provision under this head was Rs. 60 and there was no expenditure during the year under report as the bonus sanctioned to the inspecting schoolmaster for the sessional school was not paid within the year. Eight teachers were trained in this school of whom six appeared and passed the Primary examination.

58. *Salary-result System Schools.*—There are three schools under the direct management of the municipal council—one for education of Muhammadan boys, another for Pattunoolgars and the third for Paraiyas. The Paraiya school was started during the year under report as per G.O., No. 398 M., dated 30th March 1894. The number of pupils on the rolls in these three schools on the 31st March 1895 was 152 as per margin and these schools are in a satisfactory condition. The amount spent for maintaining these schools was Rs. 777-2-9 against Rs. 721-11-7 in the previous year. The average attendance in these three schools was 120 as per Statement V-A, and the average net cost of each pupil amounted to Rs. 6-7-7 against Rs. 7-12-2 in the previous year. As directed by Government in paragraph 4 (2) of its order in reviewing the administration report of this municipality for 1893-94, the cost of educating the pupils of the Muhammadan school was reduced by payment of results grants to the teachers from 75 per cent. to 60 per cent. Arrangements have been made with the Educational authorities to reduce the number of untrained teachers in the aided schools.

Muhammadan school	66
Telugu school	56
Paraiya school	30

59. *Salary Grants.*—The council aided six lower secondary schools on the salary-grant system during the year under report against the same number in the previous year. The total expenditure on account of these schools was Rs. 1,803-11-0, against the allotment of Rs. 2,000 in the revised estimate and Rs. 1,759-12-9 in the previous year. The number on rolls on the 31st March 1895 was 480 against 545 in the previous year. The decrease is due to the opening of a new school by private agency.

60. *Result Grants.*—A sum of Rs. 4,672-11-5 was spent in aiding 35 schools against Rs. 5,086-10-11 spent on aiding 34 schools in the previous year. The allotment for the year was Rs. 4,900. The decrease in the expenditure was due to the introduction of the assignment system in the revised Grant-in-aid Code. The number on rolls on the 31st March 1895 was 2,054 boys and 27 girls against 1,864 boys and 50 girls in the previous year. The result grant was paid at the maximum rates to "Infant to 4 standards" during the year. The increase in the number of boys is due to the closure of eight indigenous schools on account of the death of teachers and other causes. The decrease in girls is due to the opening of a Muhammadan girls' school.

61. *Girls' Schools.*—There are no girls' schools maintained by the municipal council as there are many maintained in the town from Provincial funds.

62. *Inspection.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 361, against an allotment of Rs. 380, was spent towards the pay and contingencies of the inspecting schoolmaster.

63. *Building and Furniture Grants.*—Out of the provision of Rs. 560 under this head a sum of Rs. 270-3-0 was spent against Rs. 175-13-1 in the previous year on payment of buildings and furniture grants to six results schools.

64. *Common Gymnasium Establishment.*—A sum of Rs. 251-9-3 was spent under this head against an allotment of Rs. 265.

65. *Drawing Master.*—A sum of Rs. 175-1-3 was spent towards the pay and contingencies to the drawing master against an allotment of Rs. 180.

66. *Sanitation and Medical Services.*—The municipal council maintains two municipal dispensaries— one at Karanthatangudi and the other at Manambuchavadi. They are under the direct control and supervision of the District Surgeon, whose report will follow. These dispensaries are intended for out-patients only. The number of patients treated in these dispensaries during the year under report was 21,677 against 21,404 in the previous year. For maintaining these dispensaries a sum of Rs. 1,279-12-3 was spent during the year against Rs. 1,380 in the revised estimate and Rs. 1,300 in the past year. Medicines were purchased at a cost of Rupees 293-3-2, and Rs. 194-7-6 were spent on account of contingencies and building rent of the dispensaries. A contribution of Rs. 1,500 was paid for the upkeep of the Raja Mirasdar Hospital as usual. A sum of Rs. 68 was paid on account of the Provident Fund bonus towards the two hospital assistants attached to the two municipal dispensaries.

67. *Contribution to Provincial Funds.*—A sum of Rs. 1,427 was paid as contribution on account of sanitary inspection. This includes the contribution paid for last year also, as no contribution was paid in that year as stated in paragraph 70 of my last year's report.

68. *Contribution to District Board.*—Rupees 381-15-4 were paid during the year to the Tanjore District Board on account of the Prince of Wales' Medical School, Reserve Medical Staff and District Surgeon's establishment.

69. *Medical Training of Women.*—No woman was trained in this municipality during the year.

70. *Vaccination.*—Compulsory vaccination was introduced into this municipality during the year 1893-94. The number of cases operated by the vaccinators and the medical subordinates attached to the two municipal dispensaries was 1,894 against 3,071 in the previous year. Of these cases, 1,831 were successful, 49 unsuccessful and 14 unknown. The large falling off in the number of cases vaccinated during the year is due to all unprotected cases having been vaccinated during the previous year when the compulsory vaccination was newly introduced into this town. Out of 1,894 cases, 958 cases were performed with lymph direct from calf and 936 cases with glycerine paste of animal lymph with a success of 928 and 903 cases respectively. The amount spent under this head was Rs. 377-2-7 against Rs. 540 in the revised estimate and Rs. 306 in the previous year. The establishment was working under the direct control of the District Surgeon. Of the sum spent Rs. 137-10-9 were under contingencies against a provision of Rs. 300. The decrease in the expenditure on contingencies is due to a large amount having been realized by the sale by this municipality of vaccine paste to the neighbouring municipalities in this district.

71. *Infantile Vaccination.*—Out of cases successfully operated during the year, the number of cases under one year of age was 438 and the number of successful cases was 428 against 437 in the previous year.

72. *Midwives.*—There are two midwives attached to the two municipal dispensaries. The number of cases attended by them during the year under report was 163 against 184 in the previous year. The system of payment by results was in force during the year under report.

73. The number of deaths from small-pox registered during the year was 14 against 34 in the previous year.

74. *Registration of Births and Deaths.*—The registration of births and deaths was conducted by a separate establishment during the year under report. A large number of notices pointing out the penalty for failure to give information of births

and deaths were printed and stuck up in various parts of the town and also notice boards to the same effect were prepared and hung up in all police stations within municipal limits and births and deaths sub-registrars' offices. The owners of burning and burial grounds and people engaged in cremation and burials were required on pain of prosecution to furnish information of deaths to this office as required in the Act. The expenditure under this head was Rs. 547.

75. The number of births and deaths registered during the year was 1,601 and 1,417 against 1,696 and 2,096 respectively. For the first time 60 prosecutions were instituted during the year for default in giving information of births and deaths.

76. *Deaths.*—The causes of 1,417 deaths are detailed below :—

Cholera	83
Small-pox	14
Fevers	264
Bowel-complaints	392
Snake-bite	..
Accidents	16
All other causes	639
Total ..	1,417

77. *Conservancy.*—The amount spent under this head was Rs. 11,177–0–2 against Rs. 10,636 in the past year and against the revised estimate of Rs. 12,950. There are 35 toties, 36 carts, 82 sweepers and 20 toties for private scavengering service, one store-keeper, six inspectors and 18 peons. Out of the 36 rubbish and night-soil carts, eight night-soil carts were purchased during the year under report at a cost of Rs. 1,045. These carts are of the same pattern as the Madras night-soil carts. During the year under report the removal of street sweepings was on contract system.

78. There were during the year 28 masonry latrines and one iron latrine. In addition to repairing and replacing many of the existing masonry dust-bins 20 moveable iron dust-bins of good size were purchased. Street boards were newly prepared and put up throughout the town. The houses were all re-numbered and the latrines and dust-bins were all numbered for the first time.

79. *Grant IV.*—The total expenditure under this grant was Rs. 7,358–5–7 against an allotment of Rs. 7,570 and Rs. 7,189, the actual expenditure in the past year.

80. *Lighting.*—The allotment under this head is Rs. 4,650 and the expenditure during the year was Rs. 3,934–1–5 against Rs. 4,041 in the past year. The number of lamps on the 31st March 1894 was 436. During the year 26 new lamps were put up. The total number of lamps on the 31st March 1895 was 462. The decrease in the expenditure is due to the cheaper rate at which oil was purchased. For the purpose of checking rightly the quantity of oil consumed a platform scale was sent for from Madras and the supervision of the department was put in charge of a councillor. Two maistries were working throughout the year against one in the previous year. Special arrangements were also made to test the quantity of oil consumed and the burning of the lamps.

81. *Markets.*—There are three markets in this town—one in the fort, one in Karanthatangudi and the third in Manambuchavadi. The first two markets are set apart for selling vegetables alone and the other—the big market—for selling miscellaneous articles, mutton, fish, &c. This market, the butcher and fish stalls of which were thoroughly repaired this year, affords ample accommodation at present for all the said purposes. The Karanthatangudi market and the petty bazaars of the other two markets were leased out during the year. The permanent stalls of these markets were maintained departmentally. The total expenditure under this head was Rs. 625–15–11 against the revised estimate of Rs. 700 and Rs. 626 in the previous year.

82. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—The cost of maintaining this institution was Rs. 295–9–0 against an allotment of Rs. 300 and an income of Rs. 327. The bungalow was during the year properly furnished. The building was completely repaired. A thatched verandah in front of the bungalow was put up.

83. *Avenues.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 344–10–1 was spent against an allotment of Rs. 320.

84. *Public Garden.*—There are two gardens in this municipality for recreation purposes—one is called the Sivaganga and the other the Nílgiri or Tanjore People's Park. The amount spent for the upkeep of these gardens was Rs. 584–5–0 against Rs. 520 in the past year. The produce of those gardens was leased out during the year under report. The increase in the expenditure is due to the improvement effected in the Sivaganga garden.

85. *Grant V.*—The amount spent under this head was Rs. 6,626–10–3 against Rs. 6,540 in the revised estimate.

86. *Repayment of Debt.*—Under this head a sum of Rs. 6,953 was paid on account of the interest for 1894–95 as per Accountant-General's statement.

87. The other items of charges do not call for any special remarks.

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2. Several roads and streets were cut up and rendered uneven while laying pipes in connection with the water-works. The municipality has repaired the main roads and the most important ones of the streets by utilizing the unexpended portion of the grants under other heads of public works also. The roads and streets are in a fairly good condition.

(Signed) C. MURUGÉSAM,
Deputy Collector.

15*th June* 1895.

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Submitted to Government in the Local and Municipal Department.

2. *Paragraph* 9 *of the Report.*—The number of meetings dissolved for want of a quorum was 14 out of 68. The frequency having come to notice, on enquiries made it was elicited that proper notice of the meetings was not given. The Chairman has been requested to issue notices hereafter at least two days before the meeting. An improvement in this respect may be looked for in the current year.

3. *Paragraphs* 17 *to* 25.—Generally speaking, the council's work with regard to the assessment of the taxes shows improvement; almost all the important items exhibit increased receipts. But the collections under taxes on arts, buildings and lands are still very unsatisfactory, as will be evident from the following figures :—

Items.		Demand.	Collection.	Balance.	Percentage of balance to demand.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Tax on Arts ..	Current ..	13,579	8,808	4,770	35·14
	Arrears ..	13,581	7,534	6,047	44·53
,, on Buildings.	Current ..	21,685	18,462	3,224	14·87
	Arrears ..	7,031	5,223	1,808	25·71
,, on Lands ..	Current ..	3,107	1,163	1,944	62·59
	Arrears ..	2,839	1,148	1,691	59·53

The arrears under (1) Tax on arts, (2) Tax on buildings and (3) Tax on lands date from (1) 1892–93, (2) 1888–89 and (3) 1889–90, and are spread over two, six and five years respectively. And looking at the Appendix A to Statements IV-A and IV-B,

as many as 10,548 warrants covering Rs. 19,732–10–2 remained unexecuted at the end of the year. Twelve * bill-collectors and nine * peons were temporarily employed during the year for collection purposes, but their work and the work of the regular staff cannot have been duly controlled. I am afraid that so long as councils can interfere with punishments passed by their Chairmen, discipline will not be effective.

* Three bill-collectors for one year.
Nine " " four months.
Nine peons for four months.

4. *Paragraph* 26.—Taxes on vehicles, animals and carts do not find place in Statements No. IV-A and IV-B and the demands and balances under each are not therefore ascertainable. The report also does not give these particulars.

5. *Paragraph* 30.—The rates of fees charged for halts in the travellers' bungalow are nowhere given.

6. *Paragraphs* 35 *and* 44 (*Market Rents and Private Scavenging Fees*).—The remarks in paragraph 3 *supra* equally apply to the collections of these two taxes, the balances—current and arrears—under these heads being 5·53 and 51·76, and 23·31 and 16·49, per cent. respectively. The arrears exist from 1889–90 under "Market rents" and from 1887–88 under "Private scavenging fees."

7. *Paragraph* 40.—The Chairman's statement that the decrease in the income under "Fines under Municipal and other Acts" was due to the lenient punishments awarded will be referred to the magistrate for explanation and the necessary orders issued on its receipt.

8. *Paragraph* 70.—The reason for the decrease in the expenditure on contingencies given by the Chairman shows that the amount realized by sale of vaccine paste has been taken in abatement of the charges. In such case, the total charges and the deduction should be exhibited in the account thus:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Total charges			
Amount realized by sale of paste and taken in abatement ..			
Difference ..			

The average monthly number of cases vaccinated by the two vaccinators is 79—far too low. The reason assigned by the Chairman for this decrease in work is not at all satisfactory. The two hospital assistants have not vaccinated a single case although their stations—Manambuchavadi and Karanthatangudi—are in crowded parts of the town and away from the fort. The number of infants under one year of age vaccinated was only 438 against 1,601 births registered during the year. A more rigorous working of the provisions of sections 134 to 138 of the Act is called for.

9. *Paragraph* 77.—The entry "82" sweepers in this paragraph is not supported by the detailed scale of establishment given in Statement II-B.

10. *Paragraph* 82.—The expenditure of Rs. 253–6–4 on the repair of the travellers' bungalow has not been taken into consideration.

11. *Statement No. IX.*—The number of houses taxed is 1,436 (11,178—9,742) in excess of the number of "occupied" houses according to the census, the increase representing nearly 15 per cent. in four years.

12. The Chairman is doing his best in very difficult circumstances and I trust the improvement over previous years' administration will now continue.

VALLAM,
24*th June* 1895.

(Signed) J. THOMSON,
Ag. Collector.

From M.R.Ry. K. S. SRINIVASA PILLAI Avargal, Chairman, Municipal Council, Tanjore, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Divisional officer, Tanjore), dated 26th June 1895, No. 943.

In continuation of my letter, No. 821, dated 13th June 1895, forwarding the administration report of this municipality for 1894–95, I have the honour to send herewith the District Surgeon's report on the working of the municipal dispensaries and on the general sanitation of the town. My remarks on this report and explanations on some of the points in the administration report will follow.

ENCLOSURE.

CONCISE Report on the working of the Municipal Dispensaries of Tanjore for the official year 1894–95.

I.—Public Health.—The public health of the inhabitants of Tanjore appears to have been good for the greater part of the year. Cholera, which continued from the previous year's epidemic, finally disappeared in March and the town was free from it till December 13th, when a man residing in Sakanaik street was attacked who had been to Tiruvannámalai Kartigai festival in the South Arcot district. This case was not reported till the 16th, when the patient was seen by the hospital assistant in charge of the Police hospital; he died on the 17th. The second case was a girl who was admitted into the Rajah-Mirasidar hospital on 14th *idem* and died on 15th; this girl had been to Tiruvannámalai festival also. She arrived in Tanjore by the evening train and was at once taken to the hospital, where she died the same night. The next case was a man residing in Weaver street; he returned from Tiruvannámalai festival on the morning of 15th; he had been attacked with cholera on his way to Tanjore; he died on 17th. The next case was in Pookkara street, which is only about 250 yards from Weaver street where the third case occurred; he was attacked on 17th and died on 18th. From this date sporadic cases occurred in various parts of the town in Yellaiammankovil street, Fort, Mission street, Adaikara street, Weaver street—in fact, in all directions. The disease continued till 12th February, when it subsided. There were no cases till the 4th March, when it broke out again in an epidemic form in Palliagraharam, Karanthattangudi Division, and did not finally disappear till 1st April. From 13th December 1894 to 31st March 1895 there were 146 cases and 83 deaths.

From the above account of the outbreak of the disease there can be no doubt that it was introduced by infected persons returning from the Tiruvannámalai festival in South Arcot. The first four persons attacked had all been to the festival and returned to Tanjore in the early stage of the disease; these cases acted as *foci* for the further radiation of the disease, and, considering the numerous ways in which cholera can be disseminated when once it has obtained a footing in a town, the extraordinary thing appears to me to be that the disease did not assume a more marked epidemic form.

As cholera was known to be prevailing in both South Arcot and Trichinopoly, all arrangements were made to meet an outbreak in Tanjore long before the first case occurred. Three extra sanitary inspectors and six peons were entertained, dhobies engaged, sites selected for the burial of excreta, a cholera shed erected; the inspectors were provided with receipt forms to be given for cloths and linen soiled by excreta and which were required to be disinfected, and a disinfecting depôt was established; coolies were engaged to carry tin boxes containing a disinfecting fluid into which all soiled clothes were to be placed and carried at once to the depôt to be disinfected and boiled; the inspectors were provided with tin canisters with perforated lids containing McDougall's disinfecting powder, they were also given small bottles of commercial carbolic acid and told how to prepare a disinfecting lotion; short, simple instructions were printed in Tamil and distributed among the people; in fact, every possible precaution was adopted to prevent the spread of the disease.

A hospital assistant was put on special cholera duty and the hospital assistants at Karanthattangudi and Manambuchavadi dispensaries directed to visit all cases of cholera in their neighbourhood. I personally visited most of the patients and endeavoured to impress on the people the importance of isolating cases of the disease as they occurred, in their own houses, or better still by having them brought to the cholera shed for proper treatment, of destroying or disinfecting all clothes, &c., soiled with cholera excreta, and of reporting the occurrence of a case of cholera when it occurred without delay. I have no doubt whatever that several cases occurred which were never reported. The people refused to bring cholera patients to the special cholera shed. I believe that until the notification of cases of cholera to proper authorities and their removal to an isolation hospital is made compulsory, there will be little hope of cutting short an outbreak of cholera once the disease has obtained a footing amongst the population of a town. In the current year I shall endeavour to perfect all arrangements for isolating cases.

I regret to have to say that the work of the sanitary inspectors was not satisfactory. I did not obtain the assistance I might reasonably have expected from them. Most of them were careless and negligent in carrying out the orders which were given to them. In several instances cases of cholera were not reported to me for several days after the patients had been attacked, and this negligence in reporting cases was no doubt the means of spreading the disease amongst the people in the immediate neighbourhood.

Other diseases that were prevalent were diarrhœa and dysentery and fever, and the mortality from these was 382 and 264, respectively.

II.—Vital Statistics.—The number of births and deaths registered in the municipality was 1,601 and 1,415 respectively. Of these 1,415 deaths, 83 were from cholera, 14 from small-pox, 264 from fever, 382 from diarrhœa and dysentery, and 672 from all other causes.

I have no doubt there are numbers of deaths which are never registered. There are numerous burning and burial grounds within the limits of the municipality, but none of these are under the control or management of the municipal council. The provisions of the Municipal Act relating to (section 234 and following) the supervision and registration of burning-grounds are not, and never have been, in force in this municipality. I consider it very necessary that the question of closing many of the existing grounds and registering as many as may be required, is one which should have the very early attention of the municipal council; I believe this matter is at present under the consideration of the Chairman.

III.—Sanitation.—The system in force for the removal of all the rubbish and street-sweepings is the contract system which, I think, has many evident drawbacks; the sweepings, rubbish, &c., belong to the contractor, who binds himself to remove them to two rubbish depôts situated outside municipal limits; the sweepings, &c., are ultimately disposed of by sale to the highest bidder and are used as manure. It is clear that the interests of the contractor are intimately connected with the character of the sweepings deposited in the rubbish depôts, if these are suitable for manure he can sell them at a profit, if unsuitable he incurs the expense of removing to the depôts with little prospect of effecting a sale; the result is what might be expected, the cartmen, acting no doubt on orders, carefully select the rubbish for which a sale can be obtained and leave lying about the streets old broken pots, pieces of rags, broken glass, &c., which are of no use as manure. I am of opinion that the removal of rubbish should be effected by the municipality and that whatever can be utilised as manure should, until the sewage farm is established, be sold by auction and the remainder burned in suitable incinerators. The contractor also supplies carts at Rs. 10 per cart for removing drain filth, and fourteen night-soil carts at the same rate for removing night-soil.

There are twenty-eight masonry latrines and one patent iron latrine. They are in good repair, but do not appear to be made much use of by the people; in a great many cases the latrines are situated in places not easy of access, the consequence of this is that many persons, sooner than take the trouble of walking a short distance to a latrine, prefer to make use of such secluded places as they can find for the purposes of nature. If a properly-constructed latrine is kept clean its presence need not cause any annoyance even if situated in the midst of a thickly-populated area. The sanitation of the town would be vastly improved by the erection of numerous small latrines at suitable places in the Fort which is the most thickly-populated part of the town; these latrines need not cost much, an impermeable flooring properly drained and surrounded by a bamboo matting six feet high, properly coal-tarred inside and which could be easily renewed, is all that is required. There are no funds available to meet the expense of erecting properly-constructed masonry latrines, which would of course be preferable. In addition to the twenty-nine public latrines, there are 710 private privies which are supposed to be daily cleaned by toties specially appointed for the purpose, to meet the payment of whom the municipality levy a fee of two annas per month on the occupiers of the house to which the privy belongs. The night-soil is removed by the contractor to a night-soil depôt and sold as manure; the night-soil is given to the contractor who supplies carts for its removal at the rate of Rs. 10 per cart per month. I trust an endeavour will be made in the current year to establish a sewage farm. This, in my opinion, is the only suitable plan for the disposal of night-soil in this country; there are no insuperable difficulties to be overcome and no doubt it would eventually prove a source of income to the municipality sufficient to cover the cost of the removal of all night-soil from the town. I understand that this question is at present engaging the attention of the council.

The conservancy establishment consists of 6 inspectors, 18 peons, 88 sweepers, 35 toties for public latrines and 20 for private ones. One of the inspectors has recently attended the course of lectures in Hygiene lately established in Madras and has obtained a certificate of efficiency; with possibly the exception of this man all the rest are totally ignorant of the most elementary of sanitary laws; some of them are Brahmins—a class totally unfit for this kind of work. I frequently inspect parts of the town, but I have never yet had the good fortune to meet a sanitary inspector, though I have at different times been to every part of the town; during the late outbreak of cholera I was greatly impressed with the ignorance and laziness of all the inspectors.

I am certainly of opinion that a special Health Officer should be appointed. The man selected should have gone through a regular medical training and might be deputed to attend the course of lectures in Hygiene in Madras. There are several eligible men of the Hospital Assistant grade who would be willing to take up the appointment, provided the terms offered were sufficiently liberal. A man who had received a medical training would be able to benefit by attending a

special course of lectures in Hygiene far more than one who had received no such training. The Health Officer should be placed under the direct supervision of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

Water-supply.—The people in the Fort and Manambuchavadi Division get their water from the Sivaganga tank situated in the Little Fort. There are some cisterns in which water is stored; the water is brought to supply these cisterns by a system of covered channels. The people in Karanthattangudi get their drinking-water chiefly from the Vadavár and Vennár rivers. It is unnecessary to refer at length to the subject of the present water-supply as the new water-works are completed and in working order. The water is supplied from the river Vennár and passes through filter-beds; it is pumped into the town through pipes which have been laid in all directions.

Drainage.—There are masonry-constructed drains in the Fort, which empty into the main drains which discharge into the Vadavár river. A great many of the streets are without drains of any kind; in those parts of the town the drainage is collected in cesspools, which are kept fairly clean.

IV.—Vaccination.—The medical subordinates attached to the municipal dispensaries did not attend to vaccination during the year under review, as there are two municipal vaccinators who carry on vaccination. The number of cases performed by the vaccinators was 1,894 against 2,967 in the previous year. Of these 1,894 cases, 1,831 were reported as successful, 49 as unsuccessful and 14 as unknown. The large decrease during the year was due to the following cause. Vaccination was optional in the town till July 1893 when it was made compulsory and consequently there were a large number of cases unprotected, which were vaccinated during the year 1893–94. The total number of infants vaccinated under one year of age was 438 (428 successful and 10 unsuccessful) against 446 in the previous year. The proportion of the total number of vaccinations to the population of the municipality was 34·60 per mille. In regard to infantile vaccination the returns for the year show that the birth-rate was 29·2 per mille and the rate of vaccination of children under one year of age only 8 per mille. This shows that a very large number of children are either never vaccinated or die within six months of birth. I am inclined to think that the low rate of infantile vaccination can, in a great measure, be accounted for by the very imperfect system of registration. To take the returns for one month as an example, I find that in September 1894 there were 150 births; under ordinary circumstances all of these children should have been vaccinated before the end of March 1895, but the actual numbers returned by the vaccinators show that of the 150, only 25 were vaccinated, 53 died, 26 were unaccounted for and 17 left the town. These figures may be taken as a fair example of the accuracy of the returns for each month of the year. I have addressed the Chairman on this subject and suggested the adoption of measures to remedy the present unsatisfactory state of affairs. Of the 1,894 cases, 958 were vaccinated with lymph direct from the calf and 936 with glycerine paste. A separate depôt was maintained for the supply of calf lymph in the Rajah-Mirasidar hospital under the immediate supervision of the Assistant Surgeon. The total cost of maintaining the depôt for the year amounted to Rs. 347–12–0 and the amount of income was Rs. 209–6–0 derived from the sale of vaccine paste to the Kumbakónam Municipality. The cost of each successful case was 3 annas 4 pies. The vaccinators worked as in previous years under the supervision of the Assistant Surgeon.

V. Hospitals and Dispensaries.—There are two dispensaries maintained by the municipality—one at Karanthattangudi and the other at Manambuchavadi which are the suburbs of the town.

(*a*) *Nature and sufficiency of accommodation.*—These dispensaries are intended for out-patients only, and patients requiring treatment in hospital are sent to the Rajah-Mirasidar Hospital towards the upkeep of which the municipal council contribute a sum of Rs. 1,500 per annum.

(*b*) *Nature of repair of building.*—The dispensary at Karanthattangudi is located in a municipal building and is in good repair. The Manambuchavadi dispensary is situated in a rented building paying a monthly rent of Rs. 4. It is also in good repair. Both buildings are unsuitable for the purpose of a dispensary.

(*c*) *State of repair of furniture.*—In good order.

(*d*) Number of patients treated as compared with previous years :—

Name of dispensary.	1890-91.		1891-92.		1892-93.		1893-94.		1894-95.	
	Total treated.	Average daily attendance.	Total treated.	Average daily attendance.	Total treated.	Average daily attendance.	Total treated.	Average daily attendance.	Total treated.	Average daily attendance.
Karanthattangudi	11,389	55·95	10,527	53·96	11,184	60 21	11,196	61·09	12,038	60·51
Manambuchavadi	8,745	38·39	7,732	31·37	11,077	49·16	10,208	41·44	9,604	51·50
Total ..	20,134	94·34	18,259	85·33	22,261	109·37	21,404	102·53	21,642	112·01

From the above table it will be seen that there has been an increase in the total number of patients treated during the year over the previous year.

(*e*) *Mortality and actual causes of it.*—There were 26 deaths against 62 in the previous year; of these 26, twenty-five were from cholera.

(*f*) *Operations and results.*—Thirty-nine major operations and 1,787 minor operations were performed in the dispensaries during the year, against 43 and 1,547 in the previous year.

(*g*) *Establishment whether sufficient and efficient.*—Sufficient.

(*h*) *Midwives—Work actually done.*—The number of cases attended by the midwives attached to the dispensaries was 163 against 184 cases in the previous year. The decrease during the year was due to the fact that there was no midwife at the Karanthattangudi dispensary till the end of September.

(*i*) No dispensary was maintained during the year for caste and gosha women.

Tanjore,
19*th June* 1895. (Signed) C. M. THOMPSON, M.B., Surgeon-Major,
District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

Endt. on Cur. No. 519-Ml.

Forwarded, in continuation of this office reference on Cur. No. 495-Ml., dated 24th June 1895. The District Surgeon's report is interesting and full.

2. The resolutions of the council approving the draft annual report, dated 24th and 31st May 1895, just received from the Chairman, are also enclosed.

Vallam,
11*th July* 1895. (Signed) R. B. CLEGG,
Ag. Collector.

Order—dated 12th September 1895, No. 1477 M., Local and Municipal.

The receipts and charges of the Tanjore Municipality for 1894–95 are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year and the actuals of 1893–94 :—

—	Actuals, 1893–94.	Budget estimate, 1894–95.	Revised estimate, 1894–95.	Actuals, 1894–95.
Receipts.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Balance brought forward	23,946	31,160	88,200	88,198
Tax on Arts	8,439	8,000	15,500	16,336
,, Buildings and Lands	19,816	24,100	26,500	25,995
,, Vehicles and Animals	3,581	3,900	3,950	4,065
,, Carts	2,188	2,600	2,600	2,628
Tolls	16,103	16,070	16,380	16,402
Realizations under Special Acts	..	10	..	..
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	3,688	2,900	3,600	3,715
Conservancy Receipts	235	2,000	..	..
Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions	2	10	10	..
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	6,120	5,700	5,950	7,353
License fees	605	700	1,050	1,122
Other fees	1,600	1,350	1,700	1,853
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	842	600	700	747
Interest on Investments and premium on Loans	112	150	100	126
Grants and Contributions from Government	1,50,494	83,140	83,140	83,111
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	821	1,000	1,000	992
Miscellaneous	101	70	220	144
Loans	..	25,900	25,900	25,900
Advances Recovered	19	..	20	14
Total	2,38,712	2,09,360	2,76,520	2,78,771

—	Actuals, 1893–94.	Budget estimate, 1894–95.	Revised estimate, 1894–95.	Actuals, 1894–95.
Charges.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Grant I—				
New Works—				
Communications	1,073	3,080	3,080	2,751
Buildings	1,668	1,900	1,900	510
Drainage	2,224	..	..	..
Water-supply	88,146	1,16,910	1,87,130	89,367
Miscellaneous	798	1,000	1,000	900
Repairs—				
Communications	7,366	6,220	6,220	9,442
Buildings	1,718	1,600	1,600	1,719
Drainage	3,275	4,650	4,650	3,813
Water-supply	1,105	2,260	2,260	1,019
Establishment	732	620	620	629
Tools and Plant and other Stores	53	30	140	109
Contributions for Public Works	..	..	..	59
Total	1,08,158	1,38,270	2,08,600	1,10,318
Grant II—				
Training Schools	29	60	60	..
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary-result System	722	920	920	777
Salary Grants	1,760	2,000	2,000	1,803
Result Grants	5,087	4,900	4,900	4,673
Inspection	324	380	380	361
Miscellaneous	582	1,060	1,060	729
Total	8,504	9,320	9,320	8,343
Grant III—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	3,258	3,290	3,310	3,336
Contributions	350	1,290	1,290	1,809
Vaccination	306	540	540	377
Registration of Births and Deaths	538	560	560	547
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	10,637	12,930	12,950	11,177
Total	15,089	18,610	18,650	17,246
Grant IV—				
Lighting	4,041	4,650	4,650	3,934
Markets and Slaughter-houses	663	700	700	666
Travellers' Bungalows	218	220	300	296
Avenues	250	320	320	344
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges	2,017	1,460	1,600	2,118
Total	7,189	7,350	7,570	7,358
Grant V—				
Supervision and Management	4,754	6,510	6,540	6,627
Repayment of Debt	..	2,920	..	..
Interest on Loan	6,504	6,830	6,950	6,953
Advances Recoverable	316	100	100	456
Refunds	..	..	..	8
Balance	88,198	19,450	18,790	1,21,462
Total	2,38,712	2,09,360	2,76,520	2,78,771

2. Fifty-four meetings were held by the municipal council against forty-four in 1893–94, but the number of meetings adjourned for want of a quorum rose from ten to fourteen. The Government trusts that the more timely issue of notices of meetings will result in an improvement in this respect. The average attendance of the official members declined and was poor, and the Collector should instruct them that Government expects them to be present as often as their other duties permit. That of the non-officials improved and was fair. Four seats were filled by election during the year, and of these one was contested, 56·9 per cent. of the voters concerned attending the poll.

3. *Receipts.*—(1) The tax on arts was revised during the year with the result that the number of assessees in classes VII and VIII of the schedule, and with it the total number of persons assessed, decreased, while the net current demand rose from Rs. 10,687 to Rs. 13,579. Although the average incidence of the tax was artificially raised by this reduction under the last two classes of the schedule, it still remained considerably below the general average for all municipalities in 1893–94. It would therefore appear that the action of the council in remitting no less than 16·5 per cent. of the demand fixed by the Chairman proceeded from undue leniency. This, in view of the remarks in paragraph 3 (1) of G.O., dated 4th September 1894, No. 1202 M., is most unsatisfactory, and further improvement must be secured. The demand under

the tax on lands, the registers of which were also revised during the year under review, showed an increase, but that under the tax on houses remained almost stationary.

(2) Except in the case of the current tax on lands, in respect of which the results were still worse than in 1893–94, the collections under the principal taxes showed some improvement as compared with the previous year, but they cannot yet be regarded as by any means satisfactory. In G.O., dated 8th November 1894, No. 1669 M., the Government sanctioned, as an exceptional measure, and in the expectation that the council would justify the step by vigorous action, the entertainment of a special staff of bill-collectors to realize the outstanding arrears. These arrears however amounted on 31st March 1895 to as much as Rs. 9,545, some of them dating from as far back as 1888–89, and the number of warrants remaining unexecuted at the end of the year was some 38 per cent. of the total number under disposal. This again is most unsatisfactory. A temporary effort seems from the Chairman's letter recorded in G.O., dated 17th December 1894, No. 1975 M., to have been made to avoid execution of the threat in the last annual review, but after that the council appears to have relapsed into its former lethargy. The Chairman will now once more report on the 1st December next the progress made in this matter, and the Government will postpone until then the consideration of the action which may appropriately be taken in order to rouse the council to a proper sense of its responsibilities.

(3) The receipts from the taxes on vehicles with springs, animals and carts and the income from markets increased, but owing to the fact that the street sweepings were made over to the rubbish cart contractor, who removed them without payment, nothing was realised under this head. It is observed, however, that the municipal council has since reverted to the old depôt system. The income from license fees nearly doubled, but the decline in the receipts from fines is regrettable.

(4) The number of houses served by the private scavenging agency rose from 642 to 710, and the service was worked at a profit of Rs. 204 to the municipal council against Rs. 70 in the previous year. Seeing that over 11,000 houses are assessed to the tax on buildings, the progress now made cannot be considered sufficient. The Government notes that steps are being taken to extend the service farther. Notwithstanding the remarks in paragraph 3 (5) of G.O., dated 4th September 1894, No. 1202 M., it is observed that no less than 23 per cent. of the current demand under this head remained uncollected at the close of the year. This is again discreditable, and the Government must insist on greater attention being paid to its instructions on this subject in future.

4. *Expenditure*—(1) *Public Works.*—A road dam on the Vennár road was constructed at a cost of Rs. 1,748, but the most important of the new works under execution during the year was the water-supply scheme, the expenditure on which up to 31st March 1895 amounted to Rs. 3,49,740 against an estimate of Rs. 4,47,420. The total outlay on communications amounted to Rs. 12,193 or 74·4 per cent. of the net municipal income from tolls, and the Revenue Divisional Officer reports that the town roads were in a fairly good condition.

(2) *Education.*—The net expenditure on education amounted to Rs. 8,152 or 12·5 per cent. of the income from taxation. Of this, Rs. 1,803 were spent on secondary and the remainder on primary education. A primary school for Paraiyas was opened during the year, so that on 31st March 1895 there were three primary salary result schools maintained by the municipal council against two in the previous year. Taken together the attendance at the old schools remained almost stationary, while at the new school it was fair. The council also aided six secondary schools with salary grants and thirty-five (against thirty-four in 1893–94) primary schools with result grants. The number on the rolls of the aided institutions rose from 2,459 to 2,561, and the results of the departmental and grant examinations in the municipal and aided schools were fair. Nearly 94 per cent. of the allotment for grants was utilized and the total number of boys under instruction rose from 64·7 to 69·0 per cent. of the male population of school-going age. The statement showing the qualifications of the teaching staff, promised by the Assistant Inspector of Schools, should be expedited.

(3) *Medical Relief.*—The number of patients treated at the dispensary at Manambuchavadi declined, but the fall was more than counterbalanced by an increase in those who attended at Karantattangudi. The council's attention is drawn to the District Surgeon's remarks that the buildings of both these dispensaries are unsuitable. The place of one of the two midwives employed by the council was vacant for the first six months of the year, and to this is attributed a fall of twenty-one in the number of cases of labour attended during the year.

(4) *Vaccination and Vital Statistics.*—The reported number of persons vaccinated during the year fell from 3,071 to 1,894. Seeing that the number of cases per mille of the population is far below the general average for all municipalities in 1893–94, the Government is not disposed to accept the reason assigned for this decline by the Chairman and the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, but inclines to concur with the remarks of the Collector in paragraph 8 of his endorsement which refers it to laxity on the part of the vaccinating staff. Infantile vaccination also continued to be very backward, the number of children under one year of age successfully vaccinated being only 7·9 per mille of the population against a registered birth-rate of 29·3. It is hoped that the steps referred to in the District Surgeon's report will result in a marked advance in the current year.

The registration of both births and deaths declined and must be regarded as incomplete. This is another matter which calls for increased attention in the current year.

(5) *Sanitation.*—The expenditure on sanitation amounted to Rs. 11,177 or 86·4 per cent. of the allotment and 13·7 per cent. of the ordinary current receipts. The short outlay under this head should be explained. The inspection notes of the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner recorded in G.O., dated 6th May 1895, No. 799 M., show that a very great deal remains to be done before the sanitary condition of the town can be considered to be satisfactory. The council should take these as its guide and carry out the recommendations in them one after another as funds permit. It is observed that the questions of opening a sewage farm, of employing a Health Officer and of bringing the burning and burial grounds under municipal control are now under consideration.

5. *General Remarks.*—The year closed with a balance of Rs. 1,21,462 or 148·6 per cent. of the ordinary current receipts. The greater portion of this sum is, however, reserved for expenditure on the water-supply scheme. The administration of the municipality during the year under review showed a slight advance on that of the previous year, but cannot yet be considered efficient or satisfactory. The collection and assessment of the taxes, private scavenging, vaccination, the registration of vital statistics and sanitation all stand in need of much improvement, and call for real and energetic efforts. In view of the Collector's testimony to the endeavours made by the Chairman to remedy these defects, the Government is unwilling to take the steps under the Act which would otherwise have appeared to be necessary and the council will be given one more opportunity in the current year to support its Chairman in a more cordial manner than it appears to have done in the year under review, and to bring the administration of what is one of the most important and prosperous towns in the Presidency into a less inefficient state. Should the progress made by 31st March 1896 be inadequate, the Government will no longer delay to take action to ensure that its instructions are followed.

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