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

—	1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
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		5807 12 8	5810 - -	2560 - -	4016 4 11
b. Endowments		" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
c. Water-tax Fund		" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES—					
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..	2465 4 6		2200 - -	2200 - -	3039 8 -
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	6230 14 -		6400 - -	6400 - -	6892 15 8
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..	274 - 5		400 - -	400 - -	235 6 10
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)	" " "		" " "	" " "	" " "
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..	153 - -		150 - -	100 - -	123 - -
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..	831 12 -		830 - -	800 - -	889 - -
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	1296 - -		1230 - -	1200 - -	1268 - -
h. Tolls (section 91)—					
Gross receipts 6421-5-6					
Less Local Fund share 2134-4-10 ..	4287 - 8		4290 - -	3200 - -	3503 3 8
i. Penalties on account of—		15538 6 7			
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					
3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS—					
a. Pounds					
b. Ferry rents					
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..					
Carried forward ..		15538 6 7	15500 - -	14300 - -	15941 2 2

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

—	1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		15538 6 7	15500 — —	14300 — —	15741 2 2
4. REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—					
a. i. Rent of lands	97 4 6		140 — —	140 — —	136 15 9
ii. Rent of buildings ..	50 — —		60 — —	60 — —	60 — —
iii. Avenue receipts	426 7 9		450 — —	450 — —	590 7 3
iv. Fees from Travellers' Bungalows		573 12 3			
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings					
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c.	3 4 —		— — —	— — —	3 4 —
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c.	42 3 3		50 — —	50 — —	21 4 9
c. Conservancy receipts—		45 7 3			42 6 9
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c.	316 8 —	316 8 —	250 — —	250 — —	74 9 —
d. i. Fees from educational institutions	4 8 —		10 — —	10 — —	— — —
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions ..	— — —	4 8 —	— — —	— — —	— — —
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines ..	7 — —		10 — —	10 — —	10 15 7
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..	5 15 6	12 15 6	— — —	— — —	1 7 —
f. i. Income from markets ..	497 — —		520 — —	500 — —	477 — —
ii. „ slaughter-houses.	55 — —		60 — —	50 — —	61 — —
g. Other fees		552 — —			
i. Distraint fees	7 4 —		10 — —	10 — —	8 12 —
ii. License fees	499 13 2		800 — —	800 — —	768 2 4
iii. Cartstand fees	15 — —		15 — —	15 — —	15 — —
iv. Other fees	2 8 —		5 — —	5 — —	— — —
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts	465 1 4	524 9 2 465 1 4	400 — —	200 — —	148 5 3
i. Interest on investments—					
i. General, including choultries					
ii. Educational					
iii. Medical					
j. Premium on loans					
Carried forward ..		18033 4 1 15538 6 7	18280 — — 15500	16850 — — 14300	18318 12 1 15741 2 2

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

—	1894-95. Details of Minor Heads	1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		18033 4 1	18280 — —	16850 — —	18318 12 1
5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS—					
a. From Government—					
i. Education—					
Normal stipends ..					
Buildings					
Municipal Schools ..					
Other purposes					
ii. Medical					
iii. Other purposes— ..					
Communications ..					
Water-supply					
Drainage					
Sanitation					
Other purposes ..					
b. From Local Boards—					
i. Education					
ii. Medical	1662 15 9	1662 15 9	1690 — —	1600 — —	1362 12 10
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 ..	228 2 —		200 — —	150 — —	186 15 2
ii. Other purposes	6 14 —		20 — —	50 — —	35 12 —
b. Other items—		235 — —			
i. Fishery rents	650 — —		650 — —	300 — —	296 7 —
ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year	— — —		— — —	— — —	— — —
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c.	2 10 —		— — —	— — —	— — —
iv. Other items	26 10 3		— — —	— — —	3 12 —
		679 4 3	— — —	— — —	7 — —
Carried forward ..		20610 8 1 15538 6 7	20750 — — 15500	18950 — — 14300	20211 7 1 15741 2 2

13-b 2480 23779

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

—	1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		20610 8 1	20750 - -	18950 - -	20211 7 1
7. EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT—					
a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.					
b. Loans—					
i. From Government ..					
ii. In the market from private individuals					
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans.					
d. Advances—					
i. Permanent	10 - -				
ii. Others	- - -	10 - -	10 - -	- - -	200 - -
Total Receipts ..		20620 8 1	20760 - -	18950 - -	20411 7 1
Grand Total ..		26428 4 9	26570 - -	21510 - -	24427 12 1

NOTE TO STATEMENT I.

1. Tax on arts, &c., is levied on ~~the first~~ all classes.
2. Tax on buildings is levied at 7½ per cent. and tax on lands at 7½ per cent. of rent value. annas 6 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 ⅜ths of the maximum rates.
7. License-fees are levied at the rates sanctioned in G.O. nos 1821 15-12-73 / 1645 in 5-12-89 / 476 in 20-3-90 / 1839 in 10-11-92 / 1229 in 11-9-93
8. The house-tax registers were last revised in the official year 93-94 and the land tax registers in the official year 1894-95
9. Total extent of land assessed is ~~acres.~~ 486·33 acres.
10. The mode of estimating the annual rental of houses and lands is as follows:—

The buildings actually hand out are assessed on their annual rental value and those not so hand out are assessed on the annual rental which they would fetch if rent out and this estimate is fixed with reference to the importance of the locality and also with reference to the actual rental value fetched by the buildings in their neighbourhood.

Rs 10 is taken as the annual value of one acre of such lands and Rs 5 as the annual rental of one acre of dry land.

STATEMENT I-A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Council under Sections 25 and 26 of Act IV of 1884 for the official year 1894-95.

Name of Institution.	Amount of Funded Capital.	Opening Balance.	Interest, Produce of Land, or Rent of buildings.	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 Funds (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.	

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

—	1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT I—(*Public Works*)—					
1. NEW WORKS—					
a. Communications	1201 12 8		1500 — —	1000 — —	1846 8 5
b. Buildings	267 4 —		2270 — —	2500 — —	532 2 9
c. Drainage	— — —		— — —	— — —	— — —
d. Water-supply	183 5 3		180 — —	93 11 —	1010 12 3
2. Miscellaneous	— — —		500 — —	— — —	— — —
2. REPAIRS—		1652 5 4			
a. Communications	1590 2 10		1200 — —	800 — —	1247 8 4
b. Buildings	387 2 10		450 — —	200 — —	57 8 10
c. Drainage—					
i. Repairs to works ..	— — —		— — —	— — —	— — —
ii Establishment for flushing drains, &c.	— — —		— — —	— — —	— — —
d. Water-supply—					
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c.	302 10 8		510 — —	512 −10 —	116 11 —
ii. Establishment	190 12 7		190 — —	192 +10 —	188 7 1
iii. Contingencies	— — —		— — —	— — —	— — —
3. ESTABLISHMENT	408 3 10	2470 12 11 408 3 10	420 — —	456 — —	28 — —
4. TOOLS AND PLANT AND OTHER STORES.	13 2 2	13 2 2	10 — —	— — —	— — —
5. CONTRIBUTIONS—					
a. To Local Boards for works ..					
b. To Provincial Funds for scrutiny of estimates, &c.					
c. To others for public works ..					
Total, Grant I ..		4544 8 10	7230 — —	5660 — —	5021 10 8
GRANT II—(*Education.*)—					
1. TRAINING SCHOOLS—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Stipends to Normal students ..					
2 MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS—					
i. On Salary System—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
Carried forward ..					

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

—	1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..					
GRANT II—(*Education*)—cont.					
ii. On Salary-Results System—					
a. Fixed Payments	96 — —		96 — —	96 — —	96 — —
b. Results Grants	22 13 —		40 — —	40 — —	8 1 2
c. Contingencies	31 13 6		34 — —	44 — —	34 3 8
3. SALARY GRANTS	847 10 4	847 10 4	790 — —	790 — —	807 5 4
4. RESULTS GRANTS	1136 5 —	1136 5 —	1100 — —	1100 — —	982 15 10
5. COMBINED GRANTS—					
a. Fixed Payments					
b. Results Grants					
6. INSPECTION—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Municipal Inspectors—					
i. Establishment	180 — —		180 — —	180 — —	180 — —
ii. Contingencies	9 10 —		10 — —	10 — —	17 5 9
7. MISCELLANEOUS—		189 10 —			
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants ..	7 15 —	7 15 —	— — —	— — —	— — —
b. Common gymnasium—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies					
c. Other items					
Total, Grant II ..		2332 2 10	2250 — —	2260 — —	2125 15 9
GRANT III—(*Sanitation and Medical Services.*)					
1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES—					
a. Establishment	2207 4 —		2205 — —	2035 +75 —	2032 8 —
b. Medicines and Supplies	499 13 8		450 — —	300 — —	339 15 9
c. Diet of Patients	311 13 11		300 — —	350 — —	320 6 10
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..	442 5 9		495 — —	575 — —	308 7 2
e. Contributions to Local Boards ..	— — —				
&c., &, &c. ..		3461 5 4			
Carried forward ..		3461 5 4	3400 — —	3200 — —	3001 5 9

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

—	1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brought forward ..		3461 5 4	3400 — —	3200 — —	3001 5 4
GRANT III—*Sanitation and Medical Services*—cont.					
2. *a.* Contributions to Provincial funds for—					
i. Medical College ..	104 — —		70 — —	70 — —	66 — —
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..	66		70 — —	70 — —	35 — —
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..	11 — —		10 — —	10 — —	12 — —
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..	— — —		10 — —	10 — —	4 — —
b. Contributions to Local Boards, &c., for—		181 — —			
i. Medical Schools ..			160 — —	160 — —	117 — —
ii. Reserve staff					
&c., &c., &c. ..					
c. Other contributions					
3. Vaccination—					
a. Establishment	180 — —		180 — —	180 — —	185 — —
b. Contingencies	158 11 3		150 — —	170 — —	164 5 —
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..	— — —				
4. Registration of Births and Deaths—		348 11 3			
a. Establishment	144 — —		144 — —	144 — —	144 — —
b. Contingencies	10 3 6		6 — —	16 — —	8 — —
5. Conservancy, Road cleaning and Road watering—		154 3 6			
a. i. Establishment	2567 9 1		2752 — —	2712 — —	2269 6 7
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	1582 4 4		1898 — —	1658 — —	1525 15 —
b. Private scavenging—					
i. Establishment	207 6 5		212 — —	216 — —	195 11 9
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. ..	— — —		8 — —	14 — —	— — —
c. Cholera charges & festival charges	116 6 —		100 — —	100 — —	162 4 1
d. Contingencies	60 5 6		50 — —	50 — —	50 4 9
&c., &c., &c. ..	— — —	4533 15 4	5020 4 4	4750 2 —	4203 10 2
Total, Grant III ..		8679 3 5	9060 — —	8620 — —	7823 4 11

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

—	1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (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*)—					
1. Lighting—					
a. Establishment	405 6 3		420 — —	420 — —	352 13 6
b. Contingencies	1214 5 3		1550 — —	1200 — —	872 9 —
2. i. Markets—		1619 11 6			
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
ii. Slaughter-houses—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
3. Choultries—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
c. Feeding Travellers					
4. Travellers' bungalows—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
5. Avenues—					
a. Establishment	180 10 11		180 — —	180 — —	226 2 8
b. Contingencies	8 15 —		50 — —	50 — —	2 — —
6. Public Garden—		189 9 11			
a. Establishment					
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..					
7. Survey of land	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	52 13 8
8. Fire—					
a. Establishment					
b. Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c.					
9. Other charges—					
i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging	6 7 6		10 — —	10 — —	4 5 6
Carried forward ..	6 7 6	1809 5 5	2210 — —	1860 — —	1570 14 1

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

—	1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brought forward ..	6 7 6	1809 5 5	2210 - -	1860 - -	1550 14 1
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*) – cont.					
9. Other Charges—*cont.*					
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes ..	9 12 6		20 - -	20 - -	- - -
iii. Printing	329 8 7		350 - -	350 - -	321 9 2
iv. Compensation for lands ..	235 10 -		260 - -	- - -	- - -
v. Other items	2 14 4		- - -	- - -	70 4 9
Numbering Carts	6 7 6				
		584 4 11	640 - -	380 - -	549 11 1
Total, Grant IV ..		2393 10 4	2840 - -	2230 - -	1902 12 -
GRANT V—					
a. General Establishment—					
i. Office Establishment ..	886 14 2		882 - -	882 - -	825 6 6
ii. Inspection	171 4 8		180 - -	180 - -	180 - -
		1058 2 10			
b Collection of Municipal Taxes—					
i. Establishment	273 9 9	273 9 9	288 - -	288 - -	291 10 4
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. ..					
c. Collection of Tolls—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies					
d. Office contingencies other than (b) (ii)	319 1 3	319 1 3	240 - -	290 - -	293 11 2
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments ..	100 - -	100 - -	100 - -	100 - -	102 - -
Total, Grant V ..		1750 13 10	1690 - -	1740 - -	1692 12 -
Repayment of Debt—					
a. Instalments paid during the year.					
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 ..					

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

—	1894-95. Details of Minor Heads.	1894-95. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1894-95.	Budget Estimate for 1894-95.	Actuals, 1893-94 (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	10 - -		- - -	- - -	10 - -
b. Others	143 9 -	153 9 -	150 - -	- - -	30 - -
Refunds of other than current collections ..	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	13 8 -
Discount					
Pensions and gratuities					
Investments—					
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund					
b. In Savings Bank					
Total Expenditure ..		19854 - 3	23220 - -	20510 - -	18619 15 4
Balances—					
a. Municipal Fund		6574 4 6	3350 - -	1000 - -	5807 12 8
b. Endowments		- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
c. Water-tax Fund		- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
Grand Total ..		26428 4 9	26570 - -	21510 - -	24427 12 -

Note to Statement II.

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

Liabilities—	Rs.
Balance of Loans	- - -
Deposits to be adjusted ..	2094 - 11
Other Liabilities (in detail)	- - -
Total	2094 - 11

Assets.		Rs.
Municipal Balance ..	Cash	6574 - 4 6
	Securities	- - -
Deposit Balance ..	Cash	2094 - 11
	Securities	- - -
Sinking Fund of loans		- - -
Funded Capital of endowed institutions, Hospitals, &c.		- - -
	Total ..	8668 - 5 - 5
Value of Premises, &c.		15700 - - -
Do. of Tools and plant		- - -
Do. of Live stock		- - -
Do. of Furniture		- - -
Arrears of taxes, &c.		2138 - 10 - 3
Other assets (in detail)		- - -
	Total ..	26506 - 15 - 8
Claims—		
Advances Recoverable—		
Permanent advance		30 - - -
Advances for works, &c.		213 - 10 - -
	Total ..	243 - 10 - -

Grand Total Rs 26750 - 9 - 8

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

Part I.—New Works.

No.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.	Expenditure in 1894-95.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
(a)	Communications				
1	Plastering the drain of Saraya Poduvan Street	70	" "	67 9 1	
2	Metalling South Car Street	800	" "	412 7 4	
3	" North "	1325	" "	435 6 3	
4	Angalaamman cart Attemal	145	" "	141 15 "	
5	Turning in Irana Kutchadam land	100	" "	95 7 "	
6	Road dam in Thillaiamman cart road	50	" "	49 " "	
	Total ..	2490	" "	1201 12 8	
(b)	Buildings				
1	Construction of latrines	270	" "	253 " "	
2	Construction of a pandal in municipal school	15	" "	14 4 "	
3					
	Total ..	285	" "	267 4 "	

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

Part I.—New Works—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.	Expenditure 1894-95.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
(c)	Drainage				
1					
2					
3					
	Total ..				
(d)	Water-supply				
1	Plat forming wells	150	" "	148 5 3	
2	Plastering chinna ammankulam well	40	" "	35 " "	
3					
	Total ..	190	" "	183 5 3	

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

Part II.—Repairs.

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(a)	Communications							Total mileage of roads, streets, lanes, &c., in the town. 17
1	Repairs of roads and streets	350	-	-	325	1	10	
2	" other bridges	20	-	-	15	1	3	Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled.
3	" Tunnels	90	-	-	81	5	-	4½ miles are Unmetalled.
4	Cost of guard for repair of Unmetalled roads	1170	-	-	1168	10	9	
								Total mileage under maintenance.
								Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled.
								4½ 12½
Total ..		1630	-	-	1590	2	10	

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

Part II.—Repairs—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(b)	Buildings							
1	Repairs of office premises	15	-	-	12	1	3	
2	" Fish Market	225	-	-	221	9	5	
3	" Toll huts	20	-	-	18	7	-	
4	" Vegetable Market	10	-	-	7	8	-	
5	" Hospital Compound wall	10	-	-	7	15	2	
6	Cost of iron desk lines to replace old masonry ones	100	-	-	99	11	-	
7	Repairs of latrines	20	-	-	19	12	-	
Total ..		400	-	-	387	2	10	

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7-0-0
228-1-5

497-4-4
229-1-5
267-14-7

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

Part II.—Repairs—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(*c*)	Drainage							
1								
2								
3								
					Nil			
	Total ..							
(*d*)	Water-supply							
1	Re-opening communications	260	-	-	257	-	3	
2	Letting water into Bel tanks	15	-	-	13	-	-	
3	Repairing inlet channel of Chinna anicut	10	-	-	10	2	-	
4	Repairing a well in 16							
	Kal Bandapa Eda Tank	25	-	-	22	8	5	
	Total ..	310	-	-	302	10	8	

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments.

——	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT I.—2. *c.* Drainage—							
Overseers							
Drain cleaners							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
d. Water works—							
Overseers							
Watchmen on Rs 12 each ..	4	16	-	-	192	-	-
Total ..	4	16	-	-	192	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					16	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					14	12	7
Balance (Statement II) ..					190	12	7
3. General—							
Overseers							
Maistries	1	8	-	-	96	-	-
Mistrees on Rs 5 each	6	30	-	-	360	-	-
Total ..	7	38	-	-	456	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					85	12	2
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					38	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					408	3	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 II.—EDUCATION—							
1. TRAINING SCHOOLS—							
Pupils receiving scholarships							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
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—							
Hindustani teacher	1	8	—	—	96	—	—
Total ..	1	8	—	—	96	—	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					8	—	—
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					8	—	—
Balance (Statement II) ..					96	—	—

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	15	-	-	180	-	-
Total ..	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					15	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					15	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					180	-	-
7. GYMNASTIC INSTRUCTORS							
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 III.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—							
1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES—							
Medical Subordinates	1	131	4	-	1575	-	-
" "							
Midwife	1	12	-	-	144	-	-
Clerk							
Compounder	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
~~Servants~~ Surgery cooly	1	7	-	-	84	-	-
" .. Peon	1	6	-	-	72	-	-
" .. Waterman	1	5	-	-	60	-	-
Female ward cooly ..	1	4	-	-	48	-	-
Toty ..	1	5	-	-	60	-	-
Cook	1	6	-	-			
Total ..	9	191	4	-	2295	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					279	-	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					191	4	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					2207	4	-

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	1	15	—	—	180	—	—
Peons							
Total ..	1	15	—	—	180	—	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					15		
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					15		
Balance (Statement II) ..					180		
4. Registration—							
Registrars	1	12	—	—	144	—	—
Peons							
Total ..	1	12	—	—	144	—	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					12		
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					12		
Balance (Statement II) ..					144		

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	27	—	—	324	—	—
"							
" .. Maistry ..	1	8	—	—	96	—	—
Maistries ..at Rs 6 each ..	3	18	—	—	216	—	—
Scavengers ..at Rs 5 each ..	12	60	—	—	720	—	—
Sweepers ..at Rs 5 each ..	22	110	—	—	1320	—	—
Talayari	1	3	—	—	36	—	—
Total ..	40	226	—	—	2712	—	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					340	6	11
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					196	—	—
Balance (Statement II) ..					2567	9	✓

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	1	6	-	-	72	-	-
Scavengers on Rs 4 each ..	3	12	-	-	144	-	-
Total ..	4	18	-	-	216	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					26	9	7
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					18	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					207	6	5
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—							
1. Lighting—							
Superintendents							
Masalchies on Rs 5 each ..	7	35	-	-	420	-	-
Total ..	7	35	-	-	420	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					49	6	3
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					35	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					405	6	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 IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
2. i. Markets—							
Superintendents							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
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							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
5. Avenues—							
Servants ..@ Rs 5 each	3	15			180		
Total ..	3	15			180		
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					15	10	11
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					16	5	10
Balance (Statement II) ..					180	10	11
6. Public Garden—							
Gardeners							
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.*							
8. Fire—							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
9.—							

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	35	-	-	420	-	-
Clerks	1	17	-	-	204	-	-
„ Clerk	1	10	-	-	120	-	-
„							
~~Accountants~~							
Peons	1	6	-	-	72	-	-
Peon	1	5	-	-	60	-	-
Sweeper	1	..	8	-	6	-	-
Total ..	6	73	8	-	882	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					73	8	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					78	6	2
Balance (Statement II) ..					886	14	2
ii. Inspection—							
Chairman's salary or carriage allowance ..	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
Total ..	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					23	11	4
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					15	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					171	4	8

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							
Bill Collectors on Rs. 8 each ..	4	24	-	-	288	-	-
Peons							
Total ..	4	24	-	-	288	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					38	6	3
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					24	-	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					273	9	9
c. Collection of tolls—							
Inspectors							
Gate-keepers							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

STATEMENT III.—*Municipality of* Chidambaram — Abstract of Deposits Account for the year 1894-95.

	RS.	A.	P.		RS.	A.	P.
Balance brought forward ..	1810	7	2				
1. Deposits by appellants	—	3	5	1. Credited to Municipal Funds ..	1431	5	4
2. Deposits by renters	1734	—	—	2. Returned to appellants	—	—	—
3. Deposits by contractors	65	—	—	3. Returned to renters	—	—	—
4. Deposits as security by municipal servants	—	—	—	4. Returned to contractors	85	—	—
5. Deposited for the execution of work for which private parties are liable..	—	—	—	5. Returned to municipal servants ..	—	—	—
6. Other deposits under the Act or bye-laws	—	11	8	6. Returned to parties	—	—	—
				7. Paid to claimants	—	—	—
				Total ..	1516	5	4
Total, Receipts ..	1799	15	1	Balance ..	2094	—	11
Total, including balance ..	3610	6	3	Total ..	3610	6	3

STATEMENT IV-A.—*Municipality of* Cheduambaram 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).
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	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.	3280 — —	198 8 —	3081 8 —	2006 8 — 459 3 6	— — —	— — —	1075 — —
2. Tax on buildings	6349 6 6	16 12 5	6332 10 1	6001 10 7 229 3 5	— — —	— — —	330 15 6
3. Tax on lands	295 2 9	— — —	295 2 9	147 6 10 126 9 7	— — —	— — —	147 11 11
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —
5. Tolls (gross receipts)	6420 — —	— — —	6420 — —	6420 — —	— — —	— — —	— — —
6. Market rents	497 — —	— — —	497 — —	497 — —	— — —	— — —	— — —
7. Slaughter-house fees	55 — —	— — —	55 — —	55 — —	— — —	— — —	— — —
8. Rent of cart-stands	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —
9. Private scavenging fees	267 6 —	— — —	267 6 —	213 12 2 23 — —	— — —	— — —	54 6 —
10. Rent of buildings	60 — —	— — —	60 — —	45 — — 5 — —	— — —	— — —	15 — —
11. Fishery rents	650 — —	— — —	650 — —	650 — —	— — —	— — —	— — —
12. Rent of lands	132 13 —	— — —	132 13 —	78 1 — 17 3 6	— — —	— — —	54 12 —
Total ..	18006 12 3	215 4 5	17791 7 10	16113 10 5	— — —	— — —	1677 13 5 460 12 10

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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.	A.	B.	C.	&c.
1. Tax on arts, &c.	248	4	-	745	-	-	993	4	-	459	3	6	153	8	-	45	12	6	331	12	-	1890	91	6	1893-94
2. Tax on buildings	23	7	5	256	4	2	279	11	7	229	3	5	7	13	11	5	4	5	37	5	10	1891	92	6	1893-94
3. Tax on lands	36	12	10	169	9	1	206	5	11	126	9	7	2	32		10	11	10	66	13	4	1892	93	6	1893-94
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Tolls	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. Market rents	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Slaughter-house fees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8. Rent of cart-stands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9. Private scavenging fees	9	-	-	14	-	-	23	-	-	15	2	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	7	8	-	1890	91	6	1893-94
10. Rent of buildings	-	-	-	5	-	-	8	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11. Rent of lands	27	13	8	9	13	6	37	11	2	19	3	6	4	2	-	-	-	-	14	5	8	1892	90	6	1893-94
Total ..	345	5	11	1199	10	9	1545	-	8	854	6	-	167	11	1	62	2	9	460	12	10				

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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.			Cancelled warrants on which no collections were made.			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 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		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.
1. Tax on arts, &c. ..	58	98	8 -	181	290	8 -	239	389	- -	134	227	8 -	105	161	8 -	2	25	12 6	130	200	8 -	1	1	- -	1	-	3 6
2. Tax on buildings ..	22	22	6 -	358	295	14 11	380	318	4 11	353	287	1 10	27	31	3 1	-	-	- -	345	276	9 2	8	10	8 8	-	-	- -
3. Tax on lands ..	-	-	- -	15	3	4 1	15	3	4 1	15	3	4 1	-	-	- -	-	-	- -	15	3	4 1	-	-	- -	-	-	- -
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands.	-	-	- -	-	-	- -	-	-	- -	-	-	- -	-	-	- -	-	-	- -	-	-	- -	-	-	- -	-	-	- -
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins ..	1	3	- -	4	12	- -	5	15	- -	4	12	- -	1	3	- -	-	-	- -	4	12	- -	-	-	- -	-	-	- -
6. Tax on animals ..	25	24	- -	122	111	12 -	147	135	12 -	140	128	4 -	7	7	8 -	-	-	- -	137	125	4 -	3	3	- -	-	-	- -
7. Tax on carts, &c. ..	14	28	- -	39	82	- -	53	110	- -	56	106	- -	2	4	- -	-	-	- -	49	102	- -	2	4	- -	-	-	- -
8. Rent of lands	2	13	8 -	2	2	3 8	4	15	11 8	3	15	9 -	1	-	2 8	-	-	- -	2	5	1 -	1	10	8 -	-	-	- -
9. Sweepers	-	-	- -	4	10	- -	4	10	- -	3	9	- -	1	1	- -	-	-	- -	3	9	- -	-	-	- -	-	-	- -
Total ..	122	189	6 -	725	807	10 8	847	997	- 8	703	788	10 11	144	208	5 9	2	25	12 6	685	733	10 3	15	29	- 8	1	-	3 6

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

Taxes.	Prosecutions instituted.		Collections before judgment.		Collections after judgment.		Prosecutions withdrawn or dismissed.		Balance.	
	Number of cases.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount collected.	Number of cases.	Amount collected.	Number of cases.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount involved.
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.
1. Tax on arts, &c	20	17 - -	-	- - -	9	9 8 -	11	7 8 -	-	- -
2. Tax on buildings	1	- 3 7	-	- - -	1	- 3 7	-	- - -	-	- -
3. Tax on lands ..										
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..										
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins ..										
6. Tax on animals ..										
7. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs.										
Total ..	21	17 3 7	-	- - -	10	9 11 7	11	7 8 -	-	- -

Statement V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Chidambaram for the official year 1895-96.

STATEMENT V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of for the official year 189 -9 .

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.			Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Total.			
													Fixed salary (masters, clerks and servants).	Results grant.	School fees.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
								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.	
I.—Colleges																				
II.—Upper Secondary Schools and Departments																				
(1)																				
(2)																				
(3)																				
Total ..																				
Total of Colleges and Upper Secondary Schools and Departments ..																				
III.—Lower Secondary Schools and Departments																				
(a) Salary System—																				
(1)																				
(2)																				
(3)																				
Total ..																				
(b) Salary-results System—																				
(1)																				
(2)																				
(3)																				
Total ..																				
Total, Colleges and Secondary Schools.																				
IV.—Primary Schools and Departments																				
(a) Salary System—																				
(1)																				
(2)																				
(3)																				
Total ..																				

Statement V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Coimbatore 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.
	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
(*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.	Rs. A. P.	
(1)																					
(2)																					
(3)																					
Municipal Hindustani School	1	-	-	1	19	9	18/8	- - -	- - -	4 8 . - -		4 8 . - -	96 - -	22 13 . - -		31 13 6	150	106	146 2 6	5 10 .	
Total ..	1	-	-	1	19	9	18/8	- - -	- - -	4 8 . - -		4 8 . - -	96 - -	22 13 . - -		31 13 6	150	106	146 2 6	5 10 .	
Total, Primary Schools ..	1	-	-	1	19	9	18/8	- - -	- - -	4 8 . - -		4 8 . - -	96 - -	22 13 . - -		31 13 6	150	106	146 2 6	5 10 .	
Grand Total of all Schools and Colleges	1	-	-	1	19	9	18/8	- - -	- - -	4 8 . - -		4 8 . - -	96 - -	22 13 . - -		31 13 6	150	106	146 2 6	5 10 .	

26) 146 - 2 - 6 (5 - 9 - 11
130
258
234
24 + 12
294
260
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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 ..		
Infant Standard ..	6	6
First Standard ..	10	9
Second Standard ..	8	8
Third Standard ..	24	23 .
Fourth Standard ..		

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

Schools.	Number of Schools: At the beginning of the year	Number of Schools: Opened during the year.	Number of Schools: Closed during the year.	Number of Schools: At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 189 .: Boys.	Number on rolls on 31st March 189 .: 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.	Amount disbursed: For previous year.	Amount disbursed: 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)—																Rate at which grants were paid.
(*a*) Secondary																Maximum Rate
Total ..																
(*b*) Primary																
Vespur Primary Schools	5	—	—	5	87	—	49	39	33 7 4	— — —	115 3 —	— — —	115 3 —	— — —	115 3 —	
Lamen Primary Schools	17	2	—	19	787	—	480	391	1133 6	— — —	1021 2 —	— — —	1021 2 —	— — —	1021 2 —	
Total ..	22	2	—	24	874	—	529	430	1470 10	— — —	1136 5 —	— — —	1136 5 —	— — —	1136 5 —	
Grand Total ..	22	2	—	24	874	—	529	430	1470 10	— — —	1136 5 —	— — —	1136 5 —	— — —	1136 5 —	

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

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
B. Combined Grant Schools—									Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
(*a*) Secondary																
Total ..																
(*b*) Primary																
Total ..																
Grand Total ..																
C. Salary Grant Schools—																
(*a*) Secondary																
Pachaiyappa's High School																
Upper Secondary	1	—	—	1	89	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Lower Secondary	1	—	—	1	76	—	—	—	—	—	439 3 .	—	439 3 .	—	439 3 .	
Lower Middle School																
Lower Secondary	1	—	—	1	63	—	—	—	—	—	416 6 4	—	416 6 4	—	416 6 4	
Total ..	3	—	—	3	228	—	—	—	—	—	855 9 4	—	855 9 4	—	855 9 4	A Building grant of 7-15-4 has been drawn and disbursed
(*b*) Primary ..											547 6 4					
Pachaiyappa's High School											67 15 4					
Upper Primary	1	—	—	1	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Lower Primary	1	—	—	1	58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Total ..	2	—	—	2	85	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Grand Total ..	5	—	—	5	313	—	—	—	—	—	855 9 4	—	855 9 4	—	855 9 4	

1894-95 874-9 313-4 1206-9

STATEMENT VI-A.—Showing the Budget Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of Chidambaram for the year 1894-95.

(To be prepared in accordance with the instructions in G.O., dated 4th June 1892, No. 978 M.)

Items of expenditure.	Original budget grant as sanctioned by Government.			Subsequent additions.			Subsequent deductions.			Total grant.			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.	
Entries as per Statement II wherever there is alteration													
Grant I. Public Works													
1. Sinmarks													
a. Communications	1000	—	—	500	—	—	—	—	—	1500	—	—	Resolution No 3 dated 15th November 1894
b. Buildings	2500	—	—	—	—	—	230	—	—	2270	—	—	" No 1 " 13th December 1894
c. Water supply	—	—	—	180	—	—	—	—	—	180	—	—	" Grant 5 25-4-94 + 7 18-6-94
d. Miscellaneous	—	—	—	500	—	—	—	—	—	500	—	—	" 1 dated 13-12-94.
2. Repairs													
a. Communications	800	—	—	790	2	10	—	—	—	1590	2	10	Resolutions Nos 3 15-11-94, 3 12-1-95 + 16 16-3-95
Grant II. Education.													
2. Municipal Schools.													
ii Salary Results System	44	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	—	34	—	—	Resolution No 1 dated 13-12-1894
3. Results Grants	1100	—	—	36	5	—	—	—	—	1136	5	—	" 11 " 30th March 1895
4. Salary Grants	790	—	—	57	10	4	—	—	—	847	10	4	" 11 " 23rd " " "
Grant III Sanitation & Medical Service													
I Hospitals and dispensaries													
a. Establishment	2035	—	—	170	—	—	—	—	—	2205	—	—	Resolution No 7 dated 23rd July 1894
b. Medicines and Supplies	300	—	—	150	—	—	—	—	—	450	—	—	" 1 dated 13-12-1894
c. Diet of patients	350	—	—	—	—	—	50	—	—	300	—	—	" do do
d. Sundries and contingencies	515	—	—	—	—	—	70	—	—	445	—	—	" do do

Statement VI-A.—Showing the Budget Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of Chidambaram for the year 1894-95—*continued.*

(To be prepared in accordance with the instructions in G.O., dated 4th June 1892, No. 978 M.)

Items of expenditure.	Original budget grant as sanctioned by Government.			Subsequent additions.			Subsequent deductions.			Total grant.			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.	
3. Vaccination contingencies	170	—	—	—	—	—	20	—	—	150	—	—	Resolution No dated 13th December 1894
4. Registration of Births and Deaths													
b. Contingencies	16	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	—	6	—	—	do do
5 Conservancy.													
i Establishment	2712	—	—	40	—	—				2752	—	—	G O No 1918 dated 11-12-1894
ii Other charges	1658	—	—	240	—	—				1898	—	—	Resolution No 3 dated 15-11-1894
c. Chatrams and festival charges	100	—	—	16	6	—				116	6	—	" Rs 23/16-3-95 + 2/23-3-95.
Grant IV. Lighting & Miscellaneous													
1 Lighting													
b. Contingencies	1200	—	—	350	—	—	—	—	—	1550	—	—	Resolution No 3 dated 15-11-1894
9. Other charges.													
Compensation for lands	—	—	—	260	—	—	—	—	—	260	—	—	do do.
Grant V													
Office Contingencies	290	—	—	—	—	—	50	—	—	240	—	—	Resolution No 1 dated 13-12-94

Statement VII.—Tolls.

Number of toll-gates.	Whether collection of tolls is 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.
4	Levaidam	6421	5	6	18	7	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	7	0	6402	14	6	2134	4	10	2134	4	18	—	—	—

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 189 –9 .	
			Up to 31st March 189 .		In 189 –9 .	Up to 31st March 189 .		In 189 –9 .	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.

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

Name of Municipality.	Total Number of houses, as per census (occupied and unoccupied).	Number of houses on the municipal register out of the number in col. 2	Assessed.															
			Under 8 Annas.		8 Annas to Rs. 1½.		Rs. 1½ to Rs. 5.		Rs. 5 to Rs. 15.		Rs. 15 to Rs. 30.		Rs. 30 and above.		Total	
			Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	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.
Kolaba Municipality	3648	3843	858	332 – 10	1633	1541 15 9	1168	2989 13 4	174	1214 15 11	9	186 4 3	1	67 8 –	3843	6332 10 1
			1633	1541 15 9												
			1168	2989 13 4												
			174	1214 15 11												
			9	186 4 3												
			1	67 8 ..												
			3843	6332 10 1												

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

Name of the Municipality.	Assessed in	Class I.		Class II.		Class III.		Class IV.		Class V.		Class VI.		Class VII.		Class VIII.		Total.	
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Chidambaram Municipality			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.
				3	150	1	25	1	5									4	180
				1	25	1	25	1	5									3	55
				48	576	1	25	1	5									50	606
				113	669	1	25	1	5	1	1							116	705
				229	682	1	25	1	5	1	1	1	1					233	719
				7	14	1	25	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1			12	47
				971	965	1	25	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	977	999
				1372	3081	6	150	6	30	3	3	3	3	2	2	1	1	1393	3270

Statement X.

1. Name of Municipality .. .. Chidambaram
2. Population as per last census 18640
3. Sanctioned number of Councillors { (a) Nominated .. .. 12 ; (b) Elected 4
4. Actual number of Councillors on 31st March 1895 —
   - (a) Ex-officio 1
   - (b) Nominated { Officials .. .. 3 ; Non-officials 8
   - (c) Elected .. { Officials .. .. — ; Non-officials 4

   Total .. 18

   - (d) Europeans and Eurasians 2
   - (e) Natives 14
5. Total number of meetings actually held during the year 67
6. Number of meetings adjourned for want of a quorum 22
7. Average attendance at each meeting *actually* held—
   - (a) Officials 2
   - (b) Non-officials 6

   Total .. 8

   - (c) Europeans and Eurasians 1
   - (d) Natives 7

   Total .. 8
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 .. ..

Mr K Ry Mr Ramasamy aiyer annual B.A Sub Registrar elected on the 9th January 1893 and he held the office till the 10th october 1894

A.R. Cumming Esquire Head Asst Collector Sub Collector was in charge of the Municipality between the 11th october 1894 and 19th November 1894.

Mr K Ry G Ramasamy aiyer annual was elected as chairman on the 19th November 1894.

STATEMENT X-A.—Showing the particulars of elections held in the Municipality of [illegible] in 189 4-9 5.

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.						
2.						
3.						
4.						
5.						
6.						
7.						
8.						
9.						
10.						
Total ..						

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 for the year 189 -9 .

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 1895.	Number of public latrines on 31st March 1894.	Number of latrines constructed in 1894-95.	Number of latrines demolished in 1894-95.	Number of latrines on 31st March 1895.	Number of lamps on 31st March 1894.	Number of lamps put up in 1894-95.	Number of lamps removed in 1894-95.	Number of lamps on 31st March 1895.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
6 Square miles	1. Fish Market 1. Vegetable Market	Contractor's leased out	180	7	2	2	7	204	1		205

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STATEMENT XII.—Showing particulars regarding the number of patients treated, &c., in the Town of Chidambaram 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
Civil hospital Chidambaram	234	14895	15129	1 Pudumpet Ramudu Ranganayaka	94	G.O. No 749 Dated 14th May 1890

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STATEMENT XIII.—Showing the Statistics of Vaccination and of Births and Deaths registered in the Town of Chidambaram during the year 1894-95.

Number of births registered.	Number of deaths registered.	Number of prosecutions instituted for failure to register births or deaths.	Name of Medical subordinates and vaccinators performing vaccine operations.	Number of operations performed.		Number of successful operations.		Number of operations with animal lymph.	Number of successful operations with animal lymph.	Number of prosecutions instituted for failure to have children vaccinated.	Remarks.
				Below one year of age.	Above one year of age.	Below one year of age.	Above one year of age.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
506	603	Nil	Medical Subordinates	11	"	11	"	11	11	"	
			1								
			2								
			3								
			Total ..	11	"	11	"	11	11	"	786 Cheek 342
			Municipal Vaccinators	442	361	~~346~~ 776	~~442~~ 10	742	725	35	
			1	x		x					x ??
			2			442	344	442 344			
			3					786			
					806						442 11 344
			Total ..	442	361	~~776~~ 786	10	742	725	35	797
			Grand Total ..	453	361	~~797~~ 797	354	753	736	35	

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Chairman

Chidambaram

Chidambar

Inl 150/m
16-9-95

Extract from [illegible]

Councillors of Chidambaram [illegible] at a

Meeting held on Saturday the 8th day of June 18[illegible]

Present

MRRy G. Ramaswamy aiyer avergal Chairman
" M. Ramaswamy aiyer avergal
" C. N. Streenivasa aiyer avergal
" Ponnoosawmy Moodeliar avergal
" M. Sambasawmy aiyer avergal B.A.
" Ponnambala Pillai avergal
Hazareth Laul Khan Saib avergal
MRRy V. Swaminada Jata Vallabar avergal B.A.
" Thungasawmy Vutchadar avergal

absent 6 Councillors.

Read draft administration report on the working of the Municipality during 1894-95.

The draft administration report, as amended by the Council, is approved

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(Sd) G Ramaswamyaiyah
Chairman

(True extract)

Ramaswamiah
Chairman

21-W-95

Statement Showing the daily average and total treated in the Civil Hospital Chidambaram for the past five years.

Name of Hospital.	1890-91		1891-92		1892-93		1893-94		1894-95	
	Number treated	Average daily attendance	Number treated	Average daily attendance	Number treated	Average daily attendance	Number treated	Average daily attendance	Number treated	Average daily attendance
Civil Hospital Chidambaram.										
In-door	197	9·76	214	8·86	236	9·90	246	9·39	234	8·65
Out door	15080	76·47	12831	65·47	14319	75·00	14328	71·68	14895	72·48

Civil Hospital
Chidambaram
1st April 1895

Saw. Vellomd.
Civil apothecary.

Civil Apothecary

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Statement No. I relating to General Statistics in the Chidambaram Municipality for 1894-95.

		1893-94			1894-95			Remarks.
		Number of Schools.	Number of pupils on 31st March 1894		Number of Schools.	Number of pupils on 31st March 1895		
			Boys.	Gs.		Boys.	Girls.	
Colleges	Government							
	Board or Municipal							
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds							
	Unaided and Indigenous							
Secondary Schools	Government							
	Board or Municipal							
	Aided from Provincial Funds	1	216	"	1 ⁂	250	"	⁂ Pachayappa's High School.
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds	1	67	"	1 ×	63	"	× Committee's Middle School.
	Unaided and Indigenous	3	94	"	3 ○	119	"	○ Sanskrit Pathasalas.
	Total a	5	377	"	5	432	"	
Primary Schools	Government							
	Board or Municipal	1	25	11	1	19	9	
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds	21	815	"	19 (a)	874	"	(a) One school closed, and another classed as unaided as it received no grant.
	Unaided and Indigenous	3	54	"	3	50	"	
	Total b	25	894	11	23	943	9	
Training Schools	Government							
	Board or Municipal							
	Aided from Provincial Funds							
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds							
	Unaided and Indigenous							
	Total c Range	30	1271	11	28	1375	9	
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 Provincial or Local (or Municipal) according as it has received a larger grant from Provincial or Local (or Municipal) Funds.*

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 Municipal Councils concerned before the 1st May.*

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Chidambaram
20-5-95

H. Sriyanvelu
Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools,
Vriddhachalam

Statement No. II showing the proportion of pupils of the great classes of the population under instruction to children of school-going age in the Chidambaram Municipality for 1894–95.

Classes of Population.	Population of school-going age.		Pupils under instruction.		Percentage.		Remarks.
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	
Europeans and Eurasians	"	"	2	"	..	..	Pupils in 1893-94. Boys. Girls. 2 ..
Native Christians	8	6.	18	"	..	..	12 "
Muhammadans	78	87	97	9	..	..	87 11
Hindus — Brahmans			445	"			417 ..
Hindus — Non-Brahman Caste Hindus ..	1275	1338	791	"	48		727 ..
Hindus — Paraiyas and Kindred Classes ..			22	"			26 ..
Others							
Total	2136	1433	1375	9			1271 11

There was an increase under all the classes save one or two except the Paraiyas — under which there is a very slight fall.

Note.—1. *No comments should be made except as notes entered in the column of remarks.*

2. *In the column of remarks the figures of the previous year should be briefly compared.*

A. Chinnaswamy Iyer

Statement No iii giving particulars as to the q
Chidambaram Municipality Unid

ualifications of teaching staff employed in the
Chidambaram Range. 1894-1895.

Classes of Institutions.		No of teachers employed.	No possessing Found teachers Certificates.	No possessing Trained Teachers' Certificates	Number with Special Education Certificates	Unpaid teachers.	Remarks.
Colleges.	Government.						
	Board or Municipal.						
	Aided from Pro. Funds.						
	Aided from Local or Mc. Funds.						
	Unaided and Indigenous						
Secondary Schools.	Government.						
	Board or Municipal.						
	Aided from Pro. Funds.	14	2	9	1	(a) 2	(a) The Sanskrit Pundit & the writing master in the Pachayappa's high School.
	Aided from Local or Mc. Funds	5	2	2	"	(b) 1	(b) The Sanskrit Pundit in the Committee's Middle school.
	Unaided and Indigenous	7	"	"	"	(c) 7	(c) All the seven are teachers in the 3 Indigenous Sanskrit Pakasalas
Primary Schools.	Government	"	"	"	"	"	
	Municipal	1	"	"	"	1	
	Aided from Pro. Funds.	"	"	"	"	"	
	Aided from Local or Mc. Funds	32	5	3	8	16.	The proportion of unpassed teachers in Primary Schools has fallen from 70 to 56 per cent which is gratifying.
	Unaided and Indigenous	3	"	"	"	3	
	Total.	62	9	14	9	30.	

Chidamboram
20-5-95.

A Srijaranchi
Asst. Assistant Inspector of Schools,
Chidambaram Range.

Statement No iv relating to the results of the Grant Examinations in Results Schools. Chidambaram Municipality 1894-95.

Standard.	1893-94. Compulsory subjects only. No of pupils presented.	No passed	Absent	Ordinary	1894-95. Compulsory subjects only. No presented	No passed	Absent	Ordinary	Remarks.
vii Standard or L.S. Exm.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
vi Standard.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
v Standard.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
iv including P.S. Examinations	42	35	26	9	49	39	11	28.	The percentage of passes
III Standard	83	64	39	25	104	89	21	68	shows a decrease under
II " Standard	136	119	77	42	139	121	26	95	the infant, first and
I " Standard	151	142	110	32	142	114	25	89	fourth standards.
Infant standard.	129	120	103	17	95	67	18	49.	

Name of Subject	1893-94 Optional subjects				1894-95 Optional subjects				
Object lessons.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Drill and Gymnastics	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Geography	136	69	25	44	198	135	45	90	The per. Centage of
Hygiene	85	75	38	37	102	57	16	41	passes shows an increase
English	71	64	40	24	81	66	42	24	under Geography & History
History	27	7	"	7	25	17	3	14	

Chidambaram
20-5-95.

A Srinivasachar
Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools,
Vriddhachalam Range.

Statement No V showing the work done by the Inspecting School-master, Chidambaram Municipality during 1894-95.

Name.	Taluk or Municipality.	No of schools visited	No of schools examined	No of pupils examined	No. of days spent in Examining Schools	No. of days spent in Other work	No of days spent on Circuit	No of trips travelled.	Remarks.
G. Appasawmy Aiyar.	Chidambaram Municipality	23	23	6537	242	54 ※	..	..	Work done is satisfactory. ※ 54 Correspondence. 65 days. Sundays + Holidays. + 4 days absence on leave.

Chidambaram
20-5-95.

A Srinivasachar

Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools,
Vriddhachalam Range.

Chidambaram Taluq

Educational

Statements I–V

1894—95

G No 374
95-96

Office of the Assistant Inspector of Schools,

FIFTH DIVISION.

No. 14395.

Vellore, 30th May 1895.

From

S.C.R.Ry.

P. Venkatarama Aiyar, B.A.,

Assistant Inspector of Schools,
Fifth Division.

To

The Chairman,

Municipal Council,

Chidambaram.

through the Inspector of Schools

Southern Circle.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith Educational Statements I to V of the Chidambaram Municipality for 1894-95. Statements V(a) and V(b) have not yet been received from the Sub Assistant Inspector.

2. The figures in statement I show a fall of two schools among Aided schools and an increase of 102 pupils on the aggregate. This does not speak well of the exertions on the part of the Inspecting schoolmaster. The Committee Middle school shows a fall of 4 pupils. This is not satisfactory. The strength of the Board Muhammadan school has declined. The Head Master should do his best to improve this. The strength of the Pachaiappa's High school has risen from 216 to 250. This is gratifying.

3. The percentages for Christians and

Muhammadans

Muhammadans are favorable but no improvement is noticeable in the educational condition of the Parayas. It will be seen that 46 of the children of school going age are under instruction the percentage being 1.61 against 1.83 for the year previous and the total average of 8.01 for the Presidency in 1893-94.

4. Referring to statement III, I beg to state that 48 per cent of the teachers employed are unpaid ones against 70 per cent of the year previous. Leaving the teachers of Unaided and Indigenous schools out of calculation, we find the percentage reduced to 38. There was a sessional school for two months held by the Inspecting schoolmaster. The session should be extended for three months next year and the Inspecting schoolmaster allowed a bonus of Rs. 3 for each Result schoolmaster that passed the Primary Examination through his exertions.

5. In Statement IV, the results of the Muhammadan Salary Result school are not furnished and I draw the attention of the sub Assistant Inspector to this omission. The results were

not as favorable as could be wished. The Inspecting schoolmaster should take steps to improve the quality of education in the town.

6. Statement V gives particulars of the Inspecting schoolmaster's work for the year which is satisfactory.

VI

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

Assistant Inspector of Schools,
Fifth Division.

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From

THE ASSISTANT INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS,
Fifth Division.

To

~~The Chairman~~
Municipal Council
Chidambaram
~~Asst. Inspr. of Schs. S.C.~~

Urgent.

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C. C. Flanagan
Asst Inspr of Schools
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Station } Vellur
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ENCLOSURE. 15.

Subject.

Forwarding tabul. statements of the Chidambaram Municipality for 1894-95.

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Chidambaram Municipality for 1894-95
P. S. School.

	Compulsory Subjects 1893-94				Compulsory Subjects 1894-95			
	Number present	Number on rolls	Merit	Arithmetic	Number present	Number on rolls	Merit	Arithmetic
vii Standard								
vi Standard								
v. Standard								
iv Standard								
iii Standard								
ii Standard					7	7	5	2
i Standard	4	4	4	"	8 2	7 2	2	5 2
Infant Standard	11	11	11	"	3 3	3 3	3 3	"

1893-94	1894-95
Optional Subjects	Optional Subjects
Nil	Nil

Chidambaram 2. 6. 95

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Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools,
Vriddhachalam Range.

R. No. 308

The Sub-Assistant Inspector
Vridhachalam Range

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Chidambaram Municipality

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FIFTH DIVISION.

No 873 Chidambaram
2nd June 1895.

Submitted to the
Assistant Inspector of Schools
Fifth Division with reference
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Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools,
Vridhachalam Range.

No. 1507S. 2 June 1895
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of Schools, Southern Circle,
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ASSISTANT INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS,
FIFTH DIVISION.

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C. C. Flanagan.
Inspector of Schools

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From M.R.Ry. P. RAMASAWMIAH Avargal, Chairman, Municipal Council, Chidambaram, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Head Assistant Collector and Collector of South Arcot), dated Chidambaram, 2nd June 1895, No. 98.

I have the honour to submit my administration report on the working of the Chidambaram Municipality for the year 1894–95; the usual statements accompany. A copy of the resolution of the council passing the report is herein enclosed.

2. The two vacancies caused in the council were filled up by the re-appointment of the same gentlemen M.R.Ry. M. C. Ramaswamy Iyer Avargal and C. Rungasawmy Mudaliár Avargal. The late chairman having resigned his appointment, I was elected as chairman on the 19th November 1894, and I was put in charge of the office the same day.

3. Sixty-seven meetings were held during the year besides twenty-two meetings adjourned for want of a quorum. The average attendance was two of officials and six of non-officials.

4. The year opened with a balance of Rs. 5,807–12–8, which appertained to the municipal fund. The income from all sources amounted to Rs. 20,620–8–1 against Rs. 20,411–7–1 of the previous year. The actual collections from taxation came up to Rs. 15,538–6–7 against Rs. 15,941–2–2, exhibiting a decrease of Rs. 402–11–7, while the income from all other sources amounted to Rs. 5,082–1–6 against Rupees 4,470–4–11 of the previous year. The total receipts fell short of the amount of the revised estimate by Rs. 139–7–11, but exceeded those of the previous year by Rs. 209–1–0. The variations in the principal items of receipts are explained below in their proper places.

5. (1) *Municipal rates and taxes—Taxes on Arts* (*a*).—The total demand as originally assessed amounted to Rs. 3,280 and the remission by the council before the close of the year amounted to Rs. 198–8–0, leaving a net demand of Rs. 3,081–8–0, of which Rs. 2,006–8–0 were collected in the year with a balance of Rs. 1,075 on the 1st April last. The reason for such a large balance at the close of the year being the late issue of bills, consequent on the delay in the preparation of the profession tax registers which were received in the office in the latter part of 1894. It appears from the records that the late chairman was first asked to prepare these registers himself in July 1894 and after time finding it impossible for him to do so, the respective division councillors were requested to do the work on the 1st October 1894, for divisions 2, 3 and 4, the first division register having been resolved to be prepared by the late chairman himself. Earlier arrangements will be made for the preparation of the assessment registers and issue of bills during the current year. The subsequent collections up to date amounted to Rs. 499. The non-collection of the balance was mainly due to several appeals which were not disposed of within the year.

(*b*) The arrears at the commencement of the year amounted to Rs. 993–4–0, of which Rs. 745 appertained to the year 1893–94 and the rest Rs. 248–4–0 to the previous years, of which Rs. 459–3–6 were collected, Rs. 153–8–0 were remitted and Rs. 45–12–6 written off the accounts as irrecoverable, leaving a balance of Rupees 334–12–0, the collection of which is being expedited.

(*c*) The total collections under this head including the arrears amounted to Rs. 2,465–11–6 against Rs. 3,039–8–0 of the previous year.

6. *Tax on buildings* (*a*).—The demand under this head as originally assessed amounted to Rs. 6,349–6–6 and remissions on appeal came up to Rs. 16–12–5 and the net demand came up to Rs. 6,332–10–1, of which Rs. 6,001–10–7 were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 330–15–6 on the 1st April last, of which Rs. 296–3–8 have since been collected.

(*b*) The arrears of the year 1893–94 amounted to Rs. 256–4–2 and those of the previous years to Rs. 23–7–5, making a total of Rs. 279–11–7 on the 1st April 1894, of which Rs. 229–3–5 were collected, Rs. 7–13–11 remitted and Rs. 5–4–5 struck off as irrecoverable, the balance amounting to Rs. 37–5–0.

(*c*) Total collections including arrears amounted to Rs. 6,230–14–0 against Rs. 6,882–15–8 of the previous year and Rs. 6,400 of the revised estimate.

7. *Tax on lands* (*a*).—The demand was Rs. 295–2–9, of which Rs. 147–6–10 were collected and the balance amounted to Rs. 147–11–11, of which Rs. 93–13–9 have since been collected.

(*b*) Arrears amounted to Rs. 206–5–11, of which Rs. 126–9–7 were collected, Rs. 2–3–2 remitted and Rs. 10–11–10 struck off as irrecoverable, leaving a balance of Rs. 66–13–4.

(*c*) Total collections under this head came up to Rs. 274–0–5 against Rupees 235–6–10 of the previous year and Rs. 400 of the revised estimate.

8. *Taxes on Vehicles with springs.*—The total collections in the year amounted to Rs. 153 against Rs. 123 of the previous year and Rs. 150 of the revised estimate.

9. *Taxes on Animals.*—The income under this head amounted to Rs. 831–12–0 against Rs. 889 of the previous year and Rs. 830 of the revised estimate.

10. *Taxes on Carts and other Vehicles without springs.*—The total collections came up to Rs. 1,296 against Rs. 1,268 of 1893–94 and Rs. 1,230 of the revised estimate.

11. *Tolls.*—The farm was leased out for Rs. 6,420 against Rs. 5,240 of the previous year which was all realized. Penalty was levied on overdue kists and the total collections amounted to Rs. 6,421–5–6. Deducting the usual contribution to the local board the net amount credited to the municipal fund came up to Rupees 4,287–0–8 against Rs. 3,503–3–8 of 1893–94 and Rs. 4,290 of the revised estimate.

12. *Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation*—(*a*) (i) *Rent of lands.*—The current demand was Rs. 132–13–0, of which Rs. 78–1–0 were collected. Arrears amounted to Rs. 37–11–2, of which Rs. 19–3–6 were collected and Rs. 4–2–0 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 14–5–8. Thus the total collections under this head came up to Rs. 97–4–6 against Rs. 136–15–9 of 1893–94 and Rupees 140 of the revised estimate.

(ii) *Rent of Buildings.*—Rs. 50 were collected under this head, being the rent of apothecary's quarters.

(iii) Avenue receipts amounted to Rs. 426–7–9 against Rs. 590–7–3 of 1893–94 and against Rs. 450 of the revised estimate. The excess receipts under this item during 1893–94 being due to the adjustment of previous year's deposits.

(*b*) (ii) Produce of gardens amounted to Rs 8–4–0 which was the same as that of the last year.

(iii) *Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil-cans and packing cases.*—The income under this head amounted to Rs. 42–3–3 against Rs. 21–11–9 of 1893–94 and Rs. 50 of the revised estimate.

(*c*) *Conservancy Receipts.*—Sale-proceeds of street refuse amounted to Rupees 316–8–0 against Rs. 74–9–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 250 of the revised estimate, the reason for the previous year's receipts being so low having been explained in paragraph 17 (c) of the last administration report.

(*d*) (i) *Fees from Educational Institutions.*—The sum of Rs. 4–8–0 under this head was the fees realized from the municipal Hindustani school, where small rates of fees were charged from May 1894 as recommended by the educational authorities.

(*e*) (i) Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines amounted to Rs. 7 against Rs. 10–15–7 of 1893–94 and Rs. 10 of the revised estimate.

(ii) Other hospital receipts amounted to Rs. 5–15–6, being the sale-proceeds of old materials, &c., belonging to hospital against Rs. 1–7–0 of the previous year.

(*f*) (i) Income from markets amounted to Rs. 497 against Rs. 477 of 1893–94 and Rs. 520 of the revised estimate.

(ii) Income from slaughter-house amounted to Rs. 55 against Rs. 61 of 1893–94 and Rs. 60 of the revised estimate.

(*g*) *Other fees*—(i) *Distraint fees*—amounted to Rs. 7–4–0 against Rs. 8–12–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 10 of the revised estimate.

(ii) License fees amounted to Rs. 499–13–2 against Rs. 768–2–4 of 1893–94 and Rs. 800 of the revised estimate, as pavements were not constructed during the year under report in such large numbers as in the previous year.

(iii) Cart-stand fees came up to Rs. 15 being the same as in the last year.

(*h*) Fines under Municipal and other Acts amounted to Rs. 465–1–4 against Rs. 148–5–3 of 1893–94 and Rs. 400 of the revised estimate.

13. Thus the receipts under this head, viz., revenue derived from municipal property and powers apart from taxation, amounted to Rs. 2,494–13–6 against Rupees 2,377–9–11 of 1893–94 and Rs. 2,780 of the revised estimate, the decrease chiefly occurring under "license fees."

14. *Grants and contributions*—(*b*) *From Local Boards*—(ii) *Medical.*—A sum of Rs. 1,662–15–9 shown under this item was contributed by the South Arcot District Board on account of maintenance of the local municipal hospital against Rupees 1,362–12–10 of 1893–94 and Rs. 1,600 of the revised estimate.

15. *Miscellaneous*—(*a*) *Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals*—(i) *Private scavenging fees.*—The current demand under this head amounted to Rs. 267–6–0 of which Rs. 213 were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 54–6–0, of which Rs. 45–6–0 have since been collected. Of the arrears under this head amounting to Rs. 23, Rs. 15–2–0 were collected and As. 6 written off as irrecoverable, leaving a balance of Rs. 7–8–0. The total collections under this head amounted to Rs. 228–2–0 against Rs. 186–15–2 of 1893–94 and Rs. 200 of the revised estimate.

(ii) *Other purposes.*—Rs. 6–14–0 were collected against Rs. 35–12–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 20 of the revised estimate, being the cost of a masonry dust-bin recovered from the party on his application for the demolition of the same

(*b*) *Other items*—(i) *Fishery rents*—amounted to Rs. 650 against Rs. 296–7–0 of 1893–94. The increase was due to keen competition among bidders at the sale of these rents.

(iii) *Fee for numbering carts.*—Income under this item amounted to Rupees 2–10–0 against Rs. 3–12–0 of 1893–94.

(iv) *Other items.*—The receipts under this head amounted to Rs. 26–10–3 against Rs. 7 of 1893–94.

16. Thus the receipts under the miscellaneous head amounted to Rs. 914–4–3 against Rs. 529–14–2 of 1893–94 and Rs. 870 of the revised estimate.

17. *Extraordinary and debt*—(*d*) *Advances.*—The permanent advance of Rs. 10. made to the Sanitary Inspector during the last year was recovered and credited in the accounts.

18. Thus the total receipts under all heads as detailed above amounted to Rs. 26,428–4–9 including the opening balance of Rs. 5,807–12–8 against Rupees 24,427–12–0 of 1893–94 and against Rs. 26,570 of the revised estimate.

Expenditure.

19. *Grant I, Public Works*—(1) *New Works*—(*a*) *Communications.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 1,201–12–8 against Rs. 1,846–8–5 of the previous year and Rs. 1,500 of the revised estimate. The above amount was spent as following.

		Rs.	A.	P.
(1)	Plastering the drain at Saroya Godown street	67	9	1
(2)	Cost of gravel for metalling North and South Car streets..	847	13	7
(3)	„ of construction of a tunnel in Angalamman koil street	141	15	0
(4)	„ of construction of a tunnel in Mana Deechadar lane.	95	7	0
(5)	„ of „ of a road-dam in Thilliyamman koil road	49	0	0
	Total ..	1,201	12	8

(*b*) *Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 267–4–0 was spent on the following works:—

		Rs.	A.	P.
(1)	Construction of latrines	253	0	0
(2)	„ of a pandal in municipal Hindustani school.	14	4	0
	Total ..	267	4	0

(*c*) *Drainage.*—Nil.

(*d*) *Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 183–5–3 under this head was spent as follows:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Plat-forming wells	148	5	3
Plastering Chinna Annacoolum revetment wall	35	0	0
Total ..	183	5	3

(2) *Repairs*—(*a*) *Communications.*—Rs. 1,590–2–10 under this head was spent in the manner specified below:—

		Rs.	A.	P.
(1)	Repair of roads and streets	325	1	10
(2)	„ of the Odai bridge	15	1	3
(3)	„ of tunnels	81	5	0
(4)	Cost of gravel for repair of metalled roads	1,168	10	9
	Total ..	1,590	2	10

(*b*) *Buildings.*—Rs. 387–2–10 were spent under this head as detailed below:—

		Rs.	A.	P.
(1)	Repair of office pandal	12	1	3
(2)	„ of fish market	121	9	5
(3)	„ of toll huts	18	7	0
(4)	„ of vegetable market	7	8	0
(5)	„ of hospital compound wall	7	15	2
(6)	Cost of iron dust-bins to replace the ruined masonry ones .	99	14	0
(7)	Repair of latrines	19	12	0
	Total ..	387	2	10

(*c*) *Drainage.*—Nil.

(*d*) *Water-supply.*—A sum of Rs. 302–10–8 was spent as given below:—

		Rs.	A.	P.
(1)	Deepening Omaecolum	257	0	3
(2)	Letting water into municipal tanks..	13	0	0
(3)	Repairing inlet channel of Chinna Annaecolum	10	2	0
(4)	Repairing a wall in 16 Kal Mantapa Eda street	22	8	5
	Total ..	302	10	8

(3) *Establishment.*—A sum of Rs. 408–3–10 was spent on account of pay of a road maistry and six mile coolies maintained throughout the year.

(4) *Tools and other stores.*—The cost of tools purchased for the road establishment amounted to Rs. 13–2–2 against Rs. 10 of the revised estimate.

Thus the total expenditure under Grant I amounted to Rs. 4,514–8–10 against Rs. 5,021–10–8 of 1893–94 and Rs. 7,230 of the revised estimate, the decrease in expenditure chiefly occurring under new works "building," as the allotment of Rs. 2,500 provided in the revised estimate for the vegetable market building and for the Muhammadan burial ground was not utilized for the purpose.

20. *Grant II, Education*—(2) *Municipal Schools*—(ii) *On salary-result system*—(*a*) *Fixed payments.*—Rs. 96 were spent under this head on account of pay of the Hindustani school teacher.

(*b*) *Results grants.*—The school earned Rs. 45–10–0, of which a moiety was paid to the teacher.

(*c*) *Contingencies.*—Rent of the school building and other charges amounted to Rs. 31–13–6.

(3) *Salary grants.*—Rs. 847–10–4 were disbursed on account of the grants in aid of the salaries of the teachers of the middle department of the Town Middle school and the Pachaiyappa's High school against Rs. 807–5–4 of the previous year and Rs. 790 of the revised estimate, the increase of expenditure having been due to the payment of grants in proportion to the increased pay of the teachers.

(4) *Results grants.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 1,136–5–0 against Rs. 982–15–10 of the previous year, and Rs. 1,100 of the revised estimate. The increased expenditure was owing to the payment of grants to the two new schools brought under inspection during the year under report.

(5) *Combined grants.*—Nil.

(6) *Inspection.*—The total expenditure came up to Rs. 189–10–0, Rs. 180 having been paid to the inspecting schoolmaster and Rs. 9–10–0 on account of his contingencies.

(7) *Miscellaneous.*—Rs. 7–15–0 under this head were spent on account of furniture grant of the town middle school.

Thus the total expenditure under Grant II amounted to Rs. 2,332–2–10 against Rs. 2,125–15–9 of 1893–94 and Rs. 2,250 of the revised estimate.

21. *Grant III, Sanitation and Medical Services*—(1) *Hospitals and dispensaries.*—Rs. 3,461–5–4 were spent against Rs. 3,001–5–9 of 1893–94 and Rs. 3,400 of the revised estimate, Rs. 2,207–4–0 on account of establishment, Rs 499–13–8 on account of European medicines and supplies, Rs. 311–13–11 on account of diet of patients and Rs. 442–5–9 on account of bazaar medicines and sundry contingencies. The details of the working of the hospital are given in the accompanying report of the medical officer in charge.

(2) (*a*) Contributions to provincial funds amounted to Rs. 181 against Rs. 117 of the previous year and Rs. 160 of the revised estimate.

		Rs.
1.	Medical College	104
2.	Sanitary Inspection	66
3.	Medical reserve staff	11
	Total ..	181

(3) *Vaccination.*—A sum of Rs. 348–11–3 was spent under this head against Rs. 349–5–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 330 of the revised estimate. Establishment charge amounted to Rs. 180 and contingent charges to Rs. 168–11–3. The total number of cases vaccinated during the year under review was 803 against 811 of 1893–94, of which 786 cases were successful, 442 of these being infantile cases, 35 cases were ordered to be prosecuted for failure to have children vaccinated.

(4) *Registration of Births and Deaths.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 154–3–6 against Rs. 152 of 1893–94 and Rs. 150 of the revised estimate. The pay of the registrar came up to Rs. 144 and the cost of printed forms to

Rs. 10–3–6. Five hundred and six cases of births and 603 of deaths were registered against 584 and 713, respectively of the previous year, and no prosecutions were instituted for failure to register the vital statistics.

(5) *Conservancy—Road-cleaning and road-watering*—(*a*) (i) *Establishment charges.*—Amounted to Rs. 2,567–9–1 against Rs. 2,269–6–7 of 1893–94 and Rs. 2,752 of the revised estimate. The decrease in expenditure under this item was owing to the stoppages made in the pay of the scavengers, &c., when they absented themselves without leave.

(ii) *Other charges.* — The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 1,582–4–6 against Rs. 1,525–15–0 of 1893–94, and it was paid on account of rubbish carts and bulls for night-soil and sewage carts.

(*b*) *Private scavenging* — (i) *Establishment.* — The expenditure amounted to Rs. 207–6–5 against Rs. 195–11–9 of 1893–94 and Rs. 212 of the revised estimate. The income under this source amounted to Rs. 228–2–0, which makes the system more than self-supporting. The number of houses served by the private scavenging agency rose from 127 to 180.

(ii) *Contingencies.*—Nothing was spent under this head.

(*c*) Cholera and festival charges amounted to Rs. 116–6–0 against Rs. 162–4–1 of 1893–94 and Rs. 100 of the revised estimate. The increased expenditure was due to the special sanitary arrangements made during the time of cholera, which prevailed towards the close of the year in and around the town. Sulphur fumigations, entertainment of extra tank watchmen, special hands on daily wages to administer medicines to cholera-stricken patients were the special arrangements made during the prevalence of the epidemic.

(*d*) *Contingencies.* — The charge came up to Rs. 60–5–6 against Rs. 50–4–9 of 1893–94 and Rs. 50 of the revised estimate, the main items of expenditure being watering the roads and the purchase of rattan baskets and tools for scavengers and sweepers. Thus the total expenditure under Grant III amounted to Rs. 8,679–3–5 against Rs. 7,823–4–11 of 1893–94 and Rs. 9,060 of the revised estimate.

22. *Grant IV, Lighting and miscellaneous municipal purposes*—(*i*) *Lighting*—(*a*) *Establishment charges.*—Amounted to Rs. 405–6–3 against Rs. 352–13–6 of 1893–94 and Rs. 420 of the revised estimate.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—Rs. 1,214–5–3 were spent on account of the purchase of thirty iron lamp-posts, kerosine oil and other things. The posts purchased will be put in use during the current year, the expenditure under this item during 1893–94 amounted to Rs. 872–0–9.

(5) *Avenues.*—Establishment charge amounted to Rs. 180–10–11 and contingencies to Rs. 8–15–0 against Rs. 226–2–8 and Rs. 2, respectively, of the previous year.

(9) Other charges amounted to Rs. 584–4–11 against Rs. 396–13–5 of 1893–94. The particulars are as follow :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Numbering carts	6	7	6
Rewards for killing of dogs	9	12	6
Printing Proceedings of the Council	329	8	7
Compensation for lands	235	10	0
Other charges	2	14	4
Total	584	4	11

The item "Cmpensation for lands" includes the cost of a house-site purchased for widening the Umayal lane, which was very narrow. Thus the total charges under Grant IV amounted to Rs. 2,393–10–4 against Rs. 1,902–12–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 2,840 of the revised estimate.

23. *Grant V—(a) General Establishment*—(i) *Office Establishment.*—The charges under this head amounted to Rs. 886–14–2 against Rs. 825–6–6 of 1893–94 and Rs. 882 of the revised estimate.

(ii) Inspection charges amounted to Rs. 171–4–8 against Rs. 180 of the revised estimate.

(*b*) *Collection of municipal taxes*—(i) *Establishment charges.*—Amounted to Rupees 273–9–9 against Rs. 291–10–4 of 1893–94 and Rs. 288 of the revised estimate.

(*d*) Office contingencies amounted to Rs. 319–1–3 against Rs. 293–11–2 of 1893–94 and Rs. 240 of the revised estimate. The purchase of printed forms for office use was the cause of increase under this item.

(*e*) Contributions for Central office and Audit establishment amounted to Rs. 100 against Rs 102 of 1893–94.

Thus the total expenditure under Grant V amounted to Rs. 1,750–13–10 against Rs. 1,692–12–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 1,690 of the revised estimate, the increase chiefly occurring under office contingencies.

24. *Advances recoverable—(a) Permanent.*—A sum of Rs. 10 shown under this head was the amount advanced to the manager and the Sanitary Inspector for meeting sundry expenses of the municipality.

(*b*) *Others.*—Rs. 143–9–0 was spent as follows :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
To Messrs. Best and Co. for drums	88	0	0
To a contractor for fitting iron latrines	50	0	0
Overpayment made to a contractor through oversight which was already recovered and adjusted in the accounts	5	9	0

25 The year closed with a balance of Rs. 6,574–4–6 against Rs 5,807–12–8 of 1893–94 and Rs. 3,350 of the revised estimate.

26. The educational statements 1 to 5 received from the Inspector of Schools are herewith submitted.

ENCLOSURE.

ANNUAL Report of the Civil Hospital, Chidambaram, for the year 1894–95.

I. Dispensary Buildings, present state of repairs, &c., furniture, fittings, &c.—The out buildings are in good order; the roof of the wards and verandahs leak during heavy rains. The flooring of parts of the hospital premises, especially the surgery, is badly in need of repairs; portland cementing, which has been recommended for the flooring throughout, would be a great improvement both on sanitary and economic grounds. Furniture and fittings in fair order and almost complete.

II. Dispensary Committee—Frequency of meetings.—There is a dispensary sub-committee, but matters are disposed off mainly by the Municipal Council which holds its meetings several times in the month.

III. Most common diseases among out-door and in-door patients, their prevalence and fatality as compared with other years.—Diseases of the skin, eye, ear, abscess, boils, ulcers, rheumatic affections, worms, digestive disorders and local injuries were the most common diseases among out-patients. Ulcers, local injuries, skin diseases, anœmia, dropsy, rheumatic affections and malarial fevers contributed a large proportion of admissions in the number of in-patients.

Three deaths were recorded among out-patients—two from cholera and one from labour, preternatural transverse. Nine deaths among in-patients were due to diarrhœa, two cholera, two ulcer; connective tissue disease, dropsy, lung disease and malarial fever, each one.

IV. Epidemics which have occurred in the station or its vicinity.—Cholera which made its appearance in December 1894 immediately after the Tirunamallay festival, continued to prevail till the end of the official year when it showed symptoms of subsiding. There was cholera in the eastern part of the taluk also during the time. Hooping cough was rife during the latter part of the year in parts of the town. Ophthalmia appeared in August and was at its acme in September, but this complaint was less severe than in previous years.

V. Inspection by Civil Surgeon and Surgeon-General. — The hospital and station were inspected by the District Medical and Sanitary officer on the 31st May 1894 and again on the 30th December 1894.

VI. Attendance of patients as contrasted with previous years distinguishing in-door from out-door.—

—	1892–93.	1893–94.	1894–95.
In-patients	236	246	234
Out-patients	14,319	14,328	14,895
Total ..	14,555	14,574	15,129

There has been a slight decrease of 12 in and an increase of 567 out patients as contrasted with the previous year. The fall in the in-patients is due probably to the good season.

VII. General Remarks.—The general health of the station during the year was good till the end of December, when cholera appeared and continued to prevail in a sporadic form till March. Unusually heavy rains fell in August and September. Owing to a good season, price of food-grains remained favourable.

(*a*) *Surgical operations.*—There were 28 major and 610 minor operations performed during the year with one fatal result.

(*b*) *Vaccination.*—Vaccination has been compulsory for the past several years; animal vaccination is conducted for the supply of lymph. The municipal vaccinator vaccinated 803 cases, of which 786 were successful, 447 were under one year of age, and of this number 442 were successful. Of hospital vaccination 11 subjects were all vaccinated on successfully. The number of births in the municipal circle during the year under review was 505, which includes still-born cases.

(*c*) *Midwife.*—The hospital midwife attended on 84 cases of labour, both natural and requiring aid, against 49 of the year previous; her services are further utilized at the hospital in the treatment of diseases of females and children.

(*d*) *Special Wards.*—There is no lying in nor caste wards, but there is a contageous disease ward within the compound a little apart from the main buildings.

(*e*) *Water-supply.*—Drinking water is obtained mainly from wells in the temple and tanks in different parts of the town, four of the largest of which are reserved; the tanks are fed by the Coleroon through open irrigation channels. With a few exceptions all the wells outside the temple are brackish.

CHIDAMBARAM,
1*st April* 1895.

(Signed) G. A. W. VELLOMS,
Civil Apothecary.

Forwarded.

20*th April* 1895.

(Signed) H. HYDE, Surgn., Lieut.-Col.,
District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

Submitted.

14*th June* 1895.

(Signed) A. R. CUMMING.

Forwarded.

2. The number of meetings held by the municipal council has been the subject of complaint by some of the councillors, and steps have been taken to ensure more systematic disposal of business in future.

3. Some attention has been paid to private scavenging, the service being worked this year at a small profit. The system was in force in 180 houses as against 127 in the previous year. Having regard to the total number of houses assessed, the proportion is still highly unsatisfactory.

4. The great want of the town is a good water-supply for drinking purposes. M.R.Ry. Muthu Chettiar Avargal, who has spent much money in improving the local temple, has expressed his willingness to contribute half the cost of a well-considered scheme, provided the municipality will pay the other half.

TIRUVANNAMALAI,
28*th June* 1895.

(Signed) A. E. CASTLESTUART STUART,
Collector.

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ORDER—dated August 1895, No. M., Local and Municipal.

The receipts and charges of the Chidambaram 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	4,016	2,560	5,810	5,808
Tax on Arts	3,040	2,200	2,200	2,466
,, Buildings and Lands	7,118	6,800	6,800	6,505
,, Vehicles and Animals	1,012	900	980	985
,, Carts	1,268	1,200	1,230	1,296
Tolls	3,503	3,200	4,290	4,287
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c	813	700	700	619
Conservancy Receipts	75	250	250	316
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	..	10	10	4
,, ,, from Medical Institutions	12	10	10	13
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	538	550	580	552
License Fees	768	800	800	500
Other Fees	24	30	30	25
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	148	200	400	465
Grants and Contributions from Local Boards	1,363	1,600	1,600	1,663
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	223	200	220	235
Miscellaneous	307	300	650	679
Advances Recovered	200	..	10	10
Total	24,428	21,510	26,570	26,428
Charges.				
GRANT I.				
New Works—				
Communications	1,847	930	1,430	1,134
Buildings	532	2,500	2,270	267
Water-supply	1,011	..	680	183
Miscellaneous	..	..	500	..
Repairs—				
Communications	1,247	800	1,200	1,590
Buildings	52	200	450	387
Drainage	..	70	70	68
Water-supply	305	700	700	494
Establishment	28	460	420	408
Tools and Plant and other Stores	..	..	10	13
Total	5,022	5,660	7,230	4,544
GRANT II—				
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary result-system	138	180	170	151
Salary Grants	807	790	790	848
Results Grants	983	1,100	1,100	1,136
Inspection	198	190	190	189
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	8
Total	2,126	2,260	2,250	2,332
GRANT III—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	3,001	3,200	3,400	3,461
Contributions	117	160	160	181
Vaccination	349	350	330	349
Registration of Births and Deaths	152	160	150	154
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	4,204	4,750	5,020	4,534
Total	7,823	8,620	9,060	8,679
GRANT IV—				
Lighting	1,225	1,620	1,970	1,620
Avenues	228	230	230	190
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges	450	380	640	584
Total	1,903	2,230	2,840	2,394
GRANT V—				
Supervision and Management	1,693	1,740	1,690	1,751
Advances Recoverable	40	..	150	154
Refunds	13	..	..	..
Balance	5,808	1,000	3,350	6,574
Total	24,428	21,510	26,570	26,428

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3. *Receipts.*—(1) The net current dema
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(3) There was a marked rise in th
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executive in suppressing nuisances.

(4) The number of houses served by the
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No. 1026 M., a considerable proportion of the
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in force in only about five per cent. of the total
on buildings. It is improbable that the arran
houses are satisfactory, and the council should,
sections 221 and 222 of the Act, compel household
keep their backyards in a sanitary condition.

4. *Expenditure*—(1) *Public Works.*—No ne
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(2) *Education.*—The net expenditure on
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(3) *Medical Relief.*—There was a sm
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against forty-nine in 1893–94. The municip
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required in the hospital building.

(4) *Vaccination and Vital Statistics.*—T
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The registration of vital statistics re
ence again far from complete. Nor is this ma
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demands the increased attention of the counci

(5) *Sanitation.*—More than 95 per ce
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it leaves very much to be desired. The cou
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funds permit the recommendations made in
dated 18th September 1894, No. 1286 M., on
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To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Chidambaram
,, Collector of South Arcot.
,, President, District Board, South Arcot.
,, Accountant-General.
,, Director of Public Instruction.
,, Surgeon-General.
,, Sanitary Commissioner.
,, Sanitary Engineer.
Editors Table.

No. 1501 M., Local and Municipal, 16th September 1895.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following paper :—

From M.R.Ry. G. RAMASWAMI AIYAR Avargal, Chairman, Municipal Council, Chidambaram, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Head Assistant Collector and Collector of South Arcot), dated Chidambaram, 2nd June 1895, No. 98.

I have the honour to submit my administration report on the working of the Chidambaram Municipality for the year 1894–95 ; the usual statements accompany. A copy of the resolution of the council passing the report is herein enclosed.

2. The two vacancies caused in the council were filled up by the re-appointment of the same gentlemen M R.Ry. M. C. Ramaswami Aiyar Avargal and C. Rangaswami Mudaliyar Avargal. The late chairman having resigned his appointment, I was elected as chairman on the 19th November 1894, and I was put in charge of the office the same day.

3. Sixty-seven meetings were held during the year besides twenty-two meetings adjourned for want of a quorum. The average attendance was two of officials and six of non-officials.

4. The year opened with a balance of Rs. 5,807–12–8, which appertained to the municipal fund. The income from all sources amounted to Rs. 20,620–8–1 against Rs. 20,411–7–1 of the previous year. The actual collections from taxation came up to Rs. 15,538–6–7 against Rs. 15,941–2–2, exhibiting a decrease of Rs. 402–11–7, while the income from all other sources amounted to Rs. 5,082–1–6 against Rupees 4,470–4–11 of the previous year. The total receipts fell short of the amount of the revised estimate by Rs. 139–7–11, but exceeded those of the previous year by Rs. 209–1–0. The variations in the principal items of receipts are explained below in their proper places.

5. (1) *Municipal rates and taxes—Taxes on Arts* (*a*).—The total demand as originally assessed amounted to Rs. 3,280 and the remission by the council before the close of the year amounted to Rs. 198–8–0, leaving a net demand of Rs. 3,081–8–0, of which Rs. 2,006–8–0 were collected in the year with a balance of Rs. 1,075 on the 1st April last, the reason for such a large balance at the close of the year being the late issue of bills, consequent on the delay in the preparation of the profession tax registers which were received in the office in the latter part of 1894. It appears from the records that the late chairman was first asked to prepare these registers himself in July 1894 and after a time finding it impossible for him to do so, the respective division councillors were requested to do the work on the 1st October 1894, for divisions 2, 3 and 4, the first division register having been resolved to be prepared by the late chairman himself. Earlier arrangements will be made for the preparation of the assessment registers and issue of bills during the current year. The subsequent collections up to date amounted to Rs. 499. The non-collection of the balance was mainly due to several appeals which were not disposed of within the year.

(*b*) The arrears at the commencement of the year amounted to Rs. 993–4–0, of which Rs. 745 appertained to the year 1893–94 and the rest Rs. 248–4–0 to the previous years, of which Rs. 459–3–6 were collected, Rs. 153–8–0 were remitted and Rs. 45–12–6 written off the accounts as irrecoverable, leaving a balance of Rupees 334–12–0, the collection of which is being expedited.

(*c*) The total collections under this head including the arrears amounted to Rs. 2,465–11–6 against Rs. 3,039–8–0 of the previous year.

6. *Tax on buildings* (*a*).—The demand under this head as originally assessed amounted to Rs. 6,349–6–6 and remissions on appeal came up to Rs. 16–12–5 and the net demand came up to Rs. 6,332–10–1, of which Rs. 6,001–10–7 were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 330–15–6 on the 1st April last, of which Rs. 296–3–8 have since been collected.

(*b*) The arrears of the year 1893–94 amounted to Rs. 256–4–2 and those of the previous years to Rs. 23–7–5, making a total of Rs. 279–11–7 on the 1st April 1894, of which Rs. 229–3–5 were collected, Rs. 7–13–11 remitted and Rs. 5–4–5 struck off as irrecoverable, the balance amounting to Rs. 37–5–10.

(*c*) Total collections including arrears amounted to Rs. 6,230–14–0 against Rs. 6,882–15–8 of the previous year and Rs. 6,400 of the revised estimate.

7. *Tax on lands* (*a*).—The demand was Rs. 295–2–9, of which Rs. 147–6–10 were collected and the balance amounted to Rs. 147–11–11, of which Rs. 93–13–9 have since been collected.

(*b*) Arrears amounted to Rs. 206–5–11, of which Rs. 126–9–7 were collected, Rs. 2–3–2 remitted and Rs. 10–11–10 struck off as irrecoverable, leaving a balance of Rs. 66–13–4.

(*c*) Total collections under this head came up to Rs. 274–0–5 against Rupees 235–6–10 of the previous year and Rs. 400 of the revised estimate.

8. *Taxes on Vehicles with springs.*—The total collections in the year amo to Rs. 153 against Rs. 123 of the previous year and Rs. 150 of the revised estim

9. *Taxes on Animals.*—The income under this head amounted to Rs. 831–1 against Rs. 889 of the previous year and Rs. 830 of the revised estimate.

10. *Taxes on Carts and other Vehicles without springs.*—The total collections ca up to Rs. 1,296 against Rs. 1,268 of 1893–94 and Rs. 1,230 of the revised estimate.

11. *Tolls.*—The farm was leased out for Rs. 6,420 against Rs. 5,240 of the previous year which was all realized. Penalty was levied on overdue kists and the total collections amounted to Rs. 6,421–5–6. Deducting the usual contribution to the local board the net amount credited to the municipal fund came up to Rupees 4,287–0–8 against Rs. 3,503–3–8 of 1893–94 and Rs. 4,290 of the revised estimate.

12. *Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation*—(*a*)(i) *Rent of lands.*—The current demand was Rs. 132–13–6, of which Rs. 78–1–0 were collected. Arrears amounted to Rs. 37–11–2, of which Rs. 19–3–6 were collected and Rs. 4–2–0 were remitted, leaving a balance of Rs. 14–5–8. Thus the total collections under this head came up to Rs. 97–4–6 against Rs. 136–15–9 of 1893–94 and Rupees 140 of the revised estimate.

(ii) *Rent of Buildings.*—Rs. 50 were collected under this head, being the rent of the apothecary's quarters.

(iii) Avenue receipts amounted to Rs. 426–7–9 against Rs. 590–7–3 of 1893–94 and against Rs. 450 of the revised estimate, the excess receipts under this item during 1893–94 being due to the adjustment of the previous year's deposits.

(*b*) (ii) Produce of gardens amounted to Rs. 8–4–0 which was the same as that of the last year.

(iii) *Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil-cans and packing cases.*—The income under this head amounted to Rs. 42–3–3 against Rs. 21–11–9 of 1893–94 and Rs. 50 of the revised estimate.

(*c*) *Conservancy Receipts.*—Sale-proceeds of street refuse amounted to Rupees 316–8–0 against Rs. 74–9–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 250 of the revised estimate, the reason for the previous year's receipts being so low having been explained in paragraph 17 (*c*) of the last administration report.

(*d*) (i) *Fees from Educational Institutions.*—The sum of Rs. 4–8–0 under this head was the fees realized from the municipal Hindustani school, where small rates of fees were charged from May 1894 as recommended by the educational authorities.

(*e*) (i) Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines amounted to Rs. 7 against Rs. 10–15–7 of 1893–94 and Rs. 10 of the revised estimate.

(ii) Other hospital receipts amounted to Rs. 5–15–6, being the sale-proceeds of materials, &c., belonging to hospital against Rs. 1–7–0 of the previous year.

(*f*) (i) Income from markets amounted to Rs. 497 against Rs. 477 of 1893–94 a 520 of the revised estimate.

(ii) Income from slaughter-house amounted to Rs. 55 against Rs. 61 of 1893–94 and Rs. 60 of the revised estimate.

(*g*) *Other fees*—(i) *Distraint fees*—amounted to Rs. 7–4–0 against Rs. 8–12–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 10 of the revised estimate.

(ii) License fees amounted to Rs. 499–13–2 against Rs. 768–2–4 of 1893–94 and Rs. 800 of the revised estimate, as pavements were not constructed during the year under report in such large numbers as in the previous year.

(iii) Cart-stand fees came up to Rs. 15, being the same as in the last year.

(*h*) Fines under the Municipal and other Acts amounted to Rs. 465–1–4 against Rs. 148–5–3 of 1893–94 and Rs. 400 of the revised estimate.

13. Thus the receipts under this head, viz., revenue derived from municipal property and powers apart from taxation, amounted to Rs. 2,494–13–6 against Rupees 2,377–9–11 of 1893–94 and Rs. 2,780 of the revised estimate, the decrease chiefly occurring under "license fees."

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14. *Grants and contributions*—(*b*) *From Local Boards*—(ii) *Medical.*—A sum of Rs. 1,662–15–9 shown under this item was contributed by the South Arcot District Board on account of the maintenance of the local municipal hospital against Rupees 1,362–12–10 of 1893–94 and Rs. 1,600 of the revised estimate.

15. *Miscellaneous*—(*a*) *Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals*—(i) *Private scavenging fees.*—The current demand under this head amounted to Rs. 267–6–0, of which Rs. 213 were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 54–6–0, of which Rs. 45–6–0 have since been collected. Of the arrears under this head amounting to Rs. 23, Rs. 15–2–0 were collected and As. 6 written off as irrecoverable, leaving a balance of Rs. 7–8–0. The total collections under this head amounted to Rs. 228–2–0 against Rs. 186–15–2 of 1893–94 and Rs. 200 of the revised estimate.

(ii) *Other purposes.*—Rs. 6–14–0 were collected against Rs. 35–12–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 20 of the revised estimate, being the cost of a masonry dust-bin recovered from the party on his application for the demolition of the same.

(*b*) *Other items*—(i) *Fishery rents*—amounted to Rs. 650 against Rs. 296–7–0 of 1893–94. The increase was due to keen competition among bidders at the sale of these rents.

(iii) *Fee for numbering carts.*—Income under this item amounted to Rupees 2–10–0 against Rs. 3–12–0 of 1893–94.

(iv) *Other items.*—The receipts under this head amounted to Rs. 26–10–3 against Rs. 7 of 1893–94.

16. Thus the receipts under the miscellaneous head amounted to Rs. 914–4–3 against Rs. 529–14–2 of 1893–94 and Rs. 870 of the revised estimate.

17. *Extraordinary and debt*—(*d*) *Advances.*—The permanent advance of Rs. 10 made to the Sanitary Inspector during the last year was recovered and credited in the accounts.

18. Thus the total receipts under all heads as detailed above amounted to Rs. 26,428–4–9 including the opening balance of Rs. 5,807–12–8 against Rupees 24,427–12–0 of 1893–94 and against Rs. 26,570 of the revised estimate.

Expenditure.

19. *Grant I, Public Works*—(1) *New Works*—(*a*) *Communications.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 1,201–12–8 against Rs. 1,846–8–5 of the previous year and Rs. 1,500 of the revised estimate. The above amount was spent as follows :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
(1) Plastering the drain at Saroya Godown street	67	9	1
(2) Cost of gravel for metalling North and South Car streets	847	13	7
(3) „ of construction of a tunnel in Angalamman kovil street	141	15	0
(4) „ of construction of a tunnel in Mana Dikshitar lane	95	7	0
(5) „ of „ of a road-dam in Tillayamman kovil road	49	0	0
Total	1,201	12	8

(*b*) *Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 267–4–0 was spent on the following works:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
(1) Construction of latrines	253	0	0
(2) „ of a pandal in municipal Hindustani school	14	4	0
Total	267	4	0

(*c*) *Drainage.*—Nil.

(*d*) *Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 183–5–3 under this head was spent as follows:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Platforming wells	148	5	3
Plastering Chinna Annakulam revetment wall	35	0	0
Total	183	5	3

(2) *Repairs*—(*a*) *Communications.*—Rs. 1,590–2–10 under this head was spent in the manner specified below:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
(1) Repair of roads and streets	325	1	10
(2) „ of the Odai bridge	15	1	3
(3) „ of tunnels	81	5	0
(4) Cost of gravel for repair of metalled roads	1,168	10	9
Total	1,590	2	10

(*b*) *Buildings.*—Rs. 387–2–10 were spent under this head as detailed below:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
(1) Repair of office pandal	12	1	3
(2) „ of fish market	221	9	5
(3) „ of toll huts	18	7	0
(4) „ of vegetable market	7	8	0
(5) „ of hospital compound wall	7	15	2
(6) Cost of iron dust-bins to replace the ruined masonry ones	99	14	0
(7) Repair of latrines	19	12	0
Total	387	2	10

(*c*) *Drainage.*—Nil.

(*d*) *Water-supply.*—A sum of Rs. 302–10–8 was spent as given below:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
(1) Deepening Omakulam	257	0	3
(2) Letting water into municipal tanks	13	0	0
(3) Repairing inlet channel of Chinna Annakulam	10	2	0
(4) Repairing a wall in 16 Kal Mantapa Eda street	22	8	5
Total	302	10	8

(3) *Establishment.*—A sum of Rs. 408–3–10 was spent on account of pay of a road maistry and six mile coolies maintained throughout the year.

(*f*) *Tools and other stores.*—The cost of tools purchased for the road establishment amounted to Rs. 13–2–2 against Rs. 10 of the revised estimate.

Thus the total expenditure under Grant I amounted to Rs. 4,514–6–10 against Rs. 5,021–10–8 of 1893–94 and Rs. 7,230 of the revised estimate, the decrease in expenditure chiefly occurring under New Works "Buildings," as the allotment of Rs. 2,500 provided in the revised estimate for the vegetable market building and for the Muhammadan burial ground was not utilized for the purpose.

20. *Grant II, Education*—(2) *Municipal Schools*—(ii) *On the salary-result system*—(*a*) *Fixed payments.*—Rs. 96 were spent under this head on account of pay of the Hindustani school teacher.

(*b*) *Result grants.*—The school earned Rs. 45–10–0, of which a moiety was paid to the teacher.

(*c*) *Contingencies.*—Rent of the school building and other charges amounted to Rs. 31–13–6.

(3) *Salary grants.*—Rs. 847–10–[illegible] were disbursed on account of the grants in aid of the salaries of the teachers of the [illegible]ddle department of the Town Middle school and the Pachaiyappa's High school against Rs. 807–5–4 of the previous year and Rs. 790 of the revised estimate, the increase of expenditure having been due to the payment of grants in proportion to the increased pay of the teachers.

(4) *Result grants.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 1,136–5–0 against Rs. 982–15–10 of the previous year, and Rs. 1,100 of the revised estimate. The increased expenditure was owing to the payment of grants to the two new schools brought under inspection during the year under report.

(5) *Combined grants.*—Nil.

(6) *Inspection.*—The total expenditure came up to Rs. 189–10–0, Rs. 180 having been paid to the inspecting schoolmaster and Rs. 9–10–0 on account of his contingencies.

(7) *Miscellaneous.*—Rs. 7–15–0 under this head were spent on account of furniture grant of the town middle school.

Thus the total expenditure under Grant II amounted to Rs. 2,332–2–10 against Rs. 2,125–15–9 of 1893–94 and Rs. 2,250 of the revised estimate.

21. *Grant III, Sanitation and Medical Services*—(1) *Hospitals and dispensaries.*—Rs. 3,461–5–4 were spent against Rs. 3,001–5–9 of 1893–94 and Rs. 3,400 of the revised estimate, Rs. 2,207–4–0 on account of establishment, Rs. 499–13–8 on account of European medicines and supplies, Rs. 311–13–11 on account of diet of patients and Rs. 442–5–9 on account of bazaar medicines and sundry contingencies. The details of the working of the hospital are given in the accompanying report of the medical officer in charge.

(2) (*a*) Contributions to provincial funds amounted to Rs. 181 against Rs. 117 of the previous year and Rs. 160 of the revised estimate.

	Rs.
1. Medical College	104
2. Sanitary Inspection	66
3. Medical reserve staff	11
Total	181

(3) *Vaccination.*—A sum of Rs. 348–11–3 was spent under this head against Rs. 349–5–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 330 of the revised estimate. Establishment charges amounted to Rs. 180 and contingent charges to Rs. 168–11–3. The total number of cases vaccinated during the year under review was 803 against 811 of 1893–94, of which 786 cases were successful, 442 of these being infantile cases, 35 cases were ordered to be prosecuted for failure to have children vaccinated.

(4) *Registration of Births and Deaths.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 154–3–6 against Rs. 152 of 1893–94 and Rs. 150 of the revised estimate. The pay of the registrar came up to Rs. 144 and the cost of printed forms to

Rs. 10–3–6. Five hundred and six cases of births and 603 of deaths were registered against 584 and 713, respectively of the previous year, and no prosecutions were instituted for failure to register the vital statistics.

(5) *Conservancy—Road-cleaning and road-watering*—(*a*) (i) *Establishment charges.*—Amounted to Rs. 2,567–9–1 against Rs. 2,269–6–7 of 1893–94 and Rs. 2,752 of the revised estimate. The decrease in expenditure under this item was owing to the stoppages made in the pay of the scavengers, &c., when they absented themselves without leave.

(ii) *Other charges.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 1,582–4–4 against Rs. 1,525–15–0 of 1893–94, and it was paid on account of rubbish carts and bullocks for night-soil and sewage carts.

(*b*) *Private scavenging*—(i) *Establishment.*—The expenditure amounted to Rs. 207–6–5 against Rs. 195–11–9 of 1893–94 and Rs. 212 of the revised estimate. The income under this source amounted to Rs. 228–2–0, which makes the system more than self-supporting. The number of houses served by the private scavenging agency rose from 127 to 180.

(ii) *Contingencies.*—Nothing was spent under this head.

(*c*) Cholera and festival charges amounted to Rs. 116–6–0 against Rs. 162–4–1 of 1893–94 and Rs. 100 of the revised estimate. The increased expenditure was due to the special sanitary arrangements made during the time of cholera, which prevailed towards the close of the year in and around the town. Sulphur fumigations, entertainment of extra tank watchmen, special hands on daily wages to administer medicines to cholera-stricken patients were the special arrangements made during the prevalence of the epidemic.

(*d*) *Contingencies.*—The charges came up to Rs. 60–5–6 against Rs. 50–4–9 of 1893–94 and Rs. 50 of the revised estimate, the main items of expenditure being the watering of roads and the purchase of rattan baskets and tools for the scavengers and sweepers. Thus the total expenditure under Grant III amounted to Rs. 8,679–3–5 against Rs. 7,823–4–11 of 1893–94 and Rs. 9,060 of the revised estimate.

22. *Grant IV, Lighting and miscellaneous municipal purposes*—(*i*) *Lighting*—(*a*) *Establishment charges.*—Amounted to Rs. 405–6–3 against Rs. 352–13–6 of 1893–94 and Rs. 420 of the revised estimate.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—Rs. 1,214–5–3 were spent on account of the purchase of thirty iron lamp-posts, kerosine oil and other things. The posts purchased will be put in use during the current year, the expenditure under this item during 1893–94 amounted to Rs. 872–0–9.

(5) *Avenues.*—Establishment charges amounted to Rs. 180–10–11 and contingencies to Rs. 8–15–0 against Rs. 226–2–8 and Rs. 2, respectively, of the previous year.

(9) Other charges amounted to Rs. 584–4–11 against Rs. 396–13–5 of 1893–94. The particulars are as follow:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Numbering carts	6	7	6
Rewards for killing of dogs	9	12	6
Printing Proceedings of the Council	329	8	7
Compensation for lands	235	10	0
Other charges	2	14	4
Total	584	4	11

The item "Cmpensation for lands" includes the cost of a house-site purchased for widening the Umayal lane, which was very narrow. Thus the total charges under Grant IV amounted to Rs. 2,393–10–4 against Rs. 1,902–12–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 2,840 of the revised estimate.

23. *Grant V*—(*a*) *General Establishment*—(i) *Office Establishment.*—The charges under this head amounted to Rs. 886–14–2 against Rs. 825–6–6 of 1893–94 and Rs. 882 of the revised estimate.

(ii) Inspection charges amounted to Rs. 171–4–8 against Rs. 180 of the revised estimate.

(*b*) *Collection of municipal taxes*—(i) *Establishment charges.*—Amounted to Rupees 273–9–9 against Rs. 291–10–4 of 1893–94 and Rs. 288 of the revised estimate.

(*d*) Office contingencies amounted to Rs. 319–1–3 against Rs. 293–11–2 of 1893–94 and Rs. 240 of the revised estimate. The purchase of printed forms for office use was the cause of increase under this item.

(*e*) Contributions for the Central office and Audit establishments amounted to Rs. 100 against Rs. 102 of 1893–94.

Thus the total expenditure under Grant V amounted to Rs. 1,750–13–10 against Rs. 1,692–12–0 of 1893–94 and Rs. 1,690 of the revised estimate, the increase chiefly occurring under office contingencies.

24. *Advances recoverable*—(*a*) *Permanent.*—A sum of Rs. 10 shown under this head was the amount advanced to the manager and the Sanitary Inspector for meeting sundry expenses of the municipality.

(*b*) *Others.*—Rs. 143–9–0 was spent as follows:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
To Messrs. Best and Co. for drums	88	0	0
To a contractor for fitting iron latrines	50	0	0
Overpayment made to a contractor through oversight which was already recovered and adjusted in the accounts	5	9	0

25. The year closed with a balance of Rs. 6,574–4–6 against Rs. 5,807–12–8 of 1893–94 and Rs. 3,350 of the revised estimate.

26. The educational statements 1 to 5 received from the Inspector of Schools are herewith submitted.

Enclosure.

Annual Report of the Civil Hospital, Chidambaram, for the year 1894–95.

I. Dispensary Buildings, present state of repairs, &c., furniture, fittings, &c.—The out buildings are in good order; the roof of the wards and verandahs leak during heavy rains. The flooring of parts of the hospital premises, especially the surgery, is badly in need of repairs; portland cementing, which has been recommended for the flooring throughout, would be a great improvement both on sanitary and economic grounds. Furniture and fittings in fair order and almost complete.

II. Dispensary Committee—Frequency of meetings.—There is a dispensary sub-committee, but matters are disposed off mainly by the Municipal Council which holds its meetings several times in the month.

III. Most common diseases among out-door and in-door patients, their prevalence and fatality as compared with other years.—Diseases of the skin, eye, ear, abscesses, boils, ulcers, rheumatic affections, worms, digestive disorders and local injuries were the most common diseases among out-patients. Ulcers, local injuries, skin diseases, anœmia, dropsy, rheumatic affections and malarial fevers contributed a large proportion of admissions in the number of in-patients.

Three deaths were recorded among out-patients—two from cholera and one from labour, preternatural transverse. Nine deaths among in-patients were due to diarrhœa, two cholera, two ulcer; connective tissue disease, dropsy, lung disease and malarial fever, each one.

IV. Epidemics which have occurred in the station or its vicinity.—Cholera which made its appearance in December 1894 immediately after the Tiruvannamalai festival, continued to prevail till the end of the official year when it showed symptoms of subsiding. There was cholera in the eastern part of the taluk also during the time. Hooping cough was rife during the latter part of the year in parts of the town. Ophthalmia appeared in August and was at its acme in September, but this complaint was less severe than in previous years.

V. Inspection by Civil Surgeon and Surgeon-General.—The hospital and station were inspected by the District Medical and Sanitary officer on the 31st May 1894 and again on the 30th December 1894.

VI. Attendance of patients as contrasted with previous years distinguishing in-door from out-door.—

—	1892-93.	1893-94.	1894-95.
In-patients	236	246	234
Out-patients	14,319	14,328	14,895
Total	14,555	14,574	15,129

There has been a slight decrease of 12 in and an increase of 567 out patients as contrasted with the previous year. The fall in the in-patients is due probably to the good season.

VII. General Remarks.—The general health of the station during the year was good till the end of December, when cholera appeared and continued to prevail in a sporadic form till March. Unusually heavy rains fell in August and September. Owing to a good season, price of food-grains remained favourable.

(*a*) *Surgical operations.*—There were 28 major and 610 minor operations performed during the year with one fatal result.

(*b*) *Vaccination.*—Vaccination has been compulsory for the past several years; animal vaccination is conducted for the supply of lymph. The municipal vaccinator vaccinated 803 cases, of which 786 were successful, 447 were under one year of age, and of this number 442 were successful. Of hospital vaccination 11 subjects were all vaccinated on successfully. The number of births in the municipal circle during the year under review was 505, which includes still-born cases.

(*c*) *Midwife.*—The hospital midwife attended on 84 cases of labour, both natural and requiring aid, against 49 of the year previous; her services are further utilized at the hospital in the treatment of diseases of females and children.

(*d*) *Special Wards.*—There is no lying in nor caste wards, but there is a contageous disease ward within the compound a little apart from the main buildings.

(*e*) *Water-supply.*—Drinking water is obtained mainly from wells in the temple and tanks in different parts of the town, four of the largest of which are reserved; the tanks are fed by the Coleroon through open irrigation channels. With a few exceptions all the wells outside the temple are brackish.

Chidambaram,
1*st April* 1895.

(Signed) G. A. W. VELLOMS,
Civil Apothecary.

Forwarded.

20*th April* 1895.

(Signed) H. HYDE, Surgn., Lieut.-Col.,
District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

Submitted.

14*th June* 1895.

(Signed) A. R. CUMMING.
Head Assistant Collector.

Forwarded.

2. The number of meetings held by the municipal council has been the subject of complaint by some of the councillors, and steps have been taken to ensure more systematic disposal of business in future.

3. Some attention has been paid to private scavenging, the service being worked this year at a small profit. The system was in force in 180 houses as against 127 in the previous year. Having regard to the total number of houses assessed, the proportion is still highly unsatisfactory.

4. The great want of the town is a good water-supply for drinking purposes. M.R.Ry. Muttu Chettiyar Avargal, who has spent much money in improving the local temple, has expressed his willingness to contribute half the cost of a well-considered scheme, provided the municipality will pay the other half.

Tiruvannamalai,
28*th June* 1895.

(Signed) A. E. CASTLESTUART STUART,
Collector.

Order—No. 1501 M., Local and Municipal, dated 16th September 1895.

The receipts and charges of the Chidambaram 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	4,016	2,560	5,810	5,808
Tax on Arts	3,040	2,200	2,200	2,466
,, Buildings and Lands	7,118	6,800	6,800	6,505
,, Vehicles and Animals	1,012	900	980	985
,, Carts	1,268	1,200	1,230	1,296
Tolls	3,503	3,200	4,290	4,287
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c	813	700	700	619
Conservancy Receipts	75	250	250	316
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	..	10	10	4
,, ,, from Medical Institutions	12	10	10	13
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	538	550	580	552
License Fees	768	800	800	500
Other Fees	24	30	30	25
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	148	200	400	465
Grants and Contributions from Local Boards	1,363	1,600	1,600	1,663
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	223	200	220	235
Miscellaneous	307	300	650	679
Advances Recovered	200	..	10	10
Total	24,428	21,510	26,570	26,428
Charges.				
Grant I—				
New Works—				
Communications	1,847	930	1,430	1,134
Buildings	532	2,500	2,270	267
Water-supply	1,011	..	180	183
Miscellaneous	..	..	500	..
Repairs—				
Communications	1,247	800	1,200	1,590
Buildings	52	200	450	387
Drainage	..	70	70	68
Water-supply	305	700	700	494
Establishment	28	460	420	408
Tools and Plant and other Stores	..	..	10	13
Total	5,022	5,660	7,230	4,544
Grant II—				
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary result-system	138	180	170	151
Salary Grants	807	790	790	848
Result Grants	983	1,100	1,100	1,136
Inspection	198	190	190	189
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	8
Total	2,126	2,260	2,250	2,332
Grant III—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	3,001	3,200	3,400	3,461
Contributions	117	160	160	181
Vaccination	349	350	330	349
Registration of Births and Deaths	152	160	150	154
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	4,204	4,750	5,020	4,534
Total	7,823	8,620	9,060	8,679
Grant IV—				
Lighting	1,225	1,620	1,970	1,620
Avenues	228	230	230	190
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges	450	380	640	584
Total	1,903	2,230	2,840	2,394
Grant V—				
Supervision and Management	1,693	1,740	1,690	1,751
Advances Recoverable	40	..	150	154
Refunds	13	..	..	..
Balance	5,808	1,000	3,350	6,574
Total	24,428	21,510	26,570	26,428

2. The municipal council held sixty-seven meetings against forty-five in 1893–94, but the number adjourned for want of a quorum—namely, twenty-two—was unduly large. The average attendance of both official and non-official members continued to be fair.

3. *Receipts.*—(1) The net current demands of the taxes on arts and on buildings increased by Rs. 269 and Rs. 39 respectively. The demand of the tax on lands, however, fell from Rs. 367 to Rs. 295. The reasons for this decline should be explained.

(2) The current collections under the tax on buildings were good, but notwithstanding the remarks of Government in paragraph 3 (2) of G.O., No. 1026 M., dated 6th August 1894, those under the other two heads were even worse than in the previous year. In the case of the tax on arts and professions, this is ascribed to the late preparation of the tax registers. This excuse is in itself an admission that the administration was lax, but it is also observed that, although there were considerable arrears which might have been at once collected, the number of warrants issued fell off largely. No explanation whatever has been offered for the indifferent collections under land tax. The arrear realizations were generally fair, but a sum of Rs. 199 under the tax on arts and professions was written off the books as irrecoverable. Had the council been more prompt in realizing its dues in former years, this loss of revenue might probably have been avoided. There were still outstandings dating as far back as 1890–91. The council must at once take energetic action to bring this part of its work into better order. The Chairman will report on the 1st December in detail the progress that has been made up to then in realizing the arrears under all heads.

(3) There was a marked rise in the income from tolls, from the sale of sweepings and from fishery rents. The receipts from license fees exhibited a decline, which is attributed to the fact that less pavement was laid down than in the previous year. The increase under fines is satisfactory, in so far as it is an indication of greater energy on the part of the police and the municipal executive in suppressing nuisances.

(4) The number of houses served by the private scavenging agency rose from 127 to 180 and the service was worked at a small profit of Rs. 21 to the municipal council. Notwithstanding the remarks in paragraph 3 (4) of G.O., No. 1026 M., dated 6th August 1894, a considerable proportion of the fees was not collected in advance, and it does not appear that a single prosecution was instituted against the owners of insanitary premises. The system is clearly capable of much extension, for it is now in force in only about five per cent. of the total number of houses assessed to the tax on buildings. It is improbable that the arrangements made in all the remaining houses are satisfactory, and the council should, by the exercise of its powers under sections 221 and 222 of the Act, require householders either to join the service or to keep their backyards in a sanitary condition.

4. *Expenditure*—(1) *Public Works.*—No new work of any importance was undertaken during the year. The outlay on communications amounted to Rs. 2,724, or 63·8 per cent. of the net municipal income from tolls. The Revenue Divisional Officer has not reported on the condition of the town roads—an omission which should not be allowed to recur—but from the inspection notes of the Sanitary Commissioner recorded in G.O., No. 1198 M., dated 26th July 1895, they appear to have been, with few exceptions, in "excessively bad order." Considering how large an expenditure is incurred on their upkeep, this is particularly unsatisfactory. It would appear that the allotment is not spent to the best advantage, and in the current year the council should look into the matter thoroughly.

(2) *Education.*—The net expenditure on education was Rs. 2,327, or fifteen per cent. of the income from taxation, and all but Rs. 855 of this was spent on primary education. The municipal council continued to maintain a primary school for Musalmans on the salary-result system and aided two secondary schools with salary grants and nineteen primary schools, against twenty-one in 1893–94, with result grants. The attendance at the municipal school declined, but the results of the departmental examinations were good. Taken as a whole, there was an increase in the strength of the aided institutions. No information has again been furnished

regarding the working of the salary-grant schools, though the same defect was noted in the last annual review. The omission should be supplied in future reports. The schools on the system of results appear, however, to have done fairly well at the grant examinations, and the allotment for result grants was exceeded by more than three per cent. It is also satisfactory that the total number of boys under instruction in the municipal and aided schools rose from 77·5 to 82·3 per cent. of the male population of school-going age. From the returns furnished by the Assistant Inspector of Schools, it appears that the proportion of unpassed teachers employed in the aided schools is unduly large. It should be reduced in the current year.

(3) *Medical Relief.*—There was a small decline of twelve in the number of in-patients treated at the municipal hospital, but the out-patients increased from 14,328 to 14,895. The midwife attached to the institution attended eighty-four cases of labour against forty-nine in 1893–94. The municipal council's attention will be drawn to the civil apothecary's remarks in paragraph 1 of his report regarding the repairs required to the hospital building.

(4) *Vaccination and Vital Statistics.*—The reported number of persons vaccinated during the year was 819, or eleven less than the low figure obtained in 1893–94, and the average cost of each operation was still exceedingly high. Infantile vaccination improved slightly.

The registration of vital statistics retrograded, and the returns of births were again far from complete. Nor is this matter for surprise, for not a single prosecution was instituted for failure to report these occurrences. This subject demands the increased attention of the council.

(5) *Sanitation.*—More than 95 per cent. of the allotment under this head was utilized and the expenditure amounted to 22 per cent. of the current receipts. The Chairman's report furnishes little or no information regarding the sanitary condition of the town, but the notes of the Sanitary Commissioner's recent inspection show that it leaves very much to be desired. The council should take these notes as its guide in all questions of sanitary improvement, and should carry out one after another as funds permit the recommendations made in them. The report called for in G.O., No. 1286 M., dated 18th September 1894, on the subject of closing the objectionable burial-grounds, should be submitted without further delay. The council's attention will be drawn to the Collector's remarks in paragraph 4 of his endorsement.

5. *General Remarks.*—The year closed with a balance of Rs. 6,574, or 31·9 per cent. of the total receipts. The greater portion of this sum might well have been spent upon the sanitation of the town, which undoubtedly requires improvement.

The administration of the municipality during the year under review showed no improvement on that of the previous year and cannot be regarded as in any way satisfactory. The collection of taxes was not what it should have been, private scavenging was but little extended, the condition of the roads was bad, vaccination retrograded, the registration of births was neglected, and sanitation received insufficient attention. Exactly the same defects were noticed in G.O., No. 1026 M., dated 6th August 1894, reviewing the previous year's administration, and the council appears to have paid little attention to the instructions in that order. The Government looks to the present Chairman to put matters on a better footing in the current year.

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