

Local & Munl. (1895) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 1899/m

DATED 16th November 1895.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Water-supply.

Sanctioning from "balance" the expenditure incurred by the Municipal Council, Ootacamund, during the scarcity of water in the town.

Enclosure to c/o 2026 29.8.95

Statement showing the expenditure incurred during the scarcity of water in the town of Otacamund.

Particulars	Amount	Total.
<u>Marimund Reservoir.</u>		
8,713 Cft Cutting trench	149 4-	6
82,292 -- Removing Reat	576 -	8
Repairs to Stone revetment	10 3	6
Surveying Charges	10 8	-
<u>Dodabetta Reservoir.</u>		644 - 8
21,020 Cft Silt removed	210 4-	-
8,180 -- Earth work	140 15	-
146 -- Rock blasted	15 14	-
6,500 Sft. Surface Repairs	17 9	6
Painting. Towers &c. &c.	38 14	-
Repairs to towers & Cistern	18 15	1
		342 77.

Wells

Perthous Road Well No. 1	15 10	3
Mfoocherry Road well	9 10	4
Old Sprakheram well	142 12	4
New do do	32 6	1
Maupe Sait Compound well	18 10	8
Subrahma Pillay Street - do -	35 11	6
Abboo Sait Street - do -	59 12	9
Mozape Street - do -	55 15	4
Washerman patt - do -	23 14	9
Mookherjee Annal temple - do -	28 -	7
~~Spandhanam~~ ~~Spandhanam~~ do -	3 -	-
Perthous road well No. 2.	16 9	9
Well near Pillar fountain No 20	71 3	6
Good Mahomed's Street well	22 -	-
		437 51
Grand Totals	1423 14	

Otacamund Municipal Office:
28th August 1895

B. Hanumanth Chaitanyam.

25th August 1895.

FROM

THE CHAIRMAN,

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,

OOTACAMUND.

Enclosures one

To

The Honorable J. F. Price F.S.I.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George

Sir,

In continuation of my letter
no. 105, dated the 6th April 1895, forwarded in
L. O. dated the 29th Idem, no. 711-A-M. Local
and Municipal, and letter no. 414 dated
the 6th May 1895, I have the honor to
submit, through the Sanitary Engineer
to Government, a Statement showing the
Expenditure actually incurred under the
following heads.

Marlinum Reservoir.

Removing peat	Rs 576. . . 8.
cutting trench and throwing up bank to keep the peat from slipping down	47. 4. 6
Repairing pavement of bank of Reservoir	10. 3. 6
Surveying charges to ascertain capacity of Reservoir	10. 8. .
	Rupers. 644. . . 8

Dodabetta Reservoir.

Removing Silt. repairing lower & eastern ~~to~~ ^{Rs} 342.7.7.
Wells.

Clearing out & repairing fourteen
 (14) Wells in the town of Dodabetta
 - mound and in the village of
 Kundal ~~Rs~~ 437 5. 10.
Marlimund Reservoir. ^{Rs} 1423 - 14 - 1

2. The peat was removed for a
 length of 505 feet; 33 feet average breadth
 and 4 1/4 feet average depth. The
 total quantity of peat removed and
 deposited above high water mark
 was 82,292 Cubic feet. By this removal
 it is assumed that the Capacity of the
 reservoir has been increased by 5,14,325
 gallons, sufficient, at 20 gallons per
 head, for the supply of 25,716 persons
 for one day. The number of persons
 supplied from the reservoir being taken
 at 10,000, the increased supply will last
 for two and a half days.

3. The length of the trench
 from which the earth was excavated for
 the bank to protect the peat from
 slipping down and being washed
 into

At 6 1/2 gallons per
 cubic foot.

into the Reservoir, is 470 feet; average breadth
 6 1/2 feet and average depth 2 5/6 feet. The
 total quantity of Earth Excavated is 8,713 Cub. feet.
Dodabetta Reservoir.

4. By the removal of 21,020 Cubic
 feet silt from the lower Reservoir at Doda
 - betta its Capacity has been increased by
 13,13 1/5 gallons.
Wells.

5. The water in some of the wells which
 have been cleaned, cleared out, and re-
 -paired during the period of scarcity of water
 is not fit for drinking purposes. The people
 who live in the neighbourhood of these
 wells have been warned not to use
 the water for drinking. As a rule the
 water served from the Marlimund Reservoir
 is preferred and used to the water in wells.

6. It was not practicable to
 prepare reliable estimates for the works
 undertaken, and therefore no estimates
 were submitted.

7. I request that the sanction
 of the Government may be obtained
 for the outlay incurred vizt ^{Rs} (1423.14.1)
 one thousand four hundred and twenty
 three

three, amas fourteen and six one only.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most Obedt

Wm. P. M. M.

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The water in some of the wells
have been much raised out and
found during the period of scarcity
is not fit for drinking purposes -
also live in the neighborhood of the
wells have been advised not to
the water for drinking. As a rule
water would from the Government
is prepared and sent to the wells in
It was not practicable to
prepare reliable estimates for the
water but therefore no estimate
was submitted.
I request that the sanction
of the Government may be obtained
for the supply of water by the
one thousand four hundred and

arrangements for the Government
are made with a view to
the water supply. The water
but was done on the advice
of the Government was not seen
at the wells. The water
found at the wells during
the period of scarcity was the
same as the water found at the
wells.

Wm. P. M. M.

The Chief Secretary to Government
Record and Municipal
Department
No. 22 Camp

submitting for consideration
Government through the
Municipal Engineer and
the Municipal Committee
for the purpose of
obtaining the sanction
of the Government for
the supply of water by
the one thousand four
hundred and

1895.
CURRENT No. 2780M

From THE CHAIRMAN,
Municipal Council,
Ootacamund,

To The Chief Secretary to Government
Local and Municipal
Department,
Fort St. George,
Madras.
No. 2026.

Dated 28th
Despatched 29th August 1895.
Received

ENCLOSURE. One.

SUBJECT.
Scarcity of water at
Ootacamund

Submitting for sanction
of Government through the
Sanitary Engineer a state-
ment showing the ex-
penditure actually in-
curred during the

Cms 26804/95
Cms 16304/95
7/11 A.M. 29-4-95

Local & Municipal Dept.
CURRENT No. 2780M

Ms 2531

Forwarded.
2. The undersigned saw the
work at Marlumund during
progress & considers that the
lake will benefit by the
removal made. The work
at Dodabetta was not seen
but was done on the advice
of the undersigned. The wells
were dealt with under
arrangements by the Council

[Signature]
Sanitary Engineer
to Govt.

Office of Sanitary Eng.
Fort St. George 5. Sept 1895.

[Signature]

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Chief
NOTE FOR THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY.
(Not for Record.)

With reference to the notes of the U.S.
and the C.S. in this case, it is submit-
ted that if the grant of Rs 44,000 on
account of the Marlumund water
supply be included, the current
year will close with a deficit of
Rs 1401, as shown below instead of
a balance of Rs 710 anticipated in
the budget.

Estimated opening balance	Rs.
for 1895-96	5020
Actual do excluding	2909
the grant of Rs 44,000	
Difference	- 2111
Add estimated closing	710
Balance for 1895-96	
Deficit	1401

Under these circumstances it is ne-
cessary to modify the order proposed
to be issued. It is submitted that
the order may be despatched in its

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

1895, No. 711A-M.

28th August from the Chairman M.C.
from the Ootacamund

ORDERS.

Please see the notes and orders
in go. No. 711A-M, dated 29th April
1895.

2. The Provincial grant of
Rs 44,000 on account of the Mar-
lumund Water-Supply, from
which it is now proposed to meet
the cost of the improvements in
question, amounting to Rs.
1423-14-1, was drawn by the
municipal council in 1894-95

and is now included in the
large balance of Rs 46,909.

(Please see last admin. report.) That
the Council apparently desire is to
debit this on paper to the grant of
Rs 44,000, so that when Marlumund
scheme is eventually sanctioned they
may say that part of the Rs 44,000
has already been spent, and that
that Govt. ought to come forward
with more help accordingly. The

Expenditure may be sanctioned from
Balance.

The work was probably
necessary. Mr. Jones approves. This
paper was delayed for want of
references which were in circ.
With the Marlemin papers.

Mr. Jones There is enough in Balance

to meet the without touching on

the £44,000. I don't think the

Council has any surplus at present -

Containing 20 at present

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7/11/95.

Order. No 1899 mins. 16-11-95
The expenditure shown in the

statement submitted by the Chairman,

Mr. C. Coburn with his letter read
above

is sanctioned from

"Balance"

(from orders)

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8/11/95

W. J. P.
7/11/95

To
The Chairman, Mr. Coburn.

W. J. P. 16/11/95

Oct. 1899. W. L. T.
Supply

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FOR ORDERS.
From order -
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READ AGAIN G.O., No. _____
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CURRENT No. _____

ENCLOSURES TO C. No. _____

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT A A A A A A A

LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

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