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[Despatch Abstract.]

Municipal Budget

Receiving the Chief Secretary's
for the half year ending 31st
March 1897

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

From Surgeon-Major H. A. F. NAILER, M.B., Chairman, Municipal Council, Chingleput, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Sub-Collector and Collector, Chingleput District), dated 7th October 1896, No. 5–G.L.

Adverting to G.O., No. 1459 M., dated 1st September last, regarding the creation of the Chingleput Municipality, I have the honour to report as follows.

2. It has been proposed to levy the following taxes in this municipality during the second half of the current official year at the rates specified against each item :—

(1) Tax on arts, professions, &c., first four classes mentioned in schedule.
(2) Tax on buildings at $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. on the annual rent-value.
(3) Tax on lands as above.
(4) Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins at three-fourths of the rates given in schedule B during the current half-year, and at full rates from the commencement of the next official year.
(5) Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs at Re. 1 for each half-year in respect of every such vehicle during the current half-year and at Rs. 2 from the commencement of the next official year.
(6) Tax on animals at the maximum rates given in Schedule B.
(7) Tolls on vehicles and animals entering the municipal limits at half the rates specified in Schedule D.

3. Other miscellaneous items of receipts expected to be realized by the municipality during the current half-year are the following :—

(1) Rent on municipal lands.
(2) Avenue receipts.
(3) Fee collection in travellers' bungalow.
(4) Produce of lands and gardens under the control of the municipality.
(5) Sale-proceeds of night-soil, rubbish, &c., collected by the municipality.
(6) Fees from educational institutions.
(7) Sale-proceeds and composition fee for medicines.
(8) License fees.
(9) Cart-stand collections.
(10) Fines under the Municipal and other Acts.
(11) Interest on investments.
(12) Grants and contributions from Government.
(13) Contribution from the District Board on account of the medical institution.
(14) Private scavengering fees.

4. Further particulars about the various taxes and items of receipts referred to in the foregoing two paragraphs are described below :—

5. *Paragraph* 2, *Item* (1), *Tax on Arts, professions, &c.*—It does not seem expedient to tax at present all classes of persons as the Act is now to be introduced newly and as a wholesale taxation will be felt as oppressive. It is therefore proposed to exempt at present all persons falling under classes V to VIII. Subject to this restriction, the receipt under this head is estimated to amount to Rs. 1,000 during the current half-year.

6. *Tax on Buildings*, *Paragraph* 2, *Item* (2).—It is proposed to adopt the rental adopted hitherto by the late Chingleput union, and to levy tax at $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. on the annual rental. It is considered that it will be felt a hardship to introduce the maximum rate of $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. at once, not to speak of the fact that the maximum rate may be left to be introduced when the municipality requires any extra expenditure to meet with, such as the introduction of water-supply, &c., scheme. The actual amount arrived at according to the foregoing calculation is Rs. 1,400 for the current half-year. But making allowance for remissions and reductions that may hereafter have to be allowed, the receipt under this head is estimated at Rs. 1,200.

7. *Tax on lands*, *Paragraph* 2, *Item* (3).—This tax is also proposed to be levied at the rate of $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. on the rent value of the lands. Most of the fields of Nattam and Meluranjur having been excluded from the municipal limits, the income under this head during the current half-year is estimated not to exceed Rs. 50.

8. *Tax on Vehicles with springs and palanquins*, *Paragraph* 2, *Item* (4).—The reason for not imposing maximum rates during the current half-year is explained in paragraph 11 *infra*. The income under this head during the current half-year is estimated at Rs. 90.

9. *Tax on Animals*, *Paragraph* 2, *Item* (5).—It is proposed to tax all the animals detailed in Schedule B of the Act. The half-yearly income under this item is estimated to amount to Rs. 320.

10. *Tax on Carts and other Vehicles without springs*, *Paragraph* 2, *Item* (6).—It is not proposed to introduce the maximum rate during the current half-year. The reason is explained in paragraph 11 *infra* (*vide* also paragraph 8 above). The estimated half-yearly receipts under this head will be Rs. 140.

11. *Tolls on Vehicles and Animals, &c.*, *Paragraph* 2, *Item* (7).—In paragraph 10 of his letter No. 1273—Gl., dated 19th May 1896, to the Collector, Mr. Buckley proposed the establishment of six toll-gates as per margin within the municipality and the abolition of the District Board toll-gate at Pálár beyond the municipal limits. It is now known that there will be difficulty in abolishing the Pálár toll-gate, being middle of the lease, and the Government has not also passed any orders on the subject. It is therefore proposed to defer the opening of toll-gate No. 6 till the close of the current official year, as it will be a great hardship and oppression to have two toll-gates within a distance of $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles. The district board will then have to pay to the municipality the rental of the Pálár toll-gate for the current half-year, viz., Rs. 1,150. This gate is close to the municipal limits and carts and vehicles with and without springs will have to pass it, the former (spring carriages) occasionally and the latter (carts) very frequently during the half-year. It will be a hardship to the municipal population to pay the maximum fees to the municipality, while they have also to pay to the local fund contractor. The municipal tax for the current half-year alone is reduced with this view to three-fourths and one-half of the maximum rates. The toll-gate No. 6 is the only important gate in the municipality on which any appreciable income can be expected to be realized. It is not to be opened now and Rs. 1,150 is proposed to be obtained from the district board on that account as explained above. All the other five toll-gates are quite unimportant ones and can fetch only Rs. 200 including the composition fees. The total income under this head is thus estimated to be Rs. 1,350. If a contribution of one-third the income is deducted, the net income derivable by the municipality during the half-year will be Rs. 900.

(1) Nattam toll-gate on the Madurántakam road.
(2) Maduvu toll-gate on the Conjeeveram road.
(3) Pulippakkam toll-gate on the Madras road.
(4) Tirukkalikundram toll-gate on the Sadras road.
(5) Meluranjur toll-gate.
(6) Veppankolam toll-gate on the Southern trunk road.

12. *Rent on Municipal lands*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (1).—This is the income estimated to be realized by the district board from the endowments in lands attached to the Chingleput hospital (*vide* statement No. 7 appended to the district board budget for 1896–97). No income has been derived during the past half-year from these lands

and the whole of the estimated rent, viz., Rs. 100, has therefore been taken as the income of the municipality.

13. *Avenue receipts*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (2).—The sum of Rs. 20 shown as income under this head is the proportionate share of the rental of the avenue trees within the municipality already leased out by the District Board Engineer, due for the current half-year.

14. *Fees from Travellers' Bungalow*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (3).—The sum of Rs. 200 shown as receipts under this head is the actual income during the second-half of 1895-96.

15. *Produce of lands and gardens under the control of the Municipality*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (4).—There is a mortuary garden at Chingleput hitherto in charge of the local fund union. The sale-proceeds of vegetables, &c., grown herein is estimated at Rs. 10 for the current half-year.

16. *Sale-proceeds of night-soil, &c.*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (5).—A sum of Rs. 60 has been entered as receipts under this head, and the estimate has been based on the average realization by the union during past years.

17. *Fees from Educational institutions*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (6).—Two schools—one in Gundur for Pariah children and another a Muhammadan school in Nattam—now maintained by the taluk board are proposed to be taken up by the municipality. Fees are levied only in the latter school, and the fee collection is estimated at Rs. 10 for the current half-year.

18. *Sale-proceeds and composition fee for medicines*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (7).—Rs. 100 is estimated as receipts under this head for the current half-year, having in view the order of Government requiring the collection of fees on account of diets for in-patients in some cases.

19. There are no municipal markets and slaughter-houses here at present. Due provision for the construction thereof will be made in the budget of the ensuing year if funds permit. No income is therefore expected in this direction during the current half-year.

20. *License fees*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (8).—The sum of Rs. 20 shown under this head represents the fees that may be levied for the construction of temporary pandals. The rate of fee-collection now in vogue in local fund union will be adopted for the present.

21. *Cart-stand fees*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (9).—There is a cart-stand at Chingleput till now under the control of the union. The average realization for the current half-year is estimated at Rs. 20.

22. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (10).—This is an uncertain item and the income for the current half-year is estimated at Rs. 100.

23. *Interest on investments*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (11).—The interest on Government promissory notes now derived by the local fund board on behalf of the Chingleput hospital for each half-year amounts to Rs. 480. This is the amount shown as receipts under this head.

24. *Grants and Contributions from Government*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (12).—The sum of Rs. 10 entered as receipts under this item represents the Government grant for the fourth standard boys in the two schools referred to in paragraph 17 *supra*.

25. *Grants and Contribution from Local Boards*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (13).—The average annual net cost of the Chingleput hospital, excluding the pay of the reserve hospital assistant which has even now to be borne by the district board comes to very nearly Rs. 4,000. The number of in- and out- patients treated in the hospital during 1895-96 is Rs. 12,723. The population of the municipality according to last census is 9,763. It is therefore apparent that the number of municipal population resorting to the municipality must be very small, and that the hospital is rendering much help to the people in the outlying villages and elsewhere in the district. This is the only chief medical institution for the district and contains the establishments of a District Surgeon and an Assistant Surgeon, besides the regular hospital establishments. Many important cases in remote parts of the district are sent to this hospital for treatment.

It would thus appear that the institution is more serviceable to the district population than to the municipal population. The district board has therefore to contribute largely towards the cost of the institution and a sum of Rs. 2,500 a year is therefore estimated as local fund contribution on this account, and Rs. 1,250 has thus been taken in the budget as receipts for the current half-year.

26. *Private Scavenging fees—Paragraph* 3, *Item* (14).—A sum of Rs. 50 shown as receipts under this head is based on the actual collection made by the Union establishment till now. The rate of collection adopted till now is proposed to be continued.

27. The total receipts under all heads is thus estimated to be Rs. 6,130.

CHARGES.

28. *Grant I, New Works—(a) Communications.*—The sum of Rs. 200 provided under this head is intended for constructing three culverts in public streets within the municipality.

(2) *Repairs—(a) Communications.*—A sum of Rs. 350 has been provided for doing patch work in the southern trunk road and Sadras road and for metalling the Chetti street. This sum is considered sufficient for the present, as the materials already stacked by the district board will be made use of.

(*b*) *Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 300 is required for repairing the hospital, the choultry and the travellers' bungalow, and has been adopted in the budget.

(*c*) (ii) *Establishment for flushing drains.*—Two coolies on Rs. 5 each have been maintained by the union till now for cleaning side drains and it is proposed to continue them.

(*d*) *Water-supply*—(ii) *Establishment.*—Of the marginally-noted five sources of drinking-water supply in the municipality, the first three had each a permanent watchman on Rs. 4 per mensem and the last two were guarded in special seasons. A sum of Rs. 80 has therefore been proposed as expenditure under this item.

(1) Veppankolam.
(2) Timmarajakolam.
(3) Karpurachettikolam.
(4) Fort moat reservoir.
(5) Kolavoy tank foreshore.

(4) *Tools and Plant and other stores.*—A sum of Rs. 50 is entered in the budget against this item as tools required for repairing roads and streets will have now to be newly purchased.

The total charge under grant I thus amounts to Rs. 1,030.

29. *Grant II, Education*—(2) (ii) *On Salary-result system—(a) Fixed payments.*—The salaries of two teachers for two municipal schools for the half-year amount to Rs. 75 as per scale adopted by the taluk board till now. It is entered as Rs. 80 in round number.

(*b*) *Result Grants.*—A sum of Rs. 70 budgeted for by the district board for the two schools as result grant for the current year has been adopted here.

(*c*) *Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 40 entered against this item represents in round figure the moiety of the sum of Rs. 75 provided on this account by the district board for the current year.

(3) *Salary Grants.*—The sum of Rs. 40 shown against this item represents the grants to be paid during the half-year for the teachers of Free Church Mission High school, Chingleput.

(4) *Results Grants.*—A charge of Rs. 540 is entered against this item as recommended by the Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools.

The total charge under this grant comes up to Rs. 770.

30. *Grant III*—(1) *Hospital and Dispensaries—(a) Establishment.*—The establishment hitherto maintained by the district board is proposed to be continued hereafter with the exception of the reserve hospital assistant who has even now to be maintained by the district board. The cost of the municipal establishment amounts to Rs. 570 for the half-year.

(*b*) *Medicines and Supplies.*—A sum of Rs. 800 was budgeted for by the district board for medicines for the whole year. Purchases having already been made for Rs. 560, there remains yet a sum of Rs. 240 to be expended on this account. A charge of Rs. 105 is ascertained to have been incurred in the hospital during the past half-year on account of supplies. A sum of Rs. 100 is therefore considered sufficient for the remaining half-year. A sum of Rs. 310 has therefore been provided against medicines and supplies for the current half-year.

(*c*) *Diet of Patients.*—A sum of Rs. 800 was estimated as the cost of diet of patients for the whole year by the district board. A charge of Rs. 425 having already been incurred during the past six months, the remaining sum of Rs. 375 or Rs. 380 in round figure has now been provided for the current half-year.

(*d*) *Sundries and Contingencies.*—The charge under this head was estimated by the district board for the whole year at Rs. 660. Rs. 260 has already been spent and the remaining sum of Rs. 400 is now provided for the current half-year.

(3) *Vaccination*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount of Rs. 40 provided against this item represents the pay of a pupil-vaccinator proposed to be entertained at Rs. 8 per mensem.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—The sum of Rs. 50 shown against this item is intended to cover the cost of animal lymph proposed to be purchased from the district board establishments and also for purchasing stationery, &c.

(4) *Registration of Births and Deaths*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—A registrar on Rs. 10 is proposed to be entertained for recording vital statistics. The sum of Rs. 50 entered against this item represents his pay for the half-year.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 10 has been provided for purchasing stationery, &c., required for this purpose.

(5) *Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering*—(*a*) (i) *Establishment.*—Out of Rs. 450 entered against this head, a sum of Rs. 430 represents the pay of the establishment as detailed in statement II-B. The remaining sum of Rs. 20 is intended to cover the stipend to be paid to a sanitary inspector to be deputed for training at the next sessions during the current year and to be entertained by the municipality in the next official year.

(ii) *Other Charges.*—Rs. 240 entered against this item represents the hire of five sets of bullocks required for the conservancy carts at Rs. 9–8–0 each per mensem and for purchasing sundry articles required therefor.

(*b*) *Private scavenging*—(*i*) *Establishment.*—Two scavengers at Rs. 5 each per mensem hitherto maintained by the union are proposed to be continued and the expenditure under this head for the half-year comes up to Rs. 50.

(*c*) *Cholera charges.*—A sum of Rs. 100 is intended for making sanitary arrangements if any epidemic should break out in the current half-year.

(*d*) *Contingencies.*—The sum of Rs. 20 entered against this item is to meet other unforeseen contingencies.

The total provision under this grant amounts to Rs. 2,700.

31. *Grant IV*—(1) *Lighting*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The sum of Rs. 50 entered against this item represents the pay of the two lighters required for lighting the municipal lamps. This is the establishment maintained by the union till now and it is not proposed to extend it for the present, as the funds do not permit any extension.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—The sum of Rs. 90 shown against this item represents the cost of kerosine-oil, &c., required for lighting and it is based upon the actual expenditure incurred during the past half-year.

(2) (*i*) *and* (*ii*) *Markets and Slaughter-houses.*—*Vide* paragraph 19 *supra.*

(3) *Choultries*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The cost of the establishment entertained in the choultry comes up to Rs. 16 per mensem. The total cost for the half-year is Rs. 80.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—Rs. 20 being moiety of the amount budgeted for by the district board on this account is adopted and is required for lighting the choultry and for purchasing sundry articles required for cleaning the choultry and latrines attached thereto.

(4) *Travellers' Bungalows*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount of Rs. 60 represents the cost of the establishment maintained in the bungalow for the half-year.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—Rs. 10 has been provided for purchase of sundry articles required for cleaning the bungalow and for replacing broken utensils, &c.

(9) *Other charges*—(*iii*) *Printing.*—Rs. 200 has been provided on this account and is required, as the office has to be newly started and all books and registers newly formed.

The total amount of expenditure under this grant thus amounts to Rs. 510.

32. *Grant V*—(*a*) *General Establishment*—(*i*) *Office Establishment.*—The cost of the establishment proposed to be employed by the municipal council during the half-year is Rs. 260. The funds at the disposal of the council being quite meagre, it is not proposed to extend anything more on this account.

(*ii*) *Inspection.*—A carriage allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem is provided for the Chairman. The amount comes to Rs. 100 for the half-year.

(*b*) *Collection of Municipal Taxes*—(*i*) *Establishment.*—The sum of Rs. 90 entered against this item is intended to cover the cost of two bill-collectors proposed to be entertained for the collection of municipal taxes.

(*c*) *Collection of Tolls*—(*i*) *Establishment.*—No expenditure is proposed to be incurred under this head and it has been arranged to lease the farm.

(*ii*) *Purchase of Account Books, &c.*—The sum of Rs. 200 entered against this item is required for purchasing an iron-safe for the deposit of money and for purchasing account books, &c.

(*d*) *Office Contingencies other than* (*b*) (*ii*).—Rs. 300 is provided against this item. It is intended to cover the cost of office-rent at Rs. 10 per mensem, purchase of postage stamps, stationery, furniture and other contingent articles. As the office has to be newly formed, all the articles of furniture have to be newly purchased. The total expenditure under this grant thus amounts to Rs. 950.

33. The total expenditure under all grants comes up to Rs. 5,960, leaving a balance of Rs. 170 at the close of the year.

34. The budget has been prepared in accordance with the proposals and recommendations made in the foregoing paragraphs, and the sanction of Government is solicited for the carrying out thereof at an early date.

35. A copy of the proceedings of the council in which this budget was passed is herewith submitted.

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ENCLOSURE.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Chingleput, passed at its meeting held in the Sub-Collector's office, Chingleput, on Wednesday, the 7th October 1896, at 3 P.M.

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Read G.O., No. 1459 M., dated 1st September 1896, converting the Chingleput union into a municipality and requesting to submit a budget estimate of receipts and charges for the current half-year.

I. Resolved that Government be requested to issue the necessary notification under section 25 of the Act for the transfer of the undermentioned properties with their endowments and funds to the municipality :—

1. Hospital.
2. The two schools under the control of the district board.
3. Choultry.
4. Travellers' bungalow.
5. All the tanks and roads with trees under the control of the district board.
6. Mortuary garden.

II. Resolved that the following toll-gates be established for the current half-year of 1896–97 and the sanction of Government obtained therefor :—

1. Nattam.	3. Pulippakkam.	5. Melmaiyur.
2. Madugu.	4. Sadras.	

Resolved further that Government be requested to sanction the opening of a sixth toll-gate (Veppankolam) on the southern trunk road from the commencement of the next official year, in lieu of the Local Fund Pálár toll-gate which it is proposed to abolish after the close of the current official year, as it has been leased out for the whole year.

III. Resolved that application be made to the District Board President in connection with the transfer of the properties mentioned in resolution I with the funds and endowments belonging to them.

IV. Resolved that the undermentioned license fees, taxes and tolls be levied at the rates specified against them, in the municipality, under section 47 of the Act :—

Taxes, Licenses and Tolls.	Rates.
1. Tax on arts, professions, trades and callings, and on offices and appointments on the first four classes mentioned in schedule A.	At the schedule rates.
2. Tax on buildings and lands ..	6¼ per cent. on the annual rental.
3. Tax on animals	Full rates specified in the schedule.
4. Tax on vehicles with springs, palanquins, &c.	Three-fourths the maximum rates for the current half-year and full rates from the commencement of the next official year.
5. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs	Half the maximum rates for the current half-year and full rates from the commencement of the next official year.
6. Tolls	Half the maximum rates.
7. Pandal license fees	At the rates which were in force in the union up to now.
8. Cart-stand fees	Do. do.

V. Resolved that the following establishment be entertained :—

Grant I—

Two drain coolies on Rs. 5 each per mensem.
Four tank watchmen on Rs. 4 each per mensem.

Grant II (*Education*)—

One teacher on Rs. 8 for the Pariah school in Gundur village.
One teacher on Rs. 7 for the Muhammadan school in Nattam village.

Grant III (*Sanitation and Medical*)—

(1) One hospital assistant on Rs. 55.
(2) One midwife on Rs. 15.
(3) One compounder on Rs. 12.
(4) One peon on Rs. 7.
(5) One ward cooly on Rs. 7.
(6) One cook on Rs. 5.
(7) One watchman on Rs. 4.
(8) Two toties —one on Rs. 5 and another on Rs. 4.

Vaccination—One pupil vaccinator on Rs. 8 per mensem.
Registration of Births and Deaths—One registrar on Rs. 10 per mensem.
Conservancy—Road-cleaning and Road-watering—

(1) One nuisance inspector on Rs. 10 per mensem.
(2) Four toties—three on Rs. 5 and one on Rs. 4 per mensem.
(3) Ten sweepers on Rs. 5 each per mensem.
(4) One peon on Rs. 6 per mensem.

Private Scavenging—Two scavengers on Rs. 5 each per mensem.
Grant IV (*Lighting*)—Two massalchies on Rs. 4–8–0 each per mensem.
Choultry—

One water Brahmin on Rs. 2 per mensem.
One watchman on Rs. 4 per mensem.
One sweeper on Re. 1 per mensem.
Two toties—one on Rs. 5 and another on Rs. 4 per mensem.

Travellers' Bungalow—

One maty on Rs. 3–8–0 per mensem.
One cook on Rs. 6 per mensem.
One sweeper and toti on Rs. 2 per mensem.

Grant V (*General Establishment*)—

One head clerk on Rs. 25 per mensem.
One clerk on Rs. 10 per mensem.
One shroff on Rs. 10 „
One peon on Rs. 6 „

Collection of Municipal Taxes.—Two bill collectors—one on Rs. 10 and another on Rs. 8 per mensem.

VI. Resolved that the President, District Board, be requested to pay Rupees 1,150, being the moiety of the lease amount of the Pálár toll-gate which it is proposed not to abolish till the close of the current official year.

VII. Resolved that the same officer be addressed for a contribution of Rs. 1,250 from local funds for the second half of the current official year towards the upkeep of the Chingleput hospital at the rate of Rs. 2,500 a year.

VIII. Read draft budget and report prepared by the Chairman with reference to the above for the current half-year.

Resolution.—Approved. Resolved that the same be submitted to Government for sanction.

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Cur. No. 32-Munl.

Forwarded.

(Signed) A. C. DUTT,
Ag. Sub-Collector.

MADURÁNTAKAM,
12*th October* 1896.

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Ref. on No: 32-Munl.

Forwarded.

2. The levy of the several rates and taxes proposed by the municipal council may be sanctioned.

3. The district board has, in its resolution No. 10, dated 16th instant, resolved to make a contribution, as desired by the municipal council, of two-thirds of a moiety of Rs. 2,300, the amount for which the Local Fund toll-gate on the southern trunk road near the Pálár river has been leased out for the current year. The provision of Rs. 900 under tolls may therefore stand.

4. The municipal council has taken credit for Rs. 1,250 as contribution from the district board for the upkeep of the Chingleput hospital. The district board has, in the resolution mentioned above, resolved to contribute Rs. 1,000 for the current half-year. The estimated total receipts have therefore to be reduced to Rs. 5,880 against an estimated expenditure of Rs. 5,960. To reduce the expenditure the following suggestions are offered :—

(*a*) The provision under Grant I (1) (*a*) may be reduced from Rs. 200 to Rs. 150.

(*b*) The provision of Rs. 20 for stipend to an individual for undergoing training in Madras to qualify himself for the post of sanitary inspector may be struck out, as only persons in the employ of a municipality prior to the 10th December 1894 can,

it is understood, be allowed pay while they are being trained. As persons who have undergone the prescribed course of sanitary training may now be available, the council may ask the Sanitary Commissioner to recommend some one who has already qualified.

(*c*) The total of Grant V comes to Rs. 950 or 16·16 per cent. of the estimated receipts. The high percentage is chiefly due to the provision of Rs. 500 for contingencies. On examining the details I consider that this amount may be reduced to Rs. 360, *i.e.*, Rs. 130 under (*b*) (ii) and Rs. 230 for other contingencies under the grant.

SAIDAPET,
19*th October* 1896.

(Signed) D. D. MURDOCH,
Ag. Collector.

ORDER—No. 1920 M., dated 11th November 1896.

The following abstract shows the estimated receipts and charges of the Chingleput Municipality for the second half of the year 1896–97, as passed by Government :—

Receipts.	Budget estimate for the second half of 1896–97.
	RS.
Tax on Arts	1,000
„ on Buildings and Lands	1,250
„ on Vehicles and Animals	410
„ on Carts	140
Tolls	900
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	330
Conservancy Receipts	60
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	10
„ „ from Medical Institutions	100
License Fees	20
Other Fees	20
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	100
Interest on Investments and Premium on Loans	480
Grants and Contributions from Government	10
„ „ from Local Boards	1,000
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	50
Total	5,880
Charges.	
GRANT I—	
New Works—	
Communications	150
Repairs—	
Communications	350
Buildings	300
Drainage	50
Water-supply	80
Tools and Plant and other Stores	50
Total	980
GRANT II—	
Municipal Schools—	
On the Salary-result System	190
Grants-in-aid—	
Salary Grants	40
Result Grants	540
Total	770

Charges—cont.	Budget estimate for the second half of 1896–97.
	RS.
GRANT III—	
Hospitals and Dispensaries	1,690
Vaccination	90
Registration of Births and Deaths	60
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	840
Total	2,680
GRANT IV—	
Lighting	140
Choultries	100
Travellers' Bungalows	70
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges	200
Total	510
GRANT V—	
Supervision and Management	810
Balance	130
Total	5,880

2. The receipts for the half-year ending 31st March 1897 are estimated at Rs. 6,130. The levy at the rates specified of the taxes and tolls referred to in paragraph 2 of the Chairman's letter is sanctioned. The proposal to exempt from the tax on arts all persons falling under classes V to VIII of the schedule, however, does not commend itself to Government. As the tax is not at all likely to press hard on any but the petty traders, &c., falling under the last class, only these should be exempted for the present. The tax on arts should be revised accordingly and the result reported. Under section 92 of the District Municipalities Act, the municipal council is itself competent to fix the sites of the toll-gates at which the tolls sanctioned by Government shall be collected. From paragraph 17 of the Chairman's letter it appears that no fees are to be levied in the Gundur Paraiya school. As under section 119 the sanction of Government is required for exempting the school from the payment of fees, the necessary application shoud be submitted through the Director of Public Instruction. With reference to paragraph 20 of the budget letter, the municipal council's attention will be drawn to section 267 of the Act, under which the rates of fees to be charged on licenses should receive the approval of the Governor in Council. This should be obtained without delay and steps should be taken to bring under taxation all places used for the offensive and dangerous trades specified in section 181. The estimate under contribution from local boards on account of the municipal hospital will be reduced from Rs. 1,250 to Rs. 1,000 with reference to paragraph 4 of the Collector's endorsement. As revised, the estimated receipts will stand at Rs. 5,880. This is the first budget submitted, and necessarily the resources open to the municipality are but yet imperfectly ascertained. There is, however, clearly considerable room for expansion under several items of prospective revenue, which the municipal council will, the Government trusts, use their best endeavours to develop.

3. *Charges.*—The probable charges are entered as Rs. 5,960. They will, however, be reduced by Rs. 210 as suggested by the Collector in paragraph 4 of his endorsement. The estimates under education, medical services, and sanitation will be passed subject to the remarks of the Director of Public Instruction, Surgeon-General, and Sanitary Commissioner, respectively. The entertainment of the establishments detailed in statement II-B, for which a proposition statement in the form prescribed in G.O., No. 1083 M., dated 27th September 1888, shoud have been submitted, and the grant of a carriage allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem to the Chairman are sanctioned.

4. The budget, as revised by Government, closes with a balance of only Rs. 130 or 2·2 per cent. of the estimated receipts.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Chingleput.
" Collector of Chingleput.
" President, District Board, Chingleput.
" Accountant-General.
" Director of Public Instruction.
" Surgeon-General.
" Sanitary Commissioner.
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

From Surgeon-Major H. A. F. NAILER, M.B., Chairman, Municipal Council, Chingleput, to the Chief Secretary to Government (through the Sub-Collector and Collector, Chingleput District), dated 7th October 1896, No. 5–G.L.

Adverting to G.O., No. 1459 M., dated 1st September last, regarding the creation of the Chingleput Municipality, I have the honour to report as follows.

2. It has been proposed to levy the following taxes in this municipality during the second half of the current official year at the rates specified against each item :—

(1) Tax on arts, professions, &c., first four classes mentioned in schedule.
(2) Tax on buildings at $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. on the annual rent-value.
(3) Tax on lands as above.
(4) Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins at three-fourths of the rates given in schedule B during the current half-year, and at full rates from the commencement of the next official year.
(5) Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs at Re. 1 for each half-year in respect of every such vehicle during the current half-year and at Rs. 2 from the commencement of the next official year.
(6) Tax on animals at the maximum rates given in Schedule B.
(7) Tolls on vehicles and animals entering the municipal limits at half the rates specified in Schedule D.

3. Other miscellaneous items of receipts expected to be realized by the municipality during the current half-year are the following :—

(1) Rent on municipal lands.
(2) Avenue receipts.
(3) Fee collection in travellers' bungalow.
(4) Produce of lands and gardens under the control of the municipality.
(5) Sale-proceeds of night-soil, rubbish, &c., collected by the municipality.
(6) Fees from educational institutions.
(7) Sale-proceeds and composition fee for medicines.
(8) License fees.
(9) Cart-stand collections.
(10) Fines under the Municipal and other Acts.
(11) Interest on investments.
(12) Grants and contributions from Government.
(13) Contribution from the District Board on account of the medical institution.
(14) Private scavengering fees.

4. Further particulars about the various taxes and items of receipts referred to in the foregoing two paragraphs are described below :—

5. *Paragraph* 2, *Item* (1), *Tax on Arts, professions, &c.*—It does not seem expedient to tax at present all classes of persons as the Act is now to be introduced newly and as a wholesale taxation will be felt as oppressive. It is therefore proposed to exempt at present all persons falling under classes V to VIII. Subject to this restriction, the receipt under this head is estimated to amount to Rs. 1,000 during the current half-year.

6. *Tax on Buildings, Paragraph* 2, *Item* (2).—It is proposed to adopt the rental adopted hitherto by the late Chingleput union, and to levy tax at $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. on the annual rental. *It is considered that it will be felt a hardship to introduce the maximum rate of* $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. at once, *not to speak of the fact that the maximum* rate may be left to be introduced when the municipality requires any extra expenditure to meet with, such as the introduction of water-supply, &c., scheme. The actual amount arrived at according to the foregoing calculation is Rs. 1,400 for the current half-year. But making allowance for remissions and reductions that may hereafter have to be allowed, the receipt under this head is estimated at Rs. 1,200.

7. *Tax on lands, Paragraph* 2, *Item* (3).—This tax is also proposed to be levied at the rate of $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. on the rent value of the lands. Most of the fields of Nattam and Meluranjur having been excluded from the municipal limits, the income under this head during the current half-year is estimated not to exceed Rs. 50.

8. *Tax on Vehicles with springs and palanquins, Paragraph* 2, *Item* (4).—The reason for not imposing maximum rates during the current half-year is explained in paragraph 11 *infra*. This income under this head during the current half-year is estimated at Rs. 90.

9. *Tax on Animals, Paragraph* 2, *Item* (5).—It is proposed to tax all the animals detailed in Schedule B of the Act. The half-yearly income under this item is estimated to amount to Rs. 320.

10. *Tax on Carts and other Vehicles without springs, Paragraph* 2, *Item* (6).—It is not proposed to introduce the maximum rate during the current half-year. The reason is explained in paragraph 11 *infra* (*vide* also paragraph 8 above). The estimated half-yearly receipts under this head will be Rs. 140.

11. *Tolls on Vehicles and Animals, &c., Paragraph* 2, *Item* (7).—In paragraph 10 of his letter No. 1273—Gl., dated 19th May 1896, to the Collector, Mr. Buckley proposed the establishment of six toll-gates as per margin within the municipality and the abolition of the District Board toll-gate at Palar beyond the municipal limits. It is now known that there will be difficulty in abolishing the Palar toll-gate, being middle of the lease, and the Government has not also passed any orders on the subject. It is therefore proposed to defer the opening of toll-gate No. 6 till the close of the current official year, as it will be a great hardship and oppression to have two toll-gates within a distance of $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles. The district board will then have to pay to the municipality the rental of the Palar toll-gate for the current half-year, viz., Rs. 1,150. This gate is close to the municipal limits and carts and vehicles with and without springs will have to pass it, the former (spring carriages) occasionally and the latter (carts) very frequently during the half-year. It will be a hardship to the municipal population to pay the maximum fees to the municipality, while they have also to pay to the local fund contractor. The municipal tax for the current half-year alone is reduced with this view to three-fourths and one-half of the maximum rates. The toll-gate No. 6 is the only important gate in the municipality on which any appreciable income can be expected to be realized. It is not to be opened now and Rs. 1,150 is proposed to be obtained from the district board on that account as explained above. All the other five toll-gates are quite unimportant ones and can fetch only Rs. 200 including the composition fees. The total income under this head is thus estimated to be Rs. 1,350. If a contribution of one-third the income is deducted, the net income derivable by the municipality during the half-year will be Rs. 900.

(1) Nattam toll-gate on the Madurántakam road.
(2) Maduvu toll-gate on the Conjeeveram road.
(3) Pulippakkam toll-gate on the Madras road.
(4) Tirukkalikundram toll-gate on the Sadras road.
(5) Meluranjur toll-gate.
(6) Veppankolam toll-gate on the Southern trunk road.

12. *Rent on Municipal lands, Paragraph* 3, *Item* (1).—This is the income estimated to be realized by the district board from the endowments in lands attached to the Chingleput hospital (*vide* statement No. 7 appended to the district board budget for 1896–97). No income has been derived during the past half-year from these lands and the whole of the estimated rent, viz., Rs. 100, has therefore been taken as the income of the municipality.

13. *Avenue receipts*, *Paragyaph* 3, *Item* (2).—The sum of Rs. 20 shown as income under this head is the proportionate share of the rental of the avenue trees within the municipality already leased out by the District Board Engineer due for the current half-year.

14. *Fees from Travellers' Bungalow*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (3).—The sum of Rs. 200 shown as receipts under this head is the actual income during the second-half of 1895–96.

15. *Produce of lands and gardens under the control of the Municipality*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (4).—There is a mortuary garden at Chingleput hitherto in charge of the local fund union. The sale-proceeds of vegetables, &c., grown herein is estimated at Rs. 10 for the current half-year.

16. *Sale-proceeds of night-soil, &c.*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (5).—A sum of Rs. 60 has been entered as receipts under this head, and the estimate has been based on the average realization by the union during past years.

17. *Fees from Educational institutions*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (6).—Two schools—one in Gundur for Pariah children and another a Muhammadan school in Nattam—now maintained by the taluk board are proposed to be taken up by the municipality. Fees are levied only in the latter school, and the fee collection is estimated at Rs. 10 for the current half-year.

18. *Sale-proceeds and composition fee for medicines*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (7).—Rs. 100 is estimated as receipts under this head for the current half-year, having in view the order of Government requiring the collection of fees on account of diets for in-patients in some cases.

19. There are no municipal markets and slaughter-houses here at present. Due provision for the construction thereof will be made in the budget of the ensuing year if funds permit. No income is therefore expected in this direction during the current half-year.

20. *License fees*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (8).—The sum of Rs. 20 shown under this head represents the fees that may be levied for the construction of temporary pandals. The rate of fee-collection now in vogue in local fund union will be adopted for the present.

21. *Cart-stand fees*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (9).—There is a cart-stand at Chingleput till now under the control of the union. The average realization for the current half-year is estimated at Rs. 20.

22. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (10).—This is an uncertain item and the income for the current half-year is estimated at Rs. 100.

23. *Interest on investments*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (11).—The interest on Government promissory notes now derived by the local fund board on behalf of the Chingleput hospital for each half-year amounts to Rs. 480. This is the amount shown as receipts under this head.

24. *Grants and Contributions from Government*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (12).—The sum of Rs. 10 entered as receipts under this item represents the Government grant for the fourth standard boys in the two schools referred to in paragraph 17 *supra*.

25. *Grants and Contribution from Local Boards*, *Paragraph* 3, *Item* (13).—The average annual net cost of the Chingleput hospital, excluding the pay of the reserve hospital assistant which has even now to be borne by the district board comes to very nearly Rs. 4,000. The number of in and out patients treated in the hospital during 1895–96 is Rs. 12,723. The population of the municipality according to last census is 9,763. It is therefore apparent that the number of municipal population resorting to the municipality must be very small, and that the hospital is rendering much help to the people in the outlying villages and elsewhere in the district. This is the only chief medical institution for the district and contains the establishments of a District Surgeon and an Assistant Surgeon, besides the regular hospital establishments. Many important cases in remote parts of the district are sent to this hospital for treatment. It would thus appear that the institution is more serviceable to the district population

than to the municipal population. The district board has therefore to contribute largely towards the cost of the institution and a sum of Rs. 2,500 a year is therefore estimated as local fund contribution on this account, and Rs. 1,250 has thus been taken in the budget as receipts for the current half-year.

26. *Private Scavengering fees—Paragraph* 3, *Item* (14).—A sum of Rs. 50 shown as receipts under this head is based on the actual collection made by the Union establishment till now. The rate of collection adopted till now is proposed to be continued.

27. The total receipts under all heads is thus estimated to be Rs. 6,130.

CHARGES.

28. *Grant I, New Works—(a) Communications.*—The sum of Rs. 200 provided under this head is intended for constructing three culverts in public streets within the municipality.

(2) *Repairs—(a) Communications.*—A sum of Rs. 350 has been provided for doing patch work in the southern trunk road and Sadras road and for metalling the Chetti street. This sum is considered sufficient for the present, as the materials already stacked by the district board will be made use of.

(*b*) *Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 300 is required for repairing the hospital, the choultry and the travellers' bungalow, and has been adopted in the budget.

(*c*) (ii) *Establishment for flushing drains.*—Two coolies on Rs. 5 each have been maintained by the union till now for cleaning side drains and it is proposed to continue them.

(*d*) *Water-supply*—(ii) *Establishment.*—Of the marginally-noted five sources of drinking-water supply in the municipality, the first three had each a permanent watchman on Rs. 4 per mensem and the last two were guarded in special seasons. A sum of Rs. 80 has therefore been proposed as expenditure under this item.

(1) Veppankolam.
(2) Timmarajakolam.
(3) Karpurachettikolam.
(4) Fort moat reservoir.
(5) Kolavoy tank foreshore.

(4) *Tools and Plant and other stores.*—A sum of Rs. 50 is entered in the budget against this item as tools required for repairing roads and streets will have now to be newly purchased.

The total charge under grant I thus amounts to Rs. 1,030.

29. *Grant II, Education*—(2) (ii) *On Salary-result system—(a) Fixed payments.*—The salaries of two teachers for two municipal schools for the half-year amount to Rs. 75 as per scale adopted by the taluk board till now. It is entered as Rs. 80 in round number.

(*b*) *Result Grants.*—A sum of Rs. 70 budgeted for by the district board for the two schools as result grant for the current year has been adopted here.

(*c*) *Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 40 entered against this item represents in round figure the moiety of the sum of Rs. 75 provided on this account by the district board for the current year.

(3) *Salary Grants.*—The sum of Rs. 40 shown against this item represents the grants to be paid during the half-year for the teachers of Free Church Mission High school, Chingleput.

(4) *Results Grants.*—A charge of Rs. 540 is entered against this item as recommended by the Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools.

The total charge under this grant comes up to Rs. 770.

30. *Grant III*—(1) *Hospital and Dispensaries—(a) Establishment.*—The establishment hitherto maintained by the district board is proposed to be continued hereafter with the exception of the reserve hospital assistant who has even now to be maintained by the district board. The cost of the municipal establishment amounts to Rs. 570 for the half-year.

(*b*) *Medicines and Supplies.*—A sum of Rs. 800 was budgeted for by the district board for medicines for the whole year. Purchases having already been made for Rs. 560, there remains yet a sum of Rs. 240 to be expended on this account. A charge of Rs. 105 is ascertained to have been incurred in the hospital during the past half-year on account of supplies. A sum of Rs. 100 is therefore considered sufficient for the remaining half-year. A sum of Rs. 340 has therefore been provided against medicines and supplies for the current half-year.

(*c*) *Diet of Patients.*—A sum of Rs. 800 was estimated as the cost of diet of patients for the whole year by the district board. A charge of Rs. 425 having already been incurred during the past six months, the remaining sum of Rs. 375 or Rs. 380 in round figure has now been provided for the current half-year.

(*d*) *Sundries and Contingencies.*—The charge under this head was estimated by the district board for the whole year at Rs. 660. Rs. 260 has already been spent and the remaining sum of Rs. 400 is now provided for the current half-year.

(3) *Vaccination*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount of Rs. 40 provided against this item represents the pay of a pupil-vaccinator proposed to be entertained at Rs. 8 per mensem.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—The sum of Rs. 50 shown against this item is intended to cover the cost of animal lymph proposed to be purchased from the district board establishments and also for purchasing stationery, &c.

(4) *Registration of Births and Deaths*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—A registrar on Rs. 10 is proposed to be entertained for recording vital statistics. The sum of Rs. 50 entered against this item represents his pay for the half-year.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 10 has been provided for purchasing stationery, &c., required for this purpose.

(5) *Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering*—(*a*) (i) *Establishment.*—Out of Rs. 450 entered against this head, a sum of Rs. 430 represents the pay of the establishment as detailed in statement II-B. The remaining sum of Rs. 20 is intended to cover the stipend to be paid to a sanitary inspector to be deputed for training at the next sessions during the current year and to be entertained by the municipality in the next official year.

(ii) *Other Charges.*—Rs. 240 entered against this item represents the hire of five sets of bullocks required for the conservancy carts at Rs. 9–8–0 each per mensem and for purchasing sundry articles required therefor.

(*b*) *Private scavenging*—(*i*) *Establishment.*—Two scavengers at Rs. 5 each per mensem hitherto maintained by the union are proposed to be continued and the expenditure under this head for the half-year comes up to Rs. 50.

(*c*) *Cholera charges.*—A sum of Rs. 100 is intended for making sanitary arrangements if any epidemic should break out in the current half-year.

(*d*) *Contingencies.*—The sum of Rs. 20 entered against this item is to meet other unforeseen contingencies.

The total provision under this grant amounts to Rs. 2,700.

31. *Grant IV*—(1) *Lighting*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The sum of Rs. 50 entered against this item represents the pay of the two lighters required for lighting the municipal lamps. This is the establishment maintained by the union till now and it is not proposed to extend it for the present, as the funds do not permit any extension.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—The sum of Rs. 90 shown against this item represents the cost of kerosine-oil, &c., required for lighting and it is based upon the actual expenditure incurred during the past half-year.

(2) (*i*) *and* (*ii*) *Markets and Slaughter-houses.*—*Vide* paragraph 19 *supra.*

(3) *Choultries*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The cost of the establishment entertained in the choultry comes up to Rs. 16 per mensem. The total cost for the half-year is Rs. 80.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—Rupees 20 being moiety of the amount budgeted for by the district board on this account is adopted and is required for lighting the choultry and for purchasing sundry articles required for cleaning the choultry and latrines attached thereto.

(4) *Travellers' Bungalows*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount of Rs. 60 represents the cost of the establishment maintained in the bungalow for the half-year.

(*b*) *Contingencies.*—Rs. 10 has been provided for purchase of sundry articles required for cleaning the bungalow and for replacing broken utensils, &c.

(9) *Other charges*—(*iii*) *Printing.*—Rs. 200 has been provided on this account and is required, as the office has to be newly started and all books and registers newly formed.

The total amount of expenditure under this grant thus amounts to Rs. 510.

32. *Grant V*—(*a*) *General Establishment*—(*i*) *Office Establishment.*—The cost of the establishment proposed to be employed by the municipal council during the half-year is Rs. 260. The funds at the disposal of the council being quite meagre, it is not proposed to extend anything more on this account.

(*ii*) *Inspection.*—The carriage allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem is provided for the Chairman. The amount comes up to Rs. 100 for the half-year.

(*b*) *Collection of Municipal Taxes*—(*i*) *Establishment.*—The sum of Rs. 90 entered against this item is intended to cover the cost of two bill-collectors proposed to be entertained for the collection of municipal taxes.

(*c*) *Collection of Tolls*—(*i*) *Establishment.*—No expenditure is proposed to be incurred under this head and it has been arranged to lease the farm.

(*ii*) *Purchase of Account Books, &c.*—The sum of Rs. 200 entered against this item is required for purchasing an iron-safe for the deposit of money and for purchasing account books, &c.

(*d*) *Office Contingencies other than* (*b*) (*ii*).—Rs. 300 is provided against this item. It is intended to cover the cost of office-rent at Rs. 10 per mensem, purchase of postage stamps, stationery, furniture and other contingent articles. As the office has to be newly formed, all the articles of furniture have to be newly purchased. The total expenditure under this grant thus amounts to Rs. 950.

33. The total expenditure under all grants comes up to Rs. 5,960, leaving a balance of Rs. 170 at the close of the year.

34. The budget has been prepared in accordance with the proposals and recommendations made in the foregoing paragraphs, and the sanction of Government is solicited for the carrying out thereof at an early date.

35. A copy of the proceedings of the council in which this budget was passed is herewith submitted.

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ENCLOSURE.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Chingleput, passed at its meeting held in the Sub-Collector's office, Chingleput, on Wednesday, the 7th October 1896, at 3 P.M.

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Read G.O., No. 1459 M., dated 1st September 1896, converting the Chingleput union into a municipality and requesting to submit a budget estimate of receipts and charges for the current half-year.

I. Resolved that Government be requested to issue the necessary notification under section 25 of the Act for the transfer of the undermentioned properties with their endowments and funds to the municipality :—

1. Hospital.
2. The two schools under the control of the district board.
3. Choultry.
4. Travellers' bungalow.
5. All the tanks and roads with trees under the control of the district board.
6. Mortuary garden.

II. Resolved that the following toll-gates be established for the current half-year of 1896–97 and the sanction of Government obtained therefor :—

1. Nattam.	3. Pulippakkum.	5. Melmaiyur.
2. Madugu.	4. Sadras.	

Resolved further that Government be requested to sanction the opening of a sixth toll-gate (Veppankolam) on the southern trunk road from the commencement of the next official year, in lieu of the Local Fund Pálár toll-gate which it is proposed to abolish after the close of the current official year, as it has been leased out for the whole year.

III. Resolved that application be made to the District Board President in connection with the transfer of the properties mentioned in resolution I with the funds and endowments belonging to them.

IV. Resolved that the undermentioned license fees, taxes and tolls be levied at the rates specified against them, in the municipality, under section 47 of the Act :—

Taxes, Licenses and Tolls.	Rates.
1. Tax on arts, professions, trades and callings, and on offices and appointments on the first four classes mentioned in schedule A.	At the schedule rates.
2. Tax on buildings and lands ..	6¼ per cent. on the annual rental.
3. Tax on animals	Full rates specified in the schedule.
4. Tax on vehicles with springs, palanquins, &c.	Three-fourths the maximum rates for the current half-year and full rates from the commencement of the next official year.
5. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs	Half the maximum rates for the current half-year and full rates from the commencement of the next official year.
6. Tolls	Half the maximum rates.
7. Pandal license fees	At the rates which were in force in the union up to now.
8. Cart-stand fees	Do. do.

V. Resolved that the following establishment be entertained :—

Grant I—

Two drain coolies on Rs. 5 each per mensem.
Four tank watchmen on Rs. 4 each per mensem.

Grant II (*Education*)—

One teacher on Rs. 8 for the Pariah school in Gundur village.
One teacher on Rs. 7 for the Muhammadan school in Nattam village.

Grant III (*Sanitation and Medical*)—

(1) One hospital assistant on Rs. 55.
(2) One midwife on Rs. 15.
(3) One compounder on Rs. 12.
(4) One peon on Rs. 7.
(5) One ward cooly on Rs. 7.
(6) One cook on Rs. 5.
(7) One watchman on Rs. 4.
(8) Two toties —one on Rs. 5 and another on Rs. 4.

Vaccination—One pupil vaccinator on Rs. 8 per mensem.
Registration of Births and Deaths—One registrar on Rs. 10 per mensem.
Conservancy—Road-cleaning and Road-watering—

(1) One nuisance inspector on Rs. 10 per mensem.
(2) Four toties—three on Rs. 5 and one on Rs. 4 per mensem.
(3) Ten sweepers on Rs. 5 each per mensem.
(4) One peon on Rs. 6 per mensem.

Private Scavenging—Two scavengers on Rs. 5 each per mensem.
Grant IV (*Lighting*)—Two massalchies on Rs. 4–8–0 each per mensem.
Choultry—
One water Brahmin on Rs. 2 per mensem.
One watchman on Rs. 4 per mensem.
One sweeper on Re. 1 per mensem.
Two toties—one on Rs. 5 and another on Rs. 4 per mensem.

Travellers' Bungalow—
One maty on Rs. 3–8–0 per mensem.
One cook on Rs. 6 per mensem.
One sweeper and toti on Rs. 2 per mensem.

Grant V (*General Establishment*)—
One head clerk on Rs. 25 per mensem.
One clerk on Rs. 10 per mensem.
One shroff on Rs 10 „
One peon on Rs. 6 „

Collection of Municipal Taxes.—Two bill collectors—one on Rs. 10 and another on Rs. 8 per mensem.

VI. Resolved that the President, District Board, be requested to pay Rupees 1,150, being the moiety of the lease amount of the Pálár toll-gate which it is proposed not to abolish till the close of the current official year.

VII. Resolved that the same officer be addressed for a contribution of Rs. 1,250 from local funds for the second half of the current official year towards the upkeep of the Chingleput hospital at the rate of Rs. 2,500 a year.

VIII. Read draft budget and report prepared by the Chairman with reference to the above for the current half-year.

Resolution.—Approved. Resolved that the same be submitted to Government for sanction.

Cur. No. 32-Munl.

Forwarded.

(Signed) A. C. DUTT,
Ag. Sub-Collector.

MADURÁNTAKAM,
12*th October* 1896.

Ref. on No. 32-Munl.

Forwarded.

2. The levy of the several rates and taxes proposed by the municipal council may be sanctioned.

3. The district board has, in its resolution No. 10, dated 16th instant, resolved to make a contribution, as desired by the municipal council, of two-thirds of a moiety of Rs. 2,300, the amount for which the Local Fund toll-gate on the southern trunk road near the Pálár river has been leased out for the current year. The provision of Rs. 900 under tolls may therefore stand.

4. The municipal council has taken credit for Rs. 1,250 as contribution from the district board for the upkeep of the Chingleput hospital. The district board has, in the resolution mentioned above, resolved to contribute Rs. 1,000 for the current half-year. The estimated total receipts have therefore to be reduced to Rs. 5,880 against an estimated expenditure of Rs. 5,960. To reduce the expenditure the following suggestions are offered :—

(*a*) The provision under Grant I (1) (*a*) may be reduced from Rs. 200 to Rs. 150.

(*b*) The provision of Rs. 20 for stipend to an individual for undergoing training in Madras to qualify himself for the post of sanitary inspector may be struck out, as only persons in the employ of a municipality prior to the 10th December 1894 can,

it is understood, be allowed pay while they are being trained. As persons who have undergone the prescribed course of sanitary training may now be available, the council may ask the Sanitary Commissioner to recommend some one who has already qualified.

(*c*) The total of Grant V comes to Rs. 950 or 16·16 per cent. of the estimated receipts. The high percentage is chiefly due to the provision of Rs. 500 for contingencies. On examining the details I consider that this amount may be reduced to Rs. 360, *i.e.*, Rs. 130 under (*b*) (ii) and Rs. 230 for other contingencies under the grant.

(Signed) D. D. MURDOCH,
Ag. Collector.

SAIDAPET,
19*th October* 1896.

Chingleput municipal Budget for the half year ending 31st march 1897

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

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Papers to be read in Proceedings :—

Current No. 282 om of 1896, dated 7th October 96 from the Chairman, M.C. Chingleput

Current No of 189 , dated from the

Press. Current No. of 189 , dated from the

Current No. of 189 , dated from the

Order— No 1920 M.dl 11-11-96

The following abstract shows the estimated receipts and charges of the Chingleput Municipality for the 2d half of the year 1896-97, as passed by Government. ~~are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year and the actuals of 189 -9~~ .

	Budget for the 2d half of 1896-97. Rs.	Budget Estimate, 189 -9 . Rs.	Revised Estimate, 189 -9 . Rs.	189 -9 . Rs.
Receipts.				
Balance brought forward				
Tax on Arts	1000			
Tax on Buildings and Lands	1250			
Water-Tax on Buildings and Lands				
Tax on Vehicles and Animals	410			
Tax on Carts	140			
Tolls	900			
Realizations under Special Acts				
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	330			
Conservancy Receipts	60			
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	10			
Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions	100			
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses				
License fees	20			
Other fees	20			
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	100			
Interest on Investments and premium on Loans	480			
Grants and Contributions from Government	10			
Do. from Local Boards	~~1250~~ 1000			
Do. from other bodies				
Recoveries for services to private individuals	50			
Miscellaneous				
Loans				
Sale-proceeds of Government Securities, &c., and Realizations of Sinking Fund				
Advances Recovered				
Total	6130			

1250

5880

Charges	~~Actuals~~ Budget Estimate for the 2nd half 1896-97	Budget Estimate, 189 -9	Revised Estimate, 189 -9	189 -9
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Grant I.	150			
New Works—	~~200~~			
Communications	.			
Buildings	.			
Drainage	.			
Water-supply				
Repairs—	350			
Communications	300			
Buildings	50			
Drainage	80			
Water-supply	.			
Establishment	50			
Tools and Plant and other Stores	.			
Contributions for Public Works				
Total	~~1030~~	980		
Grant II—	.			
Training Schools				
Municipal Schools—				
(a) On the Salary System	190			
(b) On the Salary Result System				
Grants-in-aid—	40			
(a) Salary grants	540			
(b) Result grants	.			
(c) Combined grants	.			
(d) Building and Furniture grants	.			
Inspection	.			
Miscellaneous				
Total	770			
Grant III—	1690			
Hospitals and Dispensaries	.			
Contributions	90			
Vaccination	60			
Registration of Births and Deaths	860			
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	4			
Total	~~2700~~	2680		
Grant IV—	140			
Lighting	.			
Markets and Slaughter-houses	100			
Choultries	70			
Travellers' Bungalows	200			
Avenues				
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges				
Total	510			
Grant V—	~~950~~	810		
Supervision and management	.			
Repayment of Debt	.			
Interest on loan	.			
Advances Recoverable	.			
Refunds	.			
Discount	.			
Pensions and Gratuities	~~170~~	130		
Investments				
Balance				
Total	6130 / 170	5880		

5960
210

The tax on Arts shd be revised accordingly & the result reported ~~When this is done the~~

+ Vide Council's resoln. No II –

2. The receipts for the half year Ending 31st march 1897. are Estimated at Rs 6130. The levy at the rates specified, of the taxes and tolls referred to in para. 2 of the Chairman's letter is Sanctioned. The proposal to exempt from the tax on arts, all persons falling in classes V to VIII of the Schedule ~~doesnot however~~ Commend itself to Govt. As the tax is not at all likely ~~to at all~~ to press hard on any but the petty traders &c falling under the last class, these only ~~will~~ shd ~~alone~~ be exempted for the present.+ Under Sec: 92 of the District municipalities act, the municipal Council is itself Competent to fix the sites of ~~open the~~ ~~proposed~~ tollgates ~~on the [illegible]~~ at which the tolls ~~[illegible]~~ sanctioned by Govt shall be collected ~~[illegible]~~. From para. 17 of the Chairman's letter it appears that no fees are to be levied in the Sundry Paraiya School. As under Sec. 119 the Sanction of Govt is required for Exempting the School from the payment of fees, the necessary application should be ~~made~~ submitted through the Director of Public Instruction. With reference to para. 20 of the budget letter, the municipal Council's attention will be drawn to Sec. 26.

of the act, under which the rates of fees to be charged on licenses should receive the approval of the Governor in Council. This should be obtained without delay and steps should be taken to bring under taxation all places used for the offensive and dangerous trades specified in Sec. 188. The Estimate under Contribution from Local Boards on account of the municipal hospital will be reduced from Rs 1250 to Rs 1000, with reference to para. 4 of the Collector's Endorsement. As revised, the Estimated receipts will stand at Rs 5,880.

This is the first budget submitted, & necessarily the resources open to the City are but yet imperfectly ascertained. There is however clearly considerable room for expansion under several items of prospective revenue, ~~with the more careful management~~ which the Mun. Council ~~may be expected~~ ~~...~~ will, the Govt. trusts, use their best endeavours to develop.

3. Charges. The probable charges are entered as Rs 5,960. They will however be reduced by Rs 210, as suggested by the Collector in ~~para~~ 4 of his Endorsement. The Entertainment of the Establishments detailed in Statement II. B., for which a proposition Statement in the form ~~...~~ prescribed in G.O. No. 1082 M, dated 27th September 1888, should have been submitted, and the grant of a carriage allowance of Rs 20 per mensem to the chairman, are sanctioned.

The Estimates under Education, medical services & Sanitation will be passed subject to the remarks of the Director of Public Instn., Surgeon-General & Sanitary Commissioner respectively.

4. The budget as revised by Govt. closes with a balance of only Rs 1[illegible] or 2.2 per cent of the Estimated receipts.

V.R.
6/11/96

[illegible]
10/11/96

To

The Chairman, M.C. Chingleput /2
" Collector of Chingleput /2
" Presd. D.B. /1
" Accountant General /7
" Director of Public Instn. /1
" Surgeon general /6
" Sanitary Commissioner /3
" Sanitary Engineer /3

Editors' Table.

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Despd. 1/12/96

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Chingleput during 2nd half of the official year 1896-97.

1	Budget for 2nd half of 1896-97. Details of Minor Heads. 2 RS.	A.	P.	Totals of Major Heads. 3 RS.	A.	P.	Estimate for 189 -9 . 4 RS.	A.	P.	Estimate for 189 -9 . 5 RS.	A.	P.	Actuals, 189 -9 (audited figures). 6 RS.	A.	P.
1. BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD—															
a. Municipal Fund	-	-	-	-	-	-									
b. Endowments	-	-	-												
c. Water-tax Fund															
2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES—															
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..	1000	-	-												
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	1200	-	-												
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..	50	-	-												
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)	-	-	-												
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..	90	-	-												
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..	320	-	-												
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	140	-	-												
h. Tolls (section 91)—															
Gross receipts .. 1350															
Less Local Fund share 450	900	-	-												
i. Penalties on account of—															
i. Tax on arts															
ii. Tax on buildings ..															
iii. Tax on lands															
iv. Water-tax on buildings and lands															
v. Tax on vehicles, &c. ..															
vi. Tax on animals															
vii. Tax on carts, &c. ..															
vii. Evasion of tolls				3700	-	-									
3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS—															
a. Pounds															
b. Ferry rents															
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..															
Carried forward ..	-	-	-	3700	-	-									

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Chinglepet 2? half of during the official year 1896–97.

	Budget for 2? Half of 189 –97. Details of Minor Heads.			Budget for 2? Half of 189 –97. Totals of Major Heads.			Estimate for 189 –9 .			Estimate for 189 –9 .			Actuals, 189 –9 (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	"	"	"	"	"	"									
b. Endowments	"	"	"	"	"	"									
c. Water-tax Fund	"	"	"	"	"	"									
2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES—															
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..	1000	"	"												
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	1200	"	"												
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..	50	"	"												
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)	"	"	"												
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..	90	"	"												
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..	220	"	"												
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	140	"	"												
h. Tolls (section 91)—															
Gross receipts .. 1350															
Less Local Fund share 450	900	"	"												
i. Penalties on account of—															
i. Tax on arts															
ii. Tax on buildings ..															
iii. Tax on lands															
iv. Water-tax on buildings and lands															
v. Tax on vehicles, &c. ..															
vi. Tax on animals															
vii. Tax on carts, &c. ..															
vii. Evasion of tolls				3700	"	"									
3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS—															
a. Pounds															
b. Ferry rents															
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..															
Carried forward ..	-	-	-	3700	"	"									

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Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Chingleput during 2nd half of the official year 1896-97—*cont.*

—	Budget for 2nd half of 1896-97. Details of Minor Heads. RS.	A.	P.	Totals of Major Heads. RS.	A.	P.	Estimate for 189 -9 . RS.	A.	P.	Estimate for 189 -9 . RS.	A.	P.	Actuals, 189 -9 (audited figures). RS.	A.	P.
1	2			3			4			5			6		
Brought forward ..				6130	"	"									
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															
ii. Others															
Total Receipts ..	-	-	-	6130	"	"									
Grand Total ..				6130	"	"									

Note to Statement I.

1. Tax on arts, &c., is levied on ~~the first~~ IV ~~all~~ classes.
2. Tax on buildings is levied at 6¼ per cent. and tax on lands at 6¼ per cent. of rent value. ~~annas 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 ¾ the maximum rates. & animals at maximum rates
5. Tax on carts, &c., is levied at Rs. [illegible] per cart. per ~~annum.~~ half year
6. Tolls are levied at ½ the maximum rates.
7. License-fees are levied at the rates sanctioned in G.O.
8. The house-tax registers were last revised in the official year and the land tax registers in the official year.
9. Total extent of land assessed is acres.
10. The mode of estimating the annual rental of houses and lands is as follows :—

Statement I-A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Council under Sections 25 and 26 of Act V of 1884 for the official year 1896-97.

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.	
Chingleput Hospital	27,800	"	480	"	"	100	580	1250	"	1830	70	"	1690	1690	210	1900	"	
Chingleput Choultry	Information not available	"	100	"	"	"	100		"	100	60		100	100	60	160		

Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Lehiriglepet ——— during the official year 1896-97—*cont.*

—	Budget for 1896-97. Details of Minor Heads.	Budget for 1896-97. Totals of Major Heads.	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Actuals, 189 -9 (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 ..		6130 - -			
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					
ii. Others					
Total Receipts ..	- - -	6130 - -			
Grand Total ..		6130 - -			

Note to Statement I.

1. Tax on arts, &c., is levied on the first ~~all~~ IV classes.
2. Tax on buildings is levied at 6¼ per cent. and tax on lands at ~~annas~~ ——— per cent. of rent value. ~~for every 80 square yards.~~
3. ~~Water-tax on buildings and lands is levied at ——— per cent.~~
4. Tax on vehicles ~~and animals~~ is levied at ¾ the maximum rates. ~~animals~~ at maximum rates
5. Tax on arts, &c., is levied at Rs. /- per cart. per ~~annum.~~ half year
6. Tolls are levied at ½ the maximum rates.
7. License-fees are levied at the rates sanctioned in G.O.
8. The house-tax registers were last revised in the official year ——— and the land tax registers in the official year.
9. Total extent of land assessed is ——— acres.
10. The mode of estimating the annual rental of houses and lands is as follows :—

Statement I-A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Council under Sections 25 and 26 of Act V of 1884 for the official year 1896-97.

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.	
Lehiriglepet Hospital	2700	"	48	"	"	100	600	125	"	1080	70	"	100	1690	210	1900	180	
Lehiriglepet Choultry	"	"	100	"	"	"	100	"	"	130	60	"	"	100	60	160	"	

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Chiplet for the official year 1896-97.

—	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Actuals, 189 -9 (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	200				
b. Buildings					
c. Drainage					
d. Water-supply					
		200			
2. REPAIRS—					
a. Communications	350				
b. Buildings	300				
c. Drainage—					
i. Repairs to works ..					
ii. Establishment for flushing drains, &c.	50				
d. Water-supply—					
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c					
ii. Establishment	80				
iii. Contingencies					
		780			
3. ESTABLISHMENT					
4. TOOLS AND PLANT AND OTHER STORES.	50	60			
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 ..		1030			
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 Chiplet for the official year 1896-97—*cont.*

—	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Actuals, 189 -9 (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	80				
b. Result Grants	70				
c. Contingencies	40				
		190			
3. SALARY GRANTS	40	40			
4. RESULTS GRANTS	540	540			
5. COMBINED GRANTS—					
a. Fixed Payments					
b. Result Grants					
6. INSPECTION—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Municipal Inspectors—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies					
7. MISCELLANEOUS—					
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants ..					
b. Common gymnasium—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies					
c. Common Drawing Master—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies					
d. Other items					
Total, Grant II ..		770			
GRANT III—(*Sanitation and Medical Services*).					
1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES—					
a. Establishment	570				
b. Medicines and Supplies	340				
c. Diet of Patients	380				
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..	400				
e. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
&c., &c., &c. .		1690			
Carried forward ..		1690			

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Chingleput for the official year 1896-97—*cont.*

—	Details of Minor Heads.	Total of Major Heads.	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Actuals, 189 -9 (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 ..		1690			
GRANT III—*Sanitation and Medical Services*—cont.					
2. *a.* CONTRIBUTIONS TO PROVINCIAL FUNDS FOR—					
i. Medical College ..					
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..					
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..					
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..					
b. CONTRIBUTIONS TO LOCAL BOARDS, &C., FOR—					
i. Medical Schools ..					
ii. Reserve staff					
&c., &c., &c, ..					
c. OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS					
3. VACCINATION—					
a. Establishment	40				
b. Contingencies	50				
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..		90			
4. REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS—					
a. Establishment	50				
b. Contingencies	10	60			
5. CONSERVANCY, ROAD CLEANING AND ROAD WATERING—					
a. i. Establishment	450				
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	240				
b. Private scavenging—					
i. Establishment	50				
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. ..					
c. Cholera charges ..	100				
d. Contingencies	20				
&c., &c., &c. ..		860			
Total, Grant III ..		2700			

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Chingleput for the official year 1896-97—*cont.*

—	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Actuals, 189 -9 (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	50				
b. Contingencies	90	140			
2. i. MARKETS—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
ii. SLAUGHTER-HOUSES—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
3. CHOULTRIES—					
a. Establishment	80				
b Contingencies	20				
c. Feeding Travellers		100			
4. TRAVELLERS' BUNGALOWS—					
a. Establishment	60				
b. Contingencies	10	70			
5. AVENUES—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
6. PUBLIC GARDEN—					
a. Establishment					
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..					
7. SURVEY OF LAND					
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					
Carried forward ..		310			

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Chinglepat for the official year 1896-97 (2e half) —*cont.*

—	Budget for 2e half of 1896-97. Details of Minor Heads.	Budget for 2e half of 1896-97. Totals of Major Heads.	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Actuals, 189 -9 (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 ..		310 ✓			
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont.					
9. OTHER CHARGES—*cont.*					
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes ..					
iii. Printing	200 ✓				
iv. Compensation for lands ..					
v. Other items					
		200 ✓			
Total, Grant IV ..		510 ✓			
GRANT V—					
a. General Establishment—					
i. Office Establishment ..	260 ✓				
ii. Inspection	100 ✓				
b. Collection of Municipal Taxes—					
i. Establishment	90 ✓				
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. ..	200 ✓				
c. Collection of Tolls—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies					
d. Office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii)	300 ✓				
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments ..					
Total, Grant V ..		950 ✓			
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 years.					

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Chinglepat for the official year 1896-97 (2e half) —*cont.*

—	Budget for 2e half of 1896-97. Details of Minor Heads.	Budget for 2e half of 1896-97. Totals of Major Heads.	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Estimate for 189 -9 .	Actuals, 189 -9 (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					
b. Others					
Refunds of other than current collections ..					
Discount					
Pensions and gratuities					
Investments—					
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund					
b. In Savings Bank					
Total Expenditure ..		5960 ✓			
Balances—					
a. Municipal Fund		170 ✓			
b. Endowments					
c. Water-tax Fund					
Grand Total ..		6130 ✓			

NOTE TO STATEMENT II.

Position of the Municipality of on 31*st March* 189 .

Liabilities.	RS.	Assets.	RS.
Liabilities—		Municipal Balance .. { Cash .. .. / Securities	
Balance of Loans		Deposit Balance .. { Cash .. .. / Securities	
Deposits to be adjusted		Sinking Fund of loans	
Other Liabilities (in detail)		Funded Capital of endowed institutions, Hospitals, &c.	
		Total ..	
		Value of Premises, &c.	
		Do. of Tools and plant	
		Do. of Live stock	
		Do. of Furniture	
		Arrears of taxes, &c.	
		Other assets (in detail)	
		Total ..	
		Claims—	
		Advances Recoverable—	
		Permanent advance	
		Advances for works, &c.	
		Total ..	"
Total ..	"		

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

Part I.—New Works.

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.			Expenditure in 189 -9 .			Remarks.
1	2	3	4			5			6
		Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(a)	Communications								
1	Constructing a culvert in Chetty Street	60	"	"	"				
2	Constructing a culvert in Chinna Maniakara St	90	"	"	"				
3	Constructing a culvert in Nemiff Street	50	"	"	"				
	Total ..	200	"	"	"				
(b)	Buildings								
1									
2									
3									
	Total ..								

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

Part I.—New Works.—*cont.*

Number	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.			Expenditure in 189 -9 .			Remarks.
1	2	3	4			5			6
		Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(c)	Drainage								
1									
2									
3									
	Total ..								
(d)	Water-supply								
1									
2									
3									
	Total ..								

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.
1	Repairing the southern trunk road	150						Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled.
2								
3	Repairing the Ladrao Road	150						
	Repairing the Chetty Street	50						Total mileage under maintenance.
								Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled.
	Total ..	350						

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	Repairing the Chingleput Hospital	210						
2								
3	Repairing the Choultry at Chingleput	60						
	Repairing the Travellers' Bungalow at Chingleput	30						
	Total ..	300						

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								
	Total ..							
(*d*)	Water-supply							
1								
2								
3								
	Total ..							

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							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
3. General.—							
Overseers							
Maistries							
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—							
1. Training Schools—							
Pupils receiving scholarships		Nil					
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 „ „		Nil					
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 for 5 months per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs	A	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—Education—*cont.*							
b. On the Salary Result System—							
Masters. One on Rs 7 for Natham Mahomedan School — — —	1	7	—	—	35	—	— ✓
One on Rs 8 for Gundur-cheri School	1	8	—	—	40	—	— ✓
Total ..	2	-	-	-	75	—	— ✓
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..						—	—
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..						—	—
Balance (Statement II) ..					75	—	— or Rs 380. in rounded figure.

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		Nil					
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
7. *b.* Gymnastic Instructors		Nil					
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
c. Drawing Masters		Nil					
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. for 5 months		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—							
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—							
Medical Subordinates	1	55			275		
„ „							
Midwife	1	15			75		
Clerk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Compounder	1	12			60		
Servants .. Peon	1	7			35		
„ .. Ward Coolie & Masalchi	1	7			35		
„ .. Cook	1	5			25		
Watchman —	1	4			20		
Sotrie (one on Rs 5 & another on Rs 4)	2	9			45		
Total ..	9				570		
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					570		

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum. for 5 months		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
3. Vaccination—							
Vaccinators	1	8	—	—	40	—	—
Peons							
Total ..	1				40	—	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	
Balance (Statement II) ..					40	—	—
4. Registration—							
Registrars	1	10	—	—	50	—	—
Peons		-	-	-	-	-	-
Total ..					50	—	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					50	—	—

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum. for 5 months		
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	10	—	—	50	—	—
"							
"							
Maistries							
3 on Rs 5 / 1 on Rs 4 — Scavengers	4	19	—	—	95	—	—
Sweepers on Rs 5 each	10	50	—	—	250	—	—
1 Peon - - - -	1	6	—	—	30	—	—
Stipend to sanitary Inspector —	-	-	-	-	20	—	—
Total ..	16				445	—	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	"	
Balance (Statement II) ..					445	—	—

Rs 450 in round figure.

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary for 5 months		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
b. Private Scavenging—							
Inspectors							
Maistries							
Scavengers on 5 Rs each	2	10	—		50	—	
Total ..	2	-	-	-	50		
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					50		
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—							
1. Lighting—							
Superintendents							
Masalchies on 4½ Rs. each ..	2	9	—		45	—	
Total ..	2				45		
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					45		

or Rs 50. in round figure.

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary for 5 months		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont*							
2. i. Markets—							
Superintendents		Nil					
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
ii. Slaughter-houses—							
Superintendents		Nil					
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
3. Choultries—							
Servants							
Water Brahman — —	1	2	—		10	—	
Watchman — —	1	4	—		20	—	
Sweeper — — —	1	1	—		5	—	
Forties one on Rs 5 + another on Rs 4 — —	2	9	—		45	—	
Total ..	5				80	—	
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					80	—	

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	1	3	8	—	17	8	—
Servants							
Cook	1	6	—	—	30	—	—
Sweeper Ghati	1	2	—	—	10	—	—
Total ..	3				57	8	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					—	—	—
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					—	—	—
Balance (Statement II) ..					57	8	—
		or Rs 60 in round figure.					
5. Avenues—							
Servants		Nil					
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
6. Public Gardens—							
Gardeners		Nil					
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		Nil					
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
9.—							
		Nil					

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary ~~per annum.~~ 5 months		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT V.—*a.* General Establishment—							
i. Office—							
Manager	1	25	—	—	125	—	—
Clerks Shroff	1	10	—	—	50	—	—
„ Clerk	1	10	—	—	50	—	—
„							
Accountants							
Peons	1	6	—	—	30	—	—
Total ..	4				255	—	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					—	—	—
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					—	—	—
Balance (Statement II) ..					255	—	—
		or Rs 260 in round figure					
ii. Inspection—							
Chairman's salary or carriage allowance ..		20	—	—	100	—	—
Total ..					100	—	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					—	—	—
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					—	—	—
Balance (Statement II) ..					100	—	—

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary ~~per annum.~~ 5 months.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT V.—*a.* General Establishment—*cont.*							
b. Collection—							
Clerks							
Bill Collectors 1 on Rs 10 + allowance on Rs 3	2	13	—	—	90	—	—
Peons							
Total ..	2	—	—	—	90	—	—
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					—	—	—
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					—	—	—
Balance (Statement II) ..					90	—	—
c. Collection of tolls—							
Inspectors							
Gate-keepers		Nil			—		
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

STATEMENT III.—*Municipality of* Chingleput Abstract of Deposits Account for the year 1896-97.

	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Balance brought forward ..							
1. Deposits by appellants				1. Credited to Municipal Funds ..			
2. Deposits by renters				2. Returned to appellants			
3. Deposits by contractors				3. Returned to renters			
4. Deposits as security by municipal servants				4. Returned to contractors			
				5. Returned to municipal servants ..			
5. Deposited for the execution of work for which private parties are liable..							
				6. Returned to parties			
6. Other deposits under the Act or bye-laws							
				7. Paid to claimants			
				Total ..			
Total, Receipts ..				Balance ..			
Total, including balance ..				Total ..			

STATEMENT IV-A.—*Municipality of* Chingleput Demand, Collection and Balance Statement for the 2nd half year 1896-97.

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.	1000		1000	1000			
2. Tax on buildings	1400	200	1200	1200			
3. Tax on lands	50		50	50			
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands							
5. Tolls (gross receipts) 1350.3 Less Local fund share 450.3 ..	900		900	900			
6. Market rents	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Slaughter-house fees	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8. Rent of cart-stands	20		20	20			
9. Private scavenging fees	50		50	50			
10. Rent of lands ——	100		100	100			
11. Tax on Vehicles —	90		90	90			
12. Tax on animals	320		320	320			
13. Tax on carts	140		140	140			
14. License fees ——	20		20	20			
Total ..	4090	200	3890	3890	-	-	-

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.																									
2. Tax on buildings																									
3. Tax on lands																									
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..																									
5. Tolls																									
6. Market rents										Nil															
7. Slaughter-house fees																									
8. Rent of cart-stands																									
9 Private scavenging fees																									
Total ..																									

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate for 189 -9 .

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

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 189 -9 .			Actuals of the last four months of 188 -9 .			Probable charges of the last four months of 189 -9 .			Total of columns 2 and 4.			Budget grant 189 -9 , excluding subsequent allotments.			Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2			3			4			5			6			7
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
1. Balance brought forward—																
a. Municipal Fund																
b. Endowments																
c. Water-tax Fund																
2. Municipal rates and taxes—																
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..										Nil						
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..																
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..																
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)																
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..																
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..																
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..																
h. Tolls (section 91)—																
Gross receipts																
Less Local Fund share ..																
i. Penalties on account of—																
i. Tax on arts																
ii. Tax on buildings ..																
iii. Tax on lands																
iv. Water-tax on buildings and lands																
v. Tax on vehicles, &c. ..																
vi. Tax on animals																
vii. Tax on carts, &c. ..																
viii. Evasion of tolls																
3. Realizations under Special Acts—										Nil						
a. Pounds																
b. Ferry rents																
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..																
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—																
a. i. Rent of lands																
ii. Rent of buildings ..																
iii. Avenue receipts																
iv. Fees from Travellers' Bungalows																
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings																
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c.																
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c.																
Carried forward ..																

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

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 189 -9 .			Actuals of the last four months of 188 -9 .			Probable charges of the last four months of 189 -9 .			Total of columns 2 and 4.			Budget grant 189 -9 , excluding subsequent allotments.			Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2			3			4			5			6			7
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
Brought forward ..																
4. REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—																
c. Conservancy receipts—																
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c.																
d. i. Fees from educational institutions																
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions ..																
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines ..																
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..																
f. i. Income from markets ..																
ii. ,, slaughter-houses																
g. Other fees																
i. Distraint fees																
ii. License fees																
iii. Cartstand fees																
iv. Other fees																
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts																
i. Interest on investments—																
i. General, including choultries																
ii. Educational																
iii. Medical																
j. Premium on loans																
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																
iii. Other purposes																
Carried forward ..																

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

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 189 -9 .	Actuals of the last four months of 188 -9 .	Probable charges of the last four months of 189 -9 .	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 189 -9 , excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Brought forward ..						
5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS—*cont.*						
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 ..			Nil			
ii. Other purposes						
b. Other items—						
i. Fishery rents						
ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year						
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c.						
iv. Other items						
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			Nil			
ii. Others						
Total Receipts ..						
Grand Total ..						

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 189 -9 —*continued.*

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 189 -9 .			Actuals of the last four months of 188 -9 .			Probable charges of the last four months of 189 -9 .			Total of columns 2 and 4.			Budget grant 189 -9 , excluding subsequent allotments.			Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2			3			4			5			6			7
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
GRANT I—(*Public Works*)—																
1. NEW WORKS—																
a. Communications																
b. Buildings																
c. Drainage																
d. Water-supply																
2. REPAIRS—																
a. Communications																
b. Buildings																
c. Drainage—																
i. Repairs to works ..																
ii Establishment for flushing drains, &c.																
d. Water-supply—																
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c.																
ii. Establishment																
iii. Contingencies																
3. ESTABLISHMENT																
4. TOOLS AND PLANT AND OTHER STORES.																
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 ..																
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																
ii. On Salary-Results System—																
a. Fixed Payments																
b. Results Grants																
c. Contingencies																
3. SALARY GRANTS																
4. RESULTS GRANTS																
5. COMBINED GRANTS—																
a. Fixed Payments																
b. Results Grants																
6. INSPECTION—																
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..																
Carried forward ..																

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 189 -9 .	Actuals of the last four months of 188 -9 .	Probable charges of the last four months of 189 -9 .	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 189 -9 , excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Brought forward ..						
GRANT II—(*Education*)—cont.						
b. Municipal Inspectors—						
i. Establishment						
ii. Contingencies						
7. Miscellaneous—						
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants ..						
b. Common gymnasium—						
i. Establishment						
ii. Contingencies						
c. Other items						
Total, Grant II ..						
GRANT III—(*Sanitation and Medical Services.*)						
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—						
a. Establishment						
b. Medicines and Supplies						
c. Diet of Patients						
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..						
e. Contributions to Local Boards ..						
2. *a*. Contributions to Provincial funds for—						
i. Medical College ..						
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..						
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..						
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..						
b. Contributions to Local Boards &c., for—						
i. Medical Schools ..						
ii. Reserve staff						
c. Other contributions						
3. Vaccination—						
a. Establishment						
b. Contingencies						
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..						
Carried forward ..						

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 189 -9 .			Actuals of the last four months of 188 -9 .			Probable charges of the last four months of 189 -9 .			Total of columns 2 and 4.			Budget grant 189 -9 , excluding subsequent allotments.			Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2			3			4			5			6			7
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
Brought forward ..																
GRANT III—*Sanitation and Medical Services*—cont.																
4. REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS—																
a. Establishment																
b. Contingencies																
5. CONSERVANCY, ROAD CLEANING AND ROAD WATERING—																
a. i. Establishment																
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..																
b. Private scavenging—																
i. Establishment																
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. ..																
c. Cholera charges																
d. Contingencies																
Total, Grant III ..																
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—																
1. LIGHTING—																
a. Establishment																
b. Contingencies																
2. i. MARKETS—																
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																
b. Contingencies																
6. PUBLIC GARDEN—																
a. Establishment																
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..																
Carried forward ..																

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 189 -9 —*continued.*

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 189 -9 .			Actuals of the last four months of 188 -9 .			Probable charges of the last four months of 189 -9 .			Total of columns 2 and 4.			Budget grant 189 -9 , excluding subsequent allotments			Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2			3			4			5			6			7
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
Brought forward ..																
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont.																
7. SURVEY OF LAND																
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																
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes ..																
iii. Printing																
iv. Compensation for lands ..																
v. Other items																
Total, Grant IV ..																
GRANT V—																
a. General Establishment—																
i. Office Establishment ..																
ii. Inspection																
b Collection of Municipal Taxes—																
i. Establishment																
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)																
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments ..																
Total, Grant V ..																
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 ..																

Nil

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 189 -9 —*continued.*

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 189 -9 .			Actuals of the last four months of 188 -9 .			Probable charges of the last four months of 189 -9 .			Total of columns 2 and 4.			Budget grant 189 -9 , excluding subsequent allotments			Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2			3			4			5			6			7
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
Advances recoverable—																
a. Permanent																
b. Others																
Refunds of other than current collections ..																
Discount																
Pensions and gratuities																
Investments—																
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund																
b. In Savings Bank																
Total Expenditure ..																
Balances—																
a. Municipal Fund																
b. Endowments																
c. Water-tax Fund																
Grand Total ..																

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

(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													

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

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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.
					Nil					

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STATEMENT VIII.—Loans.

Amount of loan and rate of interest.	For what purpose and terms on which obtained and year in which taken.	Date of Government sanction.	Amount paid. Up to 31st March 189 . Number of years.	Amount paid. Up to 31st March 189 . Amount.	Amount paid. In 189 -9 .	Amount transferred to Sinking Fund. Up to 31st March 189 . Number of years.	Amount transferred to Sinking Fund. Up to 31st March 189 . Amount.	Amount transferred to Sinking Fund. In 189 -9	Invested out of the total amount transferred up to end of 189 -9. In Government Securities.	Invested out of the total amount transferred up to end of 189 -9. In the Savings Bank.
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.
					Nil —					

R. A. Krishnaswami
Chairman

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Municipal
Chingleput.

No. 5/Gl of 1896

7th October 1896.

Local & Municipal Dept.
Current No. 2820 M

From
Surgeon Major H. A. F. Nailer
Chairman, Municipal Commission, Chingleput

To
The Chief Secretary to Govt.
Municipal

Thro'
The Sub-Collector and Collector
Chingleput District.

Sir,

Adverting to G. O., No. 1459, M., dated 1st September last regarding the creation of the Chingleput Municipality, I have the honour to report as follows:—

2. It has been proposed to levy the following taxes in this Municipality during the second half of the current official year at the rates specified against each item.

(1) Tax on arts, professions &c., first four classes mentioned in schedule.

(2) Tax on buildings at 6 1/4 per cent on the annual rent-value.

(3) Tax on lands as above.

(4) Tax on vehicles with springs & palanquins at 3/4 ths of the rates given in schedule B, during the current half y

proposed to accept toll-gate No 6 till the closed

and at full rates from the commencement of the next official year.

(5) Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs at Rupee 1-0-0 for each half year in respect of every such vehicle during the current half year and at Rs 2-0-0 from the commencement of the next official year.

(6) Tax on animals at the maximum rates given in schedule B.

(7) Tolls on vehicles & animals entering the municipal limits at half the rates specified in schedule D.

3. Other miscellaneous items of receipts expected to be realized by the Municipality during the current half year are the following.-

(1) Rent on Municipal lands.

(2) Avenue Receipts.

(3) Fee collection in Travellers' Bungalow.

(4) Produce of lands and gardens under the control of the Municipality.

(5) Sale proceeds of night soil, rubbish &c collected by the Municipality.

6.

(6) Fees from Educational institutes

(7) Sale proceeds & Composition fees for Medicines.

(8) License fees.

(9) Cart & Cart Collections.

(10) Fines under the Municipal and other acts.

(11) Interest on Investments.

(12) Grants and Contributions from Government.

(13) Contribution from the District Board on account of the Medical institution.

(14) Private Scavenging fees.

4. Further particulars about the various taxes and items of receipts referred to in the foregoing two paragraphs are described below.

5. Para 2. Item 1. Tax on arts, professions &c.

It does not seem expedient to tax at present all classes of persons as the start is now to be introduced newly and as a wholesale taxation will be felt as oppressive. It is therefore proposed to exempt at present all persons falling under classes V. to VIII. Subject to this restriction the receipt under this head is estimated to amount to Rs 1000, during the current half year.

6. Tax on buildings. Para 2. Item 2.

It is proposed to exempt toll gate no 6 till the close of

levy the Lake Chinglepat Union, and to levy tax at 6¼ per cent on the annual rental. It is considered that it will be felt a hardship to introduce the maximum rate of 7½ per cent at once, not to speak of the fact that the maximum rate may be left to be introduced when the Municipality requires any extra expenditure to meet with, such as the introduction of water-supply &c Scheme. The actual amount arrived at according to the foregoing calculation is Rs 1400 for the current half year. But making allowance for remissions and reductions that may hereafter have to be allowed, the receipt under this head is estimated at Rs 1200.

7. Tax on lands. Para 2. Item 3. This tax is also proposed to be levied at the rate of 6¼ per cent on the rent value of the lands. Most of the fields of Nattam and Melmaijur having been excluded from the Municipal limits, the income under this head during the current half year is estimated not to exceed Rs 50.

8. Tax on vehicles with springs + palanquins. Para 2. Item 4.

The reason for not imposing maximum rate during the current half year is explained

during the current half year is estimated at Rs 90

9. Tax on animals. Para 2. Item 5.

It is proposed to tax all the animals detailed in schedule B of the Act. The half yearly income under this item is estimated to amount to Rs 320.

10. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs. Para 2. Item 6. It is not proposed to introduce the maximum rate during the current half year. The reason is explained in para 11 infra. Vide also para 8 above. The estimated half yearly receipts under this head will be Rs 140.

11. Tolls on vehicles and animals &c.

Para 2. Item 7.

In para 10 of his letter, No. 1273/gl dated 19.5.96 to the Collector, Mr. Buckley proposed the establishment of 6 toll-gates as per margin within the municipality and the abolition of the District Board toll-gate at Palar beyond the Municipal limits. It is now known that there is no difficulty in abolishing the Palar toll gate, being middle of the lease, and the Government has not also passed any order on the subject. It is therefore proposed to defer the opening of toll-gates herein till the close of

(1) Nattam tollgate on the Madurantakam Road.
(2) Madras tollgate on the Conjeevaram road.
(3) Pulippakkam tollgate on the Madras Road.
(4) Erukkalikkuppam tollgate on the Cuddapah road.
(5) Melmaijur tollgate.
(6) Veppankolam tollgate on the Southern trunk road.

official year, as it will be a great hardship and oppression to have two toll-gates within a distance of 2½ miles. The District Board will then have to pay to the Municipality the rental of the Palar toll gate for the current half year viz Rs 1150.

This gate is close to the Municipal limits, and Carts and vehicles with and without springs will have to pass it, the former (spring carriages) occasionally and the latter (carts) very frequently during the half year. It will be a hardship to the Municipal population to pay the maximum fees to the Municipality, while they have also to pay to the Local Fund contractor. The Municipal tax for the current half year alone is reduced with this view to 3/4 ths and one-half of the maximum rates.

The toll-gate No 6 is the only important gate in the Municipality on which any appreciable income can be expected to be realized. It is not to be opened now and Rs 1150 is proposed to be obtained from the District Board on that account as explained above. All the other 5 toll-gates are quite unimportant ones and can fetch only Rs 200/- including the Composition fee. The total income under this head is thus estimated to be Rs 1350. If a Contribution of 1/3rd of the income is deducted, the net income drivable by the Municipality for the half year will be Rs 900.

temporary pandals.

12. Rent on Municipal lands. Para 3. Item 1.

This is the income estimated to be realized by the District Board from the endowment in lands attached to the Chingleput Hospital. Vide statement No 7, appended to the District Board Budget for 96-97. No income has been derived during the past half year from these lands and the whole of the estimated rent viz Rs 100, has therefore been taken as the income of the Municipality.

13. Avenue receipts. Para 3. Item 2.

The sum of Rs 20 shown as income under this head is the proportionate share of the rental of the avenue trees within the Municipality already leased out by the District Board Engineer due for the current half year.

14. Fees from Travellers' Bungalow. Para 3.

The sum of Rs 200, shown as receipts for this head is the actual income during the past half of 1895-96.

15. Produce of lands and gardens under the control of the Municipality. Para 3. Item 4.

There is a mortuary garden at Chingleput in charge of the Local Fund Union. The proceeds of Vegetables to be grown herein is estimated at Rs 10 for the current half year.

sale-proceeds

under this head, and the estimate has been based on the average realization by the Union during past years.

17. Fees from Educational institutions. Para 3. Item 6.

Two Schools (one in Gundur for Pariah Children and another a Mahomedan school in Nattam) now maintained by the Taluk Board, are proposed to be taken up by the Municipality. Fees are levied only in the latter school, and the fee collection is estimated at Rs 10 for the current half year.

18. Sale proceeds and composition fee for medicines. Para 3. Item 7.

Rupees 100 is estimated as receipts under this head for the current half year having in view the order of Government requiring the collection of fees on account of diets for in patients in some cases.

19. There are no municipal markets or slaughter houses here at present. Due provision for the construction thereof will be made in the budget of the ensuing year if funds permit. No income is therefore expected in this head during the current half year.

License fees. Para 3. Item

... sum of Rs 20 shown by the Municipality ... may be 900.

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the Construction of temporary pandals.

The rate of fee collection now in vogue in Local Fund Union will be adopted for the present.

21. Cart stand fees. Para 3. Item 9.

There is a cart stand at Chingleput till now under the control of the Union. The average realization for the current half year is estimated at Rs 20.

22. Fines under Municipal & other acts. Para 3. Item 10.

This is an uncertain item & the income for the current half year is estimated at Rs 100.

23. Interest on investments. Para 3. Item 11.

The interest on Govt Promissory notes now derived by the Local Fund Board on behalf of the Chingleput Hospital for each half year amounts to Rs 480. This is the amount shown as receipts under this head.

24. Grants and Contributions from Government. Para 3. Item 12.

The sum of Rs 10 entered as receipts under this item represents the Government grant [for] the fourth standard boys in the two schools [refer]red to in para 17 supra.

25. Grants and Contribution from Local Board.

Para 3. Item 13.

The average annual net cost of the Chingleput Hospital excluding the pay of the reserve hospital assistant which has even now to be borne by the District Board, comes to very nearly Rs 4000. The no of in and out patients treated in the Hospital during 1895-96 is 12,723. The population of the Municipality according to last census is 9763. It is therefore apparent that the no of Municipal population resorting to the Municipality must be very small, and that the Hospital is ~~sending~~ rendering much help to the people in the outlying villages and elsewhere in the district. This is the only chief medical institution for the District and contains the establishments of a District Surgeon, and an Assistant Surgeon besides the regular Hospital establishments. Many important cases in remote parts of the District, are sent to the[illegible] this hospital for treatment. It would thus appear that the institution is m[illegible] [illegible]le by [illegible] to the District populati[illegible] [illegible] be Rs 900.

than to the Municipal population. The District Board has therefore to contribute largely towards the cost of the institution and a sum of Rs 2500 a year is therefore estimated as Local Fund contribution on this account, and Rs 1,250 has thus been taken in the budget as receipts for the current half year.

26. Private Scavengering Fees. Para 3.

Item 14. :—

A sum of Rs 50 shown as receipts under this head is based on the actual collection made by the Union Establishment till now. The rate of collection adopted till now is proposed to be continued.

27. The total receipts under all heads is thus estimated to be Rs 6130.

Charges.

28. Grant I New works (a) Communica[tions]

The sum of Rs 200 provided under this head is intended for constructing culverts in public streets within the Munici[pality]

2. Repairs (a) Communications.

A sum of Rs 350 has been pro[vided] for doing patch work in the Southern [illegible]

+ Sadras road and for metalling the Chetty Street. This sum is considered sufficient for the present as the materials already stacked by the District Board will be made use of.

(b) Buildings.

A sum of Rs 200, is required for repairing the hospital, the choultry and the travellers' Bungalow and has been adopted in the Budget.

C. II. Establishment for flushing drains.

Two coolies on Rs 5 each have been maintained by the Union till now for cleaning side drains and it is proposed to continue them.

d: water supply " Establishment.

Of the marginally noted 5 sources of drinking water supply in the Municipality, the first 3 had each a permanent watchman on Rs 4 per mensem and the last two were guarded in special seasons. A sum of Rs 80, has therefore been proposed as expenditure under this item.

(1) Veppankolam
(2) Sinnarajakolam.
(3) Karpurachettikolam
(4) Fort moat reservoir
(5) Kolavoy tank foreshore

4. Tools & plant & other stores.

A sum of Rs 50 is entered in the Budget against this item as tools required for repairing roads & streets will have now to be newly purchased.

The total charge under Grant I thus amounts to Rs 1030.

29. Grant II Education.

2. II. On salary results system (a) Fixed payment

The salaries of two teachers for 2 Municipal Schools for the half year amount to Rs 75 as per scale adopted by the Taluk Board till now. It is entered as Rs 80, in round number.

(b) Result grants.

A sum of Rs 70 budgetted for by the District Board for the two schools as result grant for the current year has been adopted here.

(C) Contingencies.

A sum of Rs 40 entered against the item, represents in round figure the moiety of the sum of Rs 75 provided on this account by the District Board for the current year.

3. Salary grants.

The sum of Rs 40., shown against this item represents the grants to be paid during the half year for the teachers of the S. C. M. High School, Chingleput

+ Sadras road and for metalling the Chetty street. This sum is considered sufficient for the present as the materials already stacked by the District Board will be made use of.

(b) Buildings.

A sum of Rs 200 is required for repairing the hospital, the Choultry and the Travellers' Bungalow and has been adopted in the Budget.

C. 11. Establishment for flushing drains.

Two Coolies on Rs 5 each have been maintained by the Union till now for cleaning the drains and it is proposed of the Municipal establishment amounts to Rs 570 for the half year.

(b) Medicines and Supplies.

A sum of Rupees 800 was budgetted for by the District Board for Medicines for the whole year. Purchases having already been made for Rs 560, there remains yet a sum of 240 to be expended on this account. A charge of Rs 105 is ascertained to have been incurred in the hospital during the past half year on account of Supplies. A sum of Rs 100, is therefore considered sufficient for the remaining half

repairing roads + streets will have now to be newly purchased.

The total charge under Grant II thus amounts to Rs 1030.

29. Grant II Education.

2. ii. On Salary results + extra (a) Fixed payments

The salaries of two teachers for 2 Municipal schools for the half year amount to Rs 75 as per scale adopted by the Taluk Board till now. It is entered as Rs 80, in round number.

(b) Result Grants.

A sum of Rs 70 budgetted for by the District Board for the two schools as for the 4 year has been spent and the remaining is now provided for the current half year.

3. Vaccination.

(a) Establishment:— The amount Rs 40 provided against this item represents pay of a pupil vaccinator proposed to be entertained at Rs 8, per mensem.

(b) Contingencies:— The sum of Rs 50, shown against this item is intended to cover the cost of annual lymph proposed to be purchased from the District Board establishments and also for purchase stationery &c.

4. Registration of Births and Deaths.

(a) Establishment.

A registrar on Rs 10, is proposed to be entertained for recording vital statistics. The sum of Rs 50 entered against this item represents his pay for the half year.

(b) Contingencies.

A sum of Rs 10, has been provided for purchasing stationery to be required for this purpose.

5. Conservancy, Road cleaning & Road watering.

(a) i. Establishment.

Out of Rs 450 entered against this head, a sum of Rs 430, represent the pay of the establishment as detailed in statement II. B. The remaining sum of Rs 20, is intended to cover the stipend to be paid to a Sanitary Inspector to be deputed for training at the next session during the current year and to be entertained by the Municipality in the next official year.

ii Other charges.

Rs 240 entered against this item represents the hire of 5 sets of bullocks required for the conservancy carts at 9-8-0 each per mensem, and for purchasing sundry articles required therefor.

(b) Private Scavenging.

(i) Establishments.

Two scavengers at Rs 5 each per mensem hitherto maintained by the Union are proposed to be continued and the expenditure under this head for the half year comes up to Rs 50.

(c) Cholra charges.

A sum of Rs 100, is intended for making sanitary arrangements, if any epidemic should break out in the current half year.

(d) Contingencies.

The sum of Rs 20 entered against this item is to meet other unforeseen contingencies.

The total provision under this grant amounts to Rs 270

31. Grant IV. (1) Lighting (a) Establishment

The sum of Rs 50, entered against this item represents the pay of the two lighters required for lighting the municipal lamps. This is the establishment maintained by the Union till now and it is not proposed to extend it for the present as the funds do not permit any extension.

(b) Contingencies.

The sum of Rs 90, shown against this item represents the cost of Kerosine oil etc required for lighting and it is based upon actual expenditure incurred during the past half year.

2. i & ii. Markets & slaughter houses.

Vide para 19 supra.

3. Shoultries. (a) Establishment.

The cost of the establishment entertained in the shoultry comes up to Rs 16, per mensem. The total cost for the half year is Rs 80.

(b) Contingencies.

Rs 20 being moiety of the amount budgetted for by the District Board on this account is adopted & is required for lighting the shoultry and for purchasing sundry articles required for cleaning the shoultry platforms attached thereto.

4. Travellers' Bungalow.

(a) Establishment.

The amount of Rs 60, represents the cost of the establishment maintained in the Bungalow for the half year.

(b) Contingencies.

Rs 10, has been provided for purchase of sundry articles required for cleaning the bungalow & for replacing broken utensils &c.

9. Other charges.

iii. Printing.

Rs 200, has been provided on this account and is required as the office has to be newly started and all books & registers newly formed.

The total amount of expenditure under this grant thus amounts to Rs 570.

32. Grant V. (a) General Establishment.

(1) Office Establishment.

The Cost of the establishment proposed to be employed by the Municipal Commissioners during the half year is Rs 260. The funds at the disposal of the Council being very meagre, it is not proposed to extend anything more on this account.

ii. Inspection.

The carriage allowance of Rs 20, per mensem is provided for the chairman. The amount comes up to Rs 100, for the half year.

(b) Collection of Municipal taxes.

(i) Establishment.

The sum of Rs 90, entered against this item is intended to cover the cost of two Bill Collectors proposed to be entertained for the collection of Municipal taxes.

(c) Collection of tolls.

(i) Establishment.

No expenditure is proposed to be incurred under this head and it has been arranged to lease the farm.

(ii) Purchase of account books.

The Sum of Rs 200, entered against this item is required for purchasing an iron

for the deposit of money & for purchasing account books &c.

(d) Office Contingencies other than (b) (ii).

Rs 300, is provided against this item. It is intended to cover the cost of office rent at Rs 10 per mensem, purchase of postage stamps, stationery, furniture & other contingent articles. As the office has to be newly formed, all the articles of furniture have to be newly purchased. The total expenditure under this grant thus amounts to Rs 920.

33. The total expenditure under all grants comes up to Rs 5960, leaving a balance of Rs 170, at the close of the year.

34. The budget has been prepared in accordance with the proposals and recommendations made in the foregoing paragraphs and the sanction of Government is solicited for the carrying out thereof at an early date.

35. A copy of the proceedings of the Council in which this budget was passed, is herewith submitted.

I have the honour &c.,

Your Most Obedient Sr, Sir

[signature]

Chairman

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No I of 1896-97

Minutes of Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Chingleput, passed at its meeting held in the Sub-Collector's Office, Chingleput, on Wednesday the 7th October 1896, at 3 P.M.

Present.

Chairman

Surgeon Major H. A. F. Nailer, M. D., District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

Councillors.

2. The Rev. A. Andrew.
3. Mr. M. R. Ry P. Ramanuja Chariar Avl B.A., B.L.,
4. M. R. Ry Balasubharaya Mudaliar Avargal
5. M. R. Ry P. Abboy Chettiar Avargal
6. M. R. Ry Chinna Rathna Chettiar Avargal.
7. Ahmed Meera Sahib

I Read G. O. No. 2459 dated 1-9-96, Constituting the Chingleput Union into a Municipality and requesting to submit a budget estimate of receipts & charges for the current half year.

Resolved that Government be requested to issue the necessary notification under Section 25 of the Act, for the transfer of the undermentioned properties with their endowments & funds to the Municipality.

1. Hospital.
2. The two schools under the Control of the District Board.
3. Choultry

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4. Travellers' Bungalow.

5. All the tanks and roads with the Control of the District Board.

6. Mortuary Garden.

II. Resolved that the following toll-gates be established for the current half year of 1896-97 and the sanction of Government obtained therefor:

1. Watrap 2. Maduru 3. Palippankam 4. Sabras 5. Mulmaijur.

Resolved further that Government be requested to sanction the opening of the toll-gate (Veppankolam) on the Trunk road from the Commencement of the next official year, in lieu of the Local Fund Palar toll-gate which it is proposed to abolish after the close of the current official year as it has been leased out for the whole year.

III. Resolved that application be made to the District Board Rameswaram in Connection with the transfer of the properties mentioned in Resolution I with the surplus allowances belonging to them.

IV. Resolved that the undermentioned license fees, taxes and tolls be levied at the rates specified against them, in the Municipality, under Section 47 of the Act.

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2. Tax on buildings and lands	6¼ per cent on the annual rental.
3. Tax on animals	Full rates specified in the schedule.
4. Tax on vehicles with springs, palanquins &c	3/4 the maximum rates for the current half year & full rates from commencement of the next official year.
5. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs.	Half the maximum rates for the current half year and full rates from the commencement of the next official year.
6. Tolls — — — —	Half the maximum rates.
7. Pandal license fees 8. Cart stand fees	At the rates which were in force in the Union upto now.

V. Resolved that the following establishment be entertained.

Grant I. 2 Drain coolies on Rs 5 each per mensem.

4 tank watchmen on Rs 4 each per mensem.

Grant II. (Education)

One teacher on Rs 8 for the Parish School in Gandur village.

4. Drawing teacher on Rs 7 for the Mahomedan School in Nattam Village.

5. (the Sanitation and Medical)

(1) One Hospital Assistant on Rs 55

(2) One Midwife — on Rs 15

(3) One Compounder — on Rs 12

(4) One Peon — on Rs 7 8

(5) One ward-cooly — on Rs 7

(6) One Cook — on Rs 5

(7) One Sweeper — on Rs 4

(8) 2 Toties one on Rs 5 and another on Rs 4.

Vaccination

One pupil vaccinator on Rs 8 per mensem.

Registration of Birth and Deaths

One Registrar on Rs 10 per mensem.

Conservancy Road cleaning & road watering.

(1) One Nuisance Inspector on Rs 10 per mensem.

(2) Four toties, 3 on Rs 5 and 1 on Rs 4 per mensem.

(3) Ten Sweepers on Rs 5 each per mensem.

(4) One peon on Rs 6 per mensem.

V

Private Scavenging

2 Scavengers on Rs 5 each per mensem.

Grant IV (Lighting)

2 Massalchies on Rs 4½ each per mensem.

Choultry.

1 water brahmin on Rs [?]
1 watchman on Rs 4
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2 Toties: one on Rs 5 & another on Rs 4
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(Signed) A. A. N. Naik
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2. The levy of the several rates and taxes proposed by the Municipal Council may be sanctioned.

3. The District Board has in its resolution No 10 dated 16th Instant resolved to make a contribution, as desired by the Municipal Council, of two thirds of a moiety of Rs 2300, the amount for which the Local Fund tollgate on the Southern Trunk road near the Palar river has been leased out for the current year. The provision of Rs 900 under Tolls may therefore stand.

4. The Municipal Council has taken credit for Rs 1250 as contribution from the District Board for the upkeep of the Chingleput hospital. The District Board has in the resolution mentioned above resolved to contribute Rs 1000 for the current half year. The estimated total receipts have therefore to be reduced to Rs 5880, against an estimated expenditure

of Rs 5960. To reduce the expenditure the following suggestions are offered:—

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(b) The provision of Rs 20 for stipend to an individual for undergoing training in Madras to qualify himself for the post of Sanitary Inspector may be struck out, as only persons in the employ of a municipality prior to the 10th December 1894 can, it is understood, be allowed pay while they are being trained. As persons who have undergone the prescribed course of sanitary training may now be available, the Council may ask the Sanitary Commissioner to recommend some one who has already qualified.

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