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17. *Incidence of Taxation.*—The population of the town, according to the census of 1891, was 9,763. The total income from taxation was Rs. 2,646-12-8, including tolls, Rs. 1,389-0-7 excluding them. The average incidence of tax per head of population was As. 4-4 under the former and As. 2-3 under the latter.

18. *Miscellaneous Receipt—Revenue derived from Municipal Property and Powers apart from Taxation—Rent of Lands.*—The demand, as now worked out from the information now given under this head by the Revenue Department, amounted to Rs. 56-11-0 against the sum of Rs. 100 estimated in the budget for the year under report. This sum is the revenue from lands endowed to the municipal choultry (which was hitherto called Local fund choultry) in the village of Anoor, Chingleput taluk, and in the village of Sríperumbúdúr, Conjeeveram taluk. Of this Rupees 34-12-2 were realized and credited to the Municipal funds within the year. Steps are being taken to have the balance of Rs. 21-14-10 credited to the Municipal funds. The difference between the demand and the budget estimate is due to the adoption in the latter of the figures for a whole year instead of half-year, the other half being claimed by the district board.

19. *Avenue Receipts.*—Rs. 31-3-1 have been collected against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. This is a fluctuating item.

20. *Fees from Travellers' Bungalow.*—The amount realized under this head was Rs. 92 against the budget estimate of Rs. 200. No correct estimate could be framed of the receipts from this source, which are dependant upon the favourableness of the shooting season.

21. *Produce of Lands, Gardens, &c.*—The receipts under this head amounted to Rs. 16-3-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 10.

22. *Sale-proceeds of Night-soil, Street-refuse, &c.*—The receipts under this head amounted to Rs. 85-4-6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 60. Special attention was paid to enhancing the receipts from this source by getting the villagers explained as to the advantages. This is a hopeful sign and is probably an indication that the villagers to whom the nutritive value of animal manure was explained are beginning to realize the truth of such explanation.

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24. *Sale-proceeds and Composition Fees of Medicines.*—The total of bills for medicines supplied during the second half of the year under report amounted to Rs. 15-4-0, of which Rs. 2-8-3 have been collected within the year. From the balance of Rs. 12-11-9, Rs. 9-7-0 have since been collected. The amount estimated in the budget was Rs. 100. The rates charged for medicines are much more favourable now than when the hospital was under Local funds. The reduction of receipts under this head is engaging attention. Monthly subscriptions are being invited as composition fees for medicines supplied in the current year. Endeavours are being made to improve the receipts under this head.



25. *License Fees.*—The receipts from this source amounted to Rs. 2-1-1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. The amount estimated was with reference to licenses that might be issued for erecting temporary pandals during festivals and marriage occasions. This part of the year not having been a season for marriage, accounts for reduction in the receipts under this head.

26. *Cart Stamp Fees.*—The amount realized under this head was Rs. 52-12-4 against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. The income from this source was derived from leasing out three permanent public cart-stands and from a temporary cart-stand erected during the Tirukkalikundrum festival.

27. *Fines under Municipal and Other Acts.*—The amount realized under this head was Rs. 63 against the budget estimate of Rs. 100. The decrease in the receipts from this source in the year under report is due to the council only filing a few cases for offences under the Municipal Act with a view not to render the introduction of the Act into the town an oppression to the people who are new to the requirements of the Act

28. *Interest on Investments*—(iii) *Medical.*—The amount provided in the budget (viz., Rs. 480), as interest derivable from the Government promissory notes, which are the endowment of the hospital, was not realized within the year. The President, District Board and the Collector was addressed on the subject with the result that a sum of Rs. 432-14-8 is intimated to have since been credited to the municipal funds, *i.e.*, on 17th May 1897. The balance has also since been received.

29. *Grants and Contributions from Local Boards.*—The amount realized from this source during the year was Rs. 1,000 against the budget estimate of that sum. The district board was asked at first to contribute Rs. 1,250, at the rate of Rs. 2,500 per annum, on account of the upkeep of the hospital during the half-year. The hospital is resorted to more by the people of the outlying villages than those of the town. The number of in-patients from the outlying villages and the cost on account of them is nearly five times that for town in-patients. The district board sanctioned only a thousand for the half-year under report on the ground that the medicines and stationery required for the hospital had been supplied before the municipality was created. As this ground cannot hold good for the current year, the Board has again been addressed to consider the question of the increased contribution for 1897-98 and to sanction Rs. 2,500 a year.

30. *Miscellaneous, Recoveries on account of services rendered to Private Individuals*—(i) *Private Scavenging.*—There were 62 houses on the register of private scavenging in the beginning of the year. There has been no addition nor withdrawal. This gives 4 per cent. of the number of houses under assessment. Endeavours are being made to increase the number of houses during the current year as far as possible. Thirteen new houses have been registered up to the date of report for the current year. All licenses for new houses are now granted on the condition that the owners provide suitable latrine accommodation. The demand under this head was Rs. 62-4-0. Of this, Rs. 44-7-0 were collected within the half-year, leaving a balance of Rs.17-13-3. From this balance Rs. 15 have been collected since.

## II.—Expenditure.

31. The total charges of the half-year amounted to Rs. 3,823-1-11 against the budget estimate of Rs. 5,870.

32. *Grant 1, Public Works*—(i) *New Works*—(*a*) *Communications.*—The total length of the roads maintained by the municipality is 6 miles 7½ furlongs, which are all metalled. Two culverts were budgeted for at a cost of Rs. 150 and sanctioned. These culverts were constructed during the close of the year on a revised estimate of Rs. 90. As a certificate for the proper execution of the work was not received within the year from the members of the ward concerned, and as the funds expected from the taluk board referred to in paragraph 10 under receipts was not received, payment was not made to the contractor.

33. (ii) *Repairs*—(*a*) *Communications.*—Repairs to two roads and one street, estimated at Rs. 350, were budgeted for and sanctioned. The execution of repairs to the two roads was postponed to the current year by a resolution of the council in February

last in consideration of the insufficient time it had before the close of the year and of the impracticability to finish the repairs satisfactorily within that time. The repair to the Chetty street, at a cost of Rs. 50, was taken up and executed. As a completion certificate from the ward concerned for the proper execution of the work was not received in time owing to the work not having been completed satisfactorily within 31st March, no payment was made within the year.

34. *Buildings.*—The amount expended under this head within the year was Rs. 60 against the budget allotment of Rs. 300. The annual repairs to the hospital at a cost of Rs. 200 (which was estimated at Rs. 210), choultry at Rs. 60 and the travellers' bungalow at Rs. 30 were executed during the half-year. The choultry repair was paid for. The other repairs were executed, but payment was not made for want of funds which came in only in April of the current year.

35. (*c*) *Drainage*—(ii) *Establishment for flushing drains, &c.*—Two drain-cleaners were budgeted for to clean the drains. These two were found to be quite unable to cope with the work in the latter part of November and December 1896, when, owing to heavy rains, the side channels were filled with sand and stones washed down from the slope of hills. This caused considerable damage to the roads and streets by over-flow of water. The necessity for two more drain-cleaners was very great and the council consequently resolved to have two additional men. The pay for these two extra men increased the budget allotment by Rs. 5–7–6, which was intended to be met from savings under tools and plants.

36. (*d*) *Water-supply*—(ii) *Establishment.*—The amount of expenditure under this head was Rs. 75–0–7. This sum represented the pay of four watchmen employed to conserve the tanks used for drinking purposes. The saving of Rs. 4–15–5 was from fines and stoppages of the watchmen.

37. (iii) *Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 1–3–0 was spent under this head for erecting a hut on the bunds of Vepankolam for the use of watchmen. This amount was met from the savings of establishment. The necessary transfer of allotment has also since been effected.

38. *Tools and Plants and other Stores.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 2–8–0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. Purchase of stores under this head was not made during the year.

39. The total charges under Grant 1 thus amounted to Rs. 194–3–1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 980.

40. *Grant 2, Education*—(ii) *On Salary-results System*—(*a*) *Fixed Payments.*—There are two schools maintained under the system—one for Muhammadan children and the other for Panchama children. The total strength of these schools in the beginning of the half-year was 72. There were 24 admissions and 24 withdrawals during the half-year which closed with 72, of whom three were girls in the Cheri school and the remaining were boys in both schools. These schools presented 54 boys for examination, of whom 28 were declared successful. The amount expended under this head was Rs. 74–15–0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 80. The expenses represented the monthly salaries of the schoolmasters.

41. (*b*) *Result Grants.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 25–4–0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 70. The sum expended was for the result grant earned by the Gundur cheri schoolmaster for the second half of the year 1896–97. The balance of Rs. 44–12–0 represented the result grant of the Muhammadan school-master which was not paid within the year, as the cheque issued on that account on the last day of March remained uncashed on that date.

42. (*c*) *Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 25–6–6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 40. The expenses incurred represented the Muhammadan school-rent, which was paid at Rs. 4 per mensem, and the cost for purchasing paper, pencil, &c., for the use of both schools.

43. (3) *Salary Grants.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 34–2–8 against the estimate of Rs. 40. The sum spent was upon bills submitted by the Manager, Free Church Mission High school.



44. (4) *Result Grant.*—No expenditure was incurred under this head as no bills for result grants were received during the year under report.

45. The total charges under Grant 2 thus amounted to Rs. 159–12–2 against the budget estimate of Rs. 770.

46. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services*—(i) *Hospital and Dispensaries*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 567–10–11 against the budget estimate of Rs. 570. The staff was the same as that provided for and sanctioned in the budget. The small saving of Rs. 2–5–1 was due to fines and stoppages.

47. (*b*) *Medicines and Supplies.*—The expenditure under this head came up to Rs. 522–2–9 against the budget estimate of Rs. 340. The increased expenditure of Rs. 182–2–9 was due to bills, amounting to the expenditure referred to above, having been received from Messrs. Burgoyne, Burbidges & Co., &c., for supplies of medicines during the half-year under report. As money to the extent required was available from savings under "Diet of patients" and "Sundries and contingencies," it was transferred by a resolution of the council for expenditure under this head.

48. (*c*) *Diet of Patients.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 198–11–5 against the budget estimate of Rs. 380. The cost under this item being dependant on the number of patients dieted, the decrease was due to large number of in-patients not having been treated during the year under report. The saving of Rs. 181–4–7 was transferred to the head of "Medicines and supplies" as stated in the preceding paragraph.

49. (*d*) *Sundries and Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 287–15–1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 400 resulting in a saving of Rupees 112–0–11. A sum of As. 14–2 was, on sanction of the council, transferred to the head of "Medicines and supplies" to make up the full amount required under that head.

50. (3) *Vaccination*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—There is only one vaccinator for the town. His pay amounted to Rs. 37–15–0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 40. The saving was due to the vaccinator having taken charge of his duty from 9th October 1896, whereby the allotment for eight days was saved. Non-compulsory vaccination was in force during the year. The number of operations performed during the half-year was 269, of which 246 proved successful. The operations were performed with glycerine paste obtained from the district board on payment.

51. Compulsory vaccination was introduced during the current year.

52. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 23–6–6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. The expenses were chiefly sums paid to the district board towards the cost of glycerine paste purchased for vaccination at Rs. 5 for every 20 grains.

53. *Registration of Births and Deaths*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 31 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. The amount spent was for the pay of the registrar who took charge of his appointment from 28th November 1896.

54. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—There was no expenditure under this head during the half-year under report against the sum of Rs. 10 estimated in the budget. The total number of births and deaths registered during the half-year was 139 and 117, respectively. There was a mild outbreak of cholera which commenced from 2nd March 1897 and lasted up to 17th March 1897, during which period 11 cases were attacked with the result that 3 proved fatal and 8 cases recovered. Necessary measures for checking the spread of the disease were immediately adopted in terms of G.O., No. 1536 M., dated 9th September 1896.

55. (5) *Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering*—(*a*) (*i*) *Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 409–1–3 against the budget estimate of Rs. 430. The expenditure represented the pay of one inspector, one peon, 10 sweepers and 4 scavengers, and the saving of Rs. 15–14–9 was from fines and stoppages.

56. (*ii*) *Other Charges, such as Purchase or Hire of Carts, Dry Earth, Purchase and Maintenance or hire of bullocks.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to

Rs. 226 against the budget estimate of Rs. 240. Five pairs of bullocks were hired at Rs. 9 per pair for five rubbish carts at work in the town. A charge of Re. 1 was incurred in repairing the rubbish carts and supplying dry-earth.

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58. (*c*) *Cholera Charges.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 47-2-8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 100. The charge incurred was for the purchase of cholera medicines detailed in G.O., No. 1536, dated 9th September 1896.

59. (*d*) *Contingencies.*—No charge was incurred under this head against the budget estimate of Rs. 20.

60. The total charges under Grant 3 thus amounted to Rs. 2,401-1-7 against the budget estimate of Rs. 2,680.

61. *Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*—(*i*) *Lighting*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rs. 43-12-6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. The expenditure represented the pay of two lamp-lighters for the half-year. There are 45 lights in the town. The saving of Rs. 6-3-6 was fines and stoppages.

62. *Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rupees 63-0-6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 90. The charge incurred was for kerosine-oil, tape, chimneys, &c., purchased for lighting the town departmentally.

63. (3) *Choultries*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The sum expended under this head amounted to Rs. 62-2-8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 80. The choultry has three portions — one for Brahmins, one for Sudras and the third for Muhammadans, Eurasians and Christians. The first portion is watched by a Brahmin servant who supplies water to travellers for drinking purposes. The second and third are watched by a Sudra servant to prevent the travellers from committing nuisance within the premises, lighting it and supervising the choultry in general. There are two latrines attached to the choultry which are cleaned by a scavenger. There were two scavengers at the beginning. In November last the services of one scavenger were dispensed with as the work was too light for two scavengers. The charge represented the pay of all these servants, and the saving of Rs. 17-13-4 was from the allotment of the scavenger's pay, who was dispensed with.

64. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rs. 8-3-3 against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. The charge was for lighting the choultry and for the purchase of coir ropes, brooms required for cleaning the choultry by the sweeper, who is also a paid servant of the municipality (*vide* Statement 2-B).

65. (4) *Travellers' Bungalow*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rs. 44-10-8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 60. The decreased expenditure was due to the removal of a maty from 11th November 1896. The charge incurred was for the pay of a cook and toty for the half-year.

66. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Re. 1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 18. The charge incurred was for the pay of the dhoby attached to the bungalow for the months of October, November and December. His pay for the following months was paid in the current year as no bill was submitted within the year. No other contingent expenses were incurred during the half-year.

67. (9) *Other Charges*—(iii) *Printing.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 126-14-5 against the budget estimate of Rs. 200. The charge incurred was for printing proceedings and notices regarding the levy of taxes during the year.

68. The total charges under Grant 4 thus amounted to Rs. 349-12-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 510.

69. *Grant 5*, (*a*) *General Establishment*—(i) *Office Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 235-0-6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 260. The decrease was due to a portion of the office staff having joined the office in the middle of October and subsequently.



70. (ii) *Inspection.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 100 against the budget estimate of Rs. 100.

71. (*b*) *Collection of Municipal Taxes*—(i) *Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 86-10-5 against the budget estimate of Rs. 90. The decrease was due to a bill-collector having joined his appointment in the middle of October 1896.

72. (ii) *Purchase of Account Books, Paper, Money-boxes, Repairs to out-posts*, &c. —The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 78-14-6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 130. The charge incurred was for the purchase of account books and an iron safe for the office.

73. (*c*) *Collection of Tolls*—(ii) *Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 10-2-0 was spent under this head, being the cost of publishing the notification in the District Gazette for levy of tolls in the town. There was no budget allotment against this head. The amount was met from the savings under this grant.

74. (*d*) *Office Contingencies other than* (*b*) (ii).—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 122-8-8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 230. The charge incurred was for the purchase of an almirah, rubber stamps, perforating machine, stationery, letter balance, postage stamps, &c., for office use during the half-year under report.

75. The total charges under Grant 5 amounted to Rs. 633-4-1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 810.

76. *Advances recoverable*—(*a*) *Permanent.*—A sum of Rs. 33 was issued under this head which represented the permanent advance of Rs. 8 to the office and Rs. 25 to the hospital for the purpose of meeting contingent charges.

77. (*b*) *Others.*—Rs. 52-1-0 were charged under this head. Of this a sum of Rs. 51-8-9 was expended in the following manner:—Bills amounting to £28-2-5 were received from Messers. Burgoyne, Burbidges & Co. for medicines supplied during the half-year. By a mistake in the rate of exchange adopted by this office in converting the sterling value into Indian currency, an overpayment of Rs. 51-8-9 was made to the Company. The Company was communicated with as to the overpayment, and it has acknowledged to adjust it in the accounts for 1897-98. The sum of As. 8-3 referred to in paragraph 16 was also debited to this head.

78. The total income from the various sources, as shown in Statement I, amounted to Rs. 4,078-7-4. The total charges, as shown in Statement II, amounted to Rs. 3,823-1-11. The difference, viz., Rs. 255-5-5, is the balance with which the year closed.

79. The delay in the submission of this report is due to the audit of the accounts of this municipality for the half-year under report having been taken up early this month.

80. An exract from the minutes of proceedings of the council adopting this report is submitted, together with the educational statements, as noted in the margin.

I to IV.

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Enclosure.

Concise Report of the Municipal Hospital, Chingleput, for the second half of the official year 1896-97.

*Public Health.*—The health of the town may be considered to have been satisfactory. No epidemics have broken out, and although a few cases of cholera occurred, they were among people who were taken out at the station suffering from the disease, caught at other stations.

2. *Vital Statistics.*—Vital statistics are written up to date and found correct.

3. *Sanitation.*—The number of carts for removal of street rubbish is 5: this is not at all sufficient for such a straggling town, at least three more such carts should be kept. There are no night-soil carts; this state of things should be soon remedied. I think that if one or more cheap incinerators are constructed in suitable parts of the town, the carts now devoted to removal of street sweepings can be appropriated to removal of night-soil. There are only seven latrines

in the town; there are no latrines to the south of the town; in consequence this part is very dirty; the bye-lanes and sheltered spots are littered with filth. At least four more large latrines should be built.

There are no properly constructed drains and where some have been built in front of houses by the owners they are more a source of nuisance to neighbours than of any practical advantage. If a complete drainage scheme be introduced this would conduce to the health not only by preventing soakage of filth in road sides, but in disallowing encroachments on road side which prevent free percolation of air. A few cesspools exist, but the agency for the proper and periodical removal of their contents does not properly exist. There are very few houses, 62, where the system of private scavenging is in force. The rest of the houses do not possess private latrines and compel their owners to resort to open spaces.

4. *Vaccination.*—Compulsory vaccination was introduced from 1st April 1897. Two hundred and sixty-nine cases were vaccinated during the past half-year; of which 246 were successful and 23 unsuccessful. The births for the corresponding period were 139.

The hospital assistant attached to municipal hospital supervises the work of the vaccinator.

5. *Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—There is only one hospital in the town. The want of a lying-in ward is much felt. The limited space in the hospital is encroached upon by the necessity of having to afford accommodation for police sick. The staff of the hospital is sufficient. The recommendations made by Surgeon-General could not be carried out for want of funds.

6. *State of repair of furniture.*—Good and satisfactory.

7. *General remarks.*—No special remarks.

CHINGLEPUT, *2nd June* 1897. (Signed) H. A. F. NAILER, M.B., Surgn.-Lieut.-Col., *Dist. Medl. and Sanitary Officer.*

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Cur. No. 2216-Gl.

Forwarded to the Collector.

2. The memorandum of investments prescribed in G.O., No. 291 M., dated 25th February 1897, has not been submitted.

3. The roads within municipal limits are on the whole in fair order.

(Signed) J. H. ROBERTSON,
24th *June* 1897. *Ag. Sub-Collector.*

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2. Particulars of all the items having a fixed demand have not been given in Statement IV-A. The statement showing vital statistics and the vaccination return have not been submitted.

3. *Paragraph* 29.—The district board has in its resolution No. 9, dated 18th June instant, declined to grant the increased contribution.

4. *Paragraph* 30.—The private scavenging system during the half-year was self-supporting, the settled demand under the fees being Rs. 62-4-0 and the charges for the service amounting to Rs. 50.

5. *Paragraph.* 34.—The net receipts from tolls amounted to Rs. 1,257-12-1, but the expenditure on roads, even if payments had been made within the 31st March 1897, amounted to Rs. 200 or 15·10 per cent.

CHINGLEPUT, *30th June* 1897. (Signed) D. D. MURDOCH, *Ag. Collector.*

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ORDER—No. 1802 M., dated 19th August 1897.

The receipts and charges of the Chingleput Municipality for the latter half of the year 1896-97 are compared below with the budget estimate for the half-year:—



| | Budget estimate, 1896-97 (half year). | Actuals, 1896-97 (half year). |
|---|---|---|
| *Receipts.* | RS. | RS. |
| Tax on Arts | 1,000 | 412 |
| ,, on Buildings and Lands | 1,250 | 443 |
| ,, on Vehicles and Animals | 410 | 399 |
| ,, on Carts | 140 | 135 |
| Tolls | 900 | 1,258 |
| Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c. | 330 | 174 |
| Conservancy Receipts | 60 | 85 |
| Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions | 10 | 7 |
| Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions | 100 | 3 |
| License-fees | 20 | 2 |
| Other fees | 20 | 53 |
| Fines under Municipal and other Acts | 100 | 63 |
| Interest on Investments and Premium on Loans | 480 | .. |
| Grants and Contributions from Local Boards | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals | 50 | 44 |
| Total | 5,870 | 4,078 |
| *Charges.* | | |
| GRANT 1— | | |
| *New Works*— | | |
| Communications | 150 | .. |
| Repairs— | | |
| Communications | 350 | .. |
| Buildings | 300 | 60 |
| Drainage | 50 | 55 |
| Water-supply | 80 | 76 |
| Tools and Plant and other Stores | 50 | 3 |
| Total | 980 | 194 |
| GRANT 2— | | |
| Municipal Schools— | | |
| On the Salary-result system | 190 | 126 |
| Grants-in-aid— | | |
| Salary grants | 40 | 34 |
| Result ,, | 540 | .. |
| Total | 770 | 160 |
| GRANT 3— | | |
| Hospitals and Dispensaries | 1,690 | 1,577 |
| Vaccination | 90 | 61 |
| Registration of Births and Deaths | 60 | 31 |
| Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering | 840 | 732 |
| Total | 2,680 | 2,401 |
| GRANT 4— | | |
| Lighting | 140 | 107 |
| Choultries | 100 | 70 |
| Travellers' Bungalows | 70 | 46 |
| Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other Charges. | 200 | 127 |
| Total | 510 | 350 |
| GRANT 5— | | |
| Supervision and Management | 810 | 633 |
| Advances Recoverable | .. | 85 |
| Balance | 120 | 255 |
| Total | 5,870 | 4,078 |

2. The town of Chingleput was constituted a municipality on the 1st October 1896. During the half year under review, the municipal council held ten meetings. The average attendance of the non-official members was good, but the officials attended very irregularly. The Collector will call their attention individually to G.O., No. 859 M., dated 10th April 1897.

3. The total receipts and charges of the half year amounted to Rs. 4,078 and Rs. 3,823, respectively, against Rs. 5,870 and Rs. 5,750 anticipated in the sanctioned budget, the decrease being but partly explained in paragraphs 7, 28 and 44 of the Chairman's report.

4. *Receipts.*—(1) The demand under the tax on arts as originally fixed by the Chairman amounted to Rs. 628, but as much as 16·7 per cent. of this sum was remitted by the municipal council on appeal. This shows that either the Chairman's assessments were overestimated or the council was unduly lenient in granting remissions. The taxes on buildings and lands were assessed at Rs. 1,426 and Rs. 76, respectively. The municipality should not have omitted to assess lands unappropriated to buildings. The result of the revision of the house-tax registers, which is now being made, should be reported to Government at an early date.

*(2) The collections under the tax on arts were fair; but under the tax on buildings they amounted to 31·1 per cent. only of the demand, and nothing was realized under the tax on lands. These unsatisfactory results are, however, explained in paragraphs 10 and 12 of the Chairman's report.*

*(3) The municipal council should endeavour to develop the income from license-fees and to extend the private scavenging system.*

5. *Expenditure*—(1) *Public Works.*—*No new work of any importance was under*taken during the year. The total outlay on communications, even if payments had been made within the half-year, would have amounted to only 15·1 per cent. of the net municipal income from tolls; but the town roads are reported by the Sub-Collector to have been, on the whole, in fair order. The attention of the municipal council is drawn to G.O., No. 2288 L., dated 5th October 1889, under which the sanction of Government should have been obtained for the entertainment of the extra drain-cleaners referred to in paragraph 35 of the Chairman's report. This is now accorded.

(2) *Education.*—The net expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 153 or 5·8 per cent. of the receipts from taxation. Of this sum Rs. 34 were spent on secondary, and the remainder on primary, education. Two primary schools on the salary-result system—one for Muhammadans and the other for Panchamas—were maintained by the municipal council. The attendance at these institutions was fair and the results of the departmental examinations were good. The council also aided with salary grants one secondary school. No information has been furnished in the Chairman's report regarding the working of this institution—an omission which should not recur. The allotment for result grants was allowed to lapse for the reason assigned in paragraph 44 of the Chairman's report. The total number of boys under instruction in the municipal and aided schools was 289 or only 39·1 per cent. of the male population of the school-going age against an average of 57·3 per cent. for municipalities in 1895–96.

(3) *Medical relief.*—Two hundred and ten in-patients and 5,994 out-patients were treated at the municipal hospital, and the midwife attached to this institution attended 34 cases of labour during the half year under review.

(4) *Vaccination and Vital Statistics.*—The reported number of persons vaccinated during the half year was 269 and the quality of the work turned out was good. Infantile vaccination was backward, the number of children under one year of age successfully vaccinated being 65 or only 6·7 per mille of the population against a registered birth-rate of 14·3 per mille. Now that vaccination has been made compulsory, it is hoped that better results will be achieved in the current year.

Only 139 births and 117 deaths were registered during the half year. The returns in both cases are evidently incomplete, the rates recorded being much below the normal. Every endeavour should be made to improve the registration of vital statistics in the current year.



(5) *Sanitation.*—Nearly 13 per cent. of the allotment under this head was allowed to lapse and the expenditure amounted to Rs. 732 or 18 per cent. of the current receipts. No information has been furnished in the Chairman's report regarding the action taken by the municipal council to improve the sanitation of the town. From paragraph 3 of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer's report it appears that a great deal remains to be done in this direction. Energetic steps should be taken to remedy the defects pointed out by him as funds permit.

6. *General Remarks.*—The year closed with a balance of Rs. 255 or 6·3 per cent. of the current receipts.

In view of the fact that the municipality was but recently constituted, the work done was fair.

(True Extract.)

*G. S. FORBES,*
*Secretary to Government.*

*To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Chingleput.*
" *Collector of Chingleput.*
" *President, District Board, Chingleput.*
" Accountant-General.
" Director of Public Instruction.
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## AUGUST.

**Administration Report.**

Reviewing the — of the Chingleput Municipal Council for 1896–97.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

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READ—the following paper:—

From Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. F. NAILER, M.B., Chairman, Municipal Council, Chingleput, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Sub-Collector and Collector of the District), dated 19th June 1897, No. 60-Gl.

I have the honour to submit my report on the administration of the Chingleput Municipality for the second half of 1896–97, with the statements prescribed in G.O., No. 2193, dated 10th December 1891, and the report of the District Medical and Sanitary officer on the working of the municipal hospital, Chingleput.

2. The council was constituted, from 1st October 1896, with 12 nominated councillors. The system of appointing councillors by election is not in force. Of the 12 nominated councillors, 3 are officials and the remaining 9 are non-officials. The variation in the sanctioned strength during the year was that a non-official member resigned his appointment and his seat was filled up by another non-official. The actual strength on the 31st March 1897 represented the sanctioned strength for the year. Of the sanctioned strength, 3 are Europeans and the remaining 9 are Natives.

3. The Chairman of the council was nominated by Government, and he is a Government official.

4. The number of meetings held was 10 and no meeting was adjourned for want of a quorum. The average attendance per meeting of the official and non-official members was 1·4 and 7·3, respectively.

I.—RECEIPTS.

5. The actual revenue from taxation and other sources for the second half of the year 1896–97, collected up to 31st March 1897, as per statement I, amounted to Rs. 4,078–7–4.

6. *Tax on Arts, Profession, Trades and Callings.*—The budget estimate of Rs. 1,000 shown in column 4 of the statement I was framed with reference to the gross income of traders.

7. There was some correspondence with Government and the Collector in regard to the original assessment under this tax which was intended to be levied in reference to the gross income of traders instead of the gross rents of their shops. The assessment that was fixed at the close of the correspondence was Rs. 627–8–0. Of this sum Rs. 104–8–0 were remitted by the council on appeal. The settled demand arrived at was Rs. 523, of which Rs. 412 were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 111, which has also since been collected.

8. The total number of persons assessed under classes II to VII was 138, which is 1·41 per cent. of the total population. The average incidence per head of population is 10·28 pies.



9. *Tax on Buildings.*—House-tax for the second half of the current year having been already collected by the late union, full demand against municipal assessment could not be made on the tax-payers. Consequently it was arranged between the council and the district board that the municipality should demand only the difference between the municipal and union rates of assessment, the taluk board refunding to the council the tax already collected for the second half-year and the municipality giving a receipt in full.

10. The original municipal assessment was Rs. 1,126–4–9. Of this Rs. 909–12–0 were recoverable from the taluk board, leaving a net demand of Rs. 516–8–9 collectable by municipal agency. Union valuation having been adopted, there was no room for remissions. Rs. 442–14–9 or 85·74 per cent. of the net demand were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 73–10–0 collectable by municipal agency and Rs. 909–12–0 payable by the taluk board. There were no vacancy remissions, nor were sums to be written off Out of the former Rs. 72–5–0 and of the latter the whole, have since been collected.

11. The total number of houses as per census of 1891 was 1,479, but the number of houses assessed was 1,495. The increase is due to new houses constructed subsequent to the census of 1891. A thorough revision of house-tax is being made for the current year. This will probably reveal that some more houses have been constructed. The incidence of taxation per house is As. 15-3.

12. *Tax on Lands.*—There was some difficulty in settling the demand under this tax owing to the municipal assessment having taken the place of land-cess. It was proposed that the land-cess collected by the revenue authorities for the second half of 1896–97 should be made over to the municipality as representing municipal assessment for that period. This was not agreed to by the Collector. Notices had therefore to be published explaining to the tax-payers that they would have to pay the municipal assessment on lands for the second half of 1896–97 and that, by order of the Collector, the land-cess paid by them for the same period would be refunded to them by him. The correspondence connected with the proposal, brought the time down to the middle of March. The original assessment under this tax was Rs. 75–14–9 on 410·1 acres of land. Thus from the settled demand of Rs. 75–14–9, As. 1–10 were collected within the year, leaving a balance of Rs. 75–12–11, of which Rs. 56–6–11 or 74·44 per cent. of the balance has since been collected. This tax refers only to wet and dry lands within municipal limits. The tax on lands unappropriated to buildings was not levied during the year under report.

13. The average tax per acre amounted to As. 2–11 during the half-year.

14. *Tax on Vehicles, Animals and Carts.*—The demand under these heads amounted to Rs. 698–12–0. Applications having been received for exemption from tax for ploughing cattle and dhobies' asses, Government was addressed for exemption, and sanction was accorded in order, No. 630 M., dated 19th March 1897, exempting these. This exemption reduced the demand by Rs. 126–12–0, which represented the tax on ploughing cattle and dhobies' asses. From the reduced demand of Rs. 572, Rs. 146–4–0 for vehicles, Rs. 252–12–0 for animals, Rs. 135 for carts were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 9, 22 and 7, respectively. From this balance of Rs. 38 in total, Rs. 23–4–0 have since been collected.

15. *Coercive Process.*—The time for execution of warrants had not arrived within the close of the year on account of the meetings of the council for hearing appeals having been held only at the end of March. The principle of taking immediate steps for realization of taxes could not be strictly enforced during the year under report, as the municipality was new and its doings were new to the people. However, necessary coercive process have been gradually adopted in collecting the arrears of taxes.

16. *Tolls.*—At the beginning of the second half-year, there were five toll-gates, one toll-gate was not placed during the half-year under report on account of there being a toll-gate set up by district board on it at 2½ miles from municipal limits. The district board, as compensation to the municipality, paid two-thirds of half of the annual rent of this gate, viz., Rs. 766–10–8. The amount realized on the sale of the five gates referred to above was Rs. 723. The tolls were collected departmentally on the day of auction when the contractor did not take charge of the tolls and realized

Rs. 8-6-6. The penal interest on overdue instalments of the rent on five gates amounted to As. 2-8. The total realization under tolls was Rs. 1,498-3-10. The realization under tolls departmentally, for which the district board was again entitled to a third share, was Rs. 731-9-2. From this a sum of Rs. 10-2-0 was deducted for the cost of a notification in the District Gazette for levy of tolls during the half-year. The share due to the district board on the balance was Rs 240-7-9. In lieu of this sum Rs. 241, which was a third of Rs. 723 referred to above, were paid, making thereby an overpayment of As. 8-3, which will be adjusted in the current year. The net realization was Rs. 1,257-12-1.

17. *Incidence of Taxation.*—The population of the town, according to the census of 1891, was 9,763. The total income from taxation was Rs. 2,646-12-8, including tolls, Rs. 1,389-0-7 excluding them. The average incidence of tax per head of population was As. 4-4 under the former and As. 2-3 under the latter.

18. *Miscellaneous Receipt—Revenue derived from Municipal Property and Powers apart from Taxation—Rent of Lands.*—The demand, as now worked out from the information now given under this head by the Revenue Department, amounted to Rs. 56-11-0 against the sum of Rs. 100 estimated in the budget for the year under report. This sum is the revenue from lands endowed to the municipal choultry (which was hitherto called Local fund choultry) in the village of Anoor, Chingleput taluk, and in the village of Sríperumbúdúr, Conjeeveram taluk. Of this Rupees 34-12-2 were realized and credited to the Municipal funds within the year. Steps are being taken to have the balance of Rs. 21-14-10 credited to the Municipal funds. The difference between the demand and the budget estimate is due to the adoption in the latter of the figures for a whole year instead of half-year, the other half being claimed by the district board.

19. *Avenue Receipts.*—Rs. 31-3-1 have been collected against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. This is a fluctuating item.

20. *Fees from Travellers' Bungalow.*—The amount realized under this head was Rs. 92 against the budget estimate of Rs. 200. No correct estimate could be framed of the receipts from this source, which are dependant upon the favourableness of the shooting season.

21. *Produce of Lands, Gardens, &c.*—The receipts under this head amounted to Rs. 16-3-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 10.

22. *Sale-proceeds of Night-soil, Street-refuse, &c.*—The receipts under this head amounted to Rs. 85-4-6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 60. Special attention was paid to enhancing the receipts from this source by getting the villagers explained as to the advantages. This is a hopeful sign and is probably an indication that the villagers to whom the nutritive value of animal manure was explained are beginning to realize the truth of such explanation.

23. *Fees from Educational Institutions.*—There are two municipal schools maintained by the municipality on the salary-result system—one is a school for Muhammadan children and the other for Panchama children. Primary education is imparted. The school for Panchama children is a free one. The fees collected from the Muhammadan school are Rs. 7-7-3. Fees for the month of October 1896, viz., Rs. 1-11-0, appear to have been remitted by the schoolmaster direct to the treasury where, by a mistake, the amount was credited to the Local funds. The subject is under correspondence with the treasury which has not as yet communicated the transfer of the sum to the Municipal funds. There appears to be also some correspondence between the treasury and the Treasury Deputy Collector which is not as yet close.

24. *Sale-proceeds and Composition Fees of Medicines.*—The total of bills for medicines supplied during the second half of the year under report amounted to Rs. 15-4-0, of which Rs. 2-8-3 have been collected within the year. From the balance of Rs. 12-11-9, Rs. 9-7-0 have since been collected. The amount estimated in the budget was Rs. 100. The rates charged for medicines are much more favourable now than when the hospital was under Local funds. The reduction of receipts under this head is engaging attention. Monthly subscriptions are being invited as composition fees for medicines supplied in the current year. Endeavours are being made to improve the receipts under this head.



25. *License Fees.*—The receipts from this source amounted to Rs. 2-1-1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. The amount estimated was with reference to licenses that might be issued for erecting temporary pandals during festivals and marriage occasions. This part of the year not having been a season for marriage, accounts for reduction in the receipts under this head.

26. *Cart Stamp Fees.*—The amount realized under this head was Rs. 52-12-4 against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. The income from this source was derived from leasing out three permanent public cart-stands and from a temporary cart-stand erected during the Tirukkalikundrum festival.

27. *Fines under Municipal and Other Acts.*—The amount realized under this head was Rs. 63 against the budget estimate of Rs. 100. The decrease in the receipts from this source in the year under report is due to the council only filing a few cases for offences under the Municipal Act with a view not to render the introduction of the Act into the town an oppression to the people who are new to the requirements of the Act

28. *Interest on Investments*—(iii) *Medical.*—The amount provided in the budget (viz., Rs. 480), as interest derivable from the Government promissory notes, which are the endowment of the hospital, was not realized within the year. The President, District Board and the Collector was addressed on the subject with the result that a sum of Rs. 432-14-8 is intimated to have since been credited to the municipal funds, *i.e.*, on 17th May 1897. The balance has also since been received.

29. *Grants and Contributions from Local Boards.*—The amount realized from this source during the year was Rs. 1,000 against the budget estimate of that sum. The district board was asked at first to contribute Rs. 1,250, at the rate of Rs. 2,500 per annum, on account of the upkeep of the hospital during the half-year. The hospital is resorted to more by the people of the outlying villages than those of the town. The number of in-patients from the outlying villages and the cost on account of them is nearly five times that for town in-patients. The district board sanctioned only a thousand for the half-year under report on the ground that the medicines and stationery required for the hospital had been supplied before the municipality was created. As this ground cannot hold good for the current year, the Board has again been addressed to consider the question of the increased contribution for 1897-98 and to sanction Rs. 2,500 a year.

30. *Miscellaneous, Recoveries on account of services rendered to Private Individuals*—(i) *Private Scavenging.*—There were 62 houses on the register of private scavenging in the beginning of the year. There has been no addition nor withdrawal. This gives 4 per cent of the number of houses under assessment. Endeavours are being made to increase the number of houses during the current year as far as possible. Thirteen new houses have been registered up to the date of report for the current year. All licenses for new houses are now granted on the condition that the owners provide suitable latrine accommodation. The demand under this head was Rs. 62-4-0. Of this, Rs. 44-7-0 were collected within the half-year, leaving a balance of Rs.17-13-3. From this balance Rs. 15 have been collected since.

## II.—EXPENDITURE.

31. The total charges of the half-year amounted to Rs. 3,823-1-11 against the budget estimate of Rs. 5,870.

32. *Grant 1, Public Works*—(i) *New Works*—(*a*) *Communications.*—The total length of the roads maintained by the municipality is 6 miles 7½ furlongs, which are all metalled. Two culverts were budgeted for at a cost of Rs. 150 and sanctioned. These culverts were constructed during the close of the year on a revised estimate of Rs. 90. As a certificate for the proper execution of the work was not received within the year from the members of the ward concerned, and as the funds expected from the taluk board referred to in paragraph 10 under receipts was not received, payment was not made to the contractor.

33. (ii) *Repairs*—(*a*) *Communications.*—Repairs to two roads and one street, estimated at Rs. 350, were budgeted for and sanctioned. The execution of repairs to the two roads was postponed to the current year by a resolution of the council in February

last in consideration of the insufficient time it had before the close of the year and of the impracticability to finish the repairs satisfactorily within that time. The repair to the Chetty street, at a cost of Rs. 50, was taken up and executed. As a completion certificate from the ward concerned for the proper execution of the work was not received in time owing to the work not having been completed satisfactorily within 31st March, no payment was made within the year.

34. *Buildings.*—The amount expended under this head within the year was Rs. 60 against the budget allotment of Rs. 300. The annual repairs to the hospital at a cost of Rs. 200 (which was estimated at Rs. 210), choultry at Rs. 60 and the travellers' bungalow at Rs. 30 were executed during the half-year. The choultry repair was paid for. The other repairs were executed, but payment was not made for want of funds which came in only in April of the current year.

35. (*c*) *Drainage*—(ii) *Establishment for flushing drains, &c.*—Two drain-cleaners were budgeted for to clean the drains. These two were found to be quite unable to cope with the work in the latter part of November and December 1896, when, owing to heavy rains, the side channels were filled with sand and stones washed down from the slope of hills. This caused considerable damage to the roads and streets by over-flow of water. The necessity for two more drain-cleaners was very great and the council consequently resolved to have two additional men. The pay for these two extra men increased the budget allotment by Rs. 5-7-6, which was intended to be met from savings under tools and plants.

36. (*d*) *Water-supply*—(ii) *Establishment.*—The amount of expenditure under this head was Rs. 75-0-7. This sum represented the pay of four watchmen employed to conserve the tanks used for drinking purposes. The saving of Rs. 4-15-5 was from fines and stoppages of the watchmen.

37. (iii) *Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 1-3-0 was spent under this head for erecting a hut on the bunds of Vepankolam for the use of watchmen. This amount was met from the savings of establishment. The necessary transfer of allotment has also since been effected.

38. *Tools and Plants and other Stores.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 2-8-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. Purchase of stores under this head was not made during the year.

39. The total charges under Grant 1 thus amounted to Rs. 194-3-1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 980.

40. *Grant 2, Education*—(ii) *On Salary-results System*—(*a*) *Fixed Payments.*—There are two schools maintained under the system—one for Muhammadan children and the other for Panchama children. The total strength of these schools in the beginning of the half-year was 72. There were 24 admissions and 24 withdrawals during the half-year which closed with 72, of whom three were girls in the Cheri school and the remaining were boys in both schools. These schools presented 54 boys for examination, of whom 28 were declared successful. The amount expended under this head was Rs. 74-15-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 80. The expenses represented the monthly salaries of the schoolmasters.

41. (*b*) *Result Grants.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 25-4-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 70. The sum expended was for the result grant earned by the Gundur cheri schoolmaster for the second half of the year 1896-97. The balance of Rs. 44-12-0 represented the result grant of the Muhammadan school-master which was not paid within the year, as the cheque issued on that account on the last day of March remained uncashed on that date.

42. (*c*) *Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 25-6-6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 40. The expenses incurred represented the Muhammadan school-rent, which was paid at Rs. 4 per mensem, and the cost for purchasing paper, pencil, &c., for the use of both schools.

43. (3) *Salary Grants.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 34-2-8 against the estimate of Rs. 40. The sum spent was upon bills submitted by the Manager, Free Church Mission High school.



44. (4) *Result Grant.*—No expenditure was incurred under this head as no bills for result grants were received during the year under report.

45. The total charges under Grant 2 thus amounted to Rs. 159-12-2 against the budget estimate of Rs. 770.

46. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services*—(i) *Hospital and Dispensaries*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 567-10-11 against the budget estimate of Rs. 570. The staff was the same as that provided for and sanctioned in the budget. The small saving of Rs. 2-5-1 was due to fines and stoppages.

47. (*b*) *Medicines and Supplies.*—The expenditure under this head came up to Rs. 522-2-9 against the budget estimate of Rs. 340. The increased expenditure of Rs. 182-2-9 was due to bills, amounting to the expenditure referred to above, having been received from Messrs. Burgoyne, Burbidges & Co., &c., for supplies of medicines during the half-year under report. As money to the extent required was available from savings under "Diet of patients" and "Sundries and contingencies," it was transferred by a resolution of the council for expenditure under this head.

48. (*c*) *Diet of Patients.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 198-11-5 against the budget estimate of Rs. 380 The cost under this item being dependant on the number of patients dieted, the decrease was due to large number of in-patients not having been treated during the year under report. The saving of Rs. 181-4-7 was transferred to the head of "Medicines and supplies" as stated in the preceding paragraph.

49. (*d*) *Sundries and Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 287-15-1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 400 resulting in a saving of Rupees 112-0-11. A sum of As. 14-2 was, on sanction of the council, transferred to the head of "Medicines and supplies" to make up the full amount required under that head.

50. (3) *Vaccination*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—There is only one vaccinator for the town. His pay amounted to Rs. 37-15-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 40. The saving was due to the vaccinator having taken charge of his duty from 9th October 1896, whereby the allotment for eight days was saved. Non-compulsory vaccination was in force during the year. The number of operations performed during the half-year was 269, of which 246 proved successful. The operations were performed with glycerine paste obtained from the district board on payment.

51. Compulsory vaccination was introduced during the current year.

52. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 23-6-6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. The expenses were chiefly sums paid to the district board towards the cost of glycerine paste purchased for vaccination at Rs. 5 for every 20 grains.

53. *Registration of Births and Deaths*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 31 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. The amount spent was for the pay of the registrar who took charge of his appointment from 28th November 1896.

54. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—There was no expenditure under this head during the half-year under report against the sum of Rs. 10 estimated in the budget. The total number of births and deaths registered during the half-year was 139 and 117, respectively. There was a mild outbreak of cholera which commenced from 2nd March 1897 and lasted up to 17th March 1897, during which period 11 cases were attacked with the result that 3 proved fatal and 8 cases recovered. Necessary measures for checking the spread of the disease were immediately adopted in terms of G.O., No. 1536 M., dated 9th September 1896.

55. (5) *Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering*—(*a*) (*i*) *Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 409-1-3 against the budget estimate of Rs. 430. The expenditure represented the pay of one inspector, one peon, 10 sweepers and 4 scavengers, and the saving of Rs. 15-14-9 was from fines and stoppages.

56. (*ii*) *Other Charges, such as Purchase or Hire of Carts, Dry Earth, Purchase and Maintenance or hire of bullocks.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to

Rs. 226 against the budget estimate of Rs. 240. Five pairs of bullocks were hired at Rs. 9 per pair for five rubbish carts at work in the town. A charge of Re. 1 was incurred in repairing the rubbish carts and supplying dry-earth.

57. *Private Scavenging*—(*i*) *Establishment.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rs. 50 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. The charge represented the pay of two scavengers on the private scavenging staff during the half-year under report.

58. (*c*) *Cholera Charges.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 47–2–8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 100. The charge incurred was for the purchase of cholera medicines detailed in G.O., No. 1536, dated 9th September 1896.

59. (*d*) *Contingencies.*—No charge was incurred under this head against the budget estimate of Rs. 20.

60. The total charges under Grant 3 thus amounted to Rs. 2,401–1–7 against the budget estimate of Rs. 2,680.

61. *Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*—(*i*) *Lighting*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rs. 43–12–6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. The expenditure represented the pay of two lamp-lighters for the half-year. There are 45 lights in the town. The saving of Rs. 6–3–6 was fines and stoppages.

62. *Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rupees 63–0–6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 90. The charge incurred was for kerosine-oil, tape, chimneys, &c., purchased for lighting the town departmentally.

63. (3) *Choultries*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The sum expended under this head amounted to Rs. 62–2–8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 80. The choultry has three portions — one for Brahmins, one for Sudras and the third for Muhammadans, Eurasians and Christians. The first portion is watched by a Brahmin servant who supplies water to travellers for drinking purposes. The second and third are watched by a Sudra servant to prevent the travellers from committing nuisance within the premises, lighting it and supervising the choultry in general. There are two latrines attached to the choultry which are cleaned by a scavenger. There were two scavengers at the beginning. In November last the services of one scavenger were dispensed with as the work was too light for two scavengers. The charge represented the pay of all these servants, and the saving of Rs. 17–13–4 was from the allotment of the scavenger's pay, who was dispensed with.

64. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rs. 8–3–3 against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. The charge was for lighting the choultry and for the purchase of coir ropes, brooms required for cleaning the choultry by the sweeper, who is also a paid servant of the municipality (*vide* Statement 2-B).

65. (4) *Travellers' Bungalow*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rs. 44–10–8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 60. The decreased expenditure was due to the removal of a maty from 11th November 1896. The charge incurred was for the pay of a cook and toty for the half-year.

66. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Re. 1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 18. The charge incurred was for the pay of the dhoby attached to the bungalow for the months of October, November and December. His pay for the following months was paid in the current year as no bill was submitted within the year. No other contingent expenses were incurred during the half-year.

67. (9) *Other Charges*—(iii) *Printing.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 126–14–5 against the budget estimate of Rs. 00. The charge incurred was for printing proceedings and notices regarding the levy of taxes during the year.

68. The total charges under Grant 4 thus amounted to Rs. 349–12–0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 510.

69. *Grant 5*, (*a*) *General Establishment*—(i) *Office Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 235–0–6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 260. The decrease was due to a portion of the office staff having joined the office in the middle of October and subsequently.



70. (ii) *Inspection.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 100 against the budget estimate of Rs. 100.

71. (*b*) *Collection of Municipal Taxes*—(i) *Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 86–10–5 against the budget estimate of Rs. 90. The decrease was due to a bill-collector having joined his appointment in the middle of October 1896.

72. (ii) *Purchase of Account Books, Paper, Money-boxes, Repairs to out-posts, &c.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 78–14–6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 130. The charge incurred was for the purchase of account books and an iron safe for the office.

73. (*c*) *Collection of Tolls*—(ii) *Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 10–2–0 was spent under this head, being the cost of publishing the notification in the District Gazette for levy of tolls in the town. There was no budget allotment against this head. The amount was met from the savings under this grant.

74. (*d*) *Office Contingencies other than* (*b*) (ii).—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 122–8–8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 230. The charge incurred was for the purchase of an almirah, rubber stamps, perforating machine, stationery, letter balance, postage stamps, &c., for office use during the half-year under report.

75. The total charges under Grant 5 amounted to Rs. 633–4–1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 810.

76. *Advances recoverable*—(*a*) *Permanent.*—A sum of Rs. 33 was issued under this head which represented the permanent advance of Rs. 8 to the office and Rs. 25 to the hospital for the purpose of meeting contingent charges.

77. (*b*) *Others.*—Rs. 52–1–0 were charged under this head. Of this a sum of Rs. 51–8–9 was expended in the following manner:—Bills amounting to £28–2–5 were received from Messers. Burgoyne, Burbidges & Co. for medicines supplied during the half-year. By a mistake in the rate of exchange adopted by this office in converting the sterling value into Indian currency, an overpayment of Rs. 51–8–9 was made to the Company. The Company was communicated with as to the overpayment, and it has acknowledged to adjust it in the accounts for 1897–98. The sum of As. 8–3 referred to in paragraph 16 was also debited to this head.

78. The total income from the various sources, as shown in Statement I, amounted to Rs. 4,078–7–4. The total charges, as shown in Statement II, amounted to Rs. 3,823–1–11. The difference, viz., Rs. 255–5–5, is the balance with which the year closed.

79. The delay in the submission of this report is due to the audit of the accounts of this municipality for the half-year under report having been taken up early this month.

80. An exract from the minutes of proceedings of the council adopting this report is submitted, together with the educational statements, as noted in the margin.

I to IV.

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ENCLOSURE.

CONCISE Report of the Municipal Hospital, Chingleput, for the second half of the official year 1896–97.

*Public Health.*—The health of the town may be considered to have been satisfactory. No epidemics have broken out, and although a few cases of cholera occurred, they were among people who were taken out at the station suffering from the disease, caught at other stations.

2. *Vital Statistics.*—Vital statistics are written up to date and found correct.

3. *Sanitation.*—The number of carts for removal of street rubbish is 5: this is not at all sufficient for such a straggling town, at least three more such carts should be kept. There are no night-soil carts; this state of things should be soon remedied. I think that if one or more cheap incinerators are constructed in suitable parts of the town, the carts now devoted to removal of street sweepings can be appropriated to removal of night-soil. There are only seven latrines

in the town; there are no latrines to the south of the town; in consequence this part is very dirty; the bye-lanes and sheltered spots are littered with filth. At least four more large latrines should be built.

There are no properly constructed drains and where some have been built in front of houses by the owners they are more a source of nuisance to neighbours than of any practical advantage. If a complete drainage scheme be introduced this would conduce to the health not only by preventing soakage of filth in road sides, but in disallowing encroachments on road side which prevent free percolation of air. A few cesspools exist, but the agency for the proper and periodical removal of their contents does not properly exist. There are very few houses, 62, where the system of private scavenging is in force. The rest of the houses do not possess private latrines and compel their owners to resort to open spaces.

4. *Vaccination.*—Compulsory vaccination was introduced from 1st April 1897. Two hundred and sixty-nine cases were vaccinated during the past half-year; of which 246 were successful and 23 unsuccessful. The births for the corresponding period were 139.

The hospital assistant attached to municipal hospital supervises the work of the vaccinator.

5. *Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—There is only one hospital in the town. The want of a lying-in ward is much felt. The limited space in the hospital is encroached upon by the necessity of having to afford accommodation for police sick. The staff of the hospital is sufficient. The recommendations made by Surgeon-General could not be carried out for want of funds.

6. *State of repair of furniture.*—Good and satisfactory.

7. *General remarks.*—No special remarks.

CHINGLEPUT, 2nd *June* 1897. (Signed) H. A. F. NAILER, M.B., Surgn.-Lieut.-Col., *Dist. Medl. and Sanitary Officer.*

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Cur. No. 2216-Gl.

Forwarded to the Collector.

2. The memorandum of investments prescribed in G.O., No. 291 M., dated 25th February 1897, has not been submitted.

3. The roads within municipal limits are on the whole in fair order.

(Signed) J. H. ROBERTSON, *Ag. Sub-Collector.*

24th *June* 1897.

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Dis. No. 1864.

Forwarded.

2. Particulars of all the items having a fixed demand have not been given in Statement IV-A. The statement showing vital statistics and the vaccination return have not been submitted.

3. *Paragraph* 29.—The district board has in its resolution No. 9, dated 18th June instant, declined to grant the increased contribution.

4. *Paragraph* 30.—The private scavenging system during the half-year was self-supporting, the settled demand under the fees being Rs. 62-4-0 and the charges for the service amounting to Rs. 50.

5. *Paragraph.* 34.—The net receipts from tolls amounted to Rs. 1,257-12-1, but the expenditure on roads, even if payments had been made within the 31st March 1897, amounted to Rs. 200 or 15·10 per cent.

CHINGLEPUT, 30*th June* 1897. (Signed) D. D. MURDOCH, *Ag. Collector.*

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ORDER—No. 1802 M., dated 19th August 1897.

The receipts and charges of the Chingleput Municipality for 1896-97 are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year and the actuals of 1895-96:—



| | Budget estimate, 1896-97 (half year). | Actuals, 1896-97 (half year). |
|---|---|---|
| *Receipts.* | RS. | RS. |
| Tax on Arts | 1,000 | 412 |
| „ on Buildings and Lands | 1,250 | 443 |
| „ on Vehicles and Animals | 410 | 399 |
| „ on Carts | 140 | 135 |
| Tolls | 900 | 1,258 |
| Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c. | 330 | 174 |
| Conservancy Receipts | 60 | 85 |
| Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions | 10 | 7 |
| Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions | 100 | 3 |
| License-fees | 20 | 2 |
| Other fees | 20 | 53 |
| Fines under Municipal and other Acts | 100 | 63 |
| Interest on Investments and Premium on Loans | 480 | .. |
| Grants and Contributions from Local Boards | 1,000 | 1,000 |
| Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals | 50 | 44 |
| Total | 5,870 | 4,078 |
| *Charges.* | | |
| GRANT 1— | | |
| *New Works*— | | |
| Communications | 150 | .. |
| Repairs— | | |
| Communications | 350 | .. |
| Buildings | 300 | 60 |
| Drainage | 50 | 55 |
| Water-supply | 80 | 76 |
| Tools and Plant and other Stores | 50 | 3 |
| Total | 980 | 194 |
| GRANT 2— | | |
| Municipal Schools— | | |
| On the Salary-result system | 190 | 126 |
| Grants-in aid— | | |
| Salary grants | 40 | 34 |
| Result „ | 540 | .. |
| Total | 770 | 160 |
| GRANT 3— | | |
| Hospitals and Dispensaries | 1,690 | 1,577 |
| Vaccination | 90 | 61 |
| Registration of Births and Deaths | 60 | 31 |
| Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering | 840 | 732 |
| Total | 2,680 | 2,401 |
| GRANT 4— | | |
| Lighting | 140 | 102 |
| Choultries | 100 | 70 |
| Travellers' Bungalows | 70 | 46 |
| Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other Charges | 200 | 127 |
| Total | 510 | 350 |
| GRANT 5— | | |
| Supervision and Management | 810 | 633 |
| Advances Recoverable | .. | 85 |
| Balance | 120 | 255 |
| Total | 5,870 | 4,078 |

2. The town of Chingleput was constituted a municipality on the 1st October 1896. During the half year under review, the municipal council held ten meetings. The average attendance of the non-official members was good, but the officials attended very irregularly. The Collector will call their attention individually to G.O., No. 859 M., dated 10th April 1897.

3. The total receipts and charges of the half year amounted to Rs. 4,078 and Rs. 3,823, respectively, against Rs. 5,870 and Rs. 5,750 anticipated in the sanctioned budget, the decrease being but partly explained in paragraphs 7, 28 and 44 of the Chairman's report.

4. *Receipts.*—(1) The demand under the tax on arts as originally fixed by the Chairman amounted to Rs. 628, but as much as 16·7 per cent. of this sum was remitted by the municipal council on appeal. This shows that either the Chairman's assessments were overestimated or the council was unduly lenient in granting remissions. The taxes on buildings and lands were assessed at Rs. 1,426 and Rs. 76, respectively. The municipality should not have omitted to assess lands unappropriated to buildings. The result of the revision of the house-tax registers, which is now being made, should be reported to Government at an early date.

(2) The collections under the tax on arts were fair; but under the tax on buildings they amounted to 31·1 per cent. only of the demand, and nothing was realized under the tax on lands. These unsatisfactory results are, however, explained in paragraphs 10 and 12 of the Chairman's report.

(3) The municipal council should endeavour to develop the income from license-fees and to extend the private scavenging system.

5. *Expenditure*—(1) *Public Works.*—No new work of any importance was undertaken during the year. The total outlay on communications, even if payments had been made within the half-year, would have amounted to only 15·1 per cent. of the net municipal income from tolls; but the town roads are reported by the Sub-Collector to have been, on the whole, in fair order. The attention of the municipal council is drawn to G.O., No. 2288 L., dated 5th October 1889, under which the sanction of Government should have been obtained for the entertainment of the extra drain-cleaners referred to in paragraph 35 of the Chairman's report. This is now accorded.

(2) *Education.*—The net expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 153 or 5·8 per cent. of the receipts from taxation. Of this sum Rs. 34 were spent on secondary, and the remainder on primary, education. Two primary schools on the salary-result system—one for Muhammadans and the other for Panchamas—were maintained by the municipal council. The attendance at these institutions was fair and the results of the departmental examinations were good. The council also aided with salary grants one secondary school. No information has been furnished in the Chairman's report regarding the working of this institution—an omission which should not recur. The allotment for result grants was allowed to lapse for the reason assigned in paragraph 44 of the Chairman's report. The total number of boys under instruction in the municipal and aided schools was 289 or only 39·1 per cent. of the male population of the school-going age against an average of 57·3 per cent. for municipalities in 1895–96.

(3) *Medical relief.*—Two hundred and ten in-patients and 5,994 out-patients were treated at the municipal hospital, and the midwife attached to this institution attended 34 cases of labour during the half year under review.

(4) *Vaccination and Vital Statistics.*—The reported number of persons vaccinated during the half year was 269 and the quality of the work turned out was good. Infantile vaccination was backward, the number of children under one year of age successfully vaccinated being 65 or only 6·7 per mille of the population against a registered birth-rate of 14·3 per mille. Now that vaccination has been made compulsory, it is hoped that better results will be achieved in the current year.

Only 139 births and 117 deaths were registered during the half year. The returns in both cases are evidently incomplete, the rates recorded being much below the normal. Every endeavour should be made to improve the registration of vital statistics in the current year.



(5) *Sanitation.*—Nearly 13 per cent. of the allotment under this head was allowed to lapse and the expenditure amounted to Rs. 732 or 18 per cent. of the current receipts. No information has been furnished in the Chairman's report regarding the action taken by the municipal council to improve the sanitation of the town. From paragraph 3 of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer's report it appears that a great deal remains to be done in this direction. Energetic steps should be taken to remedy the defects pointed out by him as funds permit.

6. *General Remarks.*—The year closed with a balance of Rs. 255 or 6·3 per cent. of the current receipts.

In view of the fact that the municipality was but recently constituted the work done was fair.

(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 Board.
" " Commissioner.
" " Engineer.
Editor's Table.

Exd. Md. Pahilvan.

21/1/97

C.N° 2421. M.

Chinglepet.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

From Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel H. A. F. NAILER, M.B., Chairman, Municipal Council, Chingleput, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Sub-Collector and Collector of the District), dated 19th June 1897, No. 60-Gl.

I have the honour to submit my report on the administration of the Chingleput Municipality for the second half of 1896–97, with the statements prescribed in G.O., No. 2193, dated 10th December 1891, and the report of the District Medical and Sanitary officer on the working of the municipal hospital, Chingleput.

2. The council was constituted, as from 1st October 1896, with 12 nominated councillors. The system of appointing councillors by election is not in force. Of the 12 nominated councillors, 3 are officials and the remaining 9 are non-officials. The variation in the sanctioned strength during the year was that a non-official member resigned his appointment and his seat was filled up by another non-official. The actual strength on the 31st March 1897 represented the sanctioned strength for the year. Of the sanctioned strength, 3 are Europeans and the remaining 9 are Natives.

3. The Chairman of the council was nominated by Government, and he is a Government official.

4. The number of meetings held was 10 and no meeting was adjourned for want of a quorum. The average attendance per meeting of the official and non-official members was 1·4 and 7·3, respectively.

I.—RECEIPTS.

5. The actual revenue from taxation and other sources for the second half of the year 1896–97, collected up to 31st March 1897, as per statement I, amounted to Rs. 4,078–7–4.

6. *Tax on Arts, Profession, Trades and Callings.*—The budget estimate of Rs. 1,000 shown in column 4 of the statement I was framed with reference to the gross income of traders.

7. There was some correspondence with Government and the Collector in regard to the original assessment under this tax which was intended to be levied in reference to the gross income of traders instead of the gross rents of their shops. The assessment that was fixed at the close of the correspondence was Rs. 627–8–0. Of this sum Rs. 104–8–0 were remitted by the council on appeal. The settled demand arrived at was Rs. 523, of which Rs. 412 were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 111, which has also since been collected.

8. The total number of persons assessed under classes II to VII was 138, which is 1·41 per cent. of the total population. The average incidence per head of population is 10·28 pies.



9. *Tax on Buildings.*—House-tax for the second half of the current year having been already collected by the late union, full demands against municipal assessment could not be made on the tax-payers. Consequently it was arranged between the council and the district board that the municipality should demand only the difference between the municipal and union rates of assessment, the taluk board refunding to the council the tax already collected for the second half-year and the municipality giving a receipt in full.

10. The original municipal assessment was Rs. 1,126–4–9. Of this Rs. 909–12–0 were recoverable from the taluk board, leaving a net demand of Rs. 516–8–9 collectable by municipal agency. Union valuation having been adopted, there was no room for remissions. Rs. 442–14–9 or 85·74 per cent. of the net demand were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 73–10–0 collectable by municipal agency and Rs. 909–12–0 payable by the taluk board. There were no vacancy remissions nor were sums to be written off. Out of the former Rs. 72–5–0 and of the latter the whole, have since been collected.

11. The total number of houses as per census of 1891 was 1,479, but the number of houses assessed was 1,495. The increase is due to new houses constructed subsequent to the census of 1891. A thorough revision of house-tax is being made for the current year. This will probably reveal that some more houses have been constructed. The incidence of taxation per house is As. 15-3.

12. *Tax on Lands.*—There was some difficulty in settling the demand under this tax owing to the municipal assessment having taken the place of land-cess. It was proposed that the land-cess collected by the revenue authorities for the second half of 1896–97 should be made over to the municipality as representing municipal assessment for that period. This was not agreed to by the Collector. Notices had therefore to be published explaining to the tax-payers that they would have to pay the municipal assessment on lands for the second half of 1896–97 and that, by order of the Collector, the land-cess paid by them for the same period would be refunded to them by him. The correspondence connected with the proposal, brought the time down to the middle of March. The original assessment under this tax was Rs. 75–14–9 or 410·1 acres of land. Thus from the settled demand of Rs. 75–14–9, As. 1–10 were collected within the year, leaving a balance of Rs. 75–12–11, of which Rs. 56–6–11 or 74·44 per cent. of the balance has since been collected. This tax refers only to wet and dry lands within municipal limits. The tax on lands unappropriated to buildings was not levied during the year under report.

13. The average tax per acre amounted to As. 2–11 during the half-year.

14. *Tax on Vehicles, Animals and Carts.*—The demands under these heads amounted to Rs. 698–12–0. Applications having been received for exemption from tax for ploughing cattle and dhobies' asses, Government was addressed for exemption, and sanction was accorded in order, No. 630 M., dated 19th March 1897, exempting these. This exemption reduced the demand by Rs. 126–12–0, which represented the tax on ploughing cattle and dhobies' asses. From the reduced demand of Rs. 572, Rs. 146–4–0 for vehicles, Rs. 252–12–0 for animals, Rs. 135 for carts were collected, leaving a balance of Rs. 9, 22 and 7, respectively. From this balance of Rs. 38 in total, Rs. 23–4–0 have since been collected.

15. *Coercive Process.*—The time for execution of warrants had not arrived within the close of the year on account of the meetings of the council for hearing appeals having been held only at the end of March. The principle of taking immediate steps for realization of taxes could not be strictly enforced during the year under report, as the municipality was new and its doings were new to the people. However, necessary coercive process have been gradually adopted in collecting the arrears of taxes.

16. *Tolls.*—At the beginning of the second half-year, there were five toll-gates, one toll-gate was not placed during the half-year under report on account of there being a toll-gate set up by district board on it at 2¼ miles from municipal limits. The district board, as compensation to the municipality, paid two-thirds of half of the annual rent of this gate, viz., Rs. 766–10–8. The amount realized on the sale of the five gates referred to above was Rs. 723. The tolls were collected departmentally on the day of auction when the contractor did not take charge of the tolls and realized

Rs. 8-6-6. The penal interest on overdue instalments of the rent on five gates amounted to As. 2-8. The total realization under tolls was Rs. 1,498-3-10. The realization under tolls departmentally, for which the district board was again entitled to a third share, was Rs. 731-9-2. From this a sum of Rs. 10-2-0 was deducted for the cost of a notification in the District Gazette for levy of tolls during the half-year. The share due to the district board on the balance was Rs. 240-7-9. In lieu of this sum Rs. 241, which was a third of Rs. 723 referred to above, were paid, making thereby an overpayment of As. 8-3, which will be adjusted in the current year. The net realization was Rs. 1,257-12-1.

17. *Incidence of Taxation.*—The population of the town, according to the census of 1891, was 9,763. The total income from taxation was Rs. 2,646-12-8, including tolls, Rs. 1,389-0-7 excluding them. The average incidence of tax per head of population was As. 4-4 under the former and As. 2-3 under the latter.

18. *Miscellaneous Receipt—Revenue derived from Municipal Property and Powers apart from Taxation—Rent of Lands.*—The demand, as now worked out from the information now given under this head by the Revenue Department, amounted to Rs. 56-11-0 against the sum of Rs. 100 estimated in the budget for the year under report. This sum is the revenue from lands endowed to the municipal choultry (which was hitherto called Local fund choultry) in the village of Anoor, Chingleput taluk, and in the village of Sríperumbúdúr, Conjeeveram taluk. Of this Rupees 34-12-2 were realized and credited to the Municipal funds within the year. Steps are being taken to have the balance of Rs. 21-14-10 credited to the Municipal funds. The difference between the demand and the budget estimate is due to the adoption in the latter, the figures for a whole year instead of half-year, the other half being claimed by district board.

19. *Avenue Receipts.*—Rs. 31-3-1 have been collected against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. This is a fluctuating item.

20. *Fees from Travellers' Bungalow.*—The amount realized under this head was Rs. 92 against the budget estimate of Rs. 200. No correct estimate could be framed on receipt from this source, which is dependant upon the favourableness of the shooting season.

21. *Produce of Lands, Gardens, &c.*—The receipt under this head amounted to Rs. 16-3-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 10.

22. *Sale-proceeds of Night-soil, Street-refuse, &c.*—The receipt under this head amounted to Rs. 85-4-6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 60. Special attention was paid to enhancing the receipt from this source by getting the villagers explained as to the advantages. This is a hopeful sign and is probably an indication that the villagers to whom the nutritive value of animal manure was explained are beginning to realize the truth of such explanation.

23. *Fees from Educational Institutions.*—There are two municipal schools maintained by the municipality on the salary-result system—one is a school for Muhammadan children and the other for Panchama children. Primary education is imparted. The school for Panchama children is a free one. The fees collected from the Muhammadan school are Rs. 7-7-3. Fees for the month of October 1896, viz., Rs. 1-11-0, appear to have been remitted by the schoolmaster direct to the treasury where, by a mistake, the amount was credited to the Local fund. The subject is under correspondence with the treasury which has not as yet communicated the transfer of the sum to the Municipal funds. There appears to be also some correspondence between the treasury and the Treasury Deputy Collector which is not as yet close.

24. *Sale-proceeds and Composition Fees of Medicines.*—The total of bills for medicines supplied during the second half of the year under report amounted to Rs. 15-4-0, of which Rs. 2-8-3 have been collected within the year. From the balance of Rs. 12-11-9, Rs. 9-7-0 have since been collected. The amount estimated in the budget was Rs. 100. The rates regarding charge for medicines are much more favourable now than when the hospital was under Local fund. The reduction of receipts under this head is engaging attention. Monthly subscriptions are being invited as composition fees for medicines supplied in the current year. Endeavours are being made to improve the receipts under this head.



25. *License Fees.*—The receipt from this source amounted to Rs. 2-1-1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. The amount estimated was with reference to licenses that might be issued for erecting temporary pandals during festivals and marriage occasions. This part of the year not having been a season for marriage, accounts for reduction in the receipt under this head.

26. *Cart Stamp Fees.*—The amount realized under this head was Rs. 52-12-4 against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. The income from this source was derived from leasing out three permanent public cart-stands and from a temporary cart-stand erected during the Tirukkalikundrum festival.

27. *Fines under Municipal and Other Acts.*—The amount realized under this head was Rs. 63 against the budget estimate of Rs. 100. The decrease in receipt in this source in the year under report is due to the council only filing a few cases for offences under the Municipal Act with a view not to render introduction of the Act into the town an oppression to the people who are new to the requirements of the Act.

28. *Interest on Investments*—(iii) *Medical.*—The amount provided in the budget (viz., Rs. 480), as interest derivable from the Government promissory notes, which are the endowments of the hospital, was not realized within the year. The President, District Board, and the Collector was addressed on the subject with the result that a sum of Rs. 432-14-8 is intimated to have since been credited to the municipal funds, *i.e.*, on 17th May 1897. The balance has also since been received.

29. *Grants and Contributions from Local Boards.*—The amount realized from this source during the year was Rs. 1,000 against the budget estimate for that sum only. The district board was asked at first to contribute Rs. 1,250, at the rate of Rs. 2,500 per annum, on account of the upkeep of the hospital during the half-year. The hospital is resorted to more by the people of the outlying villages than those of the town. The number of in-patients from the outlying villages and the cost on account of them is nearly five times that for town in-patients. The district board sanctioned only a thousand for the half-year under report on the ground that the medicines and stationery required for the hospital had been supplied before the municipality was created. As this ground cannot hold good for the current year, the Board has again been addressed to consider the question of the increased contribution for 1897-98 and to sanction Rs. 2,500 a year.

30. *Miscellaneous, Recoveries on account of services rendered to Private Individuals* —(i) *Private Scavenging.*—There were 62 houses on the register of private scavenging in the beginning of the year. There has been no addition nor withdrawal. This gives 4 per cent. of the number of houses under assessment. Endeavours are being made to increase the number of houses during the current year as far as possible. Thirteen new houses have been registered up to the date of report for the current year. All licenses for new houses are now granted on the condition that the owners provide suitable latrine accommodation. The demand under this head was Rs. 62-4-0. Of this, Rs. 44-7-0 were collected within the half-year, leaving a balance of Rs.17-13-3. From this balance Rs. 15 have been collected since.

## II.—Expenditure.

31. The total charges of the half-year amounted to Rs. 3,823-1-11 against the budget estimate of Rs. 5,870.

32. *Grant 1, Public Works*—(i) *New Works*—(*a*) *Communications.*—The total length of the roads maintained by the municipality is 6 miles 7½ furlongs, which are all metalled. Two culverts were budgeted for at a cost of Rs. 150 and sanctioned. These culverts were constructed during the close of the year on a revised estimate of Rs. 90. As a certificate for the proper execution of the work was not received within the year from the members of the ward concerned, and as the funds expected from the taluk board referred to in paragraph 10 under receipts was not received, payment was not made to the contractor.

33. (ii) *Repairs*—(*a*) *Communications.*—Repairs to two roads and one street, estimating to Rs. 350, were budgeted for and sanctioned. The execution of repairs to the two roads was postponed to the current year by a resolution of the council in February

last in consideration of the insufficient time it had before the close of the year and of the impracticability to finish the repairs satisfactorily within that time. The repair to the Chetty street, at a cost of Rs. 50, was taken up and executed. As a completion certificate from the ward concerned for the proper execution of the work was not received in time owing to the work not having been completed satisfactorily within 31st March, no payment was made within the year.

34. *Buildings.*—The amount expended under this head within the year was Rs. 60 against the budget allotment of Rs. 300. The annual repairs to the hospital at a cost of Rs. 200 (which was estimated at Rs. 210), choultry at Rs. 60 and the travellers' bungalow at Rs. 30 were executed during the half-year. The choultry repair was paid for. The other repairs were executed but payment was not made for want of funds which came in only in April of the current year.

35. (*c*) *Drainage*—(ii) *Establishment for flushing drains, &c.*—Two drain-cleaners were budgeted for to clean the drains. These two were found to be quite unable to cope with the work in the latter part of November and December 1896, when, owing to heavy rains, the side channels were filled with sand and stones washed down from the slope of hills. This caused considerable damage to the roads and streets by over-flow of water. The necessity for two more drain-cleaners was very great and the council consequently resolved to have two additional men. The pay for these two extra men increased the budget allotment by Rs. 5-7-6, which was intended to be met from savings under tools and plants.

36. (*d*) *Water-supply*—(ii) *Establishment.*—The amount of expenditure under this head was Rs. 75-0-7. This sum represented the pay of four watchmen employed to conserve the tanks used for drinking purposes. The savings of Rs. 4-15-5 was from fines and stoppages of the watchmen.

37. (iii) *Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 1-3-0 was spent under this head for erecting a hut on the bunds of Vepankolam for the use of watchmen. This amount was met from the savings of establishment. The necessary transfer of allotment has also since been effected.

38. *Tools and Plants and other Stores.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 2-8-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. Purchase of stores under this head was not made during the year.

39. The total charges under Grant 1 thus amounted to Rs. 194-3-1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 980.

40. *Grant 2, Education*—(ii) *On Salary-results System*—(*a*) *Fixed Payments.*—There are two schools maintained under the system—one for Muhammadan children and the other for Panchama children. The total strength of these schools in the beginning of the half-year was 72. There were 24 admissions and 24 withdrawals during the half-year which closed with 72, of whom three were girls in the Cheri school and the remaining were boys in both schools. These schools presented 54 boys for examination, of whom 28 were declared successful. The amount expended under this head was Rs. 74-15-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 80. The expenses represented the monthly salaries of the schoolmasters.

41. (*b*) *Result Grants.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 25-4-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 70. The sum expended was for the result grant earned by the Guntur Cheri schoolmaster for the second half of the year 1896-97. The balance of Rs. 44-12-0 represented the result grant of the Muhammadan school-master which was not paid within the year, as the cheque issued on that account on the last day of March remained uncashed on that date.

42. (*c*) *Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 25-6-6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 40. The expenses incurred represented the Muhammadan school-rent, which was paid at Rs. 4 per mensem, and the cost for purchasing paper, pencil, &c., for the use of both schools.

43. (3) *Salary Grants.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 34-2-8 against the estimate of Rs. 40. The sum spent was upon bills submitted by the Manager, Free Church Mission High school.



44. (4) *Result Grant.*—No expenditure was incurred under this head as no bills for the result grants were received during the year under report.

45. The total charges under Grant 2 thus amounted to Rs. 159-12-2 against the budget estimate of Rs. 770.

46. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services*—(i) *Hospital and Dispensaries*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 567-10-11 against the budget estimate of Rs. 570. The staff was the same as that provided for and sanctioned in the budget. The small saving of Rs. 2-5-1 was due to fines and stoppages.

47. (*b*) *Medicines and Supplies.*—The expenditure under this head came up to Rs. 522-2-9 against the budget estimate of Rs. 340. The increased expenditure of Rs. 182-2-9 was due to bills, amounting to the expenditure referred to above, having been received from Messrs. Burgoyne, Burbidges & Co., &c., for supplies of medicines during the half-year under report. As money to the extent required was available from savings under "Diet of patients" and "Sundries and contingencies," it was transferred by a resolution of the council for expenditure under this head.

48. (*c*) *Diet of Patients.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 198-11-5 against the budget estimate of Rs. 380. The cost under this item being dependant on the number of patients dieted, the decrease was due to large number of in-patients not having been treated during the year under report. The saving of Rs. 181-4-7 was transferred to the head of "Medicines and supplies" as stated in the preceding paragraph.

49. (*d*) *Sundries and Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head was Rs. 287-15-1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 400 from the saving of Rs. 112-9-11. A sum of As. 14-2 was, on sanction of the council, transferred to the head of "Medicines and supplies" to make up the full amount required under that head.

50. (3) *Vaccination*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—There is only one vaccinator for the town. His pay amounted to Rs. 37-15-0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 40. The saving was due to the vaccinator having taken charge of his duty from 9th October 1896, whereby the allotment for eight days was saved. Non-compulsory vaccination was in force during the year. The number of operations performed during the half-year was 269, of which 246 proved successful. The operation was performed with glycerine paste obtained from the district board on payment.

51. Compulsory vaccination was introduced during the current year.

52. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 23-6-6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. The expenses were chiefly sums paid to the district board towards the cost of glycerine paste purchased for vaccination at Rs. 5 for every 20 grains.

53. *Registration of Births and Deaths*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 31 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. The amount spent was for the pay of the registrar who took charge of his appointment from 28th November 1896.

54. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—There was no expenditure under this head during the half-year under report against the sum of Rs. 10 estimated in the budget. The total number of births and deaths registered during the half-year was 139 and 117, respectively. There was a mild outbreak of cholera which commenced from 2nd March 1897 and lasted up to 17th March 1897, during which period 11 cases were attacked with the result that 3 proved fatal and 8 cases recovered. Necessary measures for checking the spread of the disease were immediately adopted in terms of G.O., No. 1536 M., dated 9th September 1896.

55. (5) *Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering*—(*a*) (*i*) *Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 409-1-3 against the budget estimate of Rs. 430. The expenditure represented the pay of 10 sweepers and 4 scavengers, and the saving of Rs. 15-14-9 was from fines and stoppages.

56. (*ii*) *Other Charges, such as Purchase or Hire of Carts, Dry Earth, Purchase and Maintenance or hire of bullocks.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to

Rs. 226 against the budget estimate of Rs. 240. Five pairs of bulls were hired at Rs. 9 per pair for five rubbish carts at work in the town. A charge of Re. 1 was incurred in repairing the rubbish carts and supplying dry-earth.

57. *Private Scavenging*—(*i*) *Establishment.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rs. 50 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. The charge represented the pay of two scavengers on the private scavenging staff during the half-year under report.

58. (*c*) *Cholera Charges.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 47–2–8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 100. The charge incurred was for the purchase of cholera medicines detailed in G.O., No. 1536, dated 9th September 1896.

59. (*d*) *Contingencies.*—No charge was incurred under this head against the budget estimate of Rs. 20.

60. The total charges under Grant 3 thus amounted to Rs. 2,401–1–7 against the budget estimate of Rs. 2,680.

61. *Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*—(*i*) *Lighting*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rs. 43–12–6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 50. The expenditure represented the pay of two lighters for the half-year. There are 45 lights in the town. The saving of Rs. 6–3–6 was from fines and stoppages.

62. *Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rupees 63–0–6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 90. The charge incurred was for kerosine-oil, tape, chimneys, &c., purchased for lighting the town departmentally.

63. (3) *Choultries*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The sum expended under this head amounted to Rs. 62–2–8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 80. The choultry has three portions — one for Brahmins, one for Sudras and the third for Muhammadans, Eurasians and Christians. The first portion is watched by a Brahmin servant who supplies water to travellers for drinking purposes. The second and third are watched by a Sudra servant to prevent the travellers from committing nuisance within the premises, lighting it and supervising the choultry in general. There are two latrines attached to the choultry which are cleaned by a scavenger. There were two scavengers at the beginning. In November last the services of one scavenger were dispensed with as the work was too light for two scavengers. The charge represented the pay of all these servants, and the saving of Rs. 17–13–4 was from the allotment of the scavenger's pay, who was dispensed with.

64. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rs. 8–3–3 against the budget estimate of Rs. 20. The charge was for lighting the choultry and for the purchase of coir ropes, brooms required for cleaning the choultry by the sweeper, who is also a paid servant of the municipality (*vide* Statement 2-B.)

65. (4) *Travellers' Bungalow*—(*a*) *Establishment.*—The amount expended under this head amounted to Rs. 44–10–8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 60. The decreased expenditure was due to the removal of a maty from 11th November 1896. The charge incurred was for the pay of a cook and toty for the half-year.

66. (*b*) *Contingencies.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Re. 1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 18. The charge incurred was for the pay of the dhoby attached to the bungalow for the months of October, November and December. His pay for the following months was paid in the current year as no bill was submitted within the year. No other contingent expenses were incurred during the half-year.

67. (9) *Other Charges*—(iii) *Printing.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 126–14–5 against the budget estimate of Rs. 200. The charge incurred was for printing proceedings and notices regarding the levy of taxes during the year.

68. The total charges under Grant 4 thus amounted to Rs. 349–12–0 against the budget estimate of Rs. 510.

69. *Grant 5*, (*a*) *General Establishment*—(i) *Office Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 235–0–6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 260. The decrease was due to a portion of the office staff having joined the office in the middle of October and subsequently.



70. (ii) *Inspection.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 100 against the budget estimate of Rs. 100.

71. (*b*) *Collection of Municipal Taxes*—(i) *Establishment.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 86–10–5 against the budget estimate of Rs. 90. The decrease was due to a bill-collector having joined his appointment in the middle of October 1896.

72. (ii) *Purchase of Account Books, Paper, Money-boxes, Repairs to out-posts, &c.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 78–14–6 against the budget estimate of Rs. 130. The charge incurred was for the purchase of account books and an iron safe for the office.

73. (*c*) *Collection of Tolls*—(ii) *Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 10–2–0 was spent under this head, being the cost of publishing the notification in the District Gazette for levy of tolls in the town. There was no budget allotment against this head. The amount was met from the savings under this grant.

74. (*d*) *Office Contingencies other than* (*b*) (ii).—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 122–8–8 against the budget estimate of Rs. 230. The charge incurred was for the purchase of an almirah, rubber stamps, perforating machine, stationery, letter balance, postage stamps, &c., for office use during the half-year under report.

75. The total charges under Grant 5 amounted to Rs. 633–4–1 against the budget estimate of Rs. 810.

76. *Advances recoverable*—(*a*) *Permanent.*—A sum of Rs. 33 was issued under this head which represented the permanent advance of Rs. 8 to the office and Rs. 25 to the hospital for the purpose of meeting contingent charges.

77. (*b*) *Others.*—Rs. 52–1–0 were charged under this head. Of this a sum of Rs. 51–8–9 was expended in the following manner:—Bills amounting to £28–2–5 were received from Messers. Burgoyne, Burbidges & Co. for medicines supplied during the half-year. By a mistake in the rate of exchange adopted by this office in converting the sterling value into Indian currency, an overpayment of Rs. 51–8–9 was made to the Company. The Company was communicated with as to the overpayment, and it has acknowledged to adjust it in the accounts for 1897–98. The sum of As. 8–3 referred to in paragraph 16 was also debited to this head.

78. The total income from the various sources, as shown in Statement I, amounted to Rs. 4,078–7–4. The total charges, as shown in Statement II, amounted to Rs. 3,823–1–11. The difference, viz., Rs. 255–5–5, is the balance with which the year closed.

79. The delay in the submission of this report is due to the audit of the accounts of this municipality for the half-year under report having been taken up early this month.

80. An exract from the minutes of proceedings of the council adopting this report is submitted, together with the educational statements, as noted in the margin.

I to IV.

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ENCLOSURE.

CONCISE Report of the Municipal Hospital, Chingleput, for the second half of the official year 1896–97.

*Public Health.*—The health of the town may be considered to have been satisfactory. No epidemics have broken out, and although a few cases of cholera occurred, they were among people who were taken out at the station suffering from the disease, caught at other stations.

2. *Vital Statistics.*—Vital statistics are written up to date and found correct.

3. *Sanitation.*—The number of carts for removal of street rubbish is 5: this is not at all sufficient for such a straggling town, at least three more such carts should be kept. There are no night-soil carts; this state of things should be soon remedied. I think that if one or more cheap incinerators are constructed in suitable parts of the town, the carts now devoted to removal of street sweepings can be appropriated to removal of night-soil. There are only seven latrines

in the town; there are no latrines to the south of the town; in consequence this part is very dirty; the bye-lanes and sheltered spots are littered with filth. At least four more large latrines should be built.

There are no properly constructed drains and where some have been built in front of houses by the owners they are more a source of nuisance to neighbours than of any practical advantage. If a complete drainage scheme be introduced this would conduce to the health not only by preventing soakage of filth in road sides, but in disallowing encroachments on road side which prevent free percolation of air. A few cesspools exist, but the agency for the proper and periodical removal of their contents does not properly exist. There are very few houses, 62, where the system of private scavenging is in force. The rest of the houses do not possess private latrines and compel their owners to resort to open spaces.

4. *Vaccination.*—Compulsory vaccination was introduced from 1st April 1897. Two hundred and sixty-nine cases were vaccinated during the past half-year; of which 246 were successful and 23 unsuccessful. The births for the corresponding period were 139

The hospital assistant attached to municipal hospital supervises the work of the vaccinator.

5. *Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—There is only one hospital in the town. The want of a lying-in ward is much felt. The limited space in the hospital is encroached upon by the necessity of having to afford accommodation for police sick. The staff of the hospital is sufficient. The recommendations made by Surgeon-General could not be carried out for want of funds.

6. *State of repair of furniture.*—Good and satisfactory.

7. *General remarks.*—No special remarks.

CHINGLEPUT, 2*nd June* 1897.

(Signed) H. A. F. NAILER, M.B., Surgn.-Lieut.-Col., *Dist. Medl. and Sanitary Officer.*

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Cur. No. 2216-Gl.

Forwarded to the Collector.

2. The memorandum of investments prescribed in G.O., No. 291 M., dated 25th February 1897, has not been submitted.

3. The roads within municipal limits are on the whole in fair order.

(Signed) J. H. ROBERTSON, *Ag. Sub-Collector.*

24th *June* 1897.

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Dis. No. 1864.

Forwarded.

2. Particulars of all the items having a fixed demand have not been given in Statement IV-A. The statement showing vital statistics and the vaccination return have not been submitted.

3. *Paragraph* 29.—The district board has in its resolution No. 9, dated 18th June instant, declined to grant the increased contribution.

4. *Paragraph* 30.—The private scavenging system during the half-year was self-supporting, the settled demand under the fees being Rs. 62–4–0 and the charges for the service amounting to Rs. 50.

5. *Paragraph.* 34.—The net receipts from tolls amounted to Rs. 1,257–12–1, but the expenditure on roads, even if payments had been made within the 31st March 1897, amounted to Rs. 200 or 15·10 per cent.

CHINGLEPUT, 30*th June* 1897.

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

To the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department.

Chingleput Report-96-97

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

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Current No. 2242 of 1897, dated 19th June from the Chairman M.C.

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*Order*— No 1802 M, dt 19.8.97.

The ~~estimated~~ receipts and charges of the Chingleput Municipality for the half year 1896-97, ~~as passed by Government~~, are compared below with the budget ~~and revised~~ estimates for the year ~~and the actuals of 1895-96~~

| | ~~Actuals 1895-96~~ | Budget Estimate, 1896-97 (Half year) | Revised Estimate, 1896-97 | actuals 1896-97 (Half year) |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. |
| **Receipts.** | | | | |
| Balance brought forward .. .. .. | | | | |
| Tax on Arts .. .. .. .. .. | " | 1000 | | 412 |
| Tax on Buildings and Lands .. .. .. | | 1250 | | 443 |
| Water-Tax on Buildings and Lands .. .. .. | | | | |
| Tax on Vehicles and Animals .. .. .. | | 410 | | 399 |
| Tax on Carts .. .. .. .. .. | | 140 | | 135 |
| Tolls .. .. .. .. .. .. | | 900 | | 1258 |
| Realizations under Special Acts .. .. .. | | | | |
| Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and sale-proceeds of Lands, &c. | | 330 | | 174 |
| Conservancy Receipts .. .. .. .. | | 60 | | 85 |
| Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions .. | | 10 | | 7 |
| Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions .. .. | | 100 | | 3 |
| Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses .. .. | | | | |
| License fees .. .. .. .. .. | | 20 | | 2 |
| Other fees .. .. .. .. .. | | 20 | | 53 |
| Fines under Municipal and other Acts .. .. | | 100 | | 63 |
| Interest on Investments and premium on Loans .. | | 480 | | |
| Grants and Contributions from Government .. .. | | | | |
| Do. from Local Boards .. .. | | 1000 | | 1000 |
| Do. from other bodies .. .. | | | | |
| Recoveries for services to private individuals .. .. | | 50 | | 44 |
| Miscellaneous .. .. .. .. | | | | |
| Loans .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | |
| Sale-proceeds of Government Securities, &c., and Realizations of Sinking Fund .. .. .. .. | | | | |
| Advances Recovered .. .. .. .. | | | | |
| Total .. | | 5870 | | 4078 |

| Charges | Actuals 1895-96 | Budget Estimate, 1896-97 (Waitley) | Revised Estimate, 1896-97 | actuals 1896-97 (Waitley) |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. |
| GRANT I. | | | | |
| *New Works*— | | | | |
| Communications | | 150 | | .. |
| Buildings | | | | |
| Drainage | | | | |
| Water-supply | | | | |
| *Repairs*— | | | | |
| Communications | | 350 | | .. |
| Buildings | | 300 | | 60 |
| Drainage | | 50 | | 55 |
| Water-supply | | 80 | | 76 |
| Establishment | | | | |
| Tools and Plant and other Stores | | 50 | | 3 |
| Contributions for Public Works | | | | |
| Total | | 980 | | 194 |
| GRANT II— | | | | |
| Training Schools | | | | |
| Municipal Schools— | | | | |
| (*a*) On the Salary System | | | | |
| (*b*) On the Salary Result System | | 190 | | 126 |
| Grants-in-aid— | | | | |
| (*a*) Salary grants | | 40 | | 34 |
| (*b*) Result grants | | 540 | | ~~540~~ |
| (*c*) Combined grants | | | | |
| (*d*) Building and Furniture grants | | | | |
| Inspection | | | | |
| Miscellaneous | | | | |
| Total | | 770 | | 160 |
| GRANT III— | | | | |
| Hospitals and Dispensaries | | 1690 | | 1577 |
| Contributions | | | | |
| Vaccination | | 90 | | 61 |
| Registration of Births and Deaths | | 60 | | 31 |
| Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering | | 840 | | 732 |
| Total | | 2680 | | 2401 |
| GRANT IV— | | | | |
| Lighting | | 140 | | 107 |
| Markets and Slaughter-houses | | | | |
| Choultries | | 100 | | 70 |
| Travellers' Bungalows | | 70 | | 46 |
| Avenues | | | | |
| Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges | | 200 | | 127 |
| Total | | 510 | | 350 |
| GRANT V— | | | | |
| Supervision and management | | 810 | | 633 |
| Repayment of Debt | | | | |
| Interest on loan | | | | |
| Advances Recoverable | | .. | | 85 |
| Refunds | | | | |
| Discount | | | | |
| Pensions and Gratuities | | | | |
| Investments | | | | |
| Balance | | 120 | | 255 |
| Total | | ~~5750~~ 5570 | | 4078 |
| | | 120 | | 255 |
| | | 5750 | | 3823 |

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2. The town of Chingleput was constituted a municipality on the 1st October 1896. During the half year under review the Municipal Council held ten meetings. The average attendance of the non-official members was good, but ~~that of~~ the officials ~~cannot be regarded as satisfac-tory~~ attended very irregularly. The Collr will call their attention individually G.O. 85 Jud. 2nd 13th April 1897.

3. The total receipts and charges of the half year amounted to Rs. 4078 and Rs. 3823 respectively against Rs 5870 and Rs 5750 anticipated in the sanctioned budget, the decrease being but partly explained in paras 7, 28 and 44 of the Chairman's report.

4. Receipts (1). The demand under the tax on arts as originally fixed by the Chairman amounted to Rs 628, but as much as 16.7 per cent of this sum was remitted by the Municipal Council on appeal. This shows that either the Chairman's assessments were over estimated or the Council was unduly ~~very~~ lenient in granting remissions. The taxes on buildings and lands were assessed at Rs 1426 and Rs 76 respec-tively. The duty should not have omitted to have ~~It should be explained why~~ lands unappropriated to buildings, ~~were not taxed in the year under review.~~ The result of the revision of the house tax registers which is now being made should be reported to Government at an early date. Vide para 12 of the chairman's report.

(2) The collections under the tax on arts were fair; but ~~those~~ under the tax on buildings they amounted to only 31.1 per cent of the demand, and nothing was realized under the tax on lands. These unsatisfactory results are however explained in paras

paras 10 and 12 of the Chairman's report.

(3) The Municipal Council should endeavour to develop the income from license fees and ~~the efforts made~~ to extend the private scavenging system, ~~should not be relaxed until the number of private latrines in the town is considerably increased and all of them are brought under the control of the Municipal Council.~~

5. Expenditure (1) Public Works.

No new work of any importance was undertaken during the year. The total outlay on communications, even if payments had been made made within the half year, would have amounted to only 15.1 per cent of the net municipal income from tolls; but the town roads are reported by the Sub-Collector to have been on the whole in fair order. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to G.O. No.2288 L dated 5th October 1889, under which the sanction of Government should have been obtained for the entertainment of the extra drain cleaners referred to in para 35 of the Chairman's report. This is however now accorded.

(2) Education The net expenditure under this head amounted to Rs 153 or 5.8 per cent of the receipts from taxation. Of this sum Rs 34 were spent on secondary and the remainder on primary education. Two primary schools on the salary result system, one for Muhammadans and the other for Panchamas, were maintained by the Municipal Council. The attendance at these institutions was fair and the results of the departmental examinations were good. The Council also aided one secondary school with salary grants. No information has

has been furnished in the Chairman's report, regarding the working of this institution, an omission which should not recur. The allotment for result grants was allowed to lapse for the reason assigned in para 44 of the Chairman's report. The total number of boys under instruction in the Municipal and aided schools was 289 or only 39.1 per cent of the male population of the school going age against an average of 57.3 per cent for municipalities in 1895-96.

(3) Medical relief. Two hundred and ten inpatients and 5994 out-patients were treated at the Municipal hospital, and the midwife attached to this institution attended 34 cases of labour during the half year under review.

(4) Vaccination and Vital statistics.

The reported number of persons vaccinated during the half year was 289 and the quality of the work turned out was good. Infantile vaccination was backward, the number of children under one year of age successfully vaccinated being 65 or only 6.7 per mille of the population against a registered birth rate of 14.3 per mille Now that vaccination has been made compulsory it is hoped that better results will be achieved in the current year.

Only 139 births and 117 deaths were re registered during the half year. The returns in both cases are evidently inco -plete, the rates recorded being much low the normal. Every endeavour sho be made to improve the registrati

vital statistics in the current year.

(5) Sanitation. Nearly 13 per cent of the allotment under this head was allowed to lapse and the expenditure amounted to Rs. 752 or 18 per cent of the current receipts. No information has been furnished in the Chairman's report regarding the action taken by the Municipal Council to improve the sanitation of the town. From para 3 of the District Medical and Sanitary officer's report it appears that a great deal remains to be done in this direction. The several defects pointed out by him should be remedied gradually as funds permit.

6. General remarks. The year closed with a balance of Rs. 255 or 6.3 per cent of the current receipts.

In view of the fact that the Municipality was but recently constituted the work done was fair.

V.R
7/5/97

To

The Chairman, Municipal Council, Chingleput.
,, Collector of Chingleput.
,, President, District Board, Chingleput.
,, Accountant General.
,, Director of Public Instruction.
,, Surgeon-General.
,, Sanitary Board.
,, ,, Commissioner.
,, ,, Engineer.
Editor's Table.

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

| | Details of Minor Heads | | | Totals of Major Heads. | | | Budget 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) | 412 | - | - | | | | 1000 | - | - | | | | | | |
| b. Tax on buildings (section 63) | 442 | 14 | 9 | | | | 1200 | - | - | | | | | | |
| c. Tax on lands (section 63) | - | 1 | 10 | | | | 50 | - | - | | | | | | |
| d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75) | | | | | | | 1250 | | | | | | | | |
| e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) | 146 | 4 | - | | | | 90 | - | - | | | | | | |
| f. Tax on animals (section 77) | 252 | 12 | - | | | | 320 | - | - | | | | | | |
| g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) | 135 | - | - | | | | 140 | - | - | | | | | | |
| h. Tolls (section 91)— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gross receipts | 1498-3-10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Less Local Fund share | 240-7-9 | 1257 | 12 | 1 | | | 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. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| viii. Evasion of tolls | | | | 2646 | 12 | 8 | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Realizations under Special Acts— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. Pounds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| b. Ferry rents | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| c. Fees under Act II of 1888 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Carried forward | | | | 2646 | 12 | 8 | 3700 | - | - | | | | | | |

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

| — | Actuals of 1896-97. 2nd half of: Details of Minor Heads. | Totals of Major Heads. | Budget Estimate for 189-9 2nd half of 96-97. | 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 .. | | 2646 12 8 | 3700 - - | | |
| 4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation— | | | | | |
| *a.* i. Rent of lands .. .. .. | 34 12 2 | | 100 - - | | |
| ii. Rent of buildings .. .. | | | | | |
| iii. Avenue receipts .. .. | 31 3 1 | | 20 - - | | |
| iv. Fees from Traveller's Bungalows .. .. .. .. | 92 - - | | 200 - - | | |
| *b.* i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings .. .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c. | 16 3 - | | 10 - - | | |
| iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c. .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *c.* Conservancy receipts— Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c. .. .. | 85 4 6 | | 60 - - | | |
| *d.* i. Fees from educational institutions .. .. .. | 7 7 3 | | 10 - - | | |
| ii. Other revenue from educational institutions .. .. | | | | | |
| *e.* i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines .. .. | 2 8 3 | | 100 - - | | |
| ii. Other Hospital receipts .. | | | | | |
| *f.* i. Income from markets .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. ,, slaughter-houses.. | | | | | |
| *g.* Other fees— i. Distraint fees .. .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. License fees .. .. .. | 2 1 1 | | 20 - - | | |
| iii. Cartstand fees .. .. | 52 12 4 | | 20 - - | | |
| iv. Other fees .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *h.* Fines under Municipal and other Acts .. .. .. .. | 63 - - | | 100 - - | | |
| *i.* Interest on investments— | | | | | |
| i. General, including choultries .. .. .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Educational .. .. .. | | | | | |
| iii. Medical .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *j.* Premium on loans .. .. | | 387 3 8 | 480 - - | | |
| Carried forward .. | | 3034 - 4 | 4820 - - | | |



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

| — | Actuals of 1896-97. 2nd half of: Details of Minor Heads. | Totals of Major Heads. | Budget Estimate for 189-9 2nd half of 96-97 | 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 .. | | 3034 - 4 | 4820 - - | | |
| 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 .. .. .. | 1000 - - | | 1000 - - | | |
| iii. Other purposes .. .. | | | | | |
| *c.* Other grants and contributions— | | | | | |
| i. Education .. .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Medical .. .. .. | | | | | |
| iii. Other purposes .. .. | | 1000 - - | | | |
| 6. Miscellaneous— | | | | | |
| *a.* Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals— | | | | | |
| i. Private scavenging .. .. | 447 - - | | 50 - - | | |
| 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 .. .. .. | | 447 - - | | | |
| Carried forward .. | | 4078 4 | 5870 - - | | |

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

| | Actuals of 2nd half of 1896-97. | | Budget Estimate for 189-9 2nd half of 96-97 | Estimate for 189-9 | Actuals, 189-9 (audited figures). |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Details of Minor Heads. | Totals of Major Heads. | | | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. |
| Brought forward .. | | 4078 7 4 | 5870 - - | | |
| 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 .. | | | | | |
| Grand Total .. | | 4078 7 4 | 5870 - - | | |

### Note to Statement I.

1. Tax on arts, &c., is levied on ~~the first~~ all classes.
2. Tax on buildings is levied at 6¼ per cent. and tax on lands at ~~6¼ 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 3/4ths of the maximum rates and that on animals is
5. Tax on carts, &c., is levied at Rs. 1 per cart. per ~~annum~~. half year levied at the maximum rate
6. Tolls are levied at half the maximum rates.
7. License-fees are levied at the ~~rates sanctioned in G.O.~~ Union rates
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 410.1 acres. No revision of Registers took place. The municipality having been created in the 2nd half of 96-97
10. The mode of estimating the annual rental of houses and lands is as follows:—

Houses The union Valuation was adopted for the 2nd half of 96-97 and the Municipal tax was calculated at 6¼ % on that Valuation

Lands The Government assessment was taken to represent the rental of the cultivable lands and the Municipal tax was calculated on it at 6¼ per cent.

## 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 2nd half of the

| 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. | |
| Chinglepet Hospital | 27000 | - | * | - | - | 2-8-3 | 2-8-3 | 1000 | - | 1002-8-3 | 808-8-11 | - | 60-8-2 | 130-5-11 | 2-10 | 813-8-2 | - | * The work was executed during the year; but payment was made after the close of the year. 31-8-97 |
| Chingleput | 1551 | - | 34-12-2 | - | - | - | 34-12-2 | - | - | 34-12-2 | 95-2-9 | - | 70-5-11 | 70-5-11 | 60 | 130-5-11 | - | * The amount is budgeted for Vizs 1896-97 and 1897-98 but was not received during the year and the Collector has been asked to remit the amount to Chingleput Municipality. |

## Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Chinglepet for the official year 1896-97 (2nd half of the).

| — | Actuals for 2nd half of 1896-97. Details of Minor Heads. | Totals of Major Heads. | Budget Estimate for 189—9 (2nd half of the 96-97) | 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 .. .. | - - - | | 150 - - | | |
| *b.* Buildings .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *c.* Drainage .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *d.* Water-supply .. .. | | | | | |
| 2. REPAIRS— | | | | | |
| *a.* Communications .. .. | - - - | | 350 - - | | |
| *b.* Buildings .. .. .. | 60 - - | | 300 - - | | |
| *c.* Drainage— | | | | | |
| i. Repairs to works .. | | | | | |
| ii. Establishment for flushing drains, &c. .. .. | 55 7 6 | | 50 - - | | |
| *d.* Water-supply— | | | | | |
| i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Establishment .. .. | 75 - 7 | | 80 - - | | |
| iii. Contingencies .. .. | 1 3 - | | - - - | | |
| 3. ESTABLISHMENT .. .. | | | | | |
| 4. TOOLS AND PLANT AND OTHER STORES. | 2 8 - | | 50 - - | | |
| 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 .. | | 194 3 1 | 980 - - | | |
| **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 Chinglepet for the official year 1896-97 (2nd half of the)—*cont.*

| — | Actuals of 2nd half of 1896-97. Details of Minor Heads. | Totals of Major Heads. | Budget Estimate for 189—9 (2nd half of 96-97) | 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 .. .. | 74 15 - | | 80 - - | | |
| *b.* Result Grants .. .. | 25 4 - | 125 9 3 | 70 - - | | 180. |
| *c.* Contingencies .. .. | 25 6 6 | | 40 - - | | |
| 3. SALARY GRANTS .. .. .. | 34 2 8 | | 40 - - | | |
| 4. RESULTS GRANTS .. .. | - - - | | 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 .. | | 159 12 2 | 770 - - | | |
| **GRANT III—(*Sanitation and Medical Services*).** | | | | | |
| 1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | 567 10 11 | | 570 - - | | |
| *b.* Medicines and Supplies .. .. | 522 2 9 | | 340 - - | | |
| *c.* Diet of Patients .. .. | 198 11 5 | | 380 - - | | |
| *d.* Sundries and Contingencies .. | 287 15 1 | | 400 - - | | |
| *e.* Contributions to Local Boards .. | | | | | |
| &c., &c., &c. . | | | | | |
| Carried forward .. | | 1576 8 2 | 1690 - - | | |

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Chinglepet for the 2nd half of the official year 1896-97—*cont.*

| — | Actuals of 2nd half of 1896-97. Details of Minor Heads. | Actuals of 2nd half of 1896-97. Total of Major Heads. | Budget Estimate for 189—9. 2nd half of the 96-97 | 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 .. | | 1576 8 2 | 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 .. .. | 37 15 - ✓ | ✓ | 40 - - ✓ | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. | 23 6 6 | 61 5 6 | 50 - - ✓ | | |
| *c.* Contributions to Local Boards .. | | | | | |
| 4. Registration of Births and Deaths— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | 31 - - ✓ | | 50 - - ✓ | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. | | 31 - - ✓ | 10 - - ✓ | | |
| 5. Conservancy, Road cleaning and Road watering— | | | | | |
| *a.* i. Establishment .. .. | 409 13 ✓ | ✓ | 430 - - ✓ | | |
| ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. .. | 226 - - ✓ | | 240 - - ✓ | | |
| *b.* Private scavenging— | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. | 50 - - ✓ | ✓ | 50 - - ✓ | | |
| ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. .. | | | | | |
| *c.* Cholera charges .. .. | 47 2 8 ✓ | ✓ | 100 - - ✓ | | |
| *d.* Contingencies .. .. | | 732 3 11 | 20 - - ✓ | | |
| &c., &c., &c. .. | | | 840 ✓ | | |
| Total, Grant III .. | | 2401 1 7 | 2680 - - | | |



Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Chinglepet for the 2nd half of the official year 1896-97—*cont.*

| — | Actuals of 2nd half of 1896-97. Details of Minor Heads. | Actuals of 2nd half of 1896-97. Totals of Major Heads. | Budget Estimate for 189—9. 2nd half of 96-97 | 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 4.—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*). | | | | | |
| 1. Lighting— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | 43 12 6 | ✓ | 50 - - | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 63 - 6 | 106 13 - | 90 - - | | |
| 2. i. Markets— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Slaughter-houses— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | | | | | |
| 3. Choultries— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | 62 2 8 | ✓ | 80 - - | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 8 3 3 | 70 5 11 | 20 - - ✓ | | |
| *c.* Feeding Travellers .. .. .. | | ✓ | | | |
| 4. Travellers' Bungalows— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | 44 10 8 | ✓ | 60 - - ✓ | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 1 - - | 45 10 8 | 10 - - ✓ | | |
| 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 .. | | 222 13 7 | 310 - - | | |

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

| — | Actuals of 2nd half of 1896-97. Details of Minor Heads. | Actuals of 2nd half of 1896-97. Totals of Major Heads. | Budget. Estimate for 189-9 2nd half of 96-97 | 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 .. | | 222 13 7 | 310 - - | | |
| GRANT 4.—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)— cont. | | | | | |
| 9. OTHER CHARGES—cont. | | | | | |
| ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes .. .. | | | | | |
| iii. Printing .. .. .. .. | 126 14 5 | 126 14 5 | 200 - - | | |
| iv. Compensation for lands .. .. | | | | | |
| v. Other items .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Total, Grant 4 .. | | 349 12 - | 510 - - | | |
| GRANT 5— | | | | | |
| *a.* General Establishment— | | | | | |
| i. Office Establishment .. .. | 235 - 6 | | 260 - - | | |
| ii. Inspection .. .. .. | 100 - - | | 100 - - | | |
| *b.* Collection of Municipal Taxes— | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. | 86 10 5 | | 90 - - | | |
| ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. .. .. | 78 14 6 | | 130 - - | | |
| *c.* Collection of Tolls— | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Contingencies .. .. .. | 10 2 - | | - - - | | |
| *d.* Office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii) .. .. .. .. | 122 8 8 | 633 4 1 | 230 - - | | |
| *e.* Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments .. .. | | | | | |
| Total, Grant 5 .. | | 633 4 1 | 870 - - | | |
| 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.* On account of current years .. | | | | | |



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

| — | Actuals of 2nd half of 1896-97. Details of Minor Heads. | Actuals of 2nd half of 1896-97. Totals of Major Heads. | Budget. Estimate for 189-9 2nd half of 96-97 | 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 .. .. .. .. | 33 - - | | | | |
| *b.* Others .. .. .. .. | 52 1 - | | | | |
| 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 .. | | 3823 1 11 | 5870 - - | | |
| Balances— | | | | | |
| *a.* Municipal Fund .. .. .. | | 255 5 5 | 120 | | |
| *b.* Endowments .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *c.* Water-tax Fund .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Grand Total .. | | 4078 7 4 | 5870 - - | | |

NOTE TO STATEMENT II.

*Position of the Municipality of* Chinglepat *on 31st March* 1897.

Liabilities.

| Liabilities— | RS. |
|---|---|
| Balance of Loans .. .. .. | |
| Deposits to be adjusted .. .. | 1752-6-6 |
| Other Liabilities (in detail) .. .. | |
| Chinglepat Hospital Repairs | 200 - - - |
| Travellers Bungalow | 30 - - - |
| Repairing Chetty Street | 50 - - - |
| Cost of furniture | 109 - - - |
| Repairing a wheel of rubbish cart & Sundries | 15 - 5 - - |
| Cost of constructing 2 new culverts | 100 - - - |
| Office rent from 21st October to 28-2-97 | 33 - 8 - 9 |
| Pay for the dolhi attached to the Travellers Bungalow for January & February | 0 - 10 - 8 |
| Total | 2290-14-11 |
| Cr. by Grant Draft by the Municipal Council under Para 41 of the Rules | 44-12-0 |

Assets.

| | | RS. |
|---|---|---|
| Municipal Balance .. | Cash .. .. | 255 - 5 - 5 |
| | Securities .. .. | - - - - |
| Deposit Balance .. | Cash .. .. | 1292 - 6 - 6 |
| | Securities .. .. | 460 - - - |
| Sinking Fund of loans .. .. .. | | - - - - |
| Funded Capital of endowed institutions, Hospitals, &c. .. .. .. .. | | 29351 - - - |
| | Total .. | 31358 - 11 - 11 |
| Value of Premises, &c. .. .. .. | | 22101 - - - |
| Do. of Tools and plant .. .. .. | | 1930 - 12 - - |
| Do. of Live stock .. .. .. | | - - - - |
| Do. of Furniture .. .. .. | | 1181 - 5 - 3 |
| Arrears of taxes, &c. as shown in Statement A. | | 1680 - 11 - 8 |
| Other assets (in detail) .. .. .. .. | | - - - - |
| Balance under Trust of Caste Fees from Educational institutions, Taxes on Vehicles, animal tracks | | 61 - 9 - 10 |
| Total .. | | 26954 - 6 - 9 |
| Claims— | | |
| Advances Recoverable— | | |
| Permanent advance .. .. .. | | 33 - - - |
| Advances for works, &c. .. .. .. | | 52 - 1 - - |
| Total .. | | 85 - 1 - - |

Grand Total 58398-3-8

## 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 | | | | | | | These two culverts were constructed and payment for the contractor was not made within the close of the year owing to the completion certificate for the proper execution of the work not having been received from the ward concerned in time, and to the late receipt of funds from Taluk Board. |
| 2 | Constructing a culvert in Chinna Mangai street | 90 | | | | | | | |
| | Total .. | | | | | | | | |
| (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 .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| 1 | | | | | | | | Total mileage of roads, streets, lanes, &c., in the town. |
| 2 | | | | | | | | Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled. |
| 3 | | | | | | | | 9 Miles & 5 furlongs 3 Miles & 4 furlongs |
| | | Nil | | | | | | Total mileage under maintenance. |
| | | | | | | | | Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled. |
| | | | | | | | | 6 Miles & 7½ furlongs. Repairs to 3 roads estimated at Rs 350 were budgetted for and Sanctioned. The execution of repairs to two of them was postponed by a resolution of the council in consideration of the want of sufficient time for satisfactorily executing the repairs. The repair to the third road at a cost of Rs 50 was executed at the close of the official year. As a completion certificate for the proper execution of the work was not sent by the Board/Councillor concerned in time, payment was not made within the year. |
| | Total .. | | | | | | | |



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 Chowkey at Chinglepet | 60 | — | — | 60 | — | — | The repairs to these buildings were executed at the close of the year. Payment on the accounts was not made before the 31st March 97 for want of the necessary funds. |
| 2 | — do — Chinglepet Hospital | 210 | — | — | | | | |
| 3 | — do — Travellers Bungalow | 30 | — | — | | | | |
| | Total .. | 60 | | | | | | |

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

### Part II.—Repairs—*cont.*

| Number. | Project. | Grant. | | | Actual expenditure. | | | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | | | 4 | | | 5 |
| | | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | |
| (*c*) | Drainage .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| 1 | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | | | | |
| | | Nil | | | | | | |
| | Total .. | | | | | | | |
| (*d*) | Water-supply .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| 1 | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | | | | |
| | | Nil | | | | | | |
| | Total .. | | | | | | | |



## Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments.

| —— | Number. | Salary per mensem. | | | Salary for 5 ~~per annum~~ months | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | | | 4 | | |
| | | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. |
| GRANT 1.—2. *c.* Drainage— | | | | | | | |
| Overseers .. .. .. .. .. .. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Drain cleaners .. .. .. .. .. | 2 | 10 | " | " | 50 | " | " |
| Two temporary drain cleaners employed during heavy rains in November & December 1876 at 5 Rs each | 2 | 10 | " | " | 10 | " | " |
| Total .. | 4 | 20 | " | " | 60 | " | " |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | 4 | 8 | 6 |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | " | " | " |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 55 | 7 | 6 |
| *d.* Water works— | | | | | | | |
| Overseers .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Watchmen .. .. .. .. .. | 4 | 16 | " | " | 80 | " | " |
| Total .. | 4 | 16 | " | " | 80 | " | " |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | 4 | 15 | 5 |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | - | - | - |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 75 | - | 7 |
| 3. General— | | | | | | | |
| Overseers .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Maistries .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |

Salary for one months

## 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 2.—Education— | | | | | | | |
| 1. Training Schools— | | Nil | | | | | |
| Pupils receiving scholarships .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| 2. Municipal Schools— | | | | | | | |
| *a.* On the Salary System— | | | | | | | |
| Head Master .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| 1st Assistant Master .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| 2nd „ „ .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| | | 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 2.—Education—*cont.* | | | | | | | |
| *b.* On the Salary Result System— Masters | 1 | 7 | - | - | 35 | - | - |
| One on Rs 7 for Kattaan Mohamadan School and one on Rs 8 for Gundur Cheri School .... | 1 | 8 | - | - | 40 | - | - |
| Total .. | 2 | 15 | - | - | 75 | - | - |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | 1 | - |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 74 | 15 | - |

## 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 2.—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.* Common Gymnastic Instructors .. .. .. | | Nil | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| *c.* Common 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 3.—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 Cooly & Masalchi .. | 1 | 7 | — | — | 35 | — | — |
| " bork .. .. .. .. | 1 | 5 | — | — | 25 | — | — |
| Watchman | 1 | 4 | — | — | 20 | — | — |
| Lattics (one on Rs 5 & another on Rs 4) | 2 | 9 | — | — | 45 | — | — |
| Total .. | 9 | 114 | .. | .. | 570 | — | — |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | 2 | 5 | 1 |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 567 | 10 | 11 |

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

| — | Number. | Salary per mensem. | | | Salary ~~for per annum~~ for month. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | | | 4 | | |
| | | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. |
| GRANT 3.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.* | | | | | | | |
| 3. Vaccination— | | | | | | | |
| Vaccinators .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | 40 | .. | .. |
| Peons .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | 1 | 8 | .. | .. | 40 | .. | .. |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | 2 | 1 | .. |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 37 | 15 | .. |
| 4. Registration— | | | | | | | |
| Registrars .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | 50 | .. | .. |
| Peons .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | 1 | 10 | .. | .. | 50 | .. | .. |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | 19 | .. | .. |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 31 | .. | .. |



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

| — | Number. | Salary per mensem. | | | Salary ~~for per annum~~ for month. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | | | 4 | | |
| | | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. |
| GRANT 3.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.* | | | | | | | |
| 5. *a.* "Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering"— | | | | | | | |
| Sanitary Inspectors .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Nuisance Inspectors .. .. .. .. | 1 | 10 | .. | 4 | 50 | .. | .. |
| ,, .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| ,, .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| ~~Maistries~~ Peons .. .. .. | 1 | 6 | .. | .. | 30 | .. | .. |
| Scavengers 3 on Rs 5 1 on Rs 4 .. .. | 4 | 19 | .. | .. | 95 | .. | .. |
| Sweepers .. .. .. .. .. | 10 | 50 | .. | .. | 250 | .. | .. |
| Total .. | 16 | 85 | .. | .. | 425 | .. | .. |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | 15 | 14 | 9 |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 409 | 13 | .. |

## 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 3.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.* | | | | | | | |
| *b.* Private Scavenging— | | | | | | | |
| Inspectors .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Maistries .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Scavengers .. ~~Rs.~~ 5/each .. | 2 | 10 | " | " | 50 | " | " |
| Total .. | 2 | 10 | " | " | 50 | " | " |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | " | " | " |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 50 | " | " |
| GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes— | | | | | | | |
| 1. Lighting— | | | | | | | |
| Superintendents .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Masalchies .. ~~Rs.~~ 4½ each .. | 2 | 9 | " | " | 45 | " | " |
| Total .. | 2 | 9 | " | " | 45 | " | " |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | 1 | 3 | 6 |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 43 | 12 | 6 |



## 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 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.* | | | | | | | |
| 2. i. Markets— | | | | | | | |
| Superintendents .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Servants .. .. .. .. .. .. | | Nil | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| ii. Slaughter-houses— | | | | | | | |
| Superintendents .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Servants .. .. .. .. .. .. | | Nil | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| 3. Choultries— | | | | | | | |
| Servants .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Water brahmin | 1 | 2 | " | " | 10 | " | " |
| Watchman | 1 | 4 | " | " | 20 | " | " |
| Sweeper | 1 | 1 | " | " | 5 | " | " |
| Lotties, one on Rs 5 and another on Rs 4. | 2 | 9 | " | " | 45 | " | " |
| Total .. | 5 | 16 | " | " | 80 | " | " |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | 17 | 13 | 4 |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 62 | 2 | 8 |

## 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 4.—LIGHTING AND MISCELLANEOUS MUNICIPAL PURPOSES—*cont.*** | | | | | | | |
| 4. TRAVELLERS' BUNGALOWS— | | | | | | | |
| Maty .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 3 | 8 | 0 | 17 | 8 | 0 |
| ~~Servants~~ .. .. Cook .. .. .. .. | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Sweeper & Lotty | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Total .. | 3 | 11 | 8 | 0 | 57 | 8 | 0 |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | 12 | 13 | 4 |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 44 | 10 | 8 |
| 5. AVENUES— | | | | | | | |
| Servants .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | Sub | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| 6. PUBLIC GARDEN— | | | | | | | |
| Gardeners .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | Sub | | |
| 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 4.—LIGHTING AND MISCELLANEOUS MUNICIPAL PURPOSES—*cont.*** | | | | | | | |
| 8. FIRE— | | | | | | | |
| Servants .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | Sub | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| 9.— | | | | | | | |

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

| — | Number. | Salary per mensem. | | Salary ~~for per annum.~~ 5 months | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | | 4 | |
| | | RS. | A. P. | RS. | A. P. |
| GRANT 5.—*a.* General Establishment— | | | | | |
| i. Office— | | | | | |
| Manager .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 25 | .. .. | 125 | .. .. |
| Clerks .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 10 | .. .. | 50 | .. .. |
| " .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Shroff .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 10 | .. .. | 50 | .. .. |
| Accountants .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Peons .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 6 | .. .. | 30 | .. .. |
| Total .. | 4 | 51 | .. .. | 255 | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | 19 | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | 235 | |
| ii. Inspection— | | | | | |
| Chairman's salary or carriage allowance .. .. | 1 | 20 | .. .. | 100 | |
| Total .. | 1 | 20 | .. .. | 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 ~~for per annum.~~ 5 months | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | | 4 | |
| | | RS. | A. P. | RS. | A. P. |
| GRANT 5.—*a.* General Establishment—*cont.* | | | | | |
| *b.* Collection— | | | | | |
| Clerks .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Bill Collectors .One. on Rs 10/- & one on Rs 8— | 2 | 18 | .. .. | 90 | .. .. |
| Peons .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Total .. | 2 | 18 | .. .. | 90 | .. .. |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | 3 | 5 7 |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | 86 | 10 5- |
| *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* Chinglepat 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 .. .. .. | 1056 | 6 | 5 | 2. Returned to appellants .. .. | — | — | — |
| 3. Deposits by contractors .. .. | 34 | 11 | 0 | 3. Returned to renters .. .. .. | — | — | — |
| 4. Deposits as security by municipal servants .. .. .. .. .. | 560 | — | — | 4. Returned to contractors .. .. | — | — | — |
| 5. Deposited for the execution of work for which private parties are liable. | — | — | — | 5. Returned to municipal servants .. | 100 | — | — |
| | | | | 6. Returned to parties .. .. .. | — | — | — |
| 6. Other deposits under the Act or bye-laws .. .. .. .. .. | 201 | 4 | 3 | 7. Paid to claimants .. .. .. | — | — | — |
| | | | | Total .. | 100 | — | — |
| Total, Receipts .. | 1852 | 6 | 6 | Balance .. | 1752 | 6 | 6 |
| Total, including balance .. | 1852 | 6 | 6 | Total .. | 1852 | 6 | 6 |

2 ½ half of the

STATEMENT IV-A.—*Municipality of* Chingleput Demand, Collection and Balance statement for the 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. .. .. .. .. | 627 | 8 | u | 104 | 8 | u | 523 | u | u | 412 | u | u | u | u | u | u | u | u | 111 | u | u |
| 2. Tax on buildings .. .. .. .. | 1426 | 4 | 9 | - | - | - | 1426 | 4 | 9 | 442 | 14 | 9 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 983 | 6 | u |
| 3. Tax on lands .. .. .. .. .. | 75 | 14 | 9 | - | - | - | 75 | 14 | 9 | u | 1 | 10 | u | u | u | u | u | u | 75 | 12 | 11 |
| 4. Water-tax on buildings and lands .. .. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 5. Tolls (gross receipts) .. .. .. .. | 1498 | 12 | | - | - | - | 1498 | 12 | | 1498 | 12 | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 6. Market rents .. .. .. .. .. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 7. Slaughter-house fees .. .. .. .. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 8. Rent of cart-stands .. .. .. .. | 52 | 12 | 4 | - | - | - | 52 | 12 | 4 | 52 | 12 | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 9. Private scavenging fees .. .. .. | 62 | 4 | u | - | - | - | 62 | 4 | u | 44 | 7 | u | - | - | - | - | - | - | 17 | 13 | u |
| 10 Sale proceeds of medicines and composition fees. | 15 | 4 | u | - | - | - | 15 | 4 | u | 2 | 8 | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12 | 11 | 9 |
| 11 Interest on Investments iii Medical. . . | 480 | u | u | - | - | - | 480 | u | u | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 480 | u | u |
| Total .. | 4238 | 1 | u | 104 | 8 | u | 4133 | 9 | u | 2452 | 13 | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1680 | 11 | 8 |

Excluding Rs. 0-2-8 being interest realized

## 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 .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7. Slaughter-house fees .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8. Rent of cart-stands .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9. Private scavenging fees .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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

| Taxes. | Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year. | | | Warrants issued during the year. | | | Total. | | | Warrants executed and warrants cancelled during the year. | | | Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year. | | | Cancelled warrants on which no collections were made. | | | Collected after issue of warrants, but before distraint. | | | Property distrained, but not sold. | | | Property sold. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Number. | Amount involved. | | Number. | Amount involved. | | Number. | Amount involved. | | Number. | Amount involved. | | Number. | Amount involved. | | Number of cases. | Amount involved. | | Number of cases. | Amount. | | Number of cases | Amount realized on distraint. | | Number of cases. | Amount realized by sale. | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | | 4 | 5 | | 6 | 7 | | 8 | 9 | | 10 | 11 | | 12 | 13 | | 14 | 15 | | 16 | 17 | | 18 | 19 | |
| | | RS. | A. P. | | RS. | A. P. | | RS. | A. P. | | RS. | A. P. | | RS. | A. P. | | RS. | A. P. | | RS. | A. P. | | RS. | A. P. | | RS. | A. P. |
| 1. Tax on arts, &c. ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2. Tax on buildings ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Tax on lands .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Water-tax on buildings and lands. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Tax on animals ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7. Tax on carts, &c. ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Total ..

## 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 .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7. Slaughter-house fees .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8. Rent of cart-stands .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9. Private scavenging fees .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |



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

| Taxes. | Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year. | | | | Warrants issued during the year. | | | | Total. | | | | Warrants executed and warrants cancelled during the year. | | | | Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year. | | | | Cancelled warrants on which no collections were made. | | | | Collected after issue of warrants, but before distraint. | | | | Property distrained, but not sold. | | | | Property sold. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Number. | Amount involved. | | | Number. | Amount involved. | | | Number. | Amount involved. | | | Number. | Amount involved. | | | Number. | Amount involved. | | | Number of cases. | Amount involved. | | | Number of cases. | Amount. | | | Number of cases | Amount realized on distraint. | | | Number of cases. | Amount realized by sale. | | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | | | 4 | 5 | | | 6 | 7 | | | 8 | 9 | | | 10 | 11 | | | 12 | 13 | | | 14 | 15 | | | 16 | 17 | | | 18 | 19 | | |
| | | Rs. | A. | P. | | Rs. | A. | P. | | Rs. | A. | P. | | Rs. | A. | P. | | Rs. | A. | P. | | Rs. | A. | P. | | Rs. | A. | P. | | Rs. | A. | P. | | Rs. | A. | P. |
| 1. Tax on arts, &c. ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2. Tax on buildings ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Tax on lands .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Water-tax on buildings and lands. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Tax on animals ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7. Tax on carts, &c. ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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

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



Statement V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Chingleput for the 2nd half of official year 1896-97.

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

| Schools. | Number of schools. | | | | Number on rolls on 31st March 189 . | | Average number on the rolls monthly during the year. | Receipts. | | | | | Expenditure. | | | | | | | | Net cost to municipality. | Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | Teachers. | | | Clerks and servants. | Stipends and scholarships. | Library furniture, apparatus and appliances. | Contingencies and miscellaneous. | Total. | | | |
| | At the beginning of the year. | Opened during the year. | Closed in the year. | At the close of the year. | Boys. | Girls. | | Grants from Provincial Funds. | Grants from Local Funds. | School fees. | Other receipts. | Total. | Fixed salary. | Results stipends. | School fees. | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| | | | | | | | | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | |
| I.—Colleges ... ... ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| II.—Upper Secondary Schools and Departments. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (2) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| III.—Lower Secondary Schools and Departments. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (a) Salary System— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (2) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (b) Salary-results System— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (2) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total, College and Secondary Schools. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| IV.—Primary Schools and Departments. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (a) Salary System— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (2) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

STATEMENT V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Chingleput for the official year 1896-97.—cont.

| Schools. | Number of schools. At the beginning of the year. | Number of schools. Opened during the year. | Number of schools. Closed in the year. | Number of schools. At the close of the year. | Number on rolls on 31st March 189 . Boys. | Number on rolls on 31st March 189 . Girls. | Average attendance throughout the year. | Receipts. Grants from Provincial Funds. | Receipts. Grants from Local Funds. | Receipts. School fees. | Receipts. Other receipts. | Receipts. Total. | Expenditure. Masters. Fixed salary (masters, clerks and servants). | Expenditure. Masters. Results grant. | Expenditure. Masters. School fees. | Expenditure. Contingencies and miscellaneous. | Expenditure. Total | Net cost to Municipality. | Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| | | | | | | | | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | | |
| (b) Salary-results System— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (2) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nattam Mahamadan School &. P. | 1 | 1 | | | 7 | | 4.2 | | | 5 | | 5 | 7 | | | 4 | 11 | 6 | 1 6 10 | 38 |
| L.P. | | | | | 27 | | 21.4 | | | 2 7 3 | | 2 7 3 | 27 15 | | | 17 13 | 45 12 | 43 4 9 | 2 4 | |
| | 1 | 1 | | | 34 | | 25.6 | | | 7 7 3 | | 7 7 3 | 34 15 | | | 21 13 | 56 12 | 49 4 9 | ~~3 7 2~~ | |
| Lower Primary School | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (b) Salary-result System | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gundur Cheri school | 1 | 1 | | | 35 | 3 | 28.6 | | | | | | 40 | 25 4 | | 3 7 6 | 68 13 6 | 68 13 6 | 2 66 | This School is exempted from receiving fees from boys as they are too poor vide order no 96 dt 12-3-9 |
| Total ... | 2 | 2 | | | 69 | 3 | 54.2 | | | 7 7 3 | | 7 7 3 | 74 15 | 25 4 | | 25 6 12 5 | 96 11 2 | 3 6 6 | 5 13 8 | |
| Total, Primary Schools ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| VI.—Special Schools. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (2) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Grand Total of Colleges and Schools ... ... ... | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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## Foot-note to Statement V-A.

*Number of Students from Municipal Institutions who appeared for and passed the several examinations during the year.*

| Examinations. | Number of Students examined. | Number of Students passed. |
|---|---|---|
| First in Arts ... ... ... ... | | |
| Matriculation ... ... ... ... | | |
| Upper Secondary ... ... ... | | |
| Lower Secondary or Seventh Standard. | | |
| Sixth Standard ... ... ... ... | | |
| Fifth Standard ... ... ... ... | | |
| Primary or Fourth Standard ... ... | | |
| Third Standard ... ... ... ... | 5 | 5 |
| Second Standard ... ... ... | 17 | 4 |
| First Standard ... ... ... ... | 9 | 8 |
| Infant Standard ... ... ... ... | 13 | 7 |
| | 10 | |
| | 54 | 28 |

STATEMENT V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Chingleput for the official year 1896-97. 2nd half of the

| Schools. | Number of Schools. At the beginning of the year. | Opened during the year. | Closed during the year. | At the close of the year. | Number on rolls on 31st March 189 . Boys. | Girls. | Number of pupils examined in results grants schools. | Number of pupils found qualified for results grants. | Full amount of results grants earned. Rs. A. P. | Amount of results grants passed for payment. Rs. A. P. | Amount of results grants disbursed. For current year. Rs. A. P. | For previous year. Rs. A. P. | Total. Rs. A. P. | Amount of salary grants disbursed. Rs. A. P. | Total expenditure from Municipal funds, columns 14 and 15. Rs. A. P. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| A. Salary Grant Schools. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (a) Secondary schools .. | — | 1 | — | 1 | 220 | — | - | - | - - - | - - - | - - - | - - - | - - - | 34 2 8 | 34 2 8 | |
| (1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (2) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | No result grant was applied for during the half year. |
| Total .. | - | 1 | - | 1 | 220 | - | - | - | - - - | - - - | - - - | - - - | - | 34 2 8 | 34 2 8 | |
| (b) Primary schools .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (2) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total of Salary Grant Schools .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Statement V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Chinsurah for the 2nd half of official year 1896-97 —*cont.*

| Schools. | Number of Schools. | | | | Number on rolls on 31st March 189 . | | Number of pupils examined in results grants schools. | Number of pupils found qualified for results grants. | Full amount of results grants earned. | | | Amount of results grants passed for payment. | | | Amount of results grants disbursed. | | | | | | Amount of salary grants disbursed. | | | Total expenditure from Municipal funds, columns 14 and 15. | | | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | At the beginning of the year. | Opened during the year. | Closed during the year. | At the close of the year. | Boys. | Girls. | | | | | | | | | For current year. | | | For previous year. | | | Total. | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | | | 11 | | | 12 | | | 13 | | | 14 | | | 15 | | | 16 | | | 17 |
| B. Results Grants Schools, *i.e.*, Schools actually examined for results grants— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (*a*) Secondary Schools— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Rate at which grant was paid. |
| (1) | | | | | | | | | | | Nil | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | No result grant was applied for during the half year. |
| (2) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (3) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (*b*) Primary Schools .. | | | | | | | | | | | Nil | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total of Results Grants Schools. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Grand Total of Aided Schools.. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

**Foot-note.**

*Details of building and furniture grants* (*Grant 2, Statement I-B*).

| Names of Schools. | Amount of grant. | Purpose for which made. |
|---|---|---|

STATEMENT VI-A.—Showing the Budget Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of Chingleput for the year 189 6/97 (2nd half of).

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

| Items of Expenditure. | Original budget grant as sanctioned by Government. | | | Subsequent additions. | | | Subsequent deductions. | | | Total grant. | | | Authority for the additions and deductions shown in columns 3 and 4. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | | | 3 | | | 4 | | | 5 | | | 6 |
| | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | |
| Entries as per Statement II wherever there is alteration .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Grant I (P. W.) 2 Repairs Drainage ii Establishment for flushing drain | 50 | - | - | 5 | 7 | 6 | - | - | - | 55 | 7 | 6 | Two drain cleaners were temporarily employed during the latter part of Nov & December 96 for cleaning the drains which were filled up with Sand from the Surface water of the neighbouring hills under the Sanction of the council. |
| Grant I (P. W.) 2 Repairs (d) Water Supply iii Contingencies. | - | - | - | 1 | 3 | - | - | - | - | 1 | 3 | - | From the savings under "Tools & plant" & "other stores" Rs 5-7-6 were transferred to contingencies to meet the charges under ii Establishment, From the Savings under ii Establishment Rs 1-3-0 were transferred to contingencies to meet the cost of putting on a Shed for tank watchmen under the Sanction of the Council. |

Statement VI-A.—Showing the Budget Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of Chingleput for the year 189 6-97 (2nd half of 96) —*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. | |
| Grant III Sanitation and Medical Service i Hospital and Dispensaries 6 Medicines and Supplies | 340 | - | - | 182 | 2 | 9 | - | - | - | 522 | 2 | 9 | The Savings under diet of Patients, and Sundries and Contingencies were transferred to meet the addition referred to here under the Sanction of the council 362 |
| G. V. C. Collection of tolls ii Contingencies | - | - | - | 10 | 2 | - | - | - | - | 10 | 2 | - | The charge was met from the savings of Hospl Contingencies other than 6(iii) |

STATEMENT VII.—Tolls.

| Number of toll-gates. | Whether collection of tolls is leased out or managed departmentally. | Amount of collections. | | | Expenditure on Works. | | | Establishment. | | | Contingencies. | | | Total. | | | 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. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 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. |
| Five | Leased | 766 | 10 | 8 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | * This amount was sent by district Board direct to the Bank vide para 16 of the report. & overpayment of 0-8-0 will be adjusted in the current year — |
| | out | 731 | 9 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 10 | 2 | - | 10 | 2 | - | 721 | 7 | 2 | 240 | 7 | 9 | 240 | - | - | - | - | - |
| | | 498 | 3 | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 731 | 9 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 10 | 2 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 3 | 721 | 7 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 240 | 7 | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

## 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 repaid | | | | Amount transferred to Sinking Fund | | | | Invested out of the total amount transferred up to end of 189 -9 . | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Up to 31st March 189 . | | In 189 -9 . | | Up to 31st March 189 . | | In 189 -9 . | | In Government Securities. | In the Savings Bank. |
| | | | Number of years. | Amount. | | | Number of years. | Amount. | | | | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | | 7 | 8 | 9 | | 10 | 11 |
| RS. A. P. | | | | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | | | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. |

Nil

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

| Name of Municipality. | Total number of houses, as per census (occupied and unoccupied). | Number of houses on the municipal register out of the number in column 2. | Assessed | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Under 8 Annas. | | 8 Annas to Rs. 1½. | | Rs. 1½ to Rs. 5. | | Rs. 5 to Rs. 15. | | Rs. 15 to Rs. 30. | | Rs. 30 and above. | | Total. | |
| | | | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| | | | | RS. A. P. | | RS. A. P. | | RS. A. P. | | RS. A. P. | | RS. A. P. | | RS. A. P. | | RS. A. P. |
| Cheinglepet | 468 | 758 | 243 | 72 3 - | 394 | 370 10 - | 118 | 279 2 - | 1 | 7 8 - | 2 | 35 10 - | - | - - - | 758 | 765 1 - |
| Kattam | 576 | 414 | 211 | 67 13 9 | 154 | 144 1 6 | 48 | 107 3 - | - | - - - - | 1 | 15 - | - | - - - | 414 | 334 2 3 |
| Gundur | 418 | 310 | 127 | 38 2 6 | 144 | 136 12 6 | 37 | 89 1 - | - | - - - - | 2 | 33 12 - | - | - - - | 310 | 297 12 - |
| Pudmayur | 17 | 13 | 7 | 1 15 6 | 4 | 4 2 - | 1 | 3 12 - | - | - - - - | 1 | 19 8 - | - | - - - | 13 | 29 5 6 |
| Grand Total | 1479 | 1495 | 588 | 180 2 9 | 696 | 655 10 - | 204 | 479 2 - | 1 | 7 8 - | 6 | 103 14 - | - | - - - | 1495 | 1426 4 9 |

558 - 180-2-9
696 - 655-10-0
204 - 479-2-0
1 - 7-8-0
6 - 103-14-0
1495 - 1426-4-9

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

| Name of Municipality. | Assessed in | Class I. | | Class II. | | Class III. | | Class IV. | | Class V. | | Class VI. | | Class VII. | | Class VIII. | | Total. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. |
| | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| Chinglepet | | | 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. | |
| | | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 2 | 16 | 16 | 20 | 6 | 6 | 9 | 18 | 18 | | | 138 | 523 |



## Statement X.

1. Name of Municipality — Chinglepet

2. Population as per last census .. .. .. .. — Chinglepet 9763

3. Sanctioned number of Councillors { (a) Nominated .. .. — 2 / (b) Elected .. .. — 12

4. Actual number of Councillors on 31st March 1897—

(a) Ex-officio .. .. .. .. .. — 2

(b) Nominated { Officials .. .. .. .. — 1 / Non-officials .. .. .. .. — 9

(c) Elected .. { Officials .. .. .. .. — u / Non-officials .. .. .. .. — u

Total .. — 12.

(d) Europeans and Eurasians .. .. .. .. — 3

(e) Natives .. .. .. .. .. .. — 9

5. Total number of meetings actually held during the year .. — 12

6. Number of meetings adjourned for want of a quorum .. .. — 10

7. Average attendance at each meeting *actually* held—

(a) Officials .. .. .. .. .. .. — 1. 4

(b) Non-officials .. .. .. .. .. — 7. 3

Total .. — 8. 7

(c) Europeans and Eurasians .. .. .. .. — 3

(d) Natives .. .. .. .. .. .. — 9

Total .. — 12

8. Is the Chairman appointed or elected .. .. .. — Appointed

9. Name and designation of persons who have held the office of Chairman during the year, with the date of appointment or election in each case .. .. .. .. .. — Surgeon Lieut Colonel H. A. F. Railer In. B. appointed on 17/10/96

STATEMENT X-A.—Showing the particulars of Elections held in the Municipality of in 189 - 9 .

| Name of the wards, if any, into which the town is divided. | Population. | Number of registered voters. | Date of election. | Number of seats filled by election. | Whether election was contested or not and the number of seats contested. | If contested, number of voters who went to the poll. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 1. | | | | | | |
| 2. | | | | | | |
| 3. | | | | | | |
| 4. | | | | | | |
| 5. | | | | | | |
| 6. | | | | | | |
| 7. | | | | | | |
| 8. | | | | | | |
| 9. | | | | | | |
| 10. | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | |

STATEMENT XI.—Furnishing information regarding Municipal markets, houses served by the private scavenging agency, number of latrines and of lights, &c., in the Town of Chinglepet for the 2nd half of year 1896-97.

| Area of Municipality in square miles. | Name of Municipal markets. | Whether collection of fees, rents, &c., was leased out or managed departmentally. | Number of houses served by the private scavenging agency on the registers on 31st March 1897. | Number of public latrines on 31st March 1897. | Number of latrines constructed in ~~189 9~~ the 2nd half of 96-97 | Number of latrines demolished in ~~189 9~~ the 2nd half of 96-97 | Number of latrines on 31st March 1897. | Number of lamps on 31st March 1897. | Number of lamps put up in ~~189 9~~ the 2nd half of 96-97 | Number of lamps removed in ~~189 9~~ the 2nd half of 96-97 | Number of lamps on 31st March 1897. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| 1.25 | " | " | 62 | 7 | " | " | 7 | 45 | " | " | 45 |

STATEMENT XII.—Showing particulars regarding the number of patients treated, &c., in the Town of Chingleput during the 2½ half of the year 1896-97.

| Name of hospital and dispensary. | Patients treated. | | | Number and name of midwives employed. | Number of labour cases attended by the midwives. | Date and Number of G.O. sanctioning rules for the treatment of the sick under section 127 of Act IV of 1884. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | In. | Out. | Total. | | | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| Municipal Hospital Chingleput | 210 | 5994 | 6204 | One Christian | 34 | — |

STATEMENT XIII.—Showing the Statistics of Vaccination and of Births and Deaths registered in the Town of Chingleput during the 2 half of the year 1896-97.

| Number of births registered. | Number of deaths registered. | Number of prosecutions instituted for failure to register births or deaths. | Name of Medical subordinates and vaccinators performing vaccine operations. | Number of operations performed. | | Number of successful operations. | | Number of operations with animal lymph. | Number of successful operations with animal lymph. | Number of prosecutions instituted for failure to have children vaccinated. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | Below one year of age. | Above one year of age. | Below one year of age. | Above one year of age. | | | | |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| 139 | 117 | Nil | Medical Subordinates .. .. | | | | | | | | |
| | | | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | 2 | | | | | Nil | | | |
| | | | 3 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Total .. | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Municipal Vaccinators .. .. | | | | | | | | |
| | | | 1 V. Kittyamatty Reddy | 65 | 204 | 65 | 181 | 269 | 246 | — | Vaccination was gratuitous during the half year; compulsory vaccination being introduced in the current year. |
| | | | 2 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | 3 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 269 | | 246 | | | | |
| | | | Total .. | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Grand Total .. | 65 | 204 | 65 | 181 | 269 | 246 | — | |

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Chingleput 19th June 1897

Chairman

Clerk's dept

STATEMENT XII.—Sh...

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Particulars of Panchama schools in ...alib Municipality for 1896-97.

| Description of School. | Grade of School. | No. of Inst.ns | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Board. | Lower Primary | 1 | |
| | Total | | |

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18th May 1897.

...ality was constituted ... day ... On the last ... of 1895-96 ...ut was in the Taluk ...re were 12 schools with ... Thus there has been ...ase of 1, schools and ... The figure opposite ... is that of the Repor... ...ol.

A. Ramachandra Ayyar
Asst. Inspr. of Sc...
Agin ...

Note.—1. *No comments should be made except*
2. *In the column of remarks the figures*
3. *This statement should be submitted i...*

Ed. R.
46 5,000—16-5-93.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sessional Schools .. | Government .. | |
| | Board or Municipal .. | |
| | Aided from Provincial Fun... | |
| | Aided from Local or Muni... | |
| | Unaided and Indigenous | |
| Industrial Schools .. | Government .. | |
| | Board or Municipal .. | |
| | Aided from Provincial Fun... | |
| | Aided from Local or Muni... | |
| | Unaided and Indigenous | |

Note.—1. *Where an institution is aided from Prov... ...m Provincial or Local (or Municipal) Funds.*
2. *No comments should be made except as n...*
3. *This statement should be submitted in tim...*

Ed. R
45 5,000—2-6-93.

Particulars of Panchama schools in the Chingleput Municipality for 1896-97.

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| Description of School. | Grade of School. | No. of Schools. | Scholars on the 31st March 1897 | | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Boys | Girls | |
| Board. | Lower Primary | 1 | 35 | 3. | ✓ |

Madras
18th May 1897.

A. Ramalingam
Asst. Inspr. of Schools,
Agri. Primary Division.

STATEMENT XII.—Showing

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Statement No. II showing the proportio

| Classes of Population. | | Po | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Europeans and Eurasians .. .. .. | | | |
| Native Christians .. .. .. .. | | | |
| Muhammadans .. .. .. .. | | | |
| Hindus | Brahmans .. .. .. | | |
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Statement No. II showing the proportio

| Classes of Population. | Po |
|---|---|
| Europeans and Eurasians .. .. .. | |
| Native Christians .. .. .. .. | |
| Muhammadans .. .. .. .. | |
| Hindus — Brahmans .. .. .. | |
| Hindus — Non-Brahman Caste Hindus .. | |
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STATEMENT XII.—Showing particul

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| | | | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Colleges .. .. | Government .. | | |
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| | Unaided and Indigenous | | |
| Primary Schools .. | Government .. | | unicipality was constituted |
| | Board or Municipal .. | Local | the year. On the last day of 1895-96 |
| | Aided from ~~Provincial Fu~~ | Public | Chingleput was in the Taluk |
| | ~~Aided from Local or Muni~~ | | area, there were 12 schools with |
| | Unaided and Indigenous | | pils. Thus there has been |
| Training Schools .. | Government .. | | an increase of 4 schools and |
| | Board or Municipal .. | Local | upils. The figure opposite |
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| Muhammadans .. .. .. .. | | |
| Hindus — Brahmans .. .. .. | | |
| Hindus — Non-Brahman Caste Hindus .. | | |
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STATEMENT XII.—Showing particul

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Inspr. of Schools,
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| with al ion ates. | Unpassed Teachers. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|
| 10 | 2. | Excludes 3 Gymnastic instructors and one Drawing Master. |
| | | No provision has been made for training teachers. |
| 2 | " | The qualification of the teaching staff of the |
| " | " | Primary Schools in the Municipality is far from being satisfactory as the following percentages shew to the total number employed. |
| 3 | 9 | Trained — 23 |
| | | Untrained — 11 |
| 5 | | General Education 11 |
| | | Unpassed 53. |

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e untrained Gymnastic instructor.

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Asst. Inspr. of Schools,
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training teachers during the year under report had been carried out.

he Chairmen of Municipal Councils concerned before the 1st May.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE
22 MAY 1897
CHINGLEPUT.

# Statement No. I relating to General Statistics in the Chingleput Municipality

| | | 1895-96 | | | 1896-97 | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Number of Schools. | Number of pupils on 31st March. Boys. | Girls. | Number of Schools. | Number of pupils on 31st March. Boys. | Girls. | Remarks. |
| Colleges | Government | | | | | | | |
| | Board or Municipal | | | | | | | |
| | Aided from Provincial Funds | | | | | | | |
| | Aided from Local or Municipal Funds | | | | | | | |
| | Unaided and Indigenous | | | | | | | |
| Secondary Schools | Government | | | | | | | |
| | Local Board or Municipal | | | | | | | |
| | Aided from ~~Provincial Funds~~ Public Funds | | | | 3 | 418 | 27 | |
| | ~~Aided from Local or Municipal Funds~~ | | | | | | | |
| | Unaided and Indigenous | | | | | | | |
| Primary Schools | Government | | | | | | | |
| | Local Board or Municipal | | | | 1 | 153 | " | This Municipality was constituted during the year. On the last day of 1895-96 when Chingleput was in the Taluk Board area, there were 12 schools with 452 pupils. Thus there has been since an increase of 1, schools and 253 pupils. The figure opposite to Government is that of the Reformatory school. |
| | Aided from Public Provincial Funds | | | | 2 | 69 | 3 | |
| | ~~Aided from Local or Municipal Funds~~ | | | | 8 | 377 | 7 | |
| | Unaided and Indigenous | | | | 5 | 96 | " | |
| Training Schools | Government | | | | | | | |
| | Local Board or Municipal | | | | | | | |
| | Aided from Provincial Funds | | | | | | | |
| | Aided from Local or Municipal Funds | | | | | | | |
| | Unaided and Indigenous | | Nil | | 19 | 1113 | 37 | |
| Sessional Schools | Government | | | | | | | |
| | Board or Municipal | | | | | | | |
| | Aided from Provincial Funds | | | | | | | |
| | Aided from Local or Municipal Funds | | | | | | | |
| | Unaided and Indigenous | | | | | | | |
| Industrial Schools | Government | | | | | | | |
| | Board or Municipal | | | | | | | |
| | Aided from Provincial Funds | | | | | | | |
| | Aided from Local or Municipal Funds | | | | | | | |
| | Unaided and Indigenous | | | | | | | |

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18th May 1897.

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Note.—1. *Where an institution is aided from Provincial or Local (or Municipal) Funds, it should be shown against Provincial or Local (or Municipal) according as it has received a larger grant from Provincial or Local (or Municipal) Funds.*

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

3. *This statement should be submitted in time to reach the Presidents of Local Boards or the Chairmen of Municipal Councils concerned before the 1st May.*

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Statement No. III. giving particulars as to the qualifications

| Classes of Institutions. | | Number of Teachers employed. | Number possessing Trained Teachers' Certificates. | Number possessing Untrained Teachers' Certificates. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Secondary Colleges. Schools. | Government .. .. .. .. | | | |
| | Local Board or Municipal .. .. .. .. | | | |
| | Aided from ~~Provincial~~ Public Funds .. .. .. | ×1 26 | 9 | 5 |
| | ~~Aided from Local or Municipal Funds~~ .. .. | | | |
| | Unaided and Indigenous .. .. .. | | | |
| Primary ~~Secondary~~ Schools. | Government .. .. .. .. | 0 8 | 6 | 4 |
| | Local Board or Municipal .. .. .. .. | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| | Public Aided from ~~Provincial~~ Funds .. .. .. | 19 | 4 | ×3 |
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| | Unaided and Indigenous .. .. .. | 5 | " | " |
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| | Board or Municipal .. .. .. .. | | | |
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| | Unaided and Indigenous .. .. .. | | | |

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Statement No. IV relating to th

| Standard. | Co<br>Number of pupils presented for the Standard. |
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| VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination. | |
| VI. Standard .. .. .. | |
| V. Do. .. .. .. | |
| IV. Do. including Primary School Examination. | |
| III. Standard .. .. .. | |
| II. Do. .. .. .. | |
| I. Do. .. .. .. | |
| Infant Do. .. .. .. | |

| Name of Subject.* |
|---|
| Geography<br>Hygiène. |

Kingsclere Municipality

| 1895-97 Compulsory Subjects only. | | Remarks. |
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| Merit. | Ordinary. | |
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| " | 5 | The results are |
| " | 4 | satisfactory |
| " | 4 | in the Compulsory |
| 1 | 7 | Subjects. |
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| **1895-97 Optional Subjects.** | | |
| " | 3 | Optional Subjects |
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Statement No. IV relating to the results of the Grant Examinations in the

| Standard. | 1895-96 Compulsory Subjects only. | | | | 189 Compulsory Sub | |
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| | Number of pupils presented for the Standard. | Number passed. | Merit. | Ordinary. | Number of pupils presented for the Standard. | Number passed. |
| VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination. | | | | | Salary result | |
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| V. Do. .. .. .. | | | | | 5 4 | 2 6 |
| IV. Do. including Primary School Examination. | | | | | 5 | 5 |
| III. Standard .. .. .. | | | | | 17 | 4 |
| II. Do. .. .. .. | | | | | 9 | 4 |
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| Name of Subject.* | 1895-96 Optional Subjects. | | | | 1 Optiona | |
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| Geography | | | | | 16 | 3 |
| Hygiene. | | | | | 12 | 6 |

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| Standard. | Number of pupils present for the Standard. |
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| VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination. | |
| VI. Standard .. .. .. | |
| V. Do. .. .. .. | |
| IV. Do. including Primary School Examination. | |
| III. Standard .. .. .. | |
| II. Do. .. .. .. | |
| I. Do. .. .. .. | |
| Infant Do. .. .. .. | |

| Name of Subject.* | |
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| Second Language | |
| Needle work | |

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

| Standard. | 1895-96 Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard. | Number passed. | Merit. | Ordinary. | 1896-97 Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard. | Number passed. | Merit. | Ordinary. | Remarks. |
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| VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination. | | | | | Results Schools. | | | | |
| VI. Standard .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | |
| V. Do. .. .. .. | – | – | – | – | 8 | 8 | – | 8 | The results are |
| IV. Do. including Primary School Examination. | | | | | 31 | 27 | 2 | 25 | very fair in the |
| III. Standard .. .. .. | | | | | 66 | 47 | 7 | 40 | Compulsory |
| II. Do. .. .. .. | | | | | 63 | 43 | 7 | 36 | Subjects. |
| I. Do. .. .. .. | | | | | 63 | 49 | 6 | 43 | |
| Infant Do. .. .. .. | | | | | 71 | 41 | 14 | 27 | |

| Name of Subject.* | 1895-96 Optional Subjects. | | | | 1896-97 Optional Subjects. | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Second Language | | | | | 44 | 40 | 8 | 32 | The Teaching |
| Needle work | | | | | 16 | 10 | 3 | 7 | of Geography |
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Chairman

Surgeon Lieut col, A. A. F. Hailes M.B

District Medical and Sanitary officer

Councillors.

1 J. A. Robertson Esquire Sub. Collector

2 In R Ry Sreenivasa chariar Avergal Tahsildar

3 —"— V. Ramanuja chariar Avergal BA, BL

4 —"— V. Vijiaraghava chariar Avergal BA

5 —"— D. Abboy chettiar Avergal

6 —"— C. Rathana chettiar Avergal

7 —"— Balasubharaya Mudaliar Avergal

8 —"— Mahamud Aliar Saheb.

9 —"— Ahamed Meera Saheb.

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(Signed) H. A. F. Trailer M.B.

Chairman

(True extract)

17th June 1897

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