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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

From M.R.Ry. T. RAJAGOPAL NAYUDU Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Dindigul, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Sub-Collector of Madura), dated 11th January 1897, No. 350.

1. Proposition statement.
2. Budget statement.
3. Copy of Council's Resolution No. 1, dated 6th January 1897.

I have the honour to submit the revised estimate for 1896–97 and the budget estimate for 1897–98 of the Dindigul Municipality, together with the marginally-noted enclosures.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1896–97.

Receipts.

2. The receipts as per revised estimate, including the opening balance of Rupees 29,280 and the advances recovered, Rs. 10,890, from the Sanitary Engineer to Government aggregate to Rs. 72,070 against a budget estimate of Rs. 36,880. The increase is due chiefly to the conspicuously large amount of the opening balance and to enhanced receipts under 2 (*a*), 2 (*b*), 2 (*c*), 2 (*g*), 2 (*h*), 4 (*a*) (iii), 4 (*c*), 4 (*f*) (i), 4(*f*) (ii), 4 (*g*) (i), 6 (*a*) (i) and 6 (*b*) (ii) set off only partially by a comparatively smaller opening balance and a decrease under 2 (*d*) owing to the remission of water-tax for the first half of 1896–97 (*vide* G.O., Mis. No. 1750 M., dated 14th October 1896), 2 (*e*), 2 (*f*), 4 (*a*) (i), 4 (*b*) (i), 4 (*g*) (ii), 4 (*h*), 5 (*b*) (ii) and 6 (*b*) (i). These variations are explained in statement VI.

Charges.

3. The proposed charges amount to Rs. 65,350 against Rs. 34,100 originally budgeted, showing an increase of Rs. 31,250. This increase is, in a large measure, due to increased expenditure under Grants 1, 3 and 4, while Grants 2 and 5 show a decrease. Under Grant 1, the item that has contributed to swell the charges most is (i) (*d*) water-supply. This item excluded, Grant 1 also exhibits a reduction of charges in consequence of savings and fines under 2 (*c*) (ii), the non-utilization of Rs. 350 provided for the construction of walls to the fort tank—not approved by the Sanitary Board—and to savings effected under 2 (*d*) (ii) and (iii) owing to the entertainment of the water works staff and the commencement of water-supply to the town, late in the year, counterbalanced, though to a small extent by an outlay of Rs. 160 in the construction of the high school latrine.

4. The reduced charges under Grant 2 are due mainly to the payment of minimum salaries to some of the teachers of the municipal high school and to a reduction of Rs. 20 effected under 2 (ii) (*c*) Contingencies, while Grant 3 exhibits an increase of charges under 1 (*b*) due to medicines purchased last year having been paid this year, under 4 (*b*) Birth and Death Contingencies due to some forms printed and under 5 (*c*) Cholera charges due to medicines purchased and yet remain to be purchased for preventing the spread of the epidemic, in spite of a decrease under 1 (*a*), 1 (*d*), 3 (*b*), 5 (*a*) (i), 5 (*a*) (ii) and 5 (*b*) (i), due to savings and fines.

5. In spite of the non-utilization of the excess amount provided in the budget under 2 (*b*), 4 (*b*), 9 (iii) and (v) and of the full amount under 5 (*b*)—Avenue contingencies—the increase under 1 (*b*) and 9 (iv) compensation for lands has contributed to swell the charges though slightly under Grant 4.

6. The falling off under Grant 5 is due to fines and savings under (*a*) (i), (*b*) (i), and to the non-utilization of the excess amount provided in the budget under (*b*) (ii) and (*d*).

7. The year is expected to close with a balance of Rs. 6,720 against Rs. 2,780, as in the sanctioned budget, owing mainly to the increase in the receipts shown in paragraph 2 *supra* plus the savings under certain items of charges.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1897–98.

Receipts.

8. *Statement I—Rates and Taxes, &c.*—The increase over both the revised and the budget estimate for 1896–97 is due to provision made for enhanced receipts under 2 (*c*) over both the revised and the original budget and under 2 (*d*) over the revised estimate alone. The decrease in the revised estimate under this head—water-tax on buildings and lands—has been explained in paragraph 2 *supra*. The smaller amounts under (*a*) and (*b*) represent for the greater part the current demand, while the variable character of the items (*g*) and (*h*) explains the decreased provision made under those heads, item (*h*) depending mainly on the state of competition at the annual sale.

		RS.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	20,370
Revised „ for „	..	20,220
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	20,720

9. *Realization under Special Acts.*—As in previous years a provision of Rs. 50 has been made under fees under Act II of 1888, and this therefore calls for no remarks.

		RS.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	50
Revised „ for „	..	50
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	50

10. *Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.*—The fall below the revised estimate is to be explained by the fact that the several items—(*a*) to (*h*)—that are comprised under this head are of a fluctuating nature, the chief items that exhibit a fall below the revised estimate being 4 (*a*) (iii), 4 (*c*), 4 (*f*) (i) and 4 (*f*) (ii), though there is increased provision made under 4 (*d*) (i)—fees from educational institutions as per recommendations of the educational department, under 4 (*g*) (ii), License-fees and under 4 (*h*) Fines under Municipal and other Acts.

		RS.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	8,600
Revised „ for „	..	9,310
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	8,910

11. *Grants and Contributions.*—The marginally-noted figures represent the grants and contributions that are expected to be realised from Government and from Local Boards—the Dindigul Taluk Board—Rs. 4,400 provided for in 1897–98 under this head include a furniture grant towards the municipal high school of Rs. 30 in round numbers—the figure recommended by the department being Rs. 25, and Rs. 820 being the amount of salary grants for which credit is taken under municipal schools on behalf of the teachers of the high school, including a third grant on behalf of a Tamil Pandit whose appointment the council has sanctioned in accordance with the recommendations of the Educational authorities. Under other purposes, credit is taken only for a grant of Rs. 60, Rs. 50 being the salary grants on behalf of the gymnastic instructor and Rs. 10, result grants for girls in the Panchama salary-result school. It is to be regretted that the council did not sanction the appointment of a drawing master, as recommended by the department, and hence no credit is taken for any grant on his behalf. Under G.O., No. 1213 M., dated 18th July 1896, a provision of Rs. 4,140 has been made towards the construction of a standard out-patient dispensary for the

		RS.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	1,840
Revised „ for „	..	1,580
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	4,400

treatment of women and children in the budget year, and the contribution from Government under 5 (*a*) (ii) Medical towards the cost of erection of the same is calculated at a third of the estimated cost. It is respectfully solicited that Government will grant this contribution, considering the importance of such an institution in this town and the good work that it has been turning out all along. The grant on account of water-supply is the same as in previous years. Under (*b*) (ii) Medical, provision has been made for the realization of a grant or contribution of Rs. 1,980 from the Taluk Board, Dindigul. This amount includes Rs. 600 grant from the said board towards the women and children's dispensary under G.O., Mis. No. 731 L., dated 20th April 1896, and Rs. 1,380 a third of the cost of the proposed construction of the standard out-patient dispensary referred to above. As the usefulness and the importance of the institution are too well known and as it—the institution—is at present maintained partly by the municipality and partly by the taluk board, it is hoped that the taluk board will be pleased to contribute a third of the said cost in view to the recommendations made by the Surgeon-General in his inspection notes embodied in the last year's administration report of this municipality.

12. *Miscellaneous.*—The items included under this head are "private scavenging fees," "fishery-rents" and "refunds of expenditure of previous year." The increase in the revised estimate over the budget amount of 1896–97 is due to enhanced receipts under 6 (*a*) (i) and to Rs. 120 expenditure of previous year due from a normal student and expected to be recovered from him before the close of the year. In view to the proposed further extension of the private scavenging system in the budget year, enhanced receipts over the revised estimate are provided under private scavenging fees. A sum of Rs. 50 is expected to be realised under 6 (*b*) (i) fishery rents.

	Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97 ..	510
Revised „ for „ ..	740
Budget „ for 1897–98 ..	750

13. *Extraordinary and Debt.*—There is no necessity for any provision to be made under this head.

Budget estimate for 1896–97 Revised „ for „ Budget „ for „	.. *Nil.*

14. The receipts are estimated to amount to Rs. 41,550, including opening balance, against Rs. 72,070 of the revised estimate for 1896–97.

Charges.

15. *Statement 2—Grant 1, Public Works.*—The increase in the revised estimate is due to the inclusion of Rs. 32,340 under 1 (*d*) Water-supply and of Rs. 160 under 1 (*b*) cost incurred in the construction of the high school latrine and of Rs. 10 under 4 set off partially by short expenditure under 2 (*c*) (ii) due to fines and savings under 2 (*d*) (i), 2 (*d*) (ii) and 2 (*d*) (iii). Increased provision has been made in the budget year under 1 (*b*), 2 (*a*), 2 (*c*) (i), 2 (*d*) (i), 2 (*d*) (ii) and (iii). The various public works proposed to be undertaken during 1897–98 are enumerated in statement II-A, from which it will be seen that the estimated cost of the construction of the standard out-patient dispensary is Rs. 4,140. In the budget report for 1896–97, the necessity for the construction of drains in the great bazaar street of the size and pattern that would be approved by the Sanitary Department has been sufficiently dwelt at length. An estimate for the construction of drains in a portion of the said street as provided in the budget for 1896–97 was forwarded for the approval of the Sanitary Board, but the same has been returned by reason of some defects to be rectified therein. A revised estimate with the defects remedied will be forwarded to the Sanitary Board for approval and the work put in hand and completed before the close of this year. Rs. 900 set apart under 1 (*c*) Drainage include Rs. 400 provided for extending the construction of V-shaped drains as recommended by the Sanitary Board in another portion of the great bazaar street and

	Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97 ..	12,020
Revised „ for „ ..	43,700
Budget „ for 1897–98 ..	16,280

Rs. 500 for constructing drains in some lanes of the town. Rs. 3,100 have been provided under 2 (*a*) for the maintenance of roads and for the necessary improvement which some of the important roads and tunnels in the town stand in need of. The percentage of estimated charges under Communications—new works and repairs—to the revenue from tolls is 50·7. The provision of increased charges under 2 (*d*) (ii) establishment includes the sanctioned annual increments to be made to the salaries of the driver, the fireman and the plumber during the last eight months of the budget year. Under 2 (*d*) (iii) Rs. 2,400 have been provided for the purchase of fuel, oils and stores for water-works.

16. *Grant 2, Education.*—The non-utilization in the current year in full of the allotments under 2 (i) (*a*) in consequence of the payment of minimum salaries to the teachers of the municipal high school, and under 2 (ii) (*c*) has contributed to effect savings to the extent of the difference between the first two items in the margin. Under 2 (i) (*a*), an allotment of Rs. 3,390 has been made for payment of the high school establishment including a Tamil pandit, whose appointment in the budget year the council has resolved upon. The sanction of Government for this appointment is solicited. The allotment of Rs. 160 under 2 (i) (*b*) includes Rs. 50, provision made for purchase of furniture for the high school for half grants on which credit has been taken (*vide* paragraph 11 *supra*) and Rs. 110 for contingencies. Under 2 (ii) (*a*)—fixed payments—the figure advised by the Assistant Inspector of Schools, Madura-Tinnevelly Division, has been adopted with the increase recommended by him to the salaries of the peon attached to the Muhammadan Salary-result school and of the Headmaster, Panchama Salary-result school. These details are shown in the proposition statement and statement II B hereto annexed. The sanction of Government to the increase recommended is solicited. A reduced provision of Rs. 160 is made under 2 (ii) (*c*). Contingencies with reference to the actuals. A provision of Rs. 1,500 has been made under result grants. Under 7 Miscellaneous—(*a*) building, furniture, &c., grants—Rs. 50 are provided, as building grants have been promised by the council to be paid to certain managers of primary schools in the town in accordance with the recommendations of the Educational authorities. The council's unwillingness to provide for the appointment of a drawing master in the budget year has been alluded to in paragraph 11 *supra*.

	Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97 ..	6,290
Revised „ for „ ..	5,860
Budget „ for 1897–98 ..	6,410

17. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services.*—Under 1 (*a*) and (*b*), provision has been made for the usual contribution of Rs. 630 towards Dr. Chester's American Mission dispensary and Rs. 1,750 allotted under (*a*), (*b*) and (*d*) for the Women and Children's dispensary against Rs. 1,814, the figure of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer. The increase under 3 (*a*) Vaccination—establishment—is on account of provision made for the increase of the salary of the vaccinator from Rs. 10 to Rs. 15 per mensem resolved upon by the council as per recommendations of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer. He has done good work and is therefore entitled to some encouragement. The slight fall below the revised estimate under 4 (*a*) is due to the fact that the figure of the revised estimate includes Rs. 10, leave allowance for two months this year paid to the late mortuary clerk who has since been removed from service. Of two of the sanitary maistries that were receiving Rs. 7–8–0 each on account of their long standing service, one has been removed owing to old age and another appointed in his place on Rs. 6 per mensem. Thus there has been a saving of Rs. 18 this year. The number of Sanitary maistries that receive Rs. 7–8–0, Rs. 6 and Rs. 5 per mensem is at present 1, 2 and 3, respectively. It is now proposed to maintain the same number of maistries with slight variations in the pay of some of them (*vide* proposition statement). As Rs. 5 appear to be too low for sanitary maistries and as the drain-cleaners of the municipality are each in receipt of a salary of Rs. 5 per mensem, it is highly desirable that maistries that superintend the work of the drain-cleaners should be paid more than what the latter receive. Hence a provision has been made for an increase of Re. 1 to the salaries of each of the three maistries that now get Rs. 5 per

	Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97 ..	9,470
Revised „ for „ ..	9,510
Budget „ for 1897–98 ..	9,870

mensem. This explains the increase under 5 (*a*) (i). Under 5 (*b*) (i), provision has been made for the appointment of two more private scavenging toties, each on Rs. 4 per mensem as it is proposed to extend the system further, in view to its growing popularity in the town. The sanction of Government for the above is solicited. Rs. 200 have been provided towards cholera charges and the allotment of Rs. 200 under 5 (*d*) Contingencies includes Rs. 100 for the removal of prickly-pear in the town. The items of charges under 1 (*a*), 3 (*a*), 5 (*a*) (i), 5 (*a*) (ii) and 5 (*b*) (i) thus entail the comparatively large increase over the revised estimate and the same items, 1 (*a*) excepted, together with 1 (*b*) and 5 (*c*) contribute to the increase over the budget estimate of the current year.

18. *Grant 4, Lighting and Miscellaneous purposes.*—The increase in the revised estimate over the budget estimate for 1896–97 is due to increased charges under 1 (*b*), counterbalanced by short outlay under 2 (*b*), 4 (*b*), 5 (*b*), 9 (iii) and 9 (v). The lighting of the town was taken under departmental management this year and it has proved successful. The comparatively smaller amount provided in the budget is due to the proposed diminished charges under 1 (*b*) and 2 (*b*), set off by an increase under 9 (v) other items. Under 1(*a*) establishment, provision has been made for an increase of half a rupee to the salaries of each of the five masalchies now in service, as it was with great difficulty, in the current year, that the services of these masalchies were secured for a salary of Rs. 5–8–0 per mensem. The sanction of Government for the above is solicited.

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	2,240
Revised " for "	..	2,300
Budget " for 1897–98	..	2,130

19. *Grant 5.*—The fall under the revised estimate is due to fines and savings under (*a*) (i) and (*b*) (i) and to the non-utilization of the full amount under (*b*) (ii) and (*d*), and the slight increase in the allotment for 1897–98 is consequent upon the increased provision made under (*d*), in view to the extra expenditure that may happen to be incurred in connection with the general revision of the house-tax register in the budget year.

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	2,110
Revised " for "	..	2,020
Budget " for 1897–98	..	2,140

20. Under G.O., No. 538 M., dated 25th March 1896, an allotment of Rs. 1,970 (in round numbers) has been made towards the repayment of the loan and payment of interest to Government in respect of the loan taken for the water works of this municipality. Of this amount, Rs. 590 represent the portion of the principal to be paid and Rs. 1,380 represent the interest.

21. The estimated charges during 1897–98 amount to Rs. 38,800 against a probable income of Rs. 34,830 excluding the opening balance. It will thus be seen that the council has to spend Rs. 3,970 over and above its income. But savings that may happen to be effected under Grants 2, 3 and 5 may contribute to make good this deficit though partially.

22. The budget is expected to close with a balance of Rs. 2,750, which is a little below the 10 per cent. required.

23. I regret the delay in the submission of this budget, which is due to the outbreak of cholera in the town, in taking necessary measures for the suppression of which a greater part of my time had to be devoted.

N. Dis. No. 80-Gl.

Forwarded.

(Signed) R. T. GRIMLEY,
Ag. Sub-Collector.

14th January 1897.

N. Dis. No. 183-Gl.

Submitted.

(Signed) J. TWIGG,
Collector.

MADURA,
18th January 1897.

From J. A. JONES, Esq., MEM. INST. C.E., F.R.S.E., Sanitary Engineer to Government, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated 5th February 1897, No. 232.

With reference to the budget estimate of the Dindigul Municipality for 1897–98 whereof an extract has been sent to me, I have the honour to state that the allotments under (2) (*d*) Water-supply are considered sufficient.

From J. A. JONES, Esq., MEM. INST. C.E., F.R.S.E., Sanitary Engineer to Government, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated 8th February 1897, No. 245.

In continuation of my letter, No. 232, of the 5th instant, I have the honour to inform you that I omitted to note that the Municipal Council of Dindigul has not provided for the inspection of its machinery by the Inspector of Steam Boilers and Prime-movers. I think Rs. 300 would be a fair contribution for the two visits of the Inspector. The machinery here is similar to that at Cuddapah, and the contribution fixed for the latter is Rs. 300, as per G.O., No. 1615 M., dated 9th October 1895.

From the Hon'ble Mr. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D.Sc., LL.D., Director of Public Instruction, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Madras, 6th February 1897, No. 1151.

Adverting to the budget estimate of the Dindigul Municipality for 1897–98, I have the honour to state that the provision therein made for education will be adequate with an addition of Rs. 250 for a drawing master to give instruction in this subject in the upper secondary department of the municipal high school—Rs. 220 for his salary for eleven months at Rs. 20 per mensem and Rs. 30 for the purchase of the necessary drawing materials. Drawing is a compulsory subject of study in the upper secondary forms according to the educational rules. A half-grant of Rs. 125 may be taken credit for on this account from provincial funds, subject to the provisions of the Grant-in-aid Code. With the above addition the net expenditure to the municipality under Grant 2 will be Rs. 3,470 (Rs. 6,660—3,190), which is 13·4 per cent. of its estimated income from taxation, rents and markets.

From Surgeon-Major-General C. SIBTHORPE, F.R.C.P.I., Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Camp, Salem, 9th February 1897, No. Tour-4—27.

With reference to Grant 3 of the budget estimate of the Dindigul Municipality for the year 1897–98, I have the honour to state that I approve of the provision for the construction of a standard out-patient dispensary for the treatment of women and children.

2. The request of the municipality for the payment from provincial funds of one-third of the estimated cost towards the construction of this building, in consideration of the importance of such an institution in the town and the good work that it has been turning out all along, is greatly deserving of consideration.

From Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. KING, M.B., C.M., D.P.H., Sanitary Commissioner for Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Camp, Tadpatri, 2nd March 1897, No. 520-S.

With reference to the Dindigul municipal budget for 1897–98, I have the honour to state that the expenditure proposed under conservancy, amounting to 19·6 per cent. of the current receipts, is insufficient for requirements, as already

pointed out in my letter on the current year's budget. The vaccinal grant calls for no remarks. The increase of salary proposed to be given to the vaccinator has my approval.

2. Under Grant 1, certain sanitary works are budgeted for execution at an estimated cost of Rs. 3,110.

ORDER—No. 603 M., dated 18th March 1897.

The estimated receipts and charges of the Dindigul Municipality for 1897–98, as passed by Government, are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year 1896–97 and the actuals of 1895–96 :—

—	Actuals, 1895–96.	Budget estimate, 1896–97.	Revised estimate, 1896–97.	Budget estimate, 1897–98.
Receipts.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Balance brought forward	7,780	5,510	29,280	6,680
Tax on Arts	1,798	2,300	2,400	2,360
,, on Buildings and Lands	6,395	6,310	6,870	6,460
Water-tax on Buildings and Lands	..	2,350	1,010	2,300
Tax on Vehicles and Animals	1,172	1,310	1,200	1,200
,, on Carts	1,365	1,400	1,480	1,400
Tolls	7,200	6,700	7,260	7,000
Realizations under Special Acts	50	50	50	50
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	687	820	710	700
Conservancy Receipts	26	100	120	100
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	1,974	2,000	2,000	2,150
,, ,, from Medical Institutions	6	10	10	10
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	5,328	5,000	6,000	5,400
License Fees	384	450	330	400
Other Fees	26	20	30	30
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	411	200	110	120
Grants and Contributions from Government	29,731	990	980	1,040
,, ,, from Local Boards	600	850	600	600
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	451	500	620	700
Miscellaneous	5	10	120	50
Loans	33,000	..	..	..
Advances Recovered	..	..	10,890	..
Total	98,389	36,880	72,070	38,750
Charges.				
GRANT 1—				
New Works—				
Communications	435	950	950	450
Buildings	11	..	160	..
Drainage	1	1,200	1,200	900
Water-supply	33,676	..	32,340	..
Repairs—				
Communications	2,658	2,700	2,700	3,100
Buildings	118	1,020	1,020	950
Drainage	978	1,280	1,270	1,490
Water-supply	1,081	3,970	3,150	4,730
Establishment	777	800	800	800
Tools and Plant and other Stores	41	100	110	20
Total	39,776	12,020	43,700	12,440
GRANT 2—				
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary System	2,900	3,390	2,986	3,550
,, the Salary-result System	774	896	870	880
Grants-in-aid—				
Result Grants	1,458	1,500	1,500	1,500
Building, Furniture, &c., Grants	..	100	100	50
Inspection	259	260	260	260
Miscellaneous	150	150	150	150
Total	5,541	6,290	5,860	6,390
GRANT 3—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	2,622	2,340	2,570	2,380
Contributions	231	120	120	120
Vaccination	370	380	320	360
Registration of Births and Deaths	183	140	160	130
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	4,880	6,490	6,340	7,430
Total	8,286	9,470	9,510	10,420

—	Actuals, 1895–96.	Budget estimate, 1896–97.	Revised estimate, 1896–97.	Budget estimate, 1897–98.
Charges—cont.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
GRANT 4—				
Lighting	1,098	1,500	1,600	1,480
Markets and Slaughter-houses	73	110	90	70
Travellers' Bungalows	143	160	150	150
Avenues	56	70	60	60
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other Charges	403	400	400	370
Total	1,773	2,240	2,300	2,130
GRANT 5—				
Supervision and Management	2,115	2,110	2,060	2,290
Repayment of Debt	..	570	560	590
Interest on Loan	492	1,400	1,400	1,380
Advances Recoverable	11,122	..	..	..
Refunds	1	..	..	..
Balance	29,283	2,780	6,680	3,110
Total	98,389	36,880	72,070	38,750

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1896–97.

2. The current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 42,790 and Rupees 65,350, respectively, against Rs. 31,370 and Rs. 34,100 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts occurs chiefly under the tax on buildings, tolls, income from markets and advances recovered, being partly counterbalanced by a decrease under the water-tax and grants from local boards, while the increase in the charges is marked under Grant 1. The expenditure on new works—communications and drainage, and repairs—buildings, during the first eight months of the year, was again most unsatisfactory. The reduction from Rs. 7–8–0 to Rs. 6 in the pay of one of the sanitary maistries, referred to in paragraph 17 of the Chairman's letter, is approved. With reference to G.O., No. 2391 L., dated 17th December 1896, the contribution for the central office establishments will be raised from Rs. 140 to Rs. 180. The balance to be carried forward to the ensuing year's budget will then be Rs. 6,680.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1897–98.

3. *Receipts.*—The receipts for the coming year are put down at Rs. 34,830 against Rs. 42,790 in the revised estimate, the decrease, which appears mainly under advances recovered and income from markets, being partly met by an increase under the water-tax and grants from Government and local boards. The Government is not prepared to sanction the grant from Provincial funds of one-third of the cost of constructing the proposed out-patient dispensary. As regards the contribution of a like sum expected from the taluk board on this account, the municipal council should address that board and report the result to Government. The two sums of Rs. 1,380 each, for which credit has been taken under the heads grants and contributions from Government and local boards will accordingly be struck out.

4. *Charges.*—(1) The probable charges are entered as Rs. 38,800 against Rupees 65,390 in the revised estimate, the decrease being mainly under Grant 1.

(2) *Grant 1.*—The sum of Rs. 4,140 provided for the construction of an out-patient dispensary will be struck out with reference to the latter portion of the preceding paragraph. A sum of Rs. 300 will be provided for contribution towards the pay of the Boiler Inspector, as suggested by the Sanitary Engineer in his second letter read above.

(3) *Grant 2.*—The entertainment of a Tamil pandit on Rs. 15 for the municipal high school is sanctioned, but the increase of Re. 1 each in the salaries of the peon of the Muhammadan salary-result school and the head master of the Panchama school, proposed in paragraph 16 of the Chairman's letter, cannot be approved as the necessity of it has not been explained. The remarks of the Director of Public Instruction in his letter read above will be referred to the municipal council for careful consideration.

(4) *Grant 3.*—The council's proposal to raise the salary of the vaccinator from Rs. 10 to Rs. 15 cannot be approved, as the Government is not satisfied of its necessity. The additions to, and alterations in, the conservancy and private scavenging establishments, proposed in paragraph 17, are sanctioned. With reference to G.O., No. 1985 M., dated 18th November 1896, the allotment for epidemic charges will be raised from Rs. 200 to Rs. 810, to include possible charges connected with the bubonic plague.

(5) *Grant 4.*—The increase of half-a-rupee each in the salaries of the five masalchis, referred to in paragraph 18, is approved.

(6) *Grant 5.*—The proposed reduction of half-a-rupee in the pay of the office peon, which from the proposition statement appears to be contemplated, and to which reference should have been made in the Chairman's letter, is approved. With reference to G.O., No. 2391 L., dated 17th December 1896, the contribution for the central office establishments will be raised from Rs. 140 to Rs. 286, or Rs. 290 in round figures.

5. The budget, as revised by Government, closes with a balance of Rs. 3,110, or 9·7 per cent. of the estimated receipts. The late submission of the budget is not satisfactory.

(True Extract.)

G. S. FORBES,
Secretary to Government.

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Dindigul.
" Collector of Madura.
" President, District Board, Madura.
" Accountant-General.
" Director of Public Instruction.
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Municipal Budget.

Reviewing the Dindigul—for 1897-98.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers :—

From M.R.Ry. T. RAJAGOPAL NAYUDU Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Dindigul, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Sub-Collector of Madura), dated 11th January 1897, No. 350.

1. Proposition statement.
2. Budget statement.
3. Copy of Council's Resolution No. 1, dated 6th January 1897.

I have the honour to submit the revised estimate for 1896–97 and the budget estimate for 1897–98 of the Dindigul Municipality, together with the marginally-noted enclosures.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1896–97.

Receipts.

2. The receipts as per revised estimate, including the opening balance of Rupees 29,280 and the advances recovered, Rs. 10,890, from the Sanitary Engineer to Government aggregate to Rs. 72,070 against a budget estimate of Rs. 36,880. The increase is due chiefly to the conspicuously large amount of the opening balance and to enhanced receipts under 2 (*a*), 2 (*b*), 2 (*c*), 2 (*g*), 2 (*h*), 4 (*a*) (iii), 4 (*c*), 4 (*f*) (i), 4 (*f*) (ii), 4 (*g*) (i), 6 (*a*) (i) and 6 (*b*) (ii) set off only partially by a comparatively smaller opening balance and a decrease under 2 (*d*) owing to the remission of water-tax for the first half of 1896–97 (*vide* G.O., Mis. No. 1750 M., dated 14th October 1896), 2 (*e*), 2 (*f*), 4 (*a*) (i), 4 (*b*) (i), 4 (*g*) (ii), 4 (*h*), 5 (*b*) (ii) and 6 (*b*) (i). These variations are explained in statement VI.

Charges.

3. The proposed charges amount to Rs. 65,350 against Rs. 34,100 originally budgeted, showing an increase of Rs. 31,250. This increase is, in a large measure, due to increased expenditure under Grants 1, 3 and 4, while Grants 2 and 5 show a decrease. Under Grant 1, the item that has contributed to swell the charges most is (i) (*d*) water-supply. This item excluded, Grant 1 also exhibits a reduction of charges in consequence of savings and fines under 2 (*c*) (ii), the non-utilization of Rs. 350 provided for the construction of walls to the fort tank—not approved by the Sanitary Board—and to savings effected under 2 (*d*) (ii) and (iii) owing to the entertainment of the water works staff and the commencement of water-supply to the town, late in the year, counterbalanced, though to a small extent by an outlay of Rs. 160 in the construction of the high school latrine.

4. The reduced charges under Grant 2 are due mainly to the payment of minimum salaries to some of the teachers of the municipal high school and to a reduction of Rs. 20 effected under 2 (ii) (*c*) Contingencies, while Grant 3 exhibits an increase of charges under 1 (*b*) due to medicines purchased last year having been paid this year, under 4 (*b*) Birth and Death Contingencies due to some forms printed and under 5 (*c*) Cholera charges due to medicines purchased and yet remain to be purchased for preventing the spread of the epidemic, in spite of a decrease under 1 (*a*), 1 (*d*), 3 (*b*), 5 (*a*) (i), 5 (*a*) (ii) and 5 (*b*) (i), due to savings and fines.

5. In spite of the non-utilization of the excess amount provided in the budget under 2 (*b*). 4 (*b*), 9 (iii) and (v) and of the full amount under 5 (*b*)—Avenue contingencies—the increase under 1 (*b*) and 9 (iv) compensation for lands has contributed to swell the charges though slightly under Grant 4.

6. The falling off under Grant 5 is due to fines and savings under (*a*) (i), (*b*) (i), and to the non-utilization of the excess amount provided in the budget under (*b*) (ii) and (*d*).

7. The year is expected to close with a balance of Rs. 6,720 against Rs. 2,780, as in the sanctioned budget, owing mainly to the increase in the receipts shown in paragraph 2 *supra* plus the savings under certain items of charges.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1897–98.

Receipts.

8. *Statement I—Rates and Taxes, &c.*—The increase over both the revised and the budget estimate for 1896–97 is due to provision made for enhanced receipts under 2 (*c*) over both the revised and the original budget and under 2 (*d*) over the revised estimate alone. The decrease in the revised estimate under this head—water-tax on buildings and lands—has been explained in paragraph 2 *supra*. The smaller amounts under (*a*) and (*b*) represent for the greater part the current demand, while the variable character of the items (*g*) and (*h*) explains the decreased provision made under those heads, item (*h*) depending mainly on the state of competition at the annual sale.

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	20,370
Revised " for "	..	20,220
Budget " for 1897–98	..	20,720

9. *Realization under Special Acts.*—As in previous years a provision of Rs. 50 has been made under fees under Act II of 1888, and this therefore calls for no remarks.

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	50
Revised " for "	..	50
Budget " for 1897–98	..	50

10. *Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.*—The fall below the revised estimate is to be explained by the fact that the several items—(*a*) to (*h*)—that are comprised under this head are of a fluctuating nature, the chief items that exhibit a fall below the revised estimate being 4 (*a*) (iii), 4 (*c*), 4 (*f*) (i) and 4 (*f*) (ii), though there is increased provision made under 4 (*d*) (i)—fees from educational institutions as per recommendations of the educational department, under 4 (*g*) (ii), License-fees and under 4 (*h*) Fines under Municipal and other Acts.

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	8,600
Revised " for "	..	9,310
Budget " for 1897–98	..	8,910

11. *Grants and Contributions.*—The marginally-noted figures represent the grants and contributions that are expected to be realised from Government and from Local Boards—the Dindigul Taluk Board—Rs. 4,400 provided for in 1897–98 under this head include a furniture grant towards the municipal high school of Rs. 30 in round numbers—the figure recommended by the department being Rs. 25, and Rs. 820 being the amount of salary grants for which credit is taken under municipal schools on behalf of the teachers of the high school, including a third grant on behalf of a Tamil Pandit whose appointment the council has sanctioned in accordance with the recommendations of the Educational authorities. Under other purposes, credit is taken only for a grant of Rs. 60, Rs. 50 being the salary grants on behalf of the gymnastic instructor and Rs. 10, result grants for girls in the Panchama salary-result school. It is to be regretted that the council did not sanction the appointment of a drawing master, as recommended by the department, and hence no credit is taken for any grant on his behalf. Under G.O., No. 1213 M., dated 18th July 1896, a provision of Rs. 4,140 has been made towards the construction of a standard out-patient dispensary for the

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	1,840
Revised " for "	..	1,580
Budget " for 1897–98	..	4,400

treatment of women and children in the budget year, and the contribution from Government under 5 (*a*) (ii) Medical towards the cost of erection of the same is calculated at a third of the estimated cost. It is respectfully solicited that Government will grant this contribution, considering the importance of such an institution in this town and the good work that it has been turning out all along. The grant on account of water-supply is the same as in previous years. Under (*b*) (ii) Medical, provision has been made for the realization of a grant or contribution of Rs. 1,980 from the Taluk Board, Dindigul. This amount includes Rs. 600 grant from the said board towards the women and children's dispensary under G.O., Mis. No. 731 L., dated 20th April 1896, and Rs. 1,380 a third of the cost of the proposed construction of the standard out-patient dispensary referred to above. As the usefulness and the importance of the institution are too well known and as it—the institution—is at present maintained partly by the municipality and partly by the taluk board, it is hoped that the taluk board will be pleased to contribute a third of the said cost in view to the recommendations made by the Surgeon-General in his inspection notes embodied in the last year's administration report of this municipality.

12. *Miscellaneous.*—The items included under this head are "private scavenging fees," "fishery-rents" and "refunds of expenditure of previous year." The increase in the revised estimate over the budget amount of 1896–97 is due to enhanced receipts under 6 (*a*) (i) and to Rs. 120 expenditure of previous year due from a normal student and expected to be recovered from him before the close of the year. In view to the proposed further extension of the private scavenging system in the budget year, enhanced receipts over the revised estimate are provided under private scavenging fees. A sum of Rs. 50 is expected to be realised under 6 (*b*) (i) fishery rents.

	Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	510
Revised „ for „	740
Budget „ for 1897–98	750

13. *Extraordinary and Debt.*—There is no necessity for any provision to be made under this head.

Budget estimate for 1896–97 Revised „ for „ Budget „ for „	*Nil.*

14. The receipts are estimated to amount to Rs. 41,550, including opening balance, against Rs. 72,070 of the revised estimate for 1896–97.

Charges.

15. *Statement 2—Grant 1, Public Works.*—The increase in the revised estimate is due to the inclusion of Rs. 32,340 under 1 (*d*) Water-supply and of Rs. 160 under 1 (*b*) cost incurred in the construction of the high school latrine and of Rs. 10 under 4 set off partially by short expenditure under 2 (*c*) (ii) due to fines and savings under 2 (*d*) (i), 2 (*d*) (ii) and 2 (*d*) (iii). Increased provision has been made in the budget year under 1 (*b*), 2 (*a*), 2 (*c*) (i), 2 (*d*) (i), 2 (*d*) (ii) and (iii). The various public works proposed to be undertaken during 1897–98 are enumerated in statement II-A, from which it will be seen that the estimated cost of the construction of the standard out-patient dispensary is Rs. 4,140. In the budget report for 1896–97, the necessity for the construction of drains in the great bazaar street of the size and pattern that would be approved by the Sanitary Department has been sufficiently dwelt at length. An estimate for the construction of drains in a portion of the said street as provided in the budget for 1896–97 was forwarded for the approval of the Sanitary Board, but the same has been returned by reason of some defects to be rectified therein. A revised estimate with the defects remedied will be forwarded to the Sanitary Board for approval and the work put in hand and completed before the close of this year. Rs. 900 set apart under 1 (*c*) Drainage include Rs. 400 provided for extending the construction of V-shaped drains as recommended by the Sanitary Board in another portion of the great bazaar street and

	Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	12,020
Revised „ for „	43,700
Budget „ for 1897–98	16,280

Rs. 500 for constructing drains in some lanes of the town. Rs. 3,100 have been provided under 2 (*a*) for the maintenance of roads and for the necessary improvement which some of the important roads and tunnels in the town stand in need of. The percentage of estimated charges under Communications—new works and repairs—to the revenue from tolls is 50·7. The provision of increased charges under 2 (*d*) (ii) establishment includes the sanctioned annual increments to be made to the salaries of the driver, the fireman and the plumber during the last eight months of the budget year. Under 2 (*d*) (iii) Rs. 2,400 have been provided for the purchase of fuel, oils and stores for water-works.

16. *Grant 2, Education.*—The non-utilization in the current year in full of the allotments under 2 (i) (*a*) in consequence of the payment of minimum salaries to the teachers of the municipal high school, and under 2 (ii) (*c*) has contributed to effect savings to the extent of the difference between the first two items in the margin.

	Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	6,290
Revised „ for „	5,860
Budget „ for 1897–98	6,410

Under 2 (i) (*a*), an allotment of Rs. 3,390 has been made for payment of the high school establishment including a Tamil pandit, whose appointment in the budget year the council has resolved upon. The sanction of Government for this appointment is solicited. The allotment of Rs. 160 under 2 (i) (*b*) includes Rs. 50, provision made for purchase of furniture for the high school for half grants on which credit has been taken (*vide* paragraph 11 *supra*) and Rs. 110 for contingencies. Under 2 (ii) (*a*)—fixed payments—the figure advised by the Assistant Inspector of Schools, Madura-Tinnevelly Division, has been adopted with the increase recommended by him to the salaries of the peon attached to the Muhammadan Salary-result school and of the Headmaster, Panchama Salary-result school. These details are shown in the proposition statement and statement II B hereto annexed. The sanction of Government to the increase recommended is solicited. A reduced provision of Rs. 160 is made under 2 (ii) (*c*) Contingencies with reference to the actuals. A provision of Rs. 1,500 has been made under result grants. Under 7 Miscellaneous—(*a*) building, furniture, &c., grants—Rs. 50 are provided, as building grants have been promised by the council to be paid to certain managers of primary schools in the town in accordance with the recommendations of the Educational authorities. The council's unwillingness to provide for the appointment of a drawing master in the budget year has been alluded to in paragraph 11 *supra*.

17. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services.*—Under 1 (*a*) and (*b*), provision has been made for the usual contribution of Rs. 630 towards Dr. Chester's American Mission dispensary and Rs. 1,750 allotted under (*a*), (*b*) and (*d*) for the Women and Children's dispensary against Rs. 1,814, the figure of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer. The increase under 3 (*a*) Vaccination—establishment—is on account of provision made for the increase of the salary of the vaccinator from Rs. 10 to Rs. 15 per mensem resolved upon by the council as per recommendations of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer. He has done good work and is therefore entitled to some encouragement. The slight fall below the revised estimate under 4 (*a*) is due to the fact that the figure of the revised estimate includes Rs. 10, leave allowance for two months this year paid to the late mortuary clerk who has since been removed from service. Of two of the sanitary maistries that were receiving Rs. 7–8–0 each on account of their long standing service, one has been removed owing to old age and another appointed in his place on Rs. 6 per mensem. Thus there has been a saving of Rs. 18 this year. The number of Sanitary maistries that receive Rs. 7–8–0, Rs. 6 and Rs. 5 per mensem is at present 1, 2 and 3, respectively. It is now proposed to maintain the same number of maistries with slight variations in the pay of some of them (*vide* proposition statement). As Rs. 5 appear to be too low for sanitary maistries and as the drain-cleaners of the municipality are each in receipt of a salary of Rs. 5 per mensem, it is highly desirable that maistries that superintend the work of the drain-cleaners should be paid more than what the latter receive. Hence a provision has been made for an increase of Re. 1 to the salaries of each of the three maistries that now get Rs. 5 per

	Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	9,470
Revised „ for „	9,510
Budget „ for 1897–98	9,870

mensem. This explains the increase under 5 (*a*) (i). Under 5 (*b*) (i), provision has been made for the appointment of two more private scavenging toties, each on Rs. 4 per mensem as it is proposed to extend the system further, in view to its growing popularity in the town. The sanction of Government for the above is solicited. Rs. 200 have been provided towards cholera charges and the allotment of Rs. 200 under 5 (*d*) Contingencies includes Rs. 100 for the removal of prickly-pear in the town. The items of charges under 1 (*a*), 3 (*a*), 5 (*a*) (i), 5 (*a*) (ii) and 5 (*b*) (i) thus entail the comparatively large increase over the revised estimate and the same items, 1 (*a*) excepted, together with 1 (*b*) and 5 (*c*) contribute to the increase over the budget estimate of the current year.

18. *Grant 4, Lighting and Miscellaneous purposes.*—The increase in the revised estimate over the budget estimate for 1896–97 is due to increased charges under 1 (*b*), counterbalanced by short outlay under 2 (*b*), 4 (*b*), 5 (*b*), 9 (iii) and 9 (v). The lighting of the town was taken under departmental management this year and it has proved successful. The comparatively smaller amount provided in the budget is due to the proposed diminished charges under 1 (*b*) and 2 (*b*), set off by an increase under 9 (v) other items. Under 1(*a*) establishment, provision has been made for an increase of half a rupee to the salaries of each of the five masalchies now in service, as it was with great difficulty, in the current year, that the services of these masalchies were secured for a salary of Rs. 5–8–0 per mensem. The sanction of Government for the above is solicited.

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	2,240
Revised „ for „	..	2,300
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	2,130

19. *Grant 5.*—The fall under the revised estimate is due to fines and savings under (*a*) (i) and (*b*) (i) and to the non-utilization of the full amount under (*b*) (ii) and (*d*), and the slight increase in the allotment for 1897–98 is consequent upon the increased provision made under (*d*), in view to the extra expenditure that may happen to be incurred in connection with the general revision of the house-tax register in the budget year.

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	2,110
Revised „ for „	..	2,020
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	2,140

20. Under G.O., No. 538 M., dated 25th March 1896, an allotment of Rs. 1,970 (in round numbers) has been made towards the repayment of the loan and payment of interest to Government in respect of the loan taken for the water works of this municipality. Of this amount, Rs. 590 represent the portion of the principal to be paid and Rs. 1,380 represent the interest.

21. The estimated charges during 1897–98 amount to Rs. 38,800 against a probable income of Rs. 34,830 excluding the opening balance. It will thus be seen that the council has to spend Rs. 3,970 over and above its income. But savings that may happen to be effected under Grants 2, 3 and 5 may contribute to make good this deficit though partially.

22. The budget is expected to close with a balance of Rs. 2,750, which is a little below the 10 per cent. required.

23. I regret the delay in the submission of this budget, which is due to the outbreak of cholera in the town, in taking necessary measures for the suppression of which a greater part of my time had to be devoted.

N. Dis. No. 80-Gl.

Forwarded.

(Signed) R. T. GRIMLEY,
Ag. Sub-Collector.

14th January 1897.

N. Dis. No. 183-Gl.

Submitted.

(Signed) J. TWIGG,
Collector.

MADURA,
18th January 1897.

From J. A. JONES, Esq., MEM. INST. C.E., F.R.S.E., Sanitary Engineer to Government, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated 5th February 1897, No. 232.

With reference to the budget estimate of the Dindigul Municipality for 1897–98 whereof an extract has been sent to me, I have the honour to state that the allotments under (2) (*d*) Water-supply are considered sufficient.

From J. A. JONES, Esq., MEM. INST. C.E., F.R.S.E., Sanitary Engineer to Government, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated 8th February 1897, No. 245.

In continuation of my letter, No. 232, of the 5th instant, I have the honour to inform you that I omitted to note that the Municipal Council of Dindigul has not provided for the inspection of its machinery by the Inspector of Steam Boilers and Prime-movers. I think Rs. 300 would be a fair contribution for the two visits of the Inspector. The machinery here is similar to that at Cuddapah, and the contribution fixed for the latter is Rs. 300, as per G.O., No. 1615 M., dated 9th October 1895.

From the Hon'ble Mr. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D.Sc., LL.D., Director of Public Instruction, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Madras, 6th February 1897, No. 1151.

Adverting to the budget estimate of the Dindigul Municipality for 1897–98, I have the honour to state that the provision therein made for education will be adequate with an addition of Rs. 250 for a drawing master to give instruction in this subject in the upper secondary department of the municipal high school—Rs. 220 for his salary for eleven months at Rs. 20 per mensem and Rs. 30 for the purchase of the necessary drawing materials. Drawing is a compulsory subject of study in the upper secondary forms according to the educational rules. A half-grant of Rs. 125 may be taken credit for on this account from provincial funds, subject to the provisions of the Grant-in-aid Code. With the above addition the net expenditure to the municipality under Grant 2 will be Rs. 3,470 (Rs. 6,660—3,190), which is 13·4 per cent. of its estimated income from taxation, rents and markets.

From Surgeon-Major-General C. SIBTHORPE, F.R.C.P.I., Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Camp, Salem, 9th February 1897, No. Tour-4—27.

With reference to Grant 3 of the budget estimate of the Dindigul Municipality for the year 1897–98, I have the honour to state that I approve of the provision for the construction of a standard out-patient dispensary for the treatment of women and children.

2. The request of the municipality for the payment from provincial funds of one-third of the estimated cost towards the construction of this building, in consideration of the importance of such an institution in the town and the good work that it has been turning out all along, is greatly deserving of consideration.

From Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. KING, M.B., C.M., D.P.H., Sanitary Commissioner for Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Camp, Tadpatri, 2nd March 1897, No. 520-S.

With reference to the Dindigul municipal budget for 1897–98, I have the honour to state that the expenditure proposed under conservancy, amounting to 19·6 per cent. of the current receipts, is insufficient for requirements, as already

pointed out in my letter on the current year's budget. The vaccinal grant calls for no remarks. The increase of salary proposed to be given to the vaccinator has my approval.

2. Under Grant 1, certain sanitary works are budgeted for execution at an estimated cost of Rs. 3,110.

ORDER—No. 603 M., dated 18th March 1897.

The estimated receipts and charges of the Dindigul Municipality for 1897–98, as passed by Government, are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year 1896–97 and the actuals of 1895–96 :—

—	Actuals, 1895–96.	Budget estimate, 1896–97.	Revised estimate, 1896–97.	Budget estimate, 1897–98.
Receipts.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Balance brought forward	7,780	5,510	29,280	6,680
Tax on Arts	1,798	2,300	2,400	2,360
,, on Buildings and Lands	6,395	6,310	6,870	6,460
Water-tax on Buildings and Lands	..	2,350	1,010	2,300
Tax on Vehicles and Animals	1,172	1,310	1,200	1,200
,, on Carts	1,365	1,400	1,480	1,400
Tolls	7,200	6,700	7,260	7,000
Realizations under Special Acts	50	50	50	50
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	687	820	710	700
Conservancy Receipts	26	100	120	100
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	1,974	2,000	2,000	2,150
,, ,, from Medical Institutions	6	10	10	10
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	5,328	5,000	6,000	5,400
License Fees	384	450	330	400
Other Fees	26	20	30	30
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	411	200	110	120
Grants and Contributions from Government	29,731	990	980	1,040
,, ,, from Local Boards	600	850	600	600
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	451	500	620	700
Miscellaneous	5	10	120	50
Loans	33,000	..	..	..
Advances Recovered	..	..	10,890	..
Total ..	98,389	36,880	72,070	38,750
Charges.				
GRANT 1—				
New Works—				
Communications	435	950	950	450
Buildings	11	..	160	..
Drainage	1	1,200	1,200	900
Water-supply	33,676	..	32,340	..
Repairs—				
Communications	2,658	2,700	2,700	3,100
Buildings	118	1,020	1,020	950
Drainage	978	1,280	1,270	1,490
Water-supply	1,081	3,970	3,150	4,730
Establishment	777	800	800	800
Tools and Plant and other Stores	41	100	110	20
Total ..	39,776	12,020	43,700	12,440
GRANT 2—				
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary System	2,900	3,390	2,980	3,550
,, the Salary-result System	774	890	870	880
Grants-in-aid—				
Result Grants	1,458	1,500	1,500	1,500
Building and Furniture Grants	..	100	100	50
Inspection	259	260	260	260
Miscellaneous	150	150	150	150
Total ..	5,541	6,290	5,860	6,390
GRANT 3—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	2,622	2,340	2,570	2,380
Contributions	231	120	120	120
Vaccination	370	380	320	360
Registration of Births and Deaths	183	140	160	130
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	4,880	6,490	6,340	7,430
Total ..	8,286	9,470	9,510	10,420

—	Actuals, 1895–96.	Budget estimate, 1896–97.	Revised estimate, 1896–97.	Budget estimate, 1897–98.
Charges—cont.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
GRANT 4—				
Lighting	1,098	1,500	1,600	1,480
Markets and Slaughter-houses	73	110	90	70
Travellers' Bungalows	143	160	150	150
Avenues	56	70	60	60
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other Charges	403	400	400	370
Total ..	1,773	2,240	2,300	2,130
GRANT 5—				
Supervision and Management	2,115	2,110	2,060	2,290
Repayment of Debt	..	570	560	590
Interest on Loan	492	1,400	1,400	1,380
Advances Recoverable	11,122	..	..	..
Refunds	1	..	..	..
Balance	29,283	2,780	6,680	3,110
Total ..	98,389	36,880	72,070	38,750

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1896–97.

2. The current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 42,790 and Rupees 65,350, respectively, against Rs. 31,370 and Rs. 34,100 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts occurs chiefly under the tax on buildings, tolls, income from markets and advances recovered, being partly counterbalanced by a decrease under the water-tax and grants from local boards, while the increase in the charges is marked under Grant 1. The expenditure on new works—communications and drainage, and repairs—buildings, during the first eight months of the year, was again most unsatisfactory. The reduction from Rs. 7–8–0 to Rs. 6 in the pay of one of the sanitary maistries, referred to in paragraph 17 of the Chairman's letter, is approved. With reference to G.O., No. 2391 L., dated 17th December 1896, the contribution for the central office establishments will be raised from Rs. 140 to Rs. 180. The balance to be carried forward to the ensuing year's budget will then be Rs. 6,680.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1897–98.

3. *Receipts.*—The receipts for the coming year are put down at Rs. 34,830 against Rs. 42,790 in the revised estimate, the decrease, which appears mainly under "advances recovered" and income from markets, being partly met by an increase under the water-tax and grants from Government and local boards. The Government is not prepared to sanction the grant from Provincial funds of one-third of the cost of constructing the proposed out-patient dispensary. As regards the contribution of a like sum expected from the taluk board on this account, the municipal council should address that board and report the result to Government. The two sums of Rs. 1,380 each, for which credit has been taken under the heads "Grants and contributions from Government and local boards" will accordingly be struck out.

4. *Charges.*—(1) The probable charges are entered as Rs. 38,800 against Rupees 65,390 in the revised estimate, the decrease being mainly under Grant 1.

(2) *Grant 1.*—The sum of Rs. 4,140 provided for the construction of an out-patient dispensary will be struck out with reference to the latter portion of the preceding paragraph. A sum of Rs. 300 will be provided for contribution towards the pay of the Boiler Inspector, as suggested by the Sanitary Engineer in his second letter read above.

(3) *Grant 2.*—The entertainment of a Tamil pandit on Rs. 15 for the municipal high school is sanctioned, but the increase of Re. 1 each in the salaries of the peon of the Muhammadan salary-result school and the head master of the Panchama school, proposed in paragraph 16 of the Chairman's letter, cannot be approved as the necessity of it has not been explained. The remarks of the Director of Public Instruction in his letter read above will be referred to the municipal council for careful consideration.

(4) *Grant 3.*—The council's proposal to raise the salary of the vaccinator from Rs. 10 to Rs. 15 cannot be approved, as the Government is not satisfied of its necessity. The additions to, and alterations in, the conservancy and private scavenging establishments, proposed in paragraph 17, are sanctioned. With reference to G.O., No. 1985 M., dated 18th November 1896, the allotment for "epidemic charges" will be raised from Rs. 200 to Rs. 810, to include possible charges connected with the bubonic plague.

(5) *Grant 4.*—The increase of half-a-rupee each in the salaries of the five masalchis, referred to in paragraph 18, is approved.

(6) *Grant 5.*—The proposed reduction of half-a-rupee in the pay of the office peon, which from the proposition statement appears to be contemplated, and to which reference should have been made in the Chairman's letter, is approved. With reference to G.O., No. 2391 L., dated 17th December 1896, the contribution for the central office establishments will be raised from Rs. 140 to Rs. 286, or Rs. 290 in round figures.

5. The budget, as revised by Government, closes with a balance of Rs. 3,110, or 9·7 per cent. of the estimated receipts. The late submission of the budget is not satisfactory.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Dindigul.
" Collector of Madura.
" President, District Board, Madura.
" Accountant-General.
" Director of Public Instruction.
" Surgeon-General.
" Sanitary Board.
" Sanitary Commissioner.
" Sanitary Engineer.
Editors' Table.

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STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul during the official year 1897-98.

—	Estimate 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Estimate 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1896-97.	Budget Estimate for 1896-97.	Actuals, 1895-96 (not 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		6720 - -	29280 - -	5510 - -	7780 - -
b. Endowments					
c. Water-tax Fund					
2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES—					
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..	2360 - -		2400 - -	2300 - -	1798 - -
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	6050 - -	+	6500 - -	6000 - -	6169 - -
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..	410 - -		370 - -	310 - -	226 - -
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)	2300 - -	—	1010 - -	2350 - -	- - -
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..	300 - -		300 - -	310 - -	318 - -
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..	900 - -		900 - -	1000 - -	854 - -
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	1400 - -		1480 - -	1400 - -	1365 - -
h. Tolls (section 91)—					
Gross receipts 10500..					
(½) Less Local Fund share 3500.	7000 - -	+	7260 - -	6700 - -	7200 - -
i. Penalties on account of—			10220	10370	
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		2070 - -			
3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS—					
a. Pounds					
b. Ferry rents					
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..	50 - -	50 - -	50 - -	50 - -	50 - -
Carried forward ..		20770 - -	20270 - -	20420 - -	17980 - -

Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul during the official year 1897-98—*cont.*

—	Estimate 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Estimate 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1896-97.	Budget Estimate for 1896-97.	Actuals, 1895-96 (not 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 ..		20770 - -	20270 - -	20420 - -	17980 - -
4. REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—					
a. i. Rent of lands	400 - -		400 - -	450 - -	411 - -
ii. Rent of buildings ..					
iii. Avenue receipts	100 - -		160 - -	120 - -	147 - -
iv. Fees from Travellers' Bungalows	100 - -	600 - -	100 - -	100 - -	100 - -
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings	50 - -		- - -	100 - -	- - -
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c.	30 - -		30 - -	30 - -	25 - -
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c.	20 - -	100 - -	20 - -	20 - -	4 - -
c. Conservancy receipts—					
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c.	100 - -	100 - -	120 - -	100 - -	26 - -
d. i. Fees from educational institutions	2150 - -		2000 - -	2000 - -	1974 - -
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions ..		2150 - -			
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines ..	10 - -	10 - -	10 - -	10 - -	6 - -
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..					
f. i. Income from markets ..	4800 - -		5320 - -	4400 - -	4622 - -
ii. „ slaughter-houses.	600 - -	5400 - -	680 - -	600 - -	706 - -
g. Other fees					
i. Distraint fees	30 - -		30 - -	20 - -	25 - -
ii. License fees	400 - -		330 - -	450 - -	384 - -
iii. Cartstand fees					
iv. Other fees		430 - -			
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts	120 - -	120 - -	110 - -	200 - -	411 - -
i. Interest on investments—					
i. General, including choultries		8910	9510	8600	
ii. Educational					
iii. Medical					
j. Premium on loans					
Carried forward ..		29680 - -	29580 - -	29020 - -	26821 - -

Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Muncipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul during the official year 1897-98—*cont.*

—	Estimate 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads	Estimate 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1896-97.	Budget Estimate for 1896-97.	Actuals 1895-96 (not 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 ..		29680 - -	29680 - -	29020 - -	26821 - -
5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS—					
a. From Government—					
i. Education—					
Normal stipends ..					
Buildings ~~Furniture~~ ..	30 - -		50 - -	50 - -	35 - -
Municipal Schools ..	820 - -		750 - -	750 - -	496 - -
Other purposes	60 - -		50 - -	60 - -	67 - -
ii. Medical	1380 - -	2290 - -			
iii. Other purposes—					
Communications ..					
Water-supply	130 - -		130 - -	130 - -	29134 - -
Drainage					
Sanitation					
Other purposes ..		130 - -			
b. From Local Boards—					
i. Education					
ii. Medical	1980 - -	1980 - -	600 - -	850 - -	600 - -
iii. Other purposes					
c. Other grants and contributions—					
i. Education		4480	1580	1840	
ii. Medical					
iii. Other purposes					
6. MISCELLANEOUS—					
a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—					
i. Private scavenging ..	700 - -		620 - -	500 - -	457 - -
ii. Other purposes		700 - -			
b. Other items—					
i. Fishery rents	50 - -		- - -	10 - -	- - -
ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year .. .			120 - -	- - -	4 - -
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c.					1 - -
iv. Other items		50 - -			
Carried forward ..		34830 - -	31900 - -	31370 - -	57609 - -

Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Tow
of Dinajpur during the official year 1897-98—*cont.*

—	Estimate 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Estimate 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1896-97.	Budget Estimate for 1896-97.	Actuals, 1895-96 (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 ..		34830 - -	31900 - -	31370 - -	57600 - -
7. EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT—					
a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.					
b. Loans—					33000 - -
i. From Government ..					
ii. In the market from private individuals					
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans.					
d. Advances—					
i. Permanent			10390 - -		
ii. Others		34830 - -	42290 - -	31370 - -	90609 - -
Total Receipts ..		41550 - -	72070 - -	36880 - -	98397 - -
Grand Total ..					

NOTE TO STATEMENT I.

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

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

Name of Institution.	Amount of Funded Capital.	Opening Balance.	Interest, Produce of Land, or Rent of buildings.	Appropriation from Capital for Expenditure.	Private Contributions and Donations	Sale of Medicines or Sundry Property.	Total (Columns 4—7).	Contribution from Local Funds.	Contribution from Provincial Funds.	Total Receipts (Columns 3, 8 and 9).	Appropriation from Municipal Funds (Column 16 *minus* Column 10).	Invested.	Current Charges.	Total (Statement II.)	Allotted for Public Works, (Statement II-A).	Total Charges (Column 14 *plus* Column 15).	Closing Balance (Column 10 *minus* Column 16).	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1897-98.

—	Estimate 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Estimate 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1896-97.	Budget Estimate for 1896-97.	Actuals, 1895-96 not (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	450 . .	✓	950 . .	950 . .	435 7 3
b. Buildings	4140 . .	✓	160 . .	✓	17 10 4
c. Drainage	900 . .	✓	1200 . .	1200 . .	✓ 1 2 —
d. Water-supply		5490 . .	32340 . .	✓	32676 2 7
2. Repairs—					
a. Communications	3100 . .	✓	2700 . .	2700 . .	2658 4 4
b. Buildings	950 . .	✓	1020	✓1020 . .	✓ 118 7 6
c. Drainage—					
i. Repairs to works ..	710 . .	✓	500 . .	500 . .	✓ 225 7 4
ii Establishment for flushing drains, &c.	780 . .	✓5540 . .	770 . .	✓780 . .	✓ 75 2 15 7 0
d. Water-supply—					
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c.	550 . .	✓	350 . .	✓700 . .	✓ 808 7 10 4
ii. Establishment	1480 . .		1000 . .	1140 . .	270 2 —
iii. Contingencies	2400 . .	4430 . .	1800 . .	2130 . .	✓ 2 8 14 7
3. Establishment	800 . .	✓800 . .	800 . .	800 . .	✓ 777 . 9
4. Tools and Plant and other stores.	20 . .	20 . .	110 . .	✓100 . .	✓ 44 0 13 9
5. Contributions—					
a. To Local Boards for works ..					
b. To Provincial Funds for scrutiny of estimates, &c. for water distribution	300 .		✓		
c. To others for public works ..				✓	5 .
Total, Grant I ..		16280 . .	43700 . .	12020 . .	39776 14 8
GRANT II—(*Education.*)—					
1. Training Schools—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Stipends to Normal students ..					
2. Municipal Schools—					
i. On Salary System—				✓	
a. Establishment	3390 . .	✓	2820 . .	3230 . .	2805 4 7 10
b. Contingencies	160	3550 . .	160 . .	160 . .	95 6 5
Carried forward ..		3550 . .	2980 . .	3390 . .	2900 14 3

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1897-98—*cont.*

—	Estimate 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Estimate 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1896-97.	Budget Estimate for 1896-97.	Actuals, 1895-96 not (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 ..		3550 . .	2980 . .	3390 . .	2900 . .
GRANT II—(*Education*)—cont.				✓	
ii. On Salary-Results System—					
a. Fixed Payments	600 . .	✓	580 ✓	580 . .	520 4 6
b. Results Grants	140 . .		140 . .	140 . .	134 8 3
c. Contingencies	160 . .	900 . .	160 ✓	170 . .	123 2 2
3. Salary Grants				✓	
4. Results Grants	1500 . .	1500 . .	1500 . .	1500 . .	1458 . . 6
5. Combined Grants—					
a. Fixed Payments					
b. Results Grants					
6. Inspection—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..				✓	
b. Municipal Inspectors—					
i. Establishment	240 . .	✓	240 . .	240 . .	240 . .
ii. Contingencies	20 . .	260 . .	20 . .	20 . .	19 6 1
7. Miscellaneous—				✓	
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants ..	50 . .		100 . .	✓100 . .	
b. Common gymnasium—					139 1 9
i. Establishment	140 . .	✓	140 . .	140 . .	140 . .
ii. Contingencies	10 . .	200 . .	10 . .	✓10 . .	9 10 10 6
c. Other items				✓	
Total, Grant II ..		6410 . .	5860 . .	6290 . .	5541 2 9
GRANT III—(*Sanitation and Medical Services.*)					
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—				✓	
a. Establishment	1610 . .	✓	1600 . .	✓1610 . .	1772 15 7
b. Medicines and Supplies	620 . .		800 . .	540 . .	729 10 1
c. Diet of Patients			170 . .	190 . .	120 2 —
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..	150 . .				
e. Contributions to Local Boards ..				✓	
&c., &., &c. ..					
Carried forward ..		2380 . .	2370 . .	2340 . .	2621 15 8

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1897-98—*cont.*

—	Estimate 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Estimate 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1896-97.	Budget Estimate for 1896-97.	Actuals, 1895-96 not (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 ..		2380 . .	2570 . .	2340 . .	2622 - -
GRANT III—*Sanitation and Medical Services*—cont.					
2. *a.* Contributions to Provincial funds for—					
i. Medical College ..	40 . .		40 . .	40 . .	126 . .
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..	60 . .		60 . .	60 . .	86 . .
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..	20 . .		20 . .	20 . .	17 . .
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..		120 . .			2 - -
b. Contributions to Local Boards, &c., for—					
i. Medical Schools ..					
ii. Reserve staff					
&c., &c., &c. ..					
c. Other contributions					
3. Vaccination—					
a. Establishment	240 . .	✓	180 . .	180 . .	196 2 -
b. Contingencies	180 . .	420 . .	140 . .	200 . .	174 5 7
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
4. Registration of Births and Deaths—					
a. Establishment	120	✓	130 . .	130 . .	178 9 4
b. Contingencies	10 . .	130 . .	30 . .	10 . .	56 11 -
5. Conservancy, Road cleaning and Road watering—			6340	6490	
a. i. Establishment	2490 . .	✓	2390 . .	2470 . .	2354 10 4
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	3360 . .	5850 - -	3020 . .	3200 . .	2169 . . 11
b. Private scavenging—					
i. Establishment	570 . .	✓	430 . .	470 . .	338 1 6
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. ..		570 . .	100 . .	100 . .	- - -
c. Cholera charges	200 - -		200 - -	50 . .	-
d. Contingencies	200 - -	400 - -	200 - -	200 - -	18 13 3
&c., &c., &c. ..					
Total, Grant III ..		9870 . .	9510 . .	9470 . .	8286 5 7

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1897-98—*cont.*

—	Estimate 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Estimate 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1896-97.	Budget Estimate for 1896-97.	Actuals, 1895-96 not audited figures.)
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—					
1. Lighting—					
a. Establishment	480 . .	✓	410 . .	1500 . .	1078 2 4
b. Contingencies	1000 . .	1480 . .	1190 . .	1090	
2. i. Markets—					
a. Establishment	50 . .	✓	50 . .	50 . .	48 15 -
b. Contingencies	20 . .	70 . .	40 . .	60 . .	25 4 -
ii. Slaughter-houses—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
3. Choultries—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
c. Feeding Travellers					
4. Travellers' bungalows—					
a. Establishment	140 . .	✓	140 . .	140 . .	138 - -
b. Contingencies	10 . .	150 . .	70 . .	20 . .	4.5 5 6
5. Avenues—					
a. Establishment	60 . .	✓	60 . .	60 . .	56 4 6
b. Contingencies		60 . .	- - -	10 - -	- - -
6. Public Garden—					
a. Establishment					
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..	10 . .	10 . .	10 . .	10 . .	56 7 8
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 ..		1770 . .	1910 - -	1850 - -	1378 11 -

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1897-98—*cont.*

—	Estimate 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Estimate 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1896-97.	Budget Estimate for 1896-97.	Actuals, 1895-96 not (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 ..		1770 - -	1910 - -	1850 - -	1276 - -
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont.					
9. OTHER CHARGES—*cont.*					
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes ..	20 . .		20 . .	20 . .	10 6 -
iii. Printing	270 . .		270 . .	300 . .	363 11 8
iv. Compensation for lands ..	- - -		50 - -	- - -	- - -
v. Other items	70 . .	360 . .	50 - -	70 . .	24 4 -
Total, Grant IV ..		2130 - -	2300 - -	2240 - -	1773 - 8
GRANT V—					
a. General Establishment—					
i. Office Establishment ..	1120 . .		1110 . .	1120 . .	1158 5 1
ii. Inspection					
b Collection of Municipal Taxes—					
i. Establishment	480 . .		450 . .	470 . .	392 13 11
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. ..	100 . .		60 . .	100 . .	65 - 3
c. Collection of Tolls—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies	- - -		- - -	- - -	45 - -
d. Office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii)	300 - -		260 . .	280 . .	304 15 2
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments ..	140 . .		140 . .	140 . .	150 . .
Total, Grant V ..		2140 . .	2020 . .	2110 . .	2115 2 5
REPAYMENT OF DEBT—					
a. Instalments paid during the year.	590 . .		560 . .	570 - -	- - -
b. Invested on account of Sinking Fund (Value of securities purchased)					
c. Charges of investment ..					
INTEREST—					
a. On account of last year ..					
b. „ of current year ..	1380 - -		1400 . .	1400 - -	492 5 11

Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Dindigul for the official year 1897-98—*cont.*

—	Estimate 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Estimate 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1896-97.	Budget Estimate for 1896-97.	Actuals, 1895-96 not (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—					5 - -
a. Permanent					1117 4 9
b. Others					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		38800 - -	65350 - -	34100 . .	69106 4 9
Total Expenditure ..					
Balances—		2750 - -	6720 - -	2780 . .	29289 12 2
a. Municipal Fund					
b. Endowments					
c. Water-tax Fund					
Grand Total. ..		41550 - -	72070 - -	36880 - -	98389 - 4

NOTE TO STATEMENT II.

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

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

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

Part I.—New Works.

No.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.	Expenditure in 1897-98.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
(a)	Communications				
1	Forming roads and				
2	Constructing culverts				
3	in the new Streets at			200 - -	
	Bodinaickanpetty of Ward No 6				
2	Do in new Streets at				
	Mahamedapuram of			150 - -	
	Ward No: 5				
3	Forming roads in the new				
	Streets of Mahamedapuram			100 - -	
	at Valaikaikanpetty				
	Total ..			450 - -	✓
(b)	Buildings				
1	Constructing an out				
2	patient dispensary				
3	for Women and				
	Children with a				
	dressing room &c				
	according to Standard				
	plan No: 26 of the			4140 - -	✓
	Sanitary Engineer's				
	department.				
	Total ..			4140 - -	

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

Part I.—New Works—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.	Expenditure 189 -9 .	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
(c)	Drainage				
1	Constructing V shaped drain				
	in a portion of the Great				
2	Bazaar Street			400 . .	
3	2. Constructing Drain				
	in Appavoo Chetty and				
	Washermen Lanes in				
	in Bengalee Street			150 . .	
	3. Constructing Drain in the				
	Lane to the east of Rebairo the Pantheist			50 . .	
	4. Constructing Drain				
	in Veerayan Chetty Lane				
	at Nahalu in Kanpetty			150 . .	
	5. Do in Subbarayalu Chettiar Lane			150 . .	
	Total ..			900 - -	✓
(d)	Water-supply				
1					
2					
3					
	Total ..				

900
950
310
550
8110

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

PART II.—Repairs.

Number.	Project.	Grant. RS.	A.	P.	Actual expenditure. RS.	A.	P.	REMARKS.
1	2	3			4			5
(a)	Communications							Total mileage of roads, streets, lanes, &c., in the town.
1	Repairing the bad portions and widening the Railway Station Rd.				500	-	-	Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled.
2.	Constructing revetment in the remaining portion of Pettai Road at Behamkhore				100	-	-	
3.	Widening & raising the 4 Vent tunnel in Madura Road				200	-	-	
4.	Raising the revetment and surface, in the north end of Madura Rd.				250	-	-	Total mileage under maintenance.
5.	Removing and rebuilding the 1 Vent tunnel & raising the revetment at the junction of the West & South Car Sts.				150	-	-	Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled.
6.	Gravelling the surface of South Car St.				200	-	-	
7.	Metalling & gravelling the bad portions of West Car Street				250	-	-	
8.	Raising the revetment and gravelling the surface of Cocoanut St.				300	-	-	
9.	Gravelling the surface of a portion of East Car Street				200	-	-	
10.	Do in Bengali Street				125	-	-	
11.	Do in Kalliamman lane in Buffalo St.				100	-	-	
	Maintenance							
12.	For Railway Station Road				75	-	-	
13.	" Nahaluankanpetty "				75	-	-	
14.	" Veda Sandoor Road				50	-	-	
15.	" Pulney Road				75	-	-	
16.	" Taluq Cutchery Road				50	-	-	
17.	" Portion of West Car Street				50	-	-	
18.	Do North Car Street				50			
19.	" Central Road				75	-	-	
20.	" Market Road				50	-		
21.	Widening the road and collecting materials in Main Road				75	-	-	
22.	Maintenance for other Roads.				100	-	-	
	Total ..				3100	-	-	

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

PART II.—Repairs—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Grant. RS.	A.	P.	Actual expenditure. RS.	A.	P.	REMARKS.
1	2	3			4			5
(b)	Buildings							
1	Repairing the Daily Market				250	.	.	
2	Repairing the Overseer's and Sanitary Inspector's office and Store rooms and Constructing a room for the Plumber				200	.	.	
3.	Repairing the tiled sheds Nos. 2, 3 & 4 in the weekly market at Nahaluankanpetty				300	.	.	
4.	Repairing the latrines				200			
	Total ..				950			

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	Repairing the drain in							
	Post office lane				50	.	.	
2.	Do in Baker's lane				150	.	.	
3.	Do in Kalliamman lane							
	in Buffalo Street —				150	.	.	
4.	Providing Concrete floor							
	to portion of the drain							
	in West car Street —				70	.	.	
5.	Converting U shaped drain							
	in to V shaped drain in							
	North Car Street				190	.	.	
6.	Repairing the other drains				100	.	.	
	Total ..				710	.	.	
(d)	Water-supply							
1	Repairing the weak portion							
	of the side walls of first tank				180	.	.	
2.	Repairing the floor of the							
	fresh water wells in Vellala							
	Street at Nakalwaikaupetty				120	.	.	
3.	Repairing the steps and							
	Collingulahs of Capala Samudram				150	.	.	
	tank.							
4	Repairing the Brackish							
	water wells in the Town				100	.	.	
	Total ..				550	.	.	

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments.

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT I.—2. *c.* Drainage—							
Overseers							
Drain cleaners .. @ 5 Rs. ..	13	65	.	.	780	.	.
Total ..	13	65	.	.	780	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
d. Water works—							
Overseers Driver	1	42	8	.	500	.	. 510
Watchmen Fireman	1	11	.	.	130	.	. 132
Coolies @ 6 Rs	2	12	.	.	140	.	. 144
Sweeper @ Rs 3	1	3	.	.	30	.	. 36
Watchmen @ 5 Rs	2	10	.	.	120	.	.
Plumber	1	26	.	.	300	.	. 312
Cleaners @ 6 Rs.	2	12	.	.	140	.	. 144
Tank watchmen @ 6 Rs	2	6	.	.	70	.	. 72
one night do —	1	4	.	.	50	.	. 48
Total ..	13	126	8	.	1480	.	. 1518
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
3. General—							
Overseers	1	25	.	.	300	.	.
Maistries	one per centage Maistry @ 1½ per cent on the working Estimate.						
Pascal	1	5	.	.	60	.	.
Mile coolies @ Rs 4-8	6	27	.	.	320	.	.
Chittalu @ 2-8-	4	10	.	.	120	.	.
Total ..	12	67	.	.	800	.	.
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—EDUCATION—							
1. TRAINING SCHOOLS—							
Pupils receiving scholarships							
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	1	80	-	-	960	-	-
1st Assistant Master	1	60	-	-	720	-	-
2nd „ „	1	40	-	-	480	-	-
3rd	1	30	-	-	360	-	-
4th	1	20	-	-	240	-	-
5th	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
Sanskrit Pandit	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
Tamil „	1	15	-	-	170	-	-
Peon	1	5	-	-	60	-	-
Sweeper	1	2	-	-	20	-	-
Watchman	1	2	-	-	20	-	-
	11	284	-	-	3370	-	-
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—EDUCATION—*cont.*							
b. On the Salary Result System—							
Mohamedan S. R. School.							
Headmaster	1	12	-	-	140	-	-
1st Assistant teacher and Hindustani Teacher @ 7 Rs each	2	14	-	-	170	-	-
Peon	1	4	-	-	60	-	-
		30					
Panchama S. R. School		8					
Headmaster	1	9	-	-	110	-	-
1st Assistant Teacher	1	6	-	-	70	-	-
2nd do	1	5	-	-	60	-	-
	7	50	-	-	600	-	-
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—EDUCATION—*cont.*							
6. INSPECTION—							
Inspecting schoolmaster	1	20	-	-	240	-	-
Total ..	1	20	-	-	240	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
7. GYMNASTIC INSTRUCTORS	1	12	-	-	140	-	-
Total ..	1	12	-	-	140	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—							
1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES—							
Contribution to Municipal Dispensary		37	14	8	460	-	-
Medical Subordinates							
Lady apothecary	1	50	-	-	600	-	-
" " allowance	1	25	-	-	300	-	-
Midwife	1	8	-	-	100	-	-
Clerk							
Compounder	1	9			110	-	-
Servants	1	3	8	-	40	-	-
"							
"							
Total ..	5	133	6	8	1610	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
3. Vaccination—		10					
Vaccinators	1	15	-	-	180	-	-
Peons	1	5	-	-	60	-	-
Total ..	2	20	-	-	240	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
4. Registration—							
Registrars	1	10	-	-	120	-	-
Peons							
Total ..	1	10	-	-	120	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
5. *a.* "Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering."—							
Nuisance Inspectors @ Rs. 20— ..	2	40	-	-	480	-	-
Bhistys	20	7	8	-	190	-	-
"	1 mth. 3 mths.	5	-	-	360	-	-
Maistries .. @ Rs. 6— ..	11	33	-	-	400	-	-
Scavengers .. @ Rs. 3 ..	8	16	-	-	170	-	-
Sweepers .. @ Rs. 2 ..	18	81	-	-	970	-	-
Total ..	45	207	8	-	2490	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
b. Private Scavenging—							
Inspectors							
Maistries							
Scavengers	10	4	-	-	480	-	-
	2	8	-	-	90	-	-
Total ..	12	48	-	-	570	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—							
1. Lighting—							
Superintendents	1	10	-	-	120	-	-
Masalchies	5	6	-	-	360	-	-
Total ..	6	40	-	-	480	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
2. i. Markets—							
Superintendents							
Servants	1	4	-	-	50	-	-
Total ..	1	4	-	-	50	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
ii. Slaughter-houses—							
Superintendents							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
3. Choultries—							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
4. Travellers' Bungalows—							
Maty	1	7	-	-	90	-	-
Servants	1	3	8	-	40	-	-
Scavenger	1	1	-	-	10	-	-
Total ..	3	11	8	-	140	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
5. Avenues—							
Servants .. .. 0 : 2 : 8 ..	2	5	-	-	60	-	-
Total ..	2	5	-	-	60	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
6. Public Garden—							
Gardeners							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
8. Fire—							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
9.—							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT V.—*a.* General Establishment—							
i. Office—							
Manager	1	50	-	-	600	-	-
Clerks	1	20	-	-	240	-	-
,, ...							
,, ...							
Accountants	1	10	-	-	120	-	-
Peons @ 7½ each	2	13	8	-	160	-	-
816.							
Total ..	5	93	8	-	1120	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
ii. Inspection—							
Chairman's salary or carriage allowance ..							
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 V.—*a.* General Establishment—*cont.*							
b. Collection—							
Clerks							
Bill Collectors .. @ 10 ..	4	40	-	-	480	-	-
Peons							
Total ..	4	40	-	-	480	-	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
c. Collection of tolls—							
Inspectors							
Gate-keepers							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

STATEMENT IV-A.—*Municipality of* Dindigul Demand, Collection and Balance Statement for the year 1897-98.
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.	2350	:					2350			2210	-	.	20	-	.	20	-		100	-	-
2. Tax on buildings	5900	-	-				5900			5810	-	.	10	-		20	-		70	-	
3. Tax on lands	450						450			380	.		10	-		30	-		30	-	-
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..	2300						2300			2200	.		10	-	-	20	-		70	-	-
5. Tolls (gross receipts)	10500						10500	.		10500	-										
6. Market rents	4400	-					4400			4400	.										
7. Slaughter-house fees	650	.					650	.		650	-										
8. Rent of ~~cart-stands~~ lands	400	-					400	-		400	-										
9. Private scavenging fees	500	-					500	-		500											
Total ..	27450	-	-	-	-	-	27450	-	-	27040	-		50	-	-	90	-	-	270	-	-

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.	180	-	-				180	-	-	150	-	-	✓	-	-	30	-	-							
2. Tax on buildings	270	-	-				270	-	-	250	-	-	✓	-	-	20	-	-							
3. Tax on lands	40	-	-				40	-	-	30	-	-	✓	-	-	10	-	-							
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..	130	-	-				130	-	-	100	-	-	✓	-	-	30	-	-							
5. Tolls																									
6. Market rents																									
7. Slaughter-house fees																									
8. Rent of cart-stands																									
9. Private scavenging fees																									
Total ..	620	-	-				620	-	-	530	-	-	-	-	-	90	-	-							

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate for 189 6-97.

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Receipts) for 1896-97.

Items	Actuals of the first eight months of 1896-97. RS.	Actuals of the last four months of 1895-96. RS.	Probable charges of the last four months of 1896-97. RS.	Total of columns 2 and 4. RS.	Budget grant 1896-97, excluding subsequent allotments. RS.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Balance brought forward—						
a. Municipal Fund	27280	7780	-	29280	5510	
b. Endowments						
c. Water-tax Fund						
2. Municipal rates and taxes—						
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53)	1010	1120	1390	2400	2300	The excess includes arrears
b. Tax on buildings (section 63)	2730	2970	3770	6500	6000	Do
c. Tax on lands (section 63)	190	160	180	370	310	Do
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)	10	-	1000	1010	2350	The difference is due to the remission of tax for the 1st half (vide G.O. No. 1750 L. Mun. 14-10-96)
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77)	270	40	30	300	310	The increase is not expected.
f. Tax on animals (section 77)	790	140	110	900	1000	Do
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85)	1350	220	130	1480	1400	The increase is due to close inspection and seizure of unregistered carts.
h. Tolls (section 91)—						
Gross receipts 6350						
Less Local Fund share 2120	4230	2400	3030	7260	6700	The increase is due to keen competition at the annual sale.
i. Penalties on account of—						
i. Tax on arts						
ii. Tax on buildings						
iii. Tax on lands						
iv. Water-tax on buildings and lands						
v. Tax on vehicles, &c.						
vi. Tax on animals						
vii. Tax on carts, &c.						
viii. Evasion of tolls						
3. Realizations under Special Acts—						
a. Pounds						
b. Ferry rents						
c. Fees under Act II of 1888	-	-	50	50	50	
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—						
a. i. Rent of lands	190	200	210	400	450	The increase is not expected
ii. Rent of buildings						
iii. Avenue receipts	100	40	60	160	120	The increase is expected.
iv. Fees from Travellers' Bungalows	80	40	20	100	100	
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings	-	-	-	-	100	This is not expected
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c.	-	30	30	30	20	
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c.	-	-	20	20	20	
Carried forward	10950	7360	10030	20980	21840	

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Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Receipts) for 1896-97—*continued.*

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1896-97.	Actuals of the last four months of 1895-96.	Probable receipts of the last four months of 1896-97.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1896-97, excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Brought forward ..	10950 - -	7360 - -	10030 - -	20980 - -	21940 - -	
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—						
c. Conservancy receipts—						
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c. ..	70 - -	-	50 - -	120 - -	100 - -	The increase is due to arrears of previous year collected this year
d. i. Fees from educational institutions ..	1390 - -	850 - -	610 - -	2000 - -	2000 - -	
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions ..						
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines ..	10 - -	-	-	10 - -	10 - -	
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..						
f. i. Income from markets ..	3120 - -	1940 - -	2200 - -	5320 - -	4400 - -	The increase is due to keen competition of the annual sale
ii. „ slaughter-houses	400 - -	290 - -	280 - -	680 - -	600 - -	Do
g. Other fees						
i. Distraint fees	10 - -	20 - -	20 - -	30 - -	20 - -	The excess is expected
ii. License fees	230 - -	60 - -	100 - -	330 - -	450 - -	The difference is due to the uncertain nature of the item.
iii. Cartstand fees						
iv. Other fees						
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts	60 - -	50 - -	50 - -	110 - -	200 - -	do.

Items.	2	3	4	5	6	7
i. Interest on investments—						
i. General, including choultries						
ii. Educational						
iii. Medical						
j. Premium on loans						
5. Grants and contributions—						
a. From Government—						
i. Education—						
Normal stipends ..						
~~Buildings~~ Furniture	-	-	50 - -	50 - -	50 - -	
Municipal Schools ..	250 - -	170 - -	500 - -	750 - -	750 - -	
Other purposes		20 - -	50 - -	50 - -	60 - -	The difference is not expected, as there are no girls in the Panchama Colony Brailto School.
ii. Medical						
iii. Other purposes—						
Communications ..						
Water-supply		1130 - -	130 - -	130 - -	130 - -	
Drainage						
Sanitation						
Other purposes ..						
b. From Local Boards—						
i. Education						
ii. Medical	-	300 - -	600 - -	600 - -	850 - -	Vide G.O. No: 731 L. Mis: 30th April 96.
iii. Other purposes						
Carried forward ..	16490 - -	12190 - -	14670 - -	31160 - -	30860 - -	

See St. I.

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Receipts) for 1896-97—*continued.*

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1896-97.	Actuals of the last four months of 1895-96.	Probable charges of the last four months of 1896-97.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1896-97, excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Brought forward ..	16490 - -	12290 - -	14670 - -	31160 - -	30860 - -	
5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS—*cont.*						
c. Other grants and contributions—						
i. Education						
ii. Medical						
iii. Other purposes						
6. MISCELLANEOUS—						
a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—						
i. Private scavenging ..	290 - -	200 - -	330 - -	620 - -	500 - -	The increase is due to the extension of the system.
ii. Other purposes						
b. Other items—						
i. Fishery rents	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	10 - -	Not expected
ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year	- - -	- - -	120 - -	120 - -	- - -	This amount is due from a Normal Student named Syed Mohamed. The pleader has been requested to recover the amount by executing the decree within the year.
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c.						
iv. Other items						
7. EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT—						
a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.						
b. Loans—						
i. From Government ..						
ii. In the market from private individuals						
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans.						
d. Advances—						
i. Permanent						
ii. Others	- - -	- - -	10890 - -	10890 - -	- - -	The advances were made in the last year for water works to the Sanitary Engineer to Government. They will be adjusted within this year.
Total Receipts ..	16780 - -	12390 - -	26010 - -	42790 - -	31370 - -	
Grand Total ..	46060 - -	20170 - -	26010 - -	72070 - -	36880 - -	

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 1896-97—*continued.*

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1896-97.	Actuals of the last four months of 1885-96.	Probable charges of the last four months of 1896-97.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1896-97, excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
GRANT I—(*Public Works*)—						
1. New Works—						
a. Communications	280 - -	430 - -	670 - -	950 - -	950 - -	
b. Buildings	160 - -		160 - -			This was done last year but was paid this year
c. Drainage	140 - -		1060 - -	1200 - -	1200 - -	
d. Water-supply	11290 - -	32960 - -	21050 - -	32340 - -	- - -	
2. Repairs—						
a. Communications	1410 - -	1720 - -	1290 - -	2700 - -	2700 - -	
b. Buildings	210 - -	100 - -	810 - -	1020 - -	1020 - -	
c. Drainage—						
i. Repairs to works ..	- - -	- - -	500 - -	500 - -	500 - -	
ii Establishment for flushing drains, &c.	510 - -	260 - -	260 - -	770 - -	780 - -	The decrease is due to Savings by fusion
d. Water-supply—						
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c.	200 - -	110 - -	150 - -	360 - -	700 - -	The Construction of the walls of the Pest tanks was not approved by the Sanitary Board. Hence the difference.
ii. Establishment	530 - -	90 - -	470 - -	1000 - -	1140 - -	The water works staff was not entertained from the beginning of the year. hence the difference.
iii. Contingencies	1690 - -	- - -	110 - -	1800 - -	2130 - -	The water works were not begun from the Commencement of the year - hence the difference.
3. Establishment	530 - -	260 - -	270 - -	800 - -	800 - -	
4. Tools and Plant and other stores.	100 - -	40 - -	10 - -	110 - -	100 - -	Excess is found necessary.
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 ..	17050 - -	36170 - -	26650 - -	43700 - -	12020 - -	
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	1870 - -	910 - -	950 - -	2820 - -	3230 - -	The Decrease is due to payment of minimum Salaries to some of the teachers of the High School and to Savings.
b. Contingencies	10 - -	30 - -	150 - -	160 - -	160 - -	
ii. On Salary-Results System—						
a. Fixed Payments	360 - -	170 - -	220 - -	580 - -	580 - -	
b. Results Grants	50 - -	130 - -	90 - -	140 - -	140 - -	
c. Contingencies	70 - -	60 - -	80 - -	150 - -	170 - -	The difference is not be given
3. Salary Grants						
4. Results Grants	- - -	1460 - -	1500 - -	1500 - -	1500 - -	
5. Combined Grants—						
a. Fixed Payments						
b. Results Grants						
6. Inspection—						
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..						
Carried forward ..	2360 - -	2760 - -	2990 - -	5350 - -	5780 - -	

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 1896-97—*continued.*

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1896-97.	Actuals of the last four months of 1895-96.	Probable charges of the last four months of 1896-97.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1896-97, excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Brought forward ..	2360 - -	2760 - -	2990 - -	5350 - -	5780 - -	
GRANT II—(*Education*)—cont.						
b. Municipal Inspectors—						
i. Establishment	160 - -	80 - -	80 - -	240 - -	240 - -	
ii. Contingencies		10 - -	20 - -	20 - -	20 - -	
7. Miscellaneous—						
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants ..			100 - -	100 - -	100 - -	
b. Common gymnasium—						
i. Establishment	100 - -	60 - -	40 - -	140 - -	140 - -	
ii. Contingencies	- - -	- - -	10 - -	10 - -	10 - -	
c. Other items						
Total, Grant II ..	2620 - -	2910 - -	3240 - -	5860 - -	6290 - -	
GRANT III—(*Sanitation and Medical Services.*)						
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—						
a. Establishment	1060 - -	510 - -	540 - -	1600 - -	1610 - -	The difference is due to savings
b. Medicines and Supplies	480 - -	60 - -	320 - -	800 - -	540 - -	The excess is due to medicine purchased last year or having been paid this year.
c. Diet of Patients						
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..	90 - -	60 - -	80 - -	170 - -	190 - -	The excess is much necessary
e. Contributions to Local Boards ..						
2. *a.* Contributions to Provincial funds for—						
i. Medical College ..	- - -	130 - -	40 - -	40 - -	40 - -	
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..	- - -	80 - -	60 - -	60 - -	60 - -	
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..	- - -	20 - -	20 - -	20 - -	20 - -	
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..						
b. Contributions to Local Boards &c., for—						
i. Medical Schools ..						
ii. Reserve staff						
c. Other contributions						
3. Vaccination—						
a. Establishment	120 - -	60 - -	60 - -	180 - -	180 - -	
b. Contingencies	60 - -	30 - -	80 - -	140 - -	200 - -	20
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..						
Carried forward ..	1810 - -	940 - -	1200 - -	3010 - -	2840 - -	

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 1896-97—*continued.*

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1896-97.	Actuals of the last four months of 1895-96.	Probable charges of the last four months of 1896-97.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1896-97, excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Brought forward ..	1810 - -	940 - -	1200 - -	3010 - -	2840 - -	
GRANT III—*Sanitation and Medical Services*—cont.						
4. Registration of Births and Deaths—						
a. Establishment	90 - -	60 - -	40 - -	130 - -	130 - -	✓
b. Contingencies	30 - -	- - -	- - -	30 - -	10 - -	Some forms more printed and paid for hence the increase is necessary.
5. Conservancy, Road cleaning and Road watering—						
a. i. Establishment	1570 - -	820 - -	820 - -	2390 - -	2470 - -	✓ The difference is due to fines & Savings.
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	1960 - -	670 - -	1060 - -	3020 - -	3200 - -	✓ The difference is due to fines.
b. Private scavenging—						
i. Establishment	270 - -	130 - -	160 - -	430 - -	470 - -	✓ The difference is due to fines & Savings
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. ..	- - -	- - -	100 - -	100 - -	100 - -	✓
c. Cholera charges	20 - -	- - -	180 - -	200 - -	50 - -	✓ The excess is found necessary for purchase of medicines &c.
d. Contingencies	130 - -	10 - -	70 - -	200 - -	200 - -	✓
Total, Grant III ..	5880 - -	2630 - -	3630 - -	9510 - -	9470 - -	
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—						
1. Lighting—						✓
a. Establishment	260 - -		150 - -	410 - -	410 - -	✓
b. Contingencies	710 - -	390 - -	480 - -	1190 - -	1090 - -	✓ The excess is found necessary.
2. i. Markets—						
a. Establishment	30 - -	20 - -	20 - -	50 - -	✓ 50 - -	✓
b. Contingencies	20 - -	10 - -	20 - -	40 - -	✓ 60 - -	✓ The difference is not necessary.
ii. Slaughter-houses—						
a. Establishment						
b. Contingencies						
3. Choultries—						
a. Establishment						
b. Contingencies						
c. Feeding Travellers						
4. Travellers' bungalows—					✓	✓
a. Establishment	90 - -	50 - -	50 - -	140 - -	140 - -	
b. Contingencies	- - -	- - -	10 - -	10 - -	✓ 20 - -	✓ The difference is not necessary.
5. Avenues—						✓
a. Establishment	40 - -	20 - -	20 - -	60 - -	✓ 60 - -	✓
b. Contingencies	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	10 - -	✓ Not necessary.
6. Public Garden—						
a. Establishment						
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..	- - -	- - -	10 - -	10 - -	✓ 10 - -	✓
Carried forward ..	1150 - -	490 - -	760 - -	1910 - -	1850 - -	

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 1896-97—*continued.*

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1896-97.	Actuals of the last four months of 1895-96.	Probable charges of the last four months of 1896-97.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1896-97, excluding subsequent allotments	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Brought forward ..	1150 - -	490 - -	760 - -	1910 - -	1850 - -	
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont.						
7. SURVEY OF LAND						
8. FIRE—						
a. Establishment						
b. Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c.						
9. OTHER CHARGES—						
i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes ..	- - -	- - -	20 - -	20 - -	20 - -	
iii. Printing	190 - -	130 - -	80 - -	270 - -	300 - -	The difference is not necessary
iv. Compensation for lands ..	50 - -	- - -	- - -	50 - -	- - -	This amount is found necessary
v. Other items	30 - -	- - -	20 - -	50 - -	70 - -	The difference is not necessary
Total, Grant IV ..	1420 - -	620 - -	880 - -	2300 - -	2240 - -	
GRANT V—						
a. General Establishment—						
i. Office Establishment ..	740 - -	400 - -	370 - -	1110 - -	1120 - -	The difference is due to fines outstandings
ii. Inspection						
b Collection of Municipal Taxes—						
i. Establishment	290 - -	140 - -	160 - -	450 - -	470 - -	- do -
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. ..	30 - -	20 - -	30 - -	60 - -	100 - -	The difference is not necessary.
c. Collection of Tolls—						
i. Establishment						
ii. Contingencies						
d. Office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii)	190 - -	170 - -	70 - -	260 - -	280 - -	do
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments ..	- - -	- - -	140 - -	140 - -	140 - -	
Total, Grant V ..	1250 - -	730 - -	770 - -	2020 - -	2110 - -	
REPAYMENT OF DEBT—						
a. Instalments paid during the year.	- - -	- - -	560 - -	560 - -	570 - -	With reference to actuals.
b. Invested on account of Sinking Fund (Value of securities purchased)						
c. Charges of investment ..						
INTEREST—						
a. On account of last year ..		490 - -				
b. „ of current year ..	700 - -	- - -	700 - -	1400 - -	1400 - -	

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 1896-97—*continued.*

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1896-97.			Actuals of the last four months of 1895-96.			Probable charges of the last four months of 1896-97.			Total of columns 2 and 4.			Budget grant 1896-97, excluding subsequent allotments			Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2			3			4			5			6			7
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
Advances recoverable—																
a. Permanent																
b. Others																
Refunds of other than current collections ..																
Discount																
Pensions and gratuities																
Investments—																
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund																
b. In Savings Bank																
Total Expenditure ..	28920	-	-	43550	-	-	36430	-	-	65350	-	-	34100	-	-	
Balances—																
a. Municipal Fund	-	-	-	29280	-	-	6720	-	-	6720	-	-	2780	-	-	
b. Endowments																
c. Water-tax Fund																
Grand Total ..	28920	-	-	72830	-	-	43150	-	-	72070	-	-	36880	-	-	

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Statement VI-A.—Showing the Budget Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of for the year 1896-97.

(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. 2(b).	1020	-	-	180	-	-	-	-	-	1200	-	-	Resolution No: X 8.9.96 and IX 28.10.96.
Grant I. 2(d)(iii)	2130			150	-	-	-	-	-	2280	-	-	Resolution No: II 23.4.96 + III(3) 30.5.96
	3150	-	-	330	-	-				3480	-	-	

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

Statement VII.—Tolls.

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

Statement VIII.—Loans.

Amount of loan and rate of interest.	For what purpose and terms on which obtained and year in which taken.	Date of Government sanction.	Amount paid. Up to 31st March 1897. Number of years.	Amount paid. Up to 31st March 1897. Amount.	Amount paid. In 1897-98.	Amount transferred to Sinking Fund. Up to 31st March 1897. Number of years.	Amount transferred to Sinking Fund. Up to 31st March 1897. Amount.	Amount transferred to Sinking Fund. In 1897-98.	Invested out of the total amount transferred up to end of 189 -9. In Government Securities.	Invested out of the total amount transferred up to end of 189 -9. In the Savings Bank.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
RS. A. P.				RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
33000 - -	Water Supply Scheme the payable in 20 equal instalments — Taken in 1895-96.	G.O. No. 452 dated 4th June 1895	1 2	570 ~~2460~~ - -	590 ~~1970~~ - -	2	560 - -	590 - -		
		1970- 1402- 568	Annual payment interest for 1896-97 [?] repayment of principal.							

[illegible] Chairman

Municipal office Dindigul 10-1-97

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Dindigul MUNICIPALITY.

[R]evision of Establishment.

[C]HARGE. Proposed Scale.				Proposition.		
[Nu]mber	Designation.	Pay. Minimum.	Pay. Maximum.	Increase per month. Amount.	Decrease per month. Amount.	Grounds of proposition.
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
24		410-8-	426-	20-8-	-	
1	Head master Mahomedan S.R. school	12	12	-	-	
2	Assistant master	14	14	-	-	
1	Peon	4	4	1-	×	Vide para 16 of the report
1	Head master Panchama S.R. school	9	9	1-	×	— do —
1	1st Assistant master	6	6	-		
1	2nd Do.	5	5			
1	Vaccinator	15	15	5-	×	Vide para 17 of the report & Resolution No I 6.1.97
1	Peon	5	5	-	-	
2	Nuisance Inspectors	40	40	-	-	
1	Maistry	7-8-	7-8-		7-8-	Vide para 17 of the report.
5	Do. on Rs. each	30-	30-	~~18~~ 24	×	
-	-	-	-	-	15-	
11	Scavengers	33-	33-	-	-	
8	Do.	16-	16-	-	-	
18	Sweepers	81-	81-	-	-	
12	Private scavengers	48-	48-	8-	×	Vide para 17 of the report
1	Superintendent	10-	10-	-	-	
5	Masalchis	30-	30-	2-8-	×	Vide para 18 of the report.
1	Manager	50-	50-	-	-	
1	Clerk	20-	20-	-	-	
1	Accountant	10-	10-	-	-	
1	Peon	7-8-	7-8-	-	×-8-	* This man has retired from service, hence [illegible]
1	Do.	6-	6-	-	-	
101		869-8-	885-	56-	23-	

[signature]
Chairman

[initials]
11.1.97

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Statement of Proposition

Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	Present Scale.			
Number	Date.		Number	Designation.	Pay. Minimum.	Pay. Maximum
					RS.	RS.
		Brought forward	23		390	411
G.O. No: 538 M	25th March 1896.	Grant II (2)(ii)(a)	1	Head master Mahomedan School	12	12
			2	Assistant master @ 7 Rs.	14	14
		×	1	Peon	3	3
			1	Head master Panchama School	8	8
			1	1st Assistant master	6	6
			1	2nd Do.	5	5
		Grant III (3) (a)	1	Vaccinator	10	10
			1	Peon	5	5
G. O. No: 538 M.	25th March 1896	" (5) (a)(i)	2	Nuisance Inspector	40	40
			2	Maistri @ 7½	15	15
		Am/ ×	~~2~~	1 on 6 Rs. Do.	6 ~~12~~	6 ~~12~~
			3	on Rs 5. Do.	15	15
			11	Scavengers	33	33
			8	Do.	16	16
			18	Sweeper @ 4½ Rs	81	81
		Grant III (5)(b)(i)	10	Private Scavenger @ 4 Rs	40	40
G.O. No 559 M Mo	27th May 1896.	Grant IV (1) (a)	1	Superintendent	10	10
			5	Masalchis	27-8	27-8
G. O. No: 538 M.	25th March 1896	Grant V (a) (i)	1	Manager	50	50
			1	Clerk	20	20
			1	Accountant	10	10
			1	Peon	8	8
			1	Do.	6	6
		Total	99		836-8	857-8

Municipal office
Dindigul, 11.1.97.

Proportion Statement

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From M.R.Ry. T. RAJAGOPAUL NAYUDU Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Dindigul, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Sub-Collector of Madura), dated 11th January 1897, No. 350.

1. Proposition statement.
2. Budget statement.
3. Copy of Council's Resolution No. 1, dated 6th January 1897.

I have the honour to submit the revised estimate for 1896–97 and the budget estimate for 1897–98 of the Dindigul Municipality, together with the marginally-noted enclosures.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1896–97.

Receipts.

2. The receipts as per revised estimate, including the opening balance of Rupees 29,280 and the advances recovered Rs. 10,890 from the Sanitary Engineer to Government aggregate to Rs. 72,070 against a budget estimate of Rs. 36,880. The increase is due chiefly to the conspicuously large amount of the opening balance and to enhanced receipts under 2 (*a*), 2 (*b*), 2 (*c*), 2 (*g*), 2 (*h*), 4 (*a*) (iii), 4 (*c*), 4 (*f*) (i), 4(*f*) (ii), 4 (*g*) (i), 6 (*a*) (i) and 6 (*b*) (ii) set off only partially by a comparatively smaller opening balance and a decrease under 2 (*d*) owing to the remission of water-tax for the first half of 1896–97 (*vide* G.O., Mis. No. 1750 M., dated 14th October 1896), 2 (*e*), 2 (*f*), 4 (*a*) (i), 4 (*b*) (i), 4 (*g*) (ii), 4 (*h*), 5 (*b*) (ii) and 6 (*b*) (i). These variations are explained in statement VI.

Charges.

3. The proposed charges amount to Rs. 65,350 against Rs. 34,100 originally budgeted, showing an increase of Rs. 31,250. This increase is, in a large measure, due to increased expenditure under Grants 1, 3 and 4, while Grants 2 and 5 show a decrease. Under Grant 1, the item that has contributed to swell the charges most is (i) (*d*) water-supply. This item excluded, Grant 1 also exhibits a reduction of charges in consequence of savings and fines under 2 (*c*) (ii), the non-utilization of Rs. 350 provided for the construction of walls to the fort tank—not approved by the Sanitary Board—and to savings effected under 2 (*d*) (ii) and (iii) owing to the entertainment of the water works staff and the commencement of water-supply to the town, late in the year, counterbalanced, though to a small extent by an outlay of Rs. 160 in the construction of the high school latrine.

4. The reduced charges under Grant 2 are due mainly to the payment of minimum salaries to some of the teachers of the municipal high school and to a reduction of Rs. 20 effected under 2 (ii) (*c*) Contingencies, while Grant 3 exhibits an increase of charges under 1 (*b*) due to medicines purchased last year having been paid this year, under 4 (*b*) Birth and Death Contingencies, due to some forms printed and under 5 (*c*) Cholera charges due to medicines purchased and yet remain to be purchased for preventing the spread of the epidemic, in spite of a decrease under 1 (*a*), 1 (*d*), 3 (*b*), 5 (*a*) (i), 5 (*a*) (ii) and 5 (*b*) (i), due to savings and fines.

5. In spite of the non-utilization of the excess amount provided in the budget under 2 (*b*). 4 (*b*), 9 (iii) and (v) and of the full amount under 5 (*b*)—Avenue contingencies—the increase under 1 (*b*) and 9 (iv) compensation for lands has contributed to swell the charges though slightly under Grant 4.

6. The falling off under Grant 5 is due to fines and savings under (*a*) (i), (*b*) (i), and to the non-utilization of the excess amount provided in the budget under (*b*) (ii) and (*d*).

7. The year is expected to close with a balance of Rs. 6,720 against Rs. 2,780, as in the sanctioned budget, owing mainly to the increase in the receipts shown in paragraph 2 *supra* plus the savings under certain items of charges.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1897–98.

Receipts.

8. *Statement I—Rates and Taxes, &c.*—The increase over both the revised and the budget estimate for 1896–97 is due to provision made for enhanced receipts under 2 (*c*) over both the revised and the original budget and under 2 (*d*) over the revised estimate alone. The decrease in the revised estimate under this head—water-tax on buildings and lands—has been explained in paragraph 2 *supra*. The smaller amounts under (*a*) and (*b*) represent for the greater part the current demand, while the variable character of the items (*g*) and (*h*) explains the decreased provision made under those heads, item (*h*) depending mainly on the state of completion at the annual sale.

			Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97		..	23,370
Revised „	for „	..	20,220
Budget „	for 1897–98	..	20,720

9. *Realization under Special Acts.*—As in previous years a provision of Rs. 50 has been made under fees under Act II of 1888, and this therefore calls for no remarks.

			Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97		..	50
Revised „	for „	..	50
Budget „	for 1897–98	..	50

10. *Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.*—The fall below the revised estimate is to be explained by the fact that the several items—(*a*) to (*h*)—that are comprised under this head are of a fluctuating nature, the chief items that exhibit a fall below the revised estimate being 4 (*a*) (iii), 4 (*c*), 4 (*f*) (i) and 4 (*f*) (ii), though there is increased provision made under 4 (*d*) (i). Fees from educational institutions as per recommendations of the educational department under 4 (*g*) (ii), License-fees and under 4 (*h*) Fines under Municipal and other Acts.

			Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97		..	8,600
Revised „	for „	..	9,710
Budget „	for 1897–98	..	8,910

11. *Grants and Contributions.*—The marginally-noted figures represent the grants and contributions that are expected to be realised from Government and from Local Boards—the Dindigul Taluk Board—Rs. 4,400 provided for in 1897–98 under this head include a furniture grant towards the municipal high school of Rs. 30 in round numbers—the figure recommended by the department being Rs. 25, and Rs. 820 being the amount of salary grants for which credit is taken under municipal schools on behalf of the teachers of the high school, including a third grant on behalf of a Tamil Pandit whose appointment the council has sanctioned in accordance with the recommendations of the Educational authorities. Under other purposes, credit is taken only for a grant of Rs. 60, Rs. 50 being the salary grants on behalf of the gymnastic instructor and Rs. 10, results grants for girls in the Panchama salary-results school. It is to be regretted that the council did not sanction the appointment of a drawing master, as recommended by the department, and hence no credit is taken for any grant on his behalf. Under G.O., No. 1213 M., dated 18th July 1896, a provision of Rs. 4,140 has been made towards the construction of a standard out-patient dispensary for the

			Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97		..	1,840
Revised „	for „	..	1,580
Budget „	for 1897–98	..	4,400

treatment of women and children in the budget year, and the contribution from Government under 5 (*a*) (ii) Medical towards the cost of erection of the same is calculated at a third of the estimated cost. It is respectfully solicited that Government will grant this contribution, considering the importance of such an institution in this town and the good work that it has been turning out all along. The grant on account of water-supply is the same as in previous years. Under (*b*) (ii) Medical, provision has been made for the realization of a grant or contribution of Rs. 1,980 from the Taluk Board, Dindigul. This amount includes Rs. 600 grant from the said board towards the women and children's dispensary under G.O., Mis. No. 731 L., dated 20th April 1896, and Rs. 1,380 a third of the cost of the proposed construction of the standard out-patient dispensary referred to above. As the usefulness and the importance of the institution are too well known and as it—the institution—is at present maintained partly by the municipality and partly by the taluk board, it is hoped that the taluk board will be pleased to contribute a third of the said cost in view to the recommendations made by the Surgeon-General in his inspection notes embodied in the last year's administration report of this municipality.

12. *Miscellaneous.*—The items included under this head are "private scavenging fees," "fishery-rents" and "refunds of expenditure of previous year." The increase in the revised estimate over the budget amount of 1896–97 is due to enhanced receipts under 6 (*a*) (i) and to Rs. 120 expenditure of previous year due from a normal student and expected to be recovered from him before the close of the year. In view to the proposed further extension of the private scavenging system in the budget year, enhanced receipts over the revised estimate are provided under private scavenging fees. A sum of Rs. 50 is expected to be realised under 6 (*b*) (i) fishery rents.

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	510
Revised „ for „	..	740
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	750

13. *Extraordinary and Debt.*—There is no necessity for any provision to be made under this head.

Budget estimate for 1896–97, Revised „ for „, Budget „ for „ .. *Nil.*

14. The receipts are estimated to amount to Rs. 41,550, including opening balance, against Rs. 72,070 of the revised estimate for 1896–97.

Charges.

15. *Statement 2—Grant 1, Public Works.*—The increase in the revised estimate is due to the inclusion of Rs. 32,340 under 1 (*d*) Water-supply and of Rs. 160 under 1 (*b*) cost incurred in the construction of the high school latrine and of Rs. 10 under four set off partially by short expenditure under 2 (*c*) (ii) due to fines and savings under 2 (*d*) (i), 2 (*d*) (ii) and 2 (*d*) (iii). Increased provision has been made in the budget year under 1 (*b*), 2 (*a*), 2 (*c*) (i), 2 (*d*) (i), 2 (*d*) (ii) and (iii). The various public works proposed to be undertaken during 1897–98 are enumerated in statement II-A, from which it will be seen that the estimated cost of the construction of the standard out-patient dispensary is Rs. 4,140. In the budget report for 1896–97, the necessity for the construction of drains in the great bazaar street of the size and pattern that would be approved by the Sanitary Department has been sufficiently dwelt at length. An estimate for the construction of drains in a portion of the said street as provided in the budget for 1896–97 was forwarded for the approval of the Sanitary Board, but the same has been returned by reason of some defects to be rectified therein. A revised estimate with the defects remedied will be forwarded to the Sanitary Board for approval and the work put in hand and completed before the close of this year. Rs. 900 set apart under 1 (*c*) Drainage include Rs. 400 provided for extending the construction of V-shaped drains as recommended by the Sanitary Board in another portion of the great bazaar street and

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	12,020
Revised „ for „	..	43,700
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	16,280

Rs. 500 for constructing drains in some lanes of the town. Rs. 3,100 have been provided under 2 (*a*) for the maintenance of roads and for the necessary improvement which some of the important roads and tunnels in the town stand in need of. The percentage of estimated charges under Communications—new works and repairs—to the revenue from tolls is 50·7. The provision of increased charges under 2 (*d*) (ii) establishment includes the sanctioned annual increments to be made to the salaries of the driver, the fireman and the plumber during the last eight months of the budget year. Under 2 (*d*) (iii) Rs. 2,400 have been provided for the purchase of fuel, oils and stores for water-works.

16. *Grant 2, Education.*—The non-utilization in the current year in full of the allotments under 2 (i) (*a*) in consequence of the payment of minimum salaries to the teachers of the municipal high school, and under 2 (ii) (*c*) has contributed to effect savings to the extent of the difference between the first two items in the margin.

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	6,290
Revised „ for „	..	5,860
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	6,410

Under 2 (i) (*a*), an allotment of Rs. 3,390 has been made for payment of the high school establishment including a Tamil Pandit, whose appointment in the budget year the council has resolved upon. The sanction of Government for this appointment is solicited. The allotment of Rs. 160 under 2 (*b*) includes Rs. 50, provision made for purchase of furniture for the high school for half grants on which credit has been taken (*vide* paragraph 11 *supra*) and Rs. 110 for contingencies. Under 2 (ii) (*a*)—fixed payments—the figure advised by the Assistant Inspector of Schools, Madura-Tinnevelly Division, has been adopted with the increase recommended by him to the salaries of the peon attached to the Muhammadan Salary-result school and of the Headmaster, Panchama Salary-result school. These details are shown in the proposition statement and statement II B hereto annexed. The sanction of Government to the increase recommended is solicited. A reduced provision of Rs. 160 is made under 2 (ii) (*c*) Contingencies with reference to the actuals. A provision of Rs. 1,500 has been made under results grants. Under 7 Miscellaneous—(*a*) building, furniture, &c., grants—Rs. 50 are provided, as building grants have been promised by the council to be paid to certain managers of primary schools in the town in accordance with the recommendations of the Educational authorities. The council's unwillingness to provide for the appointment of a drawing master in the budget year has been alluded to in paragraph 11 *supra*.

17. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services.*—Under 1 (*a*) and (*b*), provision has been made for the usual contribution of Rs. 630 towards Dr. Chester's American Mission dispensary and Rs. 1,750 allotted under (*a*), (*b*) and (*d*) for the Women and Children's dispensary against Rs. 1,814, the figure of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer. The increase under 3 (*a*) Vaccination—establishment—is on account of provision made for the increase of the salary of the vaccinator from Rs. 10 to Rs. 15 per mensem resolved upon by the council as per recommendations of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer. He has done good work and is therefore entitled to some encouragement. The slight fall below the revised estimate under 4 (*a*) is due to the fact that the figure of the revised estimate includes Rs. 10, leave allowance for two months this year paid to the late mortuary clerk who has since been removed from service. Of two of the sanitary maistries that were receiving Rs. 7–8–0 each on account of their long standing service, one has been removed owing to old age and another appointed in his place on Rs. 6 per mensem. Thus there has been a saving of Rs. 18 this year. The number of Sanitary maistries that receive Rs. 7–8–0, Rs. 6 and Rs. 5 per mensem is at present 1, 2 and 3, respectively. It is now proposed to maintain the same number of maistries with slight variations in the pay of some of them (*vide* proposition statement). As Rs. 5 appear to be too low for sanitary maistries and as the drain-cleaners of the municipality are each in receipt of a salary of Rs. 5 per mensem, it is highly desirable that maistries that superintend the work of the drain-cleaners should be paid more than what the latter receive. Hence a provision has been made for an increase of Re. 1 to the salaries of each of the three maistries that now get Rs. 5 per

		Rs.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	9,470
Revised „ for „	..	9,510
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	9,870

mensem. This explains the increase under 5 (*a*) (i). Under 5 (*b*) (i), provision has been made for the appointment of two more private scavenging toties, each on Rs. 4 per mensem as it is proposed to extend the system further, in view to its growing popularity in the town. The sanction of Government for the above is solicited. Rs. 200 have been provided towards cholera charges and the allotment of Rs. 200 under 5 (*d*) Contingencies includes Rs. 100 for the removal of prickly-pear in the town. The items of charges under 1 (*a*), 3 (*a*), 5 (*a*) (i), 5 (*a*) (ii) and 5 (*b*) (i) thus entail the comparatively large increase over the revised estimate and the same items, 1 (*a*) excepted, together with 1 (*b*) and 5 (*c*) contribute to the increase over the budget estimate of the current year.

18. *Grant 4, Lighting and Miscellaneous purposes.*—The increase in the revised estimate over the budget estimate for 1896–97 is due to increased charges under 1 (*b*), counterbalanced by short outlay under 2 (*b*), 4 (*b*), 5 (*b*), 9 (iii) and 9 (v). The lighting of the town was taken under departmental management this year and it has proved successful. The comparatively smaller amount provided for in the budget year is due to the proposed diminished charges under 1 (*b*) and 2 (*b*), set off by an increase under 9 (v) other items. Under 1(*a*) establishment, provision has been made for an increase of half a rupee to the salaries of each of the five masalchies now in service, as it was with great difficulty, in the current year, that the services of these masalchies were secured for a salary of Rs. 5–8–0 per mensem. The sanction of Government for the above is solicited.

		RS.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	2,240
Revised „ for „	..	2,300
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	2,130

19. *Grant 5.*—The fall under the revised estimate is due to fines and savings under (*a*) (i) and (*b*) (i) and to the non-utilization of the full amount under (*b*) (ii) and (*d*), and the slight increase in the allotment for 1897–98 is consequent upon the increased provision made under (*d*), in view to the extra expenditure that may happen to be incurred in connection with the general revision of the house-tax register in the budget year.

		RS.
Budget estimate for 1896–97	..	2,110
Revised „ for „	..	2,020
Budget „ for 1897–98	..	2,140

20. Under G.O., No. 538 M., dated 25th March 1896, an allotment of Rs. 1,970 (in round numbers) has been made towards the repayment of the loan and payment of interest to Government in respect of the loan taken for the water works of this municipality. Of this amount, Rs. 590 represent the portion of the principal to be paid and Rs. 1,380 represent the interest.

21. The estimated charges during 1897–98 amount to Rs. 38,800 against a probable income of Rs. 34,830 excluding the opening balance. It will thus be seen that the council has to spend Rs. 3,970 over and above its income. But savings that may happen to be effected under Grants 2, 3 and 5 may contribute to make good this deficit though partially.

22. The budget is expected to close with a balance of Rs. 2,750, which is a little below the 10 per cent. required.

23. I regret the delay in the submission of this budget, which is due to the outbreak of cholera in the town, in taking necessary measures for the suppression of which a greater part of my time had to be devoted.

N. Dis. No. 80-Gl.

Forwarded.

(Signed) R. T. GRIMLEY,
Ag. Sub-Collector.

14*th January* 1897.

N. Dis. No. 183-Gl.

Submitted.

(Signed) J. TWIGG,
Collector.

MADURA,
18*th January* 1897.

Local & Munl. (1897) Department.

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From

The Sanitary Engineer
to Government

Order

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Budget Estimate

Submitting his remarks on the —— of the Dendigul Municipality for 1897-98

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No. 232

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

OFFICE OF SANITARY ENGINEER,

Fort St. George, 5th Feby 1897.

LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPT.
CURRENT No. 445 M

From

J. A. JONES, Esq. MEM. INST. C.E., F.R.S.E.,

SANITARY ENGINEER TO GOVERNMENT,

To

The Secretary to Government,

Local & Municipal Department.

SIR,

With reference to the Budget Estimate of the Dindigul Municipality for 1897/98 whereof an extract has been sent to me I have the honor to state that the allotments under 2-d Water Supply are considered sufficient.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servt.

[signature]

Sanitary Engineer to Govt.

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Local & Munl. (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 536/n

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Stating that the Gindigul Municipality made no provision in its budget for 1897-98 for its Boiler Inspection & that Rs 300 would be fair contribution for the purpose.

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No. 245

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

OFFICE OF SANITARY ENGINEER,

Fort St. George, 8th February 1897.

LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPT.
CONF. No. 506 M

From

J. A. JONES, ESQ. MEM. INST. C.E., F.R.S.E.,

SANITARY ENGINEER TO GOVERNMENT,

To

The Secretary to Government,

Local & Municipal Department.

SIR,

In continuation of my letter No. 232 of the 5th. Instant, I have the honor to inform you that I omitted to note that the Municipal Council of Dindigul has not provided for the inspection of its machinery by the Inspector of Steam-Boilers & Prime-Movers. I think Rs 300 would be a fair contribution for the two visits of the Inspector. The machinery here is similar to that at Cuddapah and the contribution fixed for the latter is Rs 300 as per G.O., No. 1615 M, dated 9th. October 1895.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

J. A. Jones

Sanitary Engineer to Government.

Dindigul

Local & Munl. (1897) Department.

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Submitting remarks on the Educational portion of the -------- for 1897-98.

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF
PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
Madras, 6th February 1897.

No. 1157

LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPT.
CUTTING No. 542 /97

From

THE HONOURABLE MR. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D. Sc., LL.D.,
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
Madras,

To

The Secretary to Government,
Local & Municipal Department.

SIR,

Adverting to the Budget Estimate of the Dindigal Municipality for 1897-98, I have the honour to state that the provision therein made for education will be adequate with an addition of Rs.250 for a Drawing master to give instruction in this subject in the upper secondary department of the Municipal High School-Rs.220 for his salary for 11 months at Rs.20 per mensem and Rs.30 for the purchase of the necessary Drawing materials. Drawing is a compulsory subject of study in the upper secondary forms according to the Educational Rules. A half grant of Rs.125 may be taken credit for on this account from Provincial funds, subject to the provisions of the Grant-in-Aid Code. With the above addition the net expenditure to the Municipality under GrantII will be Rs.3470 (Rs.6660-3190) which is 13.4 per cent of its estimated income from taxation rents and markets.

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

D. Duncan

Director of Public Instruction.

Dindigul

Local & Munl. (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 535/M

From
Surgeon-Major-General C.Sibthorpe,
F.R.C.P.I.
Surgeon-General with the
Govt: of Madras.

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Submitting his remarks on the budget estimate of the Dindigul Municipality for the year 1897-98.

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OFFICE OF SURGEON-GENERAL
WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

No. 27

Camp Lahore Madras, 9th February 1896.

From

SURGEON-MAJOR-GENERAL C. SIBTHORPE, F.R.C.P.I.,
SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
Local and Municipal DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

With reference to grant III of the budget estimate of the Dindigul Municipality for the year 1897-98, I have the honour to state that I approve of the provision for the construction of a standard out-patient dispensary for the treatment of Women and Children.

2. The request of the Municipality for the payment from Provincial Funds of one-third of the estimated cost towards the construction of this building in consideration of the importance of such an institution in the town and the good work that it has been turning out all along is -- greatly deserving of consideration.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

C. Sibthorpe

Surgeon-Major-General,
Surgeon-General with the
Government of Madras.

Local & Munl. (1897) Department.

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT 4 MAR 1897

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From

The Sanitary Commissioner for Madras

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Submitting remarks on the Dindigul Municipal Budget for 1897-98.

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OFFICE OF SANITARY COMMISSIONER,

Camp Tadpatri, 2nd March 1897.

~~Fort St. George,~~

LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPT.
RECEIVED No. 985/M

From

SURGEON LIEUT.-COL. W. G. KING, M.B., C.M., D.P.H.,

SANITARY COMMISSIONER FOR MADRAS,

To

THE

Secretary to Government,
Local & Municipal Department.

Enclosure.

SIR,

With reference to the Dindigul Municipal Budget for 1897-98, I have the honor to state that the expenditure proposed under conservancy, amounting to 19·6 per cent of the current receipts, is insufficient for requirements, as already pointed out in my letter on the current years budget. The Vaccinal grant calls for no remarks. The increase of salary proposed to be given to the Vaccinator has my approval.

(Flag A) x
Note. The Vaccinator was entertained only in August 1895. Moreover vaccination was not good in 1895-96 (Flag B)

2. Under Grant I certain sanitary works are budgetted for execution at an estimated cost of Rs. 3 Nos.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your most Obedient Servt.

W G King
Surg Lieut: Col
Sanitary Commissioner
for Madras.

Dindigul Municipal Budget for 1897–98

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings :—

Current No. 218 M. of 1897, dated 11th January from the Chairman, M.C. Dindigul.

Current No. 445 M. of 1897, dated 5th Feby: from the Sanitary Engineer

Current No. 506 M. of 1897, dated 8th ,, from the ~~Do~~ D.G.I. ~~Do~~

" 572 M. — —

Current No. 535 M. of 1897, dated 9th Feby: from the Surgeon General.

" 935 — — 22nd March " Sanitary Commissioner.

Order— No. 603 M dt 18/3/97

The estimated receipts and charges of the Dindigul Municipality for 1897-98, as passed by Government, are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year 1896-97 and the actuals of 1895-96.

	Actuals, 1895-96.	Budget Estimate, 1896-97.	Revised Estimate, 1896-97.	Budget Estimate 1897-98.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Receipts.				
Balance brought forward	7780	5510	29280	6720 (680) (para. 2)
Tax on Arts	1798	2300	2400	2360
Tax on Buildings and Lands	6395	6310	6870	6460
Water-Tax on Buildings and Lands		2350	1010	2300
Tax on Vehicles and Animals	1172	1310	1200	1200
Tax on Carts	1365	1400	1480	1400
Tolls	7200	6700	7260	7000
Realizations under Special Acts	50	50	50	50
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	687	820	710	700
Conservancy Receipts	26	100	120	100
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	1974	2000	2000	2150
Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions	6	10	10	10
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	5328	5000	6000	5400
License fees	384	450	330	400
Other fees	26 ~~25~~	20	30	30
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	411	200	110	120
Interest on Investments and premium on Loans				
Grants and Contributions from Government	29,732	990	980	~~2120~~ 1040 (para. 3)
Do. from Local Boards	600	850	600	~~1980~~ 600 (para. 3)
Do. from other bodies				
Recoveries for services to private individuals	451	500	620	700
Miscellaneous	5	10	120	50
Loans	33,000			
Sale-proceeds of Government Securities, &c., and Realizations of Sinking Fund				
Advances Recovered			10890	
Total ..	98389	36880	72070	~~41550~~ 38750
		5510	29280	6720
		31370	42790	34830

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Charges	Actuals, 1895-96.	Budget Estimate, 1896-97.	Revised Estimate, 1896-97.	Budget Estimate 1897-98.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
GRANT I.					
New Works—					
Communications	435	950	950	450	
Buildings	11		160		
Drainage	1	1200	1200	900	
Water-supply	33676		32340		
Repairs—					
Communications	2658	2700	2700	3100	
Buildings	118	1020	1020	950	
Drainage	978	1280	1270	1490	
Water-supply	1081	3970	3150	4430	4730
Establishment	777	800	800	800	
Tools and Plant and other Stores	41	100	110	20	
Contributions for Public Works					
Total	39776	12020	43700	16280	12460
GRANT II—					
Training Schools					
Municipal Schools—					
(*a*) On the Salary System	2900	3390	2980	3550	
(*b*) On the Salary Result System	774	890	870	900	880
Grants-in-aid—					
(*a*) Salary grants					
(*b*) Result grants	1458	1500	1500	1500	
(*c*) Combined grants					
(*d*) Building and Furniture grants		100	100	50	
Inspection	259	260	260	260	
Miscellaneous	150	150	150	150	
Total	5541	6290	5860	6410	6390
GRANT III—					
Hospitals and Dispensaries	2622	2340	2570	2380	
Contributions	231	120	120	120	
Vaccination	370	380	320	420	360
Registration of Births and Deaths	184	140	160	130	
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	4879	6490	6340	6820	7430
Total	8286	9470	9570	9870	10420
GRANT IV—					
Lighting	1098	1500	1600	1480	
Markets and Slaughter-houses	73	110	90	70	
Choultries					
Travellers' Bungalows	143	160	150	150	
Avenues	56	70	60	60	
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges	403	400	400	370	
Total	1773	2240	2300	2130	
GRANT V—					
Supervision and management	2115	2110	2020	2140	2290
Repayment of Debt		570	560	590	
Interest on loan	492	1400	1400	1380	
Advances Recoverable	11122				
Refunds	1				
Discount					
Pensions and Gratuities					
Investments			6680		
Balance	29283	2780	6720	2750	3110
Total	98389	36880	72070	41500	38750

2380 6720 2750

24100 65350 38800

at Rs 3110 or

Revised estimate for 1896-97.

2. The current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs 42790 and Rs 65350 respectively, against Rs 31370 and Rs 34100 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts occurs chiefly under the tax on buildings, tolls, income from markets and advances recovered, being partly counterbalanced by a decrease under the water tax and grants from local boards, while the increase in the charges is marked under head 1. ~~The collections under~~ the taxes on (a) ats and buildings, (b) and the expenditure on new works (c) communications and drainage, (d) and repairs — buildings, (e) during the first eight months of the year has been most unsatisfactory. ~~[illegible]~~ Reference to Govt. No. 2391-L, dated 17th December 1896, the contribution for the central office establishment will

(a) 42 p.c.
(b) —do—
(c) 29 p.c.
(d) 12 p.c.
(e) 20 p.c.

* The reduction from Rs 7-8-0 to Rs 6 in the pay of one of the Assistant Masistries referred to in para. 17 of the Chairman's letter is affirmed.

will be raised from Rs 140 to Rs 180. The balance to be carried forward to the ensuing year's budget will then be Rs 6,680.

Budget estimate for 1897-98.

3. Receipts — The receipts for the coming year are put down at Rs 34,830 against Rs 42,790 in the revised estimate, the decrease which appears ~~chiefly~~ mainly under 'advances recovered' and 'income from markets' being partly met by an increase under 'taxes' and 'grants from Government and Local Boards'. The Government is not prepared to sanction the grant from Provincial funds of one-third of the cost of the constructing of the proposed out-patient dispensary. As regards the contribution of a like sum expected from the Taluk board on this account, the municipal council should address that board and report the result to Government. The two sums of Rs 1,380 each, for which credit has been taken under the heads Grants and contributions from Govt and Local Boards, will accordingly be struck out.

4. Charges. (1) The probable charges are entered as Rs 38,800 against Rs 65,390 in the revised estimate, the decrease being mainly

Vide para. 11 of the Chairman's letter.

Vide Govt. No 789-M. 17-11-96.

balance of Rs 3,110 or mainly under Grant. 1.

(2) Grant. 1. — The sum of Rs 4,140 provided for the construction of an out-patient dispensary will be struck out, with reference to the latter portion of the preceding paragraph. A sum of Rs 300 will be provided for contribution towards the pay of the Boiler Inspector, as suggested by the Sanitary Engineer in his second letter read above.

(3) Grant. 2. — The entertainment of a Tamil Pandit on Rs 15 for the municipal high school is sanctioned, but the increase of one rupee each in the salaries of the pay of the Muhammadan Salary result school and the Head master of the Panchama School, proposed in para. 16 of the chairman's letter cannot be affirmed, as the necessity for it has not been explained. The remarks of the Director of Public Instruction in his letter read above, will be referred to the municipal council for careful consideration.

(4) Grant. 3. — The Council's proposal to raise the salary of the vaccinator from Rs 10 to Rs 15, ~~proposed in para. 11 of the~~ cannot be affirmed, as the Government is not

not satisfied of its necessity. The additions to and alterations in the conservancy and private scavenging establishments proposed in para. 17 are sanctioned. ~~subject to the remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner, which should be respected.~~

With reference to G.O. No. 1985 M. dated 18th November 1896, the allotment for "epidemic" ~~cholera~~ charges will be raised from Rs 200 to Rs 810 to include ~~meet~~ possible charges connected with the bubonic plague.

(5) Grant. 4.— The increase of half a rupee each in the salaries of the five masalchis referred to in para. 18 is approved.

(6) Grant. 5.— The proposed reduction of half a rupee in the pay of the office peon, which from the proposition statement appears to be contemplated, and to which reference should have been made in the Chairman's letter, is approved. With reference to G.O. No. 2391 L. dated 17th December 1896, the contribution for the central office establishment will be raised from Rs 140 to Rs 286 or Rs 290 in round figures.

5. The budget, as revised by Government, closes with

with a balance of Rs 3,110 or 9.7 percent of the estimated receipts. The late submission of the budget is not satisfactory.

V.R.
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