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Proceedings of the District Board Trichinopoly
at a meeting held on Wednesday the 6th
July 1887.

Present

W. A. Willock Esquire. President.

Mr. D. R. V. Muthuswamy Iyer Muzgal Rao'sahib
Temporary Deputy Collector.

" S. Pattaiah Pillai Muzgal Rao'sahib
Muzur Sheristadar

" Mr. Ramaswami Iyer Muzgal Rao'sahib
Deputy Inspector of Schools

" S. Krishna Iyengar Muzgal Rao'sahib
Pleader District Court

" N. G. Gopala Iyer Muzgal B. A. Rao'sahib
Pleader District Court.

" S. Krishnamachariar Muzgal B. A. Rao'sahib
Pleader District Court.

" K. Seshadri Iyengar Muzgal Rao'sahib
Mirasdar of Kodiyalam.

" Chandrasekara Pillai Muzgal Rao'sahib
Mirasdar of Iyempoleim.

" Syed Shah Khatun Hussain Sahib Sultani
Khan Sahib, Jaghirdar of Kalpoleim.

Reverend Father Chelchat

Proceedings no: 89 of 1887.

Read

Read the following;

The President hopes to be able to lay proposals for the more satisfactory maintenance of the road across the Snirangam Island before the Board.

x x x x x

The proposal to take over the road across the Snirangam Island is approved. The President will make arrangements with the Municipal Council for the completion of repairs under the Local Fund Engineer's superintendence if they have no objection pending the orders of Government.

x x x x x

(sd) W. A. Willock

President

(True extract)

M. S. S. S. S.

President

Enclosure No 1
to letter No 767
from the President
District Board
Trichinopoly

District Board's
resolution

1st July 1862
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Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal
Council Srirangam at the special meeting
held on the 1st July 1887.

Present.

Mr. R. Ry. L. Kristningar Auzgal Rao Sahib
Chairman.
" S. Krishnamachariar Auzgal Councillor
" Mr. Ramaseshvar Auzgal — "
" S. Subramania Sastryar Auzgal — "
" Sriranga Chariar alias Shatha-
Chariar Auzgal } — "
" C. Shrimallay Naidu Esq — "
" C. Seshu Chariar Auzgal — "
" A. V. Panchanathar Auzgal — "

Para. 1. Read letter from the Acting Collector
of Trichinopoly enquiring whether the Council
has any objection to re-transfer the piece of
road between the Beauverij and Coleroon
Bridges to the Superintendence and manage-
ment of the District Board Trichinopoly.

Resolved unanimously that the
Council has no objection to re-transfer the
road in question to the District Board, and
that pending the decision of the District Board
the work be stopped.

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(sd) L. Kristningar
Chairman
(True copy) *[Signature]*
President.

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enclosure to letter
No 767 from
9-7-87
the President
District Board
Trichinopoly

Resolution of the Srirangam Municipal Council

15 Aug 1887

No 767

Trichinopoly District Board's office
7th July 1887
Local & Municipal Dept
CURRENT No 18622
From. W. A. Willcock Esquire
President, District Board
Trichinopoly.

To.

The Chief Secretary to
Government
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to the remarks on the Contribution from tolls to the Srirangam Municipality printed in para. 4 of G. O. 15th April 1887 No 673 Hb, I have the honor to forward resolutions passed by the District Board and the Municipality approving of a proposal of mine to transfer the road across the Srirangam Island to the District Board, discontinuing the special grant of Rupees 1000 from District to municipal funds on its account at the same time.

2. The traffic on this road is enormous, and it is a matter of the greatest importance that it should be repaired with all possible skill. Work which would stand ordinary traffic well enough crumbles to dust rapidly under the constant stream of carts which flows along it, and the best

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professional supervision available should
therefore be brought to bear on its maintenance.
That it should be under the care of the
Local Hand Engineers instead of under the
amateur supervision of the Municipal Council
is a proposition which hardly needs anything
to be said in its support, and I trust that
Government will see fit to accord its sanction
to an arrangement which will largely contribute
to the efficiency of communication with the
North of the District.

3. The change might take effect
from the Commencement of the next official
year as I can arrange meanwhile for
the work being supervised by the Local
Hand Engineers on behalf of the Municipality.

4. I may add that owing to no-
expenditure having taken place last
year for want of funds the road is
now in terribly bad order, and though
the Municipal Council have been pushing
on repairs since funds were placed at
their disposal the quality of the work
and materials used promise only a very
temporary improvement on its condition.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obed^t Serv^t

W. W. W. W.
Resident

I do not see the necessity for any
formal transfer of charge.

Why not not this important Distric
line of communication be by agreement
repaired by the D.C.?? This not
unlike the imperial road running
along right thro' the city of Mun.??

The road seems to be one on which the
D.C. may legally expend its funds
under Sec 95, & the agreement seems
a reasonable & proper one on both
sides & not beyond the power of either
unless some legal objⁿ can be suggested.
I think the order & simply approve
of the arrangement.

M. J.
D. J.

If the District Board's proposal is approved the road which vests in the Municipality ^{will have to be} excluded from the operation of Act II of 1884, by a notification under Sec 23-4. That act created in the Dist Bd under s. 48(1) Act I of 1884.

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24/7/87 Submitted that the proposal may be approved ^{hasn} 29/7

I submit that the exclusion of the road from the municipal limit is unnecessary & undesirable. There are a great number of provisions in the Municipal Act regarding the control of streets which ought to remain with the Council in this case. Local boards have some powers (see 98 Act V of 1884) but not nearly so ample or varied as those of municipal Councils. The work of repairing the roadway can be assigned to the District board under Sec 97 Act V of 1884, when funds Rs 1000, placed at their disposal from the municipal fund out of the tolls contribution of that amount. If the Dist. Board want to spend more than the Rs 1000, the contribution & the transfer from the municipal fund can be increased. The objection of course is that the municipal act will be swelled on both sides; but on the other hand it is desirable to keep up even less. Finally, the arrangement made for the contribution of the tolls in case of future dispute.

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Local & Municipal Dept
Trichinopoly
CURRENT NO. 185

From

H. A. K. Mohan Esq
President of Board
Trichinopoly

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Madras

Dated
29/7/87
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Requesting to sanction
the proposal of taking
over the management
and Superintendence
of the road across the
Pirangam Island
by the District Board

S.O. of 11th March 1887 No. 1535
The proposed arrangement
is approved
(from orders)
hasn
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To the President Dist. Board
Trichinopoly

For orders

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take over the ma-
-nagement of the road
across the Trinamgan
island.