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Read—the following paper :—

From M.R.Ry. C. LAKSHMINARASIMHA RAO Pantulu Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Ongole, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Sub-Collector, Nellore), dated 25th June 1898, No. 261.

I have the honour to submit the annual report on the administration of the Ongole Municipality for the financial year 1897–98, with statements as prescribed by Government.

2. The report was approved by the council in its resolution, No. 97, dated 4th July 1898, which is herewith submitted. The delay in the submission of the report was unavoidable, owing to the absence of head clerk on sick leave.

I.—Constitution of the Municipal Council.

3. The municipality has a population of 10,860 according to the census of 1891—8,712 Hindus, 1,117 Muhammadans, 1,028 Europeans, Eurasians and Native Christians, and 3 others.

4. The strength of the council was 16, including the Sub-Collector, an *ex-officio* councillor. The council held 29 meetings against 31 meetings of the previous year. One meeting was adjourned for want of quorum against three of the previous year. Business was transacted in 28 meetings against 28 of 1896–97. The average attendance of non-officials at each meeting was 6·07 against 6·96 of the year before, while the attendance of officials was 1·46 as compared with 1·56 of the previous year (*vide* Statement X).

5. It is to be remarked that three of the officials—the Sub-Collector, the Tahsildar and the Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools—being touring officers, their attendance was poor, and that the Tahsildar-councillor could not attend meetings for three months consecutively. Five vacancies occurred in the council, and all of them were filled within the year, except one subsequently filled up.

II.—Receipts.

6. The year opened with a balance of Rs. 3,280–10–4 against Rs. 3,280, the revised estimate. The balance includes endowment entrusted to the municipal council (*vide* Statement I-A). The receipts amounted to Rs. 13,855–7–11 against Rs. 14,080, the revised estimate, and Rs. 13,650–8–8, the actual audited figures for 1896–97 (*vide* total receipts in Statement I).

7. Statement I shows the revenues and receipts of the municipal fund, and the note to this statement the rates at which taxes were levied; I-A points out endowments entrusted to the municipal council; Statement III exhibits deposits account for the year; Statement IV-A shows the demand, collection and balance, and IV-B the arrears for the year under report; and appendix A to Statement IV-A gives the details of warrants issued, and appendix B to Statement IV-B the particulars of prosecutions instituted under each tax; and Statement VIII refers to tolls. The details of these are not therefore given in the report. I regret to mention that the collection was slow owing to the absence of the head clerk on sick leave and the indifference of the collection establishment.

A.—Municipal Rates and Taxes.

8. *Tax on Arts.*—The demand finally settled was Rs. 1,117–8–0 (Rs. 39–8–0 arrears and Rs. 1,078 current) against Rs. 1,000 (Rs. 39–8–0 arrears and Rs. 960–8–0 current), the revised estimate. The increase in the demand was due to remissions not granted as expected. The decrease in the demand below the actuals of 1896–97 was due largely to the change of rates in the schedule, as revised by Act III of 1897, and partly to the arrears included in the previous year's actuals (*vide* Statement IX-A for incidence).

9. *Tax on Buildings.*—The demand settled was Rs. 3,232–15–5 (Rs. 13–7–5 arrears and Rs. 3,219–8–0 current) against Rs. 3,220 (Rs. 12–15–4 arrears and Rs. 3,207–0–8 current), the revised estimate. The difference needs no explanation. The demand register that was opened for 1896–97 was used also during the year with slight alterations, as the register was intended to serve for two years. The town was divided into different classes for valuation purposes according to the annual rental value of houses in each locality, and the tax on each building was levied according to the rate fixed for each class. These rates were fixed in the year 1889–90 with the approval of the people at large and were hitherto paid without a murmur. The Government, in reviewing the last annual report of this municipality, directed in paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 1942 M., dated 6th September 1897, further revision of the tax with reference to the rental of each house, and the tax is under revision (*vide* Statement IX for the incidence of this tax).

10. *Tax on Lands and Vacant Grounds.*—The revised estimate was Rs. 160 (Rs. 4 arrears and Rs. 156 current) against Rs. 162–6–9, the demand. The small difference needs no explanation. The previous year's demand register was adopted also during the year. The total extent of cultivable land assessed was 28i acres and 15 cents (*vide* note to Statement I, which also shows the valuation of lands).

11. *Tax on Vehicles with springs and Palanquins.*—The demand was Rs. 165 against Rs. 150, the revised estimate. The increase was due to the large number of vehicles registered.

12. *Tax on Animals.*—The demand was Rs. 769–12–0 (arrears Rs. 15–12–0 and current Rs. 754) against Rs. 780 (arrears Rs. 15 and Rs. 765 current), the revised estimate. The decrease was due to remissions granted by the council.

13. *Tax on Carts and other Vehicles without springs.*—The demand was Rs. 1,302 (Rs. 1,282 current and Rs. 20 arrears) against Rs. 1,230 (Rs. 1,210 current and Rs. 20 arrears), the revised estimate. The increase in the demand was due to the increased registration of carts employed in working the Madras-Bezwada Railway.

14. *Tolls less Local Fund share.*—All the gates were leased out for Rs. 2,492; deducting Rs. 12 spent for the schedule boards, Rs. 826–10–8, one-third share of tolls, was paid to the District Board. A sum of Rs. 358–14–11 was spent for the construction of three toll-sheds; one-third of this (Rs. 119–10–4) is yet to be recovered from the District Board. Hence the item was shown under advances recoverable. The net demand under this item was Rs. 1,665–5–4 against Rs. 1,670, the revised estimate, and Rs. 1,643–13–0, the actuals of 1896–97. The increase in the demand was due to competition in the bid (*vide* Statement VII).

15. *Penalties on account of tax on carts.*—A sum of Rs. 8–8–0 was recovered on account of charges in connection with the seizure and detention under section 90 (2) of the District Municipalities Act.

16. *Realization under special Acts—Fines under Act II of 1888.*—This sum of Rs. 135 was levied on account of dramatic performances exhibited in the town, not expected when the budget was submitted.

B.—Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.

17. *Rent of lands.*—A sum of Rs. 103 was collected in the year against Rs. 105, the revised estimate. The high figure in the revised estimate was only a round sum.

18. *Avenue Receipts.*—This is a fluctuating item and needs no explanation.

19. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—A sum of Rs. 119–3–0 was collected against Rs. 140, the revised estimate. The decrease was due to Rs. 36–11–10 not recovered from Mr. W. H. Maskell, to whom a portion of the bungalow was leased out for some time, which fell in arrears.

20. *Produce of Lands and Gardens.*—Two sums of Rs. 0–12–6 from the sale of tamarind fruits and Rs. 3–6–0 from the sale of grass in the bed of Ranga Rao's tank were realized. Hence Rs. 4–2–6 under this item.

21. *Sale-proceeds of old materials.*—A sum of Rs. 54–13–3 was collected against Rs. 40, the revised estimate. This needs no explanation, the item being a fluctuating one.

22. *Sale-proceeds of Night-soil and Street-refuse.*—A sum of Rs. 154–2–0 was realized under this item—Rs. 5–2–0 on account of the sale of night-soil and Rs. 149 on account of sale of rubbish—against Rs. 130, the revised estimate. The increase was partly due to the sale of night-soil and partly to an increase in the bid.

23. *Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines.*—A sum of Rs. 127–12–0 was realized against Rs. 120, the revised estimate. The increase was due to an increase in the number of subscribers.

24. *Income from Markets.*—A sum of Rs. 97–7–8 was realized against Rs. 100, the revised estimate. The difference was small and needs no explanation (*vide* Statement XI).

25. *Income from Slaughter-house.*—A sum of Rs. 210 was collected against Rs. 210, the revised estimate; the small difference needs no explanation.

26. *Distraint fees and Warrant fees.*—For reasons given in paragraph 23 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, a sum of Rs. 26–4–0 was realized against Rs. 15, the revised estimate.

27. *License fees.*—A sum of Rs. 218–4–0 only was realized against Rs. 270, the revised estimate, no increased number of licenses having been issued as expected under the new Act.

28. *Cart-stand fees.*—A sum of Rs. 608–13–4 was realized against Rs. 610, the revised estimate, which was only a round figure.

29. *Other fees.*—Rs. 5 was shown in the revised estimate. A sum of Rs. 1–8–0 was realized on account of birth and death extracts furnished to applicants; Rs. 5 was only a round figure in the revised estimate.

30. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—A sum of Rs. 295–6–0 was levied against Rs. 280, the revised estimate (*vide* paragraph 27 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, for the increase in the demand).

31. *Grants and Contributions—Contributions from Local Funds.*—A sum of Rupees 2,848–3–7 was drawn towards the hospital contribution from the Taluk Board, deducting excess received during 1896–97, as shown under liabilities in note to Statement II of the previous year's annual statements, against Rs. 2,850, the revised estimate. The difference was small and needs no explanation.

32. *Miscellaneous—Private scavenging fees.*—The demand was Rs. 579–14–0 (Rs. 575–4–0 current and Rs. 4–10–0 arrears) against Rs. 580, the revised estimate. The difference was adopted for round figure in the revised estimate (*vide* statement XI).

33. *Other purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 20–11–0 was collected under the several heads against Rs. 10, the revised estimate (*vide* paragraph 30 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, for further explanation).

34. *Fees for numbering carts.*—Needs no explanation.

35. *Advances Recovered.*—A sum of Rs. 351–10–4 was shown under this item against Rs. 360, the revised estimate, which was adopted for round figure (*vide* remarks in paragraph 31 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, for details of explanation).

III.—CHARGES.

36. The charges amounted to Rs. 15,153–14–6 against Rs. 15,950, the revised estimate, and Rs. 12,214–2–6, the actuals of 1896–97. The saving in expenditure was due to large allotment for cholera and other epidemic charges as directed in G.O., No. 1985 M., dated 18th November 1896, and to a large sum reserved for compensation for lands to be acquired in the Ranga Rao's tank-bed, as reported in paragraph 39 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898.

37. Statement II shows the expenditure, and the note to this statement the position of the municipality on 31st March 1898; Statement II-A, Part I, New Works, and Part II, Repairs, give the details of the works executed during the year. Statement II-B shows the details of municipal establishments; Statement VI exhibits the budget grants with subsequent additions and deductions; and Statements V-A and V-B particulars on education. The details of these are not, therefore, repeated in the report.

38. *Grant 1, Public Works.*—The revised estimate under this grant was Rs. 4,100 against Rs. 3,587–10–11, the actuals of the year. There was a saving in expenditure under every item, the largest amount being under repairs, water-supply, which is Rs. 416–8–1. This amount was expected to be spent within the close of the year on account of compensation for lands in the Ranga Rao's tank-bed (*vide* remarks in paragraph 39 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898). The acquisition of these lands was sanctioned by the council in its resolutions No. 140, dated 3rd July 1897, and No. 436, dated 30th March 1898, and the resolutions were communicated to the Sub-Collector to take necessary steps under the Land Acquisition Act. The execution of the works was fully discussed under Grant 1 in my report on the revised estimate for 1897–98. No important changes occurred in the works since the revised estimate was submitted. I consider it needless to recite the same statements. The municipality spent almost the whole of the receipts from tolls, less contribution to the District Board, on communications.

39. *Grant 2, Education—Municipal schools on salary-result system—Fixed payments.*—As explained in paragraph 41 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, only Rs. 16 was spent against Rs. 20, the revised estimate. The Hindustani school that was maintained under this system was closed as proposed by the council in the beginning of the year.

40. *Salary Grants.*—Grants were paid to three teachers employed in the lower secondary department of the American Baptist Mission College in the town. The expenditure was Rs. 325–15–4 against Rs. 340, the revised estimate. The decrease was due to the payment of grants as claimed in the bills. The results of examinations held by the Educational officers were reported to be fair.

41. *Result Grants.*—The actual expenditure was Rs. 802–4–0 against Rs. 810, the revised estimate. The small difference needs no explanation. There were 6 aided schools with 415 pupils for caste boys against 6 schools with 213 pupils for American Baptist Mission Boarding Christian children. The total male population of school-going age in the whole town was 814—653 Hindus, 84 Muhammadans, and 77 Europeans, Eurasians and Native Christians—against a total of 1,153—755 Hindus, 69 Muhammadans, and 329 Europeans, Eurasians and Native Christians, respectively, under instruction. The grant earned by Christian schools was Rs. 497–8–0 against Rs. 304–12–0 by the Hindu schools. No grants were earned in the Hindustani language. Many of the students in the American Baptist Mission schools belonged to the sub-division. I think the Taluk Board should contribute for the education of these people. It will be observed that the distribution of grants was in proportion much larger to the Christian schools than to the Hindu schools. The number of schools was the same as in the previous year, though there was a fall in the strength of the pupils by 26 in the year under report.

42. *Inspection.*—The revised estimate was Rs. 70 against Rs. 63–11–8, the actuals of the year. The difference was due to savings under contingencies and stoppages in establishment. Six statements from the Assistant Inspector of Schools and four from the Sub-Assistant Inspector of Girls' Schools are enclosed.

43. The total expenditure on education during the year was Rs. 1,226-9-6 or 15·53 per cent. of the income from taxation, Rs. 7,898-3-3, and thus exceeded 15 per cent. of minimum expenditure fixed by Government.

44. *Girls' Schools.*—There were ten schools with 612 girls in the year. One of these was a Government school, and the others were maintained by the American Baptist Mission and Provincial grants. Apart from five schools for the American Baptist Mission Boarding women and children, there were four schools under the management of the American Baptist Mission for caste girls. It is gratifying to mention that the education of girls in the town was more in advance than in many other similar stations. The caste girls' schools include one Hindustani school and another school for backward classes.

45. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services* (i) *Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—The revised estimate was Rs. 3,550 against Rs. 3,524-14-3, the actuals of the year. None of the minor items needs any explanation, except sundries and contingencies, in which case the expenditure fell short by Rs. 21-4-7 than the revised estimate. This was due to fluctuation. Relief was afforded to 246 and 8,520 in- and out- patients, with a daily average of 9·33 and 67·61, respectively, during the year. It is unexplained by the civil apothecary why a larger number of Biragees sought admission into the hospital as in-patients in the year than during the previous year. The midwife conducted 79 cases of labour in the town and assisted at the hospital (*vide* Statement XII). It is to be regretted that the council could not provide for female medical aid, as directed in G.O., Nos. 2148 and 2149 M., dated 21st October 1896. The report of the civil apothecary in charge of the municipal hospital is submitted.

46. The hospital floor will be repaired and the contagious diseases shed will be constructed as provided in the budget for 1898-99. A well in the hospital compound could not be sunk, because the Inspector-General of Police refused to ask Government to contribute for the Police hospital on the ground that it may be closed after the Bezwada-Madras Railway opens (*vide* remarks of Government in G.O., No. 1230 M., dated 17th May 1897). The compound wall to the hospital, which costs an enormous sum of money, will be raised if the Taluk Board be liberal in its contribution as hithertofore.

47. The Ongole Taluk Board, which continues to contribute four-fifths of the hospital charges, reduced its contribution for the year 1898-99 to two-thirds only. The Taluk Board contends its contribution should be reduced since eight Local Fund hospitals and dispensaries have been brought into existence in the sub-division, while the importance of the Ongole Municipal hospital is aggrandized every year by its patients and by the magnificence of its buildings. I have asked the civil apothecary for some detailed account of patients and expenditure during the past five years to determine the Taluk Board's share, as directed in paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898. These details are under preparation, and I hope I shall be able to place before Government some important facts regarding the hospital contribution.

48. *Contributions to Provincial Funds.*—The contribution was Rs. 130 against Rs. 100, the revised estimate, and Rs. 99, the actuals of 1896-97. These are fluctuating items and need no explanation.

49. (3) *Vaccination.*—The actual expenditure was Rs. 191-0-2 against Rs. 190, the revised estimate. The difference is insignificant and needs no explanation. The municipality employed a second-class vaccinator on Rs. 12 per mensem. The statement below will show the particulars of vaccine operations performed by him during the year as compared with 1896-97 :—

Years.	Details of primary vaccination.											
	Under one year.				Above one year.				Total.			
	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1897-98	335	81	7	423	64	12	5	81	399	93	12	504
1896-97	287	64	1	352	114	13	5	132	401	77	6	484

Years.	Details of re-vaccination.								
	Re-vaccination.				Total.				Average cost for each successful case.
	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
1897-98	9	1	1	11	408	94	13	515	RS. A. P. 0 7 8
1896-97	33	28	..	61	434	105	6	545	0 8 8

50. Twenty-one persons were sent to the Magistrate under section 138 (2) of Act IV of 1884 as amended by Act III of 1897. The conviction was only in eleven cases and a fine of Rs. 9 was levied—*vide* statement XIII.

51. *Registration of Births.*—The revised estimate was Rs. 90 against Rs. 86-3-6, the actuals. The small difference was due to fines in the establishment and savings in contingencies. The number of births registered during the year was 375 against 383 of 1896-97. This was at 34·53 per mille of the population against 35·27 of the previous year. Nine prosecutions were instituted and conviction was only in seven cases and a fine of Rs. 4 was realized. The other two cases were dismissed—*vide* statement XIII.

52. *Registration of Deaths.*—The number of deaths registered during the year was 333 against 325 of 1896-97. This was at 30·7 per mille of the population against 29·9 of the previous year. Twelve prosecutions were instituted and conviction was only in ten cases and a fine of Rs. 2-7-0 was realized. One case was withdrawn and another is pending before the Magistrate—*vide* statement XIII.

53. *Conservancy and Road-cleaning.*—The total expenditure coming under all the items of this major head was Rs. 3,321-13-3 against Rs. 3,700, the revised estimate. No item calls for explanation, except (*a*) (ii) other charges, &c., and (*e*) cholera charges. The details of expenditure in (*a*) (ii) are given below :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Conservancy cart-hire	524	4	0
Digging trenches to bury night-soil	11	14	5
Subscription to local board's journal	2	2	0
Cost of Jones' Manual	7	2	0
Cost of night-soil hand-carts	70	7	10
Travelling allowance paid to the sanitary inspector	13	4	0
Western rubbish depot land rent	8	0	0
Total ...	637	2	3

54. Out of Rs. 430 provided in the revised estimate, only Rs. 55-5-2 was spent towards cholera charges. There were fourteen attacks of cholera and only one death. The expenditure seems to be heavy. It is detailed as follows:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Fumigation	22	10	0
Medicines	11	13	2
Miscellaneous	5	14	0
Total ...	40	5	2

In submitting the budget for 1897–98, a large allotment of Rs. 400 was made for plague charges in the revised estimate as directed in G.O., No. 1985, dated 18th November 1896; hence a large saving. The sanitary condition of the town might be said to have been amply good considering that only one case of cholera proved fatal and cholera prevailed only a few days in the town, while it was fiercely raging during the greater part of the year all round the country.

55. The conservancy establishment is given in statement II-B and details of latrines are given in statement XI. One cart was employed at Rs. 15 per mensem for carting rubbish and two hand-carts were purchased for carting night-soil and sewage water. There were additions in the year.

56. A trained sanitary inspector has been appointed, as recommended by the Sanitary Commissioner in the latter part of February 1898. The sanitary inspector was not saddled with any work which he was incompetent to do. It is the duty of the executive to see that the servants of the municipality are employed in any other business without prejudice to their legitimate duties. This little and poor municipality cannot afford to employ hands absolutely for each department and we have no necessity for such stringent service. It happens particularly at the end of the year that one servant should help another; no business can be managed without such mutual help. The Chairman himself has to do a clerk's work in this municipality. I consider the remarks of the civil apothecary in paragraph 3 of his report regarding the sanitary inspector uncalled for.

57. For offences committed against sanitary laws, 113 prosecutions were instituted; of these in 86 cases the accused were convicted and a fine of Rs. 185-5-0 was levied; fourteen cases were withdrawn and thirteen dismissed. These prosecutions do not include vaccination, birth and death cases.

58. *Grant 4, Lighting—Establishment and Contingencies.*—The budget estimate *including additional allotments* was Rs. 610 against Rs. 609-8-11, the actuals of the *year. The difference being insignificant, calls for no explanation—vide statement XI* for information on lights. *The details of expenditure are given below:—*

	Rs.	A.	P.
Salaries of lamp-lighters	176	10	6
Kerosine-oil and contingencies	272	12	3
Fixing and re-fixing new and old lamp-posts	31	13	2
Cost of new lamps	128	5	0
Total ...	609	8	11

59. *Market Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 8-3-3 (Rs. 4-15-9 for whitewashing the market and Rs. 3-3-6 for miscellaneous charges) was spent against Rs. 10, the revised estimate. The difference was small and therefore not explained.

60. *Slaughter-house Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 7-14-1 was spent for whitewashing the slaughter-house against Rs. 10, the revised estimate, which was a round figure.

61. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—A sum of Rs. 103-14-6 was actually spent against Rs. 110, the revised estimate; the saving was due to careful supervision.

62. *Rewards for Destruction of Wild Animals and Snakes.*—A sum of Rs. 9-15-0 was spent as rewards to dog-killers against Rs. 10, the revised estimate. The difference was small and needs no explanation.

63. *Printing.*—The expenditure was Rs. 394-7-8 against Rs. 380, the revised estimate. The details are given below:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Printing council's proceedings, &c., for publication in the District Gazette	289	11	10
Quarterly proceedings of the Sanitary Commissioner	3	2	6
Printing work done in the Secretariat Press, Madras	83	1	0
Printing copies of annual report for 1896–97 for publication in the District Gazette	16	0	0
Cost of choki bhits adjusted from advances recoverable as advised by the auditor	2	8	4
Total ...	394	7	8

64. *Other Charges—Other Items.*—A sum of Rs. 504-7-9 was spent under the several items of this major head against Rs. 500, the revised estimate. The details of the expenditure are given below:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Binding charges	30	15	0
Numbering carts	12	12	0
Law charges	25	7	0
Water-pandal	27	13	6
Striking-gong	1	15	0
Numbering houses	1	5	3
Subscription to *Fort St. George Gazette*	22	8	0
Do. to Jubilee address and casket	20	4	0
Purchase of certain books	10	6	0
Making plans to certain survey numbers	2	0	0
Purchase money of house-sites at the foot of the hill transferred from advances recoverable, as sanctioned by Government in its order, Mis. No. 2128 M., dated 29th September 1897	349	2	0
Total ...	504	7	9

65. *Grant 5, General Establishment.*—A sum of Rs. 1,439-3-9 was spent against Rs. 1,380, the revised estimate, under all the minor items of this major head. No explanation is needed, except in the case of tolls, (*c*) (ii) contingencies and (*d*) office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii). In the former case, there was a saving of Rs. 18 in the actuals. This was due to non-provision of toll-bars, as estimated. In the latter case, the expenditure exceeded the revised estimate by Rs. 75-5-11, which was largely due to the enhanced rent of Rs. 11 for the office building during a period of 8 months in the year (*vide* remarks in paragraph 103 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 558 M., dated 16th March 1897), and to the payment of Rs. 24-3-10 as demanded by the Accountant-General. The details of office contingencies are given below:—

Items of expenditure.	Expenditure during 1897–98. Rs.	A.	P.	Actuals of 1896–97. Rs.	A.	P.
House-rent	118	1	0	96	0	0
Printed forms from Madras City Press ...	133	1	6	108	13	8
Printed forms from S.R.V. Press	27	13	9	25	10	8
Printed forms from P.V. Press...	...			6	2	10
Postage and receipt stamps	46	4	6	36	11	0
Book-binding	5	10	0	...		
Miscellaneous charges, such as purchase of stationery articles	54	7	2	68	12	11
Total ...	385	5	11	342	3	1

66. *Refunds.*—For reasons shown in paragraph 65 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, only a sum of Rs. 8 was spent against Rs. 10, the revised estimate, which is only adopted for the sake of round figure.

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58. *Grant 4, Lighting—Establishment and Contingencies.*—The budget estimate including additional allotments was Rs. 610 against Rs. 609–8–11, the actuals of the year. The difference being insignificant, calls for no explanation—*vide* statement XI for information on lights. The details of expenditure are given below:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Salaries of lamp-lighters	176	10	6
Kerosine-oil and contingencies	272	12	3
Fixing and re-fixing new and old lamp-posts	31	13	2
Cost of new lamps	128	5	0
Total ...	609	8	11

59. *Market Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 8–3–3 (Rs. 4–15–9 for whitewashing the market and Rs. 3–3–6 for miscellaneous charges) was spent against Rs. 10, the revised estimate. The difference was small and therefore not explained.

60. *Slaughter-house Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 7–14–1 was spent for whitewashing the slaughter-house against Rs. 10, the revised estimate, which was a round figure.

61. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—A sum of Rs. 103–14–6 was actually spent against Rs. 110, the revised estimate; the saving was due to careful supervision.

62. *Rewards for Destruction of Wild Animals and Snakes.*—A sum of Rs. 9–15–0 was spent as rewards to dog-killers against Rs. 10, the revised estimate. The difference was small and needs no explanation.

63. *Printing.*—The expenditure was Rs. 394–7–8 against Rs. 380, the revised estimate. The details are given below:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Printing council's proceedings, &c., for publication in the District Gazette	289	11	10
Quarterly proceedings of the Sanitary Commissioner	3	2	6
Printing work done in the Secretariat Press, Madras	83	1	0
Printing copies of annual report for 1896–97 for publication in the District Gazette	16	0	0
Cost of choki bhits adjusted from advances recoverable as advised by the auditor	2	8	4
Total ...	394	7	8

64. *Other Charges—Other Items.*—A sum of Rs. 504–7–9 was spent under the several items of this major head against Rs. 500, the revised estimate. The details of the expenditure are given below:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Binding charges	30	15	0
Numbering carts	12	12	0
Law charges	25	7	0
Water-pandal	27	13	6
Striking-gong	1	15	0
Numbering houses	1	5	3
Subscription to *Fort St. George Gazette*	22	8	0
Do. to Jubilee address and casket	20	4	0
Purchase of certain books	10	6	0
Making plans to certain survey numbers	2	0	0
Purchase money of house-sites at the foot of the hill transferred from advances recoverable, as sanctioned by Government in its order, Mis. No. 2128 M., dated 29th September 1897	349	2	0
Total ...	504	7	9

65. *Grant 5, General Establishment.*—A sum of Rs. 1,439–3–9 was spent against Rs. 1,380, the revised estimate, under all the minor items of this major head. No explanation is needed, except in the case of tolls, (*c*) (ii) contingencies and (*d*) office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii). In the former case, there was a saving of Rs. 18 in the actuals. This was due to non-provision of toll-bars, as estimated. In the latter case, the expenditure exceeded the revised estimate by Rs. 75–5–11, which was largely due to the enhanced rent of Rs. 11 for the office building during a period of 8 months in the year (*vide* remarks in paragraph 103 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 558 M., dated 16th March 1897), and to the payment of Rs. 24–3–10 as demanded by the Accountant-General. The details of office contingencies are given below:—

Items of expenditure.	Expenditure during 1897–98. Rs.	A.	P.	Actuals of 1896–97. Rs.	A.	P.
House-rent	118	1	0	96	0	0
Printed forms from Madras City Press ...	133	1	6	108	13	8
Printed forms from S.R.V. Press	27	13	9	25	10	8
Printed forms from P.V. Press...	...			6	2	10
Postage and receipt stamps	46	4	6	36	11	0
Book-binding	5	10	0	...		
Miscellaneous charges, such as purchase of stationery articles	54	7	2	68	12	11
Total ...	385	5	11	342	3	1

66. *Refunds.*—For reasons shown in paragraph 65 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, only a sum of Rs. 8 was spent against Rs. 10, the revised estimate, which is only adopted for the sake of round figure.

ENCLOSURE.

CONCISE Annual Report on the Municipal (Moberly) Hospital, Ongole, for the year 1897–98.

Public Health.—Not generally as good as in previous years. Cholera made its appearance on the 7th October 1897 and totally disappeared after the 31st October. It progressed slowly and erratically and only 14 people were attacked, one of whom only died. The outbreak was not severe and not associated with marked insanitary conditions. The disease readily yielded to ordinary treatment. Notwithstanding the high prices of food-grains which has been prevailing for some time and the general scarcity in this part of the district, sickness of any sort among the people attributable to privation or insufficient food in Ongole or the taluk was not induced, neither was it observed.

2. *Vital Statistics.*—Births—194 males and 181 females. Deaths—188 males and 145 females. Still-births—10 males and 7 females. These figures present nothing striking or unusual.

3. *Sanitation.*—Continues in the same fair condition. During the prevalence of cholera, sanitation and conservancy were attended to with exceptional vigilance. The existing cesspits, however, in backyards are a serious blemish; if they cannot be abolished by the people, a cheap, durable and effective design of cesspit should be offered them and its adoption insisted on. It is satisfactory to record that the market has after all been put to the use it was intended. It is in good working swing, so much so that an additional block had to be built. This is gratifying to all well-wishers of this town and will certainly mark an epoch in the history of Ongole as one long step gained towards its improvement. A revenue is already being obtained. The few fruit and vegetable sellers who still sell on the road sides ought by some means to be made to take a seat in the market. Another step in the right direction is the setting apart of a yard adjoining the sheep slaughter-house for the slaughter of cattle. This does away with the promiscuous and disgusting practice of their slaughter anywhere in Mala and Mathigapaliums in the full view of the public. A trained sanitary inspector has, in all propriety, been secured; it is hoped advantage will be taken of his special training and that only sanitation and conservancy will receive his constant and undivided attention. If he is to be, as he is, saddled with the conduct of auctions, distraint warrants, profession-tax papers, licenses, &c., neither he nor his qualifications can possibly avail the municipatily anything better than heretofore. There is enough purely sanitary to keep one inspector on his rounds at work all day.

4. *Vaccination.*—The total number vaccinated during the year under report is 515, of which 408 were successful operations. Of this total, 423 were primary and secondary cases on children under one year of age, and of these 335 proved successful. Paste was regularly supplied throughout the year from the Mysore institute and invariably was good and efficacious.

5. *Hospital*—(*a*) *Nature and sufficiency of Accommodation*—Continues in the same insufficient state as regards the contagious shed as in past years. This shed was not built even last year and many cases which ought never to have been kept in the main wards had to be so objectionably accommodated for want of this shed. The current year's budget has a sanctioned allotment for this item and the Chairman has been solicited to take the work in hand without further delay. The accommodation for the general run of patients is, however, sufficient.

(*b*) *State of Repair of Buildings.*—Good, with the exception of the flooring of verandahs and steps.

(*c*) *State of Repair of Furniture.*—Good.

(*d*) *Inspections.*—(1) Steps taken to carry out the recommendations, if any, of the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras. Not inspected by the Surgeon-General.

(2) Steps taken to carry out the recommendations of other inspecting officers. With the exception of making provision in the current year's budget for the contagious shed, no steps whatever have been taken to carry out the recommendations of other

inspecting officers; the District Medical and Sanitary Officer's inspection notes and "recommendations to local authorities" are formally brought up at meetings and solemnly "recorded."

(*e*) *Amount of Recoveries from Patients who have been able to pay for their Diets and Medicines.*—Nil. Patients who are in a position to pay for their diets rather than do so generally have their meals cooked outside by their own caste relatives and brought to them. A sum of Rs. 127–12–0 was collected as compounding fees for medicines and from sale of medicines.

(*f*) *Number of Patients treated as compared with previous years*:—

—	1893–94.		1894–95.		1895–96.		1896–97.		1897–98.	
	In.	Out.	In.	Out.	In.	Out.	In.	Out.	In.	Out.
Number treated	252	7,053	221	7,612	189	8,456	174	8,745	246	8,520
Daily average sick ..	12·20	83·99	11·49	83·60	9·48	63·55	8·24	71·44	9·33	67·61

The excess difference of 72 among in-patients as compared with last year is due to a good number of Byragis having sought admission from time to time during the year very ill. Another reason is that many railway workmen had to be admitted for various diseases and injuries. Out-door, the difference is slight.

(*g*) *Mortality and actual causes of it, particularly with reference to septic diseases acquired in hospital.*—No deaths followed on septic diseases acquired in hospital. The total number of deaths from diseases and after operations is 15, with a percentage of 6·10 against 10 and 5·75 last year.

(*h*) *Operations and Results.*—Total number 296, results—relieved 5, otherwise 1, died 4, and the remainder cured.

(*i*) *Establishment, whether sufficient and efficient.*—Yes.

(*j*) *Midwife work actually done.*—J. Lakshmama continues to be the midwife. She conducted 79 cases of labour in the town and assists generally at the hospital.

(*k*) *Dufferin Fund dispensary for women.*—None.

(*l*) *General Remarks.*—Until the well is sunk and compound wall with gates put up, the hospital cannot be said to receive its fair share of attention from the municipality.

(Signed) W. BAZELY,
Civil Apothecary in Medical Charge.

ONGOLE,
15*th May* 1898.

Forwarded.

(Signed) A. PEMBERTON, Surgn. Lieut.-Col.,
Ag. District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Nellore.

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2. House-tax has again been levied in the manner condemned in paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 1942 M., dated 6th September 1897, reviewing last year's administration report; but the Chairman says in paragraph 9 that the registers are under revision.

3. The market is now being used and has yielded an income. Persons selling flesh or vegetables elsewhere in disobedience to the Chairman's orders have been prosecuted.

4. The civil apothecary in charge of the hospital objects to the employment of the sanitary inspector on duties not connected with sanitation; but there is no complaint that his ordinary duties are not properly performed and there seems to be no objection to his occasional employment for other purposes.

5. The condition of the roads at present cannot be considered satisfactory.

6. With reference to paragraph 47 of the Chairman's report, the consideration of the question therein referred to by the Ongole Taluk Board is delayed at the Chairman's request on the ground that time is required for the preparation of certain statistics relating to hospital expenses.

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ORDER—No. 1511 M., dated 25th August 1898.

The receipts and charges of the Ongole Municipality for 1897–98 are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year and the actuals of 1896–97 :—

—	Actuals, 1896–97.	Budget estimate, 1897–98.	Revised estimate, 1897–98.	Actuals, 1897–98.
Receipts.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
Balance brought forward	1,844	2,520	3,280	3,281
Tax on Arts	1,431	1,330	1,000	1,051
,, Buildings and Lands	3,508	3,350	3,380	3,196
,, Vehicles and Animals	882	810	930	798
,, Carts	1,196	1,100	1,240	1,188
Tolls	1,644	1,670	1,670	1,785
Realizations under Special Acts	..	..	..	135
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	325	240	320	290
Conservancy Receipts	192	100	130	154
Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions	139	120	120	128
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	170	220	310	307
License Fees	263	240	270	218
Other Fees	553	500	630	637
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	136	150	280	295
Grants and Contributions from Local Boards	2,564	2,920	2,850	2,848
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	566	560	590	593
Miscellaneous	82	..	..	..
Advances Recovered	..	..	360	352
Total	15,495	15,830	17,360	17,256
Charges.				
GRANT 1—				
New Works—				
Communications	243	1,140	850	830
Buildings	426	880	900	843
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Communications	217	840	820	807
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Water-supply	155	1,200	1,150	736
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	30	50	50	50
Establishment	120	120	120	119
Tools and Plant and other Stores	8	10	10	8
Total	1,338	4,450	4,100	3,588
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Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary-result System	168	20	20	35
Grants-in-aid—				
Salary Grants	299	340	340	326
Result Grants	982	800	810	802
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Charges—cont.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
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Hospitals and Dispensaries	3,410	3,690	3,550	3,525
Contributions	99	100	100	130
Vaccination	235	200	190	191
Registration of Births and Deaths	92	90	90	86
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(4) The number of houses served by the private scavenging agency rose from 282 to 287 and the service was worked at a profit of Rs. 22 against Rs. 15 in the previous year. The service is, however, evidently capable of considerable expansion, as it is now adopted by only one-eighth of the number of houses assessed to the tax on buildings. Active steps should, therefore, be taken to extend it to the remaining houses in the town.

4. *Expenditure*—(1) *Public Works.*—No new work of importance was undertaken during the year. The total outlay on communications amounted to Rs. 1,637 or 15·8 per cent. in excess of the net municipal income from tolls; but the condition of the roads, as reported by the Revenue Divisional-officer, was not satisfactory. Greater attention should be paid to them in the current year.

(2) *Education.*—The net expenditure on education amounted to Rs. 1,227 or 15·3 per cent. of the receipts from taxation. Of this sum, Rs. 901 were spent on primary, and the remainder on secondary, education. The Municipal Council maintained no school of its own, the one Muhammadan primary school which had existed in 1896–97 having been closed at the end of that year. The Council, however, continued to aid one secondary school with salary grants and twelve primary schools with result grants. The attendance at these schools fell from 1,015 to 935; but this decline has not been explained—an omission which should now be supplied. The working of the secondary school is, however, reported to have been fair, the results of the primary schools at the grant examinations were satisfactory and the allotment for salary and result grants was almost fully utilized. The total number of boys under instruction in the municipal and aided schools fell from 1,040 or 127·5 per cent. of the male population of school-going age to 935 or 114·6 per cent.

(3) *Medical Relief.*—The number of in-patients treated in the municipal hospital rose from 174 to 246, the increase being explained in paragraph 5 (*f*) of the Civil Apothecary's report; but that of out-patients fell from 8,745 to 8,520. The midwife employed by the Council attended 79 cases of labour against 83 in 1896–97. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to the remarks of the Civil Apothecary in paragraph 5 (*d*) (2) of his report.

(4) *Vaccination and Vital Statistics.*—The total number of persons vaccinated during the year fell from 545 to 515, and 79·2 per cent. of the operations were successful against 79·6 per cent. in 1896–97. Infantile vaccination, however, showed some advance, the number of children under one year successfully vaccinated being 335 or 30·8 per mille of the population against 287 or 26·4 per mille in the previous year and a registered birth-rate of 34·5 per mille.

There was a small increase in the number of deaths registered during the year, but a decline in that of births. The rates recorded, especially in the case of births, being below the normal, it is evident that registration is still defective. Every endeavour should be made to render the returns complete.

(5) *Sanitation.*—The outlay under this head amounted to Rs. 3,322 or 87·4 per cent. of the allotment and was 23·8 per cent. of the receipts. From paragraph 3 of the Civil Apothecary's report it appears that the sanitation of the town continued to receive fair attention. The defects noticed by the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner in his last inspection notes should, however, be remedied as soon as possible. The Government is unable to concur in the view taken by the Sub-Collector in paragraph 4 of his endorsement. It is clear from the Apothecary's report that the trained Sanitary Inspector is employed on a variety of duties which must prove detrimental to his proper work.

5. *General Remarks.*—The year closed with a balance of Rs. 1,982 or 14·2 per cent. of the receipts. A portion of this sum should be spent in the current year on the improvement of the roads.

The administration of the municipality during the year under review continued to be tolerably satisfactory. The improvement of roads, registration of vital statistics and extension of the private scavenging service, however, require special attention.

(True Extract.)

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Secretary to Government.

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Administration Report.

Reviewing the — of the Ongole Municipal Council for 1897–98.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

From M.R.Ry. C. LAKSHMINARASIMHA RAO Pantulu Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Ongole, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Sub-Collector, Nellore), dated 25th June 1898, No. 261.

I have the honour to submit the annual report on the administration of the Ongole Municipality for the financial year 1897–98, with statements as prescribed by Government.

2. The report was approved by the council in its resolution, No. 97, dated 4th July 1898, which is herewith submitted. The delay in the submission of the report was unavoidable, owing to the absence of head clerk on sick leave.

I.—Constitution of the Municipal Council.

3. The municipality has a population of 10,860 according to the census of 1891—8,712 Hindus, 1,117 Muhammadans, 1,028 Europeans, Eurasians and Native Christians, and 3 others.

4. The strength of the council was 16, including the Sub-Collector, an *ex-officio* councillor. The council held 29 meetings against 31 meetings of the previous year. One meeting was adjourned for want of quorum against three of the previous year. Business was transacted in 28 meetings against 28 of 1896–97. The average attendance of non-officials at each meeting was 6·07 against 6·96 of the year before, while the attendance of officials was 1·46 as compared with 1·56 of the previous year (*vide* Statement X).

5. It is to be remarked that three of the officials—the Sub-Collector, the Tahsildar and the Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools—being touring officers, their attendance was poor, and that the Tahsildar-councillor could not attend meetings for three months consecutively. Five vacancies occurred in the council, and all of them were filled within the year, except one subsequently filled up.

II.—Receipts.

6. The year opened with a balance of Rs. 3,280–10–4 against Rs. 3,280, the revised estimate. The balance includes endowment entrusted to the municipal council (*vide* Statement I-A). The receipts amounted to Rs. 13,855–7–11 against Rs. 14,080, the revised estimate, and Rs. 13,650–8–8, the actual audited figures for 1896–97 (*vide* total receipts in Statement I).

7. Statement I shows the revenues and receipts of the municipal fund, and the note to this statement the rates at which taxes were levied; I-A points out endowments entrusted to the municipal council; Statement III exhibits deposits account for the year; Statement IV-A shows the demand, collection and balance, and IV-B the arrears for the year under report; and appendix A to Statement IV-A gives the details of warrants issued, and appendix B to Statement IV-B the particulars of prosecutions instituted under each tax; and Statement VIII refers to tolls. The details of these are not therefore given in the report. I regret to mention that the collection was slow owing to the absence of the head clerk on sick leave and the indifference of the collection establishment.

A.—Municipal Rates and Taxes.

8 *Tax on Arts.*—The demand finally settled was Rs. 1,117–8–0 (Rs. 39–8–0 arrears and Rs. 1,078 current) against Rs. 1,000 (Rs. 39–8–0 arrears and Rs. 960–8–0 current), the revised estimate. The increase in the demand was due to remissions not granted as expected. The decrease in the demand below the actuals of 1896–97 was due largely to the change of rates in the schedule, as revised by Act III of 1897, and partly to the arrears included in the previous year's actuals (*vide* Statement IX-A for incidence).

9. *Tax on Buildings.*—The demand settled was Rs. 3,232–15–5 (Rs. 13–7–5 arrears and Rs. 3,219–8–0 current) against Rs. 3,220 (Rs. 12–15–4 arrears and Rs. 3,207–0–8 current), the revised estimate. The difference needs no explanation. The demand register that was opened for 1896–97 was used also during the year with slight alterations, as the register was intended to serve for two years. The town was divided into different classes for valuation purposes according to the annual rental value of houses in each locality, and the tax on each building was levied according to the rate fixed for each class. These rates were fixed in the year 1889–90 with the approval of the people at large and were hitherto paid without a murmur. The Government, in reviewing the last annual report of this municipality, directed in paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 1942 M., dated 6th September 1897, further revision of the tax with reference to the rental of each house, and the tax is under revision (*vide* Statement IX for the incidence of this tax).

10. *Tax on Lands and Vacant Grounds.*—The revised estimate was Rs. 160 (Rs. 4 arrears and Rs. 156 current) against Rs. 162–6–9, the demand. The small difference needs no explanation. The previous year's demand register was adopted also during the year. The total extent of cultivable land assessed was 281 acres and 15 cents (*vide* note to Statement I, which also shows the valuation of lands).

11. *Tax on Vehicles with springs and Palanquins.*—The demand was Rs. 165 against Rs. 150, the revised estimate. The increase was due to the large number of vehicles registered.

12. *Tax on Animals.*—The demand was Rs. 769–12–0 (arrears Rs. 15–12–0 and current Rs. 754) against Rs. 780 (arrears Rs. 15 and Rs. 765 current), the revised estimate. The decrease was due to remissions granted by the council.

13. *Tax on Carts and other Vehicles without springs.*—The demand was Rs. 1,302 (Rs. 1,282 current and Rs. 20 arrears) against Rs. 1,230 (Rs. 1,210 current and Rs. 20 arrears), the revised estimate. The increase in the demand was due to the increased registration of carts employed in working the Madras-Bezwada Railway.

14. *Tolls less Local Fund share.*—All the gates were leased out for Rs. 2,492; deducting Rs. 12 spent for the schedule boards, Rs. 826–10–8, one-third share of tolls, was paid to the District Board. A sum of Rs. 358–14–11 was spent for the construction of three toll-sheds; one-third of this (Rs. 119–10–4) is yet to be recovered from the District Board. Hence the item was shown under advances recoverable. The net demand under this item was Rs. 1,665–5–4 against Rs. 1,670, the revised estimate, and Rs. 1,643–13–0, the actuals of 1896–97. The increase in the demand was due to competition in the bid (*vide* Statement VII).

15. *Penalties on account of tax on carts.*—A sum of Rs. 8–8–0 was recovered on account of charges in connection with the seizure and detention under section 90 (2) of the District Municipalities Act.

16. *Realization under special Acts—Fines under Act II of 1888.*—This sum of Rs. 135 was levied on account of dramatic performances exhibited in the town, not expected when the budget was submitted.

B.—Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.

17. *Rent of lands.*—A sum of Rs. 103 was collected in the year against Rs. 105, the revised estimate. The high figure in the revised estimate was only a round sum.

18. *Avenue Receipts.*—This is a fluctuating item and needs no explanation.

19. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—A sum of Rs. 119–3–0 was collected against Rs. 140, the revised estimate. The decrease was due to Rs. 36–11–10 not recovered from Mr. W. H. Maskell, to whom a portion of the bungalow was leased out for some time, which fell in arrears.

20. *Produce of Lands and Gardens.*—Two sums of Rs. 0–12–6 from the sale of tamarind fruits and Rs. 3–6–0 from the sale of grass in the bed of Ranga Rao's tank were realized. Hence Rs. 4–2–6 under this item.

21. *Sale-proceeds of old materials.*—A sum of Rs. 54–13–3 was collected against Rs. 40, the revised estimate. This needs no explanation, the item being a fluctuating one.

22. *Sale-proceeds of Night-soil and Street-refuse.*—A sum of Rs. 154–2–0 was realized under this item—Rs. 5–2–0 on account of the sale of night-soil and Rs. 149 on account of sale of rubbish—against Rs. 130, the revised estimate. The increase was partly due to the sale of night-soil and partly to an increase in the bid.

23. *Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines.*—A sum of Rs. 127–12–0 was realized against Rs. 120, the revised estimate. The increase was due to an increase in the number of subscribers.

24. *Income from Markets.*—A sum of Rs. 97–7–8 was realized against Rs. 100, the revised estimate. The difference was small and needs no explanation (*vide* Statement XI).

25. *Income from Slaughter-house.*—A sum of Rs. 210 was collected against Rs. 210, the revised estimate; the small difference needs no explanation.

26. *Distraint fees and Warrant fees.*—For reasons given in paragraph 23 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, a sum of Rs. 26–4–0 was realized against Rs. 15, the revised estimate.

27. *License fees.*—A sum of Rs. 218–4–0 only was realized against Rs. 270, the revised estimate, no increased number of licenses having been issued as expected under the new Act.

28. *Cart-stand fees.*—A sum of Rs. 608–13–4 was realized against Rs. 610, the revised estimate, which was only a round figure.

29. *Other fees.*—Rs. 5 was shown in the revised estimate. A sum of Rs. 1–8–0 was realized on account of birth and death extracts furnished to applicants; Rs. 5 was only a round figure in the revised estimate.

30. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—A sum of Rs. 295–6–0 was levied against Rs. 280, the revised estimate (*vide* paragraph 27 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, for the increase in the demand).

31. *Grants and Contributions—Contributions from Local Funds.*—A sum of Rupees 2,848–3–7 was drawn towards the hospital contribution from the Taluk Board, deducting excess received during 1896–97, as shown under liabilities in note to Statement II of the previous year's annual statements, against Rs. 2,850, the revised estimate. The difference was small and needs no explanation.

32. *Miscellaneous—Private scavenging fees.*—The demand was Rs. 579–14–0 (Rs. 575–4–0 current and Rs. 4–10–0 arrears) against Rs. 580, the revised estimate. The difference was adopted for round figure in the revised estimate (*vide* statement XI).

33. *Other purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 20–11–0 was collected under the several heads against Rs. 10, the revised estimate (*vide* paragraph 30 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, for further explanation).

34. *Fees for numbering carts.*—Needs no explanation.

35. *Advances Recovered.*—A sum of Rs. 351–10–4 was shown under this item against Rs. 360, the revised estimate, which was adopted for round figure (*vide* remarks in paragraph 31 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, for details of explanation).

III.—CHARGES.

36. The charges amounted to Rs. 15,153–14–6 against Rs. 15,950, the revised estimate, and Rs. 12,214–2–6, the actuals of 1896–97. The saving in expenditure was due to large allotment for cholera and other epidemic charges as directed in G.O., No. 1985 M., dated 18th November 1896, and to a large sum reserved for compensation for lands to be acquired in the Ranga Rao's tank-bed, as reported in paragraph 39 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898.

37. Statement II shows the expenditure, and the note to this statement the position of the municipality on 31st March 1898; Statement II-A, Part I, New Works, and Part II, Repairs, give the details of the works executed during the year. Statement II-B shows the details of municipal establishments; Statement VI exhibits the budget grants with subsequent additions and deductions; and Statements V-A and V-B particulars on education. The details of these are not, therefore, repeated in the report.

38. *Grant 1, Public Works.*—The revised estimate under this grant was Rs. 4,100 against Rs. 3,587–10–11, the actuals of the year. There was a saving in expenditure under every item, the largest amount being under repairs, water-supply, which is Rs. 416–8–1. This amount was expected to be spent within the close of the year on account of compensation for lands in the Ranga Rao's tank-bed (*vide* remarks in paragraph 39 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898). The acquisition of these lands was sanctioned by the council in its resolutions No. 140, dated 3rd July 1897, and No. 436, dated 30th March 1898, and the resolutions were communicated to the Sub-Collector to take necessary steps under the Land Acquisition Act. The execution of the works was fully discussed under Grant 1 in my report on the revised estimate for 1897–98. No important changes occurred in the works since the revised estimate was submitted. I consider it needless to recite the same statements. The municipality spent almost the whole of the receipts from tolls, less contribution to the District Board, on communications.

39. *Grant 2, Education—Municipal schools on salary-result system—Fixed payments.*—As explained in paragraph 41 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, only Rs. 16 was spent against Rs. 20, the revised estimate. The Hindustani school that was maintained under this system was closed as proposed by the council in the beginning of the year.

40. *Salary Grants.*—Grants were paid to three teachers employed in the lower secondary department of the American Baptist Mission College in the town. The expenditure was Rs. 325–15–4 against Rs. 340, the revised estimate. The decrease was due to the payment of grants as claimed in the bills. The results of examinations held by the Educational officers were reported to be fair.

41. *Result Grants.*—The actual expenditure was Rs. 802–4–0 against Rs. 810, the revised estimate. The small difference needs no explanation. There were 6 aided schools with 415 pupils for caste boys against 6 schools with 213 pupils for American Baptist Mission Boarding Christian children. The total male population of school-going age in the whole town was 814—653 Hindus, 84 Muhammadans, and 77 Europeans, Eurasians and Native Christians—against a total of 1,153—755 Hindus, 69 Muhammadans, and 329 Europeans, Eurasians and Native Christians, respectively, under instruction. The grant earned by Christian schools was Rs. 497–8–0 against Rs. 304–12–0 by the Hindu schools. No grants were earned in the Hindustani language. Many of the students in the American Baptist Mission schools belonged to the sub-division. I think the Taluk Board should contribute for the education of these people. It will be observed that the distribution of grants was in proportion much larger to the Christian schools than to the Hindu schools. The number of schools was the same as in the previous year, though there was a fall in the strength of the pupils by 26 in the year under report.

42. *Inspection.*—The revised estimate was Rs. 70 against Rs. 63–11–8, the actuals of the year. The difference was due to savings under contingencies and stoppages in establishment. Six statements from the Assistant Inspector of Schools and four from the Sub-Assistant Inspector of Girls' Schools are enclosed.

43. The total expenditure on education during the year was Rs. 1,226–9–6 or 15·53 per cent. of the income from taxation, Rs. 7,898–3–3, and thus exceeded 15 per cent. of minimum expenditure fixed by Government.

44. *Girls' Schools.*—There were ten schools with 612 girls in the year. One of these was a Government school, and the others were maintained by the American Baptist Mission and Provincial grants. Apart from five schools for the American Baptist Mission Boarding women and children, there were four schools under the management of the American Baptist Mission for caste girls. It is gratifying to mention that the education of girls in the town was more in advance than in many other similar stations. The caste girls' schools include one Hindustani school and another school for backward classes.

45. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services* (i) *Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—The revised estimate was Rs. 3,550 against Rs. 3,524–14–3, the actuals of the year. None of the minor items needs any explanation, except sundries and contingencies, in which case the expenditure fell short by Rs. 21–4–7 than the revised estimate. This was due to fluctuation. Relief was afforded to 246 and 8,520 in- and out- patients, with a daily average of 9·33 and 67·61, respectively, during the year. It is unexplained by the civil apothecary why a larger number of Biragees sought admission into the hospital as in-patients in the year than during the previous year. The midwife conducted 79 cases of labour in the town and assisted at the hospital (*vide* Statement XII). It is to be regretted that the council could not provide for female medical aid, as directed in G.O., Nos. 2148 and 2149 M., dated 21st October 1896. The report of the civil apothecary in charge of the municipal hospital is submitted.

46. The hospital floor will be repaired and the contagious diseases shed will be constructed as provided in the budget for 1898–99. A well in the hospital compound could not be sunk, because the Inspector-General of Police refused to ask Government to contribute for the Police hospital on the ground that it may be closed after the Bezwada-Madras Railway opens (*vide* remarks of Government in G.O., No. 1230 M., dated 17th May 1897). The compound wall to the hospital, which costs an enormous sum of money, will be raised if the Taluk Board be liberal in its contribution as hithertofore.

47. The Ongole Taluk Board, which continues to contribute four-fifths of the hospital charges, reduced its contribution for the year 1898–99 to two-thirds only. The Taluk Board contends its contribution should be reduced since eight Local Fund hospitals and dispensaries have been brought into existence in the sub-division, while the importance of the Ongole Municipal hospital is aggrandized every year by its patients and by the magnificence of its buildings. I have asked the civil apothecary for some detailed account of patients and expenditure during the past five years to determine the Taluk Board's share, as directed in paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898. These details are under preparation, and I hope I shall be able to place before Government some important facts regarding the hospital contribution.

48. *Contributions to Provincial Funds.*—The contribution was Rs. 130 against Rs. 100, the revised estimate, and Rs. 99, the actuals of 1896–97. These are fluctuating items and need no explanation.

49. (3) *Vaccination.*—The actual expenditure was Rs. 191–0–2 against Rs. 190, the revised estimate. The difference is insignificant and needs no explanation. The municipality employed a second-class vaccinator on Rs. 12 per mensem. The statement below will show the particulars of vaccine operations performed by him during the year as compared with 1896–97 :—

Years.	Details of primary vaccination.											
	Under one year.				Above one year.				Total.			
	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1897-98	335	81	7	423	64	12	5	81	399	93	12	504
1896-97	287	64	1	352	114	13	5	132	401	77	6	484

Years.	Details of re-vaccination.								
	Re-vaccination.				Total.				Average cost for each successful case.
	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
									RS. A. P.
1897-98	9	1	1	11	408	94	13	515	0 7 8
1896-97	33	28	..	61	434	105	6	545	0 8 8

50. Twenty-one persons were sent to the Magistrate under section 138 (2) of Act IV of 1884 as amended by Act III of 1897. The conviction was only in eleven cases and a fine of Rs. 9 was levied—*vide* statement XIII.

51. *Registration of Births.*—The revised estimate was Rs. 90 against Rs. 86–3–6, the actuals. The small difference was due to fines in the establishment and savings in contingencies. The number of births registered during the year was 375 against 383 of 1896–97. This was at 34·53 per mille of the population against 35·27 of the previous year. Nine prosecutions were instituted and conviction was only in seven cases and a fine of Rs. 4 was realized. The other two cases were dismissed—*vide* statement XIII.

52. *Registration of Deaths.*—The number of deaths registered during the year was 333 against 325 of 1896–97. This was at 30·7 per mille of the population against 29·9 of the previous year. Twelve prosecutions were instituted and conviction was only in ten cases and a fine of Rs. 2–7–0 was realized. One case was withdrawn and another is pending before the Magistrate—*vide* statement XIII.

53. *Conservancy and Road-cleaning.*—The total expenditure coming under all the items of this major head was Rs. 3,321–13–3 against Rs. 3,700, the revised estimate. No item calls for explanation, except (*a*) (ii) other charges, &c., and (*c*) cholera charges. The details of expenditure in (*a*) (ii) are given below :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Conservancy cart-hire	524	4	0
Digging trenches to bury night-soil	11	14	5
Subscription to local board's journal	2	2	0
Cost of Jones' Manual	7	2	0
Cost of night-soil hand-carts	70	7	10
Travelling allowance paid to the sanitary inspector	13	4	0
Western rubbish depot land rent	8	0	0
Total ...	637	2	3

54. Out of Rs. 430 provided in the revised estimate, only Rs. 55-5-2 was spent towards cholera charges. There were fourteen attacks of cholera and only one death. The expenditure seems to be heavy. It is detailed as follows:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Fumigation	22	10	0
Medicines	11	13	2
Miscellaneous	5	14	0
Total ...	40	5	2

In submitting the budget for 1897-98, a large allotment of Rs. 400 was made for plague charges in the revised estimate as directed in G.O., No. 1985, dated 18th November 1896; hence a large saving. The sanitary condition of the town might be said to have been amply good considering that only one case of cholera proved fatal and cholera prevailed only a few days in the town, while it was fiercely raging during the greater part of the year all round the country.

55. The conservancy establishment is given in statement II-B and details of latrines are given in statement XI. One cart was employed at Rs. 15 per mensem for carting rubbish and two hand-carts were purchased for carting night-soil and sewage water. There were additions in the year.

56. A trained sanitary inspector has been appointed, as recommended by the Sanitary Commissioner in the latter part of February 1898. The sanitary inspector was not saddled with any work which he was incompetent to do. It is the duty of the executive to see that the servants of the municipality are employed in any other business without prejudice to their legitimate duties. This little and poor municipality cannot afford to employ hands absolutely for each department and we have no necessity for such stringent service. It happens particularly at the end of the year that one servant should help another; no business can be managed without such mutual help. The Chairman himself has to do a clerk's work in this municipality. I consider the remarks of the civil apothecary in paragraph 3 of his report regarding the sanitary inspector uncalled for.

57. For offences committed against sanitary laws, 113 prosecutions were instituted; of these in 86 cases the accused were convicted and a fine of Rs. 185-5-0 was levied; fourteen cases were withdrawn and thirteen dismissed. These prosecutions do not include vaccination, birth and death cases.

58. *Grant 4, Lighting—Establishment and Contingencies.*—The budget estimate including additional allotments was Rs. 610 against Rs. 609-8-11, the actuals of the year. The difference being insignificant, calls for no explanation—*vide* statement XI for information on lights. The details of expenditure are given below:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Salaries of lamp-lighters	176	10	6
Kerosine-oil and contingencies	272	12	3
Fixing and re-fixing new and old lamp-posts	31	13	2
Cost of new lamps	128	5	0
Total ...	609	8	11

59. *Market Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 8-3-3 (Rs. 4-15-9 for whitewashing the market and Rs. 3-3-6 for miscellaneous charges) was spent against Rs. 10, the revised estimate. The difference was small and therefore not explained.

60. *Slaughter-house Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 7-14-1 was spent for whitewashing the slaughter-house against Rs. 10, the revised estimate, which was a round figure.

61. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—A sum of Rs. 103-14-6 was actually spent against Rs. 110, the revised estimate; the saving was due to careful supervision.

62. *Rewards for Destruction of Wild Animals and Snakes.*—A sum of Rs. 9-15-0 was spent as rewards to dog-killers against Rs. 10, the revised estimate. The difference was small and needs no explanation.

63. *Printing.*—The expenditure was Rs. 394-7-8 against Rs. 380, the revised estimate. The details are given below:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Printing council's proceedings, &c., for publication in the District Gazette	289	11	10
Quarterly proceedings of the Sanitary Commissioner	3	2	6
Printing work done in the Secretariat Press, Madras	83	1	0
Printing copies of annual report for 1896-97 for publication in the District Gazette	16	0	0
Cost of choki bhits adjusted from advances recoverable as advised by the auditor	2	8	4
Total ...	394	7	8

64. *Other Charges—Other Items.*—A sum of Rs. 504-7-9 was spent under the several items of this major head against Rs. 500, the revised estimate. The details of the expenditure are given below:—

	RS.	A.	P.
Binding charges	30	15	0
Numbering carts	12	12	0
Law charges	25	7	0
Water-pandal	27	13	6
Striking-gong	1	15	0
Numbering houses	1	5	3
Subscription to *Fort St. George Gazette*	22	8	0
Do. to Jubilee address and casket	20	4	0
Purchase of certain books	10	6	0
Making plans to certain survey numbers	2	0	0
Purchase money of house-sites at the foot of the hill transferred from advances recoverable, as sanctioned by Government in its order, Mis. No. 2128 M., dated 29th September 1897	349	2	0
Total ...	504	7	9

65. *Grant 5, General Establishment.*—A sum of Rs. 1,439-3-9 was spent against Rs. 1,380, the revised estimate, under all the minor items of this major head. No explanation is needed, except in the case of tolls, (*c*) (ii) contingencies and (*d*) office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii). In the former case, there was a saving of Rs. 18 in the actuals. This was due to non-provision of toll-bars, as estimated. In the latter case, the expenditure exceeded the revised estimate by Rs. 75-5-11, which was largely due to the enhanced rent of Rs. 11 for the office building during a period of 8 months in the year (*vide* remarks in paragraph 103 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 558 M., dated 16th March 1897), and to the payment of Rs. 24-3-10 as demanded by the Accountant-General. The details of office contingencies are given below:—

Items of expenditure.	Expenditure during 1897-98. RS.	A.	P.	Actuals of 1896-97. RS.	A.	P.
House-rent	118	1	0	96	0	0
Printed forms from Madras City Press ...	133	1	6	108	13	8
Printed forms from S.R.V. Press	27	13	9	25	10	8
Printed forms from P.V. Press...	...			6	2	10
Postage and receipt stamps	46	4	6	36	11	0
Book-binding	5	10	0	...		
Miscellaneous charges, such as purchase of stationery articles	54	7	2	68	12	11
Total ...	385	5	11	342	3	1

66. *Refunds.*—For reasons shown in paragraph 65 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, only a sum of Rs. 8 was spent against Rs. 10, the revised estimate, which is only adopted for the sake of round figure.

ENCLOSURE.

CONCISE Annual Report on the Municipal (Moberly) Hospital, Ongole, for the year 1897–98.

Public Health.—Not generally as good as in previous years. Cholera made its appearance on the 7th October 1897 and totally disappeared after the 31st October. It progressed slowly and erratically and only 14 people were attacked, one of whom only died. The outbreak was not severe and not associated with marked insanitary conditions. The disease readily yielded to ordinary treatment. Notwithstanding the high prices of food-grains which has been prevailing for some time and the general scarcity in this part of the district, sickness of any sort among the people attributable to privation or insufficient food in Ongole or the taluk was not induced, neither was it observed.

2. *Vital Statistics.*—Births—194 males and 181 females. Deaths—188 males and 145 females. Still-births—10 males and 7 females. These figures present nothing striking or unusual.

3. *Sanitation.*—Continues in the same fair condition. During the prevalence of cholera, sanitation and conservancy were attended to with exceptional vigilance. The existing cesspits, however, in backyards are a serious blemish; if they cannot be abolished by the people, a cheap, durable and effective design of cesspit should be offered them and its adoption insisted on. It is satisfactory to record that the market has after all been put to the use it was intended. It is in good working swing, so much so that an additional block had to be built. This is gratifying to all well-wishers of this town and will certainly mark an epoch in the history of Ongole as one long step gained towards its improvement. A revenue is already being obtained. The few fruit and vegetable sellers who still sell on the road sides ought by some means to be made to take a seat in the market. Another step in the right direction is the setting apart of a yard adjoining the sheep slaughter-house for the slaughter of cattle. This does away with the promiscuous and disgusting practice of their slaughter anywhere in Mala and Mathigapaliums in the full view of the public. A trained sanitary inspector has, in all propriety, been secured; it is hoped advantage will be taken of his special training and that only sanitation and conservancy will receive his constant and undivided attention. If he is to be, as he is, saddled with the conduct of auctions, distraint warrants, profession-tax papers, licenses, &c., neither he nor his qualifications can possibly avail the municipatily anything better than heretofore. There is enough purely sanitary to keep one inspector on his rounds at work all day.

4. *Vaccination.*—The total number vaccinated during the year under report is 515, of which 408 were successful operations. Of this total, 423 were primary and secondary cases on children under one year of age, and of these 335 proved successful. Paste was regularly supplied throughout the year from the Mysore institute and invariably was good and efficacious.

5. *Hospital*—(*a*) *Nature and sufficiency of Accommodation*—Continues in the same insufficient state as regards the contagious shed as in past years. This shed was not built even last year and many cases which ought never to have been kept in the main wards had to be so objectionably accommodated for want of this shed. The current year's budget has a sanctioned allotment for this item and the Chairman has been solicited to take the work in hand without further delay. The accommodation for the general run of patients is, however, sufficient.

(*b*) *State of Repair of Buildings.*—Good, with the exception of the flooring of verandahs and steps.

(*c*) *State of Repair of Furniture.*—Good.

(*d*) *Inspections.*—(1) Steps taken to carry out the recommendations, if any, of the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras. Not inspected by the Surgeon-General.

(2) Steps taken to carry out the recommendations of other inspecting officers. With the exception of making provision in the current year's budget for the contagious shed, no steps whatever have been taken to carry out the recommendations of other inspecting officers; the District Medical and Sanitary Officer's inspection notes and "recommendations to local authorities" are formally brought up at meetings and solemnly "recorded."

(*e*) *Amount of Recoveries from Patients who have been able to pay for their Diets and Medicines.*—Nil. Patients who are in a position to pay for their diets rather than do so generally have their meals cooked outside by their own caste relatives and brought to them. A sum of Rs. 127–12–0 was collected as compounding fees for medicines and from sale of medicines.

(*f*) *Number of Patients treated as compared with previous years*:—

—	1893–94.		1894–95.		1895–96.		1896–97.		1897–98.	
	In.	Out.	In.	Out.	In.	Out.	In.	Out.	In.	Out.
Number treated	252	7,053	221	7,612	189	8,456	174	8,745	246	8,520
Daily average sick ..	12·20	83·99	11·49	83·60	9·48	63·55	8·24	71·44	9·33	67·61

The excess difference of 72 among in-patients as compared with last year is due to a good number of Byragis having sought admission from time to time during the year very ill. Another reason is that many railway workmen had to be admitted for various diseases and injuries. Out-door, the difference is slight.

(*g*) *Mortality and actual causes of it, particularly with reference to septic diseases acquired in hospital.*—No deaths followed on septic diseases acquired in hospital. The total number of deaths from diseases and after operations is 15, with a percentage of 6·10 against 10 and 5·75 last year.

(*h*) *Operations and Results.*—Total number 296, results—relieved 5, otherwise 1, died 4, and the remainder cured.

(*i*) *Establishment, whether sufficient and efficient.*—Yes.

(*j*) *Midwife work actually done.*—J. Lakshmama continues to be the midwife. She conducted 79 cases of labour in the town and assists generally at the hospital.

(*k*) *Dufferin Fund dispensary for women.*—None.

(*l*) *General Remarks.*—Until the well is sunk and compound wall with gates put up, the hospital cannot be said to receive its fair share of attention from the municipality.

ONGOLE,
15*th May* 1898.

(Signed) W. BAZELY,
Civil Apothecary in Medical Charge.

Forwarded.

NELLORE,
18*th May* 1898.

(Signed) A. PEMBERTON, Surgn. Lieut.-Col.,
Ag. District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Nellore.

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2. House-tax has again been levied in the manner condemned in paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 1942 M., dated 6th September 1897, reviewing last year's administration report; but the Chairman says in paragraph 9 that the registers are under revision.

3. The market is now being used and has yielded an income. Persons selling flesh or vegetables elsewhere in disobedience to the Chairman's orders have been prosecuted.

4. The civil apothecary in charge of the hospital objects to the employment of the sanitary inspector on duties not connected with sanitation; but there is no complaint that his ordinary duties are not properly performed and there seems to be no objection to his occasional employment for other purposes.

5. The condition of the roads at present cannot be considered satisfactory.

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ORDER—No. 1511 M., dated 25th August 1898.

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Receipts.	RS.	RS.		
Balance brought forward	1,844	2,520		
Tax on Arts	1,431	1,330		
,, Buildings and Lands	3,508	3,350		
,, Vehicles and Animals	882	810		
,, Carts	1,196	1,100		
Tolls	1,644	1,670		
Realizations under Special Acts	..	..		
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c...	325	240		
Conservancy Receipts	192	100		
Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions	139	120		
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	170	220		
License Fees	263	240		
Other Fees	553	500		
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	136	150		
Grants and Contributions from Local Boards	2,564	2,920		
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	566	87		
Miscellaneous				
Advances Recovered				
Total ..				
Charges.				
GRANT 1—				
New Works—				
Communications				
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GRANT 3—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	3,410	3,690	3,550	3,525
Contributions	99	100	100	130
Vaccination	235	200	190	191
Registration of Births and Deaths	92	90	90	86
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	2,943	3,800	3,700	3,322
Total ..	6,779	7,880	7,630	7,254
GRANT 4—				
Lighting	597	610	570	609
Markets and Slaughter-houses	5	20	20	16
Travellers' Bungalows	102	90	110	104
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other Charges ..	491	900	890	909
Total ..	1,195	1,620	1,590	1,638
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Supervision and Management	1,366	1,390	1,380	1,439
Advances Recoverable	..	..	..	120
Refunds	9	..	10	8
Grand Total ..	12,214	16,580	15,950	15,274
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Other Fees	553	500	630	637
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	136	150	280	295
Grants and Contributions from Local Boards	2,564	2,920	2,850	2,848
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	566	560	590	593
Miscellaneous	82	..	..	..
Advances Recovered	..	..	360	352
Total ..	15,495	15,830	17,360	17,256
Charges.				
GRANT 1—				
New Works—				
Communications	243	1,140	850	830
Buildings	426	880	900	843
Repairs—				
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Buildings	139	210	200	195
Water-supply	155	1,200	1,150	736
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	30	50	50	50
Establishment	120	120	120	119
Tools and Plant and other Stores	8	10	10	8
Total ..	1,338	4,450	4,100	3,588
GRANT 2—				
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary-result System	168	20	20	35
Grants-in-aid—				
Salary Grants	299	340	340	326
Result Grants	982	800	810	802
Inspection	78	80	70	64
Total ..	1,527	1,240	1,240	1,227

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(2) The current collections under the principal taxes, although not so good as in the previous year, were still fair, and the arrears under these heads were almost fully utilized.

(3) There was an increase in the receipts from tolls, cart-stand fees and fines, but those from the tax on animals, bungalow fees, license fees and sale of sweepings exhibited a decline, which, except under the last head, is accounted for in paragraphs 12, 19 and 27 of the Chairman's report. The decrease under sale of sweepings was due to the accumulated sweepings of the two previous years having been sold in the year 1896–97. An income of Rs. 97 was for the first time derived from the new market, which is reported to be now freely used.

(4) The number of houses served by the private scavenging agency rose from 282 to 287 and the service was worked at a profit of Rs. 22 against Rs. 15 in the previous year. The service is, however, evidently capable of considerable expansion, as it is now adopted by only one-eighth of the number of houses assessed to the tax on buildings. Active steps should, therefore, be taken to extend it to the remaining houses in the town.

4. *Expenditure*—(1) *Public Works.*—No new work of importance was undertaken during the year. The total outlay on communications amounted to Rs. 1,637 or 15·8 per cent. in excess of the net municipal income from tolls; but the condition of the roads, as reported by the Revenue Divisional-officer, was not satisfactory. Greater attention should be paid to them in the current year.

(2) *Education.*—The net expenditure on education amounted to Rs. 1,227 or 15·3 per cent. of the receipts from taxation. Of this sum, Rs. 901 were spent on primary, and the remainder on secondary, education. The Municipal Council maintained no school of its own, the one Muhammadan primary school which had existed in 1896–97 having been closed at the end of that year. The Council, however, continued to aid one secondary school with salary grants and twelve primary schools with result grants. The attendance at these schools fell from 1,015 to 935; but this decline has not been explained—an omission which should now be supplied. The working of the secondary school is, however, reported to have been fair, the results of the primary schools at the grant examinations were satisfactory and the allotment for salary and result grants was almost fully utilized. The total number of boys under instruction in the municipal and aided schools fell from 1,040 or 127·5 per cent. of the male population of school-going age to 935 or 114·6 per cent.

(3) *Medical Relief.*—The number of in-patients treated in the municipal hospital rose from 174 to 246, the increase being explained in paragraph 5 (*f*) of the civil apothecary's report; but that of out-patients fell from 8,745 to 8,520. The midwife employed by the Council attended 79 cases of labour against 83 in 1896–97. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to the remarks of the civil apothecary in paragraph 5 (*d*) (2) of his report.

(4) *Vaccination and Vital Statistics.*—The total number of persons vaccinated during the year fell from 545 to 515 and 79·2 per cent. of the operations were successful against 79·6 per cent. in 1896–97. Infantile vaccination, however, showed some advance, the number of children under one year successfully vaccinated being 335 or 30·8 per mille of the population against 287 or 26·4 per mille in the previous year and a registered birth-rate of 34·5 per mille.

There was a small increase in the number of deaths registered during the year, but a decline in that of births. The rates recorded, especially in the case of births, being below the normal, it is evident that registration is still defective. Every endeavour should be made to render the returns complete.

(5) *Sanitation.*—The outlay under this head amounted to Rs. 3,322 or 87·4 per cent. of the allotment and was 23·8 per cent. of the receipts. From paragraph 3 of the civil apothecary's report it appears that the sanitation of the town continued to receive fair attention. The defects noticed by the Deputy Sanitary Commissioner in his last inspection notes should, however, be remedied as soon as possible. The Government is unable to concur in the view taken by the Sub-Collector in paragraph 4 of his endorsement. It is clear from the apothecary's report that the trained sanitary inspector is employed on a variety of duties which must prove detrimental to his proper work.

5. *General Remarks.*—The year closed with a balance of Rs. 1,982 or 14·2 per cent. of the receipts. A portion of this sum should be spent in the current year on the improvement of the roads.

The administration of the municipality during the year under review continued to be tolerably satisfactory. The improvement of roads, registration of vital statistics and extension of the private scavenging service, however, require special attention.

(True Extract.)

for *Secretary to Government.*

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Ongole.
" Collector of Nellore.
" President, District Board, Nellore.
" Accountant-General.
" Director of Public Instruction.
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19. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—A sum of Rs. 119–3–0 was collected against Rs. 140' the revised estimate. The decrease was due to Rs. 36–11–10 not recovered from Mr. W. H. Maskell, to whom a portion of the bungalow was leased out for some time, which fell in arrears.

20. *Produce of Lands and Gardens.*—Two sums of Rs. 0–12–6 from the sale of tamarind fruits and Rs. 3–6–0 from the sale of grass in the bed of Ranga Row's tank were realized. Hence Rs. 4–2–6 under this item.

21. *Sale-proceeds of old materials.*—A sum of Rs. 54–13–3 was collected against Rs. 40, the revised estimate. This needs no explanation, the item being fluctuating one.

22. *Sale-proceeds of Night soil and Street-refuse.*—A sum of Rs. 154–2–0 was realized under this item—Rs. 5–2–0 on account of the sale of night-soil and Rs. 149 on account of sale of rubbish—against Rs. 130, the revised estimate. The increase was partly due to the sale of night-soil and partly to an increase in the bid.

23. *Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines.*—A sum of Rs. 127–12–0 was realized against Rs. 120, the revised estimate. The increase was due to an increase in the number of subscribers.

24. *Income from Markets.*—A sum of Rs. 97–7–8 was realized against Rs. 100, the revised estimate. The difference was small and needs no explanation (*vide* Statement XI).

25. *Income from Slaughter-house.*—A sum of Rs. 210 was collected against Rs. 210, the revised estimate; small difference needs no explanation.

26. *Distraint fees and Warrant fees.*—For reasons given in paragraph 23 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, a sum of Rs. 26–4–0 was realized against Rs. 15, the revised estimate.

27. *License fees.*—A sum of Rs. 218–4–0 only was realized against Rs. 270, the revised estimate, no increased number of licenses having been issued as expected under the new Act.

28. *Cart-stand fees.*—A sum of Rs. 608–13–4 was realized against Rs. 610, the revised estimate, which was only a round figure.

29. *Other fees.*—Rs. 5 was shown in the revised estimate. A sum of Rs. 1–8–0 was realized on account of birth and death extracts furnished to applicants; Rs. 5 was only a round figure in the revised estimate.

30. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—A sum of Rs. 295–6–0 was levied against Rs. 280, the revised estimate (*vide* paragraph 27 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, for the increase in the demand).

31. *Grants and Contributions—Contributions from Local Funds.*—A sum of Rupees 2,848–3–7 was drawn towards the hospital contribution from the taluk board deducting excess received during 1896–97 as shown under liabilities in note to Statement II of the previous year's annual statements, against Rs. 2,850, the revised estimate. The difference was small and needs no explanation.

32. *Miscellaneous—Private scavenging fees.*—The demand was Rs. 579–14–0 (Rs. 575–4–0 current and Rs. 4–10–0 arrears) against Rs. 580, the revised estimate. The difference was adopted for round figure in the revised estimate (*vide* statement XI).

33. *Other purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 20–11–0 was collected under the several heads against Rs. 10, the revised estimate (*vide* paragraph 30 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, for further explanation).

34. *Fees for numbering carts.*—Needs no explanation.

35. *Advances Recovered.*—A sum of Rs. 351–10–4 was shown under this item against Rs. 360, the revised estimate, which was adopted for round figure (*vide* remarks in paragraph 31 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898, for details of explanation).

III.—Charges.

36. The charges amounted to Rs. 15,153–11–6 against Rs. 15,950, the revised estimate, and Rs. 12,214–2–6, the actuals of 1896–97. The saving in expenditure was due to large allotment for cholera and other epidemic charges as directed in G.O., No. 1985 M., dated 18th November 1896, and to a large sum reserved for compensation of lands to be acquired in the Ranga Row's tank-bed as reported in paragraph 39 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898.

37. Statement II shows the expenditure, and note to this statement the position of the municipality on 31st March 1898; Statement II-A, Part I, New Works, and Part II, Repairs, give the details of the works executed during the year. Statement II-B shows the details of municipal establishments; Statement VI exhibits the budget grants with subsequent additions and deductions; and Statements V-A and V-B particulars on education. The details of these are not, therefore, repeated in the report.

38. *Grant 1, Public Works.*—The revised estimate under this grant was Rs. 4,100 against Rs. 3,587–10–11, the actuals of the year. There was a saving in expenditure under every item, the largest amount being under repairs, water-supply, which is Rs. 416–8–1. This amount was expected to be spent within the close of the year on account of compensation for lands in the Ranga Row's tank-bed (*vide* remarks in paragraph 39 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1898). The acquisition of these lands was sanctioned by the council in its resolutions No. 140, dated 3rd July 1897, and No. 436, dated 30th March 1898, and the resolutions were communicated to the Sub-Collector to take necessary steps under the Land Acquisition Act. The execution of the works was fully discussed under Grant 1 in my report on the revised estimate for 1897–98. No important changes occurred in the works since the revised estimate was submitted. I consider it needless to recite the same stories. The municipality spent almost the whole of the receipts from tolls, less contribution to the district board, on communications.

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

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I have the honour to submit the annual report on the administration of the Ongole Municipality for the financial year 1897–98, with statements as prescribed by Government.

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II.—Receipts.

6. The year opened with a balance of Rs. 328–10–4 against Rs. 3,280, the revised estimate. The balance includes endowment entrusted to the municipal council (*vide* Statement I-A). The receipts amounted to Rs. 13,855–7–11 against Rs. 14,080, the revised estimate, and Rs. 13,650–8–8, the actual audited figures for 1896–97 (*vide* total receipts in Statement I).

7. Statement I shows the revenues and receipts of the municipal fund, and note to this statement the rates at which taxes were levied; I-A points out endowments entrusted to the municipal council; Statement III exhibits deposits account for the year; Statement IV-A shows the demand, collection and balance, and IV-B the arrears for the year under report; and appendix A to Statement IV-A gives the details of warrants issued, and appendix B to Statement IV-B the particulars of prosecutions instituted under each tax; and Statement VIII refers to tolls. The details of these are not therefore given in the report. I regret to mention that the collection was slow owing to the absence of head clerk on sick leave and the indifference of the collection establishment.

A.—Municipal Rates and Taxes.

8. *Tax on Arts.*—The demand finally settled was Rs. 1,117–8–0 (Rs. 39–8–0 arrears and Rs. 1,078 current) against Rs. 1,000 (Rs. 39–8–0 arrears and Rs. 960–8–0 current), the revised estimate. The increase in the demand was due to remissions not granted as expected. The decrease in the demand below the actuals of 1896–97 was due largely to the change of rates in the schedule as revised by Act III of 1897, and partly to the arrears included in the previous year's actuals (*vide* Statement IX-A for incidence).

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10. *Tax on Lands and Vacant Grounds.*—The revised estimate was Rs. 160 (Rs. 4 arrears and Rs. 156 current) against Rs. 162–6–9, the demand. The small difference needs no explanation. The previous year's demand register was adopted also during the year. The total extent of cultivable land assessed was 281 acres and 15 cents (*vide* note to Statement I, which also shows the valuation of lands).

11. *Tax on Vehicles with springs and Palanquins.*—The demand was Rs. 165 against Rs. 150, the revised estimate. The increase was due to the large number of vehicles registered.

12. *Tax on Animals.*—The demand was Rs. 769–12–0 (arrears Rs. 15–12–0 and current Rs. 754) against Rs. 780 (arrears Rs. 15 and Rs. 765 current), the revised estimate. The decrease was due to remissions granted by the council.

13. *Tax on Carts and other Vehicles without springs.*—The demand was Rs. 1,302 (Rs. 1,282 current and Rs. 20 arrears) against Rs. 1,230 (Rs. 1,210 current and Rs. 20 arrears), the revised estimate. The increase in the demand was due to the increased registration of carts employed in working the Madras-Bezwada Railway.

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16. *Realization under special Acts—Fines under Act II of 1888.*—This sum of Rs. 135 was levied on account of dramatic performances exhibited in the town, not expected when the budget was submitted.

B.—Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.

17. *Rent of lands.*—A sum of Rs. 103 was collected in the year against Rs. 105, the revised estimate. The high figure in the revised estimate was only round sum.

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45. *Grant* 3, *Sanitation and Medical Services* (i) *Hospitals and Dispensaries* — The revised estimate was Rs. 3,550 against Rs. 3,524–14–3, the actuals of the year. None of the minor items needs any explanation except sundries and contingencies, in which case the expenditure fell shorter by Rs. 31–4–7 than the revised estimate. This was due to fluctuation. Relief was afforded to 246 and 8,520 in and out-patients with a daily average of 9·33 and 67·61, respectively, during the year. It is unexplained by the civil apothecary why a larger number of Biragees sought admission into the hospital as in-patients in the year than during the previous year. The midwife conducted 79 cases of labour in the town and assisted at the hospital (*vide* Statement XII). It is to be regretted that the council could not provide for female medical aid as directed in G.O., Nos. 2148 and 2149 M., dated 21st October 1896. The report of the civil apothecary in charge of the municipal hospital is submitted.

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49. (3) *Vaccination.*—The actual expenditure was Rs. 191–0–2 against Rs. 190, the revised estimate. The difference is insignificant and needs no explanation. The municipality employed a second-class vaccinator on Rs. 12 per mensem. The statement below will show the particulars of vaccine operations performed by him during the year as compared with 1896–97 :—

Years.	Details of primary vaccination.											
	Under one year.				Above one year.				Total.			
	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1897–98	335	81	7	423	64	12	5	81	399	93	12	504
1896–97	287	64	1	352	114	13	5	132	401	77	6	484

Years.	Details of re-vaccination.								
	Re-vaccination.				Total.				Average cost for each successful case.
	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	Successful.	Unsuccessful.	Unknown.	Total.	
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
									RS. A. P.
1897–98	9	1	1	11	408	94	13	515	0 7 9
1896–97	33	28	..	61	434	105	6	545	0 8 8

50. Twenty-one persons were sent to the Magistrate under section 138 (2) of Act IV of 1884 as amended by Act III of 1897. The conviction was only in eleven cases and a fine of Rs. 9 was levied—*vide* statement XIII.

51. *Registration of Births.*—The revised estimate was Rs. 90 against Rs. 86–3–6, the actuals. The small difference was due to fines in the establishment and savings in contingencies. The number of births registered during the year was 375 against 383 of 1896–97. This was at 34·53 per mille of the population against 35·27 of the previous year. Nine prosecutions were instituted and conviction was only in seven cases and a fine of Rs. 4 was realized. The other two cases were dismissed—*vide* statement XIII.

52. *Registration of Deaths.*—The number of deaths registered during the year was 333 against 325 of 1896–97. This was at 30·7 per mille of the population against 29·99 of the previous year. Twelve prosecutions were instituted and convictions was only in ten cases and a fine of Rs. 2–7–0 was realized. One case was withdrawn and another is pending before Magistrate—*vide* statement XIII.

53. *Conservancy and Road-cleaning.*—The total expenditure coming under all the items of this major head was Rs. 3,321–13–3 against Rs. 3,700, the revised estimate. No item calls for explanation except (*a*) (ii) other charges, &c., and (*c*) cholera charges. The details of expenditure in (*a*) (ii) are given below :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Conservancy cart-hire	524	4	0
Digging trenches to bury night-soil	11	14	5
Subscription to local board's journal	2	2	0
Cost of Joans' Manual	7	2	0
Cost of night-soil hand-carts	70	7	10
Travelling allowance paid to the sanitary inspector	13	4	0
Western rubbish depot land rent	8	0	0
Total ...	637	2	3

54. Out of Rs. 430 provided in the revised estimate, only Rs. 55-5-2 was spent towards cholera charges. There were fourteen attacks of cholera and only one death. The expenditure seems to be heavy. It is detailed as follows:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Fumigation	22	10	0
Medicines	11	13	2
Miscellaneous	5	14	0
Total ...	55	5	2

In submitting the budget for 1897-98, a large allotment of Rs. 400 was made for plague charges in the revised estimate as directed in G.O., No. 1985, dated 18th November 1896; hence a large saving. The sanitary condition of the town might be said to have been amply good considering only one case of cholera proved fatal and cholera prevailed only a few days in the town, while it was fiercely raging during the greater part of the year all round the country.

55. The conservancy establishment is given in statement II-B and details of latrines are given in statement XI. One cart was employed at Rs. 15 per mensem for carting rubbish and two hand-carts were purchased for carting night-soil and sewage water. There were additions in the year.

56. A trained sanitary inspector has been appointed as recommended by the Sanitary Commissioner in the latter part of February 1898. The sanitary inspector was not saddled with any work which he was incompetent to do. It is the duty of the executive to see that the servants of the municipality are employed in any other business without prejudice to their legitimate duties. This little and poor municipality cannot afford to employ hands absolutely for each department and we have no necessity for such stingent service. It happens particularly at the end of the year that one servant should help another; no business can be managed without such mutual help. The Chairman himself has to do a clerk's work in this municipality. I consider the remarks of the civil apothecary in paragraph 3 of his report regarding the sanitary inspector uncalled for.

57. For offences committed against sanitary laws, 113 prosecutions were instituted; of these in 86 cases accused were convicted and a fine of Rs. 185-5-0 was levied; fourteen cases were withdrawn and thirteen dismissed. These prosecutions do not include vaccination, birth and death cases.

58. *Grant 4, Lighting—Establishment and Contingencies.*—The budget estimate including additional allotments was Rs. 610 against Rs. 609-8-11, the actuals of the year. The difference being insignificant, calls for no explanation—*vide* statement XI for information on lights. The details of expenditure are given below:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Salaries of lamp-lighters	176	10	6
Kerosine-oil and contingencies	272	12	3
Fixing and re-fixing new and old lamp-posts	31	13	2
Cost of new lamps	128	5	0
Total ...	609	8	11

59. *Market Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 8-3-3 (Rs. 4-15-9 for whitewashing market and Rs. 3-3-6 for miscellaneous charges) was spent against Rs. 10, the revised estimate. The difference was small and therefore not explained.

60. *Slaughter-house Contingencies.*—A sum of Rs. 7-14-1 was spent for whitewashing slaughter-house against Rs. 10, the revised estimate, which was a round figure.

61. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—A sum of Rs. 103-14-6 was actually spent against Rs. 110, the revised estimate; the savings was due to careful supervision.

62. *Rewards for Destruction of Wild Animals and Snakes.*—A sum of Rs. 9-15-0 was spent as rewards to dog-killers against Rs. 10, the revised estimate. The difference was small and needs no explanation.

63. *Printing.*—The expenditure was Rs. 394-7-8 against Rs. 380, the revised estimate. The details are given below:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Printing council's proceedings, &c., for publication in the District Gazette	289	11	10
Quarterly proceedings of the Sanitary Commissioner	3	2	6
Printing work done in the Secretariat Press, Madras	83	1	0
Printing copies of annual report for 1896-97 for the publication in the District Gazette	16	0	0
Cost of choki bhits adjusted from advances recoverable as advised by the auditor	2	8	4
Total ...	394	7	8

64. *Other Charges—Other Items.*—A sum of Rs. 504-7-9 was spent under the several items of this major head against Rs. 500, the revised estimate. The details of the expenditure are given below:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Binding charges	30	15	0
Numbering carts	12	12	0
Law charges	25	7	0
Water-pandal	27	13	6
Striking-gang	1	15	0
Numbering houses	1	5	3
Subscription to *Fort St. George Gazette*	22	8	0
Do. to Jubilee address and casket	20	4	0
Purchase of certain books	10	6	0
Making plans to certain survey numbers	2	0	0
Purchase money of house-sites at the foot of the hill transferred from advances recoverable as sanctioned by Government in its order, Mis. No. 2128 M., dated 29th September 1897	349	2	0
Total ...	504	7	9

65. *Grant 5, General Establishment.*—A sum of Rs. 1,439-3-9 was spent against Rs. 1 380, the revised estimate, under all the minor items of this major head. No explanation is needed except in the case of tolls, (*c*) (ii) contingencies and (*d*) office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii). In the former case, there was a saving of Rs. 18 in the actuals. This was due to non-provision of toll-bars as estimated. In the latter case, the expenditure exceeded the revised estimate by Rs. 75-5-11, which was largely due to the enhanced rent of at Rs. 11 for the office building during a period of 8 months in the year (*vide* remarks in paragraph 103 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 558 M., dated 16th March 1897), and to the payment of Rs. 24-3-10 as demanded by the Accountant-General. The details of office contingencies are given below:—

Items of expenditure.	Expenditure during 1897-98. Rs.	A.	P.	Actuals of 1896-97. Rs.	A.	P.
House-rent	118	1	0	96	0	0
Printed forms from Madras City Press ...	133	1	6	108	13	8
Printed forms from S.R.V. Press	27	13	9	25	10	8
Printed forms from P.V. Press...	...			6	2	10
Postage and Receipt stamps	46	4	6	36	11	0
Book-binding	5	10	0	...		
Miscellaneous charges, such as purchase of stationery articles	54	7	2	68	12	11
Total ...	385	5	11	342	3	1

66. *Refunds.*—For reasons shown in paragraph 65 of my letter printed with G.O., No. 468 M., dated 1st March 1893, only a sum of Rs. 8 was spent against Rs. 10, the revised estimate, which is only adopted tor the sake of round figure.

ENCLOSURE.

CONCISE Annual Report on the Municipal (Moberly) Hospital, Ongole, for the year 1897–98.

Public Health.—Not generally as good as in previous years. Cholera made its appearance on the 7th October 1897 and totally disappeared after the 31st October. It progressed slowly and erratically and only 14 people were attacked, one of whom only died. The outbreak was not severe and not associated with marked insanitary conditions. The disease readily yielded to ordinary treatment. Notwithstanding the high prices of food-grains which has been prevailing for some time and the general scarcity in this part of the district, sickness of any sort among the people attributable to privation or insufficient food in Ongole or the taluk was not induced neither was it observed.

2. *Vital Statistics.*—Births—194 males and 181 females. Deaths—188 males and 145 females. Still-births—10 males and 7 females. These figures present nothing striking or unusual.

3. *Sanitation.*—Continues in the same fair condition. During the prevalence of cholera, sanitation and conservancy were attended to with exceptional vigilance. The existing cesspits, however, in backyards are a serious blemish; if they cannot be abolished by the people, a cheap, durable and effective design of cesspit should be offered them and its adoption insisted on It is satisfactory to record that the market has after all been put to the use it was intended. It is in good working, swing so much so that an additional block had to be built. This is gratifying to all well-wishers of this town and will certainly mark an epoch in the history of Ongole as one long step gained towards its improvement. A revenue is already being gained. The few fruit and vegetable sellers who still will sell on the road sides ought by some means to be made to take a seat in the market. Another step in the right direction is the setting apart of a yard adjoining the sheep slaughter-house for the slaughter of cattle. This does away with the promiscuous and disgusting practice of their slaughter anywhere in Mala and Mathigapaliums to the full view of the public. A trained sanitary inspector has, in all propriety, been secured, it is hoped advantage will be taken of his special training and that only sanitation and conservancy will receive his constant and undivided attention. If he is to be, as he is, saddled with the conduct of auctions, distraint warrants, profession-tax papers, licenses, &c., he nor his qualifications can possibly avail the municipatily anything better than heretofore. There is enough purely sanitary to keep one inspector on his rounds at work all day.

4. *Vaccination.*—The total number vaccinated during the year under report is 515, of which 408 were successful operations. Of this total, 42 5 were primary and secondary cases on children under one year of age, and of these 335 proved successful. Paste was regularly supplied throughout the year from the Mysore institute and invariably was good and efficacious.

5. *Hospital*—*a*) *Nature and sufficiency of Accommodation*—Continues in the same insufficient state as regards the contagious shed as in past years. This shed was not built even last year and many cases which ought never to have been kept in the main wards had to be so objectionably accommodated for want of this shed. The current year's budget has a sanctioned allotment for this item and the Chairman has been solicited to take the work in hand without further delay. The accommodation for the general run of patients is, however, sufficient.

(*b*) *State of Repair of Buildings.*—Good with the exception of flooring of verandahs and steps.

(*c*) *State of Repair of Furniture.*—Good.

(*d*) *Inspections.*—(1) Steps taken to carry out the recommendations, if any, of the Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras. Not inspected by the Surgeon-General.

(2) Steps taken to carry out the recommendations of other inspecting officers. With the exception of making provision in the current year's budget for the contagious shed, no steps whatever have been taken to carry out the recommendations of other

inspecting officers; the District Medical and Sanitary Officer's inspection notes and "recommendations to local authorities" are formally brought up at meetings and solemnly "recorded."

(*e*) *Amount of Recoveries from Patients who have been able to pay for their Diets and Medicines.*—Nil. Patients who are in a position to pay for their diets rather than do so generally have their meals cooked outside by their own caste relatives and brought to them. A sum of Rs. 127–12–0 was collected as compounding fees for medicines and from sale of medicines.

(*f*) *Number of Patients treated as compared with previous years*:—

—	1893–94.		1894–95.		1895–96.		1896–97.		1897–98.	
	In.	Out.	In.	Out.	In.	Out.	In.	Out.	In.	Out.
Number treated	252	7,053	221	7,612	189	8,456	174	8,745	246	8,520
Daily average sick ..	12·20	83·99	11·49	83·60	9·48	63·55	8·24	71·44	9·33	67·61

The excess difference by 72 among in-patients as compared with last year is due to a good number of Byragis having sought admission from time to time during the year very ill. Another reason is that many railway workmen had to be admitted for various diseases and injuries. Out-door, the difference is slight.

(*g*) *Mortality and actual causes of it, particularly with reference to septic diseases acquired in hospital.*—No deaths followed on septic diseases acquired in hospital. The total number of deaths from diseases and after operations is 15 with a percentage of 6·10 against 10 and 5·75 last year.

(*h*) *Operations and Results.*—Total number 296, results relieved 5, otherwise 1, died 4, and the remainder cured.

(*i*) *Establishment, whether sufficient and efficient.*—Yes.

(*j*) *Midwife work actually done.*—J. Lakshmama continues to be the midwife. She conducted 79 cases of labour in the town and assists generally at the hospital.

Dufferin Fund dispensary for women.—None.

(*k*) *Dufferin Fund dispensary for women.*—None.

(*l*) *General Remarks.*—Until the well is sunk and compound wall with gates put up, the hospital cannot be said to receive its fair share of attention from the municipality.

(Signed) W. BAZELY,
Civil Apothecary in Medical Charge.

ONGOLE,
15*th May* 1898.

Forwarded.

(Signed) A. PEMBERTON, Surgn. Lieut.-Col.,
Ag. District Medical and Sanitary Officer,
Nellore.

NELLORE,
18*th May* 1898.

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2. House-tax has again been levied in the manner condemned in paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 1942 M., dated 6th September 1897, reviewing last year's administration report; but the Chairman says in paragraph 9 that the registers are under revision.

3. The market is now being used and has yielded an income. Persons selling flesh or vegetables elsewhere in disobedience to the Chairman's orders have been prosecuted.

4. The civil apothecary in charge of the hospital objects to the employment of the sanitary inspector on duties not connected with sanitation, but there is no complaint that his ordinary duties are not properly performed and there seems to be no objection to his occasional employment for other purposes.

5. The condition of the roads at present cannot be considered satisfactory.

6. With reference to paragraph 47 of the Chairman's report, the consideration of the question therein referred to by the Ongole Taluk Board is delayed at the Chairman's request on the ground that time is required for the preparation of certain statistics relating to hospital expenses.

8*th July* 1898.

(Signed) J. McIVER,
Ag. Sub-Collector.

No. 992.

Forwarded.

NELLORE,
11*th July* 1898.

(Signed) G. NARAYANASAWMI,
for *Acting Collector.*

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Current No. 2342/98 of 1898, dated 25-6-98 from the Chairman, M.C, Ongole

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Order. No 1571 m 8 25/8/98

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

	Actuals, 1896-97.	Budget Estimate, 1897-98.	Revised Estimate, 1897-98.	Actuals 1897-98.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Receipts.				
Balance brought forward	1844	2520	3250	3281
Tax on Arts	1431	1330	1800	1051
Tax on Buildings and Lands	3608	3350	3380	3196
Water-Tax on Buildings and Lands				
Tax on Vehicles and Animals	882	810	930	798
Tax on Carts	1196	1100	1240	1188
Tolls	1644	1670	1670	~~1660~~ 1785
Realizations under Special Acts				135
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c, and sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	325	240	320	290
Conservancy Receipts	192	100	130	154
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions ..				
Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions	139	120	120	128
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	170	220	310	307
License fees	263	~~230~~ 240	270	218
Other fees	556	502	630	637
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	186	150	280	295
Interest on Investments and premium on Loans ..				
Grants and Contributions from Government				
Do. from Local Boards	2564	2920	2850	2848
Do. from other bodies				
Recoveries for services to private individuals	566	560	590	593
Miscellaneous	82			
Loans				
Sale-proceeds of Government Securities, &c, and Realizations of Sinking Fund				
Advances Recovered			360	352
Total ..	15495	15830	17360	~~17136~~ 17256

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Charges.	1896-97.	Estimate, 1897-98.	Estimate, 1897-98.	Revised Estimate, 1897-98.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Grant 1.				
New Works—				
Communications	243	1140	850	830
Buildings	426	880	900	843
Drainage	"	"	"	"
Water-supply	"	"	"	"
Repairs—				
Communications	217	840	820	807
Buildings	139	210	200	195
Drainage	5	10	50	13
Water-supply	185	1230	1200	1786
Miscellaneous public improvements	39	50	50	59
Establishment	128	120	120	119
Tools and Plant and other Stores	8	10	10	8
Contributions for Public Works	"	"	"	"
Total	1338	4450	4100	3588
Grant 2.				
Training Schools	"	"	"	"
Municipal Schools—				
(a) On the Salary System	"	"	"	"
(b) On the Salary Result System	168	20	20	35
Grants-in-aid—				
(a) Salary grants	299	340	340	326
(b) Result grants	982	800	810	802
(c) Building, Furniture, &c., grants	"	"	"	"
Inspection	78	80	70	64
Miscellaneous	"	"	"	"
Total	1527	1240	1240	1227
Grant 3.				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	3410	3690	3550	3525
Contributions	99	100	100	130
Vaccination	233	200	190	191
Registration of Births and Deaths	92	90	90	86
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	2943	3800	3700	3322
Total	6779	7880	7630	7254
Grant 4.				
Lighting	597	610	570	609
Markets and Slaughter-houses	5	20	20	16
Choultries	"	"	"	"
Travellers' Bungalows	102	90	110	104
Avenues	"	"	"	"
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges	491	900	890	909
Total	1195	1620	1590	1638
Grant 5.				
Supervision and management	1366	1390	1380	1439
Repayment of Debt	"	"	"	"
Interest on loan	"	"	"	"
Advances Recoverable	"	"	"	120
Refunds	9	"	10	8
Discount	"	"	"	"
Pensions and Gratuities	"	"	"	"
Investments	"	"	"	"
Grand Total	12214	16580	15950	15454 274
Balance	3281	−750	1410	1982

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See para. 8 of the chairman's report.

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28 meetings, as in the previous year. The average attendance of members declined slightly and was indifferent in the case of official, but still fair in that of non-officials. The explanation of the poor attendance of officials, given in para. 5 of the Chairman's report, cannot be accepted as adequate, and the Government trusts that there will be an improvement in the current year.

3. Receipts (1) Owing to the operation of the revised Schedule A annexed to the Act, the net current demand under the tax on arts fell by Rs 299. Nearly one-tenth of the demand originally fixed by the Chairman was again remitted by the Council on appeal. As the incidence of this tax continued to be very low, it is evident, as already observed in para. 36 (1) of G.O. No. 1942 M, dated 6th September 1897, that these large remissions were due to leniency on the part of the Council in disposing of appeals. The Govt. trus-

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The total outlay on Communications amounted to Rs 16,37 or 15.8 per cent in excess of the net Municipal income from tolls, but the condition of the roads was reported by the Revenue Divisional Officer to be satisfactory. Vide para 5 of the Sub-Collector's endorsement

Greater attention should be paid to them in the current year.

(2) Education. The net expenditure on education amounted to Rs 1227 or 15.3 per cent of the receipts from taxation. Of this sum, Rs 901 were spent on primary, and the remainder on secondary, education. Please see para 39 of the Chairman's report

The Municipal Council maintained no school of its own, the one Muhammadan primary school which existed in 1896-97 having been closed at the end of that year. The Council, however, continued to aid two Secondary schools with salary grants and twelve primary schools with result grants. The attendance at these

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the results of the primary schools at the grant examinations were satisfactory and the total of the allotments for salary & result grants was almost fully utilized. The total number of boys under instruction in the Municipal & aided schools fell from 1040 or 127.5 per cent of the male population of school-going age to 935 or 114.6 per cent.

(3) Medical Relief. The number of in-patients treated in the Municipal hospital rose from 174 to 246, the increase being explained in para 5(f) of the Civil Apothecary's report; but that of out-patients fell from 8,745 to 8,520. The midwife employed by the Council attended 79 cases of labour against 83 in 1896-97. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to the remarks of the Civil Apothecary in para 5(d)(2) of this report.

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the operations were successful against 79.6 per cent in 1896-97. Infantile vaccination, however, showed ~~a slight~~ some advance, the number of children under one year successfully vaccinated being 335 or 30.8 per mille of the population against 287 or 26.4 per mille in the previous year and a registered birth rate of 34.5 per mille.

There was a small increase in the number of deaths registered during the year, ~~but~~ a decline in that of births. The rates recorded, especially in the case of births, however being below the normal, ~~the returns~~ it is evident that registration is still defective. Every endeavour should be made to render the returns complete.

(5) Sanitation. The outlay under this head amounted to Rs 3322 or 87.4 per cent of the allotment and was 23.8 per cent of the receipts. From para. 3 of the Civil ... it appears that

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The attention of the Civil Apothecary is drawn to the remarks of the ~~Sub~~ Collector in para. 4 of his endorsement, in which the Govt. concurs.

vide para 8 of the Civil Apothecary's report and para 56 of the Chairman's report. The Govt. is unable to concur in the view taken by the Sub Collr. in para 4 of his endt. It is clear from the ... of the Comp report that the trained Sanitary Inspt. is employed on a variety of duties, which must prove detrimental to his proper work.

5. General Remarks. The year closed with a balance of Rs 1982 or 14.2 per cent of the receipts. ~~The greater~~ A portion of this sum should be spent in the current year ~~for~~ on the improvement of the roads.

The administration of the municipality during the year under review continued to be tolerably satisfactory. ~~The extension of the private scavenging service,~~ The improvement of roads, ~~& the~~ registration of vital statistics, and extension of the private scavenging service however, require special attention.

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20/8/98

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23-8-98

To

The Chairman, M.C. Ongole
.. Collector of Nellore
.. President Dt. Bd., Nellore
.. Accountant General
.. Director of Public Instruction
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Kindergarten ~~Class~~	43	43	.	43	.	.	.	.
Object Lessons								
~~Needlework~~	39	30	7	23	38	38	6	32
Geography	104	61	2	39	97	72	.	72
Hygiene	41	31	1	30	34	32	13	19
History	59	49	15	34	87	74	4	70
Physical Exercises	64	57	.	57	59	59	.	59

* Particulars relating to optional subjects need not be shown by standards.

NOTE.—1. This statement should be submitted in three parts when necessary, one for salary-result schools, one for combined schools, and one for pure results schools.

2. In the last column should be entered the remarks of the Inspecting Officer bearing directly on the result.

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

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

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	Unaided and Indigenou...	
Secondary Schools ..	Government ..	
	Board or Municipal ..	
	Aided from Provincial F...	
	Aided from Local or Mu...	
	Unaided and Indigenou...	
Primary Schools ..	Government ..	
	Board or Municipal ..	
	Aided from Provincial F...	
	Aided from Local or Mu...	
	Unaided and Indigenous	
Training Schools ..	Government ..	
	Board or Municipal ..	
	Aided from Provincial F...	
	Aided from Local or Mu...	
	Unaided and Indigenous	
Sessional Schools ..	Government ..	
	Board or Municipal ..	
	Aided from Provincial Fu...	
	Aided from Local or Mu...	
	Unaided and Indigenous	
Industrial Schools ..	Government ..	
	Board or Municipal ..	
	Aided from Provincial Fu...	
	Aided from Local or Mu...	
	Unaided and Indigenous	

Note.—1. *Where an institution is aided from Pr...*
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3. *This statement should be submitted in...*

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mber with General ducation rtificates.	Unpassed Teachers.	Ungraded teachers	Remarks.
		1	
1	1	2	
		4	
		3	
1	1	3	
2	2	6	

for training teachers during the year under report had been carried out.

or the Chairman of Municipal Councils concerned before the 1st May.

Inspector of Schools, Ballarat

CHAIRMAN, MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, COLLE... 5- MAY. 93

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CHAIRMAN, MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, COLLE... 5- MAY. 93

Colleges	Government ..	
	Board or Municipal ..	
	Aided from Provincial F	
	Aided from Local or Mu	
	Unaided and Indigenou	
Secondary Schools ..	Government ..	
	Board or Municipal ..	
	Aided from Provincial F	
	Aided from Local or Mu	
	Unaided and Indigenou	
Primary Schools ..	Government ..	
	Board or Municipal ..	
	Aided from Provincial F	
	Aided from Local or Mu	
	Unaided and Indigenous	
Training Schools ..	Government ..	
	Board or Municipal ..	
	Aided from Provincial F	
	Aided from Local or Mu	
	Unaided and Indigenous	
Sessional Schools ..	Government ..	
	Board or Municipal ..	
	Aided from Provincial Fu	
	Aided from Local or Mu	
	Unaided and Indigenous	
Industrial Schools ..	Government ..	
	Board or Municipal ..	
	Aided from Provincial Fu	
	Aided from Local or Mu	
	Unaided and Indigenous	

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Statement No. II showing the proportion of pupils of the great classes of the population under instruction to children of school-going age in the Bangalore Municipality on 31st March 1898.

Classes of Population.	Population of school-going age.		Pupils under instruction.		Percentage.		Remarks.
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	
Europeans and Eurasians				~~270~~			
Native Christians				270			
Muhammadans				43			
Hindus — Brahmans				52			
Hindus — Non-Brahman Caste Hindus ..				220			
Hindus — Paraiyas and Kindred Classes ..				27			
Others				612			

CHAIRMAN, MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE. 5 MAY 13

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Bellary 2nd May 98

Ramaswamy Iyengar
Asst Inspector of Schools
Bellary Circle

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Statement No. III. giving ... [illegible]

Classes of Institutions.		Number of Teachers employed.	Number possessing Trained Teachers' Certificates.	Number possessing Untrained Teachers' Certificates.	Nu... (... E... Ce...
Colleges ..	Government				
	Board or Municipal				
	Aided from Provincial Funds				
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds				
	Unaided and Indigenous				
		5	3	1	
Secondary Schools.	Government				
	Board or Municipal				
	Aided from Provincial Funds	11 2	4	3	
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds				
	Unaided and Indigenous				
Primary Schools ..	Government				
	Board or Municipal				
	Aided from Provincial Funds	16	7	4	
	Aided from Local or Municipal Funds				
	Unaided and Indigenous				
		32	14	8	

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Bellary
2nd May 1898

Total 33 21

Statement No. IV relating to the results of the Grant Examinations in the Girls' Schools in the Ousafe Municipality on 31st March 1898

MAURITIAN, MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF PORT LOUIS
5 MAY 13

Standard.	1897. Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	1898. Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Remarks.
VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination.	.	.	.	.	15	9	.	9	
VI. Standard	27	18		18	35	30	.	30	
V. Do.	56	47	2	45	41	27	.	27	
IV. Do. including Primary School Examination.	57	41	2	39	30	30	15.	15	
III. Standard	23	14	.	14	22	21	1	20	
II. Do.	27	22	5	17	29	27	7	20	
I. Do.	35	27	10	17	34	30	14	16	
Infant Do.	45	37	13	24	49	30	17	13	

Name of Subject.*	1897. Optional Subjects.	1898. Optional Subjects.

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2342 Mysore

Municipality of Ongole for 1897-98.

Institutions.			1	Total	Net Cost to Municipality	Average net cost per pupil in each class of Municipal schools	Remarks
				21	22	23	24
Colleges		Government					
		Local or municipal					
		Aided from public fu					
		Unaided and indigen					
Secondary schools ..		Government .					
		Local or municipal ..					
		Aided from public fund					
		Unaided and indigenous	7	2--9	2nd Mysore	4	
Primary schools ..		Government ..					
		Local or municipal ..					
		Aided from public funds	3	14-7-3	1st Jeypore	"	
		Unaided and indigenous					
Training schools ..		Government ..					
		Local or municipal ..		"	16-8-"	2nd Mysore	2nd Travancore
		Aided from public funds					
		Unaided and indigenous					
Sessional schools ..		Government ..					
		Local or municipal ..					
		Aided from public funds					
		Unaided and indigenous					
Industrial schools ..		Government ..					
		Local or municipal ..					
		Aided from public funds					
		Unaided and indigenous					

The figures relate to the Ongole School

Retrenchment
Asst Inspector of Schools
Central Presidency Div

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2342 Mysore

...unicipal Schools in the Muni...

	Expenditure							
	Teachers							
	Fixed Salary	Result Stipends	School Fees	Clerks & Servants	Stipends and Scholarships	Library furniture apparatus and appliances	Contingencies & miscellaneous
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
"	2-0-0	"	"	"	"	"	"-"-
"	14-0-0	"	"	"	"	"	"-7-
"	* 16-0-0	"	"	"	"	"	"-8-

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in [illegible] Municipality

Institutions.		Remarks.
1		8
Colleges	Government	...& unqualified teachers
	Local or municipal	...were unpassed men
	Aided from public funds	...passed teachers employed
	Unaided and indigenous	...aided Schools will be
Secondary schools	Government	...ed to undergo training
	Local or municipal	
	Aided from public funds	...statement includes
	Unaided and indigenous	...nastic instructors and
Primary schools	Government	...g masters.
	Local or municipal	
	Aided from public funds	
	Unaided and indigenous	
Training schools	Government	
	Local or municipal	
	Aided from public funds	
	Unaided and indigenous	
Sessional schools	Government	
	Local or municipal	
	Aided from public funds	
	Unaided and indigenous	
Industrial schools	Government	
	Local or municipal	
	Aided from public funds	
	Unaided and indigenous	

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Asst Insp of Schls
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...unicipal Schools in the Muni...

...tal	Expenditure						
	Teachers			Clerks & Servants	Stipends and Scholarships	Library furniture apparatus and appliances	Contingencies & Miscellaneous
	Fixed Salary	Result Stipends	School Fees				
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
"	2-..-..	"	"	"	"	"	..-..-..
"	14-0-0	"	"	"	"	"	..-7-
"	* 16-..-..	"	"	"	"	"	..-8-

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9/5/98

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…unicipal Schools in the Muni…

Total	Expenditure						
	Teachers			Clerks & Servants	Stipends and Scholarships	Library furniture apparatus and appliances	Contingencies & Miscellaneous
	Fixed Salary	Result Stipends	School Fees				
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
"	2-0-0	"	"	"	"	"	"-"-
"	14-0-0	"	"	"	"	"	"-7-
"	* 16-...	"	"	"	"	"	"-8-

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9/5/98

A. Ramaswamy…
Asst. Inspector of Schools
Agency Division

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Geography	68	48	1	47	127	58	13	45	
Hygiene	56	35	7	28	92	45	18	27	
English	120	98	10	88	115	74	14	60	
History of India	5	4	"	4	71	62	17	45	
Drill					57	47	"	47	

Madras Asst Inspr of Schs
9/5/98 Agency Circle

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Institutions.

8	48	1	47	127	58	13	45
6	35	7	28	92	45	18	27
20	98	10	88	115	74	14	60
5	4	u	4.	71	62	17	45
				57	47	x	47.

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1	2/1	5/2	–
–	–	–	1
4	2/1	13/2	3

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...ning teachers during the year under report had been utilized.

...nen of municipal councils concerned before the 1st May.

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Unaided and indigenous

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of the teaching staff employed in [illegible] Municipality

Number possessing general education certificates only, but who are qualified by length of service on 1st April 1895.	Number possessing neither general nor professional qualifications but who are qualified by length of service on 1st April 1895.	Number entirely unqualified.			Remarks.
5	6	7			8
		Passed	Unpassed		
—	—	—	—		
3	..	3	1	17/48	
—	—	5	1		
1	2/1	5/2	—		
—	—	—	1		
4	2/1	13/2	3		

Of the 18 unqualified teachers only 3 were unpassed men. The passed teachers employed in the aided schools will be required to undergo training.

This statement includes 8 5 gymnastic instructors and drawing masters.

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...r training teachers during the year under report had been utilized.

...airmen of municipal councils concerned before the 1st May.

Institutions.	
1	
Colleges	Government
	Local or municipal
	Aided from public funds
	Unaided and indigenous
Secondary schools	Government
	Local or municipal
	Aided from public funds
	Unaided and indigenous
Primary schools	Government
	Local or municipal
	Aided from public funds
	Unaided and indigenous
Training schools	Government
	Local or municipal
	Aided from public funds
	Unaided and indigenous
Sessional schools	Government
	Local or municipal
	Aided from public funds
	Unaided and indigenous
Industrial schools	Government
	Local or municipal
	Aided from public funds
	Unaided and indigenous

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Statement No. II showing the proportion of pupils of the great classes of the population to children of school age in the Ongole Municipality. ~~Board~~

Classes of population.	Population of school age.		Pupils under instruction.		Percentage.		Remarks.
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Europeans and Eurasians	77 (Europeans and Eurasians and Native Christians)	-	3	"	427 (Europeans and Eurasians and Native Christians)	-	The high percentage under instruction … population of school age arbitrarily fixed … percent the total are due to 17 boys from the town and 2 of the A B M School … number … parts
Native Christians			326	"			
Muhammadans	84	-	69	"	87	-	
Hindus .. Brahmans	653 (all Hindus)		275	"	115 (all Hindus)		
Hindus .. Non-Brahman caste Hindus			400	"			
Hindus .. Panchamas			80	"			
Others .. .. .. Total	814		1153		142		

Dist. Asst. Insp. [illegible]

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Statement No. II showing the proportion of pupils of the great classes of the population to children of ...

the Cuddalore ~~Board~~ Municipality.

Classes of population.	Population of school age.		Pupils under instruction.		Percentage.		Remarks.
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			3	"			The high percentage under instruction in population of sch... arbitrarily fi... percent due to... are due 1) to... boys from ru... the town and 2)... of the ABM ... School ... meth... numbers. ... parts ✓
Europeans and Eurasians	77	-	326	"	423	-	
Native Christians	84	-	69	"	87	-	
Muhammadans			275	"			
Hindus .. Brahmans	653.		400	"	115		
Hindus .. Non-Brahman caste Hindus ..			80	"			
Hindus .. Panchamas							
Others	Total 814		1153.		142.		

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Madras 2/6/98

Asstt Insp...

OPTIONAL SUBJECTS.

No: 214 Gd:

Statement No. III giving particulars as to the qualificat

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Classes of institutions.		Number of teachers employed.	Number possessing trained teachers' certificates.	Number possessing untrained teachers' certificates.
1		2	3	4
Colleges ..	Government			
	Local or municipal			
	Aided from public funds			
	Unaided and indigenous			
Secondary Schools.	Government Training School	2	2	—
	Local or municipal			
	Aided from public funds	22	11	4
	Unaided and indigenous	7	—	1
Primary Schools.	Government	1	—	1
	Local or municipal			
	Aided from public funds	21 5	8 1	5 1
	Unaided and indigenous	2	—	1
	Total	55		

189 Optional Subjects.

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

Standard.	1896-97. Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	1897-98. Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Remarks.
VII. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination.			Result Schools.						
VI. Standard					3	2	"	2	
Do.					7	3	"	3	
Do. including Primary School Examination.	74	49	4	45	83	78	19	59	
V. Standard	94	56	3	53	71	49	"	49	
IV. Do.	101	68	4	64	97	78	8	70	
III. Do.	94	79	34	45	76	47	19	28	
Int Do.	75	54	16	38	74	54	30	24	
					410	311			

Name of Subject.*	1896-97. Optional Subjects.	189 . Optional Subjects.

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

Standard.	1896-97 Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	1897-98 Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Remarks.
II. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination.									
VI. Standard									
V. Do.									
Do. including Primary School mination.									
Standard	1	1	1	"					
Do.	3	2	"	2		Nil			
Do.	4	3	"	3					
Do.	12	7	2	5					

No girls were examined for Fourth Grade Provincial Certificate.

Name of Subject.*	189 . Optional Subjects.	189 . Optional Subjects.

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

Standard.	1896-97 Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	1897-98 Compulsory Subjects only. Number of pupils presented for the Standard.	Number passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Remarks.
II. Standard or Lower Secondary Examination.									No girls were examined from Provincial Funds.
VI. Standard									
V. Do.									
Do. including Primary School Examination.									
Standard	1	1	1	"					
Do.	3	2	"	2		Nil			
Do.	4	3	"	3					
Do.	12	7	2	5					

Name of Subject.*	189 . Optional Subjects.	189 . Optional Subjects.

No 2824 C2

Statement V. A Showing the Statistics of

Institutions.	Number of Schools				Number on rolls on 31st March 1898		Average number on the rolls month by month during the year	Receipts		
	At the beginning of the year	Opened during the year	Closed during the year	At the close of the year	Boys.	Girls		Grants from Provincial Funds	Grants from Local Funds	School Fees
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
IV Upper Primary Schools (Upper Primary)										
B. Salary Results System	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Municipal Salary Result Upper Primary (Lower Primary)										
School for Mohammadan boys	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total	2	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

Madras
14/5/98.

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RR No 195 / 17/5/98

Statement No V:B. Showing the official year 1897-98.

School	Number at the beginning of the year	Number ... disbursed: Total			Amount of salary grants disbursed			Total expenditure from municipal funds columns 14 & 15			Remarks
	2	14			15			16			17
Salary Grant School A B M College Angole	1				325	15	4	325	15	4	Allotment for R grants 800 Salary do 3840
Lower Secondary School — Middle Department	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	do
Lower Secondary School — Upper Primary Do.	1	266	"	"	"	"	"	266	"	"	
Lower Secondary School — Lower Do	1	107	"	"	"	"	"	107	"	"	

No 224 C.L.

R.R. No 195 / 17/5/98

Statement No V:B. Showing the statistics of aided schools in the municipality of Ongole for the official year 1897-98.

Schools	Number of schools: At the beginning of the year	Opened during the year	Closed during the year	At the close of the year	Number on rolls on 31st March 98: Boys	Girls	Number of pupils examined in result grant standards	No. of pupils passed qualifying for result grants	Full amount of result grants earned	Amount of result grants passed for payment	Amount of result grants disbursed: For current year	For previous year	Total	Amount of salary grants disbursed	Total expenditure from municipal funds columns 14 & 15	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Salary Grant School A.B.M. College Ongole	1	—	—	1	311	—								325 15 4	325 15 4	Allotment for R grants 800 / Salary do 340
Lower Secondary School: Middle Department	1	"	"	1	4	"	10	5	49 8 .	" . "	" " .	" " .	" . .	. " "	. " .	
Upper Primary Do.	1	"	"	1	14	"	33	32	287 " .	266 " .	266 " "	" " "	266 " .	" " .	266 " .	do
Lower Do	1	"	"	1	73	"	28	28	110 10 .	107 " "	107 " "	" " "	107 . .	" " "	107 " .	

Enclosure No 5

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EXTRACT FROM THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, ONGOLE, PASSED AT A MEETING HELD ON Monday THE 4th July 1898 AT 7 p.m. IN THE MUNICIPAL OFFICE.

97 READ:— Draft Annual report and Statements of the Ongole Municipality for 1897-98.

Approved.

(True Copy)

Municipal Office
Ongole
4th July 1898

Vice Chairman

Chairman

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

	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98. including subsequent assessment.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (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	2593 6 1		1810 0 0	2593 " "	1202 9 1
b. Endowments	687 6 3		710 " "	687 " "	641 11 1
c. Water-tax Fund	" " "	3280 10 4	2520 0 0	3280 " "	1844 4 2
2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES—					
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53)	1051 " "		1330 " "	1000 " "	1430 " "
b. Tax on buildings (section 63)	3051 5 8		3210 " "	3220 " "	3342 5 3
c. Tax on lands (section 63) and Vacant grounds	144 4 3		140 " "	160 " "	165 2 7
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)	" " "		" " "	" " "	" " "
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77)	123 " "		110 " "	150 " "	138 " "
f. Tax on animals (section 77)	674 12 0		700 " "	780 " "	748 12 "
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85)	1180 " "		1100 " "	1230 " "	1196 " "
h. Tolls (section 91)—	1665 5 4		1670 " "	1670 " "	1643 13 0
Gross receipts 2492-0-0.	1784 15 8				
~~Less~~ Local Fund share ~~826-10-8~~ 707-04					
i. Penalties on account of—					
i. Tax on arts					1 0 0
ii. Tax on buildings					" 19 "
iii. Tax on lands					" 8 "
iv. Water-tax on buildings and lands					
v. Tax on vehicles, &c.					
vi. Tax on animals					
vii. Tax on carts, &c.	8 8 0			10 " "	
viii. Evasion of tolls	" " "	7898 3 3			
3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS—					
a. Pounds					
b. Ferry rents					
c. Fees under Act II of 1888	135 " "	135 " "			
Carried forward		8033 3 3	8260 " "	8220 " "	8660 10 7

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

	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98. including subsequent attachments	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (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 ..		8033 3 3	8260 0 0	8220 0 0	8660 10 7
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—					
a. i. Rent of lands	103 0 0		105 0 0	105 0 0	103 0 0
ii. Rent of buildings	0 0 0		0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
iii. Avenue receipts	8 12 0		10 0 0	10 0 0	8 8 0
iv. Fees from Traveller's Bungalows	119 3 0		100 0 0	140 0 0	183 0 0
		230 15 0			
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings	0 0 0		0 0 0	20 0 0	0 0 0
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c.	4 2 6		0 0 0	5 0 0	0 0 0
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c.	54 13 3		25 0 0	40 0 0	30 13 0
		58 15 9			
c. Conservancy receipts— Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c.	154 2 0	154 2 0	100 0 0	130 0 0	191 13 0
d. i. Fees from educational institutions	0 0 0		0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions	0 0 0		0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines	127 12 0		120 0 0	120 0 0	138 14 0
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..	0 0 0		0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0
		127 12 0			
f. i. Income from markets	97 7 8		0 0 0	100 0 0	0 0 0
ii. ,, slaughter-houses..	210 0 0		220 0 0	210 0 0	170 0 0
		307 7 8			
g. Other fees— i. Distraint fees & Warrant fees	26 4 0		5 0 0	15 0 0	1 10 6
ii. License fees	218 4 0		235 0 0	270 0 0	263 0 0
iii. Cartstand fees	608 13 4		500 0 0	610 0 0	550 0 0
iv. Other fees	1 8 0		0 0 0	5 0 0	18 0 0
		854 13 4			
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts	295 6 0	295 6 0	150 0 0	280 0 0	136 2 0
i. Interest on investments—					
i. General, including choultries					
ii. Educational					
iii. Medical					
j. Premium on loans					
Carried forward ..		10062 11 0	9830 0 0	10280 0 0	10438 11 1

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

	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98. including subsequently attachments	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (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 ..		10062 11 0	9830 0 0	10280 0 0	10438 11 1
5. Grants and contributions—					
a. From Government—					
i. Education—					
Normal stipends					
Buildings					
Municipal Schools					
Other purposes					
ii. Medical					
iii. Other purposes—					
Communications					
Water-supply					
Drainage					
Sanitation					
Other purposes					
b. From Local Boards—					
i. Education					
ii. Medical	2848 3 7		2920 0 0	2850 0 0	2563 12 2
iii. Other purposes	0 0 0				
c. Other grants and contributions—					
i. Education					
ii. Medical					
iii. Other purposes					
6. Miscellaneous—		2848 3 7			
a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—					
i. Private scavenging	572 0 0		560 0 0	580 0 0	565 2 0
ii. Other purposes	20 0 0		0 0 0	10 0 0	1 4 0
b. Other items—					
i. Fishery rents					
ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year					4 12 1
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c.	4 0				0 6 0
iv. Other items					76 9 3
	592 15 0				
Carried forward ..		13503 13 7	13310 0 0	13720 0 0	13650 8 7

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

	Actuals 1897-98.		Budget Estimate for 1897-98. excluding extraordinary allotment	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.			
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		13503 13 7	13310 0 0	13720 0 0	13650 8 7
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	351 10 4	351 10 4	" " "	360 " "	1 " "
Total Receipts ..		13855 7 11	13310 0 0	14080 " "	13650 8 8
Grand Total ..		17136 2 3	15830 0 0	17360 " "	15494 12 "

NOTE TO STATEMENT I.

1. Tax on arts, &c., is levied on ~~the first~~ all classes.
2. Tax on buildings is levied at 7 per cent. and tax on lands at annas 4 per cent. of rent value. for every 80 square yards.
3. Water-tax on buildings and lands is ~~not~~ levied at ~~——~~ per cent. in this municipality
4. Tax on vehicles and animals is levied at - the maximum rates.
5. Tax on carts, &c., is levied at Rs. 4 per cart. per annum.
6. Tolls are levied at 3/4 the maximum rates.
7. License-fees ~~are~~ were levied at the rates sanctioned in G.O. Nos 896 dt 3-12-96 / 781 M dt 14-6-93 / 1268 M dt 19-9-93 & 35 M dt 6-1-1898
8. The house-tax registers were last revised in the official year 1896 and the land tax registers in the official year. 1897-98
9. Total extent of land assessed is 281 acres. 15 Cents
10. The mode of estimating the annual rental of houses and lands ~~is~~ was as follows:— The town was divided into 2 classes for valuation purposes according to the average annual rental value of houses in each locality and tax on each building was levied according to the rate fixed for each class with the consents of the house holders in each street
2 Lands were assessed on the approximate value of annual produce and Vacant grounds with reference to clause 3 of section 63 of Act III of 1884 as amended by Act III of 1897 (Madras District Municipalities Act).

STATEMENT I-A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Council under Sections 25 and 26 of Act V of 1884 for the official year 1897-98.

Name of Institution.	Amount of Funded Capital.	Opening Balance.	Interest, Produce of Land or Rent of buildings.	Appropriation from Municipal Funds (Column 16 minus Column 10).	Total Receipts (Columns 3, 8 and 9).	Contribution from: Local Funds.	Contribution from: Provincial Funds.	Total (Columns 4—7).	Sale of Medicines or Sundry Property.	Private Contributions and Donations.	Appropriation from Capital for Expenditure.	Total (Statement II).	Current Charges.	Invested.	Appropriation from Municipal Funds (Column 10).	Total Receipts (Columns 3, 8 and 9).	Provincial Funds.	Local Funds.	Total (Columns 4—7).	Interest, Produce of Land or Rent of buildings.	Sale of Medicines or Sundry Property.	Private Contributions and Donations.	Appropriation from Capital for Expenditure.	Total (Statement II).	Allotted for Public Works. (Statement II-A).	Total Charges (Col plus Column 15).	Closing Balance (Col minus Column 16).	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	11	10	9		8	7	6	5	14	13	12	11	10		9	8	4	7	6	5	14	15	16	17	18
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	
Nagarathna Choultry	"	687-6-3	103-"	"	794-7-9	"	"	107-2-6	14-2-6	"	"	3-"	3-"	"	"	794-7-9	"	"	107-2-6	103-"	14-2-6	"	"	3-"	286-10-5	289-10-5	609-13-4	

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

	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98. including additional allotment	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
GRANT 1.—(*Public Works*)—					
1. New Works—					
a. Communications	830 3 8		1120 - -	850 - -	2431 10
b. Buildings	842 13 6		880 - -	900 - -	426 5 2
c. Drainage	- - -				
d. Water-supply	- - -	1673 1 2			
2. Repairs—					
a. Communications	806 11 6		840 - -	820 - -	216 12 8
b. Buildings	198 0 9		210 - -	200 - -	138 15 8
c. Drainage—					
i. Repairs to works					
ii. Establishment for flushing drains, &c.					
d. Water-supply—					
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c.	673 7 11		1140 - -	1090 - -	95 2 1
ii. Establishment	59 8 0		60 - -	60 - -	59 4 0
iii. Contingencies	3 - -		- - -	- - -	- 3 9
Miscellaneous public improvements	49 13 7	2787 9 9	50 - -	50 - -	30 - -
3. Establishment	113 11 4	113 11 4	120 - -	120 - -	120 - -
4. Tools and Plant and other stores.	8 4 8	8 4 8	10 - -	10 - -	7 12 -
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 1		3587 10 11	4450 - -	4100 - -	1337 9 2
GRANT 2.—(*Education*)—					
1. Training Schools—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards					
b. Stipends to Normal students					
2. Municipal Schools—					
i. On Salary System—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
Carried forward					

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

	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98. including additional allotment	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brought forward					
GRANT 2.—(*Education*)—cont.					
ii. On Salary-Results System—					
a. Fixed Payments	16 - -		- - -	20 - -	96 - -
b. Result Grants	- - -		- - -	- - -	16 12 -
c. Contingencies	18 10 6	34 10 6	20 - -	- - -	55 - -
3. Salary Grants	325 15 4	325 15 4	340 - -	340 - -	298 12 -
4. Results Grants	802 4 0	802 4 0	800 - -	810 - -	982 10 10
5. Combined Grants—					
a. Fixed Payments					
b. Result Grants					
6. Inspection—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards					
b. Municipal Inspectors—					
i. Establishment	48 1 0		60 - -	50 - -	60 - -
ii. Contingencies	15 10 8	63 11 8	20 - -	20 - -	18 - 6
7. Miscellaneous—					
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants					
b. Common gymnasium—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies					
c. Common Drawing Master—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies					
d. Other items					
Total, Grant 2		1226 9 6	1240 - -	1240 - -	1527 3 4
GRANT 3.—(*Sanitation and Medical Services*).					
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—					
a. Establishment	2247 13 4		2250 - -	2250 - -	2247 2 -
b. Medicines and Supplies	509 11 9		600 - -	510 - -	131 15 10
c. Diet of Patients	548 9 9		590 - -	550 - -	659 - -
d. Sundries and Contingencies	218 11 6		250 - -	240 - -	372 4 8
e. Contributions to Local Boards &c., &c., &c.	- - -				
		3524 14 3			
Carried forward		3524 14 3	3690 - -	3550 - -	3410 4 6

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

	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget. Estimate for 1897-98. including additional allotment	Revised. Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (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 ..		3524 14 3	3690 - -	3550 - -	3410 4 6
GRANT 3.—(*Sanitation and Medical Services*)—cont.					
2. *a.* CONTRIBUTIONS TO PROVINCIAL FUNDS FOR—					
i. Medical College	71 - -		45 - -	45 - -	49 - -
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..	44 - 9		45 - -	45 - -	39 - -
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..	15 - -		10 - -	10 - -	11 - -
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..	- - -	130 - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
b. CONTRIBUTIONS TO LOCAL BOARDS, &C., FOR—					
i. Medical Schools					
ii. Reserve staff					
&c., &c., & &c. ..					
c. OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS					
3. VACCINATION—					
a. Establishment	143 14 6		144 0 0	145 - -	151 5 -
b. Contingencies	47 2 2		56 - -	45 - -	83 8 -
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..	- - -	191 - 2	- - -	- - -	- - -
4. REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS—					
a. Establishment	83 4 0		84 - -	85 - -	84 - -
b. Contingencies	2 15 6	86 3 6	6 0 0	5 - -	7 12 10
5. CONSERVANCY, ROAD CLEANING AND ROAD WATERING—					
a. i. Establishment	2065 14 6		2120 - -	2070 - -	1970 13 10
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	637 2 3		680 - -	630 - -	411 14 6
b. Private scavenging—					
i. Establishment	549 1 9		560 - -	550 - -	546 4 5
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c.	0 7 6		10 - -	10 - -	3 6 2
c. Cholera charges	55 5 2		430 - -	430 - -	- - -
d. Contingencies	13 14 7		10 - -	10 - -	11 3 6
&c., &c., &c. ..		3321 13 3			
Total, Grant 3 ..		7253 15 2	7880 - -	7630 - -	6779 8 9

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

	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget. Estimate for 1897-98. including additional allotment	Revised. Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT 4.—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*).					
1. LIGHTING—					
a. Establishment	176 10 6		180 - -	180 - -	179 12 -
b. Contingencies	432 14 5		430 - -	390 - -	417 3 4
2. i. MARKETS—		609 8 11			
a. Establishment	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
b. Contingencies	8 3 3		- - -	10 - -	4 11 9
ii. SLAUGHTER-HOUSES—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies	87 14 1	16 1 4	20 - -	10 - -	- - -
3. CHOULTRIES—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
c. Feeding Travellers					
4. TRAVELLERS' BUNGALOWS—					
a. Establishment	83 14 4		84 - -	84 - -	83 15 1
b. Contingencies	20 0 2	103 14 6	6 - -	26 - -	18 0 8
5. AVENUES—					
a. Establishment	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
b. Contingencies	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
6. PUBLIC GARDEN—					
a. Establishment	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
7. SURVEY OF LAND	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
8. FIRE—					
a. Establishment	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
b. Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c.	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
9. OTHER CHARGES—					
i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging ..	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
Carried forward ..		729 8 9	720 - -	700 - -	703 10 10

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

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1	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads. (2) RS. A. P.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads. (3) RS. A. P.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98, including additional allotment (4) RS. A. P.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98 (5) RS. A. P.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures) (6) RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		729 8 9	720 0 0	700 " "	703 10 10
GRANT 4.—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont.					
9. OTHER CHARGES—cont.					
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes	9 15 0		20 " "	10 " "	10 " "
iii. Printing	394 7 8		350 " "	380 " "	418 3 5
iv. Compensation for lands	" " "		" " "	" " "	" " "
v. Other items	504 7 9		630 " "	500 " "	62 13 4
		908 14 5			
Total, Grant 4 ..		1638 7 2	1620 " "	1590 " "	1194 11 7
GRANT 5—					
a. General Establishment—	120				
i. Office Establishment	709 15 10		714 " "	710 " "	710 2 0
ii. Inspection					
b. Collection of Municipal Taxes—					
i. Establishment	211 14 "		216 " "	210 " "	214 5 7
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c.					
c. Collection of Tolls—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies	12 " "		30 " "	30 " "	11 7 0
d. Office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii)	385 5 11		[illegible]	310 " "	342 3 1
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments	120 " "		120 " "	120 " "	88 " "
		1439 3 9			
Total, Grant 5 ..		1439 3 9	1390 " "	1380 " "	1366 1 8
REPAYMENT OF DEBT—					
a. Instalments paid during the year ..					
b. Invested on account of Sinking Fund (Value of securities purchased)					
c. Charges of investment					
INTEREST—					
a. On account of last year					
b. On account of current years ..					

[illegible] 347-2-0
506-79
830
597
12
1439

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

1	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads. (2) RS. A. P.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads. (3) RS. A. P.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98, including additional allotment (4) RS. A. P.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98 (5) RS. A. P.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures) (6) RS. A. P.
Advances recoverable—					
a. Permanent					
b. Others					
Refunds of other than current collections ..	8 " "		10 " "		9 " "
Discount					
Pensions and gratuities					
Investments—					
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund					
b. In Savings Bank		" " "			
Total Expenditure ..		15153 14 6	16580 " "	15950 " "	12214 2 6
Balances—					
a. Municipal Fund	1477 6 5		-865 " "	1313 " "	2593 5 1
b. Endowments	504 13 4		115 " "	97 " "	687 5 3
c. Water-tax Fund	" " "	1982 3 9	" " "	" " "	" " "
Grand Total ..		17136 2 3	15830 " "	17360 " "	15494 12 10

NOTE TO STATEMENT II.

Position of the Municipality of Ongole *on 31st March* 1898

Liabilities.	RS.	Assets.	RS.
Liabilities—		Municipal Balance .. { Cash / Securities	1982-3-9 / "
Balance of Loans		Deposit Balance .. { Cash / Securities	611-5-6 / "
Deposits to be adjusted	611-5-6	Sinking Fund of loans	"
Other Liabilities (in detail)	615-11-6	Funded Capital of endowed institutions, Hospitals, &c.	"
Excess drawn from the [illegible] the maintenance charges of the municipal Hospital ongole for 1897-98 570-1-2		Total ..	2593-9-3
Bill charges due to [illegible] for February 1898 37-10-4		Value of Premises, &c.	16290-0-0
Magesterial fine to be refunded to Sheik Mastan Sahib 8-0-0		Do. of Tools and plant	1660-0-0
		Do. of Live stock	"
		Do. of Furniture	1520-"-"
		Arrears of taxes, &c.	520-4-3
		Other assets (in detail)	"
		Total ..	19990-4-3
		Claims— Advances Recoverable— Permanent advance	
		Advances for works, &c.	119-10-4
Total ..	1227-1[illegible]	Total ..	119-10-4

Total 22703-7-1

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

Part I.—New Works.

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate. RS.	Past expenditure. RS.	A.	P.	Expenditure in 1897–98. RS.	A.	P.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4			5			6
(a)	Communications								
1	Construction of a road in G. Narasimhalu Naidu gari Street	500	"	"	"	280	"	"	
2	Construction of an apron at the entrance to Bheemarazu Veerakala raswami's street	58	"	"	"	56	5	10	
3	Construction of a road in Chenikula vari street	700	144	8	0	227	11	8	✓
4	Construction of Court street road to Rangarao's tank	200	98	9	10	108	8	3	
5	Construction of a tunnel in Court street road near Poleramma's temple	150	"	"	"	157	9	11	
	Total ..	1608	243	1	10	830	3	8	
(b)	Buildings								
1	Constructing pandals in front of market	40	"	"	"	33	7	6	x
2	Construction of Northern Toll gate	121	"	"	"	120	9	0	
3	do Eastern Toll gate	121	"	"	"	120	10	0	
4	do Southern Toll gate	121	"	"	"	117	11	11	358-14-11
5	For the purchase of Dustbins	50	"	"	"	40	4	2	
6	Construction of a latrine in Vallaya Pete	200	"	"	"	135	"	"	
7	Fish stalls in Market	190	"	"	"	200	15	3	
8	For constructing a wall between Mutton and Vegetable stalls in the Market	40	"	"	"	74	3	8	
	Total ..	883	"	"	"	842	13	6	

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

Part I.—New Works—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate. RS.	Past expenditure. RS.	A.	P.	Expenditure in 1897–98. RS.	A.	P.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4			5			6
(c)	Drainage	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
1									
2									
3									
	Total ..	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
(d)	Water-supply	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
1									
2									
3									
	Total ..	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	

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

PART II.—Repairs.

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(a)	Communications							Total mileage of roads, streets, lanes, &c., in the town. 14 3/4
1	Repairs of Trunk road	376	"	"	346	"	"	
2	Breaking stones on some roads	25	"	"	23	3	1	Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled. 6 1/2 — 8 1/4
3	Repairs of Kukkalapalli Shutter	75	"	"	74	1	6	
4	Repairs of Hardinge road	122	"	"	122	0	6	
5	Repairs of Branch road	120	"	"	136	13	1	Total mileage under maintenance. 11 1/3
6	Repairs of Peppakozur road	55	"	"	54	6	7	
7	Repairs of Pathyari Street Road	52	"	"	50	3	3	Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled. 6 1/2 — 5
	Total ..	825	"	"	806	11	6	

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

PART II.—Repairs—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(b)	Buildings							
1	Rethatching the shed on the road of Rangarbo's tank	"	"	"	2	8	0	
2	White washing Infantry Hospital and Subsidiary Wards	51	"	"	43	3	10	
3	Repairs of Dolly Urinals	"	"	"	1	5	6	
4	Repairs of Travellers bungalow Cookroom	150	"	"	147	15	5	
	Total ..	201	"	"	195	0	9	

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

Part II.—Repairs—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
(*c*)	Drainage	„	„	„	„	„	„	
1								
2								
3								
	Total ..	„	„	„	„	„	„	
(*d*)	Water-supply							
1	Purchasing Telegraphic wire for fencing certain wells	20	„	„	17	15	0	
2	For fencing Ankamma's well	160	„	„	160	4	3	
3	Do Gaddamvari well	120	„	„	75	3	4	
4	Do Municipal well on Lambadi Rastha	55	„	„	65	1	7	
5	Repairs of Rangarow's tank	700	„	„	284	2	5	
6	Do Cheekleroswell in Eera Cheruvu	83	„	„	80	13	4	
	Total ..	1138	„	„	673	7	11	

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 1.—2. *c.* Drainage—							
Overseers	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Drain cleaners	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Total ..	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					„	„	„
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					„	„	„
Balance (Statement II) ..					„	„	„
d. Water works—							
Overseers	„	„	„	„	„	„	„
Watchmen	1	5	0	0	60	„	„
Total ..	1	5	„	„	60	„	„
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					„	8	„
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					„	„	„
Balance (Statement II) ..					59	8	„
3. General—							
Overseers							
Maistries	1	10	„	„	120	„	„
Total ..	1	10	„	„	120	„	„
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					1	4	8
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					„	„	„
Balance (Statement II) ..					118	11	4

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 2.—Education—							
1. Training Schools—							
Pupils receiving scholarships	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total ..	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					"	"	"
2. Municipal Schools—							
a. On the Salary System—							
Head Master	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1st Assistant Master	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
2nd " "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
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 2.—Education—*cont.*							
b. On the Salary Result System—							
Teacher	1	8	"	"	16	"	"
Total ..	1	8	"	"	16	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					16	"	"

Salary for March 1897 and one month's Salary paid to the teacher in lieu of three months notice as resolved by the Council in its resolution No 124 3-7-97

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 2.—Education—*cont.*							
6. Inspection—							
Inspecting Schoolmaster	1	5	"	"	60	"	"
Total ..	1	5	"	"	60	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					11	15	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					48	1	"
7. *b.* Common Gymnastic Instructors	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total ..	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					"	"	"
c. Common Drawing Masters	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
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 3.—Sanitation and Medical Services—							
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—							
Medical Subordinates Civil Apothecary in charge of the Hospital & pple	1	131	4	0	1575	"	"
" "	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Midwife	1	7	"	"	84	"	"
Clerk	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Compounder	1	15	"	"	180	"	"
Servants peon	1	6	"	"	72	"	"
" Male ward Cooly ..	1	6	"	"	72	"	"
" Waterman	1	4	8	"	54	"	"
" Cook	1	5	"	"	60	"	"
" Sweeper	1	5	"	"	60	"	"
" Female ward Cooly	1	5	"	"	60	"	"
" Dholy	1	2	8	0	30	"	"
Total ..	10	187	4	0	2247	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					23	8	2
Add arrears for last year paid this year. Pay time to the Hospital assistants who were in charge of the Hospital during the absence of Mr W. J. Bazely Civil Apothecary on cole					24	5	6
Balance (Statement II) ..					224	13	4

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 3.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
3. Vaccination—							
Vaccinators	1	12	0	0	144	0	0
Peons							
Total ..	1	12	0	0	144	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..						2	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..						0	0
Balance (Statement II) ..					143	14	0
4. Registration—							
Registrars	1	7	0	0	84	0	0
Peons	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total ..	1	7	0	0	84	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..						12	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..						0	0
Balance (Statement II) ..					83	4	0

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 3.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
5. *a.* "Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering"—							
Sanitary Inspectors	1	22	0	0	264	0	0
Nuisance Inspectors	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
"	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
"	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Maistries	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scavengers of public latrines ..	8	40	0	0	480	0	0
Sweepers of streets	20	100	0	0	1200	0	0
Peon	1	7	0	0	84	0	0
Peon	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
Total ..	31	174	0	0	2088	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					22	1	6
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					0	0	0
Balance (Statement II) ..					2065	14	6

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 3.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
b. Private Scavenging—							
Inspectors							
Maistries	1	6	0	0	72	0	0
Scavengers	8	40	0	0	480	0	0
Total ..	9	46	0	0	552	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					2	11	3
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					0	0	0
Balance (Statement II) ..					549	1	9
GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—							
1. Lighting—							
Superintendents							
Masalchies	3	15	0	0	180	0	0
Total ..	3	15	0	0	180	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					3	5	6
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					0	0	0
Balance (Statement II) ..					176	10	6

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
2. i. Markets—							
Superintendents							
Servants							
Total ..							
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.*

1	Number. 2	Salary per mensem. 3 RS. A. P.	Salary per annum. 4 RS. A. P.
GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*			
4. Travellers' Bungalows—			
Maty			
Servants	1	4 " "	48 " "
	1	3 " "	36 " "
Total ..	2	7 " "	84 " "
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			" 12 "
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			" " "
Balance (Statement II) ..			83 14 4
5. Avenues—			
Servants	"	" " "	" " "
Total ..	"	" " "	" " "
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.*

1	Number. 2	Salary per mensem. 3 RS. A. P.	Salary per annum. 4 RS. A. P.
GRANT 4.—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.— Other charges			
Other items. Water pendal			
Water pendal Keeper	1	8 " "	32 " " for four months only
Total	1	8 " "	32 " "
Deduct fines and stoppages			13 " "
Add Contingencies			8 13 6
Balance (Statement II)			27 13 6
The pendal was in existance from 8th April to 22nd June 1897			

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 5.—*a.* General Establishment—							
i. Office—							
Manager	1	22	8	0	270	0	0
Clerks	1	15	0	0	180	0	0
„ Clerk	1	10	0	0	120	0	0
„	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Accountants	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Peons	1	7	0	0	84	0	0
Peon	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
Total ..	5	59	8	0	714	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					4	0	2
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					0	0	0
Balance (Statement II) ..					709	15	10
ii. Inspection—							
Chairman's salary or carriage allowance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total ..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					0	0	0
Balance (Statement II) ..					0	0	0

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 5.—*a.* General Establishment—*cont.*							
b. Collection—							
Clerks							
Bill Collectors	2	18	0	0	216	0	0
Peons							
Total ..	2	18	0	0	216	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					4	2	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					0	0	0
Balance (Statement II) ..					211	14	0
c. Collection of tolls—							
Inspectors	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gate-keepers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total ..	0		0	0	0	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					0	0	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					0	0	0

STATEMENT III.—*Municipality of* Congalo — Abstract of Deposits Account for the year 1897–98.

	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Balance brought forward ..	942	7	3				
1. Deposits by appellants	242	"	"	1. Credited to Municipal Funds ..	973	5	10
2. Deposits by renters	558	4	0	2. Returned to appellants	90	8	0
3. Deposits by contractors	25	"	"	3. Returned to renters	"	"	"
4. Deposits as security by municipal servants	"	"	"	4. Returned to contractors	100	"	"
5. Deposited for the execution of work for which private parties are liable.	"	"	"	5. Returned to municipal servants ..	"	"	"
				6. Returned to parties	"	"	"
6. Other deposits under the Act or bye-laws	30	0	4	7. Paid to claimants	22	8	3
Total, Receipts ..	855	4	4	Balance ..	611	5	6
	1798				1798		

STATEMENT IV-A.—*Municipality of* Cangole 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.
Tax on arts, &c.	188			110			1078			1011	8	0				74	8	0	52		
Tax on buildings	3219	8					3219	8		3038	6	4	2	4	0	1	6	11	177	6	9
Tax on lands & Vacant Grounds	158	11	9				158	11	9	141	7	3				1	13	8	15	6	10
Water-tax on buildings and lands																					
Tolls (gross receipts)	2492						2492			2492											
Market rents	115	14	10				115	14	10	97	7	8							18	7	2
Slaughter-house fees	210						210			210											
Rent of cart-stands	570						570			570											
Private scavenging fees	575	4					575	4	0	567	6								7	14	0
Taxon Vehicles	165						165			123									42		
Taxon Animals	763	8	0	9	8	0	754			660									94		
Taxon Carts	1286			4			1282			1170									112		
Total	10743	14	7	123	8	0	10620	6	7	10081	3	3	2	4	0	17	12	7	519	2	9

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.
n arts, &c.	0	8	"	39	"	"	39	8	0	39	8	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1896-97			
n buildings	"	"	"	13	7	5	13	7	5	12	15	4	"	"	"	"	4	7	"	3	6	0-3-6			
n lands (Vacant grounds)	"	11	7	2	15	5	3	11	0	2	13	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	4	0	0-14-0		
r-tax on buildings and lands ..	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
.. ..	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
et rents	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
hter-house fees	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
of cart-stands	38	13	4	"	"	"	38	13	4	38	13	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
e scavenging fees	"	"	"	4	10	0	4	10	0	4	10	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
on Shiela	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
n. Animals	3	0	0	12	12	0	15	12	0	14	12	0	"	"	"	1	0	0	"	"	"				
an Carts	12	"	"	8	"	"	20	"	"	10	"	"	"	"	"	10	"	"	"	"	"				
Total ..	55	0	11	80	12	10	135	13	9	123	7	8	"	"	"	11	4	7	1	1	6	1-1-6			

Appendix A to Statements IV-A and IV-B

axes.	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year.		Warrants issued during the year.		Total.		Warrants executed and warrants cancelled during the year.		Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year.		Cancelled warrants on which no collections were made.		Collected after issue of warrants, but before distraint.		Property distrained, but not sold.		Property sold.	
	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount.	Number of cases	Amount realized on distraint.	Number of cases.	Amount realized by sale.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19

	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
arts, &c. ...	2	25	8	0	32	27	8	0	34	53	0	0	21	44	8	0	13	8	8	0	2	1	0	0	19	48	8	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
buildings ...	4	3	14	"	71	44	15	9	75	48	13	9	64	43	13	2	11	5	0	7	"	"	"	"	60	41	10	10	4	2	2	4	"	"	"	"
lands (Waste grants)	14	2	12	11	14	7	11	4	18	10	8	3	12	6	6	3	6	4	2	0	1	0	9	6	11	5	12	10	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
ax on build- and lands.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
vehicles with gs and palan-	9	22	4	0	184	410	8	0	193	432	12	0	125	248	12	0	68	184	"	"	10	24	"	"	114	216	12	0	1	8	0	0	"	"	"	"
animals ..						545	2																			207	11		0	10	24					
carts, &c. ...																																				
Stand fee	1	48	8	8	"	"	"	"	1	48	8	8	1	48	8	8	"	"	"	"	1	9	11	4	"	38	13	4	"	"	"	"				
ellaneous fees	"	"	"	"	1	51	11	10	1	51	11	10	1	15	11	0	"	36	"	10	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	15	11	0	
...	20	10	2	15	7	302	542	6	11	322	645	6	6	224	407	11	1	98	237	11	5	14	35	4	9	204	346	9	0	5	10	2	4	1	15	11	0

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

	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.			
	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.
arts, &c.	0	8	"	39	"	"	39	8	0	39	8	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1896-97			
buildings	"	"	"	13	7	5	13	7	5	12	15	4	"	"	"	"	4	7	"	3	6	0-3-6			
lands & Vacant grounds	"	11	7	2	15	5	3	11	0	2	13	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	14	0	0-14-0			
ax on buildings and lands ..	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
.. ..	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
rents	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
er-house fees	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
cart-stands	38	13	4	"	"	"	38	13	4	38	13	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
scavenging fees	"	"	"	4	10	0	4	10	0	4	10	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
n Khiela	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Sheikh	3	0	0	12	12	0	15	12	0	14	12	0	"	"	"	1	0	0	"	"	"				
n Carlo	12	"	"	8	"	"	20	"	"	10	"	"	"	"	"	10	"	"	"	"	"				
Total ..	55	0	11	80	12	10	135	13	9	123	7	8	"	"	"	11	4	7	1	1	6	1-1-6			

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Appendix A to Statements IV-A and IV-B

xes.	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year.		Warrants issued during the year.		Total.		Warrants executed and warrants cancelled during the year.		Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year.		Cancelled warrants on which no collections were made.		Collected after issue of warrants, but before distraint.		Property distrained, but not sold.		Property sold.	
	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount.	Number of cases	Amount realized on distraint.	Number of cases.	Amount realized by sale.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19

	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year.				Warrants issued during the year.				Total.				Warrants executed and warrants cancelled during the year.				Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year.				Cancelled warrants on which no collections were made.				Collected after issue of warrants, but before distraint.				Property distrained, but not sold.				Property sold.			
	Number.		Amount involved.		Number.		Amount involved.		Number.		Amount involved.		Number.		Amount involved.		Number.		Amount involved.		Number of cases.		Amount involved.		Number of cases.		Amount.		Number of cases		Amount realized on distraint.		Number of cases.		Amount realized by sale.	
			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.
arts, &c. ..	2		25	8 0	32		27	8 0	34		53	0 0	21		44	8 0	13		8	8 0	2		1	0 0	19		46	8 0	"		"	" "	"		"	" "
buildings ..	4		3	14 -	71		44	15 9	75		48	13 9	64		43	13 2	11		5	0 7	"		"	" "	60		41	10 10	4		2	2 4	"		"	" "
lands & Vacant grounds	14		2	12 11	14		7	11 4	18		10	8 3	12		6	6 3	6		4	2 0	1		0	9 5	11		5	12 10	6		"	" "	"		"	" "
ax on buildings and lands. ..	"		"	" "	"		"	" "	"		"	" "	"		"	" "	"		"	" "	"		"	" "	"		"	" "	"		"	" "	"		"	" "
vehicles with gs and palan- ..	9		22	4 0	184		410	8 6	193		432	12 0	125		248	12 0	68		184	" "	10		24	" "	114		216	12 0	1		8	0 0	"		"	" "
animals ..											545	2															387	11 6	0		10	24				
carts, &c. ..																																				
t Stand fee	1		48	8 8	"		"	" "	1		48	8 8	1		48	8 8	"		"	" "	1		9	11 4	"		38	13 4	"		"	" "				
cellaneous fees	"		"	" "	1		51	11 10	1		51	11 10	1		15	11 0	"		36	" 10	"		"	" "	"		"	" "	"		"	" "	1		15	11 0
l ...	20		102	15 7	302		542	6 11	322		645	6 6	224		407	11 1	98		237	11 5	14		35	4 9	204		346	9 0	5		10	2 4	1		15	11 0

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

Taxes.	Prosecutions instituted.		Collections before judgment.		Collections after judgment.		Prosecutions withdrawn or dismissed.		Balance.	
	Number of cases.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount collected.	Number of cases.	Amount collected.	Number of cases.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount involved.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
1. Tax on arts, &c.	2	2 5 8 0	2	2 5 8 0	"	" " "	"	" " "	"	" " "
2. Tax on buildings.	1	0 9 0	1	0 9 0	"	" " "	"	" " "	"	" " "
3. Tax on lands	"	" " "	"	" " "	"	" " "	"	" " "	"	" " "
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands	"	" " "	"	" " "	"	" " "	"	" " "	"	" " "
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins										
6. Tax on animals	5	13 4 0	3	4 4 0	"	" " "	2	9 " "	"	" " "
7. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs.										
Total	8	39 5 0	6	30 5 0	"	" " "	2	9 " "	"	" " "

Statement V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Angole for the official year 1897-98.

EMENT V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Congole for the official year 1897-98.

Schools.	Number of schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 1898.		Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Receipts.					Expenditure.								Net cost to municipality.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools.	Remarks.
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed in the year.	At the close of the year.	Boys.	Girls.		Grants from Provincial Funds.	Grants from Local Funds.	School fees.	Other receipts.	Total.	Teachers. Fixed salary.	Teachers. Results stipends.	Teachers. School fees.	Clerks and servants.	Stipends and scholarships.	Library furniture, apparatus and appliances.	Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
								RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Colleges																							
Upper Secondary Schools and Departments.																							
Total ...																							
Upper Secondary Schools and Departments:—																							
Salary System—																							
Total ...																							
(b) Salary-results System—																							
Total ...																							
Colleges and Secondary Schools																							
Primary Schools and Departments.																							
(a) Salary System—																							
Total ...																							

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cement V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of Cuttack for the official year 1897-98—*cont.*

Schools.	Number of schools. At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed in the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1898. Boys.	Girls.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Receipts. Grants from Provincial Funds.	Grants from Local Funds.	School fees.	Other receipts.	Total.	Expenditure. Teachers. Fixed salary.	Results stipends.	School fees.	Clerks and servants.	Stipends and scholarships.	Library furniture, apparatus and appliances.	Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Total.	Net cost to municipality.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
								Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Primary Schools and Departments—*cont.*																							
(b) Salary-results System—																							
Municipal Salary results upper primary school for Mohammadan boys																							
Primary department	1	1	1										2						2	2			
Primary Boys	1	1	1										14						73 14 7 3	73 14 7 3			
Total ...	2	2	2										16						18 0 6	34 0 6			
Primary Schools ...	2	2	2										16						8	16 8			
Special Schools.																							
Total ...																							
Total of Colleges and	2	2	2										16						8	16 8			

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Foot-note to Statement V-A.

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

Examinations.	Number of Students examined.	Number of Students passed.
First in Arts		
Matriculation		
Upper Secondary		
Lower Secondary or Seventh Standard.		
Sixth Standard		
Fifth Standard		
Primary or Fourth Standard		
Third Standard		
Second Standard		
First Standard		
Infant Standard		

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EMENT V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Ongole for the official year 1897-98.

School	Schools.	Number of Schools. At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1898. Boys.	Girls.	Number of pupils examined in results grants schools.	Number of pupils found qualified for results grants.	Full amount of results grants earned.	Amount of results grants passed for payment.	Amount of results grants disbursed. For current year.	For previous year.	Total.	Amount of salary grants disbursed.	Total expenditure from Municipal funds, columns 14 and 15.	Remarks.
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
										Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Primary S	SALARY GRANT SCHOOLS.																
Departmen	1. College Ongole	1	"	"	1	311	"	"	"	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	325 15 4	325 15 4	
(b) Salary Systen	(a) Secondary schools ..																
Normal																	
Salary																	
Upper																	
School for																	
Boys																	
Primary																	
Primary	Total ..	1	"	"	1	311	"	"	"	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	325 15 4	325 15 4	
	(b) Primary schools ..																
	Total ..																
	Total of Salary Grant Schools ..	1	"	"	1	311	"	"	"	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	325 15 4	325 15 4	

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tement V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of Ongole for the official year 1897-98—*cont.*

Schools.	Number of Schools. At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1898. Boys.	Girls.	Number of pupils examined in results grants schools.	Number of pupils found qualified for results grants.	Full amount of results grants earned. Rs.	A.	P.	Amount of results grants passed for payment. Rs.	A.	P.	Amount of results grants disbursed. For current year. Rs.	A.	P.	For previous year. Rs.	A.	P.	Total. Rs.	A.	P.	Amount of salary grants disbursed. Rs.	A.	P.	Total expenditure from Municipal funds, columns 14 and 15. Rs.	A.	P.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			11			12			13			14			15			16			17
Results Grants Schools, *i.e.*, Schools actually examined for results grants—																														
(*a*) Secondary Schools—																														
[illegible] Boys school Ongole	1	"	"	1	4	"	10	5	49	8	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Rate at which grant was paid.
Lower Secondary department	1	"	"	1	14	"	53	32	287	"	"	266	"	"	266	"	"	[illegible]	"	"	266	"	"	"	"	"	266	"	"	Maximum rates are paid to schools taught by certificated teachers. 75 per cent to teachers passed but not trained, and 50 per cent to unpassed and untrained teachers
Upper primary do	1	"	"	1	73	"	28	28	110	10	0	107	"	"	107	"	"	"	"	"	107	"	"	"	"	"	107	"	"	
Lower primary do																														
Total ..	2	"	"	2	71	"	91	65	447	2	0	373	"	"	373	"	"	"	"	"	373	"	"	"	"	"	373	"	"	
(*b*) Primary Schools ..																														
Primary Schools																														
Primary departments																														
Ongole Branch	1	"	"	1	24	"	21	21	205	"	"	107	"	"	107	"	"	"	"	"	107	"	"	"	"	"	107	"	"	
Ongole Night	1	"	"	1	1	"	7	6	46	"	"	42	"	"	42	"	"	"	"	"	42	"	"	"	"	"	42	"	"	
Vaiyyavi	1	"	"	1	27	"	13	13	77	8	0	55	"	"	55	"	"	"	"	"	55	"	"	"	"	"	55	"	"	
Tokmaiahé	1	"	"	1	11	"	9	6	42	"	"	42	"	"	42	"	"	"	"	"	42	"	"	"	"	"	42	"	"	
Ramanayyadu Night	"	1	"	1	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total ..	4	1	"	5	71	"	50	46	370	8	0	246	"	"	246	"	"	"	"	"	246	"	"	"	"	"	246	"	"	
Primary departments																														
Ongole Branch	1	"	"	1	60	"	44	37	105	8	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Ongole Night	1	"	"	1	7	"	7	4	9	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Vaiyyavi	1	"	"	1	78	"	47	36	93	12	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Tokmaiahé	1	"	"	1	110	"	78	44	60	6	0	17	0	0	17	0	0	"	"	"	17	"	"	"	"	"	17	"	"	
Ramanayyadu Night	"	1	"	1	29	"	18	11	44	12	"	38	"	"	38	"	"	"	"	"	38	"	"	"	"	"	38	"	"	
Total	4	1	"	5	284	"	194	132	313	6	"	55	"	"	55	"	"	"	"	"	55	"	"	"	"	"	55	"	"	
Primary Schools																														
Arcot Boys School	1	"	"	1	29	"	12	10	22	8	"	21	8	0	21	8	"	"	"	"	21	8	"	"	"	"	21	8	"	
Kanupalem do	"	1	"	1	20	"	10	8	18	"	"	17	"	"	17	"	"	8	8	"	25	8	"	"	"	"	25	8	"	
Kanupalem day school	1	"	"	1	24	"	16	15	30	12	0	20	"	"	20	"	"	"	"	"	20	"	"	"	"	"	20	"	"	
Vijapalem day school	1	"	"	1	46	"	20	12	31	10	0	28	"	"	28	"	"	"	"	"	28	"	"	"	"	"	28	"	"	
Vijapalem Night do	1	"	"	1	24	"	14	10	28	12	0	9	"	"	9	"	"	"	"	"	9	"	"	"	"	"	9	"	"	
Chintrayyapalem day school	1	"	"	1	39	"	23	13	24	4	0	24	4	0	24	4	0	"	"	"	24	4	0	"	"	"	24	4	"	
Ramanayyapalem Night do	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"		
Ongole Hindustani School	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"		
Total	7	1	2	6	182	"	95	68	155	14	0	119	12	0	119	12	0	8	8	0	128	4	0	"	"	"	128	4	0	
Total of Results Grants Schools.	18	3	2	17	628	"	410	311	1286	14	0	793	12	0	793	12	0	8	8	0	802	4	0	"	"	"	802	4	0	
Grand Total of Aided Schools	20	2	2	20	939	"	410	311	1286	14	0	793	12	0	793	12	0	8	8	0	802	4	0	325	15	4	1128	3	4	

Foot-note.

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

Names of Schools.	Amount of grant.	Purpose for which made.
"	"	"

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I. Public works 2. Repairs	700 " "				
Communications					
Breaking stones on the Court street road / Spreading gravel over it Rs 5-0-0 / Hospital road ditto works Rs 5-0-0 / Palace road Do Rs 4-0-0 / Bazaar road Do Rs 6-0-0 / To Hospital road Do Rs 1-2-0 / To Gaddalagunta road Do Rs 2-0-0 / Total Rs 23-2-0 / in round figures Rs 25-0-0	" " "	25 " "	" " "	25 " "	Council's resolution No 123 dated 3-7-97 Vide also list of allotments for the quarter ending 30th June 1897
Removing silt from side channels of the road	" " "	25 " "	" " "	25 " "	Council's resolution No 123 dated 3-7-97 Vide also list of allotments for the quarter ending 30th September 1897
				65 " "	Council's resolution No 123 dated 3-7-97
Repairs of Kukkalagunta shelter	" " "	65 " "	" " "	10 " "	Council's resolution No 239 dated 2-10-97
The repairs of the bund of Kukkalagunta	" " "	10 " "	" " "	18 " "	Council's resolution No 411 dated 12-3-1898
The petty repairs of Branch road	" " "	18 " "			
I Public works 2. Repairs (b) Buildings	100 " "				
Constructing the Cookroom of Travellers' bungalow	100 " "	50 " "	" " "	150 " "	Council's resolution No 123 dated 3rd July 1897 Vide also list of allotments for the quarter ending 30th September 1897
		11 " "	" " "	11 " "	Do
Whitewashing Jubilee works	" " "	40 " "	" " "	40 " "	Do
Do Hospital Building	" " "	8 " "	" " "	8 " "	Council's resolution No 319 dated 18-12-97
Do Slaughter house					

Statement VI A. — Showing the budget grants with subsequent additions and deductions for the Town of Ongole for the year 1897-98 — Continued

Items of Expenditure	Original budget grants as sanctioned by Government	Subsequent additions	Subsequent deductions	Total grant	Authority for the additions shown in columns 3 and 4
1	2	3	4	5	6
I Public works & Repairs — Contingencies	1050				
[illegible] repairing Bungalow in [illegible]	70 " "	" "	70 " "	" "	Council's resolution No 75 dated 22nd May 1897
[illegible] a municipal well in Lambadi [illegible]	" " "	55 " "	" " "	55 " "	Vide also list of transfers for the quarter ending 30th June 1897
Purchase of Telegraph wire to fence wells in the town	" " "	20 " "	" " "	20 " "	Council's resolution No 14 dated 10th April 1897 and vide also list of allotments for the quarter ending 30th June 1897
[illegible] repairs of [illegible] well in [illegible]	" " "	83 " "	" " "	83 " "	Council's resolution No 123/3-7-97 & 172/24-7-97 & Vide also list of allotments for the quarter ending 30th September 1897
VI Education 2 Municipal schools [illegible] system – C. Contingencies	" " "				
[illegible] Salary [illegible] school	" " "	20 " "	" " "	20 " "	Council's resolution No 329 dated 6-1-1898
II Education 6 Inspector(?) Municipal [illegible] Contingencies	10 " "				
[illegible] allowance to the [illegible] school master journey to & from [illegible]	" " "	10 " "	" " "	10 " "	Council's resolution No 101 dated 5-6-97 Vide also list of allotments for the quarter ending 30th June 1897
II Sanitation and Medical Services — [illegible] C. Diet of patients	550 " "				
[illegible] of diet charges [illegible] Supplementary bill for February 1898	550 " "	40 " "	" " "	590 " "	Council's resolution No 426/2-3-98 & G.O. No 911 M. Mis dated 12th May 1898
[illegible] Road cleaning and Road watering establishment	2090 " "				
[illegible] for travel Sanitary Inspector [illegible] months of this official year	2090 " "	30 " "	" " "	2120 " "	Council's resolution No 301 dated 27-11-97
Lighting and miscellaneous Municipal purposes [illegible] Contingencies	100 " "				
[illegible] the lamp post [illegible] Rs 5-0-0; [illegible] the lamp post [illegible] Rs 1-0-0	" " "	6 " "	" " "	6 " "	Council's resolution No 35 dated 24th April 1897 Vide also list of allotments for the quarter ending 30th June 1897
[illegible] the lamp post on the [illegible] road [illegible] to Hardinge road	" " "	2 " "	" " "	2 " "	Council's resolution No 123 dated 3rd July 1897 vide also list of allotments for quarter ending 30th September 1897
[illegible] the lamp post near reading room	" " "	5 " "	" " "	5 " "	Council's resolution No 163/24-7-97 & Vide also list of allotments for quarter ending 30th September 1897
[illegible] a lamp post near Market	" " "	5 " "	" " "	5 " "	Council's resolution No 239 dated 2nd October 1897
" in [illegible] street	" " "	5 " "	" " "	5 " "	
" in Venugopalaswamy vari street	" " "	5 " "	" " "	5 " "	

...t VI A Showing the Budget grants with Subsequent additions and deductions for the Town of Ongole for the year 1897-98 Continued

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
... 9. Other charges III Printing	350 „ „				
...onal cost of printing, including the binding ... proceedings 1896-97	„ „ „	326	„ „ „	326	Council's resolution No 244 dated 16-10-97
...chouki, cloths ... in 1891-92 adjusted ... recoverable & writing off as irrecoverable	„ „ „	284	„ „ „	284	Council's resolution No 64 dated 8-5-97
...Tax charges & other items	100 „ „				
... Contribution for the presidential address and ... to Her Majesty Queen Victoria Empress	„ „ „	20 „ „	„ „ „	20 „ „	Council's resolution No 2 b dated 10th April 1897 Vide also list of allotments for the quarter ending 30th June 1897
...in O.S. No 1360 on the file of the District ... against the municipality ... D. Ragharadoss of Byragee mutt	„ „ „	8 „ „	„ „ „	8 „ „	Council's resolution No 82 dated 22nd May 1897 Vide list of allotments for the quarter ending 30th June 1897
...ding work executed up to date	„ „ „	32 „ „	„ „ „	32 „ „	Council's resolution No 311 dated 18-12-97
...overnment ... at the foot of the Hill for the extension of the town, ... recoverable and debited to this	„ „ „	349 2 „	„ „ „	349 2 „	Council's resolution No 63 8-5-97 & Government Proceedings No 2128 M Mis dated 29th September 1897
...incurred in Suit No 136 of 1897 ... by Dhammayya Ragharadoss ... mutt against the municipal ... for the assessment of House tax ... agee mutt	„ „ „	135 „	„ „ „	135 „	Council's resolution No 342 dated 6-1-98

STATEMENT VI-A.—Showing the Budget Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of Ongole for the year 1897-98.

(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.	
tries as per Statement II wherever there is alteration ..													
ub. I Public works I. New works													
Communications	650	"	"										
structing an aprow to Hardinge road at	50	"	"	8	"	"	"	"	"	58	"	"	Council's resolution No 230 dated 2nd October 1897
raine to Bheemarazu Venkatramanayya street													Vide also list of adjustments for the quarter ending 30th September 1897
structing a Culvert near Poleramma's temple on	"	"	"	150	"	"	"	"	"	150	"	"	
rt Street road													Council's resolution No 239 dated 2nd October 1897
Completion of Chinnakulavari street road	300	"	"	"	"	"	300	"	"	"	"	"	
Cent allowed extra on account of dear rations on													
l work done by Ramachandrudu Rangarow in the	"	"	"	67	"	"	"	"	"	67	"	"	Council's resolution No 300 dated 27-11-97
r on Chinnakulavari street & Court street roads													
rrears paid to Chinnakulavari street and	"	"	"	269	8	3	"	"	"	269	8	3	Council's resolutions Nos 84 / 22-5-97, 103 / 5-6-97 & 131 / 3-7-97
street roads													

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	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
tries as per Statement II wherever there is alteration ..													
ub. I Public works I New works													
Communications	650	"	"										
structing an approach to Hardinge road at rance to Bheemarazu Venkatramanayya street	50	"	"	8	"	"	"	"	"	58	"	"	Council's resolution No 230 dated 2nd October 1897 Vide also list of adjustments for the quarter ending 30th September 1897
structing a Culvert near Poleramma's temple on at Street road	"	"	"	150	"	"	"	"	"	150	"	"	Council's resolution No 239 dated 2nd October 1897
Completion of Chinakulavari street road	300	"	"	"	"	"	300	"	"	"	"	"	
Cent allowed extra on account of dear ratison l work done by Ramachendrudu Rangarow in the r on Chinakulavari street & Court street roads	"	"	"	67	"	"	"	"	"	67	"	"	Council's resolution No 300 dated 27-11-97
rears paid to Chinakulavari street and street roads	"	"	"	269	8	3	"	"	"	269	8	3	Council's resolutions Nos 84 dt 22-5-97, 103 dt 5-6-97 & 131 dt 3-7-97

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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.	
I Public works 1 New works					
...3	700 " "				
...ing Varandas for three ... sheds ...	300 " "	63 " "	" "	363 " "	Council's resolution No 239 dated 2-10-97
...tructing pandal in front of Municipal ... stalls	" " "	40 " "	" "	40 " "	Council's resolution No 253 dated 16th October 1897
...well in the premises of Inoberly Hospital	150 " "	" "	150 " "	" "	Council's resolution No 37 dated 24th April 1897 & G.O. No 1230 M. ... dated 17th May 1897
...structing additional stalls to the Municipal ...	" " "	190 " "	" "	190 " "	Council's resolution No 273 dated 30-10-97
...nstructing a wall between mutton and ...le stalls in the market	" " "	40 " "	" "	40 " "	Council's resolution No 297(1) dated 27th November 1897
Public works 1 New works (d) Water Supply	120 " "				
...ing two wells one in Mohammadan burial ground ... burning & burial ground of Hindus	120 " "	" "	120 " "	" "	Council's resolutions No 246 (16-10-97) & 345 (6-1-98)

Statement VII.—Tolls.

Number of toll gates.	Whether collection of tolls is leased out or managed departmentally.	Amount of collections.	Expenditure on Works.	Expenditure on Establishment.	Expenditure on Contingencies.	Expenditure on Total.	Balance (column 3 *minus* column 7).	Share due to the District Board.	Amount paid to the District Board.	Balance, if any, due to the District Board and date on which it was paid.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
8	Leased out	2492 " "	358 14 11	" " "	12 " "	370 14 11	2121 1 1	707 0 4	826 10 8	— 119 10 4

Excess payment of Rupees one hundred and nineteen annas ten and pies four only (to the district board) should be deducted from the share due to the District Board on account of Tolls for 1898-99

Statement VIII.—Loans.

Amount of loan and rate of interest.	For what purpose and terms on which obtained and year in which taken.	Date of Government sanction.	Amount repaid			Amount transferred to Sinking Fund			Invested out of the total amount transferred up to end of 189 –9 .	
			Up to 31st March 189 .		In 189 –9 .	Up to 31st March 189 .		In 189 –9 .	In Government Securities.	In the Savings Bank.
			Number of years.	Amount.		Number of years.	Amount.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
RS. A. P.				RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.

Nil

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

Name of Municipality.	Total number of houses, as per census (occupied and unoccupied).	Number of houses on the municipal register out of the number in column 2.	Assessed													
			Under 8 Annas.		8 Annas to Rs. 1½.		Rs. 1½ to Rs. 5.		Rs. 5 to Rs. 15.		Rs. 15 to Rs. 30.		Rs. 30 and above.		Total.	
			Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
				RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.
Angola	2707	2947	613	192 8 2	984	931 11 11	614	1402 15 0	39	285 5 11	11	246 10 3	3	160 4 9	2268	3219 8 0

984 931 11 11
39 285 5 11
11 246 10 3
3 160 4 9

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

Name of Municipality.	Class I. or II Number.	Class I. or II Amount.	Class II Number.	Class II Amount.	Class IV (III) Number.	Class IV (III) Amount.	Class V (IV) Number.	Class V (IV) Amount.	Class VI Number.	Class VI Amount.	Class VII Number.	Class VII Amount.	Class VIII (VII) Number.	Class VIII (VII) Amount.	Class IX (VIII) Number.	Class IX (VIII) Amount.	Total Number.	Total Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.
Ongole	..	..	..	..	4	75 0 0	10	84 - -	27	176 - -	90	304 - -	95	164 - -	290	275 0 0	516	1078 0 0

2 in class III 6 in class V 10 in class VI 28 in class VII 26 in class VIII 30 in class IX are taxed for only one half of the year

Statement X.

1. Name of Municipality — Ongole
2. Population as per last census 10860
3. Sanctioned number of Councillors { (a) Nominated .. .. 16; (b) Elected .. .. -
4. Actual number of Councillors on 31st March 1898—
   - (a) Ex-officio 1
   - (b) Nominated { Officials .. .. 3; Non-officials 11
   - (c) Elected .. { Officials .. .. -; Non-officials .. .. -

   Total .. 15

   - (d) Europeans and Eurasians 5
   - (e) Natives 10
5. Total number of meetings actually held during the year .. 28
6. Number of meetings adjourned for want of a quorum 1
7. Average attendance at each meeting *actually* held—
   - (a) Officials .. .. 1·46
   - (b) Non-officials .. .. 6·07

   Total .. 7·53

   - (c) Europeans and Eurasians .. .. 2·17
   - (d) Natives .. .. 5·36

   Total .. 7·53

8. Is the Chairman appointed or elected .. .. .. Elected
9. Name and designation of persons who have held the office of Chairman during the year, with the date of appointment or election in each case .. ..

M. R. Ry K. Lakshmi Narasimha Row pantulu garu, Second grade pleader, ngole has been elected as chairman by the council at its meeting held for the nd time for the purpose on 6th July 1896. The election was approved by Government notified on page 208 Part I A of the Fort Saint George Gazette dated 28th Jul 1896

STATEMENT X-A.—Showing the particulars of Elections held in the Municipality of Angola in 1897-98.

Name of the wards, if any, into which the town is divided.	Population.	Number of registered voters.	Date of election.	Number of seats filled by election.	Whether election was contested or not and the number of seats contested.	If contested, number of voters who went to the poll.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1						
2						
11						
"						
"						
1						
21						
2. 2						
01						
22						
3. 1						
Nil						
4. 21.1						
10.0						
5. 23.1						
6. 21.15						
22.12						
7.						
Schedule						
8.						
9.						
10.						
Total ..						

STATEMENT XI.—Furnishing information regarding Municipal markets, houses served by the private scavenging agency, number of latrines and of lights, &c., in the Town of Angola for the year 1897-98.

Area of Municipality in square miles.	Name of Municipal markets.	Whether collection of fees, rents, &c., was leased out or managed departmentally.	Number of houses served by the private scavenging agency on the registers on 31st March 1898	Number of public latrines on 31st March 1897.	Number of latrines constructed in 1897-98.	Number of latrines demolished in 1897-98.	Number of latrines on 31st March 1898.	Number of lamps on 31st March 1897.	Number of lamps put up in 1897-98.	Number of lamps removed in 1897-98.	Number of lamps on 31st March 1898.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Square miles	Municipal Market	Managed departmentally	287	10	1	"	11	67	4	1	70

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	21					
2.	91					
3.	82					
4.	10					
5.	23					
6.	24					
7.						
8.						
9.						
10.						
Total ..						

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Square miles	Municipal Market	Managed departmentally	287	10	1	"	11	67	4	1	70

—Showing

Name of hospi

...g particulars regarding the number of patients treated, &c., in the Town of Angole during the year 1897-98.

...pital and dispensary.	Patients treated. In.	Out.	Total.	Number and name of midwives employed.	Number of labour cases attended by the midwives.	Date and Number of G.O. sanctioning rules for the treatment of the sick under section 127 of Act IV of 1884.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Mobarly Hospital Angole	248	8520	8766	1 J. Lakshmamma	79	Proceedings of the Madras Government No 22629 Mis dated 19th December 89 and proceedings No 7588 Mis dated 9th June 1893

STATEMENT XIII.—Showing the Statistics of Vaccination and of Births and Deaths registered in the Town of Angole during the year 1897-98

Number of births registered.	Number of deaths registered.	Number of prosecutions instituted for failure to register births or deaths.	Name of Medical subordinates and vaccinators performing vaccine operations.	Number of operations performed. Below one year of age.	Number of operations performed. Above one year of age.	Number of successful operations. Below one year of age.	Number of successful operations. Above one year of age.	Number of operations with ~~animal lymph~~ Lancoline paste	Number of successful operations with ~~animal lymph~~ Lancoline paste	Number of prosecutions instituted for failure to have children vaccinated.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			Medical Subordinates								
			1								
			2								
			3		Revaccination 11. Successful - 9						
			Total ..								
			Municipal Vaccinators		92		73				
375	333	21	1 Mahommed Abdul Goffar	~~423~~	~~81~~	335	~~64~~	515	408	20	
			2								
			3								
			Total ..	423	~~81~~ 92	335	~~64~~ 73	515	408	20	
			Grand Total ..	423	~~81~~ 92	335	~~64~~ 73	515	408	20	

Sanitary Commissioner

Memorandum of investments

	Description of Security	Nominal amounts	
	Nil		

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Chairman

Memorandum of investments

	Description of Security	Nominal amounts	
	Nil		

Municipal Council's Office Angola July 1898 } [illegible signature] Chairman

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