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Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G.O., No. 1711M

DATED 11-10-98

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Establishment.

Sanctioning, with remark, the proposed revision of the Conservancy establishment in the Tuticorin Muntz., the payment of a Carriage allowance of Rs 30 per mensem to the Chairman until a Secretary is appointed & the required allotment of funds.

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Reply to points noticed in the Tuticorin Municipal Budget for 1898

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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings :—

Again G.O., No. dated 189 ,
Again G.O., No. dated 189 ,
Current No. 2009 M of 1898, dated , from the Chairman, M.C. Tuticorin.
" " 2573 M " 1898, " , " do.
" " " 189 , " , "

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The proposition statement and the required allotments of funds are sanctioned.

2. The Municipal Council's proposal to entrust the work of plague inspection in this important town to a hospital assistant cannot be approved. It is, however, observed that under para. 4 of G.O. No. 576 Financial, dated 4th July 1898, communicated with G.O. No. 689F, dated 18th July 1898, the proportion of the plague charges payable by the Municipal Council from 1st April 1898 will be but small. If even under this arrangement the Council is unable to bear the burden, it should ⊗ revise its budget by omitting

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⊗ Please see para. 1 of G.O. 514P / 25-5-98 omitting all avoidable expenditure.

V.R.
5/10/98

7/10/98

The proposition statement and the required allotment of funds are submitted.

2. The Municipal Council proposal to entrust the work of plague inspection in this important town to a hospital assistant cannot be approved. It is however observed that under para 4 of G.O. No 376 Financial dated 4th July 1898, communicated with [illegible] dated 18th July 1898 the proportion of the plague charges payable by the Municipal Council [illegible] 1898 will be but small. [illegible] under this arrangement the Council is unable to [illegible] the funds.

10/10/98

To

The Chairman, M.C. Tuticorin,
through the Collector of Tinnevelly.

O.C. 14/10/98

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Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

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TINNEVELLY
31 MAY. 98
SUB-COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.

From The Chairman
Municipal Council
Tuticorin

No. 251

Dated 30th May 1898

Received

Registered Current No 854 of 98.

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SUBJECT.

~~G.O. No. 500 M dated 5-3-98.~~

Submitting for sanction, a proposition statement and an application for allotment of funds for increase of conservancy Establishment ~~& for~~ for payment of a carriage allowance of Rs 30 p.m. to the Chairman until the Secretary resumes duty.

T.A.
13/7/98

Order

Forwarded. The proposals may be accepted. The cholera shed will probably require some little alterations before it can be converted into a lying-in ward. I have been to see the site for the proposed new cholera shed. It seems suitable provided that the Apothecary undertakes to have the patients under his constant care at that distance viz about 2 furlongs. The site is however a matter that does not require immediate settlement. It may be finally selected when the plan & estimate for the cholera shed are ready. For the present the main consideration is to provide a lying-in-ward and to have the cholera shed outside the hospital compound.

C. G. Fuller
2.6.98
Dy Sub Collector

Submitted

Collector
8-6-98

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Application for allotment of Funds required by the Municipal Council Tuticorin

Particulars of works or purpose	Major and Minor Head in the Budget	Amount provided for the work in the Budget	Amount subsequently allotted or transferred	Amount required now and the source from which it is to be met	Necessity for allotment	Reference to previous Correspondence
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Conservancy Establishment & Carriage allowance to Chairman	Grant III 5 a & 5 (b)	Rs 5140 – Rs 840 –	– – – –	Rs 740 – – – – Through the general revenues	To keep the town in a more satisfactorily footing of Sanitation	G.O. No. 505 L 5 3 98
	Grant V (a) ij	Rs – –	– –	Rs 120 – from April to July 1898	To payment of Carriage allowance to Chairman till the Secretary takes up the duty	

Municipal Councillors Office
Tuticorin 30th May 1898

Closing balance Rs 3480 –
Present allotment Rs 860 –
Balance Rs 2620 –

Chairman

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Tuticorin Municipality MUNICIPALITY.

Statement of Proposition for revision of Establishment.

Order sanctioning present establishment. Number	Order sanctioning present establishment. Date.	Office to which the proposition refers.	Nature of charge. Present Scale. Number	Present Scale. Designation.	Present Scale. Pay. Minimum. RS.	Present Scale. Pay. Maximum. RS.	Proposed Scale. Number	Proposed Scale. Designation.	Proposed Scale. Pay. Minimum. RS.	Proposed Scale. Pay. Maximum. RS.	Proposition. Increase per month. Amount. RS.	Proposition. Decrease per month. Amount RS.	Grounds of proposition.
G O No 505 L	5th March 1898						1	Trained Sanitary Inspector		20+15 35 –	35		To keep the town in a more satisfactorily footing of Sanitation according to the Suggestions of the Sanitary Commissioner
		Grant III 5 a	1	Trained Sanitary Inspector		25+7½ 32-8-	1	Do Do		32-8-	25+7½		
			2	Inspectors at Rs 15 each		30 –	2	Inspectors at Rs 15 each		30 –			
			1	Head Peon		9 –	1	Head Peon		9 –			
			4	Peons at Rs 8 each		32 –	4	Peons at Rs 8 each		32 –			
			18	Scavengers at Rs 6 –		108 –	26	Scavengers at Rs 6 each		156 –	48		
			5	Do at Rs 4 –		20 –	5	Do at Rs 4 –		20 –			
			30	Sweepers at Rs 6 –		180 –	30	Sweepers at Rs 6 each		180 –			
			1	Prickly pear Cutter		6 –	1	Prickly pear Cutter		6 –			
			2	Watchmen of Cattle Stud at Rs 7 –		14 –	2	Watchmen for Cattle Stud at Rs 7		14 –			
		Do (b)	7	Private Scavengers at Rs 6 –		42 –	7	Private Scavengers at Rs 6		42 –			
			7	Do at Rs 4 –		28 –	7	Do at Rs 4 –		28 –	83		
		Grant V (a) 7					1	Chairman's Carriage allowance		30 –	30		To payment of Carriage Allowance to Chairman till the Secretary takes up the duty.
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Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council Tuticorin, in their meeting held on Thursday the 28th April 1898 at 5 P. M.

Present

G. Bellwegor Esq, Chairman Delegate

M.R.Ry. P. Viravagu Pillai Avergal

" Philip C. Motha Avergal

" M. Kadir Moidin Rowther Avergal

" V.R. Motha Avergal

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Flag B. 3 Read para 4 (3) of G. O No 505 M dated 5th March 1898 reviewing the Budget for 1898-99 referring the Council to the remarks of the Surgeon General and Sanitary Commissioner.

The Council has agreed to provide a Lying-in-Ward & thinks that the present Cholera Shed should be utilized for the purpose, a new Cholera Shed will be erected near the Dead house and the respective Authorities will be addressed on the Subject, the other Suggestions of the Surgeon-General to lie over until funds are available.

An additional Second Sanitary Inspector will be obtained on Rs 20 + 15 per mensem and the present incumbent will be dealt with afterwards.

Flag B. Vide para 4 (4) G.O 505 M 5-3-98

9 The Chairman's Carriage allowance of Rs 30 will be Continued until a

Secretary is appointed.

Note — The Secretary has not yet been appointed

The Scavengers will be increased from 37 to 45 in number.

With reference to remarks of the Collector in para 7 of his ~~letter~~ endorsement on the budget the Council is of opinion that one Hospital Assistant will be sufficient for the Plague duty in this town and that the Municipality should not be made to bear a share of the Salary of Mr. Bowie ⊗ and Mrs. Hillier ×.

Vide page 5 of the budget Flag B

⊗ This is the Med. Officer stationed by the Ceylon Govt. Vide G.O. 71 M / 11-1-98 Flag F

× This is apparently the nurse entertained under G.O. 259 M / 20-2-97. Flag D.

(Signed) G. Zellweger
Chairman Delegate

(True Extract)

Chairman

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No. 251

Municipal Councillor's Office
Tuticorin 30th May 1898

LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPT.
CURRENT No. 2009 M

From
G. Zellweger Esqre
Chairman. Municipal Council
Tuticorin.

To
The Secretary to Government
Local and Municipal Department
Madras.

Sir,

In acknowledging receipt of G.O. No. 505 M dated 5th March 1898, I have the honour to report as follows:

Flag B

1. 4(3). Grant 3. With reference to the remarks and suggestions contained in paragraph 2 of the Surgeon General's × letter, I have the honour to report that the cholera shed now in existence within the premises of the hospital is situated in a particularly objectionable spot.

× on page 5 of the budget. Flag B.

It is separated only by a wall from the main road and in the immediate vicinity of the principal well of the town. People passing on the road can easily see the patients within the cholera ward and this is always likely to cause alarm which at such times should be avoided the water in the well can also be easily contaminated by being situated in such proximity of the cholera ward. and the germs of the disease ~~are~~ then disseminated in the whole town.

As it has now been decided by the Municipal Council to have a lying-in ward, it has been thought advisable to convert the present cholera ward, which is objectionable on the above grounds, into the Lying-in-ward, and to have a fresh cholera ward built at some distance from the dwellings near the dead house – a site which is in every way suitable for this purpose. The Cost of this new cholera shed will be about Rs 1000 and a separate application will be made for allotment of funds after the approval of the Sanitary Board has been obtained.

Note
The Council has since resolved to convert the cholera shed into a venereal ward instead of a lying-in-ward – Vide Cur No 2573 M.

The other suggestions regarding [illegible] room, Iron cots, and lying-in (venereal) ward can only be Considered later on when sufficient funds become available.

2. With reference to the remarks× of the Sanitary Commissioner, the Council resolve to employ a second Certificated Sanitary Inspector on Rs 20+15 and to deal afterwards with the present incumbents, i.e. the two conservancy overseers on Rs 15 each. They have also resolved to employ 45 scavengers instead of 37 now employed and 50 proposed by the Sanitary Commissioner.

× on page 69 the [illegible] Flag B.

3. With regard to the remarks of the Collector in paragraph 7 of his endorsement, the Council regret their inability to provide for moiety of the Cost of the establishment engaged on plague duty at the Railway station. In this Connection, I beg to report that the financial State of the Municipality is such as Cannot bear Continually such a heavy outlay. The amount which the Municipality is now called upon to pay for plague establishment is quite exorbitant. The Municipalities of Palamcottah and Tinnevelly are very well protected by an Hospital assistant stationed at the Railway station, Tinnevelly, at a Cost of only Rs 30 or 35 a month, whereas this Municipality has now× to pay monthly Rs 175 (i.e. half salary of an old pensioned military apothecary on Rs 250 and a lady nurse on Rs 101). There is another medical man stationed by the Ceylon Government, a Mr. Bawa, working independently for the purpose of detecting any suspected Cases of infectious diseases.

Under these Circumstances the Council is of opinion that the work now performed for Rs 175 Could easily be done by a smart

Note. Flag I
Please see G.O. 576 Fin. 4-7-98 (in G.O. 689 P 18-7-98) in which the Govt. has since decided that the charges incurred for the protection of Tuticorin & the tracts in the interior entered through Tuticorin should be borne from Local & Municipal funds & redistributed from 1st April 1898 among the several districts of the Presidency in the proportions indicated in G.O. 547 Fin. 18-6-98 (in G.O. 596 P 20-6-98) Flag J & that the charges incurred at Tuticorin for the protection of Ceylon & other foreign ports should be debited to Provincial funds.

× This is the establishment entertained under G.O. 259 M 20-2-97 Flag D for quarantine duty at the port of Tuticorin to which the Plague regulations have been extended in G.O. 540 M 15-3-97 Flag F. The Ceylon medical officer has been stationed under G.O. 756 M 31-3-97 Flag G & helps the Med. Officer at the Port in examining emigrant Coolies for the estates in the Colony – Vide G.O. 861 M 10-4-97 Flag N. The latter also Conducts the inspection of [illegible] Vide para 7 of the Collr's letter [illegible] 689P. Flag I hospital assistant on a salary similar to that paid by the Sister Municipalities, thus allowing the funds thus saved to be used for more useful purposes.

It does not appear to be safe to entrust the duty of inspection at this important place to a hospital assistant.

4 The Chairman's Conveyance allowance is recommended to be continued till a secretary takes up his duties.

The Secretary has not yet been appointed.

A copy of the resolution of the Council on the subject and an application for allotment of funds and a statement of proposition for revision of establishment are enclosed.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedt Servt
C. F. [illegible]
Chairman

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Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 2573 Mr

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Collector

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22 JUL. 1898 TREASURY DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE

From The Chairman
Municipal Council
Tuticorin

Order

No. 316

Dated 16th July 1898
Received 11 AUG. 1898
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SUBJECT.

His office letter No. 251 of the 30th May last.

~~Informing~~ States that the Council has on reconsideration, resolved to convert the cholera shed into venereal ward instead of Labour ward.

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J.E. Hughes
21/7/98

~~Ctor~~ Ag. Sub Collr
18/7/98

No. 316 Municipal Councillor's office
Tuticorin 16th July 1898

LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPT.
CURRENT No. 2573 M.

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From
J. Zelweger Esqre
Chairman. Municipal Council
Tuticorin.

To
The Secretary to Government
Local and Municipal Departm
Madras.

Sir,

In Continuation of this office letter No. 251 dated 30th May last. I have the honour to report that the Council has, at its meeting held on the 9th instant, reconsidered the original proposal of converting the existing Cholera shed into a Lying-in-ward and resolved to utilize the same as ward for venereal patients as recommended by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer. Tinnevelly. At present patients suffering from venereal and other diseases are accommodated in one and the same ward. and a separate ward is Considered desirable.

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2. I therefore request you will be so good as to substitute "venereal ward" in place of lying-in-ward referred to in the above letter.

3. A copy of the resolution of the Council

n the subject is enclosed.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your most obedt. Servt.

G. Zellweger

Chairman

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council. Tuticorin in their meeting held Saturday the 9th July 1898.

Present.

G. Zellweger Esqre. Chairman
J. W. Hughes Esqre Sub Collector
H. S. Brown Esqre
F. H. Walthers Esqre.
M.R.Ry S. R. Krishnamachariar avergal
" J. L. Motha avergal
" J. M. B. Roche Victoria avergal
" A. Ganapathi Pillai avergal
" P. Viravagu Pillai avergal
" P. C. Motha avergal
" V. R. Motha avergal
" T. M. Ramakistnasami naidu [illegible]
" S. Arumugam Chettiar avergal
" M. Kadir Mohidin Ravuthar avergal
Revd. C. P. Gnanakan.

9. Read Civil Apothecary's letter No. 202 dated 9th June 1898 suggesting that the Cholera shed be made into a venereal ward instead of Lying-in-ward.

Resolved that the present Cholera shed should be turned into venereal ward

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of Lying-in-ward.

Sd/. G. Zeltweger.
Chairman

(True Extract)

Chairman

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