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Reviewing the Cuddalore — for 1898–99.

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Read—the following papers:—

From A. R. BANERJI, Esq., I.C.S., Ex-officio Chairman, Municipal Council, Cuddalore, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Revenue Officer in charge of the Cuddalore division), dated 7th January 1898, No. 899.

I have the honour to submit herewith, for the sanction of Government, the budget estimate of the Cuddalore Municipality for 1898–99, as approved by the council at its meeting held on the 16th ultimo, accompanied by a copy of its resolution passing the same.

Revised Estimate for 1897–98.

2. *Opening balance.*—The actual opening balance is Rs. 1,650 against Rs. 7,890 of the previous year.

3. The decrease in the balance is chiefly due to larger expenditure incurred on works during 1896–97 under Grant 1. The works carried out in that year were (1) the construction of an iron bridge across the Uppanar at Old Town, for which Rs. 7,000 were contributed by the municipality, and (2) extensive repairs carried out to the main ward of the New Town hospital at a cost of Rs. 1,888.

*Receipts.*

4. The total receipts of the year (excluding the opening balance) are estimated at Rs. 52,790 against the budget estimate of Rs. 51,770. The increase in the revised estimate, as compared with the budget, is chiefly due to a sum of Rs. 3,000 borrowed from the New Town hospital funded capital for completing the repairs to the male ward of the hospital and for repairing the lying-in ward attached to it.

5. The sanction of Government for borrowing this sum from the capital in question was obtained in G.O., Mis. No. 1213 M., dated 15th May 1897.

6. The decrease in the revised estimate, as compared with the budget, occurs chiefly under the following heads:—

| | Rs. |
|---|---|
| (1) Tax on arts and professions .. .. .. .. .. | 400 |
| (2) „ buildings .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 200 |
| (3) „ lands .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 500 |
| (4) „ tolls .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 100 |
| (5) Income from rent of fish-market .. .. .. .. .. | 300 |
| (6) Rent of slaughter-house .. .. .. .. .. .. | 20 |
| (7) Fines under Municipal and other Acts .. .. .. .. | 400 |
| (8) Contribution from the district board on account of the dispensary opened for women and children .. .. .. .. .. | 600 |
| (9) Private scavenging fees .. .. .. .. .. .. | 400 |
| (10) Miscellaneous receipts .. .. .. .. .. .. | 530 |
| Total .. | 3,450 |

7. The decrease under item No. (1) is in consequence of the revision of schedule A in the amended Act, under which traders are made liable on their monthly income and not, as hitherto, irrespective of income, on their trade or calling. The slight



decrease under item (2) calls for no remark. The decrease under item (3) is principally due to the tax imposed on gardens and compounds of houses having, in the recent revision of the land-tax register, been exempted as the buildings to which they are attached are already assessed to the house-tax. The decrease under items (4), (5) and (6) is due to the rent of the tolls, market and slaughter-house having been leased for sums below the amounts anticipated. Item No. (7) represents fines levied under the Towns Nuisance Act III of 1889. The income from this source, which was hitherto entirely credited to Municipal funds, has been withdrawn under G.O., No. 1460 M., dated 2nd September 1896. These fines are, in the first instance, now credited to Provincial funds, and, after deducting therefrom the cost of the clerical staff employed in bench magistrate's court, the surplus is credited to Municipal funds; hence the decrease anticipated under this head. The decrease under item (8) is due to the dispensary for women and children having been closed for nearly six months in the current year, the female apothecary, who was in charge of the institution, resigning her appointment in June last. It was after much correspondence and after publication of repeated notices in the several papers, inviting candidates for the vacancy, that the services of another female apothecary were secured in November last, when the dispensary was re-opened. The decrease under item (9) is due to the enhanced rates at which the private scavenging fees were proposed to be levied having been reduced in accordance with the wishes of the councillors of certain wards who were opposed to the measure on the ground that it would render the scheme, which is being gradually extended, unpopular. The decrease under item (10) is shared by the various component items falling under the head of "Miscellaneous receipts," the marked decrease being in the item of "Avenue receipts" and "License fees," and this is attributable more to the receipts under these heads having been over-estimated in the budget than to any other cause.

*Expenditure.*

8. The total expenditure anticipated to be incurred during the current year shows an increase of Rs. 2,080 as compared with the original budget estimate, and this is chiefly due to the large sum expended in repairing the New Town hospital, for which there was no provision in the current year's budget.

9. The estimated expenditure under the several grants is compared below with the budget estimate:—

| | Budget estimate. | Revised estimate. |
|---|---|---|
| | Rs. | Rs. |
| Grant 1 .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 11,960 | 14,120 |
| „ 2 .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 4,750 | 4,590 |
| „ 3 .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 25,260 | 23,990 |
| „ 4 .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 4,880 | 5,690 |
| „ 5 .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 4,740 | 4,670 |
| Refunds of other than current collections and miscellaneous charges .. .. .. .. .. .. | 50 | 660 |
| Total .. | 51,640 | 53,720 |

10. The largest increase, as usual, occurs chiefly under Grant 1, and is accounted for in paragraph 8 *supra*. The small difference under Grant 2 calls for no remark. The decrease under Grant 3 is partly due to savings effected in the several items following under this grant and partly to the short expenditure under hospital establishment, in consequence of the dispensary for women and children having been closed for a portion of the year, as explained in paragraph 7 *supra*. The increased expenditure under Grant 4 is chiefly due to the larger number of travelling pilgrims that obtained relief from Sadasiva Rao Reddiar's endowment which is under the management of the municipality. The slight decrease under Grant 5 calls for no remark. The increase under the head of refund of other than "Current collections" and "Miscellaneous charges" is due to advances made to the District Medical and Sanitary Officer and a councillor for repairing the New Town hospital and for the adjustment of which steps have been taken in the current year. I may here observe

that the system of making advances for works has been discontinued and that they are now being done by contractors who are paid after they have satisfactorily completed them according to the sanctioned estimates.

### Budget Estimate for 1898–99.

*Receipts.*

11. *Tax on Arts.*—The income from this tax is estimated at Rs. 200 below the figure entered in the revised estimate for the reason explained in paragraph 7.

12. *Tax on Buildings.*—An increase of Rs. 1,700 is anticipated under this head in consequence of the further revision of the assessment on buildings which is proposed to take place in 1898–99 as directed in paragraph 3, clause (1), of G.O., No. 2560 M., dated 18th November 1897.

13. *Tax on Lands.*—The receipts from this tax are estimated at Rs. 250 in excess of the revised estimate, being the probable arrears that may be left uncollected at the close of the year. The bills relating to this tax, for the current year, were issued late in consequence of the revision of the land-tax registers which was completed only in October last.

14. *Tax on Lands unappropriated to any Building or occupied by Native Huts.*—The receipts under this head are entered at double the amount in the revised estimate. The waste land registers are being carefully revised in the current year so as to bring under assessment every bit of land on which huts not liable to the tax on buildings are erected, and the council therefore expect a large increase in the income from this source of taxation.

15. The receipts from tax on vehicles, animals and carts are estimated at Rs. 300 less than the figure in the revised estimate, and the decrease is due to the income under these heads in the past years having been over-estimated.

16. *Tolls.*—The council consider it safe to estimate the income from tolls at Rs. 12,000, or Rs. 1,000 below the revised estimate, as it was with much difficulty that the lease of the current year was sold for Rs. 12,000.

17. *Fees under Act II of 1888.*—The income expected under this head is Rs. 100, or only Rs. 80 below the revised estimate. This small decrease calls for no remark.

18. *Sale-proceeds of Night-soil, Street-refuse, &c.*—Rs. 2,300 are expected from the sale of street sweepings against Rs. 2,520 in the revised estimate. The demand for sweepings is not as great as it used to be in former years; hence the receipts from this source are taken at Rs. 220 below the amount entered in the revised estimate. I may here mention that difficulty was experienced in the current year in inducing people to come forward and bid for the sweepings.

19. *Sale-proceeds and Composition Fees of Medicines.*—An increase of Rs. 100 over the revised estimate is anticipated from the sale of medicines.

20. *Income from Market.*—The rent of the fish-market is estimated at Rs. 900, or Rs. 100 less than the revised estimate. It is believed that the renter in the present year is not likely to make a profit by the rent, and the council, to be on the safe side, has therefore estimated the receipts under this head at a slightly reduced figure.

21. *Other Fees—Distraint Fees.*—The slight increase expected under this head is due to the amended Act now in force containing provision for the levy of a fee of annas 2 for every warrant issued for the realization of taxes (*vide* section 104 of the Act).

22. *License-fees.*—The income under this is estimated at Rs. 200 in excess of the revised estimate. It is expected that a larger number of applications for licenses will be presented in 1898–99 for erecting wedding pandals and burning brick-kilns, &c.

23. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—The decrease under this head is explained in paragraph 7.

24 *Contribution from Local Boards—Medical.*—The contribution from the district board on account of the dispensary opened by the municipality for women and children is taken at Rs. 1,200, which is exactly half of the total estimated cost of maintaining the institution during 1898–99. The district board pays this contribution in consideration of the benefit the whole district is intended to derive from the dispensary in question. The decrease in the revised estimate, as compared with the provision made in the budget for next year, is due to the dispensary having been closed for a portion of the current year as explained in paragraph 7.



25. *Private Scavenging.*—It is proposed to extend the system to other parts of the town in which it is not now in operation; and hence the receipts from this cess are estimated at Rs. 400 in excess of the revised estimate.

26. *Loans, Rs.* 3,040.—This sum is made up of Rs. 3,000 borrowed from the New Town hospital funded capital for repairing the male ward of the hospital and the lying-in ward attached to it, and Rs. 40, the premium, realized by the sale of promissory notes to the extent of the loan raised. This funded capital is invested in Government promissory notes which are in the Accountant-General's office.

27. *Advance—Others.*—The decrease under this head is due to the system of giving advances to councillors and contractors for works having been discontinued as required by G.O., Mis. No. 2471 M., dated 10th November 1897.

28. The total receipts, including the probable opening balance, are estimated at Rs. 51,390.

*Expenditure.*

29. *Grant 1, New Works—Water-supply.*—Only a sum of Rs. 200 has been provided under this head for sinking wells in localities where they may be most needed. For want of funds the council has not been able to provide for many new works.

30. *Repairs—Communications and Buildings.*—The allotment for repairs amounts to Rs. 7,000. A sum of Rs. 6,000 is entered for keeping the roads in order and the rest, Rs. 1,000, is for annual repairs to the hospital, dispensary and latrines, &c.

31. From resolution No. 4 of the accompanying proceedings, it will be seen that the post of Public Works overseer has been abolished, and that the roads are proposed to be placed under the supervision of the ward sub-sanitary inspectors. Before the Public Works overseer was appointed the roads were looked after by these inspectors, who kept them in a much more satisfactory condition than they are at present, and the council has therefore resolved to revert to the old system in order that the roads may be kept in proper repair. This is a large and scattered municipality with long and numerous roads, and it is difficult, if not impossible, to keep them in the condition they are expected to be under the existing arrangement. The advantage to be derived by the change recommended is that the roads in each ward will be more frequently inspected by the sub-inspectors and those which are found to be getting out of order will be immediately attended to and repaired. Small works estimated to cost less than Rs. 200 were, from experience, found to have been more promptly and satisfactorily carried out by ward sub-inspectors who possess considerable practical knowledge of making and repairing roads than a building overseer, while the construction of, and repair to, buildings which are estimated to cost more than Rs. 200, for which professional skill is necessary, are executed by contractors under the orders and supervision of the Executive Engineer of the district and his sub-divisional officer, under whose instructions estimates for such works are prepared. It would certainly be an improvement, even upon the proposed arrangement, if the municipality could obtain the services of a qualified and well-paid man as road overseer to exercise general supervision and control over the work of the sub-inspectors in all the wards, but this involves much expenditure. Under these circumstances, the council hopes Government will sanction the change recommended.

32. *Grant 2, Education.*—Rs. 4,920 were applied for by the educational authorities, but the council has reduced the amount to Rs. 4,650. This sum is only Rs. 100 below the budget estimate for 1897–98. As funds are not available, the council has not sanctioned [illegible] of a common gymnastic instructor for the municipal result grant schools, the salary of the schoolmasters, and the grant of conveyance allowance [illegible] acting schoolmaster as proposed in the educational budget. With these exceptions, the other proposals made in the statement furnished by the educational officers have been adopted.

33. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services—Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—The sum proposed for expenditure on the hospital and dispensaries is Rs. 10,630 against Rs. 9,990 in the revised estimate. There is an increase in the provision made for (1) "Establishment" and (2) "Sundries and contingencies." The increase under (1) is due to an extra third-class hospital assistant proposed to be entertained on Rs. 25 a month to assist the first-class hospital assistant at the New Town hospital, in which work is reported to have increased considerably lately and to increases of pay sanctioned to the additional compounder and peon attached to it for the reasons explained in the accompanying proceedings, paragraphs 6 and 7, and the increase under (2) is on account of house-rent provided for the female apothecary in charge of the dispensary for women and children. To provide funds to meet partly the increased expenditure under the head of establishment, the council has resolved to replace the first-class hospital assistant, now in charge of the *branch dispensary* at Tiruppápuliyúr, by a third-class hospital assistant. This change is strongly recommended by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer (*vide* accompanying proceedings, paragraph 8). It may be here observed that the cost of the hospital and dispensaries is yearly heavily increasing, which mainly accounts for the very small closing balance at the end of each year.

34. *Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering—Establishment.*—Compared with the revised estimate, there is a small increase under this head, which is due to a small increase in the pay of the sub-inspectors, as explained in paragraph 10 of the enclosed copy of proceedings. This increase is more than met by the abolition of the Public Works overseer's post as explained in paragraph 31.

35. *Other Charges such as Purchase or Hire of Carts, Dry-earth, Purchase and Maintenance or Hire of Bullocks.*—The increase of Rs. 260 under this head is due to the provision made for the employment of four temporary sweepers on daily wages to be added to the conservancy establishment. The services of these men are intended to be utilized in streets in which the removal of sweepings is heavy. The decrease in the revised estimate, as compared with the budget grant for 1897–98, is in consequence of the additional filth-cart proposed to be constructed for the use of the latrines in Cuddalore Old Town not having been made as the cart now in use is found to be in a good and serviceable condition.

36. *Grant 4, Other Charges—Rewards for Destruction of Wild Animals and Snakes.*—The decrease in the revised estimate under this head, as compared with the provision made for 1898–99, is due to the allotment for the destruction of stray and rabid dogs not having been fully expended.

37. *Other Items.*—In the sum of Rs. 1,520 entered under this head in the revised estimate is included arrear of moiety of rent of the fish-market for the past year, payable to the owner of the market. A moiety of this rent was hitherto paid to the trustee of the Pallivassal Mosque under the belief that the market belonged to him. But another individual, who was for some time absent from Cuddalore, has returned and laid claim to the rent on the ground that the building in which the market is located belongs to him. As this is a matter which may soon be decided, the council has provided for the payment of the same in the current year to the individual who may be authorized to receive it.

38. *Grant 5.*—The sum of Rs. 5,050 provided under this grant shows an increase of Rs. 380 over the revised estimate, and is due to provision having been made for the appointment of a Secretary, with reference to G.O., No. 1465 M., dated 21st June 1897, and to a small increase sanctioned in the salary of the second clerk of the office. On the assumption that Government will be pleased to accord their approval to the nomination made by the council in its resolution passed with reference to the above Government Order, submitted with this office letter, dated 8th October 1897, No. 555, of the manager of the office being its secretary, it has not provided for a manager whose salary, *plus* the carriage allowance hitherto provided for the Chairman, has been lumped together to meet the salary (Rs. 120) proposed for the secretary. The salary of the Manager, Mr. O'Brien, is Rs. 60. He has been allowed Rs. 20 from contingencies to keep a conveyance to enable him to move about and inspect works, &c., which may be



going on in different parts of the town. From this it will be seen that the increase of pay proposed by the change of office is only Rs. 40 more than what he now draws. The claims and fitness of this officer for the new appointment have been fully explained in this office letter and proceedings quoted above and in the communication of the Collector forwarding the same for the approval of Government. The council, therefore, trusts that Government will be pleased to take into consideration the strong recommendation made in respect of this officer, who has faithfully served the municipality for more than thirty years, and approve of his nomination, not only on the grounds of long and good service rendered by him, but of personal merit and efficiency. I may here further refer Government to the testimony borne of this officer by the Collector in his endorsement in paragraph 4 of his remarks embodied in G.O., No. 591 M., dated 18th March last, reviewing the budget of this municipalty for 1897–98. The second clerk of the office is an old and trustworthy servant and fully deserves the concession which the council has most willingly made by giving him a small increase of Rs. 5, as explained in paragraph 12 of the accompanying proceedings. This increase was proposed in the budget for 1897–98 and was strongly recommended by the Collector, but Government did not, for want of funds, sanction the proposal.

39. *Repayment of Debt.*—The sum of Rs. 500 allotted under this head is for the payment of the first instalment towards the sum of Rs. 3,000 borrowed from the New Town hospital funded capital for repairing the hospital and the lying-in ward attached to it.

40. The total proposed expenditure for next year amounts to Rs. 50,010, leaving a balance of Rs. 1,055 of Municipal fund and Rs. 325 of Endowment fund at the close of 1898–99.

41. A proposition statement for the alterations and additions proposed in the budget for the next year is herewith enclosed.

42. The budget estimate has received the very careful consideration of the council, and I request, therefore, that all its proposals may be approved of by Government.

43. The short delay in submitting the budget estimate is due to the Christmas holidays having commenced early and to the change of Chairman, the permanent Chairman having run out his term of office.

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Forwarded.

(Signed) A. R. BANERJI,
*Assistant Collector.*

12*th January* 1898.

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No. 68-Eng.

Forwarded.

2. No adequate reason is apparent for reducing the budget estimate of receipts under tax on arts below the figure of the revised estimate for the current year.

3. In order to realize the increase budgeted for under house-tax, no time must be lost in revising the registers so that the work may be completed before the close of the current year; otherwise the revised assessments cannot be introduced in 1898–99.

4. The reductions made in the estimated receipts under taxes on vehicles, carts and animals and under license-fees are accounted for by the remark that the receipts had been over-estimated in previous years. In paragraph 3 (3) of G.O., No. 2560 M., dated 18th November 1897, Government attributed the smallness of the income under these heads to laxity on the part of the municipal executive, and the reductions should not, in my opinion, be accepted.

5. I am not prepared to endorse the proposal of the council to abolish the appoi[illegible]ment of road overseer.

[illegible] late Collector remarked, in paragraph 3 of his endorsement, dated 19th [illegible]97, forwarding the curren[illegible]t year's budget, that the appointment of a fully-[illegible]verseer was very necessary

The present incumbent should be dismissed if he is inefficient; the sanitary sub-inspectors can hardly be expected to attend to their own work and road repairs.

6. The proposals made to appoint an additional hospital assistant, third class, to the New Town hospital, and substitute a third-class hospital assistant for the first-class hospital assistant at present attached to the branch dispensary at Tiruppápuliyúr may be approved.

7. The proposed increase to the pay of the second clerk should, I think, be allowed this year.

8. Paragraph 26 of the Chairman's covering letter appears to be misplaced. It should come under "Revised estimate."

(Signed) H. SUBBARAYAR,
for *Acting Collector*.

*24th January* 1898.

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From the Hon'ble Mr. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D.Sc., LL.D., Director of Public Instruction, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Madras, 28th January 1898, No. 683.

I have the honour to state that the provision made for education in the budget estimate of the Cuddalore Municipality for 1898–99 may be accepted with an addition of Rs. 60 for payment of carriage allowance at Rs. 5 per mensem to the Inspecting schoolmaster of the municipality and of Rs. 240 for the opening of a common gymnasium (Rs. 165 for the instructor's salary for eleven months at Rs. 15 per mensem and Rs. 75 for the purchase of the necessary apparatus), the council being entitled to a grant of Rs. 120 from Provincial funds on the latter account, subject to the provisions of the Grant-in-aid Code. The Inspector strongly recommended that provision be made in the budget for these purposes, but, on the ground of want of funds, the council has made no provision. The reason assigned by the council does not seem strong or valid as the municipality is spending on education only between 10 and 11 per cent., while most other municipalities spend more. I would, therefore, strongly recommend that the modifications proposed by me be adopted. The net expenditure to the municipality on account of education will then be Rs. 4,460 (4,950—490), or only about 11 per cent. of the estimated income from taxation, markets and rents.

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From Surgeon-Major-General C. SIBTHORPE, C.B., F.R.C.P.I., Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Madras, 1st February 1898, No. 105.

With reference to Grant 3 of the budget estimate of the Cuddalore Municipality for the year 1898–99, I have the honour to state that the proposal of the municipality to post a third-class hospital assistant to the branch dispensary at Tiruppáppuliyúr in the place of the present first-class man is contrary to the orders contained in paragraph 5 of G.O., No. 527, Public, dated the 25th June 1895, and the amount shown against establishment in Statement II should therefore be raised from Rs. 5,210 to Rs. 5,570 to cover the pay of a first-class hospital assistant.

2. It would be advisable for the municipality to raise a loan for the construction of new dispensary buildings for the municipal and the women and children's dispensary suggested by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

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From Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. KING, M.B., C.M., D.P.H., Sanitary Commissioner for Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Fort St. George, 18th February 1898, No. 340-S.

I have the honour to state that the Cuddalore Municipal Council proposes to spend on conservancy about 26·2 per cent. of its anticipated receipts for 1898–99. The allotment is insufficient, and should be raised to provide for the following:—



(1) Epidemic charges are under-estimated, and should be increased to Rs. 1,900.
(2) The number of scavengers, which is only 42, should be doubled.

2. Statement II-B shows that, besides the certificated sanitary inspector on Rs. 30+15, there are no less than seven untrained men on a total salary of Rs. 108. I would advise that these be replaced by a second certificated sanitary inspector on Rs. 20+15 and four conservancy overseers on Rs. 15 each, and that each of the two sanitary inspectors be given a peon on Rs. 6. The revision proposed above will involve no extra cost, but will secure efficient supervision of the working of the menial staff.

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ORDER—No. 506 M., dated 5th March 1898.

The estimated receipts and charges of the Cuddalore Municipality for 1898–99, as passed by Government, are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year 1897–98 and the actuals of 1896–97:—

| — | Actuals, 1896–97. | Budget estimate, 1897–98. | Revised estimate, 1897–98. | Budget estimate, 1898–99. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Receipts.* | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. |
| Balance brought forward | 7,891 | 1,490 | 1,650 | 720 |
| Tax on Arts | 3,765 | 4,900 | 4,500 | 4,500 |
| ,, Buildings and Lands | 13,884 | 15,600 | 15,150 | 17,600 |
| ,, Vehicles and Animals | 3,105 | 3,750 | 3,750 | 3,750 |
| ,, Carts | 1,818 | 2,100 | 2,100 | 2,100 |
| Tolls | 13,750 | 13,100 | 13,000 | 12,000 |
| Realizations under Special Acts | 35 | .. | 180 | 100 |
| Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c. | 671 | 920 | 720 | 730 |
| Conservancy Receipts | 2,365 | 2,300 | 2,520 | 2,300 |
| Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions | 119 | 160 | 160 | 150 |
| ,, ,, Medical Institutions | 443 | 600 | 670 | 760 |
| Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses | 1,325 | 1,400 | 1,080 | 980 |
| License Fees | 320 | 600 | 400 | 600 |
| Other Fees | 505 | 520 | 560 | 610 |
| Fines under Municipal and other Acts | 536 | 1,200 | 800 | 600 |
| Interest on Investments and Premium on Loans | 909 | 840 | 860 | 880 |
| Grants and Contributions from Government | 820 | 900 | 900 | 1,020 |
| ,, ,, from Local Boards | 776 | 1,400 | 740 | 1,350 |
| Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals | 176 | 900 | 500 | 900 |
| Miscellaneous | 300 | 380 | 260 | 260 |
| Loans | .. | .. | 3,040 | .. |
| Advances Recovered | 3,343 | 200 | 900 | 150 |
| Total .. | 56,856 | 53,260 | 54,440 | 52,010 |
| *Charges.* | | | | |
| GRANT 1— | | | | |
| New Works— | | | | |
| Communications | 7,000 | 350 | .. | .. |
| Buildings | 222 | 1,050 | 170 | .. |
| Water-supply | .. | 300 | 150 | 200 |
| Repairs— | | | | |
| Communications | 8,324 | 6,500 | 6,000 | 6,000 |
| Buildings | 2,229 | 600 | 4,900 | 1,000 |
| Drainage | 818 | 1,110 | 1,040 | 1,110 |
| Water-supply | 705 | 760 | 640 | 760 |
| Establishment | 399 | 950 | 980 | 950 |
| Tools and Plant and other Stores | 169 | 200 | 100 | 100 |
| Contributions for Public Works | 165 | 140 | 140 | 140 |
| Total .. | 20,031 | 11,960 | 14,120 | 10,260 |
| GRANT 2— | | | | |
| Training Schools | 113 | 240 | 240 | 180 |
| Municipal Schools— | | | | |
| On the Salary-result System | 866 | 1,380 | 1,200 | 1,410 |
| Grants-in-aid— | | | | |
| Salary Grants | 246 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| Result ,, | 1,696 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| Building, Furniture, &c., Grants | 151 | 200 | 200 | 130 |
| Inspection | 256 | 250 | 260 | 310 |
| Miscellaneous | 253 | 280 | 290 | 520 |
| Total .. | 3,581 | 4,750 | 4,590 | 4,950 |

| — | Actuals, 1896–97. | Budget estimate, 1897–98. | Revised estimate, 1897–98. | Budget estimate, 1898–99. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Charges*—cont. | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. |
| GRANT 3— | | | | |
| Hospitals and Dispensaries | 8,475 | 10,820 | 9,990 | 10,980 |
| Contributions | 388 | 340 | 390 | 440 |
| Vaccination | 566 | 580 | 630 | 610 |
| Registration of Births and Deaths | 364 | 420 | 420 | 430 |
| Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering | 11,531 | 13,100 | 12,560 | 13,100 |
| Total | 21,324 | 25,260 | 23,990 | 25,560 |
| GRANT 4— | | | | |
| Lighting | 2,819 | 2,430 | 2,470 | 2,430 |
| Markets and Slaughter-houses | 54 | 170 | 70 | 90 |
| Choultries | 526 | 630 | 840 | 800 |
| Travellers' Bungalows | 117 | 150 | 160 | 140 |
| Avenues | .. | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other Charges | 1,787 | 1,490 | 2,140 | 1,240 |
| Total | 5,303 | 4,880 | 5,690 | 4,710 |
| GRANT 5— | | | | |
| Supervision and Management | 4,277 | 4,740 | 4,670 | 4,910 |
| Repayment of Debt | 150 | 30 | .. | 500 |
| Advances Recoverable | 537 | .. | 640 | .. |
| Refunds | .. | 20 | 20 | .. |
| Grand Total | 55,203 | 51,640 | 53,720 | 50,890 |
| Balance | 1,653 | 1,620 | 720 | 1,120 |

## REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1897–98.

2. The current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 52,790 and Rs. 53,720, respectively, against Rs. 51,770 and Rs. 51,640 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts, which occurs chiefly under loans and advances recovered, is partly counterbalanced by a decrease under the principal taxes, market rents, fines, contributions from local boards and private scavenging fees, while the increase in the charges, which appears under Grants 1 and 4 and advances recoverable, is partly met by a decrease under Grant 3. The collections under the tax on lands during the first eight months of the year were unsatisfactory. The previous sanction of Government should have been obtained for the grant of a carriage allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem to the manager of the municipal office referred to in paragraph 38 of the Chairman's letter. This allowance should be discontinued from the date of receipt of this order.

## BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1898–99.

3. *Receipts.*—The receipts for the ensuing year are placed at Rs. 50,670 against the revised estimate of Rs. 52,790, the decrease, which occurs mainly under tolls, loans and advances recovered, being partly made good by an increase under the taxes on buildings and lands, contributions from local boards and private scavenging fees. With reference to the Collector's remarks in paragraphs 2 and 4 of his endorsement, the figures of the revised estimate for the current year will be repeated under the taxes on arts, vehicles, animals and carts. The attention of the municipal council is drawn to paragraph 3 of this endorsement. As suggested by the Director of Public Instruction in his letter read above, a grant of Rs. 120 will be taken credit for from Provincial funds towards the salary of the common gymnastic instructor and the cost of the gymnastic apparatus.

4. *Charges.*—(1) The probable charges are put down at Rs. 50,010 against Rs. 53,720 in the revised estimate, the decrease, which occurs under Grants 1 and 4 and advances recoverable, being partly met by an increase under Grants 3 and 5.

(2) *Grant 1.*—For the reasons assigned by the Collector in paragraph 5 of his endorsement, the municipal council's proposal to abolish the post of Public Works overseer cannot be approved.



(3) *Grant 2.*—As recommended by the Director, the payment of a carriage allowance of Rs. 5 to the Inspecting schoolmaster and the entertainment of a common gymnastic instructor on Rs. 15 are sanctioned, a sum of Rs. 300 being provided for these purposes and for the purchase of the necessary gymnastic apparatus.

(4) *Grant 3.*—The entertainment of an additional hospital assistant for the New Town hospital, proposed in paragraph 33 of the Chairman's letter, is sanctioned; but for the reason assigned by the Surgeon-General in paragraph 1 of his letter read above, the municipal council's proposal to appoint a third-class hospital assistant for the branch dispensary at Tiruppáppuliyúr in lieu of the present first-class man cannot be approved, and the provision for establishment under hospitals and dispensaries will accordingly be raised by Rs. 360, as suggested by him. The proposed increase from Rs. 7 to Rs. 8 in the pay of the New Town hospital peon will be disallowed as the Government is not satisfied of its necessity. The attention of the municipal council is drawn to the Surgeon-General's suggestion in paragraph 2 of his letter. The council's proposal to abolish the post of Public Works overseer having been disallowed in clause (2) *supra*, the increases in the salaries of the sanitary sub-inspectors, proposed in paragraph 34 of the Chairman's letter, cannot be approved. The remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner in his letter read above regarding the revision of the sanitary establishment are commended to the municipal council for careful consideration and early report. For want of funds, the allotment for epidemic charges is only Rs. 1,500 against Rs. 1,900 required under No. 27 of the rules issued in G.O., No. 522 M., dated 13th March 1897.

(5) *Grant 5.*—Separate orders will be passed on the Chairman's letter, No. 555, of the 8th October 1897, referred to in paragraph 38, regarding the appointment of a Secretary, the abolition of the post of manager of the municipal office and the discontinuance of the carriage allowance of Rs. 35 to the Chairman. Owing to want of funds, the increase from Rs. 25 to Rs. 30 in the pay of the second clerk of the municipal office must be disallowed. With reference to G.O., No. 2473 L., dated 22nd December 1897, the contribution for the central office establishments will be reduced from Rs. 480 to Rs. 397, or Rs. 400 in round figures.

5. As revised by Government, the budget closes with a balance of Rs. 1,120, or only 2·2 per cent. of the estimated receipts. This should be increased in the course of the year by effecting savings wherever practicable or by increasing the revenues.

6. The Chairman's attention is drawn to paragraph 8 of the Collector's endorsement.

(True Extract.)

H. TREMENHEERE,
*Ag. Secretary to Government.*

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Cuddalore.
„ Collector of South Arcot.
„ President, District Board, South Arcot.
„ Accountant-General.
„ Director of Public Instruction.
„ Surgeon-General.
„ Sanitary Board.
„ Sanitary Commissioner.
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**G.O., No. 506 M., 5th March 1898.**

**MARCH.**

Municipal Budget.

Reviewing the Cuddalore — for 1898-99.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From A. R. BANERJI, Esq., I.C.S., Ex-officio Chairman, Municipal Council, Cuddalore, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Revenue Officer in charge of the Cuddalore division), dated 7th January 1898, No. 899.

I have the honour to submit herewith, for the sanction of Government, the budget estimate of the Cuddalore Municipality for 1898–99, as approved by the council at its meeting held on the 16th ultimo, accompanied by a copy of its resolution passing the same.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1897–98.

2. *Opening balance.*—The actual opening balance is Rs. 1,650 against Rs. 7,890 of the previous year.

3. The decrease in the balance is chiefly due to larger expenditure incurred on works during 1896–97 under Grant 1. The works carried out in that year were (1) the construction of an iron bridge across the Uppanar at Old Town, for which Rs. 7,000 were contributed by the municipality, and (2) extensive repairs carried out to the main ward of the New Town hospital at a cost of Rs. 1,888.

*Receipts.*

4. The total receipts of the year (excluding the opening balance) are estimated at Rs. 52,790 against the budget estimate of Rs. 51,770. The increase in the revised estimate, as compared with the budget, is chiefly due to a sum of Rs. 3,000 borrowed from the New Town hospital funded capital for completing the repairs to the male ward of the hospital and for repairing the lying-in ward attached to it.

5. The sanction of Government for borrowing this sum from the capital in question was obtained in G.O., Mis. No. 1213 M., dated 15th May 1897.

6. The decrease in the revised estimate, as compared with the budget, occurs chiefly under the following heads:—

| | Rs. |
|---|---|
| (1) Tax on arts and professions | 400 |
| (2) „ buildings | 200 |
| (3) „ lands | 500 |
| (4) „ tolls | 100 |
| (5) Income from rent of fish-market | 300 |
| (6) Rent of slaughter-house | 20 |
| (7) Fines under Municipal and other Acts | 400 |
| (8) Contribution from the district board on account of the dispensary opened for women and children | 600 |
| (9) Private scavenging fees | 400 |
| (10) Miscellaneous receipts | 530 |
| Total | 3,450 |

7. The decrease under item No. (1) is in consequence of the revision of schedule A in the amended Act, under which traders are made liable on their monthly income and not, as hitherto, irrespective of income, on their trade or calling. The slight



decrease under item (2) calls for no remark. The decrease under item (3) is principally due to the tax imposed on gardens and compounds of houses having, in the recent revision of the land-tax register, been exempted as the buildings to which they are attached are already assessed to the house-tax. The decrease under items (4), (5) and (6) is due to the rent of the tolls, market and slaughter-house having been leased for sums below the amounts anticipated. Item No. (7) represents fines levied under the Towns Nuisance Act III of 1889. The income from this source, which was hitherto entirely credited to Municipal funds, has been withdrawn under G.O., No. 1460 M., dated 2nd September 1896. These fines are, in the first instance, now credited to Provincial funds, and, after deducting therefrom the cost of the clerical staff employed in bench magistrate's court, the surplus is credited to Municipal funds; hence the decrease anticipated under this head. The decrease under item (8) is due to the dispensary for women and children having been closed for nearly six months in the current year, the female apothecary, who was in charge of the institution, resigning her appointment in June last. It was after much correspondence and after publication of repeated notices in the several papers, inviting candidates for the vacancy, that the services of another female apothecary were secured in November last, when the dispensary was re-opened. The decrease under item (9) is due to the enhanced rates at which the private scavenging fees were proposed to be levied having been reduced in accordance with the wishes of the councillors of certain wards who were opposed to the measure on the ground that it would render the scheme, which is being gradually extended, unpopular. The decrease under item (10) is shared by the various component items falling under the head of "Miscellaneous receipts," the marked decrease being in the item of "Avenue receipts" and "License fees," and this is attributable more to the receipts under these heads having been over-estimated in the budget than to any other cause.

*Expenditure.*

8. The total expenditure anticipated to be incurred during the current year shows an increase of Rs. 2,080 as compared with the original budget estimate, and this is chiefly due to the large sum expended in repairing the New Town hospital, for which there was no provision in the current year's budget.

9. The estimated expenditure under the several grants is compared below with the budget estimate:—

| | Budget estimate. | Revised estimate. |
|---|---|---|
| | Rs. | Rs. |
| Grant 1 | 11,960 | 14,120 |
| „ 2 | 4,750 | 4,590 |
| „ 3 | 25,260 | 23,990 |
| „ 4 | 4,880 | 5,690 |
| „ 5 | 4,740 | 4,670 |
| Refunds of other than current collections and miscellaneous charges | 50 | 660 |
| Total | 51,640 | 53,720 |

10. The largest increase, as usual, occurs chiefly under Grant 1, and is accounted for in paragraph 8 *supra*. The small difference under Grant 2 calls for no remark. The decrease under Grant 3 is partly due to savings effected in the several items following under this grant and partly to the short expenditure under hospital establishment, in consequence of the dispensary for women and children having been closed for a portion of the year, as explained in paragraph 7 *supra*. The increased expenditure under Grant 4 is chiefly due to the larger number of travelling pilgrims that obtained relief from Sadasiva Rao Reddiar's endowment which is under the management of the municipality. The slight decrease under Grant 5 calls for no remark. The increase under the head of refund of other than "Current collections" and "Miscellaneous charges" is due to advances made to the District Medical and Sanitary Officer and [illegible] for repairing the New Town hospital and for the adjustment of which [illegible] been taken in the current year. I may here observe

that the system of making advances for works has been discontinued and that they are now being done by contractors who are paid after they have satisfactorily completed them according to the sanctioned estimates.

### Budget Estimate for 1898–99.

*Receipts.*

11. *Tax on Arts.*—The income from this tax is estimated at Rs. 200 below the figure entered in the revised estimate for the reason explained in paragraph 7.

12. *Tax on Buildings.*—An increase of Rs. 1,700 is anticipated under this head in consequence of the further revision of the assessment on buildings which is proposed to take place in 1898–99 as directed in paragraph 3, clause (1), of G.O., No. 2560 M., dated 18th November 1897.

13. *Tax on Lands.*—The receipts from this tax are estimated at Rs. 250 in excess of the revised estimate, being the probable arrears that may be left uncollected at the close of the year. The bills relating to this tax, for the current year, were issued late in consequence of the revision of the land-tax registers which was completed only in October last.

14. *Tax on Lands unappropriated to any Building or occupied by Native Huts.*—The receipts under this head are entered at double the amount in the revised estimate. The waste land registers are being carefully revised in the current year so as to bring under assessment every bit of land on which huts not liable to the tax on buildings are erected, and the council therefore expect a large increase in the income from this source of taxation.

15. The receipts from tax on vehicles, animals and carts are estimated at Rs. 300 less than the figure in the revised estimate, and the decrease is due to the income under these heads in the past years having been over-estimated.

16. *Tolls.*—The council consider it safe to estimate the income from tolls at Rs. 12,000, or Rs. 1,000 below the revised estimate, as it was with much difficulty that the lease of the current year was sold for Rs. 12,000.

17. *Fees under Act II of 1888.*—The income expected under this head is Rs. 100, or only Rs. 80 below the revised estimate. This small decrease calls for no remark.

18. *Sale-proceeds of Night-soil, Street-refuse, &c.*—Rs. 2,300 are expected from the sale of street sweepings against Rs. 2,520 in the revised estimate. The demand for sweepings is not as great as it used to be in former years; hence the receipts from this source are taken at Rs. 220 below the amount entered in the revised estimate. I may here mention that difficulty was experienced in the current year in inducing people to come forward and bid for the sweepings.

19. *Sale-proceeds and Composition Fees of Medicines.*—An increase of Rs. 100 over the revised estimate is anticipated from the sale of medicines.

20. *Income from Market.*—The rent of the fish-market is estimated at Rs. 900, or Rs. 100 less than the revised estimate. It is believed that the renter in the present year is not likely to make a profit by the rent, and the council, to be on the safe side, has therefore estimated the receipts under this head at a slightly reduced figure.

21. *Other Fees—Distraint Fees.*—The slight increase expected under this head is due to the amended Act now in force containing provision for the levy of a fee of annas 2 for every warrant issued for the realization of taxes (*vide* section 104 of the Act).

22. *License-fees.*—The income under this is estimated at Rs. 200 in excess of the revised estimate. It is expected that a larger number of applications for licenses will be presented in 1898–99 for erecting wedding pandals and burning brick-kilns, &c.

23. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—The decrease under this head is explained in paragraph 7.

24 *Contribution from Local Boards—Medical.*—The contribution from the district board on account of the dispensary opened by the municipality for women and children is taken at Rs. 1,200, which is exactly half of the total estimated cost of maintaining the institution during 1898–99. The district board pays this contribution in consideration of the benefit the whole district is intended to derive from the dispensary in question. The decrease in the revised estimate, as compared with the provision made in the budget for next year, is due to the dispensary having been closed for a portion of the current year as explained in paragraph 7.



25. *Private Scavenging.*—It is proposed to extend the system to other parts of the town in which it is not now in operation; and hence the receipts from this cess are estimated at Rs. 400 in excess of the revised estimate.

26. *Loans, Rs.* 3,040.—This sum is made up of Rs. 3,000 borrowed from the New Town hospital funded capital for repairing the male ward of the hospital and the lying-in ward attached to it, and Rs. 40, the premium, realized by the sale of promissory notes to the extent of the loan raised. This funded capital is invested in Government promissory notes which are in the Accountant-General's office.

27. *Advance—Others.*—The decrease under this head is due to the system of giving advances to councillors and contractors for works having been discontinued as required by G.O., Mis. No. 2471 M., dated 10th November 1897.

28. The total receipts, including the probable opening balance, are estimated at Rs. 51,390.

*Expenditure.*

29. *Grant 1, New Works—Water-supply.*—Only a sum of Rs. 200 has been provided under this head for sinking wells in localities where they may be most needed. For want of funds the council has not been able to provide for many new works.

30. *Repairs—Communications and Buildings.*—The allotment for repairs amounts to Rs. 7,000. A sum of Rs. 6,000 is entered for keeping the roads in order and the rest, Rs. 1,000, is for annual repairs to the hospital, dispensary and latrines, &c.

31. From resolution No. 4 of the accompanying proceedings, it will be seen that the post of Public Works overseer has been abolished, and that the roads are proposed to be placed under the supervision of the ward sub-sanitary inspectors. Before the Public Works overseer was appointed the roads were looked after by these inspectors, who kept them in a much more satisfactory condition than they are at present, and the council has therefore resolved to revert to the old system in order that the roads may be kept in proper repair. This is a large and scattered municipality with long and numerous roads, and it is difficult, if not impossible, to keep them in the condition they are expected to be under the existing arrangement. The advantage to be derived by the change recommended is that the roads in each ward will be more frequently inspected by the sub-inspectors and those which are found to be getting out of order will be immediately attended to and repaired. Small works estimated to cost less than Rs. 200 were, from experience, found to have been more promptly and satisfactorily carried out by ward sub-inspectors who possess considerable practical knowledge of making and repairing roads than a building overseer, while the construction of, and repair to, buildings which are estimated to cost more than Rs. 200, for which professional skill is necessary, are executed by contractors under the orders and supervision of the Executive Engineer of the district and his sub-divisional officer, under whose instructions estimates for such works are prepared. It would certainly be an improvement, even upon the proposed arrangement, if the municipality could obtain the services of a qualified and well-paid man as road overseer to exercise general supervision and control over the work of the sub-inspectors in all the wards, but this involves much expenditure. Under these circumstances, the council hopes Government will sanction the change recommended.

32. *Grant 2, Education.*—Rs. 4,920 were applied for by the educational authorities, but the council has reduced the amount to Rs. 4,650. This sum is only Rs. 100 below the budget estimate for 1897–98. As funds are not available, the council has not sanctioned the entertainmen of a common gymnastic instructor for the municipal result grant schools, the increas in the salary of the schoolmasters, and the grant of conveyance allowance to the inspecting schoolmaster as proposed in the educational budget. With these exceptions, the other proposals made in the statement furnished by the educational officers have been adopted.

33. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services—Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—The sum proposed for expenditure on the hospital and dispensaries is Rs. 10,630 against Rs. 9,990 in the revised estimate. There is an increase in the provision made for (1) "Establishment" and (2) "Sundries and contingencies." The increase under (1) is due to an extra third-class hospital assistant proposed to be entertained on Rs. 25 a month to assist the first-class hospital assistant at the New Town hospital, in which work is reported to have increased considerably lately and to increases of pay sanctioned to the additional compounder and peon attached to it for the reasons explained in the accompanying proceedings, paragraphs 6 and 7, and the increase under (2) is on account of house-rent provided for the female apothecary in charge of the dispensary for women and children. To provide funds to meet partly the increased expenditure under the head of establishment, the council has resolved to replace the first-class hospital assistant, now in charge of the *branch dispensary* at Tiruppápuliyúr, by a third-class hospital assistant. This change is strongly recommended by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer (*vide* accompanying proceedings, paragraph 8). It may be here observed that the cost of the hospital and dispensaries is yearly heavily increasing, which mainly accounts for the very small closing balance at the end of each year.

34. *Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering—Establishment.*—Compared with the revised estimate, there is a small increase under this head, which is due to a small increase in the pay of the sub-inspectors, as explained in paragraph 10 of the enclosed copy of proceedings. This increase is more than met by the abolition of the Public Works overseer's post as explained in paragraph 31.

35. *Other Charges such as Purchase or Hire of Carts, Dry-earth, Purchase and Maintenance or Hire of Bullocks.*—The increase of Rs. 260 under this head is due to the provision made for the employment of four temporary sweepers on daily wages to be added to the conservancy establishment. The services of these men are intended to be utilized in streets in which the removal of sweepings is heavy. The decrease in the revised estimate, as compared with the budget grant for 1897–98, is in consequence of the additional filth-cart proposed to be constructed for the use of the latrines in Cuddalore Old Town not having been made as the cart now in use is found to be in a good and serviceable condition.

36. *Grant 4, Other Charges—Rewards for Destruction of Wild Animals and Snakes.*—The decrease in the revised estimate under this head, as compared with the provision made for 1898–99, is due to the allotment for the destruction of stray and rabid dogs not having been fully expended.

37. *Other Items.*—In the sum of Rs. 1,520 entered under this head in the revised estimate is included arrear of moiety of rent of the fish-market for the past year, payable to the owner of the market. A moiety of this rent was hitherto paid to the trustee of the Pallivassal Mosque under the belief that the market belonged to him. But another individual, who was for some time absent from Cuddalore, has returned and laid claim to the rent on the ground that the building in which the market is located belongs to him. As this is a matter which may soon be decided, the council has provided for the payment of the same in the current year to the individual who may be authorized to receive it.

38. *Grant 5.*—The sum of Rs. 5,050 provided under this grant shows an increase of Rs. 380 over the revised estimate, and is due to provision having been made for the appointment of a Secretary, with reference to G.O., No. 1465 M., dated 21st June 1897, and to a small increase sanctioned in the salary of the second clerk of the office. On the assumption that Government will be pleased to accord their approval to the nomination made by the council in its resolution passed with reference to the above Government Order, submitted with this office letter, dated 8th October 1897, No. 555, of the manager of the office being its secretary, it has not provided for a manager whose salary, *plus* the carriage allowance hitherto provided for the Chairman, has been lumped together to meet the salary (Rs. 120) proposed for the secretary. The salary of the Manager, Mr. O'Brien, is Rs. 60. He has been allowed Rs. 20 from contingencies to keep a conveyance to enable him to move about and inspect works, &c., which may be



going on in different parts of the town. From this it will be seen that the increase of pay proposed by the change of office is only Rs. 40 more than what he now draws. The claims and fitness of this officer for the new appointment have been fully explained in this office letter and proceedings quoted above and in the communication of the Collector forwarding the same for the approval of Government. The council, therefore, trusts that Government will be pleased to take into consideration the strong recommendation made in respect of this officer, who has faithfully served the municipality for more than thirty years, and approve of his nomination, not only on the grounds of long and good service rendered by him, but of personal merit and efficiency. I may here further refer Government to the testimony borne of this officer by the Collector in his endorsement in paragraph 4 of his remarks embodied in G.O., No. 591 M., dated 18th March last, reviewing the budget of this municipalty for 1897–98. The second clerk of the office is an old and trustworthy servant and fully deserves the concession which the council has most willingly made by giving him a small increase of Rs. 5, as explained in paragraph 12 of the accompanying proceedings. This increase was proposed in the budget for 1897–98 and was strongly recommended by the Collector, but Government did not, for want of funds, sanction the proposal.

39. *Repayment of Debt.*—The sum of Rs. 500 allotted under this head is for the payment of the first instalment towards the sum of Rs. 3,000 borrowed from the New Town hospital funded capital for repairing the hospital and the lying-in ward attached to it.

40. The total proposed expenditure for next year amounts to Rs. 50,010, leaving a balance of Rs. 1,055 of Municipal fund and Rs. 525 of Endowment fund at the close of 1898–99.

41. A proposition statement for the alterations and additions proposed in the budget for the next year is herewith enclosed.

42. The budget estimate has received the very careful consideration of the council, and I request, therefore, that all its proposals may be approved of by Government.

43. The short delay in submitting the budget estimate is due to the Christmas holidays having commenced early and to the change of Chairman, the permanent Chairman having run out his term of office.

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Forwarded.

(Signed) A. R. BANERJI,
*Assistant Collector.*

12*th January* 1898.

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Forwarded.

2. No adequate reason is apparent for reducing the budget estimate of receipts under tax on arts below the figure of the revised estimate for the current year.

3. In order to realize the increase budgeted for under house-tax, no time must be lost in revising the registers so that the work may be completed before the close of the current year; otherwise the revised assessments cannot be introduced in 1898–99.

4. The reductions made in the estimated receipts under taxes on vehicles, carts and animals and under license-fees are accounted for by the remark that the receipts had been over-estimated in previous years. In paragraph 3 (3) of G.O., No. 2560 M., dated 18th November 1897, Government attributed the smallness of the income under these heads to laxity on the part of the municipal executive, and the reductions should not, in my opinion, be accepted.

5. I am not prepared to endorse the proposal of the council to abolish the appointment of road overseer.

The late Collector remarked, in paragraph 3 of his endorsement, dated 19th January 1897, forwarding the current year's budget, that the appointment of a fully-qualified overseer was very necessary.

The present incumbent should be dismissed if he is inefficient; the sanitary sub-inspectors can hardly be expected to attend to their own work and road repairs.

6. The proposals made to appoint an additional hospital assistant, third class, to the New Town hospital, and substitute a third-class hospital assistant for the first-class hospital assistant at present attached to the branch dispensary at Tiruppápuliyúr may be approved.

7. The proposed increase to the pay of the second clerk should, I think, be allowed this year.

8. Paragraph 26 of the Chairman's covering letter appears to be misplaced. It should come under "Revised estimate."

(Signed) H. SUBBARAYAR,
for *Acting Collector*.

*24th January* 1898.

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From the Hon'ble Mr. D. DUNCAN, M.A., D.Sc., LL.D., Director of Public Instruction, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Madras, 28th January 1898, No. 683.

I have the honour to state that the provision made for education in the budget estimate of the Cuddalore Municipality for 1898–99 may be accepted with an addition of Rs. 60 for payment of carriage allowance at Rs. 5 per mensem to the inspecting schoolmaster of the municipality and of Rs. 240 for the opening of a common gymnasium (Rs. 165 for the instructor's salary for eleven months at Rs. 15 per mensem and Rs. 75 for the purchase of the necessary apparatus), the council being entitled to a grant of Rs. 120 from Provincial funds on the latter account, subject to the provisions of the Grant-in-aid Code. The inspector strongly recommended that provision be made in the budget for these purposes, but, on the ground of want of funds, the council has made no provision. The reason assigned by the council does not seem strong or valid as the municipality is spending on education only between 10 and 11 per cent., while most other municipalities spend more. I would, therefore, strongly recommend that the modifications proposed by me be adopted. The net expenditure to the municipality on account of education will then be Rs. ~~1,064~~ (4,950—490), or only about 11 per cent. of the estimated income from taxation, markets and rents.

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From Surgeon-Major-General C. SIBTHORPE, C.B., F.R.C.P.I., Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, to the Secretary to Government. Local and Municipal Department, dated Madras, 1st February 1898, No. 105.

With reference to Grant 3 of the budget estimate of the Cuddalore Municipality for the year 1898–99, I have the honour to state that the proposal of the municipality to post a third-class hospital assistant to the branch dispensary at Tiruppápuliyúr in the place of the present first-class man is contrary to the orders contained in paragraph 5 of G.O., No. 527, Public, dated the 25th June 1895, and the amount shown against establishment in Statement II should therefore be raised from Rs. 5,210 to Rs. 5,570 to cover the pay of a first-class hospital assistant.

2. It would be advisable for the municipality to raise a loan for the construction of new dispensary buildings for the municipal and the women and children's dispensary suggested by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer.

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From Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. KING, M.B., C.M., D.P.H., Sanitary Commissioner for Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Fort St. George, 18th February 1898, No. 340-S.

I have the honour to state that the Cuddalore Municipal Council proposes to spend on conservancy about 26·2 per cent. of its anticipated receipts for 1898–99. The allotment is insufficient, and should be raised to provide for the following:—



(1) Epidemic charges are under-estimated, and should be increased to Rs. 1,900.
(2) The number of scavengers, which is only 42, should be doubled.

2. Statement II-B shows that, besides the certificated sanitary inspector on Rs. 30+15, there are no less than seven untrained men on a total salary of Rs. 108. I would advise that these be replaced by a second certificated sanitary inspector on Rs. 20+15 and four conservancy overseers on Rs. 15 each, and that each of the two sanitary inspectors be given a peon on Rs. 6. The revision proposed above will involve no extra cost, but will secure efficient supervision of the working of the menial staff.

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ORDER—No. 506 M., dated 5th March 1898.

The estimated receipts and charges of the Cuddalore Municipality for 1898–99, as passed by Government, are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year 1897–98 and the actuals of 1896–97:—

| — | Actuals, 1896–97. | Budget estimate, 1897–98. | Revised estimate, 1897–98. | Budget estimate, 1898–99. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Receipts.* | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. |
| Balance brought forward | 7,891 | 1,490 | 1,650 | 720 |
| Tax on Arts | 3,765 | 4,900 | 4,500 | 4,500 |
| " Buildings and Lands | 13,884 | 15,600 | 15,150 | 17,600 |
| " Vehicles and Animals | 3,105 | 3,750 | 3,750 | 3,750 |
| " Carts | 1,818 | 2,100 | 2,100 | 2,100 |
| Tolls | 13,750 | 13,100 | 13,000 | 12,000 |
| Realizations under Special Acts | 35 | .. | 180 | 100 |
| Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c. | 671 | 920 | 720 | 730 |
| Conservancy Receipts | 2,365 | 2,300 | 2,520 | 2,300 |
| Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions | 119 | 160 | 160 | 150 |
| " " Medical Institutions | 443 | 600 | 670 | 760 |
| Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses | 1,325 | 1,400 | 1,080 | 980 |
| License Fees | 320 | 600 | 400 | 600 |
| Other Fees | 505 | 520 | 560 | 610 |
| Fines under Municipal and other Acts | 536 | 1,200 | 800 | 600 |
| Interest on Investments and Premium on Loans | 909 | 840 | 860 | 820 |
| Grants and Contributions from Government | 820 | 900 | 900 | 1,020 |
| " " from Local Boards | 776 | 1,400 | 740 | 1,350 |
| Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals | 176 | 900 | 500 | 900 |
| Miscellaneous | 300 | 380 | 260 | 260 |
| Loans | .. | .. | 3,040 | .. |
| Advances Recovered | 3,343 | 200 | 900 | 150 |
| Total | 56,856 | 53,260 | 54,440 | 52,010 |
| *Charges.* | | | | |
| GRANT 1— | | | | |
| New Works— | | | | |
| Communications | 7,000 | 350 | .. | .. |
| Buildings | 222 | 1,050 | 170 | .. |
| Water-supply | .. | 300 | 150 | 200 |
| Repairs— | | | | |
| Communications | 8,324 | 6,500 | 6,000 | 6,000 |
| Buildings | 2,229 | 600 | 4,900 | 1,000 |
| Drainage | 818 | 1,110 | 1,040 | 1,110 |
| Water-supply | 705 | 760 | 640 | 760 |
| Establishment | 399 | 950 | 980 | 950 |
| Tools and Plant and other Stores | 169 | 200 | 100 | 100 |
| Contributions for Public Works | 165 | 140 | 140 | 140 |
| Total | 20,031 | 11,960 | 14,120 | 10,260 |
| GRANT 2— | | | | |
| Training Schools | 113 | 240 | 240 | 180 |
| Municipal Schools— | | | | |
| On the Salary-result System | 866 | 1,380 | 1,200 | 1,410 |
| Grants-in-aid— | | | | |
| Salary Grants | 246 | 400 | 400 | 400 |
| Result " | 1,696 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| Building, Furniture, &c., Grants | 151 | 200 | 200 | 130 |
| Inspection | 256 | 250 | 260 | 310 |
| Miscellaneous | 253 | 280 | 290 | 520 |
| Total | 3,581 | 4,750 | 4,590 | 4,950 |

| — | Actuals, 1896-97. | Budget estimate, 1897-98. | Revised estimate, 1897-98. | Budget estimate, 1898-99. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| *Charges*—cont. | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. |
| Grant 3— | | | | |
| Hospitals and Dispensaries | 8,475 | 10,820 | 9,990 | 10,980 |
| Contributions | 388 | 340 | 390 | 440 |
| Vaccination | 566 | 580 | 630 | 610 |
| Registration of Births and Deaths | 364 | 420 | 420 | 430 |
| Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering | 11,531 | 13,100 | 12,560 | 13,100 |
| Total | 21,324 | 25,260 | 23,990 | 25,560 |
| Grant 4— | | | | |
| Lighting | 2,819 | 2,430 | 2,470 | 2,430 |
| Markets and Slaughter-houses | 54 | 170 | 70 | 90 |
| Choultries | 526 | 630 | 840 | 800 |
| Travellers' Bungalows | 117 | 150 | 160 | 140 |
| Avenues | .. | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other Charges | 1,787 | 1,490 | 2,140 | 1,240 |
| Total | 5,303 | 4,880 | 5,690 | 4,710 |
| Grant 5— | | | | |
| Supervision and Management | 4,277 | 4,740 | 4,670 | 4,910 |
| Repayment of Debt | 150 | 30 | .. | 500 |
| Advances Recoverable | 537 | .. | 640 | .. |
| Refunds | .. | 20 | 20 | .. |
| Grand Total | 55,203 | 51,640 | 53,720 | 50,890 |
| Balance | 1,653 | 1,620 | 720 | 1,120 |

### Revised Estimate for 1897-98.

2. The current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 52,790 and Rs. 53,720, respectively, against Rs. 51,770 and Rs. 51,640 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts, which occurs chiefly under loans and advances recovered, is partly counterbalanced by a decrease under the principal taxes, market rents, fines, contributions from local boards and private scavenging fees, while the increase in the charges, which appears under Grants 1 and 4, and advances recoverable, is partly met by a decrease under Grant 3. The collections under the tax on lands during the first eight months of the year were unsatisfactory. The previous sanction of Government should have been obtained for the grant of a carriage allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem to the manager of the municipal office referred to in paragraph 38 of the Chairman's letter. This allowance should be discontinued from the date of receipt of this order.

### Budget Estimate for 1898-99.

3. *Receipts.*—The receipts for the ensuing year are placed at Rs. 50,670 against the revised estimate of Rs. 52,790, the decrease, which occurs mainly under tolls, loans and advances recovered, being partly made good by an increase under the taxes on buildings and lands, contributions from local boards and private scavenging fees. With reference to the Collector's remarks in paragraphs 2 and 4 of his endorsement, the figures of the revised estimate for the current year will be repeated under the taxes on arts, vehicles, animals and carts. The attention of the municipal council is drawn to paragraph 3 of this endorsement. As suggested by the Director of Public Instruction in his letter read above, a grant of Rs. 120 will be taken credit for from Provincial funds towards the salary of the common gymnastic instructor and the cost of the gymnastic apparatus.

4. *Charges.*—(1) The probable charges are put down at Rs. 50,010 against Rs. 53,720 in the revised estimate, the decrease, which occurs under Grants 1 and 4 and advances recoverable, being partly met by an increase under Grants 3 and 5.

(2) *Grant 1.*—For the reasons assigned by the Collector in paragraph 5 of his endorsement, the municipal council's proposal to abolish the post of Public Works overseer cannot be approved.



(3) *Grant 2.*—As recommended by the Director, the payment of a carriage allowance of Rs. 5 to the inspecting schoolmaster and the entertainment of a common gymnastic instructor on Rs. 15 are sanctioned, a sum of Rs. 300 being provided for these purposes and for the purchase of the necessary gymnastic apparatus.

(4) *Grant 3.*—The entertainment of an additional hospital assistant for the New Town hospital, proposed in paragraph 33 of the Chairman's letter, is sanctioned; but for the reason assigned by the Surgeon-General in paragraph 1 of his letter read above, the municipal council's proposal to appoint a third-class hospital assistant for the branch dispensary at Tiruppáppuliyúr in lieu of the present first-class man cannot be approved, and the provision for establishment under hospitals and dispensaries will accordingly be raised by Rs. 360, as suggested by him. The proposed increase from Rs. 7 to Rs. 8 in the pay of the New Town hospital peon will be disallowed as the Government is not satisfied of its necessity. The attention of the municipal council is drawn to the Surgeon-General's suggestion in paragraph 2 of his letter. The council's proposal to abolish the post of Public Works overseer having been disallowed in clause (2) *supra*, the increases in the salaries of the sanitary sub-inspectors, proposed in paragraph 34 of the Chairman's letter, cannot be approved. The remarks of the Sanitary Commissioner in his letter read above regarding the revision of the sanitary establishment are commended to the municipal council for careful consideration and early report. For want of funds, the allotment for epidemic charges is only Rs. 1,500 against Rs. 1,900 required under No. 27 of the rules issued in G.O., No. 522 M., dated 13th March 1897.

(5) *Grant 5.*—Separate orders will be passed on the Chairman's letter, No. 555, of the 8th October 1897, referred to in paragraph 38, regarding the appointment of a Secretary, the abolition of the post of manager of the municipal office and the discontinuance of the carriage allowance of Rs. 35 to the Chairman. Owing to want of funds, the increase from Rs. 25 to Rs. 30 in the pay of the second clerk of the municipal office must be disallowed. With reference to G.O., No. 2473 L., dated 22nd December 1897, the contribution for the central office establishments will be reduced from Rs. 480 to Rs. 397, or Rs. 400 in round figures.

5. As revised by Government, the budget closes with a balance of Rs. 1,120, or only 2·2 per cent. of the estimated receipts. This should be increased in the course of the year by effecting savings wherever practicable or by increasing the revenues.

6. The Chairman's attention is drawn to paragraph 8 of the Collector's endorsement.

(True Extract.)

*Ag. Secretary to Government.*

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Cuddalore.
" Collector of South Arcot.
" President, District Board, South Arcot.
" Accountant-General.
" Director of Public Instruction.
" Surgeon-General.
" Sanitary Board.
" Sanitary Commissioner.
" Sanitary Engineer.
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Cuddalore Municipal Budget for 1897/98

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From A. R. BANERJI, Esq., I.C.S., Ex-officio Chairman, Municipal Council, Cuddalore, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Revenue Officer in charge of the Cuddalore division), dated 7th January 1898, No. 899.

I have the honour to submit herewith, for the sanction of Government, the budget estimate of the Cuddalore Municipality for 1898–99, as approved by the council at its meeting held on the 16th ultimo, accompanied by a copy of its resolution passing the same.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1897–98.

2. *Opening balance.*—The actual opening balance is Rs. 1,650 against Rs. 7,890 of the previous year.

3. The decrease in the balance is chiefly due to larger expenditure incurred on works during 1896–97 under Grant 1. The works carried out in that year were (1) the construction of an iron bridge across the Uppanar at Old Town, for which Rs. 7,000 were contributed by the municipality, and (2) extensive repairs carried out to the main ward of the New Town hospital at a cost of Rs. 1,888.

*Receipts.*

4. The total receipts of the year (excluding the opening balance) are estimated at Rs. 52,790 against the budget estimate of Rs. 51,770. The increase in the revised estimate, as compared with the budget, is chiefly due to a sum of Rs. 3,000 borrowed from the New Town hospital funded capital for completing the repairs required to the male ward of the hospital and for repairing the lying-in ward attached to it.

5. The sanction of Government for borrowing this sum from the capital in question was obtained in G.O., Mis. No. 1213 M., dated 15th May 1897.

6. The decrease in the revised estimate, as compared with the budget, occurs chiefly under the following heads:—

| | RS. |
|---|---|
| (1) Tax on arts and professions .. .. .. .. .. | 400 |
| (2) „ buildings .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 200 |
| (3) „ lands .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 500 |
| (4) „ tolls .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 100 |
| (5) Income from rent of fish-market .. .. .. .. .. | 300 |
| (6) Rent of slaughter-house .. .. .. .. .. .. | 20 |
| (7) Fines under Municipal and other Acts .. .. .. .. | 400 |
| (8) Contribution from the district board on account of the dispensary opened for women and children .. .. .. .. .. | 600 |
| (9) Private scavenging fees .. .. .. .. .. .. | 400 |
| (10) Miscellaneous receipts .. .. .. .. .. .. | 530 |
| Total .. | 3,450 |

7. The decrease under item No. (1) is in consequence of the revision of schedule A in the amended Act, under which traders are made liable on their monthly income and not, as hitherto, irrespective of income, on their trade or calling. The slight



decrease under item (2) calls for no remark. The decrease under item (3) is principally due to the tax imposed on gardens and compounds of houses having, in the recent revision of the land-tax register, been exempted as the buildings to which they are attached are already assessed to the house-tax. The decrease under items (4), (5) and (6) is due to the rent of the tolls, market and slaughter-house having been leased for sums below the amounts anticipated. Item No. (7) represents fines levied under the Towns Nuisance Act III of 1889. The income from this source, which was hitherto entirely credited to Municipal funds, has been withdrawn under G.O., No. 1460 M., dated 2nd September 1896. These fines are, in the first instance, now credited to Provincial funds, and, after deducting therefrom the cost of the clerical staff employed in bench magistrate's court, the surplus is credited to Municipal funds; hence the decrease anticipated under this head. The decrease under item (8) is due to the dispensary for women and children having been closed for nearly six months in the current year, the ~~lady~~ female apothecary, who was in charge of the institution, resigning her appointment in June last. It was after much correspondence and after publication of repeated notices in the several papers, inviting candidates for the vacancy, that the services of another lady female apothecary were secured in November last, when the dispensary was re-opened. The decrease under item (9) is due to the enhanced rates at which the private scavenging fees were proposed to be levied having been reduced in accordance with the wishes of the councillors of certain wards who were opposed to the measure on the ground that it would render the scheme, which is being gradually extended, unpopular. The decrease under item (10) is shared by the various component items falling under the head of "Miscellaneous receipts", the marked decrease being in the item of "Avenue receipts" and "License fees," and this is attributable more to the receipts under these heads having been over-estimated in the budget than to any other cause.

*Expenditure.*

8. The total expenditure anticipated to be incurred during the current year shows an increase of Rs. 2,080 as compared with the original budget estimate, and this is chiefly due to the large sum expended in repairing the New Town hospital, for which there was no provision in the current year's budget.

9. The estimated expenditure under the several grants is compared below with the budget estimate:—

| | Budget estimate. | Revised estimate. |
|---|---|---|
| | RS. | RS. |
| Grant 1 .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 11,960 | 14,120 |
| „ 2 .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 4,750 | 4,590 |
| „ 3 .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 25,260 | 23,990 |
| „ 4 .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 4,880 | 5,690 |
| „ 5 .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 4,740 | 4,670 |
| Refunds of other than current collections and miscellaneous charges .. .. .. .. .. .. | 50 | 660 |
| Total .. | 51,640 | 53,720 |

10. The largest increase, as usual, occurs chiefly under Grant 1, and is accounted for in paragraph 8 *supra*. The small difference under Grant 2 calls for no remark. The decrease under Grant 3 is partly due to savings effected in the several items following under this grant and partly to the short expenditure under hospital establishment, in consequence of the dispensary for women and children having been closed for a portion of the year, as explained in paragraph 7 *supra*. The increased expenditure under Grant 4 is chiefly due to the larger number of travelling pilgrims that obtained relief from Sadasiva Rao Reddiar's endowment which is under the management of the municipality. The slight decrease under Grant 5 calls for no remark. The increase under the head of refund of other than "Current collections" and "Miscellaneous charges" is due to advances made to the District Medical and Sanitary Officer and a councillor for repairing the New Town hospital and for the adjustment of which steps have been taken in the current year. I may here observe

that the system of making advances for works has been discontinued and that they are now being done by contractors who are paid after they have satisfactorily completed them according to the sanctioned estimates.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1898–99.

*Receipts.*

11. *Tax on Arts.*—The income of this tax is estimated at Rs. 200 below the figure entered in the revised estimate for the reason explained in paragraph 7.

12. *Tax on Buildings.*—An increase of Rs. 1,700 is anticipated under this head in consequence of the further revision of the assessment on buildings which is proposed to take place in 1898–99 as directed in paragraph 3, clause (1), of G.O., No. 2560 M., dated 18th November 1897.

13. *Tax on Lands.*—The receipts from this tax are estimated at Rs. 250 in excess of the revised estimate, being the probable arrears that may be left uncollected at the close of the year. The bills relating to this tax, for the current year, were issued late in consequence of the revision of the land-tax registers which was completed only in October last.

14. *Tax on Lands unappropriated to any Building or occupied by Native Huts.*—The receipts under this head are entered at double the amount in the revised estimate. The waste land registers are being carefully revised in the current year so as to bring under assessment every bit of land on which huts not liable to the tax on buildings are erected, and the council therefore expect a large increase in the income from this source of taxation.

15. The receipts from tax on vehicles, animals and carts are estimated at Rs. 300 less than the figure in the revised estimate, and the decrease is due to the income under these heads in the past years having been over-estimated.

16. *Tolls.*—The council consider it safe to estimate the income from tolls at Rs. 12,000, or Rs. 1,000 below the revised estimate, as it was with much difficulty that the lease of the current year was sold for Rs. 12,000.

17. *Fees under Act II of 1888.*—The income expected under this head is Rs. 100, or only Rs. 80 below the revised estimate. This small decrease calls for no remark.

18. *Sale-proceeds of Night-soil, Street-refuse, &c.*—Rs. 2,300 are expected from the sale of street sweepings against Rs. 2,520 in the revised estimate. The demand for sweepings is not as great as it used to be in former years; hence for the receipts from this source being taken at Rs. 220 below the amount entered in the revised estimate. I may here mention that difficulty was experienced in the current year in inducing people to come forward and bid for the sweepings.

19. *Sale-proceeds and Composition Fees of Medicines.*—The increase of Rs. 100 entered under this head in excess of the revised estimate amount is anticipated from the sale of medicines.

20. *Income from Market.*—The rent of the fish-market is estimated at Rs. 900, or Rs. 100 less than the revised estimate. It is believed that the renter, in the present year, is not likely to make a profit by the rent, and the council, to be on the safe side, has therefore estimated the receipts under this head at a slightly reduced figure.

21. *Other Fees—Distraint Fees.*—The slight increase expected under this head is due to the amended Act now in force containing provision for the levy of a fee of annas 2 for every warrant issued for the realization of taxes (*vide* section 104 of the Act).

22. *License-fees.*—The income under this is estimated at Rs. 200 in excess of the revised estimate. It is expected that a larger number of applications for licenses will be presented in 1898–99 for erecting wedding pandals and burning brick-kilns, &c.

23. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—The decrease under this head is explained in paragraph 7.

24. *Contribution from Local Boards*—(ii) *Medical.*—The contribution from the district board on account of the dispensary opened by the municipality for women and



children is taken at Rs. 1,200, which is exactly half of the total estimated cost of maintaining the institution during 1898–99. The district board pays this contribution in consideration of the benefit the whole district is intended to derive from the dispensary in question. The decrease in the revised estimate, as compared with the provision made in the budget for next year, is due to the dispensary having been closed for a portion of the current year as explained in paragraph 7.

25. *Private Scavenging.*—It is proposed to extend the system to other parts of the town in which it is not now in operation; and hence the receipts from this cess are estimated at Rs. 400 in excess of the revised estimate.

26. *Loans, Rs.* 3,040.—This sum is made up of Rs. 3,000 borrowed from the New Town hospital funded capital for repairing the male ward of the hospital and the lying-in ward attached to it, and Rs. 40, the premium, realized by the sale of promissory notes to the extent of the loan raised. This funded capital is invested in Government promissory notes which are in the Accountant-General's office.

27. *Advance*—(ii) *Others.*—The decrease under this head is due to the fact of the system of giving advances to councillors and contractors for works having been discontinued as required by G.O., Mis. No. 2471 M., dated 10th November 1897.

28. The total receipts, including the probable opening balance, are estimated at Rs. 51,390.

*Expenditure.*

29. *Grant 1, New Works*—(*d*) *Water-supply.*—Only a sum of Rs. 200 has been provided under this head for sinking wells in localities where they may be most needed. For want of funds the council has not been able to provide for many new works.

30. *Repairs*—(*c*) *Communications*—(*d*) *Buildings.*—The allotment for repairs amounts to Rs. 7,000. A sum of Rs. 6,000 is entered for keeping the roads in order and the rest, Rs. 1,000, is for annual repairs to the hospital, dispensary and latrines, &c.

31. From resolution No. 4 of the accompanying proceedings, it will be seen that the post of Public Works Department overseer has been abolished, and that the roads are proposed to be placed under the supervision of the ward sub-sanitary inspectors. Before the Public Works Department overseer was appointed the roads were looked after by these inspectors, who kept them in a much more satisfactory condition than they are at present, and the council has therefore resolved to revert to the old system in order that the roads may be kept in proper repair. This is a large and scattered municipality with long and numerous roads, and it is difficult, if not impossible, to keep them in the condition they are expected to be under the existing arrangement. The advantage to be derived by the change recommended is that the roads in each ward will be more frequently inspected by the sub-inspectors and those which are found to be getting out of order will be immediately attended to and repaired. Small works estimated to cost less than Rs. 200 were, from experience, found to have been more promptly and satisfactorily carried out by ward sub-inspectors who possess considerable practical knowledge of making and repairing roads than a building overseer, while the construction of, and repair to, buildings which are estimated to cost more than Rs. 200, for which professional skill is necessary, are executed by contractors under the orders and supervision of the Executive Engineer of the district and his sub-divisional officer, under whose instructions estimates for such works are prepared. It would certainly be an improvement, even upon the proposed arrangement, if the municipality could obtain the services of a qualified and well-paid man as road overseer to exercise general supervision and control over the work of the sub-inspectors in all the wards, but this involves much expenditure. Under these circumstances, the council hopes Government will sanction the change recommended.

32. *Grant 2, Education.*—Rs. 4,920 were applied for by the educational authorities, but the council has reduced the amount to Rs. 4,650. This sum is only Rs. 100 below the budget estimate for 1897–98. As funds are not available, the council has not sanctioned the entertainment of a common gymnastic instructor for the municipal result grant schools, the increase in the salary of the result schoolmasters, and the grant of conveyance allowance to the inspecting schoolmaster as proposed in the educational budget. With these exceptions, the other proposals made in the statement furnished by the educational officers have been adopted.

33. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services—Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—The sum proposed for expenditure on hospital and dispensaries is Rs. 10,630 against Rs. 9,990 in the revised estimate. There is an increase in the provision made for (1) "Establishment" and (2) "Sundries and contingencies." The increase under (1) is due to an extra third-class hospital assistant proposed to be entertained on Rs. 25 a month to assist the first-class hospital assistant at the New Town hospital, in which work is reported to have increased considerably lately and to increases of pay sanctioned to the additional compounder and peon attached to it for the reasons explained in the accompanying proceedings, paragraphs 6 and 7, and the increase under (2) is on account of house-rent provided for the lady apothecary in charge of the dispensary for women and children. To provide funds to meet partly the increased expenditure under the head of establishment, the council has resolved to replace the first-class hospital assistant, now in charge of the *branch dispensary* at Tiruppápuliyúr, by a third-class hospital assistant. This change is strongly recommended by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer (*vide* accompanying proceedings, paragraph 8). It may be here observed that the cost of the hospital and dispensaries is yearly heavily increasing, which mainly accounts for the very small closing balance at the end of each year.

34. *Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering—(a) (i) Establishment.*—Compared with the revised estimate, there is a small increase under this head, and arises from the fact of small increase sanctioned in the pay of the sub-inspectors, as explained in paragraph 10 of the enclosed copy of proceedings. This increase is more than met by the abolition of the Public Works Department overseer's post as explained in paragraph 31.

35. *Other Charges such as Purchase or Hire of Carts, Dry-earth, Purchase and Maintenance or Hire of Bullocks.*—The increase of Rs. 260 under this head is due to the provision made for the employment of four temporary sweepers on daily wages to be added to the conservancy establishment. The services of these men are intended to be utilized in streets in which the removal of sweepings is heavy. The decrease in the revised estimate, as compared with the budget grant for 1897–98, is in consequence of the additional filth-cart proposed to be constructed for the use of the latrines in Cuddalore Old Town not having been made as the cart now in use is found to be in a good and serviceable condition.

36. *Grant 4, Other Charges—(b) Rewards for Destruction of Wild Animals and Snakes.*—The decrease in the revised estimate under this head, as compared with the provision made for 1898–99, is due to the allotment for the destruction of stray and rabid dogs not having been fully expended.

37. *Other Items.*—In the sum of Rs. 1,520 entered under this head in the revised estimate is included arrear of moiety of rent of the fish-market for the past year, payable to the owner of the market. A moiety of this rent was hitherto paid to the trustee of the Palleevassal Mosque on the belief that the market belonged to him. But another individual, who was for some time absent from Cuddalore, has returned and laid claim to the rent on the ground that the building in which the market is located belongs to him. As this is a matter which may soon be decided, the council has provided for the payment of the same in the current year to the individual who may be authorized to receive it.

38. *Grant 5.*—The sum of Rs. 5,050 provided under this grant shows an increase of Rs. 380 over the revised estimate, and is due to provision having been made for the appointment of a Secretary, with reference to G.O., No. 1465 M., dated 21st June 1897, and to a small increase sanctioned in the salary of the second clerk of the office. On the assumption that Government will be pleased to accord their approval to the nomination made by the council in its resolution passed with reference to the above Government Order, submitted with this office letter, dated 8th October 1897, No. 555, of the manager of the office being its secretary, it has not provided for a manager whose salary, *plus* the carriage allowance hitherto provided for the Chairman, has been lumped together to meet the salary (Rs. 120) proposed for the secretary. The salary of the Manager, Mr. O'Brien, is Rs. 60. He has been allowed Rs. 20 from contingencies to keep a conveyance to enable him to move about and inspect works, &c., which may be



going on in different parts of the town. From this it will be seen that the increase of pay proposed by the change of office is only Rs. 40 more than what he now draws. The claims and fitness of this officer for the new appointment have been fully explained in this office letter and proceedings quoted above and in the communication of the Collector forwarding the same for the approval of Government. The council, therefore, trusts that Government will be pleased to take into consideration the strong recommendation made in respect of this officer, who has faithfully served the municipality for more than thirty years, and approve of his nomination, not only on the grounds of long and good service rendered by him, but of personal merit and efficiency. I may here further refer Government to the testimony borne of this officer by the Collector in his endorsement in paragraph 4 of his remarks embodied in G.O., No. 591 M., dated 18th March last, reviewing the budget of this municipalty for 1897–98. The second clerk of the office is an old and trustworthy servant and fully deserves the concession which the council has most willingly made by giving him a small increase of Rs. 5, as explained in paragraph 12 of the accompanying proceedings. This increase was proposed in the budget for 1897–98 and was strongly recommended by the Collector, but Government did not, for want of funds, sanction the proposal.

39. *Repayment of Debt.*—The sum of Rs. 500 allotted under this head is for the payment of the first instalment towards the sum of Rs. 3,000 borrowed from the New Town hospital funded capital for repairing the hospital and the lying-in ward attached to it.

40. The total proposed expenditure for next year amounts to Rs. 50,010, leaving a balance of Rs. 1,055 of Municipal fund and Rs. 325 of Endowment fund at the close of 1898–99.

41. A proposition statement for the alterations and additions proposed in the budget for the next year is herewith enclosed.

42. The budget estimate has received the very careful consideration of the council, and I request, therefore, that all its proposals may be approved of by Government.

43. The short delay in submitting the budget estimate is due to the Christmas holidays having commenced early and to the change of Chairman, the permanent Chairman having run out his term of office.

Forwarded.

(Signed) A. R. BANERJI,
*Assistant Collector.*

12*th January* 1898.

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2. No adequate reason is apparent for reducing the budget estimate of receipts under tax on arts below the figure of the revised estimate for the current year.

3. In order to realize the increase budgeted for under house-tax, no time must be lost in revising the registers so that the work may be completed before the close of the current year, otherwise the revised assessments cannot be introduced in 1898–99.

4. The reductions made in the estimated receipts under taxes on vehicles, carts and animals and under license-fees are accounted for by the remark that the receipts had been over-estimated in previous years. In paragraph 3 (3) of G.O., No. 2560 M., dated 18th November 1897, Government attributed the smallness of the income under these heads to laxity on the part of the municipal executive, and the reductions should not, in my opinion, be accepted.

5. I am not prepared to endorse the proposal of the council to abolish the appointment of road overseer.

The late Collector remarked, in paragraph 3 of his endorsement, dated 19th January 1897, forwarding the current year's budget, that the appointment of a fully-quali[illegible]eer was very necessary.

The present incumbent should be dismissed if he is inefficient; the sanitary sub-inspectors can hardly be expected to attend to their own work and road repairs.

6. The proposals made to appoint an additional hospital assistant, third class, to the New Town hospital, and substitute a third-class hospital assistant for the first-class hospital assistant at present attached to the branch dispensary at Tiruppápuliyúr may be approved.

7. The proposed increase to the pay of the second clerk should, I think, be allowed this year.

8. Paragraph 26 of the Chairman's covering letter appears to be misplaced. It should come under "Revised estimate."

(Signed) H. SUBBA RAO,
for *Acting Collector*.

24*th January* 1898.

Review of the Cuddalore Municipal Budget for 1898-99

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Current No. 4232 of 1898, dated 7-1-98. from the Chairman M.C. Cuddalore

Current No. 4972 of 1898, dated 28-1-98 from the D.P.I.

Current No. 5852 of 1898, dated 1-2-98. from the Surgeon General

Current No. 8762 of 1898, dated 18-2-98 from the Sanitary Commr.

*Order.* Sobm dy 5/3/98

The estimated receipts and charges of the Cuddalore Municipality for 1898-99, as passed by Government, are compared below with the budget and revised estimates for the year 1897-98 and the actuals of 1896-97.

| | Actuals, 1896-97. | Budget Estimate, 1897-98. | Revised Estimate, 1897-98. | Budget Estimate 1898-99. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. |
| **Receipts.** | | | | |
| Balance brought forward .. .. .. | 7891 | 1490 | 1650 | 720 |
| Tax on Arts .. .. .. .. .. | 3765 | 4900 | 4500 | 4300 |
| Tax on Buildings and Lands .. .. .. | 13884 | 15600 | 15450 | 17600 |
| ~~Tax on Buildings and Lands~~ .. .. .. | 3105 | 3750 | 3750 | 3580 |
| Tax on Vehicles and Animals .. .. .. | | | | |
| Tax on Carts .. .. .. .. .. | 1818 | 2100 | 2100 | 2000 |
| Tolls .. .. .. .. .. .. | 13750 | 13100 | 13000 | 12000 |
| Realizations under Special Acts .. .. .. | 35 | .. | 180 | 100 |
| Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and sale-proceeds of Lands, &c. | 661 | 920 | 720 | 730 |
| Conservancy Receipts .. .. .. .. | 2365 | 2301 | 2520 | 2300 |
| Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions .. | 119 | 160 | 160 | 150 |
| Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions .. .. | 443 | 650 | 670 | 760 |
| Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses .. .. | 1325 | 1400 | 1080 | 980 |
| License fees .. .. .. .. .. | 320 | 600 | 400 | 600 |
| Other fees .. .. .. .. .. .. | 505 | 520 | 560 | 610 |
| Fines under Municipal and other Acts .. .. | 536 | 120 | 800 | 600 |
| Interest on Investments and premium on Loans .. | 929 | 840 | 860 | 830 |
| Grants and Contributions from Government .. .. | 820 | 900 | 900 | 900 1020 |
| Do. from Local Boards .. .. | 1116 | 6400 | 740 | 1350 |
| Do. from other bodies .. .. | | | | |
| Recoveries for services to private individuals .. .. | 115 | 900 | 500 | 900 |
| Miscellaneous .. .. .. .. .. | 310 | 330 | 260 | 260 |
| Loans .. .. .. .. .. .. | .. | .. | 3040 | .. |
| Sale-proceeds of Government Securities, &c., and Realizations of Sinking Fund .. .. .. .. | | | | |
| Advances Recovered .. .. .. .. | 3343 | 200 | 900 | 150 |
| Total .. | 56856 | 53260 | 54440 | 51390 |

Sanitation

| Charges. | Actuals, 1896-97 | Budget Estimate, 1897-98 | Revised Estimate, 1897-98 | Budget Estimate, 1898-99 | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. | Rs. | |
| **Grant 1.** | | | | | |
| *New Works*— | | | | | |
| Communications | 7000 | 350 | | | |
| Buildings | 222 | 1050 | 170 | .. | |
| Drainage | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| Water-supply | .. | 300 | 150 | 200 | |
| *Repairs*— | | | | | |
| Communications | 8324 | 6500 | 6000 | 6000 | |
| Buildings | 2229 | 600 | 4900 | 600 | |
| Drainage | 818 | 1110 | 1060 | 1110 | |
| Water-supply | 705 | 760 | 640 | 760 | |
| Establishment | 399 | 950 | 980 | 410 | 950 |
| Tools and Plant and other Stores | 169 | 200 | 100 | 100 | |
| Contributions for Public Works | 165 | 140 | 140 | 140 | |
| Total | 20031 | 11960 | 14120 | 9720 | 10260 |
| **Grant 2.** | | | | | |
| Training Schools | 113 | 240 | 240 | 180 | |
| Municipal Schools— | | | | | |
| (a) ~~On the Salary System~~ | 866 | 1380 | 1200 | 1410 | |
| (b) On the Salary Result System | | | | | |
| Grants-in-aid— | | | | | |
| (a) Salary grants | 246 | 400 | 400 | 400 | |
| (b) Result grants | 1696 | 2000 | 2000 | 2000 | |
| (c) Building, Furniture, &c., grants | 151 | 200 | 200 | 130 | |
| Inspection | 256 | 250 | 260 | 250 | 310 |
| Miscellaneous | 253 | 280 | 290 | 280 | 520 |
| Total | 3582 | 4750 | 4590 | 4650 | 4950 |
| **Grant 3.** | | | | | |
| Hospitals and Dispensaries | 8475 | 10820 | 9990 | 10630 | 10980 |
| Contributions | 388 | 340 | 390 | 440 | |
| Vaccination | 566 | 580 | 630 | 610 | |
| Registration of Births and Deaths | 364 | 420 | 420 | 430 | |
| Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering | 11531 | 13100 | 12560 | 13270 | 13100 |
| Total | 21324 | 25260 | 23990 | 25380 | 25560 |
| **Grant 4.** | | | | | |
| Lighting | 2819 | 2430 | 2470 | 2430 | |
| Markets and Slaughter-houses | 52 | 170 | 70 | 90 | |
| Choultries | 526 | 630 | 840 | 800 | |
| Travellers' Bungalows | 117 | 150 | 160 | 140 | |
| Avenues | .. | 60 | 60 | 60 | |
| Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges | 1787 | 1490 | 2140 | 1240 | |
| Total | 5302 | 4880 | 5690 | 4710 | |
| **Grant 5.** | | | | | 4910 |
| Supervision and management | 4277 | 4740 | 4670 | 5050 | |
| Repayment of Debt | 150 | 30 | - | 500 | |
| Interest on loan | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| Advances Recoverable | 537 | .. | 640 | .. | |
| Refunds | .. | 20 | 20 | .. | |
| Discount | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| Pensions and Gratuities | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| Investments | .. | .. | .. | .. | |
| Grand Total | 55243 | 51640 | 53720 | 53440 | 50890 |
| Balance | 1653 | 1620 | 720 | 1320 | 1120 |

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Revised estimate for 1897–98.

2. The current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 52790 and Rs. 53720, respectively, against Rs. 51770 and Rs. 51640 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts which occurs chiefly under loans and advances recovered is partly counterbalanced by a decrease under the principal taxes, market rents, fines, contributions from local boards and private scavenging fees, while the increase in the charges which appears under Grants 1 and 4 and advances recoverable is partly met by a decrease under Grant 3. The collections under the tax on lands during the first eight months of the year were unsatisfactory. The previous sanction of Govt. should have been obtained for the grant of a carriage allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem to the [illegible] of the municipal office, referred to in para. 38. of the Chairman's letter. This allowance should be dated from the date of receipt

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Rs. 52.670 against the revised estimate of Rs. 52.790, the decrease which occurs mainly under tolls, loans and advances recovered being partly made good by an increase under the taxes on buildings and lands, contributions from local boards and private scavenging fees. With reference to the Collector's remarks in paras. 2 & 4 of his endorsement, the figures of the revised estimate for the current year will be repeated under the taxes on arts, vehicles, animals and carts. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to para. 3. of the endorsement. As suggested by the Director of Public Instruction in his letter read above, a grant of Rs. 120. will be taken credit for from Provincial funds towards the salary of the Common Gymnastic instructor and the cost of the gymnastic apparatus.

4. Charges VII. The probable charges are put down at Rs. 50.18 against Rs. 53.720. in the revised estimate the



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(2) Grant 1. For the reasons assigned by the Collector in para. 5. of his endorsement, the Municipal Council's proposal to abolish the post of the Public Works overseer cannot be approved.

(3) Grant 2. As recommended by the Director, the payment of a carriage allowance of Rs. 5. to the Inspecting School-master and the entertainment of a common gymnastic instructor on Rs. 15. are sanctioned, a sum of Rs. 300 being provided for these purposes and for the purchase of the necessary gymnastic apparatus.

(4) Grant 3. The entertainment of an additional hospital assistant for the New Town hospital, proposed in para. 33. of the Chairman's letter, is sanctioned; but for the reason assigned by the Surgeon-General in para. 1. of his letter read above, the Municipal Council's proposal to appoint a third-class hospital assistant for the Branch dispensary Periyapalayam in lieu of the pre- man cannot be

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g suggested by him. The proposed increase
m from Rs. 7 to Rs 8. in the pay of the Naw
o Town hospital peon will be disallowed
g as the Govt. is not satisfied of its
c necessity. The attention of the muni-
cipal council is drawn to the
Surgeon-Generals suggestion in para. 2. of
his letter. The council's proposal to
abolish the post of Public Works overseer
having been disallowed in clause (2)
supra, the increases in the salaries
of the Sanitary Sub-Inspectors, proposed
in para 3d. of the chairman's letter,
cannot be approved. The remarks
of the Sanitary Commissioner in his
letter read above, regarding the
revision of the Sanitary establishment
are commended to the municipal
council for careful consideration
and early report. For want of
funds, the allotment for epidemic
charges is only Rs. 1500 against Rs 1900
required under No. 27 of the rules issued
G.O. No. 522. M. dated 13th March 1897.

(5) Grant. Separate orders with
based on the chairman's letter, No. 555
dated 1897, referred to

Grand Total .. | 55203 | 5

Para. 31.



the discontinuance of the
riage allowance of Rs. 35 to the c
man. Owing to want of funds
increase from Rs. 25 to Rs 30 in the
of the second clerk of the municip
office must be disallowed. With re
ference to G.O. No. 1473. 2. dated 22
December 1897, the contribution fo
central office establishments
ith reduced from Rs. 480 to
Rs. 377- or Rs 400 in round figure
5. As revised by Govt. the budg
closes with a balance of Rs 1120 o
only 2·2 per cent. of the estimated
receipts. This should be increased
in the course of the year by
effecting savings wherever practicable
or by increasing the revenues.
6. The chairman's attention is
drawn to para. 8. of the Collector's
endorsement.

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To The Chairman Mel. Cuddapah.
... Collector of South arcot
... Dept. of Accountant General Govt. of
... Director of Public Instructi
... Surgeon-General with
... Sanitary Bd.

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Cuddalore

Dept. 4 506a

5/3/98

Budget Estimate of the
Cuddalore Municipality
for
1898-99.

3/103/Dept 1898.

STATEMENT I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Cuddalore during the official year 1898-99.

| | Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads. | Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads. | Revised Estimate for 1897-98. | Budget 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 | 275 0 0 | | 1045 0 0 | 936 0 0 | 7436 11 4 |
| *b.* Endowments | 445 0 0 | | 605 0 0 | 554 0 0 | 454 3 2 |
| *c.* ~~Water-tax Fund~~ Total | | 720 0 0 | 1650 0 0 | 1490 0 0 | 7890 14 6 |
| 2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES— | | | | | |
| *a.* Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) | 4300 0 0 | | 4500 0 0 | 4900 0 0 | 3765 0 0 |
| *b.* Tax on buildings (section 62) | 12000 0 0 | | 10300 0 0 | 10500 0 0 | 10060 6 8 |
| *c.* Tax on lands (section 63) | 4600 0 0 | | 4350 0 0 | 4850 0 0 | 3810 10 11 |
| *d.* ~~Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)~~ Tax on lands unappropriated to any building occupied by native huts. | 1000 0 0 | | 500 0 0 | 250 0 0 | 12 12 7 |
| *e.* Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) | 1350 0 0 | | 1450 0 0 | 1450 0 0 | 1236 0 0 |
| *f.* Tax on animals (section 77) | 2200 0 0 | | 2300 0 0 | 2300 0 0 | 1868 8 0 |
| *g.* Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) | 2000 0 0 | | 2100 0 0 | 2100 0 0 | 1818 0 0 |
| *h.* Tolls (section 91)— | | | | | |
| Gross receipts | 12,000 0 0 | | 13,000 0 0 | 13100 0 0 | 13750 0 0 |
| Less Local Fund share | | | | | |
| *i.* Penalties on account of— | | | | | |
| i. Tax on arts | | | | | |
| ii. Tax on buildings | | | | | |
| iii. Tax on lands | | | | | |
| iv. Water-tax on buildings and lands | | | | | |
| v. Tax on vehicles, &c. | | | | | |
| vi. Tax on animals | | | | | |
| vii. Tax on carts, &c. | | | | | |
| viii. Evasion of tolls | | 37450 0 0 | | | |
| 3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS— | | | | | |
| *a.* Pounds | | | | | |
| *b.* Ferry rents | | | | | |
| *c.* Fees under Act II of 1888 | 10 0 0 | | 180 0 0 | 35 0 0 | |
| | 0 0 0 | 100 0 0 | | | |
| Carried forward | | 38450 0 0 | 38680 0 0 | 39140 0 0 | 31250 6 2 |

## Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Cuddalore during the official year 1898-99.—*cont.*

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. |
| Brought forward .. | | 3950 - - | 3860 - - | 3945 - - | 3635 6 2 |
| 4. REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION— | | | | | |
| *a.* i. Rent of lands .. .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Rent of buildings .. .. | 20 - - | | 20 - - | 20 - - | 22 8 - |
| iii. Avenue receipts .. .. | 500 - - | | 500 - - | 700 - - | 523 10 6 |
| iv. Fees from Traveller's Bungalows .. .. .. .. | 160 - - | 680 - - | 160 - - | 160 - - | 115 - - |
| *b.* i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings .. .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c. | | | | | |
| iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c. .. .. .. | 50 - - | 50 - - | 40 - - | 40 - - | - 1 - |
| *c.* Conservancy receipts— Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c. .. .. | 2300 - - | 2300 - - | 2520 - - | 2300 - - | 2365 3 1 |
| *d.* i. Fees from educational institutions .. .. .. | 150 - - | | 160 - - | 160 - - | 119 2 6 |
| ii. Other revenue from educational institutions .. .. | | 150 - - | | | |
| *e.* i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines .. .. | 700 - - | | 600 - - | 600 - - | 376 7 5 |
| ii. Other Hospital receipts Sale of animal lymph. | 60 - - | 760 - - | 70 - - | 50 - - | 66 14 - |
| *f.* i. Income from markets .. .. | 900 - - | | 1000 - - | 1300 - - | 1208 1 9 |
| ii. „ slaughter-houses.. | 80 - - | | 80 - - | 100 - - | 117 4 10 |
| *g.* Other fees— | | 980 - - | | | |
| i. Distraint fees .. .. .. | 150 - - | | 100 - - | 100 - - | 10 1 2 0 |
| ii. License fees .. .. .. | 600 - - | | 400 - - | 600 - - | 319 8 - |
| iii. Cartstand fees .. .. | 450 - - | | 450 - - | 410 - - | 493 1 - |
| iv. Other fees Fees from Extract from Birth Death & Register | 10 - - | 1210 - - | 10 - - | 10 - - | 1 - - |
| *h.* Fines under Municipal and other Acts Bench Magistrate's fine | 600 - - | 600 - - | 800 - - | 1200 - - | 535 7 - |
| *i.* Interest on investments— | | | | | |
| i. General, including choultries .. Debentures Pro. Note. | - - - | | 20 - - | - - - | 85 3 9 |
| ii. Educational .. .. .. | | | | | |
| iii. Medical .. .. .. | 830 - - | | 840 - - | 840 - - | 823 15 - |
| *j.* Premium on loans .. .. | | | | | |
| Carried forward .. .. | | 1652 | | | |



## Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Cuddalore during the official year 1898-97.—*cont.*

| 1 | Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads. 2 | Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads. 3 | Revised Estimate for 1897-98. 4 | Budget Estimate for 1897-98. 5 | Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures). 6 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. |
| Brought forward .. | | 47110 - - | 46450 - - | 48040 - - | 43539 10 - |
| 5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS— | | | | | |
| *a.* From Government— | | | | | |
| i. Education— | | | | | |
| Normal stipends .. .. | 220 - - | | 220 - - | 220 - - | 141 13 6 |
| Buildings .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Municipal Schools .. .. | | | | | |
| Other purposes .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Medical .. .. .. | | | | | |
| iii. Other purposes— | | | | | |
| Communications .. .. | | | | | |
| Water-supply .. .. | | | | | |
| Drainage .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Sanitation .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Other purposes (Choultries). | 680 - - | 900 - - | 680 - - | 680 - - | 678 9 - |
| *b.* From Local Boards— | | | | | |
| i. Education .. .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Medical on account of Women & children Dispensary | 1200 - - | | 600 - - | 1200 - - | 581 6 5 |
| iii. Other purposes (Lighting Conservancy through) | 150 - - | 1350 - - | 140 - - | 200 - - | 194 11 6 |
| *c.* Other grants and contributions— | | | | | |
| i. Education .. .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Medical .. .. .. | | | | | |
| iii. Other purposes .. .. | | | | | |
| 6. MISCELLANEOUS— | | | | | |
| *a.* Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals— | | | | | |
| i. Private scavenging .. .. | 900 - - | | 500 - - | 900 - - | 175 8 - |
| ii. Other purposes .. .. | | 900 - - | | | |
| *b.* Other items— | | | | | |
| i. Fishery rents .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year .. .. | | | 20 - - | 20 - - | 131 2 - |
| iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c. | | | | | 12 - |
| iv. Other items .. .. .. | 100 - - | | 80 - - | 150 - - | 22 8 - |
| Sale of Toll tickets | 160 - - | | 160 - - | 160 - - | 145 - - |
| Sale of Tin plate | | | | | 10 - - |
| Carried forward .. | | | | | |

## Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town of Cuddalore during the official year 1898-99—*cont.*

| | Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads. | Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads. | Revised Estimate for 1897-98. | Budget 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 .. | | 50520 0 0 | 48854 1 1 | 51570 0 0 | 45821 8 5 |
| 7. EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT— | | | | | |
| *a.* Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank. | | | | | |
| *b.* Loans— | | | | | |
| i. From ~~Government~~ New Town Hospital Endowment fund. | " " " | | 3040 0 0 | " " " | " " " |
| ii. In the market from private individuals .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *c.* Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans. | | | | | |
| *d.* Advances— | | | | | |
| i. Permanent .. .. .. | | | | | 10 0 0 |
| ii. Others .. .. .. .. | 150 0 0 | 150 0 0 | 900 0 0 | 200 0 0 | 3333 4 0 |
| Total Receipts .. | | 50670 0 0 | 52790 0 0 | 51770 0 0 | 48964 12 5 |
| Grand Total .. | | 51390 0 0 | 54440 0 0 | 53260 0 0 | 56855 10 11 |

### Note to Statement I.

1. Tax on arts, &c., is levied on the first all classes. at full Schedule rate
2. Tax on buildings is levied at 7 per cent. and tax on lands at 7 per cents of rent value. (a) Tax on Lands masterpriches to any building or occupied by native hds.
3. Water-tax on buildings and lands is levied at per cent.
4. Tax on vehicles and animals is levied at full the maximum rates.
5. Tax on carts, &c., is levied at Rs. 4 per cart. per annum.
6. Tolls are levied at half the maximum rates.
7. License-fees are levied at the rates sanctioned in G.O. dated 2d March 1891, No 282 Mn.
8. The house-tax registers were last revised in the official year 96-97 and the land tax registers in the official year. 97-98
9. Total extent of land assessed is 4475 acres.
10. The mode of estimating the annual rental of houses and lands is as follows :—

In case where the actual Cost of a building can be ascertained 5 per Cent of it is taken as the Annual rental; in other Cases reasonable rental value is fixed.

In cases of lands the rental value is fixed at Rs 25 per Cawney of wet land, and at Rs 12 per Cawney of dry land.

(b) The tax in the municipal limits is levied at the rate of Rs. 5 per cent in accordance with the Bazaar Rate Rules.

1649 | 1620 | 165 | 50890

Statement I-A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Council under Sections 25 and 26 of Act V of 1884 for the official year 1899-1900.

| Name of Institution. | Amount of Funded Capital. | Opening Balance. | Interest, Produce of Land, or Rent of buildings. | Appropriation from Capital for Expenditure. | Contribution from: Private Contributions and Donations. | Contribution from: Local Funds. | Contribution from: Provincial Funds. | Total Receipts (Columns 3, 8 and 9). | Appropriation from Municipal Funds (Column 16 minus Column 10). | Invested. | Current Charges. | Total (Statement II). | Allotted for Public Works (Statement II-A). | Total Charges (Column 14 plus Column 15). | (Closing Balance (Column 10 minus Column 16). | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 12 | 13 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | RS. | |
| The Municipal Council, Cuddalore, as Trustees of the Town Hospital Endowment Fund. | 2,80,000 0 0 | 544 | 830 0 0 | | | 120 0 0 | | 1125 | 830 0 0 | | 10630 0 0 | 10630 0 0 | 400 0 0 | 11030 0 0 | 325 0 0 | * Out of the Fund a Sum Capital of Rs 2,80,000 a Sum of Rs 3,00,000 was taken as a loan during 1897-98 for expending the New Town Hospital. Hence it is entered as Rs 23,000 in Column 5 & Rs 2,77,000 in Column 10. Vide Rs. 10 @ 12/13 b. Govt Lr dt 8/15-5-97. |

Ex: Off: C.M. Cuddalore

## Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Cuddalore for the official year 1898-99.

| | Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads. | Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads. | Revised Estimate for 1897-98. | Budget Estimate for 1897-98. | Actuals, 1898-99 (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 .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *b.* Buildings .. .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *c.* Drainage .. .. .. .. | | | | 350 — — | 700 — — |
| *d.* Water-supply .. .. .. | | | 170 — — | 1050 — — | 2212 6 |
| 2. REPAIRS— | | | | | |
| *a.* Communications .. .. .. | 200 — — | 200 — — | 150 — — | 300 — — | |
| *b.* Buildings .. .. .. .. | 600 — — | | | | |
| *c.* Drainage— | | | 600 — — | 650 — — | 832 4 7 |
| | 1000 — — | | 490 — — | 600 — — | 2229 6 1 |
| i. Repairs to works .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Establishment for flushing drains, &c. .. .. | 110 — — | | | | |
| *d.* Water-supply— | | | 1040 — — | 1110 — — | 818 5 5 |
| i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c. .. .. .. | 550 — — | | | | |
| ii. Establishment .. .. | 180 — — | | 450 — — | 550 — — | 482 1 7 |
| iii. Contingencies .. .. | 30 — — | | 180 — — | 180 — — | 164 2 10 |
| 3. ESTABLISHMENT .. .. .. .. | 410 — — | 970 — — | 10 — — | 30 — — | 58 4 0 |
| 4. TOOLS AND PLANT AND OTHER STORES. | 100 — — | 410 — — | 980 — — | 950 — — | 399 3 5 |
| 5. CONTRIBUTIONS— | | 100 — — | 100 — — | 200 — — | 169 3 3 |
| *a.* To Local Boards for works .. | 140 — — | | | | |
| *b.* To Provincial Funds for scrutiny of estimates, &c. .. .. .. | | | 140 — — | 140 — — | 164 7 6 |
| *c.* To others for public works .. | — — — | 140 — — | | | |
| Total, Grant 1 .. | | 9720 — — | 14120 — — | 11960 — — | 20031 0 2 |
| GRANT 2.—(*Education*)— | | | | | |
| 1. TRAINING SCHOOLS— | | | | | |
| *a.* Contributions to Local Boards .. | | | | | |
| *b.* Stipends to Normal students .. | 180 — — | 180 — — | 240 — — | 240 — — | 112 6 4 |
| 2. MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS— | | | | | |
| i. On Salary System— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Carried forward .. | | | | | |



## Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Cuddalore for the official year 1898-99—*cont.*

| | Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads. | Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads. | Revised Estimate for 1897-98. | Budget Estimate for 1897-98. | Actuals, 1898-99 (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 .. | | 180 — — | 240 — — | 240 — — | 112 6 4 |
| GRANT 2.—(*Education*)—cont. | | | | | |
| ii. On Salary-Results System— | | | | | |
| *a.* Fixed Payments .. .. .. | 820 — — | | 610 — — | 790 — — | 523 14 5 |
| *b.* Result Grants .. .. .. | 340 — — | | 340 — — | 340 — — | 254 5 0 |
| *c.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 250 — — | 1410 — — | 250 — — | 250 — — | 88 3 0 |
| 3. SALARY GRANTS .. .. .. .. | 400 — — | 400 — — | 400 — — | 400 — — | 246 6 0 |
| 4. RESULTS GRANTS .. .. .. | 2000 — — | 2000 — — | 2000 — — | 2000 — — | 1696 6 0 |
| 5. COMBINED GRANTS— | | | | | |
| *a.* Fixed Payments .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *b.* Result Grants .. .. .. | | | | | |
| 6. INSPECTION— | | | | | |
| *a.* Contributions to Local Boards .. | | | | | |
| *b.* Municipal Inspectors— | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. .. | 240 — — | | 240 — — | 240 — — | 243 13 11 |
| ii. Contingencies .. .. .. | 10 — — | 250 — — | 20 — — | 10 — — | 11 15 6 |
| 7. MISCELLANEOUS— | | | | | |
| *a.* Building, furniture, &c., grants .. | 80 — — | | 150 — — | 150 — — | 25 — — |
| *b.* Commercature grant.— gymnasium— | 50 — — | 130 — — | 50 — — | 50 — — | 125 12 0 |
| i. Establishment .. .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Contingencies .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *c.* Common Drawing Master— | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. | 240 — — | | 240 — — | 240 — — | 240 — — |
| ii. Contingencies .. .. .. | 40 — — | 280 — — | 40 — — | 40 — — | 13 6 0 |
| *d.* Other items .. .. .. .. | — — — | | 10 — — | — — — | — — — |
| Total, Grant 2 .. | | 4650 — — | 4590 — — | 4750 — — | 3581 8 2 |
| GRANT 3.—(*Sanitation and Medical Services*). | | | | | |
| 1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | 5210 — — | | | | |
| *b.* Medicines and Supplies .. .. | 3000 — — | | 4790 — — | 5220 — — | 2917 10 2 |
| *c.* Diet of Patients .. .. .. | 1000 — — | | 350 — — | 3400 — — | 2059 13 4 |
| *d.* Sundries and Contingencies .. | 1420 — — | | 1000 — — | 1000 — — | 1120 4 5 |
| *e.* Contributions to Local Boards .. | | | 1200 — — | 1200 — — | 1377 1 11 |
| &c., &c., &c. .. | | | | | |
| Carried forward .. | | 10630 — — | 9990 — — | 10820 — — | 8474 10 10 |

## Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Cuddalore for the official year 1898-99—*cont.*

| | Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads. | Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads. | Revised Estimate for 1897-98. | Budget 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 .. | | 1630 - - | 9990 - - | 10820 - - | 8474 10 10 |
| GRANT 3.—(*Sanitation and Medical Services*)—cont. | | | | | |
| 2. *a.* Contributions to Provincial Funds for— | | | | | |
| i. Medical College .. .. | 200 - - | | 150 - - | 100 - - | 192 - - |
| ii. Sanitary Inspection .. | 190 - - | | 190 - - | 190 - - | 153 - - |
| iii. Medical Reserve staff .. | 51 - - | | 50 - - | 50 - - | 43 - - |
| iv. Cutlers' Establishment .. | - - - | 440 - - | | | |
| *b.* Contributions to Local Boards, &c., for— | | | | | |
| i. Medical Schools .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Reserve staff .. .. .. | | | | | |
| &c., &c., &c. .. | | | | | |
| *c.* Other contributions .. .. | | | | | |
| 3. Vaccination— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | 260 - - | | 260 - - | 270 - - | 264 - - |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 350 - - | | 370 - - | 310 - - | 301 10 8 |
| *c.* Contributions to Local Boards .. | | 610 - - | | | |
| 4. Registration of Births and Deaths— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | 180 - - | | 180 - - | 180 - - | 190 - - |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 250 - - | | 240 - - | 240 - - | 174 8 0 |
| 5. Conservancy, Road Cleaning and Road Watering— | | 430 - - | | | |
| *a.* i. Establishment .. .. | 6690 - - | | 6440 - - | 6520 - - | 5802 9 0 |
| ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. .. | 4170 - - | 10860 - - | 3910 - - | 4090 - - | 3713 6 |
| *b.* Private scavenging— | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. | 530 - - | | 440 - - | 580 - - | 365 11 10 |
| ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. | 280 - - | 810 - - | 200 - - | 370 - - | 161 10 6 |
| *c.* Cholera charges .. .. | 1500 - - | 1500 - - | 1500 - - | 1000 - - | 1092 3 5 |
| *d.* Contingencies .. .. | 100 - - | 100 - - | 70 - - | 90 - - | 84 - - |
| &c. .. .. .. | | | | | 11 14 |



## Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Cuddalore for the official year 1898-99—*cont.*

| | Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads. | Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads. | Revised Estimate for 1897-98. | Budget 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 .. .. .. | 430 - - | | 470 - - | 430 - - | 402 5 9 |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 2000 - - | 2430 - - | 2000 - - | 2000 - - | 2416 7 3 |
| 2. i. Markets— | | | | 430 | 28 18 13 |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 20 - - | 20 - - | 10 - - | 100 - - | - 1 3 |
| ii. Slaughter-houses— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | 60 - - | | 60 - - | 60 - - | 53 12 0 |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 10 - - | 70 - - | - - - | 10 - - | - - - |
| 3. Choultries— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | 70 - - | | 70 - - | 70 - - | 72 - - |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 10 - - | | 10 - - | 10 - - | 10 - - |
| *c.* Feeding Travellers .. .. .. | 720 - - | 800 - - | 760 - - | 550 - - | 443 13 11 |
| 4. Travellers' Bungalows— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | 110 - - | | 120 - - | 110 - - | 97 12 0 |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 30 - - | 140 - - | 40 - - | 40 - - | 19 - 6 |
| 5. Avenues— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. .. | 10 - - | 10 - - | 10 - - | 10 - - | - - - |
| 6. Public Garden— | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. .. | 60 - - | | 60 - - | 60 - - | 55 - - |
| *b.* Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. .. | 10 - - | 70 - - | 10 - - | 10 - - | 8 12 0 |
| 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 .. | | 3540 - - | 3620 - - | 3460 - - | 3579 - 8 |

## Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Kurseong for the official year 1898-99—*cont.*

| — | Budget 1898-99 Details of Minor Heads. | Budget 1898-99 Totals of Major Heads. | Revised Estimate for 1897-98. | Budget 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 .. | | 3540 - - | 3620 - - | 3460 - - | 3579 - 8 |
| GRANT 4.—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont. | | | | | |
| 9. OTHER CHARGES—cont. | | | | | |
| ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes .. .. | 170 - - | | 50 - - | 170 - - | 120 8 0 |
| iii. Printing .. .. .. .. | 400 - - | | 500 - - | 350 - - | 614 - 8 |
| iv. Compensation for lands .. .. | | | | | |
| v. Other items .. .. .. | 600 - - | | 1520 - - | 900 - - | 988 14 7 |
| | | 1170 - - | | | |
| Total, Grant 4 .. | | 4710 - - | 5690 - - | 4880 - - | 5302 7 11 |
| GRANT 5— | | | | | |
| *a.* General Establishment— | | | | | |
| i. Office Establishment .. .. | 3150 | | 2370 - - | 2370 - - | 2318 - - |
| ii. Inspection .. .. .. | - - - | | 140 - - | 420 - - | - - - |
| | | 3150 - - | | | |
| *b.* Collection of Municipal Taxes— | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. | 770 - - | | 750 - - | 770 - - | 763 7 5 |
| ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. .. .. | 160 - - | | 230 - - | 260 - - | 331 - 3 |
| | | 930 - - | | | |
| *c.* Collection of Tolls— | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. | | | | | |
| ii. Contingencies .. .. .. | 150 - - | 150 - - | 330 - - | 140 - - | 52 9 6 |
| *d.* Office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii) .. .. .. .. | 340 - - | 340 - - | 370 - - | 300 - - | 368 8 0 |
| *e.* Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments .. .. | 480 - - | 480 - - | 480 - - | 487 - - | 398 - - |
| Total, Grant 5 .. | | 5050 - - | 4670 - - | 4740 - - | 4277 1 2 |
| REPAYMENT OF DEBT—to the Bishop's Sanitary Funds & Capital. | | | | | |
| *a.* Instalments paid during the year .. | 500 - - | | - - - | 30 - - | 150 - - |
| *b.* Invested on account of Sinking Fund (Value of securities purchased) .. .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *c.* Charges of investment .. .. | | 500 - - | | | |
| INTEREST— | | | | | |
| *a.* On account of last year .. .. | | | | | |
| *b.* On account of current years .. | | | | | |



## Statement II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Kurseong for the official year 1898-99—*cont.*

| — | Budget 1898-99 Details of Minor Heads. | Budget 1898-99 Totals of Major Heads. | Revised Estimate for 1897-98. | Budget 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. |
| Advances recoverable— | | 500 - - | - - - | 30 - - | 150 - - |
| *a.* Permanent .. .. .. .. | | | 100 - - | - - - | 140 - - |
| *b.* Others .. .. .. .. | | | 540 - - | - - - | 397 4 0 |
| Refunds of other than current collections .. | | | 20 - - | 20 - - | - - - |
| Discount .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Pensions and gratuities .. .. .. | | | | | |
| Investments— | | | | | |
| *a.* In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund .. .. .. .. | | | | | |
| *b.* ~~In Savings Bank~~ .. *Total* | | 500 - - | 660 - - | 50 - - | 687 4 0 |
| Total Expenditure .. | | 5010 - - | 5370 - - | 5140 - - | 5520 3 1 |
| Balances— | | | | | |
| *a.* Municipal Fund .. .. .. | | 1055 - - | 275 - - | 1016 - - | 1045 9 7 |
| *b.* Endowments .. .. .. | | 325 - - | 445 - - | 604 - - | 606 14 3 |
| *c.* ~~Water-tax Fund~~ .. *Total* | | 1380 - - | 720 - - | 1620 - - | 1652 7 10 |
| Grand Total .. | | 51390 - - | 54440 - - | 53260 - - | 56855 10 11 |

### NOTE TO STATEMENT II.

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

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

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

### Part I.—New Works.

| Number. | Project. | Amount of estimate. | Past expenditure. | | | Expenditure in 189 -9 | | | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | | | 5 | | | 6 |
| | | Rs. | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | |
| (a) | Communications .. .. .. | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | | | | | |
| | — Nil. — | | | | | | | | |
| | Total .. | | | | | | | | |
| (b) | Buildings .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | | | | | |
| | — Nil. — | | | | | | | | |
| | Total .. | | | | | | | | |



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

### Part I.—New Works—*cont.*

| Number. | Project. | Amount of estimate. | Past expenditure. | | | Expenditure in 189 -9 | | | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | | | 5 | | | 6 |
| | | Rs. | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | |
| (c) | Drainage .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | | | | | |
| | — Nil. — | | | | | | | | |
| | Total .. | | | | | | | | |
| (d) | Water-supply .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | For Constructing | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | new wells. — | 200 | — | | | 200 | — | | |
| | Total .. | 200 | — | | | 200 | — | | |

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

PART II.—Repairs.

| Number. | Project. | Grant. | Actual expenditure. | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| | | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | |
| (*a*) | Communications .. .. .. .. .. | | | |
| 1 | | | | Total mileage of roads, streets, lanes, &c., in the town. = 49 Miles |
| 2 | For repairing Municipal | | | |
| 3 | roads as follows:— | | | Metalled or Gravelled: 30-1 / Unmetalled: 18-7 |
| | I Division Cuddalore Old Town. | 1800 -- | | Total mileage under maintenance. |
| | II Division- Bandippalayam. | 850 -- | | Metalled or Gravelled: 30-1 / Unmetalled: 18-7 |
| | III do- Tirupapuliyar | 1000 -- | | |
| | IV do- Puduppalayam | 1000 -- | | |
| | V do- Manjakuppam | 900 -- | | |
| | For repairing Culverts and bridges | 450 -- | | |
| | Total | 6000 -- | | |



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 | | | | |
| 2 | For repairing masonry | | | |
| 3 | and leaf latrines & | | | |
| | other Municipal | | | |
| | buildings. | 1000 -- | | Includes Rs 400-- for repairing the dispensary buildings |
| | Total .. | 1000 -- | | |

## 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 | For repairing the | | | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | existing wells &c. | 100 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| | For up keep of the | | | | | | | |
| | supply channel for | | | | | | | |
| | the delivery fountain | 300 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| | at Cuddalore Old Town. | | | | | | | |
| | For repairing the | | | | | | | |
| | filter beds at | | | | | | | |
| | Cuddalore Old Town | 150 | 0 | 0 | | | | |



## 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 .. .. .. .. .. | 9 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 648 | 0 | 0 |
| | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 180 | 0 | 0 |
| Total .. | 12 | - | - | - | 828 | 0 | 0 |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| *d.* Water works— | | | | | | | |
| Overseers .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Watchmen .. .. .. .. .. | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 180 | 0 | 0 |
| Total .. | 3 | - | - | - | 180 | 0 | 0 |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| 3. General— | | | | | | | |
| Overseers .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Maistries .. | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 288 | 0 | 0 |
| | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 120 | 0 | 0 |
| Total .. | 6 | - | - | - | 408 | 0 | 0 |
| 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 each per mensem. (3) RS. | A. | P. | Salary per annum. (4) RS. | A. | P. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| GRANT 2.—EDUCATION— | | | | | | | |
| 1. TRAINING SCHOOLS— | | | | | | | |
| Pupils receiving scholarships in the training School at Cuddalore | 2 | 5 | 0 | | 120 | 0 | 0 |
| Stipends to Sessional School (Students) for 3 months | | | | | 36 | 0 | 0 |
| Remuneration to Sessional School Master and other Contingencies | | | | | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | | Total | | | 180 | 0 | 0 |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | 1 | | |
| 2. MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS— | | | | | | | |
| a. On the Salary System— | | | | | | | |
| Head Master .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| 1st Assistant Master .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| 2nd ,, ,, .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| —Nil.— | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |



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

| 1 | Number. (2) | Salary each per mensem. (3) RS. | A. | P. | Salary per annum. (4) RS. | A. | P. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| GRANT 2.—EDUCATION—*cont.* | | | | | | | |
| b. On the Salary Result System— | | | | | | | |
| Uppalavady School Teacher | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 96 | 0 | 0 |
| Fort St. David do | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 96 | 0 | 0 |
| Do Assistant Teacher | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| Singaratope Teacher | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 96 | 0 | 0 |
| Samarappalayam do | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| Hindustany School Teacher | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 96 | 0 | 0 |
| Panchama School Teachers | 3 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 288 | 0 | 0 |
| Total .. | 9 | . | . | . | 816 | 0 | 0 or |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | in round figures | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | Rs 820. | | | | | | |
| 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.* | | | | | | | |
| 6. Inspection— | | | | | | | |
| Inspecting Schoolmaster .. .. .. .. | 1 | 20 | — | — | 240 | — | — |
| Total .. | 1 | — | — | — | 240 | — | — |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| 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 .. .. .. | 1 | 20 | — | — | 240 | — | — |
| Total .. | 1 | — | — | — | 240 | — | — |
| 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 each 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— | | | | | | | |
| Lady Apothecary | 1 | 75 | — | — | 900 | — | — |
| Medical Subordinates 1½ Class Hospital for New Town | 1 | 55 | — | — | 660 | — | — |
| ,, ,, .. do .. for Old Town | 1 | 48 | 2 | 0 | 578 | — | — |
| Midwife .. 3rd Class Hospital each for Tiruppachalyar Dispy | 1 | 25 | — | — | 300 | — | — |
| Clerk .. .. do for New Town | 1 | 25 | — | — | 300 | — | — |
| Senior Compounder .. for New Town .. .. | 1 | 18 | — | — | 216 | — | — |
| Compounder for Old Town | 1 | 15 | — | — | 180 | — | — |
| Servants Compounder for Tiruppachalyar | 1 | 15 | — | — | 180 | — | — |
| ,, .. do .. for New Town | 1 | 12 | — | — | 144 | — | — |
| .. do for women & Children's Dispy | 1 | 9 | — | — | 108 | — | — |
| Clerk for New Town | 1 | 12 | — | — | 144 | — | — |
| Midwife for do | 1 | 15 | — | — | 180 | — | — |
| do for Old Town | 1 | 15 | — | — | 180 | — | — |
| do for Tiruppachalyar | 1 | 12 | — | — | 144 | — | — |
| Peon | 1 | 8 | — | — | 96 | — | — |
| Ward Servants (male) for New Town | 2 | 7 | — | — | 168 | — | — |
| — do — for Old Town | 1 | 7 | — | — | 84 | — | — |
| — do — for Tiruppachalyar | 1 | 7 | — | — | 84 | — | — |
| Female ward attendant or nurse for New Town. | 1 | 6 | — | — | 72 | — | — |
| do for Old Town | 1 | 6 | — | — | 72 | — | — |
| do for Women & Children's Dispy | 1 | 6 | — | — | 72 | — | — |
| Cook for New Town | 1 | 7 | — | — | 84 | — | — |
| Waterman — do — | 1 | 5 | — | — | 60 | — | — |
| Dhoby — do — | 1 | 6 | — | — | 72 | — | — |
| (Male) Totty — do — | 1 | 6 | — | — | 72 | — | — |
| Female Totty do — | 1 | 5 | — | — | 60 | — | — |
| Total .. | 27 | — | — | — | 5210 | — | — |
| 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—*cont.* | | | |
| 3. Vaccination— | | | |
| Vaccinators .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 15 - | 180 - |
| Assistant Vaccinator .. .. | 1 | 7 - | 84 - |
| Peons .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | |
| Total .. | 2 | - - | 264 - - |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | in round figures Rs 260 | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | |
| 4. Registration— | | | |
| Registrars .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 15 - | 180 - |
| Peons .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | |
| Total .. | 1 | - - | 180 - |
| 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—*cont.* | | | |
| 5. *a.* "Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering" | | | |
| Chief Sanitary Inspector .. .. .. .. | 1 | 30 - | 360 - |
| Sub Sanitary Inspectors .. .. .. .. | 1 | 15 - | 180 - |
| Nuisance Inspectors .. .. .. .. | 3 | 18 - | 648 - |
| " Do .. .. .. .. | 2 | 15 - | 360 - |
| " Do .. .. .. .. | 2 | 12 - | 288 - |
| Maistries .. .. .. .. .. | 3 | 8 - | 288 - |
| Scavengers at 7 Rs. .. .. .. | 1 | 7 - | 84 - |
| Sweepers .. Do .. .. .. | 5 | 6 - | 360 - |
| Do | 15 | 5 - | 900 - |
| Do | 10 | 4 - | 480 - |
| Sweepers .. .. .. | 57 | 4 - | 2736 - |
| Total .. | 100 | - - | 6684 - - |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | in round figures Rs 6690 | | |
| 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—*cont.* | | | | | | | |
| *b.* Private Scavenging— | | | | | | | |
| Inspectors .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Maistries .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Scavengers .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 96 | 0 | 0 |
| .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| .. .. .. .. .. | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 360 | 0 | 0 |
| .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | 8 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 528 | 0 | 0 |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes— | | | | | | | |
| 1. Lighting— | | | | | | | |
| Superintendents .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Masalchies .. .. .. .. .. | 9 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 432 | 0 | 0 |
| Total .. | 9 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 432 | 0 | 0 |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |



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

| — | Number. | Salary per mensem. | | | Salary per annum. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | | | 4 | | |
| | | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. |
| GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.* | | | | | | | |
| 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 .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | 1 | . | . | . | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| 3. Choultries— | | | | | | | |
| Servants .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Monegar. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | 1 | . | . | . | 72 | 0 | 0 |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |

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

| — | Number. | Salary per mensem. | | | Salary per annum. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | | | 4 | | |
| | | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. |
| **GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*** | | | | | | | |
| 4. Travellers' Bungalows— | | | | | | | |
| Maty .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 6 | - | - | 72 | - | - |
| Servants .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 2 | 1 | 8 | - | 36 | - | - |
| Total .. | 3 | - | - | - | 108 | - | - |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | in round figures | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | Rs 110. - - | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| 5. Avenues— | | | | | | | |
| Servants .. .. .. .. .. .. | Nil. | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| 6. Public Garden— | | | | | | | |
| Gardeners .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 5 | - | - | 60 | - | - |
| Total .. | 1 | - | - | - | 60 | - | - |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |



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

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

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

| —— | Number. | Salary each per mensem. | | | Salary per annum. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | | | 4 | | |
| | | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. |
| GRANT 5.—*a.* General Establishment— | | | | | | | |
| i. Office— | | | | | | | |
| ~~Manager~~ Secretary .. .. .. | 1 | 120 | 0 | 0 | 1440 | 0 | 0 |
| Clerks .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 360 | 0 | 0 |
| ,, .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 240 | 0 | 0 |
| ,, .. Store Keeper .. .. | 1 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 180 | 0 | 0 |
| Attender .. .. | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 120 | 0 | 0 |
| Head Accountant .. .. .. .. .. .. | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 96 | 0 | 0 |
| Peons .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 168 | 0 | 0 |
| Sweeper .. .. .. | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 60 | 0 | 0 |
| Total .. | 10 | | 0 | 0 | 3144 | 0 | 0 |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | in round figures | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | Rs 3150 | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| ii. Inspection— | | | | | | | |
| Chairman's salary or carriage allowance .. .. | Carriage allowance @ Rs 35 per mensem discontinued Nil. | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |



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

| —— | Number. | Salary each 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 .. .. .. .. .. .. | 8 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 768 | 0 | 0 |
| Peons .. .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | 8 | | 0 | 0 | 768 | 0 | 0 |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | in round figures | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | Rs 770 | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |
| *c.* Collection of tolls— | | | | | | | |
| Inspectors .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Gate-keepers .. .. .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | |
| Total .. | | | | | | | |
| Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. | | | | | | | |
| Add arrears for last year paid this year .. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (Statement II) .. | | | | | | | |

STATEMENT IV-A.—*Municipality of* Cuddalore Demand, Collection and Balance statement for the year 1898-99.

urrent.

| Tax. | Demand as originally assessed by the Chairman. | | Remitted by the Council on appeal. | | Demand as finally settled (column 2 *minus* column 3). | | Collected. | | Remitted on account of vacant houses, &c. | | Written off as irrecoverable. | | Balance (column 4 *minus* columns 5, 6 and 7). | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | | 3 | | 4 | | 5 | | 6 | | 7 | | 8 | |
| | RS. | A. P. | RS. | A. P. | RS. | A. P. | RS. | A. P. | RS. | A. P. | RS. | A. P. | RS. | A. P. |
| 1. Tax on arts, &c. | 4300 | - - | 70 | - - | 4230 | - - | 4120 | - - | - | - - | 60 | - - | 50 | - - |
| 2. Tax on buildings | 12400 | - - | 200 | - - | 12200 | - - | 4800 | - - | 100 | - - | 50 | - - | 250 | - - |
| 3. Tax on lands | 4600 | - - | 200 | - - | 4400 | - - | 3800 | - - | - | - - | 100 | - - | 500 | - - |
| 4. Water-tax on buildings and lands appropriated to buildings or occupied by native huts | 1000 | - - | 50 | - - | 950 | - - | 550 | - - | - | - - | 50 | - - | 350 | - - |
| 5. Tax (gross receipts) | 12000 | - - | - | - - | 12000 | - - | 12000 | - - | - | - - | - | - - | - | - - |
| 6. Market rents | 900 | - - | - | - - | 900 | - - | 900 | - - | - | - - | - | - - | - | - - |
| 7. Slaughter-house fees | 80 | - - | - | - - | 80 | - - | 80 | - - | - | - - | - | - - | - | - - |
| 8. Rent of cart-stands | 450 | - - | - | - - | 450 | - - | 450 | - - | - | - - | - | - - | - | - - |
| 9. Private scavenging fees | 1000 | - - | 70 | - - | 930 | - - | 900 | - - | - | - - | 30 | - - | - | - - |
| Sale proceeds of Night Soil Cart Tax refuse | 2300 | - - | - | - - | 2300 | - - | 2300 | - - | - | - - | - | - - | - | - - |
| Total | 39030 | - - | 590 | - - | 38440 | - - | 36900 | - - | 100 | - - | 290 | - - | 1150 | - - |

Chairman.

## Statement IV-B.—Arrears.

| — | Balance of old demand. | | | Arrears of previous year. | | | Total demand. | | | Collected. | | | Remitted. | | | Written off. | | | Balance (column 4 *minus* columns 5, 6 and 7). | | | Years to which the balance relates. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | | | 3 | | | 4 | | | 5 | | | 6 | | | 7 | | | 8 | | | 9 | | | |
| | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P | RS. | A. | P. | A. | B. | C. | &c. |
| 1. Tax on arts, &c. .. .. .. | - | - | - | 200 | - | - | 200 | - | - | 180 | - | - | - | - | - | 20 | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | |
| 2. Tax on buildings .. .. | - | - | - | 250 | - | - | 250 | - | - | 200 | - | - | - | - | - | 50 | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | |
| 3. Tax on lands .. .. .. | 600 | - | - | 500 | - | - | 1100 | - | - | 800 | - | - | - | - | - | 100 | - | - | 200 | - | - | - | | | |
| 4. Water-tax on buildings and lands | 100 | - | - | 500 | - | - | 600 | - | - | 450 | - | - | - | - | - | 50 | - | - | 100 | - | - | - | | | |
| 5. Tolls .. .. .. .. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | |
| 6. Market .. .. .. .. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | |
| 7. Slaughter-house fees .. .. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | |
| 8. Rent of shop-stands .. .. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | |
| 9. Private scavenging fees .. .. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | |
| 10. Sale proceeds of night soil, street refuse &c. | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | |
| Total .. | 700 | - | - | 1450 | - | - | 2150 | - | - | 1630 | - | - | - | - | - | 220 | - | - | 300 | - | - | - | | | |

Ex: Officio Chairman

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## Statement VI.—Revised Estimate for 1897-98.

## Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Receipts) for 1897-98.

| Items. | Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98. | | | Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97. | | | Probable receipts of the last four months of 1897-98. | | | Total of columns 2 and 4. | | | Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments. | | | Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | | | 3 | | | 4 | | | 5 | | | 6 | | | 7 |
| | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | Rs. | A. | P. | |
| 1. Balance brought forward— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. Municipal Fund .. .. | | | | | | | | | | 1045 | 0 | 0 | 936 | 0 | 0 | |
| b. Endowments .. .. | | | | | | | | | | 605 | 0 | 0 | 554 | 0 | 0 | |
| c. ~~Water-tax Fund~~ .. Total .. | | | | | | | | | | 1650 | 0 | 0 | 1490 | 0 | 0 | Slight increase. Calls for no remark. |
| 2. Municipal rates and taxes— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) .. | 2118 | 0 | 0 | 1660 | 0 | 0 | 2382 | 0 | 0 | 4500 | 0 | 0 | 4900 | 0 | 0 | Due to the omission of Schedule A. in the Amended act under which traders are made liable on their monthly income and not as hitherto, irrespective of income, on their trade or calling. |
| b. Tax on buildings (section 63) .. | 6976 | 0 | 0 | 6440 | 0 | 0 | 3324 | 0 | 0 | 10300 | 0 | 0 | 10500 | 0 | 0 | |
| c. Tax on lands (section 63) .. | 1019 | 0 | 0 | 1993 | 0 | 0 | 3331 | 0 | 0 | 4350 | 0 | 0 | 4850 | 0 | 0 | Slight decrease. Calls for no remark |
| d. ~~Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)~~ Tax on land appropriated to any fair, fair or exempted in another part | 128 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 372 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 0 | 250 | 0 | 0 | Due to the tax imposed on gardens and Compounds of houses, having in the recent revision of land tax registers been exempted, as the buildings to which they are attached are already assessed to the House tax. |
| e. Tax on vehicles with spirings and palanquins (section 77) .. | 1007 | 0 | 0 | 376 | 0 | 0 | 443 | 0 | 0 | 1450 | 0 | 0 | 1450 | 0 | 0 | |
| f. Tax on animals (section 77) .. | 1258 | 0 | 0 | 540 | 0 | 0 | 1042 | 0 | 0 | 2300 | 0 | 0 | 2300 | 0 | 0 | |
| g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) .. | 1407 | 0 | 0 | 324 | 0 | 0 | 693 | 0 | 0 | 2100 | 0 | 0 | 2100 | 0 | 0 | Due to the revision of this tax during the current year. |
| h. Tolls (section 91)— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gross receipts .. .. | 7911 | 0 | 0 | 4262 | 0 | 0 | 5089 | 0 | 0 | 13000 | 0 | 0 | 13100 | 0 | 0 | Due to the rents of the Tolls having been leased for a Sum below the amount anticipated. |
| Less Local Fund share .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| i. Penalties on account of— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| i. Tax on arts .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ii. Tax on buildings .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| iii. Tax on lands .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| iv. Water-tax on buildings and lands .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| v. Tax on vehicles, &c .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| vi. Tax on animals .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| vii. Tax on carts, &c. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| viii. Evasion of tolls .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Realizations under Special Acts— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. Pounds .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| b. Ferry rents .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| c. Fees under Act II of 1888 .. | 180 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | 180 | 0 | 0 | | | | The increase is due to fees Collected on account of licences issued to a certain native caravan troupe and other theatrical performers for entertainments given by them in the Municipality during the current year. |
| 4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. i. Rents of lands .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ii. Rent of buildings .. .. | 13 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 | |
| iii. Avenue receipts .. .. | 204 | 0 | 0 | 211 | 0 | 0 | 296 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 0 | 700 | 0 | 0 | Due to the receipt under this head having been over estimated. |
| iv. Fees from Travellers' Bungalows .. .. .. | 93 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 67 | 0 | 0 | 160 | 0 | 0 | 160 | 0 | 0 | |
| b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c. .. .. | 27 | 0 | 0 | | | | 13 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 0 | |
| Carried forward .. | 22341 | 0 | 0 | 15868 | 0 | 0 | 17059 | 0 | 0 | 39400 | 0 | 0 | 40370 | 0 | 0 | |

Statement VI—Revised Estimate—(Receipts) for 1897-98—*continued*.

| Items. | Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98. | Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97. | Probable receipts of the last four months of 1897-98. | Total of columns 2 and 4. | Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments. | Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | |
| Brought forward .. | 22341 0 0 | 15868 0 0 | 17059 0 0 | 39400 0 0 | 40370 0 0 | |
| 4. REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—*cont.* | | | | | | |
| *c.* Conservancy receipts— | | | | | | |
| Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c. .. .. | 1304 0 0 | 697 0 0 | 1216 0 0 | 2520 0 0 | 2300 0 0 | The increase is due to Rs 220 deposit on account of Sale proceeds of night soil, Street refuse &c for 1898-99 having been credited to the proper head as per G.O. dated 28-6-95. No 1040 M. |
| *d.* i. Fees from educational institutions .. .. | 70 0 0 | 0 0 0 | 90 0 0 | 160 0 0 | 160 0 0 | |
| ii. Other revenue from educational institutions .. | | | | | | |
| *e.* i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines .. | 401 0 0 | 166 0 0 | 199 0 0 | 600 0 0 | 600 0 0 | |
| ii. Other Hospital receipts Sale of animal lymph | 59 0 0 | 46 0 0 | 11 0 0 | 70 0 0 | 50 0 0 | |
| *f.* i. Income from markets .. | 626 0 0 | 340 0 0 | 374 0 0 | 1000 0 0 | 1300 0 0 | Due to the rent of Market having been leased for a sum below the amount anticipated. |
| ii. „ „ slaughter-houses. | 31 0 0 | 37 0 0 | 49 0 0 | 80 0 0 | 100 0 0 | |
| *g.* Other fees .. .. .. | | | | | | |
| i. Distraint fees .. .. | 33 0 0 | 6 0 0 | 67 0 0 | 100 0 0 | 100 0 0 | |
| ii. License fees .. .. | 130 0 0 | 60 0 0 | 270 0 0 | 400 0 0 | 600 0 0 | Due to smaller number of licenses issued during the year for burning Brick Kiln, wedding pandal &c |
| iii. Cartstand fees .. .. | 299 0 0 | 125 0 0 | 151 0 0 | 450 0 0 | 410 0 0 | |
| iv. Other fees—Fees from Extract from Birth & Death Register | 1 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 9 0 0 | 10 0 0 | 10 0 0 | |
| *h.* Fines under Municipal and other Acts Bench Magistrate's fine. | 736 0 0 | 4 0 0 | 64 0 0 | 800 0 0 | 1200 0 0 | Due to the deduction made on acc of the cost of the clerical staff employed in the Bench Magistrate's Court as per Accountant General's Circular No XIX dated 14-10-96. Vide para 7 of Covering letter to the Budget. |
| *i.* Interest on investments— | | | | | | |
| i. Genral, including choultries Interest on Prov. Note. | 0 0 0 | 85 0 0 | 20 0 0 | 20 0 0 | 0 0 0 | |
| ii. Educational .. .. | | | | | | |
| iii. Medical .. .. .. | 462 0 0 | 824 0 0 | 378 0 0 | 840 0 0 | 840 0 0 | |
| *j.* Premium on loans .. .. | | | | | | |
| 5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS— | | | | | | |
| *a.* From Government— | | | | | | |
| i. Education— | | | | | | |
| Normal stipends .. | 0 0 0 | 142 0 0 | 220 0 0 | 220 0 0 | 220 0 0 | |
| Buildings .. .. | | | | | | |
| Municipal Schools .. | | | | | | |
| Other purposes .. .. | | | | | | |
| ii. Medical .. .. .. | | | | | | |
| iii. Other purposes— | | | | | | |
| Communications .. | | | | | | |
| Water-supply .. | | | | | | |
| Drainage .. .. | | | | | | |
| Sanitation .. .. | | | | | | |
| Other purposes (Choultry) | 679 0 0 | 679 0 0 | 1 0 0 | 680 0 0 | 680 0 0 | |
| *b.* From Local Boards— | | | | | | |
| i. Education .. .. | | | | | | |
| ii. Medical on account of women & children's dispy | 0 0 0 | 581 0 0 | 60 0 0 | 60 0 0 | 1200 0 0 | Due to the Dispensary for women and children having been closed for nearly 6 months in the Current year. |
| iii. Other purposes Lighting Pehuan Bridge | 0 0 0 | 106 0 0 | 140 0 0 | 140 0 0 | 200 0 0 | |
| Carried forward .. | 27172 0 0 | 19767 0 0 | 20918 0 0 | 48090 0 0 | 50340 0 0 | Slight decrease. Calls for no remark. |

Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Receipts) for 1897-98—*continued.*

| Items. | Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98. | Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97. | Probable receipts of the last four months of 1897-98. | Total of columns 2 and 4. | Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments. | Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| | RS. A. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | |
| Brought forward .. | 27172 0 | 19767 0 0 | 20918 0 0 | 48090 0 0 | 50340 0 0 | |
| 5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS—*cont.* | | | | | | |
| c. Other grants and contributions— | | | | | | |
| i. Education .. .. | | | | | | |
| ii. Medical .. .. | | | | | | |
| iii. Other purposes .. .. | | | | | | |
| 6. MISCELLANEOUS— | | | | | | |
| a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals— | | | | | | |
| i. Private scavenging .. | 333 0 0 | 145 0 0 | 187 0 0 | 520 0 0 | 900 0 0 | Due to the enhanced rates at which the private scavenging fees were proposed to be levied having been reduced in accordance with the wishes of the Council for certain wards. |
| ii. Other purposes .. .. | | | | | | |
| b. Other items— | | | | | | |
| i. Fishery rents .. .. | | | | | | |
| ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year .. .. | 0 | 72 0 0 | 20 0 0 | 20 0 0 | 20 0 0 | |
| iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c. | | | | | | |
| iv. Other items .. .. | 0 | 0 | 80 0 0 | 80 0 0 | 150 0 0 | Slight decrease. Calls for no remark. |
| Sale of toll tickets | 98 0 0 | 49 0 0 | 62 0 0 | 160 0 0 | 160 0 0 | |
| 7. EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT— | | | | | | |
| a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank. | | | | | | |
| b. Loans— | | | | | | |
| i. From Government (~~Hospital Endowment fund~~ New Town) | 3032 0 0 | 0 | 8 0 0 | 3040 0 0 | 0 | The increase is chiefly due to the loan of Rs 3000 taken from the New Town Hospital Funded Capital, Vide G. O. No. 1213 Mu. Dist. 2/15-5-97 |
| ii. In the market from private individuals .. .. | | | | | | |
| c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans. | | | | | | |
| d. Advances— | | | | | | |
| i. Permanent .. .. | 0 | 5 0 0 | 0 | 5 0 0 | 0 | |
| ii. Others .. .. | 783 0 0 | 1431 0 0 | 117 0 0 | 900 0 0 | 200 0 0 | Due to advances given for works in previous year having been recovered during 1897-98. |
| Total Receipts .. | 31418 0 0 | 21469 0 0 | 21372 0 0 | 52790 0 0 | 51770 0 0 | |
| Grand Total .. | | | | 54440 0 0 | 53260 0 0 | |

Statement VI—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 1897-98—*continued.*

| Items. | Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98. | Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97. | Probable charges of the last four months of 1897-98. | Total of columns 2 and 4. | Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments. | Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | |
| GRANT I—(*Public Works*)— | | | | | | |
| 1. New Works— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Communications .. .. | - - - | - - - | - - - | - - - | 350 0 0 | The decrease is due to works not having been carried out for want of sufficient funds. |
| *b.* Buildings .. .. | - - - | 222 0 0 | 170 0 0 | 170 0 0 | 1050 0 0 | |
| *c.* Drainage .. .. .. | | | | | | do — do — |
| *d.* Water-supply .. .. | - - - | - - - | 150 0 0 | 150 0 0 | 300 0 0 | — do — do — |
| 2. Repairs— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Communications .. .. | 3740 0 0 | 3663 0 0 | 2260 0 0 | 6000 0 0 | 6500 0 0 | — do — do — |
| *b.* Buildings .. .. | 3422 0 0 | 2226 0 0 | 1478 0 0 | 4900 0 0 | 600 0 0 | Due to the large sum expended in repairing the New Town Hospital for which no provision was made in the current year's budget |
| *c.* Drainage— | | | | | | |
| i. Repairs to works .. | | | | | | |
| ii. Establishment for flushing drains, &c. .. .. | 695 0 0 | 230 0 0 | 345 0 0 | 1040 0 0 | 1110 0 0 | |
| *d.* Water-supply— | | | | | | |
| i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c. .. .. | 344 0 0 | 55 0 0 | 106 0 0 | 450 0 0 | 550 0 0 | Slight increase. Calls for no remark |
| ii. Establishment .. .. | 118 0 0 | 60 0 0 | 62 0 0 | 180 0 0 | 180 0 0 | |
| iii. Contingencies .. .. | - - - | 17 0 0 | 10 0 0 | 10 0 0 | 30 0 0 | |
| 3. Establishment .. .. | 666 0 0 | 125 0 0 | 314 0 0 | 980 0 0 | 950 0 0 | |
| 4. Tools and Plant and other stores. | 76 0 0 | 12 0 0 | 24 0 0 | 100 0 0 | 200 0 0 | Due to provision made under this head for the purchase of office furniture having been transferred to Subhead "Office Contingencies other than b ii" |
| 5. Contributions— | | | | | | |
| *a.* To Local Boards for works .. | - - - | 161 0 0 | 140 0 0 | 140 0 0 | 140 0 0 | |
| *b.* To Provincial Funds for scrutiny of estimates, &c. | | | | | | |
| *c.* To others for public works .. | | | | | | |
| Total, Grant I .. | 9061 0 0 | 6774 0 0 | 5059 0 0 | 14120 0 0 | 11960 0 0 | |
| GRANT II—(*Education*)— | | | | | | |
| 1. Training Schools— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Contributions to Local Boards .. | | | | | | |
| *b.* Stipends to Normal students .. | 94 0 0 | 28 0 0 | 146 0 0 | 240 0 0 | 240 0 0 | |
| 2. Municipal Schools— | | | | | | |
| i. On Salary System— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | | | | | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. | | | | | | |
| ii. On Salary-Results System— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Fixed Payments .. .. | 331 0 0 | 173 0 0 | 279 0 0 | 610 0 0 | 790 0 0 | Due to 2 Panchama Schools not having been opened in the beginning of the year. |
| *b.* Results Grants .. .. | - - - | 254 0 0 | 340 0 0 | 340 0 0 | 340 0 0 | |
| *c.* Contingencies .. .. | 50 0 0 | 38 0 0 | 200 0 0 | 250 0 0 | 250 0 0 | |
| 3. Salary Grants .. .. .. | 133 0 0 | 83 0 0 | 267 0 0 | 400 0 0 | 400 0 0 | |
| 4. Results Grants .. .. | - - - | 1696 0 0 | 2000 0 0 | 2000 0 0 | 2000 0 0 | |
| 5. Combined Grants— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Fixed Payments .. .. | | | | | | |
| *b.* Results Grants .. .. | | | | | | |
| 6. Inspection— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Contributions to Local Boards .. | | | | | | |
| Carried forward .. | 608 0 0 | 2272 0 0 | 3232 0 0 | 3840 0 0 | 4020 0 0 | |

tatement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 1897-98—*continued.*

| Items | Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98. | Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97. | Probable charges of the last four months of 1897-98. | Total of columns 2 and 4. | Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments. | Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | RS. A. P. | |
| Brought forward .. | 608 — — | 2272 — — | 3232 — — | 3840 — — | 4020 — — | |
| GRANT II—(*Education*)—cont. | | | | | | |
| *b.* Municipal Inspectors— | | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. | 160 — — | 80 — — | 80 — — | 240 — — | 240 — — | |
| ii. Contingencies .. .. | 11 — — | 4 — — | 9 — — | 20 — — | 10 — — | |
| 7. MISCELLANEOUS— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Building, ~~furniture, &c.~~, grants .. | — — — | 25 — — | 150 — — | 150 — — | 150 — — | Furniture grant. |
| *b.* Common gymnasium— | — — — | 125 — — | 50 — — | 50 — — | 50 — — | Drawing Establishment |
| i. Establishment .. .. | 160 — — | 80 — — | 80 — — | 240 — — | 240 — — | |
| ii. Contingencies .. .. | 4 — — | 9 — — | 36 — — | 40 — — | 40 — — | |
| *c.* Other items .. .. .. | 3 — — | — — — | 7 — — | 10 — — | — — — | |
| Total, Grant II .. | 946 — — | 2595 — — | 3644 — — | 4590 — — | 4750 — — | |

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| GRANT III—(*Sanitation and Medical Services.*) | | | | | | |
| 1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | 3045 — — | 1623 — — | 1745 — — | 4790 — — | 5220 — — | Due to the Dispensary for Women and children having been closed for a portion of the year. Vide para 10 of Covering letter to the Budget. |
| *b.* Medicines and Supplies .. .. | 282 — — | 1183 — — | 2718 — — | 3000 — — | 3400 — — | |
| *c.* Diet of Patients .. .. | 838 — — | 255 — — | 162 — — | 1000 — — | 1000 — — | |
| *d.* Sundries and Contingencies .. | 910 — — | 711 — — | 290 — — | 1200 — — | 1200 — — | |
| *e.* Contributions to Local Boards .. | | | | | | |
| 2. *a.* CONTRIBUTIONS TO PROVINCIAL FUNDS FOR— | | | | | | |
| i. Medical College .. | — — — | 192 — — | 150 — — | 150 — — | 100 — — | |
| ii. Sanitary Inspection .. | — — — | 153 — — | 190 — — | 190 — — | 190 — — | |
| iii. Medical Reserve staff .. | — — — | 43 — — | 50 — — | 50 — — | 50 — — | |
| iv. Cutlers' Establishment .. | | | | | | |
| *b.* CONTRIBUTIONS TO LOCAL BOARDS, &C., FOR— | | | | | | |
| i. Medical Schools .. .. | | | | | | |
| ii. Reserve staff .. .. | | | | | | |
| *c.* OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS .. .. | | | | | | |
| 3. VACCINATIONS— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | 173 — — | 88 — — | 87 — — | 260 — — | 270 — — | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. | 240 — — | 133 — — | 130 — — | 370 — — | 310 — — | |
| *c.* Contributions to Local Boards .. | | | | | | |
| Carried forward .. | 5488 — — | 4381 — — | 5522 — — | 11010 — — | 11740 — — | |

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Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 1897-98—*continued.*

| Items. | Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98. | Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97. | Probable charges of the last four months of 1897-98. | Total of columns 2 and 4. | Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments. | Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | Rs. A. P. | |
| Brought forward .. | 5488 — — | 4381 — — | 522 — — | 11010 — — | 11740 — — | |
| GRANT III—*Sanitation and Medical Services*—cont. | | | | | | |
| 4. Registration of Births and Deaths— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | 120 — — | 60 — — | 60 — — | 180 — — | 180 — — | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. | 188 — — | 83 — — | 52 — — | 240 — — | 240 — — | |
| 5. Conservancy, Road cleaning and Road watering— | | | | | | |
| *a.* i. Establishment .. .. | 4399 — — | 1592 — — | 2041 — — | 6440 — — | 6520 — — | Slight decrease. Calls for no remark |
| ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. .. | 2903 — — | 1113 — — | 107 — — | 3910 — — | 4090 — — | Due to savings effected in the amount provided for hire of bullocks for Conservancy purposes. |
| *b.* Private scavenging— | | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. | 306 — — | 101 — — | 134 — — | 440 — — | 530 — — | Slight decrease. Calls for no remark. |
| ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. | 128 — — | 24 — — | 72 — — | 200 — — | 370 — — | Due to savings effected in the amount provided for hire of bullocks for private Scavenging Carts. |
| *c.* Cholera ~~charges~~ & plague charges .. | 3041 — — | 1820 — — | 459 — — | 1500 — — | 1500 — — | |
| *d.* Contingencies Removing prickly pear .. | — — — | — — — | 70 — — | 70 — — | 90 — — | |
| Total, Grant III .. | 14573 — — | 8974 — — | 9417 — — | 23990 — — | 25260 — — | |

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| GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)— | | | | | | |
| 1. Lighting— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | 329 — — | 115 — — | 141 — — | 470 — — | 430 — — | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. | 1270 — — | 643 — — | 730 — — | 2000 — — | 2000 — — | |
| 2. i. Markets— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | | | | | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. | — — — | — — — | 10 — — | 10 — — | 100 — — | No repairs were done to the Market during the year. Hence the saving |
| ii. Slaughter-houses— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | 45 — — | 15 — — | 15 — — | 60 — — | 60 — — | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. | — — — | — — — | — — — | — — — | 10 — — | |
| 3. Choultries— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | 48 — — | 24 — — | 22 — — | 70 — — | 70 — — | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. | 6 — — | 4 — — | 4 — — | 10 — — | 10 — — | |
| *c.* Feeding Traveller .. .. | 563 — — | 191 — — | 197 — — | 760 — — | 550 — — | Due to the larger number of travellers that obtained relief from Sadasiva Rao Peddars' endowment, which is under the management of the Municipality. |
| 4. Travellers' Bungalows— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | 80 — — | 27 — — | 40 — — | 120 — — | 110 — — | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. | 2 — — | 11 — — | 38 — — | 40 — — | 40 — — | |
| 5. Avenues— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | | | | | | |
| *b.* Contingencies .. .. | — — — | — — — | 10 — — | 10 — — | 10 — — | |
| 6. Public Garden— | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | 44 — — | 15 — — | 16 — — | 60 — — | 60 — — | |
| *b.* Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. .. | — — — | 7 — — | 10 — — | 10 — — | 10 — — | |
| Carried forward .. | 2387 — — | 1052 — — | 1233 — — | 3620 — — | 3460 — — | |

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## Statement VI —Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 1897-98—*continued*

| Items. | Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98. | | | Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97. | | | Probable charges of the last four months of 1897-98. | | | Total of columns 2 and 4. | | | Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments. | | | Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | | | 3 | | | 4 | | | 5 | | | 6 | | | 7 |
| | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | |
| Brought forward .. | 2387 | 0 | 0 | 1052 | 0 | | 1233 | 0 | | 3620 | 0 | | 3460 | 0 | | |
| GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7. SURVEY OF LAND .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8. FIRE— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *a.* Establishment .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *b.* Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9. OTHER CHARGES— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes .. .. | 8 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 42 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 170 | 0 | 0 | Due to the allotment for the destruction of Stray and Rabid Dogs not having been fully expended. |
| iii. Printing .. .. .. | 263 | 0 | 0 | 507 | 0 | 0 | 237 | 0 | 0 | 500 | 0 | 0 | 350 | 0 | 0 | |
| iv. Compensation for lands .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| v. Other items .. .. | 282 | 0 | 0 | 657 | 0 | 0 | 1238 | 0 | 0 | 1520 | 0 | 0 | 900 | 0 | 0 | Due to larger expenditure incurred under the head of "Printing." |
| Total, Grant IV .. | 2940 | 0 | 0 | 2225 | 0 | 0 | 2750 | 0 | 0 | 5690 | 0 | 0 | 4880 | 0 | 0 | Due to provision having been made for payment of arrears of Quitrent of fish market due to the Trustee of Pallivasal |
| GRANT V— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *a.* General Establishment— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| i. Office Establishment .. | 1576 | 0 | 0 | 788 | 0 | 0 | 794 | 0 | 0 | 2370 | 0 | 0 | 2370 | 0 | 0 | |
| ii. Inspection .. .. | | | | | | | 140 | 0 | 0 | 140 | 0 | 0 | 420 | 0 | 0 | |
| *b.* Collection of Municipal Taxes— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. | 489 | 0 | 0 | 251 | 0 | 0 | 261 | 0 | 0 | 750 | 0 | 0 | 770 | 0 | 0 | |
| ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. .. | 169 | 0 | 0 | 112 | 0 | 0 | 61 | 0 | 0 | 230 | 0 | 0 | 260 | 0 | 0 | |
| *c.* Collection of Tolls— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| i. Establishment .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ii. Contingencies .. .. | 217 | 0 | 0 | 49 | 0 | 0 | 113 | 0 | 0 | 330 | 0 | 0 | 140 | 0 | 0 | Due to all the Toll Sheds having been put in thorough order. |
| *d.* Office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii) .. .. .. | 240 | 0 | 0 | 289 | 0 | 0 | 130 | 0 | 0 | 370 | 0 | 0 | 300 | 0 | 0 | |
| *e.* Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments .. | | | | 398 | 0 | 0 | 480 | 0 | 0 | 480 | 0 | 0 | 480 | 0 | 0 | |
| Total, Grant V .. | 2691 | 0 | 0 | 1827 | 0 | 0 | 1979 | 0 | 0 | 4670 | 0 | 0 | 4740 | 0 | 0 | |
| REPAYMENT OF DEBT— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *a.* Instalments paid during the year. | | | | 150 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | 30 | 0 | 0 | Decrease is due to the debt having been adjusted in 1896-97 |
| *b.* Invested on account of Sinking Fund (value of securities purchased) .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *c.* Charges of investment .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| INTEREST— | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *a.* On account of last year .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *b.* „ of current year .. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Carried over.. | | | | 150 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | 30 | 0 | 0 | |

Dispensary fund & Capital

Inongae for 1896-97. Vide para 27 of Covering letter to the Budget.

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## Statement VI.—Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 1897-98—*continued.*

| Items | Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98 | | Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97 | | Probable charges of the last four months of 1897-98 | | Total of columns 2 and 4. | | Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments. | | Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | | 3 | | 4 | | 5 | | 6 | | 7 |
| | RS | A. P. | RS. | A. P. | RS. | A. P. | RS. | A. P. | RS. | A. P. | |
| Advances recoverable— | | | 150 | | | | | | 30 | | |
| *a.* Permanent .. .. .. | 100 | | 50 | | | | 100 | | | | Due to Permanent advance made to the District Medical and Sanitary officer for purchase of Hospital sundry articles. Due to advances made to the District Medical and Sanitary Officer and a Contractor in carrying out repairs to the New Town Hospital building. |
| *b.* Others .. .. .. | 540 | | 1280 | | | | 540 | | | | |
| Refunds of other than current collections.. | | | | | 20 | | 20 | | 20 | | |
| Discount .. .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pensions and gratuities .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Investments— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *a.* In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund .. .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *b.* In ~~Saving Bank~~ .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *Total* | 640 | | 1480 | | 20 | | 660 | | 50 | | |
| Totsal Expenditure .. | 30857 | | 23875 | | 22889 | | 53720 | | 51640 | | |
| Balances— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *a.* Municipal Fund .. .. | | | | | | | 275 | | 1016 | | |
| *b.* Endowments .. .. | | | | | | | 445 | | 604 | | |
| *c.* Water-tax Fund .. .. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| *Total* | | | | | | | 720 | | 1620 | | |
| Grand Total .. | | | | | | | 54,440 | | 53,260 | | |

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Ex. officio Chairman

## Statement VI-A.—Showing the Budget Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of Cuddalore 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. | |
| Entries as per Statement II wherever there is alteration | | | | | | | | | |
| Grant IV (9)(iv) Compensation for lands | .. | | 200 | | .. | | 200 | | Sanctioned by the Municipal Council, Cuddalore, at its meetings held on 5.7.97 and 27.9.97 |
| Grant I (4) Tools and plant and other Stores. | 200 | | 70 | | .. | | 270 | | |
| Grant I (2)(a) Repairs-Communications | 6500 | | 30 | | .. | | 6530 | | |
| Grant I (2)(b) Repairs-Buildings | 600 | | 726 | | .. | | 1326 | | |
| Do. | .. | | 952 | 95 | .. | | 952 | 95 | |
| Grant III (1)(a) Hospital Establishment | 5220 | | .. | | 450 | | 4770 | | |
| Grant III (5)(a)(ii) Conservancy Contingencies | 3910 | | .. | | 502 | 9.5 | 3407 | 6.7 | |

Municipal office,
Cuddalore
7 January 1898

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

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

| Items of expenditure. | Original budget grant as sanctioned by Government. | | | Subsequent additions. | | | Subsequent deductions. | | | Total grant. | | | Authority for the additions and deductions shown in columns 3 and 4. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | | | 3 | | | 4 | | | 5 | | | 6 |
| | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | RS. | A. | P. | |
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Enclosure No. 1.

In a letter from the
Chairman, Municipal
Council, Cuddalore,
dated 7 January 1898,
No. 899.

Proceedings of the Municipal Council of Cuddalore passed at a Meeting held on the 16th December 1897

Present

M. A. Rg. S Pandaringa Mudly Avergal, B. A. B.L.
Ex. Offico Chairman & Delegate.

J. C. Marsden Esquire.

A. A. Banerji Esquire, I.C.S.

M. A. Rg. Mahomed Ismail Sheriff Avergal.

Mahomed Rahmatullah Sheriff Avergal.

Abraham Councillor.

Read draft Budget Estimate of the Municipality for 1898-99.

Read also the Medical and Educational budgets forwarded by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer and the Director of Public Instruction respectively for the same year.

Resolved that the draft budget for the ensuing year be approved with the following modification and submitted to Government for sanction.

Except

2. Resolved that the contribution from the District Board towards the upkeep of the Dispensary for women and children be increased to Rs. 1200 which is exactly half of the estimated Cost of maintaining the Dispensary in question during 1898-9

Charges

3. Grant I – Repairs – The Council is of opinion that the provision of Rs. 600 for annual repairs to the latrines and dispensary at old Town and the hospital at New Town should be increased to Rs. 1000.

4. The Council sanctions the abolition of the appointment of D. P. W. Overseer as, in its opinion, the roads were kept in better order when they were looked after by the Sub Sanitary Inspectors who have practically acquired a good knowledge of making and repairing roads. The D. P. W. Overseer was appointed in the current year and the Council regrets to observe that the trial of such an agency has proved a failure. In fact this Municipality is too large and scattered to expect one man to do his work satisfactorily and keep the roads in order. A portion of the savings effected by the abolition of this appointment is proposed to be devoted in giving a small increase to each Sub Sanitary Inspector as explained further on under Grant III.

funds the Council regrets that they are not in a position to sanction the appointment of a Common gymnastic Instructor, purchase of gymnastic apparatus, &c. increase in the salary of the teachers of the Municipal Salary results grant Schools and to the grant of Carriage allowance to the Inspecting School Master as proposed in the Educational budget. The other items under this grant, as suggested by the Director of Public Instruction, have been adopted.

6. Grant III – The District Medical and Sanitary Officer recommends that the salary of the additional Compounder attached to the New Town hospital, be raised from Rs. 9 to 12 as he will next year, by service qualification, become entitled to this increase.

Resolved that an increase of Rs. 3 be allowed and provision be made accordingly therefor in the budget.

7. The Peon attached to the New Town hospital gets Rs. 7 a Month. The District Medical and Sanitary Officer recommends his case him for an increase of one rupee in Consideration of his having in addi

to his ordinary duties, to collect medicine bills.

The Council approves of this recommendation.

8. The District Medical and Sanitary officer proposes that, with the view to provision being made to entertain a 3d class Hospital Assistant on Rs. 25 a month to assist the 1st class Hospital Assistant at the New Town hospital, which work has increased considerably lately and often to go out on cholera duties, the first class Hospital Assistant now in charge of the branch dispensary at Poompapuliyur be replaced by a 3d class man who will be only in subordinate charge of the institution.

The Council accordingly resolves that the 1st class Hospital Assistant at Poompapuliyur be replaced by a 3d class Hospital Assistant and that another 3d class Hospital Assistant be appointed at the New Town hospital.

9. The Council considers that, for want of funds, they cannot sanction an increase of Rs. to the Vaccinator Inspector as explained for it Medical and Grant III. [illegible]

[illegible] Establishment [illegible]

that the Vaccinator is entitled, under Resolution No. 9 passed by the Council at its Meeting held on the 28th August last, to the payment of certain fees for vaccinating cases in private dwellings which the Council authorizes him to levy and receive.

10. The Council considers that the salary of the Sub Sanitary Inspectors should be raised as below in consideration of the additional work thrown on them in connection with the roads and in recognition of the long and good service rendered by them. It further thinks that the salary ranging from Rs. 10 to 15 is too poor a pay for them who have got many responsible duties to perform and who are primarily responsible for the upkeep of all things connected with the Municipality in general.

| Present scale. | Proposed scale. |
|---|---|
| Three on Rs. 15 | Three on Rs. 18. |
| Two on " 12 | Two on " 15. |
| Two on " 10 | Two on " 12. |

11. Resolved that provision for cholera charges be raised from Rs. 1000 to 1500 — the provision sanctioned for the current year — to meet possible charges connected with the bubonic plague.

12. Grant V — The Council considers that the salary of the 2d clerk in the office

who has got 23 years and 3 months service and who, in the opinion of the Council, is a deserving and trustworthy servant, should be raised from Rs. 25 to Rs. 30. Even last year he was recommended for the same increase and was strongly supported by the Collector, and the Council is of opinion that the increase should be given at least next year.

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/Signed/ S. Paduraujam,
Ex. Officio Chairman & Delegate.

/True Extract/

C Mayo
Ex. Officio Chairman

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Enclosure No. 2.

In a letter from the Chairman, Municipal Council, Cuddalore, dated 7th January 1898, No. 899.

Statement of Proposition for reduc

| Order sanctioning present establishment. No. | Date | Office to which the proposition refers | No. | Designation | Nature of cha — Present Scale for 1897-98 Pay Minimum | Maximum | No. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Grant I (3) Establishments. | 1 | Road Overseer | 30 | 50 | | |
| | | | | Pony allowance | | 15 | | |
| | | Grant III (1) Hospitals & Dispensaries. (a) Establishment | 1 | Lady Apothecary | 75 | 100 | | |
| | | | 1 | I class Hospital assistant | | 55 | | |
| | | | 1 | I class — do — for New Town. | | 40-2-50 | | |
| | | | 1 | I class — do — for Old Town | | 55 | | |
| | | | | — pattiyar. | | | | |
| | | | 1 | 3d class Hospital assistant for New Town | | | | |
| | | | 2 | Midwives 1 for New Town and 1 for Tirupapuliyar | | 15 | | |
| | | | 1 | Midwife for Old Town | | 12 | | |
| | | | 1 | Compounder for New Town | | 18 | | |
| | | | 2 | Compounders, 1 for Old Town and 1 for Tirupapuliyar | | 15 | | |
| | | | 2 | Compounders, 1 for New Town and 1 for Women & Children's Dispensary | | 9 | | |
| | | | 1 | Peon for New Town | | 7 | | |
| | | | 4 | Ward Servants, 2 for New Town, 1 for Old Town, & 1 for Tirupapuliyar | | 7 | | |
| | | | 1 | Watchman for New Town | | 5 | | |
| | | | 3 | Nurses, 1 for New T. 1 for Old Town & 1 for Women & Children's Dispensary. | | 6 | | |
| | | | 1 | Cook for New | | 7 | | |

G. O. No. 591, Mis. 18th March 1897

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Statement of proposition for revision of Establishment for 1898-'99.

Large.

| Designation | Present Scale for 1897-'98 Pay Minimum | Pay Maximum | No. | Proposed Scale for 1898-'99 Pay Minimum | Pay Maximum | No. | Proposition Increase per Month Amount | Decrease per Month Amount | Grounds of proposition | Order sanctioning present establishment No. | Date | Office to which the proposition refers. | No. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Nature of charge | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Totty (Male) for New Town | 6 | 1 | | 6 | | | | | | | | Grant III (1) Hospitals & Dispensaries (a) Establishment. | |
| Totty (female) do | 5 | 1 | | 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| Clerk for the District | 12 | 1 | | 12 | | | | | | | | | |
| Medical and Sanitary offices at New Town | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dhoby for New Town | 6 | 1 | | 6 | | | | | | | | | |
| Chief Sanitary Inspector | 30 | 50 | 1 | 30 | 50 | | | | | | | Grant III (5) (a) Conservancy Establishment | |
| Pony allowance | 15 | | | 15 | | | | | | | | | |
| Sub Sanitary Inspector | 20 | | 1 | 18 | | | | | | | | | |
| — do — | 15 | | 3 | 15 | | 14 | | | * | | | | |
| — do — | 12 | | — | 12 | | | | | | | | | |
| Marriage | 60 | 1 | | 60 | | | | | | | | Grant V (a) General Establishment | |
| Head Accountant | 40 | 1 | | 40 | | | | | | | | | |
| Clerk | 25 | 1 | | 30 | | 5 | | | | | | | |
| do | 20 | 1 | | 20 | | | | | | | | | |
| do | 15 | 1 | | 15 | | | | | | | | | |
| Store keeper | 10 | 1 | | 10 | | | | | | | | | |
| Attender | 8 | 1 | | 8 | | | | | | | | | |
| Peons | 7 | 2 | | 7 | | | | | | | | | |
| Sweeper | 5 | 1 | | 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| Carriage Allowance | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| do Chairman | | | 35 | | | | | | | | | | |

* The scale sanctioned is 1 @ Rs 20, but the existing scale is 1 @ Rs 15.

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Ex: officio chairman

Municipal Office,
Cuddalore,
7th January 1898.

To
The Secretary to Government
Municipal Department

Received on 11.1.98

No. 591. Gt. 18 March 1897.

...ction of Establishment for the year 1898-99.

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Proposition

Proposed Scale for 1898-99

| Designation | Pay | | Increase per Month | Decrease per Month | Grounds of proposition |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Minimum | Maximum | Amount | Amount | |
| —Nil.— | - | - | - | 45 | |
| Lady Apothecary | 75 | 100 | ✓ | - | |
| I Class Hospital assistant for New Town | - | 55 | ✓ | - | |
| do for Old Town | - | 48-28 | ✓ | - | |
| 3 class do for Tirupapaliyar | - | 25 | ✓ | 30 | ✓ |
| do — for New Town | - | 25 | ✓ | - | |
| Midwives, (1) for New Town and (1) for Old Town | - | 15 | ✓ | - | |
| Midwife for Tirupapaliyar | - | 12 | ✓ | - | |
| Compounder for New Town | - | 18 | ✓ | - | |
| Compounders, (1) for Old Town and (1) for Tirupapaliyar | - | 15 | ✓ | ✓ | |
| Compounder for New Town | - | 12 | ✓ | 3 | |
| do for Women & Childrens Dispensary | - | 9 | ✓ | - | |
| Peon for New Town | - | 8 | ✓ | 1 | |
| Ward Servants, (2) for New Town, 1 for Old Town, and 1 for Tirupapaliyar | - | 7 | ✓ | - | |
| Waterman | - | 5 | ✓ | - | |
| Nurse, 1 for New Town, 1 for Old Town, & 1 for Women & Childrens Dispensary. | - | 6 | - | - | |
| Cook for New Town | - | 7 | - | - | |

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Enclosure No. 3.

In a letter from the Chairman, Municipal Council, Cuddalore, dated 7 January '98, No. 899.

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