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READ—the following papers:—

From M.R.Ry. K. PERRAJU Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Cocanada, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Head-quarters Deputy Collector and Collector, Gódvári District), dated 20th December 1897, No. 1259.

I have the honour to submit herewith, for the approval of Government, the revised estimate for the current official year and the budget estimate of the next official year, as passed by the council at its meetings held on the 11th and 15th instant.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1897-98.

Receipts.

2. The total receipts for the current year, including the opening balance of Rupees 1,87,770, are now estimated at Rs. 3,97,820 against Rs. 3,84,520 entered in the budget. The increase of Rs. 13,300 is due to the variations in the several items as explained below:—

(1) *Opening Balance.*—The increase of Rs. 12,710 in the opening balance was explained in paragraph 121 of the Administration report for 1896-97 embodied in G.O., No. 2412 M., dated 2nd November 1897, as having been due to certain variations in receipts and expenditure of the past year.

(2) *Tax on Buildings.*—The collections under this head are now estimated at Rs. 23,000, including an arrear of Rs. 3,136-8-0 of previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 2,000 over the budget estimate of Rs. 21,000.

(3) *Tax on Lands.*—The increase of Rs. 200 was due to arrear collections under this head.

(4) *Tolls.*—An increase of Rs. 200 is expected under this head over Rs. 6,800 of the budget estimate, as the actual collections for eight months ending November 1897 amounted to Rs. 4,734-2-0.

(5) *Rent of Lands.*—The increase of Rs. 40 under this head is partly expected from the enhancement of the rate from 2 to 4 annas for the occupation of road margins and partly from sites leased out for wood-yards in Jagannaikpur.

(6) *Avenue Receipts.*—The increase of Rs. 210 under this head is mainly due to the sale of trees on sites in Ramakrishnaraopeta laid out for Toorpu people.

(7) *Sale-proceeds of Lands and Buildings.*—The receipts under this head now come up to Rs. 10,120 against Rs. 1,500 entered in the budget estimate, showing an increase of Rs. 8,620. This is due to the realization of Rs. 6,970 from Government on account of compensation for the old cart-stand site and of Rs. 1,650, being the sale-proceeds of sites on Foster road, of which Rs. 1,200 was already collected. The balance will also be collected before the close of the year and accordingly taken credit for.

(8) *Produce of Lands and Gardens.*—No English vegetables were grown in the garden as originally intended owing to unsuitability of the soil for them; the result is a decrease of Rs. 40 as compared with the budget estimate.

(9) *Conservancy Receipts, Sale-proceeds of Night-soil and Street Refuse.*—The increase of Rs. 10 was due, for the sake of a round figure, to the collection of Rupees 13-8-0 on account of sale of seasoned manure to private individuals.

(10) *Fees from Educational Institutions.*—An increase of Rs. 600 is expected under this head, with reference to the actuals up to November last. It is also in consonance with the estimate of the educational authorities owing to an increase in the strength of the schools.

(11) *Income from Markets.*—Owing to the departmental management of the Cocanada market, for want of adequate bids at the auction-sales, an increase of Rupees 1,300 is expected, based on the actuals for the last eight months.

(12) *Income from Slaughter-house.*—The slaughter-house was leased out for Rs. 900 for the current year against Rs. 500 entered in the budget estimate, showing an increase of Rs. 400 thereby.

(13) *Distrain and Warrant Fees.*—The increase of Rs. 10 under distraint and Rs. 40 under warrant fees is due to the adoption of coercive measures on a larger scale for the collection of taxes in arrear.

(14) *Grants and Contributions from Government—Municipal Schools.*—Credit is only taken now for Rs. 50 in round figure on account of grant for the gymnastic instructor at Rs. 4 per mensem. The decrease of Rs. 110 under this head occurred owing to the drawing master being ineligible for the grant. Besides, no grant is expected for girls in the municipal schools, of whom there are very few at present.

(15) *Medical.*—The grant under this head was reduced from Rs. 600 to Rs. 200 in round sum, agreeably to G.O., No. 543 L., dated 18th March 1897, being one-eighth of the pay of two first-class and one third-class hospital assistants in municipal service.

(16) *Contributions from Local Boards—Medical.*—Agreeably to G.O., Mis. No. 2093 M., dated 29th October 1897, the contribution was reduced from Rs. 4,000 to Rs. 3,500.

(17) *Contributions from Private Individuals for Water-supply.*—Rs. 13,333-5-4 was collected in 1896-97 from private individuals in part payment of their promised contributions on account of the water-supply scheme. This amount was accordingly deducted from Rs. 69,100 taken credit for in the budget and only the net amount of Rs. 55,770 entered in the revised estimate.

(18) *Fishery Rents.*—Rs. 20 was entered under this head, the actuals having been Rs. 13-5-9, which was not anticipated in the budget.

(19) *Refunds of Expenditure of previous years.*—Rs. 18-6-11 was recovered under this head on account of some miscellaneous charges incurred in previous years, and Rs. 20 was accordingly entered in the revised estimate for the sake of a round figure.

(20) *Advances.*—The increase of Rs. 1,300 is due to the adjustment of advances made last year.

Expenditure.

3. The total expenditure for the current year, excluding the closing balance of Rs. 2,830, is now estimated to amount to Rs. 3,94,990, against Rs. 3,82,350 entered in the budget, showing, therefore, an increase of Rs. 12,640, due to variations under the several grants as mentioned below.

4. *Grant 1, Public Works.*—The total expenditure under this grant is now estimated at Rs. 3,37,710 against Rs. 3,34,430 provided in the budget estimate. The increase of Rs. 3,280, which has thus resulted under this grant, is explained as follows:—

(1) *New Works—(a) Communications.*—The only increase of Rs. 470 under this head over the budget allotment of Rs. 3,850 is due to the provision made for the extension of the Gudimetla Vari Street. This street branches off from Church Square road and ends in a cluster of houses, chiefly occupied by Muhammadans. These houses were often destroyed by fire. The street is now intended to be joined to Narasimham road, thus providing an easy outlet and will considerably add to the convenience of the public. There are only two houses now intervening the main road and the street. There are no houses now on the sites for the acquisition of which the allotment is now made. The owners consented to part with the required site.

(b) *Buildings.*—Under this head the expenditure, as revised, amounts to Rs. 2,670 against Rs. 1,800 provided in the budget estimate. Since the Cocanada market was taken under departmental management in the current official year, some improvements had to be necessarily carried out at a cost of Rs. 870, which led to the increase under this head. This was sanctioned by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 2328 M., dated 27th October 1897.

(d) *Water-supply*.—As suggested by the Sanitary Commissioner in his inspection notes embodied in G.O., No. 289 M., dated 25th February 1897, one tube well for Ramakrishnaraopeta was purchased at a cost of Rs. 90 against Rs. 150 allotted in the budget estimate, resulting in a saving of Rs. 60. In addition to this, one masonry well in this peta and another in Fosterpeta were constructed and several potting wells in different parts of the town were also sunk at a cost of Rs. 500 owing to the scanty supply of water in hot weather. The cost of these wells with the saving effected in tube well lead to a net increase of Rs. 440 under this head.

(2) *Repairs*—(a) *Communications*.—The provision of Rs. 1,050 made for repairing the Raja road was raised to Rs. 1,600, owing to an increase of about 400 yards in the length of the road to be repaired which was not intended originally.

(c) *Drainage*—(i) *Repairs to Works*.—Under this head there has been an increase of Rs. 500 over the budget allotment of Rs. 600. The provision of Rs. 300 made for cutting side drains was raised to Rs. 600, as the actual expenditure up to November last amounted to Rs. 520-2-5. This was incurred as side channels had to be dug in almost all the streets and lanes for speedy drainage of water in the rainy season when the rainfall was excessive.

An allotment of Rs. 500 is now made for opening the covered portion of the main sewer and for constructing a U-shaped drain instead as advised by the sanitary board, showing an increase of Rs. 200 over the original allotment of Rs. 300 in the budget.

(ii) *Establishment*.—The decrease of Rs. 30 under this item was due to the employment of a toty on Rs. 2-8-0 instead of Rs. 5 provided for.

(d) *Water-supply*—(1) *Repairs to Works, &c.*—The increase of Rs. 420 under this head occurred owing to an additional provision of Rs. 100 made for cleaning the tanks which already cost Rs. 160-15-0 and to an increase of Rs. 320 made in the allotment for supply channels, &c.; owing to the closure of the Raja's tank in connection with the water-supply scheme sanctioned in G.O., No. 146 M., dated 3rd February 1897, the tank adjoining it called the Ramakrishnaiya's tank had to be improved and converted into a fresh-water tank, and a supply channel had to be dug at a cost of Rs. 60. The bunds of the market tank were strengthened with earthwork at a cost of Rs. 40 to prevent the flow of surface drainage water. The Koovur fresh-water supply channel was also repaired at a cost of Rs. 100. In addition to the outlay of Rs. 200 incurred on these works, a sum of Rs. 120 is provided for works that may be found necessary to be executed before the close of the year.

(4) *Tools and Plant*.—There has been an increase of Rs. 60 under this head owing to the purchase of measuring tape, tracing cloth and other materials for the use of the public works maistry.

5. *Grant 2, Education*.—The expenditure estimated under this grant amounts to Rs. 6,050 against Rs. 5,890 in the budget. The increase of Rs. 160 is due to variations under the following items:—

(1) *Training Schools*—(b) *Stipends to Normal Students*.—The provision of Rs. 170 under this head was reduced by Rs. 40, as three teachers of primary or lower secondary grade only were sent for training instead of one matriculate and two primary or lower secondary grade teachers.

(2) *Municipal Schools*—(i) *Salary System*—(a) *Establishment*.—The increase of Rs. 80 in the establishment of the lower secondary school was due to an increase in the salaries of teachers sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 1852 M., dated 24th August 1897.

(ii) *On Salary-result System*—(a) *Fixed Payments*.—The increase of Rs. 140 under this head was due to the entertainment of the headmaster of the lower primary school on Rs. 12 per mensem in addition to the existing staff for reasons given in this office letter, No. 318-5-Eng., dated 21st May 1897.

(7) *Miscellaneous*—(c) *Common Drawing master*.—The decrease of Rs. 20 under this head was due to the resignation of the drawingmaster and to the delay of his successor in taking up the appointment.

6. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services*.—The total expenditure under this grant is estimated at Rs. 29,080 against Rs. 24,630. The increase of Rs. 4,450, which has thus resulted under this grant, is explained as follows:—

(3) *Vaccination*—(a) *Establishment*.—There has been a decrease of Rs. 40 under this head. The services of the calf watcher, shaver and grass-cutter were dispensed with since the district board opened a central vaccine depôt in the hospital compound in September 1897.

(5) *Conservancy*—(i) (a) *Establishment*.—The horse allowance of Rs. 12 each allowed to the sanitary inspector and the overseer was withdrawn with effect from this month, and one certificated sanitary inspector was entertained on Rs. 20 per mensem temporarily. Two toties were entertained for the temporary latrine in Fosterpeta sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2322 M., dated 27th October 1897, and Rs. 80 were provided on their account. These additional charges, with savings effected by the withdrawal of horse allowance and by fines and stoppages of pay among the members of the staff, resulted in a net increase of Rs. 10 under this head, which was accordingly provided for.

(ii) *Conservancy—Other Charges*.—The provision of Rs. 4,340 made under this head has been increased by Rs. 2,040. The Chakali tank in Jagannaikpur was closed at a cost of Rs. 2,280 against Rs. 1,500 allotted in the budget. An additional allotment of Rs. 780 had to be made for it. Rs. 1,260 was also provided on account of compensation for lands, &c., required for burial and burning grounds.

(b) *Private Scavenging Establishment*.—The increase of Rs. 320 under this head was due to the entertainment of additional establishment sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2322 M., dated 27th October 1897, and to the savings from fines and stoppages of pay among the toties, &c.

(ii) *Private Scavenging Contingencies*.—Agreeably to G.O., Mis. No. 724 M., dated 29th March 1897, the hire of bullocks, amounting to Rs. 240 employed for the cart used for removal of night-soil from private latrines is debited to conservancy contingencies and met from the allotment of Rs. 250 made for rubbish carts; only Rs. 10 is now provided for contingencies in this connection.

(c) *Cholera Charges*.—Under this head cholera and plague charges are estimated. The original provision of Rs. 1,640 made for cholera charges alone has been now raised to Rs. 4,000 in consequence of the prevalence of cholera till very recently and the precautionary measures taken in connection with the plague.

7. *Grant 4, Lighting and Miscellaneous*.—The budget allotment under this grant was Rs. 6,430, while the revised estimate amounts to Rs. 8,290, showing, therefore, an increase of Rs. 1,860, which is explained below:—

(2) *Markets*.—Since the Cocanada market was taken under departmental management from the beginning of the current official year, the necessary establishment had to be entertained and contingencies met, Rs. 460 and Rs. 200 [having been, respectively, allotted for the purpose.

(9) *Other Charges*—(iv) *Compensation for Lands*.—Rs. 70 was added to the original allotment of Rs. 2,500 according to the estimate of the Revenue authorities.

(v) *Other Items*.—The expenditure under this head is now estimated at Rupees 1,470 against Rs. 340 in the budget, showing an increase of Rs. 1,130. Under law charges, the original provision was only Rs. 55, but it is now raised to Rs. 710 on account of a suit brought against the municipality by the Neelam people for the recovery of a piece of land taken up for the canal road in Jagannaikpur. The suit was decreed in favour of the plaintiffs by the Sub-Court, Cocanada. The council appealed to the High Court, and the appeal is still pending. An allotment of Rs. 470 was made on account of compensation for a barber's service inam taken up for Ramakrishnaraopeta.

8. *Grant 5, Supervision and Management*.—The variations under this grant result in a decrease of Rs. 420 and explained below:—

(a) *General Establishment*—(ii) *Inspection*.—A sum of Rs. 1,500 was provided in the budget estimate on account of the salary of the secretary at Rs. 125 per mensem, but it is now reduced to Rs. 780. This includes Rs. 180 already paid on account of

the Chairman's carriage allowance at Rs. 20 per mensem, and a provision of Rs. 600 made for the salary of secretary, at Rs. 150 per mensem, for four months, from December.

(b) *Collection of Municipal Taxes*—(1) *Establishment*.—The increase of Rs. 190 under this head was due to the entertainment of two more bill-collectors sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2322 M., dated 27th October 1897.

(c) *Collection of Tolls*—(1) *Establishment*.—The increase of Rs. 60 over the budget allotment of Rs. 760 is due to the re-entertainment of the tolls establishment on No. 1 gate near the Simson lock, at a monthly cost of Rs. 25, from the beginning of the current month. Owing to the collapse of the Yeleru bridge, the gate was abolished in 1894. It is now reconstructed and open for traffic. This additional charge, minus savings under this head, led to a net increase of Rs. 60.

(d) *Office Contingencies*.—The allotment of Rs. 700 under this head has been raised to Rs. 750 owing to an increase of Rs. 5 in the rent of the office building. The increase having been sanctioned by the council with effect from 1st May 1897, it was accordingly estimated for ten months in the current official year.

Repayment of Debt.—The provision made under this head was reduced from Rs. 4,130 to Rs. 3,610, being balance of the first annual instalment of Rs. 7,040 on account of the water-works loan after deducting Rs. 3,430 on account of interest.

Interest.—An additional allotment of Rs. 3,430 was made under this head for payment of interest to Government on loan of Rs. 1,18,100 sanctioned by Government (G.O., No. 146 M., dated 3rd February 1897).

Refunds.—Rs. 400 was provided under this head on account of refunds sanctioned by the council of taxes collected in previous years.

Closing Balance.—The year is thus expected to close with a balance of Rs. 2,830 against Rs. 2,170 entered in the budget, due to variations as above explained.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1898-99.

Receipts.

9. The receipts for the ensuing official year, including the opening balance of Rs. 2,830, are estimated at Rs. 1,17,510 against Rs. 3,97,820 anticipated in the revised estimate for the current official year, showing, therefore, a decrease of Rupees 2,80,310 as shown below:—

(1) *Opening Balance*.—Excluding the transactions of Rs. 1,85,540 connected with the water-supply scheme, there has been an increase of Rs. 600 in the opening balance as compared with the revised estimate. This variation has already been explained in the revised estimate and calls for no further remark here.

(2) *Tax on Buildings*.—In addition to the usual demand of Rs. 21,000 under house-tax, a sum of Rs. 500 more is budgeted as some petas will be brought under taxation from the next official year as sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2460 M., dated 8th November 1897. The decrease of Rs. 1,500, as compared with the revised estimate, is due to the fact that arrear collections have been taken credit for.

(3) *Tax on Lands*.—The decrease of Rs. 200 under this head is owing to the exclusion of arrears from the budget.

(4) *Rent of Lands*.—An increase of Rs. 540 over the revised estimate of Rupees 200 under this head is expected as the council resolved that occupation of road margins be charged at the rate of one anna per square yard per mensem instead of four annas per square yard per year as hitherto charged. This the council resolved upon as a sort of prohibitive assessment to discourage the occupation of road margins, as observed by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 751 M., dated 3rd May 1895, and not as a source of revenue to the municipality.

(5) *Avenue Receipts*.—Credit is taken, as usual, for Rs. 50 under this item, excluding what was realized in the revised estimate by sale of trees in Ramakrishna-raopeta.

(6) *Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.*—Rs. 2,600 is expected under this head against Rs. 10,120 entered in the revised estimate, showing a decrease of Rs. 7,520. The expected receipts represent Rs. 1,000 to be collected on account of instalments due

for sites in Ramakrishna-raopeta and Rs. 1,600, being the sale-proceeds of site on Foster road which the council resolved to dispose of for finding funds to acquire a piece of land for a night-soil depôt which is badly wanted here. Several sites on Foster road were sold since G.O., No. 568, Revenue, dated 30th April 1884.

(7) *Grants and Contribution from Government—Medical*.—Only Rs. 160, in round figure, is anticipated under this head against Rs. 200 in the current year, being one-eighth of the pay of one first-class and two third-class hospital assistants whom the council resolved to have in place of two first-class and one third-class hospital assistants as hitherto.

(8) (iii) *Other Purposes—Water-supply*.—Credit is taken for Rs. 52,110 on account of the balance of a moiety of grant to be contributed by Government on account of the water-supply scheme against Rs. 55,750 in the revised estimate.

(9) (b) *Contribution from Local Boards—Medical*.—This contribution will be reduced by Rs. 500 in the next year, agreeably to G.O., Mis. No. 2093 M., dated 29th October 1897, and only Rs. 3,000 is taken credit for.

(10) *Other Grants and Contributions*.—No contributions other than those which have already been taken credit for can be expected from private individuals in the next year; hence the decrease of Rs. 55,770 under this head as compared with the revised estimate.

(11) (7) (b) *Loans*.—No credit is taken under this head for the next year, as Rs. 25,230 was drawn from Government in the current year on account of the balance of loan sanctioned for the water-supply scheme.

(12) (d) *Advances*.—As no increase can be anticipated under this head, credit has not accordingly been taken for any amount in the budget.

10. *Expenditure*.—The total receipts, including the opening balance, having thus amounted to Rs. 1,17,510, Rs. 1,14,510 is allotted for expenditure under the several grants as noted below, leaving Rs. 3,000 as closing balance.

11. *Grant 1, Public Works*.—The estimated expenditure under this grant amounts to Rs. 62,200 against Rs. 3,37,710 in the revised estimate. Leaving out the transactions connected with the water-supply scheme, the allotment on public works will be Rs. 10,090 against Rs. 15,420. The details of the proposed expenditure are given in statement II-A. Some of the important proposals are, however, noted below:—

(1) *New Works*—(b) *Buildings*.—A sum of Rs. 1,000 is provided for the construction of an iron latrine on Foster road in lieu of an old one which stood in bad repair.

(d) *Water-supply*.—The balance of grant, which is expected from Government on account of the water-supply scheme, will be set apart for expenditure on that work.

(2) *Repairs*—(a) *Communications*.—For general repairs to roads, an allotment of Rs. 5,680 is made against Rs. 4,600 in the revised estimate. As many of the important roads are in bad repair and require remetalling and regravelling, an increased provision has been made for their proper maintenance and upkeep. No provision is made for new roads as it is desirable that many of the existing roads, which are not metalled, stand in need of being remade or thoroughly repaired.

(b) *Buildings*.—A sum of Rs. 400 is allotted for repairs and improvements to be made in the Cocanada market. Some of the hospital buildings need urgent repairs, and a provision of Rs. 1,000 is made for repairs recommended by the Surgeon-General and for construction of a syphilitic shed, the present thatched shed being in ruins, in addition to the usual charges of Rs. 100. An allotment of Rs. 100 is also made for repairs of latrines. Thus the total expenditure proposed under this head amounts to Rs. 1,600.

(c) *Drainage*—(1) *Repairs to Works*.—The provision of Rs. 300 made under this head is intended to cover charges for cutting side drains in the rainy season.

(d) *Water-supply*—(1) *Repairs to Works*.—Rs. 400 is provided under this head on account of the usual repairs to channels and drains and for cleaning tanks in the hot weather.

(3) *Establishment*.—The increase of Rs. 180 proposed under this head is intended for the salary of a clerk on Rs. 15 per mensem to be re-entertained for keeping up the public works accounts and registers, &c. There used to be a clerk before, but his services were dispensed with from April 1895, as it was then thought by the council that his work could be done by one of the office clerks. Experience has shown that it is impossible for any of the office clerks, who are already overburdened with their legitimate duties, to attend to public works business as well, with any degree of satisfaction. The council is, therefore, unanimous in resolving that the re-entertainment of a clerk is quite necessary and solicit the special sanction of Government therefor.

12. *Grant 2, Education*.—The total expenditure under this grant is estimated at Rs. 6,230 against Rs. 6,050 of the revised estimate. The increase of Rs. 180, which is thus proposed under this grant, is explained as follows:—

(1) *Training Schools—Stipends to Normal Students*.—Rs. 190 is provided under this head for the training of three teachers—one matriculate and two primary or lower secondary grade men—and for the payment of stipends to the three teachers now under training.

(2) *Municipal Schools—On Salary System—Establishment*.—The salary of the Telugu teacher is proposed to be raised from Rs. 5 to Rs. 8, as none came forward for a salary of Rs. 5. The proposal of the council to entertain a Telugu teacher on Rs. 10 to work in both the lower secondary and primary schools was disallowed by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 1751 M., dated 9th August 1897. The additional charge thus proposed, together with the annual estimate of the increased salaries of teachers already sanctioned, instead of a portion in the current year, led to an increase of Rs. 90 under this head.

(a) *On Salary-result System—Fixed Payment*.—There has been an increase of only Rs. 10 under this head. This is due to the estimate of the salary of the headmaster of the Lower Primary school, Jagannaikpur, for the whole year, instead of for eleven months in the revised estimate.

(7) (c) Provision is made in the sum of Rs. 240 on account of the salary of the drawing master for the whole year at Rs. 20 per mensem. The savings which resulted in the revised estimate have been eliminated from calculation of the budget amount.

13. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services*.—An allotment of Rs. 24,640 is made under this grant against Rs. 29,080 in the revised estimate. The variations amounting to Rs. 4,440 are explained in the following items:—

(1) *Hospitals and Dispensaries*.—The allotment of Rs. 8,260 in the revised estimate has been reduced to Rs. 7,700 in the budget.

(a) *Establishment*.—The contribution by the district board towards the maintenance of the medical institutions is reduced for the year from Rs. 4,000 to Rs. 3,000 (G.O., Mis. No. 2093 M., dated 29th October 1897). Repairs to the hospital buildings in the directions pointed out by the Surgeon-General and the Civil Surgeon are a necessity. Some retrenchment must be found in the hospital expenditure. The Civil Surgeon is of opinion that the branch dispensary may be dispensed with, but there is a difference of opinion on the subject, and the majority of the councillors did not agree to the proposal. There are at present two hospital assistants of the first-class and one of third-class. The council resolved to have one hospital assistant of first-class and two of the third-class, the Civil Surgeon agreeing to make the necessary arrangements so as to distribute work amongst them at the main hospital and the branch dispensary. Generally trivial complaints are treated at the branch dispensary, and the Civil Surgeon promised to keep the first-class hospital assistant there when required. The women and children's dispensary in the town treats females and children, and I am informed that the district board sanctioned the entertainment of an hospital assistant to assist the female apothecary. The entertainment of one first-class hospital assistant only in addition to two of third-class, agreeably to the suggestion of the Civil Surgeon, will meet the requirements of the town.

The post of the European cook is abolished as one can be easily entertained when required as recommended by the Civil Surgeon. The salary of the compounder attached to the branch dispensary will be raised from Rs. 12 to Rs. 15 in accordance

with G.O., No. 1677 L., dated 11th September 1888, as he will complete ten years' service on 27th June 1898. These changes result in a decrease of Rs. 360 shown under this head.

(b) *Medicines and Supplies*.—For reasons given above the allotment under this head has also been reduced from Rs. 3,000 to Rs. 2,800, the Civil Surgeon having consented to the proposed reduction.

(c) *Diet of Patients and (d) Contingencies*.—The provisions under these heads remain unaltered for the present.

(3) *Vaccination—(a) Establishment*.—Rs. 320 is provided under the head of vaccination establishment on account of the pay of one first-class and one probationary vaccinator, amounting to Rs. 26 per mensem.

(b) *Contingencies*.—The allotment of Rs. 350 made in the revised estimate has been reduced to Rs. 240, showing a decrease of Rs. 110. It is mainly due to the stoppage of the inoculation of calves since the central vaccine depôt was started by the district board in the hospital compound. The provision now made under this head may, perhaps, result in a saving if the district board agree to the proposal of supplying the glycerine vaccine paste free of charge to the municipality in consideration of the district board having a portion of the hospital premises for vaccine depôt.

(5) *Conservancy—(a) (i) Establishment*.—The charges of the establishment amounting to Rs. 7,090 are given in statement II-B. The important changes in the personnel of this establishment are that the present posts of the sanitary inspector and sanitary overseer will be abolished and the posts of certificated sanitary inspector and assistant sanitary inspector sanctioned. The salaries provided for these two officers will be Rs. 35 and Rs. 25, respectively. Each of them will also be allowed Rs. 15 extra on account of horse allowance.

(ii) *Contingencies*.—In addition to the usual contingent charges coming under this head and amounting to Rs. 2,700, a sum of Rs. 1,600 is provided for the acquisition of a site for a night-soil depôt in Cocanada. The municipality has no night-soil depôt of its own. Several attempts were made before but given up for want of funds. At present there is only one night-soil depôt situated in a private land in a very remote corner of Jagannaikpur, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Administration report for 1894-95, embodied in G.O., No. 1660 M., dated 16th October 1895. There being no night-soil depôt in Cocanada, the night-soil had to be carted a long way off to Jagannaikpur, which is very often attended with unsatisfactory results. Further, the owner of the land has very often given trouble in respect of night-soil carted there. The position of the municipality to be at the will and pleasure of a private individual in regard to a night-soil depôt site, which is one of its prime wants, is very disagreeable. The council has accordingly provided funds for the acquisition of a site in Cocanada for the present. The acquisition of another site in Jagannaikpur will be considered later on as funds permit.

(b) *Private Scavenging—(1) Establishment*.—The charges of this establishment amounting to Rs. 2,370 are given in statement II-B. The increase of Rs. 270 as compared with the revised estimate is due to the additional establishment charges being calculated for the whole year instead of a portion in the current year.

(c) *Cholera Charges*.—As usual, a provision of Rs. 1,640 is made under this head, agreeably to G.O., No. 1028 M., dated 26th June 1895.

14. *Grant 4, Lighting and Miscellaneous*.—The total expenditure under this grant is estimated at Rs. 6,300 against Rs. 8,290 in the revised estimate, showing a decrease of Rs. 1,990. The allotments made under many of the sub-heads remain unaltered, while the variations only occur under the following two items:—

(9) *Other Charges—(iv) Compensation for Lands*.—As the revised proposals of the council about the extension of Jagannaikpur were sanctioned by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 2682 M., dated 2nd December 1897, a block of land measuring 15 acres and 14 cents, belonging to Masu, Sarvarayudu, and another measuring 2 acres and 50 cents, in Koringa road, will have to be acquired. A provision of Rs. 1,700 is, therefore, made for compensation payable to the owners of these lands.

(v) *Other Items*.—A provision of Rs. 350 is made for miscellaneous items, such as rents for lands taken up by the municipality, law charges and the like.

15. *Grant 5, Supervision and Management*.—The expenditure budgeted under this grant amounts to Rs. 7,150 against Rs. 5,970 provided in the revised estimate. The increase of Rs. 1,180, which has thus resulted, is due to variations under the following items:—

(a) *General Establishment*—(ii) *Inspection*.—Rs. 1,800 is provided under this head on account of the salary of the secretary at Rs. 150 per mensem.

(c) *Collection of Tolls*—(i) *Establishment*.—The charges of the tolls establishment, as given in statement II-B, amount to Rs. 980 in round sum, which is accordingly provided in the budget. The increase of Rs. 160 over the revised estimate is mostly due to the entertainment of additional establishment on toll-gate No. 1 during the current official year.

Repayment of Debt and Interest.—Rs. 7,040 is provided towards the payment of the second instalment of the water works loan. This amount includes Rs. 3,940, principal, and Rs. 3,100, interest; an additional allotment of Rs. 950 is also made for payment of interest to the district board for the construction of the Yeleru bridge under the agreement sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 1377 M., dated 23rd August 1895. The interest is for the present calculated at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on the original estimate of Rs. 21,000, as the actual cost incurred has not yet been ascertained after the completion of the work which was completed recently.

Refunds.—No provision is made for refunds of other than current collections, as it is not likely that appeals of this year will lie over pending disposal in the next year.

Closing Balance.—The year is thus expected to close with a balance of Rupees 3,000 against Rs. 2,830 anticipated in the revised estimate, paragraph 10 *supra*.

16. Copies of council's resolutions sanctioning the revised estimate for the current official year and the budget estimate of the next official year are herewith submitted, together with the prescribed statements and proposition statements for the revision of establishments.

Dis. on Cur. No. 47-H. De.

Submitted to the Collector.

2. Sufficient provision does not appear to have been made for roads and lighting. There are some big streets which have no roads at all, and even the existing roads are in an exceedingly bad condition. In rainy weather, these so-called roads become hardly passable for man or beast. Much discontent seems to prevail among the residents in respect of roads and lighting.

3. I do not think it wise on the part of the council to dispense with a first-class hospital assistant in the main dispensary. All serious cases and operations are generally attended to in the main dispensary; and the females and children in the part of the town, in which the branch dispensary is located, go to the women and children's hospital for medical treatment. The ordinary cases which are generally dealt with in the branch dispensary can be handled by a second or third class hospital assistant. I think a first class and, as such, an experienced hospital assistant is indispensably necessary for the main dispensary. The Civil Surgeon in charge of it cannot be as easily accessible to the ordinary public at all times as a native hospital assistant.

COCANADA,
8th January 1898.

(Signed) P. PURNIAH,
Deputy Collector.

Dis. No. 310-Rev.

Forwarded.

2. *Revised Estimate for 1897-98*.—Excluding the transactions connected with the water-supply scheme, the current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 73,300 and Rs. 73,700, respectively, against Rs. 59,880 and Rs. 60,060 anticipated in the

sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts occurs chiefly under the taxes on buildings and lands, tolls, avenue receipts, sale-proceeds of lands and buildings, fees from educational institutions, and income from markets and slaughter-houses, while that in the charges appears mainly under Grants 1, 3 and 4. The collections under taxes include arrears of the previous year. These, as well as the expenditure under Grant 1 during the first eight months of the year, were again unsatisfactory.

3. *Budget Estimate for 1898-99*.—The receipts are placed at Rs. 63,570 against the revised estimate of Rs. 73,300, the decrease being chiefly under the taxes on buildings and lands, sale-proceeds of lands and buildings, and contribution from local boards. The decrease under the taxes on buildings and lands is due to the exclusion of arrears.

4. *Charges*.—(1) The probable charges are put down at Rs. 62,200 against Rs. 72,700 in the revised estimate.

(2) *Grant 1*.—The allotment for public works, excluding the water-supply scheme, is only Rs. 10,090 against Rs. 15,420 in the revised estimate. A provision of Rs. 5,680 only has been made for repairs to roads, while the income from tolls is estimated at Rs. 7,000. Taking the admittedly bad condition of the roads into consideration, the provision is insufficient.

5. *Grant 3*.—It is well that the council has decided not to accept the District Surgeon's view that the branch dispensary may be dispensed with. The town is rapidly extending towards the north and the area that is being served by the branch dispensary comprises five petas, viz., Frazerpetta, Suriarowpetta, Ramarowpetta, Ramakrishnarowpetta and Rechupeta (a Panchama hamlet) which form the new portion of Cocanada and are in every respect as important as Cocanada proper. The branch is situated at a distance of about a mile from the main hospital and the furthest portions of the new petas are nearly two miles from the main hospital. The branch is, therefore, situated at a convenient distance from the petas; and hence from eight to nine thousand patients seek relief there as shown below:—

1891	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,660
1892	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,631
1893	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,958
1894	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,652
1895	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,260
1896	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,859
1897	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,270

6. A large number of women and children—about 3,000—still resort to the branch, though the women and children's dispensary has been in existence for three years now. And though, as the latter institution grows in popularity, women and children must cease to seek relief in the branch, yet there is still a very large male population for whom the branch dispensary is essential. It would have been a pity, therefore, had the council decided to close it on the ground of inadequate funds, for the annual cost is only Rs. 936.

7. The council has, however, resolved to replace the first-class hospital assistant by a third-class man at the branch. I cannot commend the wisdom of the council in this respect for, while a paltry saving of Rs. 300 is thus effected in the pay of the hospital assistant, due consideration has not been given to the interests of the sick. Few third-class hospital assistants of to-day are up to much independent work; and though no operations are performed at the branch, the work is otherwise as responsible as at the main hospital, patients belonging to the petas suffering from complicated and serious maladies are believed to seek relief at the branch. Indeed, I should be surprised if this were not so, for those suffering from severe illness are just those least able or inclined to go a long way for treatment and naturally prefer to be treated as near their homes as possible.

8. A second-class hospital assistant will cost Rs. 120 per annum less than a first-class hospital assistant, but the latter gives the hospital the advantage of more knowledge and long experience out of proportion to the trifling saving.

9. I am distinctly of opinion that, both at the main hospital and at the branch, a first-class hospital assistant is needed. The doctor attends the hospital at specified

hours and the care of the in-patients at the main hospital devolves on the hospital assistant who lives in the hospital premises. It cannot be too strongly insisted, therefore, that the hospital assistant at the main hospital should be a first-class man; and if the Government decide to allow only one first-class man for Cocanada, I would prefer to have him attached to the main hospital rather than to the branch.

10. My proposal to have a first-class hospital assistant at the main hospital and the branch involves an expenditure of Rs. 300 over the budget provision, but this can be met out of the provision for medicines, as I understand there is usually a balance of stock at the end of each year much over that amount in value.

11. I understand the council has reconsidered the matter and come to the conclusion that there should be two first-class men as above indicated, but their resolution has not been yet communicated to this office. It will be forwarded when received.

25th January 1898.

(Signed) V. A. BRODIE,
Collector.

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, 7th January 1898, No. 130.

Adverting to the budget estimate of the Cocanada Municipality for 1898-99, I have the honour to state that the provision made therein for education may be accepted with the following modifications:—

(i) The fee receipts have, it seems to me, been estimated at rather a high figure; they may be fixed at Rs. 2,000.

(ii) The council proposes to train three teachers—one upper secondary and two lower secondary or primary—assuming that both the latter will be of the lower secondary grade, the allotment for their stipends should be raised to Rs. 280—Rs. 120 for the upper secondary grade teacher, Rs. 144 for the two lower secondary men, and Rs. 16 approximately for payment of stipends to the teachers now under training. The credit taken on this account under grants from Government should correspondingly be raised to Rs. 170.

(iii) A sum of Rs. 10 at least should be allotted for contingencies for the drawing master.

2. With these modifications, the net expenditure proposed under Grant 2 is Rs. 4,110 (6,330—2,220), or nearly 9 per cent. of the estimated income from taxation, markets and rents.

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, 14th January 1898, No. 28.

I have the honour to state that the provision made in Grant 3 of the budget estimate of the Cocanada Municipality for the year 1898-99 is sufficient.

2. For want of funds the municipality, with the Civil Surgeon's approval, proposes to have one hospital assistant of first-class and two of the third-class in room of two hospital assistants of the first-class and one third-class and to abolish the appointment of cook for Europeans as one can be entertained when required.

3. The following suggestions of the Civil Surgeon need to be provided for:—

Municipal Hospital.—(1) Asphalting the hospital floor, (2) a separate standard plan delivery and lying-in ward for four patients, (3) half-tiled glazed drains round the wards, (4) completion of compound wall, and (5) complete filling of the ditch in the hospital compound.

Branch Dispensary.—Standard plan, out-patient's dispensary, with proper arrangements for the separation of the sexes and quarters for the hospital assistant on the standard plan.

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, 26th January 1898, No. 131-S.

Referring to the Cocanada municipal budget for 1898-99, I have the honour to state that the proposed expenditure on conservancy is 25 per cent. of the estimated receipts, excluding the Provincial grant taken credit for in aid of the water works. The allotment for vaccination calls for no remarks.

2. Under Grant 1, a provision of Rs. 1,000 is entered for the construction of a public latrine and Rs. 1,200 for carrying out other minor sanitary works. For the water-supply scheme, Rs. 52,110 are allotted.

From M.R.Ry. K. PERRAJU Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Cocanada, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Head-quarters Deputy Collector, Gódvári District), dated Cocanada, 26th January 1898, No. 1412.

In continuation of my letter, No. 1259, dated 20th December 1897, I have the honour to submit, herewith, copies of the council's resolutions passed at the special meetings held on the 19th and 24th January 1898 at the request of nine councillors for reconsidering the resolution passed at the budget meeting regarding the replacement of one 1st-class hospital assistant by a 3rd-class officer.

2. A copy of their requisition, together with the dissenting minutes of M.R.Ry. G. Venkataratnam Garu, councillor, about closing the branch dispensary, are herewith forwarded.

3. The usual proposition statement in connection with the revision of the establishment is enclosed.

Dis. on C. No. 158—H.D.C.

Submitted to the Collector of the Gódvári district.

2. The majority of the members of the municipal council have now decided that there should be two 1st-class hospital assistants—one at the main dispensary and the other at the branch dispensary.

COCANADA,
29th January 1898.

(Signed) P. PURNIAH,
Deputy Collector.

Dis. on No. 578, Revenue of 1898, dated 7th February 1898.

Submitted.

2. The undersigned fully approves of the decision of the municipal council referred to by the Divisional officer in paragraph 2 of his endorsement.

(Signed) V. A. BRODIE,
Collector.

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, 16th February 1898, No. 172.

In continuation of my letter, No. 28, dated the 14th January 1898, I have the honour to forward the accompanying copies of the Cocanada Municipal Council's resolutions, together with the dissenting minute of a councillor received from the

Chairman, and to state that I recommend the retention of the two 1st-class hospital assistants and the abolition of the branch dispensary, together with the establishment consisting of a 3rd-class hospital assistant and menial servants with the exception of the compounder who should be transferred to the main hospital.

2. The amount saved by the abolition of the branch dispensary should be utilized in equipping the main hospital which much requires it.

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 February 1898, No. 2014.

In returning the papers referred for remarks under endorsement No. 785, dated 23rd July last, I have the honour to state that the Inspector reports that the strength of the school has since fallen off and that there is therefore no longer any necessity for the entertainment of the additional teacher. The provision made for the purpose in the budget estimate of the municipality for 1898-99 may also be omitted.

2. I regret the delay in replying to this reference, which is due to delay on the part of the inspecting officers.

ORDER—No. 577 M., dated 15th March 1898.

The estimated receipts and charges of the Cocanada 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.
<i>Receipts.</i>				
Balance brought forward	1,890	1,75,060	1,87,770	2,830
Tax on Arts	7,152	7,500	7,500	7,500
" on Buildings and Lands	21,411	21,750	23,950	22,250
" on Vehicles and Animals	2,269	2,250	2,250	2,250
" on Carts	1,722	1,660	1,660	1,660
Tolls	7,307	6,800	7,000	7,000
Realizations under Special Acts	45	50	50	50
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	2,530	1,810	10,640	3,450
Conservancy Receipts	107	110	120	120
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	1,462	1,600	2,200	2,000
" from Medical Institutions	594	1,000	1,000	1,000
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	3,912	4,000	5,700	5,700
License Fees	1,637	1,600	1,600	1,600
Other Fees	1,278	1,060	1,110	1,110
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	916	400	400	400
Grants and Contributions from Government	80,078	56,700	56,190	52,580
" from Local Boards	4,000	4,000	3,500	3,000
" from other Bodies	13,406	69,100	55,770	..
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	2,800	2,700	2,700	2,700
Miscellaneous	354	140	180	180
Loans	92,870	25,230	25,230	..
Advances Recovered	688	..	1,300	..
Total ..	2,48,428	3,84,520	3,97,820	1,17,380
<i>Charges.</i>				
GRANT 1—				
New Works—				
Communications	3,012	3,850	4,320	..
Buildings	112	1,800	2,670	1,000
Water-supply	957	3,22,440	3,22,880	52,110
Repairs—				
Communications	8,936	4,050	4,600	5,680
Buildings	537	300	300	1,600
Drainage	910	660	1,130	300
Water-supply	2,954	940	1,360	940
Establishment	240	240	240	420
Tools and Plant and other Stores	96	50	110	50
Contributions for Public Works	..	100	100	100
Total ..	17,754	3,34,430	3,37,710	62,200

	Actuals, 1896-97.	Budget estimate, 1897-98.	Revised estimate, 1897-98.	Budget estimate, 1898-99.
<i>Charges—cont.</i>				
GRANT 2—				
Training Schools	93	170	130	280
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary System	1,460	1,150	1,230	1,320
On the Salary-result System	3,004	3,220	3,360	3,230
Grants-in-aid—				
Salary Grants	100	..	..	..
Result Grants	286	450	450	450
Building, Furniture, &c., Grants	..	200	200	200
Inspection	307	310	310	310
Miscellaneous	256	390	370	390
Total ..	5,506	5,890	6,050	6,180
GRANT 3—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	7,232	8,260	8,260	7,700
Contributions	449	410	410	410
Vaccination	616	750	710	550
Registration of Births and Deaths	296	310	310	310
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	13,787	14,900	18,130	14,060
Total ..	22,380	24,630	27,820	23,030
GRANT 4—				
Lighting	1,564	1,900	1,900	1,900
Markets and Slaughter-houses	153	110	770	770
Choultries	300	300	300	300
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other Charges	2,215	4,120	6,580	4,930
Total ..	4,232	6,430	9,550	7,900
GRANT 5—				
Supervision and Management	7,058	6,390	5,970	7,110
Repayment of Debt	..	4,130	3,090	2,150
Interest on Loan	..	450	4,400	5,840
Advances Recoverable	1,298	..	..	..
Refunds	2,359	..	400	..
Pensions and Gratuities	72	..	..	..
Grand Total ..	60,659	3,82,350	3,94,990	1,14,410
Balance	1,87,769	2,170	2,830	2,970

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1897-98.

2. The current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 2,10,050 and Rs. 3,94,990, respectively, against Rs. 2,09,460 and Rs. 3,82,350 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts, which occurs chiefly under the tax on buildings, sale-proceeds of lands, school-fees, market rents and advances recovered is nearly counterbalanced by a decrease under grants from Government and contributions from local boards and private individuals, while the increase in the charges appears mainly under Grants 1, 3 and 4 and interest on loan. The expenditure on new works—water-supply and repairs—buildings during the first eight months of the year was unsatisfactory. The allotments of funds, referred to in paragraphs 4 (2) (a), 5 (2) (ii), 6 (5) (c) and 8 of the Chairman's first letter, are sanctioned. The municipal council will be allowed to reduce the salary of the drain toty from Rs. 5 to Rs. 2-8-0, to dispense with the services of the calf-watcher and other servants, referred to in paragraphs 4 (2) (c) (ii) and 6 (3) and to abolish the post of market superintendent, which from statement II-B and the proposition statement appears to be contemplated and to which reference should have been made in the Chairman's letter. The alterations in the conservancy establishment and the entertainment of the establishment for the collection of tolls at gate No. 1, proposed in paragraphs 6 (5) and 8 (c), are sanctioned. The amount provided for payment of the first instalment of the loan will be reduced and that for interest raised, by Rs. 520 with reference to actual requirements.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1898-99.

3. *Receipts.*—The receipts for the ensuing year are put down at Rs. 1,14,680 against the revised estimate of Rs. 2,10,050, the decrease being chiefly under the tax on buildings, sale-proceeds of lands, grants from Government, contributions from private individuals and loans. The proposal of the municipal council to raise the fees

charged for the occupation of public streets from 4 annas to 12 annas a square yard per annum is approved. As recommended by the Director of Public Instruction in his letter read above, the estimate under school-fees will be reduced by Rs. 200, while the amount taken credit for under grants from Government on account of normal stipends will be raised by Rs. 70.

4. *Charges.*—(1) The probable charges are entered as Rs. 1,14,510 against Rs. 3,94,990 in the revised estimate, the decrease, which occurs chiefly under Grants 1, 3 and 4, being partly counterbalanced by an increase under Grant 5.

(2) *Grant 1.*—The attention of the municipal council is drawn to the remarks of the Deputy Collector and the Collector in paragraphs 2 and 4 (2), respectively, of their endorsements regarding the insufficiency of the allotment for roads, which are reported to be in an exceedingly bad condition. The proposal to dispense with the services of the toty on Rs. 5, which from statement II-B and the proposition statement appears to be contemplated, is approved; but reference should have been made to this in the Chairman's letter. The entertainment of a clerk on Rs. 15 for keeping public works accounts, proposed in paragraph 11 (3) of the Chairman's first letter, is sanctioned.

(3) *Grant 2.*—As recommended by the Director in his first letter read above, the allotment for normal stipends will be raised by Rs. 90 and a sum of Rs. 10 will be provided for contingencies for the drawing master. The council's proposal to raise from Rs. 5 to Rs. 8 the salary of the Telugu teacher, referred to in paragraph 12 (2) of the Chairman's first letter, is approved. With reference to the Director's second letter read above, the allotment for the salary of an additional teacher on Rs. 12 in the Jaganaickpur salary-result school, sanctioned in G.O., No. 1852 M., dated 24th August 1897, will be struck out.

(4) *Grant 3.*—For the reasons stated by the Collector in paragraphs 5 and 6 of his endorsement, the recommendation of the Surgeon-General in his second letter read above to abolish the branch dispensary cannot be adopted. The proposal to dispense with the services of the cook for Europeans in the municipal hospital, referred to in paragraph 13 (1) (a) of the Chairman's first letter, is approved. The municipal council's attention is drawn to the suggestions of the Civil Surgeon referred to in paragraph 3 of the Surgeon-General's first letter. The alterations in the conservancy establishment, proposed in paragraph 13 (5) (a) of the Chairman's first letter, are sanctioned.

(5) *Grant 5.*—With reference to G.O., No. 2473 L., dated 22nd December 1897, the contribution for the central office establishments will be reduced from Rs. 550 to Rs. 524 or Rs. 520 in round figures.

5. The provision for repayment of loan will be reduced, and that for interest raised, by Rs. 1,790 with reference to actual requirements. As revised by Government, the budget closes with a balance of Rs. 2,970 or 4.7 per cent. of the estimated ordinary receipts.

(True Extract.)

H. TREMENHEERE,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Cocanada.
" Collector of Gódvári.
" President, District Board, Gódvári.
" Accountant-General.
" Director of Public Instruction.
" Surgeon-General.
" Sanitary Board.
" Sanitary Commissioner.
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From M.R.Ry. K. PERRAJU Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Cocanada, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Head-quarters Deputy Collector and Collector, Gódvári District), dated 20th December 1897, No. 1259.

I have the honour to submit herewith, for the approval of Government, the revised estimate for the current official year and the budget estimate of the next official year, as passed by the council at its meetings held on the 11th and 15th instant.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1897-98.

Receipts.

2. The total receipts for the current year, including the opening balance of Rupees 1,87,770, are now estimated at Rs. 3,97,820 against Rs. 3,84,520 entered in the budget. The increase of Rs. 13,300 is due to the variations in the several items as explained below:—

(1) *Opening Balance*.—The increase of Rs. 12,710 in the opening balance was explained in paragraph 121 of the Administration report for 1896-97 embodied in G.O., No. 2412 M., dated 2nd November 1897, as having been due to certain variations in receipts and expenditure of the past year.

(2) *Tax on Buildings*.—The collections under this head are now estimated at Rs. 23,000, including an arrear of Rs. 3,136-8-0 of previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 2,000 over the budget estimate of Rs. 21,000.

(3) *Tax on Lands*.—The increase of Rs. 200 was due to arrear collections under this head.

(4) *Tolls*.—An increase of Rs. 200 is expected under this head over Rs. 6,800 of the budget estimate, as the actual collections for eight months ending November 1897 amounted to Rs. 4,734-2-0.

(5) *Rent of Lands*.—The increase of Rs. 40 under this head is partly expected from the enhancement of the rate from 2 to 4 annas for the occupation of road margins and partly from sites leased out for wood-yards in Jagannaikpur.

(6) *Avenue Receipts*.—The increase of Rs. 210 under this head is mainly due to the sale of trees on sites in Ramakrishnaraopeta laid out for Toorpu people.

(7) *Sale-proceeds of Lands and Buildings*.—The receipts under this head now come up to Rs. 10,120 against Rs. 1,500 entered in the budget estimate, showing an increase of Rs. 8,620. This is due to the realization of Rs. 6,970 from Government on account of compensation for the old cart-stand site and of Rs. 1,650, being the sale-proceeds of sites on Foster road, of which Rs. 1,200 was already collected. The balance will also be collected before the close of the year and accordingly taken credit for.

(8) *Produce of Lands and Gardens*.—No English vegetables were grown in the garden as originally intended owing to unsuitability of the soil for them; the result is a decrease of Rs. 40 as compared with the budget estimate.

(9) *Conservancy Receipts, Sale-proceeds of Night-soil and Street Refuse*.—The increase of Rs. 10 was due, for the sake of a round figure, to the collection of Rupees 13-8-0 on account of sale of seasoned manure to private individuals.

(10) *Fees from Educational Institutions*.—An increase of Rs. 600 is expected under this head, with reference to the actuals up to November last. It is also in consonance with the estimate of the educational authorities owing to an increase in the strength of the schools.

(11) *Income from Markets*.—Owing to the departmental management of the Cocanada market, for want of adequate bids at the auction-sales, an increase of Rupees 1,300 is expected, based on the actuals for the last eight months.

(12) *Income from Slaughter-house*.—The slaughter-house was leased out for Rs. 900 for the current year against Rs. 500 entered in the budget estimate, showing an increase of Rs. 400 thereby.

(13) *Distrain and Warrant Fees*.—The increase of Rs. 10 under distraint and Rs. 40 under warrant fees is due to the adoption of coercive measures on a larger scale for the collection of taxes in arrear.

(14) *Grants and Contributions from Government—Municipal Schools*.—Credit is only taken now for Rs. 50 in round figure on account of grant for the gymnastic instructor at Rs. 4 per mensem. The decrease of Rs. 110 under this head occurred owing to the drawing master being ineligible for the grant. Besides, no grant is expected for girls in the municipal schools, of whom there are very few at present.

(15) *Medical*.—The grant under this head was reduced from Rs. 600 to Rupees 200 in round sum, agreeably to G.O., No. 543 L., dated 18th March 1897, being one-eighth of the pay of two first-class and one third-class hospital assistants in municipal service.

(16) *Contributions from Local Boards—Medical*.—Agreeably to G.O., Mis. No. 2093 M., dated 29th October 1897, the contribution was reduced from Rs. 4,000 to Rs. 3,500.

(17) *Contributions from Private Individuals for Water-supply*.—Rs. 13,333-5-4 was collected in 1896-97 from private individuals in part payment of their promised contributions on account of the water-supply scheme. This amount was accordingly deducted from Rs. 69,100 taken credit for in the budget and only the net amount of Rs. 55,770 entered in the revised estimate.

(18) *Fishery Rents*.—Rs. 20 was entered under this head, the actuals having been Rs. 13-5-9, which was not anticipated in the budget.

(19) *Refunds of Expenditure of previous years*.—Rs. 18-6-11 was recovered under this head on account of some miscellaneous charges incurred in previous years, and Rs. 20 was accordingly entered in the revised estimate for the sake of a round figure.

(20) *Advances*.—The increase of Rs. 1,300 is due to the adjustment of advances made last year.

Expenditure.

3. The total expenditure for the current year, excluding the closing balance of Rs. 2,830, is now estimated to amount to Rs. 3,94,990, against Rs. 3,82,350 entered in the budget, showing, therefore, an increase of Rs. 12,640, due to variations under the several grants as mentioned below.

4. *Grant 1, Public Works*.—The total expenditure under this grant is now estimated at Rs. 3,37,710 against Rs. 3,34,430 provided in the budget estimate. The increase of Rs. 3,280, which has thus resulted under this grant, is explained as follows:—

(1) *New Works—(a) Communications*.—The only increase of Rs. 470 under this head over the budget allotment of Rs. 3,850 is due to the provision made for the extension of the Gudimetla Vari Street. This street branches off from Church Square road and ends in a cluster of houses, chiefly occupied by Muhammadans. These houses were often destroyed by fire. The street is now intended to be joined to Narasimham road, thus providing an easy outlet and will considerably add to the convenience of the public. There are only two houses now intervening the main road and the street. There are no houses now on the sites for the acquisition of which the allotment is now made. The owners consented to part with the required site.

(b) *Buildings*.—Under this head the expenditure, as revised, amounts to Rs. 2,670 against Rs. 1,800 provided in the budget estimate. Since the Cocanada market was taken under departmental management in the current official year, some improvements had to be necessarily carried out at a cost of Rs. 870, which led to the increase under this head. This was sanctioned by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 2328 M., dated 27th October 1897.

(d) *Water-supply*.—As suggested by the Sanitary Commissioner in his inspection notes embodied in G.O., No. 289 M., dated 25th February 1897, one tube well for Ramakrishnaraopeta was purchased at a cost of Rs. 90 against Rs. 150 allotted in the budget estimate, resulting in a saving of Rs. 60. In addition to this, one masonry well in this peta and another in Fosterpeta were constructed and several potting wells in different parts of the town were also sunk at a cost of Rs. 500 owing to the scanty supply of water in hot weather. The cost of these wells with the saving effected in tube well lead to a net increase of Rs. 440 under this head.

(2) *Repairs*—(a) *Communications*.—The provision of Rs. 1,050 made for repairing the Raja road was raised to Rs. 1,600, owing to an increase of about 400 yards in the length of the road to be repaired which was not intended originally.

(c) *Drainage*—(i) *Repairs to Works*.—Under this head there has been an increase of Rs. 500 over the budget allotment of Rs. 600. The provision of Rs. 300 made for cutting side drains was raised to Rs. 600, as the actual expenditure up to November last amounted to Rs. 520-2-5. This was incurred as side channels had to be dug in almost all the streets and lanes for speedy drainage of water in the rainy season when the rainfall was excessive.

An allotment of Rs. 500 is now made for opening the covered portion of the main sewer and for constructing a U-shaped drain instead as advised by the sanitary board, showing an increase of Rs. 200 over the original allotment of Rs. 300 in the budget.

(ii) *Establishment*.—The decrease of Rs. 30 under this item was due to the employment of a toty on Rs. 2-8-0 instead of Rs. 5 provided for.

(d) *Water-supply*—(1) *Repairs to Works, &c.*—The increase of Rs. 420 under this head occurred owing to an additional provision of Rs. 100 made for cleaning the tanks which already cost Rs. 160-15-0 and to an increase of Rs. 320 made in the allotment for supply channels, &c.; owing to the closure of the Raja's tank in connection with the water-supply scheme sanctioned in G.O., No. 146 M., dated 3rd February 1897, the tank adjoining it called the Ramakrishnaiya's tank had to be improved and converted into a fresh-water tank, and a supply channel had to be dug at a cost of Rs. 60. The bunds of the market tank were strengthened with earthwork at a cost of Rs. 40 to prevent the flow of surface drainage water. The Koovur fresh-water supply channel was also repaired at a cost of Rs. 100. In addition to the outlay of Rs. 200 incurred on these works, a sum of Rs. 120 is provided for works that may be found necessary to be executed before the close of the year.

(4) *Tools and Plant*.—There has been an increase of Rs. 60 under this head owing to the purchase of measuring tape, tracing cloth and other materials for the use of the public works maistry.

5. *Grant 2, Education*.—The expenditure estimated under this grant amounts to Rs. 6,050 against Rs. 5,890 in the budget. The increase of Rs. 160 is due to variations under the following items:—

(1) *Training Schools*—(b) *Stipends to Normal Students*.—The provision of Rs. 170 under this head was reduced by Rs. 40, as three teachers of primary or lower secondary grade only were sent for training instead of one matriculate and two primary or lower secondary grade teachers.

(2) *Municipal Schools*—(i) *Salary System*—(a) *Establishment*.—The increase of Rs. 80 in the establishment of the lower secondary school was due to an increase in the salaries of teachers sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 1852 M., dated 24th August 1897.

(ii) *On Salary-result System*—(a) *Fixed Payments*.—The increase of Rs. 140 under this head was due to the entertainment of the headmaster of the lower primary school on Rs. 12 per mensem in addition to the existing staff for reasons given in this office letter, No. 318-5-Eng., dated 21st May 1897.

(7) *Miscellaneous*—(c) *Common Drawing master*.—The decrease of Rs. 20 under this head was due to the resignation of the drawingmaster and to the delay of his successor in taking up the appointment.

6. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services*.—The total expenditure under this grant is estimated at Rs. 29,080 against Rs. 24,630. The increase of Rs. 4,450, which has thus resulted under this grant, is explained as follows:—

(3) *Vaccination*—(a) *Establishment*.—There has been a decrease of Rs. 40 under this head. The services of the calf watcher, shaver and grass-cutter were dispensed with since the district board opened a central vaccine depôt in the hospital compound in September 1897.

(5) *Conservancy*—(i) (a) *Establishment*.—The horse allowance of Rs. 12 each allowed to the sanitary inspector and the overseer was withdrawn with effect from this month, and one certificated sanitary inspector was entertained on Rs. 20 per mensem temporarily. Two toties were entertained for the temporary latrine in Fosterpeta sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2322 M., dated 27th October 1897, and Rs. 80 were provided on their account. These additional charges, with savings effected by the withdrawal of horse allowance and by fines and stoppages of pay among the members of the staff, resulted in a net increase of Rs. 10 under this head, which was accordingly provided for.

(ii) *Conservancy*—Other Charges.—The provision of Rs. 4,340 made under this head has been increased by Rs. 2,040. The Chakali tank in Jagannaikpur was closed at a cost of Rs. 2,280 against Rs. 1,500 allotted in the budget. An additional allotment of Rs. 780 had to be made for it. Rs. 1,260 was also provided on account of compensation for lands, &c., required for burial and burning grounds.

(b) *Private Scavenging Establishment*.—The increase of Rs. 320 under this head was due to the entertainment of additional establishment sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2322 M., dated 27th October 1897, and to the savings from fines and stoppages of pay among the toties, &c.

(ii) *Private Scavenging Contingencies*.—Agreeably to G.O., Mis. No. 724 M., dated 29th March 1897, the hire of bullocks, amounting to Rs. 240 employed for the cart used for removal of night-soil from private latrines is debited to conservancy contingencies and met from the allotment of Rs. 250 made for rubbish carts; only Rs. 10 is now provided for contingencies in this connection.

(c) *Cholera Charges*.—Under this head cholera and plague charges are estimated. The original provision of Rs. 1,640 made for cholera charges alone has been now raised to Rs. 4,000 in consequence of the prevalence of cholera till very recently and the precautionary measures taken in connection with the plague.

7. *Grant 4, Lighting and Miscellaneous*.—The budget allotment under this grant was Rs. 6,430, while the revised estimate amounts to Rs. 8,290, showing, therefore, an increase of Rs. 1,860, which is explained below:—

(2) *Markets*.—Since the Cocanada market was taken under departmental management from the beginning of the current official year, the necessary establishment had to be entertained and contingencies met, Rs. 460 and Rs. 200 having been, respectively, allotted for the purpose.

(9) *Other Charges*—(iv) *Compensation for Lands*.—Rs. 70 was added to the original allotment of Rs. 2,500 according to the estimate of the Revenue authorities.

(v) *Other Items*.—The expenditure under this head is now estimated at Rupees 1,470 against Rs. 340 in the budget, showing an increase of Rs. 1,130. Under law charges, the original provision was only Rs. 55, but it is now raised to Rs. 710 on account of a suit brought against the municipality by the Neelam people for the recovery of a piece of land taken up for the canal road in Jagannaikpur. The suit was decreed in favour of the plaintiffs by the Sub-Court, Cocanada. The council

appealed to the High Court, and the appeal is still pending. An allotment of Rs. 470 was made on account of compensation for a barber's service inam taken up for Ramakrishnaraopeta.

8. *Grant 5, Supervision and Management.*—The variations under this grant result in a decrease of Rs. 420 and explained below:—

(a) *General Establishment*—(ii) *Inspection.*—A sum of Rs. 1,500 was provided in the budget estimate on account of the salary of the secretary at Rs. 125 per mensem, but it is now reduced to Rs. 780. This includes Rs. 180 already paid on account of the Chairman's carriage allowance at Rs. 20 per mensem, and a provision of Rs. 600 made for the salary of secretary, at Rs. 150 per mensem, for four months, from December.

(b) *Collection of Municipal Taxes*—(1) *Establishment.*—The increase of Rs. 190 under this head was due to the entertainment of two more bill-collectors sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2322 M., dated 27th October 1897.

(c) *Collection of Tolls*—(1) *Establishment.*—The increase of Rs. 60 over the budget allotment of Rs. 760 is due to the re-entertainment of the tolls establishment on No. 1 gate near the Simson lock, at a monthly cost of Rs. 25, from the beginning of the current month. Owing to the collapse of the Yeleru bridge, the gate was abolished in 1894. It is now reconstructed and open for traffic. This additional charge, minus savings under this head, led to a net increase of Rs. 60.

(d) *Office Contingencies.*—The allotment of Rs. 700 under this head has been raised to Rs. 750 owing to an increase of Rs. 5 in the rent of the office building. The increase having been sanctioned by the council with effect from 1st May 1897, it was accordingly estimated for ten months in the current official year.

Repayment of Debt.—The provision made under this head was reduced from Rs. 4,130 to Rs. 3,610, being balance of the first annual instalment of Rs. 7,040 on account of the water-works loan after deducting Rs. 3,430 on account of interest.

Interest.—An additional allotment of Rs. 3,430 was made under this head for payment of interest to Government on loan of Rs. 1,18,100 sanctioned by Government (G.O., No. 146 M., dated 3rd February 1897).

Refunds.—Rs. 400 was provided under this head on account of refunds sanctioned by the council of taxes collected in previous years.

Closing Balance.—The year is thus expected to close with a balance of Rs. 2,830 against Rs. 2,170 entered in the budget, due to variations as above explained.

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Receipts.

9. The receipts for the ensuing official year, including the opening balance of Rs. 2,830, are estimated at Rs. 1,17,510 against Rs. 3,97,820 anticipated in the revised estimate for the current official year, showing, therefore, a decrease of Rupees 2,80,310 as shown below:—

(1) *Opening Balance.*—Excluding the transactions of Rs. 1,85,540 connected with the water-supply scheme, there has been an increase of Rs. 600 in the opening balance as compared with the revised estimate. This variation has already been explained in the revised estimate and calls for no further remark here.

(2) *Tax on Buildings.*—In addition to the usual demand of Rs. 21,000 under house-tax, a sum of Rs. 500 more is budgeted as some petas will be brought under taxation from the next official year as sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2460 M., dated 8th November 1897. The decrease of Rs. 1,500, as compared with the revised estimate, is due to the fact that arrear collections have been taken credit for.

(3) *Tax on Lands.*—The decrease of Rs. 200 under this head is owing to the exclusion of arrears from the budget.

(4) *Rent of Lands.*—An increase of Rs. 540 over the revised estimate of Rupees 200 under this head is expected as the council resolved that occupation of road margins be charged at the rate of one anna per square yard per mensem instead of four annas per square yard per year as hitherto charged. This the council resolved

upon as a sort of prohibitive assessment to discourage the occupation of road margins, as observed by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 751 M., dated 3rd May 1895, and not as a source of revenue to the municipality.

(5) *Avenue Receipts.*—Credit is taken, as usual, for Rs. 50 under this item, excluding what was realized in the revised estimate by sale of trees in Ramakrishnaraopeta.

(6) *Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.*—Rs. 2,600 is expected under this head against Rs. 10,120 entered in the revised estimate, showing a decrease of Rs. 7,520. The expected receipts represent Rs. 1,000 to be collected on account of instalments due for sites in Ramakrishnaraopeta and Rs. 1,600, being the sale-proceeds of site on Foster road which the council resolved to dispose of for finding funds to acquire a piece of land for a night-soil depôt which is badly wanted here. Several sites on Foster road were sold since G.O., No. 568, Revenue, dated 30th April 1884.

(7) *Grants and Contribution from Government—Medical.*—Only Rs. 160, in round figure, is anticipated under this head against Rs. 200 in the current year, being one-eighth of the pay of one first-class and two third-class hospital assistants whom the council resolved to have in place of two first class and one third-class hospital assistants as hitherto.

(8) (iii) *Other Purposes—Water-supply.*—Credit is taken for Rs. 52,110 on account of the balance of a moiety of grant to be contributed by Government on account of the water-supply scheme against Rs. 55,750 in the revised estimate.

(9) (b) *Contribution from Local Boards—Medical.*—This contribution will be reduced by Rs. 500 in the next year, agreeably to G.O., Mis. No. 2093 M., dated 29th October 1897, and only Rs. 3,000 is taken credit for.

(10) *Other Grants and Contributions.*—No contributions other than those which have already been taken credit for can be expected from private individuals in the next year; hence the decrease of Rs. 55,770 under this head as compared with the revised estimate.

(11) (7) (b) *Loans.*—No credit is taken under this head for the next year, as Rs. 25,230 was drawn from Government in the current year on account of the balance of loan sanctioned for the water-supply scheme.

(12) (d) *Advances.*—As no increase can be anticipated under this head, credit has not accordingly been taken for any amount in the budget.

10. *Expenditure.*—The total receipts, including the opening balance, having thus amounted to Rs. 1,17,510, Rs. 1,14,510 is allotted for expenditure under the several grants as noted below, leaving Rs. 3,000 as closing balance.

11. *Grant 1, Public Works.*—The estimated expenditure under this grant amounts to Rs. 62,200 against Rs. 3,37,710 in the revised estimate. Leaving out the transactions connected with the water-supply scheme, the allotment on public works will be Rs. 10,090 against Rs. 15,420. The details of the proposed expenditure are given in statement II-A. Some of the important proposals are, however, noted below:—

(1) *New Works*—(b) *Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 1,000 is provided for the construction of an iron latrine on Foster road in lieu of an old one which stood in bad repair.

(d) *Water-supply.*—The balance of grant, which is expected from Government on account of the water-supply scheme, will be set apart for expenditure on that work.

(2) *Repairs*—(a) *Communications.*—For general repairs to roads, an allotment of Rs. 5,680 is made against Rs. 4,600 in the revised estimate. As many of the important roads are in bad repair and require remetalling and regraveling, an increased provision has been made for their proper maintenance and upkeep. No provision is made for new roads as it is desirable that many of the existing roads, which are not metalled, stand in need of being remade or thoroughly repaired.

(b) *Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 400 is allotted for repairs and improvements to be made in the Cocanada market. Some of the hospital buildings need urgent repairs, and a provision of Rs. 1,000 is made for repairs recommended by the Surgeon-General and for construction of a syphilitic shed, the present thatched shed being in ruins, in

addition to the usual charges of Rs. 100. An allotment of Rs. 100 is also made for repairs of latrines. Thus the total expenditure proposed under this head amounts to Rs. 1,600.

(c) *Drainage*—(1) *Repairs to Works*.—The provision of Rs. 300 made under this head is intended to cover charges for cutting side drains in the rainy season.

(d) *Water-supply*—(1) *Repairs to Works*.—Rs. 400 is provided under this head on account of the usual repairs to channels and drains and for cleaning tanks in the hot weather.

(3) *Establishment*.—The increase of Rs. 180 proposed under this head is intended for the salary of a clerk on Rs. 15 per mensem to be re-entertained for keeping up the public works accounts and registers, &c. There used to be a clerk before, but his services were dispensed with from April 1895, as it was then thought by the council that his work could be done by one of the office clerks. Experience has shown that it is impossible for any of the office clerks, who are already overburdened with their legitimate duties, to attend to public works business as well, with any degree of satisfaction. The council is, therefore, unanimous in resolving that the re-entertainment of a clerk is quite necessary and solicit the special sanction of Government therefor.

12. *Grant 2, Education*.—The total expenditure under this grant is estimated at Rs. 6,230 against Rs. 6,050 of the revised estimate. The increase of Rs. 180, which is thus proposed under this grant, is explained as follows:—

(1) *Training Schools—Stipends to Normal Students*.—Rs. 190 is provided under this head for the training of three teachers—one matriculate and two primary or lower secondary grade men—and for the payment of stipends to the three teachers now under training.

(2) *Municipal Schools—On Salary System—Establishment*.—The salary of the Telugu teacher is proposed to be raised from Rs. 5 to Rs. 8, as none came forward for a salary of Rs. 5. The proposal of the council to entertain a Telugu teacher on Rs. 10 to work in both the lower secondary and primary schools was disallowed by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 1751 M., dated 9th August 1897. The additional charge thus proposed, together with the annual estimate of the increased salaries of teachers already sanctioned, instead of a portion in the current year, led to an increase of Rs. 90 under this head.

(a) *On Salary-result System—Fixed Payment*.—There has been an increase of only Rs. 10 under this head. This is due to the estimate of the salary of the headmaster of the Lower Primary school, Jagannaikpur, for the whole year, instead of for eleven months in the revised estimate.

(7) (c) Provision is made in the sum of Rs. 240 on account of the salary of the drawing master for the whole year at Rs. 20 per mensem. The savings which resulted in the revised estimate have been eliminated from calculation of the budget amount.

13. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services*.—An allotment of Rs. 24,640 is made under this grant against Rs. 29,080 in the revised estimate. The variations amounting to Rs. 4,440 are explained in the following items:—

(1) *Hospitals and Dispensaries*.—The allotment of Rs. 8,260 in the revised estimate has been reduced to Rs. 7,700 in the budget.

(a) *Establishment*.—The contribution by the district board towards the maintenance of the medical institutions is reduced for the year from Rs. 4,000 to Rs. 3,000 (G.O., Mis. No. 2093 M., dated 29th October 1897). Repairs to the hospital buildings in the directions pointed out by the Surgeon-General and the Civil Surgeon are a necessity. Some retrenchment must be found in the hospital expenditure. The Civil Surgeon is of opinion that the branch dispensary may be dispensed with, but there is a difference of opinion on the subject, and the majority of the councillors did not agree to the proposal. There are at present two hospital assistants of the first-class and one of third-class. The council resolved to have one hospital assistant of first-class and two of the third-class, the Civil Surgeon agreeing to make the necessary arrangements so as to distribute work amongst them at the main hospital

and the branch dispensary. Generally trivial complaints are treated at the branch dispensary, and the Civil Surgeon promised to keep the first-class hospital assistant there when required. The women and children's dispensary in the town treats females and children, and I am informed that the district board sanctioned the entertainment of an hospital assistant to assist the female apothecary. The entertainment of one first-class hospital assistant only in addition to two of third-class, agreeably to the suggestion of the Civil Surgeon, will meet the requirements of the town.

The post of the European cook is abolished as one can be easily entertained when required as recommended by the Civil Surgeon. The salary of the compounder attached to the branch dispensary will be raised from Rs. 12 to Rs. 15 in accordance with G.O., No. 1677 L., dated 11th September 1888, as he will complete ten years' service on 27th June 1898. These changes result in a decrease of Rs. 360 shown under this head.

(b) *Medicines and Supplies*.—For reasons given above the allotment under this head has also been reduced from Rs. 3,000 to Rs. 2,800, the Civil Surgeon having consented to the proposed reduction.

(c) *Diet of Patients and (d) Contingencies*.—The provisions under these heads remain unaltered for the present.

(3) *Vaccination*—(a) *Establishment*.—Rs. 320 is provided under the head of vaccination establishment on account of the pay of one first-class and one probationary vaccinator, amounting to Rs. 26 per mensem.

(b) *Contingencies*.—The allotment of Rs. 350 made in the revised estimate has been reduced to Rs. 240, showing a decrease of Rs. 110. It is mainly due to the stoppage of the inoculation of calves since the central vaccine depôt was started by the district board in the hospital compound. The provision now made under this head may, perhaps, result in a saving if the district board agree to the proposal of supplying the glycerine vaccine paste free of charge to the municipality in consideration of the district board having a portion of the hospital premises for vaccine depôt.

(5) *Conservancy*—(a) (i) *Establishment*.—The charges of the establishment amounting to Rs. 7,090 are given in statement II-B. The important changes in the personnel of this establishment are that the present posts of the sanitary inspector and sanitary overseer will be abolished and the posts of certificated sanitary inspector and assistant sanitary inspector sanctioned. The salaries provided for these two officers will be Rs. 35 and Rs. 25, respectively. Each of them will also be allowed Rs. 15 extra on account of horse allowance.

(ii) *Contingencies*.—In addition to the usual contingent charges coming under this head and amounting to Rs. 2,700, a sum of Rs. 1,600 is provided for the acquisition of a site for a night-soil depôt in Cocanada. The municipality has no night-soil depôt of its own. Several attempts were made before but given up for want of funds. At present there is only one night-soil depôt situated in a private land in a very remote corner of Jagannaikpur, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Administration report for 1894-95, embodied in G.O., No. 1660 M., dated 16th October 1895. There being no night-soil depôt in Cocanada, the night-soil had to be carted a long way off to Jagannaikpur, which is very often attended with unsatisfactory results. Further, the owner of the land has very often given trouble in respect of night-soil carted there. The position of the municipality to be at the will and pleasure of a private individual in regard to a night-soil depôt site, which is one of its prime wants, is very disagreeable. The council has accordingly provided funds for the acquisition of a site in Cocanada for the present. The acquisition of another site in Jagannaikpur will be considered later on as funds permit.

(b) *Private Scavenging*—(1) *Establishment*.—The charges of this establishment amounting to Rs. 2,370 are given in statement II-B. The increase of Rs. 270 as compared with the revised estimate is due to the additional establishment charges being calculated for the whole year instead of a portion in the current year.

(c) *Cholera Charges*.—As usual, a provision of Rs. 1,640 is made under this head, agreeably to G.O., No. 1028 M., dated 26th June 1895.

addition to the usual charges of Rs. 100. An allotment of Rs. 100 is also made for repairs of latrines. Thus the total expenditure proposed under this head amounts to Rs. 1,600.

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(1) *Training Schools—Stipends to Normal Students.*—Rs. 190 is provided under this head for the training of three teachers—one matriculate and two primary or lower secondary grade men—and for the payment of stipends to the three teachers now under training.

(2) *Municipal Schools—On Salary System—Establishment.*—The salary of the Telugu teacher is proposed to be raised from Rs. 5 to Rs. 8, as none came forward for a salary of Rs. 5. The proposal of the council to entertain a Telugu teacher on Rs. 10 to work in both the lower secondary and primary schools was disallowed by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 1751 M., dated 9th August 1897. The additional charge thus proposed, together with the annual estimate of the increased salaries of teachers already sanctioned, instead of a portion in the current year, led to an increase of Rs. 90 under this head.

(a) *On Salary-result System—Fixed Payment.*—There has been an increase of only Rs. 10 under this head. This is due to the estimate of the salary of the headmaster of the Lower Primary school, Jagannaikpur, for the whole year, instead of for eleven months in the revised estimate.

(7) (c) Provision is made in the sum of Rs. 240 on account of the salary of the drawing master for the whole year at Rs. 20 per mensem. The savings which resulted in the revised estimate have been eliminated from calculation of the budget amount.

13. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services.*—An allotment of Rs. 24,640 is made under this grant against Rs. 29,080 in the revised estimate. The variations amounting to Rs. 4,440 are explained in the following items:—

(1) *Hospitals and Dispensaries.*—The allotment of Rs. 8,260 in the revised estimate has been reduced to Rs. 7,700 in the budget.

(a) *Establishment.*—The contribution by the district board towards the maintenance of the medical institutions is reduced for the year from Rs. 4,000 to Rs. 3,000 (G.O., Mis. No. 2093 M., dated 29th October 1897). Repairs to the hospital buildings in the directions pointed out by the Surgeon-General and the Civil Surgeon are a necessity. Some retrenchment must be found in the hospital expenditure. The Civil Surgeon is of opinion that the branch dispensary may be dispensed with, but there is a difference of opinion on the subject, and the majority of the councillors did not agree to the proposal. There are at present two hospital assistants of the first-class and one of third-class. The council resolved to have one hospital assistant of first-class and two of the third-class, the Civil Surgeon agreeing to make the necessary arrangements so as to distribute work amongst them at the main hospital

and the branch dispensary. Generally trivial complaints are treated at the branch dispensary, and the Civil Surgeon promised to keep the first-class hospital assistant there when required. The women and children's dispensary in the town treats females and children, and I am informed that the district board sanctioned the entertainment of an hospital assistant to assist the female apothecary. The entertainment of one first-class hospital assistant only in addition to two of third-class, agreeably to the suggestion of the Civil Surgeon, will meet the requirements of the town.

The post of the European cook is abolished as one can be easily entertained when required as recommended by the Civil Surgeon. The salary of the compounder attached to the branch dispensary will be raised from Rs. 12 to Rs. 15 in accordance with G.O., No. 1677 L., dated 11th September 1888, as he will complete ten years' service on 27th June 1898. These changes result in a decrease of Rs. 360 shown under this head.

(b) *Medicines and Supplies.*—For reasons given above the allotment under this head has also been reduced from Rs. 3,000 to Rs. 2,800, the Civil Surgeon having consented to the proposed reduction.

(c) *Diet of Patients and (d) Contingencies.*—The provisions under these heads remain unaltered for the present.

(3) *Vaccination—(a) Establishment.*—Rs. 320 is provided under the head of vaccination establishment on account of the pay of one first-class and one probationary vaccinator, amounting to Rs. 26 per mensem.

(b) *Contingencies.*—The allotment of Rs. 350 made in the revised estimate has been reduced to Rs. 240, showing a decrease of Rs. 110. It is mainly due to the stoppage of the inoculation of calves since the central vaccine depôt was started by the district board in the hospital compound. The provision now made under this head may, perhaps, result in a saving if the district board agree to the proposal of supplying the glycerine vaccine paste free of charge to the municipality in consideration of the district board having a portion of the hospital premises for vaccine depôt.

(5) *Conservancy—(a) (i) Establishment.*—The charges of the establishment amounting to Rs. 7,090 are given in statement II-B. The important changes in the personnel of this establishment are that the present posts of the sanitary inspector and sanitary overseer will be abolished and the posts of certificated sanitary inspector and assistant sanitary inspector sanctioned. The salaries provided for these two officers will be Rs. 35 and Rs. 25, respectively. Each of them will also be allowed Rs. 15 extra on account of horse allowance.

(ii) *Contingencies.*—In addition to the usual contingent charges coming under this head and amounting to Rs. 2,700, a sum of Rs. 1,600 is provided for the acquisition of a site for a night-soil depôt in Cocanada. The municipality has no night-soil depôt of its own. Several attempts were made before but given up for want of funds. At present there is only one night-soil depôt situated in a private land in a very remote corner of Jagannaikpur, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Administration report for 1894-95, embodied in G.O., No. 1660 M., dated 16th October 1895. There being no night-soil depôt in Cocanada, the night-soil had to be carted a long way off to Jagannaikpur, which is very often attended with unsatisfactory results. Further, the owner of the land has very often given trouble in respect of night-soil carted there. The position of the municipality to be at the will and pleasure of a private individual in regard to a night-soil depôt site, which is one of its prime wants, is very disagreeable. The council has accordingly provided funds for the acquisition of a site in Cocanada for the present. The acquisition of another site in Jagannaikpur will be considered later on as funds permit.

(b) *Private Scavenging—(1) Establishment.*—The charges of this establishment amounting to Rs. 2,370 are given in statement II-B. The increase of Rs. 270 as compared with the revised estimate is due to the additional establishment charges being calculated for the whole year instead of a portion in the current year.

(c) *Cholera Charges.*—As usual, a provision of Rs. 1,640 is made under this head, agreeably to G.O., No. 1028 M., dated 26th June 1895.

14. *Grant 4, Lighting and Miscellaneous.*—The total expenditure under this grant is estimated at Rs. 6,300 against Rs. 8,290 in the revised estimate, showing a decrease of Rs. 1,990. The allotments made under many of the sub-heads remain unaltered, while the variations only occur under the following two items:—

(9) *Other Charges*—(iv) *Compensation for Lands.*—As the revised proposals of the council about the extension of Jagannaikpur were sanctioned by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 2682 M., dated 2nd December 1897, a block of land measuring 15 acres and 14 cents, belonging to Masu, Sarvarayudu, and another measuring 2 acres and 50 cents, in Koringa road, will have to be acquired. A provision of Rs. 1,700 is, therefore, made for compensation payable to the owners of these lands.

(v) *Other Items.*—A provision of Rs. 350 is made for miscellaneous items, such as rents for lands taken up by the municipality, law charges and the like.

15. *Grant 5, Supervision and Management.*—The expenditure budgeted under this grant amounts to Rs. 7,150 against Rs. 5,970 provided in the revised estimate. The increase of Rs. 1,180, which has thus resulted, is due to variations under the following items:—

(a) *General Establishment*—(ii) *Inspection.*—Rs. 1,800 is provided under this head on account of the salary of the secretary at Rs. 150 per mensem.

(c) *Collection of Tolls*—(i) *Establishment.*—The charges of the tolls establishment, as given in statement II-B, amount to Rs. 980 in round sum, which is accordingly provided in the budget. The increase of Rs. 160 over the revised estimate is mostly due to the entertainment of additional establishment on toll-gate No. 1 during the current official year.

Repayment of Debt and Interest.—Rs. 7,040 is provided towards the payment of the second instalment of the water works loan. This amount includes Rs. 3,940, principal, and Rs. 3,100, interest; an additional allotment of Rs. 950 is also made for payment of interest to the district board for the construction of the Yeleru bridge under the agreement sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 1377 M., dated 23rd August 1895. The interest is for the present calculated at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on the original estimate of Rs. 21,000, as the actual cost incurred has not yet been ascertained after the completion of the work which was completed recently.

Refunds.—No provision is made for refunds of other than current collections, as it is not likely that appeals of this year will lie over pending disposal in the next year.

Closing Balance.—The year is thus expected to close with a balance of Rupees 3,000 against Rs. 2,830 anticipated in the revised estimate, paragraph 10 *supra*.

16. Copies of council's resolutions sanctioning the revised estimate for the current official year and the budget estimate of the next official year are herewith submitted, together with the prescribed statements and proposition statements for the revision of establishments.

Dis. on Cur. No. 47-H. De.

Submitted to the Collector.

2. Sufficient provision does not appear to have been made for roads and lighting. There are some big streets which have no roads at all, and even the existing roads are in an exceedingly bad condition. In rainy weather, these so-called roads become hardly passable for man or beast. Much discontent seems to prevail among the residents in respect of roads and lighting.

3. I do not think it wise on the part of the council to dispense with a first-class hospital assistant in the main dispensary. All serious cases and operations are generally attended to in the main dispensary; and the females and children in the part of the town, in which the branch dispensary is located, go to the women and children's hospital for medical treatment. The ordinary cases which are generally dealt with in the branch dispensary can be handled by a second or third class hospital assistant.

I think a first class and, as such, an experienced hospital assistant is indispensably necessary for the main dispensary. The Civil Surgeon in charge of it cannot be as easily accessible to the ordinary public at all times as a native hospital assistant.

(Signed) P. PURNIAH,
Deputy Collector.

(COCANADA,
8th January 1898.

Dis. No. 310-Rev.

Forwarded.

2. *Revised Estimate for 1897-98.*—Excluding the transactions connected with the water-supply scheme, the current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 73,300 and Rs. 73,700, respectively, against Rs. 59,380 and Rs. 60,060 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts occurs chiefly under the taxes on buildings and lands, tolls, avenue receipts, sale-proceeds of lands and buildings, fees from educational institutions, and income from markets and slaughter-houses, while that in the charges appears mainly under Grants 1, 3 and 4. The collections under taxes include arrears of the previous year. These, as well as the expenditure under Grant 1 during the first eight months of the year, were again unsatisfactory.

3. *Budget Estimate for 1898-99.*—The receipts are placed at Rs. 63,570 against the revised estimate of Rs. 73,300, the decrease being chiefly under the taxes on buildings and lands, sale-proceeds of lands and buildings, and contribution from local boards. The decrease under the taxes on buildings and lands is due to the exclusion of arrears.

4. *Charges.*—(1) The probable charges are put down at Rs. 62,200 against Rs. 72,700 in the revised estimate.

(2) *Grant 1.*—The allotment for public works, excluding the water-supply scheme, is only Rs. 10,090 against Rs. 15,420 in the revised estimate. A provision of Rs. 5,680 only has been made for repairs to roads, while the income from tolls is estimated at Rs. 7,000. Taking the admittedly bad condition of the roads into consideration, the provision is insufficient.

5. *Grant 3.*—It is well that the council has decided not to accept the District Surgeon's view that the branch dispensary may be dispensed with. The town is rapidly extending towards the north and the area that is being served by the branch dispensary comprises five petas, viz., Frazerpetta, Suriarowpetta, Ramarowpetta, Ramakrishnapeta and Rechupeta (a Panchama hamlet) which form the new portion of Cocanada and are in every respect as important as Cocanada proper. The branch is situated at a distance of about a mile from the main hospital and the furthest portions of the new petas are nearly two miles from the main hospital. The branch is, therefore, situated at a convenient distance from the petas; and hence from eight to nine thousand patients seek relief there as shown below:—

1891	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,660
1892	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,631
1893	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,958
1894	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,652
1895	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,260
1896	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,859
1897	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,270

6. A large number of women and children—about 3,000—still resort to the branch, though the women and children's dispensary has been in existence for three years now. And though, as the latter institution grows in popularity, women and children must cease to seek relief in the branch, yet there is still a very large male population for whom the branch dispensary is essential. It would have been a pity, therefore, had the council decided to close it on the ground of inadequate funds, for the annual cost is only Rs. 936.

7. The council has, however, resolved to replace the first-class hospital assistant by a third-class man at the branch. I cannot commend the wisdom of the council in this respect for, while a paltry saving of Rs. 300 is thus effected in the pay of the hospital assistant, due consideration has not been given to the interests of the sick.

Few third-class hospital assistants of to-day are up to much independent work; and though no operations are performed at the branch, the work is otherwise as responsible as at the main hospital, patients belonging to the petas suffering from complicated and serious maladies are believed to seek relief at the branch. Indeed, I should be surprised if this were not so, for those suffering from severe illness are just those least able or inclined to go a long way for treatment and naturally prefer to be treated as near their homes as possible.

8. A second-class hospital assistant will cost Rs. 120 per annum less than a first-class hospital assistant, but the latter gives the hospital the advantage of more knowledge and long experience out of proportion to the trifling saving.

9. I am distinctly of opinion that, both at the main hospital and at the branch, a first-class hospital assistant is needed. The doctor attends the hospital at specified hours and the care of the in-patients at the main hospital devolves on the hospital assistant who lives in the hospital premises. It cannot be too strongly insisted, therefore, that the hospital assistant at the main hospital should be a first-class man; and if the Government decide to allow only one first-class man for Cocanada, I would prefer to have him attached to the main hospital rather than to the branch.

10. My proposal to have a first-class hospital assistant at the main hospital and the branch involves an expenditure of Rs. 300 over the budget provision, but this can be met out of the provision for medicines, as I understand there is usually a balance of stock at the end of each year much over that amount in value.

11. I understand the council has reconsidered the matter and come to the conclusion that there should be two first-class men as above indicated, but their resolution has not been yet communicated to this office. It will be forwarded when received.

25th January 1898.

(Signed) V. A. BRODIE,
Collector.

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, 7th January 1898, No. 130.

Adverting to the budget estimate of the Cocanada Municipality for 1898-99, I have the honour to state that the provision made therein for education may be accepted with the following modifications:—

(i) The fee receipts have, it seems to me, been estimated at rather a high figure; they may be fixed at Rs. 2,000.

(ii) The council proposes to train three teachers—one upper secondary and two lower secondary or primary—assuming that both the latter will be of the lower secondary grade, the allotment for their stipends should be raised to Rs. 280—Rs. 120 for the upper secondary grade teacher, Rs. 144 for the two lower secondary men, and Rs. 16 approximately for payment of stipends to the teachers now under training. The credit taken on this account under grants from Government should correspondingly be raised to Rs. 170.

(iii) A sum of Rs. 10 at least should be allotted for contingencies for the drawing master.

2. With these modifications, the net expenditure proposed under Grant 2 is Rs. 4,110 (6,330—2,220), or nearly 9 per cent. of the estimated income from taxation, markets and rents.

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, 14th January 1898, No. 28.

I have the honour to state that the provision made in Grant 3 of the budget estimate of the Cocanada Municipality for the year 1898-99 is sufficient.

2. For want of funds the municipality, with the Civil Surgeon's approval, proposes to have one hospital assistant of first-class and two of the third-class in room of two hospital assistants of the first-class and one third-class and to abolish the appointment of cook for Europeans as one can be entertained when required.

3. The following suggestions of the Civil Surgeon need to be provided for:—

Municipal Hospital.—(1) Asphalting the hospital floor, (2) a separate standard plan delivery and lying-in ward for four patients, (3) half-tiled glazed drains round the wards, (4) completion of compound wall, and (5) complete filling of the ditch in the hospital compound.

Branch Dispensary.—Standard plan, out-patient's dispensary, with proper arrangements for the separation of the sexes and quarters for the hospital assistant on the standard plan.

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, 26th January 1898, No. 131-S.

Referring to the Cocanada municipal budget for 1898-99, I have the honour to state that the proposed expenditure on conservancy is 25 per cent. of the estimated receipts, excluding the Provincial grant taken credit for in aid of the water works. The allotment for vaccination calls for no remarks.

2. Under Grant 1, a provision of Rs. 1,000 is entered for the construction of a public latrine and Rs. 1,200 for carrying out other minor sanitary works. For the water-supply scheme, Rs. 52,110 are allotted.

From M.R.Ry. K. PERRAJU Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Cocanada, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Head-quarters Deputy Collector, Gódvári District), dated Cocanada, 26th January 1898, No. 1412.

In continuation of my letter, No. 1259, dated 20th December 1897, I have the honour to submit, herewith, copies of the council's resolutions passed at the special meetings held on the 19th and 24th January 1898 at the request of nine councillors for reconsidering the resolution passed at the budget meeting regarding the replacement of one 1st-class hospital assistant by a 3rd-class officer.

2. A copy of their requisition, together with the dissenting minutes of M.R.Ry. G. Venkataratnam Garu, councillor, about closing the branch dispensary, are herewith forwarded.

3. The usual proposition statement in connection with the revision of the establishment is enclosed.

Dis. on C. No. 158—H.D.C.

Submitted to the Collector of the Gódvári district.

2. The majority of the members of the municipal council have now decided that there should be two 1st-class hospital assistants—one at the main dispensary and the other at the branch dispensary.

COCANADA,
29th January 1898.

(Signed) P. PURNIAH,
Deputy Collector.

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, 16th February 1898, No. 172.

In continuation of my letter, No. 28, dated the 14th January 1898, I have the honour to forward the accompanying copies of the Cocanada Municipal Council's resolutions, together with the dissenting minute of a councillor received from the

Dis. on 578. Rev. of 1898 dated 7.2.98.

Submitted

2. The undersigned fully approves of the decision of the Municipal Council referred to by the Divisional Officer in para. 2. of his endorsement (sd) V. A. Brodie

Chairman, and to state that I recommend the retention of the two 1st-class hospital assistants and the abolition of the branch dispensary, together with the establishment consisting of a 3rd-class hospital assistant and menial servants with the exception of the compounder who should be transferred to the main hospital.

2. The amount saved by the abolition of the branch dispensary should be utilized in equipping the main hospital which much requires it.

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 February 1898, No. 2014.

In returning the papers referred for remarks under endorsement No. 755, dated 23rd July last, I have the honour to state that the Inspector reports that the strength of the school has since fallen off and that there is therefore no longer any necessity for the entertainment of the additional teacher. The provision made for the purpose in the budget estimate of the municipality for 1898-99 may also be omitted.

2. I regret the delay in replying to this reference, which is due to delay on the part of the inspecting officers.

ORDER—No. 577 M., dated 15th March 1898.

The estimated receipts and charges of the Cocanada 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.				
Balance brought forward	1,890	1,75,060	1,87,770	2,830
Tax on Arts	7,152	7,500	7,500	7,500
" on Buildings and Lands	21,411	21,750	23,950	22,250
" on Vehicles and Animals	2,269	2,250	2,250	2,250
" on Carts	1,722	1,660	1,660	1,660
Tolls	7,307	6,800	7,000	7,000
Realizations under Special Acts	45	50	50	50
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	2,530	1,810	10,640	3,450
Conservancy Receipts	107	110	120	120
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	1,462	1,600	2,200	2,000
" from Medical Institutions	594	1,000	1,000	1,000
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	3,912	4,000	5,700	5,700
License Fees	1,637	1,600	1,600	1,600
Other Fees	1,278	1,060	1,110	1,110
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	916	400	400	400
Grants and Contributions from Government	80,078	56,700	56,190	52,580
" from Local Boards	4,000	4,000	3,500	3,000
" from other Bodies	13,406	69,100	55,770	..
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	2,800	2,700	2,700	2,700
Miscellaneous	354	140	180	180
Loans	92,870	25,230	25,230	..
Advances Recovered	688	..	1,300	..
Total ..	2,48,428	3,84,520	3,97,820	1,17,380
Charges.				
GRANT 1—				
New Works—				
Communications	3,012	3,850	4,320	..
Buildings	112	1,800	2,670	1,000
Water-supply	957	3,22,440	3,22,880	52,110
Repairs—				
Communications	8,936	4,050	4,600	5,680
Buildings	537	300	300	1,600
Drainage	910	660	1,130	300
Water-supply	2,954	940	1,360	940
Establishment	240	240	240	420
Tools and Plant and other Stores	96	50	110	50
Contributions for Public Works	..	100	100	100
Total ..	17,754	3,84,430	3,37,710	62,200

	Actuals, 1896-97.	Budget estimate, 1897-98.	Revised estimate, 1897-98.	Budget estimate, 1898-99.
Charges—cont.				
GRANT 2—				
Training Schools	93	170	130	280
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary System	1,460	1,150	1,230	1,320
On the Salary-result System	3,004	3,220	3,360	3,230
Grants-in-aid—				
Salary Grants	100	..	..	..
Result Grants	286	450	450	450
Building, Furniture, &c., Grants	307	310	310	310
Inspection	456	390	370	390
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	..
Total ..	5,506	5,890	6,050	6,180
GRANT 3—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	7,232	8,260	8,260	7,700
Contributions	449	410	410	410
Vaccination	616	750	710	550
Registration of Births and Deaths	296	310	310	310
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	13,787	14,900	18,130	14,060
Total ..	22,380	24,630	27,820	23,030
GRANT 4—				
Lighting	1,564	1,900	1,900	1,900
Markets and Slaughter-houses	153	110	770	770
Choultries	300	300	300	300
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other Charges	2,215	4,120	6,580	4,930
Total ..	4,232	6,430	9,550	7,900
GRANT 5—				
Supervision and Management	7,058	6,390	5,970	7,110
Repayment of Debt	..	4,130	3,090	2,150
Interest on Loan	..	450	4,400	5,840
Advances Recoverable	1,298	..	..	..
Refunds	2,359	..	400	..
Pensions and Gratuities	72	..	..	..
Grand Total ..	60,659	3,82,350	3,94,990	1,14,410
Balance	1,87,769	2,170	2,830	2,970

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1897-98.

2. The current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 2,10,050 and Rs. 3,94,990, respectively, against Rs. 2,09,460 and Rs. 3,82,350 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts, which occurs chiefly under the tax on buildings, sale-proceeds of lands, school-fees, market rents and advances recovered is nearly counterbalanced by a decrease under grants from Government and contributions from local boards and private individuals, while the increase in the charges appears mainly under Grants 1, 3 and 4 and interest on loan. The expenditure on new works—water-supply and repairs—buildings during the first eight months of the year was unsatisfactory. The allotments of funds, referred to in paragraphs 4 (2) (a), 5 (2) (ii), 6 (5) (c) and 8 of the Chairman's first letter, are sanctioned. The municipal council will be allowed to reduce the salary of the drain toty from Rs. 5 to Rs. 2-8-0, to dispense with the services of the calf-watcher and other servants, referred to in paragraphs 4 (2) (c) (ii) and 6 (3) and to abolish the post of market superintendent, which from statement II-B and the proposition statement appears to be contemplated and to which reference should have been made in the Chairman's letter. The alterations in the conservancy establishment and the entertainment of the establishment for the collection of tolls at gate No. 1, proposed in paragraphs 6 (5) and 8 (c) are sanctioned. The amount provided for payment of the first instalment of the loan will be reduced and that for interest raised, by Rs. 520 with reference to actual requirements.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1898-99.

3. Receipts.—The receipts for the ensuing year are put down at Rs. 1,14,680 against the revised estimate of Rs. 21,050, the decrease being chiefly under the tax on buildings, sale-proceeds of lands, grants from Government, contributions from private individuals and loans. The proposal of the municipal council to raise the fees

4. *Charges*.—(1) The probable charges are entered as Rs. 1,14,510 against Rs. 3,94,990 in the revised estimate, the decrease, which occurs chiefly under Grants 1, 3 and 4, being partly counterbalanced by an increase under Grant 5.

(2) *Grant 1.*—The attention of the municipal council is drawn to the remarks of the Deputy Collector and the Collector in paragraphs 2 and 4 (2), respectively, of their endorsements regarding the insufficiency of the allotment for roads, which are reported to be in an exceedingly bad condition. The proposal to dispense with the services of the toti on Rs. 5, which from statement II-B and the proposition statement appear to be contemplated, is approved; but reference should have been made to this in the Chairman's letter. The entertainment of a clerk on Rs. 15 for keeping public works accounts, proposed in paragraph 11 (3) of the Chairman's first letter, is sanctioned.

(3) *Grant 2.*—As recommended by the Director in his first letter read above, the allotment for normal stipends will be raised by Rs. 90 and a sum of Rs. 10 will be provided for contingencies for the drawing master. The council's proposal to raise from Rs. 5 to Rs. 8 the salary of the Telugu teacher, referred to in paragraph 12 (2) of the Chairman's first letter, is approved. With reference to the Director's second letter read above, the allotment for the salary of an additional teacher on Rs. 12 in the Jaganaickpur salary-result school, sanctioned in G.O., No. 1852 M., dated 24th August 1897, will be struck out.

(4) *Grant 3.*—For the reasons stated by the Collector in paragraphs 5 and 6 of his endorsement, the recommendation of the Surgeon-General in his second letter read above to abolish the branch dispensary cannot be adopted. The proposal to dispense with the services of the cook for Europeans in the municipal hospital, referred to in paragraph 13 (1) (a) of the Chairman's first letter, is approved. The municipal council's attention is drawn to the suggestions of the Civil Surgeon referred to in paragraph 3 of the Surgeon-General's first letter. The alterations in the conservancy establishment, proposed in paragraph 13 (5) (a) of the Chairman's first letter, are sanctioned.

(5) *Grant 5.*—With reference to G.O., No. 2473 L., dated 22nd December 1897, the contribution for the central office establishments will be reduced from Rs. 550 to Rs. 524, or Rs. 520 in round figures.

5. The provision for repayment of loan will be reduced, and that for interest raised, by Rs. 1,790 with reference to actual requirements. As revised by Government, the budget closes with a balance of Rs. 2,970, or 4·7 per cent. of the estimated ordinary receipts.

(True Extract.)

Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Cocanada.
 " Collector of Gódávári.
 " President, District Board, Gódávári.
 " Accountant-General.
 " Director of Public Instruction.
 " Surgeon-General.
 " Sanitary Board.
 " Sanitary Commissioner.
 " Sanitary Engineer.

Editors' Table.

Exd. Md. Pahilwan.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings :—

Current No. 503 of 1898, dated 20th Dec 97 from the Chairman Mr. Coomaraswamy

Current No. 780^m of 1898, dated 26th Jan'y fr

Current No. 780m of 1898, dated 26th Jan'y from the

Current No. 817 m of 1898, dated, 16th Feb 9 from the

Current No. 132 of 1898, dated 26th June from the

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The estimated receipts and charges of the Cocacoda Municipality for

1898-99, as passed by Government, are compared below with the budget and revised

estimates for the year ⁹⁷⁻⁹⁸ and the actuals of 1896-97:—

	Actuals, 1896-97	Budget Estimate, 1897-98	Revised Estimate, 1897-98	Budget Estimate, 1898-99
Receipts.				
Balance brought forward	1890	175060	18770	2830
Tax on Arts	7152	7500	7500	7500
Tax on Buildings and Lands	21411	21750	23950	22250
Water-Tax on Buildings and Lands				
Tax on Vehicles and Animals	2269	2250	2250	2250
Tax on Carts	1722	1660	1660	1660
Tolls	7307	6800	7000	7000
Realizations under Special Acts	45	50	50	50
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c, and sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	2530	1810	10640	3450
Conservancy Receipts	107	40	120	120
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	1462	1600	2200	2200
Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions	594	1000	1000	1000
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	3912	4000	5700	5700
License fees	1637	1600	1600	1600
Other fees	1278	1060	1110	1110
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	916	400	400	400
Interest on Investments and premium on Loans				
Grants and Contributions from Government	80078	56700	56190	52570
Do. from Local Boards	4000	4000	3500	3000
Do. from other bodies	13406	69100	55700	
Recoveries for services to private individuals	2800	2700	2700	2700
Miscellaneous	354	140	180	180
Loans	92870	25230	25230	
Sale-proceeds of Government Securities, &c, and Realizations of Sinking Fund				
Advances Recovered	688		1300	
Total	248428	384520	397820	117380

Charges.		Actuals, 1896-97	Budget Estimate, 1897-98	Revised Estimate, 1897-98	Budget Estimate, 1898-99
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
GRANT 1.					
<i>New Works—</i>					
Communications		3012	3850	4320	..
Buildings		112	1800	2670	1000
Drainage		..	..	..	..
Water-supply		987	322440	322880	52110
<i>Repairs—</i>					
Communications		8936	4050	4600	5680
Buildings		537	300	300	1600
Drainage		960	660	1130	300
Water-supply		2954	940	1300	940
Establishment		240	240	240	420
Tools and Plant and other Stores		96	50	110	50
Contributions for Public Works		..	100	100	100
Total		1.7754	334430	337710	62200
GRANT 2.					
Training Schools		93	170	130	190 280
<i>Municipal Schools—</i>					
(a) On the Salary System		1460	1150	1230	1320
(b) On the Salary Result System		3004	3220	3360	3370
<i>Grants-in-aid—</i>					
(a) Salary grants		160	..	..	..
(b) Result grants		286	450	450	450
(c) Building, Furniture, &c., grants		..	200	200	200
Inspection		307	310	310	310
Miscellaneous		2456	390	370	390 390
Total		5506	5890	6050	6230 6180
GRANT 3.					
Hospitals and Dispensaries		7232	8260	8260	7700
Contributions		449	410	410	410
Vaccination		616	750	710	550 550
Registration of Births and Deaths		296	310	310	310
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering		13787	14900	14390	15660 14060
Total		22380	24630	24080	24660 23030
GRANT 4.					
Lighting		1564	1900	1900	1900
Markets and Slaughter-houses		152	110	770	770
Choultries		300	300	300	300
Travellers' Bungalows		..	..	..	..
Avenues		..	..	..	..
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges		2215	4120	5320	3380 4930
Total		4231	6430	8290	6300 7900
GRANT 5.					
Supervision and management		7058	6390	5970	7150 7110
Repayment of Debt		..	4130	3930	3940 2150
Interest on loan		..	450	3000	4050 5840
Advances Recoverable		1298	..	..	..
Refunds		2359	..	400	..
Discount		72	..	..	..
Pensions and Gratuities		..	..	..	..
Investments		..	..	..	..
Grand Total		60658	382350	394990	414510 114410
Balance		10769	2170	2830	3000 2970

Revised estimates for 1897-98

2. The current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs 210,050 and Rs 294,990 respectively against Rs 209,460 and Rs 382,350 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts, which accrues chiefly under the tax on buildings, sale proceeds of lands, school fees, market rents and advances recovered, is nearly counter-balanced by a decrease under grants from Govt. and contributions from local boards and private individuals, while the increase in the charges appears mainly under grants 1, 3 and 4 and interest on loan. The expenditure on new works—water supply and repairs—buildings during the first eight months of the year was unsatisfactory. The allotments of funds referred to in paras 4 (2) (a), 5 (2) (b), 6 (5) (c) and 8 of the Chairman's first letter are sanctioned. The proposals of the Municipal Council

will be allowed
to reduce the salary
of the drain ^{tote} from
Rs 5 to Rs 2-8 and to dispense
with the services of the calf
matcher, ^{and other servants} ~~shaver and grass-~~
~~matcher~~, referred to in paras
4(2) (C) (D) and 6(3); ^{and to} the abolish-
tion of the post of Market
Superintendent, which from
statement II B and the propo-
sition statement appears to
be contemplated and to
which reference should
have been made in the
Chairman's letter, ~~and the~~
alterations in the conser-
vancy establishment and
the entertainment of the
establishment for the collec-
tion of tolls at gate no. 1,
proposed in paras 6(5) and
8(c), are sanctioned. The
amount provided for payment
of the first instalment
of the loan will be reduced
and that for interest raised
by Rs 520, with reference to
the actual requirements.

Budget.

Office. I cannot trace
out whether Chairman
means (a) 1 man or (b) 3 men.
If (a) enter only calf matcher
if (b), add "other servants".
H.T.

P.R.

|| Please check this ||
|| in Jeps in para ||

Vide para. 9(4).

Budget Estimate for 1898-99.

3. Receipts. The receipts
for the ensuing year are put
down at Rs 1,14,680 against
the revised estimate of Rs 2,10,550,
the decrease being chiefly under
the tax on building, sale
proceeds of lands, grants from
Govt., contributions from pri-
vate individuals and loans.
The proposal of the Muni-
cipal Council to raise the
fees charged for the occupa-
tion of public streets from
4 as to 12 as a square yard per
annum is approved. As re-
commended by the Director of
Public Instruction in his
letter read above, the estimate
under school fees will be
reduced by Rs 200, while
the amount taken credit
for under grants from Govt.
on account of normal stipends
will be raised by Rs 10.
4. Charges (1). The probable
charges are entered as Rs 1,14,570
against Rs 3,94,990 in the re-
vised estimate, the decrease
which accrues chiefly under
grants

grants 1, 3 and 4 being partly counterbalanced by an increase under grant 5.

(2) Grant 1. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to the remarks of the Deputy Collector and the Collector in paras 2 and 4 (2) respectively of their endorsements regarding the insufficiency of the allotment for roads, which are reported to be in an exceedingly bad condition.

The proposal to dispense with the services of the toti cleaners on Rs 5, which from statement II B and the proposition statement appear to be contemplated is approved; but the collector should get made to it.

The Municipal Council's accounts, proposed in para 11 (b) of the Chairman's first letter, is sanctioned.

(3) Grant 2. As recommended by the Director, the allotment for

under ser reduced by the amount to be for under grants of of normal

in his first letter, read above,

for normal stipend will be raised by Rs 90 and a sum of Rs 10 will be provided for contingencies for the drawing master. The Council's proposal to raise from Rs 5 to Rs 8 the salary of the Telugu teacher referred to in para 12 (2) of the Chairman's first letter is approved.

With reference to the Director's second letter read above, the allotment for the salary of an additional teacher on Rs 12 in the Jagannikpur Lalang-Resalt school, sanctioned in G.O. No 1852 in dated 24 August 1897, will be struck out.

Vide vol 817.2 Signed H.

(4) Grant 3. For the reasons stated by the Collector in paras 5 and 6 of his endorsement, the recommendation of the Surgeon General in his second letter read above, to abolish the branch dispensary cannot be adopted. The proposal to dispense with the services of the Cook for Europeans in the Municipal hospital, referred to in para 13 (c) of the Chairman's first letter, is approved. The Municipal Council's attention is drawn to the suggestions of the Civil Surgeon referred to in para 3 of the Surgeon General's first letter. The alterations in the conservancy establishment

establishment proposed in
para. 13 (b) (a) of the Chairman's
first letter are sanctioned.

5. Grant 5. With reference
to G.O. N^o 2473 L dated 22^d
December 1897, the contribu-
tion for the central office
establishments will be
reduced from Rs 550 to
Rs 524 or Rs 520 in round
figures.

5. The provision for re-
payment of loan will be
reduced and that for interest
raised, by Rs 1790 with refer-
ence to actual requirements.
As revised by Govt. the bud-
get closes with a balance
of Rs ²⁹⁷⁰ ~~2820~~ or 4.7 percent
of the estimated ordinary
receipts.

V.R.
12/3/98

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To
The Chairman, M.C., Coimbatore.
Pres. Dr. B. Godavari
Acct. General
D.P. S. M.
Sargen General
Sanitary
Engineer
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Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

CURRENT No.

Order

From
The Chairman
Municipal Council
Coimbatore.

No. 1412

Dated 26th January 1898.

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Encl no 1 to Letter
no 1412
26-1-98

To
The Chairman
Municipal Council
Cocanada

Sir,

Under Sec 29C2 we have the honor to request that you will be good enough to convene a Special Meeting of the Municipal Council for the purpose of reconsidering the resolution passed at the last budget meeting regarding the replacement of one 1st Class Hospital Assistant at the station by a 3rd Class officer. We think that in the interests of the public it is absolutely necessary that there should be two 1st Class Hospital Assistants, one to be in Charge of the Branch dispensary and the other to work in the main hospital. The Extra Cost of Rs 360/- involved in the proposal can, we consider, be easily met from the Savings under Medicines which, if economically managed, ought not to exceed Rs 250/-.

as will be seen from the provision
ordinarily made under this head in
the budgets of other Municipalities.
We further request that the Special
Meeting may be convened early in
January and that the fact of this
requisition having been received
by you may be either mentioned in
the budget report or if that is not
possible, reported to Government
and the Surgeon General by a special
letter.

We have the honour to be
Sir,

Your most obedient Servants

(Signed) B. Ramamurthy

(sd). P. Chittiah

(sd). Mootha Survarayudu

(sd). Batham Annaparaiz

(sd). B. Venkataratnam

(sd). P. Venkatachalapathy

(sd). P. A. Rajajee

(sd). Kakileti Viraraghavulu
Naidu

(sd). Nakhoda Dada Sahib

(True Copy)

Municipal Office
Cocanada 24 January
1898

24.1.98

Chairman

Encl no 2nd
Letter no 1412
26.1.98

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Cocanada passed at its meeting held on Wednesday, the 19th January 1898.

Present

1. M. R. Ry K. Perajugam, Chairman
2. Rao Bahadur P. Purnaiya
Pantulu gam, Ex officio } Councillor
3. Dew an Bahann S. Venkata
Rama dasu taide gam B.A. B.A. } do.
4. Acting Civil Surgeon J. Lychlauser do.
5. M. R. Ry G. Venkataratnam gam do.
6. M. S. Mayajulu gam do.
7. M. Padmanatham gam B.A. do.
8. P. Chittaiya gam do.
9. Rao Bahann S. Venkataratnam gam do.
10. B. Annaparaiz gam do.
11. Dr. Sarvarayudu gam do.
12. P. Venkatachalapathy gam do.
13. B. Ramamurthy gam do.

1. Reconsidering the resolution of the Council about the replacement of one first class Hospital assistant by a third class one.

Proposed by Mr P. Chittaiya that two first class Hospital assistants be retained, one to be in the sub charge of the Branch Dispensary and the other to work in the main Hospital and the extra cost of Rs 360/- be met.

from the allotment under medicines. Seconded
by Mr. B. Annaparasu.

Mr. G. Venkatasubramanian proposes the following
amendment, that the Branch Dispensary
be abolished and that the reduction in the
contribution from provincial and local
funds be partly met from the savings
effected thereby.

Seconded by Mr. M. S. Mayajulu.

Proposed by Dewan Bahadur S. Venkata-
Ramadasu Naider gave B.A. & B.L., that
the meeting be adjourned to Monday next.

Seconded by Mr. A. Padmanabham.

Carried.

(Sd) K. Serraju,
Chairman.

(True extract)

Municipal Office
Cocanada 24 January
1898

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Chairman

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*Encl No 3
to letter No 112
26.1.98*
BRANCH DISPENSARY, COCONADA.

The enclosed statement gives the particulars of the charges incur-
red on account of the Main Hospital and the Branch Dispensary and the
contributions received from Provincial and Local Funds towards the up-
keep of the said institutions during the last 3 years. It is not possi-
ble, however, to separate the cost of medicines incurred on account
of the Branch. The establishment attached to the Branch including house

Hospital assistant -	- - -	Rs. 55
Compounder -	- - -	" 12
Servant -	- - -	" 5
	- - -	72
House rent -	- - -	" 6
Monthly expenditure -	- - -	" 78
Annual Do. -	- - -	" 936

rent costs the Municipal Council
Rs. 936 per annum, as noted in the
margin. To this may be added a
sum of Rs. 600 on account of medi-
cines supplied to the Branch and

the total cost of the Branch may be put at Rs. 1500 per annum. The Coun-
cil may remember that in connection with the Budget for the current year
I brought forward a proposal for the abolition of the Branch Dispensary,
in view to meet the anticipated reduction of the contribution from Local
Funds. The proposal did not, however, commend itself to the Council. I
still adhere to my opinion that the only way of facing the present situ-
ation is by adopting my former proposal.

2. Under G.O. No. 2093 L. Mis. dated 29-10-1897, the contribution pay-
able to the Municipal Council on account of its Hospital out of Local
Funds has been reduced from Rs. 4000 to Rs. 2500 per annum, though the
Government was pleased to fix the same at Rs. 3500 for the current year
and at Rs. 3000 for each of the next two years. The Provincial contri-
butions has been likewise reduced to from Rs. 600 to Rs. 200 on the ground
that the Council is not entitled to the lump contribution hitherto
drawn but only to one-eighth of the pay and allowances of the medical
ordinates attached to the Hospital (Vide G.O. No. 543 L. dated 18th
1897). Thus, it will be seen that there has been a reduction of
Rs. 1000 in the contributions drawn by the Municipal Council from Local
and Provincial funds. The question is how to make up this amount of Rs. 1900. Whatever
necessity may have existed for the Branch at the time when it was open
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1900. That necessity has, to a considerable extent, ceased to exist since the
Board opened the Dispensary for women and children, which co

from the allotment under medicines. Seconded by Mr. B. Annaparaju.

Mr. G. Venkatasatru proposes the following amendment, that the Branch Dispensary be abolished and that the reduction in the contribution from provincial and local funds be partly met from the savings effected thereby.

Seconded by Mr. M. Mayajulu
Proposed by Dewan Bahadur S. Venkata-
Ramadasu Naider gave B.A. & B.L., that the meeting be adjourned to Monday next
Seconded by Mr. A. Padmanabham.
Carried.

(Sd) K. Perrajw,
Chairman.

(True extract)

Municipal office
Cocanada 24 January
1898

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Chairman

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Smul No 3
to letter No 1112
26.1.98

BRANCH DISPENSARY, COCONADA.

The enclosed statement gives the particulars of the charges incurred on account of the Main Hospital and the Branch Dispensary and the contributions received from Provincial and Local Funds towards the upkeep of the said institutions during the last 3 years. It is not possible, however, to separate the cost of medicines incurred on account of the Branch. The establishment attached to the Branch including house

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Compounder - - - - -	" 12	Rs. 936 per annum, as noted in the
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House rent - - - - -	" 6	cines supplied to the Branch and
Monthly expenditure - - - - -	" 78	
Annual Do. - - - - -	" 936	

the total cost of the Branch may be put at Rs. 1500 per annum. The Council may remember that in connection with the Budget for the current year I brought forward a proposal for the abolition of the Branch Dispensary, in view to meet the anticipated reduction of the contribution from Local Funds. The proposal did not, however, commend itself to the Council. I still adhere to my opinion that the only way of facing the present situation is by adopting my former proposal.

2. Under G.O. No. 2093 L. Mis. dated 29-10-1897, the contribution payable to the Municipal Council on account of its Hospital out of Local Funds has been reduced from Rs. 4000 to Rs. 2500 per annum, though the Government was pleased to fix the same at Rs. 3500 for the current year and at Rs. 3000 for each of the next two years. The Provincial contributions has been likewise reduced to from Rs. 600 to Rs. 200 on the ground that the Council is not entitled to the lump contribution hitherto drawn but only to one-eighth of the pay and allowances of the medical ordnates attached to the Hospital (Vide G.O. No. 543 L. dated 18th March 1897). Thus, it will be seen that there has been a reduction of Rs. 1900 in the contributions drawn by the Municipal Council from Local and Provincial funds.

Our compounder The question is how to make up this amount of Rs. 1900. Whatever necessity may have existed for the Branch at the time when it was open 19-11-98 necessity has, to a considerable extent, ceased to exist since the Board opened the Dispensary for women and children, which co

the Board about Rs.3000 per annum. 90 % of the patients treated in this dispensary belong to Municipal population. It lies within 200 yards from the Branch Dispensary. The Main Hospital itself lies at a distance of 4 furlongs from the Branch and I do not think that the continuance of a separate dispensary for serving the adult male population of Suryapeta and Frazerpeta is necessary. Only trivial complaints are treated in the Branch. The District Board has also provided in the Budget for 1898-99 for another Hospital assistant on Rs.30 per month to assist the Lady Apothecary in charge of the Dispensary.

4. We should also take note of the fact that the Council may be called upon sooner or later to contribute a portion of the expenditure incurred by the District Board on account of its dispensary under Sec.114 of the Act to the extent to which the inhabitants of the Municipality are benefited thereby.

5. There has, of late, been a material increase in the charges incurred by the Council under various heads. To cite an instance, the cholera charges which were not more than Rs.2-9-0 in 1895-96 came up to Rs.1048-10-10 in 1896-97; while for 1897-98 we had to raise ^{the} Budget provision on this account from Rs.1640 to Rs.4000. We have provided Rs.1640 under this head in the Budget for 1898-99, but I fear that the provision ^{may} be found altogether inadequate and the figure may go up to Rs.4000 as in the current year.

6. With the large diminution in the Provincial and Local contributions with the large increase in our expenditure under Grant III, with the daily increasing demands of sanitation our duty is plain and clear. We should effect permanent reductions in our expenditure. No half-hearted measures towards economy will avail us. The proposal to replace one of the 1st class Hospital assistants by a 3rd class man, though it gives us a saving of Rs.300 a year, seems to me one of that character. The Main Hospital and the Board dispensary must amply answer our requirements. The Branch seems to me more a luxury than a necessity. It would be false economy to curtail the provision under medicines. Our aim ought to be better equip the Hospital. The addition of one more compounder to the existing staff may possibly remove all complaints regarding delay in the matter of dispensing medicines at the Main Hospital.

Cocada,
19-1-98 }

W. Venkateswaram
Municipal Councillor.

The enclosed statement gives the particulars of the charges incurred on account of the Main Hospital and the Branch Dispensary and the contributions received from Provincial and Local Funds towards the upkeep of the said institutions during the last 3 years. It is not possible, however, to separate the cost of medicines incurred on account of the Branch. The establishment attached to the Branch including house rent costs the Municipal Council Rs.55 - - - - -
Hospital assistant - - - - - Rs.12 - - - - -
Compounder - - - - - " 5 - - - - -
Servant - - - - - " 5 - - - - -
House rent - - - - - " 8 - - - - -
Monthly expenditure - - - - - " 78 - - - - -
Annual Do. - - - - - " 938 - - - - -

sum of Rs.600 on account of medicines supplied to the Branch and the total cost of the Branch may be put at Rs.1500 per annum. The Council may remember that in connection with the Budget for the current year I brought forward a proposal for the abolition of the Branch Dispensary in view to meet the anticipated reduction of the contribution from Local Funds. The proposal did not, however, commend itself to the Council. I still adhere to my opinion that the only way of facing the present situation is by adopting my former proposal.

2. Under G.O. No.2093 L. Misc. dated 29-10-1897, the contribution payable to the Municipal Council on account of the Hospital out of Local Funds has been reduced from Rs.4000 to Rs.2800 per annum, though the Government was pleased to fix the same at Rs.2500 for the current year and at Rs.3000 for each of the next two years. The Provincial contributions have been likewise reduced from Rs.600 to Rs.200 on the ground that the Council is not entitled to the lump contribution hitherto drawn but only to one-eighth of the pay and allowances of the medical subordinates attached to the Hospital (Vide G.O. No.543 L. dated 18th March 1897). Thus, it will be seen that there has been a reduction of Rs.1900 in the contributions drawn by the Municipal Council from Local and Provincial Funds.

3. The question is how to make up this amount of Rs.1900. Whatever necessity may have existed for the Branch at the time when it was opened necessarily has, to a considerable extent, ceased to exist since the District Board opened the Dispensary for women and children, which

Charges

19th January 1898. }
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W. S. T. Head
Municipal Councillor.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Cochin, passed at its meeting held on Monday, the 24th January 1898.

Present

- 1 Mr R. R. K. Perajur gam, Chairman
- 2 " Rao Bahadur P. Purnaiya }
Bantulu gam, Ex-officio } Councilor.
- 3 " Dewau Bahadur Venkata }
Ramadasu Maide gam BA & Bd } do.
- 4 Acting Civil Surgeon J. Lychlander do.
- 5 Captain G. W. Wicks do.
- 6 Mr R. R. Venkataratnam gam do.
- 7 " St. Padmanabham gam BA do.
- 8 " P. Chitaiya gam do.
- 9 " Rao Bahadur Venkataratnam gam do.
- 10 " B. Annaperajur gam do.
- 11 " M. Sivarayudu gam do.
- 12 " P. Venkatachela pati gam do.
- 13 " K. Veeraraghavulu Maide gam do.
- 14 " P. A. Rajajie gam do.
- 15 " B. Ramamurthy gam do.

1. Reconsidering the resolution of the Council about the replacement of one first class Hospital assistant by a third class one together with the amendment, that the Branch Dispensary be abolished and that the reduction in the contribution from provincial and local funds be met partly from the savings affected thereby, proposed by

Encl no 11
to letter no 1412
26/1/98

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18/1/98

M.R. By G. Venkataratnam gam.

Proposed by Mr. B. Chittaiya and Seconded
by Mr. B. Annaparasu that

Two first class Hospital assistants
be retained. One to be in the sub charge
of the Branch Dispensary and the other
to work in the main Hospital and that
the extra cost of Rs 300 be met from
the allotment under the medicines.

Mr. G. Venkataratnam proposes the following
amendment.

That the Branch Dispensary be abolished
and that the reduction in the contribution
from provincial and local funds be partly
met from the savings effected thereby.

Seconded by Mr. M. Somayajulu.

Proposed by Captain G. W. Wicks

That the Branch Dispensary be abolished
and that two first class Hospital assistants
be retained at the main dispensary with an
additional compounder and that the third
class Hospital assistant be done away with.

Seconded by Rao Bahadur P. Purnaiya

Pantulu gam and supported by Mr.
G. Venkataratnam who withdraws his
previous amendment in favour of this
amendment.

For the amendment.

Captain G. W. Wicks.

Rao Bahadur P. Purnaiya Pantulu gam

The Civil Surgeon.

G. Venkataratnam gam,
and the Chairman.

The other ten are against the amendment
and so it is lost.

For the original proposition.

Dewan Bahadur Venkataratnam gam

M. Sarvarayudu gam

P. Chittaiya gam

Rao Bahadur Venkataratnam gam.

B. Annaparasu gam

P. Venkatachalapathi gam

K. Veeravaghavulu Pantulu gam

P. A. Rajajie gam

K. Padmanabha gam,

The Civil Surgeon

B. Ramamurthy gam

Against it.

Captain G. W. Wicks.

Rao Bahadur P. Purnaiya Pantulu gam

G. Venkataratnam gam

The Chairman.

The proposition is carried.

(Sd) K. Purnaiya,

Chairman.

(True Extract)

Municipal Office

Cocanura 24th January

1898

[Signature]

Chairman

5/15/1946

Statement of Proposition for revision of Establishment.

Cocanada MUNICIPALITY.

Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	NATURE OF CHARGE.								PROPOSITION.		Grounds of proposition.
			Present Scale.				Proposed Scale.				Increase per month.	Decrease per month.	
			Number	Designation.	Pay.		Number	Designation.	Pay.				
Number	Date.				Minimum.	Maximum.			Minimum.	Maximum.	Amount.	Amount.	
713 M.	26/3/97	Grant III Medical Services Hospital Establishment.	2	Medical Subordinates at Rs 55 each	110		2	Medical Subordinates at Rs 55 each	110				
			1	do	25		1	do	25				
			2	Midwives at Rs 15 each	30		2	Midwives at Rs 15 each	30				
			1	Clerk	15		1	Clerk	15				
			3	Compounders at Rs 12 each	36		2	Compounders at Rs 12 each	24		3		This was explained in paras No 13 of my budget report for 1898-99.
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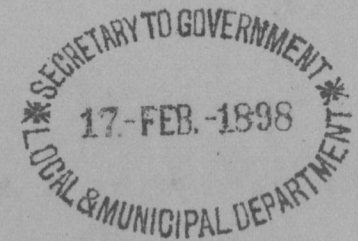
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Local & Munl. (1898) Department.

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From
Surgeon-General
C. Sibthorpe C.B. F.R.C.S.

Surgeon-General
with the Govt. of Madras.

No. 172

Dated the 16th February 98.

Received 17-2-98

Registered 17-2-98

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SUBJECT,

Forwarding with remarks,
certain correspondence received
from the Chairman Municipal
Council, Cocanada regarding the
reduction of 2nd class Hospital
Assistants at the main Hospital
and the proposed abolition of
the Branch Dispensary at Cocanada

Order

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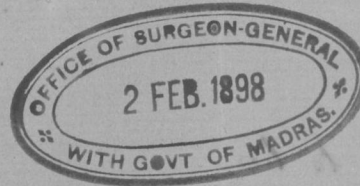
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Enclosure No. / to Letter No. / 72 / 6-2-98.

To

The Chairman
Municipal Council
Cocanada.



Sir

Under Sec 29 cl 2 we have the honour to request that you will be good enough to convene a special meeting of the Municipal Council for the purpose of reconsidering the resolution passed at the last budget meeting regarding the replacement of one 1st Class Hospital Assistant at the station by a 3rd Class officer. We think that in the interests of the public it is absolutely necessary that there should be two 1st Class Hospital Assistants, one to be in charge of the Branch dispensary and the other to work in the main hospital. The extra cost of Rs 360 involved in the proposal can, we consider, be easily met from the savings under medicines which, if economically managed, ought not to exceed Rs 2500/- as will be seen from the provision ordinarily made under this head in the budgets of other Municipalities. We further request that the special meeting may be convened early in January and that the fact of this requisition having been received by you

may be either mentioned in the budget report
or if that is not possible, reported to Government
and the Surgeon General by a special letter.

We have the honour to be

Sir

Your most obedient servants

(Signed) B. Ramanamurti.

(sd) P. Chittiah

(sd) Mutha Sivarajulu.

(sd) Badam Annaswamy

(sd) B. Venkataratnam.

(sd) P. Venkatachelopati.

(sd) P. A. Rajaguru.

(sd) Kakilaty Venarajulu Naidu.

(sd) Nalchoda Dada Patil.

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Cocanada 24th January 1898

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Chairman

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Enclosure No. 2 to Letter No. 172 16-1-98

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal
Council, Cocanada passed at its meeting held
on Wednesday, the 19th January 1898.

Present

1 M. R. Ry. K. Perajuguru, Chairman

2 " Row Bahadur P. Ponnappa
Puntulu guru En officio } Councillor

3 " Devar Bahadur B. Venkata
Rama Das Naiduguru B.A. } do.

4 Acting Civil Surgeon J. Lochlander. do

5 M. R. Ry. B. Venkataratnam guru. do.

6 " M. V. Somayajulu guru. do.

7 " N. Padmanabham B.A. do.

8 " P. Chittiah guru. do

9 " Row Bahadur B. Venkataratnam guru. do.

10 " B. Annaswamy guru. do.

11 " M. Sivarajulu guru. do

12 " P. Venkatachelopati guru do.

13 " B. Ramanamurti guru do.

1. Reconsidering the resolution of the Council
about the replacement of one first class Hospital
assistant by a third class one.

Proposed by Mr P. Chittiah that two first

Class Hospital assistants be retained, one to be in the sub-Charge of the Branch Dispensary and the other to work in the main Hospital and the extra cost of Rs 360/- be met from the allotment under medicines. Seconded by Mr B. Annaparaju.

Mr C. Venkataratnam proposes the following amendment, that the branch dispensary be abolished and that the reduction in the Contribution from provincial and Local Funds be partly met from the savings effected thereby.

Seconded by Mr M. V. Somayajulu.

Proposed by Dewan Bahadur S. Venkataramaswami Naidu Esq. B.A. B.L., that the meeting be adjourned to Monday next.

Seconded by Mr N. Padmanabham
Carried.

(Sd) K. Perajee

Chairman

(True extract)

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Cocanada 24th January 1898

K. Perajee
Chairman

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Enclosure No. 3 to Letter No. 72 d/16-2-98

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Cocanada, passed at its meeting held on Monday, the 24th January 1898.

Present

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|----|--|------------|
| 1 | M. R. Esq. K. Perajee Esq. | Chairman |
| 2 | " Row Bahadur P. Ponniah
Pantulu Esq. Es officio | Councillor |
| 3 | " Dewan Bahadur S. Venkataramaswami Naidu Esq. B.A. B.L. | do. |
| 4 | Acting Civil Surgeon J. Lynchlauder | do. |
| 5 | Captain C. W. Wickes | do. |
| 6 | M. R. Esq. C. Venkataratnam Esq. | do. |
| 7 | " N. Padmanabham Esq. B.L. | do. |
| 8 | " P. Chittiah Esq. | do. |
| 9 | " Row Bahadur B. Venkataratnam Esq. | do. |
| 10 | " B. Annaparaju Esq. | do. |
| 11 | " M. Sumanarayudu Esq. | do. |
| 12 | " P. Venkatasubrahmanyam Esq. | do. |
| 13 | " K. Venkatasubrahmanyam Naidu Esq. | do. |
| 14 | " P. A. Rajagopal Esq. | do. |
| 15 | " B. Ramamony Esq. | do. |

1. Reconsidering the resolution of the Council about the replacement of one first Class Hospital assistant by a third Class one

together with the amendment, that the Branch dispensary be abolished and that the reduction in the Contribution from provincial and local funds be partly met from the savings effected thereby, proposed by M. R. by C. Venkataratnam.

Proposed by Mr P. Chittiah and Seconded by Mr B. Annaparay that two first class Hospital assistants be retained, one to be in the sub-charge of the Branch dispensary and the other to work in the main Hospital and that the extra Cost of Rs 360 be met from the allotment under the medicines. Mr C. Venkataratnam proposes the following Amendment.

That the Branch dispensary be abolished and that the reduction in the Contribution from provincial and local funds be partly met from the savings effected thereby.

Seconded by Mr M. V. Somayajulu.

Proposed by Captain C. W. Wickes.

That the Branch dispensary be abolished and that two first class Hospital assistants be retained at the main Dispensary without additional Compounders and that the third Class Hospital assistant be done away with.

Seconded by Row Bahadur P. Soornayya Pantulu garo and supported by Mr C. Venkataratnam who withdraws his previous amendment in favour of this amendment.

For the amendment.

Captain C. W. Wickes

Row Bahadur P. Soornayya Pantulu garo

The Civil Surgeon

C. Venkataratnam gar.

and the Chairman.

The other ten are against the amendment and so it is lost.

For the original proposition.

Devan Bahadur S. Venkataratnam gar

M. Survarajulu gar

P. Chittiah gar

Row Bahadur B. Venkataratnam gar

B. Annaparay gar

P. Venkatachalapati gar

K. Venaraghavulu gar

P. A. Rajajew gar

N. Padmanabham gar

The Civil Surgeon

B. Ramamurti gar.

Against it.

Captain G. W. Weeks.

Roue Bahadur S. Soornayya Pundarikam.

G. Venkataratnam Esq.

The Chairman.

The proposition is Carried.

(Sd) K. Perappu

Chairman.

(True extract.)

Municipal office.

Cocanada 24th January 1898.

K. Perappu
Chairman.

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the Board opened the Dispensary for women and children in Letter No. 172 d/15.2.98.

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BRANCH DISPENSARY, COCOANADA.

The enclosed statement gives the particulars of the charges account of the main Hospital and the Branch Dispensary and the contributions received from Provincial and Local Funds towards the maintenance of the said institutions during the last three years. It is possible, however, to separate the cost of medicines incurred on account of the Branch. The establishment attached to the Branch including house rent costs the Municipal Council Rs. 936 per annum, as noted in the margin. To this may be added a sum of Rs. 600 on account of medicines supplied to the Branch and the total cost of the Branch may be put at Rs. 1500 per annum. The Council may remember that in connection with the Budget for the current year I brought forward a proposal for the abolition of the Branch Dispensary, in view to meet the anticipated reduction of the contribution from Local Funds. The proposal has, however, commend itself to the Council. I still adhere to my opinion that the only way of facing the present situation is by adopting my former proposal.

Res. G.O. No. 2063 L.Mis. dated 29th October 1897, the contribution of the Municipal Council on account of its Hospital out of Local Funds was reduced from Rs. 4000 to Rs. 2500 per annum, though the offer was to fix the same at Rs. 3500 for the current year and the following two years. The Provincial Government has decided to place one of the 1st class Hospitals at Cocanada by which it gives us a saving of Rs. 5000. This is to me one of that character. The main hospital and the dispensary must amply answer our requirements. The Branch dispensary is a luxury rather than a necessity. It would be a false economy to curtail the provision under medicines. Our aim ought to be to better equip the hospital. The addition of one more compounder to the existing staff will be necessary to give all compounders

Against it.

Enclosure No. 5 to

Board opened the Dispensary for women and children
the cost about Rs. 3000 per annum. Ninety per cent of
cost in this Dispensary belong to municipal population.
200 yards from the Branch Dispensary. The Main Hospital itself lies
at a distance of 4 furlongs from the Branch and I do not think that the
continuance of a separate Dispensary for serving the adult male popula-
of SurvaRow Peta and Fraser Peta is necessary. Only trivial complaints
are treated in the Branch. The District Board has also provided in
Budget for 1898-99 another Hospital Asst. on Rs. 30 per month to
assist the Lady Apothecary in charge of the Dispensary.

4. We should also take note of the fact that the Council may
called upon sooner or later to contribute a portion of the expenditure
incurred by the District Board on account of its dispensary under
Sec. 114 of the Act to the extent to which the inhabitants of the munici-
pality are benefited thereby.

5. There has, of late, been a material increase in the charges incur-
red by the Council under various heads. To cite an instance, the charges
which were not more than Rs. 2-0-0 in 1895-96 came up to Rs. 10-10-0 in 1896-97; while for 1897-98 we had to raise the Budget provision
on this account from Rs. 1640 to Rs. 4000. We have provided Rs. 1640 on
this head in the Budget for 1898-99, but I fear that the provision
be found altogether inadequate and the figure may go up to Rs. 4000
the current year.

6. With the large diminution in the Provincial and Local contributions
with the large increase in our expenditure under Grant III, with the
increasing demands of sanitation, our duty is plain and clear. We should
effect permanent reductions in our expenditure. No half-hearted measures
towards economy will avail us. The proposal to replace one of the 1st
class Hospital Assistants by a 3rd class man, though it gives us a saving
of Rs. 300 a year, seems to me one of that character. The Main
Hospital and the Board Dispensary must amply answer our requirements.

No Branch seems to me more a luxury than a necessity. It would be a
false economy to curtail the provision under medicines. Our aim should
be to better equip the hospital. The addition of one more compounder
to the existing staff is necessary to give all cases

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Enclosure No. 5 to Letter No. 17 d
 Statement of Expenditures
 maintained by the Municip.

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Cocanasa MUNICIPALITY.

Statement of Proposition Division of Establishment.

Statement of Proposition												
Sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	NATURE.				Proposed Scale.		PROPOSITION.		Grounds of proposition.	
			Present Scale.		Number	Designation.	Pay.		Increase per month.	Decrease per month.		
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713	26/3/97	Grant II Education	4	(1) Cocanada School Masters.	36	-	4	(1) Cocanada School Masters	36	✓		owing to an increase in the strength of the school the appointment of this teacher was necessary.
m		2 Municipal Schools (6) on the salary scale system.	4	(2) Sorriarapeta School Masters.	36	-	4	(2) Sorriarapeta School Masters	36	✓		
			4	(3) Old Cocanada Masters	36	-		(3) Old Cocanada Masters	14	✓		
			2	(4) Jagannayakapur Masters 1 @ 12, 1 @ 7, 1 @ 6	21	-	4	(4) Jagannayakapur Masters 1 @ 12, 1 @ 7, 1 @ 6	33	-	12	
			2	(5) Cocanada Mahanama Masters	15	-	2	(5) Cocanada Mahanama Masters	15	✓		
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Municipal office
Cocanasa 26/6/97
M. R. Acharya

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Chairman Delegate.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Cocanada,

passed at its Meeting held
on Saturday the

13th March 1897.

PRESENT:

Mrs. M. V. Somayajulu for Chairman
Delegate

G. W. Wicks Esquire Councillor

Mrs. G. Venkataratnam for do

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Read letter no 86 dated 10th February 97 from
the Inspector of Municipal schools, Bangalore
recommending an employment of an extra
teacher on Rs 8 in municipal salary scale
school gagananagar.

Read also letter no 12 dated 12th February 97
from the Head master of Municipal Lower

Secondary school jagannathpur stating
that the appointment of an extra teacher
in the primary school jagannathpur is
urgently needed.

A temporary teacher on a salary
of Rs 12 will be entertained from the 1st
April and the service of the present
teacher will be dispensed with from that
date.

M. V. Samayajulu

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Municipal office

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Application for allotment of Funds required by the Municipal Council of

for 1897-98

LOCAL & MUNICIPAL DEPT.
CITY OF COCOA, 25-32 N.

Particular work or purpose.	Major and minor heads in the budget.	Amount provided for the work or purpose in the budget.	Amount subsequently allotted or transferred.	Amount now required, and the source from which it is to be met.	Necessity for the allotment.	Reference to previous correspondence.
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Entertainment of a
Teacher for Duganmatta, Grant II
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for this application - 2140
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Chairman, Municipal Council.

Local & Munl. (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 2532 M

From
The Chairman Delegate
Municipal Council
Cocanada.

No. 424

Dated 26 June 1897

Received 12 JUL. 1897

Registered 12-7-1897

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SUBJECT.

Submitting proposition
Statement for the entertain-
ment of an ^{additional} teacher for Jagar-
maikapur Salary Result
School owing to an increase
in the strength of the school
and an application for the
required allotment of funds.

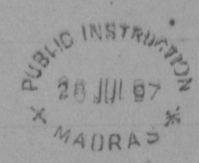
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Referred to the Director
of Public Instruction for favour
of remarks.

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Secretary to Government

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For Mr George
23 July 1897



The Director of Public Instn
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From M.R.Ry. K. PERRAJU Garu, Chairman, Municipal Council, Cocanada, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Head-quarters Deputy Collector and Collector, Górávari District), dated 20th December 1897, No. 1259.

I have the honour to submit herewith, for the approval of Government, the revised estimate for the current official year and the budget estimate of the next official year, as passed by the council at its meetings held on the 11th and 15th instant.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1897-98.

Receipts.

2. The total receipts for the current year, including the opening balance of Rupees 1,87,770, are now estimated at Rs. 3,97,820 against Rs. 3,84,520 entered in the budget. The increase of Rs. 13,300 is due to the variations in the several items as explained below:—

(1) *Opening Balance*.—The increase of Rs. 12,710 in the opening balance was explained in paragraph 121 of the Administration report for 1896-97 embodied in G.O., No. 2412 M., dated 2nd November 1897, as having been due to certain variations in receipts and expenditure of the past year.

(2) *Tax on Buildings*.—The collections under this head are now estimated at Rs. 23,000, including an arrear of Rs. 3,136-8-0 of previous year, showing an increase of Rs. 2,000 over the budget estimate of Rs. 21,000.

(3) *Tax on Lands*.—The increase of Rs. 200 was due to arrear collections under this head.

(4) *Tolls*.—An increase of Rs. 200 is expected under this head over Rs. 6,800 of the budget estimate, as the actual collections for eight months ending November 1897 amounted to Rs. 4,734-2-0.

(5) *Rent of Lands*.—The increase of Rs. 40 under this head is partly expected from the enhancement of the rate from 2 to 4 annas for the occupation of road margins and partly from sites leased out for wood-yards in Jagannaikpur.

(6) *Avenue Receipts*.—The increase of Rs. 210 under this head is mainly due to the sale of trees on sites in Ramakrishna Raopeta laid out for Toorpu people.

(7) *Sale-proceeds of Lands and Buildings*.—The receipts under this head now come up to Rs. 10,120 against Rs. 1,500 entered in the budget estimate, showing an increase of Rs. 8,620. This is due to the realization of Rs. 6,970 from Government on account of compensation for the old cart-stand site and of Rs. 1,650, being the sale-proceeds of sites on Foster road, of which Rs. 1,200 was already collected. The balance will also be collected before the close of the year and accordingly taken credit for.

(8) *Produce of Lands and Gardens*.—No English vegetables were grown in the garden as originally intended owing to unsuitability of the soil for them; the result is a decrease of Rs. 40 as compared with the budget estimate.

(9) *Conservancy Receipts, Sale-proceeds of Night-soil and Street Refuse*.—The increase of Rs. 10 was due, for the sake of a round figure, to the collection of Rupees 13-8-0 on account of sale of seasoned manure to private individuals.

(10) *Fees from Educational Institutions*.—An increase of Rs. 600 is expected under this head, with reference to the actuals up to November last. It is also in consonance with the estimate of the educational authorities owing to an increase in the strength of the schools.

(11) *Income from Markets*.—Owing to the departmental management of the Cocanada market, for want of adequate bids at the auction-sales, an increase of Rupees 1,300 is expected, based on the actuals for the last eight months.

(12) *Income from Slaughter-house*.—The slaughter-house was leased out for Rs. 900 for the current year against Rs. 500 entered in the budget estimate, showing an increase of Rs. 400 thereby.

(13) *Distrain and Warrant Fees*.—The increase of Rs. 10 under distraint and Rs. 40 under warrant fees is due to the adoption of coercive measures on a larger scale for the collection of taxes in arrear.

(14) *Grants and Contributions from Government—Municipal Schools*.—Credit is only taken now for Rs. 50 in round figure on account of grant for the gymnastic instructor at Rs. 4 per month. The decrease of Rs. 110 under this head occurred owing to the drawingmaster being ineligible for the grant. Besides, no grant is expected for girls in the municipal schools, of whom there are very few at present.

(15) *Medical*.—The grant under this head was reduced from Rs. 600 to Rupees 200 in round sum, agreeably to G.O., No. 543 L., dated 18th March 1897, being one-eighth of the pay of two first-class and one third-class hospital assistants in municipal service.

(16) *Contributions from Local Boards—Medical*.—Agreeably to G.O., Mis. No. 2093 M., dated 29th October 1897, the contribution was reduced from Rs. 4,000 to Rs. 3,500.

(17) *Contributions from Private Individuals for Water-supply*.—Rs. 13,333-5-4 was collected in 1896-97 from private individuals in part payment of their promised contributions on account of the water-supply scheme. This amount was accordingly deducted from Rs. 69,100 taken credit for in the budget and only the net amount of Rs. 55,770 entered in the revised estimate.

(18) *Fishery Rents*.—Rs. 20 was entered under this head, the actuals having been Rs. 13-5-9, which was not anticipated in the budget.

(19) *Refunds of Expenditure of previous years*.—Rs. 18-6-11 was recovered under this head on account of some miscellaneous charges incurred in previous years, and Rs. 20 was accordingly entered in the revised estimate for the sake of a round figure.

(20) *Advances*.—The increase of Rs. 1,300 is due to the adjustment of advances made last year.

Expenditure.

3. The total expenditure for the current year, excluding the closing balance of Rs. 2,830, is now estimated to amount to Rs. 3,94,990, against Rs. 3,82,350 entered in the budget, showing, therefore, an increase of Rs. 12,640, due to variations under the several grants as mentioned below.

4. *Grant 1, Public Works*.—The total expenditure under this grant is now estimated at Rs. 3,37,710 against Rs. 3,34,430 provided in the budget estimate. The increase of Rs. 3,280, which has thus resulted under this grant, is explained as follows:—

(1) *New Works—(a) Communications*.—The only increase of Rs. 470 under this head over the budget allotment of Rs. 3,850 is due to the provision made for the extension of the Gudimetla Vari Street. This street branches off from Church Square road and ends in a cluster of houses, chiefly occupied by Muhammadans. These houses were often destroyed by fire. The street is now intended to be joined to Narasimham road, thus providing an easy outlet and will considerably add to the convenience of the public. There are only two houses now intervening the main road and the street. There are no houses now on the sites for the acquisition of which the allotment is now made. The owners consented to part with the required site.

(b) *Buildings*.—Under this head the expenditure, as revised, amounts to Rs. 2,670 against Rs. 1,800 provided in the budget estimate. Since the Cocanada market was taken under departmental management in the current official year, some improvements had to be necessarily carried out at a cost of Rs. 870, which led to the increase under this head. This was sanctioned by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 2328 M., dated 27th October 1897.

(d) *Water-supply*.—As suggested by the Sanitary Commissioner in his inspection notes embodied in G.O., No. 289 M., dated 25th February 1897, one tube well for Ramakrishna Raopeta was purchased at a cost of Rs. 90 against Rs. 150 allotted in the budget estimate, resulting in a saving of Rs. 60. In addition to this, one masonry well in this peta and another in Fosterpeta were constructed and several potting wells in different parts of the town were also sunk at a cost of Rs. 500 owing to the scanty supply of water in hot weather. The cost of these wells with the saving effected in tube well lead to a net increase of Rs. 440 under this head.

(2) *Repairs*—(a) *Communications*.—The provision of Rs. 1,050 made for repairing the Rajah road was raised to Rs. 1,600, owing to an increase of about 400 yards in the length of the road to be repaired which was not intended originally.

(c) *Drainage*—(i) *Repairs to Works*.—Under this head there has been an increase of Rs. 500 over the budget allotment of Rs. 600. The provision of Rs. 300 made for cutting side drains was raised to Rs. 600, as the actual expenditure up to November last amounted to Rs. 520-2-5. This was incurred as side channels had to be dug in almost all the streets and lanes for speedy drainage of water in the rainy season when the rainfall was excessive.

An allotment of Rs. 500 is now made for opening the covered portion of the main sewer and for constructing a U-shaped drain instead as advised by the sanitary board, showing an increase of Rs. 200 over the original allotment of Rs. 300 in the budget.

(ii) *Establishment*.—The decrease of Rs. 30 under this item was due to the employment of a toty on Rs. 2-8-0 instead of Rs. 5 provided for.

(d) *Water-supply*—(1) *Repairs to Works, &c.*—The increase of Rs. 420 under this head occurred owing to an additional provision of Rs. 100 made for cleaning the tanks which already cost Rs. 160-15-0 and to an increase of Rs. 320 made in the allotment of supply channels, &c., owing to the closure of the Rajah's tank in connection with the water-supply scheme sanctioned in G.O., No. 146 M., dated 3rd February 1897, the tank adjoining it called the Ramakrishnaiya's tank had to be improved and converted into a fresh-water tank, and a supply channel had to be dug at a cost of Rs. 60. The bunds of the market tank were strengthened with earthwork at a cost of Rs. 40 to prevent the flow of surface drainage water. The Koovur fresh-water supply channel was also repaired at a cost of Rs. 100. In addition to the outlay of Rs. 200 incurred on these works, a sum of Rs. 120 is provided for works that may be found necessary to be executed before the close of the year.

(4) *Tools and Plant*.—There has been an increase of Rs. 60 under this head owing to the purchase of measuring tape, tracing cloth and other materials for the use of the public works maistry.

5. *Grant 2, Education*.—The expenditure estimated under this grant amounts to Rs. 6,050 against Rs. 5,890 in the budget. The increase of Rs. 160 is due to variations under the following items:—

(1) *Training Schools*—(b) *Stipends to Normal Students*.—The provision of Rs. 170 under this head was reduced by Rs. 40, as three teachers of primary or lower secondary grade only were sent for training instead of one matriculate and two primary or lower secondary grade teachers.

(2) *Municipal Schools*—(i) *Salary System*—(a) *Establishment*.—The increase of Rs. 80 in the establishment of the lower secondary school was due to an increase in the salaries of teachers sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 1852 M., dated 24th August 1897.

(ii) *On Salary-results System*—(a) *Fixed Payments*.—The increase of Rs. 140 under this head was due to the entertainment of the headmaster of the lower primary school on Rs. 12 per month in addition to the existing staff for reasons given in this office letter, No. 318-5-Eng., dated 21st May 1897.

(7) *Miscellaneous*—(c) *Common Drawingmaster*.—The decrease of Rs. 20 under this head was due to the resignation of the drawingmaster and to the delay of his successor in taking up the appointment.

6. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services*.—The total expenditure under this grant is estimated at Rs. 29,080 against Rs. 24,630. The increase of Rs. 4,450, which has thus resulted under this grant, is explained as follows:—

(3) *Vaccination*—(a) *Establishment*.—There has been a decrease of Rs. 40 under this head. The services of the calf watcher, shaver and grass-cutter were dispensed with since the district board opened a central vaccine depôt in the hospital compound in September 1897.

(5) *Conservancy*—(i) (a) *Establishment*.—The horse allowance of Rs. 12 each allowed to the sanitary inspector and overseer was withdrawn with effect from this month, and one certificated sanitary inspector was entertained on Rs. 20 per month temporarily. Two toties were entertained for temporary latrine in Fosterpeta sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2322 M., dated 27th October 1897, and Rs. 80 were provided on their account. These additional charges, with savings effected by the withdrawal of horse allowances and by fines and stoppages of pay among the members of the staff, resulted in a net increase of Rs. 10 under this head, which was accordingly provided for.

(ii) *Conservancy—Other Charges*.—The provision of Rs. 4,340 made under this head has been increased by Rs. 2,040. The Chakali tank in Jagannaikpur was closed at a cost of Rs. 2,280 against Rs. 1,500 allotted in the budget. An additional allotment of Rs. 780 had to be made for it. Rs. 1,260 was also provided on account of compensation of lands, &c., required for burial and burning grounds.

(b) *Private Scavenging Establishment*.—The increase of Rs. 320 under this head was due to the entertainment of additional establishment sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2322 M., dated 27th October 1897, and to the savings from fines and stoppages of pay among the toties, &c.

(ii) *Private Scavenging Contingencies*.—Agreeably to G.O., Mis. No. 724 M., dated 29th March 1897, the hire of bullocks, amounting to Rs. 240 employed for the cart used for removal of night-soil from private latrines is debited to conservancy contingencies and met from the allotment of Rs. 250 made for rubbish carts, only Rs. 10 is now provided for contingencies in this connection.

(c) *Cholera Charges*.—Under this head cholera and plague charges are estimated. The original provision of Rs. 1,640 made for cholera charges alone has been now raised to Rs. 4,000 in consequence of the prevalence of cholera till very recently and the precautionary measures taken in connection with the plague.

7. *Grant 4, Lighting and Miscellaneous*.—The budget allotment under this grant was Rs. 6,430, while the revised estimate amounts to Rs. 8,290, showing, therefore, an increase of Rs. 1,860, which is explained below:—

(2) *Markets*.—Since the Cocanada market was taken under departmental management from the beginning of the current official year, the necessary establishment had to be entertained and contingencies met, Rs. 460 and Rs. 200 having been, respectively, allotted for the purpose.

(9) *Other Charges*—(iv) *Compensation for Lands*.—Rs. 70 was added to the original allotment of Rs. 2,500 according to the estimate of the Revenue authorities.

(v) *Other Items*.—The expenditure under this head is now estimated at rupees 1,470 against Rs. 340 in the budget, showing an increase of Rs. 1,130. Under law charges, the original provision was only Rs. 55, but it is now raised to Rs. 710 on account of a suit brought against the municipality by the Neelam people for the recovery of a piece of land taken up for the canal road in Jagannaikpur. The suit was decreed in favour of the plaintiffs by the Sub-Court, Cocanada. The council

appealed to the High Court, and the appeal is still pending. An allotment of Rs. 470 was made on account of compensation for a barber's service inam taken up for Ramakrishna Raopeta.

8. *Grant 5, Supervision and Management.*—The variations under this grant result in a decrease of Rs. 420 and explained below:—

(a) *General Establishment*—(ii) *Inspection.*—A sum of Rs. 1,500 was provided in the budget estimate on account of the salary of the secretary at Rs. 125 per month, but it is now reduced to Rs. 780. This includes Rs. 180 already paid on account of the Chairman's carriage allowance at Rs. 20 per month, and a provision of Rs. 600 made for the salary of secretary, at Rs. 150 per month, for four months, from December.

(b) *Collection of Municipal Taxes*—(1) *Establishment.*—The increase of Rs. 190 under this head was due to the entertainment of two more bill-collectors sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2322 M., dated 27th October 1897.

(c) *Collection of Tolls*—(1) *Establishment.*—The increase of Rs. 60 over the budget allotment of Rs. 760 is due to the re-entertainment of the tolls establishment on No. 1 gate near the Simson lock, on a monthly cost of Rs. 25, from the beginning of the current month. Owing to the collapse of the Yeleru bridge, the gate was abolished in 1894. It is now reconstructed and open for traffic. This additional charge, minus savings under this head, led to a net increase of Rs. 60.

(d) *Office Contingencies.*—The allotment of Rs. 700 under this head has been raised to Rs. 750 owing to an increase of Rs. 5 in the rent of the office building. The increase having been sanctioned by the council with effect from 1st May 1897, it was accordingly estimated for ten months in the current official year.

Repayment of Debt.—The provision made under this head was reduced from Rs. 4,130 to Rs. 3,610, being balance of the first annual instalment of Rs. 7,040 on account of the water-works loan after deducting Rs. 3,430 on account of interest.

Interest.—An additional allotment of Rs. 3,430 was made under this head for payment of interest to Government on loan of Rs. 1,18,100 sanctioned by Government (G.O., No. 146 M., dated 3rd February 1897).

Refunds.—Rs. 400 was provided under this head on account of refunds sanctioned by the council of taxes collected in previous years.

Closing Balance.—The year is thus expected to close with a balance of Rs. 2,830 against Rs. 2,170 entered in the budget, due to variations as above explained.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1898-99.

Receipts.

9. The receipts for the ensuing official year, including the opening balance of Rs. 2,830, are estimated at Rs. 1,17,510 against Rs. 3,97,820 anticipated in the revised estimate for the current official year, showing, therefore, a decrease of rupees 2,80,310 as shown below:—

(1) *Opening Balance.*—Excluding the transactions of Rs. 1,85,540 connected with the water-supply scheme, there has been an increase of Rs. 600 in the opening balance as compared with the revised estimate. This variation has already been explained in the revised estimate and calls for no further remark here.

(2) *Tax on Buildings.*—In addition to the usual demand of Rs. 21,000 under house-tax, a sum of Rs. 500 more is budgeted as some petas will be brought under taxation from the next official year as sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 2460 M., dated 8th November 1897. The decrease of Rs. 1,500, as compared with the revised estimate, is due to the fact that arrear collections have been taken credit for.

(3) *Tax on Lands.*—The decrease of Rs. 200 under this head is owing to the exclusion of arrears from the budget.

(4) *Rent of Lands.*—An increase of Rs. 540 over the revised estimate of rupees 200 under this head is expected as the council resolved that occupation of road margins be charged at the rate of one anna per square yard per month instead of four annas per square yard per year as hitherto charged. This the council resolved

upon, as a sort of prohibitive assessment, to discourage the occupation of road margins, as observed by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 751 M., dated 3rd May 1895, and not as a source of revenue to the municipality.

(5) *Avenue Receipts.*—Credit is taken, as usual, for Rs. 50 under this item, excluding what was realized in the revised estimate by sale of trees in Ramakrishna Raopeta.

(6) *Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.*—Rs. 2,600 is expected under this head against Rs. 10,120 entered in the revised estimate, showing a decrease of Rs. 7,520. The expected receipts represent Rs. 1,000 to be collected on account of instalments due for sites in Ramakrishna Raopeta and Rs. 1,600, being the sale-proceeds of site on Foster road which the council resolved to dispose of for finding funds to acquire a piece of land for a night-soil depôt which is badly wanted here. Several sites on Foster road were sold since G.O., No. 568, Revenue, dated 30th April 1884.

(7) *Grants and Contribution from Government—Medical.*—Only Rs. 160, in round figure, is anticipated under this head against Rs. 200 in the current year, being one-eighth of the pay of one first-class and two third-class hospital assistants whom the council resolved to have in place of two first-class and one third-class hospital assistants as hitherto.

(8) (iii) *Other Purposes—Water-supply.*—Credit is taken for Rs. 52,110 on account of the balance of a moiety of grant to be contributed by Government on account of the water-supply scheme against Rs. 55,750 in the revised estimate.

(9) (b) *Contribution from Local Boards—Medical.*—This contribution will be reduced by Rs. 500 in the next year, agreeably to G.O., Mis. No. 2093 M., dated 29th October 1897, and only Rs. 3,000 is taken credit for.

(10) *Other Grants and Contributions.*—No contributions other than those which have already been taken credit for can be expected from private individuals in the next year; hence the decrease of Rs. 55,770 under this head as compared with the revised estimate.

(11) (7) (b) *Loans.*—No credit is taken under this head for the next year, as Rs. 25,230 was drawn from Government in the current year on account of the balance of loan sanctioned for the water-supply scheme.

(12) (d) *Advances.*—As no increase can be anticipated under this head, credit has not accordingly been taken for any amount in the budget.

10. *Expenditure.*—The total receipts, including the opening balance, having thus amounted to Rs. 1,17,510, Rs. 1,14,510 is allotted for expenditure under the several grants as noted below, leaving Rs. 3,000 as closing balance.

11. *Grant 1, Public Works.*—The estimated expenditure under this grant amounts to Rs. 62,200 against Rs. 3,37,710 in the revised estimate. Leaving out the transactions connected with the water-supply scheme, the allotment on public works will be Rs. 10,090 against Rs. 15,420. The details of the proposed expenditure are given in statement II-A. Some of the important proposals are, however, noted below:—

(1) *New Works*—(b) *Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 1,000 is provided for the construction of an iron latrine on Foster road in lieu of an old one which stood in bad repair.

(d) *Water-supply.*—The balance of grant, which is expected from Government on account of the water-supply scheme, will be set apart for expenditure on that work.

(2) *Repairs*—(a) *Communications.*—For general repairs to roads, an allotment of Rs. 5,680 is made against Rs. 4,600 in the revised estimate. As many of the important roads are in bad repair and require remetalling and regravelling, an increased provision has been made for their proper maintenance and upkeep. No provision is made for new roads as it is desirable that many of the existing roads, which are not metalled, stand in need of being remade or thoroughly repaired.

(b) *Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 400 is allotted for repairs and improvements to be made in the Cocanada market. Some of the hospital buildings need urgent repairs, and a provision of Rs. 1,000 is made for repairs recommended by the Surgeon-General and for construction of a syphilitic shed, the present thatched shed being in ruins, in

addition to the usual charges of Rs. 100. An allotment of Rs. 100 is also made for repairs of latrines. Thus the total expenditure proposed under this head amounts to Rs. 1,600.

(c) *Drainage*—(1) *Repairs to Works*.—The provision of Rs. 300 made under this head is intended to cover charges for cutting side drains in the rainy season.

(d) *Water-supply*—(1) *Repairs to Works*.—Rs. 400 is provided under this head on account of the usual repairs to channels and drains and for cleaning tanks in the hot weather.

(3) *Establishment*.—The increase of Rs. 180 proposed under this head is intended for the salary of a clerk on Rs. 15 per month to be re-entertained for keeping up the public works accounts and registers, &c. There used to be a clerk before, but his services were dispensed with from April 1895, as it was then thought by the council that his work could be done by one of the office clerks. Experience has shown that it is impossible for any of the office clerks, who are already overburdened with their legitimate duties, to attend to public works business as well, with any degree of satisfaction. The council is, therefore, unanimous in resolving that the re-entertainment of a clerk is quite necessary and solicit the special sanction of Government therefor.

12. *Grant 2, Education*.—The total expenditure under this grant is estimated at Rs. 6,230 against Rs. 6,050 of the revised estimate. The increase of Rs. 180, which is thus proposed under this grant, is explained as follows:—

(1) *Training Schools—Stipends to Normal Students*.—Rs. 190 is provided under this head for the training of three teachers—one matriculate and two primary or lower secondary grade men—and for the payment of stipends to the three teachers now under training.

(2) *Municipal Schools—On Salary System—Establishment*.—The salary of the Telugu teacher is proposed to be raised from Rs. 5 to Rs. 8, as none came forward for a salary of Rs. 5. The proposal of the council to entertain a Telugu teacher on Rs. 10 to work in both the lower secondary and primary schools was disallowed by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 1751 M., dated 9th August 1897. The additional charge thus proposed, together with the annual estimate of the increased salaries of teachers already sanctioned, instead of a portion in the current year, led to an increase of Rs. 90 under this head.

(a) *On Salary-result System—Fixed Payment*.—There has been an increase of only Rs. 10 under this head. This is due to the estimate of the salary of the headmaster of the Lower Primary school, Jagannaikpur, for the whole year, instead of for eleven months in the revised estimate.

(7) (c) Provision is made in the sum of Rs. 240 on account of the salary of the drawingmaster for the whole year at Rs. 20 per month. The savings, which resulted in the revised estimate, have been eliminated from calculation of the budget amount.

13. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services*.—An allotment of Rs. 24,640 is made under this grant against Rs. 29,080 in the revised estimate. The variations, amounting to Rs. 4,440, are explained in the following items:—

(1) *Hospitals and Dispensaries*.—The allotment of Rs. 8,260 in the revised estimate has been reduced to Rs. 7,700 in the budget.

(a) *Establishment*.—The contribution by the district board towards the maintenance of the medical institutions is reduced for the year from Rs. 4,000 to Rs. 3,000 (G.O., Mis. No. 2093 M., dated 29th October 1897). Repairs to the hospital buildings in the directions pointed out by the Surgeon-General and the Civil Surgeon are a necessity. Some retrenchment must be found in the hospital expenditure. The Civil Surgeon is of opinion that the branch dispensary may be dispensed with, but there is a difference of opinion on the subject, and the majority of the councillors did not agree to the proposal. There are at present two hospital assistants of the first-class and one of third-class. The council resolved to have one hospital assistant of first-class and two of the third-class, the Civil Surgeon agreeing to make the necessary arrangements so as to distribute work amongst them at the main hospital

and the branch dispensary. Generally trivial complaints are treated at the branch dispensary, and the Civil Surgeon promised to keep the first-class hospital assistant there when required. The women and children's dispensary in the town treats females and children, and I am informed that the district board sanctioned the entertainment of an hospital assistant to assist the lady apothecary. The entertainment of one first-class hospital assistant only in addition to two of third-class, agreeably to the suggestion of the Civil Surgeon, will meet the requirements of the town. *female*

The post of the European cook is abolished as one can be easily entertained when required as recommended by the Civil Surgeon. The salary of the compounder attached to the branch dispensary will be raised from Rs. 12 to Rs. 15 in accordance with G.O., No. 1677 L., dated 11th September 1888, as he will complete ten years' service on 27th June 1898. These changes result in a decrease of Rs. 360 shown under this head.

(b) *Medicines and Supplies*.—For reasons given above the allotment under this head has also been reduced from Rs. 3,000 to Rs. 2,800, the Civil Surgeon having consented to the proposed reduction.

(c) *Diet of Patients and (d) Contingencies*.—The provisions under these heads remain unaltered for the present.

(3) *Vaccination*—(a) *Establishment*.—Rs. 320 is provided under the head of vaccination establishment on account of the pay of one first-class and one probationary vaccinator, amounting to Rs. 26 per month. *men*

(b) *Contingencies*.—The allotment of Rs. 350 made in the revised estimate has been reduced to Rs. 240, showing a decrease of Rs. 110. It is mainly due to the stoppage of the inoculation of calves since the central vaccine depôt was started by the district board in the hospital compound. The provision now made under this head may, perhaps, result in a saving if the district board agree to the proposal of supplying the glycerine vaccine paste free of charge to the municipality in consideration of the district board having a portion of the hospital premises for vaccine depôt.

(5) *Conservancy*—(a) (i) *Establishment*.—The charges of the establishment, amounting to Rs. 7,090, are given in statement II-B. The important changes in the personnel of this establishment are that the present posts of the sanitary inspector and sanitary overseer will be abolished and the posts of certificated sanitary inspector and assistant sanitary inspector sanctioned. The salaries provided for these two officers will be Rs. 35 and Rs. 25, respectively. Each of them will also be allowed Rs. 15 extra on account of horse allowance. *3*

(ii) *Contingencies*.—In addition to the usual contingent charges coming under this head and amounting to Rs. 2,700, a sum of Rs. 1,600 is provided for the acquisition of a site for a night-soil depôt in Cocanada. The municipality has no night-soil depôt of its own. Several attempts were made before but given up for want of funds. At present there is only one night-soil depôt situated in a private land in a very remote corner of Jagannaikpur, subject to the conditions mentioned in the Administration report for 1894-95, embodied in G.O., No. 1660 M., dated 16th October 1895. There being no night-soil depôt in Cocanada, the night-soil had to be carted a long way off to Jagannaikpur, which is very often attended with unsatisfactory results. Further, the owner of the land has very often given trouble in respect of night-soil carted there. The position of the municipality to be at the will and pleasure of a private individual in regard to a night-soil depôt site, which is one of its prime wants, is very disagreeable. The council has accordingly provided funds for the acquisition of a site in Cocanada for the present. The acquisition of another site in Jagannaikpur will be considered later on as funds permit.

(b) *Private Scavenging*—(1) *Establishment*.—The charges of this establishment, amounting to Rs. 2,370, are given in statement II-B. The increase of Rs. 270, as compared with the revised estimate, is due to the additional establishment charges being calculated for the whole year instead of a portion in the current year. *3*

(c) *Cholera Charges*.—As usual, a provision of Rs. 1,640 is made under this head, agreeably to G.O., No. 1028 M., dated 26th June 1895.

14. *Grant 4, Lighting and Miscellaneous.*—The total expenditure under this grant is estimated at Rs. 6,300 against Rs. 8,290 in the revised estimate, showing a decrease of Rs. 1,990. The allotments made under many of the sub-heads remain unaltered, while the variations only occur under the following two items:—

(9) *Other Charges*—(iv) *Compensation for Lands.*—As the revised proposals of the council about the extension of Jagannaikpur were sanctioned by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 2682 M., dated 2nd December 1897, a block of land, measuring 15 acres and 14 cents, belonging to Masu, Sarvarayudu, and another, measuring 2 acres and 50 cents, in Koringa road, will have to be acquired. A provision of Rs. 1,700 is, therefore, made for compensation payable to the owners of these lands.

(v) *Other Items.*—A provision of Rs. 350 is made for miscellaneous items, such as rents for lands taken up by the municipality, law charges and the like.

15. *Grant 5, Supervision and Management.*—The expenditure budgeted under this grant amounts to Rs. 7,150 against Rs. 5,970 provided in the revised estimate. The increase of Rs. 1,180, which has thus resulted, is due to variations under the following items:—

(a) *General Establishment*—(ii) *Inspection.*—Rs. 1,800 is provided under this head on account of the salary of the secretary at Rs. 150 per month.

(c) *Collection of Tolls*—(i) *Establishment.*—The charges of the tolls establishment, as given in statement II-B, amount to Rs. 980 in round sum, which is accordingly provided in the budget. The increase of Rs. 160 over the revised estimate is mostly due to the entertainment of additional establishment on toll-gate No. 1 during the current official year.

Repayment of Debt and Interest.—Rs. 7,040 is provided towards the payment of the second instalment of the water works loan. This amount includes Rs. 3,940, principal, and Rs. 3,100, interest; an additional allotment of Rs. 950 is also made for payment of interest to the district board for the construction of the Yeluru bridge under the agreement sanctioned in G.O., Mis. No. 1377 M., dated 23rd August 1895. The interest is for the present calculated at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on the original estimate of Rupees 21,000, as the actual cost incurred has not yet been ascertained after the completion of the work which was completed recently.

Refunds.—No provision is made for refunds of other than current collections, as it is not likely that appeals of this year will lie over pending disposal in the next year.

Closing Balance.—The year is thus expected to close with a balance of Rupees 3,000 against Rs. 2,830 anticipated in the revised estimate, paragraph 10 *supra*.

16. Copies of council's resolutions sanctioning the revised estimate for the current official year and the budget estimate of the next official year are herewith submitted, together with the prescribed statements and proposition statements for the revision of establishments.

Dis. on Cur. No. 47-H. De.

Submitted to the Collector.

2. Sufficient provision does not appear to have been made for roads and lighting. There are some big streets which have no roads at all, and even the existing roads are in an exceedingly bad condition. In rainy weather, these so-called roads become hardly passable for man or beast. Much discontent seems to prevail among the residents in respect of roads and lighting.

3. I do not think it wise on the part of the council to dispense with a first-class hospital assistant in the main dispensary. All serious cases and operations are generally attended to in the main dispensary; and the females and children in the part of the town, in which the branch dispensary is located, go to the women and children's hospital for medical treatment. The ordinary cases, which are generally dealt with in the branch dispensary, can be handled by a second or third class hospital assistant.

I think a first class and, as such, an experienced hospital assistant is indispensably necessary for the main dispensary. The Civil Surgeon in charge of it cannot be as easily accessible to the ordinary public at all times as a native hospital assistant.

(Signed) P. PURNIAH,
Deputy Collector.

COCANADA,
8th January 1898.

Dis. No. 310-Rev.

Forwarded.

2. *Revised Estimate for 1897-98.*—Excluding the transactions connected with the water-supply scheme, the current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 73,300 and Rs. 73,700, respectively, against Rs. 59,380 and Rs. 60,060 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts occurs chiefly under the taxes on buildings and lands, tolls, avenue receipts, sale-proceeds of lands and buildings, fees from educational institutions, and income from markets and slaughter-houses, while that in the charges appears mainly under grants 1, 3 and 4. The collections under taxes include arrears of the previous year. These, as well as the expenditure under grant 1 during the first eight months of the year, were again unsatisfactory.

3. *Budget Estimate for 1898-99.*—The receipts are placed at Rs. 63,570 against the revised estimate of Rs. 73,300, the decrease being chiefly under the taxes on buildings and lands, sale-proceeds of lands and buildings, and contribution from local boards. The decrease under the taxes on buildings and lands is due to the exclusion of arrears.

4. *Charges.*—(1) The probable charges are put down at Rs. 62,200 against Rs. 72,700 in the revised estimate.

(2) *Grant 1.*—The allotment on public works, excluding the water-supply scheme, is only Rs. 10,090 against Rs. 15,420 in the revised estimate. A provision of Rs. 5,680 only has been made for repairs to roads, while the income from tolls is estimated at Rs. 7,000. Taking the admittedly bad condition of the roads into consideration, the provision is insufficient.

5. *Grant 3.*—It is well that the council has decided not to accept the District Surgeon's view that the branch dispensary may be dispensed with. The town is rapidly extending towards the north and the area that is being served by the branch dispensary, comprises five petas, viz., Frazerpetta, Suriarowpetta, Ramarowpetta, Ramakrishna Rao-peta and Reehupeta (a Panchama hamlet) which form the new portion of Cocanada and are in every respect as important as Cocanada proper. The branch is situated at a distance of about a mile from the main hospital, and the furthest portions of the new petas are nearly two miles from the main hospital. The branch is, therefore, situated at a convenient distance from the petas; and hence from eight to nine thousand patients seek relief there as shown below:—

1891	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,660
1892	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,631
1893	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,958
1894	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,652
1895	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,260
1896	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,859
1897	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,270

6. A large number of women and children—about 3,000—still resort to the branch, though the women and children's dispensary has been in existence for three years now. And though, as the latter institution grows in popularity, women and children must cease to seek relief in the branch, yet there is still a very large male population for whom the branch dispensary is essential. It would have been a pity, therefore, had the council decided to close it on the ground of inadequate funds, for the annual cost is only Rs. 936.

7. The council has, however, resolved to replace the first-class hospital assistant by a third-class man at the branch. I cannot commend the wisdom of the council in this respect for, while a paltry saving of Rs. 300 is thus effected in the pay of the hospital assistant, due consideration has not been given to the interests of the sick.

Few third-class hospital assistants of to-day are up to much independent work; and though no operations are performed at the branch the work is otherwise as responsible as at the main hospital, patients belonging to the petas, suffering from complicated and serious maladies, are believed to seek relief at the branch. Indeed, I should be surprised if this were not so, for those suffering from severe illness are just those least able or inclined to go a long way for treatment and naturally prefer to be treated as near their homes as possible.

8. A second-class hospital assistant will cost Rs. 120 per annum less than a first-class hospital assistant, but the latter gives the hospital the advantage of more knowledge and long experience out of proportion to the trifling saving.

9. I am distinctly of opinion that, both at the main hospital and at the branch, a first-class hospital assistant is needed. The doctor attends the hospital at specified hours and the care of the in-patients at the main hospital devolves on the hospital assistant who lives in the hospital premises. It cannot be too strongly insisted, therefore, that the hospital assistant at the main hospital should be a first-class man; and if the Government decide to allow only one first-class man for Cocanada, I would prefer to have him attached to the main hospital rather than to the branch.

10. My proposal to have a first-class hospital assistant at the main hospital and the branch involves an expenditure of Rs. 300 over the budget provision, but this can be met out of the provision for medicines, as I understand there is usually a balance of stock at the end of each year much over that amount in value.

11. I understand the council has reconsidered the matter and come to the conclusion that there should be two first-class men as above indicated, but their resolution has not been yet communicated to this office. It will be forwarded when received.

(Signed) V. A. BRODIE,
Collector.

25th January 1898.

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, 7th January 1898, No. 130.

Adverting to the budget estimate of the Cocanada Municipality for 1898-99, I have the honour to state that the provision made therein for education may be accepted with the following modifications:—

- (i) The fee receipts have, it seems to me, been estimated at rather a high figure; they may be fixed at Rs. 2,000.
- (ii) The council proposes to train three teachers—one upper secondary and two lower secondary or primary—assuming that both the latter will be of the lower secondary grade, the allotment for their stipends should be raised to Rs. 280—Rs. 120 for the upper secondary grade teacher, Rs. 144 for the two lower secondary men, and Rs. 16 approximately for payment of stipends to the teachers now under training. The credit taken on this account under grants from Government should correspondingly be raised to Rs. 170.
- (iii) A sum of Rs. 10 at least should be allotted for contingencies for the drawingmaster.

2. With these modifications, the net expenditure proposed under grant 2 is Rs. 4,110 (6,330—2,220), or nearly 9 per cent. of the estimated income from taxation, markets and rents.

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, 14th January 1898, No. 28.

I have the honour to state that the provision made in grant 3 of the budget estimate of the Cocanada Municipality for the year 1898-99 is sufficient.

2. For want of funds the municipality, with the Civil Surgeon's approval, proposes to have one hospital assistant of first-class and two of the third-class in room of two hospital assistants of the first-class and one third-class and to abolish the appointment of cook for Europeans as one can be entertained when required.

3. The following suggestions of the Civil Surgeon need to be provided for:—

Municipal Hospital.—(1) Asphalting the hospital floor, (2) a separate standard plan delivery and lying-in ward for four patients, (3) half-tiled glazed drains round the wards, (4) completion of compound wall, and (5) complete filling of the ditch in the hospital compound.

Branch Dispensary.—Standard plan, out-patient's dispensary, with proper arrangements for the separation of the sexes and quarters for the hospital assistant on the standard plan.

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, 26th January 1898, No. 131-S.

Referring to the Cocanada municipal budget for 1898-99, I have the honour to state that the proposed expenditure on conservancy is 25 per cent. of the estimated receipts, excluding the Provincial grant taken credit for in aid of the water works. The allotment for vaccination calls for no remarks.

2. Under grant 1, a provision of Rs. 1,000 is entered for the construction of a public latrine and Rs. 1,200 for carrying out other minor sanitary works. For the water-supply scheme, Rs. 52,110 are allotted.

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EMENT I Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town
 of *Colombia* during the official year 1898-99.

1	Estimate 1898-99.		Revised		Budget	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Estimate for 1897-98.	Estimate for 1897-98.	Estimate for 1897-98.	
	2	3	4	5	6	
	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
1. BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD—						
a. Municipal Fund ..	2830		2830		187770	175060
b. Endowments ..						
c. Water-tax Fund ..						
2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES—						
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..	7500		7500		7500	7152 2 0
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	21500		23000		21000	20752 8 2
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..	750		950		750	658 5 0
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75) ..						
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..	900		900		900	877 8 0
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..	1350		1350		1350	1391 12 0
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	1660		1660		1660	1722 ..
h. Tolls (section 91)—						
Gross receipts ..	7000		7000		6800	7306 8 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. ..						
vii. Evasion of tolls ..						
3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS—						
a. Pounds ..						
b. Ferry rents ..						
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..	50		50		50	45 ..
Carried forward ..			40710		42410	40010
						39905 11 2

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Statement I.—Revenues and Receipts of the Municipal Fund of the Town
of *Locanada* during the official year 1898-99—continued.

		Estimate 1898-99.		Revised		Budget		Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).			
		Details of Minor Heads.		Totals of Major Heads.		Estimate for 1897-98.		Estimate for 1897-98.			
1		2		3		4		5		6	
		RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
Brought forward ..				40,710		42,410		40,010		39,905	11 2
4. REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—											
a. i. Rent of lands ..		740				200		160		103	
ii. Rent of buildings ..											
iii. Avenue receipts ..		50				260		50		52	1 3
iv. Fees from Travellers' Bungalows ..											
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings ..		2600				10,120		1500		2,356	13 2
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c. ..		20				20		60		18	7 3
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c. ..		40				40		40			
c. Conservancy receipts—											
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c. ..		120				120		110		106	12 0
d. i. Fees from educational institutions ..		2,200				2,200		1,600		1,461	12 6
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions ..											
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines ..		970				970		970		564	11 7
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..		30				30		30		29	4 0
f. i. Income from markets ..		4,800				4,800		3,500		3,532	1 6
ii. „ slaughter-houses. ..		900				900		500		360	3 6
g. Other fees ..											
i. Distraint fees ..		40				40		30		20	12 0
ii. License fees ..		1,600				1,600		1,600		1,637	
iii. Cartstand fees ..		1,000				1,000		1,000		1,222	4 0
iv. Other fees ..		30				30		30		35	
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts. ..		400				400		400		916	6 7
i. Interest on investments											
i. General, including choultries ..											
ii. Educational ..											
iii. Medical ..											
j. Premium on loans ..				15,580							
Carried forward ..				56,290		65,180		51,590		52,342	4 6

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

1	Estimate 1898-99.		Revised		Budget		Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).		
	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Estimate for 1897-98.	Estimate for 1897-98.	Estimate for 1897-98.	Estimate for 1897-98.	(audited figures).		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		
	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	
Brought forward			56,290		65,180		51,590		52,342 4 6
5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS—									
a. From Government—									
i. Education—									
Normal stipends	100				100		100		24 0 0
Buildings									
Municipal Schools	50				50		160		50 3 5
Other purposes									
ii. Medical	160				200		600		600
iii. Other purposes—									
Communications									
Water-supply	52,110				55,750		55,750		79,340
Drainage									
Sanitation									
Other purposes (Rent Rent)	90				90		90		63 11 0
b. From Local Boards—									
i. Education									
ii. Medical	3,000				3,500		4,000		4,000
iii. Other purposes									
c. Other grants and contributions—									
i. Education									
ii. Medical									
iii. Other purposes			55,510		55,770		69,100		13,405 12 11
6. MISCELLANEOUS—									
a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—									
i. Private scavenging	2,700		2,700		2,700		2,700		2,800
ii. Other purposes									
b. Other items—									
i. Fishery rents	20				20				105 5 3
ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year	20				20				111 6 2
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c.	60				60		60		55 5 0
iv. Other items	80		180		80		80		81 10 4
Carried forward			114,680		183,520		184,230		152,979 10 7

STATEMENT II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town
of *Bocanada* for the official year 1897-99.

1	Estimate 1898-99.		Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.			
1	2	3	4	5	6
GRANT I—(Public Works)—					
1. NEW WORKS—					
a. Communications ..			4,320	3,850	3,011 9 11
b. Buildings ..	1,000		2,670	1,800	111 15 6
c. Drainage ..					
d. Water-supply ..	52,110		3,228 80	3,224 40	956 14 3
2. REPAIRS—					
a. Communications ..	5,680		4,600	4,050	8,935 15 9
b. Buildings ..	1,600		300	800	537 5 9
c. Drainage—					
i. Repairs to works ..	300		1,100	600	879 11 6
ii. Establishment for flushing drains, &c. ..			30	60	29 12 0
d. Water-supply—					
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c. ..	4,000		820	400	2,430 14 6
ii. Establishment ..	540		540	540	523 6 6
iii. Contingencies ..					
3. ESTABLISHMENT ..	420	8,520	240	240	240
4. TOOLS AND PLANT AND OTHER STORES.	50	50	110	50	96 5 6
5. CONTRIBUTIONS—					
a. To Local Boards for works ..	100	100	100	100	
b. To Provincial Funds for scrutiny of estimates, &c. ..					
c. To others for public works ..					
Total, Grant I ..		62,200	337,710	334,430	17,753 15 2
GRANT II—(Education)—					
1. TRAINING SCHOOLS—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Stipends to Normal students ..	190	190	130	170	92 14 0
2. MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS—					
i. On Salary System—					
a. Establishment ..	1,120		1,030	950	906 8 10
b. Contingencies ..	200		200	200	553 5 4
Carried forward ..		1,510	1,360	1,320	1,352 12 2

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

1	Estimate 1898-99.		Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.			
1	2	3	4	5	6
GRANT II—(Education)—cont.					
ii. On Salary-Results System—					
a. Fixed Payments ..	2,420		2,410	2,270	1,981 14 0
b. Result Grants ..	300		300	300	502 10 2
c. Contingencies ..	650		650	650	519 4 2
3. SALARY GRANTS ..		3,370			100
4. RESULTS GRANTS ..	450	450	450	450	286 2 0
5. COMBINED GRANTS—					
a. Fixed Payments ..					
b. Result Grants ..					
6. INSPECTION—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Municipal Inspectors—					
i. Establishment ..	300		300	300	297 0 0
ii. Contingencies ..	10		10	10	10 8 0
7. MISCELLANEOUS—					
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants ..	200	200	200	200	
b. Common gymnasium—					
i. Establishment ..	150	150	150	150	136 10 10
ii. Contingencies ..					
c. Common Drawing Master—					
i. Establishment ..	240	240	220	240	119 8 5
ii. Contingencies ..					
d. Other items ..					
Total, Grant II ..		6,230	6,050	5,890	5,506 5 9
GRANT III—(Sanitation and Medical Services).					
1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES—					
a. Establishment ..	2,900		3,260	3,260	3,225 10 9
b. Medicines and Supplies ..	2,800		3,000	3,000	2,509 2 0
c. Diet of Patients ..	1,200		1,200	1,200	994 15 9
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..	800		800	800	502 3 4
e. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
&c., &c., &c. ..					
Carried forward ..		7,700	8,260	8,260	7,231 15 10

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

Estimate 1898-99.			Revised			Budget			Actuals 1896-97 (audited figures).						
Details of Minor Heads.			Total of Major Heads.			Estimate for 1897-98.			Estimate for 1897-98.						
1			2			4			5			6			
Brought forward ..			RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	
GRANT III—Sanitation and Medical Services—cont.						7700			8260			8260			7231 15 10
2. a. CONTRIBUTIONS TO PROVINCIAL FUNDS FOR—															
i. Medical College ..			220						220			220			222
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..			150						150			150			177
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..			40						40			40			50
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..															
b. CONTRIBUTIONS TO LOCAL BOARDS, &c., FOR—						410									
i. Medical Schools ..															
ii. Reserve staff ..															
&c., &c., &c. ..															
c. OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS ..															
3. VACCINATION—															
a. Establishment ..			320						360			400			380 12 0
b. Contingencies ..			240						350			350			235 5 4
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..															
4. REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS—						560									
a. Establishment ..			290						290			290			288
b. Contingencies ..			20						20			20			7 13 10
5. CONSERVANCY, ROAD CLEANING AND ROAD WATERING—						310									
a. i. Establishment ..			7090						6650			6640			6108 15 5
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..			4300						6380			4340			4515 7 0
b. Private scavenging—															
i. Establishment ..			2370						2100			1780			1693 11 3
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. ..			10						10			250			24 14 10
c. Cholera charges ..			1640						4000			1640			1048 10 10
d. Contingencies ..			250						250			250			395 10 7
&c., &c., &c. ..						15660									
Total, Grant III ..						24,640			29,080			24,630			22,380 4 11

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

		Estimate 1898-99.		Revised Estimate for 1897-98.		Budget Estimate for 1897-98.		Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).	
		Details of Minor Heads.		Totals of Major Heads.					
1		2	3	4	5	6			
		RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
GRANT IV—(Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes).									
1. LIGHTING—									
	a. Establishment	500	✓		500		500	496	60
	b. Contingencies	1400			1400		1400	1067	99
2. i. MARKETS—									
	a. Establishment	460	✓		460				
	b. Contingencies	200			200				
ii. SLAUGHTER-HOUSES—									
	a. Establishment	100	✓		100		100	95	13 11
	b. Contingencies	10			10		10	6	8 4
3. CHOUTRIES—									
	a. Establishment								
	b. Contingencies								
	c. Feeding Travellers	300		300	300	300	300	300	
4. TRAVELLERS' BUNGALOWS—									
	a. Establishment								
	b. Contingencies								
5. AVENUES—									
	a. Establishment								
	b. Contingencies								
6. PUBLIC GARDEN—									
	a. Establishment	60	✓		60		60	15	
	b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..	10			10		10		12 0
7. SURVEY OF LAND									
8. FIRE—									
	a. Establishment	60	✓		60		60	55	
	b. Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c. ..	60			60		60	323	90
9. OTHER CHARGES—									
	i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging			120	190	190		394	51
Carried forward									
				3160	3160	2500		2410	11 0

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

1	Estimate 1898-99.		Revised		Budget		Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).			
	Details of Minor Heads.	Totals of Major Heads.	Estimate for 1897-98.	Estimate for 1897-98.	Estimate for 1897-98.	Estimate for 1897-98.	Estimate for 1897-98.	Estimate for 1897-98.		
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
Brought forward ..			3160		3160		2500		2410	110
GRANT IV—(Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes)—cont.										
9. OTHER CHARGES—cont.										
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes ..	100		100		100		100		104	114
iii. Printing ..	750		750		750		750		787	119
iv. Compensation for lands ..	1700		1700		2570		2500			
v. Other items ..	350		350		1470		340		586	61
Clock Tower Est.	120		120		120		120		117	68
Cartstand Est.	120		120		120		120		117	17
Peta Est.	3320		3140		5320		6120		107	56
Total, Grant IV ..			6300		8290		6430		4231	511
GRANT V—										
a. General Establishment—										
i. Office Establishment ..	1890		1890		1890		1890		1879	70
ii. Inspection ..	1800		1800		780		1500		2435	34
b. Collection of Municipal Taxes—										
i. Establishment ..	640		640		640		450		505	211
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. ..	400		400		400		400		365	010
c. Collection of Tolls—										
i. Establishment ..	980		980		820		760		751	62
ii. Contingencies ..	140		140		140		140		62	143
d. Office contingencies other than (b) (ii) ..	750		750		750		700		728	52
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments ..	550		550		550		550		330	
Total, Grant V ..			7150		5970		6390		7057	78
REPAYMENT OF DEBT—										
a. Instalments paid during the year.										
b. Invested on account of Sinking Fund (Value of securities pur- chased) ..	3940		3940		3610		4130			
c. Charges of investment ..										
INTEREST—										
a. On account of last year ..										
b. „ of current years.	4050		4050		3880		450			

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

Estimate 1898-99.		Revised		Budget		Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).			
Details of Minor Heads.		Totals of Major Heads.		Estimate for 1897-98.		Estimate for 1897-98.			
2		3		4		5		6	
1		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.	
Advances recoverable—									
a. Permanent								1298 ..	
b. Others				400 ..				2358 15 6	
Refunds of other than current collections ..									
Discount								72 ..	
Pensions and gratuities ..									
Investments—									
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund									
b. In Savings Bank				114,570		394,990		382,350	
Total Expenditure								606,386 11	
Balances—									
a. Municipal Fund		3000		3,000		2830		2,170	
b. Endowments									
c. Water-tax Fund									
Grand Total				117,570		397,820		384,520	
								248,427 9 11	

NOTE TO STATEMENT II.
on 31st March 189 ..

Position of the Municipality of		Assets.		Liabilities.	
		Rs.		Rs.	
Municipal Balance ..		Cash ..	..	Municipal Balance ..	
Deposit Balance ..		Securities ..	..	Deposit Balance ..	
Sinking Fund of loans ..		Cash ..	..	Sinking Fund of loans ..	
Funded Capital of endowed institutions, Hos- pitals, &c. ..		Securities ..	..	Funded Capital of endowed institutions, Hos- pitals, &c. ..	
Value of Premises, &c. ..		Total ..	..	Value of Premises, &c. ..	
Do. of Tools and plant ..		..	..	Do. of Tools and plant ..	
Do. of Live stock ..		..	..	Do. of Live stock ..	
Do. of Furniture ..		..	..	Do. of Furniture ..	
Arrears of taxes, &c. ..		..	..	Arrears of taxes, &c. ..	
Other assets (in detail) ..		..	..	Other assets (in detail) ..	
Total ..		..	..	Total ..	
Claims—		Advances Recoverable—		Claims—	
Permanent advance ..		Advances for works, &c. ..		Permanent advance ..	
Total ..		Total ..		Advances for works, &c. ..	

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Municipal Council
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STATEMENT II-A.—Details of Expenditure on Public Works.
PART I.—New Works.

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.	Expenditure in 1898-99.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6
(a)	Communications	RS.	RS.	A. P.	RS. A. P.
1					
2					
3					
	Total ..				
(b)	Buildings				
1	Construction of				
2	an iron latrine				
3	on Foster Road			1000	Estimate will be prepared before the work is taken up.
	Total ..			1000	

Statement II-A.—Details of Expenditure, &c.—*cont.*
PART I.—New Works.—*cont.*

Number	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.	Expenditure in 1898-99.	REMARKS.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	
		RS.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
(c)	Drainage					
1						
2						
3						

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PART II.—Repairs—*cont.*

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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	Cutting side							
2	drains	300						
3								

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Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments.

Number.	Salary per mensem.		Salary per annum.	
	2	3	4	
		RS.	A. P.	RS.
GRANT I.—2. c. DRAINAGE—				
Overseers	1			
Drain cleaners	1			
Total	2			
Deduct Fines and Stoppages				
Add arrears for last year paid this year				
Balance (Statement II)				
d. Water works—				
Overseers	9	45		540
Watchmen				
Total	9	45		540
Deduct Fines and Stoppages				
Add arrears for last year paid this year				
Balance (Statement II)				
3. GENERAL—				
Overseers	1	20		240
Maistries	1	15		180
Clerk				
Total	2	35		420
Deduct Fines and Stoppages				
Add arrears for last year paid this year				
Balance (Statement II)				

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

	Number	Salary per mensem.		Salary per annum.	
1	2	3		4	
		RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
GRANT II.—EDUCATION—					
1. TRAINING SCHOOLS—					
<i>For 8 months</i> Pupils receiving scholarships ..	1	10	-	80	-
<i>at Rs 5 each</i>	2	10	-	80	-
<i>For March & April at Rs 5 each</i>	3	15	-	30	-
Total ..	6	35	-	190	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					
Balance (Statement II) ..				190	-
2. MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS—					
a. On the Salary System—					
Head Master ..	1	30	-	360	-
1st Assistant Master ..	1	20	-	240	-
2nd " ..	1	18	-	216	-
3 " ..	1	12	-	144	-
4 " ..	1	8	-	96	-
Servant ..	1	5	-	60	-
Total ..	6	93	-	1116	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					
Balance (Statement II) ..				1120	-

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

	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS	A	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—EDUCATION—cont.							
b. On the Salary Result System—							
(1) Cocanada School	4	36	..	✓	432	..	..
Master 1@Rs 15, 1@Rs 8, 1@Rs 7 & 1@Rs 6.	4	36	..	✓	432	..	..
(2) Govindarao School	4	36	..	✓	432	..	..
(3) Old Cocanada School	2	14	..	✓	168	..	..
Master 1@Rs 8. & 1@Rs 6	2	14	..	✓	168	..	..
(4) Jagannayakapur School	4	33	..	✓	396	..	..
Master 1@Rs 12, 1@Rs 8, 1@Rs 7 & 1@Rs 6.	4	33	..	✓	396	..	..
(5) Cocanada Mahomedan School	2	15	..	✓	180	..	..
Master 1@Rs 8 & 1@Rs 7.	2	15	..	✓	180	..	..
(6) Jagannayakapur	2	15	..	✓	180	..	..
(7) Cocanada Night School	2	12	..	✓	144	..	..
Master 1@Rs 7 & 1@Rs 5	2	12	..	✓	144	..	..
(8) Jagannayakapur Night School	2	12	..	✓	144	..	..
Master 1@Rs 7 & 1@Rs 5	2	12	..	✓	144	..	..
(9) Panchama Day School	1	8	..	✓	96	..	..
1 @ Rs 8	1	8	..	✓	96	..	..
1 @ Rs 4	1	4	..	✓	48	..	..
(10) Panchama Night School	1	5	..	✓	60	..	..
Master	1	3	..	✓	36	..	..
Servant	1	4	80	✓	54	..	..
100	1	4	..	✓	48	..	..
Total ..	28	201	80	✓	2418	..	..
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					-	..	..
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-	..	..
Balance (Statement II) ..					2420	in round numbers	..

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

	Number.	Salary per mensem.		Salary per annum.	
1	2	3		4	
		RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.
GRANT II.—EDUCATION—cont.					
6. INSPECTION—					
Inspecting schoolmaster	1	25		300	
Total ..	1	25		300	
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					
Balance (Statement II) ..				300	
7. GYMNASIUM INSTRUCTORS					
1	12			144	
Total ..	1	12		144	
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					
Balance (Statement II) ..				150	
8. DRAWING MASTERS					
1	20			240	
Total ..	1	20		240	
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					
Balance (Statement II) ..				240	

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

	Number.	Salary per mensem.		Salary per annum.	
1	2	3	4		
		RS.	A. P.	RS.	A.
GRANT III.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—					
1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES—					
Medical Subordinates 1 st class. ..	1	55		660	✓
For March 98. ..	2	50		55	✓
2 nd class. .. at Rs 25. }	2	30		360	✓
Midwife .. one for 11 months at Rs 15. ..	2	15		180	
Clerk ..	1	15		171	
Compounder 1 @ Rs 12 for 3 months }	1	24		288	
Servants 1 @ Rs 15 - 9 months }	2	7		84	
Do at Rs 12 each ..	1	6		60	
Servant or Peon ..	1	6		72	
European cook for March ..	1	6		72	
Native Cook ..	1	5		60	
Ward Cooly ..	1	5		60	
Shed Cooly ..	1	5		60	
Waterman ..	1	5		60	
Ayah ..	1	5		60	
Doby ..	1	5		60	
Toly ..	1	5		60	
Sweeper ..	1	5		60	
Total .. 18 239 2895					
Deduct Fines and Stoppages .. -					
Add arrears for last year paid this year .. -					
Balance (Statement II) .. 2900					

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

	Number.	Salary per mensem.	Salary per annum.
1	2	3	4
GRANT III.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—cont.			
3. VACCINATION—			
Vaccinators	1	18	216
Peons Probationary	10	8	96
Total	2	26	312
Deduct Fines and Stoppages			
Add arrears for last year paid this year			
Balance (Statement II)			320
4. REGISTRATION—			
Registrars	1	10	120
Sub. do	1	7	84
Peons do	1	7	84
Total	3	24	288
Deduct Fines and Stoppages			
Add arrears for last year paid this year			
Balance (Statement II)			290

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

	Number.	Salary per mensem.	Salary per annum.
1	2	3	4
GRANT III.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—cont.			
5. a. "CONSERVANCY, ROAD-CLEANING AND ROAD-WATERING."—			
Sanitary Inspector	1	35	600
Nuisance Inspectors	1	15	480
Assistant Sanitary Inspector	1	25	516
Peons 1 @ 8 & 5 @ 7	6	43	1560
Pakha Latrine toties @ Rs. 5 each	26	130	
Maistries			
Scavengers	2	24	
Street Sweepers	1	7	
1 at Rs 6 = 6-00			
1 at Rs 5-8-0 = 5-8-0			
47 @ Rs 5-0-0 = 235-00			
49	49	246 80	2958
Temporary latrine toties each	14	70	840
Suby for night soil pits	1	5	60
Lascar on Ferry boat	1	6	72
Total	99	590 80	7086
Deduct Fines and Stoppages			
Add arrears for last year paid this year			
Balance (Statement II)			7090

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

	Number.	Salary per mensem.	Salary per annum.
1	2	3	4
GRANT III.—SANITATION AND MEDICAL SERVICES—cont.			
b. Private Scavenging—			
Inspectors			
Maistries <i>Peon at Rs. 6-8-0</i> ..	5	32 80	390 ..
Scavengers <i>at Rs. 5-</i> ..	33	165	1980 ..
Total ..	38	197 80	2370 ..
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			
Balance (Statement II) ..			2370 ..
GRANT IV.—LIGHTING AND MISCELLANEOUS MUNICIPAL PURPOSES—			
1. LIGHTING—			
<i>Masalchies</i> Superintendents <i>at Rs. 4-4-0</i> ..	9	38 40	459 ..
Masalchies .. <i>at Rs. 3-8-0</i> ..	1	3 80	42 ..
Total ..	10	41 120	501 ..
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			
Balance (Statement II) ..			500 ..

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

	Number.	Salary per mensem.	Salary per annum.
1	2	3	4
GRANT IV.—LIGHTING AND MISCELLANEOUS MUNICIPAL PURPOSES—cont.			
2. i. MARKETS—			
Superintendents	1	12	144 ..
Servants <i>Gumastah</i>	1	8	96 ..
<i>Peon</i>	1	7	84 ..
<i>Johy</i>	1	5	60 ..
Total ..	5	38	456 ..
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			460 in round figures
Balance (Statement II) ..			
ii. Slaughter-houses—			
Superintendents	2	8	96 ..
Servants			
Total ..	2	8	96 ..
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			100 in round figures
Balance (Statement II) ..			
3. CHOUTRIES—			
Servants			
Total ..			
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			
Balance (Statement II) ..			

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

	Number.	Salary per mensem.	Salary per annum.
1	2	3	4
GRANT V.—a. GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT—			
i. Office—			
Manager	1	50	600
Clerks	1	25	300
"	1	18	216
" .. <i>Shroff</i>	1	15	180
Accountants	1	30	360
Peons	1	7	84
<i>DO</i>	1	6	72
<i>DO</i>	1	6	72
Total ..	8	157	1884
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			-
Balance (Statement II) ..			1890 <i>in round figures</i>
ii. Inspection—			
<i>Secretary's</i> Chairman's salary or carriage allowance ..	1	150	1800
Total ..	1	150	1800
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			-
Balance (Statement II) ..			1800

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

	Number.	Salary per mensem.	Salary per annum.
1	2	3	4
GRANT V.—a. GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT—cont.			
b. Collection—			
Clerks			
Bill Collectors	2	20	240
Peons <i>DO</i>	1	9	108
<i>DO</i> <i>at Rs 8 Each</i>	3	24	288
Total ..	6	53	636
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			-
Balance (Statement II) ..			640 <i>in round figures</i>
c. Collection of tolls—			
Inspectors			
Gate-keepers <i>No I Gate</i>			
<i>1 at Rs 8. 10 at Rs 7. 2 @ 5 Each</i>	4	25	300
<i>No II Gate</i> <i>DO</i> <i>DO</i>	4	25	300
<i>III Gate</i> <i>clerk</i>	1	7	84
<i>IV Gate</i> <i>same as of No I Gate</i>	4	25	300
Total ..	13	82	984
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			-
Balance (Statement II) ..			980 <i>in round figures</i>

STATEMENT IV-A.—Municipality of *Locanada* Dema

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 column 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.	
Tax on arts, &c.	8,500		1,000		7,500		7,500						
Tax on buildings	22,000		500		21,500		21,500						
Tax on lands	1,800		50		1,750		750						
Water-tax on buildings and lands													
Tolls (gross receipts)	7,000				7,000		7,000						
Market rents	4,800				4,800		4,800						
Slaughter-house fees	900				900		900						
Rent of cart-stands	1,000				1,000		1,000						
Private scavenging fees	2,700				2,700		2,700						
	90				90		90						
<i>o Duit rent</i>													
Total	47,790		1,550		46,240		46,240						

STATEMENT IV-B.—Arrears.

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STATEMENT VI.—Revised Estimate for 1897-98.

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

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Items.	1		2		3		4		5		6		Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	
1. BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD—													
a. Municipal Fund ..	187,770								187,770		175,060		
b. Endowments ..													
c. Water-tax Fund ..													
2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES—													
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..	4,132		1366	20	3368	00	7500		7500				
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	13,261	150	11,982	02	9,738	10	23,000		21,000				
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..	675	06	377	70	274	15	950		750				
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75) ..													
e. Tax on vehicles with spirings and palanquins (section 77) ..	652		178	80	248		900		900				
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..	1,130	40	161	120	219	120	1,350		1,350				
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	1,385		80		275		1,660		1,660				
h. Tolls (section 91)—													
Gross receipts ..	4,734	20	2,521	40	2,265	14	7,000		6,800				
Less Local Fund share ..													

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3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS—													
a. Pounds ..													
b. Ferry rents ..													
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..													
4. REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—													
a. i. Rent of lands ..	66	80	47	40	133	80	200		160				
ii. Rent of buildings ..													
iii. Avenue receipts ..	200	19	29	20	59	14	260		250				
iv. Fees from Travellers' Bungalows ..													
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings ..	83	12	50	97	132	180	711	10	10,120		1500		
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c. ..	10	16	79	6	9	46	20		60				
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c. ..	27	83							40		40		
Carried forward ..	34,586	140	16,823	1310	18,463	20	53,050		41,820				

i. Penalties on account of—

- Tax on arts
- Tax on buildings
- Tax on lands
- Water-tax on buildings and lands
- Tax on vehicles, &c
- Tax on animals
- Tax on carts, &c.
- Evasion of tolls

3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS—

- Pounds
- Ferry rents
- Fees under Act II of 1888

4. REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—

- Rent of lands
 - Rent of buildings
 - Avenue receipts
 - Fees from Travellers' Bungalows
- Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings
 - Produce of lands, gardens, &c.
 - Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c.

Carried forward ..

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

Items.	2		3		4		5		6		7
	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	
Brought forward ..	34,586	140	16,823	1310	18,463	20	53,050	20	41,820	20	
4. REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS AFAR FROM TAXATION—cont.											
c. Conservancy receipts—											
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c. ..	13	80	106	120	106	80	120	80	110	80	
d. i. Fees from educational institutions ..	1592	143	593	106	607	19	2200	19	1600	19	
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions ..	571	74	138	46	398	88	970	88	970	88	
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines ..	5	20	20	25	25	30	30	30	30	30	
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..	3,427	554	1,048	122	1,372	106	4,800	12	3,500	12	
f. i. Income from markets ..	525	12	120	36	375	12	900	12	500	12	
ii. " slaughter-houses.											
g. Other fees ..											
i. Distraint fees ..	33	110	40	60	60	40	40	60	30	60	
ii. License fees ..	1,124	10	122	120	476	1600	1600	1600	1600	1600	
iii. Cartstand fees ..	686	106	432	313	56	1000	1000	1000	30	1000	
iv. Other fees ..	27	80	20	20	20	30	30	30	30	30	
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts ..	76	120	342	16	323	40	400	40	400	40	

i. Interest on investments—											
i. General, including schools ..											
ii. Educational ..											
iii. Medical ..											
j. Premium on loans ..											
5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS—											
a. From Government—											
i. Education—											
Normal stipends ..	28	41	71	111	100	100	100	100	100	100	
Buildings ..											
Municipal Schools ..			44	56	50	50	50	50	160	160	
Other purposes ..											
ii. Medical ..					200	200	200	200	600	600	
iii. Other purposes—											
Communications ..											
Water-supply ..	55,750	79,340	55,750	55,750	55,750	55,750	55,750	55,750	55,750	55,750	
Drainage ..											
Sanitation ..											
Other purposes ..	43	10	43	40	46	150	90	90	90	90	
6. From Local Boards—											
i. Education ..											
ii. Medical ..					3500	3500	3500	3500	4000	4000	
iii. Other purposes ..											
Carried forward ..	98,497	97 1/2	99,199	156	263	72	641	24,870	112,290	112,290	

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			
Brought forward ..	98,497 97 1/2	99,199 15 6	26,372 64 1/2	124,870 1/2	112,290					
5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS—cont.										
c. Other grants and contributions—										
i. Education ..										
ii. Medical ..										
iii. Other purposes ..	1,000	13,333 5 4	34,770	53,770	69,100					
6. MISCELLANEOUS—										
a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—										
i. Private scavenging ..	136,140	105,340	133,820	27,000	2,700					
ii. Other purposes ..										
b. Other items—										
i. Fishery rents ..	13,579		6,103	20						
ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year ..	52,186 11 1/2	55,522	19,150	20						
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &	42,110	3,400	17,500	60	60					
iv. Other items ..	33,300	26,144	46,130	80	80					
7. EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT—										
a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.										
b. Loans—										
i. From Government ..	25,230	92,870	25,230	25,230	25,230					
ii. In the market from private individuals ..										
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans.										
d. Advances—										
i. Permanent ..										
ii. Others ..										
Total Receipts ..	12,61,97	2,31,206,605	6,83,852	13,81,210,950	2,09,460					
Grand Total ..	313,967	2,31,206,605	6,83,852	13,81,397,820	3,84,520					

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

Items.	1		2		3		4		5		6		Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments.		
GRANT I—(Public Works)—													
1. NEW WORKS—													
a. Communications	..	2239	144	1643	1410	2080	18	4320	..	3850			
b. Buildings	..	1375	19	97	16	1294	143	2670	..	1800			
c. Drainage	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
d. Water-supply	..	384	0	11	122	733	2249	515	1322	880	322	440	
2. REPAIRS—													
a. Communications	..	2091	158	2315	107	2508	04	4600	..	4050			
b. Buildings	..	44	90	281	63	1325	57	0	13300	..	300		
c. Drainage—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
i. Repairs to works	..	520	25	136	510	579	137	1100	..	600			
ii. Establishment for flushing drains, &c.	..	20	0	12	68	10	..	30	..	60			
d. Water-supply—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c.	..	788	89	98	210	31	73	820	..	400			
ii. Establishment	..	339	105	183	35	200	57	540	..	540			
iii. Contingencies	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
3. ESTABLISHMENT	..	160	..	80	..	80	..	240	..	240			
4. TOOLS AND PLANT AND OTHER STORES.	..	99	140	96	56	10	20	110	..	50			

5. CONTRIBUTIONS—																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
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Items	Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98.		Actuals of the last four months of 1897-98.		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.
	U.S.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	
1	2		3		4		5		6		7
Brought forward ..	1,781	33	2,264	44	3,388	129	5,170		4,990		
GRANT II—(Education)—cont.											
b. Municipal Inspectors—											
i. Establishment ..	150		97		150		300		300		
ii. Contingencies ..	1	8	8	8	8	8	10		10		
7. MISCELLANEOUS—											
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants ..					200		200		200		
b. Common gymnasium—											
i. Establishment ..	960		44	1210	54		150		150		
ii. Contingencies ..											
c. Drawing Est. ..	132		59	85	88		220		240		
d. Other items ..											
Total, Grant II ..	2,160	113	2,474	17	3,889	49	6,050		5,890		

GRANT III—(Sanitation and Medical Services.)

1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES—												
a. Establishment ..	2,178	114	1,071	68	1,081	48	3,260		3,260			
b. Medicines and Supplies ..	2,246	88	792	116	753	74	3,000		3,000			
c. Diet of Patients ..	915	115	523	152	284	47	1,200		1,200			
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..	599	44	260	25	200	118	800		800			
e. Contributions to Local Boards ..												
2. a. CONTRIBUTIONS TO PROVINCIAL FUNDS FOR—												
i. Medical College ..			222		220		220		220			
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..			177		150		150		150			
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..			50		40		40		40			
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..												
b. CONTRIBUTIONS TO LOCAL BOARDS, &c., FOR—												
i. Medical Schools ..												
ii. Reserve staff ..												
c. OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS ..												
3. VACCINATIONS—												
a. Establishment ..	251	14	11	136		108	1	360		400		
b. Contingencies ..	174	2	4	31	151	175	138	350		350		
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..												
Carried forward ..	6,366	5	3,265	210	3,013	110	9,380		9,420			

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

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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.
	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	
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Brought forward ..	6,366	50	32,65	210	3013	110	9,380		9,420		
GRANT III—Sanitation and Medical Services—cont.											
4. REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS—											
a. Establishment ..	193	110	96		9650		290		290		
b. Contingencies ..			7	1310	20		20		20		
5. CONSERVANCY, ROAD CLEANING AND ROAD WATERING—											
a. i. Establishment ..	4,55	124	2,116	111	2,494	38	6,650		6,640		
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	4,183	83	812	108	2,196	79	6,380		4,340		
b. Private scavenging—											
i. Establishment ..	1,318	49	5,75	910	781	43	2,100		1,780		
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. ..	12	130	23	150	38	30	110		250		
c. Cholera charges ..	1,919	1511	209	75	2,080	1	4,000		1,640		
d. Contingencies ..	3110		200	09	239		250		250		
Total, Grant III ..	18,150	63	7,287	75	10,929	99	29,080		24,630		

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GRANT IV—(Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes)—

1. LIGHTING—											
a. Establishment ..	330	120	173	130	169	40	500		500		
b. Contingencies ..	749	65	232	129	650	97	1,400		1,400		
2. i. MARKETS—											
a. Establishment ..	285	127			174	35	460		530		
b. Contingencies ..	145	85	50		54	77	200		150		
ii. SLAUGHTER-HOUSES—											
a. Establishment ..	56		32		44		100		100		
b. Contingencies ..	3	60	2	94	6	100	10		10		
3. CHOUTRIES—											
a. Establishment ..											
b. Contingencies ..											
c. Feeding Travellers ..	150		100		150		300		300		
4. TRAVELLERS' BUNGALOWS—											
a. Establishment ..											
b. Contingencies ..											
5. AVENUES—											
a. Establishment ..											
b. Contingencies ..											
6. PUBLIC GARDEN—											
a. Establishment ..	40		15		20		60		60		
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..	808				1	154	10		10		
Carried forward ..	1768	141	606	31	1271	111	3040		2380		

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.
	RS.	A. P.		RS.	A. P.		RS.	A. P.		RS.	A. P.		RS.	A. P.		
1		2	3	4	5	6	7									
Brought forward ..	1768	141	606	31	1271	111	3040	2	9380							
GRANT IV—(Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes)—cont.																
7. SURVEY OF LAND ..																
8. FIRE—																
a. Establishment ..	15		55		45		60		60							
b. Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c. ..	690		1410		5370		60		60							
9. OTHER CHARGES—																
i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging ..																
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes ..	47	60			52	10	100		100							
iii. Printing ..	303	710	374	41	446	82	750		750							
iv. Compensation for lands ..					2570		2570		2570							
v. Other items ..	5741	59	420	94	928	103	1470		340							
III. Block town Est	80		37	68	40		120		120							
III. Bartland Est	80		37	68	40		120		120							
III. Peta Est			53	25												
Total, Grant IV ..	2842	108	1598	52	5447	54	8290		6430							

PART V—									
a. General Establishment—									
i. Office Establishment	1252	1210	628	32	637	32	1890	1890	
ii. Inspection	177	139	726	67	602	23	780	1500	
b. Collection of Municipal Taxes—									
i. Establishment	326	123	189	13	313	39	640	450	
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c.	35	140	222	10	364	2	400	400	
c. Collection of Tolls—									
i. Establishment	479	1311	250	154	340	21	820	760	
ii. Contingencies	99	82	8	69	40	710	140	140	
d. Office contingencies other than (b) (ii)	574	17	311	148	235	145	750	700	
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments			70		550		550	550	
Total, Grant V	2886	126	2407	910	3083	36	5970	6390	
REPAYMENT OF DEBT—									
a. Instalments paid during the year.					3610		3610	4130	
b. Invested on account of Sinking Fund (value of securities purchased)								3380	
c. Charges of investment									
INTEREST—									
a. On account of last year									
b. " of current year	1167	1311			2712	21	3880	450	

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 1897-98		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.
	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.		
1	2	3	4	5	6					
Advances recoverable—										
a. Permanent										
b. Others										
Refunds of other than current collections.	232	611	1073	20	167	91	400			
Discount										
Pensions and gratuities										
Investments—										
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund										
b. In Saving Bank										
Total Expenditure	35504	109	21205	108	359485	53	394990		382350	
Balances—										
a. Municipal Fund			187769	30	2830		2830		2170	
b. Endowments										
c. Water-tax Fund										
Grand Total	35504	109	208974	138	362315	53	397820		384520	

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

(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.
	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.	RS.	A. P.		
1	Entries as per Statement II wherever there is alteration							
Grant I New Works - Commencement								
1 Extension of Gudmeh Khasari Street			470				470	Councils resolution No. 13 dated 4-9-97
2 N. Buildings - Construction of Market garden			880				880	SV. No. 194-97 P.O. No. 25328h. 27-10-97
3 SV. 00 Glanpher horse			300				300	No. 2 d/ 26-4-97
4 N. Water supply - 00 wells.			180				180	No. 6 d/ 26-4-97
5 R. Buildings. Repairs to Stable at Hospital			190				190	No. 11. d/ 18-8-97
6 R. Drainage - Cutting side drains	300		100				400	23 d/ 18-9-97
7 R. Water supply - Repair to Channel, &c.	300		250				550	23 d/ 00.
8 00 Surging Band of Tank.			170				170	32 d/ 24-7-97
9 00 - Supply Channel repair			110				110	4 d/ 18-8-97
10 00 Cleaning tanks	100		100				200	23 d/ 18-9-97
11 00 Est. Tank watchers	540		20				560	G.O. No. 1755-96. Ins: d/ 9-8-97
12 Tools and plant and Contingent	50		60				110	Councils resolution No. 11 d/ 3-7-97
13 Grant II - Salary Schools Est.	950		90				1040	G.O. No. 1852 dated 24-8-97
14 Entertainment of a teacher in Salary School	2270		150				2420	Council resolution No. 3 d/ 13-3-97 re application of 26-9-97
15 Grant III 00. of 12 Temporary labourers	6640		90				6730	G.O. No. 2322 Ins: d/ 27-10-97
16 00. Conservancy other Charv.								
							14,310	
							3160	
							11150	
								Compensation for Total carried over

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(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
Compensation for lands for Burial grounds.	11,150	3,160		14,310	
Closing Chakala Tank.	4,340	1,260		6,380	Councils resolution No. 1 of 26-4-97 Rs. 460.
Private Seakemy Est.	1,780	780		2,280	G.O. No. 20948. Ins: d/24-9-97 Rs. 600
Grant II in art. Est. Establishment	-	500		500	Councils resolution No. 17 of 18-8-97 Rs. 200
Grant III Contingencies	2,500	200		2,000	G.O. No. 2328. Ins: d/27-10-97 Rs. 780.
Law Charges.	340	240		580	G.O. No. 1715. Ins: d/4-8-97
Maintenance of Water Sheds	-	300		300	Councils resolution No. 23 d/18-9-97
Compensation for Barbers in air for path	-	90		90	do. No. 8 d/3-5-97
Grant IV. Entertainment of 2 Bull Collection	450	470		470	Councils do. 34 d/24-7-97
Grant V. Increase of office house rent.	700	160		610	do. No. 10 d/1-5-97.
Grant VI. Entertainment of public Est.	-	50		750	do. No. 40 d/4-9-97
Grant VII. Maintenance of Waterworks loan.	-	10		10	G.O. No. 2322. Ins: d/27-10-97.
	-	1170		1170	Councils resolution No. 11 d/29-5-97
	-	-		-	G.O. No. 1755. Ins: d/9-8-97
	-	-		-	G.O. No. 2094. Ins: d/24-9-97
Total	21,260	8,960		30,220	

Deposited:
Chapman

Manakal Office December 1897 }

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acc No 21.1297

I. Funds required by the Municipal Council of

Particular work or purpose.	Major and minor heads in the budget.	Amount provided for the work or purpose in the budget.	Amount subsequently allotted or transferred.	Amount now required, and the source from which it is to be met.	Necessity for the allotment.	Reference to previous correspondence.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Interest on account of water works loan to Government	Interest	-	1170	2260 from closing Balance	Given in para 8 of the Revised estimate for 1897-98.	
		-	1170	2260	Note Closing balance as per Revised estimate for 1897-98 is Rs. 2830- after making provision for this allotment.	

$$\begin{array}{r} 460. \\ 600 \\ \hline 200 \\ \hline 1260 \end{array}$$

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acc No 21-1291

I.
Application for allotment of Funds required by the Municipal Council of *Locanda*.

Particular work or purpose.	Major and minor heads in the budget.	Amount provided for the work or purpose in the budget.	Amount subsequently allotted or transferred.	Amount now required, and the source from which it is to be met.	Necessity for the allotment.	Reference to previous correspondence.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Cholera Charge	Plant III Concurrence Cholera Charge	1640		2360 from closing balance	Given in para 6 (5) c of the Revised Estimate for 1897-98	
			Note.	Closing balance as per Revised Estimate for 97-98 is Rs. 2830/- after making provision for this allotment.		

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Particular work or purpose.	Major and minor heads in the budget.	Amount provided for the work or purpose in the budget.	Amount subsequently allotted or transferred.	Amount required, and source from which it is to be met.	Necessity for the amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6
Repairs to Rajah Road.	Grant I.R. Com- muni- ties	Rs. 1050	Rs.	Rs.	
				550 closing balance.	
					Given in para 4-2(a) of the revised estimate for 97-98
					Note closing balance as per Revised estimate for 97-98 is Rs. 2830. after making provision for

Extract from The Proceedings of The Municipal Council, Coimbatore, passed at its meeting held on Saturday, the 6th November 1897 at 7 a. m.

Present

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| 1. Mr R. K. Benaji gam | Chairman |
| 2. " Dewan Bahadur S. Venkatarao | { Council |
| Dadu Naidu gam B.A., B.L. | |
| 3. Captain G. W. Wicks | do. |
| 4. Akhoda Bada Sahib gam | do. |
| 5. Mr R. K. Venkatarao gam | do. |
| 6. " Mr. Somajulu gam | do. |
| 7. " Mr. Padma Nallam gam B.A., | do. |
| 8. " Mr. Chikaiya gam | do. |
| 9. " Rao Bahadur Venkata Ratnam gam | do. |
| 10. " B. Annapara gam | do. |
| 11. " Mr. Saravayudu gam | do. |
| 12. " Mr. Venkata Chelapati gam | do. |

8. Read letter No. 2108 dated 18th October 1897 from The Sanitary Commissioner, Madras, advising The appointment of certified Sanitary Inspectors according to the orders of Government together with the application of Mr. S. Seetarama Aiyar dated 5th November 1897.

Resolved that S. Seetarama Aiyar be appointed as Sanitary Inspector on

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Rs 20/- per month till the end of the current year and that the horse allowances of the present Sanitary Inspector and overseer will cease from the end of the current month and that the salary be met from the savings of the horse allowances.

(sd) K. Perajw
Chairman
(True Extract)

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Cocanada 20th December 1897

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Extract from the proceedings of the
Municipal Council, Cochinada passed
at its meeting held on Saturday
the 9th October 1897 at 7. a. m.

Present.

1. Mr. K. Perajagan — Chairman
2. Mr. Row Bahadur P. Perajagan — Ex-officio
pautagan } Councillor
3. do Dewan Bahadur S. Venkatesh
Ramadaso Vaideyan B. A. B. L. } Councillor
4. Captain G. W. Hicks — do
5. Rev. H. F. Laflamme — do
6. Mr. G. Venkatarangam — do
7. Nakhoda Dada Sahibam — do
8. G. H. White Esquire — do
9. Mr. N. Padmanabhaiah B. A. — do
10. do P. Chittiah garu — do
11. do Row Bahadur B. Venkatesh
Rangam — do
12. do B. Annaparaiah garu — do
13. do M. Saravayudham — do
14. do P. Venkatachalapathi garu — do
15. do K. Venkatasubramanian — do
16. do P. A. Rajajee garu — do

14 Read letter no 12 dated 21st 9th
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Extract from the proceedings of the
Municipal Council, Coimbatore passed
at its meeting held on Saturday
the 9th October 1897 at 7 a.m.

Present.

1. Mr. K. Perajagan — Chairman
2. Mr. Row Bahadur P. Proprietary Es-officio
pantulu gan — } Councillor
3. do Dewan Bahadur S. Venkata-
Ramadaso Naikangar B.A. & B.L. } Councillor
4. Captain G. W. Weeks — do
5. Revd. H. F. Laplanche — do
6. Mr. G. Venkataratnamangar — do
7. Nakhoda Dada Saligam — do
8. G. H. White Esquire — do
9. Mr. N. Padmanabhangar B.A. — do
10. do P. Chittiah garu — do
11. do Row Bahadur B. Venkata-
ratnamangar — } do
12. do B. Annapara jagam — do
13. do M. Sarwarayudangar — do
14. do P. Venkatachalapate garu — do
15. do K. Venkataratnamangar — do
16. do P. A. Rajajee garu — do

14 Read letter no 12 dated 24th
September 1897 from the Civil
Surgeon

Chief Surgeon, Cocanada, requesting
to designate the present calf watcher
"as per" on the same pay and
establishment.

Cannot be accepted as
Vaccine depôt is abolished.

(sd) K. Purraj

Chairman

(True extract)

Municipal office
Cocanada 21-12-97

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Statement of Proposition for

Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	Present Scale.				NATURE
			Number	Designation.	Pay.		
					Minimum.	Maximum.	
Number	Date.				RS.	RS.	
713 Ru	26/12/97	Grant III Vaccination Establishment.	1	Vaccinator 1st class	18		
			1	Probationer.	8		
			1	Calf watcher	5		
			1	Grass Cutter	1 1/2		
			1	Calf Shaver	1		
			5		33 1/2		

Note.

Closing balance
is Rs 2830/-. No
now made as
estimate.

Municipal office
Cocanada 21-12-97

Extract from The Proceedings of The
Municipal Council, Cochin, passed at
its meeting held on Saturday, the 23rd
October 1897 at 7 a. m.

Present

- | | |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| 1. Mr R Ry K. Peraiya Iyer - | Chairman |
| 2 Captain G. W. Wick - | Councillor |
| 3 Mr R Ry G. Venkataratnam | do. |
| 4 Mr Khodli Dada Sahib Iyer | do. |
| 5 Mr R Ry M. Sanyajulu Iyer | do. |
| 6. " Mr Padmanabha Iyer B.A. | do. |
| 7. " Mr P. H. Iyer | do. |
| 8. " Mr. Sarwarayudu Iyer | do. |
| 9. " K. Seshachalapathi Iyer B.A., | do. |

13. Read appeal petition of G. Subba-
Rayudu, late market Superintendent,
together with the remarks of Mr R Ry
K. Seshachalapathi Iyer B.A., and Mr R Ry
M. Sanyajulu Iyer, Councillors.

Resolved That The services of The
G. Subba Rayudu as market supervisor
be dispensed with and That The deficit
amount be recovered from The market
Establishment in proportion to their
salaries and That Messrs. M. Sanyajulu
and P. H. Iyer be in charge

of the market business.

(sd) K Penaji

Chairman.

(True Extract)

Municipal office

Cocanada 20th December 1897

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Cocanada MUNICIPALITY.

Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	PROPOSITION.		Groups of proposition.
			Increase per month.	Decrease per month.	
Number	Date.		Amount.	Amount.	
1715 W Misc	4/8/97	Grant IV Market Est	rs. - X	rs. 5	not being necessary as per Councils resolution here to attached.
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PROPOSITION.		Grounds of proposition.
Increase per month.	Decrease per month.	
Amount.	Amount.	
RS.	RS.	
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Chairman

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(sd) K Penaji
Chairman.

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Chairman

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Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	PROPOSITION	
Number	Date.		Increase per month.	I pe
1715 W Div	4/8/97	Grant IV Market Est	Amount.	RS.
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Given in para
12. (2) of the
Budget report
for 1898-99.

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Chairman

PROPOSITION.		Grounds of proposition.
Increase per month.	Decrease per month.	
Amount.	Amount.	
RS. - X	RS. 5	not being necessary as per Councils resolution here - to attached.
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Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	PROPOSITION.		Grounds of proposition.
Number	Date.		Increase per month.	Decrease per month.	
		num.	Amount.	Amount.	
1715 W Priv	4/8/97		Grant IV Market Est		
			3	X	Given in para 12. (2) of the Budget report for 1898-99
			3		

Benji
Chairman

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for revision of Establishment.

Cocanada MUNICIPALITY.

OF CHARGE.

Proposed Scale.

Number	Designation.	Pay.		PROPOSITION.	Grounds of proposition.
		Minimum.	Maximum.		
		RS.	RS.	Amount.	Amount.
1	Head Gunmastah	12			
1	Gumastah	8			
1	Pon	7			
1	Do	6		3	Given in para 12. (2) of the Budget report for 1898-99.
1	Sweeper	5			
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as per Revised Est
application for allotment
revision is made in the

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Statement of Proposition

Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	Present Scale.			
Number	Date.		Number	Designation.	Pay.	
					Minimum.	Maximum.
1715	4/8/97	Grant IV	1	Superintendent	5	
1716		Market Est	1	Head Gunmastah	12	
1717			1	Gumastah	8	
			1	Pon	7	
			1	Do	6	
			1	Sweeper	5	
			6		43	

Note
Closing Bal
is Rs 2830/- No
made as the

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Cocanada 21-12-97

Extract from the proceedings of the
Municipal Council, Cocanada, passed
at its meeting held on Monday, the
29th November 1887 at 7.30 a.m.

present

- 1 Mr R. K. Perajio gam — chairman.
- 2 " Rao Bahadur P. Purnaiya }
Pandita gam ex officio } Councillor
- 3 " Dewan Bahadur S. Venkata. }
Rama Dasu Naidu gam BA, B.A. } do.
- 4 " G. Venkataratnam gam do.
- 5 Nakhoda Dada Sahib gam do.
- 6 J. H. White Esquire do.
- 7 Mr R. K. Padmanatham gam BA do.
- 8 " M. Chidambaram gam do.
- 9 " Rao Bahadur Venkataratnam gam do.
- 10 " M. Narayana gam do.
- 11 " P. Venkata Chalapathi gam do.
- 12 " M. Veerabhadra Naidu gam do.
- 13 " P. A. Rajasee gam do.
- 14 " B. Ramamurthy gam do.

7. Read Chairman's memorandum regard-
ing Sols Establishment

Sanctions.

(sd) R. Perajio

(For & Extract) Chairman.

Municipal Office }
Cocanada 20th Dec 1887 } R. Perajio
do } Chairman
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Extract from the proceedings of the
Municipal Council, Cochin, passed
at its meeting held on Wednesday, the
18th August 1887 at 7 a. m.

Present

- 1 Mr R. K. Peraiyan — Chairman
- 2 Reverend H. Dr. Laflamme - Councillor
3. E. H. White Esquire — do.
- 4 Mr R. K. Venkatasubramanian do.
- 5 " Mr. Somayajulu Ganu do.
- 6 " Mr. Chittaiya Ganu do.
- 7 " Rao Bahadur Mr. Venkatasubramanian Ganu do.
- 8 " B. Annaswamy Ganu do.
- 9 " Mr. Saravayudu Ganu do.
- 10 " Mr. Veeravagharulu Naidu Ganu do.
- 11 " P. A. Rajasee Ganu — do

19. Considering the question of the
appointment of a secretary.

Resolved that Mr. E. L. Karasimham
B.A., B.E., be appointed secretary on a
salary of Rs 150/- per mensem inclusive
of horse allowance and the nomina-
tion be submitted to Government for
their approval.

(sd) K. Peraiyan
Chairman

(True Extract)

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Per Chairman

For 97-

Statement of Proposition for

Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	NATURE			
			Present Scale.		Pay.	
			Number	Designation.	Minimum.	Maximum.
Number	Date.					
713 m	26/3/97	Grant I Salary of Secretary	1	Secretary	RS. 125	RS. -

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Extract from the Proceedings of the
municipal council, Cocanada, passed
at its budget meeting held on Saturday,
the 11th December 1897 at 7 1/2 a. m.

present

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|----|-----------------------------|-------------|-----|
| 1 | Mr R R K Perajew | chairman | |
| 2 | " Rao Bahadur P. Purnaiya | | |
| | Pantulu gam, ex officio | } Councilor | |
| 3 | " Dewan Bahadur S. Venka- | | |
| | Trania Desu Naidu gam | BA, B.L. | do. |
| 4 | Doctor J. Lychlander | Esquire | do. |
| 5 | Captain G. W. Wicks | | do. |
| 6 | Mr R R K Venkataratnam | gam | do. |
| 7 | " Mr. Somayajulu | gam | do. |
| 8 | " Madmanabham | gam BA, | do. |
| 9 | " Rao Bahadur Venkataratnam | gam | do. |
| 10 | " B. Annaparayw | gam | do. |
| 11 | " M. Sarvarayudu | gam | do. |
| 12 | " P. Venkatachelapati | gam | do. |
| 13 | " K. Venaragharulu | naidugam | do. |
| 14 | " B. Ramamurthy | gam | do. |

1. Read revised estimate for 1897-98

Revised estimate is passed.

(sd) K. Perajew
Chairman

(True Extract)

Municipal office
Cocanada 20th December 1897

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Perajew
Chairman

Extract from the Proceedings of the
Municipal Council, Coacanara, passed at
its budget meeting held on Wednesday,
the 15th December 1897 at 5 P.M.

Present

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|----|----------|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | M. R. Ry | K. Benaraju gam | chairman |
| 2 | " | Rao Bahadur P. S. Burnaiya | {
Councillor |
| | | Pantulu gam Ex officio | |
| 3 | " | Dewan Bahadur S. Venkata | {
Do. |
| | | Ramadasu Kidu gam B.A.B.L. | |
| 4 | Doctor | J. Lychlander Esquire | Do. |
| 5 | Captain | G. W. Wicks | Do. |
| 6 | Reverend | H. Dr. Laflamme | Do. |
| 7 | M. R. Ry | G. Venkataratnam gam | Do. |
| 8 | " | M. Somayajulu gam | Do. |
| 9 | " | C. Radmanabhaiah gam B.A. | Do. |
| 10 | " | M. Chittaiya gam | - Do |
| 11 | " | Rao Bahadur B. Venkataratnam gam | Do. |
| 12 | " | B. Annaparaju gam | Do. |
| 13 | " | M. Sarvarayudu gam | Do. |
| 14 | " | B. Ramamurti gam | Do. |

1. Read budget estimate for 1898-99

Receipts. Resolves that occupations of road margins be charged at the rate of one anna per square yard per annum.

Receipts under this head will be raised by Rs 500/-

The site on Foster road with the

old latrine as it will be sold and the Sale proceeds utilized for the acquisition of land for night soil depot.

Charges

Grant I - Rs 1000/- is allotted for constructing a latrine on Foster road.

Rs 300/- (besides the usual allotment of Rs 100/-) is sanctioned for market improvements.

A provision of Rs 1000/- is sanctioned for repairs to the Hospital buildings as suggested by the Surgeon General and Civil Surgeon (in addition to the usual allotment of Rs 100/-). The entertainment of a clerk on Rs 15/- per month is sanctioned.

Grant II - The salary of the Telugu teacher will be raised to Rs 8/- per month. There will be no increase in the salaries of the other teachers in the Lower Secondary School. No Telugu teacher is necessary for the primary school in Jagannabpur.

No increases are allowed in the salaries of the Panchama School masters nor as to the

Salary of the Inspector of Municipal Schools. The other portion of the Inspector's and Director's proposals need not be considered as the provision already made exceeds the proposals.

Grant III Resolves that one first class Hospital Assistant be dispensed with and two third class Hospital assistants at the main dispensary and one first class Hospital assistant be retained. The allotment of Rs 2800/- for medicines is sanctioned.

The post of European Cook is abolished.

The increase to Compounder's salary is sanctioned.

Resolves that the present posts of Sanitary Inspector and Sanitary Messer be abolished and the posts of certificated Sanitary Inspector and assistant Sanitary Inspector be sanctioned. One trained Sanitary Inspector will be permanently employed on a monthly salary of Rs 35/- plus Rs 15/- Horse allowance. The salary of the assistant Sanitary Inspector will be Rs 25/- plus Rs 15/- Horse allowance per mensem.

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The budget as amended is sanctioned.
and the balance available is allotted
for repairs to existing roads.

(Sd) K. Benaji
Chairman

(True Extract)

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Cocanada 20th December 1897

B. Benaji
Chairman

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21-12-97

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Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	NATURE			
			Present Scale.		Pay.	
			Number	Designation.		
Number	Date.					RS.
713 M	26/3/97	Grant I. Drainage Establishment	1	Joby	5	
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Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	Present Scale.				NAT.
			Number	Designation.	Pay.		
					Minimum.	Maximum.	
Number	Date.						
					RS.	RS.	
713	26-3-97	Lvraut II	1	Head master.	30		
1852	24-8-97	Salary Schools	1	Assistant	20		
In. his		Col	1	do do	18		
			1	do do	12		
			1	Telugu Teacher.	5		
			1	Servant	5		
			6		90		

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Cocanada. 21-12-97 }

Statement of Proposition

Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	Present Scale.			
			Number	Designation.	Pay.	
					Minimum.	Maximum.
Number	Date.				RS.	RS.
7/3	26/3/97	Grant II Education		1 Cocanada School		
		2 Municipal Schools	4	Masters	36	
		(U) on salary Result		2 Soayallowpeta School		
		System	4	Masters	36	
				3 Old Cocanada School.		
			2	Masters	14	
				4 Jagannaitpoo		
			3	Masters 1 at Rs 3, 1 at Rs 1 at Rs 6.	21	
				5 Cocanada Maha		
				munadan School		
			2	Masters	15	
				6 Jagannaitpoo		
				Mahamadan School		
			2	Masters	15	
				7 Cocanada night school		
			2	Masters	12	
				8 Jagannaitpoo high school		
			2	Masters	12	
				9 Pancharama School		
			2	Masters	12	
				10 Pancharama night school		
			2	Masters	8	
			2	Servants	8 1/2	
			27		189 1/2	

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Statement of Proposition

Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	Present Scale.			
			Number	Designation.	Pay.	
					Minimum.	Maximum.
Number	Date.					
7/3	26-3-97	Lyrant III	2	Medical Sub-ordinates	110	
		Medical Services		at Rs 55 each -		
		Hospital Est.	1	do	25	
			2	Midwives at Rs 15 each	30	
			1	Clark-	15	
			3	Compounders at Rs 12 each	36	
			1	Peon	7	
			1	European Cook.	6	
			1	Native do.	6	
			1	Ward Cooly	6	
			1	Waterman.	5	
			1	Ayah.	5	
			1	Sholy	5	
			1	Toly	5	
			1	Shed Cooly.	6	
			1	Swamp.	5	
			19		272	

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Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	Present Scale.				Pay.	
			Number	Designation.				
					Minimum.	Maximum.		
Number	Date.							
713	26/3/97	Grant III	1	Sanitary Inspector	RS.	30		
II		Conservancy Est.		Horse allowance do		12		
			1	Sanitary nurse		25		
				Horse allowance do		12		
			6	Peons at 8 1/2 at 7		43		
			26	Pukka latrine totis		130		
				at 5 each				
			49	Street Sweepers		246 1/2		
				1 at 6, 1 at 5 1/2, 47 at 5 each				
			14	Temporary latrine		70		
				totis at 5 each				
			1	Shy for pigs		5		
			1	Lascar		6		
			99			579 1/2		

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Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	NATURE			
			Present Scale.		Pay.	
			Number	Designation.	Minimum.	Maximum.
Number	Date.				RS.	RS.
713	26/3/97	Grant III	1	Vaccinator		
11				1st Class	18	
			1	Probationer	8	
			1	Leaf watcher	5	
			1	Grass Cutter	1 1/2	
			1	Leaf Shaver	1	
			5		33 1/2	

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Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	Present Scale.			
			Number	Designation.	Pay.	
					Minimum.	Maximum.
Number	Date.				RS.	
1715	4/8/97	Grant IV	1	Superintendent	5	
		Market	1	Head Gunastah	12	
		Establishment	1	Gunastah	8	
			1	Peon	7	
			1	do	6	
			1	Sweeper	5	
			6		43	

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Order sanctioning present establishment.		Office to which the proposition refers.	Present Scale.				NAT
			Number	Designation.	Pay.		
					Minimum.	Maximum.	
Number	Date.						
713	26/3/97	Grant II		Gate Keepers			
714		Sollos Est.		No I gate			
			1	Gumastah		6	
				2d gate			
			4	Gumastahs & Poms		25	
				1 @ 8. 1 @ 7 + 2 @ 5			
				each			
			1	3d gate		7	
				Gumastah			
			4	No 4 gate			
				1 @ 8. 1 @ 7 + 2 @ 5		25	
				each			
			10			63	

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PROPOSITION.		Grounds of proposition.
Increase per month.	Decrease per month.	
Amount.	Amount.	
RS. 25.	RS. 25.	<i>Note</i> <i>Proposition</i> <i>Statement</i> <i>for 97-98.</i>

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