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LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. O'HARA, Chairman, Municipal Council, Trichinopoly, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Deputy Collector of Trichinopoly), dated 6th January 1898, No. 3.

I have the honour to submit, for the sanction of the Government, the revised estimate for 1897–98 and the budget estimate for 1898–99 of the Trichinopoly Municipality. They were approved and adopted by the municipal council at its meeting held on the 6th January 1898. An extract from the proceedings of the council is herein enclosed as well as the prescribed statements.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1897–98.

Receipts.

2. The total receipts amount to Rs. 1,86,790 against Rs. 1,58,070 anticipated in the original budget and show a difference of Rs. 18,720 over the original estimate which is explained below.

3. The opening balance was Rs. 490 only.

4. *Tax on Arts.*—This tax was assessed with reference to the revised schedule of rates under the amended Act and it was found that the income from this source was reduced to Rs. 7,000, that is, Rs. 5,000 less than the original estimate.

5. *Tax on Buildings.*—The receipts from this tax are expected to amount to Rs. 35,000 in the current year and include the collections of arrears which were left uncollected in the previous year. There is no appreciable increase in the demand under this tax.

6. *Tax on Lands.*—A sum of Rs. 6,000 as against Rs. 4,000 anticipated in the budget is expected to be realized under this tax by reason of the heavy arrears which will be collected within the current year.

7. *Water-tax.*—Rs. 16,000 are expected under this head, the increase being due to the assessment of water-tax on the railway buildings, which were omitted previously pending reference to the Government regarding the Railway Company's liability to pay this tax in addition to its contribution—*vide* G.O., Mis. No. 1573 M., dated 9th July 1897. The Agent, South Indian Railway, declines to pay the tax until final orders from Government are received by him.

8. *Tolls.*—A sum of Rs. 11,750 is expected from the district board as its contribution on account of the toll-receipts against Rs. 10,000 anticipated in the budget.

9. *Rent of Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 700 is expected from this source against the usual income of Rs. 140. The increase is due to enhanced rents of certain buildings and to the transfer to this head of Rs. 360, the rental of twenty stalls in the China bazaar which were hitherto shown under the "hospital receipts."

10. *Produce of Lands and Gardens.*—The receipts under this item have risen to Rs. 350 owing to keen competition in this year and especially for the right of collecting fuller's earth, the value of this item alone rising from Rs. 30 to Rs. 180.

11. *Conservancy Receipts.*—The leases for the right of removing and selling the refuse and the night-soil were sold by the council in public auction with the result that the income has decreased from Rs. 5,350 to Rs. 3,920. There was a lack of competition.

12. *License Fees.*—An income of Rs. 1,200 only is expected from this source which is a fluctuating one. There is a small decrease of Rs. 300.

13. *Fines under the Municipal and other Acts.*—The receipts under this head will be reduced to Rs. 1,200 against Rs. 2,000 anticipated.

14. *Water-supply.*—A contribution of Rs. 2,850 is due from Provincial funds on account of the working expenses of the water-supply scheme. Towards this the Military department pays Rs. 1,327 and the jail department Rs. 764 for the current and a like amount for last year.

A sum of Rs. 7,880 is due from the Railway Company on account of water-supply. Of this amount, Rs. 1,880 and Rs. 3,000 have already been received, the former amount being part contribution towards the initial cost of the scheme and the latter towards the working expenses for the current year. The sum of Rs. 2,560 has been received as part-payment of contribution, leaving a balance of Rs. 440 for adjustment later on.

15. *Private Scavenging.*—The income from this source will be Rs. 5,600 against Rs. 7,000 anticipated, the private scavenging system not having been introduced in any additional wards as was originally intended.

16. *Other Purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 2,500 is expected on account of the deposits from house-owners for the laying of the service pipes in private buildings.

Refunds of Expenditure of previous year.—Although the value of water-works machinery referred to in G.O., Mis. No. 2840 M., dated 18th December 1897, is still retained in the budget at the figure estimated by the Sanitary Engineer, viz., Rupees 13,390, it is very probable that not a half of this amount will be realized. The question is however still undecided.

17. *Advances.*—The sum of Rs. 21,510 has been recovered (adjusted) under the advances which were made chiefly to the contractors connected with the water-works.

Expenditure.

18. The revised estimate of the charges of the current year amounts to Rs. 1,81,840 against Rs. 1,65,560 anticipated originally. The increase of Rs. 16,280 in the charges is only nominal, as nearly Rs. 13,000 were unexpended last year under the allotment for water-works and the remainder under compensation for lands in a previous year.

19. *New Works.*—The allotments of Rs. 200 and Rs. 300 provided for new communications and drains, respectively, have been omitted, as no new works are under contemplation. The provision of Rs. 3,600 under new buildings has been raised to Rs. 4,800. Rs. 1,000 have been transferred from the allotment for "repairs to buildings" to "new buildings." This transfer became necessary inasmuch as the proposed repair to the China bazaar has resolved itself into the construction of new terraced verandahs; and the proposed improvement to the burning-ground also comes under "new buildings." A contagious disease shed has also been built in the hospital at a cost of Rs. 200.

20. *Water-supply.*—The original provision of Rs. 15,390 has been raised to Rs. 27,300, of which Rs. 24,730 are the unexpended balance of the allotment for the water-works and the remainder Rs. 2,570 is for the extension of the pipes to selected localities.

21. *Maintenance of Water-supply.*—The provisions of Rs. 1,500 and of Rs. 8,570 made for repairs to machinery, and for establishment, respectively, are reduced to Rs. 1,000 and Rs. 8,000 with reference to the actual expenditure required in the current year. The charges under contingencies have risen to Rs. 12,000 which is unavoidable.

22. *Miscellaneous Public Improvements.*—The piece of ground adjoining the clock tower and the market has been fenced in and converted into a garden. This work was undertaken by the council in connection with the celebration of the completion of the sixty years' reign of Her Majesty the Queen-Empress and has been named "The Diamond Jubilee Park." The cost of the undertaking amounts to Rs. 500.

23. The sum of Rs. 770 provided under contributions to the Provincial funds was paid under G.O., No. 1088 I., dated 23rd December 1896, to the Public Works department on account of the work of strengthening the Thiruthanthoni flood bank of the Kodamurutti river.

24. The revised charges under Grant 2 (Education) have been reduced by Rs. 600. The allotment for contingencies under salary-result schools is raised to Rs. 340, as the schools have been provided with benches and desks, the want of which was sadly felt. The provision of Rs. 100 under the last item of this grant is omitted altogether and the charges for the establishments for teaching gymnastics and drawing have been reduced according to actual expenditure. The allotment under result grants has been reduced by Rs. 600 for the current year, as the council are of opinion that Rs. 5,000 for the year will be ample for payment of result grants, if judiciously distributed.

25. *Hospitals.*—Under establishment, there has been a saving of Rs. 240 in the current year, as the hospital assistants available for employment belonged to lower grades than those budgeted for. The provision under diet of patients is raised from Rs. 3,200 to Rs. 3,600, as this increase is felt necessary.

26. *Conservancy.*—Under establishment, there has been a saving of Rs. 1,000 due chiefly to the entertainment late in the year of the health officer and his staff consisting of a clerk and a peon. The allotment of Rs. 20,000 for the hire of dust carts with their bullocks and drivers and other contingent expenses is not found sufficient, and is therefore raised by Rs. 1,000.

27. *Lighting.*—The provision of Rs. 3,000 for lighting contingencies is found insufficient and is raised to Rs. 3,400.

28. *Survey of Land.*—As the survey of properties in this municipality was taken up and almost completed in the current year, a sum of Rs. 1,000 is provided for the cost of demarcation stones planted in the public roads and streets. This expenditure was not anticipated at the time of the last budget.

29. Rs. 3,860 are required to pay compensation for lands acquired for the municipality. The lands so acquired are a rubbish depôt costing Rs. 920, a cadjan stall near the clock tower for Rs. 380, a Muhammadan burial-ground for Rs. 2,090, night-soil depôt for Rs. 400 and another rubbish depôt for Rs. 70. Of these the rubbish depôt was acquired two years ago and has ever since been used for the purpose, but the cost was not paid on account of disputes regarding the ownership of the lands. The proposal regarding the Muhammadan burial-ground and the removal of the cadjan stall is three years old; provision was made in a previous year for its purchase, but it lapsed on account of the delay in the necessary arrangements. An extension to the night-soil depôt being urgently required, the land was acquired and paid for.

30. The allotment under office establishment has been increased by Rs. 200, this being necessary to meet the salary of a secretary should one be appointed, while that under inspection is reduced by Rs. 800, the savings under the salary of a paid Chairman who was replaced by an elected one on 14th December 1897 and for whom a carriage allowance of Rs. 60 only is recommended instead of Rs. 75 sanctioned in the budget. The provision for the purchase of account books and other articles is reduced from Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 800.

BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1898–99.

31. The total receipts for the ensuing year including the opening balance amount to Rs. 1,48,540 and the total charges come to Rs. 1,43,940. The closing balance will therefore be Rs. 4,600.

Receipts.

32. *Tax on Arts.*—This tax will be assessed on all the classes of the schedule and may yield Rs. 7,000 only.

33. *Tax on Buildings.*—The tax on buildings were revised only recently. The council do not propose to enhance the rate for the coming year. Accordingly, the sum of Rs. 35,000 provided under the revised estimates is repeated for the ensuing year also.

34. *Tax on Lands.*—Rs. 5,000 are estimated as the receipts from this source, as it is expected that there will be no considerable accumulation of arrears.

35. *Water Tax.*—This tax is levied now at 4 per cent. on the annual value of the buildings and lands. The income from this tax cannot be more than Rs. 14,000, unless

the rate is enhanced. The council do not however consider it advisable to enhance the rates for the coming year, nor do they propose to impose this tax on sections of the town not supplied with water through pipes.

36. *Tax on Vehicles, Animals and Carts.*—The receipts from this source will probably be Rs. 12,000 for the ensuing year.

37. *Tolls.*—The contribution for tolls collected by the district board may be expected to rise to Rs. 12,000 for the next year.

38. *Rent of Lands.*—Rs. 400 is expected from this source. This income consists of the rents derived from sheep-pens where sheep are kept for sale, and from vacant lands rented for temporary occupations by dramatic and other companies.

39. *Rent of Buildings.*—The receipts of Rs. 740 consist of the rents of two arrack godowns, twenty stalls of the China bazaar and a building rented for the storage of vegetable oils.

40. *Avenue Receipts.*—These consist of the sale-proceeds of withered trees and the clippings from the trees standing by the road sides. Rs. 150 are expected from this source.

41. *Produce of Lands and Gardens.*—This income of Rs. 350 consists of the sale-proceeds of the fruits and other produce, of the cocoanut topes in the Boulward gardens, and of the right to graze in vacant lands and to collect fuller's earth from unoccupied lands.

42. *Conservancy Receipts.*—The income from this source consists of the sale-proceeds of the street-refuse and the night-soil removed and deposited in appointed depôts. The receipts from this source are not expected to exceed the current year's income of Rs. 3,920.

43. *School-fees.*—Rs. 500 are expected from fees to be levied in schools.

44. *Income from the Market.*—The markets are maintained in good condition and are popular and the receipts from this source will probably be Rs. 20,000 for the ensuing year.

45. *Slaughter-houses.*—There are four slaughter-houses, of which three are for sheep and one for bullocks. These are leased out to contractors. The income from fees is expected to be not less than Rs. 2,330.

46. *Warrant Fees.*—An income of Rs. 500 is expected from this source against Rs. 400 in the current year which included only ten months.

47. *License Fees.*—These receipts consist of fees levied for the erection of pandals for ceremonial occasions and for licenses for "offensive trades." The income from this source may be expected to be Rs. 1,500.

48. *Cart-stand.*—The income from the fees of the cart-stand is estimated at Rs. 4,750. The rate of fees levied is 6 pies a cart.

49. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—The receipts from this source are expected to be Rs. 2,000, which is nearly the amount realized last year.

50. *Normal Stipends.*—A contribution of Rs. 70 is expected for the scholarship grants for two teachers who are to be trained in the Government training school.

51. *Grant for Schools and other Purposes.*—Rs. 50 are expected as result grants to girls taught in the salary-result schools and Rs. 350 on account of grants towards the pay of two gymnastic instructors and two drawing masters employed by the council.

52. *Grant for Communications.*—The sum of Rs. 1,190 is the usual grant received from Provincial funds for the maintenance of the Cantonment roads.

53. *Contributions for the Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 2,000 provided under this head consists of Rs. 1,300 from the military department and Rs. 700 from jail department for the supply of water.

54. *Grants for other Purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 300 is expected as the contribution due from the military department on account of the profession-tax of the officers stationed within the municipality.

55. *Contribution from Local Boards.*—The sum of Rs. 4,500 consists of the annual contributions of Rs. 1,500 and Rs. 3,000 from the District and the Taluk

Boards of Trichinopoly towards the maintenance of the municipal hospital. A sum of Rs. 150 is also expected from the district board towards the maintenance of the race-course roads which are annually repaired by the council.

56. *Other Contribution for the Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 3,200 is expected from the Railway Company towards the working expenses of the water-supply.

57. *Private Scavenging.*—The receipts on account of the scavenging service are estimated at Rs. 6,000 for the ensuing year. Last year's receipts were Rs. 4,486; some arrears have yet to be collected.

58. *Recoveries for other Purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 1,370 is expected on account of deposits paid by house-owners for the introduction of service pipes to private houses.

Expenditure.

59. *Grant 1, New Works—Buildings.*—Rs. 4,000 are provided for new buildings. An out-patient dispensary after the standard design is being constructed in the grounds of the municipal hospital. The total cost of this building is Rs. 9,000, of which Rs. 3,000 will be paid in the current year, and Rs. 3,000 is proposed for payment in the ensuing year. Contributions are expected from the District Local fund and the Jubilee Memorial fund. A sum of Rs. 1,000 is provided for the construction of terraced verandahs to stalls of the China bazaar that are as yet unprovided with them.

60. *Drains.*—Provision of Rs. 1,000 is made for the construction of drains for carrying away the waste water from the public fountains in the streets. These will as far as possible be built so as to conform to the general system of drainage for the town.

61. *Water-supply.*—A sum of Rs. 3,000 is provided for the extension of the water-supply and for the construction of additional fountains in selected parts of the town.

62. *Repairs to Roads.*—The allotment for the repairs to roads has been reduced to Rs. 12,000 from Rs. 13,000 provided for this year. The expenditure will be mainly devoted to repairs, no new roads having to be constructed.

63. *Repairs to Buildings.*—Rs. 2,500 are provided for the necessary annual repairs of the several buildings mentioned in the accompanying statement II-A.

64. *Water-supply.*—Rs. 800 are provided for repairs to the machinery and works, Rs. 8,060 for the establishment charges and Rs. 10,000 for contingent expenses.

The establishment for the main-pumping station will consist of one head driver on Rs. 115, one assistant driver on Rs. 40, one head stroker on Rs. 20, two assistant strokers on Rs. 10 each, four cleaners on Rs. 7 each, two wood carriers on Rs. 6 each, one watchman on Rs. 6 and one sweeper on Rs. 5. There is no change proposed in this staff, except that the head driver is given an increase of Rs. 5 per mensem. The staff in the subsidiary pumping station will be the same as in the current year, namely, one head driver on Rs. 50, one assistant driver on Rs. 20, one fireman on Rs. 9, one fireman on Rs. 8, two cleaners on Rs. 6 each, one wood carrier on Rs. 6 and one watchman on Rs. 7. It is proposed to retain the out-door staff consisting of one overseer on Rs. 75, two fitters on Rs. 10 each, two head turn-cocks on Rs. 12 each, six turn cocks on Rs. 7 each, six cleaners on Rs. 6 each and one lascar on Rs. 6. For the workshop and the stores, the staff will be one fitter on Rs. 25, one smith on Rs. 25, one hammerman on Rs. 9, a bellows-boy on Rs. 3, a storekeeper on Rs. 25 and a watchman on Rs. 6. This last appointment has been found necessary for the stores department which is now located in a separate building. Besides these six watchmen on Rs. 3 each will be appointed to preserve the tanks and their feeding channels in the second and third wards, to which the water-supply by means of pipes has not yet been extended.

65. *Public Works Staff.*—An overseer on Rs. 70, a clerk on Rs. 10 and a peon on Rs. 6 will be maintained for the ensuing year as in the current year.

66. *Grant 2.*—The council accepts the recommendations made by the educational officers to select two teachers from the aided schools and to send them for normal training and for this purpose Rs. 120 are provided as stipends to the teachers.

67. *Salary-result Schools.*—The existing ten schools will be maintained for the ensuing year in their present condition. Of these schools, nine are intended for the benefit of Pallas and Pariahs and the staff for these nine schools consists of nine headmasters on Rs. 7 each and two assistant masters on Rs. 5 each. The remaining school is a lower secondary school in which Muhammadan boys are taught. The addition of a teacher on Rs. 5 is proposed for the ensuing year and the following increases in the pay of some of the teachers are also recommended. The headmaster's pay will be raised from Rs. 25 to Rs. 30, the first assistant master's from Rs. 15 to Rs. 18 and the Hindustani Munshi's from Rs. 10 to Rs. 12. These recommendations have been made by the Government Inspector and has the approval of the council.

68. *Result Grants.*—The provision under result grants is fixed at Rs. 5,000 for the ensuing year and the council estimate that this amount will be sufficient as the instructions of the Government contained in paragraph 4 (2) of G.O., No. 2207 M., dated 11th October 1897, will be carefully followed and the grant curtailed or refused to those institutions which are not provided with trained teachers.

69. *Municipal Inspectors.*—The two inspecting schoolmasters—one on Rs. 25 and the other on Rs. 20—will be maintained for the ensuing year.

70. *Common Gymnasium.*—The two gymnastic instructors on Rs. 12 each will be kept on to teach gymnastics in all the salary-result as well as the aided schools.

71. *Drawing Masters.*—Two drawing masters—one on Rs. 20 and the other on Rs. 15—are employed in teaching elementary drawing in all the schools. They will be retained during the ensuing year.

72. *Grant 3, Hospital.*—The municipal hospital and the jubilee dispensary will be maintained as at present. The establishment will consist of four first-class hospital assistants on Rs. 55 each, one female apothecary under training on Rs. 25, two midwives on Rs. 12 each, one clerk on Rs. 15, three compounders on Rs. 15 each, one compounder on Rs. 12, one compounder on Rs. 9, two compounders on Rs. 4 each, one purveyor on Rs. 20, one special (linen) clerk on Rs. 12 and a matron on Rs. 40. These form the existing establishment except that it is proposed to raise the purveyor's pay from Rs. 15 to Rs. 20, and a clerk's pay from Rs. 10 to Rs. 12. The council are satisfied that these increases are necessary as the work performed is heavy and responsible and the incumbents have to furnish cash securities. The changes proposed in the menial servants of the hospital are the following: an increase of pay by Re. 1 is proposed to two male ward attendants, that is, one from Rs. 6 to Rs. 7, and one Rs. 5 to Rs. 6; to one female ward attendant from Rs. 5 to Rs. 6, one native cook from Rs. 5 to Rs. 6, two female toties from Rs. 4–8–0 to Rs. 5, and one dhoby from Rs. 7 to Rs. 9. The waterman on Rs. 5 will be dispensed with, as his services are not required on account of the supply of water by means of pipes laid into the hospital. These increases are made with reference to paragraph 4 (3) Medical Relief, G.O., No. 1484, dated 2nd September 1896.

73. *Vaccination.*—The establishment will consist of one vaccinator on Rs. 15 and four vaccinators on Rs. 10. As it is proposed to use preserved lanoline lymph obtained from the Mysore Vaccination depôt, the services of a calf cooly on Rs. 3 per mensem will be unnecessary.

74. *Registration.*—The existing staff of eight registrars on Rs. 10 each will be maintained for the ensuing year.

75. *Conservancy.*—No changes are proposed in the conservancy establishment.

76. *Private Scavenging Service.*—The existing establishment will be maintained for the ensuing year; the council thinks that the private scavenging system need not be extended for the present as owing to the laxity of houses with latrines in the first and eighth wards and to the proximity of fields and open spaces in the third ward, there is little prospect of working the system without loss.

77. *Cholera Charges.*—A sum of Rs. 3,000 is provided for the epidemic reserve fund for the ensuing year.

78. *Grant 4, Lighting.*—The existing lamps will be maintained. The allotments under this head will be retained for the ensuing year without any addition. The charges for the establishment are reduced from Rs. 1,880 to Rs. 1,870 as no

watchman will be necessary, the oil stores having been removed to the water-works stores. The provision of Rs. 3,400 is necessary for the purchase of oil and new plant to replace those which have become unserviceable.

79. *Markets and Slaughter-houses.*—No changes are proposed in the establishments maintained.

80. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—The establishment for the ensuing year will consist of one mati on Rs. 7, one waterman on Rs. 4, one kitchen servant on Rs. 1-8-0 and a dhobi on As. 6. The increase of Re. 1 to the waterman is absolutely necessary as it is found that efficient workmen cannot be engaged on less than Rs. 4 per mensem.

81. *Grant 5, Office Establishment.*—The provision for the office establishment is fixed at Rs. 4,960 for the ensuing year. Under G.O., No. 1465 M., dated 21st June 1896, the council has proposed to appoint a secretary. The council's recommendations regarding the salary to be paid to the secretary and the powers to be delegated to that officer are now pending before the Government. Provision has been made for the secretary's pay at Rs. 200 per mensem, and it is proposed to reduce the pay of the manager from Rs. 80 to Rs. 50, and that of a correspondence clerk on Rs. 25 to Rs. 20. No further changes are considered desirable in the office staff.

82. *Inspection.*—The council recommends the payment of a carriage allowance of Rs. 60 to the Chairman and Rs. 720 are provided for the purpose. This allowance will cease when out-door inspection duty is delegated to the secretary.

83. *Collection Establishment.*—The existing establishment will be maintained for the ensuing year. The provision for the same is raised from Rs. 1,940 to Rs. 2,080 as it is proposed to raise the pay of four bill collectors from Rs. 12 to Rs. 15 each.

84. The delay of a week in submitting the budget was unavoidable. I took charge of the municipality on the 16th December 1897, from the Revenue Divisional officer who had himself held the office of Chairman only for ten days. Owing to the intervention of the Christmas holidays, no meeting of the council could be conveniently convened before the 6th instant.

Endt. on Cur. No. 42-Rev.

Submitted.

9th January 1898. (Signed) M. SRINIVASA RAO,
Deputy Collector.

Ref. on Cur. No. 73-Rev.

Forwarded.

2. *Paragraphs* 7, 14, 20, 61 *and* 64—*Water-tax, Water-supply, &c.*—The liability of the South Indian Railway Company to pay water-tax on railway buildings is still under correspondence. The Government has, in G.O., Mis. No. 1573 M., dated 9th July 1897, concurred with the Collector's remarks in paragraph 2 (2) of his endorsement on the budget of the municipality for 1897–98, reviewed in G.O., No. 714 M., dated 27th March 1897. The Agent, South Indian Railway, has, however, since moved the matter for the reconsideration of Government. It is now under correspondence with the Chairman, Municipal Council, Trichinopoly.

The sum of Rs. 2,570 intended for the extension of pipes to selected localities should be utilized before the close of the official year so that the amount of Rs. 3,000 allotted for expenditure under this head during 1898–99 may also be spent. The extension of pipe service system will give additional revenue to the municipality by the levy of water-tax on the residents of the localities concerned and by rendering unnecessary the services of tank watchmen in such places. The system should therefore be introduced in Puttúr, Oraiyúr and other places where it has not yet been adopted. A sum of Rs. 10,000 has been provided for contingent expenses under water-supply. It would, perhaps, have been better if the head of contingencies in the statement had been sub-divided into minor heads, such as fuel, oil, &c., so that the figures under the minor heads might be easily checked with reference to those of previous years.

3. *Paragraphs* 15, 57 *and* 76—*Private Scavengering.*—The income from this source shows a decrease of Rs. 1,400 owing to the non-introduction of this system in additional wards as was originally intended. The arrears under this head should be collected as early as possible. The reason for not extending this system has been explained as due to the lack of latrines in houses in the first and eighth wards and to the proximity of fields and open spaces in the third ward. The council promised in its administration report for 1896–97 to show better progress under this system after the introduction of the amendment Act. The excuse now assigned for the non-extension of the system shows a want of interest on the part of the council.

4. *Paragraphs* 19 *and* 60—*New Works, &c.*—The allotments of Rs. 200 and Rs. 300 provided, respectively, for new communications and drains have been allowed to lapse during the year as no new works are under contemplation. But provision has been now made in the budget for Rs. 1,000 for the construction of drains in wards Nos. 4, 5, 6 and 7 for carrying away the waste water from the public fountains in the street. The drainage system must closely follow on the heels of the water project. The council would have done well to construct some portion of the drains this year after consultation with the Sanitary Engineer.

5. *Paragraph* 26—*Conservancy, &c.*—The considerable delay that has occurred in the entertainment of a health officer whose appointment was sanctioned in paragraph 4 (2) of G.O., No. 714 M., dated 27th March 1897, should have been explained.

6. *Paragraphs* 30 *and* 81—*Office Establishment.*—Provision has been made for the entertainment of a secretary on Rs. 200 from March next. His election has been reported to Government on the 19th October 1897. The council has now reduced the pay of the manager from Rs. 80 to Rs. 50 and that of the corresponding clerk from Rs. 25 to Rs. 20. The manager's work was not considered satisfactory by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 1028 M., dated 18th June 1896, in which Government also awaited the revision of the existing establishment.

7. *Paragraph* 62—*Repair to Roads.*—From the statement of expenditure II-A, it is found that three miles of roads have not as yet been metalled. They should be metalled or gravelled as early as possible.

8. *Paragraph* 67—*Salary-result Schools.*—Increase of pay has been proposed to be granted to the teachers of the Muhammadan Lower Secondary school. On the recommendation of Mr. MacLeod in last year's budget, increase was not given to the headmaster as the Assistant Inspector of Schools had pronounced him to be inefficient. But the Government Inspector has now recommended the increase to encourage them and as a reward for their good work.

9. *Paragraph* 75—*Conservancy, &c.*—It would have been better if the council had reported whether the Sanitary Inspectors were trained men or not with reasons for the retention of untrained men.

10. *Paragraph* 83—*Collection Establishment.*—It is surprising that the council should have recommended an increase to the bill collectors when Government has, in G.O., No. 2207 M., dated 11th October 1897, remarked about the unsatisfactory state of collections and called for the explanation of the official Chairmen concerned.

11. The proposition statement shows that increase has been recommended in several branches when the object of the council should have been to restrict its expenditure as much as possible to liquidate as early as possible the debt incurred by it on account of the water scheme.

TRICHINOPOLY, (Signed) R. H. SHIPLEY,
18th January 1898. *Acting 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, 18th January 1898, No. 382.

I have the honour to state that the provision made for education in the budget estimate of the Trichinopoly Municipality for 1898–99 may be accepted with the following modifications:—

(i) The Assistant Inspector and the Inspector recommend that the current year's allotment for result grants be repeated both in the revised estimate for the current year and in the budget estimate for the next year; but the municipal council has reduced it to Rs. 5,400 in the revised estimate and Rs. 5,000 in the budget for the next year. I would recommend that the allotment for the next year be fixed at Rs. 5,500 at least.

(ii) Rupees 150 has been provided for building, furniture and other special grants against Rs. 250, the sanctioned allotment for the current year. A sum of Rs. 100 should be added under this head so as to permit of a larger number of schools being provided with better accommodation and furniture, so as to enable them to fulfil the requirements of the rules.

2. With these modifications, the next expenditure under Grant 2 will be Rs. 9,320 (10,290 —970), or about 9 per cent. of the estimated income from taxation, markets and rents.

From A. S. RUSSELL, Esq., Acting Sanitary Engineer to Government, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated 18th January 1898, No. 76.

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Budget Estimate for 1898-99.

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5. As revised by Government, the budget closes with a balance of Rs. 4,750 or only 3·3 per cent. of the estimated receipts. This should be increased in the course of the year by effecting savings wherever practicable.

(True Extract.)

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I have the honour to submit, for the sanction of the Government, the revised estimate for 1897–98 and the budget estimate for 1898–99 of the Trichinopoly Municipality. They were approved and adopted by the municipal council at its meeting held on the 6th January 1898. An extract from the proceedings of the council is herein enclosed as well as the prescribed statements.

REVISED ESTIMATE FOR 1897–98.

Receipts.

2. The total receipts amount to Rs. 1,86,790 against Rs. 1,58,070 anticipated in the original budget and show a difference of Rs. 18,720 over the original estimate which is explained below.

3. The opening balance was Rs. 490 only.

4. *Tax on Arts.*—This tax was assessed with reference to the revised schedule of rates under the amended Act and it was found that the income from this source was reduced to Rs. 7,000, that is, Rs. 5,000 less than the original estimate.

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9. *Rent of Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 700 is expected from this source against the usual income of Rs. 140. The increase is due to enhanced rents of certain buildings and to the transfer to this head of Rs. 360, the rental of twenty stalls in the China bazaar which were hitherto shown under the "hospital receipts."

10. *Produce of Lands and Gardens.*—The receipts under this item have risen to Rs. 350 owing to keen competition in this year and especially for the right of collecting fuller's earth, the value of this item alone rising from Rs. 30 to Rs. 180.

11. *Conservancy Receipts.*—The leases for the right of removing and selling the refuse and the night-soil were sold by the council in public auction with the result that the income has decreased from Rs. 5,350 to Rs. 3,920. There was a lack of competition.

12. *License Fees.*—An income of Rs. 1,200 only is expected from this source which is a fluctuating one. There is a small decrease of Rs. 300.

13. *Fines under the Municipal and other Acts.*—The receipts under this head will be reduced to Rs. 1,200 against Rs. 2,000 anticipated.

14. *Water-supply.*—A contribution of Rs. 2,850 is due from Provincial funds on account of the working expenses of the water-supply scheme. Towards this the Military department pays Rs. 1,327 and the jail department Rs. 764 for the current and a like amount for last year.

A sum of Rs. 7,880 is due from the Railway Company on account of water-supply. Of this amount, Rs. 1,880 and Rs. 3,000 have already been received, the former amount being part contribution towards the initial cost of the scheme and the latter towards the working expenses for the current year. The sum of Rs. 2,560 has been received as part-payment of contribution, leaving a balance of Rs. 440 for adjustment later on.

15. *Private Scavenging.*—The income from this source will be Rs. 5,600 against Rs. 7,000 anticipated, the private scavenging system not having been introduced in any additional wards as was originally intended.

16. *Other Purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 2,500 is expected on account of the deposits from house-owners for the laying of the service pipes in private buildings.

Refunds of Expenditure of previous year.—Although the value of water-works machinery referred to in G.O., Mis. No. 2840 M., dated 18th December 1897, is still retained in the budget at the figure estimated by the Sanitary Engineer, viz., Rupees 13,390, it is very probable that not a half of this amount will be realized. The question is however still undecided.

17. *Advances.*—The sum of Rs. 21,510 has been recovered (adjusted) under the advances which were made chiefly to the contractors connected with the water-works.

Expenditure.

18. The revised estimate of the charges of the current year amounts to Rs. 1,81,840 against Rs. 1,65,560 anticipated originally. The increase of Rs. 16,280 in the charges is only nominal, as nearly Rs. 13,000 were unexpended last year under the allotment for water-works and the remainder under compensation for lands in a previous year.

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21. *Maintenance of Water-supply.*—The provisions of Rs. 1,500 and of Rs. 8,570 made for repairs to machinery, and for establishment, respectively, are reduced to Rs. 1,000 and Rs. 8,000 with reference to the actual expenditure required in the current year. The charges under contingencies have risen to Rs. 12,000 which is unavoidable.

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BUDGET ESTIMATE FOR 1898–99.

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Receipts.

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5. *Paragraph* 26—*Conservancy, &c.*—The considerable delay that has occurred in the entertainment of a health officer whose appointment was sanctioned in paragraph 4 (2) of G.O., No. 714 M., dated 27th March 1897, should have been explained.

6. *Paragraphs* 30 *and* 81—*Office Establishment.*—Provision has been made for the entertainment of a secretary on Rs. 200 from March next. His election has been reported to Government on the 19th October 1897. The council has now reduced the pay of the manager from Rs. 80 to Rs. 50 and that of the corresponding clerk from Rs. 25 to Rs. 20. The manager's work was not considered satisfactory by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 1028 M., dated 18th June 1896, in which Government also awaited the revision of the existing establishment.

7. *Paragraph* 62—*Repair to Roads.*—From the statement of expenditure II-A, it is found that three miles of roads have not as yet been metalled. They should be metalled or gravelled as early as possible.

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9. *Paragraph* 75—*Conservancy, &c.*—It would have been better if the council had reported whether the Sanitary Inspectors were trained men or not with reasons for the retention of untrained men.

10. *Paragraph* 83—*Collection Establishment.*—It is surprising that the council should have recommended an increase to the bill collectors when Government has, in G.O., No. 2207 M., dated 11th October 1897, remarked about the unsatisfactory state of collections and called for the explanation of the official Chairmen concerned.

11. The proposition statement shows that increase has been recommended in several branches when the object of the council should have been to restrict its expenditure as much as possible to liquidate as early as possible the debt incurred by it on account of the water scheme.

TRICHINOPOLY,
18*th January* 1898.

(Signed) R. H. SHIPLEY,
Acting 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, 18th January 1898, No. 382.

I have the honour to state that the provision made for education in the budget estimate of the Trichinopoly Municipality for 1898–99 may be accepted with the following modifications:—

(i) The Assistant Inspector and the Inspector recommend that the current year's allotment for result grants be repeated both in the revised estimate for the current year and in the budget estimate for the next year; but the municipal council has reduced it to Rs. 5,400 in the revised estimate and Rs. 5,000 in the budget for the next year. I would recommend that the allotment for the next year be fixed at Rs. 5,500 at least.

(ii) Rupees 150 has been provided for building, furniture and other special grants against Rs. 250, the sanctioned allotment for the current year. A sum of Rs. 100 should be added under this head so as to permit of a larger number of schools being provided with better accommodation and furniture, so as to enable them to fulfil the requirements of the rules.

2. With these modifications, the next expenditure under Grant 2 will be Rs. 9,320 (10,290 —970), or about 9 per cent. of the estimated income from taxation, markets and rents.

From A. S. RUSSELL, Esq., Acting Sanitary Engineer to Government, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated 18th January 1898, No. 76.

With reference to the budget estimate of the Municipal Council of Trichinopoly for 1898–99, of which an extract has been furnished to me, I have the honour to state that the allotments made under Grant I (2) (*d*) Repairs—Water-supply are considered adequate on the presumption that the allotment under "III. Contingencies" includes Rs. 800, prescribed as fee payable to Government on account of the inspection of the boilers in the pumping stations by the Inspector of Steam-boilers and Prime-movers.

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, 20th January 1898, No. 57.

I have the honour to state that the provision made in Grant 3 of the budget estimate of the Trichinopoly Municipality for the year 1898–99 is sufficient and calls for no further remarks.

From Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. KING, M.B., C.M., D.P.H., Sanitary Commissioner for Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated Fort St. George, 18th February 1898, No. 348-S.

Referring to the Trichinopoly Municipal budget for 1898–99, I have the honour to state that the proposed expenditure on conservancy is 29·5 per cent. of the estimated receipts and needs revision with reference to the following remarks:—

(1) Cholera charges are placed at Rs. 3,000 and should be raised to Rs. 3,820 with reference to the population of the town, which in the middle of the ensuing year will be 95,606.

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ORDER—No. 622 M., dated 22nd March 1898.

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

—	Actuals, 1896–97.	Budget estimate, 1897–98.	Revised estimate, 1897–98.	Budget estimate, 1898–99.
Receipts.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Balance brought forward	67,192	17,710	490	5,640
Tax on Arts	12,096	12,040	7,010	7,010
,, on Buildings and Lands	30,250	35,820	41,020	40,020
Water-tax on Buildings and Lands	7,556	14,140	16,010	14,010
Tax on Vehicles and Animals	7,063	7,020	7,020	7,020
,, on Carts	4,934	5,010	5,010	5,010
Tolls	10,559	10,000	11,750	12,000
Realizations under Special Acts	190	100	200	200
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	1,283	1,190	2,000	2,040
Conservancy Receipts	5,350	5,350	3,920	3,920
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	495	460	500	500
,, ,, from Medical Institutions	708	700	440	440
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	22,534	22,400	22,330	22,330
License Fees	1,603	1,500	1,200	1,500
Other Fees	5,657	5,110	5,610	5,360
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	1,996	2,000	1,200	2,000
Interest on Investments and Premium on Loans	419	420	470	420
Grants and Contributions from Government	12,058	4,440	4,810	3,960
,, ,, from Local Boards	4,663	4,650	4,650	4,650
,, ,, from other Bodies	8,770	3,200	7,880	3,200
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	8,634	9,000	8,100	7,370
Miscellaneous	352	13,520	14,150	140
Advances Recovered	20,241	..	21,510	..
Total	2,34,603	1,75,780	1,87,280	1,48,740
Charges.				
GRANT 1—				
New Works—				
Communications	371	200	..	..
Buildings	1,952	3,600	4,800	4,000
Drainage	50	300	..	1,000
Water-supply	61,199	15,390	27,300	3,000
Repairs—				
Communications	14,428	13,000	13,000	12,000
Buildings	4,592	4,500	3,500	2,500
Drainage	58	..	10	..
Water-supply	20,646	20,400	21,000	18,800
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	75	..	500	..
Establishment	1,069	1,030	730	1,030
Tools and Plant and other Stores	209	300	700	300
Contributions for Public Works	..	..	770	..
Total	1,04,649	58,726	72,310	42,630
GRANT 2—				
Training Schools	12	120	120	120
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary-result System	3,460	2,940	3,080	2,940
Grant-in-aid—				
Result grants	5,265	6,000	5,400	5,500
Building, Furniture, &c., grants	210	250	250	250
Inspection	606	580	580	560
Miscellaneous	495	860	720	740
Total	10,048	10,750	10,150	10,110
GRANT 3—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	18,339	16,440	16,600	16,930
Contributions	915	1,260	920	920
Vaccination	1,070	1,120	1,120	1,090
Registration of Births and Deaths	1,128	1,060	1,040	1,010
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	44,262	42,520	42,320	42,270
Total	65,714	62,400	62,000	62,220
GRANT 4—				
Lighting	5,374	4,880	5,280	5,270
Markets and Slaughter-houses	1,594	1,930	1,570	1,590
Travellers' Bungalows	158	240	240	260
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges	4,017	4,660	8,880	2,860
Total	11,143	11,710	15,970	9,980
GRANT 5—				
Supervision and Management	11,670	11,730	10,730	9,450
Repayment of Debt	4,400	4,400	4,400	4,400
Interest on Loan	5,471	5,280	5,280	5,100
Advances Recoverable	19,700	..	..	..
Refunds	1,141	100	800	100
Pensions and Gratuities	180	..	..	..
Grand Total	2,34,116	1,65,090	1,81,640	1,43,990
Balance	487	10,690	5,640	4,750

Revised Estimate for 1897–98.

2. The current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 1,86,790 and Rs. 1,81,840, respectively, against Rs. 1,58,070 and Rs. 1,65,090 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts, which occurs chiefly under the house, land and water taxes, tolls, contributions from other bodies and advances recovered, is partly counterbalanced by a decrease under the tax on arts, conservancy receipts, fines and private scavenging fees, while the increase in the charges appearing mainly under Grants 1 and 4 is partly met by a decrease under Grant 5. The collections under the water-tax and the expenditure on buildings during the first eight months of the year were unsatisfactory. The Chairman is requested to expedite the council's reply to paragraph 1 of G.O., No. 2840 M., dated 18th December 1897. The attention of the municipal council is drawn to the remarks of the Collector in paragraph 2 of his endorsement regarding the utilization of the allotments for the extension of water-supply pipes to selected localities. It is presumed that the sanction of competent authority has been obtained for carrying out these extensions. The allotments and transfers of funds which are shown in the applications submitted by the Chairman and to which reference should have been made in his letter, are sanctioned, with the exception of the transfers of Rs. 500 and Rs. 240 from Grant 1 (2) (*d*) (i) water-supply—repairs to works and Grant 3 (1) (*a*) hospital establishment, respectively, to Grant 1 (2) (*e*) miscellaneous public improvements and Grant 3 (1) (*c*) diet of patients, which the municipal council is itself competent to sanction. These applications should in future be submitted to Government separately and not with the budget. The appointment of a secretary on a salary of Rs. 200, rising to Rs. 250, by annual increments of Rs. 10, having been sanctioned only in G.O., No. 564 M., dated 14th March 1898, the sum of Rs. 200 provided for payment of his salary in the current month will be struck out. The municipal council's proposal in paragraph 30 to grant a carriage allowance of Rs. 60 per mensem to the Chairman will be disallowed, as under the Government Order above referred to, almost all his powers will be delegated to the Secretary. The balance to be carried forward to the ensuing year's budget will be Rs. 5,640.

Budget Estimate for 1898–99.

3. *Receipts.*—The receipts for the ensuing year are placed at Rs. 1,43,100 against Rs. 1,86,790 in the revised estimate, the decrease being mostly under the land and water taxes, contributions from other bodies, refunds of expenditure of previous year and advances recovered. The arrears of the private scavenging fees referred to in paragraph 57 should be collected without delay and the payment of these fees in advance should be strictly insisted upon in future. The reasons assigned in paragraph 76 for not extending this service cannot be accepted as adequate. It is the duty of house-owners to provide latrines in their backyards and keep them in a sanitary condition, and the penal provisions of the Act can, and should, be enforced against them, if they fail to do so.

4. *Charges.*—(1) The probable charges are put down at Rs. 1,43,940 against the revised estimate of Rs. 1,81,640, the decrease being mainly under Grants 1, 4 and 5.

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(3) *Grant 2.*—The entertainment of an additional teacher on Rs. 5 for the Muhammadan lower secondary school and the increases in the salaries of the existing teachers of this school proposed in paragraph 67 cannot be approved in the present state of the municipal finances. With reference to paragraph 1 of the letter from the

Director of Public Instruction read above, the allotment for result grants will be raised from Rs. 5,000 to Rs. 5,500 and that for building and other special grants from Rs. 150 to Rs. 250.

(4) *Grant 3.*—The abolition of the post of hospital waterman proposed in paragraph 72 is approved, but the increases in the salaries of the other hospital servants referred to therein will be disallowed with reference to paragraph 11 of the Collector's endorsement. The proposal in paragraph 73 to dispense with the services of the calf-peon on Rs. 3 and the increase from Rs. 5–8–0 to Rs. 6 in the pay of one of the private scavengers shown in the proposition statement are approved, but reference should have been made to the latter proposal in the Chairman's letter. The suggestions made by the Sanitary Commissioner in his letter read above for the revision of the sanitary staff are commended to the municipal council for early adoption. For want of funds, an allotment of only Rs. 3,000 has been made for epidemic charges against Rs. 3,624 required under No. 26 of the rules issued in G.O., No. 1536 M., dated 9th September 1896.

(5) *Grant 4.*—The abolition of the post of watchman of the lighting stores and the increase from Rs. 3 to Rs. 4 in the pay of the waterman of the travellers' bungalow, referred to in paragraphs 78 and 80, respectively, and the proposal to dispense with the services of one of the slaughter-house sweepers on Rs. 4 shown in the proposition statement, are sanctioned, but reference should have been made to the last of these proposals in the Chairman's letter.

(6) *Grant 5.*—The council's proposals in paragraph 81 to reduce the salaries of the municipal office manager and the correspondence clerk from Rs. 80 and Rs. 25, respectively, to Rs. 50 and Rs. 20 are approved; but for the reason assigned by the Collector in paragraph 10 of his endorsement, the increase from Rs. 12 to Rs. 15 in the pay of the four bill-collectors referred to in paragraph 83 cannot be sanctioned.

5. As revised by Government, the budget closes with a balance of Rs. 4,750, or only 3·3 per cent. of the estimated receipts. This should be increased in the course of the year by effecting savings wherever practicable.

(True Extract.)

for *Ag. Secretary to Government.*

To the Chairman, Municipal Council, Trichinopoly.
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Read—the following papers :—

From Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. O'HARA, Chairman, Municipal Council, Trichinopoly, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Deputy Collector of Trichinopoly), dated 6th January 1898, No. 3.

I have the honour to submit, for the sanction of the Government, the revised estimates for 1897–98 and the budget estimates for 1898–99 of the Trichinopoly Municipality. They were approved and adopted by the municipal council at its meeting held on the 6th January 1898. An extract from the proceedings of the council is herein enclosed as well as the prescribed statements.

Revised Estimates for 1897–98.

Receipts.

2. The total receipts amount to Rs. 1,86,790 against Rs. 1,58,070 anticipated in the original budget and show a difference of Rs. 18,720 over the original estimate which is explained below.

3. The opening balance was Rs. 490 only.

4. *Tax on Arts.*—This tax was assessed with reference to the revised schedule of rates under the amended Act and it was found that the income from this source was reduced to Rs. 7,000, that is, Rs. 5,000 less than the original estimate.

5. *Tax on Buildings.*—The receipts from this tax are expected to amount to Rs. 35,000 in the current year and include the collections of arrears which were left uncollected in the previous year. There is no appreciable increase in the demand under this tax.

6. *Tax on Lands.*—A sum of Rs. 6,000 as against Rs. 4,000 anticipated in the budget is expected to be realized under this tax by reason of the heavy arrears which will be collected within the current year.

7. *Water-tax.*—Rs. 16,000 are expected under this head, the increase being due to the assessment of water-tax on the railway buildings, which were omitted previously pending reference to the Government regarding the Railway Company's liability to pay this tax in addition to its contribution—*vide* G.O., Mis. No. 1573 M., dated 9th July 1897. The Agent, South Indian Railway, declines to pay the tax until final orders from Government are received by him.

8. *Tolls.*—A sum of Rs. 11,750 is expected from the district board as its contribution on account of the toll-receipts against Rs. 10,000 anticipated in the budget.

9. *Rent of Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 700 is expected from this source against the usual income of Rs. 140. The increase is due to enhanced rents of certain buildings and to the transfer to this head of Rs. 360, the rental of twenty stalls in the China bazaar which were hitherto shown under the "hospital receipts."

10. *Produce of Lands and Gardens.*—The receipts under this item have risen to Rs. 350 owing to keen competition in this year and especially for the right of collecting fuller's earth, the value of this item alone rising from Rs. 30 to Rs. 180.

11. *Conservancy Receipts.*—The leases for the right of removing and selling the refuse and the night-soil were sold by the council in public auction with the result that the income has decreased from Rs. 5,350 to Rs. 3,920. There was a lack of competition.

12. *License Fees.*—An income of Rs. 1,200 only is expected from this source which is a fluctuating one. There is a small decrease of Rs. 300.

13. *Fines under the Municipal and other Acts.*—The receipts under this head will be reduced to Rs. 1,200 against Rs. 2,000 anticipated.

14. *Water-supply.*—A contribution of Rs. 2,850 is due from Provincial funds on account of the working expenses of the water-supply scheme. Towards this the Military department pays Rs. 1,327 and the jail department Rs. 764 for the current and a like amount for last year.

A sum of Rs. 7,880 is due from the Railway Company on account of water-supply. Of this amount, Rs. 1,880 and Rs. 3,000 have already been received the former amount being part contribution towards the initial cost of the scheme and the latter towards the working expenses for the current year. The sum of Rs. 2,560 has been received as part-payment of contribution, leaving a balance of Rs. 440 for adjustment later on.

15. *Private Scavenging.*—The income from this source will be Rs. 5,600 against Rs. 7,000 anticipated, the private scavenging system not having been introduced in any additional wards as was originally intended.

16. *Other Purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 2,500 is expected on account of the deposits from house-owners for the laying of the service pipes in private buildings.

Refunds of Expenditure of previous year.—Although the value of water-works machinery referred to in G.O., Mis. No. 2840 M., dated 18th December 1897, is still retained in the budget at the figure estimated by the Sanitary Engineer, viz., Rupees 13,390, it is very probable that not a half of this amount will be realized. The question is however still undecided.

17. *Advances.*—The sum of Rs. 21,510 has been recovered (adjusted) under the advances which were made chiefly to the contractors connected with the water-works.

Expenditure.

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22. *Miscellaneous Public Improvements.*—The piece of ground adjoining the clock tower and the market has been fenced in and converted into a garden. This work was undertaken by the council in connection with the celebration of the completion of the sixty years' reign of Her Majesty the Queen-Empress and has been named "The Diamond Jubilee Park." The cost of the undertaking amounts to Rs. 500.

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27. *Lighting.*—The provision of Rs. 3,000 for lighting contingencies is found insufficient and is raised to Rs. 3,400.

28. *Survey of Land.*—As the survey of properties in this municipality was taken up and almost completed in the current year, a sum of Rs. 1,000 is provided for the cost of demarcation stones planted in the public roads and streets. This expenditure was not anticipated at the time of the last budget.

29. Rs. 3,860 are required to pay compensations for lands acquired for the municipality. The lands so acquired are a rubbish depôt costing Rs. 920, a cadjan stall near the clock tower for Rs. 380, a Muhammadan burial-ground for Rs. 2,090, night-soil depôt for Rs. 400 and another rubbish depôt for Rs. 70. Of these the rubbish depôt was acquired two years ago and has ever since been used for the purpose, but the cost was not paid on account of disputes regarding the ownership of the lands. The proposal regarding the Muhammadan burial-ground and the removal of the cadjan stall is three years old; provision was made in a previous year for its purchase, but it lapsed on account of the delay in the necessary arrangements. An extension to the night-soil depôt being urgently required, the land was acquired and paid for.

30. The allotment under the office establishment has been increased by Rs. 200, this being necessary to meet the salary of a secretary should one be appointed, while that under inspection is reduced by Rs. 800, the savings under the salary of a paid Chairman who was replaced by an elected one on 14th December 1897 and for whom a carriage allowance of Rs. 60 only is recommended instead of Rs. 75 sanctioned in the budget. The provision for the purchase of account books and other articles is reduced from Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 800.

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31. The total receipts for the ensuing year including the opening balance amount to Rs. 1,48,540 and the total charges come up to Rs. 1,43,940. The closing balance will therefore be Rs. 4,600.

Receipts.

32. *Tax on Arts.*—This tax will be assessed on all the classes of the schedule and may yield Rs. 7,000 only.

33. *Tax on Buildings.*—The tax on the buildings were revised only recently. The council do not propose to enhance the rate for the coming year. Accordingly, the sum of Rs. 35,000 provided under the revised estimates is repeated for the ensuing year also.

34. *Tax on Lands.*—Rs. 5,000 are estimated as the receipts from this source, as it is expected that there will be no considerable accumulation of arrears.

35. *Water Tax.*—This tax is levied now at 4 per cent. on the annual value of the buildings and lands. The income from this tax cannot be more than Rs. 14,000, unless the rate is enhanced. The council do not however consider it advisable to enhance the rates for the coming year nor do they propose to impose this tax on sections of the town not supplied with water through pipes.

36. *Tax on Vehicles, Animals and Carts.*—The receipts from this source will probably be Rs. 12,000 for the ensuing year.

37. *Tolls.*—The contribution for tolls collected by the district board may be expected to rise to Rs. 12,000 for the next year.

38. *Rent of Lands.*—Rs. 400 is expected from this source. This income consists of the rents derived from sheep-pens where sheep are kept for sale; and from vacant lands rented for temporary occupations by dramatic and other companies.

39. *Rent of Buildings.*—The receipts of Rs. 740 consist of the rents of two arrack godowns, twenty stalls of the China bazaar and a building rented for the storage of vegetable oils.

40. *Avenue Receipts.*—These consist of the sale-proceeds of withered trees and the clippings from the trees standing by the road sides. Rs. 150 are expected from this source.

41. *Produce of Lands and Gardens.*—This income of Rs. 350 consists of the sale-proceeds of the fruits and other produce, of the cocoanut topes in the Boulward gardens, the right to graze in vacant lands, and to collect fuller's earth from unoccupied lands.

42. *Conservancy Receipts.*—The income from this source consists of the sale-proceeds of the street-refuse and the night-soil removed and deposited in appointed depôts. The receipts from these sources are not expected to exceed the current year's income of Rs. 3,920.

43. *School-fees.*—Rs. 500 are expected from fees to be levied in schools.

44. *Income from the Market.*—The markets are maintained in good condition and are popular and the receipt from this source will probably be Rs. 20,000 for the ensuing year.

45. *Slaughter-houses.*—There are four slaughter-houses, of which three are for sheep and one for bullocks. These are leased out to contractors. The income from fees is expected to be not less than Rs. 2,330.

46. *Warrant Fees.*—An income of Rs. 500 is expected from this source against Rs. 400 in the current year which included only ten months.

47. *License Fees.*—These receipts consist of fees levied for the erection of pandals for ceremonial occasions and for licenses to "offensive trades." The income from this source may be expected to be Rs. 1,500.

48. *Cart-stand.*—The income from the fees of the cart-stand is estimated at Rs. 4,750. The rate of fees levied is 6 pies a cart.

49. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—The receipts from this source is expected to be Rs. 2,000, which is nearly the amount realized last year.

50. *The Normal Stipends.*—A contribution of Rs. 70 is expected for the scholarship grants for two teachers who are to be trained in the Government training school.

51. *Grant for Schools and other Purposes.*—Rs. 50 are expected as results grants to girls taught in the salary-result schools and Rs. 350 on account of the grants towards the pay of two gymnastic instructors and two drawing masters employed by the council.

52. *Grant for Communications.*—The sum of Rs. 1,190 is the usual grant received from the Provincial funds for the maintenance of the Cantonment roads.

53. *Contributions for the Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 2,000 provided under this head consists of Rs. 1,300 from the military department and Rs. 700 from jail department for the supply of water.

54. *Grants for other Purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 300 is expected as the contribution due from the military department on account of the profession-tax of the officers stationed within the municipality.

55. *Contribution from Local Boards.*—The sum of Rs. 4,500 consists of the annual contributions of Rs. 1,500 and Rs. 3,000 from the District and the Taluk Boards of Trichinopoly towards the maintenance of the municipal hospital. A sum of Rs. 150 is also expected from the district board towards the maintenance of the race-course roads which are annually repaired by the council.

56. *Other Contribution for the Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 3,200 is expected from the Railway Company towards the working expenses of the water-supply.

57. *Private Scavenging.*—The receipts on account of the scavenging service are estimated at Rs. 6,000 for the ensuing year. Last year's receipts were Rs. 4,480; some arrears have yet to be collected.

58. *Recoveries for other Purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 1,370 is expected on account of deposits paid by house-owners for the introduction of service pipes to private houses.

Expenditure.

59. *Grant 1, New Works—Buildings.*—Rs. 4,000 are provided for new buildings. An out-patient dispensary after the standard design is being constructed in the grounds of the municipal hospital. The total cost of this building is Rs. 9,000, of which Rs. 3,000 will be paid in the current year, and Rs. 3,000 is proposed for payment in the ensuing year. Contributions are expected from the District Local fund and the Jubilee Memorial fund. A sum of Rs. 1,000 is provided for the construction of terraced verandahs to stalls of the China bazaar that are as yet unprovided with them.

60. *Drains.*—Provision of Rs. 1,000 is made for the construction of drains for carrying away the waste water from the public fountains in the streets. These will as far as possible be built so as to conform to the general system of drainage for the town.

61. *Water-supply.*—A sum of Rs. 3,000 is provided for the extension of the water-supply and for construction of additional fountains in selected parts of the town.

62. *Repairs to Roads.*—The allotment for the repairs to roads has been reduced to Rs. 12,000 from Rs. 13,000 allotted for this year. The expenditure will be mainly devoted to repairs, no new roads having to be constructed.

63. *Repairs to Buildings.*—Rs. 2,500 are provided for the necessary annual repairs of the several buildings mentioned in the accompanying statement II-A.

64. *Water-supply.*—Rs. 800 are provided for the repairs to the machinery and works, Rs. 8,060 for the establishment charges and Rs. 10,000 for contingent expenses.

The establishment for the main-pumping station will consist of one head driver on Rs. 115, one assistant driver on Rs. 40, one head stroker on Rs. 20, two assistant strokers on Rs. 10 each, four cleaners on Rs. 7 each, two wood carriers on Rs. 6 each, one watchman on Rs. 6 and one sweeper on Rs. 5. There is no change proposed in this staff, except that the head driver is given an increase of Rs. 5 per mensem. The staff in the subsidiary pumping station will be the same as in the current year, namely, one head driver on Rs. 50, one assistant driver on Rs. 20, one fireman on Rs. 9, one fireman on Rs. 8, two cleaners on Rs. 6 each, one wood carrier on Rs. 6 and one watchman on Rs. 7. It is proposed to retain the out-door staff consisting of one overseer on Rs. 75, two fitters on Rs. 10 each, two head turn-cocks on Rs. 12 each, six turn cocks on Rs. 7 each, six cleaners on Rs. 6 each and one lascar on Rs. 6. For the workshop and the stores, the staff will be one fitter on Rs. 25, one smith on Rs. 25, one hammerman on Rs. 9, a bellows-boy on Rs. 3, a storekeeper on Rs. 25 and a watchman on Rs. 6. This last appointment has been found necessary for the stores department which is now located in a separate building. Besides these six watchmen on Rs. 3 each will be appointed to preserve the tanks and their feeding channels in the second and third wards, to which the water-supply by means of pipes has not yet been extended.

65. *Public Works Staff.*—An overseer on Rs. 70, a clerk on Rs. 10 and a peon on Rs. 6 will be maintained for the ensuing year as in the current year.

66. *Grant 2.*—The council accepts the recommendations made by the educational officers to select two teachers from the aided schools and to send them for normal training and for this purpose Rs. 120 are provided as stipends to the teachers.

67. *Salary-result Schools.*—The existing ten schools will be maintained for the ensuing year in their present condition. Of these schools, nine are intended for the benefit of Pallas and Pariahs and the staff for these nine schools consists of nine headmasters on Rs. 7 each and two assistant masters on Rs. 5 each. The remaining school is a lower secondary school in which Muhammadan boys are taught. The addition of a teacher on Rs. 5 is proposed for the ensuing year and the following increases in the pay of some of the teachers are also recommended. The headmaster's pay will be raised from Rs. 25 to Rs. 30, the first assistant master from Rs. 15 to Rs. 18 and the Hindustani Munshi from Rs. 10 to Rs. 12. These recommendations have been made by the Government Inspector and has the approval of the council.

68. *Results Grants.*—The provision under the results grants is fixed at Rs. 5,000 for the ensuing year and the council estimate that this amount will be sufficient as the instructions of the Government contained in paragraph 4 (2) of G.O., No. 2207 M., dated 11th October 1897, will be carefully followed and the grant curtailed or refused to these institutions which are not provided with trained teachers.

69. *Municipal Inspectors.*—The two inspecting schoolmasters—one on Rs. 25 and the other on Rs. 20—will be maintained for the ensuing year.

70. *Common Gymnasium.*—The two gymnastic instructors on Rs. 12 each will be kept on to teach gymnastics in all the salary-result as well as the aided schools.

71. *Drawing Masters.*—Two drawing masters—one on Rs. 20 and the other on Rs. 15—are employed in teaching elementary drawing in all the schools. They will be retained during the ensuing year.

72. *Grant 3, Hospital.*—The municipal hospital and the jubilee dispensary will be maintained as at present. The establishment will consist of four first-class hospital assistants on Rs. 55 each, one ~~lady~~ apothecary under training on Rs. 25, two midwives on Rs. 12 each, one clerk on Rs. 15, three compounders on Rs. 15 each, one compounder on Rs. 12, one compounder on Rs. 9, two compounders on Rs. 4 each, one purveyor on Rs. 20, one special (linen) clerk on Rs. 12 and a matron on Rs. 40. These form the existing establishment except that it is proposed to raise the purveyor's pay from Rs. 15 to Rs. 20, and a clerk's pay from Rs. 10 to Rs. 12. The council are satisfied that these increases are necessary as the work performed is heavy and responsible and the incumbent have to furnish cash securities. The changes proposed in the menial servants of the hospital are the following: an increase of pay by Re. 1 is proposed to two male ward attendants, that is, one from Rs. 6 to Rs. 7, and one Rs. 5 to Rs. 6; to one female ward attendant from Rs. 5 to Rs. 6, one native cook from Rs. 5 to Rs. 6, two female toties from Rs. 4-8-0 to Rs. 5, and one dhoby from Rs. 7 to Rs. 9. The waterman on Rs. 5 will be dispensed with, as his services are not required on account of the supply of water by means of pipes laid into the hospital. These increases are made with reference to paragraph 4 (3) Medical Relief, G.O., No. 1484, dated 2nd September 1896.

73. *Vaccination.*—The establishment will consist of one vaccinator on Rs. 15 and four vaccinators on Rs. 10. As it is proposed to use preserved lanoline lymph obtained from the Mysore Vaccination depôt, the services of a calf cooly on Rs. 3 per mensem will be unnecessary.

74. *Registration.*—The existing staff of eight registrars on Rs. 10 each will be maintained for the ensuing year.

75. *Conservancy.*—No changes are proposed in the conservancy establishment.

76. *Private Scavenging Service.*—The existing establishment will be maintained for the ensuing year; the council thinks that the private scavenging system need not be extended for the present as owing to the laxity of houses with latrines in the first and eighth wards and to the proximity of fields and open spaces in the third ward, there is little prospect of working the system without loss.

77. *Cholera Charges.*—A sum of Rs. 3,000 is provided for the epedimic reserve fund for the ensuing year.

78. *Grant 4, Lighting.*—The existing lamps will be maintained. The allotments under this head will be retained for the ensuing year without any addition. The charges for the establishment are reduced from Rs. 1,880 to Rs. 1,870 as no watchman will be necessary, the oil stores having been removed to the water-works stores. The provision of Rs. 3,400 is necessary for the purchase of oil and new plant to replace those which have become unserviceable.

79. *Markets and Slaughter-houses.*—No changes are proposed in the establishments maintained.

80. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—The establishment for the ensuing year will consist of one mati on Rs. 7, one waterman on Rs. 4, one kitchen servant on Rs. 1-8-0 and a dhobi on As. 6. The increase of Re. 1 to the waterman is absolutely necessary as it is found that efficient workmen cannot be engaged on less than Rs. 4 per mensem.

81. *Grant 5, Office Establishment.*—The provision for the office establishment is fixed at Rs. 4,960 for the ensuing year. Under G.O., No. 1465 M., dated 21st June 1897, the council has proposed to appoint a secretary. The council's recommendations regarding the salary to be paid to the secretary and the powers to be delegated to that officer are now pending before the Government. Provision has been made for the secretary's pay at Rs. 200 per mensem, and it is proposed to reduce the pay of the manager from Rs. 80 to Rs. 50, and that of a correspondence clerk on Rs. 25 to Rs. 20. No further changes are considered desirable in the office staff.

82. *Inspection.*—The council recommends the payment of carriage allowance of Rs. 60 to the Chairman and Rs. 720 are provided for the purpose. This allowance will cease when out-door inspection duty is delegated to the secretary.

83. *Collection Establishment.*—The existing establishment will be maintained for the ensuing year. The provision for the same is raised from Rs. 1,940 to Rs. 2,080 as it is proposed to raise the pay of four bill collectors from Rs. 12 to Rs. 15 each.

84. The delay of a week in submitting the budget was unavoidable. I took charge of the municipality on the 16th December 1897, from the Revenue Divisional officer who had himself held the office of Chairman only for ten days. Owing to the intervention of the Christmas holidays, no meeting of the council could be conveniently convened before the 6th instant.

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Forwarded.

2. *Paragraphs* 7, 14, 20, 61 *and* 64—*Water-tax, Water-supply, &c.*—The liability of the South Indian Railway Company to pay water-tax on railway buildings is still under correspondence. The Government has, in G.O., Mis. No. 1573 M., dated 9th July 1897, concurred with the Collector's remarks in paragraph 2 (2) of his endorsement on the budget of the municipality for 1897–98, reviewed in G.O., No. 714 M., dated 27th March 1897. The Agent, South Indian Railway, has, however, since moved the matter for the reconsideration of Government. It is now under correspondence with the Chairman, Municipal Council, Trichinopoly.

The sum of Rs. 2,570 intended for the extension of pipes to selected localities should be utilized before the close of the official year so that the amount of Rs. 3,000 allotted for expenditure under this head during 1898–99 may also be spent. The extension of pipe service system will give additional revenue to the municipality by the levy of water-tax on the residents of the localities concerned and by rendering unnecessary the services of tank watchmen in such places. The system should therefore be introduced in Puttúr, Oraiyúr and other places where it has not yet been introduced. A sum of Rs. 10,000 has been provided for contingent expenses under water-supply. It would, perhaps, have been better if the head of contingencies in the statement had been sub-divided into minor heads, such as fuel, oil, &c., so that the figures under the minor heads might be easily checked with reference to those of previous years.

3. *Paragraphs* 15, 57 *and* 76—*Private Scavengering.*—The income from this source shows a decrease of Rs. 1,400 owing to the non-introduction of this system in additional wards as was originally intended. The arrears under this head should be collected as early as possible. The reason for not extending this system has been explained as due to the lack of latrines in houses in the first and eighth wards and to the proximity of fields and open spaces in the third ward. The council promised in its administration report for 1896–97 to show better progress under this system after the introduction of the amendment Act. The excuse now assigned for the non-extension of the system shows a want of interest on the part of the council.

4. *Paragraphs* 19 *and* 60—*New Works, &c.*—The allotment of Rs. 200 and Rs. 300 provided, respectively, for new communications and drains has been allowed to lapse during the year as no new works are under contemplation. But provision has been now made in the budget for Rs. 1,000 for the construction of drains in wards Nos. 4, 5, 6 and 7 for carrying away the waste water from the public fountains in the street. The drainage system must closely follow on the heels of the water project. The council could have done well to have constructed some portion of the drains this year after consultation with the Sanitary Engineer.

5. *Paragraph* 26—*Conservancy, &c.*—The considerable delay that has occurred in the entertainment of a health officer whose appointment was sanctioned in paragraph 4 (2) of G.O., No. 714 M., dated 27th March 1896, should have been explained.

6. *Paragraphs* 30 *and* 81—*Office Establishment.*—Provision has been made for the entertainment of a secretary on Rs. 200 from March next. His election has been reported to Government on the 19th October 1897. The council has now reduced the pay of the manager from Rs. 80 to Rs. 50 and that of the corresponding clerk from Rs. 25 to Rs. 20. The manager's work was not considered satisfactory by Government in G.O., Mis. No. 1028 M., dated 18th June 1896, in which Government also awaited the revision of the existing establishment.

7. *Paragraph* 62—*Repair to Roads.*—From the statement of expenditure II-A, it is found that three roads have not as yet been metalled. They should be metalled or gravelled as early as possible.

8. *Paragraph* 67—*Salary-results Schools.*—Increase of pay has been proposed to be granted to the teachers of the Muhammadan Lower Secondary school. On the recommendation of Mr. MacLeod in last year's budget, increase was not given to the headmaster as the Assistant Inspector of Schools had pronounced him to be inefficient. But the Government Inspector has now recommended the increase to encourage them and as a reward for their good work.

9. *Paragraph* 75—*Conservancy, &c.*—It would have been better if the council had reported whether the Sanitary Inspectors were trained men or not with reasons for the retention of untrained men.

10. *Paragraph* 83—*Collection Establishment.*—It is surprising that the council should have recommended an increase to the bill collectors when Government has, in G.O., No. 2207, dated 11th October 1897, remarked about the unsatisfactory state of collections and called for the explanation of the official Chairmen concerned.

11. The proposition statement shows that increase has been recommended in several branches when the object of the council should have been to restrict its expenditure as much as possible to liquidate as early as possible the debt incurred by it on account of the water scheme.

TRICHINOPOLY,
18th January 1898.

(Signed) R. H. SHIPLEY,
Acting Collector.

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ENCLOSURE.

EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Municipal Council, Trichinopoly, passed at the meeting held on the 6th January 1898.

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Paragraph 296. Read budget estimates for 1898–99 together with the report of the sub-committee.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

Endt. on Cur. No. 42-Rev.

Submitted.

(Signed) M. SRINIVASA RAO,
Deputy Collector.

9th 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, 18th January 1898, No. 382.

I have the honour to state that the provision made for education in the budget estimates of the Trichinopoly Municipality for 1898–99 may be accepted with the following modifications:—

(i) The Assistant Inspector and the Inspector recommend that the current year's allotment for results grants be repeated both in the revised estimate for the current year and in the budget estimate for the next year; but the municipal council has reduced it to Rs. 5,400 in the revised estimate and Rs. 5,000 in the budget for the next year. I would recommend that the allotment for the next year be fixed at Rs. 5,500 at least.

(ii) Rupees 150 has been provided for building, furniture and other special grants against Rs. 250, the sanctioned allotment for the current year. A sum of Rs. 100 should be added under this head so as to permit of a larger number of schools being provided with better accommodation and furniture, so as to enable them to fulfil the requirements of the rules.

2. With these modifications, the next expenditure under Grant 2 will be Rs. 9,320 (10,290 —970), or about 9 per cent. of the estimated income from taxation, markets and rents.

From A. S. RUSSELL, Esq., Acting Sanitary Engineer to Government, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department, dated 18th January 1898, No. 76.

With reference to the budget estimate of the Municipal Council of Trichinopoly for 1898–99, of which an extract has been furnished to me, I have the honour to state that the allotments made under Grant 1 (2) (*d*) Repairs—Water-supply are considered adequate on the presumption that the allotment under "III. Contingencies" includes Rs. 800, prescribed as fee payable to Government on account of the inspection of the boilers in the pumping stations by the Inspector of Steam-boilers and Prime-movers.

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, 20th January 1898, No. 57.

I have the honour to state that the provision made in Grant 3 of the budget estimate of the Trichinopoly Municipality for the year 1898–99 is sufficient and calls for no further remarks.

Review of the Trichinopoly Municipal Budget for 1898-99

LOCAL AND MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT.

Papers to be read in Proceedings:—

Current No. 2916 of 1898, dated 6-1-98 from the Chairman, Mc. Trichinopoly

Current No of 1898, dated 18-1-98 from the Director of Pub. Instn

Current No. of 1898, dated 18-1-98 from the Surv. Genl.

Current No. of 1898, dated 20-1-98 from the Surgeon General.

do 831 of 1898. dated 18-2-98 " Surv. Commrs.

Order. No. 622 MD 22-3-98

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

	Actuals, 1896-97.	Budget Estimate, 1897-98.	Revised Estimate, 1897-98.	Budget Estimate 1898-99.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Receipts.				
Balance brought forward	67.192	17.710	490	5740
Tax on Arts	12.096	12.040	7.010	7.010
Tax on Buildings and Lands	30250	35.820	41.020	40.020
Water-Tax on Buildings and Lands	7.556	14.140	16.010	14.010
Tax on Vehicles and Animals	7.063	7.020	7020	7.020
Tax on Carts	4934	5.010	5.010	5.010
Tolls	10.559	10.000	11.750	12.000
Realizations under Special Acts	190	100	200	200
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c, and sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	1283	1190	2,000	2040
Conservancy Receipts	5.350	5350	3920	3920
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions ..	495	460	500	500
Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions	708	700	440	440
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	22534	22400	22,330	22,330
License fees	1603	1500	1200	1500
Other fees	5657	5110	5610	5360
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	1996	2000	1200	2000
Interest on Investments and premium on Loans ..	419	420	470	420
Grants and Contributions from Government	12,058	4440	4810	3960
Do. from Local Boards	4.663	4650	4650	4650
Do. from other bodies	8770	3200	7880	3200
Recoveries for services to private individuals	8634	9.000	8100	7370
Miscellaneous	352	13.520	14.150	140
Loans	"	"	"	"
Sale-proceeds of Government Securities, &c, and Realizations of Sinking Fund	"	"	"	"
Advances Recovered	20241	"	21.510	"
Total ..	2,34,603	1,75,780	187280	148.540

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Charges.	Actuals, 1896-97	Budget Estimate, 1897-98	Revised Estimate, 1897-98	Budget Estimate, 1898-99	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Grant 1.					
New Works—					
Communications	371	200	"	"	
Buildings	1,952	3,600	4,800	4,000	
Drainage	50	300	"	1,000	
Water-supply	61,199	15,390	27,300	3,000	
Repairs—					
Communications	14,428	13,000	13,000	12,000	
Buildings	4,592	4,500	3,500	2,500	
Drainage	58	20,400	10	"	
Water-supply	20,646	20,870	21,000	18,860	
Establishment (Miscellaneous Public Improvements)	1,089	1,030	500	1,030	
Tools and Plant and other Stores	209	300	730	300	
Contributions for Public Works	"	"	700	"	
			770		
Total	104,649	59,190 58,720	72,310	42,690	
Grant 2.					
Training Schools	12	120	120	120	
Municipal Schools—					
(*a*) On the Salary System	"	"	"	"	
(*b*) On the Salary Result System	3,460	2,940	3,080	2120 2940	
Grants-in-aid—					
(*a*) Salary grants	"	"	"	"	
(*b*) Result grants	5,265	6,000	5,400	5,000	5,500
(*c*) Building, Furniture, &c., grants	210	250	250	150	250
Inspection	606	580	580	560	
Miscellaneous	495	860	720	740	
Total	10,048	10,750	10,150	9,690	10,110
Grant 3.					
Hospitals and Dispensaries	18,339	16,440	16,600	17,100	
Contributions	915	1,260	920	920	16,930
Vaccination	1,070	1,120	1,120	1,090	
Registration of Births and Deaths	1,128	1,060	1,040	1,010	
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	44,262	42,520	42,320	42,270	
Total	65,714	62,400	62,000	62,390	62,220
Grant 4.					
Lighting	5,374	4,880	5,280	5,270	
Markets and Slaughter-houses	1,594	1,930	1,570	1,590	
Choultries	"	"	"	"	
Travellers' Bungalows	158	240	240	260	
Avenues	"	"	"	"	
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges	4,017	4,660	8,880	2,860	
Total	11,143	11,710	15,970	9,980	
Grant 5.					
Supervision and management	11,670	11,730	10,930	9,690	9,450
Repayment of Debt	4,400	4,400	4,400	4,400	
Interest on loan	5,471	5,280	5,280	5,100	
Advances Recoverable	19,700	"	"	"	
Refunds	1,141	100	800	100	
Discount	"	"	"	"	
Pensions and Gratuities	180	"	"	"	
Investments	"	"	"	"	
Grand Total	234,116	165,560 090	181,840	143,940	143,990
Balance	487	10,220 690	5,440 6640	4,600	4750

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Revised Estimate for 1897-98.

2. The current receipts and charges are now estimated at Rs. 186,790 and Rs. 181,840 respectively, against Rs. 158,070 and Rs. 165,090 anticipated in the sanctioned budget. The increase in the receipts, which occurs chiefly under the house, land and water taxes, tolls, contributions from other bodies and advances recovered, is partly counterbalanced by a decrease under the tax on arts, conservancy receipts, fines and private scavenging fees, while the increase in the charges appearing mainly under Grants 1 and 4 is partly met by a decrease under Grant 5. The collections under the water tax and the expenditure on buildings during the

of the year were unsatisfactory. The Chairman is requested to expedite the Council's reply to para: 1 of G.O. No 2840 M, dated 18th December 1897. The attention of the Municipal Council is drawn to the remarks of the Collector in para: 2 of his endorsement regarding the utilization of the allotments for the extension of water supply pipes to selected localities. It is presumed that the sanction of competent authority has been obtained for carrying out these extensions. The allotments and transfers of funds which are shown in the applications submitted by the Chairman and to which reference should have been made in his letter, are sanctioned, with the exception of the transfers of Rs 500 and Rs [illegible] from P. W. L. 1-(2) E (1)

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100	"	"	5,280	4,400	
41	100	"	800	5,100	
30	"	"	"	100	
	"	"	"	"	
16	165,560	181,840	143,940		143,990
8	10,220	5,140	4,600		4750
	690	640			

Water

23,663 173,700 187,130 148,740

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water supply repairs to works and Grant 3-(1)(c)-hospital establishment, respectively, to Grant (1)(2)(e) miscellaneous public improvements, and Grant 3-(1)(c)-list of patients which the Municipal Council is itself competent to sanction. These applications should in future be submitted to Government separately and not with the budget. The appointment of a Secretary on a salary of Rs 200, rising to Rs 250, by annual increments of Rs 10, having been sanctioned only in G.O. No 564 M. dated 14th March 1898, the sum of Rs 200 provided for payment of his salary in the current month will be struck out. The Municipal Council's proposal in para. 30 to grant a carriage allowance of Rs 60 per mensem to the Chairman

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Chairman will be disallowed, so under the Government order above referred to, almost all his powers will be delegated to the Secretary. The balance to be carried forward to the ensuing year's budget will be Rs 5640.

Budget Estimate for 1898-99.

3. Receipts. The receipts for the ensuing year are placed at Rs 143100 against Rs 186790 in the revised estimate, the decrease being mostly under the land and water taxes, contributions from other bodies, refunds of expenditure of previous year and advances recovered. The arrears of the private scavenging fees referred to in para: 57 should be collected without delay and the payment of these fees in advance should be strictly insisted upon in future.

the rate is enhanced. The council do not however consider it advisable to enhance the rates for the coming year, nor do they propose to impose this tax on sections of the town not supplied with water through pipes.

36. *Tax on Vehicles, Animals and Carts.*—The receipts from this source will probably be Rs. 12,000 for the ensuing year.

37. *Tolls.*—The contribution for tolls collected by the district board may be expected to rise to Rs. 12,000 for the next year.

38. *Rent of Lands.*—Rs. 400 is expected from this source. This income consists of the rents derived from sheep-pens where sheep are kept for sale, and from vacant lands rented for temporary occupations by dramatic and other companies.

39. *Rent of Buildings.*—The receipts of Rs. 740 consist of the rents of two arrack godowns, twenty stalls of the China bazaar and a building rented for the storage of vegetable oils.

40. *Avenue Receipts.*—These consist of the sale-proceeds of withered trees and the clippings from the trees standing by the road sides. Rs. 150 are expected from this source.

41. *Produce of Lands and Gardens.*—This income of Rs. 350 consists of the sale-proceeds of the fruits and other produce, of the cocoanut topes in the Boulward gardens, and of the right to graze in vacant lands and to collect fuller's earth from unoccupied lands.

42. *Conservancy Receipts.*—The income from this source consists of the sale-proceeds of the street-refuse and the night-soil removed and deposited in appointed depôts. The receipts from this source are not expected to exceed the current year's income of Rs. 3,920.

43. *School-fees.*—Rs. 500 are expected from fees to be levied in schools.

44. *Income from the Market.*—The markets are maintained in good condition and are popular and the receipts from this source will probably be Rs. 20,000 for the ensuing year.

45. *Slaughter-houses.*—There are four slaughter-houses, of which three are for sheep and one for bullocks. These are leased out to contractors. The income from fees is expected to be not less than Rs. 2,330.

46. *Warrant Fees.*—An income of Rs. 500 is expected from this source against Rs. 490 in the current year which included only ten months.

47. *License Fees.*—These receipts consist of fees levied for the erection of pandals for ceremonial occasions and for licenses for "offensive trades." The income from this source may be expected to be Rs. 1,500.

48. *Cart-stand.*—The income from the fees of the cart-stand is estimated at Rs. 4,750. The rate of fees levied is 6 pies a cart.

49. *Fines under Municipal and other Acts.*—The receipts from this source are expected to be Rs. 2,000, which is nearly the amount realized last year.

50. *Normal Stipends.*—A contribution of Rs. 70 is expected for the scholarship grants for two teachers who are to be trained in the Government training school.

51. *Grant for Schools and other Purposes.*—Rs. 50 are expected as result grants to girls taught in the salary-result schools and Rs. 350 on account of grants towards the pay of two gymnastic instructors and two drawing masters employed by the council.

52. *Grant for Communications.*—The sum of Rs. 1,190 is the usual grant received from Provincial funds for the maintenance of the Cantonment roads.

53. *Contributions for the Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 2,000 provided under this head consists of Rs. 1,300 from the military department and Rs. 700 from jail department for the supply of water.

54. *Grants for other Purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 300 is expected as the contribution due from the military department on account of the profession-tax of the officers stationed within the municipality.

55. *Contribution from Local Boards.*—The ensuing year Rs. 4,500 consists of the contributions of Rs. 1,500 reduced from the District and the Taluk

Boards of Trichinopoly towards the maintenance of the municipal hospital. A sum of Rs. 150 is also expected from the district board towards the maintenance of the race-course roads which are annually repaired by the council.

56. *Other Contribution for the Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 3,200 is expected from the Railway Company towards the working expenses of the water-supply.

57. *Private Scavenging.*—The receipts on account of the scavenging service are estimated at Rs. 6,000 for the ensuing year. Last year's receipts were Rs. 4,480; some arrears have yet to be collected.

58. *Recoveries for other Purposes.*—A sum of Rs. 1,370 is expected on account of deposits paid by house-owners for the introduction of service pipes to private houses.

Expenditure.

59. *Grant 1, New Works—Buildings.*—Rs. 4,000 are provided for new buildings. An out-patient dispensary after the standard design is being constructed in the grounds of the municipal hospital. The total cost of this building is Rs. 9,000, of which Rs. 3,000 will be paid in the current year, and Rs. 3,000 is proposed for payment in the ensuing year. Contributions are expected from the District Local fund and the Jubilee Memorial fund. A sum of Rs. 1,000 is provided for the construction of terraced verandahs to stalls of the China bazaar that are as yet unprovided with them.

60. *Drains.*—Provision of Rs. 1,000 is made for the construction of drains for carrying away the waste water from the public fountains in the streets. These will as far as possible be built so as to conform to the general system of drainage for the town.

61. *Water-supply.*—A sum of Rs. 3,000 is provided for the extension of the water-supply and for the construction of additional fountains in selected parts of the town.

62. *Repairs to Roads.*—The allotment for the repairs to roads has been reduced to Rs. 12,000 from Rs. 13,000 provided for this year. The expenditure will be mainly devoted to repairs, no new roads having to be constructed.

63. *Repairs to Buildings.*—Rs. 2,500 are provided for the necessary annual repairs of the several buildings mentioned in the accompanying statement II-A.

64. *Water-supply.*—Rs. 800 are provided for repairs to the machinery and works, Rs. 8,060 for the establishment charges and Rs. 10,000 for contingent expenses.

The establishment for the main-pumping station will consist of one head driver on Rs. 115, one assistant driver on Rs. 40, one head stroker on Rs. 20, two assistant strokers on Rs. 10 each, four cleaners on Rs. 7 each, two wood carriers on Rs. 6 each, one watchman on Rs. 6 and one sweeper on Rs. 5. There is no change proposed in this staff, except that the head driver is given an increase of Rs. 5 per mensem. The staff in the subsidiary pumping station will be the same as in the current year, namely, one head driver on Rs. 50, one assistant driver on Rs. 20, one fireman on Rs. 9, one fireman on Rs. 8, two cleaners on Rs. 6 each, one wood carrier on Rs. 6 and one watchman on Rs. 7. It is proposed to retain the out-door staff consisting of one overseer on Rs. 75, two fitters on Rs. 10 each, two head turn-cocks on Rs. 12 each, six turn cocks on Rs. 7 each, six cleaners on Rs. 6 each and one lascar on Rs. 6. For the workshop and the stores, the staff will be one fitter on Rs. 25, one smith on Rs. 25, one hammerman on Rs. 9, a bellows-boy on Rs. 3, a storekeeper on Rs. 25 and a watchman on Rs. 6. This last appointment has been found necessary for the stores department which is now located in a separate building. Besides these six watchmen on Rs. 3 each will be appointed to preserve the tanks and their [illegible]ing channels in the second and third wards, to which the water-supply by means of pipes has not yet been extended.

65. *Public Works Staff.*—An overseer on Rs. 70, a clerk on Rs. 10 and a peon on Rs. 6 will be maintained for the ensuing year as in the current year.

66. *Grant 2.*—The council accepts the recommendations made by the educat[illegible] officers to select two teache[illegible] schools and to send them for no[illegible] training and for this purpose Rs. 120 [illegible] monthly stipends to the teacher[illegible]

67. *Salary-result Schools.*—The existing ten schools will be maintained for the ensuing year in their present condition. Of these schools, nine are intended for the benefit of Pallas and Pariahs and the staff for these nine schools consists of nine headmasters on Rs. 7 each and two assistant masters on Rs. 5 each. The remaining school is a lower secondary school in which Muhammadan boys are taught. The addition of a teacher on Rs. 5 is proposed for the ensuing year and the following increases in the pay of some of the teachers are also recommended. The headmaster's pay will be raised from Rs. 25 to Rs. 30, the first assistant master's from Rs. 15 to Rs. 18 and the Hindustani Munshi's from Rs. 10 to Rs. 12. These recommendations have been made by the Government Inspector and has the approval of the council.

68. *Result Grants.*—The provision under result grants is fixed at Rs. 5,000 for the ensuing year and the council estimate that this amount will be sufficient as the instructions of the Government contained in paragraph 4 (2) of G.O., No. 2207 M., dated 11th October 1897, will be carefully followed and the grant curtailed or refused to those institutions which are not provided with trained teachers.

69. *Municipal Inspectors.*—The two inspecting schoolmasters—one on Rs. 25 and the other on Rs. 20—will be maintained for the ensuing year.

70. *Common Gymnasium.*—The two gymnastic instructors on Rs. 12 each will be kept on to teach gymnastics in all the salary-result as well as the aided schools.

71. *Drawing Masters.*—Two drawing masters—one on Rs. 20 and the other on Rs. 15—are employed in teaching elementary drawing in all the schools. They will be retained during the ensuing year.

72. *Grant 3, Hospital.*—The municipal hospital and the jubilee dispensary will be maintained as at present. The establishment will consist of four first-class hospital assistants on Rs. 55 each, one female apothecary under training on Rs. 25, two midwives on Rs. 12 each, one clerk on Rs. 15, three compounders on Rs. 15 each, one compounder on Rs. 12, one compounder on Rs. 9, two compounders on Rs. 4 each, one purveyor on Rs. 20, one special (linen) clerk on Rs. 12 and a matron on Rs. 40. These form the existing establishment except that it is proposed to raise the purveyor's pay from Rs. 15 to Rs. 20, and a clerk's pay from Rs. 10 to Rs. 12. The council are satisfied that these increases are necessary as the work performed is heavy and responsible and the incumbents have to furnish cash securities. The changes proposed in the menial servants of the hospital are the following: an increase of pay by Re. 1 is proposed to two male ward attendants, that is, one from Rs. 6 to Rs. 7, and one Rs. 5 to Rs. 6; to one female ward attendant from Rs. 5 to Rs. 6, one native cook from Rs. 5 to Rs. 6, two female toties from Rs. 4-8-0 to Rs. 5, and one dhoby from Rs. 7 to Rs. 9. The waterman on Rs. 5 will be dispensed with, as his services are not required on account of the supply of water by means of pipes laid into the hospital. These increases are made with reference to paragraph 4 (3) Medical Relief, G.O., No. 1484, dated 2nd September 1896.

73. *Vaccination.*—The establishment will consist of one vaccinator on Rs. 15 and four vaccinators on Rs. 10. As it is proposed to use preserved lanoline lymph obtained from the Mysore Vaccination depôt, the services of a calf cooly on Rs. 3 per mensem will be unnecessary.

74. *Registration.*—The existing staff of eight registrars on Rs. 10 each will be maintained for the ensuing year.

75. *Conservancy.*—No changes are proposed in the conservancy establishment.

76. *Private Scavenging Service.*—The existing establishment will be maintained for the ensuing year; the council thinks that the private scavenging system need not be extended for the present as owing to the laxity of houses with latrines in the first and eighth wards and to the proximity of fields and open spaces in the third ward, there is little prospect of working the system without loss.

77. *Cholera Charges.*—A sum of Rs. 3,000 is provided for the epidemic reserve fund for the ensuing year.

78. *Grant 4, Lighting.*—The existing lamps will be maintained. The allotment under this head will be retained for the ensuing year without any addition. The charges for the establishment are reduced from Rs. 1,880 to Rs. 1,870 as no

watchman will be necessary, the oil stores having been removed to the water-works stores. The provision of Rs. 3,400 is necessary for the purchase of oil and new plant to replace those which have become unserviceable.

79. *Markets and Slaughter-houses.*—No changes are proposed in the establishments maintained.

80. *Travellers' Bungalow.*—The establishment for the ensuing year will consist of one mati on Rs. 7, one waterman on Rs. 4, one kitchen servant on Rs. 1-8-0 and a dhobi on As. 6. The increase of Re. 1 to the waterman is absolutely necessary as it is found that efficient workmen cannot be engaged on less than Rs. 4 per mensem.

81. *Grant 5, Office Establishment.*—The provision for the office establishment is fixed at Rs. 4,960 for the ensuing year. Under G.O., No. 1465 M., dated 21st June 1896, the council has proposed to appoint a secretary. The council's recommendations regarding the salary to be paid to the secretary and the powers to be delegated to that officer are now pending before the Government. Provision has been made for the secretary's pay at Rs. 200 per mensem, and it is proposed to reduce the pay of the manager from Rs. 80 to Rs. 50, and that of a correspondence clerk on Rs. 25 to Rs. 20. No further changes are considered desirable in the office staff.

82. *Inspection.*—The council recommends the payment of a carriage allowance of Rs. 60 to the Chairman and Rs. 720 are provided for the purpose. This allowance will cease when out-door inspection duty is delegated to the secretary.

83. *Collection Establishment.*—The existing establishment will be maintained for the ensuing year. The provision for the same is raised from Rs. 1,940 to Rs. 2,080 as it is proposed to raise the pay of four bill collectors from Rs. 12 to Rs. 15 each.

84. The delay of a week in submitting the budget was unavoidable. I took charge of the municipality on the 16th December 1897, from the Revenue Divisional officer who had himself held the office of Chairman only for ten days. Owing to the intervention of the Christmas holidays, no meeting of the council could be conveniently convened before the 6th instant.

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Endt. on Cur. No. 42-Rev.

Submitted.

9th January 1898. (Signed) M. SRINIVASA RAO,
Deputy Collector.

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Forwarded. Ref. on Cur. No. 73-Rev.

2. *Paragraphs* 7, 14, 20, 61 *and* 64—*Water-tax, Water-supply, &c.*—The liability of the South Indian Railway Company to pay water-tax on railway buildings is still under correspondence. The Government has, in G.O., Mis. No. 1573 M., dated 9th July 1897, concurred with the Collector's remarks in paragraph 2 (2) of his endorsement on the budget of the municipality for 1897–98, reviewed in G.O., No. 714 M., dated 27th March 1897. The Agent, South Indian Railway, has, however, since moved the matter for the reconsideration of Government. It is now under correspondence with the Chairman, Municipal Council, Trichinopoly.

The sum of Rs. 2,570 intended for the extension of pipes to selected localities should be utilized before the close of the official year so that the amount of Rs. 3,000 allotted for expenditure under this head during 1898–99 may also be spent. The extension of pipe service system will give additional revenue to the municipality by the levy of water-tax on the residents of the localities benefited and by rendering unnecessary the services of tank watchmen in such places. The system should therefore be introduced in Puttúr, Oraiyúr and other places where it has not yet been adopted. A sum of Rs. 10,000 has been provided for contingent expenses under Rs. 6 with [illegible] months. It would, perhaps, have been better if the head of contingencies

66. *Grant 2.*—The [illegible] into minor heads, such as fuel, oil, &c., so a
officers to select two tea[illegible] water-supply. [illegible]
training and for this pu[illegible] statement had been sub-divided
figures under the minor heads might be
previous years.

Vide Secs 207 & 221 of the Act

future. The reasons assigned in para: 76 for not extending the service cannot be accepted as adequate; it is the duty of house-owners to provide latrines in their backyards and keep them in a Sanitary condition, and the penal provisions of the Act can be enforced against them, if they fail to do so.

Le: Charges-(1) The probable charges are put down at Rs 14,3,940 against the revised estimate of Rs 18,1,640, the decrease being mainly under Grants 1, 4 and 5.

(2) Grant 1. The construction of the drains referred to in para. 60 should not be undertaken, until the plans and estimates have been

authority. The Municipal Council's attention is drawn to para. 7 of the Collector's endorsement. The entertainment of a watchman on Rs 6 for the water-works stores proposed in para. 64. is sanctioned, but the increase of Rs 5 in the pay of the head Engine driver must be disallowed for want of funds. The Chairman's attention is drawn to the remarks of the Sanitary Engineer in his letter read above. The Collector's suggestion at the end of para. 2 of his endorsement will be referred to the Accountant-General for remarks.

(3) Grant 2. The entertainment of an additional teacher on Rs 5 for the Muhammadan Lower Secondary School and the increases in the salaries of the existing teachers of this post

proposed in para. 67 cannot be approved in the present state of the Municipal finances. With reference to para. 1 of the letter from the Director of Public Instruction read above, the allotment for result grants will be raised from Rs 5000 to Rs 5500 and that for building and other special grants from Rs 150 to Rs 250.

(4) Grant 3. The abolition of the post of hospital waterman proposed in para. 72 is approved, but the increases in the salaries of the other hospital servants referred to therein will be disallowed with reference to para. 11 of the Collector's endorsement. The proposal in para. 73 to dispense with the services of the calf peon on Rs 3 and the increase from Rs 5-8-- to

Rs 6 in the pay of one of the private scavengers shown in the proposition statement are approved, but reference should have been made to the latter proposal in the Chairman's letter. The suggestions made by the Sanitary Commissioner in his letter read above for the revision of the Sanitary staff will be commended to the Municipal Council for early adoption for careful consideration. For want of funds, an allotment of only Rs 3000 has been made for epidemic charges, against Rs 3624 required under No 26 of the rules issued in Govt. No 1526/M. dated 9th September 1896.

(5) Grant 4. The abolition of the post of watchman of the lighting stores and the increase from Rs 3 to Rs 4 in the pay of the watchman the travellers' bungalow referred to in paras. 78 and 80, respectively, and the proposal to dispense with the services of one of the slaughter house sweepers on Rs 4 shown in the proposition statement, are sanctioned, but reference should have been made to the last of these proposals in the Chairman's letter.

(6) Grant 5. The Council's proposals in para. 81 to reduce the salaries of the Municipal office manager and the correspondence clerk from Rs 80 and 25, respectively, to Rs 50 and 20 are approved, but for the reason assigned by the Collector in para. 10 of his endorsement, the increase from Rs 12 to Rs 15

For the pay of the four bill
Collectors referred to in para: 83
cannot be sanctioned.

5. As revised by Government,
the budget closes with a balance
of Rs 4750 or only 3·3 per cent
of the estimated receipts. This
should be increased in the course
of the year by effecting savings
wherever practicable.

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19/3/98

To,
The Chairman, Muni: Council, Trichinopoly
" Colltr of Trichinopoly
" President, Dt Bd. Trichinopoly
" Accountant General
" Director of Public Instn
" Surgeon General
" Sanitary Board
" Commr Salt

Trichinopoly

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

	Budget 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.	RS. A. P.
1. BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD—					
a. Municipal Fund	5440 0 0	5440 0 0	400 0 0	17710 0 0	67191 11 8
b. Endowments					
c. Water-tax Fund					
2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES—					
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..	7000 0 0		7000 0 0	12000 0 0	12092 0 0
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	35000 0 0		35000 0 0	31800 0 0	28249 3 6
c. Tax on lands (section 63)	5000 0 0		6000 0 0	4000 0 0	1995 3 6
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)	14000 0 0		16000 0 0	14130 0 0	7556 4 0
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77)	3000 0 0		3000 0 0	3000 0 0	2989 0 0
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..	4000 0 0		4000 0 0	4000 0 0	4122 12 0
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	8000 0 0		5000 0 0	5000 0 0	4932 0 0
h. Tolls (section 91)—					
Gross receipts	12000 0 0		11750 0 0	10000 0 0	10558 8 10
Less Local Fund share					
i. Penalties on account of—					
i. Tax on arts	10 0 0		10 0 0	40 0 0	4 8 0
ii. Tax on buildings	10 0 0		10 0 0	10 0 0	6 4 0
iii. Tax on lands	10 0 0		10 0 0	10 0 0	0 8 0
iv. Water-tax on buildings and lands	10 0 0		10 0 0	10 0 0	. . .
v. Tax on vehicles, &c.	10 0 0		10 0 0	10 0 0	0 8 0
vi. Tax on animals	10 0 0		10 0 0	10 0 0	0 14 0
vii. Tax on carts, &c.	10 0 0		10 0 0	10 0 0	1 12 0
viii. Evasion of tolls		85470 0 0			
3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS—					
a. Pounds					
b. Ferry rents					
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..	200 0 0	200 0 0	200 0 0	100 0 0	190 0 0
Carried forward ..		85270 0 0	86020 0 0	96150 0 0	72648 5 4

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	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		85270 0 0	88020 0 0	84130 0 0	72648 5 4
4. REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—					
a. i. Rent of lands	400 0 0		400 0 0	400 0 0	423 5 11
ii. Rent of buildings	740 0 0		700 0 0	140 0 0	126 8 0
iii. Avenue receipts	150 0 0		150 0 0	150 0 0	200 9 9
iv. Fees from Traveller's Bungalows	300 0 0		300 0 0	260 0 0	300 8 0
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings					
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c.	350 0 0		350 0 0	140 0 0	158 0 0
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c.	100 0 0		100 0 0	100 0 0	74 4 3
c. Conservancy receipts— Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c.	3920 0 0		3920 0 0	5350 0 0	5350 0 0
d. i. Fees from educational institutions	500 0 0		500 0 0	450 0 0	495 8 0
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions				100 0 0	. . .
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines	400 0 0		400 0 0	300 0 0	337 13 11
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..	40 0 0		40 0 0	40 0 0	369 15 9
f. i. Income from markets	20000 0 0		20000 0 0	20000 0 0	20097 3 4
ii. ,, ,, slaughter-houses..	2330 0 0		2330 0 0	2400 0 0	2436 14 10
g. Other fees—*Warrantfees* ..	500 0 0		400 0 0	. . .	. . .
ii. Distraint fees	100 0 0		100 0 0	100 0 0	45 4 0
iii. License fees	1500 0 0		1200 0 0	1500 0 0	1602 13 2
iv. Cartstand fees	4750 0 0		5100 0 0	6000 0 0	5610 0 0
v. Other fees	10 0 0		10 0 0	10 0 0	2 0 0
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts	2000 0 0		1200 0 0	2000 0 0	1975 7 3
i. Interest on investments—					
i. General, including choultries			50 0 0	. . .	. . .
ii. Educational					
iii. Medical	420 0 0		420 0 0	420 0 0	418 15 2
j. Premium on loans		38510 0 0			
Carried forward ..		123780 0 0	125690 0 0	123260 0 0	112693 10 8

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	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		123780 0 0	125690 0 0	128260 0 0	112693 10 8
5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS—					
a. From Government—					
i. Education—					
Normal stipends	70 0 0		70 0 0	70 0 0	. . .
Buildings					
Municipal Schools	50 0 0		50 0 0	50 0 0	20 0 0
Other purposes	350 0 0		350 0 0	350 0 0	201 16 6
ii. Medical					
iii. Other purposes—					
Communications	1190 0 0		1190 0 0	1190 0 0	1188 0 0
Water-supply ..	2000 0 0		2850 0 0	2500 0 0	10387 0 0
Drainage					
Sanitation					
Other purposes	300 0 0		300 0 0	280 0 0	261 0 0
b. From Local Boards—					
i. Education					
ii. Medical	4500 0 0		4500 0 0	4500 0 0	4500 0 0
iii. Other purposes	150 0 0		150 0 0	150 0 0	162 9 0
c. Other grants and contributions—					
i. Education					
ii. Medical					
iii. Other purposes					
iv. Water supply	3300 0 0	11810 0 0	7400 0 0	3200 0 0	877 0 0
6. MISCELLANEOUS—					
a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—					
i. Private scavenging	6000 0 0		5600 0 0	7000 0 0	4483 15 0
ii. Other purposes	1370 0 0		2500 0 0	2000 0 0	4150 0 8
b. Other items—					
i. Fishery rents	100 0 0		100 0 0	100 0 0	48 0 0
ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year	20 0 0		14000 0 0	13400 0 0	220 2 8
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c.	10 0 0		10 0 0	10 0 0	3 4 0
iv. Other items	10 0 0		10 0 0	10 0 0	81 0 0
		7510 0 0			
Carried forward ..		143100 0 0	165280 0 0	158070 0 0	147170 11 7

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

1	Details of Minor Heads. 2	Totals of Major Heads. 3	Revised Estimate for 1897-98. 4	Budget Estimate for 1897-98. 5	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures). 6
	Budget 1898-99.				
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		143100 0 0	165280 0 0	158070 0 0	147170 9 6
7. EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT—					
a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.					
b. Loans—					
i. From Government					
ii. In the market from private individuals					
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans.					
d. Advances—					
i. Permanent					
ii. Others			1160 0 0		
Total Receipts ..			20250 0 0		60 0 0
		143100 0 0	186790 0 0	158070 0 0	20191 2 0
Grand Total ..		148540 0 0	187280 0 0	175780 0 0	234603 7 2

NOTE TO STATEMENT I.

1. Tax on arts, &c., is levied on ~~the first~~ all classes.
2. Tax on buildings is levied at 2½ per cent. and tax on lands at 2½ annas per cent. of rent value. ~~for every 80 square yards.~~
3. Water-tax on buildings and lands is levied at 4 per cent.
4. Tax on vehicles and animals is levied at — the maximum rates.
5. Tax on carts, &c., is levied at Rs. 4 per cart. per annum.
6. Tolls are levied at by the ~~maximum rates.~~ District Board 1535 M. miles × 2 M. miles
7. License-fees are levied at the rates sanctioned in G.O. No 146 M, 27-7-98, and the land tax registers in the official year.
8. The house-tax registers were last revised in the official year
9. Total extent of land assessed is acres.
10. The mode of estimating the annual rental of houses and lands is as follows :—

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STATEMENT I-A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Council under Sections 25 and 26 of Act IV of 1884.

Name of Institution. 1	Amount of Funded Capital. 2	Opening Balance. 3	Interest, Produce of Land, or Rent of buildings. 4	Appropriation from Capital for Expenditure. 5	Private Contributions and Donations. 6	Sale of Medicines or Sundry Property. 7	Total (Columns 4—7). 8	Contribution from Local Funds. 9	Contribution from Provincial Funds. 10	Total Receipts (Columns 3, 8 and 9). 11	Appropriation from Municipal Funds (Column 16 *minus* Column 10). 12	Invested. 13	Current Charges. 14	Total (Statement II). 15	Allotted for Public Works (Statement II-A). 16	Total Charges (Column 14 *plus* Column 15). 17	Closing Balance (Column 3 *minus* Column 16). 18	REMARKS.
Almanac Mosque	RS. 12,446-11-2	RS. "	RS. 820—0—0	RS. "	RS. "	RS. 400—0—0	RS. 1228—0—0	RS. 4500—0—0	RS. "	RS. 6720—0—0	RS. 14,830—0—0	RS. "	RS. 17,100—0—0	RS. 17,100—0—0	RS. 2,450—0—0	RS. 20,650—0—0	RS. "	

STATEMENT II.—Expenditure from the Municipal Fund of the Town of Trichinopoly for the official year 1898-99.

	Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads.	Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT 1.—(*Public Works*)—					
1. NEW WORKS—					
a. Communications					
b. Buildings	4000 0 0			200 0 0	371 7 8
c. Drainage	1000 0 0		4800 0 0	3600 0 0	1952 5 3
d. Water-supply	3000 0 0	8000 0 0		300 0 0	5000
2. REPAIRS—			27300 0 0	15390 0 0	6199 3 7
a. Communications	12000 0 0				
b. Buildings	2500 0 0		18000 0 0	13000 0 0	14427 11 4
c. Drainage—					
i. Repairs to works			3500 0 0	4500 0 0	4592 2 11
ii. Establishment for flushing drains, &c.			100 0 0		57 11 3
d. Water-supply—					
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c.	800 0 0		1000 0 0	1500 0 0	
ii. Establishment	8060 0 0		8000 0 0		
iii. Contingencies	10000 0 0		12000 0 0	8570 0 0	6966 13 9
e. Mis. Public Improvements	1030 0 0	23340 0 0	500 0 0	10800 0 0	13678 11 10
3. ESTABLISHMENT	300 0 0	1030 0 0	700 0 0	1020 0 0	1068 11 5
4. TOOLS AND PLANT AND OTHER STORES.		300 0 0		300 0 0	9 11
5. CONTRIBUTIONS—			770 0 0		
a. To Local Boards for works ..					
b. To Provincial Funds for scrutiny of estimates, &c.					
c. To others for public works ..					
Total, Grant 1 ..		42690 0 0	72310 0 0	59190 0 0	104648 8 11
GRANT 2.—(*Education*)—					
1. TRAINING SCHOOLS—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Stipends to Normal students ..	720 0 0	120 0 0	120 0 0	120 0 0	12 4 2
2. MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS—					
i. On Salary System—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
Carried forward ..		120 0 0	120 0 0	120 0 0	12 4 2

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

	Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads.	Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		120 0 0	120 0 0	120 0 0	12 4 2
GRANT 2.—(*Education*)—cont.					
ii. On Salary-Results System—					
a. Fixed Payments	2120 0 0		1940 0 0	1940 0 0	1869 8 11
b. Result Grants	800 0 0		800 0 0	800 0 0	1021 9 0
c. Contingencies	200 0 0	3120 0 0	340 0 0	200 0 0	568 6 4
3. SALARY GRANTS					
4. RESULTS GRANTS	5000 0 0	5000 0 0	6400 0 0	6000 0 0	5264 14 0
5. COMBINED GRANTS—					
a. Fixed Payments					
b. Result Grants					
6. INSPECTION—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Municipal Inspectors—					
i. Establishment	540 0 0		540 0 0	540 0 0	529 12 11
ii. Contingencies	20 0 0	560 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	75 14 9
7. MISCELLANEOUS—					
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants ..	450 0 0		250 0 0	250 0 0	210 2 0
b. Common gymnasium—					
i. Establishment	290 0 0		280 0 0	280 0 0	264 8 0
ii. Contingencies	10 0 0		40 0 0	40 0 0	34 10 9
c. Common Drawing Master—					
i. Establishment	420 0 0		380 0 0	420 0 0	170 3 11
ii. Contingencies	20 0 0		20 0 0	20 0 0	25 9 5
d. Other items		890 0 0		100 0 0	
Total, Grant 2 ..		9690 0 0	10150 0 0	10750 0 0	10047 13 2
GRANT 3.—(*Sanitation and Medical Services*).					
1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES—					
a. Establishment	6700 0 0		6200 0 0	6440 0 0	5513 15 5
b. Medicines and Supplies	4400 0 0		4400 0 0	4400 0 0	6251 10 4
c. Diet of Patients	3600 0 0		3600 0 0	3200 0 0	3047 12 6
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..	2400 0 0		2400 0 0	2400 0 0	3525 7 2
e. Contributions to Local Boards &c., &c., &c. ..		17100 0 0			
Carried forward ..		17100 0 0	16600 0 0	16440 0 0	14338 13 4

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

	Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads.	Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		17,100 0 0	16,600 0 0	16,440 0 0	18,338 13 4
GRANT 3.—(*Sanitation and Medical Services*)—cont.					
2. *a.* Contributions to Provincial Funds for—					
i. Medical College	480 0 0				
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..	360 0 0		460 0 0	720 0 0	452 0 0
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..	100 0 0		360 0 0	460 0 0	361 0 0
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..		940 0 0	100 0 0	80 0 0	102 0 0
b. Contributions to Local Boards, &c., for—				1260	975
i. Medical Schools					
ii. Reserve staff					
&c., &c., &c. ..					
c. Other contributions					
3. Vaccination—					
a. Establishment	660 0 0		690 0 0	690 0 0	638 7 11
b. Contingencies	430 0 0		430 0 0	430 0 0	436 1 0
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..		1090 0 0			
4. Registration of Births and Deaths—					
a. Establishment	960 0 0		960 0 0	960 0 0	887 7 8
b. Contingencies	50 0 0	1010 0 0	80 0 0	100 0 0	240 15 3
5. Conservancy, Road cleaning and Road watering—					
a. i. Establishment	13370 0 0		12370 0 0	13370 0 0	11,770 12 7
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	20000 0 0		21000 0 0	20000 0 0	22591 3 10
b. Private scavenging—					
i. Establishment	5650 0 0		5650 0 0	5650 0 0	5566 9 10
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c.	50 0 0		100 0 0	100 0 0	15 15 0
c. Cholera charges	3000 0 0		3000 0 0	3000 0 0	4,238 10 6
d. Contingencies	200 0 0		200 0 0	400 0 0	76 13 7
&c., &c., &c. ..		42270 0 0			
Total, Grant 3 ..		62,390 0 0	62,000 0 0	62,400 0 0	65,713 14 6

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

	Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads.	Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT 4.—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*).					
1. Lighting—					
a. Establishment	1870 0 0		1880 0 0	1880 0 0	1905 7 5
b. Contingencies	3400 0 0	5270 0 0	3400 0 0	3000 0 0	3468 15 4
2. i. Markets—					
a. Establishment	1020 0 0		1020 0 0	1020 0 0	1002 8 8
b. Contingencies	20 0 0		20 0 0	320 0 0	43 3 4
ii. Slaughter-houses—					
a. Establishment	510 0 0		500 0 0	560 0 0	527 12 0
b. Contingencies	80 0 0	1590 0 0	30 0 0	30 0 0	40 11 4
3. Choultries—			1570	1920	1594 3 7
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
c. Feeding Travellers					
4. Travellers' Bungalows—					
a. Establishment	160 0 0		140 0 0	140 0 0	142 8 0
b. Contingencies	100 0 0	260 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	15 0 0
5. Avenues—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
6. Public Garden—					
a. Establishment	240 0 0		220 0 0	240 0 0	149 13 1
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..	100 0 0		120 0 0	100 0 0	73 13 8
c. Contribution to People's Park.	180 0 0	520 0 0	180 0 0	180 0 0	180 0 0
7. Survey of Land			1,000 0 0		
8. Fire—					
a. Establishment					
b. Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c.	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	63 0 0
9. Other charges—					
i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging ..	1000 0 0		2000 0 0	2000 0 0	1774 4 5
Carried forward ..	1000 0 0	7,680 0 0	10,650 0 0	9,610 0 0	9,367 1 3

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

	Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads.	Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..	1000 0 0	7,680 0 0	16,650 0 0	9,610 0 0	9,367 1 8
GRANT 4.—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont.					
9. Other charges—cont.					
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes	150 0 0		250 0 0	250 0 0	240 15 2
iii. Printing	100 0 0		100 0 0	100 0 0	65 3 0
iv. Compensation for lands ..	500 0 0		960 0 0	1,000 0 0	1016 12 7
v. Other items	200 0 0		3,860 0 0	500 0 0	.. ..
vi. Clock establishment ..	420 0 0		420 0 0	420 0 0	609 10 4
	80 0 0	2,500 0 0	80 0 0	80 0 0	84 0 0
Total, Grant 4 ..		9,880		4,660	4016 9 1
GRANT 5—		9,980 0 0	15,970 0 0	11,710 0 0	11,142 11 2
a. General Establishment—					
i. Office Establishment	4,960 0 0		3180 0 0	2,980 0 0	2914 5 6
ii. Inspection	720 0 0		3,480 0 0	4,280 0 0	4768 9 2
b. Collection of Municipal Taxes—					
i. Establishment	2080 0 0		1940 0 0	1940 0 0	1905 8 0
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c.	500 0 0		800 0 0	1,000 0 0	999 7 6
c. Collection of Tolls—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies					
d. Office contingencies other than (b) (ii)	200 0 0		400 0 0	400 0 0	243 5 3
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments	1130 0 0		1130 0 0	1130 0 0	844 0 0
Total, Grant 5 ..		9,510 0 0	10,930 0 0	11,730 0 0	11,678 6 7
Repayment of Debt—					
a. Instalments paid during the year..	4400 0 0	4400 0 0	4400 0 0	4400 0 0	4400 0 0
b. Invested on account of Sinking Fund (Value of securities purchased)					
c. Charges of investment					
Interest—					
a. On account of last year					
b. On account of current years ..	5100 0 0	5100 0 0	5250 0 0	5280 0 0	5471 7 8

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

	Budget 1898-99. Details of Minor Heads.	Budget 1898-99. Totals of Major Heads.	Revised Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1897-98 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Advances recoverable—					
a. Permanent					170 0 0
b. Others					19,530 1 2
Refunds of other than current collections ..	100 0 0	100 0 0	800 0 0	100 0 0	1,141 4 0
Discount					
Pensions and gratuities					180 0 0
Investments—					
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund					
b. In Savings Bank					
Total Expenditure ..		143,940 0 0	181,840 0 0	165,560 0 0	234,116 3 2
Balances—					
a. Municipal Fund		4,600 0 0	5,440 0 0	10,220 0 0	487 4 0
b. Endowments					
c. Water-tax Fund					
Grand Total ..		148,540 0 0	187,280 0 0	175,780 0 0	234,603 7 2

Note to Statement II.

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

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

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William O'Hara
Chairman

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
		Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(a)	Communications								
1									
2									
3		Nil							
	Total ..								
(b)	Buildings								
1	construction of an out patient Dispensary	9,000	3,000	0	0	3,000	0	0	
2	Rebuilding China bazaar stalls	2020	1,000	0	0	1,000	0	0	
	Total ..	11,020	4,000	0	0	4,000	0	0	

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	Drains in 4, 5, 6 & 7th Wards	1,000	. . .			1,000	0	0	
2									
3									
	Total ..	1,000	. . .			1,000	0	0	
(d)	Water-supply								
1	For additional piped fountain	3,000	. . .			3,000	0	0	
2									
3									
	Total ..	3,000	. . .			3,000	0	0	

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

Part II.—Repairs.

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(a)	Communications							
1	Trunk Road	3600	0	0				Total mileage of roads, streets, lanes, &c., in the town. 37
2	Madura Road	1200	0	0				Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled.
3	Western Boulevard Road	1200	0	0				34 3
4	Goods approach Road	250	0	0				
5	Tanjore road	300	0	0				Total mileage under maintenance. 37
6	Vyalore road	150	0	0				Metalled or Gravelled } Unmetalled.
7	Race course road	300	0	0				34 3
8	Cantonment Roads	3000	0	0				
9	Eastern Boulevard Road	300	0	0				
10	Veda street road	300	0	0				
11	Pampapathara street	250	0	0				
12	All other Roads	1250	0	0				
	Total ..	12000	0	0				

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.	
	Buildings							
1	Latrines	500	0	0				
2	Fort Market	500	0	0				
3	Straw Market	100	0	0				
4	Marrakpet Market (Ground)	50	0	0				
5	Do Beef Market	50	0	0				
6	Do Slaughter House	50	0	0				
7	Municipal Hospital	400	0	0				X
8	Jubilee Dispensary	50	0	0				X
9	Puthur Pallah School	100	0	0				
10	Travellers Bungalow	50	0	0				
11	Cart stand & grain market	100	0	0				
12	Woraiyur Market	100	0	0				
13	Chinnakadai Market	50	0	0				
14	Fort Butchers Market	100	0	0				
15	Fort Sheep Slaughter House	100	0	0				
16	Puthur Do	50	0	0				
17	Municipal office	150	0	0				
18	Distribs	100	0	0				
	Total ..	2500	0	0				

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

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(c)	Drainage							
1								
2		Nil						
3								
	Total ..							
(d)	Water-supply							
1	water works machinery	800	0	0				
2								
3								
	Total ..	800	0	0				

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments.

——	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 1.—2. *c.* Drainage—							
Overseers							
Drain cleaners	Nil						
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
d. Water works—							
Main Pumping: Head Driver	1	115	0	0	1380	0	0
Assistant do	1	40	0	0	480	0	0
Head Stoker	1	20	0	0	240	0	0
Assistant do on Rs 10	2	20	0	0	240	0	0
Cleaners on Rs 7 each	4	28	0	0	336	0	0
Wood carriers on Rs 6 a	2	12	0	0	144	0	0
Watchman	1	6	0	0	72	0	0
Sweeper	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
Sub-Pumping: Head Driver	1	50	0	0	600	0	0
Assistant do	1	20	0	0	240	0	0
Fireman	1	9	0	0	108	0	0
Cleaners on Rs 6 each	2	8	0	0	96	0	0
Wood carrier	1	12	0	0	144	0	0
Watchman & Sweeper	1	6	0	0	72	0	0
Outdoor: Overseer	1	7	0	0	84	0	0
Fitters on Rs 10 each	2	75	0	0	900	0	0
Head Turncocks on Rs 12 a	2	20	0	0	240	0	0
Turncocks on Rs 7 a	6	24	0	0	288	0	0
Cleaners on Rs 6 a	6	42	0	0	504	0	0
Lascar	1	36	0	0	432	0	0
Workshop + Store Fitter	1	6	0	0	72	0	0
Smith	1	25	0	0	300	0	0
Hammerman	1	25	0	0	300	0	0
Bellowsboy	1	9	0	0	108	0	0
Storekeeper	1	3	0	0	36	0	0
Store watchman	1	25	0	0	300	0	0
Tank watchers on Rs 3 each	6	new 6	0	0	72	0	0
		18	0	0	216	0	0
Total ..	51	672	0	0	8064	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					4	0	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					8060	0	0

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

Part II.—Repairs—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(*c*)	Drainage							
1								
2		Nil						
3								
	Total ..							
	Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
	Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
	Balance (Statement II) ..							

GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—

1. Lighting—

	Superintendents							
	Masalchies							
	Total ..							
	Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
	Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
	Balance (Statement II) ..							

Statement II-B.—Details of Municipal Establishments.

——	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 1.—2. *c.* Drainage—							
Overseers							
Drain cleaners	Nil						
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
d. Water works—							
~~Sweepers~~							
Main Pumping: Head Driver	1	115	0	0	1380	0	0
Watchmen							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
3. General—							
Overseers	1	70	0	0	840	0	0
~~Maistries~~ Clerk	1	10	0	0	10	0	0
Peon	1	6	0	0	72	0	0
Total ..	3	86	0	0	1032	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					2	0	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					1030	0	0

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 2.—EDUCATION—							
1. TRAINING SCHOOLS—							
Pupils receiving scholarships	2	10	0	0	120	0	0
Total ..	2	10	0	0	120	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					120	0	0
2. MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS—							
a. On the Salary System—							
Head Master							
1st Assistant Master							
2nd „ „	Nil						
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 2.—EDUCATION—*cont.*							
b. On the Salary Result System—							
Mohamedan Lower Secondary School							
Head Master	1	25 x 30	0	0	360	0	0
Assistant Master	1	15 x 18	0	0	216	0	0
do	1	12	0	0	144	0	0
do	1	8	0	0	96	0	0
do	1	7	0	0	84	0	0
do	1	6	0	0	72	0	0
do	1	new x 5	0	0	60	0	0
Hindustani Munshi	1	10 x 12	0	0	144	0	0
Peon	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
Sweeper	1	1	0	0	12	0	0
Pallah Schools							
Head masters on Rs 7 each	9	63	0	0	756	0	0
Assistant Masters on Rs 5 a	2	10	0	0	120	0	0
Total ..	21	177	0	0	2124	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					4	0	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					—	—	—
Balance (Statement II) ..					2120	0	0

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

1	Number. 2	Salary per mensem. 3			Salary per annum. 4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 2.—Education—*cont.*							
6. Inspection—							
Inspecting Schoolmaster	1	250	0	0	300	0	0
do	1	200	0	0	240	0	0
Total ..	2	450	0	0	540	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					-		
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-		
Balance (Statement II) ..					540		
7. *b.* Common Gymnastic Instructors on Rs 12 each	2	24	0	0	288		
Total ..	2	24	0	0	288		
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					-		
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					2		
Balance (Statement II) ..					290		
c. Common Drawing Masters	1	20	0	0	240		
do	1	15	0	0	180		
Total ..	2	35	0	0	420		
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					-		
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-		
Balance (Statement II) ..					420		

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

1	Number. 2	Salary per mensem. 3			Salary per annum. 4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 3.—Sanitation and Medical Services—							
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—							
Medical Subordinates .. on Rs 55 each ..	4 (2@55 +2@35)	220	0	0	2640	0	0
Lady apothecary under training	1	25	0	0	300	0	0
Midwife .. .. .. on Rs 12 each ..	2 (See Comments page 4)	24	0	0	288	0	0
Clerk	1	15	0	0	180	0	0
Compounder .. .. on Rs 15 each ..	3	45	0	0	540	0	0
Servants do	1	12	0	0	144	0	0
" do.	1	9	0	0	108	0	0
" do. .. on Rs 4 each ..	2	8	0	0	96	0	0
Purveyor	1	15 x 20	0	0	240	0	0
Linen clerk	1	10 x 12	0	0	144	0	0
Matron	1	40	0	0	480	0	0
Peons on Rs 6 each	2	12	0	0	144	0	0
Surgery attendant	1	6	0	0	72	0	0
Malewards attendant	1	6 x 7	0	0	84	0	0
do	1	5 x 6	0	0	72	0	0
do	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
Female ward attendant	1	5 x 6	0	0	72	0	0
do	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
Male attendant	1	6	0	0	72	0	0
Female do	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
European cook	1	6	0	0	72	0	0
Native cook	1	5 x 6	0	0	72	0	0
do	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
Gardener	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
Dhoby	1	waterman on Rs 5 plus 4 x 9	0	0	108	0	0
Male toties on Rs 6 each	4	7 x 20	0	0	240	0	0
Female toties do	2	9 x 10	0	0	120	0	0
Masalchi	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
Sweeper	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
Total ..	41	559	0	0	6708	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					8	0	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					-		
Balance (Statement II) ..					6700	0	0

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.	Salary per annum.
1	2	3	4
GRANT 3.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs.
3. Vaccination—			
Vaccinators	1	15 0 0	180
Peons	4	40 0 0	480
Total ..	5	55 0 0	660
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			
Balance (Statement II) ..			660
4. Registration—			
Registrars .. .. on Rs 10 each ..	8	80 0 0	960
Peons			
Total ..	8	80 0 0	960
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			
Balance (Statement II) ..			960

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.	Salary per annum.
1	2	3	4
GRANT 3.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5. *a.* "Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering"—			
Sanitary Inspectors on Rs 20 each	3	60 0 0	720 0 0
Nuisance Inspectors on Rs 17½ ..	3	52 8 0	630 0 0
do on Rs 15 ..	2	30 0 0	360 0 0
do on Rs 12 ..	1	12 0 0	144 0 0
Maistries Health officer ..	1	pay 70 + 15 h.a. 85 0 0	1020 0 0
Scavengers clerk	1	10 0 0	120 0 0
Sweepers Peons on Rs 6 each	19	114 0 0	1368 0 0
Scavengers on Rs 5 ..	4	20 0 0	240 0 0
do on Rs 4½ ..	88	396 0 0	4752 0 0
do on Rs 4 ..	4	16 0 0	192 0 0
Sweepers on Rs 4½ ..	71	319 8 0	3834 0 0
Total ..	197	1115 0 0	13380 0 0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..			10 0 0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..			
Balance (Statement II) ..			13370 0 0

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 3.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
b. Private Scavenging—							
~~Inspectors~~ Maistries on Rs 8	1	8	0	0	96	0	0
Maistries .. .. on Rs 7 each ..	6	42	0	0	504	0	0
Scavengers .. .. on Rs 6 a ..	2	12	0	0	144	0	0
~~Do~~ on Rs 4½ a	91	409	8	0	4,914	0	0
Total ..	100	471	8	0	5,658	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					8	0	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					5,650	0	0
GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—							
1. Lighting—							
Superintendents	1	15	0	0	180	0	0
~~Masalchies~~ Do	1	9	0	0	108	0	0
Do	1	7	0	0	84	0	0
Masalchis on Rs 5 each	25	125	0	0	1,500	0	0
Total ..	28	156	0	0	1,872	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					2	0	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					1,870	0	0

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
2. i. Markets—							
Superintendents	1	15	0	0	180	0	0
Peon	1	6	0	0	72	0	0
Servants watchmen on Rs 6 each ..	2	12	0	0	144	0	0
Sweepers on Rs 5 a	2	10	0	0	120	0	0
Do on Rs 4½ a	5	22	8	0	270	0	0
~~Do~~ on Rs 4 a	5	20	0	0	240	0	0
Total ..	16	85	8	0	1026	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					6	0	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					1020	0	0
ii. Slaughter-houses—							
Superintendents	1	12	0	0	144	0	0
~~Servants~~ ~~Do~~	1	10	0	0	120	0	0
~~Do~~	1	8	0	0	96	0	0
Sweeper	1	4	8	0	54	0	0
Do on Rs 4 each	2	8	0	0	96	0	0
Total ..	6	42	8	0	510	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					.	.	.
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					510	0	0
3. Choultries—							
Servants	Nil						
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

——	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
4. Travellers' Bungalows—							
Maty	1	7	0	0	84	0	0
Servants	1	4	0	0	48	0	0
	1	1	8	0	18	0	0
	1	0	6	0	4	8	0
Total ..	4	12	14	0	154	8	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..				0	5	8	0
Balance (Statement II) ..					160	0	0
5. Avenues—							
Servants	Nil						
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
6. Public Garden—							
Gardeners .. .. on Rs. 5 each ..	4	20	0	0	240	0	0
Total ..	4	20	0	0	240	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					240	0	0

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

——	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT 4.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
8. Fire—							
Servants	Nil						
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
9.— other charges :-							
VI. Clock Establishment							
Clock winder	1	7	0	0	84	0	0
Total	1	7	0	0	84	0	0
Deduct fines + stoppages					4	0	0
add arrears for last year paid this year							
Balance (Statement II)					80	0	0

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 5.—*a.* General Establishment—							
i. Office—							
~~Manager~~ Secretary	1	200	0	0	2400	0	0
Head Clerk	1	50	0	0	600	0	0
Clerks .. .. ..on Rs 20 each.	2	20	0	0	480	0	0
Do .. .. ..on Rs 15 each	1	15	0	0	180	0	0
Accountant	1	35	0	0	420	0	0
~~Peons~~ Cashkeeper.	1	30	0	0	360	0	0
Mochi	1	10	0	0	120	0	0
Peon	1	8	0	0	96	0	0
Do on Rs 7 each	3	21	0	0	252	0	0
Watchman	1	5	0	0	60	0	0
Total ..	13	414	0	0	4968	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					8	0	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					4960	0	0
ii. Inspection—							
Chairman's ~~salary or~~ carriage allowance	1	5	60	0	0	720	0	0
Total ..	1	60	0	0	720	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					.	.	.
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					720	0	0

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT 5.—*a.* General Establishment—*cont.*							
b. Collection—							
Clerks .. .. ..on Rs 20 each.	3	60	0	0	720	0	0
Bill Collectors .. .. on Rs. 15	4	60	0	0	720	0	0
~~Peons~~ Do. .. .. on Rs. 12	4	48	0	0	576	0	0
Peon	1	6	0	0	72	0	0
Total ..	12	174	0	0	2088	0	0
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					8	0	0
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					.	.	.
Balance (Statement II) ..					2080	0	0
c. Collection of tolls—							
Inspectors							
Gate-keepers	Nil						
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

William O'Hara
Chairman

STATEMENT III.—*Municipality of* Abstract of

Deposits Account for the year 189 –9 .

	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Balance brought forward ..							
1. Deposits by appellants				1. Credited to Municipal Funds ..			
2. Deposits by renters				2. Returned to appellants			
3. Deposits by contractors				3. Returned to renters			
4. Deposits as security by municipal servants				4. Returned to contractors			
				5. Returned to municipal servants ..			
5. Deposited for the execution of work for which private parties are liable.				6. Returned to parties			
6. Other deposits under the Act or bye-laws				7. Paid to claimants			
				Total ..			
Total, Receipts ..				Balance ..			
Total, including balance ..				Total ..			

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

Current.

Tax.	Demand as originally assessed by the Chairman.	Remitted by the Council on appeal.	Demand as finally settled (column 2 *minus* column 3).	Collected.	Remitted on account of vacant houses, &c.	Written off as irrecoverable.	Balance (column 4 *minus* columns 5, 6 and 7).
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
1. Tax on arts, &c.	7,000 0 0	- - -	7,000 0 0	7,000 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
2. Tax on buildings	35,000 0 0	- - -	35,000 0 0	35,000 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
3. Tax on lands	5,000 0 0	- - -	5,000 0 0	5,000 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands	14,000 0 0	- - -	14,000 0 0	14,000 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
5. Tolls (Net gross receipts)	12,000 0 0	- - -	12,000 0 0	12,000 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
6. Market rents	20,000 0 0	- - -	20,000 0 0	20,000 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
7. Slaughter-house fees	2330 0 0	- - -	2330 0 0	2330 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
8. Rent of cart-stands	4750 0 0	- - -	4750 0 0	4750 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
9. Private scavenging fees	6000 0 0	- - -	6000 0 0	6000 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
10 Rent of Lands	400 0 0	- - -	400 0 0	400 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
11. Rent of Bullocks	740 0 0	- - -	740 0 0	740 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
12. Sale proceeds of Night soil	800 0 0	- - -	800 0 0	800 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
13. Do of Rubbish	3120 0 0	- - -	3120 0 0	3120 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
14. Income of Lands, Gardens	360 0 0	- - -	350 0 0	350 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
15. Tax on Vehicles - - - -	3000 0 0	- - -	3000 0 0	3000 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
16. " animals - - - -	4000 0 0	- - -	4000 0 0	4000 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
17 " carts - - - -	5000 0 0	- - -	5000 0 0	5000 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
18 Warrant fees - - - -	500 0 0	- - -	500 0 0	500 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -
Total ..	123990 0 0	- - -	123990 0 0	123990 0 0	- - -	- - -	- - -

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Chairman

Statement IV-B.—Arrears.

—	Balance of old demand.	Arrears of previous year.	Total demand.	Collected.	Remitted.	Written off.	Balance (column 4 *minus* columns 5, 6 and 7).	Years to which the balance relates.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9			
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	A.	B.	C.	&c.
1. Tax on arts, &c.											
2. Tax on buildings											
3. Tax on lands											
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..											
5. Tolls											
6. Market rents											
7. Slaughter-house fees											
8. Rent of cart-stands											
9. Private scavenging fees											
Total ..											

Appendix A to Statements IV-A and IV-B

Taxes.	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year.		Warrants issued during the year.		Total.		Warrants executed and warrants cancelled during the year.		Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year.		Cancelled warrants on which no collections were made.		Collected after issue of warrants, but before distraint.		Property distrained, but not sold.		Property sold.	
	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount involved.	Number of cases.	Amount.	Number of cases	Amount realized on distraint.	Number of cases.	Amount realized by sale.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.
1. Tax on arts, &c. ...																		
2. Tax on buildings ...																		
3. Tax on lands ..																		
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands.																		
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins.																		
6. Tax on animals ..																		
7. Tax on carts, &c. ...																		
Total ...																		

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

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

Statement V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of for the official year 189 -9 .

STATEMENT V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of for the official year 189 -9 .

Schools.	Number of schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 189 .		Receipts.					Expenditure.								Net cost to municipality.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools.	Remarks.
												Teachers.										
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed in the year.	At the close of the year.	Boys.	Girls.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Grants from Provincial Funds.	Grants from Local Funds.	School fees.	Other receipts.	Total.	Fixed salary.	Results stipends.	School fees.	Clerks and servants.	Stipends and scholarships.	Library furniture, apparatus and appliances.	Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
								RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
I.—Colleges																							
II.—Upper Secondary Schools and Departments.																							
(1)																							
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ..																							
III.—Lower Secondary Schools and Departments.																							
(a) Salary System—																							
(1)																							
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ...																							
(b) Salary-results System—																							
(1)																							
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ...																							
Total, Colleges and Secondary Schools																							
IV.—Primary Schools and Departments.																							
(a) Salary System—																							
(1)																							
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ...																							

Statement V-A.—Showing the Statistics of Municipal Schools in the Municipality of for the official year 189 -9 —*cont.*

Schools.	Number of schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 189			Receipts.					Expenditure.								Net cost to municipality.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools.	Remarks.
													Teachers.										
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed in the year.	At the close of the year.	Boys.	Girls.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Grants from Provincial Funds.	Grants from Local Funds.	School fees.	Other receipts.	Total.	Fixed salary.	Results stipends.	School fees.	Clerks and servants.	Stipends and scholarships.	Library furniture, apparatus and appliances.	Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
								RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
IV.- Primary Schools and Departments—*cont.*																							
(b) Salary-results System—																							
(1)																							
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ...																							
Total, Primary Schools ...																							
VI.—Special Schools.																							
(1)																							
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ...																							
Grand Total of Colleges and Schools																							

Foot-note to Statement V-A.

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

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

STATEMENT V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of for the official year 189 -9 .

Schools.	Number of Schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 189 .		Number of pupils examined in results grants schools.	Number of pupils found qualified for results grants.	Full amount of results grants earned.			Amount of results grants passed for payment.			Amount of results grants disbursed.						Amount of salary grants disbursed.			Total expenditure from Municipal funds, columns 14 and 15.			Remarks.
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	Boys.	Girls.									For current year.			For previous year.			Total.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			11			12			13			14			15			16			17
									Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
A. Salary Grant Schools.																													
(a) Secondary schools ..																													
(1)																													
(2)																													
(3)																													
Total ..																													
(b) Primary schools ..																													
(1)																													
(2)																													
(3)																													
Total ..																													
Total of Salary Grant Schools ..																													

Statement V-B.—Showing the Statistics of Aided Schools in the Municipality of for the official year 189 -9 —*cont.*

Schools.	Number of Schools. At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 189 . Boys.	Girls.	Number of pupils examined in results grants schools.	Number of pupils found qualified for results grants.	Full amount of results grants earned. RS. A. P.	Amount of results grants passed for payment. RS. A. P.	Amount of results grants disbursed. For current year. RS. A. P.	For previous year. RS. A. P.	Total. RS. A. P.	Amount of salary grants disbursed. RS. A. P.	Total expenditure from Municipal funds, columns 14 and 15. RS. A. P.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
B. Results Grants Schools, *i.e.*, Schools actually examined for results grants—																
(*a*) Secondary Schools—																
(1)																Rate at which grant was paid.
(2)																
(3)																
Total ..																
(*b*) Primary Schools ..																
Total ..																
Total of Results Grants Schools.																
Grand Total of Aided Schools. .																

Foot-note.

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

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

STATEMENT VI.—Revised Estimate for 1897–98.

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

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98.	Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97.	Probable receipts of the last four months of 1897-98.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1. Balance brought forward—						
a. Municipal Fund	490 0 0	. . .	. . .	490 0 0	17,710 0 0	
b. Endowments						
c. Water-tax Fund						
2. Municipal rates and taxes—						
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..	3640 0 0	5790 0 0	3360 0 0	7000 0 0	12,000 0 0	The decrease is due to the revised schedule of rates under the Amendment Act
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	18520 0 0	14,560 0 0	16,480 0 0	35,000 0 0	31,800 0 0	The increase is due to arrears of previous year
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..	2920 0 0	125 0 0	3080 0 0	6,000 0 0	4,000 0 0	
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)	6940 0 0	4955 0 0	9060 0 0	16,000 0 0	14,130 0 0	Is due to the assessment of 'water tax' on Railway buildings
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..	1950 0 0	820 0 0	1050 0 0	3000 0 0	3000 0 0	
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..	2820 0 0	970 0 0	1180 0 0	4000 0 0	4000 0 0	
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	3830 0 0	820 0 0	1170 0 0	5000 0 0	6000 0 0	
h. Tolls (section 91)—						
Net ~~Gross~~ receipts	5970 0 0	6020 0 0	5780 0 0	11750 0 0	10000 0 0	Fluctuating item.
Less Local Fund share ..						
i. Tax on arts			100 0	100 0	400 0	
ii. Tax on buildings			100 0	100 0	100 0	
iii. Tax on lands		80	100 0	100 0	100 0	
iv. Water-tax on buildings and lands			100 0	100 0	100 0	
v. Tax on vehicles, &c. ..		0 8 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	
vi. Tax on animals		1 0 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	
vii. Tax on carts, &c.		2 0 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	
viii. Evasion of tolls						
3. Realizations under Special Acts—						
a. Pounds						
b. Ferry rents						
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..	190 0 0	. . .	10 0 0	200 0 0	100 0 0	Fluctuating item
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—						
a. i. Rent of lands	240 0 0	133 0 0	160 0 0	400 0 0	400 0 0	
ii. Rent of buildings	400 0 0	46 0 0	300 0 0	700 0 0	140 0 0	Is due to the enhanced rents of buildings & to the transfer to this head of Rs 360 being the rents of Chira Bazaars hitherto shown under 'other Hospital receipts'.
iii. Avenue receipts	70 0 0	70 0 0	80 0 0	150 0 0	150 0 0	
iv. Fees from Travellers' Bungalows	170 0 0	140 0 0	130 0 0	300 0 0	260 0 0	
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings						
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c.	200 0 0	100 0 0	150 0 0	350 0 0	140 0 0	Is due to the increase in the sale of the right for collecting fuller's earth
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c.	20 0 0	5 0 0	80 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	
Carried forward ..	47,860 0 0	34,558 0 0	42,140 0 0	90,020 0 0	85,320 0 0	

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

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98.	Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97.	Probable receipts of the last four months of 1897-98.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Brought forward ..	47,000 0 0	34,560 0 0	42,140 0 0	90,020 0 0	85,320 0 0	
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—*cont.*						
c. Conservancy receipts—						
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c.	2,100 0 0	3,210 0 0	1,820 0 0	3,920 0 0	5,350 0 0	The decrease is due to the lack of competition
d. i. Fees from educational institutions	310 0 0	215 0 0	190 0 0	500 0 0	450 0 0	
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions ..	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	10 0 0	
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines ..	280 0 0	140 0 0	120 0 0	400 0 0	200 0 0	Fluctuating item.
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..	20 0 0	150 0 0	20 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	Rs 360 transferred to 'Rent of buildings'.
f. i. Income from markets ..	10,170 0 0	8400 0 0	9830 0 0	20,000 0 0	20,000 0 0	
ii. ,, slaughter-houses.	1560 0 0	1000 0 0	770 0 0	2330 0 0	2400 0 0	
g. Other fees—i Warrant fees	260 0 0	. . .	140 0 0	400 0 0	. . .	New item.
ii. Distraint fees	25 0 0	15 0 0	75 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	
iii. License fees	990 0 0	1110 0 0	210 0 0	1200 0 0	1600 0 0	Fluctuating item
iv. Cart-stand fees	2490 0 0	2400 0 0	2610 0 0	5100 0 0	5000 0 0	Is due to the collection of arrears.
v. Other fees	5 0 0	2 0 0	5 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	
i. General, including choultries	50 0 0	. . .	. . .	50 0 0	. . .	Interest on a Govt. Pro. note.
ii. Educational						
iii. Medical	420 0 0	210 0 0	. . .	420 0 0	420 0 0	
j. Premium on loans						
5. Grants and contributions—						
a. From Government—						
i. Education—						
Normal stipends			20 0 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	
Buildings						
Municipal Schools	. . .	. . .	50 0 0	50 0 0	50 0 0	
Other purposes	160 0 0	120 0 0	180 0 0	280 0 0	260 0 0	
ii. Medical						
iii. Other purposes—						
Communications	1190 0 0	. . .	. . .	1190 0 0	1190 0 0	
Water-supply	1338 0 0	10387 0 0	152 0 0	2550 0 0	2500 0 0	Is due to the payment of last years contribution in the current year by the Jail Dept.
Drainage						
Sanitation						
Other purposes	160 0 0	130 0 0	140 0 0	300 0 0	280 0 0	
b. From Local Boards—						
i. Education						
ii. Medical	4800 0 0	4500 0 0	. . .	4500 0 0	4500 0 0	
iii. Other purposes	140 0 0	163 0 0	10 0 0	150 0 0	150 0 0	
Carried forward ..	74,750 0 0	66,455 0 0	60,400 0 0	135,150 0 0	132,360 0 0	

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

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98.	Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97.	Probable receipts of the last four months of 1897-98.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Brought forward ..	47,220 0 0	34,558 0 0	42,140 0 0	90,020 0 0	85,320 0 0	
4. Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation—*cont.*						
c. Conservancy receipts—						
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c.	2100 0 0	3,210 0 0	1,820 0 0	3,920 0 0	5,350 0 0	The decrease is due to the lack of competition
d. i. Fees from educational institutions	310 0 0	215 0 0	190 0 0	500 0 0	450 0 0	
ii. Other revenue from educational institutions ..	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	10 0 0	
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines ..	280 0 0	140 0 0	120 0 0	400 0 0	300 0 0	Fluctuating item.
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..	20 0 0	150 0 0	20 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	Rs 360 transferred to 'Rent of buildings'.
f. i. Income from markets ..	10,170 0 0	8,400 0 0	9,830 0 0	20,000 0 0	20,000 0 0	
ii. ,, slaughter-houses.	1560 0 0	1000 0 0	770 0 0	2330 0 0	2,400 0 0	
g. Other fees—i Warrant fees	260 0 0	. . .	140 0 0	400 0 0	. . .	New item.
ii. Distraint fees	25 0 0	15 0 0	75 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	
iii. License fees	990 0 0	1[illegible] 0 0	210 0 0	1200 0 0	1600 0 0	Fluctuating item.
iii. Cart-stand fees	2490 0 0	2400 0 0	2680 0 0	5160 0 0	5000 0 0	Is due to the collection of arrears.
iv. Other fees	5 0 0	2 0 0	5 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	
i. General, including choultries	50 0 0	. . .	. . .	50 0 0	. . .	Interest on a Govt. Pro: note.
ii. Educational						
iii. Medical	420 0 0	210 0 0	. . .	420 0 0	420 0 0	
j. Premium on loans						
5. Grants and contributions—						
a. From Government—						
i. Education—						
Normal stipends			20 0 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	
Buildings						
Municipal Schools	. . .	. . .	60 0 0	60 0 0	60 0 0	
Other purposes	160 0 0	120 0 0	180 0 0	280 0 0	360 0 0	
ii. Medical						
iii. Other purposes—						
Communications	1190 0 0	. . .	. . .	1190 0 0	1190 0 0	
Water-supply	1938 0 0	10387 0 0	1620 0 0	2[illegible] 0 0	2500 0 0	Is due to the payment of past years contribution in the current year by the Jail Dept.
Drainage						
Sanitation						
Other purposes	160 0 0	130 0 0	140 0 0	300 0 0	280 0 0	
b. From Local Boards—						
i. Education						
ii. Medical	4500 0 0	4500 0 0	. . .	4500 0 0	4500 0 0	
iii. Other purposes	140 0 0	163 0 0	10 0 0	150 0 0	150 0 0	
Carried forward ..	74,750 0 0	66,458 0 0	60,420 0 0	135,150 0 0	132,360 0 0	

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

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98.	Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97.	Probable receipts of the last four months of 1897-98.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Brought forward ..	74,750 0 0	66,455 0 0	60,400 0 0	135,150 0 0	122,350 0 0	
5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS—*cont.*						
c. Other grants and contributions—						
i. Education						
ii. Medical						
iii. Other purposes						
iv. Water Supply	7,446 0 0	120 0 0	480 0 0	7,926 0 0	3,200 0 0	Contribution payable by the South Indian Railway company on account of the working expenses of the water supply schemes for 96-97 & 97-98 besides the additional grant of Rs 1830 towards the initial cost.
6. MISCELLANEOUS—						
a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—						
i. Private scavenging ..	3,180 2 0	1,895 0 0	2,500 0 0	5,600 0 0	* 7,000 0 0	* The decrease is due to the service not having been extended as intended
ii. Other purposes	2,850 0 0	2,720 0 0	450 0 0	2,500 0 0	2,000 0 0	Fluctuating item
b. Other items—						
i. Fishery rents	10 0 0	. . .	90 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	
ii. Refunds of expenditure of previous year	560 0 0	200 0 0	13,440 0 0	14,000 0 0	13,400 0 0	Includes the sale proceeds of the Cart & Harness required in Malka chiefs case for the Head Water Works
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c.	. . .	. . .	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	
iv. Other items	30 0 0	70 0 0	10 0 0	40 0 0	10 0 0	In connection of arrears
					10 0 0	
			10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	
a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.						
b. Loans—						
i. From Government						
ii. In the market from private individuals						
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans.						
d. Advances—						
i. Permanent	1160 0 0	50 0 0	250 0 0	1460 0 0	1200 0 0	
ii. Others	20850 0 0	580 0 0	100 0 0	20360 0 0	3000 0 0	Is due to the recovery of advances made to the water works Contractor
Total Receipts ..	109350 0 0	71,475 0 0	77,440 0 0	186,790 0 0	158,070 0 0	
Grand Total ..	109,840 0 0	71,475 0 0	77,440 0 0	187,280 0 0	175,780 0 0	

Revised Estimate—(Charges) for 1897–98—*continued.*

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1897–98.	Actuals of the last four months of 1896–97.	Probable charges of the last four months of 1897–98.	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1897–98, excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
Brought forward ..	9,780 0 0	8515 0 0	8860 0 0	18640 0 0	18820 0 0	
GRANT 3—(*Sanitation and Medical Services*)—cont.						
4. Registration of Births and Deaths—						
a. Establishment	630 0 0	290 0 0	330 0 0	960 0 0	960 0 0	
b. Contingencies	30 0 0	. . .	50 0 0	80 0 0	100 0 0	
5. Conservancy, Road cleaning and Road watering—						
a. i. Establishment	7870 0 0	5770 0 0	4300 0 0	12370 0 0	13270 0 0	The decrease is due to the entertainment of the Health officer + his staff later in the year
ii. Other charges, such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	13,960 0 0	7530 0 0	7040 0 0	21000 0 0	20000 0 0	The increase is necessary as the original allotment is insufficient
b. Private scavenging—						
i. Establishment	3760 0 0	1875 0 0	1890 0 0	5650 0 0	5650 0 0	
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c.	10 0 0	15 0 0	90 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	
c. Cholera charges	2140 0 0	3470 0 0	860 0 0	3000 0 0	3000 0 0	
d. Contingencies	. . .	. . .	200 0 0	200 0 0	400 0 0	The decrease is made, as no expenditure has been incurred till now
Total, Grant 3 ..	38180 0 0	25465 0 0	23820 0 0	62000 0 0	62400 0 0	
GRANT 4—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—						
1. Lighting—						
a. Establishment	1850 0 0	1150 0 0	1500 0 0	3350 0 0	3270 0 0	
b. Contingencies	2250 0 0	910 0 0	1050 0 0	3300 0 0	3000 0 0	The original allotment is insufficient, hence the increased provision.
2. i. Markets—						
a. Establishment	680 0 0	340 0 0	340 0 0	1020 0 0	1020 0 0	
b. Contingencies	. . .	25 0 0	200 0	20 0 0	320 0 0	The decrease is made as no expenditure has been incurred till now.
ii. Slaughter-houses—						
a. Establishment	330 0 0	170 0 0	170 0 0	500 0 0	660 0 0	The decrease is due to the full establishment not having been entertained.
b. Contingencies	30 0 0	20 0 0	. . .	30 0 0	30 0 0	
3. Choultries—						
a. Establishment						
b. Contingencies						
c. Feeding Travellers						
4. Travellers' bungalows—						
a. Establishment	95 0 0	40 0 0	45 0 0	140 0 0	140 0 0	
b. Contingencies	65 0 0	5 0 0	35 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	
5. Avenues—						
a. Establishment						
b. Contingencies						
6. Public Garden—						
a. Establishment	140 0 0	60 0 0	80 0 0	220 0 0	240 0 0	
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..	120 0 0	75 0 0	. . .	120 0 0	100 0 0	
c. Contributions to People's Park	. . .	150 0 0	150 0 0	150 0 0	150 0 0	
Carried forward ..	6060 0 0	2450 0 0	2550 0 0	7610 0 0	7510 0 0	

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4. Tools and Plant and other stores.

Tools purchased for Water-[illegible] opening of diamond Jubilee Parkores

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98	Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97.	Probable charges of the last four months of 1897-98	Total of columns 2 and 4.	Budget grant 1897-98 excluding subsequent allotments.	Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Brought forward ..	5060 0	2450 0 0	2,550 0 0	7,610 0 0	7570 0 0	
GRANT 4—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont.						
7. Survey of land	130 0	. . .	870 0 0	1000 0 0	. . .	For the cost of field stones supplied & other charges incurred by the Survey Dept in connection with the Town Survey not anticipated at the time of last Budget.
8. Fire—						
a. Establishment						
b. Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c.	. .	55 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	
9. Other charges—						
i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging	1500 0	1665 0 0	500 0 0	2000 0 0	2000 0 0	
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes	60 0	60 0	40 0 0	100 0 0	100 0 0	
iii. Printing	860 0	415 0 0	500 0 0	860 0 0	1000 0 0	Is due to low rates tendered by the Printer
iv. Compensation for lands	1290 0	. . .	2570 0 0	3860 0 0	500 0 0	Represents the value of the lands required for Rubbish & Night soil depôts & for the Mohamedan Burial Grounds
v. Other items	340 0	280 0 0	80 0 0	420 0 0	420 0 0	
vi. Cholera Establishment	60 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	80 0 0	60 0 0	
Total, Grant 4 ..	9300 0	4965 0 0	7170 0 0	16270 0 0	11710 0 0	
GRANT 5—						
a. General Establishment—						
i. Office Establishment ..	1970 0 0	995 0 0	1210 0 0	3180 0 0	2980 0 0	Provision to ensure for the pay of the Secretary to be newly appointed.
ii. Inspection	2860 0 0	945 0 0	620 0 0	3480 0 0	4280 0 0	Due to the appointment of a Honorary Chairman from 14th December 97.
b. Collection of Municipal Taxes—						
i. Establishment	1240 0 0	645 0 0	880 0 0	1940 0 0	1940 0 0	
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. ..	580 0 0	1200 0 0	220 0 0	1800 0 0	2000 0 0	
c. Collection of Tolls—						
i. Establishment						
ii. Contingencies						
d. Office contingencies other than (*b*) (ii)	290 0 0	85 0 0	110 0 0	400 0 0	400 0 0	
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments ..	. . .	846 0 0	1130 0 0	1130 0 0	1130 0 0	
Total, Grant 5 ..	6980 0 0	3795 0 0	3960 0 0	10930 0 0	4730 0 0	
Repayment of Debt—						
a. Instalments paid during the year.	. . .	4400 0 0	4400 0 0	4400 0 0	4400 0 0	
b. Invested on account of Sinking Fund (value of securities purchased)						
c. Charges of investment ..						
Interest—						
a. On account of last year ..						
b. On account of current year ..	2640 0 0	2730 0 0	2640 0 0	5280 0 0	5280 0 0	

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

Items.	Actuals of the first eight months of 1897-98.			Actuals of the last four months of 1896-97.			Probable charges of the last four months of 1897-98.			Total of columns 2 and 4.			Budget grant 1897-98, excluding subsequent allotments.			Explanation of variations between columns 5 and 6.
1	2			3			4			5			6			7
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
Advances recoverable—																
a. Permanent				170	0	0										
b. Others				19	0	0										
Refunds of other than current collections ..	7	0	0	3	0	0	9	0	0	800	0	0	100	0	0	Required for payment of refunds remitted on appeals made for the last year.
Discount																
Pensions and gratuities				8	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	
Investments—																
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund																
b. In Savings Bank																
Total Expenditure ..	10	0	0	101	0	0	7	0	0	181	0	0	165	0	0	
Balances—																
a. Municipal Fund	1	0	0				8	0	0	5	0	0	10	0	0	
b. Endowments																
c. Water-tax Fund																
Grand Total ..	10	0	0	101	0	0	7	0	0	187	0	0	175	0	0	

William O'Hara
Chairman

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

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

Items of Expenditure.	Original budget grant as sanctioned by Government.			Subsequent additions.			Subsequent deductions.			Total grant.			Authority for the additions and deductions shown in columns 3 and 4.
1	2			3			4			5			6
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
Entries as per Statement II wherever there is alteration ..													
Grant I 2d water supply ii establishment	8	5	0	0	0	0	4	7	0	8	1	0	G.O. No 1513 M. Mis dated 3rd July 97

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

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

Items of Expenditure.	Original budget grant as sanctioned by Government.			Subsequent additions.			Subsequent deductions.			Total grant.			Authority for the additions and deductions shown in columns 3 and 4.
1	2			3			4			5			6
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	

Statement VII.—Tolls.

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

Statement VIII.—Loans.

Amount of loan and rate of interest.	For what purpose and terms on which obtained and year in which taken.	Date of Government sanction.	Amount repaid			Amount transferred to Sinking Fund			Invested out of the total amount transferred up to end of 189 –9 .	
			Up to 31st March 1898.		In 1898–99.	Up to 31st March 1898.		In 1898–99.	In Government Securities.	In the Savings Bank.
			Number of years.	Amount.		Number of years.	Amount.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
RS. A. P.				RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
70,000 0 0	Taken on 28th April 94 for the accomplishment of the Water work on condition of being repaid in 30 annual instalments	G.O. No 960 M. dated 25 June 1891	1895-96 + 1896-97 + 1897-98	7,000 0 0	2,333 5 4					
30,000 0 0	25—3—95	Do	Do	3,000 0 0	1,000 0 0				132000 – 0 – 0	
									12133 – 5 – 4	
									1,19,866 – 10 – 8	
32,000 0 0	24—9—95	G.O. No 1205 M. dated 29th July 96	1896-97 + 1897-98	2133 5 4	1866 10 8				= Rs 359600 / 3 = 899.00 × 17/4 = 15283/3 = 5094 4/3	
Rate of interest 4 4/4 per cent				12133 5 4					Interest thereon = 389.00 / 3	
132000				4,400 0 0						

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

Name of Municipality.	Total number of houses, as per census (occupied and unoccupied).	Number of houses on the municipal register out of the number in column 2.	Assessed															
			Under 8 Annas.		8 Annas to Rs. 1½.		Rs. 1½ to Rs. 5.		Rs. 5 to Rs. 15.		Rs. 15 to Rs. 30.		Rs. 30 and above.		Total.	
			Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
				RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.

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

Name of Municipality.	Assessed in																				Total.	
	Class I.		Class II.		Class III.		Class IV.		Class V.		Class VI.		Class VII.		Class VIII.							
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number	Amount.					Number.	Amount.
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17					18	19
1		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.						Rs. A. P.

Statement X.

1. Name of Municipality

2. Population as per last census .. ..

3. Sanctioned number of Councillors { (*a*) Nominated .. .. / (*b*) Elected .. ..

4. Actual number of Councillors on 31st March 189 —

(*a*) Ex-officio .. ..

(*b*) Nominated { Officials .. .. / Non-officials .. ..

(*c*) Elected .. { Officials .. .. / Non-officials .. ..

Total ..

(*d*) Europeans and Eurasians .. ..

(*e*) Natives .. ..

5. Total number of meetings actually held during the year ..

6. Number of meetings adjourned for want of a quorum .. ..

7. Average attendance at each meeting *actually* held—

(*a*) Officials .. ..

(*b*) Non-officials .. ..

Total ..

(*c*) Europeans and Eurasians .. ..

(*d*) Natives .. ..

Total ..

8. Is the Chairman appointed or elected .. .. ..

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

STATEMENT X-A.—Showing the particulars of Elections held in the Municipality of in 189 – 9 .

Name of the wards, if any, into which the town is divided.	Population.	Number of registered voters.	Date of election.	Number of seats filled by election.	Whether election was contested or not and the number of seats contested.	If contested, number of voters who went to the poll.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1.						
2.						
3.						
4.						
5.						
6.						
7.						
8.						
9.						
10.						
Total ..						

STATEMENT XI.—Furnishing information regarding Municipal markets, houses served by the private scavenging agency, number of latrines and of lights, &c., in the Town of for the year 189 -9 .

Area of Municipality in square miles.	Name of Municipal markets.	Whether collection of fees, rents, &c., was leased out or managed departmentally.	Number of houses served by the private scavenging agency on the registers on 31st March 189 .	Number of public latrines on 31st March 189	Number of latrines constructed in 189 -9 .	Number of latrines demolished in 189 -9 .	Number of latrines on 31st March 189 .	Number of lamps on 31st March 189 .	Number of lamps put up in 189 -9 .	Number of lamps removed in 189 -9 .	Number of lamps on 31st March 189 .
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

STATEMENT XII.—Showing particulars regarding the number of patients treated, &c., in the Town of during the year 189 -9 .

Name of hospital and dispensary.	Patients treated.			Number and name of midwives employed.	Number of labour cases attended by the midwives.	Date and Number of G.O. sanctioning rules for the treatment of the sick under section 127 of Act IV of 1884.
	In.	Out.	Total.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

STATEMENT XIII.—Showing the Statistics of Vaccination and of Births and Deaths registered in the Town of during the year 189 -9 .

Number of births registered.	Number of deaths registered.	Number of prosecutions instituted for failure to register births or deaths.	Name of Medical subordinates and vaccinators performing vaccine operations.	Number of operations performed.		Number of successful operations.		Number of operations with animal lymph.	Number of successful operations with animal lymph.	Number of prosecutions instituted for failure to have children vaccinated.	Remarks.
				Below one year of age.	Above one year of age.	Below one year of age.	Above one year of age.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			Medical Subordinates								
			1								
			2								
			3								
			Total ..								
			Municipal Vaccinators								
			1								
			2								
			3								
			Total ..								
			Grand Total ..								

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I.

Application for allotment of Funds required by the Municipal Council of Trichinopoly

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
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
For water works	Grant I (d) Water Supply	15390	"	11910 from funds set apart for water works	To meet the figure in the revised estimate which includes the unexpended balance of the original allotment	G.O. No 714 Mn dt 27-3-97 & 1731 Mn dt 10.10.96
For town Survey	Grant IV 7 Survey of Land	"	"	1000 from the closing balance of Rs 10,690	For the cost of field stores supplied & other charges incurred by the survey deptt in connection with the town survey	G.O. No 714 Mn dt 27.3.97 & 1513 Mn Mis dt 3.7.97
For compensation for Lands	Grant IV-9 4 Compensation for Lands	500	"	3360 from do	For value of the Lands acquired for a Public & Night soil depôts & for a Public Burial ground	G.O. No 714 Mn dt 27.3.97

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Application for allotment of Funds required

II.

Application for transfer of Funds required by the Municipal Council of Trichinopoly.

From				To					
Particular work or purpose, with the major and minor heads of the budget specified.	Amount provided for the work or purpose in the budget, and subsequently allotted or transferred.	Amount already expended.	Amount available for transfer after providing for probable outlay up to end of the year.	Particular work or purpose, with the major and minor heads of the budget specified.	Amount provided for the work or purpose in the budget.	Amount subsequently allotted or transferred.	Amount now required to be transferred.	Necessity for the transfer.	Reference to previous correspondence.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		
Grant I 2 Repairs - b - Buildings	4,500	990	1,000	Grant I i New works. b Buildings	3,600	.	1,200	As the proposed repairs to the china Bazaar & the Window burning Ground resolved into new works. Rs 1000 have been transfered from 'Building repairs'	Go No 714 M dated 27 March 1897
Grant III 5 d Contingencies	400	"	200						
Grant I i New works. c Drainage	300	"	300	Grant I 2 d Water Supply iii Contingencies	10,800	.	1,200 *	Rs 200 is provided for a Contagious shed built in the Hospital. * The original allotment is inadequate.	Do
Grant I 3. Establishment	1,030	440	300						
Grant II 4 Results Grants	6,000	380	600						
Grant I 2 d Water Supply i Repairs to works &c	1,500	300	500	Grant I 2 e Miscellaneous Public Improvements	.	.	500	For converting the vacant land near Clock Tower into a "Diamond Jubilee Park" as per Council's Resolu. No 862 17-6-97	Do
Grant III 2 Contributions i Medical College	720	"	260						
Grant II 9 d Charges iii Printing Grant II) Miscellaneous	1,000	360	140	Grant I 4 Roads & Plant Grant II 2 Municipal	300	.	200	⊛ For value of tools &c purchased for the use of	
c. Common Drawing Establishment	420	240	40	Schools ii Salary Result System. c. Contingencies	200	.	140	For the cost of benches made & supplied to the S. P. Schools.	Do
Do d. Other items	100	"	100						
Grant I i New works a Communications	200	"	200	Grant I 5 Contributions 6. To Provincial funds for works	.	.	770	For Contribution paid to the Public works Dept on acct of the cost of strengthening the Trichinopoly Road bank as per Go No. 1088 dated 23.12.96	Go No. 714 M dated 27.3.97 & 1513 M misc dated 3.7.97
Grant I 2 d Water Supply ii Establishment	8,570	5,360	570						
Grant III 1 Hospitals - a - Establishment	6,240	4,010	240						
Grant III 2 Contributions ii Sanitary Inspection	460	"	100	Grant III 1 Hospitals c. Diet of patients	3,200	.	400	The original allotment is inadequate	Go No. 714 M dated 27.3.97
Grant IV 2 ii Slaughter Houses. a. Establishment	560	330	60						
Grant III 2 Registration - b - Contingencies	100	30	20	Grant III 2 Contributions iii Medical Reserve Staff	80	.	20	Do	Do
Grant III 5 Conservancy a. i Establishment	13,870	7,870	1,000	Grant III 5 Conservancy a ii Other Charges	20,000	.	1,000	Do	Do
Grant IV 2 i Market b. Contingencies	320	"	300	Grant IV. 1. Lighting. b. Contingencies	3,000	.	400	Do	Do
Gr... Do ii Inspection	4,280	2,860	800	Refunds of the Year current Collections	100	.	700	For payment of remissions granted on last years tax appeal petitions	Do
Do ... Works, ... of account	1,000	580	200	Grant V a i Office Est	2,980		200	* For the pay of the Secretary to the above appointed.	

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Conservation Staff

40 7/14 m	27.3.97	Grant I 2a water supply							
1512 m mio	3.7.97			Main Pumping					
			1	Head Driver	110	110	1	Head Driver	115
			1	Assistant Driver	40	40	1	Assistant Driver	40
			1	Head Stroker	20	20	1	Head stroker	20
			2	Assistant do	10 each	10 each	2	Assistant do	10 each
			4	Cleaners	7 do	7 do	4	Cleaners	7 do
			2	Wood carriers	6 do	6 do	2	Wood carriers	6 do
			1	Watchman	6	6	1	Watchman	6
			1	Sweeper	5	5	1	Sweeper	5
				Sub-Pumping				Sub Pumping	
			1	Head Driver	50	50	1	Head Driver	50
			1	Assistant Driver	20	20	1	Assistant Driver	20
			1	Fireman	9	9	1	Fireman	9
			1	Do	8	8	1	Do	8
			2	Cleaners	6 each	6 each	2	Cleaners	6 each
			1	Wood carrier	6	6	1	Wood carrier	6
			1	Watchman & Sweeper	7	7	1	Watchman & Sweeper	7
				Out-door				Out-door	
			1	Overseer	75	75	1	Overseer	75
			2	Fitters	10 each	10 each	2	Fitters	10 each
			2	Head Turncocks	12 do	12 do	2	Head Turncocks	12 do
			6	Turncocks	7 do	7 do	6	Turncocks	7 do
			6	Cleaners	6 do	6 do	6	Cleaners	6 do
			1	Lascar	6	6	1	Lascar	6
				Workshop and Store				Workshop and Store	
			1	Fitter	25	25	1	Fitter	25
			1	Smith	25	25	1	Smith	25
			1	Hammerman	9	9	1	Hammerman	9
			1	Bellowsboy	3	3	1	Bellowsboy	3

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The increase of Rs5 to the No Driver is recommended for his annual increment.

			1	Storekeeper	25	25	1	Store keeper	25	25	The watchman will
			6	Tank watchers	3 each	3 each	1	Store watchman	6	6	be entertained for
							6	Tank watchers	3 each	3 each	watching the Store
714m	27.3.97	Grant II 2 Municipal		Mohamadan School				Mohamadan School.			department Kept in a
		Schools ii on Salary grant	1	Head Master	25	25	1	Head Master	30	30	5	separate building and
		system.	1	Assistant Master	15	15	1	Assistant Master	18	18	3	for helping the Storekeeper in the duty
			1	Do	12	12	1	Do	12	12		The appointment of an
			1	Do	8	8	1	Do	8	8		assistant teacher on
			1	Do	7	7	1	Do	7	7		Rs 8 is felt necessary
			1	Do	6	6	1	Do	6	6		for this school. The
			1	Hindustani Munshi	10	10	1	Do	5	5		increase of Rs 5, 3 and
			1	Peon	5	5	1	Hindustani Munshi	12	12	2	2 to the Head Master
			1	Sweeper	1	1	1	Peon	5	5		and two other teachers
				Pallah schools			1	Sweeper	1	1		are recommended
			9	Head Masters	7 each	7 each		Pallah schools.				for their encouragement
			2	Assistant Masters	5 do	5 do	9	Head Masters	7 each	7 each		and good work.
Do	Do	Grant III i Hospitals	4	Hospital assistant	55 each	55 each	2	Assistant Masters	5 do	5 do		
		and Dispensaries	1	Lady apothecary (under training)	25	25	4	Hospital Assistant	55 each	55 each		
			2	Midwives	12 each	12 each	1	Lady apothecary (under training)	25	25		The increase of
			1	Clerk	15	15	2	Midwives	12 each	12 each		pay by Rs 5 & 2 6
			3	Compounders	15 each	15 each	1	Clerk	15	15		to Surveyor and
			1	do	12	12	3	Compounders	15 each	15 each		to Special (Liner)
			1	do	9	9	1	do	12	12		clerk is necessary,
			2	do	4 each	4 each	1	do	9	9		as the work done
			1	Surveyor	15	15	2	do	4 each	4 each		by them is responsible
			1	Liner clerk	10	10	1	Surveyor	20	20	5	and heavy.
			1	Matron	40	40	1	Liner clerk	12	12	2	
							1	Matron	40	40		

7th Dn	27.3.97	Grant III i Hospitals & Dispensaries continued	2	Peons	6 each	6 each	2	Peons	6 each	6 each	The increase of Rs 1 to these servants are recommended, as better stamp of men will not be secured for the hospital duty.
			1	Surgery attendant	6	6	1	Surgery attendant	6	6	
			1	Male ward attendant	6	6	1	Male ward attendant	7	7	
			2	Do.	5 each	5 each	1	Do.	6	6	
							1	Do.	5	5	
			2	Female ward attendant	5 each	5 do	1	Female ward attendant	6	6	
							1	Do	5	5	
			1	Male attendant	6	6	1	Male attendant	6	6	
			1	Female do	5	6	1	Female do	5	5	
			1	European cook	6	6	1	European cook	6	6	
			2	Natives cooks	5 each	6 each	1	Natives cook	6	6	
							1	do.	5	5	
			1	Gardener	5	5	1	Gardener	5	5	
			1	Dhoby	7	7	1	Dhoby	9	9	The watchman is dispensed with on account of the supply of pipe water. The increase of pay to the dhobi and the scavengers are necessary as their work is becoming more and more heavy and arduous
			4	Male Cohies	5 each	5 each	4	Male Cohies	5 each	5 each	
			2	Female Cohies	4½ do	4½ do	2	Female Cohies	5 do	5 do	
			1	Masalchi	5	5	1	Masalchi	5	5	
			1	Sweeper	5	5	1	Sweeper	5	5	
			1	Waterman	5	6				5	
do	do	Grant III. 3 Vaccination	1	Vaccinator	15	15	1	Vaccinator	15	15	
			4	Do.	10 each	10 each	4	Do.	10 each	10 each	
			1	Calfman	3	3				3	Calfman is dispensed with as calves are not to be preserved and kept—
do	do	Grant III 5.6. Privati scavenging	1	Maistri	8	8	1	Maistri	8	8	
			6	do.	7 each	7 each	6	do.	7 each	7 each	
			1	Scavenger	6	6	2	Scavengers	6 do	6 do	The pay of the Scavenger is raised as his full pay is paid by the Talak cutchery in which he works.
			1	Do.	5½	5½				½ (vide the covering letter)	
			91	Do.	4½ each	4½ each	91	Do.	4½ do	4½ do	
do	do	Grant IV. 1. Lighting	1	Superintendant	15	15	1	Superintendant	15	15	
			1	Do.	9	9	1	Do.	9	9	

7/4 m 27·3·97	1	Superintendant	7	7	1	Superintendant	7	7	The lighting stores are removed and kept in the water-works store for which a separate watchman is now provided.
	25	Masalchies	5 each	5 each	25	Masalchies	5 each	5 each	
	1	Watchman	1	1					
Grant 11 2·ii Slaughter	1	Superintendant	12	12	1	Sapsintendant	12	12	
Houses	1	Do	10	10	1	Do	10	10	
	1	Do	8	8	1	Do	8	8	
	1	Sweeper	4½	4½	1	Sweeper	4½	4½	Vide the Covering letter 4. One Sweeper dispensed with.
	3	Do	4 each	4 each	2	Do	4 each	4 each	
do do Grant 11 4. Travl.	1	Mati	7	7	1	Mati	7	7	The water man will be paid Rs 4 as his present pay of Rs 3 is insufficient.
Bungalow.	1	Servant (water man)	3	3	1	Servant (water man)	4	4	1
	1	Do (kitchen servant)	1½	1½	1	Do	1½	1½	Vide para - 80
	1	Do (Cobbler)	3/8	3/8	1	Do	3/8	3/8	
do do Grant 11 a? office									
	1	Manager	80	80	1	Secretary	200	200	200
	1	Clerk	25	25	1	Head Clerk	50	50	30
	1	Do	20	20	1	Clerk	20	20	5
	1	Do	15	15	1	do	20	20	
	1	Accountant	35	35	1	do	15	15	
	1	Clerk	30	30	1	Accountant	35	35	
	1	Mochi	10	10	1	Cash Keeper	30	30	
	1	Peon	8	8	1	Mochi	10	10	
	3	Do	7 each	7 each	1	Peon	8	8	
	1	Watchman	5	5	3	do	7 each	7 each	
					1	Watchman	5	5	

Accordingly on Rs 200 is proposed to be appointed and the pay of the Manager and the correspondence clerk are reduced by Rs 30 and Rs 5 respectively in accordance with the Government order to revise the office establishment.

7/4 M 27-3-97	Grant C.a ii In-	1	Chairman	357	357		
	Spection.						
do	do Grant i 6 Collection	3	Clerks	20 each	20 each		
		8	Bill Collectors	12 do	12 do		
		1	Peon	6	6		

1	Chairman	60	60		297	The saving is due to the non retention of the said chairman on Rs 250 plus Rs 32 for pensionary contributions and to reduction of the carriage allowance from Rs 75 to Rs 60.
3	clerks	20 each	20 each			
4	Bill Collectors	15 each	15 each	* 12		* The pay of 4 bill collectors will be raised to Rs 15 each
4	do	12 do	12 do			
1	Peon	6	6			

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ishment.

sed Scale.		Proposition.		Grounds of proposition.
Pay.		Increase per month.	Decrease per month.	
Minimum.	Maximum.	Amount.	Amount.	
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	

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...sed Scale.		Proposition.		
	Pay.	Increase per month.	Decrease per month.	Grounds of proposition.
	Minimum. Maximum.	Amount.	Amount.	

...MRRy M. Sreenivasa ... Councillor.
3. T. H. Le Mesurier Esqr. "
4. Rev S. Gnanamuthu M.A "
5. MRRy A. C. Chidambara Mudaliar avl "
6. " M. G. Gopala aiyar avl B.A. "
7. " T. Venkataramanujalu chettiar avl "
8. " T. V. Annaswami Mudaliar avl "
9. " T. M. Subramania Pillai avl "
10. " S. T. Krishnaswami aiyar avl "
11. " V. S. Chellappa chettiar avl "
12. " C. Vythilingam Pillai avl "
13. " A. Aiyakannoo Pillai avl "
14. Muhomed Assadulla Sahib "
15. Muhomed Sirajudeen Sahib "
16. Muhomed Fariddudeen Sahib "

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Signed W. O'Hara
Chairman

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Municipal office
Trichinopoly
6 January 1899

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Present.

1. [illegible] Lt. Col. W. O'Hara Chairman.
2. Rao Bahadur M. Srinivasa Row avargal Vice Chairman
3. J. H. Le Mesurier Esqr. Councillor.
4. Rev S. Gnanamuthu M.A. "
5. M.R.Ry A. C. Chidambara Mudaliar avl. "
6. " M. G. Gopala aiyar avl. B.A. "
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