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(2) For putting up metal latrines	151	3	0
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Salary system	1896–97	200	163	1,221 3 7	7 7 10
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READ—the following paper :—

From M.R.Ry. J. L. SALDANHA Avargal, Chairman, Municipal Council, Calicut, to the Secretary to Government, Local and Municipal Department (through the Collector of Malabar), dated 9th June 1898, No. 614.

I have the honour to submit the report on the administration of the Calicut Municipality for the year ending 31st March 1898, together with the prescribed statements.

I.—CONSTITUTION OF THE COUNCIL.

2. The maximum strength of the council continued to be 24, all the members being nominated by Government. On the 31st March 1898, there were 22 members on the rolls. Besides the Revenue Divisional-officer, there were 5 officials and 16 non-officials. Of the 22 members, 5 were Europeans, 1 Eurasian and the rest Indians. There were 12 vacancies in the council, of which 10 were filled up during the year. The privilege of electing half the number of councillors was granted to the inhabitants of the Calicut Municipality in G.O., No. 1878 M., dated 5th November 1896, but the election rules came into force only in September 1897, and the list of voters and of those qualified to become councillors came into operation on 20th November 1897. Two vacancies occurred promulgation of the rules in A and H wards. A notice was issued for filling ... A ward by election, but no candidate forward, and hence the ... was recommended by the council for ...ment. The Government decided to give another opportunity ...rs, and a fresh vacancy in H ward ...led up by ...rtly. The vacancy in ... arge ...

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6. *Tax on Buildings and Land* ... dings and lands continued to be assessed as in previous years at 7½ per cent. ... actual or estimated rental value. Rented buildings and lands leased were ass... n the actual annual rent. In other cases the annual value of houses was e... with reference to the importance of the locality in which the buildings we... ted. In assessing lands their nature and productive qualities were also tak... count. Though the revision of the house and land tax registers was taken ... y 1896, the lists were ready only in May 1897. Notices were then issued ... essees, whose tax was increased and objections received were heard and di... in the case of seven out of eight divisions. The petitions from one more div... eing heard, and as soon as all the registers are complete, a separate repor... bmitted to Government showing the full result of the revision at an earl...

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8. *Arrears.*—The net ar... d at the beginning of the year under report was Rs. 4,220–7–9 ; of this a... 1,673–15–11 were collected and Rs. 322–1–4 were written off, leaving a ba... s. 2,224–6–6 against the corresponding figures of Rs. 2,749–11–4, Rs. 1,2... s. 102–2–10 and Rs. 1,362–8–2 in 1896–97. A special Menon is employe... ollection of these arrears. Every endeavour is being made to adjust the out... balance at a very early date.

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Period.	Number of items.
1891–92	1
1892–93	3
1893–94	10
1894–95	22
1895–96	203
1896–97	759

Out of the fourteen items appertaining to 1891–92 to 1893–94, seven are involved in a civil suit in which a decree has been passed in favour of the municipality. Steps have been taken to execute the decree and the amount thereof Rs. 502–11–7 will be recovered at an early date. Prosecutions are pending in the Magistrate's Court in regard to the remaining seven items as well as several others appertaining to subsequent years.

10. *Tax on Arts.*—The demand on account of the tax on arts was revised during the year with reference to the schedule of rates appended to the Amended Act III of 1897 under which the tax is assessed on the actual income derived from the profession one exercises, while, under the old Act IV of 1884, the tax was levied with reference to the profession irrespective of income, the result being that most of the High Court Vakils and First-grade Pleaders who were in classes II and III of the old Act have had to be put down under classes V and VI of the new Act. Besides a large number of retail dealers who were formerly assessed under classes VII and VIII have had to be exempted from the tax altogether, as their monthly income fell short of Rs. 30. The original demand fixed by the Chairman was Rs. 8,096–8–0 against Rs. 9,958–8–0 in 1896–97. A sum of Rs. 322–8–0 was remitted by the council on appeal. Out of the finally-settled demand of Rs. 7,774, Rs. 5,449–7–3 were collected against Rs. 7,797 in 1896–97 and Rs. 39–8–0 were written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 2,285–0–9. Of this amount, Rs. 634–8–0 have been since collected.

The large balance under this head is attributable to the reasons stated in paragraph 7 *supra*. The number of persons assessed was 1,741 against 2,291, and the average per head taxed was Rs. 4–7–5 against Rs. 4–3–4 in the previous year.

11. *Arrears.*—Of the total arrear demand of Rs. 2,252–0–6, a sum of Rupees 576–12–6 was collected and Rs. 595–2–6 written off, leaving a balance of Rupees 1,080–1–6. The defaulters have been prosecuted in several cases and adequate steps have been taken in others to recover the arrears.

12. *Tax on Vehicles, Animals and Carts.*—The total demand including arrears under the head of tax on vehicles was Rs. 1,593–8–0 against Rs. 1,431–12–0 in 1896–97. Of this sum Rs. 854 were collected and Rs. 88–8–0 written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 651, for the collection of which coercive processes have been issued. The demand under the tax on animals including arrears was Rs. 1,687–8–0 against Rs. 1,555–2–6 for 1896–97. Of this sum Rs. 967–10–9 were collected and Rupees 108–10–0 written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 611–3–3. A sum of Rs. 296–12–0 has been since collected under these two items.

The collection under tax on carts was Rs. 538–8–0 against Rs. 446 in the previous year.

13. *Coercive Process.*—The extent to which coercive processes were resorted to for the collection of the several taxes in the year is shown below :—

Particulars.	Years.	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year.	Warrants issued during the year.	Total.	Warrants executed and cancelled during the year.	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year.
Tax on Buildings and Lands	1897–98	1,974	4,816	6,790	3,939	2,851
	1896–97	823	6,964	7,787	5,813	1,974
Tax on Arts, &c.	1897–98	1,433	1,467	2,900	2,047	853
	1896–97	334	2,916	3,250	1,817	1,433

The number of warrants issued including the unexecuted warrants of the previous year was 9,690 against 11,037, showing a decrease of 1,347 as compared with the previous year. Property was distrained in 340 against 247 cases and sold in 75 cases against 76 in 1896–97. The total amount covered by warrants was Rs. 15,700–0–6 against Rs. 19,812–15–0 in 1896–97. Of this sum Rs. 10,133–14–6 were realized against Rs. 14,465–7–11 in the previous year. The number of prosecutions instituted for failure to pay the taxes during the year was 201 against 367 in 1896–97.

14. *Tolls.*—The number of toll-gates established within municipal limits remained the same as in the previous year. They are noted in the margin. The first three were as hitherto managed by the district board and a fixed contribution of Rs. 1,170 for Wynaad and Kokkallur road tolls and half the net receipts of the Meenchanda toll were paid to the municipality. The other two tolls were leased out by the municipality for Rs. 3,910 against Rs. 3,375 in the previous year. The increase of Rs. 535 occurred in the sale of the Cannanore road toll owing to keen competition among the bidders. The total income from tolls amounted to Rs. 6,001–12–2 against Rupees 5,399–4–1 in 1896–97. The following compares the incidence of taxation during the year under report with that of the previous year and of the Presidency :—

1. Meenchanda toll.
2. Wynaad road toll.
3. Kokkallur road toll.
4. Cannanore road toll.
5. Pudiachira toll.

Particulars.	1897–98.	1896–97.	Presidency average, 1896–97.
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Tax on Arts	4 7 5	4 3 4	4 2 7
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15. *Miscellaneous Receipts.*—The miscellaneous receipts amounted to Rupees 24,214–1–1 against Rs. 14,015–14–5 in 1896–97, showing an increase of Rupees 10,198–2–8 which is due to the receipt of a loan of Rs. 9,580 from Government during the year. The other variations are explained below.

16. *Rent of Lands.*—The increase of Rs. 126–11–3 over the budget estimate is due to the arrears of rent in respect of Kallai landing place due by Mr. Brown having been collected during the year.

17. *Rent of Buildings.*—Out of Rs. 180 due by the Spectator Press for occupying the northern wing of the Municipal office building, Rs. 80–2–9 were collected. The balance will be recovered shortly.

18. *Sale-proceeds of Night-soil, &c.*—Rs. 13–13–0 shown under this head represent the sale-proceeds of the ashes at the cinerator.

19. *Sale-proceeds of Medicine.*—A sum of Rs. 221–5–0 was collected by sale of medicines by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer against Rs. 8–5–0 in the previous year.

20. *Income from Markets.*—The market and slaughter-houses, which were as usual rented out to contractors, fetched Rs. 2,201–11–2 against Rs. 2,188–9–5 in the previous year.

21. *License-fees.*—A sum of Rs. 1,730–2–0 was realized under this head against Rs. 1,801–12–0 in 1896–97.

22. *Distraint and Warrant-fees*—amounted to Rs. 537–10–3, of which Rupees 164–6–3 is the distraint-fees and Rs. 373–4–0 is the warrant-fees imposed under the new Act. Last year Rs. 122–8–6 were realized under the former head.

23. *Fines under Municip l and other Acts*—amounted to Rs. 422–9–4 against Rs. 329–15–10 in the previous year.

The number of cases instituted under the Police Act and the Municipal Act was 1,495 and 433, respectively, against 1,416 and 452 in the previous year.

24. *Grants and Contributions.*—A sum of Rs. 4,512–4–4 was received against Rs. 4,464–14–0 in the previous year. The grant received from Government during the year amounted to Rs. 612–4–4 against Rs. 564–14–4 in 1896–97. The increase is due to the contribution on account of the pay of the inspecting schoolmaster and the gymnastic instructor from October 1897 to February 1898 having been received during the current year. A sum of Rs. 3,900 was as usual contributed by the district board towards the maintenance of the municipal hospital.

25. *Recoveries on account of Private Scavenging.*—The receipts under this head amounted to Rs. 2,501–14–10 against Rs. 2,324–8–0 in the previous year. The cost of establishment and other charges on account of private scavenging amounted to Rs. 2,31[illegible] The service has become self-supporting for the first time during the year. Th[illegible]nding balance under this head amounts to Rs. 360–1–0, for the recov[illegible] Such have been taken.
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EXPENDITURE.

26. *Gr[illegible]blic Works.*—The outlay on public works amounted to Rupees 16,491–9–11 [illegible]inst Rs. 14,707–6–2 in 1896–97 and the revised estimate of Rupees 20,230. It [illegible] 24·1 per cent. of the receipts during the year and 23·8 per cent. of the outlay [illegible] all the heads against 23·2 per cent. and 21·6 per cent., respectively, in the previ[illegible] year. The decrease, as compared with the revised estimate, occurred chiefly under New Works—Communications" and "New Works—Buildings."

27. *New Works—Communications.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 235–14–7 against the revised estimate of Rs. 1,120 which was provided for the reconstruction of the Karaparamba bridge with steel beams. The work could not be taken on hand during the year, as the final approval of the plan and estimate by the Superintending Engineer was received only in February 1898. Steel beams have already been indented for from Calcutta and other materials are being got ready. The work will be taken on hand as soon as the steel beams are received. Rs. 235–14–7 were spent for the construction of a new road to the cinerator which was absolutely necessary.

28. *New Works—Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 2,125–14–7, as detailed below, was spent under this head against the revised estimate of Rs. 4,850 :—

	RS.	A.	P.
(1) For fitting up Mappilla burial-ground	1,527	7	10
(2) For putting up metal latrines	151	3	0
(3) For constructing a tiled shed at the cinerator	171	13	11
(4) For constructing a shed at the hospital for accommodating patients, &c.	275	5	10

(1) The work of fitting up the Kannanparamba Mappilla burial-ground was entrusted to two Mappillas who were recommended by the President of the Himayat Islam Sabha, Calicut, and the work is now under progress. Besides Rs. 1,527–7–10 paid to the contractor during the year under report, Rs. 1,400 have been paid in the current year for the work actually done. The work of enclosing the northern block has been completed and the southern block will be taken up immediately after the monsoon.

(2) Out of the ten metal latrines purchased in 1895–96, three more were put up during the year under report at an expenditure of Rs. 151–3–0.

(3) A tiled roofed shed was put up at the cinerator to secure the ashes and street sweepings from exposure to rain at a cost of Rs. 171–13–11.

(4) As the number of in-patients increased during the year, and there was not sufficient accommodation at the hospital, a shed was built at an expenditure of Rupees 200 in the hospital compound. The hospital building will be enlarged as soon as funds are available.

29. *New Works—Water-supply.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 819–12–6 against the revised estimate of Rs. 820. The details of expenditure are given below :—

Rupees 319–12–6 is the amount spent in sinking the pot well with reference to the remarks of the Sanitary Board embodied in G.O., Mis. No. 583 M., dated 31st March 1896, which came to grief (*vide* paragraph 26 of the budget report embodied in G.O., Mis. No. 601 M., dated 18th March 1897).

Rupees 500.—This sum was spent for sinking another pot well which has been completed, and specimens of clay at the various strata have been forwarded to the Sanitary Engineer to Government as desired by him in connection with the scheme for supplying good drinking-water from the Mananchira tank to the Mappilla quarters where the well water has been condemned as exceptionally bad.

30. *Repairs—Communications.*—A sum of Rs. 10,998–5–2 was spent under this head against the budget allotment of Rs. 9,290 and the revised estimate of Rs. 11,060. Four furlongs of the Cannanore coast road were repaired with granite metal to the depth of 6 inches spread over a thick layer of gravel at a cost of Rs. 2,317–3–3. Special repairs with gravel were executed to 11 roads for a total dis[tance] of [4] miles and 7 furlongs at a cost of Rs. 3,551–11–3.

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33. *Grant 2, Education.*—The total expenditure under "Education" amounted to Rs. 6,794–4–7 against Rs. 7,386–9–3 in the previous year.

34. *Inspection.*—The municipal schools were as usual supervised by an inspecting schoolmaster whose work was reviewed by the Sub-Assistant Inspectors of Hindu, Mappilla and Girls' schools. The permanent inspecting schoolmaster who was on deputation elsewhere for the greater part of the year and the acting incumbent together visited the schools on 405 occasions, spent 166 days in examining 9,914 pupils, the corresponding figures for the previous year being 348, 192 and 13,697. The falling off in the number of pupils examined is due to the acting inspecting schoolmaster being new to the work.

35. *Municipal Schools.*—The number of municipal schools was 13 against 14 in the previous year. The difference is due to the Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school having been abolished in accordance with the G.O., No. 601 M., dated 18th March 1897. Two schools were provided with suitable furniture and library books at a cost of Rs. 72 during the year. Of the 13 schools (one school for Hindu boys is lower secondary, five (1 for Hindu boys, 3 for Mappilla boys and 1 for Hindu girls) are upper primary and 7 (2 for Hindu boys, 3 for Mappilla boys, 1 for Hindu girls and 1 for backward classes) are lower primary. The following statement exhibits the statistics of municipal schools :—

Particulars.	Years.	Strength on the 31st March 1898.	Average number on the rolls.	Net cost to the municipality.	Average cost per pupil.
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Salary system	1896–97	200	163	1,221 3 7	7 7 10
	1897–98	175	180	1,011 5 8	5 9 11
Salary-result system ..	1896–97	682	475	3,433 7 2	7 3 7
	1897–98	609	601	2,896 7 5	4 13 1

36. *Salary System.*—The number of salary system schools continued to be three (2 Hindu and 1 Mappilla) as in the previous year. The average cost of educating each pupil was Rs. 5–9–11 against Rs. 7–7–10 in the previous year.

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40. *Normal Training School.*—Stipends were paid to two primary students under training at Rs. 5 a month. No students were recommended by the Educational authorities for admission during the year under report.

41. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services.*—As in the previous year, the civil hospital is the only institution maintained by the municipality. The total expenditure for the upkeep of the hospital including the pay of the hospital assistants, &c., amounted to Rs. 11,771–9–2 against Rs. 14,169–2–2 in 1896–97. The decrease is due to the charges of 1896–97 having included the cost of medicines purchased in 1895–96. The figures for 1897–98 likewise include Rs. 296–12–3, the price of medicine purchased from Messrs. Parke, Davies and Company of London in 1896–97 and paid for during the year. If this sum is excluded, the net expenditure comes to Rs. 11,474–12–11, giving an average of As. 5–4 as the cost of treating each patient against As. 5–4 in the previous year. The attendance at the hospital has continued to rise, the number of in- and out- patients treated during the year being 1,055 and 33,471 against 636 and 28,994 in 1896–97. This gratifying result is due to the popularity which this institution has attained owing to the great interest and zeal shown by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. Hackett Wilkins, in managing it. It is unfortunate that no provision could be made in the budget for a septic ward for want of funds, nor could anything be done towards having a separate ward for Europeans and Eurasians and a separate hospital for women and children, the subscriptions collected by the Diamond Jubilee Committee on this account amounting to Rs. 1,465–6–3 being insufficient to carry out these objects. Some more improvements were, however, made during the year by erecting a shed for the accommodation of in-patients at a cost of Rs. 200 and putting up a metal latrine for female patients at a cost of Rs. 57–3–0.

42. *Midwife.*—The midwife attended 69 labour cases against 56 in the previous year.

43. *Medical Training for Women.*—No one was sent for training during the year.

44. *Vaccination.*—Vaccination is compulsory in this municipality. As in the previous year, there were three vaccinators and one vaccinatrix. The total cost of vaccination was Rs. 926–6–0 against Rs. 1,050–14–10 in the previous year and Rs. 900 in the revised estimate. The decrease is due to the payment last year of bills for the supply of vaccine lymph purchased in 1895–96. The work done and the average cost of each successful case are shown below :—

Years.	Number of operations under one year of age.	Number of operations above one year of age.	Total.	Number of successful cases under one year of age.	Number of successful cases above one year of age.	Total.	Percentage.	Average cost.
1896–97 ..	2,400	4,107	6,507	2,297	3,725	6,022	92·54	Rs. A. P. 0 2 9
1897–98 ..	2,647	3,204	5,851	2,382	2,720	5,102	87·19	0 2 11

The falling off in the number of operations above one year is due chiefly to the prevalence of cholera during the greater part of the year. In order to provide for a proper supervision of the work of these vaccinators, the other municipalities in the district were consulted with a view of employing a deputy inspector at their joint expense. Two only, viz., Cannanore and Cochin, agreed to the proposal, but Tellicherry and Palghat have declined to join for want of funds. The same difficulty is felt here, and it has therefore been resolved to ask the District Medical and Sanitary Officer to have the necessary inspections made by one of the three hospital assistants attached to the hospital, as it appeared that at Palghat the work of the vaccinators was supervised by the apothecary in addition to his ordinary duties.

There were 1,972 births registered during the year. Two thousand six hundred and forty-seven children under one year of age were operated upon and 2,382 of these or 90 per cent. were successfully protected. Vaccination was conducted with

imal lymph obtained from the local depot. The number of prosecutions instituted or failure to have children vaccinated was 182 against 369 in the previous year.

45. *Vital Statistics.*—The subjoined abstract shows the total number of births and deaths registered as compared with the figures of the previous year :—

Years.	Number of births.	Rate per mille.	Number of deaths.	Rate per mille.
1896–97	2,756	41·7	2,350	35·56
1897–98	1,972	29·8	3,088	46·7

The large falling off in the number of births and the increase in the number of deaths are due to the prevalence of cholera and scarcity in the district.

Prosecutions for failure to register births and deaths were instituted in 38 cases against 54 in the previous year.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Cholera	3,323	4	3
Bubonic plague	1,159	1	1
Small-pox	456	3	8

46. *Public Health.*—A sum of Rupees 4,938–9–0 was spent during the year under infectious diseases as noted in the margin.

Cholera appeared in December 1896 and continued throughout the whole year, and in spite of every endeavour made to check it assumed an epidemic form and carried away not less than 1,320 victims against 286 in the previous year. The disease was very virulent during August and September when people were suffering from scarcity, but it began to subside in October and completely disappeared in March 1898. During its continuance an observation staff and a preventive staff on the scale sanctioned by Government were entertained and set to work. Medical subordinates were deputed with cholera medicines, the affected houses were thoroughly cleaned, wells were hankinized, and every possible effort was made to stamp out the disease, happily with success. The thanks of the council are due to the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. Hackett Wilkins, for his hearty co-operation and advice in all the measures taken to prevent the spread of infectious diseases and improve the health of the town.

Bubonic Plague.—Special precautionary measures were adopted against the importation of this epidemic in this town both by sea and land and these have not been relaxed.

Small-pox.—Eight cases of small-pox were treated in the contagious disease hospital, and all recovered.

The improvement of the sanitary condition of the town is engaging the special attention of the council. The work of enclosing one of the two blocks of the Mappilla burial-ground at Kannanparamba has been completed and it will be at once brought into use. The other block will be taken in hand as soon as the land is acquired and the monsoon is over. Steps have been taken to acquire the land required for the burial-grounds of the Boramalki and other communities, and every endeavour will be made to fit up the same within the end of the current year. There will then remain the question of providing a burial-ground for Hindus. The matter is still under the consideration of a special committee of the council, whose report has not been submitted in spite of several reminders. When this want is supplied, it will then be time to prohibit the practice of burying corpses in gardens.

47. *Conservancy.*—The outlay on conservancy, road-cleaning, &c., amounted to Rs. 18,040–4–2 against Rs. 13,847–1–10 in 1896–97, being 33·2 per cent. of the ordinary receipts excluding grants from Provincial and Local funds and loans received during the year. The increase is due to the expenditure for 1897–98 including the charges incurred in connection with the infectious diseases which amounted to Rs. 4,938–9–0 against Rs. 971–1–7 last year. The conservancy staff consists of 1 sanitary inspector, 4 assistants, 79 sweepers and 59 scavengers and

1 toty. There are altogether 20 public latrines, of which 16 are of corrugated iron and the rest of bricks. They are freely resorted to by the public and are kept in good condition. Roads were watered at a cost of Rs. 148–9–6.

48. *Private Scavenging.*—The number of private latrines served at the end of the year was 1,277 against 1,189 in the previous year. Every endeavour is being made to extend the service throughout the town.

49. *Grant 4, Lighting.*—The outlay under this head was Rs. 2,768–9–2 against the revised estimate of Rs. 2,500. The increase is due to the last year's bills amounting to Rs. 454–3–6 having been paid during the year under report. Two hundred and fifty-five lights were maintained as in the previous year.

50. *Market—Contingencies.*—The site of the municipal market was for the first time assessed by the Revenue authorities under Board's Standing Order No. 12-A (New Edition). The assessment for two faslis 1306 and 1307 was paid by the council during the year. This accounts for the expenditure of Rs. 188–12–8 under this head. The question of the liability of the municipality to pay the tax is under the consideration of the council and when disposed of will be brought to the notice of Government.

51. *Fire—Contingencies.*—The allotment of Rs. 1,500 for the purchase of a fire-engine was not utilized, as the year under report was expected to close with a large *minus* balance. A sum of Rs. 42–6–2 was spent in putting down the fire which broke out in E division.

52. *Law Charges.*—The outlay under this head was Rs. 222–4–0 against the allotment of Rs. 180 in the revised estimate. The increase is due to the cost incurred in a criminal prosecution in which the pleader employed had to be paid a heavy fee.

Other Charges—Other Items.—The sum of Rs. 158–13–5 shown under this head includes a sum of Rs. 117–5–6, being the revenue paid to Government on the site of the cart-stand for the last two faslis.

53. *Grant 5, General Establishment.*—The expenditure on supervision and management is Rs. 4,708–15–10 against Rs. 4,692–9–6 in the previous year :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Municipal office establishment	2,428	8	10
Collection	1,575	7	0
Contribution for Central office and audit establishment ..	705	0	0

The increase is due to payment of an enhanced contribution for the Central office and audit establishment at the Presidency which last year amounted to Rs. 523.

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Cholera	32
Valvular diseases of heart	2
Malarial fever	2
Dropsy	19
Diarrhœa	12
Compound Fracture	2
Burn	2
Pneumonia	2
Dysentery	3
Phthisis Pulmonalis	9
Acute Bright disease	3
Ascites	2
Intermittent fever	2
Abscess	2
Wound abdomen	1
Jetissis	1
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Total	95

N.B.—All these cases were admitted in the hospital in a moribund state.

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Operation.—The total number of operations performed was 912.

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Receipts.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Balance brought forward	6,533	180	1,900	1,904
Tax on Arts	8,236	9,710	8,020	6,039
,, Buildings and Lands	32,813	38,130	37,130	29,798
,, Vehicles and Animals	2,244	2,300	2,300	1,825
,, Carts	446	560	560	538
Tolls	5,399	5,230	5,760	6,002
Realizations under Special Acts	82	70	100	82
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c., and Sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	1,380	830	1,100	969
Conservancy Receipts	29	..	50	14
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	499	530	530	569
,, ,, Medical Institutions	38	70	220	232
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	2,189	2,190	2,330	2,202
License Fees	1,802	2,200	1,770	1,730
Other Fees	175	150	280	599
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	330	250	300	423
Grants and Contributions from Government	565	840	720	612
,, ,, Local Boards	3,900	3,900	3,900	3,900
Recoveries for Services to Private Individuals	2,325	2,500	2,500	2,502
Miscellaneous	80	360	490	448
Loans	..	4,000	9,580	9,580
Advances Recovered	623	500	500	412
Total	69,688	74,500	80,040	70,320
Charges.				
Grant 1—				
New Works—				
Communications	528	1,350	1,120	236
Buildings	2,429	8,970	4,850	2,126
Water-supply	..	1,500	820	820
Repairs—				
Communications	10,355	9,290	11,060	10,998
Buildings	637	1,450	1,230	1,157
Water-supply	..	..	300	303
Establishment	759	850	850	852
Total	14,708	23,410	20,230	16,492
Grant 2—				
Training Schools	117	190	10	10
Municipal Schools—				
On the Salary System	1,603	1,580	1,580	1,459
On the Salary-result System	3,915	3,850	3,850	3,430
Grants-in-aid—				
Salary Grants	464	440	440	398
Result ,,	783	1,000	1,000	1,064
Building, Furniture, &c., Grants	60	100	100	..
Inspection	266	270	270	261
Miscellaneous	179	280	280	172
Total	7,387	7,710	7,530	6,794
Grant 3—				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	14,369	10,660	10,710	11,972
Contributions	527	350	350	596
Vaccination	1,051	900	900	926
Registration of Births and Deaths	421	350	350	329
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	13,847	16,450	17,730	18,040
Total	30,215	28,710	30,040	31,863
Grant 4—				
Lighting	2,976	2,500	2,500	2,768
Markets and Slaughter-houses	373	370	370	561
Choultries	48	50	50	48
Travellers' Bungalows	200	220	190	173
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other Charges	1,341	2,730	2,860	1,455
Total	4,938	5,870	5,970	5,005
Grant 5—				
Supervision and Management	6,642	5,870	6,140	6,130
Repayment of Debt	2,000	2,000	2,000	2,000
Interest on Loan	858	770	770	765
Advances Recoverable	551	..	100	85
Refunds	164	100	100	58
Pensions and Gratuities	321	..	..	..
Grand Total	67,784	74,440	72,880	69,192
Balance	1,904	60	7,160	1,128

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14. *Tolls.*—The number of toll-gates established within municipal limits remained the same as in the previous year. They are noted in the margin. The first three were as hitherto managed by the district board and a fixed contribution of Rs. 1,170 for Wynaad and Kokkallur road tolls and half the net receipts of the Meenchanda toll were paid to the municipality. The other two tolls were leased out by the municipality for Rs. 3,910 against Rs. 3,375 in the previous year. The increase of Rs. 535 occurred in the sale of the Cannanore road toll owing to keen competition among the bidders. The total income from tolls amounted to Rs. 6,001–12–2 against Rupees 5,399–4–1 in 1896–97. The following compares the incidence of taxation during the year under report with that of the previous year and of the Presidency :—

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Particulars.	1897-98.	1896-97.	Presidency average, 1896-97.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Tax on Buildings	3 6 4	3 7 1	2 4 9
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25. *Recoveries on account of Private Scavenging.*—The receipts under this head amounted to Rs. 2,501–14–10 against Rs. 2,324–8–0 in the previous year. The cost of establishment and other charges on account of private scavenging amounted to Rs. 2,313–3–8. The service has become self-supporting for the first time during the year. The outstanding balance under this head amounts to Rs. 360–1–0, for the recovery of which steps have been taken.

EXPENDITURE.

26. *Grant 1, Public Works.*—The outlay on public works amounted to Rupees 16,491–9–11 against Rs. 14,707–6–2 in 1896–97 and the revised estimate of Rupees 20,230. It was 24·1 per cent. of the receipts during the year and 23·8 per cent. of the outlay under all the heads against 23·2 per cent. and 21·6 per cent., respectively, in the previous year. The decrease, as compared with the revised estimate, occurred chiefly under "New Works—Communications" and "New Works—Buildings."

27. *New Works—Communications.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 235–14–7 against the revised estimate of Rs. 1,120 which was provided for the reconstruction of the Karaparamba bridge with steel beams. The work could not be taken on hand during the year, as the final approval of the plan and estimate by the Superintending Engineer was received only in February 1898. Steel beams have already been indented for from Calcutta and other materials are being got ready. The work will be taken on hand as soon as the steel beams are received. Rs. 235–14–7 were spent for the construction of a new road to the cinerator which was absolutely necessary.

28. *New Works—Buildings.*—A sum of Rs. 2,125-14-7, as detailed below, was spent under this head against the revised estimate of Rs. 4,850 :—

	RS.	A.	P.
(1) For fitting up Mappilla burial-ground	1,527	7	10
(2) For putting up metal latrines	151	3	0
(3) For constructing a tiled shed at the cinerator	171	13	11
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(1) The work of fitting up the Kannanparamba Mappilla burial-ground was entrusted to two Mappillas who were recommended by the President of the Himayat Islam Sabha, Calicut, and the work is now under progress. Besides Rs. 1,527-7-10 paid to the contractor during the year under report, Rs. 1,400 have been paid in the current year for the work actually done. The work of enclosing the northern block has been completed and the southern block will be taken up immediately after the monsoon.

(2) Out of the ten metal latrines purchased in 1895-96, three more were put up during the year under report at an expenditure of Rs. 151-3-0.

(3) A tiled roofed shed was put up at the cinerator to secure the ashes and street sweepings from exposure to rain at a cost of Rs. 171-13-11.

(4) As the number of in-patients increased during the year, and there was not sufficient accommodation at the hospital, a shed was built at an expenditure of Rupees 200 in the hospital compound. The hospital building will be enlarged as soon as funds are available.

29. *New Works—Water-supply.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 819-12-6 against the revised estimate of Rs. 820. The details of expenditure are given below :—

Rupees 319-12-6 is the amount spent in sinking the pot well with reference to the remarks of the Sanitary Board embodied in G.O., Mis. No. 583 M., dated 31st March 1896, which came to grief (*vide* paragraph 26 of the budget report embodied in G.O., Mis. No. 601 M., dated 18th March 1897).

Rupees 500.—This sum was spent for sinking another pot well which has been completed, and specimens of clay at the various strata have been forwarded to the Sanitary Engineer to Government as desired by him in connection with the scheme for supplying good drinking-water from the Mananchira tank to the Mappilla quarters where the well water has been condemned as exceptionally bad.

30. *Repairs—Communications.*—A sum of Rs. 10,998-5-2 was spent under this head against the budget allotment of Rs. 9,290 and the revised estimate of Rs. 11,060. Four furlongs of the Cannanore coast road were repaired with granite metal to the depth of 6 inches spread over a thick layer of gravel at a cost of Rs. 2,317-3-3. Special repairs with gravel were executed to 11 roads for a total distance of 4 miles and 7 furlongs at a cost of Rs. 3,551-11-3.

Petty repairs were executed to 40 roads detailed in statement II-A at a cost of Rs. 4,061-8-7. Twenty-nine culverts and tunnels, &c., underwent repairs at a cost of Rs. 1,067-14-1.

As in the previous year, the council maintained 46 miles of roads at an outlay which amounts to 187·8 per cent. of the net income from tolls. The roads are in fair condition.

31. *Repairs—Buildings.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 1,156-15-3 against the budget estimate of Rs. 1,450 and the revised estimate of Rs. 1,230. The decrease compared with the budget estimate is due to the fact that the repairs to the travellers' bungalow for which a sum of Rs. 360 was allotted were completed and paid for during the year. The work has been since carried out and the amount paid in the current year.

32. *Repairs—Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 302-11-10 represents the cost of a pump which was obtained in 1895-96 for baling out water from Kutichira and Mudalakulam tanks referred to in paragraph 24 of the budget report embodied in G.O., No. 623 M., dated 22nd March 1898, and paid for this year.

33. *Grant 2, Education.*—The total expenditure under "Education" amounted to Rs. 6,794-4-7 against Rs. 7,386-9-3 in the previous year.

34. *Inspection.*—The municipal schools were as usual supervised by an inspecting schoolmaster whose work was reviewed by the Sub-Assistant Inspectors of Hindu, Mappilla and Girls' schools. The permanent inspecting schoolmaster who was on deputation elsewhere for the greater part of the year and the acting incumbent together visited the schools on 405 occasions, spent 166 days in examining 9,914 pupils, the corresponding figures for the previous year being 348, 192 and 13,697. The falling off in the number of pupils examined is due to the acting inspecting schoolmaster being new to the work.

35. *Municipal Schools.*—The number of municipal schools was 13 against 14 in the previous year. The difference is due to the Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school having been abolished in accordance with the G.O., No. 601 M., dated 18th March 1897. Two schools were provided with suitable furniture and library books at a cost of Rs. 72 during the year. Of the 13 schools (one school for Hindu boys is lower secondary, five (1 for Hindu boys, 3 for Mappilla boys and 1 for Hindu girls) are upper primary and 7 (2 for Hindu boys, 3 for Mappilla boys, 1 for Hindu girls and 1 for backward classes) are lower primary. The following statement exhibits the statistics of municipal schools :—

Particulars.	Years.	Strength on the 31st March 1898.	Average number on the rolls.	Net cost to the municipality.	Average cost per pupil.
				RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Salary system	1896-97	200	163	1,221 3 7	7 7 10
	1897-98	175	180	1,011 5 8	5 9 11
Salary-result system ..	1896-97	682	475	3,433 7 2	7 3 7
	1897 98	609	601	2,896 7 5	4 13 1

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38. *Salary-result System—Result Stipends.*—A sum of Rs. 651-5-9 was spent during the year against Rs. 1,017-1-2 in the previous year. The decrease is due to some of the bills of 1895-96 having been paid in 1896-97.

39. *Aided Schools.*—The number of schools aided by the council during the year was 21 against 19 and the expenditure incurred on result grants was Rs. 1,064-6-0 against Rs. 783-6-0 in the previous year and Rs. 1,000 provided in the revised estimate. The difference between the actuals of the two years is due to the bills of four schools for 1896-97 which were received late having been paid in 1897-98. The increase of Rs. 64-6-0 appertains to the following items :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Result grants to Edakkara school for 1896-97	20	0	0
,, to Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school ..	18	2	0
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(1) The work of fitting up the Kannanparamba Mappilla burial-ground was entrusted to two Mappillas who were recommended by the President of the Himayat Islam Sabha, Calicut, and the work is now under progress. Besides Rs. 1,527-7-10 paid to the contractor during the year under report, Rs. 1,400 have been paid in the current year for the work actually done. The work of enclosing the northern block has been completed and the southern block will be taken up immediately after the monsoon.

(2) Out of the ten metal latrines purchased in 1895-96, three more were put up during the year under report at an expenditure of Rs. 151-3-0.

(3) A tiled roofed shed was put up at the cinerator to secure the ashes and street sweepings from exposure to rain at a cost of Rs. 171-13-11.

(4) As the number of in-patients increased during the year, and there was not sufficient accommodation at the hospital, a shed was built at an expenditure of Rupees 200 in the hospital compound. The hospital building will be enlarged as soon as funds are available.

29. *New Works—Water-supply.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rs. 819-12-6 against the revised estimate of Rs. 820. The details of expenditure are given below :—

Rupees 319-12-6 is the amount spent in sinking the pot well with reference to the remarks of the Sanitary Board embodied in G.O., Mis. No. 583 M., dated 31st March 1896, which came to grief (*vide* paragraph 26 of the budget report embodied in G.O., Mis. No. 601 M., dated 18th March 1897).

Rupees 500.—This sum was spent for sinking another pot well which has been completed, and specimens of clay at the various strata have been forwarded to the Sanitary Engineer to Government as desired by him in connection with the scheme for supplying good drinking-water from the Mananchira tank to the Mappilla quarters where the well water has been condemned as exceptionally bad.

30. *Repairs—Communications.*—A sum of Rs. 10,998-5-2 was spent under this head against the budget allotment of Rs. 9,290 and the revised estimate of Rs. 11,060. Four furlongs of the Cannanore coast road were repaired with granite metal to the depth of 6 inches spread over a thick layer of gravel at a cost of Rs. 2,317-3-3. Special repairs with gravel were executed to 11 roads for a total distance of 4 miles and 7 furlongs at a cost of Rs. 3,551-11-3.

Petty repairs were executed to 40 roads detailed in statement II-A at a cost of Rs. 4,061-8-7. Twenty-nine culverts and tunnels, &c., underwent repairs at a cost of Rs. 1,067-14-1.

As in the previous year, the council maintained 46 miles of roads at an outlay which amounts to 187·8 per cent. of the net income from tolls. The roads are in fair condition.

31. *Repairs—Buildings.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 1,156-15-3 against the budget estimate of Rs. 1,450 and the revised estimate of Rs. 1,230. The decrease compared with the budget estimate is due to the fact that the repairs to the travellers' bungalow for which a sum of Rs. 360 was allotted were completed and paid for during the year. The work has been since carried out and the amount paid in the current year.

32. *Repairs—Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 302-11-10 represents the cost of a pump which was obtained in 1895-96 for baling out water from Kutichira and Mudalakulam tanks referred to in paragraph 24 of the budget report embodied in G.O., No. 623 M., dated 22nd March 1898, and paid for this year.

33. *Grant 2, Education.*—The total expenditure under "Education" amounted to Rs. 6,794-4-7 against Rs. 7,386-9-3 in the previous year.

34. *Inspection.*—The municipal schools were as usual supervised by an inspecting schoolmaster whose work was reviewed by the Sub-Assistant Inspectors of Hindu, Mappilla and Girls' schools. The permanent inspecting schoolmaster who was on deputation elsewhere for the greater part of the year and the acting incumbent together visited the schools on 405 occasions, spent 166 days in examining 9,914 pupils, the corresponding figures for the previous year being 348, 192 and 13,697. The falling off in the number of pupils examined is due to the acting inspecting schoolmaster being new to the work.

35. *Municipal Schools.*—The number of municipal schools was 13 against 14 in the previous year. The difference is due to the Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school having been abolished in accordance with the G.O., No. 601 M., dated 18th March 1897. Two schools were provided with suitable furniture and library books at a cost of Rs. 72 during the year. Of the 13 schools (one school for Hindu boys is lower secondary, five (1 for Hindu boys, 3 for Mappilla boys and 1 for Hindu girls) are upper primary and 7 (2 for Hindu boys, 3 for Mappilla boys, 1 for Hindu girls and 1 for backward classes) are lower primary. The following statement exhibits the statistics of municipal schools :—

Particulars.	Years.	Strength on the 31st March 1898.	Average number on the rolls.	Net cost to the municipality.	Average cost per pupil.
				RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Salary system	1896-97	200	163	1,221 3 7	7 7 10
	1897-98	175	180	1,011 5 8	5 9 11
Salary-result system ..	1896-97	682	475	3,433 7 2	7 3 7
	1897 98	609	601	2,896 7 5	4 13 1

36. *Salary System.*—The number of salary system schools continued to be three (2 Hindu and 1 Mappilla) as in the previous year. The average cost of educating each pupil was Rs. 5-9-11 against Rs. 7-7-10 in the previous year.

37. *Salary-result System.*—Excluding Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school, which was closed at the beginning of the year under report, 10 schools (3 Hindu boys, 2 Hindu girls and 5 Mappillas) were maintained under salary-result system against 11 in the previous year. The average number on rolls in the salary-result system schools was 601 against 475 in the previous year. The number of pupils presented for the examination during the year was 599, of whom 461 passed against 533 and 406, respectively, in the previous year. The results were fair on the whole. The Tali and Theyyambadi Girls' schools are maintained by the council on salary-result system as in previous years. Both these schools have done fairly well.

38. *Salary-result System—Result Stipends.*—A sum of Rs. 651-5-9 was spent during the year against Rs. 1,017-1-2 in the previous year. The decrease is due to some of the bills of 1895-96 having been paid in 1896-97.

39. *Aided Schools.*—The number of schools aided by the council during the year was 21 against 19 and the expenditure incurred on result grants was Rs. 1,064-6-0 against Rs. 783-6-0 in the previous year and Rs. 1,000 provided in the revised estimate. The difference between the actuals of the two years is due to the bills of four schools for 1896-97 which were received late having been paid in 1897-98. The increase of Rs. 64-6-0 appertains to the following items :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Result grants to Edakkara school for 1896-97	20	0	0
,, to Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school ..	18	2	0
Additional grants to certain schools paid on the recommendation of the Educational authorities and sanctioned by the council at its meeting held on the 18th March 1898			

Salary grant was, as usual, paid to the Basel German Mission

40. *Normal Training School.*—Stipends were paid to two primary students under training at Rs. 5 a month. No students were recommended by the Educational authorities for admission during the year under report.

41. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services.*—As in the previous year, the civil hospital is the only institution maintained by the municipality. The total expenditure for the upkeep of the hospital including the pay of the hospital assistants, &c., amounted to Rs. 11,771-9-2 against Rs. 14,169-2-2 in 1896-97. The decrease is due to the charges of 1896-97 having included the cost of medicines purchased in 1895-96. The figures for 1897-98 likewise include Rs. 295-12-3, the price of medicine purchased from Messrs. Parke, Davies and Company of London in 1896-97 and paid for during the year. If this sum is excluded, the net expenditure comes to Rs. 11,474-12-11, giving an average of As. 5-4 as the cost of treating each patient against As. 5-4 in the previous year. The attendance at the hospital has continued to rise, the number of in- and out-patients treated during the year being 1,055 and 33,471 against 636 and 28,994 in 1896-97. This gratifying result is due to the popularity which this institution has attained owing to the great interest and zeal shown by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. Hackett Wilkins, in managing it. It is unfortunate that no provision could be made in the budget for a septic ward for want of funds, nor could anything be done towards having a separate ward for Europeans and Eurasians and a separate hospital for women and children, the subscriptions collected by the Diamond Jubilee Committee on this account amounting to Rs. 1,465-6-3 being insufficient to carry out these objects. Some more improvements were, however, made during the year by erecting a shed for the accommodation of in-patients at a cost of Rs. 200 and putting up a metal latrine for female patients at a cost of Rs. 57-3-0.

42. *Midwife.*—The midwife attended 69 labour cases against 56 in the previous year.

43. *Medical Training for Women.*—No one was sent for training during the year.

44. *Vaccination.*—Vaccination is compulsory in this municipality. As in the previous year, there were three vaccinators and one vaccinatrix. The total cost of vaccination was Rs. 926-6-0 against Rs. 1,050-14-10 in the previous year and Rs. 900 in the revised estimate. The decrease is due to the payment last year of bills for the supply of vaccine lymph purchased in 1895-96. The work done and the average cost of each successful case are shown below :—

Years.	Number of operations under one year of age.	Number of operations above one year of age.	Total.	Number of successful cases under one year of age.	Number of successful cases above one year of age.	Total.	Percentage.	Average cost.
								Rs. A. P.
1896-97 ..	2,400	4,107	6,507	2,297	3,725	6,022	92·54	0 2 9
1897-98 ..	2,647	3,204	5,851	2,382	2,720	5,102	87·19	0 2 11

The falling off in the number of operations above one year is due chiefly to the prevalence of cholera during the greater part of the year. In order to provide for a proper supervision of the work of these vaccinators, the other municipalities in the district were consulted with a view of employing a deputy inspector at their joint expense. Two only, viz., Cannanore and Cochin, agreed to the proposal, but Tellicherry and Palghat have declined to join for want of funds. The same difficulty is felt here, and it has therefore been resolved to ask the District Medical and Sanitary Officer to have the necessary inspections made by one of the three hospital assistants attached to the hospital, as it appeared that at Palghat the work of the vaccinators was supervised by the apothecary in addition to his ordinary duties.

There were 1,972 births registered during the year. Two thousand six hundred and forty-seven children under one year of age were operated upon and 2,382 of these or 90 per cent. were successfully protected. Vaccination was conducted with

animal lymph obtained from the local depot. The number of prosecutions instituted for failure to have children vaccinated was 182 against 369 in the previous year.

45. *Vital Statistics.*—The subjoined abstract shows the total number of births and deaths registered as compared with the figures of the previous year :—

Years.	Number of births.	Rate per mille.	Number of deaths.	Rate per mille.
1896-97	2,756	41·7	2,350	35·56
1897-98	1,972	29·8	3,088	46·7

The large falling off in the number of births and the increase in the number of deaths are due to the prevalence of cholera and scarcity in the district.

Prosecutions for failure to register births and deaths were instituted in 38 cases against 54 in the previous year.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Cholera	3,323	4	3
Bubonic plague	1,159	1	1
Small-pox	456	3	8

46. *Public Health.*—A sum of Rupees 4,938-9-0 was spent during the year under infectious diseases as noted in the margin.

Cholera appeared in December 1896 and continued throughout the whole year, and in spite of every endeavour made to check it assumed an epidemic form and carried away not less than 1,320 victims against 286 in the previous year. The disease was very virulent during August and September when people were suffering from scarcity, but it began to subside in October and completely disappeared in March 1898. During its continuance an observation staff and a preventive staff on the scale sanctioned by Government were entertained and set to work. Medical subordinates were deputed with cholera medicines, the affected houses were thoroughly cleaned, wells were hankinized, and every possible effort was made to stamp out the disease, happily with success. The thanks of the council are due to the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. Hackett Wilkins, for his hearty co-operation and advice in all the measures taken to prevent the spread of infectious diseases and improve the health of the town.

Bubonic Plague.—Special precautionary measures were adopted against the importation of this epidemic in this town both by sea and land and these have not been relaxed.

Small-pox.—Eight cases of small-pox were treated in the contagious disease hospital, and all recovered.

The improvement of the sanitary condition of the town is engaging the special attention of the council. The work of enclosing one of the two blocks of the Mappilla burial-ground at Kannanparamba has been completed and it will be at once brought into use. The other block will be taken in hand as soon as the land is acquired and the monsoon is over. Steps have been taken to acquire the land required for the burial-grounds of the Boramalki and other communities, and every endeavour will be made to fit up the same within the end of the current year. There will then remain the question of providing a burial-ground for Hindus. The matter is still under the consideration of a special committee of the council, whose report has not been submitted in spite of several reminders. When this want is supplied, it will then be time to prohibit the practice of burying corpses in gardens.

47. *Conservancy.*—The outlay on conservancy, road-cleaning, &c., amounted to Rs. 18,040-4-2 against Rs. 13,847-1-10 in 1896-97, being 33·2 per cent. of the ordinary receipts excluding grants from Provincial and Local funds and loans received during the year. The increase is due to the expenditure for 1897-98 including the charges incurred in connection with the infectious diseases which amounted to Rs. 4,938-9-0 against Rs. 971-1-7 last year. The conservancy staff consists of 1 sanitary inspector, 4 assistants, 79 sweepers and 59 scavengers and

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1 toty. There are altogether 20 public latrines, of which 16 are of corrugated iron and the rest of bricks. They are freely resorted to by the public and are kept in good condition. Roads were watered at a cost of Rs. 148–9–6.

48. *Private Scavenging.*—The number of private latrines served at the end of the year was 1,277 against 1,189 in the previous year. Every endeavour is being made to extend the service throughout the town.

49. *Grant 4, Lighting.*—The outlay under this head was Rs. 2,768–9–2 against the revised estimate of Rs. 2,500. The increase is due to the last year's bills amounting to Rs. 454–3–6 having been paid during the year under report. Two hundred and fifty-five lights were maintained as in the previous year.

50. *Market—Contingencies.*—The site of the municipal market was for the first time assessed by the Revenue authorities under Board's Standing Order No. 12-A (New Edition). The assessment for two faslis 1306 and 1307 was paid by the council during the year. This accounts for the expenditure of Rs. 188–12–8 under this head. The question of the liability of the municipality to pay the tax is under the consideration of the council and when disposed of will be brought to the notice of Government.

51. *Fire—Contingencies.*—The allotment of Rs. 1,500 for the purchase of a fire-engine was not utilized, as the year under report was expected to close with a large *minus* balance. A sum of Rs. 42–6–2 was spent in putting down the fire which broke out in E division.

52. *Law Charges.*—The outlay under this head was Rs. 222–4–0 against the allotment of Rs. 180 in the revised estimate. The increase is due to the cost incurred in a criminal prosecution in which the pleader employed had to be paid a heavy fee.

Other Charges—Other Items.—The sum of Rs. 158–13–5 shown under this head includes a sum of Rs. 117–5–6, being the revenue paid to Government on the site of the cart-stand for the last two faslis.

53. *Grant 5, General Establishment.*—The expenditure on supervision and management is Rs. 4,708–15–10 against Rs. 4,692–9–6 in the previous year :—

	RS.	A.	P.
Municipal office establishment	2,428	8	10
Collection	1,575	7	0
Contribution for Central office and audit establishment ..	705	0	0

The increase is due to payment of an enhanced contribution for the Central office and audit establishment at the Presidency which last year amounted to Rs. 523.

54. *Repayment of Debt.*—The instalment of loan which fell due in 1897–98, with interest, amounted to Rs. 2,765 and was paid during the year. The note appended to statement II contains information regarding the financial position of the municipality. The total liabilities on the 31st March 1898 amounted to Rupees 30,319–5–0 against Rs. 26,687–8–10 last year. The increase is due to the loan of Rs. 9,580 obtained from Government during the year. The cash balance on hand at the close of the year was Rs. 3,877–15–10 against a *nil* balance last year. This result is due to the loan received from Government in March 1898. It was only a temporary relief and the council has early to devise means to meet the growing wants of the municipality which has now to provide in addition to its ordinary charges, a sum of Rs. 4,000 for repayment of loans and will shortly have to pay Rs. 1,800 more for a Secretary. The sub-committee appointed last year to submit proposals for the development of the resources of the municipality and the reduction of expenditure has submitted its report and it will be considered by the municipal council at an early date.

55. The accounts of the Municipal office for 1896–97 were audited by the Assistant Inspector of Local Fund Accounts and his report was generally favourable. Care has been taken to remedy the defects pointed out by him.

56. My thanks are due to councillor Mr. J. W. Gomes who devoted much of his time in checking bills and vouchers, superintending sales of attached properties and payment of coolies, and to Captain Hamilton, the Port officer, who cheerfully took upon himself the duty of supervising the precautionary measures taken against bubonic plague and for the sanitary improvement of the port.

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ENCLOSURE.

ANNUAL Concise Report of Civil Hospital, Calicut, for the year 1897–98.

1. *Public Health.*—The public health during the year was very bad, as cholera broke out in the town in a virulent epidemic form and carried away many lives. Medical subordinates were specially deputed for cholera duty with necessary medicines; all the wells in the town were hankinized and every attempt to check the disease was made. There were eight cases of small-pox during the year.

2. *Vital Statistics.*—In the town with a population of 66,078, there were 1,972 births and 3,088 deaths in the year against 2,756 births and 2,350 deaths in the previous year with a ratio of 29·8 and 46·73 per mille of population per annum, respectively. The deaths from cholera were 1,320, fever accounted for 375, dysentery and diarrhœa for 260, and all other causes for 1,133.

3. *Sanitation—Conservancy.*—The conservancy establishment consisted of one sanitary inspector, four assistant sanitary inspectors, 79 sweepers for cleaning roads and streets, 59 toties (an increase of one) to look after public latrines and private scavenging. The number of rubbish carts remains the same as last year. There were eighteen night-soil carts, an increase of three more than last year. There were sixteen pucka-built latrines and four brick-wall enclosures which were resorted to by the public and were kept in good condition. The fact that the number of latrines is quite inadequate to a town like Calicut with a population of 66,078 has been brought to the notice of the council in my last report. But nothing has yet been done towards the increase of the number. The number of latrines cleaned by municipal toties was 1,277. There were 121 iron and 20 masonry dust-bins. Private scavenging should be made compulsory in parts of the town and the general objectionable pit system of latrines put a stop to.

Since the construction of an incinerator, the refuse, street sweepings and night-soil of the town were taken there and burnt. The work was very well attended to by Assistant Sanitary Inspector Govindan.

The quality and quantity of drinking water remains the same as that of last year. A large tank in the heart of the town is specially set apart for drinking purposes. There is a watchman for the tank; wells form the chief source of water-supply, almost every house being provided with one. The water obtained in the Mappilla quarters of the town is as bad as ever. The question of supplying them with good water from the Mananchera tank has not yet been settled. The subject regarding burial-grounds is one that the municipality should take in hand at once. The Mappilla ones have for years been condemned. I am glad to see that one of new ones is nearly completed. During the year I wrote condemning all the Christian burial-grounds, as they were all becoming overcrowded and the water supply in their vicinity dangerously contaminated. Sites having been selected and the sooner they are completed and handed over to the different sections the better will it be for the health of the town. I look upon the starting of new burial-grounds as very urgent. Another matter connected with this is the prohibition of burials in private compounds by Hindus.

Drainage continues the same. The streets are in a fairly good condition during the hot weather.

4. *Vaccination.*—The total number of cases vaccinated during the year by the municipal vaccinators was 5,851 against 6,507 last year, showing a decrease of 656 cases for the year under report. Of the total number of cases, 5,102 were successful, 577 unsuccessful and 172 unknown. The number of children under one year of age who were successfully vaccinated was 2,382 against 2,297 in the previous year, showing an increase of 85. I brought to the notice of the council last year the desirability of appointing a deputy inspector for the five municipalities to verify the cases done by vaccinators. The verification of the work of the vaccinator is done by myself and the Assistant Surgeon.

5. *Hospital—nature and sufficiency of accommodation.*—The present building is "well designed" and is constructed of laterite set in chunam, tiled floor and tiled roof with wood lining. The accommodation is insufficient and owing to the influx of in-patients, a large shed was erected during the year to accommodate 24 extra patients. The insufficiency of accommodation was brought to the notice of the council, but, for want of funds, the matter was dropped.

State of repairs of buildings.—All the necessary repairs have been done under this head.

Number of patients treated as compared with previous year.—One thousand and fifty-five in- and 33,471 out- patients were treated during the year under report against 636 in- and

28,994 out- patients in the last year, showing an increase of 419 in- and 4,477 out- patients in the preceding year. The increase is due to the greater care taken by the medical subordinates in attending to their duties, in consequence of which the institution is daily becoming more popular.

Mortality and actual causes of it.—The total number of deaths was 95:—

Disease.	Number died.
Cholera	32
Valvular diseases of heart	2
Malarial fever	2
Dropsy	19
Diarrhœa	12
Compound Fracture	2
Burn	2
Pneumonia	3
Dysentery	9
Phthisis Pulmonalis	3
Acute Bright disease	2
Ascites	2
Intermittent fever	2
Abscess	1
Wound abdomen	1
Jetissis	1
Total	95

N.B.—All these cases were admitted in the hospital in a moribund state.

Establishment, whether sufficient and efficient.—Sufficient and efficient.

Operation.—The total number of operations performed was 912.

Midwife.—There were 69 cases of labour conducted by the midwife against 56 in the previous year.

General Remarks.—The year under review was very unhealthy. Scarcity prevailed throughout the year.

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I.—CONSTITUTION OF THE COUNCIL.

2. The maximum strength of the council continued to be 24, all the members being nominated by Government. On the 31st March 1898, there were 22 members on the rolls. Besides the Revenue Divisional-officer, there were 5 officials and 16 non-officials. Of the 22 members, 5 were Europeans, 1 Eurasian and the rest Indians. There were 12 vacancies in the council, of which 10 were filled up during the year. The privilege of electing half the number of councillors was granted to the inhabitants of the Calicut Municipality in G.O., No. 1878 M., dated 5th November 1896, but the election rules came into force only in September 1897, and the list of voters and of those qualified to become councillors come into operation on 20th November 1897. Two vacancies occurred after the promulgation of the rules in A and H wards. A notice was issued for filling up the vacancy in A ward by election, but no candidate came forward, and hence the retiring councillor was recommended by the council for re-appointment. The Government have, however, decided to give another opportunity to the electors, and a fresh election will be held shortly. The vacancy in H ward will also be filled up by election during the current year.

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II.—RECEIPTS.

5. From statements I and II, it will be seen that the total receipts show a net increase of Rs. 5,262 as compared with those of the previous year. This is due to the receipt of a loan of Rs. 9,580 from Government towards fitting up a burial-ground for the Mappilla community in Calicut.

6. *Tax on Buildings and Lands.*—Buildings and lands continued to be assessed as in previous years at 7½ per cent. on the actual or estimated rental value. Rented buildings and lands leased were assessed on the actual annual rent. In other cases the annual value of houses was estimated with reference to the importance of the locality in which the buildings were situated. In assessing lands their nature and productive qualities were also taken into account. Though the revision of the house and land tax registers was taken up in July 1896, the lists were ready only in May 1897. Notices were then issued to the assessees, whose tax was increased and objections received were heard and disposed of in the case of seven out of eight divisions. The petitions from one more division are being heard, and as soon as all the registers are complete, a separate report will be submitted to Government showing the full result of the revision at an early date.

7. The current demand on account of these taxes, after appeals, had been disposed of was Rs. 34,342–9–3 against Rs. 34,380–13–3 in 1896–97. Of this sum Rupees 28,099–10–0 or 81·82 per cent. were collected against 91·62 per cent. in the previous year. The falling off in the collection is due to the services of the collection staff having been utilized in serving notices to parties whose tax was enhanced and to those who submitted objection petitions. There were in all 5,726 notices to be served. This necessarily took some time and caused a delay in the service of bills and the collection of the tax. A sum of Rs. 49–13–0 was written off the accounts, leaving a balance of Rs. 6,193–2–3 at the end of the year, of which Rs. 1,207–0–6 have been since collected.

8. *Arrears.*—The net arrear demand at the beginning of the year under report was Rs. 4,220–7–9 ; of this amount Rs. 1,673–15–11 were collected and Rs. 322–1–4 were written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 2,224–6–6 against the corresponding figures of Rs. 2,749–11–4, Rs. 1,285–0–4, Rs. 102–2–10 and Rs. 1,362–8–2 in 1896–97. A special Menon is employed for the collection of these arrears. Every endeavour is being made to adjust the outstanding balance at a very early date.

9. Column 9 of statement IV-B shows the periods to which the arrear balances relate and the same are noted below :—

Period.	Number of items.
1891–92	1
1892–93	3
1893–94	10
1894–95	22
1895–96	203
1896–97	759

Out of the fourteen items appertaining to 1891–92 to 1893–94, seven are involved in a civil suit in which a decree has been passed in favour of the municipality. Steps have been taken to execute the decree and the amount thereof Rs. 502–11–7 will be recovered at an early date. Prosecutions are pending in the Magistrate's Court in regard to the remaining seven items as well as several others appertaining to subsequent years.

10. *Tax on Arts.*—The demand on account of the tax on arts was revised during the year with reference to the schedule of rates appended to the Amended Act III of 1897 under which the tax is assessed on the actual income derived from the profession one exercises, while, under the old Act IV of 1884, the tax was levied with reference to the profession irrespective of income, the result being that most of the High Court Vakils and First-grade Pleaders who were in classes II and III of the old Act have had to be put down under classes V and VI of the new Act. Besides a large number of retail dealers who were formerly assessed under classes VII and VIII have had to be exempted from the tax altogether, as their monthly income fell short of Rs. 30. The original demand fixed by the Chairman was Rs. 8,096–8–0 against Rs. 9,958–8–0 in 1896–97. A sum of Rs. 322–8–0 was remitted by the council on appeal out of the finally-settled demand of Rs. 7,774, Rs. 5,449–7–3 were collected against Rs. 7,797 in 1896–97 and Rs. 39–8–0 were written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 2,285–0–9. Of this amount Rs. 634–8–0 have been since collected.

The large balance under this head is attributable to the reasons stated in paragraph 7 *supra*. The number of persons assessed was 1,741 against 2,304, and the average per head taxed was Rs. 4–7–5 against Rs. 4–3–4 in the previous year.

11. *Arrears.*—Of the total arrear demand of Rs. 2,252–0–6, a sum of Rupees 576–12–6 was collected and Rs. 595–2–6 written off, leaving a balance of Rupees 1,080–1–6. The defaulters have been prosecuted in several cases and adequate steps have been taken in others to recover the arrears.

12. *Tax on Vehicles, Animals and Carts.*—The total demand including arrears under the head of tax on vehicles was Rs. 1,593–8–0 against Rs. 1,431–12–0 in 1896–97. Of this sum Rs. 854 were collected and Rs. 88–8–0 written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 651, for the collection of which coercive processes have been issued. The demand under tax on animals including arrears was Rs. 1,687–8–0 against Rs. 1,555–2–6 for 1896–97. Of this sum Rs. 967–10–9 were collected and Rupees 108–10–0 written off, leaving a balance of Rs. 611–3–3. A sum of Rs. 296–12–0 has been since collected under these two items.

The collection under tax on carts was Rs. 538–8–0 against Rs. 446 in the previous year.

13. *Coercive Process.*—The extent to which coercive processes were resorted to for the collection of the several taxes in the year is shown below :—

Particulars.	Years.	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the beginning of the year.	Warrants issued during the year.	Total.	Warrants executed and cancelled during the year.	Warrants remaining unexecuted at the close of the year.
Tax on Buildings and Lands	1897–98	1,974	4,816	6,790	3,939	2,851
	1896–97	823	6,964	7,787	5,813	1,974
Tax on Arts, &c.	1897–98	1,433	1,467	2,900	2,047	853
	1896–97	334	2,916	3,250	1,817	1,433

The number of warrants issued including the unexecuted warrants of the previous year was 9,690 against 11,037, showing a decrease of 1,347 as compared with the previous year. Property was distrained in 265 against 247 cases and sold in 75 cases against 76 in 1896–97. The total amount covered by warrants was Rs. 15,700–0–6 against Rs. 19,812–15–0 in 1896–97. Of this sum Rs. 10,133–14–6 were realized against Rs. 14,465–7–11 in the previous year. The number of prosecutions instituted for failure to pay the taxes during the year was 201 against 367 in 1896–97.

14. *Tolls.*—The number of tolls established within municipal limits remained the same as in the previous year. They are noted in the margin. The first three were as hitherto managed by the district board and a fixed contribution of Rs. 1,170 for Wynaad and Kokkallur road tolls and half the net receipts of the Meenchanda toll were paid to the municipality. The other two tolls were leased out by the municipality for Rs. 3,910 against Rs. 3,375 in the previous year. The increase of Rs. 535 occurred in the sale of the Cannanore road toll owing to keen competition among the bidders. The total income from tolls amounted to Rs. 6,001–12–2 against Rupees 5,399–4–1 in 1896–97. The following compares the incidence of taxation during the year under report with that of the previous year and of the Presidency :—

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Tax on Buildings	3 6 4	3 7 1	2 4 9
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15. *Miscellaneous Receipts.*—The miscellaneous receipts amounted to Rupees 24,214–1–1 against Rs. 14,015–14–5 in 1896–97, showing an increase of Rupees 10,198–2–7 which is due to the receipt of a loan of Rs. 9,580 from Government during the year. The other variations are explained below.

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(2) For putting up metal latrines	151	3	0
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30. *Repairs—Communications.*—A sum of Rs. 10,998-5-2 was spent under this head against the budget allotment of Rs. 9,290 and the revised estimate of Rs. 11,060. Four furlongs of the Cannanore coast road were repaired with granite metal to the depth of 6 inches spread over a thick layer of gravel at a cost of Rs. 2,317-3-3. Special repairs with gravel were executed to 11 roads for a total distance of 4 miles and 7 furlongs at a cost of Rs. 3,551-11-3.

Petty repairs were executed to 40 roads detailed in statement II-A at a cost of Rs. 4,061-8-7. Twenty-nine culverts and tunnels, &c., underwent repairs at a cost of Rs. 1,037-14-1.

As in the previous year, the council maintained 46 miles of roads at an outlay which amounts to 187·6 per cent. of the net income from tolls. The roads are in fair condition.

31. *Repairs—Buildings.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 1,156-15-3 against the budget estimate of Rs. 1,450 and the revised estimate of Rs. 1,230. The decrease compared with the budget estimate is due to the fact that the repairs to the travellers' bungalow for which a sum of Rs. 360 was allotted were not completed and paid for during the year. The work has been since carried out and the amount paid in the current year.

32. *Repairs—Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 302-11-10 represents the cost of a pump which was obtained in 1895-96 for bailing out water from Kutichira and Mudalakulam tanks referred to in paragraph 24 of the budget report embodied in G.O., No. 623 M., dated 22nd March 1898, and paid for this year.

33. *Grant 2, Education.*—The total expenditure under "Education" amounted to Rs. 6,794-4-7 against Rs. 7,386-9-3 in the previous year.

34. *Inspection.*—The municipal schools were as usual supervised by an inspecting schoolmaster whose work was reviewed by the Sub-Assistant Inspectors of Hindu, Mappilla and Girls' schools. The permanent inspecting schoolmaster who was on deputation elsewhere for the greater part of the year and the acting incumbent together visited the schools in 405 occasions, spent 166 days in examining 9,914 pupils against 348, 192 and 13,697 pupils, respectively, in the previous year. The falling off in the number of pupils examined is due to the acting inspecting schoolmaster being new to the work.

35. *Municipal Schools.*—The number of municipal schools was 13 against 14 in the previous year. The difference is due to the Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school having been abolished in accordance with the G.O., No. 601 M., dated 18th March 1897. Two schools were provided with suitable furniture and library books at a cost of Rs. 72 during the year. Of the 13 schools (one school for Hindu boys in lower secondary, five (1 Hindu boy, 3 Mappilla boys and 1 Hindu girl) are upper primary and 7 (2 Hindu boys, 3 Mappilla boys, 1 Hindu girl and 1 backward class) are lower primary. The following statement exhibits the statistics of municipal schools :—

Particulars.	Years.	Strength on the 31st March 1898.	Average number on the rolls.	Net cost to the municipality.	Average cost per pupil.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Salary system	1896-97	200	163	1,221 3 7	7 7 10
	1897-98	175	180	1,011 5 8	5 9 11
Salary-result system ..	1896-97	682	475	3,433 7 2	7 3 7
	1897 98	609	601	2,896 7 5	4 13 1

36. *Salary System.*—The number of salary system schools continued to be three (2 Hindu and 1 Mappilla) as in the previous year. The average cost of educating each pupil was Rs. 5-9-11 against Rs. 7-7-10 in the previous year.

37. *Salary-result System.*—Excluding Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school which was closed at the beginning of the year under report, 10 schools (3 Hindu boys, 2 Hindu girls and 5 Mappillas) were maintained under salary-result system against 11 in the previous year. The average number on rolls in the salary-result system schools was 601 against 475 in the previous year. The number of pupils presented for the examination during the year was 599, of whom 461 passed against 533 and 406, respectively, in the previous year. The results were fair on the whole. The Tali and Theyyambadi Girls' schools are maintained by the council on salary-result system as in previous years. Both these schools have done fairly well.

38. *Salary-result System—Results Grants.*—A sum of Rs. 651-5-0 was spent during the year against Rs. 1,017-1-2 in the previous year. The decrease is due to some of the bills of 1895-96 having been paid in 1896-97.

39. *Aided Schools.*—The number of schools aided by the council during the year was 21 against 19 and the expenditure incurred was Rs. 1,064-6-0 against Rupees 783-6-0 in the previous year and Rs. 1,000 provided in the revised estimate. The difference between the actuals of the two years is due to the bills of four schools for 1896-97 which were received late having been paid in 1897-98. The increase of Rs. 64-6-0 appertains to the following items :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Result grants to Edakkara school for 1896-97	20	0	0
" to Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school ..	18	2	0
Additional grants to certain schools paid on the recommendation of the Educational authorities and sanctioned by the council at its meeting held on the 18th March 1898	26	4	0

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Rupees 319-12-6.—Is the amount spent in sinking the pot well with reference to the remarks of the Sanitary Board embodied in G.O., Mis. No. 583 M., dated 31st March 1896, which came to grief (*vide* paragraph 24 of the budget report embodied in G.O., Mis. No. 601 M., dated 18th March 1897).

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30. *Repairs—Communications.*—A sum of Rs. 10,998-5-2 was spent under this head against the budget allotment of Rs. 9,290 and the revised estimate of Rs. 11,060. Four furlongs of the Cannanore coast road were repaired with granite metal to the depth of 6 inches spread over a thick layer of gravel at a cost of Rs. 2,317-3-3. Special repairs with gravel were executed to 11 roads for a total distance of 4 miles and 7 furlongs at a cost of Rs. 3,551-11-3.

Petty repairs were executed to 40 roads detailed in statement II-A at a cost of Rs. 4,061-8-7. Twenty-nine culverts and tunnels, &c., underwent repairs at a cost of Rs. 1,057-14-1.

As in the previous year, the council maintained 46 miles of roads at an outlay which amounts to 187·6 per cent. of the net income from tolls. The roads are in fair condition.

31. *Repairs—Buildings.*—The expenditure under this head amounted to Rupees 1,156-15-3 against the budget estimate of Rs. 1,450 and the revised estimate of Rs. 1,230. The decrease compared with the budget estimate is due to the fact that the repairs to the travellers' bungalow for which a sum of Rs. 360 was allotted were not completed and paid for during the year. The work has been since carried out and the amount paid in the current year.

32. *Repairs—Water-supply.*—The sum of Rs. 302-11-10 represents the cost of a pump which was obtained in 1895-96 for boiling out water from Kutichira and Mudalakulam tanks referred to in paragraph 24 of the budget report embodied in G.O., No. 623 M., dated 22nd March 1898, and paid for this year.

33. *Grant 2, Education.*—The total expenditure under "Education" amounted to Rs. 6,794-4-7 against Rs. 7,386-9-3 in the previous year.

34. *Inspection.*—The municipal schools were as usual supervised by an inspecting schoolmaster whose work was reviewed by the Sub-Assistant Inspectors of Hindu, Mappilla and Girls' schools. The permanent inspecting schoolmaster who was on deputation elsewhere for the greater part of the year and the acting incumbent together visited the schools in 405 occasions, spent 166 days in examining 9,914 pupils against 348, 192 and 13,697 pupils, respectively, in the previous year. The falling off in the number of pupils examined is due to the acting inspecting schoolmaster being new to the work.

35. *Municipal Schools.*—The number of municipal schools was 13 against 14 in the previous year. The difference is due to the Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school having been abolished in accordance with the G.O., No. 601 M., dated 18th March 1897. Two schools were provided with suitable furniture and library books at a cost of Rs. 72 during the year. Of the 13 schools (one school for Hindu boys in lower secondary, five (1 Hindu boy, 3 Mappilla boys and 1 Hindu girl) are upper primary and 7 (2 Hindu boys, 3 Mappilla boys, 1 Hindu girl and 1 backward class) are lower primary. The following statement exhibits the statistics of municipal schools :—

Particulars.	Years.	Strength on the 31st March 1898.	Average number on the rolls.	Net cost to the municipality.	Average cost per pupil.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Salary system	1896-97	200	163	1,221 3 7	7 7 10
	1897-98	175	180	1,011 5 8	5 9 11
Salary-result system ..	1896-97	682	475	3,433 7 2	7 3 7
	1897 98	609	601	2,896 7 5	4 13 1

36. *Salary System.*—The number of salary system schools continued to be three (2 Hindu and 1 Mappilla) as in the previous year. The average cost of educating each pupil was Rs. 5-9-11 against Rs. 7-7-10 in the previous year.

37. *Salary-result System.*—Excluding Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school which was closed at the beginning of the year under report, 10 schools (3 Hindu boys, 2 Hindu girls and 5 Mappillas) were maintained under salary-result system against 11 in the previous year. The average number on rolls in the salary-result system schools was 601 against 475 in the previous year. The number of pupils presented for the examination during the year was 599, of whom 461 passed against 533 and 406, respectively, in the previous year. The results were fair on the whole. The Tali and Theyyambadi Girls' schools are maintained by the council on salary-result system as in previous years. Both these schools have done fairly well.

38. *Salary-result System—Results Grants.*—A sum of Rs. 651-5-0 was spent during the year against Rs. 1,017-1-2 in the previous year. The decrease is due to some of the bills of 1895-96 having been paid in 1896-97.

39. *Aided Schools.*—The number of schools aided by the council during the year was 21 against 19 and the expenditure incurred was Rs. 1,064-6-0 against Rupees 783-6-0 in the previous year and Rs. 1,000 provided in the revised estimate. The difference between the actuals of the two years is due to the bills of four schools for 1896-97 which were received late having been paid in 1897-98. The increase of Rs. 64-6-0 appertains to the following items :—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Result grants to Edakkara school for 1896-97	20	0	0
" to Madras Naphinal Islam Muhammadan school ..	18	2	0
Additional grants to certain schools paid on the recommendation of the Educational authorities and sanctioned by the council at its meeting held on the 18th March 1898	26	4	0

Salary grant was, as usual, paid to the Basel German Mission High school.

40. *Normal Training School.*—Stipends were paid to two primary students under training at Rs. 5 a month. No students were recommended by the Educational authorities for admission during the year under report.

41. *Grant 3, Sanitation and Medical Services.*—As in the previous year, the civil hospital is the only institution maintained by the municipality. The total expenditure for the upkeep of the hospital including the pay of the hospital assistants, &c., amounted to Rs. 11,771-9-2 against Rs. 14,169-2-2 in 1896-97. The decrease is due to the charges of 1896-97 having included the cost of medicines purchased in 1895-96. The figures for 1897-98 likewise include Rs. 296-12-3, the price of medicine purchased from Messrs. Parke, Davies and Company of London in 1896-97 and paid for during the year. If this sum is excluded, the net expenditure comes to Rs. 11,474-12-11, giving an average of As. 5-4 as the cost of treating each patient against As. 5-4 in the previous year. The attendance at the hospital has continued to rise, the number of in and out patients treated during the year being 1,055 and 33,471 against 636 and 28,994 in 1896-97. This gratifying result is due to the popularity which this institution has attained owing to the great interest and zeal shown by the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. Hackett Wilkins in managing it. It is unfortunate that no provision could be made in the budget for a septic ward for want of funds, nor could anything be done towards having a separate ward for Europeans and Eurasians and a separate hospital for women and children, the subscriptions collected by the Diamond Jubilee Committee on this account amounting to Rs. 1,465-6-3 being insufficient to carry out these objects. Some more improvements were, however, made during the year by erecting a shed for the accommodation of ~~the~~ in-patients at a cost of Rs. 200 and putting up a metal latrine for female patients at a cost of Rs. 57-3-0.

42. *Midwife.*—The midwife attended 69 labour cases against 56 in the previous year.

43. *Medical Training for Women.*—No one was sent for training during the year.

44. *Vaccination.*—Vaccination is compulsory in this municipality. As in the previous year, there were three vaccinators and one vaccinatrix. The total cost of vaccination was Rs. 926-6-0 against Rs. 1,050-14-10 in the previous year and Rs. 900 in the revised estimate. The decrease is due to the payment last year of bills for the supply of vaccine lymph purchased in ~~the previous year~~. The work done and the average cost of each successful case are shown below :—

Years.	Number of operations under one year of age.	Number of operations above one year of age.	Total.	Number of successful cases under one year of age.	Number of successful cases above one year of age.	Total.	Percentage.	Average cost.
								Rs. A. P
1896-97	2,400	4,107	6,507	2,297	3,725	6,022	92·54	0 2 9
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The falling off in the number of operations above one year is due chiefly to the prevalence of cholera during the greater part of the year. In order to provide for a proper supervision of the work of these vaccinators, the other municipalities in the district were consulted with a view of employing a deputy inspector at their joint expense. Two only, viz., Cannanore and Cochin, agreed to the proposal, but Tellicherry and Palghat have declined to join for want of funds. The same difficulty is felt here, and it has therefore been resolved to ask the District Medical and Sanitary Officer to have the necessary inspections made by one of the three hospital assistants attached to the hospital, as it appeared that at Palghat the work of the vaccinators was supervised by the apothecary in addition to his ordinary duties.

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45. *Vital Statistics.*—The subjoined abstract shows the total number of births and deaths registered as compared with the figures of the previous year :—

Years.	Number of births.	Rate per mille.	Number of deaths.	Rate per mille.
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The large falling off in the number of births and the increase in the number of deaths are due to the prevalence of cholera and scarcity in the district.

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Cholera appeared in December 1896 and continued throughout the whole year, and in spite of every endeavour made to check it assumed an epidemic form and carried away not less than 1,320 victims against 286 in the previous year. The disease was very virulent during August and September when people were suffering from scarcity, but it began to subside in October and completely disappeared in March 1898. During its continuance an observation staff and a preventive staff on the scale sanctioned by Government were entertained and set to work. Medical subordinates were deputed with cholera medicines, the affected houses were thoroughly cleaned, wells were hankinized, and every possible effort was made to stamp out the disease, happily with success. The thanks of the council are due to the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. Hackett Wilkins, for his hearty co-operation and advice in all the measures taken to prevent the spread of infectious diseases and improve the health of the town.

Bubonic Plague.—Special precautionary measures were adopted against the importation of this epidemic in this town both by sea and land and these have not been relaxed.

Small-pox.—Eight cases of small-pox were treated in the contagious disease hospital, and all recovered.

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48. *Private Scavenging.*—The number of private latrines served at the end of the year was 1,277 against 1,189 in the previous year. Every endeavour is being made to extend the service throughout the town.

49. *Grant 4, Lighting.*—The outlay under this head was Rs. 2,768–9–2 against the revised estimate of Rs. 2,500. The increase is due to the last year's bills amounting to Rs. 454–3–6 having been paid during the year under report. Two hundred and fifty-five lights were maintained as in the previous year.

50. *Market—Contingencies.*—The site of the municipal market was for the first time assessed by the Revenue authorities under Board's Standing Order No. 12-A (New Edition). The assessment for two faslis 1306 and 1307 was paid by the council during the year. This accounts for the expenditure of Rs. 188–12–8 under this head. The question of the liability of the municipality to pay the tax is under the consideration of the council and when disposed of will be brought to the notice of Government.

51. *Fire—Contingencies.*—The allotment of Rs. 1,500 for the purchase of a fire-engine was not utilized, as the year under report was expected to close with a large *minus* balance. A sum of Rs. 42–6–2 was spent in putting down the fire which broke out in E division.

52. *Law Charges.*—The outlay under this head was Rs. 222–4–0 against the allotment of Rs. 180 in the revised estimate. The increase is due to the cost incurred in a criminal prosecution in which the pleader employed had to be paid a heavy fee.

Other Charges—Other Items.—The sum of Rs. 158–13–5 shown under this head includes a sum of Rs. 117–5–6 being the revenue paid to Government on the site of the cart-stand for the last two faslis.

53. *Grant 5, General Establishment.*—The expenditure on supervision and management is Rs. 4,708–15–10 against Rs. 4,692–9–6 in the previous year:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Municipal office establishment	2,428	8	10
Collection	1,575	7	0
Contribution for Central office and audit establishment ..	705	0	0

The increase is due to payment of an enhanced contribution for the Central office and audit establishment at the Presidency which last year amounted to Rs. 523.

54. *Repayment of Debt.*—The instalment of loan which fell due in 1897–98 with interest amounted to Rs. 2,765 and was paid during the year. The note appended to statement II contains information regarding the financial position of the municipality. The total liabilities on the 31st March 1898 amounted to Rupees 30,319–5–0 against Rs. 26,687–8–10 last year. The increase is due to the loan of Rs. 9,580 obtained from Government during the year. The cash balance on hand at the close of the year was Rs. 3,877–15–10 against a *nil* balance last year. This result is due to the loan received from Government in March 1898. It was only a temporary relief and the council has early to devise means to meet the growing wants of the municipality which has now to provide in addition to its ordinary charges, a sum of Rs. 4,000 for repayment of loans and will shortly have to pay Rs. 1,800 more for a Secretary. The sub-committee appointed last year to submit proposals for the development of the resources of the municipality and the reduction of expenditure has submitted its report and it will be considered by the municipal council at an early date.

55. The accounts of the Municipal office for 1896–97 were audited by the Assistant Inspector of Local Fund Accounts and his report was generally favourable. Care has been taken to remedy the defects pointed out by him.

56. My thanks are due to councillor Mr. J. W. Gomes who devoted much of his time in checking bills and vouchers, superintending sales of attached properties and payment of coolies, and to Captain Hamilton, the Port officer, who cheerfully took upon himself the duty of supervising the precautionary measures taken against bubonic plague and for the sanitary improvement of the port.

ANNUAL Concise Report of Civil Hospital, Calicut, for the year 1897–98.

1. *Public Health.*—The public health during the year was very bad, as cholera broke out in the town in a virulent epidemic form and carried away many lives. Medical subordinates were specially deputed for cholera duty with necessary medicines; all the wells in the town were hankinized and every attempt to check the disease was made. There were eight cases of small-pox during the year.

2. *Vital Statistics.*—In the town with a population of 66,078, there were 1,972 births and 3,088 deaths in the year against 2,756 births and 2,350 deaths in the previous year with a ratio of 29·8 and 46·73 per mille of population per annum, respectively. The deaths from cholera were 1,320, fever accounted for 375, dysentery and diarrhœa for 260, and all other causes for 1,133.

3. *Sanitation—Conservancy.*—The conservancy establishment consisted of one sanitary inspector, four assistant sanitary inspectors, 79 sweepers for cleaning roads and streets, 59 toties (an increase of one) to look after public latrines and private scavenging. The number of rubbish carts remains the same as last year. There were eighteen night-soil carts, an increase of three more than last year. There were sixteen pucka-built latrines and four brick-wall enclosures which were resorted to by the public and were kept in good condition. The fact that the number of latrines is quite inadequate to a town like Calicut with a population of 66,078 has been brought to the notice of the council in my last report. But nothing has yet been done towards the increase of the number. The number of latrines cleaned by municipal toties were 1,279. There were 121 iron and 20 masonry dust-bins. Private scavengering should be made compulsory in parts of the town and the general objectionable pit system of latrines put a stop to.

Since the construction of an incinerator, the refuse, street sweepings and night-soil of the town were taken there and burnt. The work was very well attended to by Assistant Sanitary Inspector Govindan.

The quality and quantity of drinking water remains the same as that of last year. A large tank in the heart of the town is specially set apart for drinking purposes. There is a watchman for the tank; wells form the chief source of water-supply, almost every house being provided with one. The water obtained in the Mappilla quarters of the town is as bad as ever. The question of supplying them with good water from the Mananchera tank has not yet been settled. The subject regarding burial-grounds is one that the municipality should take in hand at once. The Mappilla ones have for years been condemned. I am glad to see that one of new ones is nearly completed. During the year I wrote condemning all the Christian burial-grounds, as they were all becoming overcrowded and the water supply in their vicinity dangerously contaminated. Sites having been selected and the sooner they are completed and handed over to the different sections the better will it be for the health of the town. I look upon the starting of new burial-grounds as very urgent. Another matter connected with this is the prohibition of burials in private compounds by Hindus.

Drainage continues the same. The streets are in a fairly good condition during the hot weather.

4. *Vaccination.*—The total number of cases vaccinated during the year by the municipal vaccinator amounted to 5,851 against 6,507 last year, showing a decrease of 656 cases for the year under report. Of the total number of cases, 5,102 were successful, 577 unsuccessful and 172 unknown. The number of children under one year of age who were successfully vaccinated was 2,382 against 2,297 in the previous year, showing an increase of 85. I brought to the notice of the council last year the desirability of appointing a deputy inspector for the five municipalities to verify the cases done by vaccinators. The verification of the work of the vaccinator is due by myself and the Assistant Surgeon.

5. *Nature and sufficiency of accommodation.*—The present building is "well designed" and is constructed of laterite set in chunam, tiled floor and tiled roof with wood lining. The accommodation is insufficient and owing to the influx of in-patients, a large shed was erected during the year to accommodate 24 extra patients. The insufficiency of accommodation was brought to the notice of the council, but, for want of funds, the matter was dropped.

State of repairs of buildings.—All the necessary repairs have been done under this head.

Number of patients treated as compared with previous year.—One thousand and fifty-five in and 33,471 out patients were treated during the year under report against 636 in and 28,994 out patients in the last year, showing an increase of 419 in and 4,477 out patients in the preceding year. The increase is due to the greater care taken by the medical subordinates in attending to their duties, in consequence of which the institution is daily becoming more popular.

Mortality and actual causes of it.—The total number of deaths was 95:—

Disease.	Number died.
Cholera	32
Valvular diseases of heart	2
Malarial fever	2
Dropsy	19
Diarrhœa	12
Compound Fracture	2
Burn	2
Pneumonia	2
Dysentery	3
Phthisis Pulmonalis	9
Acute Bright disease	3
Ascites	2
Intermittent fever	2
Abscess	2
Wound abdomen	1
Jetissis	1
Total	95

N.B.—All these cases were admitted in the hospital in a moribund state.

Establishment, whether sufficient and efficient.—Sufficient and efficient.

Operation.—The total number of operations performed amounts to 912.

Midwife.—There were 69 cases of labour conducted by the midwife against 56 in the previous year.

General Remarks.—The year under review was very unhealthy. Scarcity prevailed throughout the year.

CALICUT, 21st *May* 1898. (Signed) T. J. HACKETT WILKINS, Surgn.-Lt.-Col., I.M.S., *District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Malabar.*

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2. The outstanding arrears of revenue are very large. This is probably to a large extent due to there having been four Chairmen during the year, but the arrears would not have been so large if the subordinate establishment had worked properly.

3. It is satisfactory that the private scavenging system has been self-supporting.

4. The condition of the roads is fair.

5. The principal want in the town just now is additional accommodation at the hospital which is insufficient to meet the wants of the many patients who crowd round Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel T. J. Hackett Wilkins.

6. This report is dated June 9th, but was received by me only on June 17th.

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

	Actuals, 1896-97.	Budget Estimate, 1897-98.	Revised Estimate, 1897-98.	Actuals 1897-98.
Receipts.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Balance brought forward	6533	180	1900	1904
Tax on Arts	8236	9710	8020	6039
Tax on Buildings and Lands	32813	38130	37130	29798
Water-Tax on Buildings and Lands	"	"	"	"
Tax on Vehicles and Animals	2244	2300	2300	1825
Tax on Carts	446	560	560	538
Tolls	5399	5230	5760	6002
Realizations under Special Acts	82	70	100	82
Rent of Lands, Buildings, &c, and sale-proceeds of Lands, &c.	1380	830	1100	909
Conservancy Receipts	29	"	50	14
Fees and Revenue from Educational Institutions	499	530	530	569
Fees and Revenue from Medical Institutions	38	70	220	232
Income from Markets and Slaughter-houses	2189	2190	2330	2202
License fees	1802	2200	1770	1730
Other fees	175	150	280	599
Fines under Municipal and other Acts	330	250	300	423
Interest on Investments and premium on Loans	"	"	"	"
Grants and Contributions from Government	565	840	720	612
Do. from Local Boards	3900	3900	3900	3900
Do. from other bodies	"	"	"	"
Recoveries for services to private individuals	2325	2500	2500	2502
Miscellaneous	80	360	490	448
Loans	"	4000	9580	9580
Sale-proceeds of Government Securities, &c, and Realizations of Sinking Fund	"	"	"	"
Advances Recovered	623	500	500	412
Total	69688	74500	70460	70320

Charges.	Actuals, 1896-97.	Budget Estimate, 1897-98.	Revised Estimate, 1897-98.	Actuals, 1897-98.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
GRANT 1.				
New Works—				
Communications	528	1350	1120	236
Buildings	2429	8970	4850	2126
Drainage	"	"	"	"
Water-supply	"	1500	820	820
Repairs—				
Communications	10355	9290	11060	10998
Buildings	637	1450	1230	1157
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Water-supply	"	"	300	303
Establishment	759	850	850	852
Tools and Plant and other Stores	"	"	"	"
Contributions for Public Works	"	"	"	"
Total	14708	23410	20230	16492
GRANT 2.				
Training Schools	117	190	10	10
Municipal Schools—				
(a) On the Salary System	1603	1580	1580	1459
(b) On the Salary Result System	3915	3850	3850	3430
Grants-in-aid—				
(a) Salary grants	464	440	440	398
(b) Result grants	783	1000	1000	1064
(c) Building, Furniture, &c., grants	60	100	100	"
Inspection	266	270	270	261
Miscellaneous	179	280	280	172
Total	7387	7710	7530	6794
GRANT 3.				
Hospitals and Dispensaries	14369	10660	10710	11972
Contributions	527	350	350	596
Vaccination	1051	900	900	926
Registration of Births and Deaths	421	350	350	329
Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering	13847	16450	17730	18040
Total	30215	28710	30040	31863
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Lighting	2976	2500	2500	2768
Markets and Slaughter-houses	373	370	370	361
Choultries	48	50	50	48
Travellers' Bungalows	200	220	190	173
Avenues	"	"	"	"
Public Garden, Survey of Land, Fire and other charges	1341	2730	2860	1455
Total	4938	5870	5970	5005
GRANT 5.				
Supervision and management	6642	5870	6140	6130
Repayment of Debt	2000	2000	2000	2000
Interest on loan	858	770	770	765
Advances Recoverable	551	"	100	85
Refunds	164	100	100	58
Discount	"	"	"	"
Pensions and Gratuities	321	"	"	"
Investments				
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Balance	1904	60	−2420	1128

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A sum of Rs 1527-7-10 was spent in providing a burial ground for Mappilas at the

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Colleges		Government ..	
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		Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.
1		2	3	4	5	6
Europeans and Eurasians				10	117	
Native Christians				6	212	
Muhammadans				.	8	
Hindus ..	Brahmans	5176	4736	.	63	.3
	Non-Brahman caste Hindus ..			.	230	
	Panchamas				.	
Others				.	8	
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	Local or municipal	7	4	2
	Aided from public funds	3	1	1
	Unaided and indigenous			
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Statement No. III giving particulars as to the qualifications o

Classes of institutions.		Number of teachers employed.	Number possessing trained teachers' certificates.	Number possessing untrained teachers' certificates.	Number p general ec certificates who are qu length of on 1st Ap
1		2	3	4	5
Colleges ..	Government				
	Local or municipal				
	Aided from public funds				
	Unaided and indigenous	3	1	2	
Secondary Schools.	Government				
	Local or municipal				
	Aided from public funds	26	12	7	
	Unaided and indigenous				
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Statement No. IV relating to the results of the grant examinations i Girls

Standard	189 7. Compulsory subjects only.				189 . Compulsory subj	
	Number of pupils presented.	Number of pupils passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Number of pupils presented.	Number of pupils passed.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Seventh standard (or Lower Secondary Examination)	6	.	.	.	.	.
Sixth standard	6	4	.	4	5	2
Fifth do.	10	5	.	5	13	7
Fourth do. (or Primary Examination)..	24	18	2	16	19	13
Third standard	25	21	2	19	25	18
Second do.	34	28	3	25	39	34
First do.	54	35	7	28	55	41
Infant do.	62	48	22	26	46	32
	221	159	36	123	207	147

Name of subject.*	189 . Optional subjects				189 . Optional su	
Object Lessons	110	50	.	50	108	68
Kindergarten Occupation	82	80	.	80	104	39
Sewing	95	94	2	92	33	.

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Geography	87	53	5	48	92	45
Hygiene	26	16	4	12	12	9
Indian History	22	18	3	15	14	9
English	35	24	11	13	55	23
Needlework	153	137	74	63	148	129
Domestic Economy	12	6	.	6	First [illegible]	4

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

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Calicut Municipality
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1897-98

Statement No. I relating to Genera

Institutions.			1896-97		
			Number of schools.	Number of pupils on 31st March.	
				Boys.	Girls.
1			2	3	4
Colleges		Government			
		Local or municipal			
		Aided from public funds			
		Unaided and indigenous	1	37	"
Secondary schools ..		Government	1	119	"
		~~Local or~~ municipal	1	45	19
		Aided from public funds	3	501	"
		Unaided and indigenous	2	595	"
Primary schools ..		Government	1	67	"
		~~Local or~~ municipal	11	618	83
		Aided from public funds	18	1077	177
		Unaided and indigenous	7	205	57
Training schools ..		Government	2	61	"
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Sessional schools ..		Government			
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Industrial schools ..		Government			
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		Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	B
1		2	3	4	5	
Europeans and Eurasians		279	275	126	"	1
				195	1	
Native Christians		1940	1741	514	56	26
Muhammadans				355	9	
Hindus ..	Brahmans	2948	2711	1983	238	80
	Non-Brahman caste Hindus ..			37	2	
	Panchamas					
Others		7	7	15	"	2
	Total	4174	4734	3225	306	

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Ed. Ret. 33 2,000—4-2-98.

	Government Training Schools	8	6	"	
	Government Training Mappila Pratesant School. Branch	1	"	"	"
Primary Schools.	~~Local~~ or municipal	28	13	"	
	Aided from public funds	34	10	1	
	Unaided and indigenous	9	3	"	
	Total	142	55	6	

Ed. Ret. 34. 2,000—18-2-98.

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Sever... Second ... First ... Infant ... N...

Statement No. III giving particulars as to the qualificati

Classes of institutions.		Number of teachers employed.	Number possessing trained teachers' certificates.	Number possessing untrained teachers' certificates.
1		2	3	4
Colleges ..	Government			
	Local or municipal			
	Aided from public funds			
	Unaided and indigenous	3	1	"
Secondary Schools.	Government Training School, Calicut Practising Branch ..	3	2	1
	Local or municipal	5	3	"
	Aided from public funds	24	17	3
	Unaided and indigenous	26	"	1
	Government Training Schools	8	6	"
	Government Training Mappila Practising School. Branch	1	"	"
	Local or municipal	28	13	"
Primary Schools.	Aided from public funds	34	10	1
	Unaided and indigenous	9	3	"
	Total	142	55	6

Ed. Ret. 34. 2,000—18-2-28.

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Sec. First Infant

Statement No. IV relating to the results of the grant examinations in Calicut Municipality

Standard.	1896.97 Compulsory subjects only. Number of pupils presented.	Number of pupils passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	1897.98 Compulsory subjects only. Number of pupils presented.	Number of pupils passed.	Merit.	Ordinary.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Seventh standard (or Lower Secondary Examination)									
Sixth standard									
Fifth do.	7	1	4	1	10	3	4	3	Fair
Fourth do. (or Primary Examination)..	93	50	5	45	78	63	21	42	Excellent
Third standard	191	82	6	76	192	143	33	110	do
Second do.	230	151	31	120	231	188	41	147	do
First do.	243	171	116	55	267	218	137	81	do
Infant do.	175	133	90	43	221	154	84	70	Good
Total	939	588	248	340	999	769	316	453	

Name of subject.*	1896.97 Optional subjects	1897.98

Statement E as prescribed in G.O.

Statement of Work done by the Inspecting Schoolmaster

Name	Range	Number of schools visited (also: no of times)	Number of schools examined (also: no of times)	Number of pupils examined	Number of days spent on: Examining Schools	Number of days spent on: After work	Number of days spent on Casual leave	Number of days spent on travel	Remarks
1. K. Achutha Menon for 352 days	Acting Inspecting Schoolmaster Calicut Municipality	395	206	9758	162	102	"	754 1/2	fairly satisfactory
2. P. R. Krishna aiyar for 13 days	Inspecting Schoolmaster Calicut Municipality	10	4	156	4	7	"	31	was on deputation elsewhere during the greater part of the year.

1. Sundays & holidays 79
   Casual leave 9
   88

2. Sundays 12

Corrected by Kelkar 17/5

17/5/98

Compared by Asst Inspector of Schools
W. C. Div.

From

The Sub asstt Inspectress Schools
Coimbatore Girls Range

The Chairman
Municipal Council
Calicut

Through the Inspectress of Girls Schools

Dated 10th May 1898

R.O. 2720

No 3215/165-98
Forwarded to the Chairman
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E. Carr.
Inspectress of Girls' Schools
S. & W. Circle.

Statement V A
Calicut Municipality
Coimbatore girls Range
1897-98

Statement V-B. Showing the statistics of Aided Schoo

Schools.	Number of Schools. At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	No. on Rolls on the 31st March 189 . Boys.	Girls.	Number of pupils examined in Results Grants Schools.	Number of pupils
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
A. Salary grants Schools: (a) Secondary School.								
1. B. G. M. High School	1	"	"	1	219	"	-	
B. Results grants Schools (a) Secondary Schools.								
1. B. G. M. Congregation	1	"	"	1	113	"	69	
(b) Upper Primary Schools.								
1. B. G. M Primary	1	"	"	1	179	"	141	
2. Native Primary	1	"	"	1	134	"	98	
Total	2	"	"	2	313	"	239	2
(C) Lower Primary Schools:-								
1. Thattarkanti	1	"	"	1	66	34	43	
2. Kannampally	1	"	"	1	40	4	35	
3. Pulayilparamba	1	"	"	1	29	21	23	
4. Thiruttparamba	1	"	"	1	25	13	16	
5 Kottarkanti	1	"	"	1	56	10	33	
6. Vattakamparamba	1	"	"	1	40	10	41	3
7. Amarikandiparamba	1	"	"	1	31	5	21	
8 Putukuti	1	"	"	1	71	3	43	
9 Etakkara	"	1	"	1	34	8	18	
10. Kandankulangara	1	"	"	1	57	30	41	
11 Allachiparamba	1	"	"	1	51	9	38	
12. Etakkatparamba	1	"	"	1	40	17	25	
13. Pulikalparamba	1	"	"	1	51	16	30	
14. Kallatasherry	1	"	"	1	61	9	22	
15 Velliankulam	1	"	"	1	40	4	33	
16. Nochulipparamba	1	"	"	1	45	8	26	
17 Thiruvannur night	"	1	"	1	43	"	17	
18. Madrasa Naphil Islam	"	1	"	1	26	7	19	
Total	15	3	"	18	806	208	524	
Total of Results grants Schools.	18	3	"	21	1232	208	832	
Grand-Total of all Schools	19	3	"	22	1451	208	832	

Statement V-A. Showing statistics of Municipal Scho

Institutions.	Number of Schools.				No. on Rolls on the 31st March 1898.		Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Receipts.										Other receipts.		
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	Boys.	Girls.		Grants from Provincial Funds.			Grants from Local Funds.			School Fees.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9			10			11			12		
III Lower Secondary Schools.																			
(a) Salary System																			
Pokkavil { Secondary Dept					7	3	10.7	"	"	"	"	"	"	134	12	"	"	"	
Pokkavil { Primary Dept	1	"	"	1	26	9	45.7	43	12	"	"	"	"	150	8	6	"	"	
Total	1	"	"	1	33	12	56.4	43	12	"	"	"	"	285	4	6	"	"	
(b) Salary Results System — nil —																			
IV Upper Primary Schools																			
(a) Salary System																			
1. Karaparamba	1	"	"	1	64	3	63	5	4	"	"	"	"	113	4	"	"	"	
2. Idiangara	1	"	"	1	63	"	61	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
	2	"	"	2	127	3	124	5	4	"	"	"	"	113	4	"	"	"	
(b) Salary Results System																			
1. Nagaram	1	"	"	1	84	"	81	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	"	
2. Chokravalaf	1	"	"	1	50	12	70	7	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total	2	"	"	2	134	12	151	7	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	"	
II Lower Primary Schools																			
(a) Salary System — nil —																			
(b) Salary Results System.																			
1 Killianad	1	"	"	1	73	9	76	10	5	"	"	"	"	77	2	3	"	"	
2. Pulayanvitu	1	"	"	1	53	10	65	13	15	"	"	"	"	65	8	9	"	"	
3. Iowa Parayu	1	"	"	1	35	2	37	"	7	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
4. Kallayi	1	"	"	1	87	13	93	2	10	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
5 Bayaqikulam	1	"	"	1	22	9	39	12	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
6. Mappilakkanti	1	"	"	1	28	8	35	5	15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
7. Madrasa Naphil Islam	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total	7	"	1	6	298	51	345	45	10	"	"	"	"	142	11	"	"	"	
Total of Primary Schools	11	"	1	10	559	66	620	58	"	"	"	"	"	255	15	"	5	"	
Total of all Schools	12	"	1	11	592	78	676.4	101	12	"	"	"	"	541	3	6	5	"	

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Statements accompanying the Administration report of the Calicut Municipal Council for the year 1897-98.

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

	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.			Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.			Budget Estimate for 1897-98.			Revised Estimate for 1897-98.			Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).		
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. BALANCE BROUGHT FORWARD—															
a. Municipal Fund				5596	-	9	3320	-	-	5600	-	-	966	9	5
b. ~~Endowments~~ Govt Grants ..				7500	-	-	3500	-	-	7500	-	-	7500	-	-
c. Water-tax Fund				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2. MUNICIPAL RATES AND TAXES—															
a. Tax on arts, &c. (section 53) ..	6026	3	9				9700	-	-	8000	-	-	8224	-	6
b. Tax on buildings (section 63) ..	22202	10	2				27600	-	-	26700	-	-	23739	5	11
c. Tax on lands (section 63) ..	7570	15	9				10500	-	-	10400	-	-	9048	9	8
d. Water-tax on buildings and lands (section 75)	-	-	-				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
e. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins (section 77) ..	854	-	-				1200	-	-	1200	-	-	1083	12	-
f. Tax on animals (section 77) ..	967	10	9				1100	-	-	1100	-	-	1157	2	-
g. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs (section 85) ..	538	8	-				560	-	-	560	-	-	446	-	-
h. Tolls (section 91)—															
Gross receipts ..	3948	5	10				3380	-	-	3910	-	-	3376	3	6
~~Less~~ Local Fund share ..	2053	6	4				1850	-	-	1850	-	-	2023	-	7
i. Penalties on account of—															
i. Tax on arts	12	5	-				10	-	-	20	-	-	11	14	-
ii. Tax on buildings ..	9	8	9				10	-	-	10	-	-	4	9	-
iii. Tax on lands	15	2	9				20	-	-	20	-	-	20	9	-
iv. Water-tax on buildings and lands	-	-	-				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
v. Tax on vehicles, &c. ..	1	8	-				-	-	-	-	-	-	1	8	6
vi. Tax on animals	1	10	-				-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10	-
vii. Tax on carts, &c. ..	-	-	-				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
vii. Evasion of tolls	-	-	-				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. REALIZATIONS UNDER SPECIAL ACTS—															
a. Pounds	51	10	6				70	-	-	70	-	-	82	2	-
b. Ferry rents	-	-	-				-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
c. Fees under Act II of 1888 ..	30	-	-							30	-	-	-	-	-
Carried forward ..				44283	9	7	56000	-	-	53870	-	-	49220	6	8

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

	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..	44283 9 7		56000 - -	53870 - -	49220 6 8
4. REVENUE DERIVED FROM MUNICIPAL PROPERTY AND POWERS APART FROM TAXATION—					
a. i. Rent of lands	186 11 3		60 - -	230 - -	18 14 -
ii. Rent of buildings	80 2 9		240 - -	180 - -	320 - -
iii. Avenue receipts	116 5 -		70 - -	120 - -	56 3 9
iv. Fees from Travellers' Bungalows	364 - -		400 - -	400 - -	553 - -
b. i. Sale-proceeds of lands and buildings	6 8 -		- - -	10 - -	400 - -
ii. Produce of lands, gardens, &c.	27 - -		10 - -	30 - -	23 7 3
iii. Sale-proceeds of old materials, empty oil cans, packing cases, &c.	128 13 6		50 - -	130 - -	8 10 -
c. Conservancy receipts—	909 8 6		830	1100	1380
Sale-proceeds of night-soil, street refuse, &c.	13 13 -		- - -	50 - -	29 4 6
d. i. Fees from educational institutions	563 9 3		530 - -	530 - -	499 4 -
ii Other revenue from educational institutions ..	5 5 7		- - -	- - -	- - -
e. i. Sale-proceeds and composition fees of medicines	221 5 -		70 - -	220 - -	8 5 -
Sale proceeds of municipal books	1 7 -		- - -	- - -	- - -
ii. Other Hospital receipts ..	9 5 3		- - -	- - -	29 12 3
f. i. Income from markets ..	1663 4 1		1640 - -	1740 - -	1646 - 4
ii. " slaughter-houses.	538 7 1		550 - -	590 - -	542 9 1
g. Other fees	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
i. Distraint fees	164 6 3		100 - -	200 - -	122 8 6
Warrant fees - -	373 4 -				
ii. License fees	1730 2 -		2200 - -	1770 - -	1801 12 -
iii. Cartstand fees	56 12 7		50 - -	80 - -	51 9 8
iv. Other fees	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
Fee for an extract from B & D Register	4 8 -		- - -	- - -	1 - -
h. Fines under Municipal and other Acts.	422 9 4		250 - -	300 - -	329 15 10
i. Interest on investments					
i. General, including choultries	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
ii. Educational	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
iii. Medical	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
j. Premium on loans	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
Carried forward ..		50961 4 6	62220 - -	60450 - -	55662 10 10

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

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1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward .	50961 4 6		62220 - -	60450 - -	55662 10 10
5. GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS—					
a. From Government—					
i. Education—					
Normal stipends ..	- - -		120 - -	- - -	54 - -
Buildings	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
Municipal Schools ..	412 7 -		540 - -	540 - -	363 9 -
Other purposes	183 5 4		140 - -	140 - -	96 5 4
ii. Medical					
iii. Other purposes—	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
Communications ..	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
Water-supply	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
Drainage	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
Sanitation	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
Other purposes ..	16 8 -		40 - -	40 - -	51 - -
b. From Local Boards—					
i. Education	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
ii. Medical	3900 - -		3900 - -	3900 - -	3900 - -
iii. Other purposes	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
c. Other grants and contributions—					
i. Education	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
ii. Medical	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
iii. Other purposes	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
6. MISCELLANEOUS—					
a. Recoveries on account of services rendered to private individuals—	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
i. Private scavenging ..	2501 14 10		2500 - -	2500 - -	2324 8 -
ii. Other purposes					
b. Other items—					
i. Fishery rents	- - -		- - -	- - -	- - -
ii. Refunds of Expenditure of previous year	61 14 2		20 - -	50 - -	- - -
iii. Fee for numbering carts, &c.	26 15 -		40 - -	40 - -	27 14 -
iv. Other items	359 6 2		300 - -	400 - -	1 - -
Court cash recovered.	- - -		- - -	- - -	50 12 -
Carried forward ..		58423 11 -	69820 - -	68060 - -	62531 11 2

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1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..	58423 11 -		69820 - -	68060 - -	62531 11 2
7. EXTRAORDINARY AND DEBT—					
a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.					
b. Loans—					
i. From Government ..	9580 - -		4000 - -	9580 - -	- - -
ii. In the market from private individuals					
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans.					
d. Advances—					
i. Permanent					
ii. Others	412 5 2		500 - -	500 - -	622 11 11
Total Receipts ..		68416 - 2	74320 - -	68560 - - (140)	63154 7 1
Grand Total ..		70319 15 5	74500 - -	70460 - - (80.040)	69687 13 8

NOTE TO STATEMENT I.

1. Tax on arts, &c., is levied on ~~the first~~ all classes.
2. Tax on buildings is levied at 7½ per cent. and tax on lands at 74 annas per cent. of rent value. ~~for every 80 square yards.~~
3. Water-tax on buildings and lands is ~~levied at ——— per cent.~~ not levied in this municipality.
4. Tax on vehicles and animals is levied ~~at ——— the maximum rates.~~ according to Schedule C.
5. Tax on carts, &c., is levied at Rs. 3 per cart. per annum.
6. Tolls are levied at ——— the maximum rates.
7. License-fees are levied at the rates sanctioned in G.O. No. 104 J. 19th May 95. No. 653 M. J. 18th May 91. 1085 M. J. 15th July 91. No. 1036 M. J. 10th July 91. No. 4 J. 8th Jany 94. No. 264 J. 20th Jany 94. No. 900. J. 13th July 94. No. 1898 of 95 ditto.
8. The house-tax registers were last revised in the official year ——— and the land tax registers in the official year. 1892.
9. Total extent of land assessed is ——— acres. Cannot be given as the assessment is based not on the extent but on the annual rental.
10. The mode of estimating the annual rental of houses and lands is as follows :—

The houses and lands let out are taxed on the annual rental and the assessment on those let out are taxed on the annual rent with reference to the locality in which they are situated. The nature and productive qualities of cultivating lands are also taken into consideration in fixing the annual rental of lands not leased out.

STATEMENT I-A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Council under Sections 25 and 26 of Act V of 1884 for the official year 189 /98

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

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	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Brought forward ..	58423 11 -		69820 - -	68060 - -	62531 11 2
7. Extraordinary and Debt—					
a. Sale-proceeds of Government securities and withdrawals from Savings Bank.					
b. Loans—					
i. From Government ..	9580 - -		4000 - -	9580 - -	- - -
ii. In the market from private individuals					
c. Realizations of Sinking fund for repayment of loans.					
d. Advances—					
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ii. Others	412 5 2		500 - -	500 - -	622 11 11
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The houses and lands let out are taxed on the annual rental and the assessment on those let out are taxed on the annual rent with reference to the locality in which they are situated. The nature and productive qualities of cultivating lands are also taken into consideration in fixing the annual rentals of lands not leased out.

Statement I-A.—Endowments entrusted to the Municipal Council under Sections 25 and 26 of Act V of 1884 for the official year 189 -99.

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

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

—	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT I—(*Public Works*)—					
1. NEW WORKS—					
a. Communications	235 14 7		1350 - -	1120 - -	527 7 11
b. Buildings	2125 14 7		8970 - -	4850 - -	2428 10 7
c. Drainage					
d. Water-supply	819 12 6		1500 - -	820 - -	- - -
2. REPAIRS—					
a. Communications	10998 5 2		9290 - -	11060 - -	10355 2 1
b. Buildings	1156 15 3		1450 - -	1230 - -	636 14 -
c. Drainage—					
i. Repairs to works ..					
ii. Establishment for flushing drains, &c.					
d. Water-supply—					
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c	302 11 10		- - -	900 - -	- - -
ii. Establishment					
iii. Contingencies					
3. ESTABLISHMENT	852 - -		850 - -	850 - -	757 3 7
4. TOOLS AND PLANT AND OTHER STORES.					
5. CONTRIBUTIONS—					
a. To Local Boards for works ..					
b. To Provincial Funds for scrutiny of estimates, &c. ..					
c. To others for public works ..					
Total, Grant I ..		16491 9 11	23410 - -	20230 - -	14707 6 2
GRANT II—(*Education*)—					
1. TRAINING SCHOOLS—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Stipends to Normal students ..	10 - -		190 - -	10 - -	116 12 11
2 MUNICIPAL SCHOOLS—					
i On Salary System—					
a. Establishment	1205 2 7		1260 - -	1260 - -	1230 9 11
b. Contingencies	253 11 7		320 - -	320 - -	371 12 4
Carried forward ..		1468 14 2	1770 - -	1590 - -	1719 3 2

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

—	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		1468 14 2	1770 - -	1590 - -	1719 3 2
GRANT II—(*Education*)—cont.					
ii. On Salary-Results System—					
a. Fixed Payments	2371 1 7		2460 - -	2460 - -	2329 7 8
b. Result Grants	651 5 9		710 - -	710 - -	1017 1 2
c. Contingencies	407 13 5		680 - -	680 - -	568 8 8
3. SALARY GRANTS	398 - -		440 - -	440 - -	464 5 4
4. RESULTS GRANTS	1064 6 -		1000 - -	1000 - -	783 6 -
5. COMBINED GRANTS—					
a. Fixed Payments					
b. Result Grants					
6. INSPECTION—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Municipal Inspectors—					
i. Establishment	240 - -		240 - -	240 - -	239 - -
ii. Contingencies	21 5 -		30 - -	30 - -	26 8 7
7. MISCELLANEOUS—					
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants ..	- - -		100 - -	100 - -	60 - -
b. Common gymnasium—					
i. Establishment	171 6 8		180 - -	180 - -	179 - 6
ii. Contingencies	- - -		100 - -	100 - -	- - -
c. Common Drawing Master—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies					
d. Other items					
Total, Grant II ..		6794 4 7	7710 - -	7530 - -	7386 9 3
GRANT III—(*Sanitation and Medical Services*).					
1. HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES—					
a. Establishment	3240 15 6		3260 - -	3260 - -	3059 11 8
b. Medicines and Supplies	4944 3 7		4000 - -	4000 - -	8318 12 5
c. Diet of Patients	2709 3 6		2500 - -	2500 - -	1871 11 -
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..	877 2 7		700 - -	750 - -	918 15 1
e. Contributions to ~~Local Boards~~ Leper Hospital ..	200 - -		200 - -	200 - -	200 - -
&c., &c., &c. .					
Carried forward ..		11971 9 2	10660 - -	10710 - -	14369 2 2

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

—	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT I—(*Public Works*)—					
1. New Works—					
a. Communications	235 14 7		1350 - -	1120 - -	527 7 11
b. Buildings	2125 14 7		8970 - -	4850 - -	2428 10 7
c. Drainage					
d. Water-supply	819 12 6		1500 - -	820 - -	- - -
2. Repairs—					
a. Communications	10998 5 2		9290 - -	11060 - -	10353 2 1
b. Buildings	1156 15 3		1450 - -	1250 - -	636 14 -
c. Drainage—					
i. Repairs to works ..					
ii. Establishment for flushing drains, &c.					
d. Water-supply—					
i. Repairs to works, machinery, &c	302 11 10		- - -	900 - -	- - -
ii. Establishment					
iii. Contingencies					
3. Establishment	852 - -		850 - -	850 - -	757 3 7
4. Tools and Plant and other stores.					
5. Contributions—					
a. To Local Boards for works ..					
b. To Provincial Funds for scrutiny of estimates, &c. ..					
c. To others for public works ..					
Total, Grant I ..		16491 9 11	23410 - -	20230 - -	14707 6 2
GRANT II—(*Education*)—					
1. Training Schools—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Stipends to Normal students ..	10 - -		190 - -	10 - -	116 12 11
2 Municipal Schools—					
i On Salary System—					
a. Establishment	1205 2 7		1260 - -	1260 - -	1230 9 11
b. Contingencies	253 11 7		320 - -	320 - -	371 12 4
Carried forward ..		1468 14 2	1770 - -	1590 - -	1719 3 2

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

—	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.	Budget Estimate for 1897-98.	Revised Estimate for 1897-98.	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).
1	2	3	4	5	6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		1468 14 2	1770 - -	1590 - -	1719 3 2
GRANT II—(*Education*)—cont.					
ii. On Salary-Results System—	5430 4 9		3850	3850	3915 1 6
a. Fixed Payments	2371 1 7		2460 - -	2460 - -	2329 7 8
b. Result Grants	651 5 9		710 - -	710 - -	1017 1 2
c. Contingencies	407 13 5		680 - -	680 - -	568 8 8
3. Salary Grants	398 - -		440 - -	440 - -	464 5 4
4. Results Grants	1064 6 -		1000 - -	1000 - -	783 6 -
5. Combined Grants—					
a. Fixed Payments					
b. Result Grants					
6. Inspection—					
a. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
b. Municipal Inspectors—					
i. Establishment	240 - -		240 - -	240 - -	239 - -
ii. Contingencies	21 5 -		30 - -	30 - -	26 8 9
7. Miscellaneous—			270	270	
a. Building, furniture, &c., grants ..	- - -		100 - -	100 - -	60 - -
b. Common gymnasium—					
i. Establishment	171 6 8		180 - -	180 - -	179 - 6
ii. Contingencies	- - -		100 - -	100 - -	- - -
c. Common Drawing Master—					
i. Establishment					
ii. Contingencies					
d. Other items					
Total, Grant II ..		6794 4 7	7710 - -	7530 - -	7386 9 3
GRANT III—(*Sanitation and Medical Services*).					
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—					
a. Establishment	3240 15 6		3260 - -	3260 - -	3059 11 8
b. Medicines and Supplies	4944 3 7		4000 - -	4000 - -	8318 12 5
c. Diet of Patients	2709 3 6		2500 - -	2500 - -	1871 11 -
d. Sundries and Contingencies ..	877 2 7		700 - -	750 - -	918 15 1
e. Contributions to ~~Local Boards~~ Leper Hospital ..	200 - -		200 - -	200 - -	200 - -
&c., &c., &c. .					
Carried forward ..		11971 9 2	10660 - -	10710 - -	14369

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

1	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads. 2	Actuals 1897-98. Total of Major Heads. 3	Budget Estimate for 1897-98. including subsequent allotments. 4	Revised Estimate for 1897-98. 5	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures). 6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		11971 9 2	1060 - -	10710 - -	14369 2 2
GRANT III—*Sanitation and Medical Services*—cont.					
2. *a.* Contributions to Provincial funds for—					
i. Medical College ..	324 - -		110 - -	110 - -	260 - -
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..	201 - -		200 - -	200 - -	208 - -
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..	71 - -		40 - -	40 - -	59 - -
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..					
b. Contributions to Local Boards, &c., for—					
i. Medical Schools ..					
ii. Reserve staff					
&c., &c., &c, ..					
c. Other contributions					
3. Vaccination—					
a. Establishment	587 13 6		600 - -	600 - -	575 11 7
b. Contingencies	338 8 6		300 - -	300 - -	475 3 3
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
4. Registration of Births and Deaths—					
a. Establishment	328 8 10		340 - -	340 - -	334 15 6
b. Contingencies			10 - -	10 - -	86 - -
5. Conservancy, Road cleaning and Road watering—					
a. i. Establishment	8859 11 1		9130 - -	9130 - -	8546 11 7
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	1928 12 5		1600 - -	2100 - -	1494 8 10
b. Private scavenging—					
i. Establishment	2107 9 -		2120 - -	2120 - -	2431 - -
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. ..	205 10 8		380 - -	380 - -	377 8 10
c. Extra charges ..	4138 9 -		3220 - -	4000 - -	971 1 7
i. Contingencies	- - -		- - -	- - -	26 - -
&c., &c., &c. ..					
Total, Grant III ..		31862 12 2	28710 - -	30040 - -	30215 2 4

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

1	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads. 2	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads. 3	Budget Estimate for 1897-98. including subsequent allotments. 4	Revised Estimate for 1897-98. 5	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures). 6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*).					
1. Lighting—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies	2768 9 2		2500 - -	2500 - -	2976 3 1
2. i. Markets—					
a. Establishment	84 - -		80 - -	80 - -	84 - -
b. Contingencies	188 12 8				
ii. Slaughter-houses—					
a. Establishment	48 - -		50 - -	50 - -	48 - -
b. Contingencies	240 - -		240 - -	240 - -	240 8 -
3. Choultries—					
a. Establishment	48 - -		50 - -	50 - -	48 - -
b Contingencies					
c. Feeding Travellers					
4. Travellers' bungalows—					
a. Establishment	145 - -		170 - -	170 - -	168 - -
b. Contingencies	4 12 -		50 - -	20 - -	32 - -
5. Avenues—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
6. Public Garden—					
a. Establishment	96 - -		100 - -	100 - -	96 - -
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..	14 10 7		20 - -	10 - -	24 6 7
7. Survey of land					
8. Fire—					
a. Establishment					
b. Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c.	42 6 2		1500 - -	1540 - -	22 7 7
9. Other charges—					
i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging					
Carried forward ..		3703 2 7	4760 - -	4760 - -	3739 9 3

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

1	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads. 2	Actuals 1897-98. Total of Major Heads. 3	Budget Estimate for 1897-98. including subsequent allotments. 4	Revised Estimate for 1897-98. 5	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures). 6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Brought forward ..		11971 9 2	10660 - -	10710 - -	14367 2 2
GRANT III—*Sanitation and Medical Services*—cont.					
2. *a.* Contributions to Provincial funds for—					
i. Medical College ..	324 - -		110 - -	110 - -	260 - -
ii. Sanitary Inspection ..	201 - -		200 - -	200 - -	208 - -
iii. Medical Reserve staff ..	71 - -		40 - -	40 - -	59 - -
iv. Cutlers' Establishment ..					
b. Contributions to Local Boards, &c., for—					
i. Medical Schools ..					
ii. Reserve staff					
&c., &c., &c, ..					
c. Other contributions					
3. Vaccination—					
a. Establishment	587 13 6		600 - -	600 - -	575 11 7
b. Contingencies	338 8 6		300 - -	300 - -	475 3 3
c. Contributions to Local Boards ..					
4. Registration of Births and Deaths—					
a. Establishment	328 6 10		340 - -	340 - -	334 15 6
b. Contingencies			10 - -	10 - -	86 - -
5. Conservancy, Road cleaning and Road watering—					
a. i. Establishment	8859 11 1		9130 - -	9130 - -	8546 14 7
ii. Other charges such as purchase or hire of carts, dry earth, purchase and maintenance or hire of bullocks, &c. ..	1928 12 5		1600 - -	2100 - -	1494 8 10
b. Private scavenging—					
i. Establishment	2107 9 -		2120 - -	2120 - -	2431 - -
ii. Contingencies, such as cost of scavenging carts, &c. ..	205 10 8		380 - -	380 - -	377 8 10
[illegible] charges ..	4138 9 -		3220 - -	4000 - -	971 1 7
a. [illegible]gencies	- - -		- - -	- - -	26 - -
&c., &c., &c. ..					
Total, Grant III ..		31862 12 2	28710 - -	30040 - -	30215 2 4

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

1	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads. 2	Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads. 3	Budget Estimate for 1897-98. including subsequent allotments. 4	Revised Estimate for 1897-98. 5	Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures). 6
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*).					
1. Lighting—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies	2768 9 2		2500 - -	2500 - -	2976 3 1
2. i. Markets—					
a. Establishment	84 - -		80 - -	80 - -	84 - -
b. Contingencies	188 12 8				
ii. Slaughter-houses—					
a. Establishment	48 - -		50 - -	50 - -	48 - -
b. Contingencies	240 - -		240 - -	240 - -	240 8 -
3. Choultries—					
a. Establishment	48 - -		50 - -	50 - -	48 - -
b Contingencies					
c. Feeding Travellers					
4. Travellers' bungalows—					
a. Establishment	14 - -		170 - -	170 - -	168 - -
b. Contingencies	4 12 -		50 - -	20 - -	32 - -
5. Avenues—					
a. Establishment					
b. Contingencies					
6. Public Garden—					
a. Establishment	96 - -		100 - -	100 - -	96 - -
b. Purchase of seeds, repair of well, purchase of bullocks, &c. ..	14 10 7		20 - -	10 - -	24 6 7
7. Survey of land					
8. Fire—					
a. Establishment					
b. Purchase of fire-engine, buckets, repairs, &c.	42 6 2		1500 - -	1540 - -	22 7 7
9. Other charges—					
i. Work done for private individuals other than private scavenging					
Carried forward ..		3703 2 7	4760 - -	4760 - -	3739 9 3

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

	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.			Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.			Budget Estimate for 1897-98, including subsequent allotment.			Revised Estimate for 1897-98.			Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).		
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Brought forward ..				3703	2	7	4760	—	—	4760	—	—	3739	9	3
GRANT IV—(*Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal purposes*)—cont.															
9. Other Charges—*cont.*															
ii. Rewards for destruction of wild animals and snakes ..							60	—	—	60	—	—	—	—	—
iii. Printing	853	1	5				700	—	—	700	—	—	799	15	7
iv. Compensation for lands ..	67	13	4				70	—	—	70	—	—	51	12	—
v. Other items	158	13	5				100	—	—	200	—	—	346	14	—
Law charges (Estt. 180, Ot. Charges 42)	222	4	—				180	—	—	180	—	—			
Total, Grant IV ..				5005	2	9	5870	—	—	5970	—	—	4938	2	10
GRANT V—															
a. General Establishment—	705														
i. Office Establishment ..	2428	8	10				2430	—	—	2430	—	—	2390	13	7
ii. ~~Inspection~~ Division Establt. ..	264	—	—				100	—	—	270	—	—	652	2	4
b. Collection of Municipal Taxes—															
i. Establishment	1575	7	—				1630	—	—	1630	—	—	1778	11	11
ii. Purchase of account books, paper, money-boxes, repair to out-posts, &c. ..	164	2	1				200	—	—	200	—	—	391	6	6
c. Collection of Tolls—															
i. Establishment															
ii. Contingencies	6	12	10												
d. Office contingencies other than (i) (ii)	985	13	4				800	—	—	900	—	—	906	2	—
e. Contributions for Central office and Audit establishments ..	650	—	—				650	—	—	650	—	—	463	—	—
Do. Collector's Mt. clerk	55	—	—				60	—	—	60	—	—	60	—	—
Total, Grant V ..				6129	12	1	5870	—	—	6140	—	—	6642	4	10
Repayment of Debt—															
a. Instalments paid during the year															
b. Invested on account of Sinking Fund (Value of securities purchased)	2000	—	—				2000	—	—	2000	—	—	2000	—	—
c. Charges of investment ..															
Interest—															
a. On account of last year ..	765	—	—				770	—	—	770	—	—	857	11	5
b. „ of current years.															

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

	Actuals 1897-98. Details of Minor Heads.			Actuals 1897-98. Totals of Major Heads.			Budget Estimate for 1897-98, including subsequent allotment.			Revised Estimate for 1897-98.			Actuals, 1896-97 (audited figures).		
1	2			3			4			5			6		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
Advances recoverable—															
a. Permanent	—	—	—				—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
b. Others	85	—	—							100	—	—	551	5	2
Refunds of other than current collections ..	58	8	1				100	—	—	100	—	—	164	4	11
Discount															
Pensions and gratuities	—	—	—				—	—	—	—	—	—	321	—	—
Investments—															
a. In Government securities for purposes other than Sinking Fund															
b. In Savings Bank															
Total Expenditure ..				69192	1	7	74440	—	—	72880	—	—	67783	14	5
Balances—															
a. Municipal Fund				14424	10	4	60	—	—	5920	—	—	5576	4	9
b. ~~Endowments~~ In case of Govt. Trusts & Loans.				15552	8	2				3500	—	—	7500	—	—
c. Water-tax Fund															
Grand Total ..				70319	15	5	74500	—	—	70460	—	—	69687	13	8

Note to Statement II.

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

Liabilities	RS.	Assets.	RS.
Liabilities—		Municipal Balance .. { Cash ..	14424-10-4
Balance of Loans	24580——	~~Securities~~ .. .. & Loans	15552-8-2
Deposits to be adjusted ..	5022-11-	Deposit Balance .. { Cash ..	2750-2-1
Other Liabilities (in detail)		{ Securities ..	2272-9-1
Amount due to Deit Contractor		Sinking Fund of loans	
for February 1898 - 382-6-6		Funded Capital of endowed institutions, Hospitals, &c.	— — —
Do Light Contractor - 206-1-5		Total ..	6150-8-10
Do printing former - 128-2-1		Value of Premises, &c.	69864-12-6
		Do. of Tools and plant	1880-15-—
		Do. of Live stock	— — —
		Do. of Furniture	6658-10-7
		Arrears of taxes, &c.	15909-7-5
		Other assets (in detail) ..	— — —
		Total ..	98464-6-2
Total ..	30319-5-—	Claims—	
		Advances Recoverable—	
		Permanent advance	40——
		Advances for works, &c.	377-4-—
		Total ..	417-4-—

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

Part I.—New Works.

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.	Expenditure in 189 -9 .	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
(a)	Communications				
1	For Constructing a new				
2	road to the cremator	235-14-7	u - -	235 14 7	
3					
	Total ..	235-14-7	u - -	235 14 7	
(b)	Buildings				
1	For putting up two metal latrines.	94--		94 u -	
2	For making contagious sheds at the Hospital -	57--		57 u -	
3	For making a gate at the Municipal Garden —	18-5-10		18 5 10	
4.	For constructing a metal latrine at the Hospital -	57-3--		57 3 -	
5.	For putting up a shed at the cremator.	171-13-11		171 13 11	
6.	For putting a shed at the Hospital.	200--		200 u -	
7.	For constructing Moppila burial ground at Kannamparamba —	17080--		1527 7 10	
	Total ..			2125 14 7	

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

Part I.—New Works.—*cont.*

Number	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.	Expenditure in 1897-98.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
(c)	Drainage				
1					
2					
3					
	Total ..				
(d)	Water-supply				
1	For Sinking a pot well.				
2	which came to grief —			319 12 6	
3	For Sinking a pot well			500 u -	
	Total ..			819 12 6	

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

Part I.—New Works.

Number.	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.			Expenditure in 189 -9 .			Remarks.
1	2	3	4			5			6
		Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(a)	Communications								
1	For Constructing a new								
2	road to the emiater	235-14-7	"	-	-	235	14	7	
3									
	Total ..	235-14-7	"	-	-	235	14	7	
(b)	Buildings								
1	For putting up two metal latrines.	94--				94	"	-	
2	For making cantaceous sheds at the Hospital -	57--				57	"	-	
3	For making a gate at the Municipal Garden —	18-5-10				18	5	10	
4.	For constructing a metal latrine at the Hospital -	57-3--				57	3	-	
5.	For putting up a shed at the Emerator.	171-13-11				171	13	11	
6.	For putting a shed at the Hospital.	200--				200	"	-	
7.	For constructing Moppila burial ground at the Kannamparamba —	17080--				1527	7	10	
	Total ..					2125	14	7	

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

Part I.—New Works.—*cont.*

Number	Project.	Amount of estimate.	Past expenditure.			Expenditure in 1897-98.			Remarks.
1	2	3	4			5			6
		Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(c)	Drainage								
1									
2									
3									
	Total ..								
(d)	Water-supply								
1	For Sinking a pot well.								
2	which came to grief—					319	12	6	
3	For Sinking a pot well					500	"	-	
	Total ..					819	12	6	

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

Part II.—Repairs.

Number.	Project.	Grant. including Subsequent allotment	Actual expenditure.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
(a)	Communications	11060		Total mileage of roads streets, lanes, &c., in the town. 26 miles
1	Metalling. Cannanore Cart road	2317 3 3	2317 3 3	
2	Special work			~~Metalled~~ or ~~Gravelled~~ } Metlad. 34 Unmetalled. 9
3	1 Civil Dispensary road — 21 15 —			
	2. Robinson road — 596 8 11			
	3. Beypore Cart road — 384 2 6			
	4. old Court Road — 322 13 9			
	5. Camp Bazaar road — 157 14 3			Total mileage under maintenance. 46 miles.
	6. Mankava road — 429 5 10			
	7. Kallai road — 536 14 7			~~Metalled~~ or ~~Gravelled~~ } Metled. 34 Unmetalled. Gravelled. 9
	8. East Kallai road — 257 7 8			
	9. Wynad road — 414 3 —			
	10. Tobacco Street — 78 15 9			
	11. Kottupalli road — 439 6 —	3551 11 3		
	Petty repairs.			
	1. Beach road — 153 5 3			
	2. Thiruvanoor road — 57 6 8			
	3. Wynad road — 110 4 8			
	4. Kallai road — 126 14 6			
	5. Varakal road — 11 4 5			
	6. Idiangara road — 39 6 —			
	7. Chuthinum road — 55 1 14			
	8. Kottupalli road — 50 10 —			
	9. Aluvani Street — 24 8 —			
	10. Old cutcherry road — 76 12 —			
	11. Beypore Cart road — 107 4 2			

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

Part II.—Repairs—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Grant. including subsequent allotment.	Actual expenditure.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
(b)	Buildings	1230		
1	Annual repairs to Cart stand		68 14 10	
2	Do to Municipal office		66	
3	Do		61	
	Thatching the municipal office passage		25	
	Repairing municipal office Porch		8 12 10	
	Repairs to Hospital buildings		42 12 ..	
	Annual repairs to civil Hospital		70	
	Repairs to Civil Hospital		66	
	Repairs to Small pox Hospital		147	
	Wood oiling the doors and windows of civil Hospital		44 14 ..	
	White washing the out houses of Hospital		42 6 ..	
	Plastering Compound wall of Hospital		110 5 5	
	Dismantling female ward.		10 12 ..	
	Repairs to the Spectator Press building.		61	
	Repairing Beef Slaughter House		27 10 10	
	Repairing a revetment wall at Mon almigal		30	
	Repairs to Musapher Khana.		30 11 8	
	" to Rubbish Cart stand.		40 8 ..	
	" to Latrines "		109 8 1	
	Repairs to cattle pounds.		34 14 7	
	Repairs to Tolls.		14 1 ..	
	For making a gate to Mt. garden		60 0 ..	
	For making a fence round the Municipality road latrine		8 12 ..	
	Total ..	1230	1156 15 3	

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

Part II.—Repairs—*cont.*

Number.	Project.	Grant.			Actual expenditure.			Remarks.
1	2	3			4			5
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
(*c*)	Drainage							
1								
2								
3								
	Total ..							
(*d*)	Water-supply							
1	least of a water pump.	300	..	..	302	11	10	
2								
3								
	Total	300	..	..	302	11	10	

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 I.—2. *c.* Drainage—							
Overseers							
Drain cleaners							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
d. Water works—							
Overseers							
Watchmen							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
3. General.—							
Overseers	1	50	"	"			
Maistries	Horse allowance.	15	"	"			
Mangavru ferry boatman.	1	6	"	"			
Total ..	2	71	"	"	852	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					852	"	"

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

—	Number	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—Education—							
1. Training Schools—							
Pupils receiving scholarships							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
2. Municipal Schools—							
a. On the Salary System— Pokkavil,							
Head Master	1	15	"	"			
~~1st Assistant~~ Master Second master.	1	10	"	"			
2nd „ „ 3rd. master..	1	8	"	"			
4th Master.	1	5	"	"			
Kavaparamba—							
Head master	1	12	"	"			
Second master	1	10	"	"			
Third master	1	8	"	"			
Fourth Master	1	5	"	"			
Idiangara							
Head master	1	12	"	"			
Second master	1	10	"	"			
Third master	1	6	"	"			
Fourth master	1	4	"	"			
Total ..	12	105	"	"	1260	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					54	13	5
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					1205	2	7

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs	A	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—Education—*cont.*							
b. On the Salary Result System—							
1. Kiliyanard School. Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	6	"	"			
Third master	1	5	"	"			
2. Poolayam Nedu. Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	6	"	"			
Third master	1	5	"	"			
3. Town Paraya School. Head master	1	8	"	"			
Second master	1	7	"	"			
Third master	1	5	"	"			
4. Nagaram mopla School. Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	5	"	"			
Third master.	1	4	"	"			
5. Kallai mopla School. Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master.	1	4	"	"			
6. Chokrayan Valappu School Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	4	"	"			
7. Mappila Kandy School. Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	4	"	"			
8. Byragi Kulam School. Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	4	"	"			
9. Talli Cooke girl's School Head master	1	17	8	"			
I st Assistant.	1	15	"	"			
II nd "	1	12	"	"			
III rd "	1	10	"	"			
Singing master	1	8	"	"			
Conductress	1	2	8	"			
	allowance	2	8	"			
10. Thevvanpady girl's School Head mistress	1	10	"	"			
I st assistant	1	8	"	"			
Conductress	1	2	"	"			
11. Mopila girl's School. Head mistress	allowance.	2	"	"			
Second "	1	10	"	"			
Total ..	31	220	8	"	2646	"	"
Deduct ~~Fines~~ and Stoppages ..					274	14	5
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					2371	1	7

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

——	Number	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—Education—							
1. Training Schools—							
Pupils receiving scholarships							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
2. Municipal Schools—							
a. On the Salary System— Pokkavil,							
Head Master	1	15	"	"			
~~1st Assistant Master~~ Second master.	1	10	"	"			
2nd " " 3rd master ..	1	8	"	"			
4th Master.	1	5	"	"			
Kavaparamba—							
Head master	1	12	"	"			
Second master	1	10	"	"			
Third master	1	8	"	"			
Fourth Master	1	5	"	"			
Idiangara							
Head master	1	12	"	"			
Second master	1	10	"	"			
Third master	1	6	"	"			
Fourth master	1	4	"	"			
Total ..	12	105	"	"	1260	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					54	13	5
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					1205	2	7

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

——	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs	A	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—Education—*cont.*							
b. On the Salary Result System—							
1. Kilivanard School. Head Master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	6	"	"			
Third master	1	5	"	"			
2. Poolayam Vadu .. Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	6	"	"			
Third master	1	5	"	"			
3. Town Paraya School. Head master	1	8	"	"			
Second master	1	7	"	"			
Third master	1	5	"	"			
4. Nagaram mopla School. Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	5	"	"			
Third master.	1	4	"	"			
5. Kallai mopla School. Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master.	1	4	"	"			
6. Chokkayan Valappu School Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	4	"	"			
7. Mappila Kandy School. Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	4	"	"			
8. Byyagi Kulam School. Head master	1	7	"	"			
Second master	1	4	"	"			
9. Talli Caste girl's School Head master	1	17	8	"			
I st Assistant.	1	15	"	"			
II nd "	1	12	"	"			
III rd "	1	10	"	"			
Singing master	1	8	"	"			
Conductress	1	2	8	"			
	allowance	2	8	"			
10. Theyyanpady girl's School Head mistress	1	10	"	"			
I st assistant	1	8	"	"			
Conductress	1	2	"	"			
11. Mopila girl's School. Head mistress	allowance	2	"	"			
Second "	1	10	"	"			
Total ..	31	220	8	"	2646	"	"
Deduct ~~Fines~~ and Stoppages ..					274	14	5
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					2371	1	7

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—Education—*cont.*							
6. Inspection—							
Inspecting schoolmaster	1	20	"	"			
Total ..	1	20	"	"	240	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..					240	"	"
7. *b.* Gymnastic Instructors	1	15	"	"			
Total ..	1	15	"	"	180	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					8	9	4
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					171	6	8
8. Drawing Masters							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs.	A.	P	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—							
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—							
Medical Subordinates . First Class.	1	55	"	"			
Second Class	1	50	"	"			
" Municipal Hospital Asst.	1	30	"	"			
Midwife	1	20	"	"			
Clerk	1	10	"	"			
Head Compounder	1	9	"	"			
~~Servants~~ Compounders	2@9	18	"	"			
" Head ward Boy ..	1	8	"	"			
" Second ward Coolly ..	1	7	"	"			
Third ward coolly	1	6	"	"			
Waterman	1	6	"	"			
Head Cook	1	7	"	"			
Assistant Cook	1	5	"	"			
Dhoby	1	7	8	"			
Female ward Coolly	1	5	"	"			
Head Sweeper	1	6	"	"			
Assistant Sweeper	1	6	"	"			
Female Sweeper	1	5	"	"			
Peon	1	7	"	"			
Gardener	1	6	"	"			
Total ..	21	248	"	"	3542	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					10	1	" 6
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					3210	15	6.

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT II.—Education—*cont.*							
6. Inspection—							
Inspecting schoolmaster	1	20	"	"			
Total ..	1	20	"	"	240	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					240	"	"
7. *b.* Gymnastic Instructors	1	15	"	"			
Total ..	1	15	"	"	180	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					8	9	4
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					171	6	8
c. Drawing Masters							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—							
1. Hospitals and Dispensaries—							
Medical Subordinates . First Class.	1	55	"	"			
Second Class	1	55	"	"			
Municipal Hospital Asstt.	1	30	"	"			
Midwife	1	20	"	"			
Clerk	1	10	"	"			
Head Compounder	1	9	"	"			
~~Servants~~ Compounders	2@9	18	"	"			
" Head ward Coolys ..	1	8	"	"			
" Second ward coolys ..	1	7	"	"			
Fluir ward coolys	1	6	"	"			
Waterman	1	6	"	"			
Head Cook	1	7	"	"			
Assistant Cook	1	5	"	"			
Dhobys	1	7	8	"			
Female ward Coolys	1	5	"	"			
Head Sweepers	1	6	"	"			
Assistant Sweepers	1	6	"	"			
Female Sweepers	1	5	"	"			
Peons	1	7	"	"			
Gardeners	1	6	"	"			
Total ..	21	278	8	"	3342	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					101	"	6
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					3240	15	6

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
GRANT III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
3. Vaccination—							
Vaccinators	1	18	"	"			
Do	20 10	20	"	"			
~~Peons~~ .. Female Vaccinator ..	1	12	"	"			
Total ..	4	50	"	"	600	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					12	2	6
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					587	13	6
4. Registration—							
Registrars	1	16	"	"			
Peons	2@6	12	"	"			
Total ..	3	28	"	"	336	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					7	4	2
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					328	8	10

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 III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
5. *a.* "Conservancy, Road-cleaning and Road-watering."—							
Nuisance Inspectors	1	50	"	"			
"	Horse allowance	15	"	"			
Asst. Cantl Sanitary Inspr.	1@20	80	"	"			
~~Maistries~~ .. Head Do Coy ..	9@6.8.	58	8	"			
Scavengers	4@7	28	"	"			
Sweepers	50@6	300	"	"			
Sweeper Boys	20@3	60	"	"			
Scavengers	24@6	162	"	"			
Jotty	1	2	"	"			
Rubbish depot maistry	1	6	"	"			
Total ..	117	761	8	"	9138	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					278	4	11
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					8859	11	1

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 III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
b. Private Scavenging—							
Inspectors							
~~Maistries~~							
Scavengers	80	56	"	"			
	206	120	"	"			
Total ..	28	176	"	-	2112	"	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					21	7	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					2107	9	"
GRANT IV.—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) ..							

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

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont*							
2. i. Markets—							
Superintendents							
Servants	1	7	"	"			
Total ..	1	7	"	-	84	"	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					84	"	-
ii. Slaughter-houses—							
Superintendents							
Servants	1	4	"	-			
Total ..	1	4	"	-	48	"	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	-
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					48	"	-
3. Choultries—							
Servants	1	4	"	-			
Total ..	1	4	"	-	48	"	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					48	"	-

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 III.—Sanitation and Medical Services—*cont.*							
b. Private Scavenging—							
Inspectors							
~~Maistries~~							
Scavengers	80	56	"	"			
	20	120	"	"			
Total ..	28	176	"	-	2112	"	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					4	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					2108	"	"
GRANT IV.—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—*cont.*

—	Number.	Salary per mensem.			Salary per annum.		
1	2	3			4		
		Rs	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
GRANT IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont*							
2. i. Markets—							
Superintendents							
Servants	1	7	"	-			
Total ..	1	7	"	-	84	"	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II)					84	"	"
ii. Slaughter-houses—							
Superintendents							
Servants	1	4	"	-			
Total ..	1	4	"	-	48	"	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					48	"	"
3. Choultries—							
Servants	1	4	"	"			
Total ..	1	4	"	-	48	"	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					48	"	"

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 IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
4. Travellers' Bungalows—							
Maty	1	10	"	"			
Servants	1	4	"	-			
Total ..	2	14	"	-	168	"	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	-
Balance (Statement II) ..					168	"	"
5. Avenues—							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
6. Public Garden—							
Gardeners	1	8	"	-			
Total ..	1	8	"	-	96	"	-
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					"	"	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					96	"	-

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 IV.—Lighting and Miscellaneous Municipal Purposes—*cont.*							
8. Fire—							
Servants							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							
9.—							
Law charges Establishment.	1	15	"	-			
1. Municipal Prosecutor.							
Total ..	1	15	"	-	180	"	-

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 V.—*a.* General Establishment—							
i. Office—							
Manager	1	55	"	"			
2nd Clerks	1	25	"	"			
3rd „ Clerk	1	15	"	"			
Shroff	1	20	"	"			
Accountants	1	25	"	"			
~~Peons~~ D:t · B. clerk	1	15	"	"			
Deffadar	1	8	"	"			
Head peon	1	7	"	"			
Peon	1	6	"	"			
Masalachee	1	5	"	"			
Senior Bill writer	1	12	"	"			
Junior Bill writer	1	10	"	"			
Total ..	12	203	"	"	2436	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					7	4	2
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					2428	8	10
ii. Inspection—							
Chairman's salary or carriage allowance ..							
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 V.—*a.* General Establishment—*cont.*							
b. Collection—							
~~Clerks~~ .Bill.. Collectors ..	4 @ 12	48	"	"			
Bill Collectors .. Do.	4 @ 10	40	"	"			
Peons	8 @ 6	48	"	"			
Total ..	16	136	"	"	1632	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					56	9	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					7	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					1575	7	"
c. Collection of tolls—							
Inspectors							
Gate-keepers							
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 V.—*a.* General Establishment—							
i. Office—							
Manager	1	55	"	"			
2nd Clerk	1	25	"	"			
3rd „ Clerk	1	15	"	"			
Shroff	1	20	"	"			
Accountants	1	25	"	"			
~~Peons~~ D:L·B. clerk	1	15	"	"			
Deffadar	1	8	"	"			
Head peon	1	7	"	"			
Peon	1	6	"	"			
Masalachee	1	5	"	"			
Senior Bill writer	1	12	"	"			
Junior Bill writer	1	10	"	"			
Total ..	12	203	"	"	2436	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					7	7	2
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					2428	8	10
ii. Inspection—							
Chairman's salary or carriage allowance ..							
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 V.—*a.* General Establishment—*cont.*							
b. Collection—							
~~Clerks~~ Bill Collectors	4 @ 12	48	"	"			
Bill Collectors .. Dº	4 @ 10	40	"	"			
Peons	8 @ 6	48	"	"			
Total ..	16	136	"	"	1632	"	"
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..					56	9	"
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..					"	"	"
Balance (Statement II) ..					1575	"	"
c. Collection of tolls—							
Inspectors							
Gate-keepers							
Total ..							
Deduct Fines and Stoppages ..							
Add arrears for last year paid this year ..							
Balance (Statement II) ..							

STATEMENT III.—*Municipality of* Calicut Abstract of Deposits Account for the year 1897-98.

	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Balance brought forward ..	5730	5	11				
	5730						
1. Deposits by appellants	439	8	-	1. Credited to Municipal Funds ..	2425	5	10
2. Deposits by renters	1321	8	-	2. Returned to appellants	-	-	-
3. Deposits by contractors	434	8	-	3. Returned to renters	26	-	10
4. Deposits as security by municipal servants	866	12	-	4. Returned to contractors	1210	-	-
				5. Returned to municipal servants ..	105	3	-
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	107	6	9	7. Paid to claimants	110	12	-
				* This Sum includes Rs 2272-9-- balance of deposits made by municipal subordinates in the name of the Chairman in the post office Savings Bank.			
				3877 Total ..	3877	5	8
3170 Total, Receipts ..	3169	10	9	5025 Balance ..	5022	11	- *
8900 Total, including balance ..	8900	-	8	8900 Total ..	8900	-	8

STATEMENT IV-A.—*Municipality of* Calicut. Demand, Collection and Balance tatement for the year 189 7-98.

Current.

Tax.	Demand as originally assessed by the Chairman.			Remitted by the Council on appeal.			Demand as finally settled (column 2 *minus* column 3).			Collected.			Remitted on account of vacant houses, &c.			Written off as irrecoverable.			Balance (column 4 *minus* columns 5, 6 and 7).		
1	2			3			4			5			6			7			8		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c.	8096	8	-	322	8	-	7774	-	-	5449	7	3	"	"	-	39	8	-	2285	"	9
2. Tax on buildings	24600	-	6	25	3	6	24574	13	-	21263	2	9	"	-	-	49	13	-	3261	13	3
3. Tax on lands	9780	13	3	13	1	-	9767	12	3	6836	7	3	"	-	-	"	"	-	2931	5	"
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..	"	"	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	-	-	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	"
5. Tolls (gross receipts)	3910	-	-	"	-	-	3910	-	-	3910	-	-	(4) "	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	-
6. Market rents	1745	-	-	"	-	-	1745	-	-	1643	-	-	(1) "	-	-	"	-	-	102	-	-
7. Slaughter-house fees	595	-	-	"	-	-	595	-	-	519	12	6	(2) "	-	-	"	-	-	75	3	6
8. Rent of cart-stands	80	"	-	"	-	-	80	"	-	56	-	-	(3) "	-	-	"	-	-	24	"	-
9. Private scavenging fees	2479	10	-	"	"	-	2479	10	-	2252	10	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	226	11	"
10. Rent of buildings " "	182	4	1	"	-	-	182	4	1	80	2	9	"	-	-	"	-	-	102	1	4
11. Tax on vehicles " "	1277	-	-	"	-	-	1277	-	-	798	8	"	"	-	-	"	-	-	478	8	-
12. Tax on animals " "	1311	8	-	"	-	-	1311	8	-	897	14	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	413	10	-
13. Contribution from Dt Board on account of tolls " .	2053	6	4	"	"	-	2053	6	4	2053	6	4	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	"
(1) Excludes interest of Rs 20-4-1 realized on overdue kists.																					
(2) Do. Rs 6-10-7. "				Do "																	
(3) Do. Rs "-12-7 "				Do "																	
(4) Do. Rs 38-5-10																					
Total ..	56111	2	2	360	12	6	55750	5	8	45760	11	10	"	"	-	89	5	-	9900	4	10

STATEMENT IV-A.—*Municipality of* Calicut. Demand, Collection and Balance tatement for the year 1897-98.

Current.

Tax.	Demand as originally assessed by the Chairman.			Remitted by the Council on appeal.			Demand as finally settled (column 2 *minus* column 3).			Collected.			Remitted on account of vacant houses, &c.			Written off as irrecoverable.			Balance (column 4 *minus* columns 5, 6 and 7).		
1	2			3			4			5			6			7			8		
	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.	RS.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c.	8096	8	-	322	8	-	7774	-	-	5449	7	3	"	"	-	39	8	-	2285	"	9
2. Tax on buildings	24600	-	6	25	3	6	24574	13	-	21263	2	9	"	-	-	49	13	-	3261	13	3
3. Tax on lands	9780	18	3	13	1	-	9767	12	3	6836	7	3	"	-	-	"	"	-	2931	5	"
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..	"	"	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	-	-	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	-
5. Tolls (gross receipts)	3910	-	-	"	-	-	3910	-	-	3910	-	-	(4) "	"	-	"	-	-	"	"	-
6. Market rents	1745	-	-	"	-	-	1745	-	-	1643	-	-	(1) "	"	-	"	-	-	102	-	-
7. Slaughter-house fees	595	-	-	"	-	-	595	-	-	519	12	6	(2) "	"	-	"	-	-	75	3	6
8. Rent of cart-stands	80	"	-	"	-	-	80	"	-	56	-	-	(3) "	"	-	"	-	-	24	"	-
9. Private scavenging fees	2479	10	-	"	"	-	2479	10	-	2252	10	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	226	11	-
10. Rent of buildings " "	182	4	1	"	"	-	182	4	1	80	2	9	"	"	-	"	"	-	102	1	4
11. Tax on vehicles " "	1277	-	-	"	-	-	1277	-	-	798	8	"	"	"	-	"	"	-	478	8	-
12. Tax on animals " "	1311	8	-	"	"	-	1311	8	-	897	14	-	"	"	-	"	-	-	413	10	-
13. Contribution from Dt Board on account of tolls " .	2053	6	4	"	"	-	2053	6	4	2053	6	4	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	-	-
Total ..	56111	2	2	360	12	6	55750	5	8	45760	11	10	"	"	-	89	5	-	9900	4	10

(1) Excludes interest of Rs 20-4-1 realized on overdue kists.
(2) Do. Rs 6-10-7. " Do " "
(3) Do. Rs --12-7 " Do " "
(4) Do. Rs 38-5-10

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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.	425	-	6	1827	-	-	2252	-	6	576	12	6	"	-	-	595	2	6	1080	1	6	93-94	to	96-97	
2. Tax on buildings	808	4	7	1593	9	5	2401	14	-	939	7	5	"	-	-	280	15	6	1181	7	1	91-92	to	96-97	
3. Tax on lands	554	11	7	1263	14	2	1818	9	9	734	8	6	-	-	-	41	1	10	1042	15	5	93-94	to	96-97	
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	"	"	6				
5. Tolls	"	-	-	"	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-				
6. Market rents	201	3	2	"	-	-	201	3	2	"	-	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	201	3	2	90-91	to	91-92	
7. Slaughter-house fees	"	-	-	12	-	-	12	-	-	12	"	-	"	-	-	"	"	-	"	"	-				
8. Rent of cart-stands	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	"	-				
9. Private scavenging fees	59	-	-	324	5	10	383	5	10	248	15	10	"	"	-	1	-	-	133	6	-	93-94	to	96-97	
10 Rent of buildings "	"	-	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	"	-	"	-	-				
11. Tax on Vehicles " .	73	12	-	242	12	-	316	8	-	55	8	-	"	"	-	88	8	-	172	8	-	94-95	to	96-97	
12. Tax on animals "	94	6	-	281	10	-	376	-	-	69	12	9	"	-	-	108	10	-	197	9	3	94-95	to	96-97	
Total ..	2216	5	10	5545	3	5	7761	9	3	2637	1	-	"	-	-	1115	5	10	4009	2	5				

The balance arrived at by the auditor is not correct.

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 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. ..	1160	1809	8	"	728	1119	"	-	1888	2928	8	-	1319	1915	8	-	569	1013	"	-	131	168	"	-	1168	1712	8	-	18	32	8	-	2	2	8	-
2. Tax on buildings ..	832	1486	10	5	3048	5873	9	10	3880	7360	4	3	2030	4766	13	9	1850	2593	6	6	334	413	11	-	1479	4121	10	9	156	180	14	-	61	50	10	-
3. Tax on lands ..	1142	1304	13	3	1768	1911	9	-	2910	3216	6	3	1909	1901	12	9	1001	1314	9	6	74	90	6	-	1766	1740	6	9	60	66	3	6	9	4	12	6
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..																																				
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins ..																																				
6. Tax on animals ..	273	438	14	-	789	1756	"	-	1012	2194	14	-	728	1549	12	-	284	645	2	-	66	157	10	-	628	1347	6	-	31	41	12	-	3	3	"	-
7. ~~Tax on carts, &c~~ ..																																				
Total ..	3407	5039	13	8	6283	10660	2	10	9690	15700	-	6	5986	10133	14	6	3704	5566	2	"	605	829	11	-	5041	8921	15	6	265	321	5	6	75	60	14	6

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.	425	-	6	1827	-	-	2252	-	6	576	12	6	"	-	-	595	2	6	1080	1	6	93-94	to	96-97	
2. Tax on buildings	808	4	7	1593	9	5	2401	14	-	939	7	5	"	-	-	280	15	6	1181	7	1	91-92	to	96-97	
3. Tax on lands	554	11	7	1263	14	2	1818	9	9	734	8	6	-	-	-	41	1	10	1042	15	5	93-94	to	96-97	
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	"	"					
5. Tolls	"	-	-	"	-	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	"					
6. Market rents	201	3	2	"	-	-	201	3	2	"	-	-	-	-	-	"	-	-	201	3	2	90-91	to	91-92	
7. Slaughter-house fees	"	-	-	12	-	-	12	"	-	12	"	-	"	-	-	"	"	-	"	"	-				
8. Rent of cart-stands	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	"	-				
9. Private scavenging fees	59	"	-	324	5	10	383	5	10	248	15	10	"	"	-	1	-	-	133	6	"	93-94	to	96-97	
10 Rent of buildings "	"	"	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	-	-	"	"	-	"	-	-				
11. Tax on Vehicles " .	73	12	-	242	12	-	316	8	-	55	8	-	"	"	-	88	8	-	172	8	-	94-95	to	96-97	
12. Tax on animals "	94	6	-	281	10	-	376	-	-	69	12	9	-	-	-	108	10	-	197	9	3	94-95	to	96-97	
Total ..	2216	5	10	5545	3	5	7761	9	3	2637	1	-	"	-	-	1115	5	10	4009	2	5				

(8) The balance arrived at by the auditor is not correct.

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 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.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Tax on arts, &c. ..	1160	1509	8	"	728	1119	"	-	1888	2928	8	-	1319	1915	8	-	569	1013	-	-	131	168	"	-	1168	1712	8	-	18	32	8	-	2	2	8	-
2. Tax on buildings ..	832	1486	10	5	3048	5873	9	10	3880	7360	4	3	2030	4766	13	9	1850	2593	6	6	334	413	11	-	1479	4121	10	9	156	180	14	-	61	50	10	-
3. Tax on lands ..	1142	1304	13	3	1768	1911	9	-	2910	3216	6	3	1909	1901	12	9	1001	1314	9	6	74	90	6	-	1766	1740	6	9	60	66	3	6	9	4	12	6
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..																																				
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins ..	273	438	14	-	789	1756	"	-	1012	2194	14	-	728	1549	12	-	284	645	2	-	66	187	10	-	628	1347	6	-	31	41	12	-	3	3	"	-
6. Tax on animals ..																																				
7. ~~Tax on carts, &c~~ ..																																				
Total ..	3407	5039	13	8	6283	10660	2	10	9630	15700	-	6	5986	10133	14	6	3704	5566	2	-	605	829	11	-	5041	8921	15	6	265	321	5	6	75	60	14	6

Appedix 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.	111	183	"	"	7	16	"	"	40	71	8	"	40	52	"	"	24	43	8	"
2 Tax on buildings.	34	119	8	6	9	51	9	"	9	41	7	"	4	4	7	"	12	22	1	6
3. Tax on lands ..	41	78	9	"	9	15	6	"	11	27	9	"	2	8	1	6	19	27	8	6
4. Water-tax on buildings and lands ..	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"		
5. Tax on vehicles with springs and palanquins ..	8	34	8	"	"	"	"	"	2	5	"	"	4	20	8	"	2	9	"	"
6 Tax on animals ..	6	6	12	"	1	0	4	"	3	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	2	8	"
7. Tax on carts and other vehicles without springs.	1	1	8	"	1	1	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total ..	201	423	13	6	27	84	11	"	65	149	8	"	50	85	"	6	59	104	10	"

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

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

Schools.	Number of schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 1898			Receipts.					Expenditure.										Net cost to municipality.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools.	Remarks.
	At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed in the year.	At the close of the year.	Boys.	Girls.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Grants from Provincial Funds.	Grants from Local Funds.	School fees.	Other receipts.	Total.	Teachers. Fixed salary.	Teachers. Results stipends.	Teachers. School fees.	Clerks and servants.	Stipends and scholarships.	Library furniture, apparatus and appliances.	Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Total.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21		22	23	24
								Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
I.—Colleges								—	—	—	Nil	—												
II.—Upper Secondary Schools and Departments.																								
(1)																								
(2)																								
(3)																								
Total ...								—	—	—	Nil	—												
III.—Lower Secondary Schools ~~and Departments~~																								
(a) Salary System—																								
(1)					7	3	10.7	—	—	134 12 —	—	134 12 —	180	—	—	—	—	—	11 4 —	22 —	11 213	4 11	78 8	0 7	5 6
(2) Pokkari { In 2nd ft / Do 3rd ft	1	—	—	1	26	9	107 43	12 —	—	150 8 6	—	194 4 6	232	8 1	—	—	—	—	33 12 —	66	2 10	932	6 11	138	2 5	3 0 4
(3)																								
Total ...	1	—	—	1	33	12	56.4 43	12 —	—	285 4 6	—	329 — 6	412	8 1	—	—	—	—	45 — —	88	3 9	545	11 10	216	11 4	3 13 6
Total, Colleges and Secondary Schools	1	—	—	1	33	12	56.4 43	12 —	—	285 4 6	—	329 — 6	412	8 1	—	—	—	—	45 — —	88	3 9	545	11 10	216	11 4	3 13 6
IV.—Primary Schools ~~and Departments~~																								
(a) Salary System—																								
(1) Kanaparambar	1	—	—	1	64	3	63 5 4	—	—	113 4 —	—	118 8 —	415	6 4	—	—	—	—	—	57	15 7	475	5 11	356	13 11	5 10 8
(2) Idiangara	1	—	—	1	63	—	61 —	—	—	—	—	—	377	4 2	—	—	—	—	—	60	8 3	437	12 5	437	12 5	7 2 2
(3)																								
(2) Total.	2	—	—	2	127	3	124 5 4	—	—	113 4 —	—	118 8 —	792	10 6	—	—	—	—	—	120	7 10	913	2 4	794	10 4	6 6 6
(b) Salary Results System.																								
(1) Nagarom	1	—	—	1	84	—	81 —	—	—	—	—	5 5 7	5 5 7	195	11 10	161	— 6	—	—	—	—	50	12 —	407	8 4	402	2 9	4 15 5
(2) Cheruvannalappa	1	—	—	1	50	12	70 7	2 —	—	—	—	7 — —	182	— —	38	—	—	—	—	—	—	22	8 —	172	8 —	185	6 —	2 10 4
(3) Valiacode girls	1	—	—	1	—	70	63 24 9	15 —	—	16 3 6	—	266 2 6	702	14 5	124	15 6	—	—	—	27	— —	30	— —	864	10 11	618	11 5	9 13 2
Total.	3	—	—	3	134	82	214 257	1 —	—	16 3 6	5 5 7	278 10 1	1030	10 3	324	— —	—	—	27	— —	103	4 —	1481	11 3	1206	4 2	5 10 2
Total, (b) Salary Results System.	5	—	—	5	261	85	338 262	5 —	—	129 7 6	5 5 7	397 2 1	1823	4 9	324	— —	—	—	27	— —	223	11 10	2378	— 7	2000	14 6	5 14 9
Total, Primary Schools ...	5	—	—	5	261	85	338 262	5 —	—	129 7 6	5 5 7	397 2 1	1823	4 9	324	— —	—	—	27	— —	223	11 10	2378	— 7	2000	14 6	5 14 9

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

Schools.	Number of Schools: At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed in the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1898: Boys.	Girls.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Receipts: Grants from Provincial Funds.	Grants from Local Funds.	School fees.	Other receipts.	Total.	Expenditure: Teachers: Fixed salary.	Results stipends.	School fees.	Clerks and servants.	Stipends and scholarships.	Library furniture, apparatus and appliances.	Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Total.	Net cost to municipality.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Lower Primary Schools and Upper Primary Schools—								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.	
(b) Salary-results System—																							
(1) Kilimanad.	1	-	-	1	73	9	76	10 5 -	- - -	77 2 3	- - -	87 7 3	216 - -	77 5 -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	47 11 9	341 - 9	253 9 6	3 5 5	
(2) Pulayanvelu	1	-	-	1	53	10	65	13 15 -	- - -	65 8 9	- - -	79 7 9	216 - -	64 13 -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	60 - -	335 13 -	258 5 3	3 15 1	
(3) Town Panaya.	1	-	-	1	35	2	37	- 7 -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- 7 -	240 - -	7 6 -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	57 12 -	307 2 -	306 11 -	8 4 7	
(4) Kallai	1	-	-	1	87	13	93	2 10 -	- - -	- - -	- - -	2 10 -	132 - -	79 11 -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	23 5 -	235 - -	232 6 -	2 8 -	
(5) Byrayikulam.	1	-	-	1	22	9	39	12 6 -	- - -	- - -	- - -	12 6 -	132 - -	52 - 9	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	23 6 -	207 6 9	195 - 9	5 - -	
(6) Mappilakadi	1	-	-	1	28	8	36	5 15 -	- - -	- - -	- - -	5 15 -	127 2 -	20 12 -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	12 8 -	160 6 -	154 7 -	4 6 7	
(7) Madras Naphil Islam.	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	26 - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	4 - -	30 - -	30 - -	- - -	
(8) Kozhampadi Urdu.	1	-	-	1	44	42	60	12 -	- - -	6 2 3	- - -	66 14 3	251 5 4	30 6 -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	46 14 8	328 10 -	261 11 9	6 3 9	
Total.	8	-	1	7	298	95	387	106 6 -	- - -	148 13 3	- - -	255 3 3	1340 7 4	327 5 9	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	277 9 5	1445 6 6	1670 3 3	41 5 11	
Total, Primary Schools ...	13	-	1	12	559	180	725	368 11 -	- - -	278 4 9	5 5 7	652 5 4	3163 12 1	651 5 9	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	501 8 3	4343 7 1	3611 1 9	5 1 6	
Salary-Results System																							
VI.—Special Schools.	11	-	1	10	432	177	609																
(1)																							
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ...																							
Grand Total of Colleges and Schools	14	-	1	13	592	192	784	412 7 -	- - -	563 9 3	5 5 7	981 5 10	3576 4 2	651 5 9	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	587 9 -	4887 2 11	3907 13 1	5 - 1	

— Nil —

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	14	5
Primary or Fourth Standard	42	22
Third Standard	83	60
Second Standard	126	100
First Standard	178	151
Infant Standard	156	123
Total.	599	461

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

Schools.	Number of schools: At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed in the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 1898: Boys.	Girls.	Average number on the rolls monthly during the year.	Receipts: Grants from Provincial Funds.	Grants from Local Funds.	School fees.	Other receipts.	Total.	Expenditure: Teachers. Fixed salary.	Results stipends.	School fees.	Clerks and servants.	Stipends and scholarships.	Library furniture, apparatus and appliances.	Contingencies and miscellaneous.	Total.	Net cost to municipality.	Average net cost per pupil in each class of municipal schools.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Lower																							
V.—Primary Schools and Proficiency Classes																							
(b) Salary-results System																							
(1) Kilimanad.	1	—	—	1	73	9	76	10 5 —	— — —	77 2 3	— — —	87 7 3	216 — —	77 5 —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	47 11 9	341 — 9	253 9 6	3 5 5	
(2) Pulayanvelw	1	—	—	1	53	10	63	13 15 —	— — —	65 8 9	— — —	79 7 9	216 — —	57 13 —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	60 — —	333 13 —	256 5 3	3 15 1	
(3) Town Paraya.	1	—	—	1	35	2	37	— 7 —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— 7 —	240 — —	7 6 —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	57 12 —	307 2 —	306 11 —	8 4 7	
(4) Kallai	1	—	—	1	87	13	93	2 10 —	— — —	— — —	— — —	2 10 —	132 — —	79 11 —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	23 5 —	235 — —	232 6 —	2 8 —	
(5) Byrayikulam.	1	—	—	1	22	9	39	12 6 —	— — —	— — —	— — —	12 6 —	132 — —	52 — 9	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	23 6 —	207 6 9	195 — 9	5 — —	
(6) Mappilakadi	1	—	—	1	28	8	36	5 15 —	— — —	— — —	— — —	5 15 —	127 2 —	20 12 —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	12 8 —	160 6 —	154 7 —	4 6 7	
(7) Madras Naphil Solam.	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	26 — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	4 — —	30 — —	30 — —	— — —	closed
(8) Kezhuparambu Pulo.	1	—	—	1	—	44	42	60 12 —	— — —	6 2 3	— — —	66 14 3	251 5 4	30 6 —	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	46 14 8	328 10 —	261 11 9	6 3 9	
Total.	8	—	1	7	298	95	387	106 6 —	— — —	148 13 3	— — —	255 3 3	1340 7 4	327 5 9	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	277 9 5	1945 6 6	1691 3 3	27 5 11	
Total, Primary Schools ...	13	—	1	12	559	180	725	368 11 —	— — —	278 4 9	5 5 7	652 5 4	3163 12 1	651 5 9	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	277 — —	501 5 3	4343 7 1	3691 1 9	5 1 6	
Salary Results System	11	—	1	10	432	177	601																
VI.—Special Schools.																							
(1)																							
(2)																							
(3)																							
Total ...																							
Grand Total of Colleges and Schools	14	—	1	13	592	192	784	412 7 —	— — —	563 9 3	5 5 7	981 5 10	3576 4 2	651 5 9	— — —	— — —	— — —	— — —	327 — —	587 9 —	4887 2 11	3947 13 1	5 — 1	

— Nil —

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Foot-note to Statement V-A.

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

Examinations.	Number of Students examined.	Number of Students passed.
First in Arts	—	—
Matriculation	—	—
Upper Secondary	—	—
Lower Secondary or Seventh Standard.	—	—
Sixth Standard	—	—
Fifth Standard	14	5
Primary or Fourth Standard	42	22
Third Standard	83	60
Second Standard	126	100
First Standard	178	151
Infant Standard	156	123
Total.	599	461

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

Schools.	Number of Schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 1898.		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) Basel German Mission High School.	1	"	"	1	219	"	"	"	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	398	"	-	398	"	-	
(2)																													
(3)																													
Total ..	1	"	"	1	219	"	"	"	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	398	"	-	398	"	-	
(b) Primary schools ..																													
(1)																													
(2)																													
(3)																													
Total ..																													
Total of Salary Grant Schools ..	1	"	"	1	219	"	"	"	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	"	"	-	398	"	-	398	"	-	

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

Schools.	Number of Schools.				Number on rolls on 31st March 1898.		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
A. SALARY GRANT SCHOOLS.									RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
(a) Secondary schools ..																
(1) Basel German Mission High School.	1	"	"	1	219	"	-	-	" " -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	398 " -	398 " -	
(2)																
(3)																
Total ..	1	"	"	1	219	"	-	-	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	398 - -	398 - -	
(b) Primary schools ..																
(1)																
(2)							-	Ncl	-							
(3)																
Total ..																
Total of Salary Grant Schools ..	1	"	"	1	219	"	"	"	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	398 " -	398 " -	

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

Schools.	Number of Schools: At the beginning of the year.	Opened during the year.	Closed during the year.	At the close of the year.	Number on rolls on 31st March 189 8: Boys.	Girls.	Number of pupils examined in results grants schools.	Number of pupils found qualified for results grants.	Full amount of results grants earned.	Amount of results grants passed for payment.	Amount of results grants disbursed: For current year.	For previous year.	Total.	Amount of salary grants disbursed.	Total expenditure from Municipal funds, columns 14 and 15.	Remarks.
1	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—									Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Lower (*a*) Secondary Schools—																
(1) Basel German Mission	1	"	"	1	113	"	69	47	247 - -	100 - -	100 - -	" - -	100	" - -	100 - -	Rate at which grant was paid.
(2)																
(3)																
Total ...	1	"	"	1	113	-	69	47	247 - -	100 - -	100 - -	" - -	100	" - -	100 - -	
Upper (*b*) Primary Schools ..																
(1) B. G. M. Primary.	1	"	"	1	179	"	141	121	734 14 -	110 - -	110 - -	" - -	110	" - -	110 - -	
(2) Native Primary.	1	"	"	1	134	-	98	81	389 12 -	110 - -	110 - -	" - -	110	" - -	110 - -	
Total ...	2	"	"	2	313	-	239	202	1124 10 -	220 - -	220 - -	" - -	220	" - -	220 - -	
Lower Primary.																
(1) Thattar Kary.	1	"	"	1	66	34	43	34	73 4 -	60 - -	60 - -	" - -	60	" - -	60 - -	
(2) Kannanpally	1	"	"	1	40	4	35	23	50 8 -	40 - -	40 - -	" - -	40	" - -	40 - -	
(3) Pulayil Paramba	1	"	"	1	29	21	23	17	42 12 -	30 - -	30 - -	" - -	30	" - -	30 - -	
(4) Kowvayat Paramba	1	"	"	1	25	13	16	8	15 8 -	15 8 -	15 8 -	" - -	15 8 -	" - -	15 8 -	
(5) Kollarkandy	1	"	"	1	56	10	33	25	63 8 -	60 - -	60 - -	" - -	60	" - -	60 - -	
(6) Vattakam paramba	1	"	"	1	40	10	41	35	85 8 -	70 - -	70 - -	" - -	70	" - -	70 - -	
(7) Amarikandi paramba	1	"	"	1	31	5	21	17	34 12 -	34 12 -	34 12 -	" - -	34 12 -	" - -	34 12 -	
(8) Puthu Kuti	1	"	"	1	71	3	43	32	67 8 -	60 - -	60 - -	" - -	60	" - -	60 - -	
(9) Eokakkara	"	1	"	1	34	8	18	11	22 - -	22 - -	22 - -	20 - -	42	" - -	42 - -	
(10) Kandamkulangara	1	"	"	1	57	30	41	36	101 8 -	80 - -	80 - -	" - -	80	" - -	80 - -	
(11) Allachi paramba	1	"	"	1	51	9	38	30	55 14 -	30 - -	30 - -	" - -	30	" - -	30 - -	
(12) Etakat paramba	1	"	"	1	40	17	25	20	56 - -	50 - -	50 - -	" - -	50	" - -	50 - -	
(13) Pulikal paramba	1	"	"	1	51	16	30	24	56 12 -	40 - -	40 - -	" - -	40	" - -	40 - -	
(14) Kallakolerry	1	"	"	1	61	9	22	17	31 - -	30 - -	30 - -	" - -	30	" - -	30 - -	
(15) Velian Kulam	1	"	"	1	40	4	33	19	34 - -	34 - -	34 - -	" - -	34	" - -	34 - -	
(16) Nzhuli paramba	1	"	"	1	45	8	26	16	27 4 -	20 - -	20 - -	" - -	20	" - -	20 - -	
(17) Thiruvenkor Night School	"	1	"	1	43	"	17	16	39 - -	30 - -	30 - -	" - -	30	" - -	30 - -	
(18) Madras Naphil Salam.	"	1	"	1	26	7	19	11	18 2 -	18 2 -	18 2 -	" - -	18 2 -	" - -	18 2 -	
Total.	15	3	"	18	806	208	524	391	873 12 -	724 6 -	724 6 -	20 - -	744 6 -	" - -	744 6 -	
Total of Results Grants Schools.	18 (17)	3	"	21 (20)	1232 1119	208	832 (763)	640 (593)	2246 6 - (1946 -)	1044 6 -	1044 6 -	20 - -	1064 6 -	" - -	1064 6 -	
Grand Total of Aided Schools..	19	3	"	22	1451	208	832	640	2246 6 -	1044 6 -	1044 6 -	20 - -	1064 6 -	398 - -	1462 6 -	

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204 3 - 400

Foot-note.

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

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

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STATEMENT VI-A.—Showing the Budget Grants with subsequent Additions and Deductions for the Town of Calicut 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. For replacing tunnels on South Beach road R.C	8500	"	"	31	14	"	"	"	"	8531	14	"	
" For purchasing rattan baskets R.C	8500	"	"	8	"	"	"	"	"	8539	14	"	
" For Constructing a tiled shed at the cinerator	8500	"	"	85	"	"	"	"	"	8585	"	"	
" For Constructing two metal Latrines N.B.	8500	"	"	94	"	"	"	"	"	8679	"	"	
" Repairs Communications. I	8500	"	"	344	"	"	"	"	"	8883	14	"	
" Repairs to works Machinery	"	"	"	207	"	"	"	"	"	207	"	"	
" Repairs buildings	700	"	"	147	"	"	"	"	"	847	"	"	
" Repairs Communications	8500	"	"	9	"	"	"	"	"	8892	14	"	G.O. No. 2479. M. Mis. dated 11th Nov 1897.
" Do.	8500	"	"	12	"	"	"	"	"	8904	14	"	
" Do.	8500	"	"	21	10	8	"	"	"	8926	8	8	
" Do.	8500	"	"	8	"	"	"	"	"	8934	8	8	
" New works buildings	8500	"	"	200	"	"	"	"	"	8879	"	"	
" Do.	8500	"	"	86	13	11	"	"	"	8965	13	11	
" Repairs Communications	8500	"	"	14	10	8	"	"	"	8949	3	4	
" Do.	8500	"	"	65	4	2	"	"	"	9014	7	6	
" Do.	8500	"	"	25	"	"	"	"	"	9039	7	6	
Grant III. Cholera charges	2000	"	"	220	"	"	"	"	"	2220	"	"	
" I. Repairs Communications	8500	"	"	16	10	8	"	"	"	9056	2	2	

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

for the year 1897-98—*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.	
Grant I. New works Communications	" " "	1120 " "	" " "	1120 " "	G. O. No. 2479. M. mis. dated 11th Nov 97.
" Repairs Communications	8500 " "	38 15 9	" " "	9095 1 11	
" Do.	8500 " "	80 " "	" " "	9125 1 11	
Grant IV Compensation for Lands	" " "	67 13 4	" " "	67 13 4	
" I Repairs building	700 " "	360 " "	" " "	1207 " "	Resolution dated 11th November 97
" I New works Communications	" " "	232 " "	" " "	1352 " "	Do dated 16th December 97
" I Repairs Communications	8500 " "	105 " "	" " "	9230 1 11	Do dated 2nd February 98.
" Do.	8500 " "	41 4 "	" " "	9271 5 11	Do Do
" I Repairs building	700 " "	100 " "	" " "	1452 " "	Do dated 18th March 98.
" Repairs Communications	8500 " "	14 9 4	" " "	9285 15 3	Do Do
Grant I Water Supply	2500 " "	" " "	1000 " "	1500 " "	G. O. No. 2525 M. mis. dated 16th Nov 97
Grant III. Cholera charges	2000 " "	1000 " "		3220 " "	

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STATEMENT VII.—Tolls.

Number of toll-gates.	Whether collection of tolls is leased out or managed departmentally.	Amount of collections.	Expenditure on: Works.	Establishment.	Contingencies.	Total.	Balance (column 3 *minus* column 7.)	Share due to the District Board.	Amount paid to the District Board.	Balance, if any, due to the District Board and date on which it was paid.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.
1. Cannanore Toll.	Leased out for Rs 3700/-	3700 " "								
	Interest.	38 3 7	" " "	" " "	1 13 "	1 13 "	3736 6 7			
					20 13 10	20 13 10	3927 8 0			
2. Pudiana Toll.	Leased out for Rs 210/-	210 " "		1000 " "	1000 " "	" " "				
	Interest.	" 2 3	" " "	" " "	12 4 "	12 4 "	197 14 3			
Contribution from the District Board.		2053 6 4	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	2053 6 4			
	Total.	6001 12 2	" " "	" " "	14 1 "	14 1 "	5987 11 2			
					20 13 10					

(3) Meenchanda toll on Beypoore road is under the management of the Dt. Board and half the net receipts are handed over to the Council for 97-98 amounted to Rs 883-6-4.

(4). Feroke road toll } are under the
(5) Kokallur road toll } management of the District Board. A fixed Contribution of Rs 1170/- is being paid every year to the Council.

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STATEMENT V.III—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 RE-PAID. Up to 31st March 1898. Number of years.	AMOUNT RE-PAID. Up to 31st March 1898. Amount.	AMOUNT RE-PAID. In 1897-98.	AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO SINKING FUND. Up to 31st March 1898. Number of years.	AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO SINKING FUND. Up to 31st March 1898. Amount.	AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO SINKING FUND. In 1897-98.	INVESTED OUT OF THE TOTAL AMOUNT TRANSFERRED UP TO END OF 1897-98. In Government Securities.	INVESTED OUT OF THE TOTAL AMOUNT TRANSFERRED UP TO END OF 1897-98. In the Savings Bank.
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 99580@4½%	Rs 20000/- to pay off the outstanding claims on account of Compensation awarded for Lands taken up for widening the Robinson road. The loan was taken in 1890 repayable at the end of 20 years.	G.O. No 99 M. Mis. dated 25.1.89.	8	7000 - -	1000 - -	-	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
Rs 10000/- to pay off the balance due to Madras Railway Company on account of Railway extension. The loan was taken in 1891 repayable in 10 yearly instalments.		G.O. No 12. M. Mis. dated 7.1.91	7	6000 - -	1000 - -	-	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -
Rs 9580/- for building up the moppila burial ground. The loan was taken in 1897 repayable in 9 yearly instalments.		G.O. No 526 M. dated 24.9.96. 10466 1-3-98	-	- - -	- - -	-	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -

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. Number.	Under 8 Annas. Amount.	8 Annas to Rs. 1½. Number.	8 Annas to Rs. 1½. Amount.	Rs. 1½ to Rs. 5. Number.	Rs. 1½ to Rs. 5. Amount.	Rs. 5 to Rs. 15. Number.	Rs. 5 to Rs. 15. Amount.	Rs. 15 to Rs. 30. Number.	Rs. 15 to Rs. 30. Amount.	Rs. 30 and above. Number.	Rs. 30 and above. Amount.	Total. Number.	Total. 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.
Calicut	11076	7237	819	356 7 6	3470	2750 6 -	2024	5301 1 10	670	5338 3 4	166	3421 6 4	88	7407 4 -	7237	24574 13 -

Statement V.III—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 re-paid. Up to 31st March 1898. Number of years.	Amount re-paid. Up to 31st March 1898. Amount.	Amount re-paid. In 1897-98.	Amount transferred to Sinking Fund. Up to 31st March 1898. Number of years.	Amount transferred to Sinking Fund. Up to 31st March 1898. Amount.	Amount transferred to Sinking Fund. In 1897-98.	Invested out of the total amount transferred up to end of 1897-98. In Government Securities.	Invested out of the total amount transferred up to end of 1897-98. In the Savings Bank.
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 39580 @ 4½ p.c	Rs 20000/- to pay off the outstanding claims on account of compensation awarded for Lands taken up for widening the Robinson road. The loan was taken in 1890 repayable at the end of 20 years.	G.O. No 99 M. Mis. dated 25. 1. 89.	8	7000 - -	1000 - -	-	-	-	-	-
	Rs 10000/- to pay off the balance due to Madras Railway Company on account of Railway enhancement. The loan was taken in 1891 repayable in 10 yearly instalments.	G.O. No 12. M. Mis. dated 7. 1. 91	7	6000 - -	1000 - -	-	-	-	-	-
Rs. 9580/- for building up the moppila burial ground. The loan was taken in 1897 repayable in 9 yearly instalments.		G.O. No 526 M. Dated 24. 3. 96.	-	- - -	- - -	-	-	-	-	-

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. Number.	Under 8 Annas. Amount.	8 Annas to Rs. 1½. Number.	8 Annas to Rs. 1½. Amount.	Rs. 1½ to Rs. 5. Number.	Rs. 1½ to Rs. 5. Amount.	Rs. 5 to Rs. 15. Number.	Rs. 5 to Rs. 15. Amount.	Rs. 15 to Rs. 30. Number.	Rs. 15 to Rs. 30. Amount.	Rs. 30 and above. Number.	Rs. 30 and above. Amount.	Total. Number.	Total. 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.
Calicut	11076	7237	819	356 7 6	3470	2750 6 -	2024	5301 1 10	670	5338 3 4	166	3421 6 4	88	7407 4 -	7237	24574 13 -

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

Name of Municipality.	Assessed in	Class I.		Class II.		Class III.		Class IV.		Class V.		Class VI.		Class VII.		Class VIII.		Total.	
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number	Amount.	No.	Amount.
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
			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.
Calicut		6	630 " -	2	150 " -	31	1570 " -	48	1187 8 -		73 8 1/2 " -	134	1052 " -	255	980 " -	467	867 8 " -	725	6711 " -			17447 " -

Statement X.

1. Name of Municipality .. .. Calicut.
2. Population as per last census 66078
3. Sanctioned number of Councillors { (a) Nominated .. .. 24 / (b) Elected .. .. Nil
4. Actual number of Councillors on 31st March 1898—
   - (a) Ex-officio 1
   - (b) Nominated { Officials .. .. 5 / Non-officials 16
   - (c) Elected .. { Officials .. .. nil / Non-officials .. .. nil

   Total .. 22.

   - (d) Europeans and Eurasians 6
   - (e) Natives 16
5. Total number of meetings actually held during the year .. 25
6. Number of meetings adjourned for want of a quorum 1
7. Average attendance at each meeting *actually* held—
   - (a) Officials 2.48
   - (b) Non-officials 8.72

   Total .. 11.2

   - (c) Europeans and Eurasians 2.28
   - (d) Natives 8.92

   Total .. 11.2

8. Is the Chairman appointed or elected .. .. .. The Revenue Dl. Officer held the appointment under section 15 of act III of 1884 as amended by act III of 1897.
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 .. .. R. F. Austin Esqr.

The Revenue Dl. Officer held the office of the chairman from 1st April 1897 to 1st June 1897.; From 2nd June to 11th August 97. Rao Sahib S. Swaminatha Ayyar as Dl. Bt.; from 12th August to 25th January 98 R. R. Rama Rao as Dl. ~~the Revenue Dl. Officer~~ and from 26th January the Revenue Divisional officer M.R.A. J. L. Saldhana as Dl. held the office of the chairman

STATEMENT X-A.—Showing the particulars of Selections 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.						
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6.						
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8.						
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10.						
Total ..						

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

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 Calicut. for the year 189 7- 98.

Area of Municipality in square miles.	Name of Municipal markets.	Whether collection of fees, rents, &c., was leased out or managed departmentally.	Number of houses served by the private scavenging agency on the registers on 31st March 1897.	Number of public latrines on 31st March 1897.	Number of latrines constructed in 1897-98.	Number of latrines demolished in 1897-98.	Number of latrines on 31st March 1898.	Number of lamps on 31st March 1897.	Number of lamps put up in 1897-98.	Number of lamps removed in 1897-98.	Number of lamps on 31st March 1898
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13 Sq. miles & 13 acres.	Municipal market	Leased out	1277	18	3	1	20	255	..	..	255

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

STATEMENT XII—Showing particulars regarding the number of patients treated, &c., in the Town of Calicut during the year 1897-98.

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
Municipal civil Hospital, Calicut	1055	33471	34526	Kanagammah	69	G.O. 429 Dt. 5-3-92 & G.O. 1606 Dt. 19-9-96

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

Number of births registered.	Number of deaths registered.	Number of prosecutions instituted for failure to register births or deaths.	Name of Medical subordinates and vaccinators performing vaccine operations.	Number of operations performed.		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			nil					
			3								
1972.	3088	Birth 23 Death 15	Total ..								
			Municipal Vaccinators								
			1 1st Class Vaccinator Karimkhan	842	962	674	669	1804	13213		
			2 2nd " P. Achuthan	700	760	683	693	1460	1346	182	
			3 Do. Ittikumaran nair	810	596	764	546	1386	1310		
			4 Female vaccinator Eliya	295	906	261	812	1251	1073		
			Total ..	2647	3224	2382	2720	5851	5102	182	
			Grand Total ..	2647	3224	2382	2720	5851	5102	182	

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Kannanparamba, against an estimate of Rs 17080. The total outlay on communications amounted to Rs 11234 or 8·7 per cent more than the net municipal income from tolls, and the roads are reported by the Collector to have been in fair condition.

(2) Education. The net expenditure on education amounted to Rs 5629 or 12·7 per cent of the receipts from taxation. Of this sum, Rs 5053 were spent on primary, and the remainder on secondary, education. The municipal council maintained one secondary and twelve primary schools, six of the latter being for mappilas and two for girls, against one secondary and thirteen primary schools in 1896-97, and continued to aid two secondary schools — one with salary and the other with result grants. ~~my~~ The number of primary schools aided with result grants rose from eighteen to twenty. The attendance at the municipal

Please see para 35 of the Chairman's report

Municipal schools declined, but at the aided institutions ~~there~~ there was a large increase. The results of the departmental and grant examinations were fair, and the allotment for salary and result grants was exceeded by 1·5 per cent. No information has again been furnished regarding the working of the salary grant school — an omission which should now be supplied. The total number of boys under instruction in the municipal and aided schools rose from 1840 or 35·5 per cent of the male population of school going age to 2043 or 39·5 per cent. More than one fourth of the total number of teachers employed in the municipal and aided schools were entirely unqualified. Early steps should be taken to reduce this unduly large proportion.

(3) Medical Relief. The number of in and out patients treated in the municipal hospital rose

The information was not given last year too.

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Vide Statement No III, submitted by the Assistant Inspector of Schools.

22 May 1898

from 636 and 28994 respectively, to 1065 and 33471, the increase being ascribed to the growing popularity of the institution. The midwife attached to the hospital attended 69 cases of labour against 56 in the previous year. The attention of the municipal Council is drawn to the Collector's remark in para. 5 of his endorsement.

Vide para 41 of the report

(4) Vaccination and Vital Statistics.

The total number of persons reported to have been vaccinated during the year fell from 6507 to 5851, the decline being ascribed by the Chairman to the prevalence of cholera, and only 87.2 per cent of the operations were successful against 92.5 per cent in the previous year. Infantile vaccination however, showed an advance, the number of children under one year successfully vaccinated being 2382 or 86 per mille of the population, against 2297 or 34.8 per mille in 1896-97.

Please see para 44 of the Chairman's report.

Owing to high mortality from Cholera,

Vide paras 46 & 56 of this report

to the assistance rendered by the Councillors, Surgn.-Lieut.-Colonel J. J. Hackett Wilkins and Messrs J. W. Gomes and V. A. W. Hamilton.

The particulars as to mortality among inpatients given in para. 5 of the medical report are unnecessary and should be omitted in future.

V.R.
29/7/98

To. The Chairman Mr. Calicut. 1/2 desp.
" " Collector of Malabar. 1/2
" Asst Dt Bd do. 1/8
" " Accountant General 1/10
" " Director of Public Instruction 1/11
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